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KILL TYPHOID, SAYS DR. DIXON

Observe Simple Precautions and
It Is Easy.

CUT DOWN DEATH HARVEST

Advice to Nurses, Attendants and
Others in the Sick Room.

"Wipe out typhoid by killing the germs contained in the discharges of the patient before they leave the sick room to lay other fellow beings low with this disease." Such are the instructions that Health Commissioner Samuel G. Dixon gives in his new circular on typhoid fever addressed to nurses and attendants in charge of persons suffering from this infectious malady.

"I want to send that message ringing through the whole state," said Health Commissioner Dixon the other day. "I want to get every local Board of Health to see that in every home where there is a person ill with typhoid fever, the physician, the nurse or attendant shall be impressed with the duty of letting no infection from their patient be the cause of giving the disease to another, and the way to do this first of all is to kill the germs of the disease that comes from the patient before these germs leave the sick room. I am determined that the appalling harvest that typhoid is reaping in Pennsylvania shall be cut down. It can be done—it must be done. If, beginning today, the nurse or attendant in charge of a typhoid fever case will see to it that the discharges from the patient are thoroughly disinfected before they are carried out of the room in which the typhoid victim is confined we can almost wipe out typhoid in a day." "It is one of the simplest ways in the world to blot out a disease that is appallingly epidemic throughout the whole state, if only each and every person to whom this message is directed will hear it and heed it."

In his typhoid circular Health Commissioner Dixon sets forth simple methods of killing the typhoid germs before they are carried out of the sick room.

Secure any of the following disinfectants: Kreolin, Lysol, Tri-Kresol, Chlorinated Lime (chloride of lime or bleaching powder), or a 40 per cent. solution of Formaldehyde, which is preferred.

Make up disinfectant solutions from the above by adding three teaspoonfuls of Kreolin, Lysol or Tri-Kresol or eight teaspoonfuls of the 40 per cent. solution of Formaldehyde to a pint of water, or one-half pound of Chlorinated Lime to one gallon of water.

Keep constantly in the bed-pan, urinal, chamber or commode or vessel intended to receive the discharges from the bowels or bladder, a moderate quantity of the disinfectant solution selected, and after receiving the discharges add a quantity to equal the amount of the discharges.

Cover and remove the vessel and allow the contents to stand for one hour before emptying the same.

Never empty the discharges upon the surface of the ground, or into a stream, ever, though disinfected.

If the discharges are emptied into a water closet or privy they must be thoroughly disinfected first. They must never be buried until after being thoroughly disinfected, and then never less than one foot deep nor within one hundred feet of a well or water course.

If a privy well is used, empty three gallons of any of the disinfectant solutions into it daily.

Keep constantly on hand a basin or other vessel containing one of the solutions mentioned for the purpose of washing your hands.

Wash your hands in the solution immediately after handling the patient, the discharges, or any of the body clothing.

Keep constantly in a convenient place a tub or other proper vessel containing a sufficient quantity of one of the disinfectant solutions in which to soak all of the patient's bed and body clothing.

(If Chlorinated Lime is used for this purpose, one-half pound should be diluted with eight gallons of water.)

Place all such clothing in this vessel immediately upon its removal from the bed or body of the patient, leaving it in the disinfectant solution for at least three hours, after which it should be boiled thoroughly for at least one hour.

Do not permit the use by others of drinking vessels or eating utensils used by the patient, until boiled for at least one hour.

Do not eat or permit others to eat scraps or remnants of food left by the patient.

Burn all such material at once.

Add a disinfectant solution to all water that has been used for bathing the patient, and dispose of it in the same manner as the body discharges.

Do not throw this water on the surface of the ground.

Thoroughly disinfect all discharges from the mouth and nose.

If received in vessels treat as all other discharges.

If received in handkerchiefs treat as bed clothing, or if received in old linen burn the same at once.

Exclude domestic animals.
 Do not kiss the patient.
 Do not encourage visitors to the sick room.
 Aside from their disturbing influence on the patient they may through carelessness contract the disease.
 Boil all water used for domestic purposes.
 Follow these rules during the entire illness, do not relax them during convalescence, but continue until entire recovery, as the specific germ of typhoid may exist in the stools or urine of typhoid patients for at least four weeks after the disappearance of the fever.
 Upon the termination of the case sprinkle all carpets, rugs or washable bedding freely with a 40 per cent. solution of Formaldehyde. Roll up and allow to remain for twenty-four hours, then expose to fresh air and sunlight for twenty-four hours.
 The room should be thoroughly disinfected after the recovery of the patient.

Save these instructions and heed them if you have a typhoid case in your home.

Tariff is a Safeguard of the American Standard of Living.

When American production is so enormous that after supplying domestic needs there still remain manufactures to the value of half a billion dollars for export to the markets of the rest of the world, it must be conceded that even out and out free trade would not gain for the consumer any material reduction in the cost of the products he purchases. All that a general tariff reduction could accomplish would be the replacing of American labor with cheap foreign labor.

No longer can the idea of a sweeping horizontal reduction of the tariff be seriously entertained. In a broad sense the tariff is simply an equalizer of labor costs and the safeguard of the American standard of living. As such it has been taken entirely out of the realm of discussion by the ever increasing volume of our exports of surplus manufactured products.—Providence News.

