

TUBERCULOSIS DEATH RATE BIG
Highest in the World in the Balkans, Asserts Red Cross

Bucharest, Oct. 10.—The tuberculosis death rate in the Balkans is the highest in the world, asserts the medical station of the American Red Cross headquarters here. This is based on reports from the Red Cross in Rumania, Serbia, Albania and Montenegro.

The distressing factor is that the countries are almost wholly without sanitariums for the treatment of tuberculosis. Red Cross relief is temporary and it is considered beyond its province to found sanitariums on the scale that would be needed.

Miss Viola L. Nohr, of Ripon, Wisconsin, a nurse who for many months has been treating patients in all parts of Albania, reports that she found tuberculosis in almost every Albanian family. The percentage has been placed at about 80 per cent.

Dr. Geraldine E. Watson, of Brooklyn, N. Y., reports: "Thousands of children are dying of consumption in Montenegro. The percentage of tuberculosis in children is fearfully high. The probable source of infection is the milk of tubercular cattle with which the country is overrun."

Amusements Needed on Merchant Ships

New York, Oct. 10.—The United States Shipping Board has requested the New York War Camp Community Service to supply the vessels in

the merchant service with recreational equipment. This appeal means a recognition of the value found by the naval authorities in the amusement facilities laid before the sailors in the United States Navy by the community service during the war.

Following the men of the Navy back into civilian life or into a new term of service in the merchant marine, the community service stands ready to assist the men it has helped while in naval uniform.

The men in the merchant marine live through long periods of isolation from their fellow-men, months spent on the high seas with strange cities as their destination.

On shipboard a box of dominoes or a pack of cards is nothing short of a heaven-sent boon. Many a game of cards played between bunks in their limited sleeping quarters has assumed great importance in warding off a serious case of "blues."

MEMORIAL PARK ADDITION The Suburb Unparalleled.—Adv.

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MANY SICK AND WOUNDED FLEE IN FREIGHT CARS
Refugees From West of Omak Are in a Pitiable Condition

Omak, Oct. 10.—Almost unimaginable suffering, illness and great loss of life has attended the hurried evacuation of vast territory west of Omak owing to the recent advance of the Bolshevik armies. Refugees from the territory menaced by Bolshevik invaders are crowded into boxcars with the wounded and ill from the fighting front and started eastward into Siberia with a pitiful lack of doctors and nurses.

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Like Living Skeletons

In this auxiliary freight yard at Koulomzino, the Associated Press correspondent found thousands of ill and wounded men wasted with dysentery, typhus and typhoid, lying on bare plank floors under filthy overcoats or blankets who were so debilitated that they were unable to move. There were men with wounds that had not been dressed for days and whose bodies were so shrunken from disease and lack of food that they resembled skeletons or rather dying skeletons.

In some instances the dead had lain for days in the midst of the living and dying who were so debilitated by suffering as not to know or care. Among these refugees the Inter-Allied anti-typhus train in charge of Captain Conner, of the American Red Cross, is endeavoring to move. Owing to the evacuation of the Red Cross personnel on orders of Ambassador Roland S. M. E. Seltzer, Miss Williams had little aid in distribution of medical supplies and clothing furnished by the Red Cross.

Upon arrival of a trainload of soldiers the occupying authorities ordered by car to the bath train while a locomotive passes down the line pumping steam into the vacated cars to kill vermin. At the same time patients are given a steam bath and their clothing and effects sterilized. On emerging each is given a new suit of cotton underwear, furnished by the American Red Cross.

Makes Fifth Flight

The refugees passing eastward in endless strings of trains are in better condition than the soldiers. Most of them regard their fate philosophically. One old woman in a family party with several babies and two bright girls of seven or eight years said she was now making her fifth enforced flight since the Germans occupied Vilna, her home town before the revolution.

Miss Margaret Matthews, of the Red Cross refugee section has allowed the train eastward to Krasnoyarsk to give aid there and Dr. Manget, head of the Red Cross in Western Siberia, is preparing to open a 2,000-bed hospital in Omak.

