

activities of dietitians, physiotherapists, and occupational therapists from 1917 to 1961, it traces the history of the struggles to obtain status and recognition for three invaluable aids in the medical sphere in face of great difficulties and opposition. Finally, there emerged triumphant the newest of the six corps of the U.S. Army Medical Service, with the redoubtable Colonel Emma Vogel designated as its first chief. Written entirely by women, this book traces the history of these paramedical professions in the first world war, with their nondescript floppy uniforms, through the interwar years of neglect, to the emergence of the trim uniformed figures of the second world war.

It gives a detailed narrative of professional services rendered in the United States and on all fronts overseas. The need for occupational therapists overseas was not appreciated until a late stage in the second war, but the skills of the physiotherapists and dietitians added materially to the usefulness of hospitals on all fronts. The American soldier is particularly grateful for feminine charm, home comforts, and home cooking. In the Pacific theatre the substitution of Australian food products for genuine American articles caused heartburning, and "the palatability of American processed cheese, of spam, crackers, and cookies was greatly missed." In the China, Burma, and India theatres the Americans

regarded the British ration as inadequate nutritionally, as it contained many items which the U.S. troops rejected, but with the aid of U.S. dietitians and nutrition consultants new ration scales were introduced and satisfaction was obtained.

This book covers schedules of training programmes of further education and methods of operation up to and including the Korean campaign. It can be read with interest and profit by members of all branches of the armed Forces, and the 17 authors deserve congratulations. The photographs are numerous and excellent.

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