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Inside WASHINGTON

Paris Style Supremacy Myths Brought Out Again

By HELEN ELLIARY Central News Columnist

WASHINGTON—Every French human being rejoices that once again Paris is free. Every decent human being rejoices that the good people of France are released from Nazi oppression. The rejoicing over the freedom of Paris is more poignant perhaps than the rejoicing over the release of another captured city because to so many people who have seen or imagined Paris, Paris is a kind of myth.

A kind of heavenly myth seasoned with diablerie. "The culture of Paris—" "Paris, the style center—" "Paris, the art center!" "Paris, the beginning spot where bored and nervous citizens may go and be as naughty as they think they ought to be—" "The beautiful Paris!" Fascinating Paris was indeed a fascinating city, the last time I was there, about six years ago. But there are also fascinating cities in the United States. There is also culture in the United States. And gaiety. And "beaucoup diablerie."

There are great art treasures and beautiful clothes and women a hundred times better shaped and better dressed than the women you see on the Paris streets. We may continue to hold a special reverence for the charm of Paris and its intellectual importance in the world. If, however, we intend to grow up, please don't let us forever talk about Paris as the center of all that is exquisite.

Already stories have come out of the French capital—"Paris is still the fashion center of the universe"—"Paris dressmakers and designers still the greatest living artists with needle and imagination!" I cannot quite believe this. We are succumbing to the old legend again.

During the past few years, while the Paris dressmakers were held in bounds by the German invaders, the women of the United States had to buy the clothes the American designers thought up for them. So excellent had we been to the whims of pre-war Paris that American designers in the first days of their independence seemed unable to cope with their sudden responsibility.

Within a few months, however, they shook thoughts of French domination out of their stiffened throats and set to work. The results of their efforts have been the most becoming clothes ever made under war-time restrictions.

Dress designing, so the geniuses therein tell me, is mostly a matter of looking at old prints, old paintings, of snatching an idea therefrom, and adapting it to the habits and figures of modern women.

Nettie Rosenstein told a Washington audience that the United States could never make the fabrics, the rich, beautiful fabrics the French make. Why not? We have proved that we can make anything and everything in this country. And make it at a moment's notice. So why cannot we make rich and beautiful fabrics? We can.

The only reason we cannot make rich and beautiful fabrics and chic costumes (this is a possibility, not an actuality I am mentioning) is because we write our hands and say "Oh! Oh! We are not as clever as those Parisiennes!" We are as clever. But we are also servile in our reliance on French taste.

Already there are certainties of praise for the French shops, "the most divine French shops." Certainly there are divine French shops. But there are also divine American shops.

Nowhere in Europe are there as fine shops as there are in New York, Chicago, Los Angeles. There is no street in Paris as thrilling as Fifth avenue. On Michigan boulevard. The big department stores of Paris in the hey day of the French capital—the Louvre and the Galerie La Fayette could not compete in stock or equipment with the number three shops of cities like Cleveland, Kansas City, Detroit, Philadelphia, Cincinnati, Pittsburgh.

As for the art treasures of Paris and the other European cities—the National Gallery in Washington has many priceless canvases and marbles. So of course have the New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston, Cleveland and St. Louis galleries.

I hope we don't erunge again before that empty phrase "The culture of Europe." The war should have taught us its hollowness. We need to sell our own good qualities to ourselves. Heaven help us if once again we find ourselves on our knees to the Old World.

Churches

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Alvin Bryson English, Pastor (Across the street south of High School).

Mrs. Leslie Hagaman general superintendent. Church school at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Choir led by Mrs. Homer Heatley.

Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. Special music by the choir will feature this service. Sermon by the pastor.

Women's Society of Christian Service every Monday at 4 p. m. Mrs. C. E. May, president.

Board of Christian Education meets every Second Tuesday at 7:00 p. m.

Board of Stewards meets every Second Monday at 7:30 p. m. Al Larson, chairman.

The choir has weekly rehearsal every Thursday at 7:30 p. m. Welcome to First Methodist Church.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

H. B. JOHNSON, Pastor

Sunday School, 10 A. M. Lawrence Bryan, Supt. Golden Rule Bible Class taught by the pastor.

