

CARE FOR 1,200 PATIENTS DAILY

American Military Hospital Spends \$400,000 a Year in France

New York, Aug. 17.—The present status of the American ambulance hospital in Paris, which has been taken over by the United States Army and is to be known as the American Military Hospital, is defined in a statement made public here today by Mrs. Robert Bacon, chairman of the American Committee of the hospital.

For more than a year the ambulance and its auxiliaries have been caring for an average of more than 1,200 patients daily. It was alleged, and the annual budget is approximately \$400,000. Up to August 1 the American Committee had sent \$1,300,000 to the hospital and since the transfer, \$263,000 has been forwarded.

The work will continue under French military regulation and control as before," the statement said.

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Painful Foot Tortures—How Soldiers on Active Service in the French Trenches Banish and Prevent Corns, Callouses, Blisters, Abrasions, etc.—A Novel Way to Quickly Soothe and Comfort Sore, Tired, Aching Feet That Burn, Smart, Itch, Chafe, Swell and Perspire

Told by Corporal Jim Sullivan in an interesting interview accorded an American writer recently returned from Europe. Officers of the British Royal Army Medical Corps also explain why the same method is so successful at the front.

Many readers who suffer from painful foot afflictions will be interested to learn how medical officers of the English Army deal with the misery inseparable from hard military service. New recruits are made to walk their long "hike," and even the toughest frequently succumb to "trench feet" and the crippling rheumatic or other troubles so common in the war conditions. This article explains how they put their feet in fine condition, and, of course, adopt the same measure, since the trenches are usually far more serious than any which civilians ever suffer from. It is a portable treatment for proper rest and medical treatment are, naturally, few and far between.

Corporal Jim Sullivan, probably the best known and most popular of the British sporting world in his box ing days, recently returned from the front. "The first requisite of a boxer or soldier is a good pair of feet. As a boxer, my feet were unusually sensitive, and I was troubled with corns, calloused, tender and sore. After numerous treatments by chiropodists and no end of patent ointments, I finally, as a last resort, I was advised, as a last resort, to visit a famous continental spa, and to take a course of treatments. As boxing engagements made the long journey impossible just then, I decided to try the best thing I could do to get rid of my feet. I prepared by dissolving a small handful of a common Rodell bath salt in a gallon or so of warm water. I followed his advice and have occasionally bathed my feet in that day to this I have never known what it is to experience foot troubles of any kind whatever, and you may be sure I see to it that the soldiers in my charge get their feet into similar condition. It is a simple matter of fact, and I have no complaint of foot fatigue, corns, blisters, aching, etc., etc. I have used the salt water in the trenches, and every time a man leaves for the front, I pack a few ounces of the salt water in a box, and I have seen it used by many of the boys in the trenches. It is in my opinion the best thing I have ever used for the purpose. It is a simple matter of fact, and I have no complaint of foot fatigue, corns, blisters, aching, etc., etc. I have used the salt water in the trenches, and every time a man leaves for the front, I pack a few ounces of the salt water in a box, and I have seen it used by many of the boys in the trenches. It is in my opinion the best thing I have ever used for the purpose.

that caused intolerable itching. The medicated water not only fixed my meumatic and skin troubles in my time, but an old corn of years' standing soon softened and came out, root and branch, after dangerous cutting and treatment with burning caustics had simply made it worse. Better still, it never came back and a couple of feet had also disappeared for good. It is a simple matter of fact, and I have no complaint of foot fatigue, corns, blisters, aching, etc., etc. I have used the salt water in the trenches, and every time a man leaves for the front, I pack a few ounces of the salt water in a box, and I have seen it used by many of the boys in the trenches. It is in my opinion the best thing I have ever used for the purpose.

but under United States Army reserve officers and nurses loaned to France for the purpose, until the end of the war. French as well as American wounded will be cared for. These personnel are given rations the same with Dr. James P. Hutchinson, of Philadelphia, as surgeon-in-chief.

Prepare to Send Many Magazines to France

Between two and three thousand magazines are stored in the basement of the Harrisburg Y. M. C. A. They will be boxed and shipped to France in the near future for United States soldiers.

Secretary Reeves of the Y. M. C. A. has offered to box and ship all magazines that are given to him. He asks the people of Harrisburg to send their books and magazines to him and he will see that they are sent to the soldier.

The Harrisburg Public Library will give all the periodicals and magazines that are not used on files.

Ten-cent Sodas Sad News For Small Boys

The high cost of living continues to concern the housewife, but the latest development will be of special interest to the lad who has been exchanging his hard-earned "jitney" for an ice cream soda.

