

GERMANS IMPRISON U. S. BOY 3 YEARS

Essington Youth Condemned to Die Saved by Papers From Washington

SERVED IN ARMY AND NAVY

After having been sentenced to death in Germany, Hugo Schaffer is back at his home in Essington with a thrilling tale of his experiences of three and one-half years in a German prison camp.

Eight years ago Schaffer's stepfather, Adolph von Erschenbach, of Le Grange avenue, Essington, brought Hugo to Philadelphia to teach him the art of painting.

Schaffer had been taken to Germany when he was six years old and had spent eight years there at a German school.

Given Brutal Treatment The Germans held that he was neither American nor German, but English, having served for some years on English ships.

In the meantime Schaffer had appealed to the American consul at Hamburg, for the United States had not yet declared war on Germany.

Bribes German Guard He managed to bribe a German guard to deliver a letter to a friend in Holland, who sent it on to von Erschenbach.

Schaffer's two brothers were in France with the American forces. An older brother, Adolph, is a member of the 147th Regiment, Field Artillery.

NEW SYMPHONY LEADER

N. Y. Orchestra Borrows Bodanzky From Metropolitan Opera House New York, May 20.—The New Symphony Society, which gave its first concert here recently, has persuaded the Metropolitan Opera Company to let it have Artur Bodanzky as its conductor.

HIGHWAY AS WAR MEMORIAL AGAIN URGED BY PENNELL

Artist Reiterates Lincoln Thoroughfare Plan as Nucleus of Project—Would Build Community Monuments Along Road

Joseph Pennell appealed to the Society of Engineers today to co-operate with the artists of the country to make the Lincoln Highway a "highway of heroes" as the great American war memorial.

"Let the engineers complete a great national highway from coast to coast, using the existing Lincoln Highway as a basis for it. Build it and then for each community of the country join in putting its memorials, temples, groves, parks, beaches, all beautiful fitting things along that highway. You make the road and we artists will make it beautiful."

Henry Ford says he doesn't give a damn for the war started, and I don't give a damn for Ford. I saw his ship on a vessel bound from this port for England. Returning, he went to Mexico.

MORE PHILADELPHIANS LANDED IN VIRGINIA Martha Washington Troopship Brings Number of State Soldiers From Overseas

The following Philadelphia soldiers have landed at Newport News, Va., on the transport Martha Washington: Three Hundred and Twenty-first Machine Gun Battalion—John L. Kappa, 2525 South Philadelphia street; Stanley Rasch, 3536 East Thunberg street; Frank Culbertson, 6137 Walton avenue; Andrew Seim, 924 Palmer street; John P. Ford, 2523 North Front street; James Sykes, 6049 Elmwood avenue; Washington Venezia, 2180 East Livingston street; Fred Fenderson, 2043 South Cecil street; Samuel Karsvar, 1225 North Marshall street; William Diegel, 1315 North Warner street; William Jones, 1321 West Silver street; John Boyer, 2806 street; Alfred Chaput, 4725 North Marvins street; Anthony Dostman, 825 Calowhill street; Eugene Migile, 1210 McKean street; Philip Netto, 115 Ponce street; Robert Slutter, 139 East Lippincott street.

Thomas Rossman, 3222 Hurley street; William Brainer, 154 East Courtland street; Albert Good, 4342 Haverford avenue; William Thaler, 2443 North Third street; Thomas Collins, 1249 North Wanmaker street; Edgar Eavis, 4625 Ditman street; George Tankel, 245 Greenway street; John Caron, 1828 East Cornwal street; Joseph A. Ails, 2824 Pratt street; Edmund Armstrong, 2823 North Orianna street.

Three Hundred and Seventy Field Signal Battalion—Josh Becker, 1033 Hunter avenue; Louis Greenberg, 1033 South Front street; Joseph Mullen, 1923 East Cumberland street; Henry Feinman, 4722 North Thirteenth street; Francis McNeerney, 934 North Sixty-fourth street; Ralph Ealy, 6123 Market street.

