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CHAPTER X

e sheriff and his armed horde swept into the camp nearly

ing over the camp's proprietor by did so. shout another word, Evergreen hed his bags, looked around ly, and fied down the road with

w minions of the law, eager on ent of criminality and a large time crooks like them to tell the rd, deployed carefully in a truth," circle around Desdemona's as they closed in their quarry. Love was just appearing, his brow. warpaint for the day freshly as they arrived. Mr. k, who was making oratorical while the sun shone, was in the t of an anecdote.

and the bus.

f. "Or we'll shoot!"

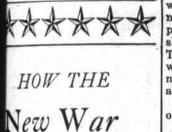
whed. es-you!" snapped the Law 're under arrest. Don't move.' that for?" gasped Desdemona, w the robbery of the Bonkheer

We haven't got it," said Smock. k here-who do you think we Tony.

anyhow "" Evergreens-that's who! it ain't no use lying-you've identified. Where's that dia-

two exchanged amazed looks. We're not the Evergreens!" ed Desdemona. Who are you, then ?" he sneered. his gentleman is Mr. Smocka-a lion-tamer."

0b yeah ?" said the sheriff. "And ess you're a tight-rope walker,



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"Sir!" Desdemona drew herself all paid me their shares for the gas up. "I'm Desdemona Love." "The great actress," put in and oil, in advance although I didn't ask them to." Daniel, excitedly. "Would it be right-doing that?"

"I've retired from the theatre," she wanted to know. said Desdemona. "I'm a tropical "I'd rather be wrong-and stay fish fancier." out of jail."

"And I'm Napoleon," said the sheriff. "Come on, boys-bring 'em those cabins ?" demanded the proalong. You can't expect the big-prietor, suddenly.

"Where are you taking us?" demanded the lion-tamer, mopping

"Where you'll talk," said the sheriff. "Bring 'em along boysand don't forget their baggage." Desdemona talked then and there, disappeared. and Daniel tried to, but to little

and Daniel tried to, but to little avail. Before they knew it, they were being borne away, in the triand the bus. " should the umphant clutches of the law. When Ginger and Tony returned

"demanded Smock, to the camp from their breakfast. not a little puzzled that the others Casanova, the cat, alone of their

fellow-passengers, awaiting them. Casanova, and the tourist camp proand Hand it over, and come prietor, by now recovered from his guietly-or it will be just too shock, and bursting with excitement.

"Where's everybody?" demanded

"In jail, I guess. A hull posse of officers came up in two cars, and arrested the lot of them," said the other, chewing vigorously. "Leastways, I saw them take the fat lady and the bald-headed man with them. I guess that other couple went along, too. They ain't nowhere around.' "But what for?" demanded

Ginger and Tony, together. They were stunned. "Seems like they stole a diamond

wuth a million dollars and was runnin' away with it. The New York police is tracking them." He spat, shook his head, "Just think of that! The biggest ole diamond in the world-right here in my camp, all night! If I'd a known it, I wouldn't a slept a wink!" Ginger and Tony looked at each other. "The Bonkheer diamond!" she

gasped. "It must be!" "Crooks-and we were helping them get away!" Tony took a deep breath. "Whew!" It's lucky we were having breakfast. They might have run us in, with the rest-on a charge of being accessories." He smiled, then. "Of course, we could "But my job in Miami!" ex-claimed Ginger. She was very nervous. "Suppose they come back for us Tony? Even if they only hold

us a day-it may be too late for me!' "My hunch is to get going, while the going's good!" was Tony's opin-"What do you say?"

"What about the Evergreens?" "They've evidently had the same hunch. Look their baggage is gone." asked 'But what about money Ginger. "Now that we're alone-Ginger Drake?" what?" Tony grinned.

"Don't worry-I'll pay the bill," said Tony, and forthwith paid him three dollars. He picked up the cat. "Come on, Casanova-I guess you'd better go along."

