

ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION MAKES APPROPRIATIONS FOR WAR RELIEF.

The Rockefeller Foundation has announced appropriations of \$875,000 for purposes in connection with the war. Of this, \$475,000 will be spent in America for medical research and humanitarian aid and the remaining \$400,000 will go to continue relief activities now being carried on abroad.

The Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research gets \$200,000 for the Carrell Hospital to be established during the next few months in connection with it. This model hospital of 100 beds under the direction of Dr. Alexis Carrel, is to be used to teach the new methods of surgical treatment for infected wounds, worked out by Doctor Carrel and Doctor Dakin in France.

The Rockefeller Institute receives an additional \$60,000 for instructing military and other surgeons in new methods of diagnosis, for the preparation of serums similar to those it has sent abroad for use in army camps, and for the purpose of finding improved means of treating peritonitis and shock.

Funds were also provided for thorough study abroad of mental diseases among soldiers, and the kinds of provision needed for their care at the front and in base hospitals. This investigation is to be undertaken by Dr. Thomas W. Salmon, medical director of the National Committee for Mental Hygiene, who is to supervise American psychiatric hospitals to be established by the Government. Doctor Salmon will develop methods of receiving, classifying, and distributing the various kinds of mental and nervous disorders. The Foundation has appropriated \$15,000 for buildings for a naval psychiatric hospital to be erected on the grounds of the United States Marine Hospital in New York by the National Committee for Mental Hygiene and operated by the United States Public Health Service.

ROBINSON'S REMINDER.

This little book is a very convenient one, and just the size for the inside pocket. The pages are blank and perforated both ways so that a section can be torn out and filed away or given to any one a card. It is very suitable for jotting down thoughts as they occur or address. The copy received is with the compliments of Hayden's Viburum Compound.