

SOCIOLOGIST AND WOMAN ARRESTED

Dr. Thomas, of University of Chicago, Accused of Violating Mann Act.

TWO CONFESSIONS ALLEGED

Widely-Known Scholar and Lecturer Also Known to Fame as Husband of One of Founders of Woman's Peace Party.

CHICAGO, April 12.—Hinton G. Clabaugh, chief of the local bureau of the Department of Justice, announced today that his agents last night took into custody Dr. William Isaac Thomas, of the faculty of the University of Chicago, widely known as an authority on sociology, and a woman said to be the wife of a Texas man now in France with General Pershing.

Mr. Clabaugh said he had turned over to United States District Attorney Clyde evidence for the institution of charges of violating the Mann act and the act forbidding false registration at hotels.

Dr. Thomas and the woman, who said she was Mrs. E. M. Granger, of Washington, D. C., are said, in the data given Mr. Clyde, to have registered at a downtown hotel last night as man and wife from Gary, Ind.

The alleged expose was due to the fact that the hotel clerk's suspicions were aroused. He notified Mr. Clabaugh and the latter sent agents who looked through their luggage.

Both were taken before Mr. Clyde last night and are quoted as having attempted little if any concealment.

Great Injustice Alleged.

According to Mr. Clabaugh, Dr. Thomas said: "I love her and I don't care if the whole world knows it. My arrest is a tremendous injustice."

Mr. Clabaugh further quoted the woman as saying: "Dr. Thomas was kind to me. After my husband left for France, Dr. Thomas was most solicitous for my comfort. I just liked him at first; later it grew into love."

Dr. Thomas, a man of distinguished appearance, who accompanied his husband and has grown children. Mrs. Thomas was one of the founders of the Woman's Peace party.

Mrs. Granger is 24 years of age and has a 3-year-old child living with her mother at Fort Worth, Tex.

She said, according to Mr. Clabaugh, that she accompanied her husband on the training camp at Fort Worth to New York to say good-bye when he sailed. Dr. Thomas was in the city to gather material for a book on Poland. They were introduced by Mrs. Granger's sister.

Thomas Popular as Lecturer. Dr. Thomas for some time was much in demand for his lectures on sociology and the relation of sex thereto.

Among his teachings were: "Women are better off for having had their flings as men do. Dissipated women often make excellent wives."

"Any girl, maturely mature, has the right to have children and the right to limit their number."

"The morality of women is an expediency rather than an innate virtue."

"Marriage as it exists today is rapidly approaching a form of immorality."

"Matrimony is often an arrangement which the woman trades for irreproachable conduct for irreproachable women."

"Children are not the result of marriage, but marriage is the result of children."

Mrs. R. M. Granger, the Washington woman who was taken from the Everett Hotel with Dr. Thomas, expressed the following remarkable views on life today:

"Women do lots of things they regret, things that only a kind and considerate and intellectual man could make them do."

"Did I consider his wife? Not especially. Why should I? I blame myself for this head-headed thing of going to the hotel with him."

A lawyer, attorney Cline gave me a regular Billy Sunday sermon. He was a sloppy talk and didn't affect me. He seemed angry because I didn't cry, but I wouldn't cry for him."

Woman Expects Shooting. "There will probably be a shooting when my husband hears of it. I only fear that in the future somebody may tell my boy what his mother has done. I can pull through, but I am sorry for him. It will jeopardize his position at the university. I suppose we will eventually marry, daddy and I."

"No action will be taken today," said District Attorney Cline, in whose hands the case now rests. "Although we have the results of the investigation of the Department of Justice, we feel that we must make additional investigation ourselves because of the fact that there are a number of peculiar angles to the case."

Dr. Thomas and Mrs. Granger this afternoon were allowed to leave the Federal building on their own recognizance.

Official War Reports.

British.

LONDON, April 12.—The official War Office statement today follows: "Severe and continuous fighting took place last night in the neighborhood of Merville and Neu-Berquin in both of which the enemy is continuing his pressure and has made progress. Merville was captured by the enemy during the night."

