

THE ELEVENTH INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS will meet in Rome, Italy, from September 24th to October 1st, 1893. By an official letter, dated August 22nd, 1892, and signed by Professor Guido Baccelli, President, and Professor E. Maragliano, Secretary-General, Dr. A. Jacobi, of New York, has been directed to form an American sub-committee. Its membership is not yet complete, but on it are already found, beside that of the Chairman, the names of Drs. William Osler, of Baltimore; S. C. Busey, of Washington; N. S. Davis, of Chicago; Charles A. L. Reed, of Cincinnati; William Pepper, of Philadelphia; F. Peyre Porcher, of Charleston; James Stewart, of Montreal; and Alexander J. C. Skene, of Brooklyn, N. Y. In the interest of facilitating the trip to Italy and reducing the expense, arrangements will be made with the steamship companies. According to a communication from the Central Committee—contained in a letter of the Secretary-General's, dated September 24th—the North German Lloyd proposes to reduce the fare to Genoa by twenty per cent., and that of the return trip by ten per cent. It is expected that still more favourable

terms will be secured.—*Buffalo Medical and Surgical Journal.*

A VOICE FROM THE ARCTIC.—Dr. F. A. Cook, who was with Lieutenant Peary on his famous North Greenland expedition, and which resulted in the closest approach to the pole yet attained, writes the following letter to the Antikamnia Chemical Co., which will be of interest as showing how an approved product becomes far-reaching in its work :

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