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WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

HOW THE HUNS REPAY THEIR BENEFACTORS

Hendrik Willem van Loon, historian and biographer, in a letter to the New York Herald Tribune revealed a little of how the Nazis made such a devastating attack behind the lines of his native country, the Netherlands.

you ought to know. After the last war the people of the Netherlands took care of a half a million German children, received them in their homes, fed them, clothed them and kept them might be restored to normal health. try. And twemy years later these nice. dear children, speaking of course, is achieved," in the words of one Briperfect Dutch (had they not been full-fledged members of a Dutch household for years?), returned to the land of their hospitality, garbed one of those 50,000 Dutch uniforms about which our correspondents have been cabling for months), but again, nobody would believe them, and, thusly disguised, those grateful little Germans, now completely contaminated with the Nazi virus, burned down the houses and struck down the hands that had fed them and saved their

"But America won't listen. America won't believe, until it will be too late and the vermin has caten its way into the fabric of our own edifice

And for this letter I will be called a warmonger, and the Nazi boys will activities of every working man. perhaps just a little hysterical.' Which

LINDBERGH

(Milton Champion)

Last Sunday night Charles Lindbergh told the American people over the radio that they had nothing to tightening his belt, flexing his muscles, foar from events in Europe, provided they build enough bombers. He said the country should continue to remain neutral. No Quisling could have done a smoother job of Hun propaganda. He is certainly earning Nazi medal that Hitler gave him. then again perhaps he isn't; for popularity in the United States fallen so low and his reputation for small self-satisfaction has risen high that whatever he says against the Allies will quite likely work out

in their favor. The New York Time has sized sim up correctly:

Colonel Lindbergh is a peculiar young man if he can contemplate de- been deprived of the opportunity to feat of the Allies in any other light enlist with the overseas forces, bethan as a calemity for the American cause of government plans for warpeople. He is an ignorant young man time industrial output. if he trusts his own premise that it

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-Rev. O Gowland, of Oakville, will preach at both services in the anniversary services of Limehouse Pres-byterian Church on June 16th. -Georgetown Women's Institute will

meet on June 5th at the home of Mrs.

F. D McNally. As this will be a social afternoon, all members are asked to be present and bring a friend. 1t -Public Lecture, in the Knox Presbyterian Church, on Monday, June 3rd at 8 p.m. Motion Pictures.—"South America and the Jungles of the Amazon," by Rev. Walter McCleary, B.A.,

Secretary of the Upper Canada Bible

-Limehouse Presbyterian Church will hold a garden party on the lawn of Mr. A. C. Patterson, Silvercreek Service Station, on Monday, June Tom Hamilton and his Royal Scots, refreshment booth, Rev. Ross K. Cameron, guest speaker. Watch for further details.

-The Jersey cow, Norval Taxpaying Nellie, owned and tested by L. J. C. Norval, Ontario, has recently completed a record of 9,131 lbs. of milk, 528 lbs. of fat, with an average test of 5.78% as a junior four year old in 300 days. Norval Dimples, at five years of age in 365 days has pro-duced 10,109 lbs. of milk, 622 lbs. of fat, testing 6.15%. Dimples is a daughter of the silver and gold medal bull, Brampton Big Standard.

-A community rummage sale in aid of Refugee Work in connection with the war will be held in the McGibbon Block on Friday, June 7th, and Saturday, June 8th, opening at 2.00 p.m. each day. Bring any good used articles to the above store on Thursday afternoon and evening and Friday morning. Anyone having rummage to be picked up Phone 119j. You can surely spare some of those things that have been stored in your attic for years to aid in a cause bigger than this old world has ever yet faced. 2t

In the -

NEWS

- of the Week

World war developments have rushat us in Canada with such speed in the past few days it is not easy for any one of us to translate these developments into the effect they have or will have on all of us, as citizens

of the Dominion. One month ago, there were casua references to a possible invasion of England. But such a possibility seem-"Listen, America, here is something bor, wealth and industry, in case such war, wholly unimpaired. for one, two or four years, that they a drastic step was forced on the coun-

"Freedom is in pawn until victory

ush commentator. As Hitler's baby-killers stamped through Holland and Belgium France, the world suddenly awakened to a fuller realization that the struggle is one of life or death. The British Empire literally kills Hilterism. Hitler destroys the Empire. The British press will publish under the editorial direction of Berlin, or our boys and girls shall scamper off to school light-heartedly, free to sing "Rule Bri-

tannia" in their class rooms. Thus faced, Britain is taking every last necessary precaution against disaster. If the country were to be invaded, the cabinet will have the right to command the manufacturing concern, the importing house, the banking house; to use all resources in the country as it seems fit: to direct the smile slyly and say. "Just because we is only because of the imminent threat burned down his own birthplace he is of invasion, with the possibility than Parliament will be unable to sit, that Britons thus surrender their freedom. The drastic legislation is designed for emergency, so that the government wherever it may be situated will pos-

sess all necessary authority. Linked closer to England than she has ever been before, as a result of the present situation, Jack Canuck is ready for any eventuality.

