

AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

The 24th annual meeting of the American Medical Association met in St. Louis, Mo., on the 6th ult. and continued in session four days. There were present during the Session 448 members. The annual address was delivered by Dr. T. M. Logan of California, after which the usual business of the Session was proceeded with. There were some good papers read to sections and several general reports in regard to education, literature, &c. Among the proceedings a resolution was passed recommending an International Medical Congress, to consider, and, if practicable, adopt an uniform classification and nomenclature of diseases to be used by the profession throughout the world.

A resolution was also passed recommending the establishment of a National Sanitary Bureau with relation to the general government similar to those of the Bureaus of Agriculture and Education.

The following gentlemen were appointed chairmen of sections: Dr. N. S. Davis, Chicago, Medicine, Materia Medica and Physiology; S. T. Parvis, Indianapolis, Obstetrics and Diseases of Women and Children; S. D. Gross, Philadelphia, Surgery and Anatomy. Dr. A. N. Tally, South Carolina, Med. Jurisprudence and Chemistry. Dr. A. N. Bell, Brooklyn, State and Public Hygiene.

Dr. J. M. Toner of Washington, was appointed President for the next year. The next meeting of the Association will be held on the first Tuesday in June, 1874, in Detroit, Michigan.

CLINICAL LECTURES.

The arrangement which was entered into last winter for the regular delivery of clinical lectures in the Toronto General Hospital by the clinical lecturers of the three medical schools in this city was found to work most satisfactorily, and we are happy to announce that the same regulation will be continued during the coming winter session. The amount of clinical instruction thus afforded students attending the Toronto Hospital, is largely in excess of that of any other institution in America, and cannot fail to be of immense practical value to those who avail themselves of it. No additional fees are charged for these lectures, and the Hospital Trustees have opened the way for the attendance of all students, by issuing perpetual tickets for the moderate sum of ten dollars each.