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HOW CANADA'S EXPORTS MAY BE INCREASED

The Committee Reports to the Board of Trade Council

(From Thursday's Daily)

The council of the Board of Trade met yesterday morning, the president, Mr. Simon Letser, in the chair, and in attendance, Messrs. L. A. Genge, J. A. Marshall, H. G. Wilson, Geo. Carter, J. I. Shallcross, C. H. Lugin and D. R. Kerr.

The secretary read a letter from the Hon. Richard Meade, the minister of mines, advising the Board that complete instructions had been sent from the department to all the provincial commissioners in the province to give every possible assistance towards securing suitable exhibits for display at the Seattle exposition.

A letter was read from the Vancouver Board of Trade advising the Board of their most cordial co-operation in ensuring the adequate representation of the most illustrious resources and industrial enterprises of this province at the exhibition.

Arrangements are now under way by means of which butter will be supplied by the ranch to our patients and already a small quantity of eggs has been received.

While it is not at all likely that the Dominion authorities would do anything to hamper or retard the progress of the society in this respect, yet there exists nevertheless the element of uncertainty, which, to say the least, is unsatisfactory.

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The building will accommodate about sixty persons, but this does not represent its full measure of utility. The kitchen, the dining-room, the sitting-room and the bath room being capable of serving a great many more persons than the above number, it will be possible to increase the number of cottages as further demands are made and funds permit.

The contract calls for completion of the building in May, next. This is not expected because of certain unavoidable delays, but it is hoped that by the end of June the hospital will be delivered over.

The heating, lighting and supply of water for the institution have, as the subject of much consideration. Two reports from prominent engineers have been before the board, but the question is not yet settled. It is a difficult and expensive problem and requires serious thought before decision is reached.

The financing of the consumption hospital is a trying proposition. The amount of the subscription to the building fund and the maintenance fund will be printed in an appendix to this year's report. It will be noted that individual subscriptions are generous, but it will also be noticed that the subscribers are very few in number as compared with the population of the province. In view of the fact that the disease is no respecter of persons and that the rich and the poor are liable to its ravages, it was hoped that every citizen would contribute as his means allowed to assist in stamping out what is now admitted can be stamped out, by energetic and united action.

All efforts to collect money for the building fund have almost of necessity ceased since the financial stringency has been felt. Promises, too, have not been called on, but the time has now come when fresh efforts must be made. Experience tells us that action and earnest canvassers are all that are required.

The annual meeting of the Victoria Horticultural Association will be held on February 22nd at the Y.M.C.A. Reports will be received from the different retiring officers and arrangements for the season's show will be discussed. It is hoped that there will be a full attendance of members.

A quantity of furniture stolen at the time of the big fire in July, 1907, has been located by the police in a resort on Chatham street. The furniture had been carried from one of the burning houses and piled in the street. In the confusion consequent upon the spread of the fire the furniture was carried away by unknown persons and until a few days ago was never again seen by the owner.

The attorney general has brought down a bill providing reformatories which will change the name to that of industrial school, which, Mr. Bowser says, is really what the institution is under its present management.

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FIGHT WITH THE WHITE PLAGUE

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It is remembered that over and above two sets of breakfast, lunches, and dinners, two other light refreshments had to be arranged for and supplied. In view of these conditions the executive committee recommends to the board of directors that the new kitchen should be built and that certain accommodation for the help should be made above this kitchen. This was ordered to be done so that there are now ample facilities for the thirty-one patients at present under treatment.

The hearing of the package by means of stoves was expensive and unsatisfactory, and in order to meet the requirements a low pressure steam plant has been installed. The steam plant has given complete satisfaction during the present winter.

Advances in salaries have been granted to the medical superintendent, farm manager and matron. This was thought to be advisable in view of the general interests of the institution.

The Alexandra Ranch in connection with Tranquille has shown itself to be capable of materially assisting the board in their arduous efforts to meet expenses. The sum of \$11 has been received from the ranch account to the maintenance account. This is a good showing in view of the fact that the old ranch buildings had to be destroyed and new ones erected on another site. The report of the Alexandra ranch will give full details.

