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Comments pro and con on Nazi military training centers in the United States

More Nazi spies in U. S. listed by Dickstein.

Proposing a model swastika camp for American Nazis

By ERNEST L. MEYER

Foes of Fascism are denouncing the opening . . . of the twenty-first camp established in this country by American Nazis. At the dedication ceremonies in Andover, N. J., hundreds marched in brown-shirt uniforms, Italian-American guests of honor marched in black shirts, the swastika flag floated over the buildings and the 6,000 spectators clicked heels and gave the Nazi salute.

It is understandable that this Fascist fiesta is arousing protest. . . .

But suppression would serve a purpose less useful than encouragement. What would be far more effective would be to license the Nazi camp and even subsidize it with Federal funds on condition that it be truly representative of the present-day German Government.

Model Camp Described

This model camp, as I vision it, is surrounded by a high barbed-wire fence, behind which the happy inhabitants are compelled to labor at low wages. A third of their pay is deducted for the maintenance of the army and the munitions plants of which, in this model city, there are a gratifying number.

The diet of the inhabitants is simple, consisting occasionally of one-pot dishes, so that the savings may be contributed to the glory and the girth of Goering.

One Big Family

Inside the model city there is a concentration camp crowded with Communists, Jews, trade unionists, liberals, Catholics and a few Protestants who protested too much. On the ground are the corpses of a dozen men shot while ungraciously resisting the kindness of their jailers.

Spanish Babes Too

Here and there, spiked on the barbed wire to prove the efficiency of German munitions, are the bodies of Basque babies. Also the remains of a hundred Nazi soldiers drafted for service in Spain and sent back as heroes, but unfortunately dead.

Behind these grim entanglements the citizens not in the concentration camp walk in lockstep to the roll of drums and the incense of burning books. They give the Nazi salute when not otherwise engaged in tightening their belts.

All Is Heil

The voices of the children sound faint, for they are lost in the noise of marching feet, the clatter of machines in the munitions works, the shouting of "Heil!"—the groans in the concentration camp, and the cries of "All's well!"—of the sentries standing guard over the corpses.

Here we continue the select list of asserted Nazi operatives in these United States, as inserted in the well-known Congressional Record by Rep. Samuel Dickstein (D., N. Y.).

He calls them "smugglers, alien agitators, Hitlerites and propagandists . . . seeking to undermine this Government one way or another."

EDUARD MATHIAS, treasurer of the Passaic local (of the Bund), a citizen, who gets a monthly allowance by the General Dye Stuff Corporation of America, apparently because of his activities in the du Pont works, where he is employed.

WILLIE LUEDTKE, director of the D.K.V. (Deutscher Konsum Verband) for New York and New Jersey, and also leader of the Passaic

Let Them All Look

This is the model swastika city as it should be erected at Andover, N. J. And to it should be sent, in great excursions financed by Washington, citizens from all over the nation so that they may look and learn, and remain forever outside of the barricades.

(Reprinted from the "New York Evening Post.")

THE HAND IS QUICKER THAN THE — STOMACH

Under the pain of severe punishment, German magicians are forbidden the use of eggs, milk and other foods in the performances.

The National Chamber of Theaters, which issued the edict, asserts that such waste of food is not permissible under Germany's four-year plan of economic self-sufficiency.

It is not known yet whether rewards will be given to magicians who can produce rabbits where none were before.

THOMAS MANN ON NAZIS VS. CHRISTIANITY

"It is impossible to conquer Christianity by lowering the moral level to which it has lifted the human race.

"This could only be done by transcending that level, but these impudent propagandists of its downfall seem to us scarcely capable of that."

MAYBE THEY MAKE APPLES FALL, TOO?

German teachers have just received official instruction to teach their pupils that the fall of the Roman Empire was caused by Jews.

The French revolution has a similar root, they are to tell their charges. In fact, all downfall has a Semitic source in Nazi instruction.

WALDEMAR OTHMER, director of the Trenton Y.M.C.A., a good lecturer, who has a complete list of alien speakers that come to the United States. He was secretary and treasurer of Trenton local in 1936.

JOHN FITTING, pastor of the Presbyterian Church in Trenton; speaker and lecturer of the Bund, who tried to support Hauptmann

County local (of the Bund), a citizen, member of the New Jersey National Guard.

