

RADIO

WMFD Wilmington
1400 KC

FRIDAY, MAY 22

- 7:00 a. m.—Morning Greetings.
- 7:30—Family Altar, the Rev. J. A. Sullivan.
- 7:45—Red, White and Blue Network.
- 8:00—World News Roundup.
- 8:15—Pages of Melody.
- 8:30—Musical Clock.
- 8:45—A. P. News.
- 9:00—The Breakfast Club.
- 9:30—Rev. James R. Lee.
- 9:45—Marine Program.
- 10:00—Land of the Free.
- 10:15—Today's News With Helen Hiett.
- 10:30—Let's Dance.
- 11:00—Second Husband.
- 11:15—Amanda of Honeymoon Hill.
- 11:30—John's Other Wife.
- 11:45—Just Plain Bill.
- 12:00 n.—Meet Your Neighbor, Alma Kitchell.
- 12:15 p. m.—Singing Sam.
- 12:30—National Farm Home Hour.
- 1:00—Baukage Talking.
- 1:15—Your Gospel Singer, Edward MacHugh.
- 1:30—News Hour.
- 1:40—WILMINGTON STAR-NEWS ON THE AIR.
- 1:45—Hotel Tail's Orch.
- 2:00—Meditation Period, the Rev. J. A. Sullivan.
- 2:15—Between the Bookends With Ted Malone.
- 2:30—James G. McDonald, News Analyst.
- 2:45—Jack Baker.
- 3:00—Prescott Presents.
- 3:30—News, George Hicks, Men of the Sea.
- 3:45—Little Jack Little.
- 4:00—Poppy Day Program, Mrs. Ethel Powell.
- 4:15—Club Matinee.
- 4:30—A. P. News.
- 4:45—Moods for Modern.
- 5:00—Lone Ranger.
- 6:00—Confidentially Yours.
- 6:15—Lum and Abner.
- 6:30—Cooperative Building and Loan Association.
- 6:35—Let's Dance.
- 6:55—NEWS—WILMINGTON STAR-NEWS.
- 7:00—Baseball Scores.
- 7:05—Let's Dance.
- 7:25—Win. Henry Ezzell—Political Speech.
- 7:30—Monitor Views the News.
- 7:45—Treasury Star Parade.
- 8:00—Gang Busters.
- 8:30—Meet Your Navy.
- 8:45—Burns and Allen.
- 9:30—Diana Shore.
- 9:45—Raymond Clapper News Commentary.
- 9:55—Romano and the Tune Twisters.
- 10:00—To Be Announced.
- 10:15—First Piano Quartet.
- 10:30—Military Analysis of the News.
- 10:45—News Here and Abroad.

You Are the One

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CHAPTER THIRTY-ONE

Tibby had resolved to be nice to Tommy, even if he would not be nice to her. Now this resolution was strengthened. Tibby did not realize—or would not have admitted it, if she had—that Wayne's offer of the beautiful silver ship and his proposal of marriage had anything to do with this strengthening. She had to make up her mind what she was going to do about it—the silver ship and Wayne's proposal. Maybe if she and Tommy still had been friends everything might have been different. Maybe if she made one last effort to go back to that old friendly basis she might be able to decide what to do.

Of course if Tommy did not care if his old playmate got engaged to someone else it was foolish for Tibby even to consider him, or how he would feel about it. She had a sort of hunch, as she usually had in connection with Tommy, that even if he did not care—in one way—that he would in several others.

For instance, Tommy might think that Tibby was marrying Wayne for his money. She would hate to have him, or anyone, think that, since it most certainly would not be true. Steena had admitted she might have done that very thing when she first had dated Wayne Courtwright, but if Tibby decided to accept Wayne, his money would not have anything to do with it. She almost wished that he did not have quite so much money; it was rather frightening.

She knew, deep down in her heart, that she was much better suited to be the wife of a doctor, having had that training all her life as the daughter of a country doctor than the wife of a millionaire. Steena now would know just how to fill that bill; she would simply goat in it. But Tibby was afraid she would always feel inadequate. She would feel as if she did not belong in Wayne's world. It was one thing to visit for a thrill, for excitement, but to live in it all the time was another.

To go back to Tommy, he not only would think she was marrying Wayne for his money, but he would think that Wayne was entirely too old for her, not just in years, but in experience. Tommy practically had said as much that night he had met Wayne and had showed his disapproval of him as a friend for Tibby, let alone a husband. On the other hand, Wayne had remarked, when Tibby had said she was not engaged to Tommy, that he was glad because Tommy was entirely too young. Wayne had not meant in years altogether, either.

Tommy was too young because he did not know enough about love. If he had he might have won Tibby, if he had picked a more romantic spot in which to propose, if he had not withdrawn his proposal, himself, and his friendship so quickly.

