

News Items

Dr. H. D. Hamilton has returned to Montreal after a visit abroad.

Dr. William Oldright, Toronto, is spending the winter in the West Indies.

Congratulations are due the *Western Canada Medical Journal*, which is celebrating its seventh anniversary.

Dr. Bapty, Victoria, B.C., is acting head of the Department of Public Health during the absence of Dr. C. J. Fagan.

Dr. Ramon Guiteras, New York, delivered an address before the Academy of Medicine, Toronto, on the 4th of February.

Dr. C. J. Fagan, Health Officer of British Columbia, expects to return shortly from the south of France, where he has been recuperating his health.

The new hospital at New Westminster, B.C., is well under way. The total cost of the building is to be \$250,000. There will be accommodation for 128 public ward patients, 18 semi-private, 24 private, 2 wards for children, and 26 rooms for staff.

The Royal Jubilee Hospital, Victoria, B.C., is to be reconstructed and the citizens have raised \$110,000 for the purpose. The city is to give \$200,000, and efforts will be made to get the Government to bring the total amount up to a half million.

"The Bruchesi Institute of Montreal," named in honor of His Eminence the Archbishop of Quebec (Bruchesi), at its annual meeting the other day made Dr. S. Adolphus Knopf of New York City, Honorary President of the Medical Board. The present director of the Bruchesi Institute is Dr. Eugene Grenier, a former pupil of Dr. Knopf. The Bruchesi Institute is doing a magnificent work among the French-Canadian tuberculous population. Besides taking care of a great number of ambulant cases in a splendidly equipped dis-