

# HUNS PLAN DEFENSIVE FRONT BEYOND RHINE

## FLU REGULATIONS ARE PULLED TIGHT

Seattle mounted policemen were detailed by Chief Waverly Saturday morning to patrol all car lines in the central section of the city and stop all street cars not having at least one-third of the windows open on each side, as an added influenza precaution.

All traffic policemen were also instructed to stop cars with too many closed windows before they were allowed to proceed.

Policemen were out early Saturday morning in the industrial district to see that shipyard workers did not come to their employment in closed cars.

"We're doing everything in our power to enforce the regulations," said the chief, just before going into conference with the mayor to report on the effect of steps being taken to check the epidemic.

**29 More Deaths**  
Twenty additional deaths and 332 new influenza cases have been reported to the city health authorities since noon Friday. Of these five deaths were reported Saturday morning, and 39 cases. The following men, industrial workers, were reported dead of pneumonia Saturday:

Thomas Cunningham, 36, A. B. hotel; Charles Ecker, 19, address unknown; Zae Arras, 29, 218 King st.; John C. Young, assistant general manager of the Skinner & Eddy corporation, of 2923 E. Harrison st.; died in the Minor private hospital late Friday of Spanish influenza.

**Deplete Mask Supply**  
Stating that the excessive call for influenza preventive masks had depleted the Red Cross supply, so that no definite instructions for certain classes of employees to wear them can be issued, Commissioner McBride stated that, beginning Monday, it may be compulsory for waiters in restaurants and eating places to wear gauze masks.

Dr. McBride urged restaurant proprietors to go to the Red Cross headquarters, at 215 University st., and obtain for their employees such masks as remain, the masks to be pressed into service at once.

Claiming that the anti-toxin serum being manufactured by city physicians is successful, and, if taken before illness, is practically a certain preventive for influenza, Dr. McBride Saturday urged every person in the city to obtain two injections within 48 hours from some private physician.

**Don't Realize Peril**  
"People do not seem to realize the seriousness of Spanish influenza, or the pneumonia that results from it," Dr. McBride said. "Pneumonia that results from the flu is one of the most virulent and dangerous character known, and there is a very great possibility of a person dying when the influenza has passed into complications or pneumonia."

"Whenever a person feels sick, he should hasten to secure medical care, and take every safeguard."

Another point emphasized by Dr. McBride is that there is room in the old courthouse emergency hospital for 200 additional patients, and that those who are not in circumstances to be taken to a private hospital, should call the city ambulance at once and place themselves in the hands of the city doctors for treatment.

**Percentage Is Low**  
"We have an efficient and reliable corps of nurses and the best doctors and facilities in the city," Dr. McBride stated. "Everything possible is done for our patients, and the percentage of fatalities among cases treated at the emergency hospital is very low. It has been called to my attention that there are men without relatives or families living in ill-ventilated hotel rooms in the southern section of the city, who have contracted influenza, and who until it is too late to send for help, wish to point out that they can save their lives by calling the city ambulance in time."

He stressed the following warnings:

**Stay at home.**  
Keep the home well ventilated. Avoid crowds. Do not sneeze or expectorate freely. If well, keep in the open air. If sick, keep warm and breathe fresh air.

"Seattle people would do more than all the doctors toward stopping the spread of influenza," says Dr. McBride, "if they would stay at home for two days. There is absolutely no excuse for any one being on the downtown streets. Sunday, save those who have essential business."

Police were Saturday instructed to prevent anything resembling congestion in department stores and sales establishments downtown, and to arrest proprietors who did not cooperate.

**Get 5,000 Masks**  
Applicants from every line of endeavor, representing every industry in the city, received more than 5,000 gauze masks of the variety now popular among our barbers from the local Red Cross chapter Friday, following press notices that San Francisco was adopting this precaution at the request of the board of health.

This precaution is unnecessary in Seattle for the average individual, according to Dr. J. S. McBride, city health commissioner, who recommends, however, that all clerks, particularly those who sell or serve food, wear gauze masks.

**15 More Deaths**  
Fifteen additional deaths and 222 new influenza cases were reported to the health department Friday afternoon. Deaths reported were:

J. J. Ulrich, aged 29, 403 Dewey place.  
Andrew Middleman, aged 26, Old Court House hospital.  
Emma J. Davis, aged 35, 1014 Madison st.  
S. Fukuhara, aged 20, Hotel Frye, died at Reliance hospital.  
Johnnie Johnson, aged 78, 936 Blumett st.  
Frank Pendall, aged 47, 1219 N.

