

## SCARLET FEVER IN VICINITY

**RULES AND REGULATIONS SENT TO ALL PHYSICIANS**

Inspector for State Board of Health Visits This City and Says Law Must be Enforced

About two months ago scarlet fever was brought into this community and several cases have developed near this city.

It is reported a family living about two miles from the city were down with the fever and never were quarantined at all. No more deadly disease than scarlet fever could be introduced into any community, nor is there any disease which is spread with such ease, nor is there any disease in which the after effects are as liable to be serious.

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The State of Nebraska Health Department

Office of the State Board of Health, Lincoln, Nebraska.—By authority of the provisions of Section 6, Article 7, Chapter 55, Revised Statutes of Nebraska, 1903, hereinafter given, the Nebraska State Board of Health has adopted, and caused to be published, the following rules for the restriction, prevention, quarantine, disinfection, and regulation of contagious, infectious and epidemic diseases. Obedience and enforcement of these rules is required of all local boards of health in accordance with Sections 6 and 8, Article 7, Chapter 55, Revised Statutes of Nebraska 1903, which sections are as follows:

Sec. 9.—The State Board of Health shall have supervision and control of all matters relating to the protection of the people of this state from contagious, infectious and epidemic diseases; and it shall be the duty of said board to formulate, adopt and publish such proper and reasonable general rules and regulations as will best prevent the introduction or spread of any such diseases. In addition to such general and standing rules and regulations, in cases of emergency wherein the health of the people of the entire state or of any locality therein shall be menaced by or exposed to any such contagious, infectious or epidemic disease, or when a local board of health having jurisdiction to a particular locality shall fail or refuse to act with sufficient promptitude and efficiency in such emergency; or in localities wherein no local board of health shall have been established as provided by law, it shall be the duty of the board to adopt and enforce such special quarantine and sanitary regulations as the occasion and the protection of the public health may require; and all necessary expenses incurred in the enforcement of such rules and regulations shall be paid by the city, village or county for and within which the same shall have been incurred. It shall be the duty of all local, municipal and county boards of health, health authorities and officials, officers of state institutions, police officers, sheriffs, constables, and all other officers and employees of the state, or of any county, city, village or township thereof, and every person to obey and enforce such quarantine and sanitary rules and regulations as may be adopted by the State Board of Health; and each and every person or officer specified in this section, who shall fail, neglect, or refuse, to obey or enforce such rules or regulations shall, upon conviction for each and every such offense, be subject to a fine of not less than fifteen (\$15.00) dollars.

Sec. 8.—It shall be the duty of all boards of health now in existence, or that may hereafter be created, and of physicians in localities where there are no health authorities, or where such health authorities fail to act, to report to the State Board of Health the existence of any one of the following diseases, viz.: Asiatic Cholera, yellow fever, smallpox, scarlet fever, diphtheria, typhus and typhoid fever and such other contagious and infectious diseases as the State Board of Health may from time to time specify and each and every member of such board of health, or other officer or physician who, knowing of the existence of any such disease, shall fail promptly to report the same in accordance with the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not less than \$10 nor more than \$100 for each and every such offense.

E. J. G. Sward, M. D., Sec.  
W. T. Johnson, M. D. Pres.

Rule 1.—Contagious Diseases. It shall be the duty of every physician residing or practicing within the limits of any city, town or township who suspects an illness to Asiatic cholera, yellow fever, smallpox, (or varioloid), diphtheria, membranous croup, scarlet fever, scarlet rash or scarlatina, measles, typhus fever, Ophthalmia neonatorum, typhoid fever, cerebro spinal meningitis, leprosy, whooping cough, chickenpox, tuberculosis, puerperal fever, or any other disease contagious or dangerous to public health to immediately isolate the patient, and within twenty-four hours after he ascertains the illness to be of such disease named herein, he shall notify, by the most expedient method, the local Board of Health, of all the facts known to him, such notice to be followed by the filing of a notice in writing with the local Board of Health, giving the name of the patient, location, disease, source or cause. In all cases where no physician is in attendance, it shall be the duty of any per-

son having charge of, or being the head of any family, or having the care or custody of any lodging rooms, to give notice in like manner as is required of physicians.

Every school teacher or school officer who discovers, suspects, or has knowledge of a case of any of the diseases named herein shall immediately report the same to the local board of health; providing, in all the above where such local board of health is not organized, then such report shall be made to the state board of health in the manner hereinbefore prescribed.

