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### ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CANADIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

BANFF, August 12th, 1889.

The Twenty Second Session was called to order by Dr. Ross at 11 a.m. Dr. Hingston, a Past President, was invited to a seat upon the platform. The following members by invitation were introduced by Dr. Ross: Drs. Whittaker and Wiggling, of Cincinnati; Drs. Bulkley and Gibney, of New York; Dr. Murcey, of Boston; Dr. P. S. Connor, of Cincinnati; Dr. Gordon, of Quincy, Mass; Prof. Baker, of Philadelphia; Dr. Hannon, of Hoosac Falls, Dr. Lathrop of Dover, N. H. Dr. Brett, of Banff, on behalf of the citizens of Banff, presented the following address of welcome:—

“To the President and Members of the Canadian Medical Association.—Gentlemen, we the members of the Citizens' Committee, representing the community of Banff, on this the occasion of your assembling here for the purpose of holding the Twenty-second Annual Meeting of your important Association, desire to express our appreciation of the honor which the gathering of so learned a body implies, and in the absence of a demonstration worthy of the occasion, beg to tender you through this unpretentious address, a sincere and cordial welcome to our midst.

“We venture to assert that the selection of this spot for your place of meeting is singularly felicitous, in as much as you as members of an association distinctively national, could find no more appropriate place in which to conduct the important and useful affairs of your Association than at this little town of Banff, the heart of the Canadian National Park. We hope that your brief stay here may not be altogether without interest to you,

that in the grandeur of the scenery, the extent and diversity of mountain, forest, and river, or in the healthful qualities of the springs which abound in these parts and whose sanative properties are now so well known, you may find something worthy of more than a passing notice, worthy in fact of being treasured, when this short visit is over, among the memories which it shall be a pleasure to recall. Assuring you of our desire to make your sojourn among us as agreeable as possible.”

We have the honor to be,

Yours, &c.,

(Signed) R. G. BRETT,  
F. G. BOSWELL,  
R. E. C. O'DONOGHUE.

On behalf of the Citizens' Committee  
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Several gentlemen were next elected permanent members, the president having declared an adjournment of ten minutes to allow the candidates to send in their names and pay the annual fee to the treasurer.

Dr. Wright then read his inaugural address.

The meeting then adjourned until 8 p. m. for discussion of the amendment to the by-laws.

BANFF, August 12th, 1889, 8 p. m.

After a prolonged discussion the By-laws of 1874 were amended as follows:—

Dr. Trenholme, of Montreal, gave the following notice of motion:—

“That the nominating committee shall be appointed by and for each Province by the members present thereof at the annual meeting.”

It was then decided that the by-laws as thus amended above should be brought up for adoption at the next annual meeting. The meeting then adjourned.

BANFF, August 13th, 1889.

The meeting was called to order at 9:30 a. m., Dr. Wright presiding.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

Mr. Niblock, Asst. Supt. of the Western Division of the Canadian Pacific Railway was introduced by the President, and addressed the meeting on behalf of the