## FIGHT THE FLU

BY RUPERT BLUE  
Surgeon General of the U. S. Public Health Service

Most of the influenza patients cough up considerable mucus; in some, there is much mucus discharged from the nose and throat. This material should not be collected in handkerchiefs, but rather on bits of old rags, or toilet paper, or on paper napkins. As soon as used, these rags or papers should be placed in a paper bag kept beside the bed. Pocket handkerchiefs are out of place in the sick room and should not be used by patients. The rags or papers in the paper bag should be burned.

4th st.  
Joseph J. Lane, aged 24, 916 East Columbia st.  
Francis E. Philbin, aged 20, 1904 12th ave. S.  
Olaf Remmen, aged 38, 117 23rd ave. S.  
Grant Conrad, aged 46, 1920 Third ave. W.  
Harold McGillicuddy, aged 26, 1431 Jackson st.  
Georgia A. Purcell, aged 36, 1733 Melrose avenue.  
Madge Yank, aged 33, 5215 52nd ave. S.  
Nick Barfoss, aged 34, 1541 N. 49th st.  
Pete O'Malley, aged 27, 718 Fifth ave. S.

**Portland in Grip of New Flu Wave**  
PORTLAND, Oct. 26.—With a record of 1,771 influenza cases and 90 deaths, and with the epidemic still on the upgrade, Mayor Baker today threatened to close all stores if they continue to disobey the restrictions now in force.

The city will not at present force all persons to wear masks, but it is watching the effectiveness of this measure in other cities.

The mayor has asked all department stores to limit their advertising to essentials, to do away with special bargains, and requested the general public to stay at home.

The city health officer has ordered the removal of all side windows in street cars. If street car blinds are pulled down, arrests will follow.

**Flu Creates Open Air Funeral Rites**  
Health restrictions will necessitate the funeral services for Florence A. Day, university graduate and Georgetown teacher, to be held at the grave in Lake View cemetery, Sunday morning, October 27, at 10 o'clock. Rev. J. H. Williams, pastor of the Pilgrim Congregational church, will officiate. Miss Day died of pneumonia following an attack of influenza.

**Flu Nurse Dies as Martyr to Disease**  
EVERETT, Oct. 26.—Miss Mayme T. Downs, volunteer nurse at the Providence hospital, died at that institution Friday afternoon from blood poisoning, contracted from a patient she was treating for influenza.

**Adams Trial Set for November 11**  
In the superior court, Friday, Judge Mitchell Gilman announced that Health Commissioner McBride would permit the trial of Alvin H. Adams, charged with the murder of M. R. Haymer, last July, to take place next Thursday, as scheduled, provided influenza masks were worn by judge, jury and all present. The judge stated that he preferred to postpone the trial until November 11, and by that time he hoped that the epidemic would be over.

**100,000 Flu Cases on Pacific Coast**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—With approximately 100,000 cases of Spanish influenza reported in the three Pacific Coast states, and hundreds more being reported hourly in the larger cities, the epidemic has not yet reached its crest, according to statistics gathered today by the United Press.

The number of deaths is variously estimated in Washington, Oregon and California between 2,000 and 3,000. Exact figures are not available.

California has approximately 60,000 cases and Washington state 21,000.

**Prisoners Nearly Flew When Jailer Falls With "Flu"**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—Prisoners in the city jail this morning started to leave their cells when Thomas J. Feeny, turnkey, collapsed in a heap from an attack of Spanish influenza, after unlocking the cell doors. Police officers arrived in time to drive the men back to their cells.

**96 DEATHS IN SAN FRANCISCO**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—Ninety-six deaths and 2,607 influenza cases were reported within the last 24 hours.

**44 DEATHS IN LOS ANGELES**  
LOS ANGELES, Oct. 26.—Forty-four deaths and 806 influenza cases were reported within the last 24 hours.

**NO SPECTATORS AT GAME**  
CHICAGO, Oct. 26.—No spectators will be allowed today at the Camp Grant-University of Wisconsin football tilt at Madison, nor at the Nebraska-Nebraska Wesleyan melee, because of the flu epidemic.

**EIGHT DIE AT FORT WORDEN**  
Eight deaths from influenza have occurred at Fort Worden since the beginning of the epidemic, two men dying Friday. Two hundred are ill.

