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## He Meant What He Said

The eighth anniversary of Hitler's assumption of power in Berlin is Jan. 23. This is not exactly a holiday for other countries regardless of how the Germans may feel about it, but in view of what has happened since, it can scarcely be ignored. No other single event of the decade has cost the world so much.

When Hitler assumed the German chancellorship, few read the significance of the day. So astute an analyst as H. V. Kaltenborn wrote (New Republic, Feb. 15, 1933), "He is sworn to obey the Constitution and is likely to do so. The time for a Fascist coup d'etat is past... the March 5 election... will not give Adolf Hitler the opportunity to establish his long-heralded Drittes Reich." Many others, no less well-informed, felt the same way. This was to be just another phase in the disorderly history of post-war Germany.

It was, unfortunately, six years before Europe began to take Adolf Hitler seriously. The world did not take him seriously when he said to a mass meeting shortly after becoming chancellor:

"We want a break with what a rotten brand of democracy has produced and realize that all that is great can be produced only by the strength of individual personality and that all that is to be preserved must be entrusted again to ability and individual personality, while the parliamentary-democratic system must be fought."

The average reader shrugged and added mentally, "in Germany." And he didn't care much what happened within Germany, especially since it had been teetering on the edge of going Communist anyway. So we all turned to our own domestic troubles, which were plenty.

Had Hitler confined himself to abolishing parliamentary government within Germany, nobody would have cared much, except those Germans who still loved liberty (and there were some). But next came the effort to extend the Hitlerian sway to Germans outside Germany; later the effort to extend it to Czechs, Poles, Norwegians, Dutch, Belgians, France, and Danes.

Thus the smallness, once again, of our complex world. An obscure and rather ridiculous-looking politician comes to power in Germany in 1933, and at the end of 1940 nine nations grovel in the dust of conquest and a coral atoll in the far South Seas is shelled by a passing raider. So far echo the repercussions of that Jan. 23, 1933.

Now at last we learn that when Hitler said, just after becoming chancellor, "the parliamentary-democratic system must be fought," he meant just that.

America's army of doctors are fighting a war we're all in favor of—against flu!

## MEXICAN LEADER

**HORIZONTAL**

- New president of Mexico.
- Reticent person.
- Delicate purple.
- Branches.
- Bronze.
- Golf clubs.
- Small tumor.
- Note in scale.
- To ascend.
- Harvest.
- Road (abbr.).
- Abhorrence.
- God of war.
- Black wood.
- Canters.
- Corner.
- Waistcoat.
- Scheme.
- Married.
- Therefore.
- Sooner than.
- Form of "a."
- Mine.
- Italian river.
- Undeniable.
- Form of "I."
- Cleft.

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

**URUGUAY SPANISH**  
 DESOBER DOWER IDEA  
 METRONE TOW  
 SID STENTER LAC  
 RT WASTINE WGA  
 ASCOT ASPFLINER  
 Z MARTIA MAP REE  
 LINDED REE  
 JEDGETO URUGUAY STAR  
 ALEAS AMEND AREA  
 MONTEVIDEO TART

**VERTICAL**

- Opposite of sweater.
- Duct.
- Compassion.
- To depart by boat.
- To feater.
- Verified.
- Ring.
- Imitated.
- Exclamation.
- Electrical term.
- To jcer.
- Bow of light.
- Pale.
- To deem.
- Fortoken.
- To divert.
- Light brown.
- Nothing more of.
- Exists.
- Credit (abbr.).
- Food list.
- To equip.
- 52 100 square meters.
- Soft food.
- Frozen dessert (abbr.).
- Transposed (abbr.).
- Mining is the chief — in (abbr.).
- Postscript (abbr.).

## 'You Fellas Better Stick Around'



## RED RYDER



## ALLEY OOP



### Auto And Marriage Licenses Increase In Tarrant County

county issued more automobile licenses and more marriage licenses in 1940 than in the preceding year, county officials reported. Automobile registrations totaled 58,160 and commercial vehicles 8,375. Since the number of automobiles increases annually, the figure is significant principally because the year's increase was the greatest of any year since 1932. The 1939 figures were 56,370 passenger cars and 8,275 commercial machines.

