

OPERATES THREE THOUSAND TIMES

Dr. Eugene Hurd, American Surgeon in Russian Army, Performs that Number During War.

HAS MANY NARROW ESCAPES

(Correspondence of The Associated Press.) PITTSBURGH, March 15.—More than 2,000 surgical operations, more of them close to the fighting line and with the roar of artillery in his ears, is the last year's record of Dr. Eugene Hurd, until recently the only American surgeon at the front with the Russian forces.

Hurd has been reported several times killed, wounded or missing. He has made a number of hurried getaways, but he has always turned up with his outfit when the smoke cleared.

His first taste of battle was on the Grodno front. On the retreat of the Russian army last summer Hurd narrowly escaped an involuntary transfer of his activities to the German side.

Escapes Under Fire. At another time the German cavalry broke through the Russian lines before Hurd was aware of the fact and had cut his field telephone.

"I believe the Russian soldier to be the best in the world," he said, on a recent visit to Petrograd, his third brief absence from the trenches in more than a year.

The Russian is a fatalist, is absolutely fearless, willing to attack under any conditions and is an expert with the bayonet, his favorite weapon.

A new form of trench bomb, filled with an acid that acts like vitriol, is the latest element we have to contend with. The effect is fatal if the fumes are inhaled and the least effect is to produce total and permanent blindness.

A remarkable thing that I have observed is the number of cases of frozen feet among German prisoners, while I have yet to treat the first Russian for that trouble. The reason is that the Germans wear close fitting boots, while the Russian boot is large, and in place of socks he winds his feet in yards of woolen cloth.

I insist upon rigid discipline in my corps of assistants, and through a system of packing and handling which I have devised, I can break camp and be on the move within twenty minutes, or I can unlimber and begin an operation within ten minutes after arrival.

METHODIST MISSION HELPS KOREAN EDUCATIONAL FUND

(Correspondence of The Associated Press.) SEOUL, Korea, March 25.—The American Methodist Episcopal church is the first of the foreign missionary bodies to subscribe to the new Korean educational fund from which private schools are being given the same for maintenance.

Obviate Blots.

The official photo over the plate shows he first saw the light of day. The photograph shows the man who has never seen daylight since he was born with the blotch over his nose.

PROHIBS ARE JOYOUS LOT

Government May Take Over the Patent Whiskey Stills in the British Isles.

DISTILLERS NOT FIGHTENED

(Correspondence of The Associated Press.) LONDON, March 25.—Teetotalers and prohibitionists have hailed with joy an intimation by David Lloyd George, the minister of munitions, that all patent whiskey stills in the British Isles will be taken over by the government for war work until the end of the year, to be used for the production of certain of the ingredients of explosives.

There will be no shortage of whiskey, however. The distillers say they have a stock in hand quite sufficient to supply the normal consumption in this country for at least three years.

Bishops in Ireland Allude to the War in Lenten Letters

(Correspondence of The Associated Press.) DUBLIN, April 2.—The Irish Roman Catholic bishops, in their Lenten pastoral letters, direct attention to the necessity for thrift and for raising as much food-stuffs as possible on the farms. There are frequent allusions to the war in the pastorals, the most emphatic exhortation to recruiting appearing in the letter of the bishop of Tuam, Dr. Healy, who hopes that while the people will till their fields, they will also be ready to fight for their country.

Cardinal Logue speaks of the war as "not only the greatest and most destructive war in history, but a war that seems to have stirred to their lowest depths the worst and most depraved of human passions." The distinction between soldier and civilian seems to be ignored.

"If anyone thinks," he says, "that the millions of working men trained to arms in Europe will settle down peacefully to starvation at the end of the war in order to help to reassemble fortunes for their betters, he may have a rude awakening."

BOYS STOP DYNAMITE TRAIN

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CUBAN PARTIES NAME THEIR TICKET

President Menocal, with a Good Record, Said to Stand Chance for Re-Election.

LIBERALS ARE VERY DUBIOUS

(Correspondence of The Associated Press.) HAVANA, March 25.—With the holding of both the conservative and liberal party conventions the naming of the principal candidates for the presidential election in Cuba is completed, as follows: Conservatives: President, Mario G. Menocal for re-election; General Emilio Nunez, secretary of agriculture, for vice president.

Liberals: Dr. Alfred Zayas, former vice president under the Gomez administration of 1909-13 for president; and Dr. Carlos Menditea, a member of the house of representatives, for vice president.

The nomination of Zayas and Menditea is hailed by practically all factions of the liberal party as ending the long-continued feud between the supporters of Zayas and the Miguelistas, who are the followers of the former president, Jose Miguel Gomez. This feud grew out of the apparently implacable hostility of President Gomez to the presidential aspirations of his former colleague in the administration.

From the beginning of the feud in the early days of his administration General Gomez has declared that nothing could reconcile him to the support of Zayas until finding himself outgeneraled by the political dexterity of the latter and all hope of his own nomination vanished. He gave his adhesion to the verdict of the convention. That he gave it grudgingly, and that there is some doubt whether he will give his enthusiastic personal support to the ticket, is evidenced by the fact that he refused to attend the convention and, after the adjournment when the triumphant Zoyistas gathered in front of his palace on the Prado demanding that he address them, he declined to do so and delegated the vice presidential candidate to speak in his behalf.

With President Menocal in control of all the machinery of the government, having the support of the army, and himself popular with a good record of administration, he will not be easily defeated. There is, however, in the conservative party an element which is opposed in principle to re-election, and what the strength of this element may be can

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only be developed during the course of the campaign. On the other hand the voting strength of the liberals is unquestionably great and will be increased by the support of many Cubans who, without any distinct political affiliations or hostility to the administration, are disposed to welcome a change.

What the liberals profess to fear is that they will be done a fair count and that the party in power will adopt the tactics of ballot box stuffing. They also say that, since the incorporation of the old rural guard in the regular army there is grave danger of military terrorism at the polls. Hence there is renewed discussion of the advisability of asking the United States government to appoint a commission to supervise the registration and voting as the only means of assuring a perfectly fair election and obviating the peril of revolution that might result from any suspicion of unfairness. It is unlikely, however, that this step will be resorted to for some time, at least until party passions should become dangerously aroused.

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WIFE OF BAKER, THE ENGLISH EXPLORER, DIES IN LONDON

(Correspondence of The Associated Press.) LONDON, March 25.—Lady Florence Baker, widow of Sir Samuel White Baker, author and explorer, who died recently at Newton Abbot, Devon at 74 years of age, was known as one of the most daring explorers. In 1841 she accompanied her husband upon an expedition for the discovery of the Nile source. The party went on without interpreter or guide and in defiance of the opposition of the slave hunters who attempted to bar

their progress. She also accompanied her husband when he commanded an expedition to Central Africa organized by the Khedive for the suppression of the slave traffic. She was the first white woman, as her husband was the first man, to set foot in the region of the Albert-Nyanza lake.

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If you favor my platform vote for me and have your friends do likewise.