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At the present time the officials of the club are: President, A. E. Todd; first vice-president, G. Moore; second vice-president, Mrs. A. J. Galletly...

Mr. Wood reports that he is importing large numbers of cars all the time. He has an order with the Ford Co. of Walkerville for a carload of cylinders...

Next month he is also bringing out a 7-passenger 60 h.p. Winton touring car. This is a speed car and will be undoubtedly the fastest in the city.

Mr. Wood has a number of tours arranged for to Englishman's river with Seattle business men during the summer months. These gentlemen intend to tour the Island in their own cars...

Mr. Wood expresses unbounded hope in Victoria's future as an automobile centre and in his own words: "We have lots of room, fine roads, excellent climate and there is absolutely no reason why Victoria should not go right ahead."

He had one grievance to state, however, and that was that as soon as a piece of road in the city was gotten in first class condition it was so often broken up for sewerage or other purposes and thus put in a very bad condition again.

Mr. Wood states that the construction of a speedway is contemplated from Seattle to Vancouver. This would be a great encouragement to automobile racing if this were done.

The tally-ho, which this firm has recently placed on the road here, fitted with 30 horse power engine, makes 15 miles an hour, and finds no less a difficulty in surmounting any of the hills in the vicinity.

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PREPARING FOR A SANATORIUM

ORGANIZATION OF A CONTROLLING BODY

Meeting for the Purpose Held in the City Hall on Saturday Evening.

(From Monday's Daily.) The B. C. Anti-tuberculosis Society, constituted in compliance with the statute passed at the last sitting of the legislature, has been fully organized...

The existing directors were re-elected to carry out the organization. These consist of R. Marpole, Dr. Egan, Rev. W. Leslie, James Dunsmuir, J. S. Barton, A. J. Dallain, A. J. C. Galletly, A. Johnson, Dr. Walker, A. G. Perry, R. P. Pettipiece, P. Donnelly, Dr. Underhill, Dr. Eron, Dr. Stephens, Mayor Gordon of Kamloops, Mayor Megaw of Vernon, J. S. C. Fraser of Rossland and Dr. Arthur of Nelson.

The first act of the provincial meeting of the directors met and elected the following committee, which was given power to act in the matter of organization of the society. It consists of J. Fagan, A. J. C. Galletly, A. Johnson, Mrs. Jenkins, A. S. Barton and A. J. Dallain.

Dr. Fagan, who has been indefatigable in his efforts on behalf of the establishment of the sanatorium, made a statement before the meeting as to the financial position of affairs. He pointed out that \$100,000 had been aimed at and of this sum \$60,000 had already been subscribed. Of this sum \$10,000 had been raised from the province, \$5,000 from the city of Vancouver and \$5,000 from the C. P. R. By private subscription there had been \$10,000 raised in Victoria and \$10,000 in Vancouver.

Dr. Fagan, in moving a resolution relative to the ravages of the disease, pointed out that the minor ill of the province had given the promise of \$10,000 additional to the work on the condition that advanced cases should be treated at the sanatorium. He pointed out that it was necessary to take action and combat the disease in the cause of the public health.

The resolution he moved was as follows: "Whereas tuberculosis is the cause of death every 7 recorded, and 1 in every 25 deaths occurring between the ages of 15 and 45; "Whereas the death rate from tuberculosis in British Columbia is about 200 every year, and the invalidism is largely in excess of this; "Whereas the affected persons are in many cases in life when they are most useful to their families and to the state; "Whereas tuberculosis is an infectious disease which may be cured and can be prevented; "Whereas there is at present no institution for the treatment of consumptives, and our public hospitals refuse to admit persons suffering from this disease.

"Resolved that the attention of the federal and local authorities be called to the fact that citizens are inviolable in their rights, and that preventable disease, against which so far no action has been taken. "Resolved that municipal authorities be reminded of their duty to the inhabitants of their districts as in the care of the municipal authorities. "Resolved that members of religious, friendly benevolent, trades and other societies be requested to assist in the movement to combat man's greatest scourge.

"Resolved that an effort be made to collect a sum of one hundred thousand dollars to erect and equip suitable buildings to handle our consumptives, both inpatient and ambulant. "A. G. Perry, Vancouver, seconded the resolution, endorsing the movement to fight the plague. The work was one that, said he, ought to have been undertaken by the state, but failing that private parties should take their part in fighting it.

The resolution carried. Another resolution which was carried was moved by Dr. Stephens, of Vancouver, seconded by Rev. T. W. Glendon. It was as follows: "That this meeting ask the provisional directors (a) to proceed at once to form a constitution and by-laws for branch societies; (b) to proceed at once to make a thorough canvass of British Columbia for funds, establishing branch societies in all districts where suitable; (c) to print a membership card; (d) to proceed to take all necessary steps toward getting a site and proceeding toward the erection of a building as soon as finances justify such a procedure; (e) to procure and secure a medical superintendent at such time as is thought advisable.

It is usually supposed that Belgium, with her 88 per cent. of the square miles is the most crowded country in Europe. But this is not the case. The Hansa Town district of Germany boasts the amazing population of 3,227 persons to the square mile.

The prime of life in a man of regular habits and sound constitution is from thirty to fifty-five years of age, a woman from twenty-four or twenty-five to about forty years of age.



OTTAWA, ONT. 232 Cooper St., Jan. 8th, 1906.

You know what fearful trouble I have had all my life time from constipation. I have been a dreadful sufferer from chronic constipation for over thirty years and I have been treated by many physicians and I have taken many kinds of proprietary medicines without any benefit whatever. I took a pill for a long time which was prescribed by the late Dr. C. R. Church of Ottawa. Also for many months I took a pill prescribed by Dr. A. F. Rogers, of Ottawa. Nothing seemed to do me any good. Finally I was advised to try "Fruit-a-tives", and after taking them for a few months I feel I am completely well from this horrible complaint. I have had no trouble since I began to take "Fruit-a-tives" and I can certainly state that "Fruit-a-tives" is the only medicine I ever took that did me any positive good for constipation. I can conscientiously recommend "Fruit-a-tives" to the public as, in my opinion, it is the finest medicine ever produced.