## CONSCRIPT'S WIFE

BY BETTY WALLACE

**YESTERDAY:** Martha fights loneliness with Paul and Suzanne helping. When a girl in the office remarks that Mr. Elliott won't let Martha get lonesome she begins to wonder if she is seeing Paul too frequently. One night, Paul arrives at the apartment without Suzanne. They've quarreled. Paul takes Martha to a hotel for dinner, to make Suzanne "burn." While she waits for Paul to take Butch for an airing, she overhears her neighbors. . . . "That man—at this time of night. . . . Imagine!"

**SUZANNE PAYS A CALL**

**CHAPTER V**

**MARTHA** whirled in sick surprise. She peered out into the hall, but whoever it was had already gone. The shuffle of feet on the stairs, going up, and the slamming of a door on the floor above, however, told her a second later that it must have been the stout, gray-haired school teacher who lived with the thin, spindly piano teacher.

"Neighbors!" she thought, furiously. "Dear, nosy, nasty-minded neighbors!"

A moment later, Butch came bounding up the stairs. His tail wagged, his little paws reached up—muddy, of course—and his eyes told her how much he loved her. It was curiously comforting. She closed the door, put the chain on, and thought, "The devil with them."

But the little incident stayed with her. For days, she could not shake it off. Once she passed the stout school teacher on the stairs, and she avoided the sharp eyes, holding her head high.

She did not mention the incident to Paul. It was too ridiculous.

The only thing that troubled her was that Suzanne did not telephone, and Paul did not bring her around again, as she had expected. The quarrel must have been more serious than she had realized. It was awkward, too, for now Paul came by himself. And she simply could not drown that feeling of eyes watching her as she left the apartment with him; eyes again as they said good night at the door.

Bill's letters were short. Shorter than she liked. He seemed very cheerful, even happy. He dutifully said he missed her, sent her loads of love. "The only thing that worries me," he wrote, "is how you're getting along. I hate to think you're lonely, or worrying about me. The camp is swell, better than the Reception Station. We're in winterized tents, barracks too, but I drew a tent. The first 13 weeks here are supposed to toughen us up; maybe that's the idea of the tent. Darling, be sure to write me how you're getting on."

Reading that letter one morning at her desk, she thought with surprise, "I'm getting on even better than I have any right!" Certainly she could not be lonely, having dinner with Paul almost every night, seeing movies with him, and going riding.

One night they'd stayed in and played two-handed bridge. And one night they had taken Butch for a long walk. He was so pitifully cooped up. Paul said it would be better, perhaps, to put him out to board on a farm he knew.

She read Bill's letter again. Suddenly she decided, "I'll stay home tonight." She could not quite put her finger on what made her decide that . . .

**SHE** told Paul while she was in his office going over some reports with him, "The round of gaiting is wearing me out, Paul. And I have no clean stockings left. I believe I'll fry myself a widow, I expect."

"Nonsense," he said. "Let's get back to these reports."

She washed the stockings, and then stuck Butch in the bathtub and washed him. He whined and moaned piteously, as he always did. This had always been Bill's task.

After that, she straightened her bureau drawers. It was still only half past 8. "What's the matter with me? One evening at home, and I'm bored stiff."

The apartment seemed so empty! So quiet! She turned on the radio. She remembered that quiz program and Paul's voice saying that the Army didn't separate people quite as permanently as Reno. . . .

"What's the matter with me?" Definitely, it wasn't good to see him as much as she had been doing. And alone. Not that there was anything in it, but . . .

The telephone rang. She had asked Bill to call her long distance, in her last letter. "Pull loose from some change," she had told him. "You're rich on \$21 a month, and I want to hear your voice." She didn't know if he could phone from camp. Perhaps he had to wait until he got into town. Now that he was in camp, she wanted to drive up next week-

end. It was about 100 miles but Peg could make it.

