

JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER'S LATEST GIFT OF NEARLY FOUR MILLIONS TO MEDICAL RESEARCH

JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER on October 17th celebrated the opening of the new hospital attached to the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research in New York with an additional gift of \$3,820,000. This benefaction increases the income-bearing endowment of the institution to \$8,240,000. The occasion was further signalized by placing the institution's property absolutely in the hands of the trustees, establishing it in the future as an independent foundation. Its initial Board of Trustees comprise John D. Rockefeller, jr., Frederick T. Gates, William H. Welsh, Starr J. Murphy and Dr. Simon Flexner.

Mr. Rockefeller's first gift to the institution was made in 1901, when \$200,000 was donated. The year following he gave \$1,000,000 for the erection of a laboratory building, and later added \$620,000 for its completion. Before the laboratory was finished Mr. Rockefeller gave it its first endowment of \$2,600,000.

It is expected by the board that the work of scientific laboratory research, which, with even a generous endowment, has been necessarily more or less circumscribed, will now be extended to cover the entire medical field.

ACCIDENT TO AN ORILLIA PHYSICIAN

DR. A. R. HARVIE, of Orillia, Chief of the Red Tan Hunt Club, was mistaken for a deer by a guide, and shot through the left arm and forearm on Saturday, November 5th, in Longford Township, about forty miles from Orillia. The wounds, being made by a high-power rifle with an expanding bullet, are most serious. One of the bones of the forearm and the ulna artery were shot through. A Toronto surgeon, who is a member of the club, was at hand, and gave the needed assistance, afterwards placing the injured physician in a canoe and paddling him twelve miles through a chain of lakes to meet autos, sent out by Mr. J. B. Tudhope, M.P.P. Other members of the club cleared the trails and carried the canoe over the portages in the gentlest manner possible. An air bed and air pillow were placed in the canoe, and, owing in great part to the care taken, it is hoped by