

### NEED OF QUARTERS FOR CONSUMPTIVES.

#### Startling Revelation of Lack of Accommodations for Sufferers.

Fifteen thousand beds and 600,000 patients, or 400 consumptives for every bed, is a statement made by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis in its investigation as to the need of beds for destitute consumptives in the United States.

Gathering statistics from every state in the country and from every hospital in which any provision whatever is made for tuberculous patients, it has been found that the total number of beds provided, both by public and private resources, is less than 15,000. Over against these figures, the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis has placed the fact that there are, according to the estimate of the United States Bureau of the Census, at least 600,000 living cases of tuberculosis in this country and that at least 200,000 persons die from this disease every year.

The admission of a patient to a New York State, Colorado, and particularly the regions about Denver and Colorado Springs; New Mexico, Arizona, and the Southwest; and North Carolina are the principal resorts for consumptives. The recent demonstrations of experts, however, that tuberculosis can be cured in any climate, has led to a considerable distribution of the bed capacity and has called into existence a large number of small sanatoria, hospitals, and day camps, some of them with a capacity of only six beds. This is shown by the fact that, while the number of sanatoria during the last four years has more than doubled, the increase in the number of beds has been only about 50 per cent.

"Every case of tuberculosis should be isolated as long as bacilli are there," Dr. Arthur Newsholme, one of the best English specialists on tuberculosis, says that the only way in which the death-rate from consumption can be reduced is by segregating all advanced cases, because these are the centers of infection from which the disease spreads.

It is not difficult, the National Association affirms, to cure consumption in its early stages, but it is impossible to effect a cure in the later stages of the disease, and consequently, these cases should be removed or isolated in their homes in order to prevent the infection of persons living with them. But they cannot be

removed or isolated unless hospitals are provided for that purpose; and with this need in view, a campaign to secure more accommodations for advanced cases of tuberculosis is being carried on all over the country.

#### Gresham.

The Multnomah addition football team of Portland, forfeited their game with the Gresham team Saturday by not putting in an appearance.

Chemical No. 1 was overhauled by Charles Merrill last week and put in fire fighting shape. A movement is now on foot to reorganize the fire department of this city.

Guy Matthews has fully recovered from the injuries he received in the Gresham Alumni game two weeks ago. It was a notable fact last week, that the citizens who criticized the size of street lights installed by the city, were the first ones to miss them when an accident caused them to be dark for half an hour.

There is a rumor afloat to the effect that several business men of Portland headed by Tom Richardson, contemplate the erection of a pickling and canning factory at this place. Such an enterprise would receive the support of everybody in this vicinity. Then give us Bull Run water.

Miss Florence Stafford, Miss Jennie Ross, Ralph Shepherd and Harry Wallace attended a performance of the "Rose of the Rancho," in Portland Saturday night.

Miss Edna Hamlin visited Portland Wednesday.

Contrary to expectations, the concert given by the Tabor Concert Co. wasn't very well attended. It was a benefit for the Public Reading Room.

The funeral of Frank Moke, who was killed last week while felling timber, was conducted from the undertaking parlors of Carlson & Henderson, at 2:30 P. M. Sunday. The young man was buried by the Eagles. He was a member of that Lodge.

#### STAFFORD.

Heavy thunder was heard rolling up from the southeast on Sunday afternoon. There was not much lightning or rain. A flurry of snow fell on Tuesday.

We hear it whispered that there is going to be a wedding in the near future. Some say it will be this week, and the captain of the charivari crowd is already chosen. It is not me, so I shall not go.

Zeke Eddy, who lives near Tualatin, trapped four chieftain thieves, with the goods all neatly dressed for market, in an old cabin in the woods. It is said that he refused \$20 offered him to keep still, and went about next day telling everyone. As a good many have been losers by their depredations they may get what they deserve yet. One of them, it is also said, stole Mrs. Fredrick's purse and was overhauled by telephone at Oregon City and clapped into jail for hiring a man's bicycle without asking the owner's consent at Willamette some weeks ago.

Miss Miller, the principal of our school, sprained her ankle last Friday and some of the girls made a chair of their hands and carried her to her boarding house.

Fred Baker's baby was quite sick last week.

Mark Baker and his dog are the champion hunters of this section, having caught numberless foxes and coons.

#### Gladstone.

The basar, lunch and entertainment in the basement of the new church Saturday afternoon and evening was every way a success. Though unusually stormy the house was well filled, almost every article was sold. The lunch was enjoyed by all and the musical and literary program was impressive. The Aid Society, who are in the habit of doing things in the most approved fashion, are responsible for these good things, and they promise us like enjoyable occasions from time to time.

Mr. Peckover is sinking a well on his lots near the depot and the erection of a house is soon to follow. Mr. Baker's large and handsome residence will soon be ready for the plasterers and is to be both beautiful and commodious. Mr. Morrell has his foundation in. His block machine is in position and we hope soon to see him living in a handsome concrete block house. Mr. Baxter's family have already moved into their house. They ought to enjoy it, as I am sure they do, for it is one of the handsomest residences in our little city.

There will be services at the church in Gladstone morning and evening as usual. Interest seems to be growing in all lines, especially among the young people. Three large beautiful windows are furnished, one each by the Aid Society organized March 25th, the Sunday School organized April 5th and the Berean Class, but recently organized. Most of the other art glass windows have been subscribed for. The plasterers are now at work and we shall soon be ready to occupy the main auditorium. The members and friends of this church have reason to congratulate themselves on the convenience and elegance of their church home.

