

Britain Acts In Mercy Move.

Berlin, capital of the German <sup>Third</sup> Reich, presents a scene ~~unparalleled~~ <sup>unparalleled</sup> devastation. ~~Picture~~ <sup>That human</sup> of ~~starvation~~ <sup>unparalleled</sup> That human life should have survived in it is incredible; that young life should remain in it is undesirable.

Operation Stork is the first step to their removal. ~~Talking~~ <sup>Talking</sup> an economist ~~known~~ <sup>known</sup> Appreciation of this step is given by ~~him~~ <sup>him</sup> well known for his sane vision, Sir Arthur Salter.

Typhus is a louse-borne disease. ~~and in Berlin lice breed.~~ <sup>and in Berlin lice breed.</sup> ~~Following in the wake of~~ <sup>Following in the wake of</sup> ~~it scourges~~ <sup>it scourges</sup> famine ridden populations. ~~As~~ <sup>As</sup> ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup> Black Death of bygone days, typhus ~~has~~ <sup>has</sup> ~~surged~~ <sup>surged</sup> ~~over~~ <sup>over</sup> whole continents ~~in~~ <sup>in</sup> the aftermath of war.

LINE From the British section of Berlin some fifty thousand children are being evacuated on a voluntary basis at the rate of two thousand a day. Mothers of children between four and five years ~~old~~ <sup>old</sup> are included in the scheme which calls for one adult to every five children. They are being taken to rural areas of the British Zone where accommodation and food may be better assured.

Responsibility for their welfare on arrival is a matter ~~British~~ <sup>British</sup> action, at any rate, for their German hosts. ~~Some~~ <sup>Some</sup> ~~for~~ <sup>for</sup> these innocent victims, ~~afforded~~ <sup>afforded</sup> practical relief ~~into~~ <sup>into</sup> escape ~~may~~ <sup>may</sup> yet ~~escape~~ <sup>escape</sup> the mass starvation which faces ~~Germany~~ <sup>Germany</sup> this winter.

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