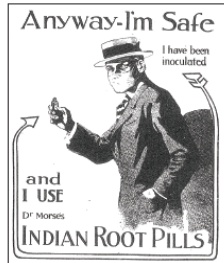


Will people turn to quack medicine?



Could this happen again? Yes, if...

- anti-virals and vaccine are not available,
- no campaign runs which counter perceptions that certain therapies prove no benefit.

Will people accept all the imposed measures?

MISPLACED MASKS. MORE CONVICTIONS.

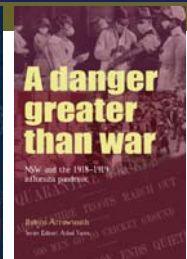
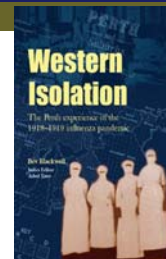
Nearly 20 persons were convicted yesterday at the Central Police Court for neglecting to wear masks over their mouths and noses whilst riding on trams. The majority of the offenders possessed masks, but they were either misplaced or were of a defective type. As on the previous day the fines were mostly £7, in default of payment, 24 hours' imprisonment. A man who had no mask at all was fined £2, while another delinquent had to pay a similar amount for insulting a constable who had occasion to question him about his mask. Two civilians who were charged with not wearing masks in the city were remanded till February 13.

Could this happen again? Yes, if...

- Decisions are purely health based without considering the consequences for the rest of society
- Decisions are not practical, effective in preventing the spread, do not undermine other infection control or social distancing measures

What is the impact on business?

- Supply shortages
- Change in demand
- Measures to stimulate demand
- Employers staff management practices
- Pay and compensation issues



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