

STORY OF MANY SUFFERERS

APPEALS CONSTANT AND NUMEROUS—LARGE NUMBERS EVER SEEKING
ADMISSION TO THE MUSKOKA FREE HOSPITAL
FOR CONSUMPTIVES

No One to Support Him.

REV. E. P. JUDGE, Brome, Que. There is a young man of 21 under my pastoral care, who has developed tuberculosis. He has no means, and is at present living with his poor mother, who is married again, and is unable to support him away from home. There are two younger children in the house, which is very small. Possibly a stay in your hospital might save his life.

Day Laborer with Eight Children.

DR. A. S. TILLEY, Bowmanville. I have a patient, who would like admission to the Gravenhurst Hospital. The father is a plain day laborer with eight children to support, but he will pay \$3.00 a week. They have one child who is past all help, and who will not live long.

Stranger in a Strange Land.

J. W. PULLEN, Cobourg. I have suffered from consumption for three years and only came to this country last May, but I find I have received no benefit for the change of climate. I am an Englishman. Have you a free ward in your hospital, as I only own a small sum, but would like to enter your Home, as it would be a home to me, a stranger in this land.

Young and Poor.

REV. WM. J. BEAMISH, Newington. There is a young man in our congregation, who is afflicted with tuberculosis. The family are poor and unable to pay. What steps shall we take to secure his admission to the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives?

Her Hope is the Hospital.

A. M. MATHESON, Arcola, Sask. A young woman of 21 who recently came out from Scotland, has developed consumption. She has no friends or relatives in this country, and I believe has practically no funds. The girl is quite able to do general house work and could

earn her keep while at the hospital. I believe, if she went at once, there would be good chance of a cure.

A God-Send to admit Him

DR. J. W. ARMSTRONG, Shawville, Que. I have a patient under my care afflicted with pulmonary tuberculosis. It would be a God-send if you could admit him to the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives. Although in poor circumstances, he could pay \$1.00 a week towards support, but I am afraid he could not do more.

Plea for a Moneyless Girl.

E. H. BLACK, Saltcoats, Sask. There is a poor girl here moneyless, whom I would like to go to your institution.

This Time an Indian

DR. G. H. MCWILLIAMS, Keene. I have an Indian here in the first stages of consumption, and I think a stay at Gravenhurst will about mend him for a time at least. What is the cheapest you can take him in and how soon?

Has Wife and Twin Boys—a Consumptive

DR. D. B. ALEXANDER, Shawville, Que. I have a patient afflicted with consumption, whom I would like to have sent to the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives. He is a man of little means and has a wife and twin boys a week old depending on him.

Not Wanted in Her Own Home

REV. HERBERT FEAVER, Glace Bay, N. B. I have a girl of 17 years who has developed consumption and the doctors are very anxious to have her go to a sanatorium, as it is the only chance of saving her life. She is practically alone in the world, her mother being dead, and her father being married again to a widow with six children. The poor girl told me on Friday that she was not wanted at home. She went out to work as a servant and the doctor ordered her home.

Claims of many kinds are made on us all. The writer listened to an eloquent appeal the other day for a \$500,000 endowment for one of our Canadian colleges. The cause is a worthy one and should receive support, but human life was not in question. What great work could be done in Muskoka if a rich endowment of the hospital there could be secured. The immediate matter however is the care of applicants whose tales of sorrow—and these only a few of hundreds—are revealed in such letters as are published above. Will you help? No cause, surely, is more worthy. Every dollar counts. Money is urgently needed for maintenance and extension.

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