TYPHOID FEVER

HOW TO PREVENT ITS SPREAD

ISSUED BY THE

State Board of Health

OF MARYLAND.

When TYPHOID FEVER appears in a family the source of the infection must be looked for in drinking water or food taken within the preceding twenty days. The patient may not have been infected at home, but if a second case occurs this second infection will in all probability be traceable to the first patient. In a majority of instances the drinking water has become infected. Your first business, therefore, is to find out the quality of your drinking water.

You can do this by asking your local health officer for instruction about shipping us samples of your drinking water. *The daily supply of drinking water should be boiled.*

The infectious material of typhoid fever is produced in but one way. It grows always in the bowels and sometimes in the bladder. It, therefore, escapes from the sick person in the stools and urine as soon as they are passed, there can be no spread of typhoid fever. These discharges should, therefore, be disinfected as soon as possible. You will need a large quantity of a good disinfecting solution.

RECEIPT FOR A GOOD DISINFECTANT.

To four gallons of water add enough salt to make a strong brine. Put this in a five gallon demijohn or jug and add a quart of crude carbolic acid. Shake it up well and you will have a good disinfectant for stools and urine.

The crude carbolic acid, known as U. S. P. 90 per cent., is very good, and a quart will cost about 50 cents. There is a cheaper grade, known as a 36 per cent. acid, which is nearly as effective.

About a pint of this solution should be put in the chamber or bed pan before it is used, so that the discharges will begin to be disinfected as soon as they leave the body. There must always be at least as much of the disinfecting solution as there is of the discharges, so that more of the disinfecting solution may need to be added after the discharges are passed. If the stools are thin and watery their disinfection will be accomplished in half an hour or so, but if the stools are thick or formed very much more time will be required. On that account it is best to have a covered jar or bucket into which the bed pan can be emptied, and to empty this jar only once in 24 hours. If the discharges cannot be finally thrown into a sewer, they should be buried in the soil at a convenient spot where there is no chance of their fouling a water supply. The discharges should never be thrown upon the surface of the ground, for you will hardly be successful in killing all the typhoid bacilli, and you must not place them where those not killed by the acid may be blown about in the dust or carried away by flies to infect other people.

In spite of every precaution those who wait on the sick person will get their hands infected, and it is, therefore, necessary to wash the hands every time one does any service about the patient's bed or body. Whoever waits on the patient must not prepare food or drink for other persons in the house, or if it is impossible to mind this rule one must most carefully and thoroughly cleanse the hands before performing any household duty outside the sick room. Good scrubbing with soap, water and a brush, and then rinsing well in fresh water will suffice for cleansing the hands.

If anyone else in the house falls sick within two weeks after the first patient, the probability is that the infection was lodged before the precautions were taken in regard to drinking water and the disposal of discharges. But if the second case occurs more than 20 days after the first case that will signify that we have made a mistake somewhere in our precautions.

DR. GEO. H. JONES,
Secretary Local Board of Health of Kent Co.,
Galena, Md.
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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

The law is positive that persons must not leave trash in the ditches along the public roads. One-half of the washes on the roads are caused by farmer's leaving weeds in ditches and thereby preventing water to flow in natural channels. The law says:

167 L. "Any person, or corporation placing any obstructions of any kind whatsoever upon the public highways or bridges, roads, lanes, streets, avenues, or alleys, of Kent County, or interfering with or obstructing any of the ditches or drains thereof, or encroaching upon the same with fences or other obstructions or any person or corporation, its agents or employees, exercising the business of a common carrier, permitting his or its vehicles, steam or other engines or cars to obstruct any crossing for more than five minutes for any one time, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be liable to prosecution at the instance of any tax-payer of said county, and upon conviction by any Justice of the Peace exercising criminal jurisdiction in Kent county shall be fined in an amount no less than One Dollar nor more than Twenty-five dollars for each offense."

ISAAC GIBBS, JR.,
Road Engineer.

A CARD TO MY FRIENDS
in Kent County.

After careful consideration of my candidacy for the Sheriff's office, I have concluded that since I have no family, nor anyone who can assist me in properly keeping the county jail in the cooking, attending to prisoners, &c., that it is best for me to withdraw from the contest in favor of Mr. Robert J. McWhorter.

I wish to thank my friends most warmly for the encouragement they have given to me and to earnestly request them to unite with me in supporting the entire Anti-Organization ticket and especially Mr. McWhorter for Sheriff and defeating the Organization candidate for this office.

ADDIE STARTT.