She picked up the telephone. "Hello?"

It wasn't Bill. It was Suzanne Decker.

"TRYING to get you on the telephone is about as hard as getting Greta Garbo," she said. "For heaven's sake, where have you been?"

"I've been out a lot," Martha admitted guiltily. "I was just thinking about it."

"Out with Paul?" asked Suzanne. There was something tight in her voice. Something held back waiting. . . .

"Yes," she hurried on, "What ever happened between you two idiots, anyway? Why don't you come around any more? I asked Paul, but he told me exactly nothing. You did fight about it. What did fight?"

"Suppose I come over right now. I've wanted to talk to you in fact, that's why I called."

"Why, of course, come right over."

She went to the bedroom, after she hung up, and looked critically into the mirror. Paul had said she wasn't looking so well. And Suzanne was always perfectly perfect; her hair glossy, each curl in place, her makeup artful. She couldn't explain to herself why suddenly she wanted to look well for Suzanne. It had something to do with the way the other girl had asked, "Out with Paul?" but she didn't want to think about that.

Suzanne appeared, in soft black. Silver foxes were slung across her shoulders. Her mouth was very red, her voice very gay. But her eyes were not happy. Martha saw that at once. Saw that there was purpose in the squared, slender shoulders; something beneath the mannered way Suzanne divested herself of hat, gloves, furs and sat down on the sofa.

"I called you at least a dozen times," she said.

"We were out a great deal."

There was a silence. Suzanne lighted a cigaret. Her fingers were shaking.

"Martha," she began, "Martha I'm putting my nose into something that's none of my business maybe. But—well—"

"Don't apologize," Martha said. "What's the matter?"

"You're sure Paul didn't tell you what we quarreled about?"

"No, I haven't the least idea."

Suzanne took a long, deep drag on the cigaret. "We quarreled about you," she said, very distinctly.

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**Eastland Personals—**

Mrs. Carrolle Allison and small daughter, Dana Kay, of Monterey Park, California, are visiting in the home of Mrs. Allison's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Van Geem, and expect to be here a month.

The sign read, "Hunting Permitted."

**WHIRLWIND DEVELOPS POWER**

AMARILLO, Texas—Mrs. W. J. Pearson has a "whirlwind" story that only a plainsman could believe. She was sunning a matress in the back yard when a whirlwind—one of those little twisters that come on a hot, calm day—picked it up and deposited it on the roof of a house, three residences away.

**May Be Governor of Puerto Rico**



Mentioned as President Roosevelt's probable choice to succeed Admiral William D. Leahy as governor general of Puerto Rico is former Representative Guy Swope, 49, above, of Meckville, Pa., now auditor of Puerto Rico.

**Speeds U. S. Aid to 'Free French'**



In ever-increasing amounts, men, planes and munitions for the "Free French" forces of Gen. Charles de Gaulle are flowing from the U. S. under the direction of Eugene J. Houdry, above, president of France Forever, the De Gaulle organization in the United States.

**Headed for the Hudson**



Torgor Tokle appears to be headed into the Hudson river as he jumps 155 feet in winning leap of Bear Mountain Ski Club's first 1941 meet. The sensational young Norwegian's jump was made in face of strong wind.

**Texas' "Navy" Has Mostly Ferry Boats Comprising "Fleet"**

By United Press

AUSTIN—Texas' "Navy" consists principally of ferry boats that are operated by the State Highway Department. The largest boats are the "Galveston" and the "Jefferson." They are used to ferry automobiles and trucks between Galveston Island and Bolivar Point, a distance of about two and three quarter miles across the water where Galveston Bay connects with the Gulf of Mexico.

Each boat can carry 24 vehicles and 220 passengers per trip. Since October 1937 the ferry has operated on a 24-hour daily schedule. Its operation began in 1934.

