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National Election Is Next Tuesday

State Fight Is Bitter

On the first Tuesday in November, 1944, an estimated voter turnout of 75 million civilians, not including servicemen, will go to the polls to settle the strongest contest between the Democratic and Republican parties in many years. The latest popular poll over the nation gave President Roosevelt 51 per cent of the popular vote and Gov. Thomas E. Dewey 49 per cent.

Texas today is a political battleground with the Roosevelt Democrats, the Texas Regulars Democrats, and the State Republican parties vying for what is believed to be a close finish for Texas' 23 presidential electors.

Leading Texas newspapers which favor support the Regulars or the Dewey-Brickey ticket includes the El Paso Herald Post, the Beaumont Enterprise, and the Galveston News. And not in a state where printers favor to put a capital R in Republican as until recently we lived in a western state and are not as yet qualified Texas voters.

When the smoke and shouting are gone whoever will be in office will be an honest American who has the welfare of his country at heart and will do the best he can to be the

Local News

Mrs. Easter Jackson and son Joseph, have returned from a visit with her husband in Camp Roberts, Calif.

Mrs. J. E. Garland of Lamesa spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. J. Mack Noble, Jr.

Mrs. L. R. Robinson, Sr. and Mrs. L. E. Robinson, Jr. are visiting in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Henderson and Billy Bob were visitors in O'Donnell Friday.

Naymon Everett was back at work Monday after several days illness.

To Organize 90th

To all those who have served in the 90th Division there will be a reunion at the Adolphus Hotel, Dallas, Nov. 3rd, 4th and 5th. For further details write D. H. Bruton, Chairman, 3411 Ridgedale, Dallas, Texas.

A few days ago a group of former 90th Division men of World War I met at Lubbock and formed a temporary organization of the West Texas Club of the 90th Division. They are having a meeting in Lubbock on November 11 for the purpose of perfecting a permanent organization of the West Texas Club of the "fighting" 90th. Headquarters will be at the Hilton Hotel where everyone will register beginning at 10 a. m.

Address all mail to Homer L. Pharr P. O. Box 818, Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Adams and daughter Bobbie of Lubbock were week end guests of Mr and Mrs. Ed Telchik of Mesquite.

Erny Booth left Wednesday for the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Mensch and son of Draw were in O'Donnell Saturday.

De Howell Lindley, on leave from the Navy, is visiting his parents in the T-Bar Community.

Mustangs Win Over Eagles 34 to 0

Denver City's undefeated Mustangs took a firm grip on the District 5-A football lead last Friday night at O'Donnell with a decisive 34 to 0 win over a previously undefeated Eagle eleven.

The Mustangs struck pay dirt in the opening quarter, added a second tally in the second stanza and three more the last half to easily clinch the game. Only a tie by Lovington, N. M. mars the Denver City record. The loss was the first for the O'Donnell boys, who had chalked up five straight wins.

Left end J. Groom started the Denver City scoring parade when he took an end around play and raced over the O'Donnell goal for a touchdown in the first quarter. In the second, Quarter Back Terrell added the second counter when he plunged over the double stripes from the two yard line to kickmax a 30 yard drive. Fullback Tate kicked the first of four extra points for the night to give the victors a 13 to 0 halftime lead.

In the second half, Jones, Groom and Tate each added one touchdown to the Denver City Total. McGallion, O'Donnell's high scoring ace, who until last Friday night had scored 103 points in five games, went out early in the game with a hip injury.

School Supt. Johnson estimated from the paid admissions that there was a total attendance at the game of near 1400.

O'Donnell Meets The Cowhands Here Tonite

70 Lynn Co. Men Take Induction Exam

Seventy inductees, the largest number ever to leave Lynn county in a single day, left Wednesday of last week for Fort Bliss at El Paso, via Lubbock by bus.

There they will have their physical examination and possibly some will be returned home.

The group consisted of both married men and youths reaching 18. As a group they were a fine looking lot of potential fighting men. We hope to have the names of the men from O'Donnell inducted next week.

Although somewhat dazed by the stunning defeat at the hands of Denver City, the Eagles are determined this week to come back strong and capture their two remaining games. Apparently having to play this week without the services of their star back, Hubert McGallion, they are determined to show the home folks they can still play ball in championship form.

They engage the Lubbock Cowhands (Gold) team tonite. The Cowhands have won their last five games with decisive scores. They are much stronger than the Cowhand team the Eagles played earlier in the season. It will be a hard fought game and well worth seeing.

The Eagles are dedicating this game to their Dads and Mothers, who are to be their special guests.

Football Queen

The between halves activities at the game last Friday night were very attractive and caused much favorable comment from scores of fans. The first seven minutes of the half were given to the Denver City band, who performed in grand style. As they finished their activities, they formed a half-circle extending from the 30 yd. line on one end of the field to the 20 yard line on the other. They then played the O'Donnell school song while the Eagle Pep Squad marched on the field in the formation to crown their Queen. Although time didn't permit the pep squad to form their usual letter "O" for O'Donnell and "D" for Denver City, their formation to crown the queen, assisted by the Denver City band, was very impressive. Hubert McGallion, co-captain of the Eagles, came out and crowned Miss Fay Burns as queen of the high school for 1944. After the ceremonies, the Denver City band played the "Star Spangled Banner" while the crowd stood at attention.

M. B. Allen, Jr., who has been visiting his parents on Navy leave the past week left Tuesday for Miami Fla. M. B. is to attend the University there as a transfer from Columbia, S. C., where he played end on their famed football team. M. B. has seen four major battles in three war theatres.

The Senior Class thanks the community for the votes given their candidate for Football Queen

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One lot, values to \$5.98. Smart styles in all new Fall Colors. SALE PRICE: \$2.79

Ladies Hats

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One lot New Fall Coats with style in every one, that are new materials, fine workmanship. One group, values to \$24.98 SALE PRICE: \$16.99

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Ladies Fall Suits

One lot Ladies Tailored Smart Fall Suits. Values to \$19.98. During this Big Event we specially feature them now. Sale Price: \$12.99

MRS. LENORD MIREZ HONORED

Mrs. Lenord Mirez was honored Wednesday afternoon by a Sunshine shower in the home of Mrs. Dorothy Shaw. Apple pie a la mode and coffee were served to about twenty five guests.

Co-hostess were Mrs. Dorothy Shaw and Mrs. Roy D. Smith.

TEDDY FLOWERS WOUNDED

Report was received this week that Teddy Flowers has been wounded in action in Italy.

Misses Floye and Nita Massey of Lubbock were among the O'Donnell boosters last Friday night. Miss Floye Massey is a former teacher in the O'Donnell High School.

LaVerne Garnett, former student of O'Donnell High who is now employed in Lubbock, spent the week end in the Hamp Thompson home.

Miss Gloria Warren of Tahoka spent the week end in O'Donnell visiting with friends and relatives. Gloria a former student of O.H.S., is employed by the Bell Telephone Co. as chief operator of the Tahoka branch.

Mrs. Jessie Anderson, mother of Mrs. M. B. Allen, is visiting in O'Donnell this week. Mrs. Anderson's home is in Lamesa.

A STRANGER IN TOWN

The publisher and his family have lived in O'Donnell for a little over a month. We have been slow to remember names, but as time goes by we hope to know every man, lady and child by first name, but until we do we trust the community will rally to our side and contribute all the local news available. We especially desire local news and letters of those fighting our war. We hope many of our customers will give us news when they are in town on Saturday.

We are more pleased than we had reason to expect with the kindly, West Texas friendship reception of the community and the business men. The responsibility of giving our area a good newspaper weighs heavily upon us and humbly seek the advice and help of everyone.

