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THE glory of dying bravely in battle makes a thrilling story in news accounts and is usually well written in history books. But for the main actor in the act the event can be neither thrilling nor glorious.

So to our way of thinking the greatest hero of the war to date is the man who chose to die more or less in disgrace and by his own hand rather than engage in a hopeless battle that would take the lives of hundreds of his crew.

As a commander of a warship in battle Captain Langsdorff failed. His ship had been hit 17 times by enemy shells but it was not totally disabled. It could still fire its huge guns and it could still be navigated. Yet he fled the fight. He sought refuge in a safe neutral harbor. In doing that he betrayed his crew and his profession for the business of the navy in a war is to fight and destroy the enemy.

But having failed the captain wisely reasoned that he should not add needless killing of German youths to what was already a naval disaster. He must have reckoned all this else he would have attempted to die as a hero on the bridge of his ship as he touched off the explosive that scuttled her. No, the captain was not a coward, but he was a failure as a sea-fighter—and admitted it.

Editorials on News (Continued from page 1)

With sight of smart and accurate reporters who were free to tell what they saw. As a result, the neutral world got a fairly clear picture of what happened.

All those who believe that any competent military authority on either side is fooled by all this official secrecy will please raise their right hands. (No need to count. There aren't many hands.)

THE real purpose of censorship in war, is not so much to keep news from the other fellow (whose intelligence service is looting out for that) as to suggest the story for the home folks—who are supposed to know only what ALL-WISE AUTHORITIES see fit to tell them.

DRIVER EXAMS DATED HERE. Examinations of operators and chauffeurs will be held in Roseburg Dec. 26 and 27, by representatives of the state motor vehicle department, according to word from the office of Secretary of State Earl Stryker.

Farm Loan Setup Due for Changes

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—(AP)—Changes in farm lending policies were expected in many capital quarters today to follow Secretary Wallace's victory in obtaining greater control over the farm credit administration.

Agriculture department officials, it was learned, wanted to tie in the operations of the \$5,000,000,000 agency more directly with their general objectives, including those of soil conservation.

It is expected the FCA henceforth will provide a measure of supervision and give advice on farm operations to its borrowers. A conflict between agriculture department FCA heads reached a climax yesterday with the resignation of F. E. Hill as governor of the credit agency.

Laddie Gale, Hoop Star, To Wed Thurston Teacher

VANCOUVER, Wash., Dec. 21.—(AP)—A "mail order" marriage license application was received here yesterday from Lauren H. (Laddie) Gale, 23, and Hallie M. Thurston, 23, both of Eugene. A note accompanying the application said the couple would pick up the license here Saturday.

KRRR Mutual Broadcasting System 1500 Kilocycles

- REMAINING HOURS TODAY: 4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS. 4:15—Haven of Rest, MBS. 4:45—The Cinnamon Bear, Coppo. 5:00—The Betty Entertain. 5:15—Old Heidelberg Concert Orchestra, MBS. 5:30—Console Sketches. 6:00—Tonight's Tune. 6:05—News, Calif. Pacific Utilities Co. 6:10—News-Review News Flashes. 6:15—Shafter Parker, MBS. 6:30—John B. Hughes, MBS. 6:45—Dinner Dance. 7:00—American Family Robinson. 7:15—Mutual Maestros. 7:30—The Shadow, MBS. 8:00—Alvino Roy's Orchestra, MBS. 8:30—Interlude. 8:45—Johnny Long's Orchestra, MBS. 8:45—Twilight Trails, Avalon Cigarettes, MBS. 9:00—Alka Seltzer News, MBS. 9:15—The Howard's Orchestra, MBS. 9:30—Jan Garber's Orchestra, MBS.