At the same time, citizens of this country need not expect a drastic change in the measure of individual liberty they how enjoy. The Canadian government has already gone far in gearing the component parts of the country into a war machine. Wealth in Canada has already been conscripted, when you consider that capital movement is under government control, and that all industry is subject to excess profits taxation. By reason of the Bank of Canada, the Canadian banks are pretty well controlled

now. Foreign exchange is under control. Many skilled workmen have

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But it doesn't do any harm to ex- These men were co-opted from their ed so remote at that time, none gave plore every possibility. If the worst peacetime occupations. They will en- shells and their components ranging it much consideration. But with the came, and the Canadian parliament list the services of thousands of men from small arms and ammunition, passage of only a few days, we now felt it obligatory for each individual and womer, in every walk of life to put anti-aircraft shells and field gun amhear of gigantic plans being rushed in in the state, each industry, to sur- over this phase of the nation's war munition to heavy artillery shells. England to combat an invasion. Home render every vestige of individual lib- effort. forces are being organized to deal with erty, then it is to be hoped that any A similar organization seems neces- ada, and the expansion of facilities German parachute troops. Aliens are steps would be so taken that the in- sary to make Canada tourist conscious for the production of anti-aircraft being rounded up. Parliament in one dividual, the industrial concern, the in terms of the opportunities and re- guns and field artillery is proceeding day passed legislation empowering the bank, the life insurance company, the sponsibilities which lie at hand. Such Some half dozen firms are now directgovernment to carry out sweeping con- storekeeper, would have his rights, a body should co-ordinate the work ly interested in different phases of scription of the nation's resources, la- his property restored to him after the of existing agencies. It should enlist gun production, in which activity

Co-ordinate Tourist Effort

The greatest tourist trek in world history is now starting. At every port of entry American visitors will shortly come across the border to see Canada and Canadians at war, to get their extra "day in ten" free of charge, to visit and revisit our cities, lakes and

There is no need to stress the reasons why this year's tourist business is a vital part of Canada's war effort. For one thing, we must have American dollars to fight the war Since we can no longer borrow money in the U.S., the American dollars our tourist visitors will exchange at border to pay for their Canadian holiday will be a major source of funds with which to pay for essential materials which Uncle Sam sells us. Another potent reason is that by being interpreters as well as good hosts to these 15 or 20 million visitors. we can immeasurably aid the ailied

How are we going to be sure these American visitors will come in recordbreaking numbers? How are we going to be sure Canadians do their part to discuss "the issues at stake" when they arrive? How are we going to make sure that our cabins and facilities meet reasonable standards of comfort and cleanliness?

The Federal Government, each proincial government and scores of munvel or tourist bureaus. Other interpanies, hotel and steamship firms are equally busy sowing the seed which they hope will bring rich harvest. What seems to be lacking is a nation-wide co-ordinated effort to bring home to the man in the street, to innkeepers and tourist camp proprietors the fact that the tourist business in 1940 is just as much a part of the country's war effort as the making of shells or growing of wheat.

A few days ago Ottawa announced another national effort which seems to Because of its geographical situation. parallel closely the tourist situation. makes no difference to us whether we Canada will likely be able to proceed. A country-wide sales programme unare deprived of the historic defence of in the grim task of war, without con- der men with proved business and sales British sea power in the Atlantic fusion, without being forced to sub- experience organized to merchandise Ocean. He is a blind young man if mit to totalization as complete as War Savings Certificates. The organhe really believes that we can live on Hitler's. Not even in England is it imition is headed by W. H. Somerville. term of equal peace and happiness yet necessary to take over newspapers, general manager; The Mutual Life of Canada, and de Gaspe Besublen, pre- socks 155,000 uniform blouses and ja-sident David & Frere Ltd., Montreal, kets, and 190,000 uniform trousers.

the support and interest of every citi- prior to the war had been confined zen in doing his or her part to put to the limited field of small arms tourism in Canada "over the top."

Glimpses of Parliament

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limitations of the work of the department are not generally stood. I am often asked why we have not filled every factory in Canada with orders for war equipment regardless of

It must be remembered that Canada's army in Britain and France, although commanded by Canadians, forms part of the British army, and has no separate lines of communication. Therefore, it is practically necessity that our equipment be interchangeable with British equipment This means that the armament of our troops must largely be built to British standards, and that British designs must be followed. One of our chief difficulties has been to obtain the latest British designs for mechanical equipment used by our troops in common operations. British industry has not been too willing to part with these designs, many of which represent years of study and development by private manufacturing firms.

"Since the defence purchasing board was established in July, 1939, the Department of Munitions and Supply and its predecessor boards have purchased \$225,000,000 worth of equipicipalities already have their own tra- | ment, material and munitions for the Canadian army, navy and air force. ested agencies, the railways, oil com- In addition to this the department has placed \$75,000,000 worth of equipment, material and munitions orders for Great Britain and France, making a total in orders placed of about \$300,-000,000. In doing so they have placed some 17,000 separate contracts. community leaders, to service clubs, to Throughout April contracts were beemployers and employees, to the local ing awarded at an average rate of 135 daily. Each of these contracts has been awarded by tender except those, relatively few in number, where it was impossible to obtain competitive bidding or in cases where the full output of an industry is required. "Our purchasing organization is required to buy a great variety of products. A continuing problem is to keep up with demands for clothing. To give a few figures; our factories have delivered up to a few days ago over 400,000 blankets, 125,000 pairs of boots, 270,000 shirts, 775,000 pairs of

"Production is now under way of Machine guns are being made in Canmanufacture in government arsenal. -Financial Post- "The shells which Canada now

> future include 40 millimetre, 18-pounder, 25-pounder, 3-7 inch, 4-5 inch, 6 inch, and 9-2 inch shells. In order to make the shells complete, Canadian plants are at present engaged in the manufacture of corresponding quantiles of cartridge cases, fuses, primers and other requisites. Some sixty different Canadian companies are engaged in this work. The dominion arsenals are also engaged in certain special munition work for the United Kingdom. Excluding certain explosives orders, for which the capacity of the dominion is being rapidly increased, contracts totalling more than \$40,000,000 have been placed for these munitions, including 100,000,000 rounds of small arms ammunition, individual gun barrels, anti-tank carriages, and other items. I might say that that item of 100,000,000 rounds of small arms ammunition has been very greatly increased since these notes

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