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CURB REPORTER

Weather Wednesday: High 53, low 32 . . . Tryon Fire Dept. was called out at 7 o'clock this morning to a burning chimney at Hester Owen's house. No damage was done. . . . Not just a tea for two but a tea for everybody, will be given at Oak Hall hotel Friday afternoon immediately following the showing of Betty Sturgis Steiner's clothes which begins at 4 o'clock. This should be a treat for the ladies who like to see fine clothes in windows, for the display at Oak Hall will be presented by a number of Tryon's attractive matrons and girls. . . . This week The Polk County News was informed by a national business organization that according to their records The Polk County News would be 50 years old this year, and extended congratulations. It is hard to believe that this editor has been publishing the paper one-fifth of that time. Mis-sidine's is probably 50 years old, too. And in checking on the Ballenger Co., we find that it is 64 years old. B. L. Ballenger, the president, reports that John Hannon has been a customer of the store ever since it opened, and that he will give a hat to any man who can beat that record. If there is none he will give the hat to John Hannon. . . . The war news gets better. Warsaw which saw war the longest of any European capital has fallen to the Russians

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WITH OUR ARMED FORCES

LETTERS TO DR. TAYLOR

Somewhere in Holland.
Friday, 15th Dec. 1944.

Dear Dr. Taylor:

Forgive me for not answering your nice letter which I received quite some time ago. I was delighted to get it, believe me. It was so good to hear from you and to see the photo of you and Mrs. Taylor in your lovely garden. Indeed, I would be happy to be there with you having a "coke".

Things have been moving at a pretty fast pace for me since I saw you last. I've been in six countries since then and have seen many interesting things. I was in London for a few hours and of course only saw very little of that great city. I haven't been to Paris yet, though I hope to go there some day.

I've seen quite a lot of these countries since coming ashore in Normandy. There is a great deal of beauty to see, and a terrible devastation wrought by war, too. It really is terrible to see an entire city beaten into a pile of rubble, and I've seen that. Normandy was full of it. And now it looks as if Germany must pay with the same fate. This was the fate of Aachen, the first large German city to fall. We were in that battle.

You can bet I'm eager to leave

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