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IT WORKED WELL.

Whether the result was entirely gratifying to all, or not, and whether the method pursued met with general approval, one thing is certain, the convention plan for nominating a republican successor to the late Maurice Crumpacker worked and it worked well.

As in any political affair, in which personal and partisan interests play a large part, there will be some who will express disappointment. But the method was wise and proper and the results should be satisfactory. In fact, the results are highly commendatory. Better that republicans should agree on one good nominee than scatter their votes over a field of six or eight or ten self-nominated candidates, each with his small coterie of friends and supporters. Now all can support the choice of the majority, nominated by delegates who are the elected and accredited representatives of their party, and feel reasonable assurance of republican success.

MORE BEDS NEEDED FOR T.B. SUFFERERS

That public safety and the health of Oregon people requires the immediate provision of more hospital beds for tuberculosis patients is the official opinion of the board of directors of the Oregon Tuberculosis association, as expressed at a meeting of that body Thursday afternoon in Portland. The meeting, presided over by Leslie Butler, of Hood River, vice president of the association, took official action to authorize the president and secretary to lay before the Oregon State board of control the facts regarding the urgent need of proceeding with the construction of the eastern Oregon tuberculosis hospital which was authorized by a majority vote of 82,000 at the November election last year.

The waiting list for admission to the state tuberculosis hospital at Salem is almost twice as great as it was a year ago, according to Dr. G. C. Bellinger, superintendent of the hospital. At this time last year there were 42 patients waiting for admission to the state tuberculosis hospital, while on July 26th of this year there were 71 tuberculosis patients waiting their turn to be admitted. Of this number 31 are residents of Multnomah county.

Other members of the board attending the board meeting were Dr. Marr Bissell, Dr. F. D. Stricker, Dr. E. A. Pierce, Mr. T. J. Gary, Miss Mary Campbell, R. N.; Rev. W. G. Eliot, Mrs. S. M. Blumauer, Mrs. Mary Caufield and Mrs. P. R. Whiteside.

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This report shows that Oregon saves 948 babies out of each 1000 living births. This is a higher ratio than is attained by any other state in the birth registration area. The nearest competitor is Washington, where 944 out of each 1000 are saved. Minnesota comes third with a ratio of 933 per 1000. The poorest showing is made by Arizona where only 880 babies are saved through the first year of life.

Portland has the highest ratio of baby saving of 11 cities over 100,000. This city saves 961 babies of each 1000 born alive. This is an improvement of seven lives per 1000 over the year 1925. Eleven small cities of the United States had rates more favorable than Portland's rate. The highest rate of saving shown by Benton Harbor, Michigan, where 973 out of each 1000 babies survived the first year. Of the other ten small cities with favorable rates, four were in California.

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