THE STUTTGART ATROCITY

THE GERMAN ARMY'S INCIDENCE OF RAPE in all the occupied territories was much lower than that of U.S. troops stationed in Europe. And when the colonial "French" troops under Gen. Dwight Eisenhower's command, mostly from darkest Africa, got into the city of Stuttgart, they herded local civilian females into the subways and raped some 2,000 of them. In Stuttgart alone, troops under "Ike's" command violated many more women in a week than troops under German command raped in all of France during the entire war.

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IT IS NOW A GIVEN THAT THE RAPE AND LOOTING by Russian soldiers across occupied Germany exceeded the levels of barbarity of which the Germans were accused at Nuremberg. Eisenhower, as overall commander of the Western Allies, was just as responsible for the Stuttgart atrocity as were any of the German generals tried at Nuremberg for the actions of soldiers under their command. In that affair, despite everything the Eisenhower headquarters could do to keep it out of print, French Negro soldiers from Senegal (wearing U.S. lend-lease uniforms) corralled approximately 4,000 German women of all ages in the Stuttgart subway and engaged in a raping orgy that lasted three days.

An excerpt from History's Most Terrifying Peace, written by Austin J. App, Ph.D., reveals the following:

"The pagans thought that might was right. When the Greeks won, the Trojans had no rights. Their men were all killed, their women were all raped, and their children became the kind of slaves our Negroes were before the Civil War. When the Romans won, the Carthaginians had no rights. All their men were killed; all their women and children were raped and enslaved. The pagans thought the vanquished had no rights. But the pagans were wrong. For justice has always been the same. It has always been the one justice of the one God, always alike for victor and for the vanquished. Wrong thinking has never made wrong acting right.

"Eventually all the pagans who thought that might is right and that the vanquished have no rights were vanquished, and when they were butchered in accordance with their own former ideas, it may be supposed that they realized at long last that their ideas had been abominable, but they realized it too late. Might does not give man right over the girl. Might does not make it right. A man who meets a slight tender girl in a lonely spot has not a bit more right over her than if she were twice his size. In such a case the weak girl, even though she has no means of enforcement, will order the man to leave her alone, as a matter of right; she will not beg it of him as matter of charity. That is precisely the position of a vanquished nation.

"Among the pagans, the chief prize of victory was that all the adversary's women were subject to rape and sexual slavery. If the Germans have no rights, then obviously no German

A Soviet soldier tries to wrest away a bicycle from a young German woman, somewhere in occupied Germany, 1945.
girl has the right to say, "no," to any lustful U.S., British or Russian soldier. No Trojan or Carthaginian girl had such a right, according to the pagans, for among the pagans (and also among the ancient Jews) the vanquished really had no rights. But today, with our advanced Christianity, even the American Military Government (AMG) colonel who told Germans they had no rights would, if pinned down, admit if a GI tried to outrage a German girl, her father or brothers would have the right to protect the girl, and that without humbly waiting for permission from the AMG boys.

"According to an AP dispatch (Frankfurt, June 25, 1946): 'Three American paratroopers stabbed and beat a German father and mother when they refused the Americans a midnight rendezvous with their daughter.'

"Evidently this German father and mother through unconditional surrender still believed that they had the right to protect their daughter against even the almighty victor's debauchery.

"When a German Liberal Democratic Party leader spoke of the world scandal about how the Russians outraged German women, our AMG boys sentenced him to five years in prison (AP, May 21, 1946). But in this case of three American paratroopers, even the AMG boys have not put the parents in jail and appear to believe that the assaulting victors should be apprehended and possibly put on KP a day or two!

"If German girls have one right, then all Germans have some; but if a German girl has the right and even the duty to say 'no' to a lustful conqueror, whether she is strong enough to enforce her 'no' or not, then the Germans have at least some rights, and the AMG colonel's lecture to complaining Germans was wrong. A little further thinking will make it clear that just as a conqueror may not carry off a girl's honor, so he may not walk off with her wrist watch, her mother's silverware, or her father's cow.

"This would be heresy; it would be a betrayal of the Christian foundation of society and would put it back on pagan quicksands, where there was no justice, only favoritism, where as Christ said, 'even the publicans love those that love them,' but where no one loves his enemy.

"If it was wrong for some Germans to think with Plato that the individual exists for the state, it would be far more wrong for them in their unconditional surrender to think that the vanquished have no rights in the face of the might of the conquerors.

"When we connive to let the Russians occupy territory, it is not as if American, British or German troops occupied it. The ghastly part of the story is that we condemn women to be outraged. The Germans, for example, though they put saboteurs and resistance leaders into concentration camps, did not rape or loot, but practiced 'a sort of correctness in dealing with the people.' Where the Germans respected women, our Allies raped over 100,000 women in the city of Vienna, many times, including girls not yet in their teens. Cardinal Bernard Griffin of England, after a visit to Central Europe, described the horrible facts of violation of women and looting by Russians.

"Such raping and looting is the story for Berlin, Danzig, Budapest, and even pro-Russian Czechoslovakia. The Red Army troops acted like rustic louts that had come out of the woods into civilization for the first time. The looting of homes, the violation of women, the deportation and often murder of the non-Communists and clergymen, and the Bolshevizing of property are the crimes our government connives at every time it cooperates with Russia by double-crossing any other nation. Some of these crimes are irreparable. A woman violated is violated forever. A few months of Russian occupation and the damage is done—dead men stay dead, starved children are destroyed, and violated women, even if they live, have suffered a fate worse than death. Yet Roosevelt, Eisenhower and all the liberals would sacrifice anyone to please Stalin."

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