

EPIDEMIC MOST SERIOUS KNOWN

This Nation Has Never Seen Such a Situation in Livestock Shipment.

Washington, Nov. 4.—The worst outbreak of foot and mouth disease ever known in the United States, is the way the Department of Agriculture characterizes the live stock epidemic which forced a federal quarantine over six other states, and which threatens a temporary reduction of the nation's food supply. An emergency appropriation by congress may be required to finance the campaign to suppress the epidemic.

Officials said tonight that it would be a week before they could forecast the extent of the food supply which will be affected. They are inclined to believe, however, that the shrinkage will not be large despite the inconvenience to which the stock growers, and packers will be subjected until the disease is under control. Every possible effort will be made to remove handicaps upon the movement of live stock.

The quarantine will not prevent the shipment of stock from unaffected districts to slaughter houses within the quarantine area, and there is no embargo against the shipment of dressed meat. New York and Maryland have been added to the list of quarantined states today.

The department says: "The list of states now quarantined by federal authorities includes New York, Maryland, Indiana, Michigan, Illinois and Pennsylvania. There also have been restrictions placed on interstate shipments from Ohio, although no cases have yet been found there. They fear that infected stock has been sent into Ohio, however.

This is the first outbreak since 1908, and the most serious the United States has yet experienced, and its virulence seems to be above the average. The discovery of 600 infected cattle in the Chicago stock yards is regarded as the most serious development in the situation.

War Bulletins

Bordeaux, Nov. 4.—The Turkish ambassador left Bordeaux tonight.

London, Nov. 4.—The British cruiser, *Minerva*, bombarded the Arabian town of Diddah, on the Red sea.

Copenhagen, Nov. 4.—A large German trawler was destroyed by a mine, south of the Danish island of Langeland, in the great belt. The fate of the crew is unknown.

Diddah or Jiddah, Nov. 4.—A town of 30,000, the chief seaport of Arabia, in the northern part. The town is said to be Eve's tomb. Half the population is Arab. It is 65 miles northwest of Mecca.

Constantinople, Nov. 4.—The Porte has recalled the Turkish ambassadors to France and Great Britain, the charge d'affaires at Petrograd and the minister to Servia.

London, Nov. 4.—The foreign office handed his passports to the Turkish ambassador and he will leave tomorrow. The American embassy is preparing to take over the diplomatic duties of the Turkish embassy.

Rome, Nov. 4.—A Salonika dispatch says that the bombardment of the Dardanelles by the Anglo-French fleet continues most effectively, while from the Turkish reply there has been no damage. The ships are out of range of the land guns.

London, Nov. 4.—The admiralty announces that one officer and 20 men were lost in the sinking of the submarine, "D-5," by a German mine yesterday. They also say they learn from a German source of the South American naval engagement, adding that they have no confirmation of the report.

ATTENTION, ELKS!
A regular meeting of Bismarck Lodge No. 1199, B. P. O. E., will be held at Elks' Home, Friday evening, November 6.

S. L. HILL, E. R. P. RATIELDS, Sec.

MANY SEND GOV. HANNA BEST WISHES

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on your re-election. May your next advance be to the United States senate.

G. T. PROPPER.

Valley City—Accept congratulations from Barnes county republican committee. Estimated majority in Barnes 400 to 500.

P. R. TRUESHAW, Chm. LEE COWELL, Sec.

Fargo—Most hearty congratulations on your victory.

JOHN W. HANSL.

Jamestown—The people of North Dakota have proven their sanity. Accept my hearty congratulations.

M. SINCLAIR.

Lakota—Congratulations.

K. C. NELSON.

McVelle—Accept our congratulations on behalf of Nelson county republican committee.

HARRY M. CASE, Sec.

Minot—Congratulations. May success crown you to be our next president.

CHAS. GROW.

Grand Forks—Dear Governor: Accept my hearty congratulations in your great victory.

J. A. DINNIE.

Mott—Hettinger county gives you increase majority of 530. Congratulations on your re-election.

JOHN T. CHARMLEY.

Fargo—Hearty congratulations; wish you continued success.

H. J. HAAGEN.

Shevonne—Congratulations. Sorry, but Eddy county went wrong twenty votes. I pulled through by as small majority.

BARTLEY.

