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## WHAT IS THE MATTER WITH OLD QUEBEC?

Once upon a time we had in Quebec a very flourishing Provincial and a lively local Society. The volumes of the *Canada Journal of Dental Science* testify, in the many papers read before the Dental Association of the Province of Quebec, and the Montreal Dental Society, that there was a good deal of life in the profession, notwithstanding the fact that the critics who think they could build railroads to the moon, were only at their feeding-bottles. Vols. 1, 2, 3 of the present journal contain the proceedings of the revival by the Board of Examiners, 1889, of the temporarily quiescent Provincial Society, under the new name of the Odontological Society of the Quebec Province. The meeting, which was held in the rooms of the McGill University by permission of the Faculty, was largely attended; four chairs and all necessary appliances were in position, many interesting clinics given, and seven original papers read and discussed. In the evening over fifty members sat down to a *recherche* dinner at the Windsor. Under what some of our boys call *le ancien régime*, there was all of the original work of organization; there was more