Communion, 11 A. M. Preaching by Pastor, 11:15 a. m. Evening Services, 8 P. M.

At the Morning Service, we will be honored by a Quartet from the State Singing Convention: We are very happy to have this convention in our midst again this year, everyone should attend. Don't forget the evening service.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Joe W. Crumley, Minister

NOTE—All evening services will be held at 8 o'clock beginning Lord's Day.

MORNING SERVICES Bible classes—9:45. Worship—10:45. Sermon—"Singing in Christian Worship."

Evening Services: Young People's Bible Class—7:00. Worship—8:00. Sermon—"Who is a Christian?"

MONDAY—Ladies Bible Class—3:00 p. m.

WEDNESDAY—Bible Study—8:00 p. m. (Don't miss this service. An interesting program of simple Bible study is had each time. Something different and arresting to the attention of grown-ups and children alike. We will look for you.)

NOTICE: The New Testament Church is a mission minded group of disciples. Plans for the coming year are to preach the truth in every needy place possible. This is done by supporting ministers away from Ranger and sending Mr. Crumley, the local minister into the fields. Mr. Crumley leaves this week for Louisiana where he will assist in further establishing the church in Colfax where he started the work two years ago.

To every citizen of this community, the Church of Christ extends a warm welcome to its services. This is a place where friends and Christians meet the Lord. You will be inspired by the simplicity of Christian worship.

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Rev. J. D. McDaniel, Pastor

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Farmers Urged To Organize Fire Fighting Groups

By Floyd Lynch, County Agent

The Department of Agriculture urges all farmers to take advantage of Fire Prevention Week to organize local fire-fighting groups. Co-operative neighborhood action, efficiently organized, will give the farmers better protection against fires and help cut down the nation's fire loss.

Fire Prevention Week, sponsored by the National Fire Protection Association will be held from October 5-14. Plans should be made now in rural communities to enlist the aid and support of all farmers, housewives, and local business men in this patriotic campaign of self-protection.

How the local unit is organized is of minor importance but the Department of Agriculture suggests that neighborly meetings be

held at which all families in a given area are represented. A chief fire warden should be selected. He in turn, should appoint deputy wardens to take charge of specific areas.

A careful survey of all farms should be made. Plans then can be drawn for the most effective fire protection possible, taking into consideration the particular layout of each farm, types of buildings, available water supply and the equipment on hand at each farm to fight fires.

The training of willing neighbors in these phases of active fire-fighting can do much to reduce the nation's needless farm fire losses. But, alert fire prevention, which means removal of existing fire hazards also is essential. The National Fire Protection Association lists the principal farm fire hazards as: (1) defective heating plants; (2) sparks landing on flammable wood shingle roofs; (3) defective electric systems; (4) lightning; (5) improper use of gasoline and kerosene; (6)

carelessness with matches; (7) and accumulation of rubbish.

One of the first projects of local fire-fighting groups should be elimination of all these hazards.

FACTOGRAPHS

The word "commonwealth" means almost the same as "state," but commonwealth originally meant more of self-government than state. The four commonwealths of the U. S. are Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, Virginia and Kentucky.

The emperor fish is one of the largest and most gaudy of the coral fishes. It is found from East Africa to Malaya.

Cyprus is the third largest island in the Mediterranean sea.

The greater part of the population of Bolivia is Indian.

Surplus Property Sale Scheduled

Treasury's Office of Surplus Property located at Fort Worth, Texas, today announced that it will auction 230 horses and 25 mules on Friday, September 22, at 10 A. M. at Fort Bliss, El Paso, Texas.

The auction is being held at facilities of the Quartermaster depot at Fort Bliss and consists of mostly cavalry mounts.

QUEBEC (UP)—President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill are holding intensive last minute conferences with their military staffs, before closing their second Quebec meeting.

SLOVAKS, REDS JOIN

LONDON (UP) A Czechoslovak communique says Slovak troops have established contact with advanced units of the Red Army. The meeting took place in eastern Slovakia.

