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### Kansas Consolidated Petroleum Company (DELAWARE) A HOLDING COMPANY 7 Per Cent Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock

PAR VALUE \$100 FULL PAID AND NON-ASSESSABLE CAPITALIZATION

7 Per Cent Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock \$500,000  
Common Stock 2,000,000 150,000

#### SALIENT FEATURES

The Kansas Consolidated Petroleum Company has purchased over 90 per cent of the entire capital stock of the following companies, which are now its subsidiaries:

St. Louis Oil & Refining Company National City Oil Company  
Big Four Oil Company Niagara Oil Company

These subsidiary companies have been operating for several years in the El Dorado field of Butler County, Kansas.

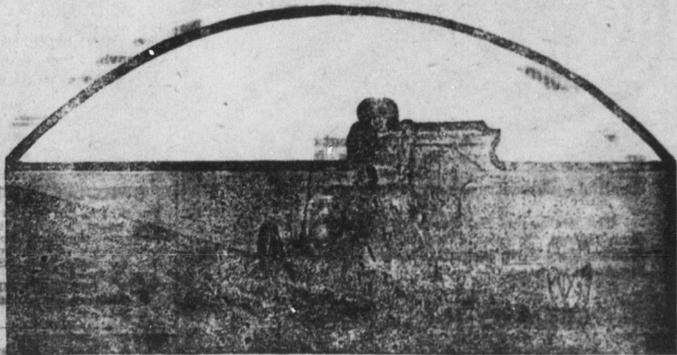
Leases owned over 1,200 acres in Kansas, Oklahoma, Burkhardt, Texas.  
Twelve producing wells, oil and gas.  
Daily production average better than 500 bbls. oil.  
Complete refinery with 84,000 gallons gasoline daily capacity.  
Twelve miles of pipe line.  
Twenty-five steel tank cars.  
Equipment owned includes casing, superheated and wood tanks, tank wagons, derricks, engines, etc., having total appraised value of over \$1,000,000.  
Earnings for past six months have averaged \$1,000,000 daily, or approximately \$360,000 annually—more than ten times the dividend requirement on the Preferred Stock.  
Field management under personal direction of C. R. Edgcomb, formerly manager for Condon & Company, at Cushing, Oklahoma.  
Annual earnings of combined subsidiary companies, together with total value of refinery and equipment, would more than liquidate the entire capital stock of Kansas Consolidated at par.  
Initial dividend on this preferred stock paid July 1st, 1919.  
Application will be made in due course for listing both the preferred and common shares on the Kansas City Stock Exchange and the New York Curb.

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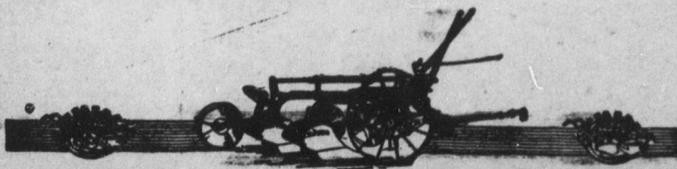
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## ENGLISH RELIEF TRAINS FOLLOW WARRING FORCES

American Supply Trucks Come in When War Machines Drive Out.

Close on the heels of the Polish troops that recently captured the city of Minsk from the Bolsheviks after a long siege, went a record-making American motor truck corps with a big supply of American milk and American crackers for the thousands of children suffering from hunger and disease as a result of the fighting.

That expedition furnished a rare example of efficient relief work. Details concerning it conveyed in reports received by the American Jewish Relief Committee, a constituent of the Joint Distribution Committee, show that the trucks had been waiting, loaded and ready, days before the fall of the city.

Dr. Boris D. Rogan, in charge of relief in Poland for the Distribution Committee, learned that in Minsk a large number of Jewish children, as well as other little folk, had been reduced to the verge of starvation by the investment of the city, and the generally deplorable conditions caused by the war; and he acted promptly. Day after day the trucks were kept in readiness for a dash into the place, and within five hours after the Polish Army had been victorious, distributing stations had been established and were in full operation.

American milk and American crackers were given out freely to all the needy little ones of Minsk. Conditions there were found to be terrible. How quickly the starving, terror-stricken people sensed the difference between the military motor car of the invader and the food-laden automobile of the relief unit has been graphically described in reports which have reached the American Jewish Relief Committee.

During the five miserable years of war the hum of an approaching airplane meant but one thing—an armored bearing troops or machine guns. A sense of time the relief cars of the Joint Distribution Committee rolled into the battered villages, but it was a long time before the terrified, hidden, hidden in their hovels, could be coaxed into the open. On many occasions it was necessary for the relief workers to sound whistles and horns to attract attention. After a while, however, the people learned to understand the difference, and frequently were seen that unit was passing through the country ahead of them from town to town. Then the greetings were by whistles. Often the miserable village wretches would be seen drawing near.