AUCTIONEER

THIS IS TO NOTIFY THE PUBLIC THAT I HAVE REMOVED TO CHESTERTOWN AND AM PREPARED TO CRY SALES IN KENT AND QUEEN ANNES COUNTIES ON REASONABE TERMS.

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MESSRS. TURNER AND SHALLCROSS.

These two gentlemen have announced their candidacy for the Legislature on the Organization ticket. This announcement places them in a position to be politically "diagnosed," or as some may choose to call it, "criticised." Every man who becomes a candidate for office renders himself liable to criticism just as does the editor of a paper, who has the courage to speak his sentiments. Personally, we have nothing in the world against either Mr. Shallcross or Mr. Turner. But this paper concedes it to be its duty to the public to discuss the meaning of the candidacy of each of these gentlemen because of the importance of the office they seek to the public at large. They are the Organization candidates. They have been selected by the Organization leaders in Chestertown to represent and carry out the policies for which these leaders stand in their relation to the tax-payers. They would never have been selected had it not been understood that in the event of their nomination and election they would represent the policies of the Organization in the Legislature, and pass only such laws as are in the interest of the furtherence of Organization policies. Messrs. Turner and Schallcross may endeavor, and sincerely, too, to say to the voters that they will legislate in the interests of the whole people if they are fortunate enough to get to Annapolis, but unless the leaders in Chestertown are very different sort of men from what they were in the last session, neither Mr. Turner nor Mr. Shallcross can or will do anything at Annapolis other than as the Organization leaders believe is in the interest of their political faction. Now, what have been and what are to-day the Organization policies?

1. Extravagance in money matters. The Organization in the last Legislature introduced two bills calling for taking $68,000 out of the tax-payers' pockets, without giving them a right to vote as to whether it shall be spent or not. Ever since the Organization has been out of power in the county they have been beseeching the Board of County Commissioners for MORE MONEY, either to waste on the roads, notwithstanding the fact that they passed a road law in the interest of economy (?), or for some other useless purposes.

2. They have persisted in keeping the present road law and the present incompetent road management in force in this county notwithstanding their promise to repeal the law during the primaries, but which promises were never fulfilled in the Legislature.

3. The Organization allowed a reassessment of property to apply to Kent county so far as the personalty is concerned, notwithstanding the fact that an assessment of personal property was taken in this county just two years prior to the recent assessment at a cost of some $3000 to the tax-payers.

4. The Organization allowed their road engineer to spend **$25,000** on the roads in this county during 1912, notwithstanding the fact that their road law only allowed $18,000, and they allowed him to exhaust his road fund of **$21,236.00** two months before the present year closed, without showing a dollar of real improvement to the roads.

Mr. Turner and Mr. Shallcross were members of the Organization when all this was going on. They indorsed this policy of extravagance by the Organization leaders, so far as the public knows, because they have never protested against it publicly. They have been in sympathy therefore with these policies, and now that their candidacy has been announced, not a word have they said in opposition to those policies for which it stands to-day. How then can either Mr. Turner or Mr. Shallcross properly or consistently represent the interests of the people when they are the representatives of those leaders who were driven from power because of their misuse of power, and who ever since they have been out of power have used the fragment of control they have left in passing laws against the vital interests of the people, and in forcing upon the tax-payers a condition of road management such as no other county in the State is burdened with?

Mr. Turner and Mr. Shallcross are identified in *every* way with the Organization and their policies, and if they are in sympathy with the Organization faction, whose candidates they are, they cannot do anything else if elected than carry out the policies for which the Organization stands. The Beck Organ is at perfect liberty to discuss the meaning of the candidacy of Messrs. Charles W. Kibler and James G. Harris, and if they can find a single instance in which these candidates are not allied with a faction that has served the people in the County Commissioners office as well as in the Maryland Legislature, we shall be glad to discuss the issue with them. In our judgment the candidacy of Messrs. Turner and Shallcross are against the real interests of the people.

Our Thanks to Mr. Harrison.

Messrs. J. G. Harrison & Sons, the well-known nurserymen of Berlin, who royally entertained the Peninsula Horticultural Society and the peninsula editors on July 31, will please accept our thanks for a basket of fine Ray peaches, which grew in their large orchards, and for which they were receiving $2 per carrier at the station. We missed much by our inability to be in two places at once. The guests were royally entertained, and to give you some idea of what the dinner meant and how well Mr. Harrison and friend Hines Thomas looked after the pleasure and comfort of the host of people, we give the following items of the bill of fare: Four hundred frying chickens, 500 pounds of fish, six spring lambs, 40 sugar cured hams, 5,000 Maryland biscuits, 500 loaves of bread, 300 watermelons, 500 cantaloupes, 10,000 glasses of lemonade, three barrels of iced tea, two barrels of coffee, 60 gallons of ice cream, cake for everybody—and the "fragments filled twelve baskets etc." A car-load of peaches was given away, every guest getting a basket of delicious fruit as a "place card."