The increase in the retail cost of cream and milk is said to be responsible. While manufacturers of the cream have not advanced the price of their product, and the cream is expected soon, ice cream has been selling in neighboring towns at thirty cents per quart.

MOTHERHOOD WOMAN'S JOY

Suggestions to Childless Women Among the virtues of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the ability to correct sterility in the cases of many women. This fact is well established as evidenced by the following letter and hundreds of others which have been published in these columns:

Poplar Bluff, Mo.—"I want other women to know what a blessing Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been to me. We had always wanted a baby in our home but I was in poor health and unable to do my work. My mother and husband both urged me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so, and my health improved and I am now the mother of a fine baby girl and do all my own house work."—Mrs. Allie E. Thompson, 216 Almond St., Poplar Bluff, Mo.

In many other homes, once childless, there are now children because of the fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound makes women normal, healthy and strong.

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"Foot troubles? There's no excuse for them. We don't put up with any around here," says Corporal Jim Sullivan, former Middlesex Regiment, and an instructor in Physical Training to the London Scottish, one of the crack British Regiments.



TRAINER SULLIVAN INSTRUCTING HIS MEN IN BAYONET DRILL. Photo taken on Salisbury Plain, the great English military training camp where the American Regiments will doubtless prepare for service in France.

Mr. Fishburn stated this morning that he had gone through the building twenty minutes before the discovery of the fire and everything was all right. At the time the alarm was sent in by Thomas Speck, a 12-year-old lad, none of the employees of the mill or warehouse were about the building.

Son of Prothonotary Hollar Leaves For New York; May Go to France



ARTHUR HOLLAR, of Hummelstown, a Lafayette man, son of Prothonotary Henry F. Hollar, left this morning for the government navy yard, New York. It is expected he will leave soon for foreign service as a pharmacist's mate.

Mob Chases Negro Who Shoots Revolver Near Troop Horse Stables

After shooting a revolver near the stables where the horses of the Governor's Troop are stationed, Jake Armstrong, a boarder at 1420 Williams street, was pursued by a large mob and finally captured. He was put under arrest by Patrolman Harry Fryer. Fryer, being arrested, threw the revolver into the cellar of the new hotel at Third and Walnut.

According to stories told at the police station the negro shot the revolver near the stables. A guardsman appointed himself an officer of the law and demanded the negro to halt, but the man ran. The guardsman pursued and a few minutes later a crowd joined the chase. The negro, exhausted, was struck by a passing pedestrian and the mob immediately surrounded him.

The revolver he had been carrying was later found by Patrolman Deming. One chamber was empty and the other four loaded. When confronted with the gun the negro insisted he had meant no harm.

TO MEET AT MILWAUKEE. Bialo, N. Y. Aug. 17.—Milwaukee was chosen for the convention of 1918 by the Fraternal Order of Eagles at its closing business session. The annual convention here to-day. E. J. Duncan, of St. Louis, was elected grand worthy vice-president; the only office for which there was a contest.

CONTINUE HEARING. The preliminary hearing in the case of Dr. A. L. Shearer, North Sixth street, and charged with the murder of S. Brady Cavely next Friday afternoon. Dr. Shearer was arrested by County Detective James J. Walters on a charge of performing an illegal operation upon a young girl.

COMMANDERS OF NEW DIVISIONS ARE PICKED

(Continued From First Page.) mended by Brigadiers General Frederick W. Stillwell, Albert J. Logan, C. E. Neill and William T. Peitz, all of the national guard. The brigades are numbered, respectively, Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth Infantry, Fifty-third Depot Brigade and Fifty-third Field Artillery Brigade.

National army troops from Northern Pennsylvania, together with troops from New York state outside of New York city, will form the Seventy-eighth division and will be commanded by Major General Chase W. Kennedy. They will train at Wrightstown, N. J.

National army troops from Southern Pennsylvania will compose the Seventy-ninth division and will be commanded by Major General Kuhn, until recently chief of the war college. They will train at Camp Meade, Maryland.

All the divisions except those composed of National Guardsmen will be assigned to the regular army. Most of them will be commanded by the chief of staff of each division. The regular army officers.

In this assignment of division commanders, Brigadier General Leonard Wood has been assigned to command the Eighty-first division, the national guard at Fort Riley, Kansas, which would seem to sidetrack the ablest officer in the United States Army as commander of the national guard of Pennsylvania, who has an actual division under his command, and who will probably be assigned to division in France in the near future.

