

WHITE PLAGUE IS SPREADING

Total of 150,000 Deaths in the United States Last Year, Reports Show

New York, Oct. 17.—A recent health survey made by the National Tuberculosis Association shows the white plague menace in the United States to have assumed unsuspected proportions. Last year there were 150,000 deaths due to this disease. A conservative estimate places the number of tuberculous people in the United States at 1,000,000.

To meet this emergency the National Tuberculosis Association and its 1,000 affiliated organizations have launched an intensive educational campaign. The campaign calls for greatly increased expenditures and to meet these the state quotas have been increased proportionately. More than \$6,000,000 are needed during the coming year to finance this intensive effort to stamp out the plague. To raise this fund, more than \$50,000,000 Red Cross Christmas Seals will be offered for sale beginning December 1.

A member of the Richmond, Va. Anti-Tuberculosis Association has suggested that the war-time organizations of women could be utilized as auxiliaries or aids to the anti-tuberculosis associations and societies throughout the country.

Robbed Bodies of Munich Hostages After They Were Shot

Berlin, Oct. 17.—The trial of those accused of the murder of the Munich hostages continues in Bavaria. Many of the witnesses who number a hundred related fearful stories of the brutalities alleged to have been practiced by the Spartacists, Seidl, Schikinger and others. Much of the testimony taken related to the robbing of the bodies of the hostages after they had been shot. Seidl, it was testified, obtained in this way 60,000 marks.

Church Will Give Picture Shows in New World Drive

New York, Oct. 17.—Stereopticon display circuits, rivaling in their scope the circuits of big motion picture producers, are being organized by the publicity department of the New World Movement to show to all members of the United Presbyterian Church the extent of their home and foreign mission work.

Every church in the country will be placed on the schedule and series of 10 or more displays will be started across the country. In each display there will be enough scenes, most of them illustrated in color, to provide a whole evening's travelog.

The pictures will be reinforced in their educational appeal by speeches, but the speeches will consist merely of brief explanation, the object of the campaign being to quickly give a view to church members of the mission fields at home and in Egypt, India and the Sudan.

Author Found Ill and Poor in Workhouse

London, Oct. 17.—Ernest Vizetelly, who made the name of Emile Zola known in England through his comprehensive translation of that French author's works, and who for many years occupied a high position in the London literary world, was today an inmate of the sick ward in a North London workhouse. Discovery of his impoverished condition immediately set on foot a movement to have his trouble taken before the Prime Minister in the hope that his name will be placed on the pension list.

For seven years Vizetelly, who is now 86 years old, has been lodging in Canonbury where he was engaged last winter in writing his latest book, "Paris and Her People." He became ill, and fell behind. Eventually he was faced with the necessity of walking out into the street with nowhere to lay his head.

Asks Veto of the Prohibition Bill

New York, Oct. 17.—The National Civil Service Reform League announced today that it had asked the President to veto the war prohibition bill which provides restrictions on the enforcement of the Constitutional amendment.

The secretary of the league, George T. Keyes, made it clear that the advocates of the merit system were centering their attack on that part of the bill which specifically exempts from the operation of the civil service law and rules "persons authorized to issue permits, and agents and inspectors in the field service." As the bill carries an appropriation of \$3,000,000, hundreds and probably thousands of places, it was said, are consigned to the patronage system.

Clearing the Letter Dumps in France

Paris, Oct. 17.—They are clearing the letter dumps in France, with the result that what is believed to be a record for slow delivery has come to light. A letter from Meysac to Clermont Ferrand, a distance of less than 100 miles has taken sixty-two years in delivery. The letter solicited assistance for the son of parents in humble circumstances, a boy who gave great promise at school. The "boy" is now 76 years of age.

Bars Whist and Dance Money From Church Fund

London, Oct. 17.—The bishop of Chelmsford has barred the collection of "whist drives and dances" from a fund of \$1,250,000 which the people of Essex are trying to collect for church extension. Writing to his people concerning these amusements the bishop declared: "Both may be legitimate forms of recreation but they are not methods of the church for raising money. I have never heard of either being opened or closed with prayer."

