

TECHNISCHE NOTHILFE AIDS GERMANY IN FIGHTING STRIKE EVIL

(By Associated Press)
BERLIN, Dec. 20.—The back-bone of the German government today is the Technische Nothilfe, a technical emergency aid association supported by the government. Dr. Alex Berwitz, one of the leaders of that organization in Berlin told the correspondent of The Associated Press the other day. Dr. Berwitz's statement was made as the "alarm" went out for the Technische Nothilfe to mobilize to take charge of the electric lighting plants here, left idle by a sudden strike. He considers his organization more potent than troops or police for the welfare of his country.

"Two or three hundred irresponsible radicals can terrify 4,000,000 people," the doctor said. "Troops cannot prevent it; the electric lighting plants are dark, the streets are dark, the trams are still—and what can soldiers do? They cannot operate these plants, which require highly skilled labor. There is only one organization that can assume control and that is the Technische Nothilfe."

The Technische Nothilfe, went in and began firing the furnaces and then the strikers voted to return to work. The Technische Nothilfe moved out. **Not Strike-Breakers.**

"We are skilled workmen, not strike-breakers, nor labor union men; we really are the representatives of a public that in these days is more or less at the mercy of a few agitators," said Dr. Berwitz. "We never interfere in a strike for wages; all we do is step in and operate public utilities, prevent sabotage, and furnish the people just the bare necessities of a daily existence. We step into the breach when chaos threatens."

In Berlin it is understood the Technische Nothilfe has 10,000 men enrolled for immediate service. They are carefully recruited from every business and listed so that there can be no confusion. Arrangements have been made whereby they can drop the work they are doing and answer the Technische Nothilfe's call. "All Germany is as carefully organized as Berlin," Dr. Berwitz declared.

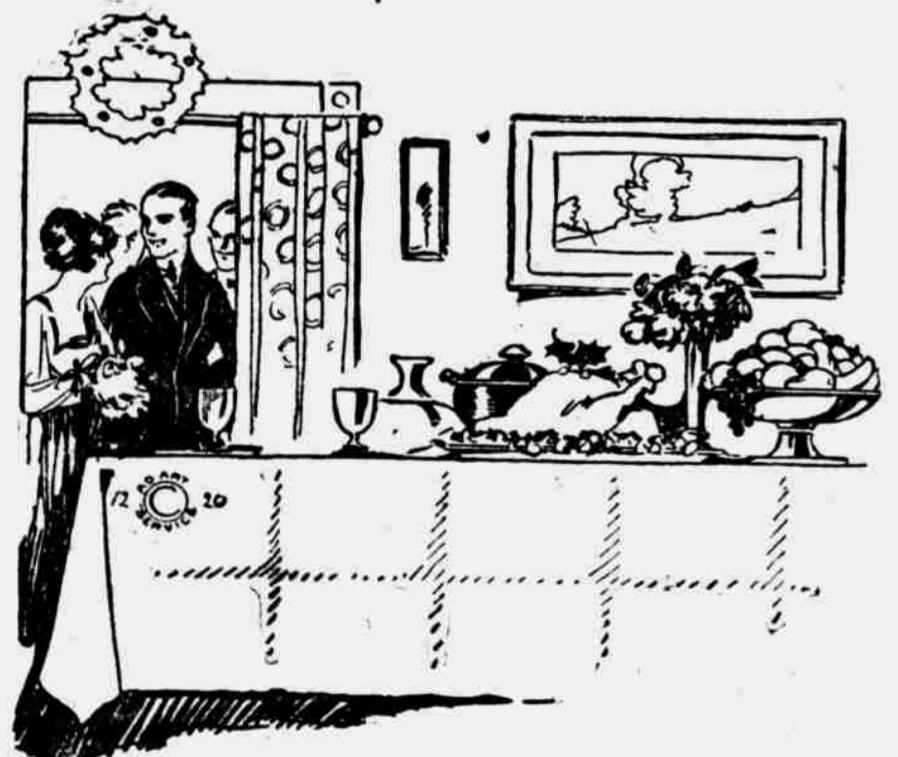
Kidnapping of Rich Jews Continues in Budapest

(By Associated Press)
BUDAPEST, Dec. 20.—Mysterious kidnapping of rich Jews continue here and the police seem unable to end it or to detect the criminals.

Recently three wine merchants who had gone to the country disappeared. The police followed their traces to the lake Balaton, where the water washed ashore a boat in which the hats of the merchants were found. All further trace was lost and their fate is still unknown, although there is every indication of murder.

