### Through Europe on the Eve of War frightened that, although they were reluctantly permitted to go on, her was begun with considerable anxiety. A RECORD OF PERSONAL EXPERIENCES

From Constance to Constance - An Eventful Journey

for us by the courtesy of the German government, and they were billed to go clear through to Flushing. At the station the confusion was such that it was with difficulty that the cars could be reached. Hundreds of familiary to the conduct of the property of the people is best another land.

The kindness of the people is best indicated by the conduct of the property of my hotel, who, when I went to tell him I was penniless, as most of us were, begged me not to be troubled, and added, "I know that the cars could be reached. Hundreds of familiary to be troubled, and added, "I know that the could be reached. Hundreds of familiary to be troubled, and added, "I know that the could be reached. Hundreds of familiary to be troubled, and added, "I know that the could be reached. Hundreds of familiary to be troubled, and added, "I know that the could be reached. Hundreds of familiary to be troubled, and added, "I know that the could be reached. Hundreds of familiary to be troubled, and added, "I know that the could be reached. Hundreds of familiary to be troubled to be true. The popular impression I find here there are the first family to breaking her holy vows.

Unfortunately it was only too true, another land.

As we went down the wonderful that night passed through the very territory where only the conduct of the property that the confusion was such that the cars were the first for kining someout to the property that the confusion was only too true, another land.

As we went down the wonderful that night passed through the very territory where only the confusion was such that the There were two special cars provided ies besides ourselves were trying to regarding Germany is quite incomget home to England. The station or hensible to those of us who know trains were being filled with soldiers be carried through to Flushing. But was piled mountain high with bag- her gage and the officials could promise Believe me, yours truly, nothing except to stick the label Cologne on it, which was as far as the time to weigh it, so we paid a lump stationmaster and he promised to bers of our own party saw. The consend it on the second section of the clusion we came to at the end of the pull three young girls into the car others we afterward met in London train. The proprietor of the Insel day was that the German people as onto the straw. An officer heard were forced to do-get out eight Hotel had been most obliging to us.

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He trusted us to pay the big hotel

He trusted us to pay the big bill some time in the future, when diers were brutal in their treatment from the others. The violation of our imperial patronage and the telecheques could again be collected in of everybody with whom they came women by soldiers will amount up gram which had been sent ahead Germany. He put up eighty lunches in contact. Indeed, the soldier is nect into thousands during this year, as helped us. We carried into Goch and in four great hampers, with eighty essarily brutal from his training. He it is sort of taken for granted that there transferred to a Dutch train bottles of Apollinaris water. We saw is taught from childhood that Rusbottles of Apollinaris water. We saw is taught from childhood that Rusthis special privilege condoned in the sleeping country of those hampers put into the luggage sia, England and France are his those who "defend their country's Holland. It was about one a. m. and van, but when we were to get them deadly enemies and are only waiting honor." did not require much mental exermore poured in.

The experience of English and reuth. He continues:

on our way. Groups of reservists and tually on the field of battle. their admirers were collected in every village, and the friendly nods and

could realize that anything was the engine. Two Russian spies had been

above letter appeared.

To the Editor, "Daily Chronicle."

ry other means might be tried of they pulled him out of the train and men refused to hear arms against Ltd., were before the Stipendairy conciliation. The German conserva-tive papers were restless under the was carefully searched for papers. friend's sight they were stood liquor into the Town of Windsor

Monday morning at nire o'clock, tral to both ourselves and France in Russian baby. It was pathetic to is to be violated at the opening of eighty delegates, including American face of this threatened invasion of hear the scream of delight with any war, or at the convenience of Slavs." I had the opportunity of which the little thing leaned to his any nation that so chooses, there is cans, English, Germans, Norwegians, speaking more than once with a speaking more than once with a dinner. These are they who suffer most in war and only few wars are thermore, only a nation that had most in war and only few wars are thermore, only a nation that had stance to take the train for Cologne. At the Protestant Stadt Church of them. But men seem to care not at the treaty must defend its in-The French and Swiss delegates had Konstanz on Sunday men and women been allowed to cross the frentier in- sat with tears running down their to Switzerland. The Scardinavians cheeks at the thought of what the lions of babies and children suffer, tegrity. If the rumors were true it

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and soldiers striving to secure seats says that "the devotion of the mem- the evening.

