

## TYPHOID FEVER SAID TO SHOW UPWARD TREND

Indianapolis Has Second Highest Death Rate, According to Chart.

Typhoid fever is on a slightly upward curve in Indianapolis, a chart showing the variations in the death rate a hundred thousand of population each year for the last twenty years, prepared by Tom Johnson, chief clerk of the board of public health. The rate in 1919 dropped to the lowest point in Indianapolis has ever had, 454 deaths. In 1920 it climbed to 639 and in 1921 rose to 767. The chart shows, however, typhoid has been the leading cause of death of Indianapolis citizens in the last ten years as it was in the preceding decade. In the ten years ending with 1911, an average of 3528 persons out of each 100,000 of population died from typhoid each year. In the ten years ending with 1921, the average annual rate was 12,99. A remarkable decrease in the rate is shown in the last five years, but in the five years preceding this. In the half-decade ending with 1916, the average annual rate was 19.35. From 1917 to 1921, inclusive, the average annual rate was 6.63.

### EPIDEMIC HIT CITY IN 1910.

A severe typhoid epidemic struck the city in 1910. The epidemic started in the city health department to action, and the next year the rate dropped to 8.66 and has not been above seven since that in 1912.

The epidemic of 1910 was traced chiefly to typhoid being carried in milk from the home of a producer where a member of the family had the disease and to be carried in food. The health department took steps to prevent the recurrence of either of these causes and also immunized hundreds of people.

While the rate is nothing to compare with what it was ten years ago, Indianapolis has the second highest in the country in which nearly 100,000 persons have died in 1921 than Indianapolis, the rate was 8.6, as compared with the local 7.67.

### SAYS HIGH DEATH RATE IS UNNECESSARY.

"Indianapolis might just as well have a typhoid rate of one or two," said Dr. Horace E. Morris, secretary of the board of public health. "On the other hand, conditions are such any time the rate might shoot up to twenty-five or twenty-six, as it did in 1910. When we have the number of open vaults we have in Indianapolis, we can have an epidemic of alarming proportions at any time. The only way to stop it down is all the time clean and linear and live all the time, which means seventy-five loads of night soil a day are handled through the streets of Indianapolis and dumped on Sellers Farm. When this city is properly paved, sewer and homes equipped with sanitary arrangements for disposing of filth we shall not have to worry about typhoid epidemics. Until then we shall always be on the anxious seat."

## GROCERS HEAR SHOW REPORTS

Vaudeville to Be Feature of Food Exposition.

A meeting of Indianapolis grocers with the various committees having the food show in charge was held last night at the Chamber of Commerce, and reports were heard regarding the progress of the work to be done. It will be held in Union Hall beginning April 20. Various special attractions have been lined up by the program committee, including a women's orchestra, a woman vaudeville soloist, and several other vaudeville acts which will be shown nightly. In addition, the committee has arranged to provide for free dancing at certain hours, a singing contest, and a baby show which the public will judge through a system of voting. On the final night, a sweepstakes prize will be awarded to the baby adjudged best.

The committee announced it was not ready to report concerning the assigning of guest tickets for the various civic and fraternal organizations of the city. The first night will be given to the public and the Saturday night following will be given over to the commercial travelers. Other organizations will be assigned special evenings, the committee said.

Dean, manager of the show, said practically all the space had been assigned. Some of the better shows will be works of art and would cost several hundred dollars. Most of the food product manufacturers of the city will have displays and demonstrations.

Excursion Season of C. I. & W. Opens May 7

The Cincinnati, Indianapolis & Western Railroad today announced that its Sunday excursion train will open May 7. The train will operate excursions to Marion, Ind., and the length of Indiana. Turkey Run, and Decatur, Ill., every Sunday. An excursion train will go to Cincinnati, May 7, and every other Sunday thereafter during the season.

Would Give Legion Post Dissette Home

Major Samuel Lewis Shank said today he favors giving the Dissette residence, acquired recently in the purchase of the Dissette estate northwest of Indianapolis, to the park board for use of the Irvington post of the American Legion as a clubhouse. The park board has been puzzled what to do with the house, which is a mansion in type, ever since it came into possession of the city. Part of it will be used as a shelter for gophers, and the remainder will be loaned out in surrounding fields.

The mayor and Mrs. Shank attended a dance given by the Irvington post in the house last evening.

## "Only One Thing Breaks My Cold"

The relief that Dr. King's New Discovery gives from stubborn old colds, and uncrushing new ones, gripe and throat-torturing coughs has made it the standard remedy it is today. Time-tried for fifty years and never more popular than today. No harmful drugs.

