

HUNS BOAST OF ATROCITIES; WARN OTHER COUNTRIES

Circulars Distributed in Spain Tell of Churches Destroyed For War Purposes

Washington, May 9.—Teutonic frichtfulness as practiced in France and Belgium has been made the subject of a German warning to neutral nations of the fate which they may expect if they take up arms against the central powers.

"If there are any still thinking of siding with the allies, let them take warning from the fate of others," says the warning, in the form of a circular, which recited the amount of booty seized in France and Belgium, the number of churches damaged and destroyed, the money wrongfully taken from the stricken inhabitants and, finally, the deliberate mistreatment of English prisoners of war.

German propagandists have printed in Spanish, and copies have come into the possession of the state department.

The established German origin, the department last night made public this translation:

"Besides an untold amount of war material captured on the battlefield, the Germans have taken possession of incalculable booty in France and Belgium, including:

- High-grade watches, 417; average watches, 5,016; underwear, 18,073; embroideries and women's handkerchiefs, 15,132; umbrellas and parasols, 2,655; silverware, 876; bottles of champagne, 523,000.

"These figures show a large increase over those of the campaign against France in 1870-71.

"In Belgium, besides many art treasures, they have confiscated old paintings valued at 3,000,000 pesetas.

"Due to the treachery of Cardinal Mercier and other priests, who did their utmost to stir the priests against the goodhearted German soldiers, they were forced to teach a severe lesson to the Belgian and French Catholics.

"Cathedrals destroyed, 4; rendered unserviceable, 8; churches destroyed, 27; rendered unserviceable, 34; total, 73.

"In Poland, also a large number of churches have been destroyed for military reasons. The figures concerning these have not yet been published.

"As a result of the stupid stubbornness of the Belgian people in continuing the struggle after their bloody and final defeat on the battlefield, the German officers were forced to impose harsh and severe punishments on many rich individuals and wealthy cities.

"This has contributed the following amounts to the German treasury:

- Punishments, 87,000,000 pesetas; securities, 13,000,500 pesetas; reprisals, 15,750,000 pesetas; forced contributions, 430,450 pesetas; total, 120,071,350 pesetas.

"This amount includes a fine of 15,000 pesetas imposed on the Alsatian children who insist on speaking the French language, and refuse to study the beautiful German language. These statistics are a most useful warning to the neutral countries.

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It is claimed in this document that more than 50,000 British have

been made prisoners, and in this connection the following still is made: "Although in these figures the English oppose 124,806 German prisoners taken by them on the western front, it must be remembered the English treat their prisoners with the kindest and most humane consideration," while the regime imposed on the English prisoners by the Germans is one of extreme rigor; so that the Germans, with a small number of prisoners, have secured a much superior morale effect. Besides, to the 2,264 officers and 51,325 soldiers must be added the several thousand English prisoners that have died in consequence of disease, scanty food and other accidents, in German concentration camps."

The figures regarding British prisoners, it is explained, refer to the total prior to the recent drive in Picardy and Flanders.

E. S. Herman Congratulated on Birthday Anniversary

Salesmen, representatives and other employees of the firm of John C. Herman and Company, cigar manufacturers, will meet during the next few days and spend the weekend as guests of E. S. Herman, of that firm, at his cottage at Aqueduct. It was learned today that Mr. Herman is celebrating a birthday anniversary. He is president of the City Planning Commission, and for years has been actively but quietly engaged, in addition to his business enterprises, in aiding in replanning the city and the completion of arrangements for many public improvements. His interest in city development has resulted in many big improvements in Harrisburg. At present the Planning Commission is devoting its attention to plotting streets in the newly annexed Fourteenth ward, which covers an area of almost three miles of the city limits. Mr. Herman is also widely known in business circles and is prominently identified with the Harrisburg Trust Company and a number of other city organizations.

Advise to the Lovelorn WHY SEEK TROUBLE?

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

A stenographer in a very respectable office has given one or two lumps of coal to the editor of this paper, and two or three co-workers of both sexes. Everyone contributed for the coal, and the editor, in return, gave each a lump of coal, and the editor, in return, gave each a lump of coal, and the editor, in return, gave each a lump of coal.

Everything pertaining to the former luncheon was innocent, dainty and delightful. All parties concerned respect one another greatly. Do you see any harm in the plan?

