

4. Where can a few of us get copies of the reprint from the DOMINION DENTAL JOURNAL of Dr. W. C. Barrett's sketch, with portrait, of the life of Dr. W. D. Miller ?

The Editor will be glad to send the copies if you send the addresses.

5. What do you think of the average value of the sixth year molar ?

A foolish question. Like anything else in the human anatomy, it was designed for a wise purpose, which any first-year student should distinctly understand. It is to the dental arch what the queen is to chess. No doubt, if we do not discover the value of structures we do not fully comprehend, a later generation will. Even the appendix vermiformis will no doubt be found to have a useful purpose.

6. Was any drug but arsenic ever proved successful in devitalizing pulps ?

(1) Cobalt, which was thought to produce less irritation, but which was proved to be less efficacious. (2) Cantharides, which I often used for devitalizing the pulps of deciduous teeth ; one or two applications of the powder, introduced on a pellet of cotton dipped in carbolic acid. Received the suggestion from Prof. E. T. Darby.

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A COMPATIBLE ANTISEPTIC.—Dr. Baxter, of this city, in referring to antiseptics, thus commends the compound Listerine : "The genial compatibility of Listerine with so many standard remedies of the materia medica gives it a very wide range of applicability in the treatment of that large class of cases benefited, relieved and cured by the antiseptic treatment. It has served me well in gonorrhœa, catarrh, fistula in ano, and offensive discharges from the ear and uterus. It is the most elegant mouth wash I have ever used, and for dental use must prove invaluable."