greetings we had hitherto met wich being filled with soldiers, with re- German could get out of Germany there were in Flushing. It was now were ominously lacking. Thanks to a serves, and with young men from the that night. His parting with the that the smokers began to bewail number of false directions, which we fields and shops. Great crowds of Englishmen, Mr. Baker, Mr. Dickinsubsequently realized had been given on purpose, our progress was slow, women with their babies and chil- son and the others, with whom he cigars are so cheap in Holland that when we had got about twenty- dren were at the stations to see the had been worling intimately for five five miles, in accordance with direct soldiers off. They tried to cheer, but years to bring about good feeling of money not to smoke." Cigars tions given at a previous village, we they mostly wept, while the innocent between Germany and Great Britain, equal to fine Havanas sell in Holcame to a place in Saxe-Coburg- children ignorantly cheered their was pathetic. They had become the land for three or four cents each. It otha called Weidhausen.
"The telephone had evidently pre- fathers off to death. At one station warmest friends and deep affection was a question of conscience with me pared the people for an arrival, for we saw one young man suddenly to existed between them. They had lived whether to let these eminent divines as we slowed down to examine a crazy as he was torn from his wife in each others' homes. Together they have money enough to buy a box or sign-post five or six men, most of and little baby, so that he had to be had striven for the good of human-them drunk and all with the most evil and forbidding faces, their leader pitched into a freight car by half a ity, and nothing makes such close where, so they told me, the cigars a drunken uniformed official, came dozen men and held firm by strong and abiding friendships as these were vile and expensive. But finally out from a small beerhouse in a arms. We are told that this was a friendships that reach far above I decided I could not act as constate of great excitement. Before we frequent occurrence and that these those based upon nationality. And science for these men, but would could realize that anything was the matter they demanded with shouts men would simply be taken out of now they had to part, not knowing charge them interest on the loan. I and menaces what right we had to the regiment and put to menial if ever they should meet again; not be there. A large crowd had already tasks. As the train rolled along we knowing what the future might terest. gathered round the car. We were saw columns of soldiers winding over bring forth. But they were hopeful in walking pace through the village. By the hills, the line looking like a their parting and did not lose faith. this time at least 300 people had great snake in the distance. The rail- Their work had not been in vain. collected round us, and we came to road was everywhere patrolled by While their governments are fighting just in front of the Burgo- soldiers and the tunnels carefully each other, there is a group of ations of 'foreigners' and 'spies' guarded to prevent spies or some churchmen in each country who have large true trunks were rolled up enemy blowing up the track or wreck- risen above this sert of thing, and against the wheels of the car, and a ing a train. For half an hour be- when the war is over they will still revolver was held at the chauffeur's fore approaching a station and for be fast friends and ready to take the sired results. It enlivens and invighead to compel him to switch off the half an hour after leaving we were work up again where it has been orates the hair glands and tissues of engine. Two Russian spies had been ordered to close every window. We rudely broken off. As for me, knowing the scalp, resulting in a continuous previous day, and our position was never knew whether that was for our the fine sensitiveness of this noble and increasing growth of the hair. not improved by the discovery that own protection or a matter of pre- young German, and knowing the our front tires were of Russian make. caution taken by the military author-wound this sudden outburst of strue the country stating that Mildredina "Two or three scoundrels clambered ities. But some of the soldiers at the and passion had inflicted in his Hair Remedy has renewed the growth ladies' arms and searched them. The station eyed all foreigners with ugly heart, I could say nothing as we of hair in cases that were considered chauffeur and I were powerless to glancas, evidently suspecting spies parted, only tears would come. Fin- absolutely hopeless. A lady from help them, for the least resistance on every frain. Indeed, the further ally I said, "We shall meet again Chicago writes: "After a short trial would, I feel certain, have cost us we got into Germany the more eviall our lives. When the mob had sur-ficiently calmed down to look at our dent it was she had lost her head, to an end before that time." He left heavy and over one and a half yards papers the discovery that we were had got into a panic, and was fast us with his beautiful and gentle little long. English and not Russians caused becoming irresponsible. This was wife, to hurry to his babies in Ber- Mildredina Hair Remedy stimulates their firty to break out afresh. It was only the timely arrival of the borne out by the news when we lin. No greater commentary on the the scalp, makes it healthy and was only the timely arrival of the district Chief of Police that saved reached London, where we found irony, farcicalness, absurdity, yes, keeps it so. It is the greatest scalp us. After spending some minutes in that she had recklessly drawn every childishness of war could well be cuieting the crowd he removed his great nation of Europe into war found than in the parting of Mr. some medicine for both the nair and the could be removed his great nation of Europe into war found than in the parting of Mr. helmet and sword and proceeded against her, and shut off her food Baker and Dr. Siegmund-Schultze. will put more genuine life in your (rather I think to pacify the mob the car and every article in it to the violation of the neutrality of Bel- the same Master, consecrated ser other hair tonic ever made. It shows other hand Lady Barlow, lost her head, for she knew that Eng- ity's devoted friends, esteeming each and toilet store in the land. Fifty who was in our party from Con- land, which up to this time had re- other much more highly than each cents and one dollar.

