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MISCELLANEOUS

A CANADIAN MEDICAL WEEK IN HAMILTON.

Arrangements for the big Canadian medical week have progressed favorably and we are now in a position to make some announcements regarding the programme.

A personal conference in Ottawa with Surgeon-General Fotheringham, of the Militia Department, and representatives of the other agencies interested in the returned soldier problem, resulted in bringing the plans for the symposium on this subject for Wednesday evening to a very satisfactory status.

Prof. Barker, of Baltimore, will give the address in medicine; Dr. Chas. Mayo, Rochester, in surgery; Dr. Isaac Jones, of Philadelphia, on the ear. Regarding the work in the sections, the general principle will govern in all that there will be a very few papers, but it is the expectation of the committee that each paper presented will promote a very elaborate discussion so that in a sense each will represent a symposium. The writers of the papers are asked to present a synopsis, which will be ready and in the hands of the committee before March 25th, which will be available for those wishing to prepare anything for discussion.

In the sections of medicine, amongst others, the following have agreed to take part: Leonard Rowntree, of Minneapolis; Allan Brown and Smith, of Toronto; Beatrice Hinkle, of New York; W. Gordon Lyle, of New York; J. Chandler Walker, of Boston, and Thomas McCrae, of Philadelphia. On eye, ear, nose and throat; Casey Wood, of Chicago; Walter Parker, Detroit; John Wheeler, of New York; Jos. Beck, of Chicago, and H. Halsted, of Syracuse. In surgery: McGuire, of Buffalo; Hyman, St. Louis; Guthrie, of Sayre, Pa., and Henderson, of Rochester, Minn.

It is proposed to have in addition to the regular programme in sections and general sessions, an innovation in the nature of a round table discussion on a matter of vital importance to the profession as a whole. Such will be arranged for late in the day when the regular programme is finished. Accommodation for this will be limited and all seats reserved.

Plans are also under way for the presentation of a most interesting