## CANADIAN INSTITUTE MEETING, NOV. 25, 1911.

On Saturday evening Dr. J. A. Amyot, Director of Laboratories, Provincial Board of Health, addressed the members and fr.ends of the above association on the subject of "Water Pur fica.ion."

His address altogether was along the lines of municipal water purification, and brought to the notice of the audience some startling and instructive points regarding this important topic.

Practical methods of purification were filtration, addition of chemicals, storing and chlorination, although the latter is more of an emergency method than the preceding.

Dr. Amyot spoke favorably of slow sand filtration, especially where the water supply had coarse suspended matter in it, as is frequently the case in Lake Ontario after an east storm. There is nothing yet to supplant slow sand filtration where the filtration plant is properly equipped. Dr. Amyot said Buffalo sewage, even after travelling forty miles in the turbulent Niagara River, affected the water at Niagara-onthe-Lake.

A number of views illustrative of the lecture were shown on a screen. President J. B. Tyrrell was in the chair.

## COMING MEETINGS.

THE CANADIAN SOCIETY OF CIVIL ENGINEERS.-Nov. 30th. Meeting of the Toronto Branch at the Engineers' Club of Toronto, 96 King Street West, Toronto. Paper on "The Niagara River Boulevard." E. A. James, Secretary.

Toronto. Paper on "The Niagara River Boulevard." E. A. James, Secretary. THE ENGINEERS' CLUB OF TORONTO.—Dec. 13, 96 King Street West, Toronto Luncheon at 1 p.m. Address by the Hon. Mr. Justice William Renwick Riddell. R. B. Wolsey, Secretary.
THE CANADIAN PUBLIC HEALTH ASSOCIATION.—Dec. 13-15. Mont-real. F. C. Douglas. M.D., D.P.H., Secretary, 51 Park Avenue, Montreal. (The date of the meeting has been changed from Nov. 21-23 to Dec. 13-15)
PROVINCE OF QUEBEC ASSOCIATION OF ARCHITECTS.—Tuesday, Dec. 19th, 1911, lecture by Dr. T. A. Starkey, of McGill University, Professor of Hygiene, on "Ventilation of Public Buildings." No. 5 Beaver Hall Square, Montreal. J. E. Ganier, Secretary.

THE CANADIAN FORESTRY ASSOCIATION.—February 6, 7 and 8, 1912. Annual Meeting, Ottawa. James Lawler. Secretary.

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