

There is a well supplied reading room, the nucleus of a good library and a writing room. These are practically open day and evening, to the members. The officers for the present year are: President, Dr. George E. Armstrong; Vice-President, Dr. H. S. Birkett; Secretary, Dr. Alfred Bazin; Treasurer, Dr. J. M. Jack; Trustees, Drs. Perrigo, Dr. G. A. Brown and Dr. F. J. Shepherd.

YOU'LL HAVE TO SHOW US.

A recent number of the *Medical Fortnightly*, says:—
“Japanese dentists, according to a contemporary, perform their operations in tooth-drawing with the thumb and forefinger of one hand. The skill necessary to do this is acquired only after long practice, but when once it is obtained the operator is able to extract half a dozen teeth in about thirty seconds without once removing his fingers from the patient's mouth. A dentist in this country is mentioned in the papers as using this method with success, having learned it from a Japanese.”

THE COW PEA.

The ‘Cow Pea’ is the title of the latest publication issued by the Experiment Farm of the North Carolina State Horticultural Society at Southern Pines, N.C. This book neatly bound and illustrated, in plain and concise manner, discusses the value and uses of this important crop, the ‘Cow Pea.’ Every reader can get a copy free by writing to the Superintendent of Experiment Farm, Southern Pines, N. C.

CANADIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

The annual meeting of the Canadian Medical Association will be held in Montreal on the 16th, 17th and 18th days of September, 1902. The President is Dr. Francis J. Shepherd, 152 Mansfield St., Montreal, the Local Secretary, Dr. C. F. Martin, Durocher St., Montreal, and the General