

GERMANS CRUEL TO PRISONERS OF WAR, SAYS GERARD

Small Boys Shoot Nail-Tipped Arrows at the Helpless Soldiers

TRAIN DOGS TO BITE

Condemn Men to Death by Forcing Them in Typhus Camp

By Associated Press
New York, April 10. — British charges of cruel treatment received by war prisoners in Germany are confirmed by James W. Gerard. For the first time since his return from Germany the former American ambassador at the dinner of the Canadian club last night, told some of the things he had seen on visits to the German prison camps in the capacity of official representative of the British and Canadian governments.

"I have seen small boys," said Mr. Gerard, with German simplicity and kindness, march about the prison camps armed with bows and arrows and shoot arrows tipped with nails at the prisoners. At another camp I visited they trained German sheep dogs to bite British, and when the guards went through the camp they took the trained dogs with them and it was seldom that they failed to bite British soldiers." The commandant of this camp was removed, after long delay, upon complaint of Mr. Gerard.

Shame Decent Acts

"Another time there was typhus fever in a camp where Russians were interned. Saying that all the allies should stick together, the Germans placed English and French prisoners with the Russians in the same camp, thus condemning numbers of them to certain death."

As the climax of this story Mr. Gerard told how the inhabitants of a northern German town were imprisoned and held up to shame because they had given food and drink to a trainload of Canadian war prisoners who were starving and half dead with thirst.

WANT PLATINUM FOR WAR

Washington, April 10. — Wartime need of platinum for scientific purposes has prompted an appeal from the government to the country's jewelers to use substitutes for platinum wherever possible in mounting precious stones.

EDLSON HEARING DEFERRED

Hearing for "Natey" Edelson, arrested in Philadelphia, alleged to be one of the dope ring operating in this city, has been deferred for several days. Edelson's counsel asked a week's delay last Tuesday. Several witnesses including "Tony" Penn must be subpoenaed before the hearing can be held.

LEMONS BRING OUT THE HIDDEN BEAUTY

Make this lotion for very little cost and just see for yourself.

An attractive skin wins admiration. In social life and in business the girl or woman whose face and hands show evidence of constant care enjoys a tremendous advantage over those who do not realize the value of a healthy skin and a spotless complexion.

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quart of the most wonderful lemon skin softener and complexion beautifier by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth, so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan, and is the ideal skin softener, smoothener and beautifier. Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any pharmacy and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quart of this sweetly fragrant lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It naturally should help to soften, freshen, bleach and bring out the roses and beauty of any skin.

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STOTESBURY AND FELLOWS PLEDGE

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scribe to the bonds with which it is proposed to float the contemplated loan Pennsylvania financial interests, aside from popular subscriptions, would probably have to assume the responsibility of Pennsylvanians bearing their share of the national war budget.

Upon a basis of from eight to ten per cent, that share would amount to approximately \$300,000,000.

Millions For the State

The Governor has received assurances from such influential Pennsylvania financiers as E. T. Stotesbury, the Philadelphia banker, who is a member of the Executive Committee of the Pennsylvania Public Safety Committee, that he and others associated with him in the State's vast financial interests, are prepared to form corporations to establish great plants with which to provide the State with any industries it may now lack or might be required as a result of the war.

Mr. Stotesbury and his associates have further informed the Governor that they will see that the State is financially, industrially or otherwise prepared for the war and, representing millions of dollars as they do, are in a position to place Pennsylvania at the front in the war preparations now under way or being contemplated.

100 Per Cent. Efficiency

It is the Governor's desire that the State's share in the solution of the financial and other problems confronting the nation shall be 100 per cent.

If Pennsylvania should be called upon to deliver so many tons of coal or so many tons of munitions, or place, at a designated time, or place, it is the purpose of the Governor and of the Executive Committee of the Pennsylvania Public Safety Committee, that Pennsylvania shall be prepared to do so.

"An efficiency of 100 per cent," it was pointed out, will be the policy of the State administration and of the Public Safety Committee.

State Resources Pledged

The entire resources of the State of Pennsylvania are pledged to the nation through a resolution passed in the House this morning. The resolution, of Sarig, of Berks county, was the author of the resolution. Representative Stoffel, of Northampton county, would have the State's department of agriculture furnish seeds and cost to farmers, and the bill provides for the supervision of the planting and for a lien against crops for amount of cost of seeds.