"Attacks made by the enemy yesterday in the neighborhood of Ploegsteert succeeded, after heavy fighting, in pressing our troops back to the neighborhood of Neuve Eglise, to new positions."

"On the remainder of the northern battle front the situation is substantially unchanged. A part of our positions in which the enemy forced his way north of Festubert was regained by a counter-attack. On the front be-

between Lohme and the Law River and to the north hostile attacks have been repulsed. Fighting is continuing on the whole front north of La Bassée Canal as far as Sollichies."

"South of Arras strong local attacks were made by the enemy yesterday against our positions in the neighborhood of Neuville-Vitasse and were repulsed in each case."

"Further north the enemy succeeded, after prolonged fighting, in entering one of our posts near Thilly-Le-Moutain, but he at once was driven out and the points re-established."

"The hostile artillery has shown increased activity astride the River Somme."

French.

PARIS, April 12.—The official War Office statement today follows: "After an intense artillery preparation, the Germans this morning attacked our front of the Flandre-les-Vergers on Santere-Hourges. Violent fighting ensued, which lasted all day."

"In front of Hourges the enemy was not able to advance, notwithstanding his efforts. After several fruitless attacks, carried out without cessation by fresh German troops, the enemy penetrated the Flandre-les-Vergers and was launched by us regained the western part of the village, where the fighting continues with stubbornness."

"In the northern sector the artillery action was quite marked. The Germans bombarded Rheims, several times breaking out, particularly around the Cathe-

"On April 11 our pursuit airplanes engaged in numerous combats, in the course of which two German airplanes and a captive balloon were brought down. Twelve other German machines were seriously damaged and fell within their own lines. The same day our caecidilles dropped 15,000 kilos of projectiles on the railway station at St. Quentin, depots and aviation grounds north of Montdidier. A violent fire destroyed hangars at Champeigne and an explosion was noted in the St. Quentin station."

German.

HEILIN, via London, April 12.—The official statement issued by the War Office tonight reads: "Armentieres has fallen. Encircled on the north and south by the troops of General von Bernhardt and General von Stetten and thus deprived of its roads to retreat, the English garrison of 14 officers and more than 3,000 men laid down its arms after a brave resistance. With them 45 cannon, numerous machineguns, large quantities of ammunition and clothes and other kinds of rich booty fell into our hands."

"To the northeast of Armentieres we gained ground and to the west of the city, the greatest demands on troops of all arms in the foremost lines. In their success the pioneers, equipment troops and rear divisions have an outstanding share of credit."

Austrian.

VIENNA, April 11.—(Via London, April 12.)—"West of Lake Garda and in the valley of the Brenna, there were successful operations by thrusting troops," says the statement from Austro-Hungarian headquarters today on operations in Italy.

NEW YORK, April 12.—A raid by 250 Germans on a portion of the American line in which all but 29 of the attackers were accounted for by the Americans was described by Raymond Starbuck, a Salvation Army worker, who arrived here today after seven months in France.

In making a report to his headquarters here he said: "The raid took place March 7. One German leaped to an exposed position and in English was ordered to get out you American dogs, and fight! One of our men hurled a hand grenade which took off both his legs. Then ensued a fierce struggle between the Americans accounted for 180 of the Germans out of an original 200 in the raiding group."

That Oregon women in their patriotic work are thoroughly organized, but not thoroughly co-ordinated was the opinion of a number of women who attended the meeting called yesterday by Mrs. Winfield B. Smith, head of the Northwest division of the League for Woman's Service.

Room A of the Library was filled with representatives of many patriotic clubs, auxiliaries and societies who assembled to hear the message of Mrs. Smith and to express their views regarding the advisability of forming the state branch of the league.

Those who did not favor launching the league in Oregon gave their objections and retired before the final rallying to Mrs. Smith's standard resulted in the pouring of names and memberships.

