

Hermine Technical Enemy Only, She Tells Yankees Guarding Her

United Press War Correspondent
Schloss Rossia, April 14—(Delayed)—The gray-haired old lady sat upright in her chair, fingering the long strand of pearls around her neck.

"Technically," she said, "we are still enemies. We are German. You are American."

She paused a moment. This was the Empress Hermine speaking; the widow of the kaiser, who with a half-dozen other Hohenzollerns and former royalty is now in American hands.

The empress gazed at a photograph on the table—a photograph of Wilhelm II, taken three weeks before his death at Doorn.

"I loved him," she said. "He was a poor old man with the wrong sort of children, but I loved him. He loved Germany and I love Germany. . . . By the way, do you have any of the latest American books on politics? And do you by chance have any real coffee?"

The empress has been in American custody for two days and since the Americans came, her 84-room castle where she is living with six other royal personages has been used as a temporary army command post.

Those with her are the Princess Ida, her sister; the Princess Carmo Hartung, her niece; Prince Theresof-Martin, the Countess Theresof Stolberg and the countess' children, Prince Franz Josef of Prussia, aged 2, and Prince Fritz, 6 months old.

Two months ago Hermine came here from a castle in Silesia where she had been living. The royal party fled only an

Your Health and It's Care

By DR. WILLIAM BRADY M.D.
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MY BEST CLIENT

Dr. William Brady, M.D., Dear Sir: I am in the sixth grade and I gave a health report in school, so I reported on the article in your column that brushing the teeth is harmful to them. Now my health teacher wants me to write you, to find out why you say it is harmful. Thanking you for an early reply.

Sincerely, Mary Alice Jane (let us call it), 10001 West avenue, Colo.

You are my most important client today, Mary, and I am impressed with the gravity of your question, even terrified with it.

In the first place let me congratulate you upon the excellence of your letter—I mean the English, the form, the spelling, the punctuation and especially the terseness—you say all there is to say in the fewest possible words. There are two trifling errors which I predict, you will not make again—it is superfluous to address a physician as Dr. and as M. D.—address him either as Dr. John Doe or as John Doe, M. D.; and the abbreviation Dr. means Doctor, not Dear, so one should begin such a letter with the salutation "Dear Doctor" or "Dear Dr. Doe" or "Dear Sir" or if one must be coldly formal, "My dear Dr. Doe," or, if one is on friendly terms with the correspondent, "Hi-ya Doc."

In the next place I congratulate you upon the proficiency of your teacher. I think a teacher who can lead a pupil to ask why as you do, Mary, is a fine teacher.

I hope I have not implied that brushing the teeth is harmful to the teeth. I know and teach that brushing the teeth is a waste of time and money, so far as saving the teeth or preventing decay of the teeth may be concerned. I know that in various parts of

the civilized and semi-civilized world people who never brush their teeth have much finer teeth and cleaner teeth than have these phoney American who learn all they know about health and hygiene from you guess where.

Go to your public library, Mary and get (1) the November, 1938, number of The National Geographic Magazine and (2) the book Nutrition and Physical Degeneration, by Weston A. Price, D. S., (published by Hoeber of Harper & Bros.), take them to school and study the picture in Dr. Price's book and read the article by W. Robert Foran on Tristram de Cunha and the fine teeth of the people there.

It will do you no harm to learn something about conservation of the teeth, from disinterested sources.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS
Test for Malignancy
A year ago I had an operation for cervical cancer. A test for malignancy growth. Recent symptoms indicate same condition as before. Could this be possible (H. G.).
Answer—Aside from the question of malignancy, the repair may have been not completely successful and in that case you may have the same trouble as before. Sensible course is to return without delay to the good doctor for advice. I know of no one a good doctor because he or she took the precaution of a test for malignancy cancer at the time of the operation.

