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Eight men died here and many others were injured when the 560-foot cantilever type of the new $20,000,000 bridge over the Connecticut River at Hartford, Conn., collapsed as it was being completed. Among those killed were: R. H. Hagen, 32, assistant engineer, of Southbridge, Mass.; J. H. Hagen, 34, assistant engineer, of Southbridge, Mass.; W. H. Hagen, 35, assistant engineer, of Southbridge, Mass.; J. H. Hagen, 36, assistant engineer, of Southbridge, Mass.; J. H. Hagen, 37, assistant engineer, of Southbridge, Mass.; J. H. Hagen, 38, assistant engineer, of Southbridge, Mass.; J. H. Hagen, 39, assistant engineer, of Southbridge, Mass.; and J. H. Hagen, 40, assistant engineer, of Southbridge, Mass.

JAYCES BEGIN DRIVE FOR TOYS
Members will canvass homes for Toys and Clothing on "Bundled Day"

Wilmington's annual toy and clothing campaign, sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce, was made a flying start yesterday by a special parade in the Bailey Park area. Sunday, December 14, has been designated as "Bundled Day" and on that day the Junior Chamber will be in full swing, ready to accept contributions.

BAILEY'S DRAFT APPEAL REFUSED

Only Roosevelt or New Evidence Can Keep Senator's Seat Out Of Army

Wash., Dec. 4—(AP) —Maj. Gen. Ira D. Ewell, chief of the draft appeal board, has refused to hear any further appeal of Sen. James C. Morehead, D-Va., who is accused of being a draft dodger. The appeal was based on the grounds that it would be impossible for the board to reach a decision on the case within the time allowed by law.

Enlargement of Defense Fund Bill Asked by F.D.R.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4—President Roosevelt today asked the Senate to add $1,000,000,000 to the $1,000,000,000 supplemental defense appropriation which he signed into law.

The request was received by a Senate appropriations subcommittee which is about to begin a series of hearings on the measure. A copy of the new bill was asked by the president was $1,000,000,000 for the defense department's orders of various contracts that were not delivered.

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WASHINGTON, D.C. — The students of the North Carolina Federation of Women's Clubs have been working hard to prepare for their annual meeting. The meeting is scheduled to take place in a local hotel on November 15th. The students have been planning for several months for this event, and they are excited to share their work with others in the federation.

In addition to the annual meeting, the students have been involved in various community service projects. They have been working with local organizations to provide assistance to those in need. The students have also been involved in environmental initiatives, such as planting trees and cleaning up local parks.

The students are looking forward to meeting with other members of the federation and learning from their experiences. They are eager to share their own experiences and work with others to make a positive impact in their communities.
Of Bride-To-Be, Issue Announcement

Of much interest to society will be the announcement of the engagement of Miss Mary West Green, daughter of Mrs. Thomas Miles Green of Wilmington, to Lieut. Frederick Edward Fuchs, aide-de-camp to Maj. Gen. Fredric H. Smith, commanding general, Camp Davis. The wedding will be in February. (Photograph by Adams.)

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Mr. and Mrs. John L. Hammer of New York.

Miss Charles H. Rivenbark—Who before her marriage yesterday afternoon at the Winter Park Presbyterian church was Miss Jean Montgomery, daughter of Mr. William C. Montgomery of Wilmington. (Photograph by Adams.)

Hrs. Harold Webster Gehman, ex-postman, was Miss Margaret Claire.
Thursday Morning Music Club To Hold Christmas Luncheon Dec. 11

Mary W. Green Engaged To Wed Lieut. F. E. Fuchs

Miss Elsie Jean Montgomery And Charles Rivenbark Marry

Betty Hammer Will Be Bride Of D. C. Morrell

MISS EVELYN EADON—Of Clinton, daughter of S. W. Eadon, also of Clinton, whose engagement is announced today by her father to Carl Edward White of Clinton. The wedding will be solemnized in Clinton Saturday, December 20. (Photograph by Adams.)