The Ray peach is a mammoth red with fine color and delicious flavor, and one of its chief characteristics is its keeping qualities. It is an extremely heavy bearer, the fruit remaining on the trees longer than other peaches of the red variety. If you want any young trees or fine shrubbery and flowers of every description, Harrison's is the place to send, and Hines Thomas will treat every Eastern Shoreman right.

NUPTIAL EVENTS.

LONG—SCHOOLFIELD.

Mr. Curtis W. Long, a graduate of Washington College, now a prominent young lawyer of Salisbury, and Miss Louise Schoolfield surprised their many friends on Wednesday evening of last week when they appeared at Trinity parsonage, Salisbury, and were married by Rev. J. Franklin Carey. The bride is a daughter of Mr. S. J. Schoolfield, of Pocomoke city. They will reside in Salisbury.

McCLURE—GRISE.

Miss Anna Maxwell Grise, daughter of the late Rev. Charles A. Grise, a former pastor of the Chestertown M. E. Church, and Mr. Orlando McClure, an electrical engineer of Sullivan, Ind., were married in Stevenson's M. E Church, Berlin, on August 5th, by Rev. C. T. Wyatt, of Middletown, assisted by Rev. T. R. VanDyke, pastor of the church. They will make their home in Berlin.

Kennedyville Items.

Mrs. Higman, of Philadelphia, is visiting her brothers, the Messrs. W. M., John and Howard Clendaniel.

Rev. and Mrs. Frank S. Cain and daughter, Bessie Jett Cain, spent last Friday in Baltimore.

Messrs. George R. Rasin and Harry Hill spent the week-end in the Monumental City.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Pennington are entertaining Mr. Pennington's sister, Mrs. King, of Philadelphia, and also Miss Gertrude Reynolds, of Sharptown.

The ladies of the Methodist Protestant Church will serve dinner and supper on Monday, Sept. 8, the primary election day, and will be prepared to serve all who come.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Othoan had as their guest on Sunday Miss Annie Clayton and Miss Gertrude Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Weer, son Baldwin, and Mr. W. W. Baldwin, of Harford county, made the run to Sharon Hill, Pa., on Sunday last, and report a very enjoyable trip.

Miss Ethel Wilson spent a few days with Misses Bessie and Eva Jewell near town.

Mrs. Dukes has as her guests Misses Minnie and Hattie Dukes of Denton.

The pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church wishes to change an announcement made on Sunday last, and announce the regular service in Kennedyville M. P. Church next Sunday, Aug. 31st: Sunday school at 9.30 A. M., preaching at 10.30 A. M. and 8 P. M.; Christian Endeavor service 7.30 P. M.

COLORED ODD FELLOWS MEET IN CHESTERTOWN.

Convention of District Grand Lodge Held in Janes' M. E. Church.

The Fifth Biennial Convention of the District Grand Lodge G. U. O. of O. F., the colored organization of the order of Odd Fellows, was held all day Wednesday. The business sessions were held in Janes' M. E. Church, and the program of exercises included a street parade and platform exercises in Klinefelter's Grove, Queen Annes county, where addresses were made by prominent men of the order including James F. Needham, of Philadelphia, and Harry L. Cummings, of Baltimore. About 300 delegates and alternates were in attendance. The local lodge has a membership of near 100. The officers are: John P. Henson, N. G.; Jonas Haughton, P. S., and W. T. Jones, supervisor. There is also a female auxiliary branch, the principal officers being: Anna Johnson, M. N. G., and Hattie H. Jones, W. R.

COMING—A REAL CIRCUS.

Bringing With it The Wonders of Jungleland, the Mysteries of the Ocean Depths, Dare-Devil Equestriennes; Death Defying Acrobats and Hundreds of New Features.

