

the able manner in which he presided. This was seconded by Dr. R. A. Reeve, Toronto, and carried amidst cheers. Dr. Stewart replied.

Dr. H. A. Bruce, Toronto, moved, seconded by Dr. Murray McLaren, St. John, that the thanks of the Association be tendered to Lt.-Col. Carleton Jones, Chairman of the Committee of Arrangements, for the splendid entertainments provided for the members of the Association. Carried.

Moved by Dr. McKeen, seconded by Dr. Martin, that Lt.-Col. Jones' paper be now read. Carried.

Lieutenant-Colonel Carleton Jones then read his paper, entitled, "The Equipment of the Canadian Army Medical Corps."

Adjournment at 4, when all present inspected the hospital tents and army medical equipment on the grounds adjoining.

MEDICAL SECTION.—AFTERNOON.

DR. GRANT STEWART, *Chairman*.

Dr. A. P. Reid read "Atmospheric Humidity in Relation to Health." In discussing this paper, Dr. Laphorn Smith advised zinc tanks attached to the back of radiators, also the sprinkling of water over carpets, etc., in short, any method of keeping the air moist.

Dr. W. H. Hattie read "The Prodromata of Insanity." Discussion taken part in by Drs. Grant Stewart, A. P. Reid, Anglin and McPhedran.

Dr. Reid did not consider the average examination of mental condition by a medical man to be sufficiently elaborate.

Dr. Anglin emphasized the importance of the prodromata, as so many cases may be aborted by early treatment.

Dr. McPhedran's remarks were in support of the same idea. He thought that the profession should be in a position to take charge of cases before it is possible to certify insanity.

Dr. R. A. H. Mackeen did not consider home treatment practicable in most cases.

Dr. Hattie, in concluding, agreed with Dr. Mackeen, and recommended separate institutional treatment for the early cases.

Dr. D. G. J. Campbell read "Case Reports, (a) a case of chylothorax; (b) further notes on a case of myelogenous leukæmia with disappearance of the splenomegaly and myelocytes."