Mrs. Allen Bray, of Hobbs, N. M. was a guest in the home of Mr and Mrs. Hamp Thompson this week end.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to thank our neighbors for coming to our assistance at the time of our recent illness and helping us to lay by our crop. Robert Burgett.

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Nice Halloween Party

On Friday Oct. 27. Mesdames L. T. Brewer and D. E. Sumrow entertained member of the Loyal worker Class at the home of Mrs. Brewer. With a lovely Halloween party.

Games of eighty four were played through out the afternoon.

Mesdames Brewer and Sumrow proved themselves artists in the matter of entertaining not a dull moment being by those so fortunate to be present.

Refreshments of pumpkin pie topped with whipped cream coffee and nuts, were served to mesdames Joe Lee Schooler J. P. Bowlin, Mack Garner, Forrest Jones, Erving Jones, Warren Smith C. D. Pickens Her r / Warren. H. B. Brewer A. H. Koeninger and the Hostesses.

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Ernie Pyle's Slant on the War:

Arabs Profit by Yanks Liberal Trading Policy

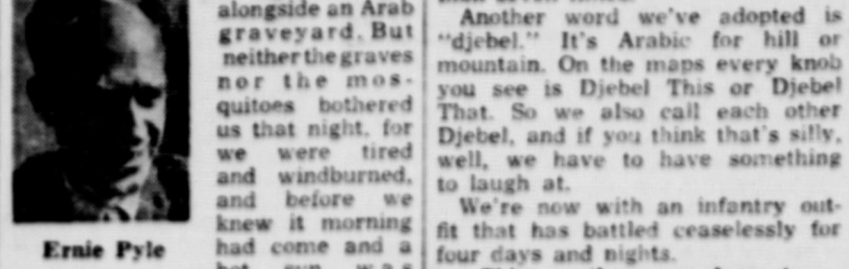
Infantry the Underdogs of African Battles Carried on Without Fanfare

By Ernie Pyle

(Editor's Note: Pyle relates some of his experiences while he was with the dough-boys during the African campaign. He is now taking a long-needed rest in New Mexico.)

NORTHERN TUNISIA.—One night at Kairouan three of us correspondents, finding the newly taken town filled with newly arrived British and American troops, just drove out of town into the country and camped for the night. We didn't put up a tent. We just slept in the open.

The mosquitoes were fierce, and we draped netting over our heads. We were in a sort of big ditch right alongside an Arab graveyard. But neither the graves nor the mosquitoes bothered us that night, for we were tired and windburned, and before we knew it morning had come and a hot sun was beaming down into our squinting eyes.



And what should those sleepy eyes behold but two Arab boys standing right over our beds, holding out eggs. It was practically like a New Yorker cartoon. For all I know they may have been standing there all night.

At any rate they had come to the right place, for we were definitely in the market for eggs. They wouldn't sell for money, so we dug into our larger box and got four eggs in trade for three little cellophane packets of hard candy. Then we started all over again and got four more eggs for a pack of cigarettes.

We thought it a good trade, but found later that the trading ratio which the Germans had set up ahead of us was one cigarette for one egg. We Americans have to ruin everything, of course. But as one tough-looking soldier said: "If I want to give \$50 for an egg it's my business and my \$50. And from all I've seen of Arabs an extra franc or two ain't gonna hurt them any."

All this transpired before we had got out of our beds. But the youthful traders didn't leave. As we were putting on our pants each boy whisked a shoeshining box from under his burmose and went after our shoes. Then when we started a fire and were feeding it with sticks, one of the boys got down and blew on the flame to make it burn better. It was easy to see that we had acquired a couple of body servants.

The boys were herding about two dozen goats in some nearby clover. Now and then one of them would run over and chase the goats back nearer to our camp. We called our boy Mohammed and the other Abdullah, seemed to tickle them. They were good-natured, happy boys of about 15.

One of them tried on my goggles. He seemed to imagine that he looked wonderful in them, and giggled and made poses. He didn't know the goggles were upside down. Also he didn't know that I was hoping fervently his eyes weren't as diseased as they looked.

The boys told us in French that the Germans had made them work at an airport, opening gas cans and doing general funky work. They said the Germans paid them 20 francs a day, which is above the local scale, but it turned out they were German-printed francs, which of course are now absolutely worthless.

Our self-appointed helpers hunted sticks for us, poured water out of our big can and helped us wash our mess kits. They kept blowing in the fire, they cleaned up all the scraps around our bivouac, they lifted our heavy bedrolls into the jeep for us, and just as we were ready to leave they gave our shoes a final brushing.

We paid them with three cigarettes and two sticks of gum each, and they were delighted. When we were ready to go we shook hands all around, au-revoired, smiled and saluted. And then one of the boys asked apologetically if we could give them one more thing maybe. We asked what it was they wanted. You'd never guess. He wanted an empty tin can for his goats to chew on. We gave him one.

"Hadji" is the Arab word used in place of "Sir" before the name of anybody who has journeyed to Mecca and become holy. Seven journeyes to Kairouan equal one to Mecca, so

we correspondents now go around calling each other Hadji, since most of us have crossed the city line more than seven times. Another word we've adopted is "djebel." It's Arabic for hill or mountain. On the maps every knob you see is Djebel This or Djebel That. So we also call each other Djebel, and if you think that's silly, well, we have to have something to laugh at.

We're now with an infantry outfit that has battled ceaselessly for four days and nights. This northern warfare has been in the mountains. You don't ride much any more. It is walking and climbing and crawling country. The mountains aren't big, but they are constant. They are largely treeless. They are easy to defend and bitter to take. But we are taking them.

The Germans lie on the back slope of every ridge, deeply dug into fox-holes. In front of them the fields and pastures are hideous with thousands of hidden mines. The forward slopes are left open, untenanted, and if the Americans tried to scale these slopes they would be murdered wholesale in an inferno of machine-gun crossfire plus mortars and grenades.

Consequently we don't do it that way. We have fallen back to the old warfare of first pulverizing the enemy with artillery, then sweeping around the ends of the hill with infantry and taking them from the sides and behind.

Our artillery has really been sensational. For once we have enough of something and at the right time. Officers tell me they actually have more guns than they know what to do with.

All the guns in any one sector can be centered to shoot at one spot. And when we lay the whole business on a German hill the whole slope seems to erupt. It becomes an unbelievable cauldron of fire and smoke and dirt. Veteran German soldiers say they have never been through anything like it.

I love the infantry because they are the underdogs. They are the mud-rain-frost-and-wind boys. They have no comforts, and they even learn to live without the necessities. And in the end they are the guys that wars can't be won without.

I wish you could see just one of the ineradicable pictures I have in my mind today. In this particular picture I am sitting among clumps of sword-grass on a steep and rocky hillside that we have just taken. We are looking out over a vast rolling country to the rear.

A narrow path comes like a ribbon over a hill miles away, down a long slope, across a creek, up a slope and over another hill.

All along the length of this ribbon there is now a thin line of men. For four days and nights they have fought hard, eaten little, washed none, and slept hardly at all. Their nights have been violent with attack, fright, butchery, and their days sleepless and miserable with the crash of artillery.

The men are walking. They are 50 feet apart, for dispersal. Their walk is slow, for they are dead weary, as you can tell even when looking at them from behind. Every line and sag of their bodies speaks their inhuman exhaustion. On their shoulders and backs they carry heavy steel tripods, machine-gun barrels, leaden boxes of ammunition. Their feet seem to sink into the ground from the overload they are bearing.

They don't slouch. It is the terrible deliberation of each step that spells out their appalling tiredness. Their faces are black and unshaven. They are young men, but the grime and whiskers and exhaustion makes them look middle-aged. In their eyes as they pass is not hatred, not excitement, not despair, not the tonic of their victory—there is just the simple expression of being here as though they had been here doing this forever, and nothing else.

