

has been voted for this purpose. The province assists in the purchase of the site and the maintenance of the patients.

The grand jury of the County of Lincoln made a presentation that the hospital should have made provision for the feeble-minded in order that they be not sent to the jail.

The efforts to raise a large sum as a memorial to King Edward is making good progress. The fund is for the treatment of tuberculosis, and it is hoped soon to reach the million-dollar mark.

An effort is being made in Toronto to oversee the giving of charity so as to prevent overlapping, and also to furnish aid that will best suit the needs of each family.

Dr. W. L. MacBeth, of Toronto, had the unpleasant experience one dark night to run against an elderly man and injure him so seriously that he died. The jury acquitted the doctor and regarded the accident as unavoidable. Dr. MacBeth did everything in his power for the injured man.

Dr. John L. Davison's many friends were more than delighted at his miraculous escape from a fearful death when his car almost plunged over the edge of one of the bridges crossing a Rosedale ravine.

There has been some more cases of smallpox in Toronto recently.

In Hamilton during the recent smallpox scare 5,000 persons were vaccinated by the health officers. There were 56 cases of smallpox.

The Million Dollar Fund for the National Sanitarium work is growing by leaps and bounds. It is fully expected that the sum aimed at will be forthcoming.

Two new wings have been added to the Victoria Hospital, London, and an addition will soon be made to St. Joseph's Hospital of the same city.

The grand jury of Lincoln County a short time ago made a strong presentation that feeble-minded persons should be sent to hospitals and not to jails.

It is stated that the careful milk inspection in Toronto is saving to the people \$200,000 a year, by cutting out the water that was formerly added.

The new Act is doing good work in Ontario by bringing infant homes under careful inspection. There is a marked reduction in the death rate.

Dr. Wm. Spankie, who has been Public School Inspector for 35 years in Frontenac, was presented on 21st December, by the teachers of the county, with a gold watch.

The Ottawa city council recently adopted a resolution asking the Federal Government to establish a Department of Health. This arose out of the epidemic of typhoid fever which the city had gone through.