Senate Pledges Resources

Resolutions pledging all the resources of Pennsylvania to the United States in the war with Germany, providing that State highways be put in shape for the speedy and convenient transportation of troops and munitions if need be and urging the people of Pennsylvania to work for the enlargement of the food supply of the Commonwealth by increasing their agricultural products from a sense of patriotic duty, were passed in the Senate at its session this forenoon.

The Sarig resolution of loyalty to the government and the tender of the State's resources was adopted on motion of Senator Vare after Senator Schantz had proposed that it be referred to the committee on judiciary special.

The food increase resolution was offered by Senator E. E. Smith. It sets forth, inasmuch as the United States is involved in war with Germany and the question of supplying food to her army is paramount it is the sense of the general assembly that the raising of crops and agricultural products be urged upon the people as a patriotic duty.

The bills that passed finally included two by Senator Edelman fixing the salaries of county commissioners at from \$2,000 to \$2,500 and of assistant county superintendents at \$1,500 to \$2,000. The bills provide that the salaries be paid semi-monthly instead of quarterly.

To Guard Capitol

Senator Buckman, immediately before the adjournment of the Senate today, offered a resolution that the State Capitol be guarded by a sufficient number of State police, to be on duty during the present crisis with Germany, the number to be left to the judgment of the State Police Department. The resolution was passed.

Senator Snyder's bill creating a Bureau of Economy and Efficiency in the Auditor General's Department passed second reading.

U. S. PLATE SITE PICKED

By Associated Press
Washington, April 10. — Secretary Daniels will announce to-morrow or possibly later to-day the location selected for the \$11,000,000 armor plate and \$1,700,000 projectile plant.

Your eyes are worthy of the best attention you can give them. Best-singer glasses can be had as low as \$2.

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The E. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

Police Chief Wants Parking Restricted in Downtown Streets

Success of the new record system recently installed as a result of a survey by the New York Bureau of Municipal Research, making of city ordinances restricting parking in Third and Fourth streets, between Walnut and Market streets, and a big increase in total fines and fees turned into the city treasury by the police department, were the features of the quarterly report of Chief of Police J. Edward Wetzel, to City Council to-day.

Chief Wetzel, in the report, commends the new record system, pointing out its many advantages over the old method of keeping details on file.

During the month of March 11,429 from fines, forfeitures, and court costs were turned into the city treasury—a new record for the last few years, Commissioner Gorgas reported. During the first three months of the year \$1959 have been deposited.

Arrests totaled 396, of which 237 were for disorderly practice, 51 for safety, 16 for violation of city ordinances, 21 for larceny, ten for assault and battery, 18 inmates of disordered houses, one on a charge of murder, and the remaining number on other criminal charges.

THREE NOMINATED TO FILL VACANCY

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Commissioner William H. Lynch nominated William Favord, vice president and manager of the Harrisburg Shoe Manufacturing Company.

Commissioner William L. Gorgas put in the name of City Clerk Charles A. Miller.

Commissioner Lynch then called a vote, each candidate receiving the vote of the commissioner who nominated him. Further balloting was postponed until next week. Three votes are required to elect a successor.

Approve Motor

Council approved finally the contracts awarded the Harrisburg Automobile Company for six motorized chemical agents for the use of the new service ladder trucks. Within the next few weeks the first of the motorized apparatus is expected to be in service. The contract for the motorized ladders which are to be equipped with front drive tractors. Plans for improvements and an addition to the Washington Hose company house in Chestnut street, was approved. The alterations will cost about \$1,200.

Flood Lights at Reservoir

Commissioner Lynch reported that five flood lights have been installed at the reservoir, more lights are to be placed at the filter plant and additional guards have been put on duty to prevent any attempt to damage the property. Other steps may be taken and Council will be asked next week to approve finally the protective measures.

An increase from eight to eleven million gallons of water pumped each day at the pumping station was reported.

