

was perfect and complete, their hospitality was more than ordinary mortals could accept in its entirety."

Dr. Arthur Giles spoke as follows in the London *Lancet* :—"It seems to us that, with this meeting at Montreal, memorable as it will be in many ways, the British Medical Association enters upon a new career. Those of its members who are attending it from London will realize that in Greater Britain the medical profession is animated by the same spirit as at home. That with the common participation of membership of the same body there must be equally a common desire towards the same ends, the furtherance of the art and science of medicine for the sake of humanity, the promotion of fellowship between those who pursue the same calling. More than this, it may be hoped that as the Association expands, its sphere of work will widen too, and that some of these objects rehearsed by Dr. Roddick as originally propounded by its founders will be extended to all the Empire. The Association has long since ceased to be 'provincial,' it is now more than insular, and with its world-wide expansion must come the growth of new ideas, the emancipation from the fetters of narrow policies, and the working together of the medical profession of the British Empire to attain all that is most worthy in the promotion of professional aims, and to maintain a high standard of professional honor."

THE TORONTO MEETING.

The profession of Canada were greatly pleased last year to learn that the next meeting of the British Medical Association would be held in this country. The Council of the Association, in response to an invitation from Canadian delegates, decided that Toronto would be the place of meeting in 1906. We in Toronto considered that our city was highly honored by the decision of the Council; but we accepted all the responsibilities thereof with a certain amount of diffidence, to some extent accentuated by the success of the Montreal meeting. We are glad to be able to state, however, that the profession of Toronto were thoroughly united in their endeavors to make the recent meeting a success, and in so doing received the unanimous support of all Canada.