"The Yankee King" Will Be Staged Friday Evening At Local High School
January 17, 1942

Mr. John W. Bryan
Box 216A
Wilmington, North Carolina

Dear Mr. Bryan:

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter received December 16, 1942, with enclosure.

Your courtesy and interest in bringing this information to my attention are indeed appreciated, and you may be assured your letter will receive appropriate consideration.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director
MEMORANDUM FOR MR. KRAMER

RE: WILLIAM PATRICK HITLER
INTERNAL SECURITY - G

On January 26, 1942, Mr. Garland Red Quarles, Superintendent of Schools, Winchester, Virginia, was referred to the writer for an interview. At that time he presented a circular distributed by William B. Speakeins, Inc., entertainment management agents, regarding William Patrick Hitler, nephew of Adolf Hitler, who reportedly lectures on an expose of the Nazi intrigues.

Mr. Quarles wished advice as to whether any derogatory information was contained in the files of this Bureau. The policy of the FBI was explained to him in this regard. His main purpose in determining whether any derogatory information was available was due to the fact that William Patrick Hitler had been scheduled for an address to raise funds to buy defense bonds in Winchester, Virginia.

It was suggested to Mr. Quarles since William Patrick Hitler was an alien that he might wish to check with the Immigration and Naturalization Service, which has jurisdiction over aliens. He then commented that he would also call on the British Embassy, in view of the fact that the above captioned individual had resided in England.

The only information contained in the Bureau files with reference to this Hitler has been gleaned from various newspaper reports of his lecturing activities and from circulars forwarded by interested citizens. No action is contemplated with reference to the subject.

Respectfully,

D. A. Flinn

[Signature]

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William Patrick Hitler

Born in England to Hitler's half-brother Alois and an Irish mother, he was educated in English schools and did not meet his celebrated uncle until 1929 at the Nuremberg Congress of the Nazi Party. In 1933 William Patrick Hitler went to live in Germany and during the next six years was under the constant surveillance of Hitler himself and such dignitaries as Rudolf Hess and Ernst Wilhelm Bohle, in charge of all Germans living abroad and director of Fifth Column activities. Jailed during the "blood purge" of 1934, young Hitler was released through the intervention of British diplomatic officials.

He worked in the Opel automobile plant but was prevented from pursuing an engineering and sales career by a Fuhrer who felt his dignity insulted. Young Hitler was frequently called on the Chancellor's carpet and given unmistakable warning against revelation of Hitler family life, and his freedom to seek employment was curbed at every turn. A devout Catholic, he never subscribed to Nazi doctrines and observed with horror the attacks upon his Church. Finally, in 1939, he was told that he must accept German citizenship, but he slipped out of the Third Reich across to England where he met his mother and with her departed for America.

His story of the Nazi regime is unique, for he brings testimony of the true character of Hitler and his jealous rivals. Constantly threatened with Gestapo reprisal for his indiscretion, William Patrick Hitler has chosen to tell the truth of Hitler's background, his strange assortment of actresses and young men friends, the cabals which surround Der Fuhrer, the reaction of the German people to the barbarism of the Nazi party machine.

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington D.C.

My Dear Mr. Hoover;  

Please pardon the liberty I take in writing  
however I do so upon the request of our Mayor Dr. Chas. C. Anderson  
and in addition to this fact I had the pleasure of meeting you  
in person at the Kiwanis International Convention held in  
Washington D.C. several years ago. In addition to this I have  
visited your building several times with the Arlington County  
and Alexandria Va. Kiwanis clubs. when we were all taken thru  
on a private tour.

Now our proposition is simply this we would  
like to know what you have in your files concerning a man who  
spoke here last night under the name of William Patrick Hitler.  
I am sending you in separate mail the circular  
card used in advertising the lecture and you will note on this  
it is booked under the exclusive management of the William B.  
Peakeins, Inc. 500 Fifth Ave. N.Y. and Vista del Arroyo Pasadena Cal.  
Enclosed you will also find clipping in  
this morning paper written by Rosalind Matser who evidently attended  
the lecture. I also attend the lecture and can to a certain  
extent verify the enclosed clipping.  
The Winchester Kiwanis Club paid him the sum  
of $150.00 cash and the net proceeds will be given our local  
Red Cross Chapter.