HER ONE REGRET
"How nicely you have ironed these things, Jane," said the mistress admiringly to her maid. Then, glancing at the glossy linen she continued in a tone of surprise, "Oh, but I see they are all your own."
"Yes," replied Jane, "and I'd do all your just like that if I had time."—Central Methodist Advocate.

200 of 370 U-Boats Destroyed by Allies

London, Oct. 17.—The net bag of German submarines destroyed by the American, French and British navies during the war was 200 out of a total of 370 completed by the

enemy up to the armistice, according to the War Cabinet Blue Book. Each of the three navies developed entirely different systems of submarine detection apparatus, and their results were constantly exchanged.

LEONCAVALLO'S JOKE

Leoncavallo possessed a fund of humor which once landed him in an

awkward predicament. Visiting incognito a provincial theater where "Pagliacci" was billed, he found the stall on his left occupied by a music lover who applauded freely throughout the performance, and as the curtain fell remarked to his neighbor, "What a masterful piece!" The composer being in the vein for a joke, replied: "Nothing of the

kind. Speaking as a professional musician, I can assure you that the opera is one mass of plagiarisms. The cavatina is practically all Berlioz. The opening duet is taken from Gounod. The finale sounds like a bad imitation of one of Verdi's finales, and so on, from beginning to end."

Leaving the town by train the next morning, Leoncavallo bought a local paper at the bookstall and found therein an article headed "Confessions of a Plagiarist." Admissions by Signor Leoncavallo. His neighbor was a journalist who happened to recognize the composer.—London Morning Post.

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Tricotine and Serge Dresses
Come in navy and black mostly, in blouse, tunic and straight line effects, some in coat designs, plain tailored, braided and button trimmed, all wanted sizes.
Priced at \$10.00, \$15.00, \$18.50, \$25.00 and up.

Silk Dresses
Come in charmeuse, satin and messaline, in navy, black, taupe, dark brown, reindeer and Copenhagen, all sizes for women and misses, priced at \$15.00, \$18.50, \$25.00, \$35.00 and up.

SMART STYLE SUITS AT \$49.14
These suits are designed with certain adroit style features that will please the most fastidious of women, plain tailored while some are trimmed with fur, such materials as tricotine, velour, tinseltone, men's wear serge and silvertone make up this unusual assortment, all desirable coloring and styles, finely lined, choice of lot.

Dresses For Stout Women
We make a specialty of fitting the stout women, and we have on hand some exceptionally pretty models in satin and serge dresses, some of silk poplins at
\$12.50, \$15.00, \$22.50, \$25.00 and \$29.50

STUNNING COATS AT \$29.14
Women's and Misses coats in an endless variety of pretty styles, these are all snappy garments in the most favored materials and desirable colors they have the newest of pockets and many trimmed with fur fabrics, all sizes.

7-Piece Cut Glass Water Set Worth \$2.00 for 14c
This beautiful 7-piece cut glass water set worth \$2.00 for 14c. The only condition required of you is that you buy \$10.00 worth of merchandise in our store on Saturday. This purchase can be made up of numerous purchases throughout the store. (Only one to a customer)

HANDSOME COATS AT \$39.14
Here is an assortment of coats that will be difficult to match at a much higher price, some have huge warm collars of fine fur, while there are many with convertible and storm collars of self materials, all are made of the most serviceable materials and come in most wanted colorings.

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Velour, Jersey and broadcloth coats for stout women, all winter weights in navy, taupe, brown and black, sizes 39 to 53, excellent models, priced at
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Pretty percale and gingham house dresses of fine qualities, in plain colors and stripes, some figures; sizes to 46.

WOMEN'S FLANNELETTE GOWNS \$1.14
Made of neat striped outing flannel, with or without collars; double yokes, full cut and well made. Special.

SATURDAY VALUES
Reflection Oil Heaters
Black Japanned Heaters, \$6.25.
Nickel Trimmed Heaters, \$7.50.
Blue Enamelled and Nickered Heaters, \$9.50.