You will soon notice the relief in loosened phlegm and eased cough.

Always reliable, and good for the whole family. Has a convincing healing taste with all its good medicinal qualities. At all druggists, 60 cents.

## Dr. King's New Discovery For Colds and Coughs

The Results of Constipation are sick headaches, biliousness, sallow skin, waste matter in the intestinal system. Correct this health-undermining condition by taking Dr. King's Pills. 25 cents. All druggists.

PROMPT! WON'T GRIPPE Dr. King's Pills

## 'Y' CLASS IN OXY-ACETYLENE WELDING



The Y. M. C. A. has opened a new course in oxy-acetylene welding. This course, which will run for ten weeks, is a practical shop course. The student learns to weld by welding. Scholarships are still available to ex-service men, who can secure the course for half price. The picture shows the class at work.

## RETAIL MEN OF STATE INVITED TO CONVENTION

Chamber of Commerce to Conduct Better Business Exposition March 29.

Announcement was made today by John B. Johnson, general secretary of the Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce, of the program of the better business convention, which will be conducted in the Y. M. C. A. saving stations in business, which will be held in the Lincoln Hotel all day March 29, under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce. Announcements of the convention inviting the retail merchants from all over Indiana have been put in the mails by the chamber.

The Indiana State Livestock Sanitary Board, along with the State Bureau of Animal Industry, hopes to enlarge the viewpoint of Mr. Average Citizen concerning the career of a cow at the opening of the Indiana State Health Exposition May 19.

The exhibit of these allied departments will visualize the travels of Mrs. Cow from the time she leaves the farm, through the slaughterhouse, and on to the consumer.

"We will feature a modern slaughterhouse as part of our exhibit," said Dr. R. C. Julien, State veterinarian, in announcing plans for his exhibit. "If we can forcibly convey to the public the knowledge of the innumerable measures taken to insure the safety of the meat, it may contribute to the success of the general plan to urge the people of our State to live a little longer. By means of specimens we will show clearly the effect of bovine tuberculosis upon meat producing animals, and we will indicate clearly the methods in use for controlling and eliminating, as far as possible, this disease among livestock."

Dr. J. N. Hurley, secretary of the State

board of health, announced that Purdue University will undoubtedly cooperate with Dr. Julien in presenting this exhibit as one of the many features of the Health Exposition.

The Woman's City Club through its president, Miss Adele I. Storch, assured the members of the State board of health that the club would actively cooperate in the promotion of the exposition.

Dr. Adele Schweitzer has been appointed a committee of one to represent the Woman's Club at a meeting of the central committee of the exposition to be held at the Chamber of Commerce on March 24.

## DR. ALEY TELLS STUDENTS NOT TO DIE ON '3D'

Uses Baseball Term to Drive Home Meaning in Address at Bloomington.

Special to The Times.

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., March 22.—Education should be the first ideal of every college and university, said Dr. Robert Judson Aley, president of Butler College, speaking at Indiana University convocation exercises here today on the subject, "College Ideals."

Dr. Aley also addressed the Bloomington Rotary Club and the pupils of Bloomington High School.

"The college was founded for the purpose of education," said Dr. Aley. "Education has permitted it to live, and if the college is to take its place as a necessity of life in the future, it must continue its first function—education."

"The successful college should provide a retreat for scholars. Dr. Aley continued, "those who wish to devote their time and talents to study may do so, and also where education may be advanced as it cannot be advanced in secondary schools."

"Progress, individually or nationally, comes only after hard work. Usually the man who is given the greatest the face value of the result. But success in little things leads to astounding success later. Sometimes about a college one hears of a high grade as being 'accidental or lucky.' Nothing worth while in life is just accidental or lucky. Permanent time does not happen. The reward comes to the faithful, and this is just as true inside college as out."

"I cannot estimate the value of friendships gained in college. The rewards of friendship often do not appear until years after the friends were established, but a friend is as valuable an asset as a man or woman can have. Friendship are encouraged in an ideal college. They are the keystone of human and social relationship."

"Financing Education was Dr. Aley's subject in his address. Costing in this address he took up the costs of public and secondary education, as well as those of colleges and universities.

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## Boy, Kindly Usher Mr. Stankevitz to a Front Page Box

CHICAGO, March 22.—Sava Stankevitz, baritone with the Russia Grand Opera Company, attempted to stab himself in the heart with a pair of manicure scissors as the curtain rose.