The popular impression I find here pretty villages would soon be burned was fought.

in Offenburg they had disappeared. the opportunity to subdue his It was impossible to get any lunch The train to which this car had been fatherland. He is taught that war is on the train and it was difficult to hitched was full of soldiers being the highest expression of which hu- get anything to eat at the stations, transported to Cologne, so that it man nature is capable. Treitschke, so great was the rush for food. I whose teachings are the Bible of the managed to subsist on an occasional cise to imagine where those eighty German soldier, says that of all sins sausage, some grapes, pieces of cholunches had gone. Our party just the sin of feebleness is the most con- colate and bottled waters. Many had about filled the two special cars com- temptible. "It is the political sin to stand from nine in the morning fortably, but the crowds of travellers against the Holy Ghost." Again he until we reached Cologne at nine in

was so great that in five minutes bers of a community is nowhere so At Cologne there was less confusboarded our cars and splendidly conspicuous as in war." ion, as the military authorities had filled the aisles as full as the com- For years General Von Bernhardi has cleared the station and were already partments, and at every station been informing the German youth seizing all the trains for soldiers. The next day they somehow got that increase of armaments is not an inevitable evil, but the necessary coned there had it not been for the book to Flushing and got the evening book to London arriving twelve The experience of English and inevitable evil, but the necessary con-Americans crossing Germany on this dition of national health, and that passport Dr. Siegmund-Schultze had hours after the rest of the party. A eventful day were varied and, in efforts directed toward the abolition secured, and the special protection little way out of Goch we came to of war are not only foolish but pos- we had received. After much debating led to much discussion in the Eng- tively immoral and unworthy of the Dr. Siegmund-Schultze and the conlish papers. One man would report human race. Such efforts, he said ductor, who accompanied us from they scanned every passenger carehis treatment as most brutal, while threatened to poison the soul of the another received only kindest treatment. Mr. William Cleveland-Stevens, ed "must be fought for and won care the authorities fully to discover his nationality and to let our care go through to the to see that no Dutch youths were leaving Holland. For even then Holof London, who crossed Germany against superior forces of hostile in they telegraphed to the Dutch railfrom Bayreuth, where he had been terests and powers." As to England, road to meet the train, as it conthat Germany, if she paid no attenattending the Wagner Festival, states a pacific agreement with her was a tained two carloads of the most distance that about nine o'clock on Sunday will-o'-the-wisp. At this particular tinguished men of England tinguished men of England and might gobble up Holland next. Conmercing his party, consisting of time news had been sent to all the America. Here we began to see fursequently, Holland was mobilizing to three ladies, the chauffeur and him- German soldiers that Russia, France ther signs of war, for on every side protect herself from Germany, as self, set out by motor.car from Bay- and England had all played false we could discern searchlights sweep- was Switzerland far off to the south. against Germany and surprised her ing the heavens for a rships, and At last our party, tired, hungry, "It struck me that an extraordin- when she was desiring peace. This that very night two ships had been sleepy, reached Flushing. It was ary change had already taken place had made them bitter and furthershot at by the German guns, especial about seven a. m., and as the boat in the attitude of the people in Bay-reuth toward us, and the impression more most of them were drunk, ially constructed for this purpose. did not sail until eleven o'clock we gained on us very strongly as we which is the common condition of the passed through the various villages European soldier when he is not acgone on with us to Flushing could he big cup of hot Java coffee was! And At every station there were trains have followed his inclinations, but no

nerely on every side. The immediate Here they were, ardent followers of hair than a dozen bottles of any gium was a sure sign that she had vants of the same cause and humanstance, sent the following letter to mained neutral, must then take up esteemed many of his own selfish, igarms against her. The signs of this noble countrymen, and now, because frenzy were everywhere. There hapone happened to be English and one druff microbe which is the cause of the London papers the day after the arms against her. The signs of this noble countrymen, and now, because pened to be a Russian on the train German, they must each hasten home 98 per cent of hair troubles. These with us who was endeavoring to get and prepare to kill one another! But pernicious. persistent and destrucvisit to Germany, where I received his wife and little haby safely how about refusing to bear arms tive little devils thrive on the orange as usual the kindness and consideration which I have always found England. At Mayence he was discov- in an unjust cause? Well, on the day ered by some German soldiers, who following this a friend of mine was Windsor Tribune, Oct. 3: John The Emperor was holding back a immediately suspected a "spy," and in a little town in Europe where four Tobin & Co., and Kelly & Glassey,

frightened that, although they were The run from Cologne to Flushing little baby got nothing to eat for had decided to break the treaty intwenty-four hours. The next day, on suring the neutrality of Belgium. We the boat from Flushing to England, could not at first believe it, for this Lady Barlow found an English moth- is the greatest crime of which naer with a nursing baby, who shared tions are capable. If the neutrality her bounteous breasts with the little of Switzerland, Holland and Belgium had voted to go on to London to the future had in store. I do not know how much they orphan their own meant that England, up to that even the children, if they can only gratify ning neutral, must wage war against their lust for killing somebody of Germany for breaking her holy vows.

trains were being filled with soldiers be carried through to Flushing. But and horses, often the men and horses it drew on toward midnight when we jammed into the same car. Many of reached Goch, the little frontier Torkington Lodge, Hazel Grove, those being packed into the cars town of Holland, a few mil.'s south Cheshire, August 5 1914. seemed nothing but boys. At one of Antwerp, and every car in Ger-In this narrative I propose to con- station I saw three young men, many was to pass into the hands of fine myself strictly to what the memmost of us had no sleep. We were about to dispose ourselves for a few hours' nap when one of our party who had been through the cars came to me and said, "Bishop! Hendrix search was instituted and, surely enough they were not there. The

next day we learned that they had fallen so fast asleep on the way to Cologne that they had not heard the while they were innocently sleeping.

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