

A new model school which is to serve as a model for all the schools in the Province of Saskatchewan has been erected at Aurora, Sask. The school is equipped with modern sanitary and heating apparatus. The doctor also mentioned the establishment of several psychopathic hospitals, including two in Winnipeg.

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#### MEDICAL FACULTY, TORONTO

The following appointments to the Faculty of Medicine and Connaught Antitoxin Laboratories of the Toronto University were handed out by the Bursar recently. About one hundred more appointments are to be made to other faculties. They will be announced later.

Clinicians—Drs. R. G. Armour, G. F. Boyer, W. R. Campbell, A. W. Canfield, A. H. Caulfield, F. A. Clarkson, H. K. Detweiler, J. H. Elliott, A. A. Fletcher, A. M. Goulding, N. Gwyn, B. Hannah, G. W. Howland, H. S. Hutchinson, R. Jamieson, N. M. Keith, J. D. Loudon, D. McGillivray, A. J. Mackenzie, A. G. McPhedran, J. H. McPhedran, F. S. Minns, E. A. Morgan, L. Murray, W. Ogden, J. A. Oille, T. J. Page, H. C. Parsons, G. Pirie, F. W. Rolph, C. Sheard, jr., D. K. Smith, G. E. Smith, H. Spohn, G. S. Strathy, E. J. Trow and G. S. Young.

Dr. G. W. Lougheed, demonstrator clinical microscopy; Dr. A. B. Moffatt, assistant clinical microscopy.

Pediatrics—Miss A. Courtney, chemist; Miss I. MacLachan, assistant chemist, and Miss G. Boyd, research fellow.

Connaught Antitoxin Laboratories—Dr. R. D. Defries, associate director in charge of antitoxin division; Dr. A. H. W. Caulfield, part-time research associate; Miss L. Hanna, research assistant.

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#### HYGIENE OF THE FEET

Owing to the demands of modern civilization, and to the fact that it is nearly always covered in a leather casing, the human foot has been rendered weak and delicate. In an interesting paper upon the subject, published in the *Lancet* Dr. F. Johnson compares the foot of the desert-dwelling Arab with that of a city artisan, very much to the detriment of the latter.

The free and easy movements of all the joints of the foot, unimpeded by any stiff covering, together with the influence of light and air, account for the perfect shape and physiological efficiency of the Arab's foot. His circulation is so good that he hardly feels the cold of the mountain-side.