Another and indeed a greater assistance, in view of the object for which the society exists, is that most of our meat, and for the last six months, all our flour, milk, has been obtained from our own property. We can thus rely on getting our milk fresh and pure, and the most nutritious.

Certain fraternal societies have been generous, notably the Masonic order, who gave a subscription of \$1,000. The Knights of Pythias and Odd Fellows are also making liberal contributions.

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The number interests of British Columbia are enormous and the board heartily wish them all the success they deserve, and that must be theirs. Their hearts, too, are big, for they have an association done more for British Columbia consumptives than any other association. The particular of the gifts in the past have been in the form of construction, and it is hoped that eventually the government will come to the aid of the society as well as the desirability of making a grant of the lands in question.

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patient has been steadily coming down and at the present time is 2 1/2 per cent. It is hoped that this will soon be brought under the 2 mark, but we must not expect a much further reduction, for when it is remembered that, unlike general hospital work, a free and good dietary is essential to cure, it will be seen that economy in this direction would defeat our object.

Another difference from ordinary hospitals is that the medical superintendent lives at the institution. This is a specialist and devoted to the entire time to the care and treatment of the patients, and no additional charges are made for his services.

The hospital is liquidated by the following receipts: Fees from patients, per day... \$7 1/2 Government grant, per day... \$7 1/2 Total... \$14.00

As will be noted from the first part of this report arrangements are being made for the handling of a greater number of patients during the year, and it is likely that the proportion of paying and non-paying patients will be about the same.

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provincial government per capita grant of \$3.85, public subscription, \$3,586.88, Alexandra Ranch contribution, \$811.86, \$4,979.59; grand total, \$77,598.87. The principal expenditures were \$20,003.04 for hospital expenses and incidental building expenses of \$2,895.82. These, with sundry other items, brought the total up to \$46,082.88, leaving a balance in hand of \$21,516.00. The report was received and adopted.

As His Worship Mayor Hall was about to retire his report was seconded and unanimously carried that he be tendered a hearty vote of thanks. His Worship responded in fitting terms, and when Mrs. Leslie Clark took the chair.

Superintendent's Report Therapeutic Medical Superintendent Irwin's report was called for and was listened to with interest. It is a somewhat voluminous document, dealing with an important matter, to wit: the tarjun grounds, the purchase of a launch and the consequent ease with which patients could be moved to the sanitarium, the number of donations received during the year and the number of patients admitted, discharged, died, etc.

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THIRD ARRIVAL OF SPRING COSTUMES

OUR THIRD CONSIGNMENT of 1909 Spring Costumes arrived yesterday disclosing a variety of smart tailored styles, chiefly in Panamas, but all remarkable for the superb and correct tailoring combined with the beauty of the trimming and magnificent contrast colors used on the satin linings. Prices start from \$30.00

NURSERY NOTIONS

BUSY MOTHERS should take advantage of our WHITEWEAR SALE, not only for themselves but for the children also. This week is specially devoted to infants' and children's white-ware—Here are a few items:

CHILDREN'S PINAFORES in fine lawn and nainsook, embroidery and lace trimmed. White Sale Prices from \$1.50 down to 15¢

SILK BONNETS, a magnificent sample lot. Our White Sale Prices, \$2.50 to 40¢

CHILDREN'S COATS in white cashmere for children from six months to four years. Our White Sale Prices from \$3.50 to 1.75

INFANTS' CAPES in cream cashmere, very daintily trimmed with silk embroidery. Our White Sale Prices, from \$6.75 to 3.50

1010 Gov't St. The Ladies' Store Angus Campbell & Co.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN. SULLIVAN—At 1128 Vancouver street, Feb. 7th, the wife of T. E. Sullivan of a daughter.

DIED. DAY—in this city on the 4th inst. at Abilene hospital, Jessie Wilson, beloved wife of John Edward Day, of Esquimalt, B.C., aged 56 years.

POTTINGER—in this city, on the 5th inst., James Pottinger, a native of Fort Simpson, B.C., aged 65 years.

THE LOCAL MARKETS (Retail Prices)

Table with columns for Flour, Eggs, Butter, Fat, and other market items with prices.

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Table listing various grocery items like meat, poultry, fish, and their prices.

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