lateral deviation, but there is marked rotation or twisting of the vertebral column and bending of the ribs, most marked at the part where the spinal twist is greatest.



Fig. 1. Showing Roto-Lateral Curvature with appliance adjusted, but extension not yet made.

The use of the term "curvature of the spine" to signify a tubercular disease of the vertebræ, has caused confusion and error in diagnosis. The latter affection is a serious disease, having a well defined