The unkempt children of Lodz particularly touched the sympathies of the whole staff. For a time there was trouble in convincing the children that they were to be fed and not harmed. Finally won over, they ate ravenously. Then a woman wavered and to a child a cake of soap. Their astonishment would have been laughable were it not so tragic. Hunger and ignorance of what they had been given led the little folk promptly to try to eat it. They supposed the soap was food.

In the bakery windows were a few loaves of bread, and the hungry Jewish children, who live on a cup of soup a day from the American Jewish Relief Station, tantalized themselves with the sight of this food which they cannot get. They pressed against the windows, an uncanny crew, with their eyes fixed on the sight of the bread fascinate them. The warm fragrance of the bakery wafted out to them when the door is opened. Those in front lick the bakery windows as if they are tasting the bread within. No post could ever put into words the wistfulness of those famished children.

Feeding these children will be accomplished by prompt subscriptions to the non-sectarian appeal for funds, which is being sent throughout Maryland during Thanksgiving Week.



### "OL' GLOVES"

The "ol' gloves" man is a high financier in Eastern Europe, and in Siberia where a pair of second-hand shoes sell for fifty dollars, and where the cast-off clothes of an American Red Cross worker were lately appraised as being worth more than a thousand dollars. American Jewish relief agents are constantly coming across destitute Jews wrapped in rags that they have not had of them once day or night in the last five years. Getting fresh clothes to them is quite as important as giving them food, now that the plus epidemic is carrying them off by hundreds. Typhus is a disease which flourishes inevitably among these people who have no change of clothing, and who lack even soap for their hair.



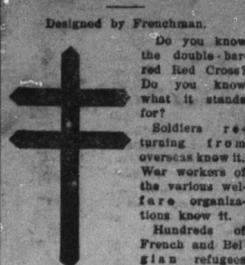
It's easy for any one to borrow trouble, but when it comes to borrowing happiness, well, that's different.

Money in Blueberries. The average profit from an acre of Maine blueberry land is said to be about \$100, and as no fertilizer or cultivation is necessary these berries are a quick and profitable crop. This is one of Washington county's big industries. For instance, the whole section from Pocompune mountain to the east Machias line is practically all blueberry land. Several factories are devoted to the canning of the berries.

Birds Driven by Storms. Certain instances of birds found singly far to the north of their usual range are possibly to be explained by the whirl of cyclonic storms. The wind, driving counter-clockwise, blows off-shore to the south and carries the bird out to sea. But, sooner or later, if the bird has the good fortune to land out of the experience, the farther side of the storm tends to bring him ashore again.

## DOUBLE-BARRED CROSS IS HEALTH EMBLEM

Insignia Of Anti-Tuberculosis Work Throughout World is 17 Years Old.



Designed by Frenchman. Do you know the double-barred Red Cross? Do you know what it stands for? Soldiers returning from overseas know it. War workers of the various welfare organizations know it. Hundreds of French and Belgian refugees know it. Disabled French and Italian soldiers hold it in veneration. Down in the French Province of Lorraine it is second in esteem only to the Lorraine Cross, which is somewhat resembles.

The double-barred Red Cross is the world-wide emblem of the world-wide fight against tuberculosis. It has flown over tuberculosis camps in all the allied countries. It has waved from the front of roiling tuberculosis clinics that have visited the most isolated rural districts of the United States. It waves today over camps in America where thousands of American soldiers and sailors are fighting tuberculosis contracted from exposure at the front, from being gassed, from the "flu" and from other experiences during the war.

In October, 1902, the International Anti-Tuberculosis Association adopted the double-barred Red Cross as the emblem of the world-wide fight against tuberculosis. It was proposed by Dr. G. Seration, of Paris. It is a combination of the Croix de Lorraine and the Greek Cross. Both crosses are symbols of charity and help to humanity.

Four years later, in 1906, the double-barred Red Cross was carried into America. It was in this year that the National Tuberculosis Association was formed and during the intervening years the cross has been carried all over the United States by the National Association and its affiliated State and local organizations that now number 1,900.

The Maryland Tuberculosis Association is one of these affiliated organizations. It is doing its part in the big nation-wide campaign to wage against tuberculosis. Owing to war conditions and the flu epidemic of last winter, the death rate from the disease has increased 16 per cent. A campaign of education, prevention and cure will be carried on with increased effort. To finance the fight, \$6,500 worth of Red Cross Christmas Seal for 1919 must be sold. Maryland's share is \$125,000. Of this amount \$100,000 will be raised in the City of Baltimore and the remainder in the counties. "Every seal is a penny's worth of cure and prevention."

The county quotas are: Garrett, \$800; Allegany, \$2,500; Washington, \$2,375; Frederick, \$5,100; Carroll, \$2,000; Montgomery, \$925; Baltimore, \$2,750; Harford, \$1,500; Howard, \$775; Anne Arundel, \$225; Prince George's, \$225; Calvert, \$200; St. Mary's, \$200; Charles, \$200; Cecil, \$200; Kent, \$200; Queen Anne's, \$200; and Dorchester, \$200; Worcester, \$200; Carroll, \$200.