Rule 2 DUTY OF LOCAL BOARD OF HEALTH. It shall be the duty of the local board of health, upon receipt of a notice of the existence of a case of any of the diseases named in Rule 1, to forthwith quarantine the premises, by giving personal or written notice of such quarantine to the occupants thereof and conspicuously placing a Danger Card thereon; and take such further measures as may be necessary and proper for the restriction and suppression of the disease; proper provisions shall also be made for the care of the sick.

Rule 3. It shall also be the duty of the Local Board of Health to investigate the causes, conditions and surroundings that may have caused such disease and during the prevalence of any such disease they shall make adequate report to the State Board of Health from time to time as to conditions, number of cases, and nature of such disease or diseases, and they shall call at any time for advice and assistance from the state board of health.

Rule 4.—During the existence of any quarantinable disease, in any family or household, or place, in any city, town, or township, and until after recovery of the sick and the disinfection of the premises where such disease shall have existed, no person residing in such household, family or place, shall be permitted to enter or leave the premises without a permit in writing from the local board of health showing a thorough disinfection, of the person, clothing and premises.

Rule 5.—If any person shall wilfully or maliciously remove or deface or cause to be removed or defaced any Danger Card upon any quarantined premises, or shall in any manner interfere with or break an established quarantine by entering or leaving such quarantined premises, or removed any article, clothing, or any other material, liable to be infected, without a permit from the local Board of Health and proper disinfection, shall be subject to prosecution and fine as provided by the Statutes of the State of Nebraska in such cases made and provided.

QUARANTINE

RULE 6. Quarantine shall be deemed to be:

First. The serving of a notice upon the family and occupants of the premises, and the placing upon a conspicuous place on the premises or buildings where such disease exists, a cloth or card not less than 18 inches square, having printed thereon in large letters the word "QUARANTINE," the name of the disease, or diseases, and the words "NO ONE SHALL BE PERMITTED TO ENTER OR LEAVE THESE PREMISES EXCEPT BY PERMIT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH."

Second. H.—The Complete exclusion of all other persons from the sick room except the nurses and attending physician; that the nurse shall be restrained from going to and from the premises, or mingling with the family or occupants of the premises; that all well persons shall be prevented from contact with bedding, clothing, food, or other articles that have been used on or about the sick.

When from necessity the parents or family are nurses, the isolation and quarantine applies in like manner to them.

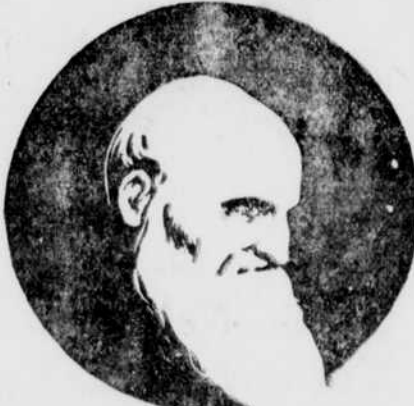
Third. Quarantine to cease only with disinfection according to the rules of the State Board of Health, under the direction of the Local Board or its representative as hereinafter provided and after certificate of full recovery from the attending physician.

Fourth. The physician to use due precaution during the exposure or disinfection upon retiring from such premises. The nurse, when no longer required, to withdraw under permit of Local Board of Health and proper disinfection of person and clothing. Any patient upon recovery to do the same.

Sixth. Quarantine shall be maintained in each and every case for the period named herein, to-wit:

Scarlet Fever, Scarlatina or Scarlet Rash, Thirty Five days, or until disinfection is complete.  
Diphtheria, Membranous Croup, Thirty Five days, Small Pox, Forty days, or until disinfection is complete.  
Asiatic Cholera, Twenty-one days

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## INTO THE PRIMITIVE

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a sharp lookout both above and below. He saw no game other than a few small birds and a pair of blue wood-pigeons. When he sought to creep up on the latter, they flew into the next tree. In following them, he came upon a conical mound of hard clay, nearly four feet high.

"Hello; this must be one of those white ant-hills," he said, and he gave the mound a kick.

Instantly a tiny object whirred up and struck him in the face.

"Who?" he exclaimed, springing back and striking out. "A hornet! No; it's a bee!"

"Did it sting you?" cried Miss Leslie.

"Sting? Keep back; there's a lot more of 'em. Sting? Oh, no; he only hypodermicked me with a red-hot darning needle! Shy around here. There's a whole swarm of the little devils, and they're hopping mad. Hear 'em buzz!"