Casuals—Patrick Flynn, 224 South Fifty-second street; Joseph Swatley, 2052 South Wattle street; Edward Bradley, 2845 North Ninth street; Sick on route—Adolph Ernst, Jr., 143 West Wyoming avenue.

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Brazilian Flies Back From War Rio Janeiro, May 20.—(By A. P.)—The Brazilian aviator Ruy Grande do Sul, which has been attached to the Brazilian European squadron, arrived at Pernambuco yesterday with Brazilian aviators who served with the allied forces in France.

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The Salvation Army Lassie Helped GREATLY "Over There." Now she wants to help MIGHTILY Over Here. Help her to help others. PLEASE GIVE! SALVATION ARMY HOME SERVICE FUND. This space contributed by KAYSER & ALLMAN 1322 CHESTNUT ST.

WELFARE WORKERS TO MEET AT SHORE

Philadelphia Societies Will Send Delegates to Sessions on Social Endeavor

IN CONVENTION JUNE 1-8

Philadelphia welfare organizations will be well represented at the forty-sixth annual session of the National Conference on Social Work, which is to be held in Atlantic City June 1 to 8, inclusive.

After-war problems, which contrast so greatly with problems considered a year ago, are considered even more important. Social problems relative to prohibition will be among those of first importance.

Without the great road system of France, which dates from Napoleon, the country would still be going on," he said.

He said Philadelphia had the chance to build a beautiful bridge across the Delaware. "The engineers and the artists must work together on that," he said.

SALE OPENS TO AID CHILDREN OF POOR Proceeds Will Go to Equip Broomall Holiday House Near West Chester

Poor children of the city will be benefited by the proceeds of a rummage sale that opened today at 724 Chestnut street under the auspices of the Delta Kappa Psi Sorority, an organization composed of daughters of many socially prominent Philadelphia families.

Training School Planned Virgil V. Johnson, lately head of the Philadelphia Travelers' Aid Society and now secretary of the National Travelers' Aid Society, will outline some of the

plans for the training school soon to be established.

Delegates to the National Conference of Social Work will occupy pulpits in Atlantic City and nearby places Sunday morning, June 1, and the conference will hold its opening session in the evening, Wednesday afternoon and evening, June 4, have been set aside as the time for entertainment of delegates by Atlantic City residents.

Miss Julia C. Lathrop, of Washington, D. C., is president of the conference. William T. Cross, of Chicago, is general secretary and Charles W. Folds, of Chicago, is treasurer.

Some of the most prominent social workers of the country will be speakers at the general sessions, which will be held in the afternoons and evenings. There will also be special conferences of the division at times to be set later.

Sunday morning, June 8, there will be a mass-meeting for the discussion of the social problems relative to prohibition. Members of the conference will have their farewell luncheon Sunday noon, and the final addresses will be made then.

BLANKETS SAVE SHOES Stock of Germantown Store Successfully Protected in Fire

Shoes valued at several thousand dollars were saved from damage today by members of insurance patrol No. 4 at a fire in the shoe store of Harry Babst, 5731 Germantown avenue.

The fire started in the cellar of the store shortly after 3 o'clock this morning, and burned its way up to the first floor. Patrolman Harry Kulp saw the reflection of the flames and turned in an alarm. The fire was quickly extinguished by Engine Company 19, Truck 8 and the insurance patrol.

Captain Thurston Davies, of Gloucester, N. J., who has been overseas with the Twentieth Company of the Fifth Marines since last April, has returned home. Captain Davies wears two wound stripes, which he received for injuries in the fighting at Belleau Woods and in the Argonne.

HALLAHAN'S GOOD SHOES Commencing Tomorrow Speed-Up Sale

A Big Sale of Summer Shoes for Men, Women, Boys & Girls This is not a clearance of odd lots, but a big opportunity to get the finest footwear at bargain prices. The backward Spring slowed down business everywhere and now, just to make two sales grow where one grew before, we have taken thousands of pairs of the season's most popular styles and put them on sale at tremendous reductions.

