



MRS. ULLA LEITNER

Munich Revisited

War Scars Blur Past of Mrs. Leitner's Homeland

Mrs. Ulla Leitner's church—the one in which she had been married—lay before her, charred and broken. A rubble of crushed bricks and powdered mortar, is rested in gray anonymity amid a field of ruin in suburban Munich.

After more than 25 years of life in America, Mrs. Leitner, of 2108 Dominguez avenue, was revisiting her homeland, Munich, where she had been young and where she had first met Mr. Leitner.

Now Joseph was dead, and the church...

Her three sisters and two brothers had been waiting for her when Mrs. Leitner's plane landed. My, it was good to see Sister Ulla again.

During her two-and-one-half month stay, they took her to see the opera and Mrs. Leitner visited many of the cities she once knew, both in Germany and in Austria. All over it was the same, she observed. Whole cities were pock-marked and shattered. Her people, for the most part, were still living in the cellars into which they fled to escape the big silver bombers which had come day after day, after day.

Food and clothing were not scarce in the stores. The trouble was that money was hard to come by. A workman made about 40 marks a week; it took two or three marks to buy a pound of meat.

Of course, there were brighter moments in Mrs. Leitner's visit. Being an American citizen, the U. S. Army had provided her with transportation to many of the most pleasant resorts in the Bavarian Alps—places she had not seen even as a girl.

Riding in Jeeps and trains, young American soldiers always

were nice when they heard she was "fresh from the States." They felt proud. They took her to many places where none but American citizens were permitted. She felt honored to share in the buoyant spirit of a conquering nation.

But at night, when she was alone, Mrs. Leitner thought of her family and of her native land, and she cried.

Claims Must Be Filed For Age Benefits

Failure of women to make claims for social security benefits at the age of 65 and at other times of eligibility is causing many to lose money rightfully belonging to them.

Just because the 1% of a worker's salary is deducted every month automatically for social security does not mean that benefits will be paid automatically without filing of a claim, the local Social Security Administration office has advised.

Two conditions can make women eligible for benefits under the old-age and survivors insurance program. First, a non-employed woman at 65 is entitled to one-half of her husband's benefits when he reaches 65 and leaves employment. For example, if he is eligible for a \$40 a month benefit, she can receive \$20, if she meets certain qualifications. And he receives his full \$40 benefit.

Second, in the case of a widow, she is eligible for benefits (1) if she is under 65 with a child entitled to benefits, she will receive monthly payments until her child is 18.

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