

hope to keep this open, as an exceptionally reasonable lunch is served there.

The Montreal Tourist and Convention Bureau promised to do—along certain lines—as much advertising as we wish, free of charge.

Budget.

1. Entertainment	\$1,000
2. Erection of booths, etc.	500
3. Hospitality to Delegates	5,000
4. Expense of buildings for meetings	2,500
5. Printing, including programme, badges, posters, signs, etc.	3,000
6. Amplifiers	400
7. Publicity	500
8. Clerical assistance	800
9. Postage and office supplies	50
10. Janitor—cleaning, etc.	200
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	\$13,950
11. Added by Finance Committee	6,050
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	\$20,000

Finance Committee.

Chairman.—Miss Jean Brown, Toronto.

Vice Chairman.—Miss Jean Gunn, Toronto.

Treasurer.—Miss McKee, Brantford.

Secretary.—Miss E. McP. Dickson, Weston.

Members.—Miss Kathleen Russell, Toronto; Miss M. F. Hersey, Montreal.

This committee reports two meetings.

It was decided "That the associations affiliated with the C.N.A. be asked to assume responsibility at the rate of \$2.00 per member of the association, as their share in defraying the local expenses of the international meeting in Montreal.

"That the Arrangements Committee approach the Mayor of Montreal, asking for a grant of \$5,000 from the City of Montreal towards local expenses in connection with the international meeting, and that all funds be forwarded to the treasurer, Miss McKee, not later than January, 1929, and further that, before that date, all affiliated associations be requested to advise the committee as to their intentions in the matter of their support of the Finance Committee."

Entertainment Committee.

Chairman.—Miss Mabel Holt.

Many kinds of entertainment have been offered to the convener of this committee, but it was felt the fall of this year would be time enough to get definite details.

This committee includes sight-seeing, luncheons, banquets, provision for regular meals, etc., and sub-committees have again been formed to take care of these special things.

Housing Committee.

Chairman.—Miss Edith B. Hurley.

This committee reports as follows:—

Beds reserved in hotels, 2,300; but very few single rooms. (All these beds at reasonable hotel rates). In convents, 1,500 beds promised, with a possible extra 1,000, making 2,500. (The convents will give beds and breakfast from \$1.00 to \$1.50; \$1.50 being single rooms.) This means 4,800 beds practically arranged for. There are many private hotels and good boarding houses yet to be reported upon, and hospitality has been offered by many private individuals.

Exhibits.

Chairman.—Miss Catherine Ferguson.

This committee has been appointed and has charge of all decorating, professional and commercial exhibits, erection of booths for same, and also the erection of information booths at stations.

Registration.

Chairman.—Miss Esther Beith.

As this committee will not meet until the autumn there is no report at present.

Transportation.

Chairman.—Miss Margaret Moag.

The convener reported that the representative of Thos. Cook and Sons in Montreal has been interviewed, and would be responsible for publicity in any country having a national magazine.

Mr. Burke, of the General Passenger Service, said that applications for reduced rates should be made to Mr. G. H. Webster, of the General Passengers Association, and on receipt of forms from him, all information as to date of meeting, numbers, etc., should be sent him, and he would send such information to all points in Canada and U.S.A., and tickets would be reduced on application.

Publicity.

Chairman.—Miss Ethel Sharpe.

The convener reports two meetings of this committee, at which representatives from railways and steamship lines were present.

Lists of affiliated national associations, and of State and provincial associations in the United States and Canada, were given to those representatives who wished to advertise rates, etc., in the nursing magazines. An article on Montreal, including a paragraph of information on arrangements, has been published in all the nursing journals. The publicity agent of the Robert Reford Line is writing a series of articles on Canada. The first of these, with some views of Canadian scenery, has been sent to Miss Reimann for European magazines. As soon as information on housing and transportation is available, a pamphlet will be prepared for distribution.

Printing and Advertising.

Chairman.—Miss Olga Lilly.

This committee is soliciting advertising matter for the programme, and will look after all printing, etc.

It is the hope of the Committee on Arrangements that all possible contingencies will be anticipated and prepared for, and that the comfort and pleasure of every individual attending the Congress in Montreal will be assured.

MABEL F. HERSEY,

Chairman.

HONOUR WHERE HONOUR IS DUE.

The Canadian Nurses' Association unanimously agreed: "That Miss Mary Agnes Snively as first President of the Canadian Nurses' Association, and Councillor International Council of Nurses, be invited to attend the Congress at Montreal in 1929 as the guest of the Canadian Nurses' Association, and that funds in annual Budget (delegates' expenses, I.C.N.) be used for this purpose."

(It will, we are sure, give many members of the International Council of Nurses great pleasure to meet Miss Snively—who attended the London, Paris, and Cologne meetings of the I.C.N.—in her own country.)

THE ELECTION OF OFFICERS OF THE C.N.A.

The following ladies have been elected officers of the Canadian Nurses' Association for the ensuing period:—

President: Miss M. F. Hersey, Montreal, P.Q.

First Vice-President: Miss K. W. Ellis, Vancouver, B.C.

Second Vice-President: Miss G. M. Bennett, Ottawa, Ont.

Hon. Secretary: Miss E. B. Hurley, Montreal, P.Q.

Hon. Treasurer: Miss R. M. Simpson, Regina, Sask.

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