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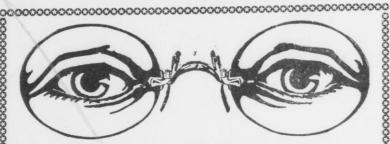
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## THRIFTY DUTCHMEN TURNED INTO 🔤 THIEVING DESPERADOES BY WAR

Genuine Shock Has Come to Those Who in Old Days Admired Industrious Hollander Whose Only Occupation Now Is in Deeds of Daring and Robbery-Country Is Now Paradise for Thieves.

The Hague.—To those who knew the Hollander before the war as a quiet, well-behaved, thrifty and industrious soul, content to pursue the even tenor of his way and sticking religiously to orderliness and good behavior, his transformation since the signing of the armistice last November will come as a genuine shock.

Crime, in the pre-war days, was at its minimum in Holland. Her stand- exertion. ing army of some 50,000 was composed of young men who served their allotted time in the military service of the passport restrictions, has of their country with the minimum of learned to keep his hand on his walgrumbling, returning cheerfully to the let pocket and his fingers firmly plow, or the dairy, or the fisheries, as around the end of a stout cane when soon as their term of army service ever he ventures out into the street was over.

her frontier, Holland lived a calm, nade in the wide world contented existence, turning out her world-famous cheeses and her perhaps, more infamous gins, her citizens stand in proper awe of the wellsecure in the feeling that theirs was dressed man or woman in the public

pretty border around it. Today all this is changed. From a in the street. ed of safety Holland has been transng the tow path, the churner of the ansformed into a shiftless, lazy, disderly ne'er-do-well, whose principal cupation is burglary

It Is a New Crime.

Burglary in Holland was not a usual rime in the pre-war days. That fact nakes the present wave of lawlessness all the more striking. The great truth that has dawned upon the country is that the 800,000 Hollanders who have been doing military service as the war have come to hate work and to hate having to provide for their own living, after enjoying food, clothing and shelter at government expense for nearly five years.

When Holland mobilized her young manhood, middle-aged manhood and full-grown manhood during the first ix months of the war, when there was momentary danger of Germany suddenly getting it into her disordered brain to invade and despoil the Nethgovernment provided for the support of the families of the soldiers whom he mobilized as well as for the support of the soldiers themselves.

In her well-ordered house, Holland could not see 800,000 families in want taken for the defense of the father-She provided this support as

liously and as carefully as she provided for the thousands of Belgian and French refugees, who have lived on the country's bounty from the day of the siege of Antwerp to the day that Marshal Foch handed his fountain pen to the German armistice commissioners and said: "Sign!"

With the demobilization that began during the latter days of last November the discharged soldiers found it irksome to resume their duties as family providers instead of "letting Wilhelmina do it." The plow did not appeal nearly so much as the light field equipment along the frontier. The long hikes along the towpaths were not nearly so attractive as the short stretches between sentry posts on the border between Holland's eastern provinces and the Westphalian or Prussian country. It was found a hard matter to get the Hollander back into a civilian job, not because the job was not there but because the erstwhile thrifty Dutchman no longer cared for the job.

Food Shortage a Cause. For many months now life for the

law-abiding Dutchman and his family has been anything but a paradise and the shortage of food has been but a small matter in the grand total of this general unhappiness.

The principal thing that has been worrying Holland has been the burglar, who has since before the Christmas holidays become a sort of national institution, like the cheese and the fact, of hourly, occurrence in the dier. country districts as well as in the cities. Not alone must doors be securely locked and bolted at night, but f during the daytime the householder turns his back to look over his chickens in the barnyard without first losing his front door he will most return to the "pronk kamer" (parlor) only to find every article of

ntrinsic value has disappeared. The theft of silverware, jewelry, hes and even pets and pans from he kitchen is reported to the police n every 'own and hamlet on an average of once every hour during the 24 hours of the day. The flow of complaints is so steady that in most g but record these reports of bur-

