

satisfied that it was a better ~~way~~ one they might adopt it. I haven't been able to suggest one. I have never been asked to. But I have ~~thought~~ of it and do not see any way I am sure would be better. I have ~~thought~~ of another way.

Q. What? A. Strap the patient onto a plank. I mean just what I say, but it may need some little explanation. I should have the plank prepared for the purpose, and would have it provided with some sort of ~~straps~~ ^{straps}, which would be in effect bed-straps they have discarded from that hospital. But I am not altogether sure that the thing would work. I should want to be strapped on myself and play there for a night or two before I tried it on anybody else.

By Mr. Baker:

Q. Is the present system, in your judgment, the best known system? A. It is the best one I have any knowledge of or ever heard of.

Q. Whether there was not a fan used when air was not let in from outside?

A. There was a portion of the time, and