

will give a dollar, but by words and acts. Unless there is unanimity among dentists, the public sentiment upon which all must depend for the support of the law will certainly condemn it.—*The Dental Practitioner and Advertiser*.

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The Question Drawer.

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20. Q.—August 28th. Mrs. A. presents with abscess over left central incisor. Tooth good color, medium size, gold filling on anterior prox-surface. Right central and lateral had been treated for abscesses. History. Two years ago left central became very sore; gum and lip much swollen. Consulted dentist, who could do nothing until swelling subsided. After about a week swelling disappeared, discharge (not profuse) remained ever since. I diagnosed dead pulp. Proceeded to open. Found tooth near nerve sensitive to cut. Found pulp sensitive, but by delicate handling succeeded in removing to near apex, where it was extremely