

Upon all the above subjects, special committees have been appointed. Papers will be received upon other sanitary and hygienic subjects also.

#### REGULATIONS RELATING TO PAPERS.

Special attention is called to the new regulation in regard to papers. Papers presented later than the time specified (on or before nine o'clock, a.m., of Monday preceding the meeting) will not be placed in the programme, for, contrary to the usage of previous meetings, the entire programme for the week will be printed on Monday preceding the first day of the session.

#### EXTRACT FROM BY-LAWS.

4. All papers presented to the Association, must be either printed, typewritten, or in plain handwriting, and in order to secure a place in the programme, must positively be in the hands of the Secretary by nine o'clock, a.m., on Monday preceding the first day of the meeting, in order that they may be submitted to the Executive Committee, and placed in the hands of the sub committee charged with the preparation of the daily programme of the session.

5. If any paper is too late for critical examination, said paper may be so far passed upon by the Executive Committee as to allow its reading, but such paper shall be subject to publication or non-publication, as the Executive Committee deem expedient.

6. All papers accepted by the Association, whether read in full, by abstract, by title, or filed, shall be delivered to the Secretary, as soon as thus disposed of, as the exclusive property of the Association. Any paper presented to this Association and accepted by it shall be refused publication in the transactions of the Association, if it be published, in whole or in part, by permission or assent of its author, in any manner prior to the publication of the volume of transactions, unless written consent is obtained from the Publication Committee.

7. All papers on subjects within the province of special committees shall be referred to the chairmen of the several committees, who shall report the same to the Association, incorporated with their annual reports, or refer them to the Executive Committee for consideration.

8. No paper shall hereafter be considered, of which a condensed abstract shall not have been placed in the hands of the Secretary at least twenty days before the date of the annual meeting.

9. Chairmen of committees, in making reports, shall be absolutely limited to thirty minutes, reading of papers to