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of the Indiana Branch of the  
Friends of German Democ-  
be held at the Athenaeum  
evening at 8 o'clock. Mayor  
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nal Advisory Council of the  
Friends of German Democ-  
r. Grossmann works in con-  
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s about the mission of the  
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## Fight Against Autocracy

He has summed up his conclusions as follows:

"The American Friends of German Democracy are upholding in the most practical way the democratic position that our fight is against German autocracy, but not against the German people. The Federal government has assigned to the organization a definite place in the world's platform against a gang of thugs that has silenced the voice of national conscience and has broken every law of God and man.

The American Friends of German Democracy deny the right of the military masters of Germany to speak for a people whom they have forced into subservience. They declare that these very powers are the real source of disturbance; that autocracy thrives on and maintains itself by war and that there can be no promise of lasting peace until their vicious control is definitely exterminated and the people have come into their rights.

"Millions of Germans have come into this country and it may be safely asserted that none of all the immigrants have formed a greater attachment to their new home and country than these very people. When the war broke out the great majority of us sympathized with the country of our origin. From a racial viewpoint that was natural. When the outcry against the misdeeds of the army was heard, we could not at first understand how it was possible that the country of our memories could be guilty of such crimes. We had lost connection with the Germany of today and cherished only memories of the Germany that had passed by. There was no intent of disloyalty in this attitude, but so slow was the reversal of our opinion and so slowly came our full realization of the real purposes of the German autocrats that Americans came to doubt the reliability, if not loyalty, of their neighbors of German origin. To remove the last vestige of this mistaken idea is another purpose of the American Friends of German Democracy. There must be no qualification to a man's loyalty nor to the amount of his devotion.

### Millions Will Listen.

"The organization further believes that, although the subjugation of public opinion in Germany has been carried on with the usual official thoroughness, there must be millions of men and women who would listen to the truth about them and who would shake off a yoke that has brought them misery and degradation if it would come from their racial kin, who live in full enjoyment of freedom and

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## As Influenza Spreads

The urgent plea for women who can render nursing service in this crisis of the Spanish influenza, which was made through the local newspapers yesterday, resulted in more than thirty registrations and undoubtedly many of these women will be put to work immediately.

Until this special plea, none but trained nurses have been allowed to enter any kind of military service, but this call has gone out to all trained nurses, all experienced nurses, all married women who have had nursing experience and all women who have had class work in first aid or in home care of the sick under the direction of the Red Cross.

The registration will be continued today, tomorrow and Sunday at the booths of the War Camp Community Service, Illinois and Washington streets and Illinois and Market streets. Arrangements have been made at Fort Benjamin Harrison to keep in touch with the registration booths and as soon as those who have signed there are needed, they will be called upon for service.

liberty, not as subjects, but as citizens. "The military and junker class have no right to speak for a people whom they are not willing to accord the most primitive political rights. Their presence in the human family is a menace, and so are all those who subscribe or adhere to their tenets. Hear what Pastor Baumgarten, a dignitary (sic!) of the church, has to say: "We are compelled to carry on this war with a cruelty, a ruthlessness and an employment of every imaginable device unknown in any previous war." If that is the soul of Germany up to date, then Goethe, Schiller, Beethoven and Mozart have no place in this new order of things, and their memory should not be soiled by quoting them. Against the power of the autocratic state, we set the will of the people."

## NEW BUTLER UNIT MEN HAVE FIRST ARMY MESS

Three Companies Drill and Hike  
Follows Giving of In-  
structions.

The 300 young men inducted into the Butler unit of the Students Army Training Corps Tuesday on the college campus ate their first army mess after roll call at noon yesterday and are already beginning to feel like soldiers. Immediately after the first meal given by the government the students assembled on the athletic field for drill. Three companies, under leadership of Sergeants Brown, Putnam and Forteous, drilled during the afternoon. The first hike was taken Wednesday when the men after hearing instructions and learning the first part of the squad movements, were turned over to the sergeants by Lieut. Dodd, commandant of the corps, for an eight-mile march over Irvington streets.

Plans for an army canteen are under way and money for the furtherance of the project is being collected by Max Baker and Howard Knecke, who have been appointed canteen governors. Lieutenant Dodd has warned the men to take every precaution against the Spanish influenza epidemic. No serious cases have been reported yet, it is said.

Men, who are above 21 years of age, will be inducted into the unit in about fifteen days. Lieut. Dodd has said. The men inducted Tuesday are all under that age. Dr. W. F. Kelly, surgeon of the corps, will have sick call every morning hereafter to prevent epidemics breaking out among the students. Uniforms will arrive in about two or three



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