

Infectious diseases reported in April:—Typhoid Fever 27 (only 2 from city); Scarlet Fever 9; Measles 8; Tuberculosis 2; Erysipelas 1.

MEDICAL NEWS

The physicians of Saskatchewan are required now to report all infectious cases, including tuberculosis, *weekly*.

The City Health Officer, Regina, read a report at the City Council meeting in which he recommended the adoption of the Winnipeg by-laws relating to sanitation.

At the recent convention of the Canadian Association for the Prevention of Consumption, it was stated that the death rate from consumption in Canada had increased in ten years from 15.5 to 18 per 1000. In the last year of the decade however there had been a decrease of 85 lives. This is no doubt due to the dissemination of directions regarding the style of living for the prevention of the spread of the disease.

The Calgary Druggists have recognized the value of organization. At a recent meeting *every* druggist was in attendance.

The physicians of Grand Forks, N. D., have come to an agreement to raise their fees to \$2.00 a visit instead of \$1.50.

The following statement of salaries paid Health Officers, taken from the *Medicine Hat Times*, shows great lack of uniformity:—Calgary, population 11,967, pays \$90 *a month*; Edmonton, population 11,163, \$2000 *per annum*; Lethbridge, population 2,313, \$300 *per annum*; Regina, population 6,169, \$500; Moose Jaw, population 6,251, pays \$150; and Medicine Hat pays \$50 *per annum*.

The Reverend Wm. Moore, Secretary of the Canadian Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis, Ottawa, is in Winnipeg. He will give lectures in Winnipeg and other parts of the Province of Manitoba on the ravages of