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Europe, she will find in all the smaller vanquished countries people willing and ready to help her rout the Nazi soldiers."

Mr. Seger, a former air pilot in the first World War, and decorated by the German government, doesn't believe that air force alone will win the war for either side. "Of course, before England can invade Europe she must have a superior air force over Germany, but this will only afford protection to the invading army."

Much Misinformation Here

"I see many appearances all over the United States before audiences of every description. I have been mistaken at the misinformation I have found about Hitler and the German people," said the speaker. "I know Hitler personally, have debated with him in Munich; he is neither a genius nor a criminal, he is simply an embittered Austrian who believes he has a divine mission to perform for the German people; he does have a sort of sixth sense in that he can, almost hypnotically, exert an influence upon the Germans, especially the Storm Trooper, to constitute his leadership in the National Socialist Party. Hitler is not intelligent, but he is very shrewd."

"Adolf Hitler was a corporal in the first World War. After it ceased he attached himself to the German Weimar Republic as a sort of domestic spy; it was his job, in and near Munich, to attend public meetings to learn what the people were doing, and to report these doings to Berlin. It was at one of these meetings, when only six men were holding a meeting of their National Socialist Party, that Hitler conceived his first inspiration to lead Germany, and he became the seventh member of that Party—later to become its Führer."

"Later, listening to a speech by a noted German intelligence officer, Hitler heard a program that was being suggested for Germany, to enable it to stage an economic come-back in world affairs. Hitler grabbed this program—so you see he stole both the party and the program that he has since developed in Germany."

Mr. A. Reginald People

Mr. Seger, in his speech Monday night, sought to negate the popular notion that Germans, as a race, want to be bowed and regimented. He did admit that under the Kaiser-monarchical type of government, much centralization of authority was vested in Berlin; but Hitler's real opportunity for gaining power lay in the fact that under the Weimar Republic form of government made possible by the Treaty of Versailles, the German people could not grasp and assimilate democratic methods rapidly enough to meet their post-war problems.

"You must remember that under the Weimar Republic Germany was a democracy, not like the United States; our government was like that of France, a democracy, but not a democracy every two weeks, if necessary; in the United States men are elected for at least four years, which gives them a chance to let their ideas work out in actual realities of life. The real reason why Hitler was able to gain leadership was that he not only appealed to the German passion of nationalism, but he used the tremendous economic upset in Germany that followed the world depression beginning in 1929."

Prussian Treaty of Versailles

Americans have been told that Hitler's rise was based upon the alleged unfairness of the Treaty of Versailles, which made certain demands upon the German people. This is not true. Hitler did die up the corpse of this treaty when he came to power in January of 1933, and held it before the Germans and the whole world as a work of the devil. But I know differently. I was a member of the Reichstag from 1930 until March of 1933, the latter date just seven years after seven with other Reichstag opponents of Hitler. I was arrested and placed in "protective custody," my opponent for the seat in the Reichstag from my district was Heinrich Himmler, present head of Hitler's Gestapo.

"As a Reichstag member of Germany's foreign relations committee, I know that our country was able, through negotiation, to decrease the terms of the Versailles Treaty to a point where much fairness was shown Germany. Originally, for example, the Treaty imposed a levy of 226 billions of German gold dollars upon our people, to pay for the World War. This was subsequently reduced to 132 billions by the Dawes Committee, then to 50 billions by the Young Committee, and in 1923, a year before Hitler became Chancellor, it was cancelled outright."

In the case of the Treaty's requirement that the Allied soldiers occupy Germany's Rhineland, years before the date set forth in the Treaty. It was the depression that brought Hitler to power. For you must remember that the German people had only ten years of the Weimar Republic, and that they had not had 150 years of experience, such as you have in the United States."

Hitler's Rise Slow

"As proof of the German people's resistance to Hitler's methods during ordinary post-war years, from 1920, when he made his first speech in Munich, until 1930, he and his Party had gained but 13 out of 493 seats in the Reichstag. But when the depression set in in 1930, Hitler really began to win more seats—but even in January of 1933, when Hindenburg made him Chancellor,

Hitler's followers had only 14 per cent of the Reichstag with them. Thus, you see, two-thirds of the German people were against the Nazi ideas."

