

# INFLUENZA BAN RAISED AT LAST

### Only a Few Scattered Localities Are Now Under the Regulations of Health

The most extensively quarantined order ever issued in Pennsylvania was raised in every county except in a few isolated sections where conditions do not warrant such action by Dr. Royer, acting commissioner of health to-day.

The quarantine was imposed on October 3 to check the spread of influenza and forbade all meetings and assemblies in theaters, saloons, schools, churches and other places where crowds are apt to gather and stopped the sale of liquors. The city of Philadelphia was the first place to be closed, followed by the counties adjacent to Philadelphia.

Since that time Dr. Royer has gradually lifted the ban in counties as reports showed a decline in the death rate.

The imposition of the ban led to a controversy with Lancaster where an absolute quarantine was established for the first time under the act of 1905 and with city officials of Pittsburgh.

The following counties were freed today in Lackawanna by Fayette, Elk, Armstrong, Montour, Washington, Luzerne, Franklin, Forest and Westmoreland and practically all of Allegheny with few exceptions.

Hearings on Agan—The largest calendar of hearings ever prepared for the Public Service Commission has been listed for the coming week and sittings will be held in Harrisburg from Monday afternoon until Friday night and in Philadelphia on Thursday and Friday.

The hearings will be the first since the imposition of the influenza ban when the State Health Department forbade meetings and cases listed for the middle of October will come up.

The commission will hear arguments on Monday and devote the next three days in Harrisburg to hearings, there being over sixty complaints and applications to be taken up. The complaints are against trolley fares, electric, gas and water rates, service of various kinds and turnpikes.

State After Cash—Thousands of dollars are claimed from townships and boroughs which are to be sued in the Dauphin county by the Attorney General for the State Highway Department. The first suits have been entered against the following boroughs: Petersburg, Quarryville, Wellsville, Vanderhill, Huntingdon, Dalton, Glenburg, Great Bend, Blossburg and Factoryville, and against these townships: Wayne, Erie, Luzerne, of Fayette, Germany, Adams, Bristol, of Bucks, Stony Creek, of Cambria; Snow Shoe, of Center; Tredyffrin, of Chester, and Tincum and Upper Merion of Delaware.

Licenses Go Out—Over \$50,000 has already been paid into the State Treasury by counties as income from hunters' licenses issued this fall.

The money is carried in separate funds for game propagation and protection and payment of bounties on noxious animals and birds. The counties issue the tags and forward the cash to the State Treasury. A quarter of a million is looked for this year.

Difference in Deaths—Statistics on causes of death during the month

of August today by the State Department of Health afford an interesting comparison with the record of October when there were over 31,000 deaths from influenza or pneumonia. In August there were 14 deaths from influenza and 404 from pneumonia. The whole death rate in August was 10,215 over 2,000 being due to diarrhoea, of which 1,380 fatal cases under two years of age were reported. There were 915 deaths from tuberculosis, 856 from Bright's disease, 546 from cancer and 87 from typhoid and only three from scarlet fever. Sixty seven persons committed suicide, 197 were killed in mines and 142 from railway accidents. There were 19,193 births in the month.

Studies Under Way—According to reports heard in the fiscal department, a new set of studies of expenditures of various departments has been started to be placed at the disposal of the incoming Governor when he starts to consider introduction of various departments. There has been an overhauling of disbursements by the Labor and Industry, Insurance and Mines Departments, while the system of other departments is being studied with a view to possible reorganizations. It is certain that the men of the State Department, who are working under a pay scale twenty-five years old will get consideration from the incoming Governor.

Easton Asks Armory—The city of Easton has asked for the use of the State Armory at that place to care for orphans.

Deaths, 424—The reports to the State Department of Health to-day last night show 32,424 deaths from influenza and pneumonia since October 1. There were 82 deaths in Philadelphia. More than 150 emergency hospitals have been in service this last week.

Lancaster Is Away Up—Senator Spry has given Lancaster County a 12,500 majority. This news from the "garden county," the Senator's birthplace, was sent to him yesterday when his son, Lieutenant "Jack" Spry, was not in France.