Avalanche of Prisoners Arrive

The thing that Americans in Africa had fought and worked six months to get came today. When it did come, it was an avalanche almost impossible to describe. The flood of prisoners choked the roads. I'll try to tell you what the spirit of the day was like. It was a holiday, though everybody kept on working. Everybody felt suddenly free inside, as though

personal worry had been lifted. It was like the way we used to feel as children on the farm, when parents surprised us by saying work was finished and we were going to the state fair for a day. And when you have looked, goggle-eyed, all day at more Germans than you ever expected to see in your life, you really feel as if you have been to a fair.



Washington MERRY-GO-ROUND

NAZI MASS EXECUTIONS

Underground observers coming out of Germany have reported that the Nazis already have begun the systematic elimination of the vast army of slave labor imported from Russia, France, Czechoslovakia and various occupied countries.

Details of the story are so ghastly that they hardly can be believed. Yet the accuracy of the observers has stood up in the past; also the wholesale slaughter methods of the Germans at Lublin is already a matter of official record.

It is estimated that the imported slave labor inside Germany totals about 10,000,000. Either because Hitler fears their sabotage and rebellion, or else because they are a drain on Germany's food resources, machinery has been devised to kill them off. The number killed so far is estimated at around 1,500,000, though this is a very rough estimate.

Absolutely definite, however, is the fact that mass execution depots, such as that at Lublin, already are set up in various parts of Germany. These have been witnessed.

Reason for the cold-blooded system of mass executions is explained as follows by underground observers who have come out of Germany: Originally, storm troops were given a list of 15 to 20 persons and told to shoot them with their revolvers in the night. Sometimes this included whole families with children. So not even the S. S. men could take it. They suffered nervous collapses, had to be sent to sanitoriums.

As a result, the mass execution system was worked out at Lublin, and now at other places. It takes only a few men to handle the lethal chambers, and enough personnel can be found to perform the gruesome work without becoming insane.

LOST BATTALIONS

Of all soldiers in the U. S. army, the most distressed over the war department's demobilization plan are the men over 35 years of age. They get no extra retirement points because of age. In fact, some of them, because of bad health and inability to get overseas, may be among the last to leave the army following V day.

Stranded in camps throughout the U. S. A., they have become the "Army's Lost Battalions." Many were snapped up by selective service in the early days of the war despite deafness, blindness in one eye and shortage of fingers—all at a time when the army was in a rush to get almost anyone. Now many of these men are doing semi-military tasks.

At Fort Meyer, Va., one group is daily assigned to grave digging at the National Cemetery. Others count socks and shirts for the quartermaster corps, are now becoming psychological problems for the army. Some found that infirmities when they entered have become aggravated since, but will never be recognized as having received disabilities in service.

The war department points out that "theoretically" men over 28 had an opportunity to leave the army more than a year ago, if they had job opportunities in war industries. But the war department also admits that it had to stop somewhere, and that since the WAC recruiting program failed, it is now necessary to retain the 35-year-olds to make up for the scarcity of WACs.

ARKANSAS FARMER IN LONDON
What most impressed alert young Congressman Brooks Hays of Arkansas during his London trip was the farm miracle the British have performed during the war. Hays was Arkansas head of the Farm Security Administration before coming to congress, so traveled widely in rural England, was amazed by the economy of land use.

"Here's an island about one-third as large as the state of Texas," Hays said, "but with 50,000,000 people. And it is growing two-thirds of all its food. The British won't keep on growing so much food after the war," Hays says, "but what they're doing with their land right now is miraculous. And they like it, even though most of them never worked in the fields before. I didn't talk to a single one who wasn't tickled that we had sent them less food and plenty of fertilizer and farm machinery. They're really proud of what they were able to do and glad they haven't had to eat nothing but hand-outs from this country."

CARTEL MYSTERY STORY

Last month, FDR wrote a letter to Secretary of State Hull, told him: "Keep your eyes on this whole subject of international cartels. . . ." Now Wendell Berge, assistant attorney general in charge of trust-busting, has written quite a detective story of his own. It is a book entitled: "Cartels Challenge to a Free World." If you want to understand some of the major traps into which the coming peace may find itself ensnared, it's worth reading.

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FOR SALE

TRUCK, SADDLE and Harness Repair Shop for sale, plenty stock on hand, all cash, can allow some terms. **N. DEAN**, Box 122, Pampa, Tex.

FOR SALE—One good new state pattern chair, 100% **WOODS**, Box 307, Mount Pleasant, Tex.

MACHINERY

ALL EQUIPMENT, Truck Parts, etc. for sale for cash only. **Stuck Electric**, valves, wire, rope, grader blades, tractor parts, auto and more, etc. **W. A. Franck**, Houston, Tex. **P. D. Bessie Co.**, Abilene, Tex.

PNEUMATIC RUBBER BELT, Hammer Mill, Rotary Sifters, Screens, Bearings, Model W-T-U-A, Crackerjack 40 and 50 b. m. gas engines. **Immediate shipment**. **A. A. Lester**, Box 317, Oklahoma City, Okla.

For Sale—Alta-Chalmers crawler tractor with hydraulic Continental 7-200 engine in good condition and new working. **L. E. Jordan**, Phone 308, Colerado City, Tex.

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a clinical examination made last
week and found that he had gall-
bladder trouble and an ulcerated
stomach. Though not confined to his
bed, he is undergoing treatment with
the hope of avoiding an operation.—
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MASTER SGT. EVERETT HOME

Master Sgt. Glynn Everett of the
Armed Services stationed in Miss.
visited his mother and father, Mr.
and Mrs. J. Y. Everett and other
relatives here last week. Sgt. Everett
is enroute to Santa Rosa, California
where he will join his family.

AT CAMP ROBERTS, CALIF

Pvt. Luther William Matt, who en-
tered Service Oct. 18 is now stationed
at Camp Roberts, Calif. His parents
are Mr and Mrs James Matt who re-
side in O'Donnell.

**SGT. LINE IS FLYING AND
FIGHTING OVER GERMANY**

An 8th Air Force Bomber Station
England — The promotion of Harold
I. Line, 23, of O'Donnell, from cor-
poral to sergeant has been an-
nounced at this station.

Sgt. Line, waist gunner on a B-17
Flying Fortress, is taking part in
bombing missions over Germany and
the occupied areas. He attended O-
Donnell High School and the Texas
Technological College, and prior to
entering the service, was employed
by the Lockheed Aircraft Corp. The
company group of which he is a mem-
ber is a veteran unit on the European
front, having carried out 200
operations against the enemy.

Must Tyler of Brownfield, former
student of O'Donnell H. S. left Wed-
nesday for the Navy.

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**GOVERNOR THOMAS E. DEWEY
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Candidate for President of the United States

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cleaned up that city . . . its rackets, its politics. Among
the 73 racketeers and politicians sent to the peniten-
tary were Judge Martin T. Manton, U. S. Circuit Court
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Fritz Kuhn, the Nazi Bundist and scores of labor rack-
eteers.

When District Attorney Dewey retired at the end
of four years—TWO TERMS—he had obtained convic-
tions in 91.3 per cent of cases tried.

As Governor of New York he has organized an ef-
ficient government, and turned a Democratic deficit into
a surplus of more than \$163,000,000; he simplified in-
come tax returns; he provided a simplified soldier ballot
which will enable every New York service man or wom-
an to vote for every candidate from President of the
United States down to the officials of his home town.

Is married to the former Frances Hutt of Sherman,
Texas; has two sons, and his home is on a farm, now
in Pawling, N. Y.