#### CONSTABLE HAS ROUGH TRIP.

F. A. Miles Returns to Oregon City Monday, Bringing With Him Ben Acker, Reports Wet Weather in Southern Oregon.

Constable F. A. Miles arrived in this city Tuesday night in charge of Ben Acker, who he arrested in the Coos Bay country on a warrant sworn out on charge of a statutory offense. Mr. Miles states that he had a very rough trip on his way down, as he was compelled to ride from Roseburg to Marshfield, a distance of 65 miles, over the roughest kind of roads. The constable says that in some places, the roads were so bad that he was compelled to walk in the rain a great portion of the way. He was obliged to go as far south as Coquille before finding his man, who, upon being returned to Oregon City was placed in the County jail.

#### Suggestions for Country Life Commission.

At a meeting of the agricultural faculty of the Oregon Agricultural College on November 30th, the request of President Roosevelt's Country Life Commission for suggestions that might aid the Commission in making its report was discussed and the following statement prepared:

If federal appropriations are to be made for improving social and economic conditions in rural communities, it is recommended, first, that they be made to existing high schools and normal schools for the purpose of maintaining courses of instruction in agriculture, industrial and domestic arts, and including business methods and home sanitation, so that all public school teachers may have the training necessary for teaching those subjects in the public schools.

Second, that in order to secure the full efficiency of the agricultural colleges and experiment stations, the national government should co-operate with the states in agricultural extension work, this work to be under the direct supervision of the agricultural colleges. With an adequate appropriation a comprehensive system of traveling agricultural schools, farmers' institutes and free circulating libraries could be maintained, and publications issued for free distribution so that all important discoveries of the experiment stations could be given to every farmer of every state.

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- Fancy Box Stationery...25c to \$3.00
- Fancy Calendars .....25c to \$2.00
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- Leather Hand Bags...\$1.00 to \$10
- Leather Finger Purses \$1.00 to \$5
- Leather Music Rolls...50c to \$4.00
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#### Improvement to Eastham Building Has Not Been Accepted by Board of Directors on Account of Suit Over Lumber.

Although the new addition to the Eastham School is completed and ready for occupancy the members of the Board of Directors of the Oregon City Schools were unable to formally accept the addition at their meeting Monday night on account of a suit having been filed against the contractors, Parsons and Varney, who built the addition, by the East Side Mill & Lumber Company, of Sellwood. The lumber company have a claim against the contractors for \$17,000, and Monday afternoon, knowing that the final payment had not been made by the Board to the contractors, they made an attempt to garnish the funds in the hands of the district. The members of the Board hold that a school district cannot be garnished, so the matter may have to go to the Circuit court before it is finally settled.

#### Y. P. A. Election at Milwaukee.

The Y. P. A. of the Emmanuel Evangelical Church, Milwaukee, held its annual meeting December 15. The several committees made encouraging reports, and the Alliance is in good condition, and in good working order. The outgoing president, Miss Hulda Burgenier, has had earnest support of the Alliance.

The following officers were elected for the next six months: Leta Miller, president; Martha Burgenier, vice-president; William Large, recording secretary; Mrs. N. Shupe, corresponding secretary; Mrs. E. G. Low, missionary secretary; Verna Holt, treasurer; Ella Spring, organist; J. W. Grasley, E. G. Low, ushers.

#### Miller Meets With Accident

Mr. Miller, of Meldrum, met with a painful accident Monday afternoon while doing some construction work. Miller was standing on a scaffold, and a two-by-four slipped off the roof striking him on the nose and fracturing the member. Miller came as soon as possible to this city, where the wound received medical attention.

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#### The Mayor and Recorder are hereby authorized to purchase the following described property from M. M. McGeehan:

A part of the D. L. C. of Wm. Holmes and wife in T. 3 S., R. 2 E. of the Willamette Meridian, described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at an iron pipe set at the Southeast corner of Mountain View Addition to Oregon City, the same being the Northwest corner of a tract of land conveyed to M. M. McGeehan by E. P. Carter and wife by deed, recorded on page 365 of book 32 Records of Deeds for Clackamas County, and running thence North 154.8 feet to the West line of the said City Cemetery 223 feet to a stone monument; thence North 89 degrees 39 minutes West 185.5 feet to the place of beginning, containing 15.00 acres.

At a price of Six Thousand Dollars and to issue warrants on the Cemetery fund for the payment of the same.

Read for the first time and ordered published at a special meeting of the Council of Oregon City, held December 16, 1908, and to come up for second reading and final passage at a special meeting of said Council to be held Tuesday, December 22, 1908, at 8 o'clock P. M.

By order of the Council of Oregon City. W. A. DIMICK, Recorder.

62 degrees 10 minutes East 260 feet to a stone monument; thence North 247.5 feet to a stone monument, thence East 410 feet to a stone monument, thence North 12 degrees 20 minutes West 874.4 feet to a stone monument, thence East 203 feet to stone monument, thence South 64 degrees 40 minutes East 35.10 feet to a stone monument, thence North 0 degrees 5 minutes West 123 feet to a stone monument, thence South 89 degrees 13 minutes West 469.30 feet to a stone monument, at the Southwest corner of the City Cemetery, thence North 8 degrees 29 minutes West tracing an iron pipe at the Southwest corner

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