Wayne was a experienced enough when it came to love making. How else could he have chosen such a method of approach, such means for persuasion as a beautiful silver ship that could take one away from all earthly things up into the very heavens? By this, too, he had employed the even more subtle measure of making her, therefore, feel obligated, almost trapped. How could she refuse such a royal gift?

How could she dare refuse the honor bestowed upon her by a proposal of marriage from a man like him?

Oh, yes, Wayne knew all there was to know about love and romance. He had even assured Tibby that it need not matter whether she was sure or not that she loved him. Since he was so wise in every other way, for Tibby certainly was more confused than ever before, more uncertain, more in a muddle.

She wished there were someone to advise her. She could have talked with Marg, but she knew her friend was too confused herself these days in trying to come to her own decisions. She could not, of course, discuss such a personal problem, with the many personal complications, with Steena. She had no other close girl friends, except back home. She had no close friend at all, now that she had lost Tommy.

If only she could have talked it over with him; but that WAS nonsensical. She already had guessed what his reaction would be; he would heartily disapprove of her marrying Wayne, just as he had disapproved of her flying or becoming an air hostess. Tommy, it seemed, disapproved of most everything she did or thought of doing. That surely showed plainly enough that there never could have been anything between her and him even had Tommy had all Wayne's experience in love making.

She would just have to decide without any help from anyone. It would have to be a solo decision. But she could be nice to Tommy, anyway.

It was so nice to him the next time he came to date Steena that Tommy wondered what on earth had happened. She did not try to run away, or act stiff and unnatural. She seemed glad to see him, even though she knew he had come to see Steena, or was supposed to have, as of course he hadn't really. She wanted to know how he had been and how his work was progressing, what he had heard lately from the folks back home and how he was again.

It was as if she really were interested, almost as if she cared. So Tommy confided later in recounting to Steena how nice Tibby had been to him.

"I don't see why you wonder what on earth has happened," Steena replied, her green eyes narrowing shrewdly. "It's quite evident. Our campaign is taking effect. It is working, even much better than either of us could have anticipated," she added with a note of triumph.

It was working for her, too. The last time she had been out with Wayne he had asked her what she would like to have him buy her. He had said he wanted to give her something. He had not said why, but he had been most insistent.

Naturally Steena could not know that Wayne felt he owed her some sort of gift. He had taken up quite a lot of her time. Perhaps he thought she ought to have something to remember him by. If Tibby accepted the silver ship—and Wayne himself—he would not be dating Steena any more. When Wayne made an ending to any love affair, since he was so experienced in all the intricate ways

and means, he usually presented the lady with a suitable present.

Steena had said he might give her anything he chose, because anything he chose would be what she would want. She could have told him what she would have preferred, a lovely solitaire for the RIGHT finger of her left hand, for instance, but her reply, she felt, was much more tactful.

Apparently Wayne had been satisfied; maybe he had been flattered, as she had wanted him to be at her leaving the choice and selection up to him. He had assured her that she would receive the gift the following week as he would attend to it almost immediately.

This certainly looked as if Wayne—as well as Tibby, from what Tommy had just recounted—were waking up to the fact that if he had serious intentions he ought to be getting around to declaring them. Steena had let Wayne know that she had been getting a rush from young Dr. Dare. She had implied that it was a very serious rush that undoubtedly would lead to even more serious complications.

"The poor boy," she had told Wayne, "has lost his head. I don't know what I am going to do about him." She had said it lightly, but there had been her dates with Tommy in proof, and the funeral smell in the apartment, and the phone calls each day, which she also had reported.

"It seems to me then," Tommy said, bringing Steena abruptly back to the present and face to face with the future, "that we ought to cut this all out, this campaign, as you call it. The truth was that Tommy was sick of it—having to remember to phone Steena every day, to order flowers, which she had insisted be charged to her account at the florist's, to pretend to come out to see her when he only came in hopes of getting a glimpse of Tibby. He not only was sick of it, he did not like it, since he did not like deceit in any form or fashion.

"That would be the worst thing we could do!" Steena declared with absolute conviction. "You just leave everything to me, as you have, Tommy. I promise you I'll fix it." She had a plan that would indeed fix—and settle—everything for each of them.

(To Be Continued)

Navy Employs 103,909 Civilians In March

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The War and Navy departments added 103,909 civilian workers to their rolls during March, as the total of civilian employees in the executive branch of the government reached 1,929,074, the Civil Service commission announced today. The March payroll in the executive branch totaled \$309,764,879.

The total increase was 120,888 for March, accounted for principally by the 79,118 new positions in the War department and 24,793 in the Navy.

Assuming a continuing rate of hiring, the total of executive branch employees today would exceed 2,100,000. This does not include legislative or judicial employees or persons in the armed services.

