There were 38 patients remaining in the hospital on September 30th. The average length of a patient's stay was 18.16 days, slightly below last year's average stay. Of the patients discharged, 717 were cured, 136 improved; 7 showed no improvement, and 15 were not treated.

## WESTERN HOSPITAL.

The report of the Western Hospital for the quarter ending 30th September, 1903, shows that during the quarter 146 patients were admitted; 136 were discharged and 7 died; 37 were medical; 75 surgical; 34 gynæcological.

Out-Door Department—Total number of consultations for the quarter, 1,941; medical, 617; surgical, 374; gynæcological, 372; eye and ear, 157; nose and throat, 259; skin, 47; genito-urinary, 115.

Report for September—Number of patients admitted, 43; discharged, 39; died, 4. Out-Door Department—Total number of consultations, 684; medical, 221; surgical, 122; gynæcological, 141; eye and ear, 56; nose and throat, 88; skin, 18; genito-urinary, 38.

## THE ROYAL VICTORIA HOSPITAL.

Patients in Hospital, August 31st, 175; admitted during September, 261; discharged, 209; died, 12; patients in hospital September 30th, 215; cured, 152; improved, 51; unimproved, 2; not treated, 4; medical, 86; surgical, 111; ophthalmological, 17; gynæcological, 38; laryngological, 9; males, 128; females, 133; daily average, 196; Out-Door Department, 2,264; ambulance calls, 68.

## NOTRE DAME HOSPITAL.

During the month of September 112 patients were treated in the wards, and 1,657 in the Out-Door Departments.

## OTTAWA MEDICO-CHIRURGICAL SOCIETY.

The medical men of Ottawa have formed a new society, the Medico-Chirurgical Society, by the amalgamation of the Ottawa Medical and the Ottawa Clinical societies, two organizations which for several years have existed and between which, in the old days, considerable rivalry existed. Regular meetings will he held and professional programmes arranged. The meeting was largely attended and nearly unanimous.

Officers were elected as follows: Honorary President, Sir James Grant, K.C.M.G.; President, Dr. H. B. Small; First Vice-President, Dr. Dewar; Second Vice-President, Dr. Webster; Secretary, Dr. C. H.