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Abstract

Introduction

Toronto was a proud city ([Facts, 1938](#)) in a proud nation ([Canadian, 1938](#)). The "Greater Toronto" district boasted a population was more than 850,000 residents ([Facts, 1938](#)).

"Some 1200 chiropractors and their wives made the long trek to Toronto" ([Rogers, 1938](#))

"Dr. Emmett J. Murphy of Washington, D.C., was selected as a national legislative representative during the coming year" ([Rogers, 1938](#))

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Table X1?: Some of the speakers at the National Chiropractic Association's 1938 Convention in Toronto ([Rogers, 1938](#))

Speaker	Title/Affiliation/Address*	Topic
A.E. Anderson, D.C.	Naugatuck CT	Scientific Subject Contest
J.M. Anderson, D.C.	Galt, ON	"The Spirit of Ontario"
Cash Asher	<i>Publicity Director</i> , NCA, Washington, D.C.	"Publicity Tends in the National Capital"
Sylva L. Ashworth, D.C.	Lincoln NE	Scientific Subject Contest
Major Dent Atkinson	<i>Dean</i> , Columbia Institute of Chiropractic, New	"The Law and the Doctor"

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	York City	
Omer Bader, D.C., N.D., D.D.T.	<i>Dean</i> , National College of Chiropractic, Chicago	"Chiropractic Adjustment"
Homer G. Beatty, D.C., N.D.	<i>President</i> , University of Natural Healing Arts, Denver	"The Incline Plane"
Rangnar C. Bertheau, D.C., N.D.	<i>President</i> , College of Chiropractic Physicians & Surgeons, Los Angeles	"Prerequisites of Success"
W.A. Budden, D.C., N.D.	<i>President</i> , Western States College, Portland OR	"Debate: Resolved, that Chiropractic Educational Standards are Adequate. Negative"
William Budreau, D.C.	<i>Chairman</i> , NCA Legislative Committee, Miami	report of the Committee
Willard Carver, D.C., LL.B.	<i>President</i> , Carver Chiropractic College, Oklahoma City	"Debate: Resolved, that Chiropractic Educational Standards are Adequate. Affirmative"
L.E. Cheal, D.C.	Cincinnati	Scientific Subject Contest
Carl S. Cleveland, D.C.	<i>President</i> , Cleveland Chiropractic College, Kansas City MO	"Dissection"
Rev. J.H. Clough	Port Perry ON	
J.S. Clubine, D.C.	<i>President</i> , Associated Chiropractors of Ontario	"official welcome"; Scientific Subject Contest: "Radionic Diagnosis"
C. Sterling Cooley, D.C.	<i>Member</i> , NCA Board of Directors, Tulsa	
Ralph C. Day	<i>Mayor</i> , Toronto	"address of welcome"
E.S. Detwiler, D.O.	<i>Secretary</i> , Ontario Academy of Osteopathy, London ON	"Acute Anterior Poliomyelitis"
Julius Dintenfass, D.C.	<i>Editor</i> , Science Sidelights , New York City	"An Evaluation of Scientific Trends"
Lee W. Edwards, M.D., D.C.	Omaha	""How Far Have We Come?"
H. Eugene Gardner	<i>Attorney</i> , Glenside PA	"Medical Liberty in the Balance"
Gordon M. Goodfellow, D.C., N.D.	<i>Chair</i> , NCA By-Laws Revision Committee; <i>Chair</i> , NCA Committee on Educational Standards, Los Angeles	report on the By-Laws Revision Committee
Rev. Dr. Bowley Green	<i>Pastor</i> , Park Road Baptist Church, Toronto	Invocation
George E. Hariman, D.C.	<i>Secretary</i> , National Council of Hospitals and Sanitaria, Grand Forks ND	"Hospitalization As An Ideal"
Henry C. Harring, D.C., M.D.	<i>President</i> , Missouri Chiropractic College, St. Louis	"Studies of the Brain"
Arthur T. Holmes	<i>Chief Legal Counsel</i> , NCA, LaCrosse WI	report on NCA Legal Department
Dr. H.H. Hon	Anabolic Food Products, New York City	"The Prostate Gland"
Emery C. Ingram, D.C.	<i>President</i> , Committee on Methods and Apparatus, Portland OR	report of the Committee
Gladys Ingram, D.C.	<i>President</i> , National Council of Chiropractic Women, Chillicothe MO	report of the Council
R.G. Jackson, M.D.	Toronto	"A Doctor Looks at Life"
Robert D. Jones, D.C.	NCA Delegate for District of Columbia	need for a national legislative representative in Washington
Craig M. Kightlinger, D.C.	<i>President</i> , Eastern Chiropractic Institute, New York City; <i>President</i> , National Council of Educational Institutions	"Endocrinology as a Science"; report of Council activities
G.C. Lamont	<i>Pastor</i> , Bonar Presbyterian Church, Toronto	invocation
Charles C. Lemly, D.C.	National Council of Hospitals and Sanitaria; National Foundation and Development Committee	report of the Council; report of the Committee
William Letcher	<i>Reeve</i> , Port Perry ON	
Frank O. Logic, D.C.	<i>Chairman</i> , NCA Committee on Insurance Investigation; <i>Member</i> , NCA Board of Directors, Iron Mountain MI	report of the Committee on Insurance Investigation

