

WOES OF AUSTRIA DESCRIBED BY GIRL

Miss Dorothy North, of Friends' Unit, Tells of Housing and Food Problems

PALACES USED FOR POOR

The Austrian Government is troubled with housing conditions just as serious as prevail here, and the poor are finding refuge in the palaces of the wealthy.

That is the statement of Miss Dorothy North, of the American Friends' service committee. She has just returned to this country after having been engaged in relief work in Vienna for more than a year.

Miss North says that the Austrian Government, finding a serious housing problem on its hands, decided to utilize the palaces of the nobility to provide shelter for the people.

"Many of the beautiful palaces of Vienna have been taken over by the government, and a family has been assigned to each room," Miss North says.

"The aristocrats are greatly disgusted by the whole proceeding. They not only have to live in one or two rooms of their own palaces, but have a score or more of proletarian families as neighbors under the same roof."

"The nobles retain possession of their agricultural lands, but they cannot get farm labor."

Feed Children in Palace

Miss North said a large suite of rooms in the Schoenbrunn, the favorite palace of former Emperor Charles, is being used by the English and American Friends for their child-feeding work.

Austria is confronted by starvation unless the Allies help her. Austria declines. Refusal permission to become part of Germany, owing to the fear and distrust of France, and surrounded by hostile, jealous states, which have raised economic barriers against her. Austria is without a seaport, without credit, and incapable of sustaining her population. A great city has been suddenly cut off from its country districts, and cannot obtain food for its population.

"The suffering among the aged is un-speakable," Miss North continued. "There is not food enough to feed the children, and we cannot hope to provide for the old folks. It must be heart-rending to young mothers to have to take food away from their aged fathers and mothers to give to the little ones. The old folks are slowly starving."

Seventy Persons in Unit

Miss North said there were seventy men and women connected with the English and American Friends' unit in Vienna. The American Quakers cooperate with Herbert Hoover's American relief administration, feeding 45,000 children under school age, while Mr. Hoover's organization feeds the school children. The American work is under the direction of the Friends' service committee, which has its headquarters at 29 South Twelfth street.

READ AND WEEP, BANDIT!

Man With \$4751 in Pocket Lands in Cell Unrobbed

When hold-up men and motor bandits read this there'll be wailing and gnashing of teeth.

And father, while he scans a pile of Christmas bills in his office today, will say with Sergeant Dorsey, of the Feint and Huttonwood streets station: "It can't be true. There ain't that much money left in the world."

But then, Adolph Teustkik, of Mount Vernon street, between Thirtieth and Seventeenth—that's near enough so as not to give any anxious hold-up man some information—doesn't believe in the Christmas spirit to the extent of handing his money freely—that is, handing it so that it goes into the coffers of the merchants. He saved his.

Teustkik was arrested last night on complaint of Anthony Polski, his room-mate. Polski said Teustkik had threatened to shoot him. The patrolman who frisked Teustkik found a revolver in a pocket, and sent him to a hearing on a charge of carrying weapons, also making threats.

When Sergeant Dorsey went through Teustkik's pockets at the station house he got the shock of his life. From one pocket came a roll of \$100 bills, from another roll of twenties; from another another roll of fifties, and from another a bunch of ones and twos and fives.

In all there was just \$4751.

Sergeant Dorsey wouldn't even take the responsibility of taking care of that much money. So he looked Teustkik in a cell all by himself and returned the fund to him, pending the hearing today.

KILLED FOR TICKLING GIRL

Resenting Attention to Sweetheart

Man Said to Have Shot Rival

Pittsburgh, Dec. 27.—With five bullets just below the heart and a sixth one in the head, Nathan Perzill died in a boarding house in this city last evening, the victim of a shooting.

Perzill, North side, was tickling the boarding house proprietor's pretty daughter under the chin.

The police are hunting N. Seigel, sweetheart of the girl, an expert marksman, shot and accused of shooting Perzill. As attesting Seigel's remarkable skill with a revolver, the police point to the fact that the five bullets in Perzill's breast entered a spot scarcely one inch in diameter. The sixth bullet entered the victim's left temple.

Any one of the six shots would have caused instant death.

Seigel's jealousy is said to have been aroused several days ago when he saw Perzill chatting familiarly with Miss Jessie Scanlon, daughter of the boarding house proprietor. When Perzill tickled the girl's chin boarders knew Seigel well, tickled trouble.