The idea seems to have been very jolly and pleasant when it started. Now, I don't see why anyone need read evil into its next development and manifestation. The fact that business friends of the employer are coming instead of merely employees and co-workers has a bit out of the ordinary. The point is this: The world is run on a snobbish basis and when men of the employer class give social attention to their bookkeepers and stenographers, Mrs. Grundy lifts her many-lashed eyes to me, however, that any dignified, well-behaved girl can afford to meet her employer and his friends on an equal basis, at least once. If the party is as delightful and dignified as were the previous ones, then it justifies itself. If it is in any way unpleasant, a sensible, well-behaved girl can manage to cut the meeting to order at once and refuse ever to have anything to do with another such party. All of us nowadays are a little too much given to looking for trouble.

Thrift Stamp Workers to Make a House-to-House in Next Week's Campaign

W. M. Donaldson, chairman of the War Savings Stamps Committee for Dauphin County, had as his guests at dinner last night at the Harrisburg Club his campaign managers for the War Savings Pledge Week drive, to be conducted here next week. The guest of honor was Robert K. Cassatt, state director of a movement, who gave an address on the subject of "War Savings Stamps and the work to be done in Dauphin county."

Next week every man, woman and child in Harrisburg will be called upon to pledge themselves to buy as many War Savings Stamps as possible between now and December 31, 1918, in order that the quota set for Dauphin county for 1918 may be subscribed.

Dauphin county's quota is \$20 per capita, and with more than four months of the year gone, the per capita amount of stamps sold in Dauphin county is only \$1.54. Lancaster county has already subscribed to \$4.15 per capita; Cumberland county, \$7.22; Columbia county, \$4.76; Carbon county, \$4.01; York county, \$2.56.

Workers will make a house-to-house canvass next week with placards to secure from every member of every family pledges for as many War Savings Stamps as they can buy between now and December 31. Stamps may be pledged for all in one month or distributed over the months from May to December as desired by the subscriber.

SEVEN GET NEW PARENTS IN COURT

Children, One a Soldier, Find New Homes and Friends by Adoption

New York—A Federal Judge, a college professor, a sea captain, a real estate operator, a spinster of means, a well-to-do widow and a wealthy grandmother may find the world somewhat changed for them for they are now foster fathers or mothers, entrusted by the State of New York with the happiness of children who needed a home.

One of the children happen to be a husky, twenty-nine-year-old fighting man about to sail for France, but the classification fits just the same because the young man hasn't known for fifteen years what it was to have a mother and now as he goes into the war he may have a different feeling about life. His name is William I. Hay and he lives at 355 West Seventy-ninth street, Brooklyn. Mrs. Jessie May Burdette, who is a widow of some means and who lives at 315 West Seventy-ninth street, adopted a young girl, she had known his parents, dead for fifteen years, and had entertained toward them feelings of deep affection. She thought it was her duty to send Hay away with a smile.

Judge Adopts Girl

The Federal Judge who became a foster father of the child, is Martin Manton of the United States Circuit court of appeals, and who is remembered also as having been counsel for Lieut. Charles Becker in Becker's case, and as having been the murderer of Herman Rosenthal. Mr. and Mrs. Manton became interested in a chubby baby girl named Marian Gilson, who is just a few weeks more than a year old, through the efforts of Mrs. Don C. Seltz. Mrs. Seltz has been very active in the work of finding good homes for dependent children.

The sea captain is James Gregory who commands the ship Henry C. Fisher and who lives aboard the ship with Mrs. Gregory. It is now in dock at the pier. They adopted little Veronica Evelyn Baker, who was entrusted to their care on February 21, 1916, by Our Lady of Victory orphanage. In the last two years they came to love the baby so fondly that they decided to adopt her, and the formalities before the surrogate yesterday adjusted the problem happily for all concerned.

The real estate operator, Edward W. Browning of 25 West Eighty-first street, and his wife, Nellie Ade Browning discovered a three-year-old girl up in The Bronx who was just to the brink. The child's name is Josephine Herbert and the facts set before the surrogate showed that her father Jacob, a truckman, simply could not support his family properly on his earnings as a truckman. There were five in the family, including Josephine, and Herbert found the pinch too much for him.

MARRIED FLOCK HE SAYS HOME BECAME CAGE

Thirteen Years With "Laws" Make Salesman Plead For Escape

New York—Take it from Raymond H. Weaver, salesman of automobile supplies, hymen pulled a bone when he persuaded him to slip the golden band on the finger of Mrs. Caroline L. Weaver, April 28, 1905. When a man marries he takes unto himself a wife, not a whole flock of relatives, is Weaver's contention as presented in an answer to his wife's separation suit.

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For instance, he announced that his wife was older than he. Mrs. L. Weaver is older than he is. He admits that, on occasion, he sips at his flowing bowl, but he scoffs at his wife's suggestion that he write her a letter urging that she sue for divorce and state in her complaint that he was one of the best pals Bacchus ever had.

