

HELP FOR CUMBERLAND

Maryland Health Specials—Federal Aid Expended.

SITUATION NOT ANY BETTER

Death Toll At Lumbering Camps Heavy. Not In Lighter At Keyport—Banker's Son Dead.

Cumberland, Md., Oct. 11.—There are little signs of a let-up in the influenza epidemic locally and at Leesport, but at Keyport the death rate has greatly decreased.

The Maryland Health Special arrived in the afternoon over the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad and is parked at the rolling mill yard. A United States Health Special is now en route, and the Western Maryland Railway officials have arranged to transport sanitary and light connections and have other arrangements to make for the traffic, which are fully equipped hospitals, and to remain in Cumberland until the epidemic has subsided. The carry work, the state and the federal in Cumberland and adjoining territory will be an extensive one.

More than 4,000 cases have been reported under the order of physicians, while there are hundreds for which no doctor has been called.

The Board of Health has extended the order that all stores must close at 8 o'clock each evening until further notice. This order covers groceries and dry goods stores, soda fountains, cigar stores, drug stores and eating places only, and has been strictly enforced.

The Health Secretary of the Board of Health, has been making a tour for women to volunteer to assist in homes where there are cases of influenza, and in the hospitals of nurses. There is urgent need for this.

Naval Officer Offers to Help

Lieut. John H. Littlefield, United States Naval Medical Corps, has on a three-day furlough pending transfer from Hampton Roads to Washington, has asked permission to remain here at least 10 days to help in the fight against the disease.

George Vane, of the Young Construction Company, sent word that he would furnish men for grave digging or any other purpose.

Representative Frederick N. Zihlman, who came here several days ago, is sick with influenza at the home of his brother-in-law, Dr. M. E. Owen, in the city.

Dr. M. E. Owen, a physician in the city, is in a critical condition from pneumonia, at the Western Maryland Hospital.

According to figures from the local Fuel Administration office there was a slump of 15,000 tons in the coal production of the Georges Creek region last week. It is believed that the week's Upper Potomac field was not much affected.

Misses Dead: Wife 111.
Floyd W. Giles, 38, on of the owners of the Star Dry Works, died last night. He was a candidate for city commissioner.

Mrs. L. O. Owen, wife of Dr. M. E. Owen, who was Miss Tillie Hage, is critically ill with pneumonia, with little hope of recovery.

Dr. Giles' two children are recovering from influenza. William W. Giles, for 50 years a supervisor at the interests now controlled by the Union Tanning Company, who died a few months ago, was prominent in the Knights of Columbus and other Catholic societies.

Mrs. Rosa Cowden, wife of Peter Cowden, former of Leesport and Ohio, in the real estate and insurance business, and former chairman of the Republican County Committee, died early today. She was 66 years old, and also leaves two sons. Her father is J. L. Poling, a merchant.

Other deaths include Mrs. Ida Harrison, 40, wife of Edger J. Harrison, a farmer; Mrs. Maggie Horlacher, wife of John Horlacher, John Kidloch, formerly foreman of the Western Maryland Railway storehouse, who died at Leesport; a member of the Cumberland police force, whose home is in Staunton, Va.; Mrs. Louisa Hays, wife of Dr. William G. Damm; C. H. Riddle, a carpenter at Riddleys, whose home is at Timberville, Va.; and George W. Snyder, 42, foreman of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad road tool shop and a prominent Mason.

Washington Physicians Victim

Dr. Lawrence J. Simonson, a native of Washington, D. C., died at Centreville, 1 1/2 miles north of Cumberland, last night. He was 38 years old. He graduated from the George Washington University in 1906, and practiced in Montgomery county, later at Patterson Creek, V. Va., and then in Cumberland, later being on medical jurisprudence. He was twice married and is survived by a second wife, who was a Miss Kilkour, of Montgomery county, and one child.