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Archie W. Macfie, D.C., N.D.	<i>Chairman</i> , Ontario Board of Regents	
Lillard T. Marshall, D.C.	<i>President</i> , NCA Gavel Club	"Where Do We Go From Here?"
W.H. Moore	<i>Member of Parliament</i> for South Ontario	welcome to Port Perry
Thure C. Peterson, D.C.	New York School of Chiropractic, New York City	"Neurological Findings"
Waldo G. Poehner, D.C.	<i>President</i> , National Council of Roentgenologists, Chicago	"Soft Tissue X-ray Technic"; report of the Council
Kelly C. Robinson, D.C.	<i>Chairman</i> , NCA Membership Committee; <i>President</i> , NCA, New York City	report of Membership Committee; "President's Message"
Loren M. Rogers, D.C.	<i>Secretary-Treasurer</i> , NCA, Webster City IA	
Margaret Schmidt, D.C.	Seattle	Scientific Subject Contest
John A. Schnick, D.C.	<i>Vice President</i> , NCA; NCA Delegate from Ontario, Hamilton ON	
Arthur W. Schwietert, D.C.	<i>Member</i> , NCA Board of Directors	report of the NCA Board of Directors
James E. Slocum, D.C.	<i>Chairman</i> , NCA Department of Public Relations, <i>Research Director</i> , NCA, Des Moines	"Changing the Public Attitude"
E.J. Smith, D.C.	<i>President</i> , Metropolitan Chiropractic College, Cleveland	"Gynecological Technic"
Leo J. Steinbach, D.C.	<i>Dean</i> , Universal Chiropractic College, Pittsburgh	"Symposium on the heart"
Mrs. Leo J. Steinbach	<i>Governor</i> , National Women's Chiropractic Auxiliary, Pittsburgh	"Chiropractic on the Offensive"
Dr. L.M. Tobison	National College of Chiropractic, Chicago	"Practical Laboratory Interpretation"
Loren H. Trotter, D.C.	NCA Delegate from Missouri; <i>President</i> , Trotter Park Sanitarium, Kansas City MO	
Harry E. Vedder, D.C.	<i>President</i> , Lincoln Chiropractic College, Indianapolis	"Symposium on the chest"
H.A. VonNieda, D.C.	<i>Editor</i> , Chiropractic Home Magazine, Harrisburg PA	"Avenues of Ethical Publicity"
G.O. Walters, D.C.	<i>Chairman</i> , NCA Student Loan Fund Committee	report of the committee
C.O. Watkins, D.C.	<i>Chair</i> , NCA Committee on Education; <i>Member</i> , NCA Board of Directors; NCA Delegate from Montana, Sidney MT	"factual report of the educational standards of the Chiropractic profession as compared with other professions"
Clarence W. Weiant, D.C.	Eastern Chiropractic Institute, New York City	"Anthropological Aspects"
H.E. Weiser, D.C.	<i>Dean</i> , Texas Chiropractic College, San Antonio	"The Mechanics of the Spine"
F.L. Wheaton, D.C.	<i>President</i> , National Chiropractic Association, New Haven CT	

*If the individual's Title/position within the NCA changed during the convention, both are listed

Table X2?: Some of the exhibitors at the National Chiropractic Association's 1938 Convention in Toronto (Rogers, 1938)

Allen & Hansburys Company, Ltd., Toronto	Dr. H.E. Saak Table Company, Maplewood MO	National Research Laboratories, Chicago
Anabolic Food Products Company, Chicago	Electronic Instrument Company, Tiffin OH	National Student Loan Fund, Tacoma WA
Art Tool & Die Company, Detroit	Ellis Research Laboratories, Chicago	Nova-Kelp Company, Ltd., Toronto
Board of Regents of Ontario	Forest Park Chiropractic Sanitarium, Davenport IA	Rainbow Publishers, San Francisco
Burton Shields Company, Indianapolis	Hemovitamer Laboratories, Chicago	Renco Therapeutic Company, Toronto
Cameron Surgical Specialty Company, Chicago	McDowell Manufacturing Company, Pittsburgh	Surgical Specialties Company, Ltd., Toronto
Chiropractic Equipment Company,		Terpezone, Inc., Chicago
		Trotter Park Hotel & Sanitarium, Kansas

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Chicago
Chiropractic Home Publishing Company,
Harrisburg PA

McManis Table Company, Kirksville MO
National College of Chiropractic, Chicago

City MO
Vitaminerals, Inc., Los Angeles

Table X3?: Clinical outcomes for chiropractic care of patients with infantile paralysis (polio) as reported at the 1938 National Chiropractic Association Convention in Toronto ([Dintenfass, 1938](#))

Results of Chiropractic in Acute Infantile Paralysis Cases			Results of Chiropractic in Chronic Infantile Paralysis Cases		
	Number	Percentage		Number	Percentage
Recovery	445	71.5	Recovery	257	28.9
Marked Improvement	129	20.8	Marked Improvement	454	51.1
Slight Improvement	28	4.5	Slight Improvement	100	11.2
No Improvement	<u>20</u>	<u>3.2</u>	No Improvement	<u>78</u>	<u>8.8</u>
Total Number	622	100.0	Total Number	889	100.0

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