Women's Pumps & Oxfords Worth Up to \$10.00

Whatever you may want is here. All the smart Oxford styles with high, medium or low walking heels, with Louis heels and with welted or turned soles. In all leathers—mahogany calf, gun-metal calf, gray kid, brown kid, black kid, white buck, and dozens of others—they're all here and all at this one price.

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Men's Oxfords That Are Worth Up to \$10.00 5.85

Boys' & Girls' Low Shoes In our Juvenile Departments are good shoes for boys and girls of all ages at prices that create wonderful values. For Instance Scufflers, of tan leather with good substantial soles; long wearing and comfortable.

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DEAR FOLKS: A GROUP of men and women sat at a round table in a private home recently. All of the guests commented on the splendid meal which the hostess served. It was a very simple meal but it was splendidly cooked and beautifully served. The table linen, the dishes, the floral piece in the centre of the table—everything harmonized. The meal started with a delicious tomato broth. Then each guest was served with pieces of steak at least two and a half inches thick and cooked just right. Baked potatoes, done to a "turn" were served with the steak. Hot biscuits, made by the hostess herself, were also served. There were ripe olives, tomato ketchup, coffee and delicious butter which made the biscuits taste exceptionally fine. For dessert were served some wonderful canned peaches and a large piece of chocolate cake, also made by the hostess. I was privileged to be one of the guests at this Sunday night meal. I expressed my appreciation of the very good food and the splendid cooking and the hostess said: "Thank you, but I have served you with a plain meal, as you know, yet somehow I take greater pleasure in serving a plain meal because my guests usually like it better and besides I think THE BEST THINGS ARE PLAIN." "Right," said I. "The simple, substantial dishes are always the most satisfactory." I then remarked to my hostess: "The steak you served tastes as though it came from Wilson & Co., Chicago. You know I was in Chicago several weeks, going through the Wilson & Co. plant and I saw how they handle their beef. The Beef Department is a wonderful place. I saw how the beef goes through its several processes of treatment before it is shipped, how it is carefully guarded and inspected before it is allowed to go to the public, and I want to tell you that I never felt so sure of the quality of the steaks and roasts I eat as I did after my inspection of the Wilson & Co. Meat Department. I assume that others in the packing industry are equally careful, but I know what Wilson & Co. do to protect the consumers, so I am naturally predisposed in their favor." "And the ripe olives you served and the butter and the canned peaches and the ketchup all tasted to me like Wilson & Co. products." Then the hostess gave me a very great surprise by saying, with a smile: "You are right about the steak. It did come from Wilson & Co. I bought it from my butcher, who says the meats he gets from Wilson & Co. are splendid and that he finds his customers like them very much." "The butter is Wilson & Co.'s Clearbrook Butter, and it is very fine. The coffee is Wilson & Co.'s Certified Blue Label Blend. Isn't it great?" "I will tell you also that I used Wilson & Co.'s Majestic Lard in baking the biscuits." "The ripe olives and the canned peaches and the ketchup also come from Wilson & Co." "I gave this dinner tonight in honor of you, because I know how enthusiastic you are about Wilson & Co. food products, and now that I have had a taste of them myself I want to tell you, hereafter I am going to buy the foods that I see in the butcher shops and grocery stores wearing that reassuring guarantee, 'The Wilson Label Protects Your Table.'" "That's a wonderful trademark when one thinks of it and grasps its full meaning. I do all of the marketing for our home and I am very glad that you introduced me to the Wilson & Co. products through your letters. You have told so many nice things about the workers and the fine spirit they show, and you have told us so much about Mr. Wilson and how fair and just he is that I just can't help supporting a house whose principles of business are so fine."

UNITED STATES RAILROAD ADMINISTRATION Director General of Railroads Broadway Limited Restored Patriotically withdrawn by the Pennsylvania Railroad as a war necessity, for the purpose of relieving the line for the more prompt movement of troops and Government supplies, the Broadway Limited will resume its daily trips Beginning May 25 Lv. North Philadelphia 4.40 P.M. Lv. Chicago 12.40 P.M. Ar. Chicago 9.55 A.M. Ar. North Philadelphia 7.54 A.M. Pennsylvania Railroad

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