They boarded the bus, then, after stowing aboard their bags. Gerrude and her bowl, they noticed, had

"Say-what about my rent for

"I guess Miss Love took her along to jail with her," said Ginger, and took Casanova in her lap. 1 hope Mr. Smock won't miss his cat too much."

"We'll return him, when we know what his permanent address will had not joined them, it was to find be," said Tony. It'll be in the papers most likely."

He started the motor, and the green bus rumbled off, headed south. They were on their way.

Neither of them knew it, but that was only the beginning of an

eventful day. They drove all day through Virginia, the double decker Fifth Avenue bus an incongrous object in this history-laden landscape. A somewhat subdued young couple, not yet quite accustomed to the idea that for the remainder of the trip they were to be quite alone; and a little too self-conscious of that fact.

They had long since talked-out the surprise which the morning's incident had given them, and had crossed the Carolina border when the second thunderbolt struck. For it was on the road to Fredericksburg that Fate, on a motor-cycle, overtook them. Tony mindful of their financial state, always drove with a watchful

eye on the rear-vision mirror, and on the speedometer. It was with some surprise, then, that he saw the law take their trail, overtake the bus and signal them to stop. Tony applied the brakes and exchanged an apprehensive look with Ginger. Were the authorities trying to rope them in with the diamond thieves? Ginger, thinking of Miami and a

job, felt her heart in her throat as the cycle cop dismounted and walked over to them. He was a lanky, cadaverous-looking individual with

at the "Washington Square" sign above the windshield. "You folks from New York, ain't

you ?" he greeted. "Yes," said Tony, "we are. You can see that for yourself from our license-plates."

"Left yesterday morning, didn't you?" Tony nodded. But the officer

looked at the girl.

Ruins Left by Jap Raiders in the Philippines



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One of the first pictures to reach the U. S. from the Philippines since war started in the Pacific, this photo shows American soldiers examining the ruins of a residence wrecked by Japanese bombs during an air raid on Barrie Paranque. The attack occurred during the first week of the war in the Philippines.

Dairymen Should TRANSACTIONS IN **Plan Now For** Real Estate As Recorded to Monday Noon **Feed Next Winter**

A total of 27 applications for tires and tubes, the largest number yet to be filed in one week with the board, was received during the given time. Of this number 18 were granted.

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den, 2 passenger car recaps, and tire.

John T. Ford, et ux, to B. H. ford, hauling acid wood to Chamand logs to saw mill; Lowdermilk ment and material construction of public roads, 1 truck tire and 1 truck tube.

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and 2 truck tubes; Carr Lumber Company, hauling raw forest products to mill and to railroad for shipment; Grace Lumber Mills, hauling raw forest products to mill, 2 truck tires and 2 truck tubes.

Grace Lumber Mills (in second application) hauling raw forest products to mill, 2 truck tires and 2 truck tubes; A. K. Haughton, poultryman, hauler of wholesale poultry to market, 1 truck recap; Grace Lumber Mills, licensed taxi action by the board were as fol- hauling mail and employes to and lows: Wm. H. Neese, minister, 1 from saw mill and Cold Springs Underwood Lumber and Supply

Company, hauler of lumber, pulpwood and agricultural lime, 2 truck recaps; Dr. R. S. Roberson, practicing physician, 2 passenger car recaps; Dr. R. H. Stretcher, practicing physician, 1 passenger car H. W. Crawford, licensed taxi, tire, and 1 passenger car tube; Edward D. Jones, et ux, to Helen 2 station wagon recaps; G. C. Garrett Funeral Home, funeral Plott, game and forest fire war- service car, 1 new funeral car

1 passenger car tube; Jack Med-| Among those failing to have applications granted during the past pion Paper and Fibre Company week were: Catherine Winston, applying for 1 passenger car tube, Bros., transportation of equip- not considered eligible; D. L. Paschall, a passenger car recap, quota exhausted; Rev. R. E. McBlain, minister, 1 passenger car recap,

est products to mill, 2 truck tires quota exhausted; Odie Fish, 1

MARRIAGES

Ralph Brooks to Sarah Olive Gillis, both of Canton.