A toll charge of 25 cents is made for vehicles but no charge for passengers.

A free ferry is operated also over that for the year 1939.

"Under the same set of facts, a married person will pay approximately \$20 more normal tax for the year 1940 and added to this will be the new 10 per cent defense tax making a total tax increase of \$22."

across Houston ship channel at Morgan's Point. This ferry was taken over by the Highway Department in September, 1939. Other boats are used by the game, fish and oyster department and one launch by the National Guard.

**STATE OPENS FOREST HUNTS**

By United Press

MONTGOMERY, Ala. — The Alabama state conservation department is holding its first public hunt in the new 38,000-acre Pea River State Forest. Quail, squirrels, rabbits may be hunted.

**HAPPY RELIEF FROM PAINFUL BACKACHE**

Many of those gnawing, nagging, painful backaches people blame on colds or strains are often caused by tired kidneys—and may be relieved when treated in the right way. The kidneys are Nature's chief way of taking excess acids and poisons waste out of the blood. They help most people pass about 3 pints a day. If the 15 miles of kidney tubes and filters don't work well, poisonous waste matter stays in the blood. These poisons may start nagging backaches, rheumatic pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headaches and dizziness. Frequent or scanty passages with smarting and burning sometimes shows there is something wrong with your kidneys or bladder. Don't wait! Ask your druggist for Doan's Pills, used successfully by millions for over 40 years. They give happy relief and will help the 15 miles of kidney tubes flush out poisonous waste from your blood. Get Doan's Pills.



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**CLOVER FARM STORES**

**Prizes Are Offered By State Fair for Naming a Picture**

DALLAS, Texas—A total of \$100 in prizes will be awarded winners in a contest to name the two motion pictures of the 1940 State Fair of Texas, it has been announced here by Harry L. Seay, who has begun his third year as President of the "world's largest State Fair." One prize of \$50 will be awarded for the best title sent in for the eleven minute reel and for the eighteen minute picture.

Both pictures are in sound and color and in 16 mm and 35mm size. They will be shown in schools theatres and organization meetings throughout the Southwest in 1941. The 1940 picture was shown to more than 3,000,000 people.

The 11 minute picture will be released for showing first, and will be followed later in the year by the longer picture.

The contest to name the two pictures will be released for showing after February 1.

**HEN WATCHES OVER PUP**

By United Press  
 CAMDEN S. C.—An old hen belonging to Robert Danlap Mill street has undertaken the task of mothering five little puppies. She huddles over them and clucks them to sleep.

**RUPTURE SHIELD EXPERT HERE**

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**Income Tax To Catch New Wage Group This Year**

This is the 1941 story of income taxes—a story that affects virtually every employed person.

Lowering of requirements this year brings more than twice as many in as were taxed last year, H. E. Arnold, chief of the income tax division, Internal Revenue Department, said.

According to Arnold here are the two classes who must file returns:

1. Single individuals or married individuals not living with husband or wife, having a gross income of \$800 or more.
2. Married individuals, living together, having a combined gross income of \$2,000 or more.

"The net income is no longer to be used in determining the liability for the filing of a federal income tax return," Arnold said.

"The return is filed upon the basis of total income. While returns must be filed on or before March 15, with the collector of internal revenue, it is urged they be filed as soon as possible."

"The normal tax rate has not been increased and remains 4 per cent," Arnold said. "However, the revenue act of 1940 added a defense tax. This is a new tax computation and is 10 per cent of the total amount of the income tax."

"Therefore if your normal tax liability is \$20 your defense tax is \$2 and your total tax liability is \$22. As an illustration of the result of the lowered personal exemption, a single person whose income does not reach the surtax brackets will pay approximately \$8 more normal tax for 1940 than he paid in 1939. This amount is correct only if tax was paid on the 1939 return and if the income and allowable deductions for 1939 were the same as in 1940. To this \$8 normal tax increase, there will be added the new 10 per cent defense tax, making a total tax in-

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