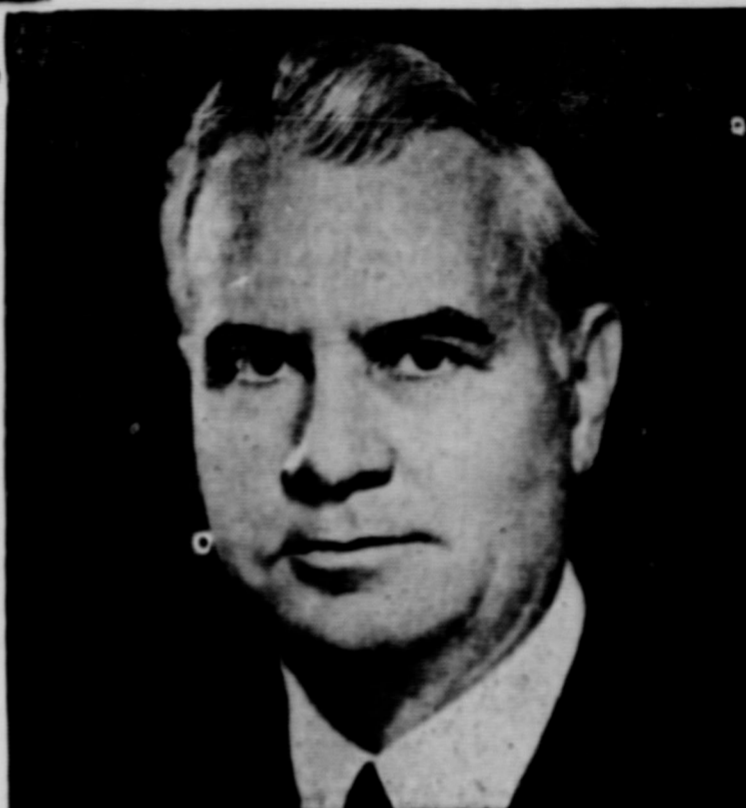
**GOVERNOR JOHN W. BRICKER
OF OHIO**

Elected Attorney General of Ohio in 1932, re-elected
1934—both times elected in face of a Democratic land-
slide.

Elected Governor of Ohio in 1938, following six
years of Democratic governors . . . The new Governor
found affairs in a deplorable condition. Corruption had
been rampant; payrolls were overmanned; the treasury
had a \$40,000,000 deficit. One of his first official ac-
tivities was to dismiss 2,000 state employees. Before the end of
Governor Bricker's first term, the state was on a pay-
as-you-go basis. The State at the end of 1944 will have
a surplus of \$90,000,000.

Two major examples of shocking graft in the pre-
vious Democratic administration was uncovered. In one
case, the state's contract for trucking liquor had been
let at 17 cents a case to a company which did not own
a single truck, but sublet the contract to a real truck-
ing company at 11½ cents a case. The contract was
outlawed in the courts and the state recovered \$113,740.

Also under Bricker the grasp of the so-called "hot
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Not Too Happy Over Nazi Loot

'Cabbage Kids' Find Wiping Up After Retreat of Germans Tedious.

WITH U. S. TROOPS IN FRANCE. —Everybody in the American army is pleased with the supplies taken in captured German dumps except the "Cabbage Kids."

That is the name one detail gave themselves after being assigned to remove a couple of tons of cabbage left behind by the precipitate Nazi retreat from the Paris area.

It was a warm, sunny afternoon and the strong overripe cabbage made its presence widely known as the soldiers shoveled it into a truck.

The driver of the "Red Ball Cabbage Special" was Corp. Hal F. Crouse of Malden, N. C., who said he had already carted away one truckload and was bemoaning the fact that it was not a load of Luger pistols so he could have stocked up on souvenirs.

Not For Mailing.

"But you can't mail your friends a boxful of German cabbage," he said, leaning against a tire and holding his nose.

"The next time the Jerries move out I hope they take their cabbage with them—or make sauerkraut out of it," said Pvt. Meyer Matluck of the Bronx, N. Y.

Pvt. Solon Gray of Flint, Mich., just shoveled away in silence as two "cabbage removal" squad sergeants—Sgt. H. M. Woodall of Gladys, Va., and Sgt. James F. Beale of Terre Haute, Ind.—looked on from a safe distance.

Another unusual job for soldiers was performed by army engineers who built three ferries and operated a passenger service for troops and vehicles across the Loire.

All Bridges Knocked Out.

All bridges had been knocked out by Allied planes or blown up by French Maquis to trap German forces in southern France.

Ferry vehicles were made by putting pieces of treadway bridging across six assault boats lashed together. They were powered by small outboard motors, whose efficiency amazed the French farmers. They couldn't see how such a little putt-putt gadget could work so well.

The ferries were promptly named "42nd Street," "Brooklyn," and "Hoboken."

"We can take a ton and one half ambulance across," said Corp. Michael Suprock of St. Clair, Pa.

Their most "distinguished" passenger was Nazi Maj. Gen. Erich Elzner, who surrendered the last 20,000 enemy troops south of the Loire.

But his 20,000 troops walked across a bridge which was repaired and put into service soon after.

4,000 Autos a Day Are Headed for Scrap Heap

WASHINGTON.—More than 4,000 autos are being scrapped daily and approximately 1,500,000 will leave the highways permanently this year.

The OWI estimated that the supply of new cars subject to rationing had dwindled to 20,000 and that 650,000 used cars are in dealers' hands.

By the end of this year the number of privately owned passenger cars in operation is expected to be about 23,750,000. The ODT regards 20,000,000 privately owned cars run by essential drivers as the minimum number necessary to keep the civilian economy in operation.

Find Louvain Library Partly Wrecked Shell

LOUVAIN, BELGIUM.—The famous Louvain library is partly in ruins, another victim of German ruthlessness. The library was destroyed by the Germans in World War I and rebuilt by public subscriptions in the United States. The building was again partly destroyed by the Germans when they entered Louvain four years ago, and hasn't been touched by Allied aerial bombardment. The front walls and roofs still stand, but the rear is an empty shell, framed by bare walls and empty windows.

Robots Will Displace Other Planes, Forecast

BALTIMORE, Md.—Peyton M. Magruder, airplane designer recently returned from the European battle front, predicted that the German robot plane would revolutionize air warfare and eventually replace piloted bombers.

"Two hundred years from now Hitler will be remembered as the man responsible for the first piloted plane," Magruder said.

Magruder is chief of new design at the Glenn L. Martin airplane manufacturing plant. He originated the Martin Marauder bomber.

Nazi General Is Rooted Out of Cellar in France

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS, AEF.—The 10th German general killed or captured by the American Seventh army in France was rooted out from the cellar of a little farmhouse west of the Belfort gap.

He is Maj. Gen. D. Rodowski, commander of the garrison of Clermont Ferrand, where Pierre Laval published a newspaper. His force was scattered by the Seventh army's drive north from the Riviera.

Lifers Guinea Pigs In Plague Battle

Convicts Used in Fight on Tropical Diseases.

TRENTON, N. J.—Behind the gray walls of the sprawling state prison here, 200 convicts are paying off a debt to society by risking possible death in a grim, patriotic fight to unearth a preventive against tropical diseases. Most are lifers and all are long-time prisoners.

If they win, and their 1,000 fellow inmates are praying that they do, their only reward will be the knowledge that they helped the war effort by wiping out plagues which menace the health of fighting men on nearly all fronts.

Seventy of the 200 volunteers already have suffered intensely in the experiments undertaken by the army service forces and the Rockefeller institute for medical research.

The results of the research in the three-city-block prison are a closely guarded secret. But prison officials make no bones of their pride in the men. Only a few years ago bloody revolts and escapades rocked the prison's 10 buildings. But the setting was different when the army called for volunteers from among the lifers and other long-termers, and these men volunteered.

Then Dr. John Paul, professor of medicine at Yale university, and Maj. Albert B. Sabin, of the army service forces, and their staffs went to work on the human "guinea pigs."

