

**WHAT'S THE WAR ABOUT?**

**By Dr. Charles Stehle.**  
The politicians may find it difficult to give a clear cut satisfactory statement as to why millions of men are armed and ready to slaughter those across the battle line, but, whether or not they can express it in definite terms, the fact remains that down in their hearts, every soldier in every army at war today feels that he wants more freedom—more liberty. In this respect they are all brothers.

The tragedy of it is that by engaging in war they are being deprived of the very thing which they hold most precious. How much of it they will retain when the war is ended is uncertain.

No matter who wins the victor will still have to pay his share of the wreckage—in the terms of human life, in taxes, in the destruction of valuable property. And this enumerates merely some of the items which may be calculated upon a statistical basis. Other losses, more important than these, cannot be estimated because of their far reaching human implications.

Whatever else might be gained thru the war, nothing can compensate the masses of the people, or any group among the whole people, for the loss of personal freedom. In America we have tried to express what this means in the Bill of Rights, which was made part of the constitution, and in certain other well established and accepted documents and laws. In most of the other democracies throughout the world many of the same principles have been adopted.

If, as a result of war, there should emerge a bill of rights for all nations, which would become a part of international law and which would forever give freedom to all the people of the nations, great progress would be made. Such freedom and all the privileges which go with it would emancipate millions of men and women who are now victims of tyrannies and oppressions to which they have long been subjected on account of race, creed, color or economic servitude.

All forms of tyranny exercised within the nations, must be eliminated. Nothing short of this can bring permanent peace or justice. Without a universal respect for human rights there can be neither peace, nor progress, nor civilization. Any other cure for national or class hatred would be futile. If such a Bill of Rights were accepted by governments and written into their constitutions, and enforced by constituted authorities, divisions among the nations would diminish, wars would cease, and the spirit of brotherhood would be established.

**Harrisburg**—Production of Pennsylvania's 1940 dog license tags is now under way in the tag shop at Western State Penitentiary, operated by the Prison Labor Division of the State Department of Welfare. An original order for 750,000 tags for the various counties will be manufactured, which will be followed by supplementary orders depending on the demand.

**GEOGRAPHY CLUB TO MEET ON DECEMBER 9**

The fourth annual luncheon meeting of the Cambria County Geography Club will be held at one o'clock on Saturday afternoon, December 9th, in the Capitol Hotel, Johnstown.

Dr. Olin G. A. Barker of Westmont, will show motion pictures taken on his recent trip to New Zealand and Australia. Joseph Boes will sing several numbers.

Miss Clara Shryock, assistant Cambria County superintendent of Schools is the club's advisor.

A number of instructors from the Northern Cambria section are planning to attend.

**PROTEST MADE ON THE TAX ON CIGARETTES HEADACHE FOR JAMES' ADMINISTRATION**

**Harrisburg**—Pennsylvania's two cents a pack emergency relief tax on cigarettes troubled the James administration from two directions this week.

In Dauphin county court a constitutional challenge filed by a Philadelphia county tobacco firm required the state to show in thirty days why it should not be restrained from enforcing the tax from which it receives \$22,300,000 in revenue every two years.

Meanwhile the Department of Property and Supplies after six months delay, during which time repeated conferences with the revenue department and motor police were held was still undecided on what course to take in awarding a new contract for cigarette stamp printing.

Roger W. Roland, property and supplies secretary said he expected to make a decision on the stamp contract early next week. Whether the suit in Dauphin county court, which, if upheld, would eliminate need for the stamps, would alter those plans was not immediately indicated.

Rowland disclosed that the delay had been the result primarily of "rumors and charges" none of which, he said, had been "substantiated in any way."

**EXPERT SAYS HTYLES AID CANCER GROWTH**

**Philadelphia**—Dr. Temple Fay, developer of the "frozen sleep" cancer treatment, has given an account with the assertion that women's clothing styles and "warm clothing, warm foods and warm houses" may be conducive to the growth of the malady.

Dr. Fay emphasized that warm surroundings do not cause cancer.

"But if cancer was present they would activate the growth of cells," he said.

He told the Lankenau Hospital Research Institute yesterday that present styles in women's clothing also "might tend to stimulate growth of the cells" both from their warmth and their tightness. Chafing of corsets, he said, may be conducive to cancer of the breast, pointing out the low rate of this malady among Japanese women who do not wear the apparel.

**Christmas GIFT GUIDE**



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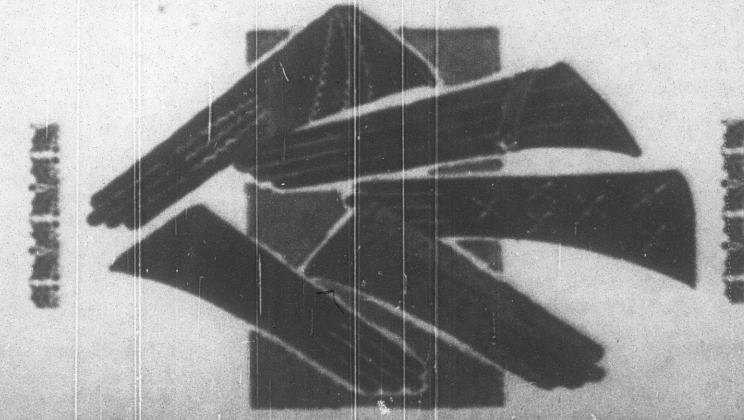
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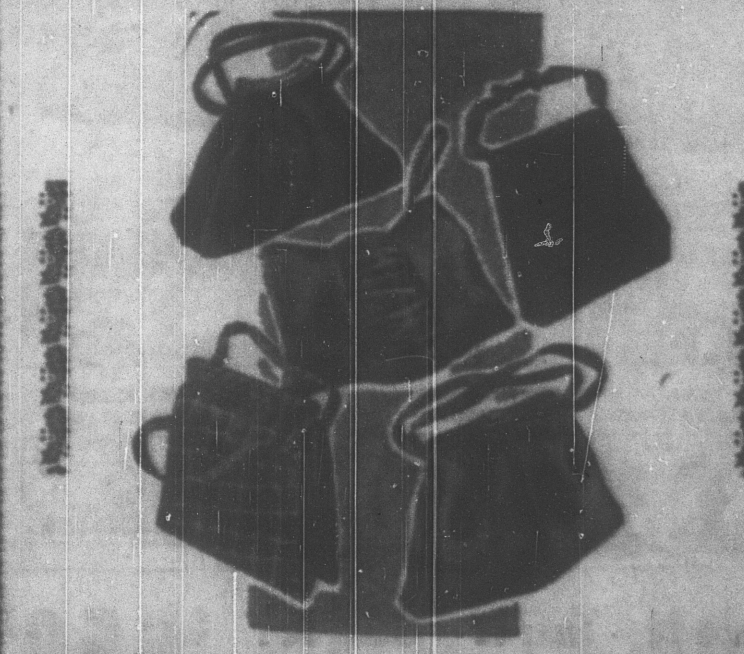
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- HANDKERCHIEFS, linen, \$1, 75c, 50c, 35c, and 25c ea.
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