Weaver complains that his wife burdened him with a mother-in-law, a brother-in-law, a sister-in-law, a father-in-law, a second cousin-in-law, and a band of other relatives-in-law.

Found He Married a Group

Weaver's affidavit is its own editorial on the felicity and domesticity of marriage.

"At the time of the marriage, deponent was a very young man, very much younger than the lady. She was seven years older. At the time of the marriage deponent knew nothing of his bride's family history and antecedents or position in life, having met only her mother and visited them in Stamford, Conn. and later other members of the family began to appear on the horizon and seemed to enjoy visiting us. They visited us to such an extent that during thirteen years of our married life we were never alone in our home."

And here comes the rub—or one of them. Deponent says: "My good wife always departed herself toward me as a mother would toward a son she was fond of particularly in continuously and habitually remonstrating with me through the use of the terms 'dear' and 'my dear.' I had acquired a taste for the vice that goes with the business. While my wife wanted me to spend the full returns that were produced by my business, she insisted upon the error of my ways in manner kindly, but none the less inopportune. I was almost distracted."

Says He Has Paid Penalty

Weaver insists in his document that he was "always temperate and moderate." And he demands of the court, "am I to be penalized because I find that I can no longer live with my wife and retain my reason?"

He continues: "True, I have sincerely hoped that my wife would one day get a divorce. After thirteen years of reflection on my early indiscretions, I cannot but feel that I have paid the penalty—all the penalty that a good woman could require of her victim. And my wife is a good woman."

"But she is suffering from hallucination. She says that I would marry again. That is tommy-rot. I have neither the means nor the inclination to embark on another matrimonial venture. Do not let me suggest for an instant that I have reflections of an unkindly nature to make upon this lady."

"For thirteen years I have supported the maintenance of my property she holds in the best evidence that I have succeeded. She will not even believe that I have ever been other than courteous, respectful or kindly. And I have never asked for a return of affection. I have simply pleaded for escape, as if it were from a cage. To this plea she has been deaf."

"Outside of that, Weaver has no kick."

"Tarzan of the Apes," the Wonder Film, at the Orpheum All Next Week



TARZAN OF THE APES WAS READY TO DEFEND HER WITH HIS LIFE

"Tarzan of the Apes" which ran, as a serial in one of the biggest popular-fiction magazines several years ago, will be shown at the Orpheum all next week in film form. Being a story of a primeval man—er, rather, of a man brought up among apes and endowed with many of their abilities, it presents not a few attractions to the movie fan. Seats will go on sale to-morrow.

That a more effective interpretation is the result of the present war. In Artcraft's big photo-production of Maurice Maeterlinck's international dramatic triumph, "The Bluebird," two children portray the central characters of Tyltyl and Mytyl, little Robin Macdonald and Tula Belle, two talented children, whose experience before the camera fits them well for this important work.

Without question, one of the screen's most pleasing personalities is Peggy Hyland in "The Debt of Honor." Hyland, who has fought her way to stardom, is in "The Debt of Honor" having many trials in the chorus of several big musical comedies and some operas she was given speaking parts and then the leading roles in such famous plays as "The Little Cafe" and "The Yellow Jacket," with the noted star, Cyril Maude. And from there graduated into the movies, where her success was instantaneous. Under the direction of William Fox she has been featured in many pleasing plays, and to-day's showing of "The Debt of Honor" is reported to show this star at her very best. To-day's also the fourth instalment of "The Woman in the Web" will be shown.

AMUSEMENTS

ORPHEUM
To-morrow and Saturday, with daily matinees—"On the Isonza," or "On the Firing Line." Film of the day. All next week, with daily matinees—"Tarzan of the Apes," the Wonder Film of the Apes.

MAJESTIC
High Grade of Vaudeville.
To-day and to-morrow—Mme. Nazimova in "Revelation." Saturday, Edith Storey in "Treasures of the Sea."

REGENT
To-day, to-morrow and Saturday—"The Bluebird," and "The Son of Democracy." Tuesday and Wednesday—William S. Hart in "Selish Yates."

VICTORIA
To-day—Peggy Hyland in "The Debt of Honor," and the fourth episode of "The Woman in the Web." To-morrow—Tom Mix in "Western Blood." Saturday—William S. Hart in "The Dawn Maker." Tuesday and Wednesday—Theda Bara in "The Forbidden Path."

