

# Germans Hail Verdict Against Nazi Bund

## 3 Powerful Veteran Organizations Crack Down on Nazi Camps in U. S.—German Culture League Praises Verdict

German-Americans hail the verdict.

Three powerful war veteran organizations will crack down on each of the twenty-three Nazi camps in America.

A heavy fine and jail faces every member and every officer of the German-American Bund and its subsidiaries in the state of New York unless he files his name and address with the Secretary of State at Albany immediately.

Those were the repercussions yesterday of the conviction and sentencing of six directors of the Nazi's Camp Siegfried in Suffolk County Supreme Court at Riverhead, L. I.

Dr. Rudolf Brandl issued the following statement to the press on behalf of the influential German-American League for Culture, 1476 Broadway:

"The verdict handed down in the Nazi trial offers to those German-Americans who are following the liberal progressive traditions of Schurz and Sigel an opportunity to take a public stand against the barbarism of the Third Reich and in favor of the humane democracy of the United States."

Schurz and Sigel are German-American heroes of the Civil War era.

Dr. Brandl felt that he spoke the sentiments of the vast majority of America's loyal citizens of German descent. He echoed the words of Assistant District Attorney Lindsay Henry, who told the jury in the closing hour of the trial that it was to the "everlasting credit" of the German people that they shunned the Nazi bundsters.

Leaders of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War indicated that the national officers of two other vet. organizations had already pledged to make the Civil Rights Law conviction the signal for a national campaign to drive the Nazis and their camps out of every state in the union.

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Roy P. Monahan, past commander of the D.A.V. and complaining witness in the case which brought Ernst Mueller, Henry Hauck, Addo Bielefeld, Henry Wolfgang, Bruno Haehnel and Hermann Schwartzmann to justice, yesterday joined Henry in warning every Nazi in the state that he faces the same fate unless he complies with the law within ten days.

Henry also said that if the German-American Settlement League, Inc., operator of the Bund camp, does not pay the fine of \$10,000 levied against it by Judge L. Barron Hill on Tuesday within the ten-day limit, the county will appoint a receiver for the camp's property at Yaphank, L. I.