This was attributed to the big increase in industrial activity in the city. In connection with the discussion of water pumping, Commissioner Gross called the attention of Council to a bill now pending in Legislature which if passed finally would prohibit swimming or bathing anywhere in rivers or streams within three miles of an intake for a city water supply. An increase of more than \$7,000 in water rents have been collected during the first quarter this year, Commissioner Gorgas announced.

Plan For Patriotic Co-operation

Alexander J. Hemphill, chairman of the Recruiting Committee of the Committee on National Defense, New York, sent a communication to Mayor Meade asking co-operation in a big patriotic demonstration on April 18, in commemoration of the battle of Lexington and Paul Revere's ride. This was in reply to a resolution which was passed authorizing the city clerk Miller to communicate with city school officials, pastors and other officials to arrange plans. In New York it is planned to have a modern Lexington alarm distributed by aeroplanes, tolling of church bells, fire bells and all factory whistles.

Referring to the touring car used by the police department were ordered paid and an ordinance providing for constructing a sewer in an alley between Lexington and Sixth streets, at Wisconsin street, passed first reading.

VOLUNTEERS NOT WANTED FOR GUARD

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to prevent organization of purely volunteer regiments under the guise of National Guard units and which would not in all probability last beyond the duration of the war.

Regular Forces Only

An official circular issued to-day points out that the present emergency is one which cannot be met by the regular forces and the National Guard alone and adds that existing law "does not contemplate that the federal government should call upon the States to form more National Guard troops in order that it may be called into the Federal services."

"The law," the circular continues, "places the responsibility of organizing more troops for strictly federal use upon the federal government, where it properly belongs. Both from the standpoint of justice to the State and of efficiency of the forces, the Federal government should have the duty and the responsibility of organizing all forces additional to the National Guard after the manner in which called into the United States service."

Launch Manned by German Speaking Crew Captured Cargo of Gasoline

By Associated Press
Atlanta, Ga., April 10. — A launch manned by a German-speaking crew and carrying more than 500 gallons of gasoline was captured several days ago off the Georgia coast and taken to Fernandina, Fla., according to word received here by Charles S. Arnov, State game and fish commissioner.

The capture was made by a revenue cutter, Mr. Arnov said, adding that it had caused much speculation as to whether there was any truth in reports of German submarines in the Gulf of Mexico. One of the German crew spoke English, Mr. Arnov said. He had no information to show where they came from.

VER IST DER UMPA-UMPA-PA? NEIN-DER CIRCUS HAS IT NOT

While flags are gaily flying and the air is full of war, the streets alive with spectacles never known before, and patriotism's rampant and excitement in the land, there's one thing that is missing—'tis the little German band.

No longer does it shatter day beneath your window ledge; no longer does the battered trombone set your teeth on edge. The deadly cornet's silent—it that blew now sharp, now flat—as the owner caught the pennies in his little pancake hat.

In former years we knew it as the surest sign of spring; we used to wait for "Tannenbaum" played on a broken string; "Auf Wiederseh'n," "Blue Danube,"—told us tulips are in bloom while "Vor, oh, we Mein little Dog?" brought joy into the room.

WOULD TA SLOT MACHINES

The first revenue measure to pass the House was the bill providing for a graded tax upon all automatic, slot and weighing machines that Representative Stern, its sponsor said, would net the State from three to five thousand dollars annually. The measure provides for a tax of one, two and five dollars, according to the revenue produced by the respective machines.

KITCHEN READY TO LEAD

By Associated Press
Washington, April 10. — Democratic leader Kitchen to-day announced his readiness to pilot the administration program through the House. He voted against the war resolution and there was some doubt of his position.

To Consider Third Class City Laws at Conference

A meeting of commercial and civic associations of a number of third-class cities in Pennsylvania will be held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce at 1:30 o'clock Wednesday upon the call of the Hazleton Chamber of Commerce to consider the Beldeman bill and other legislation of interest to third class cities.

WRIGHT TO GIVE TALK

Flavel W. Wright will address a luncheon meeting of the Johnstown Chamber of Commerce to-morrow in connection with a reorganization of the Chamber.

C. H. Mauk Would Give Ambulance to Emergency Corps to Be Formed Here

C. H. Mauk announced to-day that he will be in position to contribute one or possibly two ambulances to the proposed emergency ambulance unit which nurses of this city are talking of organizing.

