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**WERE THE GERMANS "NOT LICKED"?**

Reports continue to come in from various quarters that the Germans are not properly chastened in spirit, the accumulated evidence of which tempts some of us to conclude, with the doughboy, that the Germans were "not licked."

An expert with the American army, who is watching the development of German politics, declares that the Germans are still monarchists at heart, and will eventually turn again to their Princes to restore the country to the form of government for which the Germans are best adapted.

"Germany proceeds with her state making, taking care not to change the system too much," says this man in summarizing the situation. "That might be expected in a people who are monarchists at heart. If the Kaiser and the Crown Prince had not abdicated the Allies might have demanded the surrender to them of both the Kaiser and the Prince. This would have been a greater blow to German pride than any condition which has been imposed and would have caused a desperate resistance."

The abdication saved Germany this, so that now the Kaiser is regarded as a martyr for his country and the Crown Prince shares his glory. Of course, the Spartacus group and the Independent Socialists would doubtless like to treat the Hohenzollerns as the Bolsheviks treated the Romanoffs, but apart from that the general feeling is one of loyalty.

The Germans feel at last that they are conquered, abased, and powerless, but the feeling for revenge is burning and the war spirit is not dead but bides its time.

The Hohenzollerns gave to the German people prestige among the nations in the past as well as commercial prosperity, and it is more than likely that they will be returned to raise Germany again from poverty and humiliation. It will be remembered that they did not sign the armistice and that they always stood for everything of which Germany is proudest.

In the meantime care will be taken that the people will have more of a share in the Government than they had in the past, and any Hohenzollern will accommodate himself to the new order of things."

The Germans, whatever else may be said, have shown an insatiable appetite for the spectacular and the theatrical. They liked a monarchial form of government because it was spectacular, they enjoyed the jingoism of the junkers, and the preening and peacocking of the Kaiser in his multiplicity of uniforms because he was theatrical.

Can it be that if their vast armies had been made to hoist the white flag in the field, to stack their arms, and bend the actual knee of the vanquished before the Allied generals, that they would have gone home with a clearer notion that they "were licked,"

But the Allies do not do business in this way, we say. It is not in their nature to "make the vanquished foe eat the dust, before the eyes of their conquerors, and in humiliation before their own men." No, it is not, but it is the German way. They still hanker after the spectacular even in defeat. They like to see a picture of themselves. And if, before the signing of the armistice, they had seen themselves in the role of the "vanquished foe," it is a picture which might have stayed with them for many years to come, and which might save them now from the delusion of thinking they were "not licked."

**A PLEA FOR THE DEEP WOODS**

The question of the Forest Preserve will come before the people at the spring election. Do we believe in setting aside some portion of our beautiful Lake County timber lands, or are we perfectly willing they should fall under the commercial swing of the ax?

If we do favor setting such lands aside for the permanent enjoyment of ourselves and of our children, then say so at the spring election. The cry has come for going back to the land, and in a very few years, unless some action is taken, our forest lands will give place to ploughed fields. Must it be said that only one or two men in Highland Park have developed an aesthetic conscience in this matter? Let those who profess to love Nature prepare to show it now!

**LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS**

Mr. Thomas Campbell, who is with the armed guards stationed at Brooklyn, N. Y., spent the past ten days with friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Larson and daughter, Lois, and son, Bradford, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ball of Evanston.

Sergeant Melvin Sweetland, who has been stationed at the Rock Island Arsenal, has returned home, having been honorably discharged.

The John Rhinesmith family have purchased the Aynsley home on Clark Street and are moving into it this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Moseley have taken an apartment at 1125 Davis St., Evanston.

Mrs. Lyle Gourley, who has been on the sick list for the past week, is much improved.

Mr. Joe Orrico of Chicago was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hart of Oakwood Ave. last Friday.

Miss Ada Fritsch was the week end guest of Mrs. George Shelton of Evanston. Miss Ruth Mowers spent Sunday as the guest of Mrs. Shelton.

Miss Elsie Witten entertained ten guests at dinner on Sunday. The table was prettily decorated in red, white and blue, in honor of Washington's birthday.

Mrs. Floyd Koon had as her guests this week her mother and sister, Mrs. Darrah and Miss Deborah Darrah of Kankakee, Ill.

The Misses Bertha and Mildred Harbaugh, who have been confined to their home for the past two weeks with influenza, are very much improved.

Campbell Chapter O. E. S. will meet this evening in Masonic Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Nichols are the happy parents of a daughter, born Sunday, Feb. 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Lundgren and two sons are spending several weeks in Paris Island, S. C.

Eddie Therrien and Fred Siljestrom spent the week end in Shermerville.

Mrs. Olivia Anderson of Deerfield was the week end guest of Mrs. M. C. Lundgren.

Miss Ethel Hill spent the week end with Mrs. George Hill of Chicago.

Sergt. Lloyd McCaffrey is spending a short furlough with his parents before leaving for Camp Eastis, Va.

Miss Beattie Carolan and Miss Mildred Kepner had as their Sunday guests Mr. Leslie Aikens and Mr. Ray Anshutz of Warren, Ill.

