

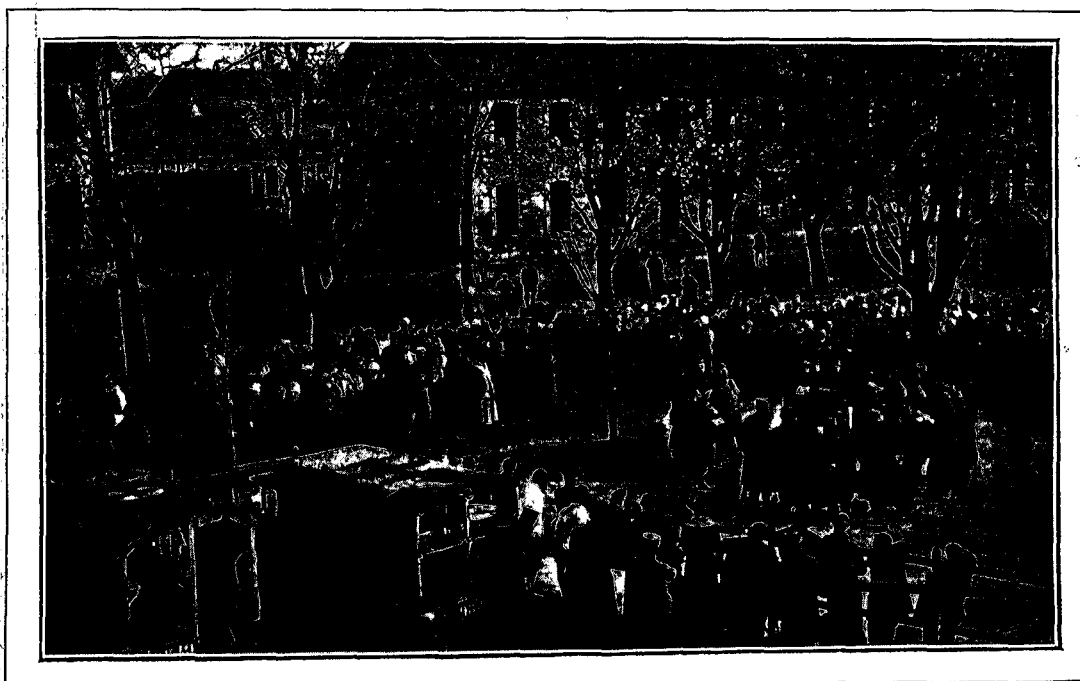
his temperature up to 105 degrees, he was sure the doctor would not send him away after that, but, poor boy, he had to go as his bed was needed for others. The wounded when they come in say it is strange to be put into a bed, most of them have been in the trenches for eight months or more and they look so tired, and when we sponge them after they are admitted and give them hot soup, they sleep for about two days and we don't get any news from them, they only waken up to be fed and dressed, then they go to sleep again, but after two or three days they get over this feeling and enjoy the fun with the others.

"When the day is fine, we get most of our patients outside. Some sit on chairs, others who cannot walk are carried out on stretchers. We make big shady paper hats for them and they

CONDITIONS IN MONTENEGRO.

Dr. Isabel Ormiston, Chief Medical Inspector of Schools to the Government of Tasmania, and Mrs. Patton Bethune, who were sent by the Wounded Allies Relief Committee as a Sanitary Commission to Montenegro, have arrived at Cettigne safely, after an adventurous journey. They report that the Montenegrin Government sends an urgent request for a self-supporting hospital unit, accompanied by vaccine, disinfectants and destructors, to combat the typhus epidemic in Ipek and the surrounding country. The Wounded Allies Relief Committee is proceeding to equip and despatch a suitable unit.

It is proposed by Mrs. Portman Dalton, Fillingham Castle, Lincoln, to provide a recreation or



URGENCY CASES HOSPITAL, BAR-LE-DUC.

get their meals outside, so that I can't think of a happier sight than the brave French soldiers all chatting one to another in the lovely sunshine.

"To-night we had a concert (May 1st), and the band played the 'Marseillaise' and 'God save the King,' and I was sorry when they finished. It was a lovely night and all the patients who could be out of bed were there. The concert was held just a little way from the hospital, or I should say in the hospital grounds, and we all helped to get our patients comfortably seated; both patients and nurses enjoyed the music and they are altogether a happy lot."

The picture shows the staff and patients listening to a choir of French soldiers in the yard of the typhoid hospital, Bar-le-Duc.

rest hut for the convalescent soldiers of the 4th Northern General Hospital, Wragby Road, Lincoln. The scheme has the warm support of the Duke and Duchess of Portland, and only about £200 remains to be contributed, which no doubt we shall soon hear has been received.

It will be a comfort to many bereaved relatives of soldiers who have fallen in the war that a Graves Registration Commission, of which Major Fabian Ware is Commanding Officer, has been appointed under the direction of the Adjutant-General of the British Army in the Field. Already 3,400 graves have been registered, and crosses, or more permanent inscriptions, been provided in 1,600 cases.

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