Tricks of the Trade
We found a kind of margarine without sodium benzoate—as we thought. But when we removed it from the paper carton, there was an inside wrapper saying that the stuff contains sodium benzoate. We were puzzled. The grocer said he had the stuff assured it contained no sodium benzoate—he was deceived, too, as he said with real indignation when we called his attention to the trick. The manufacturers did not omit from the label the label that the stuff contains a dash of vitamin A, however, is Uncle Sam in this app. He does the state take a cut from the big crock manufacturer (E. A.).
Answer—They probably split it three ways. I am so fond of margarine that I actually seek it even when butter is available. But the manipulation of the stuff makes me hate it. I hate to be played for a sucker. On the other hand the grocer control of the retailers by the powerful dairy interests and the shameful status and ordinances by which the dairy people, who manipulate the price of margarine to you and me, is equally disgusting. We the people should be over the privilege of living in this great free country where every sucker pays tribute to the racketeers for the right to eat.
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BRITISH RELEASE 6,500 CAPTIVES

With British Second Army in Germany, April 17—(U.P.)—The British seventh armored division overran a German prison camp today at Fallingb., 30 miles north of Hannover, and liberated 6,500 American and British captives.

German marines rushed down from Hamburg fought viciously to prevent the breakthrough. But British tanks rode them down, smothering enemy machine gun nests and gun emplacements along the main road to Fallingb.,

Jubilant prisoners swarmed out from the prison stockades to greet the first British tanks and supply trucks rolling in with food.

The British also freed 220 Britons interned at another camp near Uelzen, and the Nazi guards at two other prisoner-of-war centers surrendered to the 11th armored division, freeing 1,100 Russians and 2,200 other allied nationals.

'Hurry Home Honey' Spurs 3d Army Ship

Berkeley, Cal. (U.P.)—Because two girls in opposite parts of the country chose to end their letters with the identical words, the "Hurry Home Honey" is trying to live up to its name by bombing and strafing in support of Gen. Patton's 3rd Army.

The USAAF fighter plane was named by Capt. Lewis F. Sherman, former University of California law student, and his crew chief when they discovered that Capt. Sherman's fiancée and the crew chief's wife had somehow both hit on "hurry home honey" as their favorite sign-off phrase.

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On the Radio Chain

STATIONS
Chain affiliation and where they are on the dial.

5:00 p.m.—Mr. and Mrs. North NBC, Jack Carson CBS News, MBS Music BN
9:30 p.m.—Who's Lucky Tonight NBC, Arch Oboler's Plays, MBS
10:30 p.m.—News, NBC, Carson and News, BN, Fulton Lewis MBS
10:30 p.m.—Orch. CBS, Fenneman's Club BN, Sweetheart Swingtime NBC
11:00 p.m.—News, BN; Orchestra, CBS.

JUDGE SAYS 'NO' ON ROBES
Crown Point, Ind., (U.P.)—The Chicago crime commission suggested that jurors wear robes to add dignity to the courts, but Lake County Judge William J. Murray replied that justice was more important than pageantry. In fact, he continued, most judges don't wear robes, and jurors are less expected to don the garb.

SAY IT AGAIN
Indianapolis, Ind., (U.P.)—We, as well as other curious persons, would like to know what this sign in a restaurant window means: "Wanted—Night male waitress."

Use Mail Tribune Want Ads.

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SYNOPSIS OF ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE ALLIANCE INSURANCE COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA, IN THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1944.

Income
Net premiums received . . . \$ 2,947,529.57
Total interest, dividends and real estate income . . . 444,241.54
Income from other sources . . . 80,495.19
Total income . . . \$ 3,472,266.30

Disbursements
Net amount paid policyholders for losses . . . \$ 1,445,994.32
Loss adjustment expenses . . . 57,540.13
Agents commissions or brokerage . . . 827,149.93
Salaries and other directors, home office employees . . . 274,021.50
Dividends paid to stockholders (Cash, \$150,000.00, stock, \$100,000.00) . . . 350,000.00
Dividends paid to policyholders . . . None
All other expenditures . . . 424,170.44
Total disbursements . . . \$ 4,005,409.10

Admitted Assets
Value of real estate owned (market value) . . . None
Loans on mortgages and other charged assets . . . None
Value of bonds owned (amortized) . . . \$ 2,449,877.35
Value of stocks owned (market value) . . . 7,552,851.54
Cash in banks and on hand . . . 1,262,023.12
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1944 . . . 418,054.03
Interest and rents due and accrued . . . 29,400.82
Other assets (net) . . . 43,568.03
Total admitted assets, \$11,998,135.84

Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds
Total unpaid claims . . . \$ 1,383,628.00
Estimated loss adjustment expenses for unpaid claims . . . 45,400.00
Total unearned premiums on all unexpired risks . . . 2,409,430.07
Salaries, rent, expenses, bills, accounts, fees, etc., due or accrued . . . 8,370.00
Estimated amount due or accrued for taxes . . . 240,930.00
Commissions, brokerage, or other charges due and accrued . . . 32,400.00
All other liabilities . . . 449,814.03
Total . . . \$12,098,135.84

SYNOPSIS OF ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE ORIENT INSURANCE COMPANY OF HARTFORD, IN THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT, FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1944.