It will not be long now until the sweating dappled horses will drag the rumbling vans loaded with heavy circus paraphernalia from the Chestertown railroad yards to the lot of exhibition at Chestertown. The Downie and Wheeler Shows will make the place hum and Chestertown will be filled with eager good natured people who want to see a spanking good parade and show that will chill their blood by darning feats one moment convulsing them with laughter, at an army of clowns and fill them with wonder the next. This they will get, for the newspapers at other places where the Downie and Wheeler Shows have been are filled with glowing accounts of the superb performance given in the monster "Big Top." They say the show is just as advertised and better. The show will be here Wednesday, Sept. 3.

Howard Turner and the Eight Hundred Yard Net Law.

While the Legislature of 1907 was in session, a delegation of Kent county fishermen organized by Captain Ned Apsley, of Rock Hall, sailed to Annapolis on Captain Apsley's schooner for the purpose of urging the Legislature:

(1) To change the existing fishing laws in a manner to not injure the interests of Kent county's fishermen.

(2) Especially to repeal the 800 yard law. Cecil and Harford counties were most anxious not to repeal this law, and met Mr. Turner with a large delegation at Annapolis by arrangements.

In the Kent party were: Messrs. Wallace Wheat, Clay Haddaway and other gentlemen interested in our fishermen. Mr. George E. Noland, who acted as spokesman, simply stated to the legislative committee that:

"We want only such protection as others have. We don't want to put any one out of business—all we want to do is to protect the rights of our fishermen, giving them the same chance as all others have to fish in the bay."

When Mr. Noland finished, Mr. Howard Turner, the Urie candidate for the Legislature, was the first man to spring to his feet and deuounce the wishes of our fishermen; with all the energy in him, Howard Turner spoke in behalf of the Harford and Cecil county plan.

It was on the testimony of Howard Turner that that Legislature did not repeal the 800-yard law.

IT WAS ON HIS SAY SO THAT A LAW WAS KEPT ON IN FAVOR OF CECIL AND HOWARD COUNTIES, AND UNDER WHICH THE INTERESTS OF OUR FISHERMEN WERE TURNED DOWN FLAT.

ASK CAPTAIN APSLEY IF HOWARD TURNER IS A FRIEND OF THE FISHERMEN.

ANTI-ORGANIZATION CATECHISM

Q.—Who reduced the Organization tax rate of $1.85 in 1910 to a rate of **$1.22** IN ONE YEAR, notwithstanding the extra expense of half the cost of a new assessment which the Organization forced upon the tax-payers?

A.—The Anti-Organization.

Q.—Who reduced the tax rate from $1.22 in 1911 to $1.05 in 1912, notwithstanding the extra expense of the other half of the new assessment?

A.—The Anti-Organization.

Q.—Who prevented the passage of those laws in the last Legislature calling for spending $68,000 of the tax-payers' money without giving them the right to say whether it should be spent or not?

A.—The Anti-Organization.

Q.—Who endeavored to repeal the present unsatisfactory road law in the last session of the Legislature, but were prevented from doing so by the Organization.

A.—The Anti-Organization.

Q.—Who reduced the indebtedness of the county from **$110,000.00** under the Organization Board of Commissioners to **$37,000**—a reduction of **$73,000** in three years?

A.—The Anti-Organization.

Q.—Who should refuse to pay those road bills that are now being discounted and taken as collateral security for work that is now being done on the roads after the engineer has advertised that there shall be no more work done on the roads?

A.—The Anti-Organization.

Q.—Who warned the people about the way their money was being wasted on the roads by the Organization?

A.—The Anti-Organization.

Q.—Who prevented the Organization Road Engineer from wasting any more of the tax-payers' money on the roads after he had exhausted this year's appropriation of $21,236.00 in *eleven months?*

A.—The Anti-Organization.

Q.—Who HAS a right to ask the tax-payers to keep their officers in power upon such an excellent record as this?

A.—The Anti-Organization.

ORGANIZATION CATECHISM.

Q.—Who saddled upon the people of this county in the last year of their control a tax rate of **$1.85**?

A.—The Organization.

Q.—Who ran the expenses of Kent county from $110,000 to **$166,000** in one year?

A.—The Organization.

Q.—Who spent **$35,000** on the roads and bridges in Kent county in the last six months of their term in 1909?

A.—The Organization.

Q.—Who introduced two bills in the last Legislature calling for the expenditure of **$68,000** of the tax-payers' money without giving the people the right to say whether it should be spent or not?

A.—The Organization.

Q.—Who passed a road law for Kent county that provides for the greatest waste of the people's money under the most incompetent management this county has ever had?

A.—The Organization.

Q.—Who expended the sum of $25,000 on the roads and bridges of this county in 1912, when the law provided only **$18,000**?