Mrs. Milo Loveless, executive secretary of the organization, read letters from prominent men endorsing the work and purposes of the league and urging its support. Secretary W. T. Wilson said he approved the spirit of co-operation of the league with the Department of Labor in supplying women to take the place of men in the Northwest industries. Mr. Hoover, Raymond B. Fosdick, the general manager of the Red Cross, and other notables sent letters of indorsement.

War Work Is Praised. The point was raised by Mrs. Jennie Kemp that the Council of Defense, woman's committee, is doing what the league claims as its mission. Mrs. Smith explained that the league is purely a voluntary patriotic organization for women only, and co-operates with and has the sanction of the Council of Defense. Mrs. G. J. Frankel, president of the City Federation of Women's organizations, enumerated the

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—You could soon find them out for yourself if the boy were wearing one, but the best and quickest way is to let us point them out.

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—We don't know where else you will find such really smart Spring cravats at the price. All have flowing ends and patent slip easy bands. In the best and most artistic Spring colors and patterns.

Men's White Muslin Nightshirts Special 95c

—Night shirts that are cut full and roomy; here in all sizes, in V-neck style. Fine quality muslin. Very special at 95c.

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They've Just Come—Most Fascinating New Frocks—Coats and All Kinds of SPRING APPAREL for GIRLS

—And all the apparel shown in our large section devoted to Girls' Wear is designed especially for girls, with consideration given to girls' requirements and tastes.

PRETTY NEW TUB DRESSES AT \$2.49

—Sizes for girls 6 to 14 years. New Roman striped gingham made in high-waisted style with short sleeves, full skirt and two pockets. A round collar and white belt add much to the smartness of these frocks. ONE IS ILLUSTRATED.

NEW CHAMBRAY DRESSES AT \$2.95

—Plain colored chambray frocks, in tan, green and pink, made with full skirts, high waists, wide belts and large white collars and cuffs. Sizes 6 to 14.

PLAIN COLORED DRESSES AT \$3.49

—Blue, corn, pink; high-waisted dresses that are ever so pretty. Made with sashes that tie in back. All have full skirts with pockets. Sizes 6 to 14.

TUB DRESSES FOR GIRLS 14 TO 17

—Gingham frocks, in stripes, plain colors and combinations of both. Some have square necks, others show the ever popular V; some are in jacket effect, and all are smart. Priced \$3.50 to \$11.50.

JUNIOR FROCKS FOR OLDER GIRLS

—These frocks are made on lines becoming to growing girls and small women who require that youthful note in apparel. Serge, jersey, taffeta and crepe de chine frocks, in the newest shades of Pekin, cantaloupe, soft grays, rose, plaids and figured foulards. Every style that is good this Spring, with just the right bit of trimming or touch of color.

Priced \$17.95, \$19.95 to \$35.00.

COATS FOR GIRLS 8 TO 14

—Silk poplin, taffeta, velours and serges; in pretty colors, new greens, rose, Pekin, sand and navy; in the prettiest new models.

Priced \$9.95, \$12.50 to \$25.00

New Tailored Crepe de Chine and Georgette Waists—VERY SPECIAL \$3.50

—Wonderfully attractive waists of good quality crepe de chine or Georgette, with rolling shawl collar of white wash satin. A large white pearl button gives a pretty tailored finish to these waists.

—IN WHITE, FLESH, MAIZE, PINK, CORAL, APRICOT AND THE MOST POPULAR SHADES.

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—These, too, are intended for small women, as well as girls. There are velours, silvertone, delhi, serges and gabardines in the very newest models and colors. Some are full flaring in full length; others are shorter, with large fancy pockets and large collars. Lovely shades, tans, Pekin, green, soft grays and navy blue. In the very smartest of the new Spring styles.

Priced \$15.00, \$18.95 to \$38.50

COATS FOR LITTLE TOTS

—Pretty styles for little tots of 1 to 6. Strictly tailored coats and more fancy styles. Shepherd checks and plain shades of rose, navy, reseda and tan.