WALTER LUEDTKE, brother of Willie, owner of a shooting range in Passaic, where the uniformed members practice with Guard-owned rifles, practice every night. Range at 527 (or 529) Passaic Avenue, Passaic.

MAX KOENIG, treasurer of the Hudson County local, born in the United States, has not worked for the past four years, yet is always able to spend freely, a good speaker, violently anti-Semitic, and an advocate of Fascism in the United States, a frequent contributor to a Chicago anti-Semitic weekly (American Gentile).

MARTIN SPAETH, a WPA foreman, who directs the uniformed group of the Bund in Hudson County.

WERNER JUETEROWSKY, voting representative for the local on national matters, former Communist party member in Germany, but now a converted Nazi; not a citizen.

GUSTAV FLACH, new leader of the Trenton local, not a citizen; owner of a refreshment stand, is the representative of propaganda films for the State of New Jersey; while his children run the stand, he travels from local to local showing these films, which are furnished by the German consulate.

ferred on German ships to Germany; \$1 per month, membership about 4,000 in the States. Particularly interested in smashing free-masonry in the United States.

"CARL KIENZLE, West New York, N. J.; employed at the North German Lloyd, but actually carrier of propaganda material from and to ships; has passes on every railroad in the States, Canada and Mexico, and the only one to be the actual go-between in matters of the Bund and Captain Mensing.

"C. K. FROEHLICH, also with the North German Lloyd; representing all German societies in the United States who actually have become directly connected with the Nazi party in Germany; averages eight or ten trips to Germany annually, but never pays fare or uses a passport; an American citizen. Finances are always very good with him.

Turnverein Head

"DIETRICH WORTHMANN, New York Turnverein president and also a member of the A.A.U., working directly under the Propaganda Ministry of Germany; responsible for the participation of the United States of America at the past Olympics; carries out instructions of Captain Mensing, an American citizen.

"CAPTAIN H. REHM, of the North German Lloyd, representing Mr. Schulze; only member of the S. A. in the United States of America. Mr. Schulze is military attache of the German Embassy in Washington; particular work is to get military secrets out of the United States.

at the trial; is the composer of pamphlets for the defense of Hauptmann, violently anti-Semitic; deserted wife and two girls.

BRUNOTRIX, press agent for the New Jersey district, not a citizen, very intelligent, writer of propaganda material and also a reporter for the West Beobachter in Hanover, Germany.

KURT SCHUMACHER, American born, secretary for the Passaic local, a good speaker with connection in the ranks of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Further names in the list with Dickstein's comment on each as it appeared in the Congressional Record follows:

"SEVERIN WINTERSCHIEDT, representing the German Ministry of Propaganda, sworn in at Erlangen, Germany, September 18, 1936, by Julius Streicher. Lives at 267 St. Nicholas Avenue, Brooklyn; is an alien. He is the only one with a complete list of German representatives in the United States. Works directly with the Weckruf & Beobachter and speaks at meetings.

"CARL LANGE, also of 267 St. Nicholas Avenue, Brooklyn. He is the representative of the Alfred Rosenberg pagan movement in the United States, who actually receives a salary from the Edda Bund, the local of the Rosenberg movement in the United States. A good speaker, he collects dues to be trans-

"GUENTHER ORGELL, Staten Island, representing the West Deutsche Beobachter in the United States of America; sort of liaison officer between the party and Government officials in the United States of America; also at the present active for the election of Senator Copeland.

"C. HINNRICHSMEYER (alias Ullrich) now in the United States of America in charge of publicity of the Propaganda Ministry—cartoons, and so forth—supposed to get forged documents from Captain Mensing; staying at either the Barbizon Plaza or with Vice Consul Dr. Draeger.

"DR. ZIMMERER of Hanover, Germany; here on a lecture tour making anti-Semitic speeches in particular; was the one who reorganized the Friends of the New Germany in January last year.

Heads Camp

"AUGUST KLAPPROTH, Jersey City, N. J., at 1158 Bergenline Avenue. District leader for the State of New Jersey and director of the Camp Nordland in Andover. Citizen. Morally irresponsible;

"ERNST MUELLER, 16-28 Himrod Street, Brooklyn, N. Y. Local leader of Brooklyn and camp director of Camp Siegfried. Importer of German clocks and watches. Very active in the boycott of Jews.