Seats are now selling for the motion pictures of the present war. "On the Isonza," which are announced for presentation here at the Orpheum for a two days' engagement, beginning to-morrow, with matinees on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. The repulse of the Germans and Austrians after their invasion of Italy and the capture of the Brenner Pass, are the thrilling encounters high in the snow-clad Alps. These pictures come recommended by the most instructive of the present war and are direct from the front and taken by special permission of the Italian Government. "Our Boys in Service" has been included as an extra attraction. Popular prices have been arranged for all performances.

"Revelation" which opened a three-day engagement at the Colonial Theatre yesterday, was declared in "acceleration" a wonderful picture. The comments of the people as they were leaving the theater were favorable, and many remarked that it was one of the best pictures they had ever seen. Mme. Nazimova, who is making such a tremendous success in "War Brides," is the star of "Revelation," and the story, which is adapted from Mabel Wagner's novel, "A Rose Bush of a Thousand Years," furnishes her with one of the opportunity of her movie career. She is seen as Joine, the idol of gay Paree, who serves as the magazine editor, and "La Bacchant," which is destroyed in a jealous rage by her Apache lover. Another picture, "The War Bride," which is a story of a woman who is out with her and her lover is called to the colors. Many sacrifices are made by boys in the front lines. The outcome of the story is unusual, but it is an artistic one.

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At the Orpheum
"Tarzan of the Apes" next Monday, the Orpheum daily matinee. This unusual story, jungle life, wild animal atmosphere, the combat between Tarzan and the lions, tigers and cannibals, and its romantic touches, has met popularity throughout the country and the Orpheum expects to be packed as it has not been in years. The film follows the magazine story, Tarzan, who in love, seats for the entire week will be placed on sale to-morrow morning.

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ADDED FEATURE — OUR BOYS IN SERVICE

PENBROOK YOUTH HURT
Charles Fox, aged 17, 2653 Main street; Penbrook, was injured at the Central Iron and Steel Company yesterday afternoon. He was hoisting coal when a cable broke, striking him on the head. He is at the Harrisburg Hospital.

Regent Theater

MONDAY, TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY

Wm. S. Hart

"Selfish Yates"

In his latest release
"The Son of Democracy"

The Blue Bird

By the famous Belgian poet, Maurice Maeterlinck at the Regent Theater To-day, To-morrow and Saturday

Wm. S. Hart

Coming—Mary Pickford in "M'LISS"

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GOLDSMITH'S

North Market Square

Harrisburg Academy Boys Win Honors in Studies

Honors for the seventh scholastic year, Harrisburg Academy were announced this morning by Arthur E. Brown, headmaster. Greeks and Romans gain one point each in the contest, and the Yanks C. Meek cup. Romans received most honors and Greeks least number of failures.

The honor list follows:

First Honors—Conrado Bonilla, Herbert Kaufman, Harry Lester, Frank Ludington, James Mersereau, Clyde Kife, Walter Thompson, Thomas Wickesham.

Second Honors—Donald C. Brinser, Daniel Bacon, James Bloom, Frederic Bateman, Joel Earnest, Galbraith Harden, George Gerstwhite, Vernon Hoerner, William H. Hargest, Jr., Diebold Lloyd, Alton Larock, Samuel Lee, William Lesueur, Mennert Newlin, Donald MacDougall, Walter Miller, Charles Moyer, Henry Mishaer, Wilbur Ober, Ira Romberger, Raphael Rupp, Donald Royal, Hamilton Schwarz, Emmett Shieley, Nelson Shreiner, Nelson Wescott.

Branca Made First Class Private While in France

JOHN BRANCA
Word has been received by relatives of John Branca, 225 Boas street, that he has recently landed in France with a merchant troop. Since his arrival he has been made a first-class private. He enlisted in Gettysburg last July in the 7th United States Infantry band. He is a son of Mrs. Maria Branca.

Captain Everhart, of Lemoyne, Is "Over There"

LEMAYNE, May 9.—Captain Edgar S. Everhart, well-known physician, arrived "over there" yesterday, according to information received by Mrs. Everhart late last night. Mrs. Everhart received a telegram from her husband, informing her that he has safely landed in France. Captain Everhart is regimental surgeon throughout the country and the Second Ammunition train. He entered the service as a lieutenant eight months ago and was promoted several months ago to a captain. He is very well known in Harrisburg.

MARRIED IN PENBROOK

PENBROOK, May 9.—Leroy Ross Wix and Ruth Irene Connor, both of this place, were married at the Penbrook Church of God parsonage by the Rev. J. C. Farnbrook at 11 o'clock this morning. The young couple will be at home at 3242 Main street, Penbrook, May 15. There were no attendants at the wedding this morning.

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