

DR. LUTHER H. GULICK, EDUCATOR, IS DEAD

Former Director of Physical
Training in New York Schools,
Expires in Maine Camp.

NOTED FOR HIS LECTURES

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Where He Made a Moral Survey
of Expeditionary Forces.

SOUTH CASCO, Me., Aug. 13.—Dr. Luther Halsey Gulick, educator and author, of New York, died at his camp here today. He was 52 years old.

Dr. Gulick was born in Honolulu, H. I., and was educated at Oberlin College, Harvard, and New York University. He was recognized as an authority upon physical training in the public schools and the author of many books on this subject. A series of lectures at the St. Louis Exposition in 1904 won him international recognition as an expert in such matters. He was Chairman of the International Committee on Physical Recreation of the War Work Council of the Y. M. C. A. until he had to give it up on account of his health.

Dr. Gulick held a large number of important positions and took part in a number of movements looking to the development of the physical being. He was physical director of the Y. M. C. A. at Jackson, Mich., in 1886, and from that year until 1903 he was Superintendent of the Department of Physical Training of the Y. M. C. A. at Springfield, Mass., and while there was one of the originators of the game of basketball. He was editor of *Physical Education*, 1891-93; editor *Association Outlook*, 1897-1900; Secretary American Association for Advancement of Physical Education, 1892-93; Principal of High School of Pratt Institute, 1900-03.

He came to New York in 1903 as director of physical training in the public schools, remaining in this position until 1908. He was director of the Department of Child Hygiene, Russell Sage Foundation, 1907-13; President Camp Fire Girls from January, 1913, to the time of his death; editor *Physical Education Review* 1901-03, President American Physical Education Association 1903, Vice President Y. M. C. A. Athletic League of North America 1903-06, Fellow New York Academy Medicine, Fellow A. A. A. S., and President Playground Association of America, in the founding of which he had a leading part.

He was Secretary of the Public Schools Athletic League of New York 1903-08, President Public School Physical Training Society, lecturer on school hygiene, personal hygiene, physical training and play, New York University, 1906; member Olympic Games Committee, Athens, 1906; London, 1908; United States delegate second International Congress on School Hygiene, London, 1907; received from Y. M. C. A. Training School, Springfield, Mass., degree of Master of Physical Education; consultant of Hospital for Deformities and Joint Diseases, and member of Permanent Committee International Congress of School Hygiene.

Dr. Gulick recently returned from France, where he made a moral survey of the American Expeditionary Force for the Y. M. C. A. The funeral will be held in Springfield, Mass., next Thursday.

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