"GEORGE NEBBE, Staten Island leader, friend of Mr. Orgell and Colonel Emerson. Liaison officer for the consulate. Living in a common-law marriage.

"EMIL EBNER, 1627 Second

Avenue, New York City. Representing the Nord Deutsche Hefe Industrie of Germany, importing yeast.

Air Announcers Named

"The following radio announcers conduct German programs in the United States where German consuls and visitors to the German Government are allowed to speak freely:

"ELSIE MARIA TROJA, WBNX; HERBERT OEDGEN, WBNX; JOHN VEISTEL, WFAB; OTTO VELLER, WHOM; HANS MUENNZ, WBBC; HELMUTH WESSELS, WWRL.

"H. VON BOECKMANN, representing the German broadcasting units in the United States, furnishes the above announcers with the material to be used weekly. Lobbying for sale of helium gas in Germany.

"DR. CURT SELL, Washington, D. C., also representing the radio units, and lobbyist for German industries. Very popular with United States Government representatives. In embassy service.

"GERMAN NEWS SERVICE, under the direction of a MR. VON DOEMMING, 204 Park Avenue, distributor of propaganda material,

receiving short-wave direction directly from Germany.

"JOHN BRUECKNER, president of the Amerop Travel Service, a close friend of Hitler, also at Park Avenue, is in charge of printing of propaganda in the U. S. A.

HANS OSTERMAN (Staten Island), Nazi agitator and alien.

WILLIAM METTIN (Staten Island), Nazi agitator and alien.

FREDERICK KREUZER (Waterbury, Conn.) medical doctor of Waterbury, leader of the Bund.

CHARLES JAEGER, (Bridgeport, Conn.) president of Bridgeport Metal Goods and purchasing agent for scrap iron for Germany, leader of the Bund.

CARL JOHANNSEN, (Stamford, Conn.) storm troop leader of Stamford.

GEORGE SCOVILLE, (Stamford, Conn.) working for Connecticut District of American Drug, Bund leader.

EBERHARDT VON NASSE, (New Haven, Conn.) Bund leader and youth leader, employed by North German Lloyd.

Goose-stepping campers to hold 'protest day'

ANDOVER, N. J., Aug. 8.—Hoping to drown out the chorus of protests of anti-Nazi Congressmen, who demand investigation and abolition of Nazi military training camps, Nordland, the German-American Bund camp, has announced a "protest day" of its own, September 5.

August Klapproth, camp director and district leader of the bund, issued a call for "all fair-minded Americans to protest against the lying campaign of hate bearing upon the camp."

Kuhn To Speak

Fritz Kuhn, Nazis' Fuehrer for America, will speak at the September 5 protest meeting, at which, Klapproth estimated, 12,000 to 15,000 persons will attend.

The camp director characterized Representative Samuel Dickstein of New York, who has been attacking Camp Nordland, as "out of his mind entirely." He said that less than 10% of those listed by Dickstein as Nazi leaders in the United States are members of the bund.

Legion Won't Act Now

Meanwhile, the New Jersey State committee of the American Legion has decided to ignore the Nazi activities at the camp, preferring to wait until its goose-stepping cadets commit "overt acts."

"The American Legion is not interested unless an overt act is committed," Legion officials stated, in tabling a resolution calling for a Congressional investigation of the camp and its sources of income.

Heil English language! Joys of (Nordic) camping sung by Nazi scribe

This is a part—only a part—of an effusion printed in the official German-American Bund (Nazi) newspaper, DEUTSCHE WECKRUF UND BEOBACHTER, of N. Y.

It is worth your while to wade through this epic of Fascist fol-de-rol.

Have you ever seen a "Lebensborn" Walking?

Our CAMPS . . . cannot possibly become any longer mere stations for ordinary outings and excursions, in the olden time sense of having a 'good time', or as what it was understood to be, but must verily become a new LEBENS-BORN, a lifegiving source of new energies and real joy in life and work to old and young, but especially to YOUTH, our German Youth in USA., to which our Amerika-deutscher Volksbund, our GERMAN-AMERICAN BUND, is paying more, ever so much more, attention, indeed, than has ever been done before by any organized German-American Society in the past . . .

