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who had only 25 deaths in 1960, reached a peak of 36 in 1962, and decreased to 28 in 1966.

f. Pulmonary Embolism and Infarc-

tion, ICD 465 (Table 3)—Females age 15-44 increased from 177 deaths in 1960 to 335 in 1966. For whites the increase was especially prominent—from 113 in

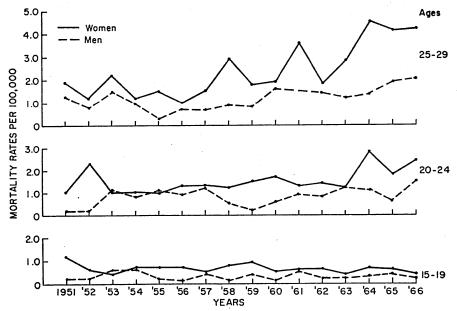


Figure 6—US mortality 1951-1966 from diseases of veins, etc. ICD (7th Rev.), 460-8, by sex and five-year age group; nonwhite, ages 15-29.

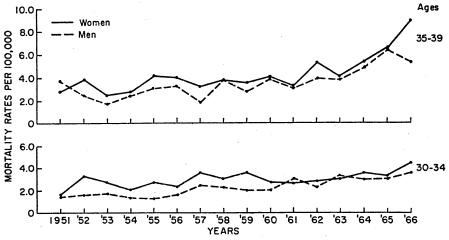


Figure 7—US mortality 1951-1966 from diseases of veins, etc. ICD (7th Rev.) 460-8, by sex and five-year age group; nonwhite, ages 30-39.