Miss Ruth Schwab spent the week end visiting friends in Oak Park.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hitehoek returned Sunday after spending six weeks at Beverly Hills, Cal.

Miss Lena Nixon spent the week end in Hammond, Ind., visiting her sister, Miss Blanche Nixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Tyner are at Palm Beach for a stay of several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Phelps, who have been occupying the Roger Vall house since returning from New York, will take possession of their own home on March 1.

The three little Drake children, who have been on the sick list the past week are able to be out again.

Mrs. F. C. Norenberg spent a few days this week in Aurora, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Jones are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, born Tuesday, February 26, at the Presbyterian Hospital, Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin J. Insull and daughter, Miss Virginia, are spending several weeks in Jacksonville, Fla.

Sunday evening Miss Ella Harder was pleasantly surprised by a number of her friends in honor of her birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in dancing, after which dainty refreshments were served. Decorations were of red, white and blue.

The weekly dances held at Anderson's Hall, Lak Forest, under the auspices of the Social Trio, have become very popular. Nelson's Orchestra of Waukegan furnishes excellent music for the dances.

Mrs. D. P. Sheahan of Oakfield, Wis., was the week end guest of Mrs. J. Sheahan.

Mr. Peter Juhrend was taken to the Highland Park Hospital Tuesday where he underwent an operation for appendicitis. Mr. Juhrend is getting along very nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Fischer of Chicago were the Sunday guests of Mrs. Stewart R. Nelson.

Miss Ruth Beardley is leaving today for Ann Arbor, Mich., where she will visit Mrs. Wilbur Brotherton, Jr.

L. Robert Langrebe who is en route to California stopped in Highland Park last Tuesday and visited the Thomas Morton family.

Mrs. M. E. Smith of Milwaukee, was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Smith of Oakwood Ave.

Mr. Henry Witten of Big Timber Mont., is visiting at the home of his brother, Mr. William Witten.

Miss Laura Siljestrom is spending two weeks in Wheaton, Ill., visiting friends.

Mr. Henry Hanson, who, for the past six months has been in France with the 131st Inf., is now at Fort Sheridan hospital, where he is receiving treatment for a wounded ankle.

Mrs. D. J. Murphy of Wauconda, spent a few days last week at the Schendorf home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bloomfield of Chicago were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bloomfield.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Purdy, Jr., returned Monday evening from a four weeks' trip to the Pacific Coast.

Master Joe Botsford of Chicago was the week end guest of his aunt, Mrs. N. A. Aldridge.

Mrs. Ralph J. Brooks of Riverside was the Sunday guest of her mother, Mrs. N. A. Aldridge.

Mrs. Ida Miller and daughter, Edna, and Miss Olga Brown spent Sunday in Chicago with Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Basler and their aunt, Mrs. Ida Brown.

Mrs. Jennie Boyer is spending several weeks in New York.

Mrs. G. Arnsward received a telegram Tuesday from the American Red Cross stating that her sons, Theodore and Albert, who were members of Co. A, 108th Eng., had been released from the hospital and were on their way back to the states.

Mr. Fred Lehman, who spent the past few weeks visiting relatives in this city, left last Sunday for his home in Britz, Ia.

**M. E. CHURCH**

We are constantly reminded that the mission of the Church is to bring God and Jesus to every man, woman and child in the world. To lead every person into a consciousness, (clear cut and unmistakable), of Jesus as a personal Saviour; of God as the Heavenly Father; of the Holy Spirit as man's teacher, guide and comforter; that every man is under divine compulsion to recognize every other man as his brother and that communities, states and nations bear the same relation to each other as individuals. We are further reminded that to be equal to such a mission the Church of Christ must be filled with the Spirit of her Lord. That however comprehensive her program of social service; however thorough her organization and complete her equipment unless her members have faith enough in their risen Master to follow His example in the stewardship of time, prayer, possessions and life, she cannot fulfill her mission.

The centenary program of the church will bring this consciousness to the members. We are making progress in the development of this program. We expect, of course, that some will deem this entirely too old fashioned and antiquated for their use. But it is interesting history that the men in France just before going over the top to face death and then God asked for some very old fashioned things. They did not want a dancing master, nor a card party nor an up-to-the-minute Sunday evening dinner. They wanted someone who could lead them nearest to the God whom they expected to face; to the Saviour who had given Himself in willing sacrifice for the saving of the world as they were willing to give themselves. Can we as professed followers of that God Whom we too must face do less than lead those for whom we are responsible to a definite commitment of their all to the establishment of Christ's Kingdom on the earth? We think this the least we can do. This magnifies the work of the S. S. officer and teacher; of the Epworth League worker; of the prayer meeting. It minimizes the importance of all social activities.

We invite the public to the services of the church.

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.

Morning Worship at 10:30. Subject "Our Debt."

Epworth League at 6:30.

Evening Service at 7:30. Subject, "A Great Salvation."

Wednesday evening service at 7:30.

St. John's Gospel, Chapter 4:31-54.

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