

URGES MEASURES TO COMBAT DISEASE

Dr. Bates Points to Loss of
Man-Power in Various
Industries.

The need for stringent measures and the action of the Canadian National Association for Combating Venereal Diseases was outlined by the general secretary, Dr. Gordon B. Begg, at the board of directors' meeting after-noon. It was only recently, he said, that the seriousness of the situation was apparent, and, contrary to public opinion, that it was not generally being contracted in the army, but in private life. Owing to the secrecy, the public health department had obtained no satisfactory statistics until they had been taken by the government. In the United States, five-sixths of the venereal cases in the army had been contracted here.

It had been estimated by the royal commission, Dr. Bates continued, that three million people in the United Kingdom had the germs of these diseases in their blood, and in Canada conditions were such that needed strict attention. The name, "social disease" tended to camouflage rather than to accure.

In May, 1916, the Dominion government had called a conference, where it was decided that the government should subsidize the provinces to the extent of \$200,000, to be spent on the establishment of clinics, and for educational purposes. The national council had been formed at that time, with a picked Dominion executive, and today there were 12 branches established.

Clinics in Toronto.
Toronto had seven clinics, Dr. Bates said, and the attendance at those had greatly increased following the presentation of educational photoplays. He touched upon the man power in various industries and the losses incurred by various corporations because of the fact that such a

It was an important point to notice, Dr. Bates said, that the provincial board of health had been given permission to manufacture arsenical preparations for the treatment of venereal diseases. Besides the valuable

the national council, thru its committees, which were composed of clergymen, lawyers, nurses, school teachers, etc., were arranging for higher education of parents in public schools in social hygiene, which might have the most beneficial effect on their children, as ignorance was the hardest problem to deal with at present.

CAPTAIN JOHN WILKIE LEAVES LARGE ESTATE

Mrs. Violet Eliza Wilkie, Toronto, has been appointed to administer the estate of her husband, Capt. John Wilkie, marine manager of the Imperial Oil Co., who lost his life in a steamboat explosion in Colombia, South America, Dec. 12 last.

ate, valued at \$41,992, is made up of \$3,000 in household goods, \$227 in promissory notes, \$1,500 secured by a mortgage, \$942 cash, \$17,000 insurance, of which \$15,000 is alleged to be doubtful, three shares Mississippi Golf Club, \$75; 58 Imperial Oil Co., \$1,170; an auto valued at \$1,200; the deceased's home at 2 Wilson avenue, \$10,500, and \$1,377 in the Co-operative Investment Trust of the Imperial Oil

FAMILY DIVIDE ESTATE,
Mrs. Estella M. Haygarth and Mrs.
William Gertrude Hogg, widow and
daughter, share in the property of
James Haygarth, who died intestate
in Toronto, Jan. 6, leaving \$2,000 in-

ance, payable to his wife and daughter, \$350 in household goods and personal effects, \$905 in promissory notes, \$7,301 secured by mortgages, cash and \$235 in stocks.

FAMINE FUND GROWS.

During March to date the general assurance for the Chinese famine fund has received some \$19,000. The total sum sent by the general treasurer to

China totals \$376,955.77. Included in that sum were contributions from the Methodist and Anglican treasuries, and \$120,000 of the Presbyterian total. \$257,289.94. In addition \$80,000 has been cable direct from the China Inland Mission offices, and in that included some Baptist contributions.

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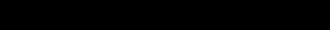
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MICHAEL'S HOSPITAL WOMEN'S
 auxiliary bridge, euchre and ten-
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 Play will commence at 8 o'clock.
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 terested in this worthy cause, phone Mrs.
 C. Greer.
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE TO-
ronto Branch Canadian National Coun-
cil for Combating Venereal Diseases
 will be held on Tuesday afternoon
 March 22nd, at 3 o'clock. No. 2 com-
 munity hall, 1000 St. Lawrence street.

**FAMILY SHARE ESTATE
OF FORMER POLICEMAN**

The Toronto General Trusts Corporation has been appointed to wind the estate of Richard Bowers, a former policeman, who died in Toronto Sept. 19, leaving \$190 in house-

goods, \$1,200 in a mortgage, \$211 due from the police department and burial funds, \$418 cash, and a 1934 Buick sedan, valued at \$3,000, and his home at 55 Concord avenue, \$5,500. His widow, Mrs. Phoebe Bowers, and his two children, 12-year-old Ruth and 10-year-old William, will each receive one-third, the residue going to the three children of his deceased son, William.

Beauty Advice


1. I am a woman, 25 years old, with a fair complexion, dark hair, and a slender build. I am currently a student at the University of California, Berkeley, where I am studying for my Bachelor's degree in Computer Science. I have a strong interest in technology and programming, and I am currently working on a research project related to artificial intelligence. I am also a member of the university's coding club and have participated in several hackathons. I am looking for a job that allows me to use my skills and continue to learn and grow in the field of computer science.

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