"But where is their hive?" asked Winthrop, as all three drew back behind the nearest bushes.

"Guess they've borrowed that ant-hill," replied Blake, gingerly fingering the white lump which marked the spot where the bee had struck him.

"Wouldn't it be delightful if we had some honey?" exclaimed Miss Leslie. "By Jove, that really wouldn't be half bad!" chimed in Winthrop.

"Maybe we can, Miss Jenny; only we'll need a fire to tackle those buzzers. Guess it'll be as well to let them cool off a bit also. The cocoanuts are only a little way ahead now. Here; give me the pot."

They soon came to a small grove of cocoanut palms, where Blake threw down his club and bow and handed his burning-glass to Miss Leslie.

"Here," he said; "you and Win start a fire. It's early yet, but I'm thinking we'll all be ready enough for oyster stew."

"How about the meat?" asked Miss Leslie.

"Keep that till later. Here goes for our dessert."

Selecting one of the smaller palms, Blake spat on his hands, and began to climb the slender trunk. Aided by previous experiences, he mounted steadily to the top. The descent was made with even more care and steadiness, for he did not wish to tear the skin from his hands again.

"Now, Win," he said, as he neared the bottom and sprang down, "leave the cooking to Miss Leslie, and hush some of those nuts. You won't more'n have time to do it before the stew is ready."

Winthrop's response was to draw out his penknife. Blake stretched himself at ease in the shade, but kept a critical eye on his companions. Although Winthrop's fingers trembled with weakness, he worked with a precision and rapidity that drew a grunt of approval from Blake. Presently Miss Leslie, who had been stirring the stew with a twig, threw in a little salt, and drew the pot from the fire.

"En avant, gentlemen! Dinner is served," she called gayly.

"What's that?" demanded Blake.

"Oh; sure. Hold on, Miss Jenny. You'll dump it all."

He wrapped a wisp of grass about the pot, and filled the three cocoanut bowls. The stew was boiling hot; but they fished up the oysters with the bamboo forks that Blake had carved some days since. By the time the oysters were eaten, the liquor in the bowl was cool enough to drink. The process was repeated until the pot had been emptied of its contents.

"Say, but that was something like," murmured Blake. "If only we'd had pretzels and beer to go with it! But these nuts won't be bad."

When they finished the cocoanuts, Winthrop asked for a drink of water.

"Would it not be best to keep it until later?" replied Miss Leslie.

"Sure," put in Blake. "We've had enough liquid refreshments to do any one. If I don't look out, you'll both be drinking river water. Just bear in mind the work I'd have to carve a pair of gravestones. No; that flask has got to do you till we get home. I don't shin up any more telegraph poles to-day."

"Would it not be best for Mr. Winthrop to rest during the noon hours?"

"Fraid not, Miss Jenny. We're not on 'either side of Jordan yet, and there's no rest for the weary this side."

"What odd expressions you use, Mr. Blake!"

"Just giving you the reverse application of one of those songs they jolly us with in the mission churches—"

"I'm sure, Mr. Blake—"

"Me, too, Miss Jenny! So, as that's settled, we'll be moving. Chuck some live coals in the pot, and come on."

take possession of the pot. But Miss Leslie pushed him aside, and wrapping all in the antelope skin, slung it upon her back.

"The brute!" exclaimed Winthrop. "To leave such a load for you, when he knew that I can do so little!"

The girl met his outburst with a brave attempt at a smile. "Please try to look at the bright side, Mr. Winthrop. Really, I believe he thinks it is best for us to exert ourselves."

"He has other opinions with which we of the cultured class would hardly agree, Miss Leslie. Consider his command that we shall go thirsty until he permits us to return to the cliffs. The man's impertinence is intolerable. I shall go to the river and drink when I choose."

"Oh, but the danger of malaria!"

"Nonsense. Malaria, like yellow fever, comes only from the bite of certain species of mosquitoes. If we have the fever, it will be entirely his fault. We have been bitten repeatedly this morning, and all because he must compel us to come with him to this infected lowland."

"Still, I think we should do what Mr. Blake says."

"My dear Miss Genevieve, for your sake I will endeavor not to break with the fellow. Only, you know, it is deemed hard to keep one's temper when one considers what a boulder—what an unmitigated cad—"

"Stop! I will not listen to another word!" exclaimed the girl, and she hurried after Blake, leaving Winthrop staring in astonishment.

"My word!" he muttered; "can it be, after all I've done—and him, of all the low fellows—"

He stood for several moments in deep thought. The look on his sallow face was far from pleasant.

