

the average of the life of the 11 who perished of

**CONSUMPTION IS NO LESS THAN 3 $\frac{1}{4}$  YEARS.**

Invalids Nos. XIX and XXIII fairly improved during the summer months while they drank the Koumiss, but on returning to their homes in the winter and having ceased taking it, they died. Nos. II, VI, VII, XI, XIII, XIV and XXI (seven in all), were greatly improved, improved in weight, prolonged their lives considerably, but eventually perished with the disease. Nos. XXIV and XXV hardly drank any Koumiss, did not improve in the least, and died in the "Steppes." While 11 out of 25 Consumptive Patients died within a period varying from 1 to 10 years, **there are 14 still alive; and of these 14—13 have been living 5 years and upwards.** Of the 13 living, there are 5 who were attacked with Phthisis as far back as 10 to 17 years. **Average life of the whole twenty-five cases is 6 $\frac{1}{3}$  years,** (including the 14 above who may live for many years.) The average

**GAIN IN WEIGHT WAS 11 $\frac{7}{8}$  LBS. EACH.**

Dr. Carrick says: "I should certainly consider him a Sanguine Physician who, when consulted by the first twenty-five cases of Consumptive Patients that entered his study, would state his belief not only in the probability but in the possibility that seventeen of them would be alive that day five years, seven of them that day eight years, and five of them that day eleven years, with no reason why these latter should not live even a still longer span of life. Yet this is what the table fully and fairly sets out of the 25 patients treated by Koumiss, does."

Dr. Carrick also gives an account of the 14 persons embraced in his table of 25 (adding 4 other persons, Professors, Ovsyannikof's, Lesharts and Manasseins and Count R. of St Petersburg), who are

**ALIVE AND FEELING STRONG**

at that time. Showing the length of time since consumption attacked them, he says:—