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"Foul Murder—Not War"

A German Canadian's View

Mr. D. Knechtel, head of the great Hanover Furniture Co. had a letter in Toronto Star last week, dealing with the war situation and the attitude of German Canadians thereto. It is couched in an admirable strain and appeals to his fellow countrymen of British ancestry not to misjudge the German element amongst them who have found in Canada not only a home but an outlet for their energies that has brought ample reward. He looks upon the methods of the Kaiser and his advisers as "foul and inexcusable murder, not war," and wants to see triumph the Allies and the principles the Allies are fighting for and believes that that is the attitude of the great bulk of his countrymen in Canada.

No one, except the insanely bigoted, can deny the German race pride in their ancestral home, from which came many blessings to the world "before the accursed days of German militarism" as Mr. Knechtel says.

We are sure readers of the Review after reading the extracts we give from Mr. Knechtel's letter will not treat their fellow citizens of German descent unfairly or look upon them with suspicion.

After referring to the Star editorial which prompted the writing of the letter he says:

"I am over 70 years of age; and my father when a very young man, came from Germany and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario, where I was born. I came to Hanover, Grey Co., fifty years ago, without capital save a good sound body and a determination to succeed. My country and industry could bring success. I have succeeded to such an extent that I am now president and a chief shareholder of the Knechtel Furniture Co. Ltd., having large factories in Hanover, Walkerton and Southampton with some of the most prominent and best known British Canadian citizens of Hanover as fellow shareholders; and am also president and manager of the Hanover Portland Cement Co. Ltd.

As with many other German Canadians, my business success has been much greater than I would have been at all likely to have achieved had I started life in Germany under the same disadvantage of lack of capital, and I acknowledge with gratitude the success I have had and the kindness I have received as a Canadian citizen. I would not mention under Britain's flag. I have never been in Germany and have no connection with Germany in any way and have no desire that the flag of Germany shall ever fly over Canadian soil; fully realizing that such a thing would be a catastrophe and would largely curtail the liberty, freedom and privileges of every citizen of this Dominion. I have no sympathy whatever with such atrocities as the sinking of the Lusitania, the use of poison by the German army or the killing or wounding of innocent women and children in the name of war. It is not war, it is foul and inexcusable murder.

While ashamed of present German barbarities, I am not ashamed of my German name or German descent, and you would not respect me if I were. Like most other Canadians of German descent I am descended not from the military mad Germany of to-day but from a Germany of better days, of higher ideals and nobler pursuits; and for the German people of Canada I ask even in these sad, gloomy and excitable war times and unquestionably wrong German acts, for which we Germans are in no way responsible, British justice and British fair play."

He then proceeds to give instances to show that Hanover with 80 per cent of its 3000 population German, was excelled by few if any similar towns in practical loyalty. German Canadian companies and individuals were amongst the largest contributors to the Patriotic Fund. Several citizens had sons at the front fighting with the allies, a nephew of his was in Gen. French's army; he mentions the Seims, father and son, Juckisch and others, all of German descent and well known in South Grey who responded to the call of Britain. The Daughters of the Empire and other organizations, largely German Canadians, had been liberal with gifts. A German traveller a few days before began to talk disloyally to a local German merchant thinking to please him but was shown the door and lost his business. He refers to John Manto a German of Hanover, who had just heard that his son had been dangerously wounded in France and adds "Shall British Canadians add to the sorrow of this brave lad's father and mother the additional sorrow of being despised or suspected because of their German name?"

Following are a few more paragraphs from an admirable and comprehensive letter:

"Our British Canadians and German Canadians fight together in the trenches as they work together in our factories and associate together in many of the churches in patriotic work and in social life. Every thoughtful loyal citizen will be just and fair to every German Canadian remembering that with such treatment will German Canadians least be able to cheerfully, earnestly, and loyally continue their work, hand in hand with every other loyal Canadian in the upbuilding of Canada as a prosperous united and dependable part of the British Empire.

While assuring you most emphatically that our German Canadian citizens here are loyal, I regret to have to admit that there are a few, probably three or four who are foolish enough to have and to express disloyal thoughts, due not so much to German newspapers as to mis-



MILTON MILLS IN THE TRENCHES—SAFE AFTER LANGEMARCK

The following letter from Milton Mills to his mother in St. Catharines, kindly furnished to us by his father, will be read with interest by his many friends in and near Durham. We trust the brave lad will come as safely through all his mix ups as he has this time at Langemarck, where so many of the gallant Canadians fell fighting for their Empire.

May 3, 1915

Dear Mother:

Just a few lines to let you know that I am still well. By this time you will know that we have been in the big scrap that was pulled off here. Believe me, it was some scrap. The first two or three days were the worst. I won't forget it in a hurry. Ray Ansell got a little rap with some shrapnell but it did not do much damage to him, Herb. Kainfield also got scratched but is still moving around. I have had shells burst as close to me as I want them. Another fellow and I were lying in a small dugout when a shell exploded near us and nearly buried us. The concussion shook us up quite a bit but that was all the

chievously written letters written by friends in the United States.

Let German-Canadians continue to be loyal and let British Canadians continue to be just and fair towards their German-Canadian fellow citizens as they were wont to be before the war and reasonably respect the natural feeling of pride which German-Canadians have toward the old Fatherland from which came their ancestors and from which came before the accursed days of German militarism, much that has benefited the world and Canada will be none the wiser. In the years to come for the presence of the German Canadians who have helped to build up some of the most successful and progressive industrial centres and some of the very best agricultural districts in our Dominion.

British Canadians and their Germanics included, our fathers to this country. You will not treat us unfairly or, without just cause, look upon us with suspicion."

MULOCK

The Children's Day was well observed in the church last Sabbath. The Cradle Roll Supt. in presenting the eleven members with their certificates of membership, expressed her appreciation of the hearty co-operation of the parents in her work amongst the little ones. The pastor in his address spoke especially to the children who were present. One pleasing feature of the service was the singing of "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere," as a chorus by the children.

Mrs. Jno. Torry and daughter and Miss Martha Torry, of Durham, were the guests of Mr and Mrs. Clark Torry over the week end.

Mr and Mrs. Robert Long, of Walkerton, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr and Mrs. Jno. McGillivray.

Mr. Herb. Chittick is having the phone installed in his home this week.

Mr. Barclay returned Saturday from the special session at McMaster University, Toronto.

Mr. Chas. Courtney, of Toronto, spent the holiday with friends here.

Mrs. Hay and daughter Miss Ora, of Owen Sound, called on her friend, Mrs. Wm. Lunney, last Friday.

The Ladies' Mission Circle will hold their public meeting Wed. evening, June 2nd. A good program is being prepared. An offering will be taken in aid of Missions.

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Mr and Mrs. John Vasey have our sympathy in the loss of their only daughter, a bright little girl of two and a half years old. She was buried on Friday in the R. C. cemetery.

The Rev. Mr. Mills has purchased a fine car from Mr. George Smith, of Durham. We expect a few more in the near future.

Mr and Mrs. J. O. Dargavel motored out on Wednesday night to Dor-

mouth and spent the evening with his parents.

R. M. Dargavel is not in very good health, but hope he will soon recover.

Mr. John McKnight and family and Mrs. Ware, of Toronto, motored to Dornoch on Saturday to visit his brother, T. McKnight, till after the 24th.

Messrs. Dan Reay and Russell Cummings of Paisley visited friends near here the end of last week.

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