Income
Net premiums received . . . \$2,137,948.72
Total interest, dividends and real estate income . . . 184,808.99
Income from other sources . . . 8,921.70
Total income . . . \$2,291,779.41

Disbursements
Net amount paid policyholders for losses . . . \$ 924,924.83
Loss adjustment expenses . . . 14,787.52
Agents commissions or brokerage . . . 494,492.89
Salaries and other directors, home office employees . . . 148,941.37
Taxes, rent, expenses, bills, accounts, fees, etc., due or accrued . . . 21,197.28
Dividends paid to stockholders (Cash, \$1,000,000.00, stock, \$100,000.00) . . . 1,100,000.00
Dividends paid to policyholders . . . None
All other expenditures . . . 553,479.75
Total disbursements . . . \$2,199,135.84

Admitted Assets
Value of real estate owned (market value) . . . 354,988.71
Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc. . . None
Value of bonds owned (amortized) . . . \$ 720,991.07
Value of stocks owned (market value) . . . 2,250,516.00
Cash in banks and on hand . . . 437,754.42
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1944 . . . 339,593.38
Interest and rents due and accrued . . . 32,217.09
Other assets (net) . . . 14,728.92
Total admitted assets . . . \$7,189,131.89

Liabilities, Surplus and Other Funds
Total unpaid claims . . . \$ 374,997.00
Estimated loss adjustment expenses for unpaid claims . . . 2,800.00
Total unearned premiums on all unexpired risks . . . 2,554,938.03
Salaries, rent, expenses, bills, accounts, fees, etc., due or accrued . . . 8,300.00
Estimated amount due or accrued for taxes . . . 94,500.00
Commissions, brokerage, or other charges due and accrued . . . 41,150.00
All other liabilities . . . 49,419.49
Total . . . \$12,098,135.84

Dial 1340 for Mutual NEWS

8:00—Arthur Gaeth
9:00—Wm. Lang
10:00—Gene Hardy
11:00—Cedric Foster
12:00—Don Lee
1:00—Walter Compton
2:00—Don Lee
3:00—Griffin
4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
4:15—Rex Miller
5:00—Sam Hayes
5:45—Night News Wire
6:00—Gabriel Heatter

FEATURES
8:30—Take It Easy
9:15—Morton Downey
10:15—Lopes
12:30—Smoothies
1:30—Tommy Harris
3:45—Johnson Family
5:15—Superman
5:30—Tom Mix

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STRANGE AS IT SEEMS By ERNEST HIX

NO BAN!
HOUSE RACING MEANT ON CONTINUOUSLY DURING THE CIVIL WAR, ALTHOUGH THE TRACK WAS CAPTURED BY THE PROUD AND AMBITIOUS SOLDIERS.

EXACTLY 25 YEARS AGO TODAY!
THE FIRST AMERICAN COCKED HIS HEAD AT REFRIGERATION. CAPT. CLAUDE D. SIMES, SENIOR, OF THE U.S. ARMY, 1ST DIVISION ENGINEER, THEN PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN SECTION OF THE INTERNATIONAL REFRIGERATION COMMISSION, UNVEILED THE FIRST (SEMI) TONIC ON THE MARKET WHEN IT WAS OPENED.

NO ONE KNOWS NOW THE NAMES OF THE ORGANIZED.

BARNEY GOOGLE AND SNUFFY SMITH

BALLS O' FIRE!!

SUPREME SNUFFY!! SKEET FER TH' BRESH

I JES SEEN TWO QUARE-LOOKIN' REVENOODERS AHEADIN' THIS WAY—WIF BLACK AN' WHITE ARM BANDS

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BLONDE

THERE'S ONE FOR YOU AND ONE FOR YOU

AND ONE FOR YOU AND ONE FOR YOU AND YOU

OH, MY GOODNESS! I'M ONE SHORT! THERE'S NONE LEFT FOR DAISY!

