

meet with the local societies and present to them lectures or addresses on subjects of their choice. Arrangements have been made whereby any society having a man who has devoted enough time to a subject as to make it worthy of presentation outside of his own society may recommend the addition of his name and subject to the list.

University co-operation in this connection has been acquired and the committee in charge of post graduate extension work at Toronto University have kindly supplied the Association with a valuable list of subjects in which they will undertake to provide suitable lecturers. The Western and Queen's University have also supplied a list of subjects and have attached the names of the lecturers. The Academy of Medicine, Toronto, and the Hamilton Medical Society have also supplied similar lists. It is expected that before long the whole list will be revised with additions and eliminations. In this regard it is considered that unless there are some valid objections, the valuable list supplied from Toronto University would be still more valuable if the names of the lecturers were attached. Opinions expressed by members of local county societies are decidedly in favour of the attachment of the names in order that selection may be facilitated, for although the choice of lecturer might safely be left in the hands of the University Committee, the local men will insist on knowing that he is one who will present the subject in a practical way. To select a subject and have to communicate with the Committee to get the name of the lecturer is a somewhat cumbersome procedure and one which might lead to embarrassment.

It is hoped that local societies will derive great benefit from the use of this list and that they will feel free to use it to the fullest extent and to make suggestions for its improvement, as it is desired to bring to them practical up-to-date information which they may not have an opportunity of seeking away from home.

The educative factor of this post graduate extension work is so pronounced that when in a slightly further stage of development it is hoped that it will merit the sympathy and support of the provincial government to a degree sufficient to establish it on a broad and comprehensive basis.

Following a recent interview on the subject of post graduate extension work along the lines suggested, the Government of Ontario expressed itself as very much interested in the scheme and intimated that some possible participation in it might be considered at a later date.

The formal affiliation of most district and county medical societies with the Ontario Medical Association will soon be accomplished and it is essential that the Association should take care to manifest some interest in its affiliated bodies and also to demonstrate that such affiliation is of use and interest to them. So too it is essential that the local societies