Priced \$4.50, \$5.00 to \$19.50

NEW SWAGGER HATS FOR LITTLE GIRLS, \$1.49

—Cunning little hemp straws, in navy or khaki color; real Highland Lassic styles. Finished with a tailored bow of bright colored ribbon.

—Other hats with brim, fancy and tailored styles, priced \$1.49 to \$6.50.

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LEAGUE IS FAVORED

Portland Women Will Extend Patriotic Service.

WAR WORK BRINGS PRAISE

PAPER FIRM BUILDS ROAD

Crown-Willamette Company Extending Railway to Spruce Belt.

ASTORIA, Or., April 12.—(Special.)—Troy Bros., contractors, who established camps and started work on the extension of the McGregor Malone railway in the Youngs Bay district, have withdrawn from active operation and the work is now being performed by the Crown Willamette Company, under the supervision of James Bremner, of this city.

The railroad extension leads into one of the largest spruce timber belts in the Northwest. The spruce will be used by the Government.

HENS' REPRIEVE WILL END

Chopping Block Looms for Poultry April 20, Under Hoover Edict.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Hens are to enjoy immunity from the chopping block one week longer, as the Food Administration announced today that restrictions against their sale would be lifted on April 20.

It is estimated that at least 2,250,000 hens capable of producing eggs have been saved in New York, Chicago and Boston markets alone since the regulation was put in force, February 2.

OVERMAN BILL LAID ASIDE

Measure Postponed Until Pressing Legislation Is Passed.

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WAR HITS LIBERIANS

U-Boats Shoot Up Monrovia, Capital of Republic.

EXTENSIVE DAMAGE DONE

Wireless and Cable Stations Reported Smashed—Submarine Abandoned Bombardment to Chase Passing Vessel.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—A German submarine of the largest seagoing type on April 10 appeared in the port of Monrovia, the capital of Liberia, and bombarded the wireless and cable stations there, the State Department has been informed in an official dispatch.

The submarine threw scores of shells from her deck guns into the wireless station, causing extensive damage. She had just turned her attention to the cable offices when a steamer was sighted passing the harbor mouth. The submarine left in chase and did not return.

Liberia is a negro republic with a population of between 1,000,000 and 2,000,000. It declared war on Germany August 4, 1917. Relations had been broken previously, but the war declaration permitted the internment of many German merchants and others who had been accused of unneutral activities.

U. S. LABOR MISSION LANDS

Americans Will Inform Allies of Unionists' War Attitude.

LONDON, April 12.—An American mission, comprising representatives of labor, journalism, banking and other interests, has arrived at a British port.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The American mission mentioned in the foregoing dispatch is a delegation of nine American labor leaders, officially known as the American Federation of Labor mission, which will be the guests of the British government during its stay in England. The mission left New York a fortnight ago with the object of

making known to English and French labor the position of labor in the United States.

The delegates are headed by James Wilson, president of the Patternmakers' League of America, as chairman. Others are John P. Frey, William Short, Miss Melinda Scott, Miss Agnes Nestor, William H. Johnson, George L. Berry, Chester M. Wright and Martin F. Ryan.

The mission was sent by American labor in response to repeated invitations from British and French labor leaders.

ing some with murder and others with conspiracy and rioting.

Thirty-three witnesses were heard during the inquiry and there are 25 more who have not been called.

An attaché of the Attorney-General's office declared today that Joseph Riegel, who is said to have confessed that he was the leader of the mob, will not be extended any immunity.

DEUTCHES HAUS FOR SALE

German Societies in Spokane to Suspend Activities.

SPOKANE, Wash., April 12.—(Special.)—The sign "Deutsches Haus" is to come down from Turner Hall and the place will be offered for sale.

In addition to this the Spokane Arion and the German Dramatic Society will suspend all activities for an indefinite period.

"The German house loses the certificate of its baptism," says a local German paper, "and to remove all causes for attacks and insults from German haters the German society has determined to remove the sign from the building."

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