The case of Jacob Reissman, a rich piano manufacturer, belongs to the same category. Reissman was carried away from his home in Budapest by three men who pretended to be detectives of the military police. Reissman vanished and with him the contents of his safe. It is considered certain that the unfortunate manufacturer was robbed and killed although neither the perpetrators nor the body of the victim were found.

AIR PASSENGERS.
(By Associated Press)
LONDON, Dec. 20.—British and French companies conducting the London-Paris air service carried from September 2, 1919 to October 30, 1920, 3,033 passengers, 199,885 pounds weight of goods and covered altogether a distance of 302,000 miles.



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Sidenstricker, Greenville Traveling Salesman, Had Narrow Escape From Death

GREENVILLE, O., Dec. 20.—R. J. Sidenstricker, traveling man residing in this city had a narrow escape from death at the Vine street crossing of the Cincinnati Northern railroad. Sidenstricker was driving west on Vine street just at the time the Cincinnati Northern passenger train, due here at 8:30 from the North, was approaching the crossing. He applied the brakes of his Ford touring car, but on account of the slippery condition of the street, he saw that he could not stop in time to keep from being hit by the train. With presence of mind, he turned the car to the right and the rear end of the machine skidded around and side-swiped the drivers on the engine. When he stopped the machine it was within about five feet of going over the steep stone abutment into Mud Creek.

Louis Tuetting Dead.

Following a long illness from tumors growth, Louis H. Tuetting died Tuesday evening at 8:15, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. J. Lammers, 230 Oakwood avenue.

Mrs. Dunker Succumbs.

Mrs. Barbara Dunker, former Greenville citizen, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John D. Ryan, at Dayton, Tuesday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock. The deceased was the widow of the late William Dunker, who was a resident of this city at one time, and later moved to a farm west of Ansonia in Brown township. She was 73 years of age.

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CHRISTMAS UMBRELLAS—Ladies', Gent's and Children's in colors and black, beautiful line of handles; price range \$1.50 to \$13.50

KIMONOS—Silk, Crepe, Challies, Corduroy, in all the new models and beautiful colors; price range, \$1.98 to \$19.98.

BLOUSES—A new line for Christmas, all the latest models, Georgettes, Crepe de Chine, Taffeta Satins, Jerseys, etc., price range \$3.75 to \$25.00 each



A complete line Ladies', Misses' and Children's new goods received this week for the holidays. All will show a marked reduction in price.

BATH ROBE BLANKETS—New line of Beacon Blankets for Robes, beautiful line of colors; choice \$7.48. Complete including girdle.

PETTICOATS—See the special line of Silks and Jerseys; price range \$4.48 to \$16.50. See the special Mercerized, with fancy flounce; \$3.00 value; choice \$1.98, all colors.

BLANKETS—See the special lots \$2.98, \$3.98, \$5.98.

Extra special one case Nashua Plaids, extra large, assorted colors, special \$6.75 pair

BATH ROBES—Ladies', Gents' and Children's. Ladies' and Gents' \$5.98 to \$13.50 each. Children's \$3.48 to \$6.98 each.

KNIT GOODS—A complete line. Caps of all kinds. Cachettes, Scarfs, Children's Sets, Booties.

BOUDOIR CAPS—New line specials at 59c, 75c, 98c, \$1.25

SWEATERS—Endless line for Ladies, Misses and Children, all shapes and kinds. Ladies' and Misses' \$4.98 to \$25.00 each. Children's \$1.98 to \$9.98

COATS—Entire line shows a marked reduction including Ladies', Misses', Juniors' and Children's. All at after Christmas reduced prices.

SUITS—ALL REDUCED—SOME 1/2 PRICE; OTHERS 1/3 OFF

DRESSES—All reduced, none held back. All the newest models—some at one-half price, others at one-third and one-fourth off. See the special lots \$14.98, \$19.98, \$25.00



HOSIERY



Ladies' Silk Hosiery

Always acceptable. Wayne Knit or Gordon give the utmost satisfaction at every price from \$1.00 to \$5.00 pair, all colors. See the specials at \$1.00, \$2.00 and \$2.50

Men's Hose

Cotton, Lisle, Fiber and Silk, 29c to \$1.50

Children's Hose

35c to 80c pair—Pony hose are the best for wear.

GREAT CHRISTMAS SILK SALE

CHIFFON TAFFETA—All shades, yard wide, including navy blue and brown; \$3.50 values

—Sale Price \$1.79

NOVELTY SILKS—Yard wide, in plaids, checks and stripes, worth up to \$2.50

—Sale Price \$1.59

KIMONO SILKS—Yard wide Satin, with large floral patterns, the most beautiful goods we have ever shown.

