## **Hews** Items

Dr. J. N. Roy, Montreal, has gone on a tour of Africa.

Dr. Shirriff, Medical Officer of Health, Ottawa, has resigned.

Dr. Charles W. Vipond, Montreal, has returned from a trip to Florida.

Dr. J. P. Cade has been appointed health officer of Prince Rupert.

Cape Breton is to have a sanatorium for the treatment of cases of tuberculosis.

Dr. A. Lome, Sydney Mines, has been elected president of the Cape Breton Medical Society.

Syphilis and gonorrhea have been made notifiable diseases by the State Board of Health of Michigan.

Dr. Howard  $\Lambda$ . Kelly is working actively in the crusade against the social evil in Baltimore and other cities.

Dr. W. W. Chipman, Montreal, was elected vice-president of the Clinical Congress of Surgeons of North America.

London, Ontario, physicians have established the following charges: Day visits, \$2.00; subsequent visits, \$1.50 to \$2.00; night visits, \$3.00.

Dr. Chas. Clouting, editorial writer, New York, and well known in Toronto and Montreal, sailed for London on the 11th of December for a two months' visit.

From January 1st to September 31st, 1912, there were 189 cases of typhoid fever reported in Toronto; for the same period in 1911, 385 cases; same period in 1910, 588 cases.

Montreal is to have an Eastern Hospital on the lines of the Western Hospital of that city. It is to be established by the Jewish people and manned by Jewish doctors, but will be undenominational.

Dr. Reginald S. Pentecost, late Senior Resident Surgeon New York Eye and Ear Infirmary, New York City, Post-Graduate Diploma University of Vienna, has opened offices at 90 College Street, opposite the new General Hospital, for the practice of diseases of the ear, nose and throat.