Their aim was not a cure for the diseases. The army wanted its men immunized against the maladies which reduce ranks, put soldiers in beds, retard campaigns and sometimes lose wars.

These men were reputedly shot with malaria and dysentery germs. They were subjected to projects so secret that neither Warden Ellis nor the researchers would talk about experiments, results and progress.

Ellis admitted nearly all the volunteers suffered intensely, but they smiled through their ordeals. Many spent 10 agonizing days in bed, wracked by disease, and now are convalescing satisfactorily.

Chiggers, We Are Told, Also Prefer Blondes

LINCOLN, NEB.—The ubiquitous chigger, like gentlemen of two decades ago, prefers blondes, and has an unerring ability to locate same.

The pesky bugs seek and find thin-skinned victims, according to Extension Entomologist Don B. Whelan of the state agricultural college, and their keen sense of location leads them directly to the most likely source of food.

The majority of people fail to realize they have provided feeding ground until several hours after the unhappy event, he said, when small, red, itchy spots appear.

Whelan suggested a film of sulphur dust around the ankles, on the clothing, and at all likely points of contact to discourage the foragers' appetites. After exposure to the tiny tormentors, a drop of fly-spray on each bite will tend to kill the chiggers and soothe the itching, he said.

A warm, soapy bath was next on the entomologist's list of recommendations for scratching sufferers.

"If they have used sulphur on their skins, they'll need it," he commented, "and if they haven't, they'll need it even more."

Scoops Tree Leaves to Be Used as Luck Tokens

WITH ALLIED AIR FORCES ATTACKING SOUTHERN FRANCE.—Flying Frenchmen of the famous Lafayette escadrille and sister squadrons unleashed their Thunderbolts over their native land, supporting the Allied sea and air borne invasion which struck France's southern shore.

Each pilot of the P-47s with Tricolors painted on the tails carried a leaf from a tree in France next to his heart as he flew.

The French major who commands a fighter-bomber group supplied the leaves. He was strafing a train over France not long ago and swept so low he hit a tree. But the powerful Thunderbolt plowed on through and brought him back—with a big bunch of leaves decorating his plane. He divided them among his fellow pilots.

Bumper Rice Crop Bans Danger of Bengal Famine

CALCUTTA.—Crop prospects in the lush green rice fields of Bengal indicate that there will be no repetition of last year's famine. Calcutta a year ago was crowded with hungry hordes estimated at more than 250,000 men, women and children while in other parts of Bengal thousands were dying of hunger and disease.

Yank Beats British Expert at Own Game

LONDON.—Sgt. Jerry Pycykowski of Philadelphia, a cook, has at last proved to the British that a dart in the hand of a U. S. soldier is a dangerous weapon. In the finals of a pub tournament, the sergeant beat a Royal air force expert, who claimed to have never before been defeated.

Kathleen Norris Says:

What Can He Do Now?

Bell Syndicate—WNU Features.



The most important thing is to accept Carleton's return cheerfully; include him in your plans as naturally as you would if he came home uninjured.

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

A TEAR-STAINED letter on my desk comes from a Los Angeles wife. Jean is 22; she has been married less than a year. Of that year Carleton has spent seven months in England; he was among the men who made the first parachute invasion.

Jean has just received word that he is on his way home, will be with her in a few weeks. A month ago his right arm was amputated above the elbow. She sent me his letter, it was a tired, sick boy's despairing letter. He says he never thought this would happen to him. He wishes he had never asked her to marry him. No more tennis or dancing for them, and a swell chance he has to get on with his architectural career. He'll look like an awful heel when he gets home; he shaved his head where it was cut and his arm is still bandaged. But she needsn't worry; he isn't expecting that any girl as pretty and popular as Jean is going to stick to a man who's never going to get anywhere.

"What are we going to do?" Jean asks me. "I've cried myself sick, and the worry is about killing my mother. I've been with her since Carleton went away, and we've barely enough to live on as it is. Mama says we could take boarders, but we haven't a spare inch. My father is dead; my brother away with the army; he has a wife and two children to care for."

"I planned such a happy life after the war; now it's all ruined. I work with the telephone company, but I had promised to give that up the minute Carleton came back. He had been promised a job with our finest firm here, only he had one more year of study to finish and we were going to take a little place on the college campus, and I take up some literary and language courses with him. I have saved \$700; that is all we have in the world. Mama has an income of \$55 a month. What can we possibly do with these prospects, and a man who is not only injured but embittered by this terrible war?"

Well, Jean, you can do a thousand things, and some of them I know you will do, to rebuild a sane and happy life. The very first has to do with welcoming Carleton home. Don't overdo either the pity or the careful avoidance of pity; be as natural as you can, showing him how glad you are that he is alive, and you are together again.

You say your quarters are small, but if you and your mother seriously think of opening a little private hotel, you will find plenty of larger places to rent, and plenty of eager customers in these servantless days.

Many Things To Do.

But there are many other avenues open. Keep your job, or get a better job, and talk to Carleton, when he comes back, as if the war had only normally interrupted his architectural studies. Of course he can be

HAPPY YEARS AHEAD

A paratrooper is coming home to his young and pretty wife. This should be a most joyous event, but the wife, Jean, looks forward to the meeting with dread. The brave young man lost his right arm in France, and Jean doesn't see how he can ever get back to his previous way of life. He too, feels that he is ruined, and writes sadly that he doesn't expect her to stay with him now.

Miss Norris tells Jean that her husband can learn to use his left hand almost as well as his right; that he can resume his career, and that there are many happy years ahead if they all just buckle down and adjust themselves to the new situation.

an architect! He can be anything, even though he has lost an arm. A tennis champion of today—no, not mere player, but title-holder, has only one arm. A famous actor, now drawing a big salary in Broadway, was injured in 1918 and has made a name for himself, although he has lost a leg. One of the most beloved of the movie stars has one leg. And experts tell us that the loss of a leg is infinitely more serious, where a career is concerned than the loss of an arm. The professions are filled with one-armed men; one of the west's biggest engineers began at 26 with one arm, and has never felt it a handicap.

The most important thing is to accept Carleton's return cheerfully; include him in your plans as naturally as you would if he came home uninjured and get him back into classes as rapidly as possible. He can earn some money from the start, correcting papers, helping the instructors, and, if I know these instructors, he will be given preference over other applicants.

As a matter of absolute fact the loss of an arm is not the dreadful thing it seems at first. I learned this when I broke my right arm last January, and carried it in a sling for eight weeks. In that time, slowly, of course, and clumsily, I learned to typewrite, sign my name, drive the car, cook, even play croquet.

This is not to make any comparison between that temporary inconvenience and the permanent loss of a member. But it is to assure you that if you take Carleton's condition as naturally as you can, interest him in other things, give him plenty of love and companionship, plan with him, spur him into ambition again, you will be amazed to discover how quickly the major fact of the amputation becomes a thing quietly taken for granted. And when people stop pitying him he'll stop pitying himself.

Be glad the loss isn't of the soul or the mind. For all other losses there are compensations.

Making Natural Fertilizer

Each fall the dead plant tops, leaves from the lawn, weeds that have not gone to seed, and other waste plant material should go into the compost pile to make fertilizer instead of being burned.

To build the compost, alternate layers of the vegetable matter and of soil or manure are piled and kept wet so that they will rot quickly and thoroughly. The pile should be flat on top or slightly hollowed so that rain and snow will soak in.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D., The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. Released by Western Newspaper Union.

Lesson for November 5

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THE CHRISTIAN AND THE RACE PROBLEM

LESSON TEXT—Acts 10:9-16, 24, 35; 17:24-28. GOLDEN TEXT—Of a truth I perceive that God is no respecter of persons; but in every nation he that feareth Him, and worketh righteousness, is acceptable to Him.—Acts 10:34, 35.

