

HEALTH AND HYGIENE.

At the Forty-Eighth Annual Meeting of the **Canadian Medical Association at Montreal, 13, 14 and 15 June, 1917**, the Section of Public Health passed the following Resolutions which were submitted to the Council of Public Instruction, 2 August, 1917:—

Whereas the question of the Teaching of Hygiene has been considered of so much importance that the Canadian Medical Association has put aside a whole session of its section of Hygiene for its study.

Whereas it is proved that such teaching is absolutely necessary to ensure the observation of health laws and by-laws, which are framed for the protection of the health and the life of the citizen.

Whereas to obtain such a desirable result an important place should be given to such teaching.

It is resolved that the Canadian Medical Association strongly recommends:—

1st. The organization of a course in Hygiene in all universities, not only in the Medical Faculty, but also for the students of all the other faculties, theology, law, science, etc.

2nd. The organization of a practical course of Hygiene, given by specialists in all the normal schools.

3rd. The adoption of a text book on "Hygiene", to be used thruout the schools.

4th. That the present resolution be addressed to the deans of the different Faculties of all Universities thruout Canada as well as to the School authorities of all the Province of Canada.

The following Resolution was passed by the **National Council of Women of Canada** at the recent Annual Meeting and was submitted to the Council of Public Instruction by the Acting Corresponding Secretary, 21 July, 1917:—

Resolved: That the National Council of Women of Canada request the Provincial Departments of Education to establish in Training Schools for Teachers, (where such courses are not already given) courses of sex-hygiene, conducted by physicians who recognize the educational and moral significance of this work.

BI-LINGUAL SCHOOLS IN CANADA.

Professor C. B. Sissons, of Victoria College, Toronto, has had published by J. M. Dent & Sons, of London, Paris, and Toronto, a very readable, fair and authoritative volume of 242 pages on this problem—more especially that part of it in the storm center, the Provinces of Ontario and the North West. There are two sides to every quarrel; and to the one who knows only one side only that side can be right.