Fayette Man Dead—Charles H. Nutt, one of the Fayette county commissioners and well known here, is dead. He was a member of one of the draft boards and an active official.

## Reserves Will Go Ahead With Drills

Members of the Harrisburg Reserves have decided to maintain their organization until the war is actually ended so as to have the basis of a home defense force and to furnish military training to men of draft age and high school students. Drills were resumed last night with a fair representation of men present and over fifty notices of men that while engaged on other matters last evening they were interested in continuing the Reserves. A number of men on the inactive list have also asked that the organization be kept up for the present.

The drill last night was in charge of Captain L. V. Harvey with Dr. Royer as the instructor in drill. Drills will be held every Friday.

The high school instruction will start Monday. The schedule for next week is:

Central—Monday at 10 o'clock with Major H. M. Stine in charge, and Wednesday at 2 o'clock, Captain W. H. Moore in charge.

Technical—Wednesday at 9 a. m. with Captain L. V. Harvey in charge.

The officers in charge will announce the details.

## Photographic History of the 112th Regiment

The relatives and friends of the members of the 112th Infantry Regiment who have been doing such wonderful work on the western front, will be pleased to learn that the Telegraph has been able to secure from the publishers a limited number of the photographic history of this regiment. These books were published with the permission of the War Department and contain a history of the regiment up to the time of its promotional and also a history of the various National Guard Regiments of which it was formed.

It contains individual portraits of the enlisted men as well as photographs of the colonel and all other commissioned officers. Many of these books have been sold in Pennsylvania and the Telegraph was fortunate in being able to secure copies of this fine history to offer to its readers. The price of the book is \$2.50 per copy and will be mailed to any address for \$2.50.

Call at the business office of the Telegraph and examine the book and we believe you will desire a copy.

## J. B. Spera Elected Member Dillsburg Council

Dillsburg, Pa., Nov. 9.—At the recent council meeting J. B. Spera was chosen councilman to fill the vacancy caused by the death of W. M. Elecker, who had been the president of that body. R. L. Nesbit, former vice-president, was elected president and C. U. S. G. Coulson was chosen vice-president.

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## ORPHANS' CARE TO BE DISCUSSED

Saddest Feature of the Influenza Epidemic Will Be Subject of Conference

Steps to provide systematic care for the children left orphans by the influenza epidemic, estimated to be between 40,000 and 50,000, will be taken at a conference to be held at the Capitol next Wednesday at which various agencies interested in the care of children will be invited to assist. Preliminary interchanges of views have been going on for a week and a meeting has been called for the Capitol, by Dr. B. Franklin Royer, Acting Commissioner of Health, after consultation with state officials.

In a statement issued Dr. Royer says that the matter is one which calls for "immediate attention." Letters have been sent by him to the following organizations urging that they be represented at the conference on Wednesday: The State Department of Health, the Department of Education of the Board of Education, the Department of Labor and Industry, Pennsylvania Council of National Defense and Committee of Public Safety, the Women's Committee of the Council of National Defense, the American Red Cross Division of Civilian Relief, the State Board of Charities, the Children's Aid Society, the Mother's Assistance Fund, the Public Charities Association, the Pennsylvania State Medical Society, the Department of Americanization of Aliens of the Committee of Public Safety, the Division of Recreation of the Committee of Public Safety, the Juvenile Court and the Pennsylvania Society for the Prevention of Tuberculosis.

While the problems concerning the care of the children who have recently become orphans will doubtless be the absorbing topic of discussion at the conference many other phases of child welfare will also be discussed and an important program of relief work will be adopted. The tentative program is comprehensive.

## Explosion Kills One When Workman Falls; Fifteen Are Injured

Kingston, N. Y., Nov. 9.—One employe was killed and fifteen others, some of them women, seriously injured late yesterday when a series of explosions occurred in one of the buildings of the Grenade Loading Company, at Port Erwin, near here. All of fifty other employes, who were in the building at the time, were less seriously injured. The property damage will reach about \$5,000.

