

BAN RAISED TOMORROW

QUARANTINE WILL BE LIFTED
IN COUNTY, BUT HELD AGAINST
OUTSIDE WORLD.

Public Schools Open Monday; Not Yet
for H. S. and Normal. Churches
and Movies Allowed Thanksgiving
Day, If No Further Outbreak.
Warning for Individual and House
Quarantine.

For the past six weeks, the ban has been held on schools, churches, places of amusement; and all public gatherings thruout the county. For three weeks, we have been strictly quarantined against the outside world, and have taken all sorts of precautions against the dreadful disease which has been raging up and down the country, almost everywhere except in our own county. So successful have we been in keeping the plague from our midst that the county quarantine will be called off tomorrow.

Dr. Rockefeller, physician in charge, says that the situation is so satisfactory that, unless something unexpected happens, he will lift the quarantine Saturday, November 23. This, however, does not mean any relaxation of the strict quarantine against the outside world which has so far kept Gunnison county immune of the dreadful epidemic which is literally killing people by the hundreds in every county all over the United States.

After more than six weeks of vacation, the kiddies will all go back to work, as schools will open next Monday thruout the county, so far as local physicians know. This includes only the grade schools, since students of both the Normal and High School come in from outside the county.

On Sunday, Dec. 1, the churches will again be open to the public. Previous to this, a union Thanksgiving service will be held at 4 o'clock next Thursday afternoon. In addition to the services, a program of patriotic songs will be given. The picture show will open that same evening. Of course, all these plans are contingent on there being no further outbreaks of the influenza. At present, there is only one case in the county, and the few light or suspected cases, are being strictly quarantined. There will be no loosening of the quarantine on the railroad, or on autos coming in from outside the county limits, and all in-coming travelers or Gunnison folk who have been abroad, will be quarantined at LaVeta for a period of five days.

The warning is also given to families that any relaxation of vigilance may mean another outbreak which will cause shutting things tight again, for the whole community, to say nothing of the danger to your own loved ones. Some who have thought the quarantine was a joke, are finding out to their sorrow, that their own negligence or failure to appreciate the necessity of watchfulness, may mean death and terror for their own immediate family. This disease is no joke, to be made light of, but a terrible calamity, perhaps as dangerous as small-pox, yellow fever or diphtheria ever were when uncontrolled.