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## **EDITORIAL**

## THE CANADIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

The forty-fifth meeting of the Canadian Medical Association was held at Edmonton from 10th to 14th August. Reports show that the meeting was well attended and that the members and visitors enjoyed their sojourn in the City of Edmonton. The program furnished was a full one, and gave interest and information to all who took part in it.

The meeting assembled for business at 10.30 a.m. on Saturday, 10th August. The forenoon was occupied with routine work, such as taking the chair by the retiring president, an invocation by Rev. Archdeacon Gray, the installation of the president, Dr. Mackid, an address of welcome by the Lieutenant-Governor, and the Mayor, reports of Committee on Arrangements, reading the minutes, and election of members of Executive Council. In the afternoon there was an automobile ride round the city and a steamer trip on the Saskatchewan River.

Sunday marked a rather unique departure in the fact that there were some public health addresses in the various churches.

On Monday the real work of the Association began. The sections met for the reading and discussion of papers at 9 a.m. At one o'clock there was a luncheon in the High School. Following this there were the president's address, and an address on Surgery by Mr. Giles, of London, Eng. Later in the afternoon there were meetings of the sections, a garden party on Mrs. Braithwaite's lawn, and at 9 p.m. a smoker at the Corona Hotel.

On Tuesday, 13th, there were meetings of sections, an address on Medicine by Dr. A. D. Blackader, of Montreal, luncheon in the High School, meetings of sections again, a general meeting at which Mr. Sturm, of Chicago, gave an address on Hospital Construction and Maintenance, while in the evening Dr. J G. Adami, of Montreal, gave an address on The Sins of the Father.