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by Faith Baldwin

SYNOPSIS

Mary Norman, attractive widow and successful decorator, was delighted when Judith Lambert, daughter of an old friend, dropped in to see her. Judith, whose home is in California, is en route to Maine for the summer. The families had been neighbors before Judith's father died. She asked for Mary's son, Dr. Matthew Norman, adding, "He was my first crush—but he didn't know I existed." Mary told her that Matthew plans to have his own office soon. Judith promised to stop off again on her way home in the fall. As Mary dressed for dinner with Lynn Mortimer, long her devoted friend, she indulged in a little mental matchmaking about Judith and her son. . . . For twenty years, Lynn's wife has been a mental patient and for almost as long as that he has been in love with Mary. Although they never discussed it, Mary is aware of his love but feels there is no room in her busy life for anyone except Matthew. Mary assumes Matthew is detained at the hospital when he does not come home for dinner.

CHAPTER FOUR

They went into the living room and Lynn asked, "Play to me, Mary, won't you?"

She played, her hands gentle and loving on the keys, very strong. He said, not for the first time, during a moment of something which was like a silver silence just pierced faintly with sound, "What a pity that you didn't go on with it."

"But I fell in love, I married."

He said, "You could have still gone on."

"I suppose so," she told him; "there was money enough, at first. But there was also Matthew. I couldn't bear to turn him over to nurses."

The bell rang sharply and Kate soon returned, she had a telegram in her hand.

Mary took it and sat there on the piano bench, her fingers touching an unopened message with the utmost reluctance.

Lynn asked, "Is anything wrong?"

"No," she told him; "it's probably a client, who has changed her mind. They always do. It's just that I hate telegrams. I dread them."

She opened the wrig and sat quite motionless. Lynn watched the color fade until the rouge on her lips stood out red, and vivid. He said, "Mary, my dear, has anything happened to Matthew?"

After a moment she spoke. "No . . . or rather, yes. What we were talking about. He—Matthew is married."

"Married," repeated Lynn incredulously. "Good Lord! Where—when—to whom?"

Mary rose from the piano bench, walked toward the couch and sat down on it as though, suddenly, her knees were weak.

Lynn, following her, grumbling, "Ungrateful young cub, I could wring his neck. I—"

"Oh, hush," she said, "you don't know the least thing about it. I'm not upset, I'm not angry. I'm just startled . . . and trying to adjust myself. I know the girl. He's brought her here several times. Her name is Irene Murray and she is a charge nurse at the hospital. She's a charming, gentle, attractive girl and I like her very much. I've known—or guessed—for some time that she was in love with him. I didn't know—that he . . ."

He asked, "Then why the secrecy?"

She said, "The wire simply says that Irene is on vacation, and that he managed a day off and they drove to Maryland."

"Why couldn't they have done this properly?" Lynn wanted to know. "After he was through with the hospital? Hasn't the girl any parents?"

"Just an aunt, I think," said Mary, trying to remember, "out in South Dakota."

"Why couldn't you go on supporting her?"

"I suppose you'll go on supporting two, as you have one."

She said, after a moment, "There'll be enough. Naturally I made Matthew an allowance while he was interning and I had expected to continue—augmenting it, of course—when he set up his own practice. This won't make any difference."

Lynn rasped, "The boy hasn't an unselfish bone in his body, Mary . . . or a considerate thought."

Mary said, "Please, Lynn, don't make me angry with you. You know that I do. He's never given me a moment of anxiety. He's been all any woman could ask her son to be. And he has a right to select his wife and the time and place of his marriage."

After a moment, Lynn announced: "I'm going . . . I'd like to stay here and offer you a shoulder to weep upon. Only you aren't the weeping sort . . . and I know you well enough to know that you'd rather be alone. Isn't that so?"

"I suppose it is," she said, and gave him her cool, firm hand.

"Thanks, and don't think too hard of Matthew."

"I'll try, but I suppose it will be a job. But he's your son. He even looks like you, he has your charm . . ."

"And you are very fond of him," said Mary, smiling.

"I am . . . worse luck. How about a wedding present? I suppose a check would be . . . Look here, promise me that the first chance you get, you'll let me meet the new Mrs. Norman."

"I promise."

Mary heard the door close after him, and then went back to the piano and picked up the telegram. She stood there, her lower lip caught in her even small teeth, her shoulders square and her head high. She thought, It wasn't kind of you, Matthew, you might have let me be there.