Assignments announced include: Twenty-eighth Infantry, Captain Hancock, Augusta, Ga. Troops from Pennsylvania, Major General Charles M. Clement, commanding. Lieutenant Colonel E. J. King, chief of staff, Brigadier General Frederick W. Stillwell, Fifty-sixth Infantry; Albert J. Logan, Fifty-sixth Infantry; C. T. O'Neil, Fifty-third Depot Brigade; G. P. Price, Fifty-third Field Artillery. Seventy-ninth Division, Camp Meade, Annapolis Junction, Md. Troops from Southern Pennsylvania, Major General J. E. Kuhn, commanding. Lieutenant Colonel Tenney Ross, chief of staff. Brigadier General E. J. King, chief of staff, Fifty-seventh Infantry; W. J. Nicholson, One Hundred and Fifty-eighth Infantry; W. H. Gordon, One Hundred and Fifty-ninth Infantry; Hero, Jr., One Hundred and Fifty-fourth Field Artillery.

Army Completely Reorganized. Completed reorganization of all branches of the American army to conform with European standards, as recommended by Major General Leonard Wood, is being carried out in France. The administrative unit of the infantry arm hereafter will be a company with 250 enlisted men and six commissioned officers, in place of something over 100 men and three officers. The company will be divided into four platoons, each in command of a lieutenant.

There will be two captains as first and second in command, one first lieutenant and three second lieutenants. Reports of the review of American troops in France yesterday show that this plan already has been carried out in General Pershing's forces. The object of assigning two captains to each company is, it is understood, is to provide against disorganization of the unit through the loss of its commander. The second captain, under the European system, does not go into battle line with the company if his senior is present. He is held as a reserve to reorganize his company if necessary.

Under the new plan, each regiment will have three battalions of four companies, making a total of 1,000 men. Supplying the regimental headquarters, supply and machine gun organizations, the strength of the new regiments will be brought up to approximately 2,000 men. The unit organization of the field artillery and other arms of the service has not been changed. As a result of reducing the number of regiments in a division, the division instead of 28,000 men, will have after about 19,000 men, 15,000 of them infantry.

The advantages of the system, in addition to the reduction in the number of the divisional unit to trench warfare, lie chiefly in the reduction in overhead expenses. One colonel and his regimental staff, including his three battalion commanders, will now handle 3,000 men instead of little more than 2,000.

Believes Penbrook Warehouse Fire of Incendiary Origin

The fire which yesterday morning destroyed a warehouse of S. A. Fishburn, of Penbrook, and also gutted a row of dwellings owned by Oscar Good, of Progress, adjoining the warehouse, is believed to have been of incendiary origin.

Mr. Fishburn stated this morning that he had gone through the building twenty minutes before the discovery of the fire and everything was all right. At the time the alarm was sent in by Thomas Speck, a 12-year-old lad, none of the employees of the mill or warehouse were about the building.

As soon as the insurance adjusters have completed their work the ruins will be cleared and work started on a two-story fireproof brick and tile structure to replace the one destroyed yesterday. Mr. Fishburn estimates his loss this morning at about \$10,000 not covered by insurance. When the new building is completed it will contain a warehouse, mill and garage. Mr. Good, it is understood, will rebuild his row of houses. The loss on these buildings is about \$8,000, covered by insurance.

CHANGE ASSIGNMENTS. By Associated Press. Washington, Aug. 17.—Some changes are being made in the plan for assigning drafted troops of the National Army to cantonment camps which resulted in sending men already assigned to cantonment to some other. The extent of the change has not been announced by the War Department but probably will be made public soon.

SALESMEN TO DO BIT. Washington, Aug. 17.—Traveling salesmen's organizations, comprising about 600,000 members, have pledged themselves to a wheatless and meatless day every day, the food administration announced today. They also pledged their co-operation in the proposed food conservation movement.

MOUNT GRETTA IS FULL OF VISITORS

Many Harrisburgers Spending Summer Days in Cottages at Famous Resort

Mount Gretna, Pa., Aug. 17.—Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sterner, Mrs. Dr. McKinstry and daughter, Mildred, and Miss Doris Hummel motored from Pottsville to Mount Gretna and were guests at Chestnut Burr cottage on Tuesday.

Miss Dorothy Chubbuck and Corporal Weikel, of Harrisburg spent Tuesday at the cottage of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Paehler.

Mrs. S. P. Seigelbaum and daughters, Clara and Dolores Seigelbaum, have returned to their Harrisburg home after a summer vacation here.

