changed from the 18th day of May to the last Monday in May of each year." The same motion also embodied the following resolution, viz., "that the Bye-laws as revised be and are hereby adopted." Carried.

Dr. Harrington then proceeded with a very interesting description of Canadian minerals, and displayed a fine selection of specimens from the collection of the late Mr. Miller, of Ottawa, recently purchased by Mr. John H. R. Molson for McGill College.

Sir Wm. Dawson, Charles Robb, C. E., and Mr. Thomas Macfarlane followed with some remarks on the different forms of crystals found in Norway and Canada.

Sir Wm. Dawson next read extracts from a letter by Professor Bailey, referring to recent criticisms on the Geologists of New Brunswick.