Then Mary went to the kitchen to tell Kate and Nellie and, finally, escaping from their exclamations and questions, to the telephone to

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Among those from Ranger who will leave the first of the week to attend TSCW at Denton are Misses Betty White, Billie Joa Joseph, Marjorie Pearsall, Mary Anne Jones and Mildred Balch.

Morris Jeffries left this week for San Marcos where he has accepted a position in the San Marcos Baptist Academy.

Society, Clubs

COOPER SCHOOL P.T. A. TO MEET TUESDAY

The Cooper School Parents-Teachers Association will hold the first meeting of the year Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the school with the president, Mrs. Gordon Downing, presiding. All members are urged to attend.

LEGION AUXILIARY TO MEET TUESDAY

The regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held at the Legion club Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock and all members are urged to attend.

YOUNG P.T. A. WILL MEET ON TUESDAY

The Young School Parents-Teachers Association will hold the first meeting of the year Tuesday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock at the school auditorium and all members are urged to attend.

MARTHA DORCAS CLASS HAS LUNCHEON THURS.

The monthly luncheon and business meeting of the Martha Dorcas Class of the First Methodist church was held Thursday at 12:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. James L. Turner.

Following the luncheon a social hour was enjoyed after which a business meeting was held, and officers for the year elected. Those chosen to serve the class were: president—Mrs. F. C. Williamson; vice-president—Mrs. Clem Ratliff; secretary—Mrs. L. E. Wolfe; treasurer—Mrs. R. S. Balch, and reporter—Mrs. S. B. Baker. Mrs. C. C. Coulson was again chosen as teacher for the class.

Those who attended the luncheon and meeting Thursday were: Mmes. Coke Martin, George Williams, Clem Ratliff, R. S. Balch, T. C. Wylie, E. P. Mills, E. H. Mills, H. G. Ramsey, Mills Davenport, G. O. Strong, J. A. Bates, Cicero Harris, J. T. Killingsworth, F. C. Williamson, H. C. Croom, L. E. Wolf, S. B. Baker, and Turner.

WOMAN'S COUNCIL TO MEET ON THURSDAY

The Women's Council of the First Christian Church will be entertained with a luncheon at 1 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. V. V. Cooper, Jr. Members are reminded to bring clothing to the orphanage at the home.

It was also announced Saturday that the women of the Ranger church have been invited to attend a meeting of the women from the Ranger, Cisco and Eastland churches. The meeting will be held at the Eastland church Monday afternoon at 2:45 o'clock.

PARIS SEES HUMILIATED HUNS



CAPTURED BY FRENCH PATRIOT forces in Paris, high-ranking German officers are marched through streets of capital. (International)

Mrs. Josephine Ford of Abilene was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Carrie Henry, Saturday.

Mrs. Ruby Soots of Dallas is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Carville.

Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Duffer of Brownwood are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. May. Dr. and Mrs. Duffer formerly made their home in Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Weisen have received word that their son, Pfc. Fred Weisen, who is with the Fifth Army and now in France, has been transferred to the headquarters division. Pfc. Weisen is a veteran of the North African and Italian campaigns and was wounded in action while serving in Italy. He was with the forces that invaded Southern France.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Arrendale have as their guest, Mrs. Arrendale's brother, Albert Leedy of Blythe, Calif.

Airborne Forces Serious Threat To Nazi Capital

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16. (UP)—Possibility that Lt. Gen. Lewis H. Brereton's Allied Airborne Army might land, seize and hold Berlin was a subject of speculation here today following a discussion of the possibilities of Airborne Forces by Lt. Gen. Barney M. Giles, deputy Commander of the Army Air Forces.

Just back from a six-weeks tour of combat theaters Giles was asked whether Brereton's Army could

land and hold Berlin.

"That's a good question," Giles told newsmen. He declined to answer directly in order not to assist the enemy, but added:

"If we send it to Berlin it will stay there until the other Armies join up."

Giles said the Airborne Army was a serious threat against which the enemy had to hold reserves. He said five or six divisions could be supplied indefinitely by 5000 or 6000 planes. He recalled that at Imphal 160,000 British Troops were supplied entirely by air.

Giles said new bases in France had cut the flying distance for medium and fighter bombers attacking Germany by 50 per cent compared with British bases.

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