Mrs. I. Z. Miller of the Capital City, is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Paehler.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Heiny, of Penbrook, were recent visitors to Mount Gretna.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Singer, of Harrisburg, were week-end guests of Mrs. Samuel Paehler.

Miss Minnie Gebhart, of Cleveland, Ohio, is spending several days with the Misses Anna and Beaulé Marsh.

Miss Sue Sparrow and Mrs. George Young, of Melrose cottage, spent Wednesday in Lebanon.

Miss Edith Stauffer and Mrs. Elva Stauffer, of Harrisburg, are enjoying a week's outing at the Hofmann cottage on the camping grounds.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Sample, Miss Anna Sample and Hammel Sample, of York cottage, have returned to their home in York, after a two month's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. George Runkle, of Harrisburg, motored to Mount Gretna on Sunday.

Miss Susan M. Pele and Mrs. John Pele were at Highland cottage on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephens King, Miss Anna Keller, of Rheams, motored here on Tuesday and registered at the Kauffman House.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Meek, of Harrisburg, were recent visitors at Mount Gretna.

Mrs. H. C. Devor, of Harrisburg, and Mrs. Sadie Johnson, of Phoenixville, were guests of Mrs. Anna Steever, at Montanessa cottage, yesterday.

The Rev. and Mrs. E. A. G. Bossler, of the State Street United Brethren Church, of Harrisburg, attended the United Brethren Bible conference being held here.

Mrs. Theodore Sechler and mother, Mrs. Fries, of Harrisburg, were guests at Montanessa cottage yesterday.

Petitions Pouring in For Many Minor Offices

All the candidates who filed their nominating petitions to-day with the County Commissioners are out for the smaller borough and township offices.

The following are Union Deposit Republicans: H. M. Bonawitz and Jonas L. Jury, justice of the peace; Webster J. Weaver, school director; J. E. Bonawitz, tax collector; William H. Lehman, assessor; Charles Messer and Benjamin Spotts, supervisors; Henry S. Matter and Charles E. Lenker, Jr., inspectors of election; Elias Messer, justice.

Others were: Ira R. Springer, Republican, assessor, Third precinct, Third ward, Middletown; William L. Matchett, Democrat, inspector, Second ward, Millersburg; H. G. Stricker, supervisor, Republican, Middle Paxton township; Isaac D. Lebo, Republican, inspector, First precinct, Middle Paxton township; William P. Yetter, Republican, tax collector, Conewago township; Robert H. H. Minnich, Republican, judge, East ward, Lykens; George F. Hallman, Republican, tax collector, Derry township; Martin B. Nye, Republican, assessor, First precinct, Derry township; Arrick S. Aaker, Republican, judge, Second precinct, Fourth ward, city; Ross S. Walter, Republican, inspector, Second precinct, Fourth ward, city; G. K. Brennan, Republican, inspector, Conewago.

JOHN H. WEIRICK BURIED. Liverpool, Pa., Aug. 17.—Funeral services of John H. Weirick, who died at Harrisburg on Monday, aged 75 years, were held yesterday afternoon from the Lutheran Church.

Platinum in Alaska Stirs the Government

Washington, Aug. 17.—Discovery of platinum in Alaska by Dr. Herschel C. Parker, of New York, and others has aroused government agencies to the greatest activity in the hope of finding sufficient quantities of precious metal to meet the war needs of the allies. Four government experts have been assigned to study the Alaskan situation and report if the discovery may replenish the platinum supply cut off recently by the virtual cessation of activities in the Ural Mountain mines, the source of the world's greatest supply.

Intensive operations would follow a favorable report, for the true condition is declared, cannot be determined before next year, by which time the present short supply will be very nearly exhausted.

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Men's Serge and Worsted Pants, Saturday Sale of MEN'S \$3 SERGE and WORSTED PANTS. Men's \$1.75 KHI-KI PANTS \$1.00. Men's \$4.50 BLUE SERGE PANTS \$2.95. Men's \$2.00 KHI-KI PANTS \$1.49. Men's \$1.50 STRAW HATS 69c.

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Noteworthy Savings in Kaufman's Bargain Basement. DELTOX GRASS RUGS REDUCED. 19c Stair Treads; 9x13 inches wide; of heavy rubber. Special each 10c. Fumed Oak Tabourettes—made of good and strong. Special, Saturday, 25c. Bargain Basement 12c MUSLIN SHEETS. Muslin sheets; full 81x90; 3-inch hem; good weight and quality. Special, each, 95c.

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