

## MEETING OF THE CANADIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

We give in another column a synopsis of the report of the annual meeting of the Canadian Medical Association which took place at the city of St. John, N. B., on the 6th and 7th August last. The proceedings were soon over as there was not a large amount of business to be transacted. Several interesting papers on various subjects were read which elicited lively discussion.

After the close of the second day's proceedings, the members of the Association at St. John, entertained their visitors most handsomely at a dinner given in the spacious apartments of the Provincial Lunatic Asylum. This social gathering was not exclusively medical, it was largely attended by the *elite* of St. John, His Honour the Lieutenant Governor gracing the occasion with his presence and presiding as chairman.

After the guests had fully partaken of the good things provided, and the customary loyal toasts had been disposed of, the real business of this social gathering commenced and was kept up with unusual spirit. We were told by a gentleman present that he had seldom enjoyed himself to the same extent as on that occasion. The off-hand speeches were very racy, and the witticisms ready and to the point. We are not aware if the title of Blue Nose applies to the New Brunswicker as well as to the Haligonian, but one would fancy that there must be something unusually bracing in the air of our sister Provinces; full of wit, repartee and as we would term it in this province *bonne amitié*, their visitors will not likely forget the occasion of the meeting of the sixth Annual Convention of the Canadian Medical Association held in the city of St. John, N. B., and the many pleasant and instructive hours passed with their *confrères*.

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