—Sale Price \$1.79

WASH SATINS—40-inch, in flesh, pink, turquoise, ivory and sky; regular \$3 value

—Sale Price \$1.98

PLAIN SILK POPLINS—Yard wide, in every wanted shade, including navy and black.

—Sale Price 89c

CREPE DE CHINE—40-inch, in every light or dark shade, including ivory, flesh and pink.

—Sale Price \$1.79

SILK TRICOLETTE—Yard wide, for Blouses and Dresses in navy, brown and black

—Sale Price \$1.98

SATIN MESSALINE—This cloth has a bright satin finish, comes in all wanted shades; our regular \$3.00 value

—Sale Price \$1.79

EXTRA SPECIAL

TAFFETA—Black, yard wide, very special	\$1.39
MESSALINE—Black, yard wide, \$2.50 value	\$1.39
DUCHESS SATIN—Black, yard wide, \$3.00 value	\$1.79
PEAU DE SOI—Black, yard wide, \$3.50 value	\$1.98
SILK POPLIN—Black, yard wide, bright finish	69c
CREPE DE CHINE—40-inch, ivory or flesh; special	\$1.39
WASH SATINS—40-inch, ivory or flesh, \$3.00 value	\$1.98
PONGEE—National shade, all silk	\$1.39
CHINA SILK—36-inch, ivory, for Blouses	\$1.19
LA JERZ—Ivory, for Blouses and Undergarments	\$1.98

Underwear



Silk Underwear

Camisoles, Chemise, Bloomers, Gowns, Vests, Union Suits; prices range from \$1.25 to \$9.98 per garment. We call special attention to the chemise at

\$1.50, \$2.25 and \$2.50

TABLE LINENS, TOWELS and WASH CLOTHS

TABLE LINENS—Can you imagine a more acceptable gift than beautiful linens? We have made an effort to secure the most representative lines of these. The widths range from 64 to 72 inches goods we have ever offered. They come of Mercerized, Union and Pure Linen, and the designs must be seen to be appreciated.

Mercerized, price range \$1.00 to \$1.50

UNION, very special value. \$1.50. Pure Linen, beautiful designs, \$3.50 to \$4.50

FANCY LINENS—We show a large variety of Scarfs, Dollies and Center Pieces. Some trimmed with the heavy Cluny lace, others with the fine filet lace; all sizes and shapes—

Lace Edge Scarfs, 89c to \$4.00

Lace Edge Dollies, 50c to \$2.00

Lace Edge Center Pieces, \$2.00 to \$7.00

MADERIA LINENS—A new department. We have just received the most beautiful assortment of these goods ever offered in Richmond. Napkins and Dollies, all hand made, and you will be surprised at the prices asked for these goods—

Lunch Sets, 13-piece set, very special at \$15.00. Napkins, size 12x12, \$1.50 each; 6 for \$8.50. Dollies, from the small 4-in. up to the 24-in. size; price range 69c to \$6.00

FANCY TURKISH TOWELS—These goods always make an acceptable gift. We show some very special values from the small guest size up to the large bath towels. The colors are mostly pink and blue, all good patterns and heavy double thread. See the special values offered at 35c, 59c, 79c and \$1.00

WASH CLOTHS—To match towels in a good assortment of patterns; special at 10c and 15c

Purses—Here you will find every new novelty in Leather, Silk and Velvet, in Bags, Canteens, Purses and Vanity Boxes. All priced at our usual moderate prices, with some very special values at \$2.50, \$3.50, \$5.00 and \$6.00.

PANDORA LEATHER BAGS

This is the very latest novelty and one of the most beautiful things we have ever shown. It comes in Purses, Bags and Canteens; price range—\$2.00 to \$12.00

RIBBONS

Thousands of yards of pretty new Ribbons, some are plain, others in the fancy plaids, checks and stripes for Hair Bows, Camisoles, Bags, Sashes and Girdles. Want to call your attention to these special groups—50c, 69c, \$1.00

IVORY

COMPOSITION WHITE IVORY—The popularity of this item is as great as ever, having just received another shipment our line is complete in every detail, including Combs, Brushes, Mirrors, Bottles, Trays, Hair Receivers, Puff Boxes, Jewel Cases and all small manicure pieces. All priced at our usual moderate prices.

IVORY SETS—In addition to the above we show a wonderful line of Toilet and Manicure Sets for men, women and children. These goods will be offered this week at 1/4 off. See the special sets priced at \$1.88 to \$12.00

GLOVES

This is one of the busiest spots in the store. Gloves are practical and always appreciated. This year we show complete lines for women and children in Silk, Chamoisette and Kid, all sizes and shades.