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## Bund Forced Off Conn. Land Tract for Sale

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Southbury Protest Wins  
Fight Against Nazi  
178-Acre Camp

SOUTHBURY, Conn., Sept. 7 (UP).—The 178-acre tract purchased a year ago for establishment of a German-American Bund camp, arousing a tremendous storm of opposition from local residents, is for sale, it was announced today.

The disclosure was made by Gustave A. Buckel, West Hartford, who said the Bund felt the site was not in a desirable location, and wanted a place in Central Connecticut.

When the tract first was purchased, residents formed an organization called the United Americans to prevent erection of the camp, plans for which called for accommodations for 1,100 persons.

Two workmen at the camp were arrested for working on Sunday, and the town zoning commission made a ruling, restricting the area to farming and residences.

George Holmes, founder of the United Americans, was delighted at the "for sale" news.

"We have believed for some months," he said, "that the Bund was definitely stopped in Southbury."

He said a petition was being drawn for submission to the 1939 General Assembly calling for barring of any such camps anywhere in the state.