"I have one ambulance now in use," said Mr. Mauk to-day, "and another ordered which will be delivered soon. I would be glad to give free use of one or both of these machines in any emergency. I have been approached to do this by nurses of the hospitals who are considering the organization of a unit. With the machines would go their drivers and orderlies."

BRAZIL BREAKS WITH GERMANY

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have been broken off according to the Evening News. Switzerland will take charge of Brazilian interests at Berlin.

Rio de Janeiro, April 10. — Brazil has recognized the new government of Russia.

The official report regarding the sinking of the Brazilian steamship Parana, which the government has been awaiting before taking definite action toward Germany, is believed to have been received to-day from the legation in Paris.

The minister of marines has received from the commander of the Brazilian destroyer Alagoas, which is stationed at Brest, a report that signals are being exchanged by means of lights and wireless between Germans on the coast and ships cruising in Brazilian waters. The minister will transmit this report to President Braz-

RECRUITING SQUAD EXCELS RECORD

In Nine Days Get More Men Than Scheduled For the Entire Month

Captain William F. Harrell, in charge of the Harrisburg District for army recruiting, with headquarters in the Strouse Building, announced this morning that yesterday was the banner day for the district and that 57 men were enlisted. Seventeen were from this city.

The recruiting office was filled this morning and it was expected to equal yesterday's record.

"If every district in the United States does as well, an army of 500,000 could be raised in thirty days and I hope we can keep this record up." The War Department at Washington considers 144 men per month out of this district 100 per cent, and in the last nine days we have enlisted 155 men, which is more than 100 per cent," said Captain Harrell.

Captain Harrell received orders from the War Department this morning authorizing him to enlist men up to 40 years old and that the only educational requirement is that they be able to talk the English language. Colored applicants may be enlisted for infantry or cavalry.

The new recruiting office in charge of Quartermaster W. E. Quirk is also doing good work and nine men were sent to Philadelphia yesterday and to-day.

Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart

The Smartest of the New Suit Styles Are Ready at Moderate Cost

Our extensive style assortment of suits for women and misses leaves nothing to be desired. Every new fashion note as well as the most desirable materials are included in the showing.

During this week's special exhibit you will find hundreds of practical styles—and we believe that every one of them will make a direct appeal to you.

Prices on the New Arrivals Range From \$18.50 to \$39.50

The materials most favored are fine quality serges, poplins, Poiret twill, wool Jersey and worsted checks.

Serge and poplin suits in navy, Copenhagen, reseda and black; in belted style with a full flare skirt, patch pockets and sailor collar of white Bengaline silk, \$20.00

Sport suits in Burella cloth and wool jersey; box plaid front and back finished with a narrow belt; large patch pockets and cuffs trimmed with white pearl buttons; skirt with gathered back and large patch pockets \$25.00

Sport suits of wool Jersey in gold, Copen, turquoise and mustard; made with a box plaid and front, inverted patch pockets \$25.00

Serge and Poiret twill suits, with box plaid back and full flare front trimmed with small bone buttons and convertible collar of white silk poplin \$29.50

Grey, navy, tan and black suits of French serge and poplin; in plain tailored style with deep rever and collar of black silk moire, trimmed with small silk covered buttons. Skirt made with a plain model panel front and full gathered back, finished with a broad belt \$35.00

Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart—Second Floor.

This Is Home Craft Week

Quaker Craft Laces Featured For Curtains and Draperies

A nation-wide appeal to housewives to produce better and more attractive results in the hanging of curtains and draperies.

Bris-Ble Sash Curtains, in soft net, ready to hang, 39c and 50c

Fine Marquisette Sash Panels, in ecru and white with fllet border \$2.00

Draperies Silks, in rose, green and blue for lamp shades and draperies, 36 inches; yard, 69c

Silk fringe, yard, 50c and 75c

Marquisette in ecru and white, lace trimmed edge; yard 30c to 50c

Marquisette and Scrim in white and ecru 36 and 50 inch yard 25c, 39c and 50c

Colored Marquisette for doorways and overdraperies, pink, blue and darker colors, yard, 39c

Heavy Marquisette in beige and white in open work and satin stripe effects; yard 45c to 50c

Curtain muslin for sash and sill length curtains, 36 in.; yard 20c

Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart—Third Floor.



