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Dr. Magner, the former chief pathologist and director of laboratories at St. Michael’s Hospital in Toronto, served as President of the Ontario Medical Association before assuming the CMA Presidency. A veteran of World War I, when he served in the Royal Army Medical Corps, Dr. Magner witnessed the horrors of the fighting at Gallipoli. After the war, he joined the staff at the University of Toronto as a lecturer in pathology, and was appointed assistant professor in 1938. He died in 1965.