An employe is said to have dropped a tray of grenade "boughs," causing the explosions. None of the completed grenades was stored in the building that was destroyed, and the Kingston fire department and employes of the plant succeeded in preventing the fire from spreading to the other buildings.

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## SOLDIERS WILL BE GIVEN HELP

Labor and Industry Department Starts Series of Important Conferences

Plans for meeting conditions of industrial readjustment in Pennsylvania following the close of the war and for coping with conditions prior to its close, were outlined by Acting Commissioner Walter McNichols, recently appointed to head the Department of Labor and Industry, in a series of conferences held during the last two days by principal officials of the department.

Acting Commissioner McNichols announced that the principal aims of the Department of Labor and Industry will be to co-operate with employers and employes, to prevent employment of women and children during too long work periods or at unsuitable tasks; to prevent excessive labor turnover; to aid in finding suitable jobs for returned disabled and able-bodied soldiers and sailors; to keep industrial conditions stabilized throughout the state and to meet promptly through the Emergency Public Work program any emergency toward unemployment of numbers of workers; to prevent strikes or lockouts; to prevent, in any locality, any heretofore existing conditions, due to shifting of workers to new tasks, and to make every effort to reduce the present accident toll; to aid municipalities of the state in formulating plans for local public work especially during the reconstruction period.

The Industrial Board, of the department, is perfecting arrangements to keep in close touch with the industrial situation and at the first sign of any tendency towards unemployment of great numbers of men will immediately make known the fact, as required by law, to the Emergency Public Work Commission.

A statewide survey of tasks now performed by women in industrial plants and in order that it may be definitely known that the Department of Labor and Industry has no authority to let down the labor laws in any plant nor to allow night work of women in manufacturing establishments nor longer hours of work for children than designated in existing state statutes.

That industrial accidents may be kept to a minimum, methods for close co-operation between the Bureau of Inspection and the Bureau of Statistics and Information are being perfected. As accident reports are received daily in the Bureau of Statistics and Information any indication of increase of accidents in any locality of the state will be immediately made known to the Bureau of Inspection for concentrated activities along lines of inspection for safeguards and for safety education, in such localities, in addition to the constant work of the department to cut down the waste from industrial casualties.

Through the Bureau of Municipalities every assistance will be given every municipality in the state desiring to institute public works or planning—following the close of the war.

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## FISHER THANKS LOAN WORKERS

Highway Leader of Indiana County Says That State Will Now Come Out of the Mud

The tremendous favorable vote given the proposed constitutional amendment which will permit the state to borrow \$50,000,000 for road purposes is attributed by the Associated Highways Organization of Pennsylvania, which backed the proposition, to the fact that the state at large has tired of unpermanant main roads. Figures received by the associated highways show the yes votes to have been nearly 200,000 more than the Noes.

"The approval of the Amendment by the voters of Pennsylvania is complete evidence that the people of this Commonwealth are progressive," said Ex-Senator John S. Fisher, of Indiana, president of the associated highways, "the state is now enabled to borrow money and build highways on a wholesale scale."

"Pennsylvania will have the best highway system in America within a few years," was the declaration of William Jennings, of Harrisburg, treasurer of the associated highways. "Transportation facilities will be improved and there will be great improvement in economic conditions."

Dr. P. T. Johnson, of Erie, vice-president of the associated highways, declared that the vote Tuesday plainly evidenced that Pennsylvania is tired of their many meandering miles of mudways.

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# ACCIDENT LIST GROWING LARGE

### Fears That Some Youths May Be Among Those Who Have Met With Gunning Hurts

Considerable apprehension is being felt here among men interested in game that in the number of hunting accidents which are being reported here will be found a number such as have occurred in Dauphin county. One county treasurer has insisted upon using his own discretion as to issuance of hunter's licenses to persons under eighteen or nineteen. The law allows licenses to be issued to persons over fourteen provided parents give consent when required. In the single case reported the county treasurer has turned down some juvenile applicants as not qualified to carry firearms.