Heavy Toll At Lumbering Camp

Leesport, Md., Oct. 11.—The influenza death toll continues unusually heavy here. The entire force of the only garage has been stricken and doctors have been handicapped in not being able to get repairs for their cars. They are obliged to have the repairs made at an out-of-town garage.

Among those who died were John "Shon" Brown, a baseball player; Ralph Brown, 25, Archibald Cameron, 35, John Ferrens, 47, William H. Hines, 25, Midland, who is survived by a widow and eight children; Mrs. Ethel Moses, 18, wife of James W. Moses, an army sergeant; Alexander Thayer Green, 15, son of William Green; James Gray, 35; Irene Lyden, 18, daughter of Michael Lyden, an electrician, 30.

Lieut. Richard C. Beach, a physician, Frostburg, Md., Oct. 11.—First lieutenant Richard F. Beach, 25, son of Ohio, son of the late Major General William H. Beach, of the United States Army, died at Camp Humphreys, Va., from pneumonia.

Lebanon, Md., Oct. 11.—First lieutenant Beach, residing at Boies, Va., is survived by a widow and two children; and also by a sister, Miss Susan Beach, and a brother, "Beck" Beach, who is connected with the Ordnance Department, Washington, and John Barton, Md.

HIS AMBULANCE CORPS CITED

Hagerstown Youth Women...

Is It Possible To Believe It?

There are 1,890,000 people, of all ages, in Virginia who did not buy a bond of the second or third Liberty Loan.

There are 2,282,000 in North Carolina!

There are 1,369,000 in South Carolina.

There are 1,065,000 in West Virginia (in the 5th district);

There are 1,105,000 in Maryland.

This, too, is upon the assumption—on the side of liberality—that none of the people who subscribed to the second loan subscribed to the third. This we know, of course, is not the case.

What can these people who are able to buy say in extenuation? How can they ever look a returned soldier boy in the eye? What will be their relation to those who have done their part when we show an honor roll of deeds done after the war?

Following is the cable reply of General Pershing to the governor of the New York Reserve Bank on the occasion of the General's birthday:

"I am very greatly touched by your felicitations upon the occasion of my anniversary, and I thank you sincerely.

"The fourth Liberty Loan will be a magnificent success if your fellow-citizens put into the subscriptions the same spirit that your soldiers put into battle."

Can the people fail to put the "soldiers' spirit" into the loan?

LIBERTY LOAN ORGANIZATION, Fifth Federal Reserve District.

to the Allegany Hospital. She suffered from Spanish influenza.

News Told In Brief Paragraphs

Hancock.—The pupils of Miss Bowen's school here collected seven bushels of peach seeds in the drive here for material for carbon for the gas masks.

Hagerstown.—Capt. Arthur Rowland of the heavy artillery, United States Army, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Rowland, this city, has been made a major. He is 80 years old.

Hagerstown.—Frank Hughes, this city, a Western Maryland Railway conductor, is dangerously ill in a Harriburg hospital. He was found unconscious in the caboose of his train in the Harriburg yards.

Cumberland.—Lieutenant John R. Littlefield, this city, who is connected with the United States Navy Medical Corps, has been transferred from Hampton Roads to Washington.

Cumberland.—A call for 21 white men who are qualified for general military service has been issued by the War Draft Board. They are Captain W. H. Fort Washington, Md., between October 21 and 25.

Clarksburg. W. Va.—Clarksburg Council, No. 28, United Commercial Travelers, has set \$100,000 as its goal in the campaign for the third Liberty Loan. The Travelers had waited until all other agencies had done their best and the already-cleared ground and sold \$65,000 worth of bonds on the streets here.

Parkersburg. W. Va.—The Rev. Dudley Boogher, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Parkersburg, has accepted a call to Trinity Episcopalian Church, Martinsburg, W. Va., and will take up his new duties December 1. He has been rector here six years.

Huntington. W. Va.—The influenza epidemic has caused the annual meeting of the West Virginia State Medical Association to be indefinitely postponed. The meeting place of the executive board, October 16, has been changed from Huntington to Parkersburg.