**CLERKS NOW WEAR MASKS**  
PORTLAND, Oct. 26.—All clerks in stores, and all persons entering stores are required to wear gauze influenza masks. They may be removed in the open air.

READ IT AND WEEP, BILL!



## FRENCH SAVANT PRAISES YANKS

PARIS, Oct. 26.—M. Henri Weislinger, a French Academician, historian and patriot, in spite of his advanced age, made a special trip from his home in the suburbs to deliver a speech, lauding America before the Academy of Moral and Political Sciences.

"The triumph of American arms," he said, "is not only in the gain of ground; a great moral victory also was gained. People of the invaded region the Americans have restored to France have cruelly suffered. French blood was given there during the past few years and once before, in 1870."

"I cannot fully express my admiration for that great savant, that marvelous idealist, supreme patriot of his country—President Wilson! He will remain in history as an example to future generations and his name will be revered as is the name of Washington."

## Need Glad-Handers for the "Y" to Do Sunday Service

If you can promote the spirit of fellowship, and strike out the devil's bad branders, Or establish the basis for men's good friendship, You're in line for the Y. M. glad-handers.

Arn S. Allen, secretary of the Seattle Young Men's Christian Association, has issued a call for volunteers to take up the work of the winter's Sunday club program. He has systematically divided his expected quota of 100 volunteers into groups of workers.

Ten glad-handers, 12 or more orchestra men, three platform men, 10 ushers, nine leaders of discussion groups, 40 boosters for the discussion groups, 13 hosts for the friendship supper and five ushers for the fire-side hour are needed. Candidates for these positions must qualify.

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## NEED RED CROSS WORKERS TO MAKE MORE FLU MASKS

With 20,000 gauze influenza preventive masks made and distributed, the local Red Cross chapter calls for volunteers to help make a new supply. Several hundred women are wanted at once, as the present force is wholly inadequate to cope with the emergency. The Red Cross headquarters is at 315 University st.

## Far and Near News by Telegraph and Telephone

**BELLINGHAM**—Following a long illness, L. H. Baldy, pioneer and leading business man of this city, died Friday afternoon at his home.

**State Chairman Samuel A. Walker** of the republican central committee is conferring Saturday with Congressman Lindsey H. Hadley, second congressional district, who has arrived from Washington, D. C., to meet party leaders.

**Lieut. William A. Hausman**, former Seattle boy, has been appointed aviation instructor at Kelly field, Texas, according to word received by his mother, Mrs. Emma A. Hausman, of 6212 Greenwood ave. Young Hausman, who is but 29 years old, is the youngest aviator instructor in the United States. He is a graduate of Broadway high school.

**For the purpose of formally organizing the United Lutheran church in America**, representatives of more than three-quarters of a million of confirmed Lutherans will meet in New York Thursday, November 14.

**TACOMA**—Lieut. Royal Mingins, who left here with the 31st division, has been severely wounded, according to word received by his sister, supper and five ushers for the fire-side hour are needed. Candidates for these positions must qualify.

**SEDRÖ-WOOLLEY**—A warrant charging Dr. Montgomery, of Seattle, with practicing without a license has been issued. Sheriff Stevenson is looking for the doctor, who came here recently to act as assistant to Dr. James A. Ghent.

**Sgt. S. C. Rider** has been found not guilty in London on a charge of shooting a bank clerk, who, evidence showed, tried to alienate the affections of the soldier's wife while he was on duty.

## Orders Munitions Men to Speed Up

**BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Oct. 26.**—Maj. B. A. Franklin, U. S. A., production manager of the Bridgeport district, issued a statement to the munitions manufacturers of Connecticut and Western Massachusetts here Friday, to the effect that government contracts were not properly fulfilled. He attributed this lack of efficiency to a feeling that peace is near.

## SHOP EARLY

Why don't YOU ALL start off at once And Christmas shop in these two months? You'll help the war—avoid the crush. Preventing that December rush.

**This Day in the War**  
OCT. 26, 1917.—Austro-Germans on Germany.  
OCT. 26, 1918.—Germans launch violent attacks on Verdun works.  
OCT. 26—1918.—Serbs almost entirely out of Serbia.  
OCT. 26, 1914.—Great battle in progress in Russian Poland.

## FIRE AT POWER STATION STOPS TRACTION CARS

Fire which swept thru the power substation of the Puget Sound Traction, Light & Power Co. at Seventh and Jefferson, between 5 and 7:30 a. m. Saturday, tied up every line of the traction company for 45 minutes.