Last evening Seigel, with a show of apparent friendliness, suggested to Perzill that they shoot at coins with a toy pistol operated by a spring. Perzill agreed, and the two were engaged in this pastime in one of the rooms of the house for half an hour, when other boarders suddenly heard the crack of a real revolver. There were six shots in rapid succession. Seigel was seen fleeing from the house, and investigation revealed Perzill dead.

Dies in Race Street Room

The body of Richard Chance, thirty-five years old, was found in his room in Race street east of Broad late yesterday. Physicians said the man had died from alcoholism. The body was taken to the morgue.

STUDENTS TO HAVE LEAGUE OF NATIONS

Chamber of Commerce Inspires Movement Among Foreigners Studying in City

WOULD FOSTER GOOD WILL

Nearly 400 foreign students enrolled in colleges and other institutions in this city will organize their own "League of Nations."

The organization is being developed by the educational committee of the Chamber of Commerce. The members of the league will represent our allies, the Triple Alliance and Mexico; and the organization will function along lines designed to promote international good will through and in scholastic channels.

One of the remarkable features of the league's membership is that there are many more Chinese students than those from any other foreign country. The Flowery Kingdom's representation is seventy-one, of whom several are women. The next large total is Porto Rico, which has thirty-seven students. Cuba is third with thirty-two.

The fact that the number of Japanese students here has decreased in recent years is thought to be worthy of comment. At present that country has but sixteen students in our various schools, and Syria are represented among the sending greater number of students to Philadelphia each year.

So famed have become the educational institutions in the Quaker City that students come to them from remote corners of the globe. Such countries as Siam, Burma, Ukraine, Korea and Syria are represented among the seekers of knowledge here.

Zeigler Party at Wayne Palace

The annual Christmas entertainment given for Nixtown children by "Uncle Joe" Zeigler will be held in the Wayne Palace Theatre, Germantown avenue and Dutton street, this afternoon.

HONOR TO DR. DRINKER

Mining Engineers' Institute Receives Retiring Lehigh President

Dr. Henry S. Drinker, retiring president of Lehigh University, who is about to take up his residence in Merion, Pa., was honored at the meeting of the American Institute of Mining Engineers in New York last Friday. The institute elected him an honorary member. The distinction of such membership is attested by the fact that in its fifty years of existence the institute has bestowed only forty-one honorary memberships.

Former Newspaperman a Priest

The Rev. Samuel H. Wood, former newspaper man, but now a priest in the Protestant Episcopal Church, began his ministry yesterday in the Chapel of the Holy Communion, a branch of the Church of the Holy Apostles, located at Twenty-seventh and Wharton streets. Mr. Wood became vicar of the chapel, where he will work under the direction of the Rev. Dr. George H. Toop, rector of Holy Apostles' parish.

CITY DEATH RATE FALLS

Decrease of Ten Shown Since Preceding Week

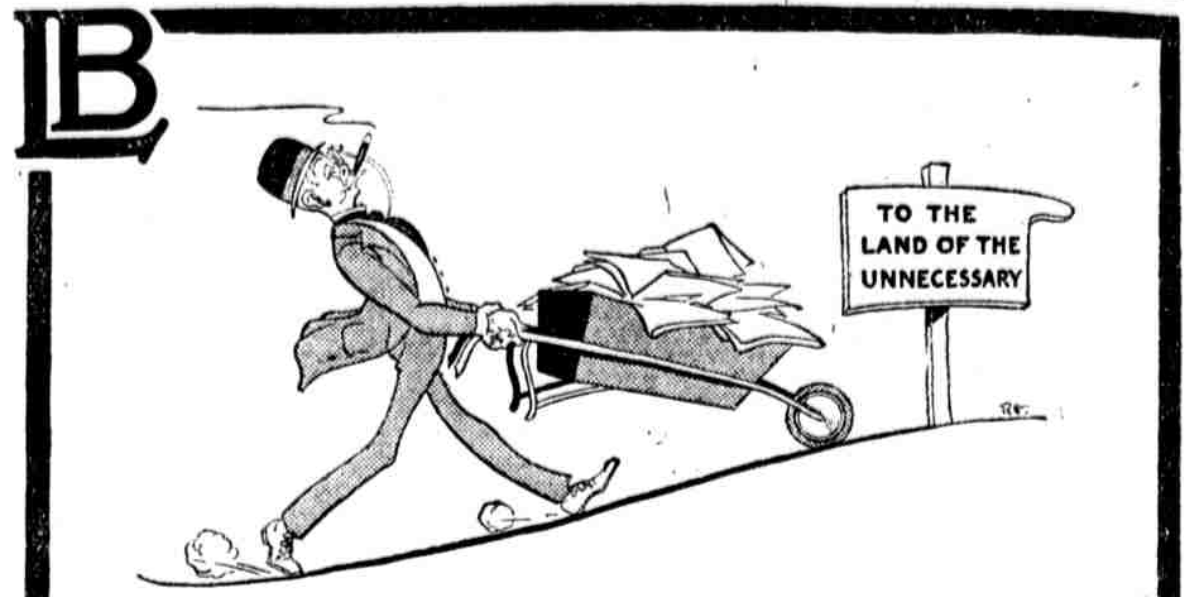
The deaths in the city from all causes in the week which ended at noon Saturday numbered 498, which is a decrease of ten from those of the previous week, and an increase of 122 over those of the corresponding week of last year.