"Ouch!" he yelled from behind the scenes. The jab in the breast proved too painful and he fainted. He was taken to a hospital and will be released today.

The company was organized by former Premier Kerenski.

Education funds below their present average.

Dr. Aley advised Bloomington High School pupils to go to college. "You are only getting ready to win," he said. "The real game of life is ahead and you want to be prepared for it. Don't make the mistake sometimes seen in baseball. Don't die on third."

## 200 Moors Killed by Spanish Troops

LONDON, March 22.—Two hundred Moors were killed and 300 wounded in battle with Spanish troops near Alhucemas, Morocco, said a Central News dispatch from Madrid today. A Spanish warship is shelling the Moorish positions on the coast near Alhucemas.

## CREAM CLEARS A STUFFED-UP HEAD

Instantly Opens Every Air Passage—Clears Throat Too.

If your nostrils are clogged and your head is stuffed because of nasty catarrh or a cold, apply a little pure, antiseptic cream into your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage, soothing and healing swollen, inflamed membranes and you get instant relief.

Try this. Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balsam, a cold remedy. In this address he took up the costs of public and secondary education, as well as those of colleges and universities.

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education to a minimum."

Try this. Get a small bottle of Ely's

Cream Balsam, a cold remedy. Your

clogged nostrils open right up; your head is clear; no more hawking or snuffing.

Count fifty. All the stuffiness, dryness,

struggling for breath is gone. You feel

admirable—Admirable.

26 Pieces in gray covered chest, \$7.95.

only forced her deeper into the mire. Her body was half submerged in mud when found.

Death was due to cold and exposure, the coroner's office ruled.

## Women! Dye Things New in Diamond Dyes

Each package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions so simple any woman can dye or tint her worn, shabby dresses, skirts, waists, coats, stockings, sweaters, coverings, diapers, hangings, everything, even if she has never dyed before. Buy a package—no other kind than perfect home dying is sure because Diamond Dyes are guaranteed not to spot, fade, streak, or run. Tell your druggist whether the material you wish to dye is wool or silk, or whether it is linen, cotton or mixed goods—Advertise.

## L.S.AYRES & Co.

## Special Sale of Savoy Pattern Community Par Plate

A Discontinued Design Offered at Half the Customary Price

With the discontinuance of the Savoy pattern, we are enabled to offer remaining articles in this design at half the usual price. Guaranteed for 10 years.

Medium knives, set of 6, \$2.50. Soup spoons, set of 6, \$1.50. Medium forks, set of 6, \$1.50. Butter knives, 35¢ each. Tablespoons, set of 6, \$1.50. Dessert spoons, set of 6, \$1.50. Baby spoons, 35¢ each. Pickle forks, 50¢ each. Soup ladles, \$2.00 each.

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—Ayres—Silverware, street floor.

## A Blouse Tailored, Dainty At \$3.95

This is the kind of a blouse to wear with tweed and twill tailored suits this spring, if you would be utterly smart and practical.

A striped dainty, tailored with yoke back and front and two box plaits; the collar Peter Pan style; cuffs, turn-back, to be worn with link buttons, and a final chic touch is the four-hand tie of striped silk.

\$3.95 takes it. Ayres—Blouses, third floor.

## Linen Napkins \$2.95 the Doz.

As a special value for Thursday's shoppers, all-linen bleached damask napkins, 20-inch size, are priced at \$2.95 the dozen. Any other day the same kind at their regular pricing is higher.

All-linen pattern tablecloths in sizes 2, 2 1/2, 3 and 3 1/2 yards, being odd and soiled pieces, are greatly reduced in prices for clearance.

**Fancy Linens** including luncheon sets, cloths, tablecloths, scarfs, napkins and doilies; being mussed and soiled, are likewise reduced in their price to achieve an immediate disposal.

—Ayres—Linens, second floor.

## Fiber Scarfs Now, \$2.95

Neck scarfs of brilliantly striped fiber with fringed ends are shown in predominating shades of jade, caramello, tomatto, black and corn. These measure two yards in length and about fifteen inches in width.

Wear them under the collar of your topcoat and with your soft-colored tweed suits.

Think how little to pay \$2.95 really is.

—Ayres—Sweater section, third floor.

## For Bath and Toilet Two Soap Specials

Palmolive soap, 12,000 cakes at—

89c Dozen

Lemon soap, 600 cakes at—

6c Each, 69c Dozen

—Ayres—Toilets, street floor.

## Postum for Health—"There's a Reason"

Made by Postum Cereal Co., Inc., Battle Creek, Mich.

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