

But it is especially respecting contagious diseases that these certificates will be important to the Board. At the end of each month the Board, knowing the exact number of deaths caused by each contagious disease in every locality of the Province, will be enabled to inquire immediately into the measures taken to check such diseases, and by ordering a rigid enforcement of isolation and disinfection will often prevent an epidemic.

The Board relies upon the medical profession to furnish it with accurate and reliable data, and entertains no doubt as to its support, since the want of legislation on the subject, which existed up to last session, has often drawn the attention of the medical corps.

THE ELEVENTH INTERNATIONAL MEDICAL CONGRESS, ROME, 1893.

The Congress will be inaugurated, doubtless, on the 24th September, 1893, in the presence of H. M. the King of Italy. We dwell upon this fact on purpose, because there has been spread the notice of the possibility of the prorogation of this meeting. The Executive Committee has never deliberated upon a prorogation, but has, in its session of the 1st inst., determined upon a programme, and has taken the necessary dispositions to get the localities ready for September 24th.

The programme is going to be printed, the colleagues are therefore prayed to communicate promptly the titles of their papers, which shall be comprised in the programme.

Abstracts and conclusions are to be presented not later than July 31st, as prescribed by the Art. 11 of the statute.

AMERICAN ELECTRO-THERAPEUTIC ASSOCIATION.

The third annual meeting of the American Electro-Therapeutic Association will be held in Chicago, September 12, 13 and 14, at Appollo Hall, Central Music Hall Block.

Members of the medical profession interested in electro-therapeutics are cordially invited to attend.

AUGUSTIN H. GOELET, M.D., President.

MARGARET A. CLEAVES, M.D., Secretary.