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Kunze admitted, however, that "the legion head in Syracuse said he would stop our meeting even if it meant bloodshed. In Rochester the hotel we hired was pestered until it closed its hall. At Gary the opposition got a temporary injunction."

"In Trenton I wasn't able to speak. The reds finished the meeting."

## "TO KEEP ORDER"

He alleged that the uniformed storm troopers who attacked legionnaires in Philadelphia used, not blackjacks, but merely "the leather straps from their uniforms." He said that the Bund "had its uniformed division just to keep order."

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"We are not against the 'nigger,' as long as he is proud to be a 'nigger' and nothing else, and is willing to stay on his side of the fence," Kunze reported to his fellow Nazis.

Kunze also urged wider use in America of the German language. "There is no real American language," he said. "English is only for business purposes."

He called his tour "highly successful"; said he had "formed units in every city."