

Thursday

Tuesday, January 30

30 DAYS PAST

336 TO COME

A Bedside Widal Test.

Dr. G. Gilman reports a bedside method of Widal testing which consumes little time and gives results within a few hours. The test solution is a formalized culture of the typhoid bacillus, which can be procured from any pathological laboratory and will keep any length of time. In a small vial are placed 48 drops of the test solution, and to this are added two drops of the patient's blood. The tube is corked, well shaken, and set aside for three to five hours. A clear supernatant liquid indicates positive, a turbid liquid a negative reaction. The same technique may be used for other agglutination tests.

Weather

Temp.

Looked like a storm, but didn't. I took Grace, went with the milk wagon, & I got my chairs that I had ordered that Mrs Bingham gave me. Nellie went for Grace & John came home with them. He has been helping Ed Thompson, & mure the old red house that they used for a few weeks.