Officials of the company estimated Saturday noon that the damage to the power station would run into the hundreds of thousands of dollars.

The outbreak of flame which marked the start of the conflagration is believed to have resulted from an explosion of oil gas. Nothing but the shell of the building and twisted machinery now remains of the structure which was one of the most important in the power distributing system of the traction company.

L. P. Heath, 8121 Eighth ave., was the only one in the building at the time of the outbreak. He was thrown on his face on the floor, but escaped uninjured thru a sea of flame by almost a miracle. His hair and clothes were singed.

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**Hold Service in Home, Is Advice**  
Altho health authorities have been forced to forbid congregational worship, in the opinion of Rev. C. R. Gale, superintendent of the Seattle Congregational Church Extension society, there is no reason why those at home cannot carry on a brief devotional service Sunday mornings.

As a guide, he suggests the following order of service: Piano or Victrola prelude—Some favorite piece.

A hymn that you all like to sing, such as "America."  
Scripture lesson—Matt. xxv, 31-46 read by mother.

Prayer.  
Hymn—"What a Friend We Have in Jesus."  
Sermon—Read by the father.

Offering—To be taken by one of the children for some charitable object.  
Another hymn—Such as "Faith of Our Fathers."  
Benediction—Num. vi, 24-26, to be read in unison.  
Piano or Victrola postlude.  
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## REICHSTAG IS DISTURBED BY FREEDOM TALK

By United Press Leased Wire Direct to The Star

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—Turbulent scenes were being enacted in the reichstag this week when Polish, Danish and Alsatian deputies are demanding freedom from Prussianism, according to diplomatic cables.

Taking the cue from the outspoken Czechs and Jugoslavs of Austria, the oppressed peoples of Germany are joining in a campaign against the domination of the central empire. Violent speeches are being made in both the reichstag and the reichsrath, cables declare.

Deputy Stoybel, a Pole, claimed the right of Prussian Poland to independence.

"The German formula that everywhere the German stake is struck is German ground must be put aside," he said.

"Wilson is humanity's benefactor and is moved by the strongest feeling of justice which lies in men's hearts. German rule has not been so administered as to allow the Poles to live there in comfort."

Deputy Hanson, a Dane, said the northern Schleswig question should be settled according to the wishes of the Danish people there.

Deputy Ricken, Alsatian, created the greatest sensation, the cables declared. Speaking for the Alsatian deputies, he said:

"Alsace-Lorraine deputies consider that the chance of obtaining for their country complete autonomy has, owing to the course of events, become insufficient."

## REORGANIZING ALL SIBERIA

By JES. SHAPLEIN  
U. S. Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—Reorganization of the whole of Siberia, the upper Volga region and North Russia, all of which are now ruled by the republicans, is proceeding rapidly, cables received by the Russian embassy indicated today.

The all-Russian government recently formed at Ufa, has transferred its seat to Omsk, where it is availing itself of the governmental machinery put at its disposal by the Siberian government. The various ministries of the Siberian government have been transformed into ministries of the all-Russian administration, thus solving the very difficult question of organization of departments.

They exercise undisputed authority over all the regions freed from Bolshevik rule.

The most encouraging news received by the embassy from the all-Russian government is the successful organization and training of the new Russian army.

## Camp Lewis Major Revolver Victim; Son of General

TACOMA, Oct. 26.—Officers at Camp Lewis expressed great regret today over the death of Maj. Alexander P. Cronkhite, who accidentally shot himself thru the heart while at target practice yesterday. Death came almost immediately after the bullet from an automatic pistol entered his breast.

The major, who was a son of Maj. Gen. A. Cronkhite, commander of the 8th division, in France, came here October 9, from Camp Forrest, Ga., with the 21st engineers. He graduated from West Point in 1915, and had won rapid promotions while serving as an instructor in the four officers' training camps. He was 24 years old. His mother lives in Washington, D. C.

## Probably Will Not Complete Liberty Yards at Alameda

OAKLAND, Cal., Oct. 26.—Resumption of work on the Liberty shipyards at Alameda is not likely, said Rear Admiral H. H. Rousseau, U. S. N., who is here today on an inspection trip. Work on the shipyards, which were designed to build army transports, was stopped several days ago when the government had spent \$2,500,000.

Seattle is the first city to conduct a drive for more homes for its workers, according to an editorial in the American Lumberman, in its Oct. 19 issue of the magazine.

