

resolved, on the motion of Drs. Bethune and McKenzie, "That in the opinion of this Association no patient should be entitled to free medical or surgical treatment in our hospitals except those who are receiving their hospital maintenance from the municipality to which they belong."

On motion of Drs. Taylor and Bethune, it was resolved that this Association support the nomination of Dr. J. A. Robertson, of Stratford, for the representation of District No. II, Ontario Medical Council.

Dr. Shaw read a paper on "Fistula in Ano," which was well received by members present, and elicited much favorable comment. Owing to early departure of train for the east the regular programme had to be curtailed and the meeting adjourned.

THE WINDSOR MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

The regular meeting of the Windsor Medical Association took place on Thursday, October 13th, 1898—the President, Dr. Reaume, in the chair. Among those present were, Drs. Sampson, Sanderson, Hoar, Ashbaugh, Bell, Carney, Coventry, Cruickshank, Lambert, Prouse, and Drs. Mott, of Detroit, and Beattie Nesbitt, of Toronto.

The members were first entertained by Dr. Sampson presenting J. S. Fitzgerald, who has been exhibited during the last thirty years at many of the medical schools on the other side. This gentleman is a professional auto-dislocator, who produced by his own muscular actions luxations of all the main joints of the body. These were carefully examined by the members present, who passed a vote of thanks to Dr. Sampson for his kindness in bringing before them such an interesting subject.

Dr. Beattie Nesbitt then gave a paper on auto-intoxication. We may

say, however, in reference to the discussion that followed, that the members of the profession in Windsor are all Irish, and our modesty naturally would not stand the publication of their flattering comments.

The Association, after the meeting, was entertained by Dr. Bell, and it is unnecessary to state that, as Dr. Sampson was director of ceremonies, the evening passed off most delightfully.

AMERICAN ELECTRO-THERAPEUTIC ASSOCIATION.

The eighth annual meeting of the Association took place in Buffalo, N.Y., in the rooms of the Society of the Natural Sciences on September 13th to 15th, and was well attended, and altogether successful in every respect. The Mayor of Buffalo, Dr. Conrad Diehl, delivered an address of welcome, to which Dr. F. B. Bishop, of Washington, D.C., responded. As the President, Dr. Charles R. Dickson, of Toronto, kept all strictly to the time limit, and called the meetings to order very punctually, it was possible to get through a quite lengthy programme, which was as follows:

Phlebitis: A Clinical Study. By Dr. Margaret Cleaves, New York.

The Diagnostic and Therapeutic Relations of Electricity to Diseases of the Central Nervous System. By Dr. A. D. Rockwell, New York.

New Uses of the Undulatory Current in Gynæcology. By Dr. Georges Apostoli, Paris, France.

Electricity in the Treatment of Uterine Fibromata. By Dr. Felice La Torre, Rome, Italy.

Electro-therapeutics in Gynæcology. By Drs. Georges Gautier and J. Larat, Paris, France.

The Use of Electricity in Gynæcology. By Dr. W. J. Herdman, Ann Arbor, Mich.

The Treatment of Uterine Fibroids by Small Currents Administered Per-