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SEES LACK OF HUMOR AS A GERMAN FAULT

John Galsworthy, the Author, Describes It as a "Terrible National Defect."

London, Jan. 28.—[Correspondence.]—The Daily Chronicle publishes a letter written by John Galsworthy, the novelist and playwright, to Andre Cherillon, the distinguished French writer, nephew of Laune, giving some of his impressions on the war. Mr. Galsworthy says in part:

"There is in the blood of the French and British a safe which inclines our people to individual liberty and to those democratic forms of government which alone permit of enough philosophic humor and self-criticism to keep patriotism sober. The inspiration of an ideal that far transcends the ideal of glory to our individual countries has made this most terrible of all wars yet waged sacred for your country and for mine."

"At this time of day we fight primarily, of course, for self-preservation, but if we did not believe that in doing so we were fighting for the very foundations of what makes life tolerable to individual liberty, democracy, and the sanctity of treaties, for the right to believe in chivalry and altruism, to save alive at least a modicum of sentiment in our struggle for existence, neither French nor Englishman—I speak of the majorities—would have their whole hearts in thus dropping their coats of peace."

"It is clear that we shall not resume those coats till the danger to our ideal of life is past, but we cherish no ridiculous or vain illusion that our victory will exalt either France or Britain to the leadership of the world. We are old countries. The old countries find it easier to fight for ideals and for humanity without believing that the goal of mankind at large is identical with the paramountcy of a particular race."

"America, too, has that salt in the blood which is generated by democracy."

"Let me do the Germans justice. Their patriotism, bravery, and self-sacrifice are not inferior to ours. By no means. But, though they effect to believe, and most Germans no doubt do believe, that they entered upon this war for their national safety, they cannot get away from the fact that their general demeanor and the stream of their utterances for a long time past have persuaded us all that, as a nation, they are, or were, convinced of the superiority of their race and intent upon its paramountcy. In fact, their heads had been affected by that disease which follows the lack in a nation's organism of this special kind of salt."

"I do not say that the individual German has no sense of humor. He has his particular brand, but collectively the Germans of today have no philosophic humor, no power of self-criticism. It is a terrible national defect, whether emanating from individual deficiency or from living under a despotic

bureaucracy organized as a state despotism."

In another passage, Mr. Galsworthy says: "When Great Britain went to war with the Boer republics and lost for a time the world's sympathy there was at least a stiff minority in our islands, protesting with all its heart."

"When Germany violated Belgium's neutrality, how many German voices were raised? The occasion, the nation said, was too tremendous, the issue was life or death. That violation may, indeed, have made it an issue of life and death, but with a defensive policy against France it was far from being that. In a free country there would have been at least a section of opinion protesting against what was not only a crime against the law of nations, but one of the most dire political and strategic blunders ever made by any people."

MANY NON-MILITARY PERSONS EXCHANGED

Red Cross Committee in Switzerland Has Been Carrying on Important Work.

Berne, Switzerland, Jan. 10.—[Correspondence of the Associated Press.]—According to data supplied by the International Red Cross Committee, which has charge of the Information Bureau for Interned Civil Persons about 2,000 French who had been interned in Germany have been repatriated through the services of the bureau. In these cases the Red Cross Committee supplied free transportation through Switzerland. In addition about 980 French citizens who were able to pay their railroad fares were assisted by the committee in securing their release in Germany.

The bureau has been largely responsible for the reciprocal exchange of interned civil persons held in France, Germany and Austria-Hungary. In addition to repatriating French citizens, it has also assisted such Germans and Austro-Hungarians as have been released by the French government. By December 15 the number of Germans who had been aided by the bureau to reach their homes exceeded 6,000. Austro-Hungarians in whose behalf the bureau had been active numbered more than 1,900. These large numbers of refugees were handled by means of special trains. For 1,913 Germans and Austro-Hungarians the committee provided hospital accommodation, and for 238 Germans and 70 Austrians it secured permanent residence in Switzerland.

The bureau was organized during the middle of September. For several weeks neither the German nor the French government heeded its requests that the civil prisoners of war held in the two countries be given their liberty. On October 20th its effort led to the announcement that both governments would liberate the women and children held by them and such males as had not reached the age of 17, or had passed the age of 60, on September 29, 1914.

