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## How are men enslaved?


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It is Germany's Govern-
MENT, and Italy's MENT, and Italy's and which have taksen away men's freedom. We, ourselvee, fought our first Ameri-
can war because oUR OWN GOVERNCan war because OUR OwN GOVERN-
MENT- the government of GEORGE III -threatened our libertiee!

We have rejected governors, mayors and even preeicents because they were risking erating rackets or graft that put free men in chains.
Why do not the citizens of Germany and Italy rise and throw off the shackles? The answer in one sentence is: The GOVERNMENT controls the PRESS in those countrice. Thus they control what peoplo elieve.
In America, the job you give the press is that of gUardian. You demand that
it watch the government. If the government serves you well, you are to government serves you well, you are to
be told so. If it serves you badly, the telling is to be just as swift and definite. It never hurts to watch and report upon the doings of an honest man. He seldom
objects, so long as the truth is told about him. But when you hear a politician claim ing that the newspapers are "after him," put it down that he will BEAR WATCH ing. You can thank your stars that there time-A FORCE HE CANNOT CURB!

The public holds an "election" of it EWSPAPERS every day-simply by buy ing or not buying. The same public can't get at its government except in one-, two-four- or even six-year intervals. And even then, it can know what the true state of affairs is only if the press is free to report
ALL THE NEWS.
When you realize that government alone can enslave the nation, a free and uncontrolled press seems mighty impor ant. It becomes the eyes and the ears our private affairs.
Put this down as the first barrier against dictatorship:
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