

On the Record

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Col. Lindbergh's Imperialism I

Col. Lindbergh's second broadcast is the most sensational address that has yet been made in the debate over the arms embargo, not excepting his own first speech. It demands the most meticulous analysis, at greater length than is possible in one column. For it is, so far as I know, the first attempt at popularization by a very popular American of the "geo-political" and "organic-biological" ideas of Maj. Gen. Haushofer, president of the German academy, who is chief theoretician of the new imperialism of the Third Reich.

What Col. Lindbergh was doing was to present in American terms, and applied to us, the picture of the new world order envisaged by the nazis. It would be especially from the first one, if it were not already a well known attitude, repeatedly expressed by the colonel in private conversations, and contemplated with approval, that he expects the nazis to win this war. It is also plain from the speech that he foresees a quite new world order as a result of that victory. What he seems to be recommending to his fellow citizens is that we anticipate that a victory, get the jump on it, as it were, and prepare to be in on the ground floor when the new order emerges. The fact that this new order represents a radical break with American tradition and American democratic tradition and American democratic ideas is not emphasized. On the contrary, the colonel's proposals are presented as a clear tendency of American history. "American history indicates this need."

The fact that American history until now has indicated nothing of the kind, but quite the opposite, is not mentioned. Tomorrow, thinks the colonel, it will, because tomorrow the world will be quite different than it is today.

The conclusions of Col. Lindbergh's speech are revolutionary, and it is with these conclusions that we should be concerned, rather than with his specific recommendation regarding the arms embargo.

There he followed the lead of Mr. Hoover. While, in his previous speech, he warned against emotionalism and sentimentality, saying that we should be "as impersonal as a surgeon's knife," in this matter he is sentimental.

He does not want to send "offensive" weapons to Europe, but would sell "defensive" ones. Here he has been adequately answered by Mr. Allen Dulles, Senator Pittman, Maj. George Fielding Elliot, Maj. Gen. John F. O'Ryan, and most pointedly, on Tuesday, by Walter Lippmann, who pointed out that weapons have no life of

their own but are offensive or defensive, depending upon whether the governments that employ them are pursuing an offensive or a defensive policy.

The main argument of the colonel's speech is much more arresting. The Third Reich proposes to replace the world-wide system of free intercourse and free or reciprocal trade, which was maintained by the Pax Britannica from 1812 to 1914 and with which this nation has collaborated in such policies as the open door in the far east. It would also replace the system of collective security which foundered after the last war on inherent faults in the structure of the League of Nations and our own isolationism, but which, nevertheless, together with Great Britain's systematic reform of the empire into a commonwealth of sovereign states in loose federation indicated the trend toward world federation and freedom with organization. In contrast the Third Reich proposes to divide the world into monopolistic areas each to be claimed as the "Lebensraum" (living space) or "sphere of influence" of a great power, in which it will be sovereign and dictatorial—the "master nation."

In this new nazi imperialism all small states are to disappear, or to maintain only a "pseudo independence." A "union of fear," according to Maj. Gen. Haushofer, always, historically, works more efficiently than a "union of love."

Thus the Third Reich theoreticians saw in Britain's placing of the dominions on a status of equality in 1926 only "the most conspicuous surrender of power" and a sign of a "flagging will to rule."

The nazi doctrine couples this "will of the organically vital strong nation to rule over alien territories and peoples" with racism, which is candidly advanced as "the only basis from which democratic ideas can be ideologically combated. Only this basis will provide strength of will and ruthlessness and freedom from all humanitarian folly."

This is the intellectual background of the new world imperialism of the coming Era Germanic. Each master nation—Germany in the first line, of course; Japan, Great Britain, Italy, the United States and now, perhaps, Russia—is to have its living space in which it rules the lesser breeds under a dictatorial system as political and economic fields.

Great Britain is to have the dominions, which however, will fall away, and should she come along willingly would be offered a trade deal with Germany on colonies. Italy's "Lebensraum" is to be North Africa, with France relegated to the status of a protectorate, "freed of all major political responsibilities."

And the sphere of the United States lies in the western hemisphere, though in just how much of the western hemisphere has never been made plain. In the new world redistribution to be made by the "renovating powers" Italy and Spain must be considered,

and they, together with the nazis, will have claims on South America unless the United States frees itself of humanitarian-pacifist ideals and demonstrates its "organic-biological" fitness to rule on national socialist lines.

