

After the disinfection is over they are to be replaced in the envelope and posted without delay to the Laboratory of the Board of Health. The packets are on no account to be opened, and should not be kept for more than three or four days before using. A report upon the result of the test will be forwarded as soon as it can be decided whether the bacteria have developed or not.

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The Twenty-fifth Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association will be held at Philadelphia, Pa., October 26, 27, 28, 29, 1897.

The Executive Committee have selected a number of topics for consideration, upon which special committees have been appointed. Papers will be received upon other sanitary and hygienic subjects also.

It is expected that the Philadelphia meeting will be largely attended. Its location is central, and the local Committee of Arrangements are already hard at work for its success.

All communications relating to local matters should be addressed to Dr. Benjamin Lee, Chairman Local Committee of Arrangements, No. 1532 Pine St., Philadelphia, Pa.

IRVING A. WATSON,

Secretary, CONCORD, N.H.

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We are asked by the Curator of the Medical Museum, at McGill University, to state that the very valuable collection of calculi formed by Dr. Fenwick, and added to largely of late years by the members of the Medical Faculty and others, is at present being classified and mounted so as to form a very leading feature in the Museum. He would be glad to receive from old members of the university and from Canadian practitioners in general further contributions so as to make the collection thoroughly representative. Renal and vesical calculi, biliary calculi, salivary, pancreatic and other concretions will be duly acknowledged, both upon receipt and in the Museum Catalogue.

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The many friends of Dr. T. Johnston-Alloway, will be pleased to hear that his health is now re-established, and that he is resuming practice at once.

The following appointments to the Resident Staff of the Montreal General Hospital have been made for the ensuing year: Drs. Pennoyer, von Eberts, Wainwright, Robertson, Harding and Gurd.

Dr. Fisk, who has been the Resident Medical Officer at the Montreal