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## Confusion Confounded


 centerners and part of it exists within the boundaries of
our nation and is labeled "fifth column".
 Sonewhat difficult, for instance, is the realization that
the "fifth colomn" may
very persens passind

 The United States senate had before it a bill outlawing
"eppressive labor practices, preparedin line with the find-
"nes of the LaFollette committe on civil iberties This miteor
their
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within le But in seeking these ends it provided that employers be pro
hitited from asking propenetive employes whether they be
longed to communist or nazi organizations and, it was argue in enate debate, any
be e classifibed a a
lybabe
described the mea Such restrictio
with hte times.
bill out, or elimina Lill out, or eliminate these restrictions? No because Senato
La Foletetis in in good repute with the dadministration and
was desirabe that coutesy he she



 solution wis suggeoted recently, the solimplest and most humane asmume, fit both of the organizations mentioned above. Loyal
Americans who have midguideellly joined them would beprivi

leged to withdraw and avoid pereation | leged to |
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| linted in |
| in jail, |

Specious Relief
 trom Filanders, aecomplished under a steady rain of German that the retreat wass reerrent and thot although the men are





 No one can y yet hazard a guess as to the losses of the
Cermans in their thrust acroser the Liow Countries ot the
Channel. There are stories of veat fields of torture iron reminants of the are stos of bothtreat rrance and of Great Germany
thereare other stories of German troops sent forth to march
 y both sides ouring the Flanders battle were enormous, per
haps more for the Germans than for the Frenen and British
 great stores available to throw bodily, int an an attack on the
Somm line within a few weeks,
 congratulations, or retreats. It will be necessary to fight,
and that stubbornly.

Prospects for the Class of ' 40 "It's an ill wind" that is blowing across. Europe and it
would bea worse wind it it thew in this direction Hbut after
in, it's $a$ good proverb that one which sugtests that ever al, it s a a woor d proverb, that one which suggests that every
wind blows somebody good.
 prospect of employment than did che fellow whose chapel
seat he inherited a year ago. Placement departments of the
 rraduate, the engineer, chemist or other sperialist, has had
 ge of executive material , wirite businessese with their shart
 siness activity. Induostries created or expandend by the pres
 ut that is a feature of the imminent "help wanted" possi-
iitites upon which it is not pleasant to speculate too exx. msively.

Bits for Breakfast


|  | By Van Wyck Mason |  |
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| th, refresied | greeted a voice which atirred ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |  |
| hour's nap and bathed, study- a large scape map of the cty | surprising number of emotions | over on the island we are about |
| which he had sent out | bit of tact on outr host's part.' ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | shooting to be had at Birkaha. |
| that, get here?', Expertenclig | (ter mouth curved in an in- | There are always gazelles to ride |
| harp euriosity, he stooped and | extending a slim, transparent- | one of my favorites |
| eone had |  |  |
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| Velope was his | flatertig | "It is-but 1 know what we |
|  |  | ht to do!" Natika cried |
| messenger hadn't knocked? | again. You got through the cus- | and clasped hor hands in delicate |
| Misgings began to spout mush- | ${ }^{\text {tomg }}$ all |  |
| Holding the letter through | spector who would have it that a | North tugked at his short mill |
| ha |  |  |
| knife to sirt open one end, then |  |  |
| sheet of paper. Ita men |  |  |
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| case. ${ }^{\text {a }}$ shoulder |  |  |
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| which had boen cut down | ishers. "On vhlpboard 1 nover | thee of life. Then the soft brown |
| to an trredacible mintmum. |  | fou cos |
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