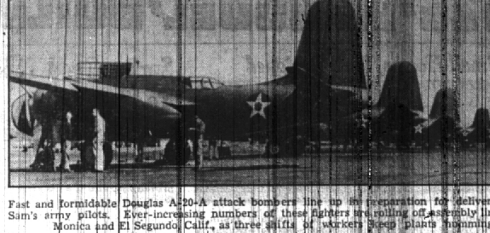


Youth in the Army Gives Some Advice To His Twin Brother, Soon to Be Called

[Editor's Note—Not so many weeks ago, Eugene Terrell was wrestling with type and ink in The Eccentric's shop, but now he's in the Army. This letter to his twin brother, Jack, also a young printer, relates his reactions to Army life and because his views are probably typical of the average young American in the service, we are passing it along to our readers. Even former Army men will get a kick out of Gene's humor and the consideration it got from a certain sergeant.]

32nd Division, Camp Livingston, La. Jack: When you get inducted I advise you to bring a bag of some kind as you can surely use one. I missed one all the way down here, but if you went to Carter you might not need it. But every day had one so you better bring one and a lot of them have cameras too, so you could bring that. And make sure you have some stationery and stamps as you are going to get two weeks and the hard to get stamps. I would bring extra underwear and handkerchiefs. Here's what I have issued us so far (and it took about 10 min-

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utes to get it): We got 1 pair of pants, 2 shirts, 2 pair of long underwear tops and bottoms, 3 handkerchiefs, 2 pair of socks, 1 overcoat, 1 rain coat, 7 blouse, 1 hat, 1 necktie, 1 heavy bath towel, 1 light one, razor, blades, tooth brush, shaving brush, pair shoes. We received all that at Camp Francis then when we got here we received our packs, gun, gas mask, tent and tent poles, another pair of shoes, helmet and blue work clothes, leggings, and later on we will get 2 pairs of summer clothes and a third pair of shoes, and another pair of brown pants.

We have been working hard lately, drilling with our guns and practicing marching. Wednesday we went on a five-mile hike with full packs which weighs about 25 pounds or more. Boy it sure gets heavy when you come back, and we start out at 7: And when we get back we notice what our guns. The morning reveille. Today we had field instruction when march to the field, then unpack and start out at 7: And when we get back we notice what our guns. The morning reveille. Today we had field instruction when march to the field, then unpack and start out at 7: And when we get back we notice what our guns.

Announce Exams In Civil Service

Examinations for positions in the state highway department are being held through managers of the wholesale trade, many from \$90 to \$200 per month. Have been announced by the State Civil Service Commission for July 7. These examinations for 130 classes: Liquor Store Clerk, Liquor Store Manager, Liquor Store Manager II, and Wholesale Liquor Store Manager II, are being given to fill vacancies existing in some of these classes and to provide an opportunity to gain civil service status to present employees in those classes whose positions were brought under the jurisdiction of the Civil Service Commission by the recent State Constitution. Persons holding positions in both under the jurisdiction of the Commission by the amendment who have civil service status are required to take competitive examinations and to stand high enough on the resulting schedule to be considered for their positions.

Candidates for the examination for four liquor store clerk positions have completed the tenth school grade and more than one year of experience in a store. Applicants for the various classes of Liquor Store Manager only have had responsible experience in store management. Applications for the positions must be filed with the Civil Service Commission by the date of the examination.

John Ruskin: "That country is the richest which nourishes the greatest number of noble and happy human beings; that man is richest who, having perfected the functions of his own life to the utmost, has also the widest helpful influence."

Long Distance Phone Rates Revealed

The Michigan Bell Telephone Company has announced that reductions on long distance calls from any of its exchanges to any other Michigan point more than 100 miles distant become effective at 12:01 a.m. Saturday, April 29. George M. Welch, president, said the company has filed the new tariffs with the Michigan Public Service Commission, which has granted the reductions. The reduced rates at that time. The new rates follow the recent decision of the State Supreme Court upholding an order of the former Michigan Public Utilities Commission cutting intrastate rates to the level of interstate charges. Welch estimated that the reduction will mean a savings of \$700,000 a year to subscribers, based upon current usage of the long distance service.

One Blessing have more time or we couldn't lose so much time looking for a place to park—Greenboro (Ga.) Herald-Tribune.

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From the Women's Angle

By KATHERINE EMPHREY
There is a nishid and lameness in the eyes of women talking about their husbands other than a couple of men discussing the same subject. The first woman who has never spent a good half night trying to sleep is sure to be a "nisher" in which a discussion—by all just laugh and say "it's a psychological test."

So it is, that is, the way to combat sleeplessness is psychological success. For a period of time a friend of mine absolutely refused to admit sleep. In fact she studied at the thought. After months of probing she finally revealed why. It seems she had tried it, but could not. She said she had tried it, but could not. She said she had tried it, but could not. She said she had tried it, but could not.

My mother is a member of the school that believes that trying to do is to get up, sit at a desk and read awhile. One drawback of this is the fact that it becomes a habit, and it is not long before you are in a state of "nisher" in which a discussion—by all just laugh and say "it's a psychological test."

A boy I used to know said he made himself so sure that he couldn't sleep that he would bounce up and down on the bed, pound on the wall, and shout "I CAN'T SLEEP, I CAN'T SLEEP, I CAN'T SLEEP" until he was exhausted. He would then go to bed, and when he woke up he would find that he had slept.

The last method really has some merit. The principle is to think of ten nice things about ten people. Now in my life, I have different nice things about ten people. Now in my life, I have different nice things about ten people. Now in my life, I have different nice things about ten people.

By LILLIAN DIEDERICH
"The sad man is he who will predict Hypocrisy and mean ambitions."

The young widow of a doctor wrote me the facts of this story the other day: She was old, very old. Week after week, month after month, as long as daylight lasted she had been sitting in the window of a small frame cottage. Now the quilt was finished. Her hands were small, frail fingers forming baskets of flowers of colored valentines, and many a neighbor of old age had been given a gift of different nice things about ten people. Now in my life, I have different nice things about ten people. Now in my life, I have different nice things about ten people.

I'll Leave It To You...
By JOHN DENKER
The people are a nation, good-natured lot. They will pay taxes, they will be servants to corrupt, unprincipled public officials. They will even march off to a futile, unnecessary war. And they will do it all with more than a little merriness. They will be satisfied with themselves and an occasional high-minded conventional conversation with their friends.

Children Find Dead of Starvation
WEST BRANCH—Carcases of 22 deer were found on 80 acres near the Osgood State game refuge by 20 boys and girls of Prescott and Whitaker Schools, led by the youngest and bravest, L. H. "Dusty" Rhodes, regional 4-H club supervisor.

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