Shortly afterwards the first transports from both countries began to arrive.

As the result of further negotiations the French and German governments agreed on November 25 to include in the class of exchangeable interned men those between the ages of 45 and 60 who apparently were no longer fit for military service.

Austria-Hungary and France agreed on October 13 on an exchange of all women and children and males who had not yet reached the age of 17 or had passed 60. Later it was also decided to exchange the military unit on the basis already agreed upon with Germany.

In addition to assisting the civil prisoners of war in a return to their homes, the bureau takes care of the correspondents of those who have not been liberated as yet, generally males of military age and fitness. It also interests itself in the complaints made by these.

The bureau, moreover, has charged itself with the following: Securing information concerning neutrals living in any of the belligerent states; interesting itself to the extent possible under existing conditions in the civil prisoners of war held in England, Russia, Servia and the other belligerent countries and their colonies; watching the treatment of males of military age and fitness who have been detained in any of the countries at war; and reporting on all cases of hostage. The bureau also undertakes securing data on the whereabouts and condition of neutrals who for various reasons have not been able to communicate with their families and friends.

So far the committee has not been able to do much for the civil prisoners of war held in Great Britain and the British colonies, Russia and Servia. Turkey has recently signified its intention of joining France and Germany in accepting the voluntary services of the bureau.

The expenses of the committee are met in part by the members, by contributions in Switzerland, and by subscription in the form of free railroad transportation and free postal service. Virtually all the clerical and Red Cross work in connection with the mission is done by unpaid volunteers, who in many cases are obliged even to pay their traveling expenses in France and Germany. So far the bureau has failed to secure even free postage privileges from the countries whose subjects it benefits.

Professor Dr. Ernst Roethlisberger is the chief of the bureau in Berne. Eduard Audeoud, a prominent citizen of Geneva, is principally responsible for the exchange arrangements, and President Hoffmann of the Swiss Republic has done everything possible to assist the organization.

Mining News

CONTRABAND METAL.

In every war copper has been regarded as one of the highly contraband articles. Indeed, one of the points that are always watched for indications of international trouble is the copper market and the copper movement. The increasing movement of American copper in Germany was studied a few years back as a possible indication of war. The conclusion, however, was arrived at that the expansion of German industries fully warranted an expanding import of copper. Governments contemplating war do not directly purchase or import copper. The usual practice is for a responsible branch of the government to intimate to a copper merchant that it is desirable to increase the quantity of copper in the country. If war breaks out the merchant has a good thing on his hands. If pending negotiations are peacefully settled, settlement with the imports and exporters is readily effected. The present war broke out without time for copper accumulations in any months immediately preceding. Hence the struggle to get copper into Germany. With copper wanted in Germany at double the American price the temptation to commercial interests as great as it was forty-two years ago to run the blockade of southern ports with cotton cargoes for England. Copper for Germany has been detected concealed in shipments in a variety of ways. It has been found packed inside of cotton bales and in other methods concealed in ships' manifests. A prominent American copper man estimates that about seventy-five million pounds of American copper destined for Germany have already fallen into the hands of the British.

Mrs. Matilda Zwahlen of Parkersburg, Pa., gave birth to twins, which were born in different countries. A baby boy was born at her home, after which she was hurried to a hospital in Lancaster, where a second child, a girl, was born.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY—THE MOTHER'S FAVORITE.

"I give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to my children when they have colds or coughs," writes Mrs. Verne Shaffer, Vandergrift, Pa. It always helps them, and is far superior to any other cough medicine I have used. I advise anyone in need of such a remedy to give it a trial." For sale by all dealers.

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Negaunee Department

BUSINESS MEN MAY ORGANIZE

Is Suggested That They Co-Operate in Movement to Look After Relief Work Here.

A prominent Negaunee businessman yesterday said that he was willing to launch a movement at once to unite the merchants and professional men together in an effort to look after the city's needy families. Several other men of prominence interviewed by him agreed that something has got to be done during the next few days, a meeting will most likely be held during the early part of next week for the purpose of outlining some plan of action.

It was suggested yesterday that a businessmen's association be formed to oversee the proposed relief work. The treasury funds would be used to purchase necessities for those who are in want. The secretary of the proposed organization would purchase goods from Negaunee merchants, members of the association.