Hancock.—The Hancock Community Show, and patriotic street fair scheduled to be held Saturday has been cancelled on account of the influenza epidemic.

WEDDINGS

Grafton. W. Va.—Announcement has just been made of the marriage on September 8 at Oakland, Md., of James Anderson and Mrs. Edna Messenger, both of this city. The Rev. A. D. Apperson of the Episcopal Church, performed the ceremony. The bride is a daughter of W. J. Mills, chief of police, Akron, O., and a niece of Bishop Mills of the United Brethren Church.

Lynchburg. Va.—Miss Lora Brown and William Fields, both of Lynchburg, were married Tuesday night at the home of the officiating minister, Dr. Jobb H. Hays, of this city. The bride and groom are in training at Camp Lee. Mrs. Fields will continue to reside at her home here until her husband returns from the war.

DEATHS

Cumberland.—Aunt Y. Wilson, Baltimore and Ohio mailman, 24 years old, died Wednesday afternoon at Allegany Hospital from pneumonia. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wilson, Sr., and is survived by a widow and two children.

Cumberland.—Private Harry Milton Sullivan, aged 30, died Tuesday at Hyrquan, N. Y., where he was connected with the United States Army recruiting station. Death was due to influenza. He is survived by a widow, Mrs. Rena I. Sullivan, who has been living with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. McJuckie, Grove Hill dairy, Baltimore pike, since her husband entered the army.

Harry Mann, of the United States Army, in France; Joseph and Oliver Mann, Mrs. Catherine Hetrick, Mrs. Carrie Dodson. He was a brother of Job Mann.

Martinsburg. W. Va.—Edmund Pennington, 32, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Abell, of Blair, Md., died Thursday of influenza at the home of his wife, Mrs. M. N. Myers, at this city. He is survived by a widow, the only daughter of Doctor and Mrs. Myers to whom he was married Wednesday evening while on his sick bed. His parents were sisters, Mrs. John L. Lee, of Williamsport, and Mrs. Murray Myers, of Blair, Md., and one brother, John Hunt, who went to France with the Johns Hopkins Hospital unit.

Friedersburg. Va.—Clifton Butler, fatally ill, died here Wednesday at the home of his brother, A. M. Hatfield. He is survived by a widow, one child, a daughter, Mrs. L. C. Hatfield, of Piedmont, and four brothers, E. A. and A. M. Hatfield, of Friedersburg; G. H. Hatfield, United States Navy; H. H. Hatfield, of Leesport; two sisters, Mrs. E. C. Powell, Washington, and Miss Mildred Hatfield, West Virginia.

Charlottesville. Va.—Miss Opal MacBrea, aged 24, died Wednesday of pneumonia, following an attack of influenza. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Breaugh, and several aunts.

Charlottesville.—H. M. McManaway, county superintendent of schools, received a telegram Thursday announcing his death from pneumonia, at Columbus, Arkansas. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. McManaway, and several children.

Columbus.—Michael Krupp, 40 years old, died Tuesday of pneumonia. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary Krupp, and 10 children. He was a native of Austria-Hungary, but had lived in America for many years.

Clearspring.—Nathaniel A. Hollinger, a native of Clearspring and for many years a resident of this place, died of pneumonia Tuesday night near Clearspring to which place he removed recently. He was formerly a member of the firm of Dennis & Hollinger, road contractors.

Hagerstown.—Mrs. Howard K. Barr, 21, died here Thursday of pneumonia. Surviving are her husband, two children and one brother, George Slank, Guerrant, Pa.

Boonsboro.—William Preston East, 22, died suddenly here Thursday, of heart disease. Surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William F. East, and seven brothers and sisters.