A.—The Organization.

Q.—Who exhausted the fund of **$21,236.00** on the roads and bridges in this county from June, 1912, to May, 1913, and has not a dollar of that appropriation left to work the roads when they most need work?

A.—The Organization.

Q.—Who has been clamoring for more money to waste on the roads when the $21,000 that has already been spent has left our roads in the worst condition they have been in in the history of the county?

A.—The Organization.

Q.—Who forced upon the tax-payers a new assessment of property at a cost of some $12,000, just after there had been a reassessment of personal property two years before?

A.—The Organization.

Q.—Who is authorizing the work now being done on the roads *after the Road Engineer has advertised that no more work shall be done on the roads,* owing to the exhaustion of the road fund. And who is paying for this work?

A.—The Organization.

Q.—Who has no right to ask the people to put their candidates in office after such a record as this?

A.—The Organization.

ORDER NISI.

IN RE-ESTATE OF EMILY L. HOWARD, DECEASED.

In the Orphans' Court for Kent County, Md.

ORDERED by the Orphans' Court for Kent county, Maryland, on this 15th day of July, 1913, that the sale of the leasehold estate mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Hope H. Ratcliff, administrator of Emily L. Howard, deceased, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 2nd day of September, 1913; provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, Maryland, once in each of four successive weeks before the 5th day of August, 1913.

The report states the amount of sale to be $1,825.00.

WM. B. COPPER,
JAMES BRAMBLE,
CHAS. S. HILL,
Judges of the Orphans' Court.

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Captain of Tent Crew—C. C. Smith.
Junior Chautauqua Leader—Sarah B. Sheppard.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 1. Afternoon. Admission, 35 cents.
2.30 Opening—Conducted by Fred G. Usilton, Chairman of Chestertown Chautauqua Committee.
3.00 Concert—Florentine Concert Band and Miss Melicent Melrose, Soprano.
4.15 Series Lecture—Rev. E. R. Perry. Subject: The Present Great Awakening "The People, the Power: Public Opinion Sovereign."
Evening. Admission, 50 cents.
7.30 Concert—Florentine Concert Band and Miss Melrose.
9.00 Two reels of Motion Pictures.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2. Afternoon Admission, 35 cents.
2.30 Series Lecture—Rev. E. R. Perry, "Wealth and Civilization: Constructive and Destructive Forces."
3.30 Concert—Tyrolean Alpine Yodlers.
Evening. Admission, 50 cents.
7.30 Concert—Tyrolean Alpine Yodlers.
8.00 Lecture—Frank Dixon, "An Outgrown Constitution."
9.15 Motion Pictures.

WEDNESDAY, SEPETMBER 3. Afternoon. Admission, 35 cents.
2.30 Series Lecture—Rev. E. R. PERRY, "Political Reconstruction: The True Function of Government."
3.30 Concert—Brodbeck Such Concert Company.
4.00 Lecture-Recital—Paul M. Pearson, "The Joy of Living."
Evening. Admission 50 cents.
7.30 Concert—Brodbeck Such Concert Company.
8.03 Lecture with Experiments—Reno B. Weldourn, "The Wonders of Science."
9.15 Motion Pictures.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 4. Afternoon Admission 35 cents.
2.30 Series Lecture—Rev. E. R. Perry, "The Place of Every Man and Woman in Changing Conditions."
3.30 Entertainment—Music and Magic: The Dietrics.
4.00 Entertainment—Rosani, Prince of Jugglers.
Evening. Admission 50 cents.
7.30 Entertainment—Music and Magic: The Dietrics.
8.00 Dickens Impersonations—William Sterling Battis, (in costume, make-up and monologue).
9.15 Motion Pictures.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 5. Afternoon. Admission 35 cents.
2.30 Series Lecture—Rev. E. R. Perry. "The Outcome; Progress and Prosperity."
3.30 Concert—Commonwealth Male Quartet.
Evening. Admission 50 cents
7.30 Concert—Commonwealth Male Quartet.
8.00 Lecture—Senator Thomas P. Gore.
9.15 Motion Pictures.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6. Afternoon. Admission 35 cents
2.30 Children's Play—Presented by Members of the Junior Chautauqua.
3.30 Concert—National Opera Quartet.
4.00 Lecture—Dr. S. Parkes Cadman, "A Modern Babylon."
Evening. Admission, 50 cents.
7.00 Concert—Scenes from Operas: National Opera Quartet.
9.30 Motion Pictures.

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