(Signed) JOHN COSTIGAN.

LOCATES MENACE TO NAVIGATION

Notification from Marine and Fisheries Department of Quadra's Work Around Island

(From Monday's Daily.) Notification has been received from the department of marine and fisheries of the establishment of more aids to navigation, and also the location of menaces.

A 31-day Wingham light has been established on the south extreme of Plover Point, entrance to Mosquito harbor.

The light is a fixed white mark, elevated 34 feet above high water mark, and should be visible two miles. The illuminating apparatus is dioptric of the seventh order. The lantern stands on top of a small enclosed wooden tower, built on an open frame platform, the whole painted white.

An uncharted rock, not marked by help, discovered by Capt. McDonald (who is employed by the Mosquito Harbor Steamship Company), in the eastern entrance to Mosquito harbor, has been located by the C. G. S. Quadra.

The rock is about 200 feet in length, N. W. and S. E., and about 60 feet in breadth, with a depth on it of 10 feet. The following angles were taken from the shoelast part: Dark Island, east 78 degrees 50 minutes; South Wood Island, southeast tangent, 70 degrees 50 minutes; North Wood Island, east tangent, 78 degrees 30 minutes; point on east shore of Mosquito harbor, distant 2 cables N. 22 degrees W. from N. point on north Wood Island, 0 degrees; point on east shore of Mosquito harbor, distant 3 cables N. 22 degrees W. from N. point on north Wood Island, 42 degrees 30 minutes.

A small shoal patch with a surface of about 20 feet, carrying 24 fathoms, evidently a boulder, has been found by the C. G. S. Quadra near the point on the east shore of Mosquito harbor, northward of the north Wood Island.

There is a depth of 4 fathoms close round the rock. The following angles fix the position of the rock: Point on east shore of Mosquito harbor, distant 2 cables N. 22 degrees W. from N. point on north Wood Island, 0 degrees; point on east shore of Mosquito harbor, distant 3 cables N. 22 degrees W. from N. point on north Wood Island, 42 degrees 30 minutes.

An uncharted rock, discovered by Capt. McDonald, lying near the eastern shore of Bedwell Sound, has been located by the C. G. S. Quadra.

The rock is parallel to the shore, about 150 feet in length and dries 4 feet near the center. The water is deep between the rock and the shore. The rock is distant 3/4 cable from the shore.

From the rock, the point on the east shore of Bedwell Sound (distant 1 mile east of the islet south of Turn Point) bears N. 22 degrees W.; and the point on the west side of Bedwell Sound (distant 7 1/2 cables E. 47 degrees W. from the islet south of Turn Point) bears S. 75 degrees W.

A rock patch, irregular in shape, marked by help, with a depth of 10 feet to 12 feet, on the eastern shore of Fortune Channel, has been located by the C. G. S. Quadra. The shoel lies N. N. W. and S. S. E., nearly one cable in length and half a cable in width. It is distant about half cable from the shore.

From the rock, Plover Point bears S. 36 degrees W., and the islet at the east shore of Fortune channel (distant

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MOTOR CAR DEFEATS ICE-BOAT

Anyone who has had any experience with iceboats knows what terrific speed they attain with a good breeze.

Recently a race was pulled off on Toronto Bay between a motor car and the Russell, carried off the laurels.

Sliding sideways, leaping to the skates, and sending the snow sitting on the ice-boat flying from a hard-driven locomotive, Fred Phelan's ice-boat "it" was beaten a length by a motor car, in the most unique racing event ever pulled off in Canada.

While the ice-boat was beaten in two races by the motor car, she made it so close in the second that the ice-boat men are satisfied that they can trim the speedy little car on better ice and with more wind.

The memory of that final dash across the bay will live long in the memories of those who were in the contest. It was a red-hot dog from the outset, and the finish was a wild one.

The ice-boat, hard driven in an effort to beat her machine-driven rival, reared upon two skates and came down with her horn jabbed into the mud-guard on the rear wheel. For a second it looked as if the event would wind up with a tragedy.

The car was driven by Mr. Charles M. Ricketts. It was a light four-cylinder Russell touring car of the ordinary type, but the way in which she stepped and thrashed made the few spectators of the race open their eyes.

Won Preliminary. In a preliminary center across to a buoy at Hanlan's Point the motor car was pitted against Joseph Goodwin's ice-boat Zoraya. Zoraya was dull and slid sideways like a crab, but at that she hugged the motor all the way, and the ice-boat men were jubilant, for they knew that the champion "it" was faster than Zoraya under the conditions. Then "it" was trotted out, and

ed and is invaluable in allaying and subduing nervous excitability, irritability, nervous exhaustion, nervous prostration, neuralgia, hysteria, spasm, St. Vitus's dance, and other distressing nervous symptoms commonly attendant upon functional and organic diseases of the uterus. It induces refreshing sleep and relieves mental anxiety and despondency.

You can't afford to accept a secret nostrum as a substitute for this PROVEN REMEDY OF KNOWN COMPOSITION.

"The Blood is the Life." Science has never gone beyond the above simple statement of scripture. But it has illuminated that statement and then it is a medicine ever broadening with the increasing breadth of knowledge. When the blood is "bad" or impure it is not alone the body which suffers from disease. The brain is also clouded, the mind and judgment are effaced, and many an evil deed or impure thought may be directly traced to the impurity of the blood. Impure blood can be made pure by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It enriches and pur