

open the discussion in medicine, Dr. Burt, of Paris, that in surgery, Dr. H. T. Machell, of Toronto, in obstetrics. Several medical men from over the border have promised to attend.

At the meeting of the American Association of Physicians, in Washington, beginning on April 29th, Dr. H. A. Lafleur contributed a paper upon "Syphilitic Nephritis."

The American Medical Association held its annual meeting this year at Atlanta, Georgia, on the 6th inst., the American Academy of Medicine meeting in the same city upon the 2nd. Dr. Osler delivered the Address in Medicine before the former body. The leading feature of this year's meeting was the celebration of the centenary of Dr. Edward Jenner's discovery of the value of vaccination, the address opening the celebration being delivered by Dr. N. S. Davis, of Chicago, Surgeon-General Sternberg contributing a paper upon "Scientific researches relating to the specific infectious agent of smallpox and the production of artificial immunity in the disease." We notice that in the section on State Medicine Dr. W. Bayard, of St. Johns, N. B., read a paper upon "Alcoholism and its relation to Public Health."

The American Orthopædic Association will hold its meeting this year at Buffalo, from the 19th to the 21st inst., under the presidency of Dr. Royal Whitman, of New York. The only Canadian name upon the preliminary programme is that of Dr. B. E. McKenzie, of Toronto, who will read a paper upon "Congenital defects of the long bones with report of cases and operations."

INTERNATIONAL MONUMENTS TO PASTEUR AND MAYER.

We have received a letter (of which the following is an abridged translation) from Dr. J. M. Beausoleil who, we gather, is working at the Institut Pasteur in Paris, and who has been nominated General Secretary for the Province of Quebec of the international subscription for the Pasteur monument in Paris:

"RUE DUTOT 25, PARIS.

"The town in which Pasteur was born, that in which he passed his youth and other towns, centres of districts which have gained benefit from his discoveries, are erecting busts or statues in his honour, so as to perpetuate within their walls the memory of a great and noble son or to acknowledge the services rendered by him to local industries.