However, upon being made Chancellor, Hitler was given extraordinary powers. It was then that the Nazis burned the Reichstag, blaming Communists for it. It was then that Hitler whipped into white heat his frenzied campaign to take over the whole of Germany. Seven days after the Reichstag election in 1933 Hitler, with a minority power in the Reichstag, began his series of "protective custody" arrests, which included me and many others, and out of government, who opposed his personal plans."

"Protective Custody" Terrorizing

"This 'protective custody' plan is essentially Hitler's greatest terrorizing influence on the German people. You do not want to commit a criminal act to be arrested on this basis; more 'suspicious' by a Storm Trooper, or even Hitler, that you 'may in the future do something opposed to Hitler' is sufficient reason for your arrest. That is why I spent three months in a German jail and six months in a concentration camp, from which I eventually escaped to Czechoslovakia while working on a road gang, digging ditches."

"I have read many of the personal narratives of persons who escaped from Hitler's concentration camps, and I want to declare that not one of them ever over-exaggerated the facts. Conditions in these camps are unbelievable. For here is revealed the viciousness of Hitler's legion of National Socialists—men who are either sadists, sexual perverts, or both. These men revel in human misery; one Nazi concentration camp head actually boasted to death seven men, and then was put in charge of all German concentration camps."

"In the face of the terrorism of Hitler's supporters, the majority of the German people are powerless; in the United States when your door bell rings it is the milkman, the mailman, or a friend; in Germany when your door bell rings it is a Storm Trooper ready to persecute you and your family. Germany now has 53 concentration camps, and the number of camps and inmates is always increasing. Incidentally, 90 per cent of these inmates are Gentiles, and the remainder Jews."

Mr. Seger dwelled upon numerous other phases of the Hitler Germany, but held to the conviction that when Germany comes to the present war, Hitler will be swept from power because the vast majority of Germans are opposed to his methods, which include absolute enslavement of all conquered countries and the setting up of a super-German rule of the world.

"Fifth Column" in U. S.

That the United States is plentifully filled with a portion of Hitler's Fifth Column was also stressed by Mr. Seger.

"Under the guise of diplomatic service, Germany now has more agents in the United States than ever before. Take New York City, for example; prior to the outbreak of the present war Germany had 15 members on its New York Consular staff; today that number has increased to 132. The same proportionate increase has taken place in every other section of this country. A singular fact about this diplomatic personnel now is that, instead of using career men, Hitler sends many military men to these posts."

"Do you know that the head of Germany's diplomatic staffs in New Orleans and in San Francisco are both former submarine commanders? Do you know that the German consular head in Lefevre, France, after that great seaport had witnessed a series of strange marine attacks and casualties, was transferred to Norway and that this man himself was not a diplomat, but another German naval expert?"

"I have told members of the United States Congress about Germany's methods, of course. I believe that this country should do whatever is necessary to wipe out 'diplomats' now here, who will wipe out that ratio of his Fifth Column. In dealing with Hitler you must remember that you never, never can trust his word. Mussolini is finding this out; Stalin is, too—just as Chamberlain did."

Against Feeding Europe

When asked if he thought the United States should endeavor to feed starving Europe, Mr. Seger made his answer slowly, deliberately: "It is hard to answer the question as most Americans would like it answered. If I could be sure that our food and other gifts to countries now dominated by the Nazis would get to these deserving people, I would say yes. But I firmly believe that the Nazi government would never allow our offerings to become the possessions of the needy; they would make a pretense of public distribution of what we send to them, but that very night I imagine that the Hitler followers would call at every home and take away the gifts, at the same time warning the people not to open their mouths in protest."

Many should make such a move that Hitler would enter the war, many to rush to Italy's aid in Greece. He believes that if Germany were to make such a move Russia would enter on the side of Turkey. Part of Mussolini's original attitude toward going in with Hitler was that the Fascist chief looked upon Hitler as a chess initiator of himself. Mr. Seger said that Mussolini is really more intelligent than Hitler, and maintains his partnership with Hitler because he can't do anything else for the present."

Mr. Seger doesn't expect Germany to win more seats—but even in January of 1933, when Hindenburg made him Chancellor,

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