

*Proposed
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It seems to me that without question cases of tubercular joint diseases should be treated on lines similar in many respects to those followed with cases of pulmonary tuberculosis. I am confident, as the result of my personal experience, that patients who are treated in close hospital wards do less well than those treated in such a manner that out-of-door life, an abundance of fresh air and sunlight, can be used most freely. We believe this so earnestly that at the present time we are building, with a few other physicians, a private hospital embodying these functions, because of the lack of these elements in the private hospitals which we have at the present time at our command.

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