When applications are satisfactory to the Honorary President or Vice-Presidents, or a majority of them, in said country, the names so agreed upon shall be transmitted by July 15, 1893, to the Chairman of the Committee on Registration, who will proceed to issue a membership card without further reference.

## Selections.

## Mr. Hodgson's Hypnotic Meetings.

The success attending Mr. Hodgson's operations in town last week is unparalleled in Lindsay. In addition to giving instructive and amusing entertainments in the Academy of Music every night, he also made a name for himself outside. On Wednesday night Mr. Walters, assistant dentist with Mr. Neclands, extracted a tooth from a young man on the platform of the Academy in full view of the audience, and under the close scrutiny of Mayor Ray, Mr. Hart, dentist, ourselves and others. The young man was hypnotized, and the tooth was extracted without the sign of a quiver. The following day, one large double tooth and three broken stumps were extracted from a hypnotized patient by Mr. Neclands in his office. All were hard to pull, and one of the roots required the laceration of the gums, almost exposing the jaw bone. Yet not the slightest pain was felt by the patient, though he sat in the chair seemingly wide awake. We were present at Mr. Neeland's office. The patient has not experienced the inflammation usual in such cases, nor was the bleeding so profuse. This is due evidently to the absence of shock. The same day we attended in the rooms of Mr. Gross, and saw another truly wonderful experiment. A patient was hypnotized, and a "double" tooth drawn. The decay was in the centre, so Mr. Gross drilled out the centre and filled it. After treating the tooth and gums to a wash to prevent inflammation, the tooth was reinserted in the jaw, an operation quite common in ordinary dentistry. The patient was brought out of the hypnotic condition, and was shown the tooth in his jaw filled. Though wide awake during the operation, he went away believing the tooth had merely been filled. Soon after, he was showing it to a friend, and touched it with his finger. Down fell the tooth, to his great alarm. These operations we saw our-