Now it is against this concept of imperialism, of monopolized and controlled areas, that England and France are waging war. At every point this concept comes into conflict with democracy which presumes fundamental human equality and with doctrines of political and national freedom. Only the powerful are to be free in the next nazi era. The weak are to be "protected," in the sense that they, as individuals and nations, are to be serfs of the strong.

When Col. Lindbergh says, "I do not believe this is a war for democracy, this is a war over the balance of power," he begs the question. It is a war over whether the balance of power will be on the side of the trend toward world organization on the basis of equality, or on the side of the trend toward world organization on the basis of master and slave peoples and nations.

To these ideas must be added that of the coming sovereignty of land power over sea power, and of economic monopoly in large-scale areas under state capitalism over free trade and free or partially free economy on a world-wide scale. The first is the new Germanic concept. The second the Franco-British.

Now the important thing about Col. Lindbergh's speech is that he advocates openly and clearly that the United States should desert all the ideals of world order which

Civil Service Sets Deadline on Jobs

Applications Must Be on File Before 16th of November

Several examinations for government employment have been announced by the US civil service commission for which applications must be on file before November 16.

For senior medical officer, paying \$4600 a year, the applicant must be under 53 years old, for medical officer, \$3800 a year, he must be under 45 and for associate medical officer, \$3200 a year, he must be under 40.

Places are also open for agricultural economist, \$3800; principal, \$5600; senior, \$4600; associate, \$3200; and assistant, \$2600. All employment in these divisions is with the bureau of agricultural economics.

For curator of sculpture and associate curator in the national gallery, historically linked her to the western powers and advocate the new Germanic concept.

Nowhere on this soil has the nazi concept of imperialism been so clearly stated as in Col. Lindbergh's second speech.

This column has space only to establish the frame of ideas in which the colonel's speech must be considered. The speech itself will be taken up in the next column.

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lery of art, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, DC, college education and experience in connection with art work is required.

Several grades of analyst positions are open in the bureau of economic regulation, civil aeronautics authority. Except for certain substitution, college education and responsible experience involving cost accounting or financial analysis are required.

Jack Hayes to Be Clarion Manager

Managership of the Clarion, Salem high publication, will be taken over by Jack Hayes, it was announced yesterday.

Hayes was nominated without opposition when Vernon and Vinton Scott resigned, and will be elected by the all-school council Monday. He will accompany other members of the Clarion staff, including Editor John Macy, Dan Sellards, Patricia Ryan and Jean Holtzman, to the institute of Oregon State High School Press association on the University of Oregon campus today and tomorrow.

The Clarion will not be entered in competition at the institute.

LEGAL NOTICE

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I will, on Saturday, November 4, 1939, at 10:00 o'clock, in the forenoon of said day, at the west door of the Marion County Court House, in Salem, Oregon,

sell at public auction in the manner provided by law for the sale of real property on execution, the following described real premises, to-wit:

Lot 2, Block 12, Riverview Park Addition to the City of Salem, Marion County, Oregon.

Said sale will be by virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Marion County in that suit heretofore pending therein in which City of Salem, a municipal corporation, is plaintiff and G. C. Thurman and Florence S. Thurman, his wife, and Marion County, a body politic, are defendants, the same being Clerk's Register No. 27922.

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A. C. BURK, Sheriff of Marion County, Oregon.

By Kenneth L. Randall, Deputy. O. 6-13-20-27, N. 3

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Lots 4, 5, 6 and 7, Subdivision Blocks 28 and 35, Yew Park Annex to the City of Salem, Marion County, Oregon.

Said sale will be by virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Marion County in that suit heretofore pending therein which City of Salem, a municipal corporation, is plaintiff and Frank D. Bligh and Mildred E. Bligh, his wife, and Marion County, a body politic, are defendants, the same being Clerk's Register No. 28283.

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Court House, in Salem, Oregon, sell at public auction in the manner provided by law for the sale of real property on execution, the following described real premises, to-wit:

Beginning at a point 50 feet south of the northwest corner of Lot 27 of the Capitol Home Addition to the City of Salem, Marion County, Oregon; thence southerly 100 feet; thence easterly 110 feet; thence northerly 100 feet; thence westerly 110 feet to the place of beginning, all in the City of Salem, Marion County, Oregon.

Said sale will be by virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Marion County in that suit heretofore pending therein which City of Salem, a municipal corporation, is plaintiff and Gertrude J. M. Page, unmarried, and Marion County, a body politic, are defendants, the same being Clerk's Register No. 28188.

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