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



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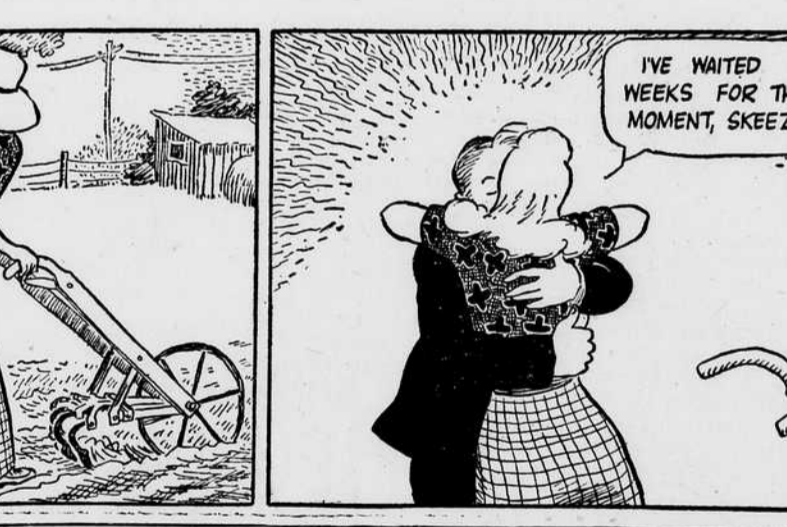
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BRICK BRADFORD



GASOLINE ALLEY



OUT OUR WAY



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A Brave Girl



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By William Ritt and Clarence Gray



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Nations Are Agreed

On Air Crew Training

OTTAWA, May 21.—Representatives of fourteen nations attending the Ottawa air training conference appear to be agreed on important phases of the general subject of air crew training, Air Minister C. G. Power, conference chairman, told his press conference today. The conference closes tomorrow.

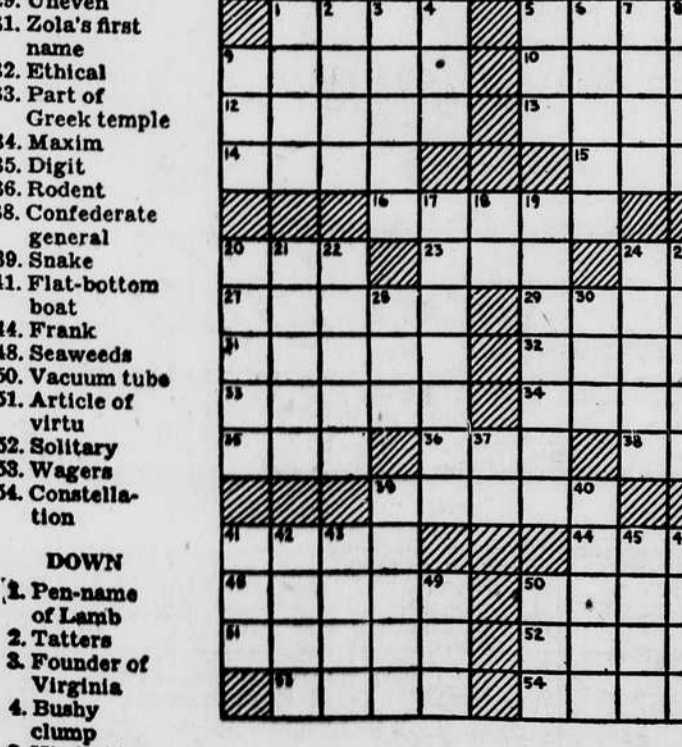
"The various committees are reporting to the conference committee," Power said, "and to judge from the reports we get there is a thorough and mutual understanding among all the people taking part and what looks like great unanimity on important phases of the problem under discussion."

SINGIN' SAM

W.M.F.D. 12:15 to 12:30
WEDNESDAYS thru FRIDAYS

DAILY CROSSWORD

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| 5. Simians | 2. Tatters |
| 9. Poplar tree | 3. Founder of Virginia |
| 10. Cut | 4. Bushy clump |
| 12. Firm | 5. Kind of tree |
| 13. West Indian | |
| 14. Island | |
| 14. Throw | |
| 15. Clothed | |
| 16. Intuitive | |
| 18. Impression | |
| 20. Period of time | |
| 23. Conjunction | |
| 24. Buzz | |
| 27. Book of Old Testament | |
| 29. Uneven | |
| 31. Zola's first name | |
| 32. Ethical | |
| 33. Part of Greek temple | |
| 34. Maxim | |
| 35. Digit | |
| 36. Rodent | |
| 38. Confederate general | |
| 39. Snake | |
| 41. Flat-bottom boat | |
| 44. Frank | |
| 48. Seaweeds | |
| 50. Vacuum tube | |
| 51. Article of virtue | |
| 52. Solitary | |
| 53. Wagers | |
| 54. Constellation | |



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49. Goddess of dawn
50. Any split pulse

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