Now is the time to really face the race problem. It must be met, or America will see more of the regrettable hatred and violence which has already shown itself.

The only satisfactory answer—the only right answer—can be found in the Word of God. On its principles we must build in solving any problem, and that is especially true with regard to the vital matter of human relationships.

How to Solve the Race Problem I. Pray (10:9).

So often we struggle and plan and work, and last of all we pray. That should be the first thing, not the last. It was as Peter prayed that he saw clearly the need of a changed attitude toward the Gentiles.

Doubtless some Gentiles would also have a changed attitude toward the Jews, if they really prayed about it. In fact, all of our prejudices based on race, creed, financial or social position would look cheap and untenable if we prayed.

Conferences, efforts toward mutual understanding, education of children (and grown-ups), tolerance, all these are good; but let us not forget to pray, and to do it first.

II. Listen to God's Word (10:10-16).

Peter had a special vision, an unusual revelation from God. We no longer need such a direct communication of God's plan and purpose, for we have the written Word of God, and the Living Word has come in the person of Christ.

What we need now is to read and to hear the truth of that Word—and then to heed it. Everywhere in the Bible we find the declaration of man's equal rights. We learn that God hates discrimination or prejudice, that no nationality is unclean (v. 15) or unworthy of His grace and of our fellowship.

We know these things are in the Book; why do so many of us fail to listen to its message? We are bound by it whether we listen or not, so had we not better listen and obey?

III. Be Governed by God's Principles (10:34, 35).

"God is no respecter of persons." Why are we? The expression literally means "receiving a man's face," that is, judging or evaluating him not by what he has proved himself to be, but by his outward appearance, the look on his face.

God is interested in man's heart and what is in it (I Sam. 16:7). We should do well to follow His leading and not be controlled by the dress, the race, or the position of a man.

Note the basis of acceptance with God (v. 35), namely, a right attitude toward Him. No matter what a man's color or race may be, the grace of God in Christ Jesus can reach him, and bring him into acceptance with God.

IV. Recognize God's Authority (17:24-28).

God made the world. He rules the world and all that is in it. He is above man, and it is He who gives man the very breath of life.

That being the case, we all stand on the same level—we are equal before Him.

Everything God made was (and is) very good (Gen. 1:31). That means that He knows nothing in His nature of one group being despised and persecuted by another group self-designated as a master race.

All men are of one family (v. 26). It is God's Word. Let us believe it, and be thoughtful and kind toward the members of our own "family."

We all know how disgraceful family fights are, and how they hurt. Could it possibly be any different in the family of God? Let's quit the bickering, and together work for God's glory! We can do it—for we may—

V. Count on God's Nearness (17:27, 28).

Sometimes children fight and quarrel because they know father and mother are away and will not hear or punish. Well, God is not far away. He is "nearer to us than breathing, nearer than hands and feet." In Him we (and that means all of us) "live and move and have our being."

He is here; let us not act as though He were far away. But above all, let us recognize His nearness as our life and strength, the One who enables us to live as we should with one another. We need His grace for that purpose. Let us count on it.

"We are all His offspring," that is, by creation. Then by our sin and rebellion we made ourselves the "children of disobedience" (Eph. 2:3; Titus 3:3). But we may (and many of us have) become the true children of God by faith in Jesus Christ our Lord (John 1:12). As such, we are all brethren beloved, eager for our fellow's good and for God's glory.

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THE STORY THUS FAR: Zorie Corey is railroaded into taking a job she does not want, helping old Admiral Duncan write his memoirs. She is in love with Paul Duncan, the admiral's grandson. While aboard the Samoa en route to Hawaii she is thrown overboard, and before arriving at Oahu, Pearl Harbor is bombed. After landing, Paul and Zorie overhear Paul's handsome brother, Steve, with whom Zorie is infatuated, plotting with Winthrop Lanning to deliver some radar equipment to the Axis. Believing Steve in danger Zorie rushes into the night to save him and discovers the body of beautiful Amber Lanning. Winthrop Lanning binds Zorie and drives her to a cabin in the mountains.

CHAPTER XV

"Is there anything you can say to me," he asked gently, "that might be useful—on your behalf? Mr. Stromberg is a realist and a man of quick decisions. I do not know what he will decide to do, but I assure you I will do everything to save your life. You are so innocent and so beautiful."

"Will you tell me who Ah-nah is?" Zorie asked.

"But of course, Miss Corey! I will gladly answer all of your questions. Ah-nah is Pierre's way of pronouncing Anna. He is referring to one of the bravest, cleverest, most brilliant, most dangerous secret agents who ever lived—Anna Boland. She was an English girl, of about your age—an amazing person. She was shot by a firing squad in Berlin six months ago."

"Do I resemble her?"

Mr. Lanning laughed, sharply. "My dear girl, you are Anna Boland! It is the most amazing resemblance I have ever known."

"Is that why Pierre threw me overboard?"

"Yes—and for other strangely coincidental reasons. Do you recall the night in the rain in Elleryton when you met Steve Duncan?"

"Yes."

"What you may not recall was that, while you were talking to Steve beside that telephone pole, a sedan—a pale green sedan—came along. Do you recall that?"

"Yes."

"I was in that sedan. So was Pierre. We saw you talking together. As we passed, Steve Duncan pulled you behind the pole."

"Why?" said Zorie.

"Steve explained that to us very lucidly. He did seem very quick thinking. He had seen your amazing resemblance to Anna Boland. Then he recognized me in the sedan. He reasoned that, in spite of our belief that Anna Boland was dead, your resemblance to her placed you in danger. He pulled you behind the pole to protect you."

"Might you or Pierre have shot me—something like that?"

"I would call that a very remote possibility," Mr. Lanning answered. "In spite of his lazy way, Steve Duncan thinks with great rapidity. He was simply taking no chances."

"And, of course," Zorie said, "that made you suspicious."

"At least it made us very curious. But we did not see you well enough that night to notice your remarkable resemblance to Anna Boland. It was later, when we saw you on the ship, that we pieced things together. In Elleryton, we merely thought that you and Steve were being extremely furtive."

"But there were other suspicious circumstances. One was your possession of a certain engineering paper on the retooling of the Waffenfabrik Krupp plant for increased war production. It was the sort of document Anna Boland might have had. Another item was your stenographic notebook."

She wondered why he was going to all this bother. He didn't have to explain anything to her. Certainly he expected to learn nothing of importance from her. Back of his air of solicitude was a quality that puzzled her. Why, she asked herself, was Mr. Lanning being so outspoken?

Mr. Lanning paused. He took another drink.

"You realize, of course, that Pierre killed Amber by mistake. When your fiancé made that unfortunate disclosure on the lanai, I knew that Pierre would go berserk. It has taken all my persuasiveness, all my ingenuity, to keep him in hand so far. All along, he has been very suspicious of Steve—and certain that you were Anna Boland. If he kills Steve, he should be here at any moment. When he finds that you are still alive, he is apt to be quite upset."

"You see, Anna Boland was something of a legend. Every time she was killed, she popped up somewhere a little later—more alive than ever. Pierre has already killed you twice—once by drowning, once by strangling. He is a very superstitious man. His face, if he comes into this room, will be very interesting to watch."

"With you," Zorie said, "insisting that I am not Anna Boland, and with Pierre insisting that I am—why didn't you check up? Couldn't you somehow have radioed Berlin and confirmed Anna Boland's death? I've lived in Elleryton all my life. It would have been so easy . . ."

Mr. Lanning jumped up. "But, my dear girl, that is the most amazing part of all. The day before Pierre tried to drown you, we sent two radiograms, one which reached Berlin, in round-about ways, the other

to a man I happen to know in Chicago—a faithful man—but not too intelligent. I instructed him to proceed at once to Elleryton and send us a brief report on you, to be followed later by a more detailed report.