A Multitude of Styles in Cotton Voiles: Street Floor Section

Voiles, voiles, voiles! Plain cotton voiles—silk stripe voiles. The most varied showing of this popular weave we have ever had proving its good style and popularity. The latest styles in sport stripes offering a matchless variety of colors and patterns.

Poplin, half silk, many shades, 36 inches; yard 79c

Voile, sport stripes and figures in Copenhagen, rose, tan, grey and black, 40 inches; yard 79c

Voile with colored stripes and embroidered figures, sport stripes and floral patterns on white and colored grounds; yard 59c

Silk Stripe Voile, colored and white grounds with ribbon silk stripes; yard 59c and 75c

Silk and Cotton Sport Stripes, 32 and 36 in.; yd., 65c, 69c, 75c and \$1.29

Embroidered Voile, white ground with neat embroidered silk figures, 28 inches; yard 50c

Plaid Voile, white ground with colored woven plaid and black designs, 36 inches; yard 50c and 59c

Fancy Printed Voile, white and colored grounds with fancy plaid and figure patterns, 38 inches; yard 35c

Cotton Voile in many spring shades, 44 inches; yard 39c

Cotton Sport Suitings in many styles and shades; yard, 35c, 65c, 98c

Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart—Street Floor.

A Special Occasion in Huck Towels

For Homes, Boarding Houses and Hotels

Values that every thrifty housekeeper will want to share are offered in this week's special towel occasion. There are hundreds of dozens of fine quality towels in all white, hemstitched and bordered patterns at prices which represent splendid opportunities.

Cotton huck towels, red borders; suitable for hotel and boarding houses; each, 10c; dozen, \$1.12; each, 15c; dozen, \$1.69; each, 17c; dozen, \$1.90.

Union hemstitched huck towels, 18x34 inches; each, 25c; dozen, \$2.50.

Union huck towels, in all white or with red border; 18x34 inches; hemmed; each, 25c; dozen, \$2.50.

Union huck towels in white or with red border; 18x34 inches; hemmed; each, 29c; special, doz. \$3.

Union huck towels, in all white with deep clover border; 17x32 in.; each, 25c; dozen, \$2.50.

Plain all linen huck towels; 18x34 inches 35c, 45c and 50c

Plain all linen huck towels, 20x33 inches 59c, 65c and 75c

All linen Irish and Scotch huck towels with fine border; 20x36 in. to 26x43 in., at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.69.

All linen check glass towels in blue or red; 17x31 inches; hemmed; each, 25c; dozen, \$2.50.

All linen blue stripe hemmed dish towels, 24x36 inches; each 30c

White towels with red border woven glass brand; 21x29 inches; each 29c

Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart—Street Floor.

Combination Sugar and Grocery Sale

2 lbs. granulated sugar 44c

2 lbs. fancy whole head rice 39c

One lb. special blend coffee 41c

One can Dutch cocoa 41c

1/2 lb. Allentown boiled ham 41c

One large jar mustard 41c

2 packages Takhoma biscuits 41c

3 cans first quality peas 39c

3 cans first quality corn 39c

2 cans White Star tomatoes 35c

1 can Armour's very best corn, 18c

SUNSHINE BISCUITS

1 lb. assorted biscuits 25c

1 pkg. Saratoga flakes 13c

1 pkg. cheese sticks 13c

Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart—Basement.

Sweaters That Possess Great Charm Developed of Distinctive Yarns

Every woman who sees these serviceable garments for spring and summer will want to own one for emergency uses.

Made of Angora, Shetland, Tyrol and Brushed woolen yarns that are as distinctive as they are practical.

Among the most desirable styles are to be found these types—

Shetland wool sweaters in belted or sash styles with sailor collar; colors are peacock, corn, green, salmon, pink, Copen, rose and purple \$6.50 to \$18.50

Angora and brushed wool sweaters in plain and fancy models \$6.50 to \$10.98

"Tyrol Wool" tailored sweaters in Norfolk style, \$12.50

Medium and light weight wool sweaters, \$2.98 to \$8.50

Boys' and girls' wool sweaters \$1.00 to \$5.50

Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Men's Store, Balcony.