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DEADLY PLAGUE CLAIMS BABY EVERY HOUR IN NEW YORK

Infantile Paralysis Killing Hundreds in New York City—Fear of Mysterious Malady Drives 50,000 Children From City.

New York city is struggling against an epidemic of infantile paralysis. Over 1,200 cases of the mysterious malady have been reported since July 3 and more than 300 children have died. Health authorities of nation, state and city, aroused by the menace not only to the 1,500,000 babies of the metropolis but to the whole United States, have joined forces in a heroic battle against the scourge. Already a score of other states have reported child victims. So far, however, the disease has been confined largely to the New York district, and cases outside of the greater city have been scattered and few in number.

Yet the danger to other parts of the country has been greatly increased by the exodus of frightened parents with their children to inland towns and cities. For several days these people have been crowding the New York ferries and railroad stations in an effort to escape the epidemic. It is estimated that fully 50,000 children of the more well to do have left New York city during the last ten days.

The United States Bureau of Public Health is not fearful that the dread infantile paralysis, now raging with such disastrous effect in New York city, will spread to North Carolina, it was said by officials of the bureau today.

While it is true, they admit, that some cases have been reported south of New York, there have always been sporadic instances of the disease occurring so that the isolated cases are attributable to ordinary conditions more than to spread of the disease from the infection in New York city. Cases have occurred here and there, and will continue to occur here and there, but they may have no connection with the New York outbreak.

A number of the most skilled surgeons in the Public Health Service have been sent posts haste to New York to aid in preventing the spread of the disease and also to make epidemiological studies as to why the disease has spread almost beyond bounds. The officials of the public health service frankly admit that its surgeons do not know anything like as much about this disease as they desire, and will endeavor to gain more knowledge of it from the New York experiences.

This disease whose real name is poliomyelitis is not peculiar to the child alone. Grown persons are subject to it, and may carry it. It is, however, more especially a disease of children, and the epidemic in New York is particularly virulent among those under the age of seven. The New York epidemic has the highest death rate of any that has come under the observation of the public health service.

Infantile paralysis, according to the bureau officials, is not a new disease. It has been recognized for many years, but in an epidemic form it has been rare. It did not appear in the form of an epidemic until 1907. Since then and up to 1910 it appeared in the form of an epidemic in the following States:

Connecticut, 1910; District of Columbia, 1910; Florida, 1912; Illinois, 1909; Iowa, 1908-1910; Kansas, 1900-1910; Massachusetts, 1907, 1908 and 1910; Michigan, 1907-1908; Minnesota, 1908; 1909 and 1910; Missouri, 1908; Nebraska, 1909; New York, 1907-1910; Oregon, 1910; Pennsylvania, 1910; South Dakota, 1910; Virginia, 1906-1910; Washington, 1910; Wisconsin, 1908.

An official of the Public Health Service made the following statement today regarding the communicability, symptoms and effects of the disease:

"The disease is communicable—or 'catching.' The germ is ordinarily carried in the mouth and nasal discharge of infected persons. The disease may occur in mild and unrecognized form, and those affected may become carriers and spread the infection to others, while they are suffering with only a headache or slight fever. Healthy persons coming in contact with those affected may also carry the disease and spread it."

"Fever is perhaps the most constant single symptom, although it seems fairly well established that some cases run their course without fever. The rise in temperature is usually sudden, reaching its maximum the first day. The fever may be expected to continue one to seven days, usually falling to normal about the time paralysis develops. Cases are known, however, in which the fever continued several weeks.

"Headache is complained of by a large portion of those who are old enough to give a clear account of their sensations. When the onset is sudden and acute there is marked prostration. Extreme weariness and muscular weakness are characteristic features of many mild cases.

"Restlessness and irritability is a very common symptom. In children very often the first symptom to attract attention is their irritability. Older persons frequently show an early stage of excitement, characterized by extreme restlessness, vague anxiety and mental perturbation. An apathetic, drowsy stage frequently follows, especially in children.

"Usually the disease is attended by a mortality of 5 to 10 per cent, but in the present epidemic in New York the death rate has been 25 per cent. of those found infected. Death sometimes takes place in 24 hours.

"Regarding prevention, secretions of the nose and throat, being infectious, should be promptly cared for, received in cloths and burned immediately. The patient should, of course, be isolated and hospital treatment is best. In the hospital proper isolation can be carried out. Bed linen and clothing can also be properly disinfected.

"Proper screening of the sick room is also necessary. Contact with the patient should be limited to those actually necessary.

"Regarding treatment, summon a physician at once. He can recommend measures to curb the spread of the disease. He can also alleviate the symptoms, such as fever, pain, delirium, etc.

"Absolute rest is very important, particularly in the inflammatory or early stages of the disease. Later

massage, electricity, hydro-therapy and other measures are highly valuable, but are also contraindicated in the early stages. Only the skilled physician can determine when these measures are to be used.

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