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5.	The Trudovaks have medical facilities roughly comparable to those of the Army, are these do not differ appreciably from those available to the civilian populace.	d 25X1
6.	In time of emergency, the armed forces will mobilize doctors and medical supplies from civilian hospitals,	<u> </u>
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7.	children born after World War II are less healthy than those born before World War II.	25 X 1
	Tuberculosis appears to have hit the post-war children worse than those born before the last war. Food quality and variety are also	25 X 1
	definitely inferior in Bulgaria today than in the pre-war period.	25X1

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