Prof. Garland Quarles, Supt. of Handley School  
made a special trip to the British Embassy in Washington D.C.  
and was told that Mr. Hitler was O.K. and for the sake of our  
local Kiwanis Club I trust this is correct.  
I trust that you will see fit to furnish  
me the correct information and you can rest assured that everything  
will be held in strictest confidence

Yours very truly
Andrew Bell
Secty. Winchester Kiwanis Club  
Andrew Bell

Deferred Recording
Hitler's Nephew
Makes Address
At Handley

By ROSALIND KATER

A flair for propaganda and unusually brilliant oratory were
cited by William Patrick Hitler as
two of the most important factors
in the rise to power of his uncle,
Adolf Hitler.

Patrick Hitler's address made
last night at the Handley audi-
torium was under the sponsor-
ship of the Winchester Kiwanis
Club and benefit of the Winches-
ter Red Cross.

Judge Philip Williams intro-
duced Mr. Hitler, who began his
discourse by giving a summary of
his family background. He told
that when he was about 17, he
was old Adiit, Alois Hit-
ler, deserted his family.

When he was about 17, he
wanted to find out if his father
were still alive and found that
he was a prosperous merchant.
They exchanged letters and later
he went to Germany to visit his
father.

Mr. Hitler very graphically de-
scribed his meeting with his un-
cle Adolf and the scene of the
Nuremberg rally. He spoke of
the theatrical setting for Hitler's
speech in which he called upon
the German people to forget any
feelings of inferiority and to re-
lize their superiority.

Under the spell of his oratory
and Utopian promises those who
were allegiance to Hitler and
National Socialism were ready to
forget family, religion and God
and to believe in the new reli-

ciasm and to look upon

a feeling of nothing to live for
and nothing to hope for engulfed
the German people. Patrick Hit-
ler told his audience, and they
looked to his uncle, who promised
them bread, existence, and an invincible Germany, a block of steel
that would rule the world.

Mr. Hitler declared that during
1933 he felt, at first that
there might be some hope that
the Utopian state promised the
German people would not be im-
possible and that the Jewish
ulegors were a phase of savag-
ry of the storm troopers, and
that eventually Adolf Hitler would
calm down.

But, he declared, that he re-
alized that his uncle had no de-
igns for anything.
But, he declared, that he realized that his uncle had no desire for anything but personal power and liked to look upon himself as the greatest man in the world.

In return for the attempts to make Germany strong and put its industry on a sound basis the German people gave to their leader carte blanche.

Although things appeared wonderful on the surface, Mr. Hitler declared that was far from the true state of conditions in Germany, where Nazism attacked evangelical groups, Free Masonry, Rotarians, Boy Scouts, and other such organized orders, and that Germany was cut off from the outside world.

The German people were told the day had come when they were done with believing that there was a Jew; that was a fable of the Catholic Church; that Catholicism and Christianity were the worst drawbacks to the expansion of Germany.

Rather they should behold, according to National Socialism, the simple man in their midst who lived only for the people, a veritable risen Christ.

"Shall we serve God or shall serve Hitler?" was the challenging question Hitler asked.

Patrick Hitler spoke of the pagans of Hitler's cabinet, and "Myth of the 20th Century," Rosenberg's vitriolic book attacking Christianity, that Germans were taught to believe their race superior; children told to spy on their parents; and parents told that their children, upon reaching the age of 5 years, belonged to the state.

In 1938, Mr. Hitler said he found more people wanted to get out of Germany than those wanting to enter.

In conclusion, Mr. Hitler stated that without freedom life is not worth living.