The association might delegate an official to visit those whose help is apparently needed. The organization could also maintain an employment bureau.

There is now a big field for an organization that will take up charitable work. "There is plenty of individual charitable work being done," a Negaunee merchant remarked yesterday, "but what is needed most is some systematic way of looking after the wants of the extreme poor so that all will receive attention."

HOCKEY SUNDAY.

Proceeds of Contest Will Be Given to Sufferers in Recent Fire.

The first hockey game to be played by the Negaunee city team with an outside organization this year will be staged Sunday afternoon at the municipal rink, with the Ishpeming seven as opponents.

No admission will be charged but a collection will be taken up and the money will be turned over to the families who lost their households in the Laughlin and Porter blocks fire last Saturday morning. The game will commence at 3 o'clock.

The members of the Negaunee team have been practicing for several weeks and some good team work has been developed. The line-up will be selected from the following players: William R. Davey, Fenton Manning, Jesse Peck, Earl McGlynn, Adolph Stark, William Pelt, Everett Sterling, Leonard Field, Edward Annelin, Richard Glandville and Charles Tall.

Dr. S. G. Main is captain of the Ishpeming team.

DIAMOND DUST

Ernest Manning, a big right-handed pitcher who came to the Browns last year from the Montgomery club of the Southern league, has been turned back to Atlanta for further seasoning.

Pat Moran, the new head of the Phillies, was banqueted by a hundred of his fellow townsmen at Fitchburg, Mass., and handed a chest full of silver. It was a complete surprise to Pat.

George Filbert Pierce does not think husking corn is the right and proper kind of exercise to put his pitching arm in the best of shape for the baseball season, so has gone to Florida to get some of the warm sunshine.

BOWLED CLOSE GAME.

Team No. 7 defeated team No. 3 by twenty-four pins in a close match bowled Wednesday night at the Palace alleys. The scores were as follows:

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| Team No. 3— | Tot. |
| Thompson 131 | 120 |
| Cushing 160 | 122 |
| Price 112 | 102 |
| 1,296 | |
| Team No. 7— | Tot. |
| Tompkins 212 | 153 |
| Gaffney 204 | 158 |
| Kirkpatrick 147 | 137 |
| 1,320 | |

THIRTY-SEVEN BELOW.

Yesterday was the coldest day that has been experienced here for over two years. The thermometer at the Breeling Hotel registered thirty-five degrees below zero at 5 o'clock yesterday morning. It was thirty-seven below at the Jackson location at 3 o'clock. The coldest temperature registered during the night on Main street was thirty-two below. At 3 o'clock yesterday morning it was between twenty and thirty below. A government thermometer at Humboldt registered forty-one below early yesterday morning.

LOCAL LACONICS

Bill Donovan liked his mates in the International league so well that he is hiring all of them he can go with him to the Yanks. He will have Jimmy Duggan, formerly of Houghton, to act as trainer. Duggan was with the Providence team in the same capacity last year.

Iffiegg Jennings says that during the present fight between organized ball and the Federal league the big league teams should carry all the players they can just to keep the men out of the hands of the enemy. After the war is over he is in favor of cutting down to eight men.

Dots Miller will be captain of the Cardinals again the coming season. The lanky first baseman was captain of the St. Louis combination last year, but few people knew it, because he never made a kick of any kind on the field. He never had much of a chance when Huggins was around.

Charles H. Stengel, slugging right fielder of the Brooklyn National league team, has signed a two-year contract with the Dodgers. President Charles Ebbets of Brooklyn beat Joe Tinker of the Chicago Federals and George Stoval of the Kansas City Federals to Stengel by arranging a conference at which he

USING SOAP SPOILS THE HAIR

Soap should be used very sparingly, if at all, if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is just ordinary mildified coconut oil (which is pure and greaseless), is cheaper and better than soap or anything else you can use.

One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

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| Narcissus | Hyacinths |
| Calla Lilies | Easter Lilies |
| | Smilax |

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| Primroses | Drapacans |
| Poinsettias | Cyclamens |
| Easter Lilies | Geraniums |
| | Begonias |

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NEGAUNEE, MICHIGAN.

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