An example showing the lack of intelligent co-operation in the care of sick and wounded soldiers was shown in the fact that while hundreds of them were passing through Koulomzino, a splendidly equipped Russian sanitary train with bath car and operating and dressing cars, lay unused in the Koulomzino yard waiting to go to the front.

SOLDIERS URGED TO HOLD INSURANCE

Many men who have dropped their war risk insurance, give as their reason for so doing, their dislike of the so-called "red tape" involved. Upon further questioning, they immediately cite personal or hearsay cases of endless correspondence resulting from a seemingly hopeless tangle. Invariably these cases are found to have resulted from incorrect or incomplete accomplishment of the necessary application forms; or carelessness in the matter of payments.

The business, although overwhelmed for a time by the great volume of business, has made but few errors, if one considers them on a percentage basis; and that is the only fair basis. Moreover, it has constantly eliminated confusion and error of past cases; and made provisions against the future; and made efforts to avoid so-called "red tape." The latest move in this direction, comes through the provision that men now entering the service may, within 120 days after enlistment or enter into the active military or naval service, apply for permanent government insurance without first applying for term insurance.

MISSING SOLDIER BEING HUNTED BY WAR DEPT.

In an effort to locate Charles Butts Titus, a missing soldier who was attached to the Field Artillery in the September replacement draft, a circular and poster bearing his photograph have been sent to Army hospitals.

Titus is 26 years old, 5 feet 8 inches tall, weighs 144 pounds, wears a No. 7 hat, a No. 7 shoe and a 14-1-2 collar. He is of medium fair complexion, has black eyebrows, brown eyes, prominent forehead. The end of his fourth finger on the right hand was cut off and put back on, causing the nail to be deformed.

Titus left for overseas service with a Camp Jackson replacement draft, Fourth Battery, Field Artillery, in September. His serial number was 4123789. He was reported lost when the Ticonderoga was sunk September 30, 1918, but later reported to be in a hospital in France.

It is requested that anyone who can give information concerning this soldier will communicate with his wife, Mrs. Irene Titus, Box 67, R. F. D. No. 1, Gallon, Ohio.

Cocoa, Milk and Bread For Starving Children

New York, Oct. 10.—There are approximately 81,000 children in Estonia whose parents are unable to give them enough food to fight off the ravages of starvation. The American Relief Administration European Children's Fund is giving a daily scientifically balanced meal to these children. This meal is the only chance the children have of winning back normal health. It consists of cocoa, condensed milk and bread made of American flour.

NEW GERMAN NOTES

Berlin, Oct. 10.—The government is issuing new fifty-mark notes because of wholesale counterfeiting of the present note and having them made in Vienna in hopes of preventing general counterfeiting in Germany in future.

Middletown AIRPLANE CLOCKS DISAPPEARING
Finger Prints of All Aviation Depot Employees Are Being Taken

Middletown, Oct. 10.—In an effort to trace the disappearance of a number of airplane clocks, authorities at the aviation depot are taking the finger prints of all the employees there. It is said that the clocks to the value of \$2,600 have disappeared.

Clayton Keiffer, who had been employed at the Aviation Depot, has resigned his position and secured another in the Klein Chocolate Factory at Elizabethtown.

Mrs. Sherman Hawthorne, of Harrisburg, and Miss Rose Bowers, of Spencerville, were the guests of the Social Club held at the home of Mrs. N. C. Fuhrman yesterday afternoon.

Boy Scouts to Dance

The Boy Scouts Troop No. 1, will hold a benefit dance in the Krauss Hall, Union and Emanuel streets, this evening. Uprigger's orchestra will furnish the music.

Mrs. Samuel Hickernell, and daughter, Clara Hickernell, are visiting relatives at Pittsburgh for some time.

NEW BLOOMFIELD

New Bloomfield, Pa., Oct. 10.—William Messler, of Harrisburg, is spending the week-end at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark B. Kistler and little daughter, and Miss Mary Dunbar, of Pittsburgh, came to their home here Saturday for a short visit. Miss Dunbar and Mr. Kistler returned Sunday. Mrs. Kistler will remain for a week.