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MEXICO WELL FIXED FOR PRESIDENTS NOW

El Paso, Texas, Nov. 4.—Mexico, with two provisional executives, had two provisional capitals today.

Carranza ordered his cabinet ministers, with the archives of the government, to proceed to Pueblo, between Mexico City and Vera Cruz. The other capital is at Aguas Calientes, the scene of the recent conference. Gen. Gutierrez, elected by the convention as provisional president, officiated there. Each claimed certain generals were joining their forces.

Democrats Hold Majority

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Michigan, Woodridge N. Ferris, democrat.

New Hampshire, H. H. Spaulding, republican.

Nebraska, John H. Moorhead, democrat.

New York, Charles Whitman, republican.

North Dakota, Louis B. Hanna, republican.

Oregon, James Whitcombe, republican.

Pennsylvania, Dr. Martin Brumbaugh, republican.

Rhode Island, R. Livingston Beekman, republican.

South Carolina, R. J. Manning, democrat.

Tennessee, Thos. C. Rye, democrat.

Texas, James E. Ferguson, democrat.

Vermont, Charles W. Gates, republican.

Wisconsin, Emanuel L. Philipp, republican.

Wyoming, H. H. Ridgely, republican.

Nevada, Tasker Oddie, republican.

Idaho, Moses Alexander, democrat.

South Dakota, Frank M. Byrne, republican.

MENTALLY DERANGED.

Hillsboro, N. D., Nov. 7.—Claus Johnson, the man who tried to hang himself one day last week in the city lockup, was examined as to his sanity before Judge Bagstad and the insanity commission. He was found to be mentally off and was taken to Jamestown by Deputy Sheriff Larson and Robert Evans.

Johnson is a well known character in the eastern end of the county, where he has worked for a number of farmers at odd times during the past seven or eight years. He fell heir to several thousand dollars in cash a year or so ago, since which time he has been looking with great favor upon the flowing bowl and to such an extent that his mind has become unbalanced.

LOTS OF GRAIN.

Schafer, N. D., Nov. 4.—Watford, the eastern terminal of the Great Northern extension, four miles west of Schafer, promises to become the second largest grain shipping point in the state. It is said that Wildrose, in northern Williams county, is in line for first place.

ENGLISH SINGER.

Arthur Aldridge, who comes to the Auditorium Saturday, November 14, with the Gilbert & Sullivan Opera Company, was formerly an English music hall singer. He was brought to this country by William Morris. William A. Brady engaged him for his revival of "Pinafore," which was the first production in which Aldridge had appeared.

Cross Knife and Fork in Reverence.

The old custom of crossing the knife and fork after dining had its origin, if we may trust F. W. Burgess' explanation in his new book, "Chats on Household Customs," in a spirit of devotion. He quotes Browning:

"Knife and fork he never lays
Crosswise, to my recollection,
As I do in Jesus' praise."
"In Russia," says Mr. Burgess, "this custom of the peasantry was deep-rooted, and there they were careful to take up the knife and fork and lay them down on the plate crossed before commencing their meager meal. Strange to say, that, although knives and forks have been crossed in reverence, to cross knives has been deemed unlucky, and to give a maiden a pair of scissors—two crossed blades—has long been held by those who believe in such signs as unlucky."

To Write Well.

For a man to write well, there are required three necessities: To read the best authors, observe the best speakers and much exercise of his own style. In style, to consider what ought to be written, and after what manner. He must first think and exogitate his matter, then choose his words and examine the weight of either. Then take care in placing and ranking both matter and words, that the composition be comely, and to do this with diligence, and often. No matter how slow the style be at first, so it be labored and accurate; seek the best, and be not glad of the forward conceits or first words that offer themselves to us, but judge of what we invent, and order what we approve.—Ben Johnson.

Cecil Garlock, aged 19, was arrested in Fargo for having a revolver in his possession, with which he is reported to have declared his intention of committing suicide. The boy's mother had died, his money was running short, and he became thoroughly despondent.

ENGLISH SAILORS TRAINING ASHORE

London, Nov. 3.—Crystal Palace is now a training quarters for the naval division of Lord Kitchener's new army, with 6,000 men in camp, who may be called to the same eduty as that of the British naval brigade in the much criticised operations at Antwerp.

