

the members, the full discussion of the subject was adjourned till the next meeting of the society.

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At a meeting of the members of the "Quebec Medical Society," held the 16th November, the following gentlemen were elected officers for the ensuing year:—President, O. P. Tessier; Vice-President, L. J. A. Simard; Librarian and Treasurer, J. B. Blanchet; Secretary, L. Catillier.

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#### PRESENTATION TO DR. WORTHINGTON, OF SHERBROOKE.

We owe an apology to our friend, Dr. Worthington, of Sherbrooke, for not sooner taking note of an interesting event in the history of his professional life, which occurred on the 11th of September last. On that day he was presented with a handsome silver tea set, with salver, the gift of some four hundred of his patients and friends. The salver bears the following inscription:—"E. D. Worthington, M.D., from the people and medical men of Sherbrooke and adjoining townships." An address accompanied the testimonial, which was read by the Rev. Mr. Reid. It alluded in feeling terms to their sincere regard for him as a kind-hearted and skilful physician, and to his gratuitous services to the poor during the long term of his professional career. It concluded by wishing him continued prosperity and usefulness. Dr. Worthington replied in suitable terms. We would congratulate our friend upon this well-earned expression of public feeling, all the more grateful from the fact that such occurrences, so far as members of our profession are concerned, are few and far between.

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Messrs Kenneth. Campbell & Co., forwarded to us some three months ago, a bottle of pure medicinal Cod Liver Oil manufactured by Hazard and Caswell of New York, and prepared from fresh Cod Livers, at Cape Cod, (Massachusetts), and Rock Island, (Rhode Island). Since its introduction into this city by Messrs. Campbell, we have employed it in several cases, and can therefore speak of its merits from experience. The results from its use are equal to the ordinary Cod Liver Oil of commerce, but it possesses the advantage of being in a great measure free from the smell, so objectionable, as a rule, to patients. Persons whose stomach will not bear the ordinary oil—will, we believe, from the results of two cases, be able to take and retain this oil; and to children, usually such bad patients for the administration of Cod Liver Oil, we believe that of Hazard and Caswell's manufacture will be found to be the most easily taken.