Continued next week.

### MARKET LETTER

From Our Regular Kansas City Stock Yard Correspondent

Kansas City Stock Yards, Feb. 15. The run of cattle was moderate last week, less than 40,000 head here, making the third week in succession of light receipts here, and at all the markets, yet there was no visible improvement in the tone of the beef cattle market. Buyers have persisted in fighting the market in the face of moderate supplies, and the advance secured early last week was slowly dissipated, and the week closed a shade lower on steers, about steady on butcher stuff. Stockers and feeders were draggy all week, owing to the bad weather and slack outside demand account thereof. The supply today is 6500 head, held down by another general storm throughout the west, and the famine conditions are forcing recognition to a certain extent, although buyers assume indifference, and the advance today is no more than 10 to 15 cents in any case. Price steers are absent today, some fairly good steers at \$6.25 this morning, bulk of fed steers quotable at \$5.25 to \$6.15, tops around \$6.00, top cows bring \$5.25, and best heifers \$5.75, bulls \$3 to \$4.80, calves \$3.50 to \$6.50, stockers mainly at \$4 to \$5, feeders \$4.50 to \$5.25. Shipments to the country last week aggregated 340 car loads, about the same as during previous week, but there was less call for expensive fleshy feeders than heretofore.

The hog market is holding up well, although packers occasionally get in a good day, such as last Saturday, when a two day's supply on sale at Chicago furnished the excuse to hammer the market. Run here was 78,000 head last week and the net loss was 11 cents per cwt., just about representing the loss of Saturday. Supply is 7000 head here today, market 10 higher, top \$6.50, medium weight hogs at \$6.15 to \$6.45, lights \$5.80 to \$6.25, pigs \$4.50 to \$5.50. It is currently reported that a spirit of economy is abroad in the land, but in such times pork gets more support that it loses as pork can be on a high level, and still be cheaper than other meats, because it goes farther. Astute dealers figure, therefore, that the tendency of hog prices will be upward.

Although the sheep and lamb trade lacks life, and is more or less a draggy affair, prices are higher than a week ago. Run last week was 35,000 head, supply today 8000 head. Lambs are weaker today, and have been the weakest spot in the market for ten days, being in heavier supply proportionately than yearlings or sheep. Lambs sold today at \$7 to \$7.35, light yearlings up to \$7.10, heavy yearlings \$6.10, wethers worth \$5 to \$5.60, ewes \$4.35 to \$5.

## Millinery Announcements!

OWING to unforeseen circumstances I have been forced to continue in business, and take this opportunity to announce to my patrons that I will be pleased to see them again this coming season at the same old stand. I am now in Chicago and St. Louis markets from where I will soon return with a fine, first-class, up-to-date stock of Spring Millinery, including a beautiful line of Pattern Hats. We promise a better showing than ever before.

## Helen Brebeck

## Horses and Mules WANTED

I will buy any kind of a horse, from 4 to 20 years old, if they are fat and in good condition and broke to work. I will pay more for good horses and mules than anyone. I will be in Falls City, at Chapman's feed barn, on

### Friday and Sat., Feb. 26-27

and at Salem Thursday, Feb. 25. Don't fail to see me as I am coming to BUY. I bought 51 head at Mound City last Saturday. If you have any kind of a horse to sell bring it in. Tell your neighbors.

## W. T. STINSON

Richmond, Virginia

## PUBLIC SALE!

I will sell at Public Sale at my farm, 1 mile due north of Falls City, on

### Monday, Feb. 22, 1909

Commencing at 10 A. M., the following described property to-wit:

#### 22 Head Horses and Mules 22

Ten Mules, all coming 3-year olds: Six Mare Mules and Four Horse Mules.

1 pair roan horses, coming 4 and 5 year olds, wt. 2600.  
2 unbroke mares, 5 and 7 yrs old.  
1 bay mare, coming 2 yrs. old.  
1 child's pony, 7 yrs. old.

2 brood mares, coming 12-yr olds, wt. 2500.  
1 brown horse, coming 5 yr. old, wt. 1200.  
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TERMS OF SALE—Sums of \$10 and under, cash; sums over \$10 a credit of 9 months will be given without interest if paid when due. If not paid when due, 8 per cent from date; 4 per cent off for cash. No goods to be removed until settled for.

C. H. MARION, Auct.  
N. B. JUDD, Clerk.

## JOHN R. JONES

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