Helmets Worn by German War Lords on Exhibit at Methodist Centenary Celebration



Ludendorff, will be on exhibition in Columbus, O., as a part of the Methodist Centenary Celebration, June 20 to July 13 They were brought out of Germany during the revolution by Lowell Thomas, world traveler and explorer, whose travelogues will be given in Columbus as a feature of the celebration

most critical period, without pass ish troops on this expedition

GATHER NEW ZEAL

METHODISTS SHOULD

Centenary an Inspiration Says

Dr. Fisher.

Dr. Fred Fisher of New York, who

has been assistant executive secre-

tary of the Methodist Centenary

drive, has turned his entire organiza-

tion to the job of mobilizing Method-

tum in Columbus, June 20 to July 13.

the Methodist Church, he says. "We

must stress four things First, this

will be a big Victory Celebration.

The Methodists of the United States

have lived more in the past year than

in any 10 previous years of their ex-

istence. Now is the time for them

to get fogether and relebrate their

portunity for Methodists to have vis-

nalised the scenes and activities of

which they have been talking for the

past year, but of which they have no

personal knowledge Of these 78,900

men, only a nextigible per cent has

ever had the opportunity of going

abroad. At the celebration they can

get the trip around the world at their

"Third, this is the time to finish

the job,' to gather inspiration and in

formation to enable the organized

workers in the church to carry out

the program which has been mapped

If the Celebration realizes the ideals

which those who are back of it hold.

it must be the inspiration for plan

ning work for the next century As

we look upon the marvels that have

been accomplished we should gather

new faith and new zeal for enter

prises that can be measured only in

terms of another century. We must

in a word, weld ourselves together in

a great spiritual purpose to strike

Dr. Fisher indicated that 150 train-

ed executives, in addition to the 78,

900 volunteer workers, will stimulate

interest in the Centenary Celebration

during the next six weeks

"Fourth, and most important of all.

out for the next four years.

"In the second place, this is an op-

victory.

convenience

the bull's ere

In outlining the campaign he has placed before 78,999 committeemen of

THREE helmets, absolutely guar ports or authority of any kind. To teed to have been worn by the do this he was forced to hide out for former Kaiser William of Germany, days on the border. He was turned Von Bethmann-Hollweg and General back twice, but on his third attempt succeeded in getting past a Swiss guard. He made some wonderful pictures in Berlin, showing street riots and the general chaos of the city at

> in addition to these views and in cidental lectures, Mr. Thomas will show ofctures taken in Palestine at the time of General Allenby's occupa-

Methodist Centenary Celebration



ME BLANCHE YURKA creater M the role of Understanding, lead ing female part in "The Wasfarer pageant, which will be presented at the Methodist Centenary celebration in Columbus, O., June 20 to July 13 Henry Herbert, English Shakes pearean interpreter, will have the other leading rate

Nearly 1,000 costumed characters will appear in the majestic religious pageant which will be presented every evening during the celebration in the Coliseum at the exposition grounds. The Coliseum boasts of the largest stage in America and seats 8,000 persons. A sexted chorus of 1,000 trained voices will augment the effectiveness of the pageant

Soloist in "The Wayfarer" at Methodist Celebration

seated chorus of 1,000 trained voices

will appear in the ; agenut.

JULY 7 NEGRO DAY Trips Planned For Visitors to Methodist Contonery. Negro Methodists, in Columbus as Centenary Celebration visitors, will make a pilgrimage to Upper Sandusky. birthplace of the Home Missionary movement, to honor the memory of its founder. John Stewart, a man of their own race. The trip is scheduled

for Saturday July 5. Other trips planned include a visit to the grave of Ben Hanby, author of "Nellie Gray," in Otterhein cemetery: to Ohio Wesleyaz, University, Delaware; perhaps in smaller numbers to Wilberforce, and possible to Oberlin, where so many found, by underground

route, safe haven in Civil war days. MISS HELEN NAWITT, dramatie Monday, July 7, has been desiglvric soprano, will be the so nated officially as "Negro Day," and prano soloist in "The Wayfarer," the will be observed at the Centenary great religious pageant which will be Celebration grounds with an elabpresented as a part of the Methodist erate program of pageantry, ad-Centenary celebration in Columbus dresses, special music and parades. O., June 20 to July 13. Henry Her For this occasion, Dr. W. E. Dubots, editor of The Crisis, published in New ter, and Mme. Blanche Yurka, will York, has written a pageant, "The have the leading speaking parts. Viols Star of Ethiopia," which will be pro-Ellis, contraite, will be a soloist, The pageant will be presented on guced in the Col: eam by colored participants. The theme of the pageant the largest stage in America, in the in the evolution of the race traced Coliseam of the exposition grounds through problem to be ablede which seats 8,000 persons. Nearly 1,000 costumed characters and s ment to

Thomas entered Germany at this tion. Thomas accompanied the Brit-

Leading Lady In 'The Wayfarer' at

from grenades designed for use by the American troops in France. The mechanical contrivances for exploding the grenade and safeguarding the thrower are left intact. Only the TNT is removed. This had to be done to make room for the pennies and dimes the school children will save therein for the purchase of War Sav- RUSSIAN REVO-

REAL HAND GREN-

ADES AS SAVINGS

-will receive, at the reconvening of

school in the fall, a souvenir of the

war that in later years will be highly

prized. The souvenir is a real hand

grenade converted into a savings bank-

These banks are being manufactured

ing Stamps. When the armistice was signed the War Department had 15.000,000 grenades on hand and these are being transformed into banks. Illinois has been allotted 30,000 and has asked Sent to Siberia. Escaped. Came to an opaion on an additioal 30,000.

