

MEETING OF CANADIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME.

Monday, August 30, 1897.—1 p.m., Clinical Demonstration, Montreal General Hospital. 3 p.m., General Session. (Synod Hall, No. 75 University st., cor. Burnside): Address by Chairman of Local Committee; The Reception of Visitors; Election of Members; Notices of Motion: (1) "That the number comprising the Nominating Committee be increased from ten (as formerly decided by By-law) to fifteen, the latter permitting of a more general representation."—T. G. Roddick, Montreal; (2) That the By-law relating to the Nominating Committee be amended to read: "That the Nominating Committee be elected by the association, on the first day of each annual meeting, by ballot, after nomination."—R. W. Powell, Ottawa. 4 p.m., President's Address, V. H. Moore, Brockville, Ont. 4.30 p.m., Address by W. Watson Cheyne, London, Eng.; Appointing of Nominating Committee; Appointing of other Committees; General Business. 8 p.m., Smoking Concert in Windsor Hall.

Tuesday, August 31.—9.30 a.m., General Session, Synod Hall; Report of Committee on Inter-Provincial Registration; Report of Nominating Committee; Reports of other Committees; General Business.

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OBITUARY.

EDWARD M. HIGGINS, M.D.—Dr. E. M. Higgins died July 18, 1897, aged 42. He was the only son of Major Higgins, of Kingston, and was born at Quebec. He graduated from Queen's University in 1877, and soon after became surgeon to one of the Allan line steamers, which position he retained about ten years. During this time he contracted rheumatism, from which he never fully recovered.

EGERTON GRIFFIN, M.D.—Dr. E. Griffin, of Brantford, died August 7, 1897, aged 68. He passed before the Upper Canada Medical Board in 1853, and received the degree of M.D. from the University of New York in 1854. In the same year he commenced practice in Brantford, where he remained up to the time of his death. He received the degree of M.D. from Trinity University in 1874. He was appointed Medical Health Officer of Brantford in 1885, and was also surgeon to the gaol. The cause of death was said to be abscess of the liver.