Twenty Years Ago. Nobody swatted the fly. Nobody had appendicitis. Nobody wore white shoes. Nobody sprayed orchards. You never heard of a "Tin Lizzie." Advertisers did not tell the truth. Farmers came to town for their mail. The bird girl drew one-fifty a week. The butcher "threw in" a chunk of liver. Nobody "listened in" in a telephone. Strawstacks were burned instead of baled. Windows were left closed at night. There were no sleeping porches. Tuberculosis was called consumption and believed to be hereditary. Nobody bought and used Red Cross Christmas seals.

## TABLE SHOWS HOW MONEY MULTIPLIES

Trifle More Than One Hundred Dollars Monthly for Eight Months Will Grow into Thousand Dollars by January 1, 1924.

The following table will be of service to the individual who plans to save systematically throughout the year by means of War Savings Stamps. The stamps draw four per cent interest compounded quarterly. Each 1919 War Savings Stamp was worth last January \$4.12. Each stamp, because of the interest that is compounded, costs one cent more each month, so that next January it will cost \$4.24 and at the end of five years it will be worth \$5.

Thrifty Stamps are of the denomination of 25 cents and are the means by which one may accumulate small savings until a sufficient amount is saved to purchase a War Savings Stamp. They are invaluable for the thrifty saver who can lay aside only a small amount at a time.

Each Month	No.	Cost No.	Cost No.	Cost No.	Cost No.	Cost					
May	4.17	25	\$104.00	12	\$4.08	7	\$29.12	3	\$12.48	2	\$8.32
June	4.17	25	104.25	12	60.04	6	25.02	2	8.34	1	4.17
July	4.18	25	104.50	12	60.34	6	25.08	2	12.54	1	4.18
AUG.	4.19	25	104.75	12	60.65	6	25.14	2	8.38	1	4.19
Sept.	4.20	25	105.00	12	60.96	6	25.20	2	12.60	1	4.20
Oct.	4.21	25	105.25	12	61.28	6	25.26	2	8.42	1	4.21
Nov.	4.22	25	105.50	12	61.60	6	25.32	2	12.64	1	4.22
Dec.	4.23	25	105.75	12	61.92	6	25.38	2	8.46	1	4.23
TOTAL	200		\$39.00	100	419.48	50	209.72	20	83.88	10	41.92
Maturity Val.			1,000.00		503.00		250.00		100.00		50.00
Jan. 1, 1924.											

THIS IS THE RED CROSS CHRISTMAS SEAL FOR 1919.

Needs Brains First of All. "In our complex civilization and in our search for knowledge what ethical principles to follow," says a writer, "one might set forth reasonably confident in the Ten Commandments and the Sermon on the Mount.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Eliminated. Marie and Helen were playing horse one day, when Ruth joined them. They were not particularly anxious to see her that day, and finally said, "Well, you can be the maid and this is your day out."—Nebraska Awgwan.

Was Bound to Go Along. Harry's father and a friend were going for a walk one Sunday afternoon, and Harry insisted on going along. His father said he would give him a nickel if he stayed home. Harry refused. The father then promised to bring him back a bicycle if he stayed at home and was a good boy. Harry pondered this for a moment and replied: "No, I'll go along and ride it back."

## AROUND THE WORLD WITH THE AMERICAN RED CROSS.

In Belgium.



Hunger, disease and exposure were not all that Belgian children were subjected to, for enemy shells constantly dropped into what little of their country the invader did not hold. In this picture Red Cross nurses are seen taking some of the fifty babies from the American Red Cross nursery at La Panne into a bomb-proof structure as the Germans opened fire from the sea.

## A RED CROSS CONVALESCENT HOME



The hundreds of thousands of soldiers, sailors and marines, both at home and abroad testify to the comfort and entertainment that was offered them through the Red Cross Convalescent Home. Wherever the Red Cross has established one, it was always the center of welfare activity. At our big army hospitals there is still the utmost need for these rest places. Enroll now as a worker at local Red Cross Headquarters for the Third Red Cross Roll Call November 2-11, and continue the good work that is being done by these homes.

## WISE LITTLE CRAZY-QUILTERS OF THE JUNIOR RED CROSS



Industry, humanitarianism and patriotism, rebounding to the good of themselves and of others, are acquired by the ten million members of the Junior Red Cross, most of whom have enrolled through the schools of the country. They also learn the importance of hygiene and healthful activities. The needs of children of disabled service men and of the poor generally are partially met by the enterprise of these makers of the future America. One of the objects of the Third Red Cross Membership Roll Call, to be held November 2 to 11, will be to add the work of the Junior Red Cross. Enroll now as a worker at the local Red Cross Headquarters.

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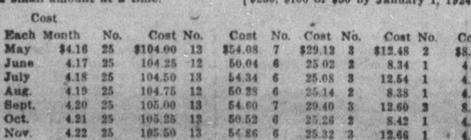
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## Did You Get Notice?

Isn't It Nice To be Turned Out Doors at Another's Whim?

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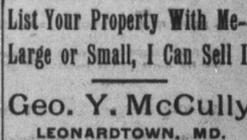
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