A campaign for free trade this year will complete the mischief which the free silver folly began and drive the last merchants, manufacturers and bankers out of the Democratic organization. There are few, very few, of these men now in the northern states who call themselves Democrats or even infrequently vote the Democratic ticket. In the south, where the habit of years is stronger, many men of business still cling to the Democracy, but in personal conviction they are not free silver men; they are gold men. They are not free traders; they are protectionists.

In other words, they are all, save in mere habit, Republicans. They want no tariff reduction. They are prosperous, they desire to remain so. An anti-tariff campaign by the Democracy will merely assist the cause of the Republican party by the hundreds and thousands, and it will do this all the more readily and more surely because, thanks to the "grandfather clause" and other ingenious devices of southern Democratic politicians, all fear of "negro domination" in the southern states has now become a harmless bugaboo.—Boston Journal.

A Popular Adage.

A man said the other day, "I don't believe in the grange," and he evidently was sincere. It is a popular adage, "It makes no difference what a man believes so long as he is sincere." Let us see. I take a train for the north, firmly believing that it is the train for the south. Will I bring up at the south just the same? It makes all the difference in the world whether we believe in anything because we have investigated it or whether our belief is founded on ignorance. Our belief in anything does not make it so if it is not truth.—G. A. F.

A Business Organization.

"I thought it was a business organization," said one.

"It is a business organization," a granger replied, "in that it makes it a business to help the farmer to help himself and his family to the very largest life possible."

Observe Neighbors' night occasionally in your grange. The visiting grange furnishes the entertainment.

A live, flourishing subordinate grange that is living up to its possibilities is worth \$1,000 to any town.—Governor Bacheider, New Hampshire.

New England granges pay more attention to the ritualistic work of the order than those of other states. So one said who knows.

The grange teaches the farmer to think.

The Wider Goal.

He alone lives wisely, with ever-widening hope and courage and strength, who sees beyond the moment to the wider goal toward which he moves and in the light of which every step he takes wins a wider and nobler meaning. That nation alone is great whose policy is born of wide and noble dreams.—Rev. W. H. Pulsford, Episcopalian, Chicago.

The Lesson.

I teach
 The earth and soil
 To them that toil,
 The hill and fen
 To them that mend
 That live just here;
 The plants that grow,
 The winds that blow,
 The streams that run,
 In rain and sun
 Throughout the year.
 And then I lead
 Through wood and mead,
 Through mold and sod,
 Out unto God.
 With love and cheer
 I teach.

—Dr. L. H. Bailey.

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P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
12:50	4:20	5:25	10:22	7:50	Halls	9:37	12:15	4:00	5:05	9:55			
12:55	4:25	5:30	10:27	7:55	Pennsdale	9:42	12:20	4:05	5:10	10:00			
1:05	4:35	5:40	10:34	8:01	Hughesville	9:52	12:30	4:15	5:20	10:10			
1:15	4:45	5:50	10:41	8:08	Picture Rocks	10:02	12:40	4:25	5:30	10:20			
1:19	4:49	5:54	10:45	8:12	Lions Mills	10:12	12:50	4:35	5:40	10:30			
1:26	4:56	6:01	10:52	8:19	Clamont	10:22	1:00	4:45	5:50	10:40			
1:34	5:04	6:09	10:59	8:26	Glenn Mawr	10:32	1:10	4:55	6:00	10:50			
1:40	5:10	6:15	11:05	8:32	Straw	10:42	1:20	5:05	6:10	11:00			
1:43	5:13	6:18	11:08	8:35	Bechtel	10:52	1:30	5:15	6:20	11:10			
1:50	5:20	6:25	11:15	8:42	Munc Valley	11:02	1:40	5:25	6:30	11:20			
1:56	5:26	6:31	11:22	8:48	Some town	11:12	1:50	5:35	6:40	11:30			
2:02	5:32	6:37	11:29	8:55	Not own	11:22	2:00	5:45	6:50	11:40			
2:08	5:38	6:43	11:36	9:01	Mok	11:32	2:10	5:55	7:00	11:50			
2:14	5:44	6:49	11:43	9:08	Laporte	11:42	2:20	6:05	7:10	12:00			
2:20	5:50	6:55	11:50	9:14	Ripale	11:52	2:30	6:15	7:20	12:10			
2:26	5:56	7:01	11:57	9:21	Berlin	12:02	2:40	6:25	7:30	12:20			
2:32	6:02	7:07	12:04	9:27	Satteld	12:12	2:50	6:35	7:40	12:30			
2:38	6:08	7:13	12:11	9:34	Some town	12:22	3:00	6:45	7:50	12:40			
2:44	6:14	7:19	12:18	9:40	Eagles Mere	12:32	3:10	6:55	8:00	12:50			
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3:02	6:32	7:37	12:39	10:00	WPK&S Barre	1:02	3:40	7:25	8:30	1:20			
3:08	6:38	7:43	12:46	10:06	Williamsport	1:12	3:50	7:35	8:40	1:30			

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