Mrs. S. B. Shumaker, of Loysville, visited her sister, Mrs. G. W. Garber, Mrs. R. R. McKahar, of Washington, D. C., is the guest of Mrs. Henry Riegel.

Mrs. Chas. O. Davis is visiting her brother, A. B. Clarke, and family, in Altoona.

J. Rankin Martin, of Beaver Falls, Pa., visited here this week. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Riegel, who spent the summer here as guests of their son, Henry, and wife, have gone to Cleveland, O., to visit their daughter, Mrs. Donna Rich.

Samuel Loper, of Kissamee, Fla.; Mr. and Mrs. William Heppenstall and Mrs. Aurand, of Wrightsville, Pa.; Mrs. Rieg and daughter Anna, of Los Angeles, Calif.; and Mrs. Elva Fugh Kaufman, of Richmond, Va., were guests at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Darlington.

Ed. Hosen, employed by the P. R. R. at Pittsburgh, is home helping his mother to move.

The Rev. George H. Heiss and George W. Keller, of the Shermansdale-Bloomfield United Brethren charge, are at Hanover, Pa., attending conference.

Dr. D. C. Deatrick has returned home from a several days trip to Pittsburgh and Easton.

Mrs. M. Nitzburg, and children of

Baltimore, Md. are spending some time in town as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Singer, South Wood street.

Miss Rose Bowers, of Spencerville, is spending some time in town as the guest of her brother, Dr. C. E. Bowers, and family, Swatara street.

Mrs. Samuel Singer and children, of Lancaster, are spending some time in town with relatives.

London Discusser Skyscraper Question

London, Oct. 10.—The old question of whether London is to have skyscrapers is being revived because of the high price of property in the business section and the lack of space in office buildings.

The government buildings in Whitehall are four stories high, but it has been found necessary to add a story to the War Office to meet the demands of the department. One well-known architect in touch with the government's plans expressed the opinion that unless the new and the old ministries were content to do their work outside of the area devoted to governmental activities skyscrapers were inevitable in Whitehall.

Generally speaking, however, London does not like tall buildings. Percy Tubbs, past president of the Society of Architects, declared that if the skyscraper was to come it would be necessary to widen the streets.

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WOMEN TO MAKE A BIG OFFERING
Episcopal Mission Tribute, Counted at Convention, Will Exceed \$350,000

Detroit, Oct. 10.—Women from all over the United States and from lands beyond the seas are here in thousands at the general convention of the Episcopal Church.

Each of the 68 dioceses have their branches to the women's auxiliary to the Board of Missions represented by five delegates to the Missionary conferences and meetings connected with the convention. Delegates also are present from China, Japan, Africa, Cuba, Porto Rico, the Philippines and Honolulu.

Meetings of the auxiliary will be held in the First Presbyterian Church House, where every-day mission study classes will be followed by conferences to be addressed by mission workers from all parts of the world. At the noon hour all work will be suspended for the offering of the special prayers for missions.

The climax will be the great corporate communion service to be held in St. Paul's Cathedral for the presentation of the women's united offering to the support of the mission work of the church throughout the world. The offering of the women at the last triennial convention in 1916 at St. Louis amounted to \$353,000. The offering this year probably will exceed that amount by many thousand dollars.

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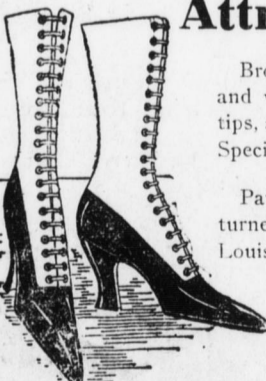
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Black vici and gun metal button shoes, sizes 5 to 8, **\$1.98.** Sizes 8 1/2 to 11, **\$2.49.** Sizes 11 1/2 to 2, **\$2.98.**

Children's tan lace shoes—kid skin. Price **\$1.98.**

A special lot of high cut button and lace shoes at **\$1.98.**

Men's dark brown English shoes—fawn nubuck tops—actually worth \$10 at **\$7.45.**

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