Hagerstown.—Lloyd Stevenson, 21, son of William H. Stevenson, near Kingsfold, died of influenza Tuesday evening at the Midway Hotel, Coveville, Pa. Surviving are his father, and the following brothers and sisters: Wilbur H. Stevenson, United States Army, Washington; Dr. J. S. Stevenson, Waynesboro; Mrs. Maurice Newcomer, Herman Stevenson, Smithsburg, and Mrs. L. H. Maxwell, Coveville.

Hagerstown.—Private Edward J. Beater, 24, son of City Councilman Henry A. Beater, this city, died at Camp Meade Wednesday evening of pneumonia. Several weeks ago he went to camp with other draftees from Hagerstown. He was a member of the Lutheran church, and his father, Dr. Henry A. Beater, Jr., and Frederick G. Beater, and one sister, Miss Clara M. Beater.

Hagerstown.—Miss Bertina Carter, 43, died here Wednesday evening of pneumonia, following influenza. Surviving are her father, Francis B. Carter, and the following brothers and sisters: George L. Carter, Botto, Mount Airy; George L. Carter, Alton, Carter, Mt. Airy; and Vernon Carter, Hagerstown.

Hagerstown.—Harry Clayton Duffin, 28, died here Wednesday afternoon of pneumonia, following influenza. He was a member of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, Knights of Pythias and the Junior Order of American Mechanics. He is survived by a widow and four children.

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Lynchburg. Va.—Prof. S. W. Head, formerly of the faculty of Washington Academy, located near Lynchburg, died Thursday night in Hopewell, Va., of pneumonia. He was an experienced musician throughout his life. He is survived by a widow and two sons, H. W. Head, Jr., Texas, and G. M. Head, Hopewell.

Lynchburg. Va.—W. D. Chesley, traveling salesman of Philadelphia, died at the Lynchburg Hospital Wednesday night of pneumonia. He is survived by a widow and two children and the widow is said to be of the same family.

Lynchburg. Va.—Mrs. E. A. Heary, 39, died Wednesday at Hopewell, of influenza. She is survived by several young children. Her husband died several months ago.

Lynchburg. Va.—Miss Mary Ellen Beth Royalty, 23, of Amherst county, died Thursday of pneumonia. She is survived by her husband, Mr. Royalty, four sisters and a brother.

Lynchburg. Va.—William C. Williamson, 35 years of age, died here Wednesday night of influenza. He is survived by a widow and parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Williamson, Spring Mills, Va. Three brothers and a sister, Thomas Williamson, of the navy; Henry Williamson, and Miss Kate Williamson, Spring Mills.

Lynchburg. Va.—J. Otway Jennings, 41, a Hadwin-Petta detective, died here Wednesday night of pneumonia. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Jennings, and two sisters, Mrs. Ross A. Akers, Richmond, and Mrs. E. M. Wood, Lynchburg.

Lynchburg. Va.—Mrs. Mae C. Burnett, 39, wife of J. G. Burnett, died here Thursday of influenza. She is survived by her husband and two small children.

Lynchburg. Va.—John Terrell Scott, 28, resident engineer of the State Highway Association, with headquarters in the City Forge, died here early Thursday of pneumonia following influenza. He was a graduate of Virginia Military Institute and is survived by his mother, Mrs. Kate Guy Scott, two brothers, Charles Scott, Jr., of Chattanooga, Tenn., and Major Richard C. Scott, Fort Sill, Okla., and a sister, Mrs. Edward Grace, of Chattanooga.

Keyser. W. Va.—Mrs. Katherine Frances Connell, wife of C. Lee Connell, died Thursday at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Julia Moorey, with whom the Connell family resided. Mrs. Connell was 30 years old. Her death was due to pneumonia. Her husband is a former president of Cumberland and is connected with the Carroll-Pattison Coal Company. She is also survived by one daughter, Julia Agra, 2 years old, and a grandson-in-law of the Rev. James E. Conner, pastor of St. Peter's Catholic Church in Maryland.

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Portrait of Mrs. Mary Tipton, mentioned in the text as being 34 years old.

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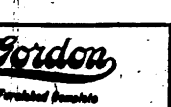
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