## MILLION SLAVES ARE TOILING FOR GERMANS

BY A. E. GELDHOF  
(War Editor of the N. E. A.)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—Here are the A-B-Cs of the war situation today, as I get them from an army officer high in allied councils:

**A**—The Hohenzollerns will not now abdicate or be overthrown, and the German states will not submit to democratization. They will fight till they are crushed.

**B**—The German withdrawal from Belgium and Northern France is in accord with German plans, and the "peace" offers are mere camouflage to conceal their military purposes.

**C**—Germany means to wage a defensive war behind the Rhine, and in the spring her forces will reach this line, which a million Russian prisoners and thousands of French and Belgian forced laborers have prepared.

**D**—The Rhine front is well nigh impregnable, not only because the forts are strong, but also because of the immense number of troops concentrated on a short defensive line.

**E**—Therefore, the war must be won by striking Germany at the rear, thru Austria and the Balkans. The collapse of Germany, and real surrender, not a fake peace offer, will follow.

**Expect New Offers**  
There will be further "peace" feelers from Germany, this officer believes, but they will be camouflage, like the last; the real purpose is to conceal the German plans from the allies.

Even under conditions of an armistice, it would take at least two months for the 3,000,000 men in the German army to evacuate France and Belgium.

As this allied officer points out, it would require more than four months to move 3,000,000 men. Each train would carry about 1,000 Germans could operate a train every hour, that would mean moving 24 trains and 24,000 men a day. It's easy to figure at that rate that it would require more than four months to move 3,000,000 men. But there are more than one railroad the Huns could use; there are at least three. If we assume that they can move 24 trains a day over these three roads, that permits them to move 72,000 men a day. At that rate it would take a month and a half to move the German army out of Belgium, and another month and a half to move its guns and supplies.

These figures would hold under an armistice, when there would be no British, French and Americans interfering.

How much longer will it take them with Foch hammering everywhere at their rear? It would seem that their retreat will extend well into the new year, and there always is the possibility that Foch, by a surprise attack, may wreck their plans by cutting off the retreat of many thousands of their men.

## DR. E. J. BROWN TALKS TO SHIPYARD MEN

Edwin J. Brown, democratic candidate for prosecuting attorney of King county, spent his day Friday campaigning in Ballard, meeting his old friends and supporters.

At the Allen shipyards, where Brown made the Liberty day address last spring, he said: "Can any one give a good and valid reason why the office of prosecuting attorney should not be organized as a nonpartisan office to correspond with our nonpartisan judiciary?"

The county attorney's office is the legal department of all the people of King county, and adviser of all county officials. The prosecuting attorney has authority to issue warrants and file complaints for violators of the law; he can refuse to issue warrants, and he can ignore crime and graft and lawlessness; he can persecute his enemies, and smile when his friends and cronies violate the law; he can hinder or help our city and national administration in law enforcement. I will join hands with the city and national government and do all within my power to aid in the maintaining of a government of just and equal law.

**Victory Assured**  
"As I told you on Liberty day, we, the people, are building ships to win the war, but today there is no question about who will win the war. That question is settled by the American people, but who is going to own the ships the people have built and are building, is a grave question for serious consideration."

"If our government at Washington is sustained and the people by their vote sanction the diplomacy of our peerless leader and the world's foremost democrat, Woodrow Wilson, and a democratic victory is given on election day, the German people will compel the kaiser to surrender within ten days, as they will know in their hearts that we are a united people for democracy, but if the interests who want to own our ships privately and who are now speaking to the American people thru their mouthpieces, because they want to retain the private ownership of all ships and other institutions, are successful, the profiteers will control, and our men, now fully employed, law-abiding and happy, will be out of work, miserable and compelled to commit crime in order to live. Let us keep our building ships democratically, and own and operate them collectively for use to the world, and not in the interest of the profiteers."

Brown also spoke to the men as they came from Meacham & Babcock's and the Sandstrom Shipping company's office card and assured them that there will be many applications for positions in the shipyards by men who are now selling booze, if he is elected.

## Jail Chorus Girls

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 26.—Two chorus girls and a chorus man, stricken by the influenza epidemic, today occupy free rooms in the county jail.

The girls—Gladys Valles and Mildred Fitz-Henry—are charged with robbing Mike Markich of \$1,000 worth of postal savings certificates. Steve Vallan is charged with failing to register.

The girls admitted taking Markich's suitcase from a room adjoining theirs in a hotel and cutting it open. They said they did it to get money to send Vallan to San Francisco.

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