

## Where Are the Patients?

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir.—A letter from Dr. Parsons has appeared in the papers, mentioning that there are fifty soldiers suffering from pulmonary tuberculosis in hospital at present. This is a great surprise to those connected with the two hospitals given up to the special care and treatment of these cases, namely, the Jensen Camp and Escasoni. The Jensen Camp, which takes 27 patients, has not been filled for some months. In February the number became reduced to 17, and remained so till last Saturday, when 1 more was added, so now there are 18 possible beds vacant. Escasoni, which was opened last spring for the overflow from the Jensen Camp, has 16 beds, but only 15 patients. In these two special T. B. Hospitals for soldiers and sailors there are only 33 patients, instead of 43. Why is this, or where are the remaining 17 sufferers? Are they scattered through the Convalescent Homes and the General Hospital? We hear that the latter place has only surgical cases. Where are they? To-day at the Military Hospital there are 6 patients, and at Waterford Hall there will be 11 to-morrow—there are 9 at present. This makes 43 patients in the four hospitals, but surely they are not all suffering from pulmonary tuberculosis, and if so why are the 9 at Waterford Hall not filling the 9 empty beds at Jensen Camp? Many of the main expenses—heat, light, etc.—remain the same whether a hospital is full or not, making the expense per capita greater when the number of patients is reduced. Is it fair to the taxpayer to have these patients scattered so that no place is full, but many are only partially filled?

Dr. Parsons mentions that there are 177 ex-service men who have or have had pulmonary tuberculosis. One hundred and forty-eight (144 soldiers and 4 sailors) have been treated at the Jensen Camp since its opening in October, 1916, three and a half years ago. Of these, 16 were readmitted for second treatment at the Camp, and 1 understood that a few more were readmitted at Escasoni during the past year. Ten have died, most of them being very advanced cases when brought to the hospital. Of the 133 remaining, only 13 are Sanitarium patients now.

I will not enter into the question re the \$7,000 mentioned by Dr. Parsons for the Recreation Hut for the "Township Road Sanitarium," as that is left to a Committee to decide.

Yours truly,  
ADELINE E. BROWNING,  
Chairman Executive Committee of Jensen Camp.  
March 23rd, 1920.

## Reply to Mr. Smith.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir.—Mr. Warwick Smith persists in being personal and his "apology" of yesterday's date proved more insulting than his original remarks. Does he think twenty because I am a "youth" under twenty he has the right to refer to me in any terms he chooses? Let me, while disdaining to descend to the level of personalities, say (1.) I am not ashamed of my youthfulness. I am nineteen and have for two years been on the reportorial staff of the Telegram. References may be obtained at this office. (2.) I am not ashamed of my Cornwall or Flat Islands experience. I was there in my official capacity and endeavored to do my duty by my paper. (3.) I am not ashamed to be known as a Prohibitionist and (4.) I am not ashamed of my membership on the Vigilance Committee.

I am conscious that all this is of no interest to the general public, and insert it merely to set Mr. Smith's mind at rest. Surely Newfoundland has fallen on bad days when one is not permitted to hold and express an opinion on a matter of public moment without becoming the target of personalities and abuse?

I will try hard to avoid such and I hope that my success therein will be greater than that, apparently, of Mr. Smith.

Yours sincerely,

March 25, 1920.

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SAILS BY ROSALIND. — Captain Pridesaux and crew of the wrecked Tevesbury will leave for England by the Rosalind via Halifax.

ENQUIRY WILL CONCLUDE. — The Delencan enquiry will conclude this afternoon when the address of Mr. L. H. Emerson will be heard.

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in good quality Diaper

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Fancy Linens at prices that  
make it profitable to buy  
Friday, Saturday and Mon.

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LADIES' BUTTONED SHOES—Soft Vici Kid Shoes with a glaze tip, Cuban heel, very neat looking, and easy fitting; half sizes from 3 to 7. Reg. \$5.25. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . \$4.85

CHILDREN'S BUTTONED BOOTS—Sizes 6, 7 and 8; dressy style, glaze vamp with black cloth tops and tassels; nice for Sunday wear for little girls. Reg. \$2.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . \$1.84

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AMAZON CLOTHS—Several pieces brought forward from the reserves from last spring's importations, offering splendid value to-day; 54 and 58 inches wide, shades of Myrtle, Navy, Brown and Black. Regular . . . \$5.50 6.50 7.50 Friday, Saturday and Monday \$5.15 6.10 6.95

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Heather  
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Values this week far above the ordinary.  
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