as well as locally. He assisted in forming the Ontario Graphite Company, the Dominion Carbide Company, Ahearn Electric Heating and Manufacturing Company, Locomotive and Machine Company of Montreal, the Thousand Islands Land Company, the Ontario Smelting, Milling and Refining Company, and other similar organizations. He was a director of the Ottawa Gas Company and a vice-president of the Ottawa Trust and Deposit Company.

#### SOCIETY MEETINGS.

A joint meeting of the Electrical and Mechanical Sections of the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers was held on Thursday, April 3rd, at 8.15 p.m. A paper on "Electrification of a Reversing Mill at the Algoma Steel Company," by B. T. McCormick, A.M.Can.Soc.C.E., was read by the author.

Dr. John W. S. McCullogh, chief health officer of Ontario, will deliver an address on Friday, April 11th, 1913, at 8 p.m. on "The Evolution of Public Health," at the Engineers' Club, Toronto. The library committee announces that a series of interesting lectures have been arranged for.

## COMING MEETINGS.

CANADIAN ELECTRICAL ASSOCIATION.—Annual Convention will be held in Fort William, June 23, 24 and 25, Secretary, T. S. Young, 220 King Street W., Toronto.

THE INTERNATIONAL ROADS CONGRESS.—The Third International Roads Congress will be held in London, England, in June, 1913. Secretary, W. Rees Jeffreys, Queen Anne's Chambers, Broadway, Westminster, London, S.W. THE INTERNATIONAL GEOLOGICAL CONGRESS.—Twelfth Annual Meeting to be held in Canada during the summer of 1913. Secretary, W. S. Lecky, Victoria Memoriam Museum, Ottawa

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