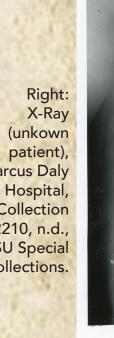
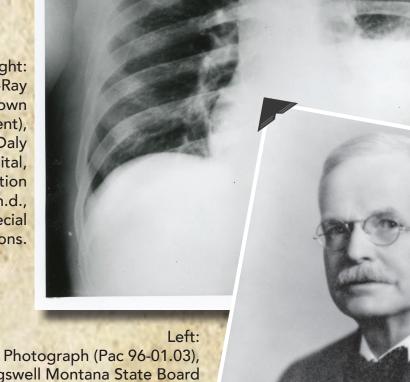


(unkown patient), Marcus Daly Hospital, Collection 2210, n.d., **MSU Special** Collections.





W.F. Cogswell Montana State Board of Health, 1930-1945, MHS.

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IN MONTANA

The county board of health met in regular sers ion at 11 o'clock a.m. PRESENT: Chairman Simonson, Commissioner Fabian and Secretary Freund. Clerk Rose iter in attendance. The minutes of the previous session were read and appro-

Volumer the first order of business, Under the first order of business, Dr Dan J. Donohue, the President of the State Board of Health, read the following from the State of Montana DePartment of Public Health: DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

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BELEIVING THAT AN EMERCANCY EXISTS AND NOT BEING ABLE TO QUICKLY CER A MEETING
PARTHES FOR THE BONNEY HE OF THE SPECIFICATION PROMULEATED THE FOLLOWING REG-

130. All patients suffering from influence must be faported to the local or county health officer as soon as the diagnosis is made. Local and county health officers shall make a written statement to the State Health Department Saturday night of each week of cases reported to them during the week. They shall report by wire any unusal outbreak of the disease.

132. Patients suffering from spanish influenza shall be isolated as completely as possible until recovery. They shall be prohibited from any public gatherings and from traveling on any common carrier.

133. When treated in hospital ward patients suffering from spanish influence she uld be acreended from other patients.
134. All discharges from mose and mouth of patients should be disinfected at cost

135 On recovery or death, room or rooms in which the patient in thoroughly cleaned and clothing and bedding used by patient must air for at least two hours. Dre Matthews, Karstedt, Donohue end Rodes were present at the meeting and stated that they had a number of cases of Spanish influenza under treatment at the present time.

Dr Donohue reported one daath.

Chairman Simonson asked Secretary Freund as to the health conditions of the County, and in his opinion it would be necessary for the public health and welfare of the citizens and residents of the community for the board of health to close all public place at this time.

Secretary Dr Freund stated to the board. That after a thor neithful the conditions of the County, and the number of cases of the considered that the disease had reached an Epedemic. An he considered that the disease had reached an end for the sefety of the Health and Life of the citizens and for the sefety of the Health and Life of the citizens and public County, to close all places of public meetings and public 8 county, to close all places of public meetings and public 8 in paregraph No. 131. Regulations for controls of Spanish

Upon representation being made to the Board that an epede imminent, and the disease had made itself known with alar in order to prevent widespread devastation by this contagion duly made by Commissioner Pattan, seconded by Secretain and Simonson and Secretary Freund voting wing order:

All schools, churches, theatres, noving picture shows, in and bargain sales in store, and public dances, will be closed to the public, and bargain sales in store, and all public getherings will be prohibited, until further notice, on and after 9 0'clc and all public getherings will be prohibited, until further notice, on and after 9 0'clc and all public getherings will be prohibited, until further notice, on and after 9 0'clc and all public getherings will be prohibited, until further notice, on and after 9 0'clc and all public getherings will be prohibited.

On further discussion of the closing of all public places and prohibiting public getherings. The board concluded that it would be impossible, in the limited time allowed by the order made by board to notify parties effected, by said order.

Problem on Reservation Acute Right: Stereograph (ST 001.102) St. James Hospital, Butte, ca1906-1911, MHS.

Indian Women Here for State

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Clippings (vertical

Health), MHS.

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Minutes, Butte

County Board

BSB Archives.

October 9, 1918,

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disease had made itself known with alarming rapidity in this

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Tuberculosis Meeting Believe

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Indian Women Here for State Tuberculosis Meeting Believe Problem on Reservation Acute

Photo (sc2729), Enemy Alien registration card for Joseph Hermann, died in Spanish Flu

Epidemic, 1918, MHS.



This investigation was undertaken to determine, if

possible, the source of the high death rate from Tuberculosis in Silver Bow County. The question has been discussed conditions on which the statement made by some "that all the tuberculosis in Silver Bow County comes from surface conditions", and that made by others "that all the tuberculosis in Silver Bow County comes from conditions in the mines", could

The first work was that of studying the death records relative to tuberculosis from December, 1908 up to April, 1912 inclusive. We found that there had been 326 deaths from tuberculosis during this period. A map of Silver Bow County was secured and the location of this disease was indicated thereon with pine inserted into the map. The deaths occurring at pitals were located at the point from which the patient went to the hospital. In other words the death was classed as maying occurred at the place where the patient lived, rather than We find that of the 506 deaths, 29 were among imported individuals, that is individuals who did not live in Silver Bow County. Of the deaths reported as having occurred at

e Poor Farm, we find that in 52 the residence was not given, Above:

1908, MHS.

Left: Photo (#11-287-01), **Butte Miners' Union** Sick Committee visit to St. James Hospital distributing cigarettes, 1950, BSB Archives.

Report (SC89), Sanitary Conditions in Butte,