"My message to Berlin must have fallen into the hands of an over-cautious clerk. I said, in substance, 'Is Anna Boland dead? Her duplicate is aboard this ship under very suspicious circumstances . . .'. The answer said: 'Perhaps it was Anna Boland's double we shot.' Of course, that bolstered Pierre's suspicions tremendously, but not nearly so much as the answer we received from the man I sent to Elleryton. This will amuse you very much, Miss Corey."

Mr. Lanning paused for another drink and Zorie wondered if anything could ever amuse her again.

"His reply, decoded, said literally this: 'Zorie Corey left for Hawaii on fourth. Was employed by Professor Bowdoin J. Folsome past four



Mr. Lanning paused for another drink.

months. He says she is too smart. His wife claims she is a very suspicious character. Full report later."

"That," said Zorie grimly, "is very, very funny, Mr. Lanning."

He started to smile, but when he saw her expression he checked himself.

"It is so curious, isn't it? Steve told us about Mrs. Folsome's tea invitations. It should have convinced Pierre, but he is so stubborn! And Amber was almost equally stubborn. Incidentally, that 'full report' had not come when we left Honolulu."

Zorie wondered why he was so eager to explain, to answer all her questions. His solicitude for her plight did not wholly explain him. It was, perhaps, a natural instinct; but it went deeper than that. He was a little drunk, therefore glib. But it was not just that. Perhaps, she reflected, it was his vanity. He was bored. He wanted to talk. And he was an exhibitionist.

Recalling Amber's face, Zorie said, "Amber hated me."

"On the contrary, Miss Corey, she admired you very much!"

"On the assumption that I was Anna Boland?"

"She was never quite sure about that. You see, Amber was not a secret agent, Miss Corey. She was merely a girl of strong enthusiasms who sincerely believed in our cause. She asked repeatedly to be given a chance to help. She lived on Martinique and when the island went Vichy, she was one of our most loyal supporters. She was capable."

Mr. Lanning said thoughtfully, "but a trifle too enthusiastic—too inclined to take matters into her own hands. She had the ardor of the amateur. She hated to take orders."

"Wasn't Pierre under your orders, too?" Zorie interrupted.

"In a lesser sense. Pierre has lived mostly in the United States, although the past two years he has been in and out of Europe frequently. In certain kinds of work, he is indispensable. His vanity makes him hard to work with."

"He is a brute," Zorie said with feeling. "He is a beast."

"Yes. And he is sometimes difficult to handle. His two attempts at killing you were typical of Pierre. He tried to drown you because, if you actually were Anna Boland, you were an extremely dangerous enemy agent—to be liquidated. His mistaken attempt at killing you tonight was similarly motivated. As he saw it, our work was done—the jig was up. We'd all clear out immediately. And you are still, to him, Anna Boland—a dangerous enemy to be eliminated."

"How do you plan to clear out—in a Japanese submarine?"

He smiled and shrugged. "Perhaps. There are so many ways."

"With this island so well guarded?"

Mr. Lanning seemed amused. "My dear girl, this little island hasn't yet cut its war teeth. You saw how easily I got past those guards. Quite as easily I can clear out. As a war goes on, you learn many tricks, many ropes . . . was about to say that Amber was an individualist, too, but easy to reach through her emotions. She very much enjoyed playing the part I gave her, in what was that of the lovely siren. It was an assignment of this nature, we always have a girl of her type along."

"The first time Amber saw me," Zorie interrupted, "she stared at me as if I were a ghost. I know now she thought I was Anna Boland."

Mr. Lanning chuckled. "Yes, you gave her a dreadful shock."

"If she spent her life in Martinique, how did she know Anna Boland?"

"She did not know Anna, Miss Corey. Amber was a resident of Martinique, but she spent a large part of her life in the States. At least, she went to finishing school and college there. Miss Boland was pointed out to her twice—once in a New York night club, and once in Martinique. A large part of the treasury of France—something like four hundred million, in gold bullion—is stored there, you know. Anna Boland was in Martinique, doing a little snooping."

"In spite of being a British agent, Anna Boland was Amber's ideal. Anna was beautiful, clever—and a witch. She was quite in the tradition. She had no conscience. There was no trick in the bag she hesitated to use. To her, love was a weapon or a tool. Men lost their heads over her. Amber, in this assignment, tore a page from Anna Boland's book. She used love as a tool. At least, she tried."

"I instructed her to worm her way into Steve's confidence, and, of course, the surest way to worm your way into a man's confidence is to make him believe that you've fallen in love with him."

"She did it very well," Zorie murmured.

"She was always jealous of you. She knew that Steve had fallen in love with you."

"That's absurd," Zorie said.

Mr. Lanning shrugged. "Perhaps! I do not know. Love is a luxury that I cannot afford. I only know that Amber would not have qualified as a secret agent. She was too human."

"Or too wise," Zorie murmured.

Winthrop Lanning's eyes were partly lidded. He looked more cynical than usual. "I think you would do marvelously in this work because your innocence is such an excellent cloak for your cleverness."

"I'm afraid I'm too human, too," Zorie said. "Besides I could never work with you. You're too suspicious, too obstinate—"

"In this work, my dear girl, suspicion is—"

"Ah, yes, I know! The one firm foundation! But I've listened to you argue. I've heard your opinions. You're what we call, back in Elleryton, a conclusion-jumper. I've suspected this for some time, Mr. Lanning. Now I'm sure. Suspicion is no longer your slave—it's your master!"

Winthrop Lanning started from his chair. He was suddenly wary. "Just what are you saying, Miss Corey?"

"I'll give you a perfect example," Zorie quickly answered. "You honestly believed that what Paul Duncan said on the lanai tonight was the truth!"

"It was the truth!"

"It was a malicious lie! But you leaped at it because you were so willing to be suspicious! If you hadn't become the slave of suspicion, you would not have believed it!"

"My dear Miss Corey," he answered with his most urbane smile. "I am not a fool. Perhaps I am always suspicious, but I am always clever, too. Sometimes I am almost psychic. Steve has been clever—altogether too clever. He has had me fooled a great deal of the time. He almost had me fooled tonight."

"Do you realize," Zorie stopped him, "that Paul did not know what he was talking about?"

"Why did he say it?"

"He and I happened to overhear your conversation behind the hedge with Steve and Pierre—your plans for tonight. Paul said what he did merely to upset Steve's plan—by destroying your trust in him."

Mr. Lanning was staring at her curiously. "This is most interesting, Miss Corey, but I think you are being a little too clever yourself. Your fiancé was very convincing. He accomplished his purpose nicely. But my psychic sense tells me that your fiancé was telling substantially the truth."

"Why?" Zorie demanded. "Because it was a very dangerous moment for you! It was safer to be suspicious! You weren't being clever or psychic! You were playing safe! My candid opinion is that you picked that moment to lose your nerve!"

Winthrop Lanning sank back in his chair. He was smiling mysteriously.

