

accounts, which they find to be intelligently and well kept and quite correct. They show \$138.35 received since last September, and \$133.66 expended, leaving a balance on hand of \$4.69.

Dr. Oldright gave notice that at the next meeting he would move that clause 10 of by-laws should be amended by substituting the words, "Public health, vital statistics, and climatology," for the words, "Climatology and epidemic diseases."

The Committee on Nominations recommended the following-named officers:—

President Dr. Fenwick, of Montreal.

General Secretary—Dr. W. Osler, of Montreal.

Treasurer—Dr. E. Robillard, of Montreal.

Vice-President of Ontario—Dr. D. Clark, of Toronto.

Local Secretary of Ontario—Dr. A. H. Wright, Toronto.

Vice-President of Quebec—Dr. F. W. Campbell, Montreal.

Local Secretary of Quebec—Dr. Belleau, of Quebec.

Vice-President of Nova Scotia—Dr. R. S. Black, Halifax.

Local Secretary of Nova Scotia—Dr. C. D. Rigby, Halifax.

Vice-President of New Brunswick—Dr. P. R. Inches, St. John.

Local Secretary of New Brunswick—Dr. C. Holden, St. John.

*Committee on Arrangements.*—Drs. D. Clark, Oldright, Temple, A. A. McDonald, of Toronto, with power to add to their number.

*Committee on Necrology.*—Drs. Fulton, of Toronto; Atherton, of Fredericton; Lachapelle, of Montreal.

*Committee on Education.*—Drs. Eccles, London; Holmes, Chatham, and Bessey, Montreal.

*Committee on Climatology and Public Health.*—Drs. Botsford, St. John; Worthington, Clinton, Ont.; Larocque, Montreal; McDonald, Londonderry, and Coleman, St. John.

*Committee on Ethics.*—Drs. Canniff, Toronto; Malloch, Hamilton; Gardner, Montreal; Marsden, Quebec; Bayard, St. John; Parker and W. J. Almon, Halifax; Steeves, St. John; Beaudry, Montreal, and Charles Moore, Sen., London.

*Committee on Publication.*—Drs. Ross, Montreal; Cameron and Fulton, Toronto; the General Secretary and Treasurer.

*Committee on Practice of Medicine.*—Drs. Lawson, Halifax; Graham, of Toronto; Duncan, of Bathurst.

*Committee on Surgery.*—Drs. Shepherd, of Montreal; J. F. Black, of Halifax, and McFarlane, of Toronto.

*Committee on Obstetrics.*—Drs. Temple, of Toronto; Trudel, of Montreal, and McLaren, of St. John's.

*Committee on Therapeutics.*—Drs. Tye, of Thamesville; Wilkins, of Montreal, and Somers, of Halifax.

Toronto to be the next place of meeting.

The report was adopted, and the first Wednesday in September, 1882, chosen as the date.

Votes of thanks were passed to railway and steamboat companies, the Local Government for the use of the Council Chamber, the Sandy Cove Bathing Company, the local medical men, and to the Acting Secretary, Dr. Wright.

The President then left the chair, which was taken by the President-elect, Dr. Fenwick, who thanked the Association for the honour conferred upon him.

On motion of Dr. Hingston, a vote of thanks was passed to the retiring President for his able conduct in the chair, and his admirable address, containing so many useful and practical hints. This was acknowledged by Dr. Canniff, amidst applause.

The Association adjourned at 12 o'clock to allow the members to attend the Excursion and Dinner given by the Profession of Halifax, and the Commissioners of Public Charities.

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### Miscellaneous.

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ANENT doctor's signs, the *N. Y. Record* says: The brazen sign is large; it covers the whole door post, it stretches from window to window; its lettering is brilliant, and it is set off with scroll-work in the corners; the passer-by sees it, and cannot but read it; small boys shout out the name as they go by, and adults mutter it over till they reach another block. It is judiciously placed so that the street-lamp illumines it at night. It affects the more public ways, and it indicates the astute and enterprising physician. He is one who maintains a dignified equipoise between the code which says, "Thou shalt not advertise," and the Bible which says, "Let thy light so shine." In these days, when æstheticism is in the ascendant, when