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While, of course, it would be unfair to say that every one of the demobillzed soldiers has turned burglar after receiving his discharge from the army, it is safe to say that one-half of the 800,000 troops has turned its attention to either burglary, petty or grand larceny or highway robbery as a means to keep the wolf from the door without an undue amount of physical

The visitor in Holland, although h is still much in the minority because or along a country path, once Hol-Except for an ever watchful eye on land's delight and the safest prome-

Daring Highway Robberies. The "kwajongems," who used to land where the law was observed, thoroughfares of the city, now openly where their chattels were safe even and brazenly snatch at watch chains, though their front doors remained un- ladies' bags or pocket books that are locked and where the infrequent of- carried in the hands by the ladles. fender against the penal code could Nine times in ten the culprit manages ot hope to get his full name in the to make a clean getaway in the crowd rs, much less his photograph with of sympathetic ruffians, who gather quickly at the first sign of disorder

Children sent to the stores by their rmed into a land of danger and the mothers are often the victims of the Hollander-that is, he who is repre- thieves, who take away their pennies, ented in the ranks of the plow boy. and market baskets on the way to the driver of the horse or donkey expectant housewives very often go astray and ultimately reach the dens utter and the cream, the farm hand of the underworld, now a real menace the miller's assistant—has been in the economic and civic life of the Netherlands.

The same spirit of disregard of the conventions that obtains throughout the country, as far as the rights of others is concerned, obtains in the nation's parliament—the Staaten Generaal. Ultra-bolshevistic members occupy seats in the lower chamber and openly advocate doctrines which, a year before the war began in 1914, would not have been listened to by any non-combatants since the beginning of self-respecting Dutchman. The self-respecting Dutchman must listen to these doctrines now, for they are preached on every street corner, from the forums and from the platform of the governing body, whenever the radical wing gets a chance to give voice to its sentiments.

Blocked at the Frontier. The government does everything humanly possible to prevent the influx of the radical element from Germany and every day dozens of would-be inerlands as well as Belgium, the Dutch truders, be they bolshevist or Sparticus, are turned back at the frontier with the admonition to go East. But many slip through, with the result that this formerly quiet, orderly land is fast being poisoned by the seed of violence that has been planted in its fertile soil from the one-time kaiser entered the country as a refugee and the one-time crown prince took up his involuntary abode

on the Island of Wieringen. There is enough of the regular army left to prevent any serious concerted movement by the forces of the malcontents, especially as they are not organized and no leader has yet put in an appearance. The police in the various districts, too, still observe the street discipline of the pre-war days, although they have not been very successful in stamping out the lawlessness that is everywhere evident, they are, at least, holding the unruly element in check and, to a certain de- brown, striped with red, and very gree, holding it in awe of municipal warm, is part of the bedding furnished authority.

The principal hope of the better educated class of Hollanders lies in an early restoration of the regular channels of food importation. Now Land of Unrest.

Just now the Hollander is anything ed off the German bullet that pierced but tractable. He will drop his ham- the heart of Private Alexander Pattermer, his shovel, his hoe or his churn-ing handle at the drop of a hat or ceived by the family are a copy of the the whisper of a labor agitator. He New Testament given by the Y. M. C. imagines that he is the under dog of A. overseas, a photograph of his mothevery man who possesses a nickel er and a fountain pen, all damaged more than he does.

From a land of calm, peaceful, seething quiet, Holland has changed into a land of unrest. It oozes out of the very ground at every step one takes. Lack of grains keeps the grist mills idle, which consequently fall to provide work for those who might be induced to take up the broken strands of their tasks and don the snow white gin. Acts of violence are of daily, in of the miller for the blue of the sol-

Stagnation in shipping, owing to the restrictions placed upon the country by the allies, has had its natural effect upon Holland's inland waterways commerce, with the result that thousands of men who were employed along the numerous canals, both as boatmen and tow drivers, before the war, now find their vocations gone. This is another important industry which, if it could resume its normal proportions, would greatly reduce the

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