

sisting of head, eyes, ears, nose, throat, teeth and cervical glands, of the heart, lungs, spine and joints, and of the skin of the face, neck and hands. The testing of sight and hearing. The examination of heart and lungs may be superficial except in special cases; and then only by permission or in the presence of the parent or guardian. The presence or absence of vaccination marks must also be recorded.

The school medical officer shall make a classroom examination of every pupil at least once every half-year as to the condition of mouth, throat, teeth, eyes, ears, skin of the face, neck and hands. The parent is to receive notice of the condition of the pupil, and must have case attended to.

Where a teacher or janitor is deemed by the school medical officer to endanger the health of the pupils, the board may order a physical examination of the teacher or janitor and exclude them from the school until they present to the school inspector a certificate from the medical school officer as to his physical fitness for duty.

Nurses may visit the pupils' homes and confer with parents, but must keep a written record of these visits.

#### FIRST AID.

In cases of emergency a school medical officer or nurse may render first aid, but not prescribe. The school medical officer must confer on sanitary conditions of the school.

The school inspector shall also assist in organizing the special classes and preparing the syllabuses authorized for sub-normal pupils.

Medical school officers must report either to their chief or the school board at least once a month, and a general report regarding the health of all children and conditions, including home environment, shall be made at the close of the year.

The duties for school nurses appointed in lieu of school medical officers are subject to the same regulations as the medical men.

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### DOCTORS WITH THE CANADIAN TROOPS

Among the Canadian physicians and surgeons who are on active service with the troops at Valcartier are:

From Toronto—Lieut.-Col. D. W. McPherson, D.A.D.M.S., 2nd Division.