The number of hunters' licenses issued thus far has been large. In a dozen or more couples the supply has been sold out and new licenses have been asked. However, Allegheny, which issued the largest number last year, has not been heard from. Counties like Philadelphia, York, Butler, Washington, Erie, Lawrence and Mercer have asked additional tags. Allegheny issued 21,500 last year.

The reports on the hunting season are all favorable. The State Game Commission has heard reports of good pheasant and quail shooting where the birds were cared for, while the State Fisheries Department reports are that many bass and salmon have been taken and that there are plenty of wild ducks on the streams. The Fishery authorities are sending out trout again and will continue planting until the weather closes the streams. The trout distributed this fall have been the subject of some complimentary letters. In some sections of the state sportsmen have asked that the state make a game distribution and purchase quail and pheasants for next year.

Quail have been abundant and squirrels have been shot by the thousand.

Dr. Joseph Kalbous, secretary of the Game Commission, says there are many wild turkeys and that of season, which starts Friday, should be good. He is also hopeful of good deer and bear hunting. Many bear have been seen in mountain counties.

## Camp Hill Church Will Reopen Tomorrow Morning

Being advised by the Board of Health in Camp Hill that the ban has been lifted from the churches, Trinity Lutheran Church, Rev. E. D. Weigle, pastor will resume divine services Sunday, taking up the work where it was interrupted five Sundays ago, 9:30, Sunday school, Mr. W. Robert Gilbert, superintendent, 10:30, Holy Communion, baptism of children, accession of new members; 6:30 Luther League, Luther at Home; 7:30, Holy Communion, address by the pastor, subject: "Byproducts of Churchless Days," closing with a brief song service. Special music throughout the day.

## DAIRMEN TO MEET

The annual election of directors of the Dauphin and Cumberland County Dairymen's League will be held at a meeting of the League to be held in Keystone Hall, Mechanicsburg, Tuesday.

# WAR NEWS LINES OFF THE CABLES

### London—The British forces have captured the fortress of Maubeuge, Field Marshal Haig announced today.

London—British troops in Flanders have crossed the river Scheldt on a wide front north of Tournai and have established themselves on the east bank, according to Field Marshal Haig's announcement to-day.

Tokio—Bolshevik and Austro-German prisoners operating in Siberia now are almost completely isolated, according to an official statement issued at the war office to-day.

Amsterdam—Cases of insubordination occurred on Wednesday among the troops of a German naval division quartered at Lokeren, twelve miles northeast of Ghent, according to a report from Sas-van-Genit.

Madrid—King Alfonso has asked Count Alvaro de Romanones to form a ministry.

London—A general railway strike has begun in Germany, according to a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, quoting Berlin advices.

Paris—Stress is laid by the Temps on the presence of Emperor William at Spa where the terms of the armistice are being examined by the Germans.

Basel—German Socialists yesterday advised the Imperial chancery he must answer their demands for the abdication of the Kaiser immediately, otherwise the Socialists declare they would withdraw from the government.

Paris—The French armies this morning resumed their forward march along the entire front, the war office announced to-day.

Rome—"No war event is reported on the Italian front," says the war office statement issued under Friday's date. "The conditions of the armistice are being carried out."

With the French Armies—Carrier pigeons played a heroic part in the battle of Verdun. There was no other means of the for of Vaux Commandant Raynal to communicate with the outside world, when contradictory reports were being sent to the occupation of the position.

Paris—Convinced the day of victory is at hand, Paris is preparing to bedeck itself on the arrival of the news of the signing of the armistice. Stocks

of delicacies are being brought out from cellars in readiness for feasting.

Copenhagen.—Emperor William has not yet accepted the resignation of Prince Max of Baden, the German Chancellor, according to a Berlin message to-day. The Emperor has asked Prince Max to continue holding the office provisionally until the Emperor's final decision is reached.

SHORT WEIGHT IN GRAPES  
Dealers in the city have been warned by George B. Nebinger, inspector of weights and measures, that baskets of grapes which have the net contents marked as two quarts must contain three pounds of the fruit. He said that complaints have been made to him of profiteering in the sale of grapes and he found upon investigation that some of the baskets which were supposed to contain two quarts, or 48 ounces, were eight or nine ounces short.

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