The men of the naval division dress as sailors in blue sailor blouses and flaring trousers. They also swing into hammocks at night instead of sleeping on mattresses. But at this point they cease to be sailors, and it is doubtful whether they will ever walk the deck of a ship, unless of a transport. Their training is precisely that of the infantryman, and their fighting will be in naval landing parties.

After preliminary training on the exhibition grounds, the men will be sent to coast stations for the finishing touches.

The naval brigade faring so badly at Antwerp was composed partly of marines and partly of men rated as seamen, among whom were a large number of recruits such as may be found at Crystal Palace.

BAD PRAIRIE FIRES WEST OF THE RIVER

Mandan, Nov. 4.—Details of prairie fires in the past two days are being slowly brought in and careful estimates place losses at near \$200,000 to buildings, hay land and stock.

In C. Smith, one of the best known of the Oliver county farmers, was seriously burned about the face in fighting a fire yesterday which started near Mandan Lake. He came to the Mandan hospital for treatment this noon.

The fire near Mandan Lake started presumably from the railroad engines and went south to Sanger finally burning out in the timber at the river edge.

In addition to that blaze seven other fires were started between Mandan and Sanger and all burned over to the river.

A prairie fire south of Almont burned over many thousand acres of land, but so far no details have come in.

At the Little Heart precinct yesterday, polls were closed for over an hour while the election officers got out to fight the blaze which started near there. A Wanger precinct the same thing occurred.

Another fire started near the Smith place on Custer Plains yesterday afternoon and on the John Keifeld place and burned down the machinery sheds together with the machinery in it. The chicken coop was burned and the granary started to burn, but was put out by tearing down part of it. Keifeld's loss is about \$2,000.

From the Keifeld place the fire swept east, burning to the St. Anthony road, where the Harry Shamo place, formerly owned by Mrs. Patzack, very nearly went up in the flames and smoke. The Frank Suchy place also narrowly escaped. The blaze jumped across roads, Russian thistle, carrying the fire, and it is believed finally burned out at the river edge.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The First National Bank

at Bismarck, in the State of North Dakota, at the close of business, Oct. 31, 1914.

Resources.	
Loans and Discounts	\$1,012,808.38
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	299.91
U. S. Bonds Deposited to secure circulation	100,000.00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits	425,000.00
to secure Postal Savings	None
Other Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits	25,000.00
Deposits	22,419.84
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	10,450.00
all other stocks	None
Banking House, Furniture, and Fixtures	\$8,000.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	90,144.16
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers' Trust Companies and Savings Banks	62,519.77
Due from approved Agents	480,356.69
Checks and other Cash Items	103,057.25
Notes of other National Banks	22,195.00
Fractional Paper Currency, Notes, Coins and Cents	366.62
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	10,793.30
Legal-tender Notes	84,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	5,000.00
Total	\$2,019,400.90
Capital stock paid in	100,000.00
Surplus Fund	100,000.00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses and taxes paid	11,287.64
National Bank Notes outstanding	100,000.00
Due to other National Banks	197,611.20
Due to State and Private Banks	538,620.09
Individual deposits subject to check	783,528.85
Demand Certificates of deposit	28,693.88
Time deposits payable after 30 days or after notice of 30 days or longer	150,196.69
Certified Checks	3,124.93
United States deposits	26,018.44
Postal Savings deposits	119.18
Total	\$2,019,400.90

State of North Dakota, County of Burleigh, ss:
Frank E. Shepherd, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witness my hand and the seal of said bank this 4th day of November, 1914.

FRANK E. SHEPHERD, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of November, 1914.

R. FENYALDEN, Notary Public.

Correct Attest: JOSEPH HARE, C. B. LITTLE, J. C. BELL, Directors.

Pool Hall Burned

A fire of unknown origin yesterday afternoon burned down the pool hall at Carson with almost a total loss.

Down at Cannon Ball searching parties are still out in the eighty square miles burned over. They report farms destroyed in the fire on Monday, but can give few details.

HAVEN DIRECTORS ALL WANTED COIN

New York, Nov. 4.—A darkey, who for many years was always present at the meetings of the directors of the New Haven road, said the only time he ever saw anything wrong was when five directors claimed a twenty dollar gold piece that he found after the meeting.

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