Surgeon General Cummings Gives Advice About Flu

Sound advice for those affected during the present influenza epidemic is offered by Surgeon General Hugh S. Cumming, in charge of the United States Health Service. The surgeon general tackles the question both from the viewpoint of treatment and prevention and emphasizes both public preparation and personal hygiene precautions. Included in his recommendations are:

"Remain in bed, eat a simple diet, take plenty of fluids such as water, fruit juices, milk, bouillon and hot soups at frequent intervals.

"Do not take any so-called cure. There is no specific cure."

For the able-bodied, he prescribes: Eating a moderate mixed diet and drinking six or eight glasses of pure water daily. Wearing clothing warm enough to prevent chilling of the body surfaces.

Avoiding people with colds, especially from those sneezing or coughing. Close contact with those just beginning to feel sick is more dangerous than from those who feel ill enough to be confined in bed.

Keep out of crowds in close places.

Avoid use of common utensils.

Wash the hands frequently, and especially before eating.

Avoid the use of any "so-called preventives—vaccines, sera and advertised preventives seem to be of no value, and may be harmful in this disease."

Avoid alcohol and all stimulants.

Walk to work if possible and keep as much as you can in the open air.

Most of the surgeon-general's recommendations are simply good, sound laws. It is well to observe at any time, particularly in the colder seasons. He advises those who are ill to take plenty of rest and use plenty of fluids, all of which are wholesome for the well person and points out that specific fires do not cure. A doctor's care and common sense health rules are the only proper treatment.

Avoidance of alcohol and stimulants of all kinds should include elimination of the most common stimulants, coffee, tea and coffee. This injunction is consistent with the rest of the national health effort's suppression, which have as their prime purpose, building up the vital reserve power of the individual. Public health services perform one of their most valuable functions in pointing out to the public that there is no real road to health, only the road that we build by schooling ourselves to follow the laws of nature, which are available to all of us.

THE DEAD SEA

The Dead Sea is 47 miles long about 10 miles wide in 1290 feet below the sea level and it has no outlet.

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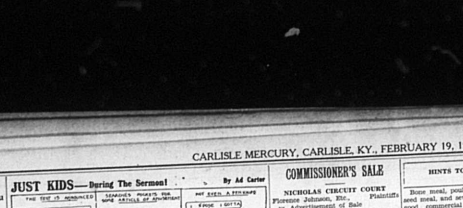

The Outdoor Living Room

People living in the towns and cities often fail to appreciate the possibilities of having an attractive side or back yard. With little expense and work a side lawn or backyard can be made into a delightful outdoor living room.

The first thing to do is to clean up the trash and smooth out the uneven places in the ground so that the surface of the soil will be comparatively level. If the side lawn or the back lawn is already in grass, sow grass seed on this in March and again in April. Bluegrass mixed with redtop, using 4 parts by weight of Kentucky bluegrass and one part by weight of redtop, makes a satisfactory grass mixture for practically all sections of Kentucky, according to N. R. Elliott of the College of Agriculture, University of Kentucky. If the side lawn or the backyard does not have grass on it, then the soil should be prepared by thoroughly loosening it to spading deep or plowing. If the ground is extremely poor add some good soil and preferably prepare a fertile seed bed. Then sow the grass seed, making a heavy sowing. If the space to be covered is 25 by 50 feet, sow 5 pounds of Kentucky bluegrass and 1½ pounds of redtop. After the seed has been sown roll the seed two or three times, using a hand roller. Do not allow the young grass to suffer for want of water, especially where the sod is just being established. If commercial fertilizers are used, sulphate of ammonia is probably the best. A liberal application is a pound to a pound and a half per square rod of surface. This can be applied before the grass seed is sown, or walt until after the young grass has started to grow. If this fertilizer is applied after the young grass has started to grow, it should be sown when the grass is perfectly dry in the middle of a warm day in April or May. Mix the fertilizer with equal parts of soil and broadcast. After this soil and fertilizer have been broadcast thoroughly sprinkle the lawn so that no burning of the grass will occur.

Apply plenty of water throughout the first summer. By this means it will be possible to establish a good sod and this is the foundation of a delightful outdoor living room.

Shade trees for the outdoor living room can be screened by plantings of shrubs, and the flowers can be arranged so that they will fit in with the scheme. The sides of this living room can also be screened by plantings of shrubs, and the flowers can be arranged so that they will fit in with the scheme, making it very attractive.

Trees should be carefully selected and well placed shade trees will furnish shade for the average side or back lawn. In locating these trees observe the shadows in the middle of the day and the afternoon and see where you will want the shade at different times. You can do this by standing in the sunlight and watching your shadow. Plant the tree so that it will give shade on the space cast by your shadow. This method of locating trees is low. This method of locating trees is low. This method of locating trees is low