White man's burden

Because, we have at last come to realize, that the G-A Youth of our generation is not only the future leadership of the next, but what is more important even, is definitely the last instance for the present upon which we may continue to build up and perpetuate the ideals and characteristics of our forebears, and upon which we can base our own fight in this our country for our racial influence and our ability to help to keep this country really a WHITE MAN'S COUNTRY, and assure the continuance to this People of a Christian, a Nordic Civilization, based upon real Faith in God and Fellowman . . .

All one sentence, believe it or not

That is why the creating of (thus far) upwards of 20 CAMPS (such as CAMP NORDLAND, and CAMP SIEGFRIED, and CAMP DEUTSCHHORST, here in the East, with the others spread all over the country thru Middle West and Far West) is indeed one of the great cultural deeds of the BUND, of which CAMP NORDLAND is but the latest, biggest and most promising Unit, thus far, of which we may truly expect and hope to some day fulfill also its share of the tremendous task and mission of all of our CAMPS to become a haven of rest, of strength and joy to all German-Americans, nay to every kind of really red-blooded American, no matter what his or her original nationality, who

is thinking in and understanding the importance of our task, striving that we all must in upholding the best traditions of our own former Homeland, as well as of this our new one . . .

So is this

It seemed, therefore, particularly desirable in this life essay (originally meant for the Festival Programbook for the formal opening) to bring this thought out, rather than add to the many graphically beautiful descriptions of the mere physical and material aspects of CAMP NORDLAND, by pointing to the one great important and outstanding fact that CAMP NORDLAND, as all of our BUND'S other CAMPS as well, is to be considered merely another stepping stone, as the logical sequence to our general aims and endeavors, to bring about a closer union, in every way possible, of our own Germanic co-racials in USA, with all the other Nordics of our New Homeland, while at the same time helping to make our own men and women, and particularly our G-A Youth, stronger, healthier and happier; clean-minded and capable, race-proud and anxious to stand by our People's tradition, and ready to help us to make the whole of America conscious of this our work being indeed real Americanism, real progress . . .

Heil yourself and see how you like it

For, we who are in this fight to the finish, are certain that some day all of America's really WHITE PEOPLE will thank this, our generation, of German-Americans for our determination, and especially those of our leaders, whose far-sightedness, courage, faith and sacrifice, whose hard work and inspired will power, has so successfully striven to achieve all this! Yes, will thank, indeed, our BUND to steadfastly and in the face of every abuse, threat and hindrances, have stood our ground and remained true to our trust as the standard bearers of that good, old-fashioned German as true American SPIRIT OF LIBERTY of the SPIRIT of '76'. Therefore, Heil Camp Nordland! Heil USA AMERICA!

CARL NICOLAY.

Isn't this a work of art?
Yes, the painter sure was smart!



Here we see the Nazi press
My, they wear a funny dress!



Horse Whistle is what we call their song
Call it Horst Wessel if you want to live long.

Here you see a Nazi feast
It's awfully meagre, to say the least.

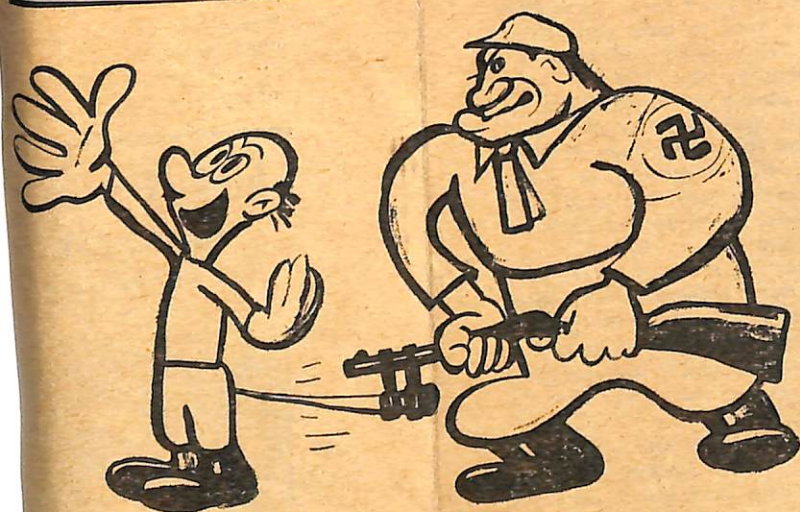
This is just a paper steak,
If it weren't so thin
your teeth would break.