Included in the mortality last week:

Diphtheria and droup, seven; tuberculosis of lungs, forty-eight; cancer and other malignant tumors, forty-six; apoplexy and softening of brain, twenty-two; heart disease, sixty-three; bronchitis, nine; pneumonia, twenty-seven; broncho-pneumonia, thirty-three; diseases of the stomach, six; diarrhea and enteritis (under two years), six; appendicitis, six; cirrhosis of liver, three; acute nephritis, and Bright's disease, forty-five; congenital debility, twenty-two; suicide, three.

Wanted—Man to Give Blood

Physicians at the Hahnemann Hospital are seeking a young man who is willing to undergo a blood transfusion that may save the life of a woman who for several days has been lingering between life and death. Five young men have volunteered their services, but each was found unfit to undergo the operation. Any one willing to give his blood should apply at the hospital at 9:30 o'clock this morning.



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Next season, even if we can buy at a slightly lower cost, we must add a legitimate profit, and this will make a higher cost to you, over and above our present prices.

Nothing can be gained by waiting or deferring your purchase any longer. If you need Furs, buy now, while the assortments are still generous, and the prices so low.

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7 Raccoon-Trimmed Marmot Coats..... (36 inch).....	250.00	145.00
9 Squirrel-Trimmed French Seal Coats..... (30 inch).....	250.00	165.00
10 Skunk-Trimmed French Seal Coats..... (30 inch).....	275.00	175.00
6 Trimmed Hudson Seal Coats..... (30 inch).....	275.00	175.00
8 Natural Muskrat Coats..... (36 inch).....	275.00	175.00
9 Beaver-Trimmed French Seal Coats..... (36 inch).....	295.00	185.00
5 Jap Mink Coats..... (30 inch).....	325.00	195.00
4 Scotch Mole Coats..... (36 inch).....	395.00	245.00
5 Hudson Seal Coats..... (36 inch).....	495.00	325.00
8 Skunk-Trimmed Hudson Seal Coats..... (36 inch).....	495.00	325.00
9 Beaver-Trimmed Hudson Seal Coats..... (36 inch).....	495.00	325.00
7 Hudson Seal Coats..... (30 and 36 inch).....	525.00	345.00
6 Natural Squirrel Coats..... (36 inch).....	545.00	365.00
8 Trimmed Hudson Seal Coats..... (30 and 36 inch).....	550.00	395.00
5 Scotch Mole Wraps..... (33 inch).....	695.00	445.00
2 Beaver Coats..... (36 inch).....	695.00	445.00
9 Hudson Seal Wraps..... (43 inch).....	750.00	495.00
9 Hudson Seal Wraps..... (43 inch).....	900.00	595.00
4 Natural Squirrel Wraps..... (37 inch).....	975.00	695.00
1 Natural Mink Coat..... (30 inch).....	1050.00	695.00
1 Natural Mink Coat..... (36 inch).....	1350.00	895.00
1 Alaska Seal Wrap..... (42 inch).....	2000.00	1250.00
1 Natural Mink Wrap..... (48 inch).....	2500.00	1495.00

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