Under the plan approved by the Treasury Department for the distribution of the souvenir banks, each child under ten years old who during the summer vacation earns enough and submits to his teacher an account of how the money was earned would be entitled to receive a bank. Children of more than ten years would be required to purchase two Stamps.

The banks will be distributed in the Church, he learned to hate everything

cation earnings.

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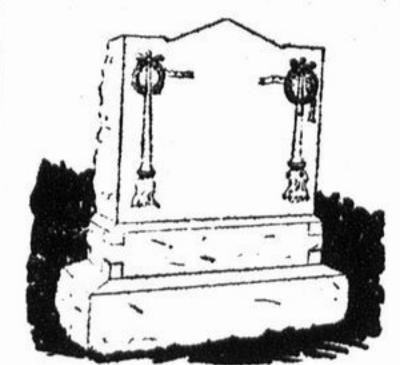
Rev. Abraham Benjamine Machlin

was born of Jewish parents in Rusmoney to buy one War Savings Stamp sia. knows from experience the pogram and the Russian Orthodox Jewish life in general, and is thoroughly conversant with the Yiddish tongue. As a young man Machlin, living at Fiev, Russia, seeing the ill treatment of his people by the Greek Catholic

months. then paroled, but, contined became a Christian. his activities, was rearrested and compelled to serve thirteen months in pri- Baptist Church of Downers Grove, son, and sent to Siberia for five years Wednesday. June 25th at 8:00 p. m. escaping twice and coming to this Everybody is invited. Admission free-OFFICE SERVICE country in 1914, when he entered a

fall by the teachers uponreceipt of Christian as he knew it then and join- Jewish Mission in Philadelphia, later the pupils' essay. It will be for the ed the Social Revolutionary Party, visiting New York, where he took up teacher to determine whether the giving to it such activity that he was the study of prophecies concerning BANKS FOR KIDS stamps bought represent bonafide va- arrested and imprisoned for nine the Messiah, with the result that he

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TO BE HUMBUGGED

Seem Not to Mind Having "Some-

thing Put Over" on Them the

Least Bit.

Mail Order Houses Find It Easy to

Make Substitutions Because of

the Cost of Making

Exchanges.

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who declared that the American people

love to be humbugged. That saying is

many years old now but sometimes it

seems that there is about as much

People as a rule do not like the idea

truth in it now as there was when it

of having "something put over" on

them, but from the way in which the

great mail order houses in the big

cities flourish it seems that a great

The business man who, when he gets

a call for an article which he has not

in stock, attempts to substitute some

other article of a similar nature with

out telling the buyer of the substitu-

tion, is "putting something over" on

his customer. Few retall merchants

nowadays attempt to do a thing of that

kind. The great majority of merchants

do not do this for two reasons. One

reason is that they wouldn't do it if

they could and the other is that they

couldn't do it if they would. The man

who buys an article over the counter

and sees what he is buying before he

pays for it, is pretty sure to get what

Ordered Shirt, Got Palamas.

chants, of which the same thing can-

not be said. A man who has been close-

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he wants.

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ly connected with some of the big mail order houses is authority for the statement that the heads of the various merchandise departments of many mail order houses have standing orders to substitute with the nearest thing they have if the articles ordered are not in stock and available for delivery. It is related that in one instance as a result of these instructions, a man who ordered a dress shirt from a mail order house received a pair of pink pajamas

It is easy for the mail order house to get away with this substitution of another article for the one that is ordered for the reason that to exchange an article received from a catalogue house is a costly undertaking.

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Exchanges Are Costiy.

If a mail order buyer is disappoint

ed in his purchase, as he is very upt to

be when he compares the article upon

its arrival with the picture and flowery

description which appeared in the

catalogue, the wisest plan is to take

what he gets and make the best of it

for every time he sends an article back

to be exchanged, he is piling up the ex-

press or treight-charges and even if

the article is exchanged as requested.

the buyer is not upt to fare much bet-

The mail order houses are well

aware of the fact that the majority of

their customers will not go to the tron-

ble and expense of returning an ar-

ticle if it does not come up to their

expectations and as a result they can

work the substitution game to their

The home merchant, however, can-

not do business in this way and, as has

heen said, the majority of them would

not do it if they could. The home mer-

chant, if he has not the article called

for, may offer another with the expla-

nation that it is of the same quality

asked. Good merchants nowadays even

hesitate to offer something "just as

good" to the customer especially when

the article called for is one that has

become well-known and popular

through the advertising done by the

manufacturer, but to attempt to make

a substitution without the knowledge

or consent of the customer! Well, It

isn't being done by the local merchants

Substitution Made Easy.

mail order houses, also, by the fact

that they do r and much of what is

goods that ... thoroughly ad-

vertised by the manufacturers and

have become nationally known through

such advertising. A large part of the

merchandise which the mail order

houses sell purports to be manufac-

tured by them although in most cases

little of it is made in their own plants.

Much of this merchandise hears only

the name of the mail order house and

It is easy to substitute one article for

The methods of the home merchant

naturally are different. With the great

development of advertising in recent

years much of the merchandise carried

by the retail merchant is "advertised"

goods. These goods are of familiar

brands, the names of which have been

made famous by the national advertis-

ing of the makers. This advertising is

a distinct protection to the buyer for

the latter knows when he goes into his

local store and asks for an article of

this kind that he will get just what he

asks for if the merchant has it in

stock and that he will be told if the

article is not in stock. There is abso-

lutely no opportunity for the merchant

to "put one over" on him, even if the

merchant had the inclination to do so.

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