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BUZ SAWYER

"PLEASE DON'T THINK I'M A COMPLETE MEE-L MANY HADY RETURNS ON YOUR 17th BIRTHDAY"

OH, DADDY! THEY'RE FROM BUZ! ISN'T HE WONDERFUL?

YES, CHRISTY, BUZ HAS BEEN OUR FRIEND FOR A LONG, LONG TIME.

BUT YOU SHOULD REMEMBER HE'S ENGAGED TO TOT WINTER, ONLY THIS MORNING I TALKED TO HER MOTHER.

SHE AND TOT ARE LEAVING SOON TO VISIT HIM.

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LIL ABNER

"SIGN SAYS YOU NEEDS A BOY WIF A BULLYBIT MIND. A CULTURED AGENT AN' BULL LIKE A GREK GOD, SO, FEEL 'NVAR AH IS"

DOGPATCH NATCHERLY!!

DOGPATCH?—NEVER HEARD OF IT! HAVE YOU ANY FRIENDS IN THIS CITY?

NARY!—SPENDIN' IT NO FRIENDS AT ALL—YOU'RE HIRED TO PLAY THE VICTIM IN THE MONSTER'S REVENGE!!

HMM! ODD HOW QUICKLY THE BOY GENUS HIRED THAT LAD, DON'T EVEN INSIST ON ANY RADIO EXPERIENCE!!

ORSON HAS BEEN VERY CLOSE-MOUTHED ABOUT HIS PLANS FOR HIS HORROR PROGRAM HE WANTS TO SUPREME HORROR HE'S A GREAT ONE—DOUBT IT! REALISM!!

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THE NEBBES

I CAME TO WRITE A MYSTERY NOVEL

SUPPOSE YOU TELL US WHAT YOU'RE DOING HERE?

YOU COULDN'T PICK A BETTER PLACE, BUT HOW DID YOU GET IN?

ROSCOE PORTER HOUSE GAVE ME THE KEY AND TOLD ME TO MAKE MYSELF AT HOME

HE WOULDN'T DO THAT WITHOUT NOTIFYING ME. I'M THE CUSTODIAN OF THIS PLACE

YOU MUST BE MR. POTTS—ROSCOE TOLD ME TO GIVE YOU THIS LETTER OF INTRODUCTION

I CAN'T UNDERSTAND YOURSELF, CAN'T YOU THINK UP A BETTER STORY THAN YOU CALL THIS?

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TALE OF WOE By GLUYAS WILLIAMS

4-15-45

APPEARS WAILING IN LIVINGROOM DOORWAY, WHERE MOTHER HAS GUESTS FOR TEA

MEETS ALL REQUESTS TO STOP CRYING AND SAY WHAT THE MATTER IS, BY STANDING AND SCREAMING BECAUSE OF SOBBS AND TEARS

FINALLY IMPARTS HIS TALE OF WOE, WHICH NO ONE UNDERSTANDS

RUNS BACK TO GAME IN YARD, LEAVING TEA PARTY WONDERING WHAT IT WAS ALL ABOUT

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DO YOU KNOW?

that it would require 14941, 1 1/2-ton Chevrolet trucks to haul away Jackson County's annual output of milk of 44,824,000 pounds?

ROGUE RIVER CHEVROLET

Crossword Puzzle

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

ACROSS
1—Work
2—Small fish
3—Hearing organs
4—Girl's name
5—(In slang)
6—Band over
7—Naive
8—Hint
9—Male sex
10—Schemed
11—Small island
12—Customs
13—Wearers
14—Blind
15—Rectile
16—Another time

DOWN
1—Joke
2—Cereal grain
3—Decorate
4—Chemical salts
5—Stretches bird
6—Flying animal
7—Reservative
8—Low
9—Streets (abbr.)
10—Liquid foods
11—Stress
12—Part of body
13—Tail grass
14—Girl
15—Since body
16—Small bit
17—Wish heavily
18—Fruit
19—Spiritual prophet
20—Reach
21—Public charge
22—British
23—Seed covers
24—Old English public meeting
25—Crow rider
26—An English month
27—Obstacle
28—Allowance for
29—Strike
30—Title of respect
31—Ill's woman
32—Musical notes

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