During the question and answer forum following the formal lecture, Mr. Hitler said he believed his uncle to be a pathological case; that he considered him one of the sanest, most level-headed of the top ranking men around Hitler; that the German people were cut off from the outside world and that it is punishable death to listen to foreign broadcasts.

In response to a question why he was not in service with the allied forces, Mr. Hitler answered that he has tried several times to enlist but the Canadian government considers it more pertinent at this time for him to continue his lectures. He also said with his lectures he believes there is a rift in the Allied high command which will eventually become more serious.

It was unofficially estimated that as a result of this lecture the Red Cross Emergency War Relief drive will realize about $300.
February 13, 1942

Mr. Andrew Bell
108 Handley Boulevard
Winchester, Virginia

Dear Mr. Bell:

I have your letter of February 7, 1942 with which you forwarded a newspaper clipping from the "Northern Virginia Daily."

With respect to your request I regret that I must inform you that by virtue of a well established policy of the Department of Justice any information contained in our files is of a strictly confidential nature. The Attorney General's express authorization is necessary for the disclosure of these data. I am sure that you will appreciate our position in this matter.

I do hope that in the event you come across anything you think is of interest to the protection of the nation's internal security that you will refer it to me for appropriate attention.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director
Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington D.C.

My Dear Mr. Hoover;

Your telegram received and we are very sorry indeed that you could not attend our annual meeting Friday night, February 20th and be our speaker. We fully realize and appreciate your high position and some time in the future we hope to have the honor of your presence.

One week ago I wrote you regarding one William Patrick Hitler who spoke here under the sponsorship of the Kiwanis Club and sent you all the available information I had concerning him and to date I have not received reply from you.

I fully realize and appreciate the fact that your bureau is busy at all time however I certainly would appreciate any information that you may have in your files or can give us regarding this party and you can rest assured this information will be held in strictest confidence.

Yours very truly,

[Signature]

Secty. Chamber of Commerce and  
Kiwanis Club.
Complimentary Ticket

The Winchester (Va.) Chamber of Commerce cordially invites you to attend its Annual Banquet to be held at the George Washington Hotel.

Friday evening, February 20, 1942
At 6:30 o'clock

Good for one admission

Name: Hoover J Edgar
(Not Transferable)

All information contained herein is unclassified.

Date: 12/20/45

Andrew Bell
108 Handley Blvd.
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ANDREW BELL
108 HANDLEY BLVD.
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SECRETARY
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
KIWANIS CLUB
P. O. BOX 1
February 19, 1942

Dr. Charles R. Anderson
Mayor
Winchester, Virginia

My dear Dr. Anderson:

You recall that you requested me to write the Federal Bureau of Investigation at Washington, relative to William Patrick Hitler, who spoke at the Handley High School Auditorium, February 6th. I wrote J. Edgar Hoover on February 7th, and enclosed you will find a copy of his letter written to me on February 13th, which explains itself.

I suppose the only course left for you to pursue would be to write the Attorney General. I do not want to discourage you, however, if you have as much red tape business to go through with in order to get to the Attorney General's office, as we have had in this Civilian Defense proposition, I fear that perhaps the war may be over by that time and it will do no good to further investigate William Patrick Hitler.

My only thought in the matter was to stop this man from speaking at what I consider a most exorbitant price, $150.00, to other Kiwanis Clubs, however, you are familiar with what was said and done at the Handley School and it is now up to your good judgment, and if I can be of further service to you, kindly call on me.

Yours very truly,

[Signature]

Secretary

[Stamp: BEST COPY AVAILABLE]
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

March 14, 1942

CONFIDENTIAL

MEMORANDUM FOR: Hon. J. Edgar Hoover,
Director, Federal Bureau
of Investigation.

Dear Edgar:

This letter comes from Hitler's
nephew who apparently is on a lecture tour
of the United States. I thought it might
be well to look into the matter as he is
now writing the President asking that he
be allowed to join the United States Army.

Sincerely,

EDWIN M. WATSON
Secretary to the President