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Childlessness In Certain Blood Groups is Likely

Some couples may be childless or hope for only one living child; any other children they may have will be born dead or die shortly afterwards. So said Dr. Charles Weiss, chief of the clinical laboratories at the Mount Zion Hospital and associate professor of research medicine on the San Francisco campus of the University of California. This tragic circumstance may be caused by incompatibilities in their blood groups, including those known as Rh, which may be detected by laboratory tests.

Writing in California and Western Medicine, Dr. Weiss relates a number of instances in which women had one living child and then a series of still births or babies that died shortly after birth from a blood disease of the newborn, fetal erythroblastosis. In nearly every one of these instances, the father was found to have the Rh factor in his blood, while the mother lacked it. This factor in the baby's blood, which is inherited from the father, is harmful in itself and is contained in the blood of 85 percent of the population. It leads to production of antibody in the mother's blood and the antibody then destroys the blood of the infant.

Women who have had repeated miscarriage or who have given birth to babies with anemia, jaundice or fetal erythroblastosis should have a blood test for the Rh group, Dr. Weiss emphasized. "This is particularly important if they plan to have another pregnancy or a transfusion, even many years later."

SUFFERS BURNS
 Miss Connie Lippencott, waitress in a local restaurant, was severely burned when her skirt caught fire in her hotel room early this week. She was taken to Torrance Memorial Hospital in an ambulance.

Work of Red Cross Staff at Local Army Hospital Is Told

The American Red Cross is functioning in this community and at the Station Hospital of the Los Angeles Port of Embarkation, just as it is in hundreds of military and naval hospitals throughout this country and abroad to aid in the comfort, welfare and recreation of the servicemen. Field directors are also maintained in the many camps and military posts to administer to the needs of the able-bodied servicemen just as the hospital staffs tend to the sick and wounded.

Wrapped up in that name "Red Cross" are activities as numerous as human problems can be, and all are performed by the Red Cross staff at the Station Hospital at Torrance. Few realize the scope of American Red Cross services to the armed forces, comprising more than 80 percent of all Red Cross activity. Often called upon to pull the proverbial rabbit out of the hat, the staff here does its best to solve the non-military problems of the patients and men on the post, working in full cooperation with the medical officers and men. The resident staff of six women include the assistant field director, staff social worker, senior recreation worker and three hospital workers, holding out one collective hand to the people at home and the other to the servicemen in hospitals away from family and friends.

To keep close contact with this Red Cross hospital staff, more than 3,000,000 volunteer workers in 3,756 chapters and 6,085 branches throughout the United States stand ready day and night to locate relatives, notify of serious illness and death, arrange for emergency transportation, make financial loans, serve through recreational and social workers the patients in this United States Army hospital, establish and operate the hospital recreation building and perform scores of other jobs. It is said women's work is never done. The same is true of the American Red Cross staff at the hospital, available 24 hours per day for communication to and from the hospitalized serviceman and his family at home. They dissolve worries caused by personal difficulties which threaten to retard recovery. In group and individual discussions, they give knowledge of the extensive benefits offered by federal and state government pensions, vocational training and cooperate in referring the discharged serviceman for future employment in civilian life.

Liberty Ship Will Bear Colden's Name

Friends of the late Congressman Charles J. Colden of the 17th congressional district were informed this week by Rep. Cecil King, now congressman from this district, that a new Liberty ship under construction at a Richmond, Calif., yard will be given Colden's name.

King said the date of the christening of the ship by the congressman's widow, Mrs. Clara Colden, who lives in San Pedro, has not been set.

Twenty-one San Pedro organizations took the request for the name assignment to the Maritime Commission through King's office.

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Business, professional or personal cards are readily obtainable at the Torrance Herald office. Phone Torrance 444, 443 Torrance 444 or 443 for estimates.

Perigord to Talk At LAPE Club

Dr. Paul Perigord, professor of history at UCLA and Free French consul at Los Angeles, and Richard English, short story writer, will address the Round Table of the Los Angeles Port of Embarkation Officers' club Friday.

A French Army captain in World War I, Dr. Perigord is a leading figure in American activities with relation to the Fighting French movement. He will speak on "Contribution of France to Victory."

English will talk on Nazi activities in the Argentine, a subject on which he is an authority. He made a survey when Dakar and the bulge of Brazil figured in the war news and is completing a book on this subject.



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