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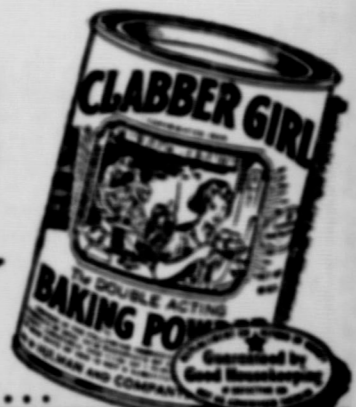
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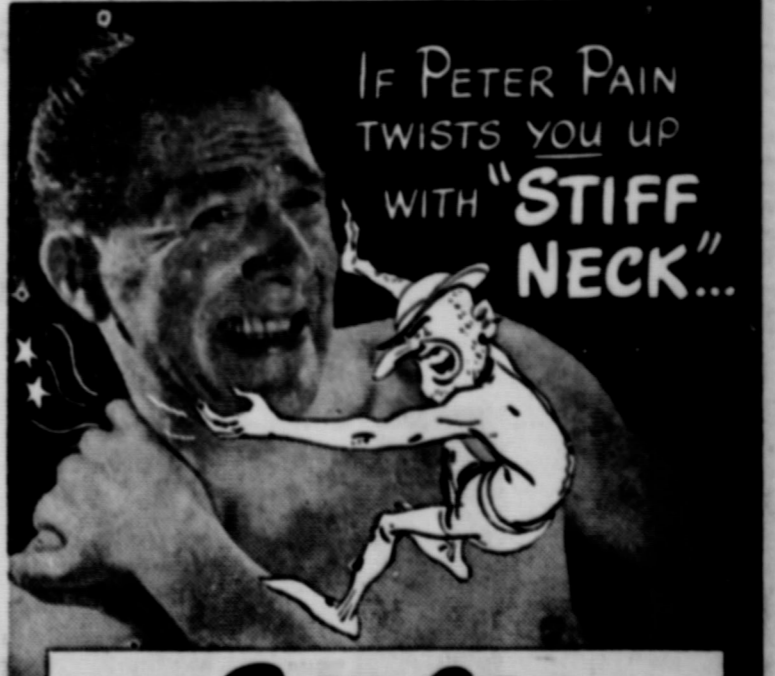
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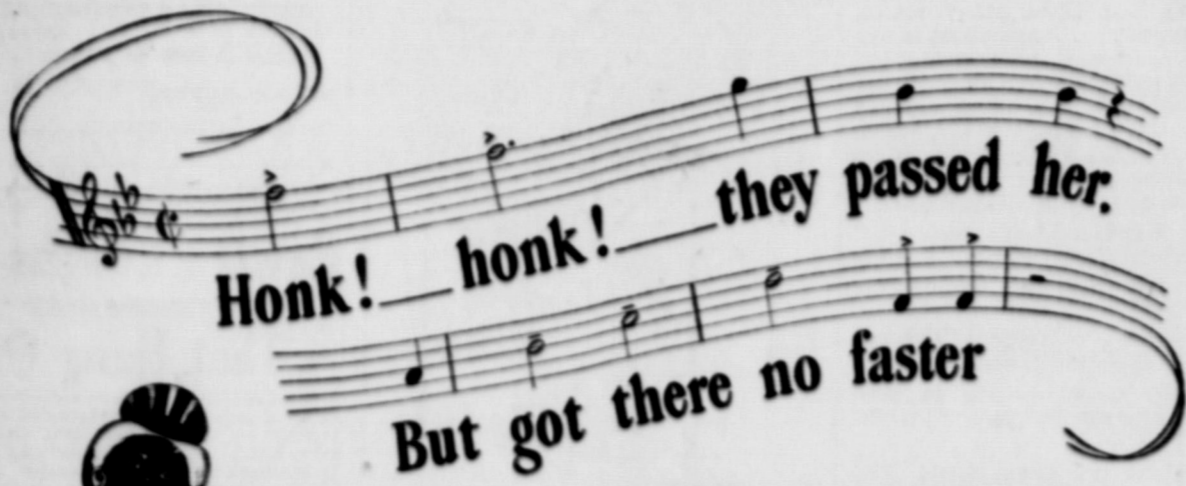
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If well cooked and seasoned, fish can be a welcome addition to your table.

Broiling Fish.
When using a whole fish for broiling thoroughly, then wipe dry, sprinkle with salt and pepper. Rub the broiler pan with fat and place fish on heated rack, about two inches from broiling unit. Broil until fish is well browned and flakes easily when tried with a fork. It will take 10 to 12 minutes to broil the fish, depending upon its size.

When you are broiling fish fillets, broil them first with melted fat and broil lightly with flour to give them a crispy surface after broiling.

Baked Haddock with Dressing.
(Serves 4)
2 haddock steaks (about 1 1/4 pounds)
2 tablespoons chopped onion
2 cups chopped mushrooms
2 tablespoons butter
2 cups chopped parsley
1/2 cup salt
1/2 cup pepper
1/2 cup water
2 cups fine bread crumbs
2 eggs, separated
2 tablespoons flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon pepper
1/4 teaspoon minced garlic
1 tablespoon minced parsley

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 - *Baked Haddock with Dressing
 - Chopped Spinach with Egg Garnish
 - Baked Potatoes
 - Grated Carrot Salad
 - Muffins
 - Stewed Dried Apricots
 - Cookies
 - Beverage
- *Recipe Given

Arrange filets in shallow, greased baking dish. Sprinkle with salt and pepper. Sauté onions gently in butter until tender but not browned. Turn out on fish, sprinkle with crumbs and top with bacon. Bake in a hot oven (400 degrees) until fish is done, about 15 minutes.

Salmon and Vegetables.
(Serves 6)
2 tablespoons diced onion
2 tablespoons butter
2 cups cooked peas
1 pound salmon, cooked or canned
2 cups diced, cooked potatoes
Dash of pepper
1/2 cup sour cream

Cook onion in butter until tender but not browned. Add liquid from cooked or canned peas and cook until reduced to 1/2 cup. Place potatoes in shallow baking dish, add peas and sprinkle with pepper. Break salmon into large pieces and arrange on top of vegetables. Combine reduced liquid mixture with sour cream and pour over vegetables and fish. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) 40 minutes until vegetables have absorbed most of the liquid.

Fish Fritters.
(Serves 4)
1 pound small fish
3 eggs, separated
3 tablespoons flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon pepper
1/4 teaspoon minced garlic
1 tablespoon minced parsley

Cook fish, remove skin and bones; mash. Beat egg yolks light and thick, then add remaining ingredients. Fold in whites of eggs which have been stiffly beaten. Drop by spoonfuls into hot fat and fry until brown. Serve with tomato catchup, tartar sauce, or egg sauce.

Scallops are another excellent fish to serve when you want something different for a meal. They lack fishy taste and smell and are boneless and easy to fix:

Fricassee of Scallops.
(Serves 6)
2 pounds scallops
2 tablespoons butter
1 onion, sliced
1 tablespoon flour
1 cup stock from scallops
1 tablespoon minced parsley
Salt and pepper
1 egg yolk
1 teaspoon lemon juice

Simmer scallops 5 to 6 minutes. Melt butter, add onion and cook about 3 minutes. Stir in flour until well blended, add stock and cook until mixture thickens. Add parsley, salt and pepper. Beat egg yolk, add to hot sauce gradually. Cook for 2 minutes, then add scallops and lemon. Serve at once.

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Week end visitors from Welch were Misses Mable Harris and John Ellen Beach.

Receives Presents From Son
G. C. Aten last Saturday received an express package from his son, Buford, who is with the Marines somewhere in the Pacific. The box contained clothing, and a fine assortment of knives used in warfare against the Japs. One knife was shaped like a butter paddle and caught our fancy. This knife is used to dig foxholes and other purposes. About 16 inches long, sharp on all edges, it is a fearful weapon. Buford is a popular boy, was a star football player on the high school team, and the entire area is mighty proud of him.

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Local News
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Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Pennington of Tahoka were down to boost for the Eagles.
Rae Fern Pennington, daughter of Mr and Mrs. R. H. Pennington of Tahoka, was down from Hardin-Simons University for the game Friday night.
Pat and Mrs. Leo Mann of Lameza were Friday visitors in O'Donnell.
Mrs. Jno. Eddy of Tahoka was a visitor in the C. J. Beach home Saturday.
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