Now we have a rubber spud,
Even with gravy
it's a dud.

Have a loaf of sawdust bread
And pick the splinters
from your head.



Here's a hot lunch for the busy business man
Imagine his pleasure, if you can.

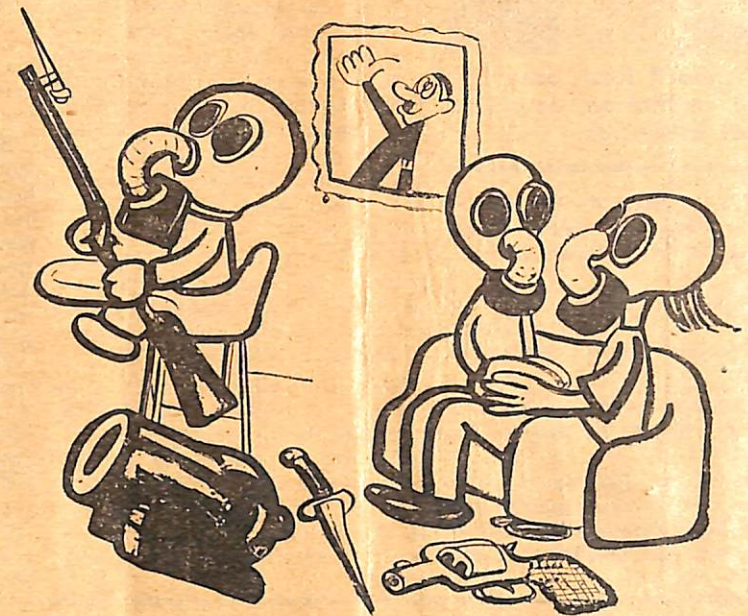


Here's a spontaneous demonstration
Just see the people's exuberation.
That lad who stands behind, they say,
Is there to keep the Reds away.

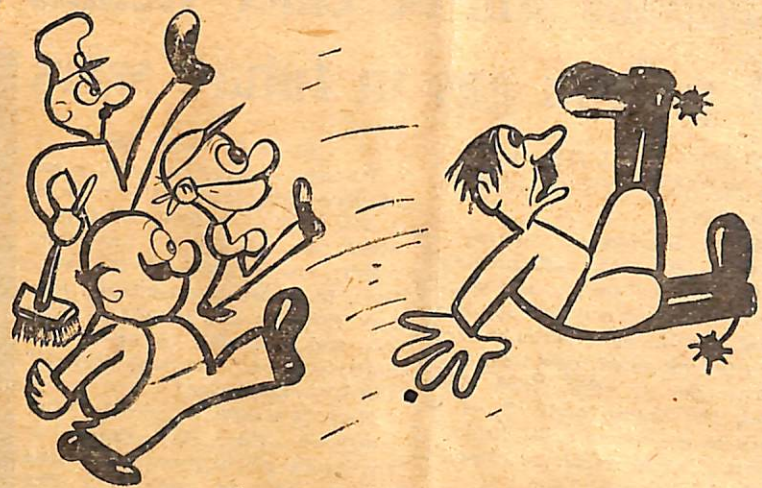
SOME FUN!
Caricatures by
Milt Gross,
none other.
Jingles by
the poet
laureate
of the
A-N League
Tune (if any)
"Schnitzelbank"



To hail and smile and in his hand
To hold Mein Kampf above the land...
Isn't this what Hitler wants?
It is, and it's a thought that haunts.



Isn't this a happy home?
All ready for the war to come,
Just see the military baby,
He'll be a record killer, maybe.



Won't this be a happy day?
Jawohl, and yes, and sure, we say!
It's worth a little perspiration
To bring about this consummation

So join and work, and help—and pay
The Anti-Nazi League, hey-hey! —Editor's Note