- FRIDAY, DEC. 22: 6:40—Farm Bureau Service Program. 7:00—Stuff and Nonsense. 7:30—News-Review of the Air. 7:45—J. M. Judd Says "Good Morning." 7:50—Rhapsody in Wax. 8:00—Breakfast Club, MBS. 8:30—Keep Fit to Music, MBS. 9:00—Radio Garden Club, MBS. 9:30—Ma Perkins, Proctor & Gamble, MBS. 9:45—Toronto Trio, MBS. 10:00—The Happy Gang, MBS. 10:30—Christmas Shopper's Special. 11:00—Waltz Time. 11:15—Dance O'Clock, To Be Announced. 11:30—Roseburg Hi-School Program. 12:00—Lamcheon Dance. 12:15—Rhythm at Random. 12:25—Parkinson's Information Exchange. 12:45—News, Safeway Stores. 12:50—News-Review of the Air. 1:00—Lanninger's Man on the Street. 1:15—Don Lee School of the Air, MBS. 1:30—The Quiet Hour. 2:00—At Your Command. 2:15—Johnson Family, MBS. 2:30—Gasoline Alley, MBS. 2:45—Streamline Swing, MBS. 3:00—Melody Strings, MBS. 3:15—P. T. A. Program, MBS. 3:20—Society Matinee. 3:45—Marriage License Reminders, MBS. 4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS. 4:15—Haven of Rest, MBS. 4:45—The Cinnamon Bear, Coppo. 5:00—To Be Announced. 5:15—Let We Forget. 5:30—Pioneers of the Prairie. 6:00—Tonight's Tune. 6:05—News, Calif. Pacific Utilities Co. 6:10—News-Review News Flashes. 6:15—Shafter Parker, MBS. 6:30—John B. Hughes, Avalon Cigarettes, MBS. 6:45—Dinner Dance. 7:00—Mutual Maestros. 7:20—Lone Ranger, MBS. 8:00—Alvino Roy's Orch., MBS. 8:15—Phil Levant's Orch., MBS. 8:30—Interlude. 8:45—Lenny Hayton's Orch., MBS. 8:45—Lyle Seltzer's Orch. 9:00—Alka Seltzer News, MBS. 9:15—Maurice Sherman's Orch., MBS. 9:45—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS. 10:00—Sign Off.

OUT OUR WAY By Williams



Daily Devotions

DR. CHARLES A. EDWARDS. While shepherds watched their flocks by night, All seated on the ground, The angel of the Lord came down, And glory shone around.

Fear not, said he for mighty dread Had seized their troubled mind, Glad tidings of great joy I bring, To you and all mankind.

To you in David's town this day, Is born of David's line, The Saviour, who is Christ the Lord; And this shall be the sign.

The heavenly Babe you there shall find To human view displayed, All meanly wrapped in swathing bands, And in a manger laid.

Thus spake the Seraph; and forthwith Appeared a shining throng Of angels praising God on high, Who thus addressed their song:

All glory be to God on high, And to the earth be peace; Good will henceforth from heaven to men Begin and never cease. Amen. —Nehum Tato.

Two More Names Added To Finn Aid Contributors

The names of the Protestant Episcopal church and Miss Alice Ireland have been added to the list of local contributors to the Finnish relief fund. The donations were received at the News-Review office and are being forwarded to national headquarters.

SUPER SLEUTH

Crossword puzzle grid with clues: HORIZONTAL: 1,8 Most famous detective of fiction. 13 To wander. 14 To relinquish. 16 Orient. 17 To rent. 18 Tedium. 19 Onager. 20 Small tumor. 21 Accorded. 23 Half an cm. 24 Uncooked. 29 Trial ending with no decision. 34 Mineral spring. 35 Being. 36 Seaweed. 37 Female fowl. 38 Indefinite article. 39 Entrance. 40 Sun. 43 Measure of area. 44 Peaceable. 48 He is more famous than his... or originator. 52 Whitticism. 53 Turning machine. 54 Being. 55 The Supreme. 56 Front hall. 57 Opera melodies. 58 Persia. 60 He is the chief... in a series of stories. 61 He was created by Sir Conan... or 1 Senior. 2 Pit. 3 Opposed to. 4 Being. 4 To seek flax. 5 To be indebted. 6 Food container. 7 Relative. 8 Female heir. 9 This. 10 Spar. 11 Existence. 12 Street. 20 Religious homage. 22 Insect. 23 An accuser. 24 To plait. 27 Monkey. 28 Pale. 30 Wayside hotel. 31 Melted. 32 Sick. 33 Epoch. 39 Wrath. 40 Oriental. 41 Preposition. 42 Purple flower. 43 God of war. 45 Indian nurse. 46 African tree. 47 Light wagon. 48 To scorch. 49 Money changing. 50 Conservative. 51 Land right. 54 Cravat. 56 South Carolina. 59 New England.

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RAMBLINGS by Paul Jenkins

Henry Booth, president of the Douglas National Bank of Roseburg, and other friends a pocket notebook, embodying within its covers just about the complete sum of human knowledge.

"I wish you would show me some account for a nightgown," said a woman customer to a saleslady in a local store the other day. The latter obligingly pulled down a half of the cloth, remarking that this was a splendid never do the customer, cried, "the flea wouldn't show up against that pattern!"

LETTERS to the Editor

Montana's geographic dead center is in a doctor's kitchen sink. Some fitting marker such as a bronze dishpan would seem in order.

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It seems that Massachusetts has some kind of old claim to Maine having bought the state some 300 years ago. The Tea Party state tried to hush it up, however, after the 1935 elections.

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A driver who went through a severe accident when he fell asleep at the wheel said he thought it was all a bad dream. The bill for damages to his car will wake him up.

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