

# Ninth International Medical Congress.

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The Congress will consist of such members of the Regular Medical Profession as shall have registered and taken out their ticket of admission, and of such other Scientific men as the Executive Committee of the Congress shall deem it desirable to admit. The books for the Registration of Members will be open from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., on Thursday, September 1st, 1887, and on each subsequent day during the Session, under the charge of the "Reception

*Committee.*" Any member desiring to anticipate this Registration, can apply by letter to the Secretary General and forward his dues, with his address in full, when a receipt will be returned.

The dues of Membership for residents of the United States will be Ten dollars (\$10.00). There will be no dues for members residing in other countries. Each member will be entitled to receive a copy of the "*Transactions*" of the Congress, when published by the Executive Committee.

The General Sessions of the Congress will be devoted to the transaction of business and Addresses and Communications of general scientific interest, by members appointed by the Executive Committee. A printed "Programme" of the Sessions will be presented to each member on registering. A printed "Order of Business" for each day will also be issued.

The work of the various Sections will be directed by the President of the Section, and the order will be published in a daily Programme for each Section. Questions and topics that have been agreed on for discussion in the Sections, shall be introduced by members previously designated by the titular officers of each Section. Members who shall have been appointed to open discussions, shall present to the Secretaries of the Section, in advance, statements of the conclusions which they have formed as a basis for the debate.

Brief abstracts of Papers to be read in the Sections shall be forwarded to the Secretaries of the proper Section on or before *April 30th, 1887*. These abstracts shall be treated as confidential communications, and shall not be published before the meeting of the Congress. Papers relating to topics not included in the list of subjects proposed by the Officers of the Sections, may be accepted after *April 30th, 1887*, and any member wishing to introduce a topic not on the regular lists of subjects for discussion, shall give notice of the same to the Secretary General, at least twenty-one days before the opening of the Congress. The titular officers of each Section shall decide as to the acceptance of such proposed communications, and the time for their presentation. No communication shall be received which has been already published or read before a Society.

The official languages of the Congress shall be English, French and German. Each paper or address shall be printed in the "*Transactions*" in the language in which it was presented. Preliminary abstracts of papers and addresses shall also be printed in the language in which each is to be delivered. All discussions shall be printed in English.

The officers of the Congress and the officers of the Sections, including all Foreign officers, will be nominated to the Congress by the Executive Committee, at the opening of the first Session. A partial list of the officers to be nominated (except the members of Council of the different Sections, the list of whom is at present imperfect), is offered herewith.

The Executive Committee cordially invites members of the regular medical profession, and men eminent in the sciences collateral to medicine, in all countries, to participate, in person or by papers, in the work of this great humanitarian assembly. Communications relating to appointments for papers to be read in the Congress should be addressed to Dr. John B. Hamilton, Secretary General of the Ninth International Medical Congress, Washington, District of Columbia. All questions or communications connected with the business of the Executive Committee should be addressed to Dr. Henry H. Smith, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Ninth International Medical Congress, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Gentlemen named in any position in the Congress are requested to notify the Chairman of the Executive Committee, as soon as practicable, of any error in the name, title, or address in this circular.

Ladies in attendance with members of the Congress, and those invited by the "Reception Committee," may attend the General Sessions of the Congress when introduced by a member. They will also be invited to attend the Social Receptions. The Executive Committee reserves the right to invite distinguished persons to any or all the meetings of the Congress. The attendance of Medical Students and others interested in the work of the various Sections or in the general addresses delivered in the Congress, will be permitted, on the recommendation of the Secretary General or the officers of a Section, on their taking out from the Registration Committee a general ticket of admission, fee one dollar (\$1.00); but such persons cannot take part in the proceedings.

All communications and questions relating to the special business of any Section, must be addressed to the President or one of the Secretaries of that Section. As many details of the Congress and numerous appointments of officers are yet to be completed, other Circulars will be issued from time to time, as circumstances may demand.

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