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This year, in addition to the expected presence of several of our own most eminent members, we are promised a visit from Drs. Maurice Richardson and Cushing from Boston, Dr. H. A. Hare from Philadelphia, and Drs. Evans, F. A. Lockhart and G. E. Armstrong from Montreal.

We are sure it will be a great delight for our members to meet these gentlemen, some at least of whom are of continental reputation, and are sure to instruct as well as please all whose good fortune it may be to meet them.

A strong and energetic committee have charge of the arrangements and a first class programme is being arranged, which later will be published in the News.

The profession in St. John are looking confidently to a large gathering this year from all parts of these lower provinces, and will see to it that there will not alone be offered a good professional programme, but every effort will be made to the end that the comfort and interest of the visitors will be studied and such practical welcome given as will make the occasion an enjoyable as well as a profitable one.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MEDICAL SOCIETY OF NOVA SCOTIA.

The next annual meeting will take place on the 1st and 2nd of July at Antigonish, and every endeavor should be made by the profession to have a large gathering present. Our Cape Breton practitioners have no excuse to offer this time at the great distance, as Antigonish is conveniently situated for a meeting, not only for those to the east,

but for a large number throughout the province.

The Address in Medicine will be delivered by Dr. G. Gordon Campbell, lecturer in clinical medicine at McGill. Dr. Campbell is a former Truro boy who has made his mark in Montreal. Dr. Henry O. Marcy, of Boston, the well known abdominal surgeon, and advocate of the buried tendon suture, will deliver the Address in Surgery. Another noted visitor will be Dr. H. M. Neale, visiting physician to the White Haven Sanatorium, who will deliver an address on the "Treatment of Tuberculosis." Dr. Neale is evidently an "all round" man, as he was appointed by President Roosevelt one of the commissioners to settle the hard coal strike.

With such men as those mentioned on the programme, besides the promise of many interesting papers and discussions by our brethren throughout the province, the coming meeting should prove most pro-

fitable to all attending the different sessions.