Kaufman's Bargain Basement
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JAPANESE MATTING RUGS \$4.94
WOOL FIBER RUGS \$9.94
HEAVY WOOL FIBER RUGS \$13.94
TAPESTRY BRUSSELS RUGS \$24.94
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NEW PROCESS FLOOR COVERING 54c
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SATURDAY VALUES
THE BIG BLANKET SALE CONTINUES SATURDAY
These pretty blankets come from the Susquehanna Woolen mills and are being sold at 32 1/2% less than actual value don't miss this opportunity to stock up for your winter needs.
60% WOOL BLANKETS \$5.94
Beautiful Plaids and Plain Gray Blanket, full bed sizes. The best blanket value you ever bought.
EXTRA FINE WOOLEN BLANKETS \$6.94
Handsome Plaids and Plain Grays, the plaids are in the wanted colors. See them to appreciate their full value.

CHILDREN'S COATS \$5.95
ANNIVERSARY SPECIAL
Excellent Winter coats made of Egyptian Plush, Chevots, Mottled Lamb and Kersey; the colors are black, brown, blue, green and Burgundy. A satisfying bargain.

CHILDREN'S COATS \$6.95
ANNIVERSARY SPECIAL
These coats are made of Diagonal Chevots and are prettily trimmed with good quality plush; a neat little belted model that girls will like; the colors are brown, blue and green.

CHILDREN'S COATS \$12.90
ANNIVERSARY SPECIAL
Chevots, Zybeline, Kersey, etc., all finely tailored, many trimmed with chase plush and self materials; colors are blue, brown and green, the most desirable for girls of this age. See them.

Visit the Shoe Department and Save SEVERAL HUNDRED PAIRS OF WOMEN'S AND MISSES' FALL AND WINTER BOOTS AT \$5.84
You never bought a better value in your life, these boots are fully worth \$8.00 and can not be duplicated to sell at that price, field mouse, beaver brown, cocoa brown and black lace boots, Louis and military heels, Good-year welts and flexible soles, sizes 2 1/2 to 8. (One of the styles illustrated.)
CHILDREN'S DRESS SHOES \$2.25
(Like illustration)
A dress shoe for children, a style that is right for any occasion, patent vamp, buttoned, white calf and eve cloth tops, sizes 4 to 8, widths C and D, extra special.

Thrifty Women Will See These Hat Values \$3.14 \$4.14 \$5.14
In these three big groups will be found hats that cannot be duplicated elsewhere under from \$1.50 up to \$4.00 more.
All are new creations specially designed for this big anniversary sale. Truly wonderful values in every desirable color and shape favored this season.

LITTLE THINGS WITH BIG SAVINGS
Women's Fibre Silk Hose 24c
Girls' Merino Vests and Pants 24c
Women's Chamoi-sette Gloves 74c
Women's Hem-stitched kerchiefs 14c
2 Cards Clinton Safety Pins 14c
Women's Shop-ping Bags 44c
Women's Scalloped Kerchiefs 24c
WHISK BROOMS 34c

Children's Coats \$3.74
ANNIVERSARY SPECIAL
These are good, warm Winter coats, made of pretty striped Zybeline, and are in prettily belted styles; the colors are blue, green, brown and ox blood. They will be wise parents who grasp this value.

Children's Coats \$7.95
ANNIVERSARY SPECIAL
Girls' Winter coats, suitable for school or dress wear; all good chevots, with plush collars and cuffs; several pretty styles to choose from in colors of brown, Oxford and black; good values.

4 BIG SPECIALS FOR MEN
Men's Outing Flannel Shirts \$1.64
A good dark gray outing flannel work shirt; all sizes, 14 to 17. Extra special.
Men's Union Suits \$1.84
A fleece-lined union suit, extra heavy; all sizes, 34 to 46. A value that you will be delighted with.
4 Pairs of Men's Hose 44c
Think of it! Just 11c a pair. These come in all colors and are slightly imperfect.
Men's Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers \$1.44
All sizes; good, heavy weight. These garments are scarce and worth much more to-day.