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truck tire, quota exhausted.

Waynesville Candy Company, wholesale candies, drugs, sundries and groceries, applying for 2 truck tires, quota exhausted; Mrs. Gladys A. Morris, 1 passenger car recap, quota exhausted; Grace Lumber Company, 1 station wagon tube; American Fruit Stand, 2 truck recaps, quota exhausted; J. Yates Bailey, 2 passenger car recaps, quota exhausted.



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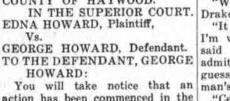
action has been commenced in the Superior Court of Haywood County, North Carolina, entitled as that is of yours, or anyabove and that the purpose of absolute divorce on the ground of sarcastically. two years' separation.

pear at the office of the clerk of the Superior Court, in the Court moth-eaten old gag still alive ?" House in Waynesville, North Carolina, on or before the 30th day mur to the complaint which has been filed in the office of the clerk lous! You've got to prove that a right one?" of the said court.

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amused and irritated. And not a You will further take notice that you are required to be and ap- little relieved; so it was not the diamond business, after all! "Is that

"Alive enough to put you behind the bars for taking a woman not of April, 1942, and answer or de- your wife across a state border!"

man takes a woman across a state border for immoral purposes. But we-"That's just what the charge is," said the Law. Immoral purposes."

C. H. LEATHERWOOD, Clerk of the Superior Court of

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"Are you Ginger Drake-Miss R. Smith, et ux. "Why, yes," admitted Ginger,

Hannah, et ux.

"What charge?" demanded Tony. taken by surprise. "Thought I had the right party_ "and whose?" "The party who tipped off the although it's hard mistaking this

New York police to send out the bus," he nodded his satisfaction. alarm for you two. I've got orders "What do you want with Miss to run you both in, and hold you for Drake?" asked Tony.

the federal officers." "Well, I'll be-" Tony choked. "It ain't only this young woman

I'm wanting-you're in this too," He looked at Ginger. "Now, who said the Law. And spat. "You do you think is trying to be funny TO THE DEFENDANT, GEORGE admit that you're still a miss-so I at our expense?" guess you ain't claiming you're this

.Ginger's face was as unsmiling as man's wife, are you?" "Certainly not!" exclaimed Ginhis own.

"Ronny Rockaby. It can't be anyger. "But I don't see what business one else. "Your crooner friend? But why?"

"Did you folks ever hear of a law the said action is to obtain an called the Mann Act?" he inquired, "Mann Act!" Tony was both

"To keep me from getting to Miami in time for that job." She was tense and upset. "Don't you see?"

Of This Week)

Beaverdam Township

Green.

Robinson.

Stamey.

West.

Ford.

Ford.

Fletcher, et ux.

Coman, et ux.

Robinson, et ux.

Hoyt D. Carr, et ux.

D. S. Green, et ux, to Raymond

L. Arthur Clark, et ux, to D. T.

Clyde Township Helen L. West to J. R. Jones.

Crabtree Township

B. H. Ford, et ux, to John T.

Fines Creek Township

Pigeon Township

D. J. Noland, et ux, to Bryson

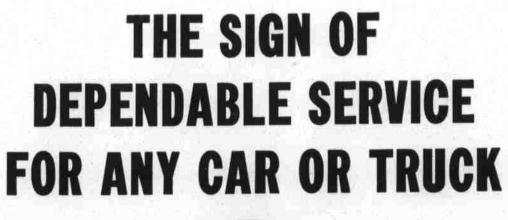
"Well, I'll be a dirty so-and-so!" swore Tony. "Just wait till I get my hands on that-but are you sure?"

"They know my name, but they don't know yours," she pointed out. "That's right, brother," said the Tony said: "But that's ridicu- Law. "What is your name? Your

Anthony Taylor-New Haven," said Tony, mechanically, "But look here, officer-you can't hold us. It's ridiculous."

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