













OUR COMIC SECTION

**PETER B. PEEVE**  
VARIABLE WINDS?

(WNU Service)

**POP**

HE'S A GOOD LOSER!

HE OUGHT TO BE—

WITH ALL THE PRACTICE HE GETS!

By J. Millar Watt

**SOMEBODY'S STENOGR**

CH-BOSS, DIDN'T YOU TELL ME IF MY FRIENDS WANTED NUTS & BOLTS THEY COULD GET 'EM FROM YOU AT COST?

I GUESS SO—WHO WANTS SOME?

IT'S ONE OF MY BOY FRIENDS—AND—OH, BOSS, HE'S GOT IT FIGURED OUT GRAND—HE SHOWED ME ON PAPER LAST NIGHT—HOW HE CAN CLEAN UP WONDERFUL SUPPLYING THE ACME RAILROAD WITH NUTS AND BOLTS!

IF HE CAN JUST GET ABOUT \$5 CARLOADS AT LESS THAN COST!

WNU Features.

**HOLD ME BACK!**  
Judge—The officer said he found you two fighting.  
Defendants—Your honor, when he arrived we were just trying to separate each other!

**Non-Alcoholic**  
Joe—Pete drank some sulphuric acid by mistake the other day.  
Bill—Did it kill him?  
Joe—No. The only thing he noticed was that he made holes in his handkerchief every time he blew his nose.

**Young For Her Age!**  
Jane—I didn't know Betty was so young. She told me she was in the neighborhood of 17.  
Joan—If you ask me, I think she moved a long time ago!

**Uncomfortably Close**  
Mac—Your wife certainly looks good from a distance.  
Jack—Well, she can't get far enough away for me!

**No Announcement?**  
He—They're keeping their engagement a secret, aren't they?  
She—Well, that's what they're telling everybody!

**Caught!**  
Joan—How old do you think I am?  
Jane—You don't look it!

**DRAINING THE CRANKCASE**  
"Can you milk that cow?" the farmer asked the new girl from the city.  
"I'll try," she answered.  
"All right. Go ahead and let's see what you can do."  
Twenty minutes later the farmer returned. "Well, how did you do?" he asked.  
"Not so bad," replied the girl, "but wouldn't it have been better if I'd had a pail or a milk bottle or two?"

**Tsk! Tsk!**  
Mrs. Sweeney—I noticed Mrs. Withers 'as got a black eye.  
Mrs. Casey—Yuh. It ain't respectable no you. With her husband not out of prison for a week yet!

**Battered Evidence**  
Judge—Do you mean to say a physical wreck such as this man gave you that black eye?  
Defendant—Well, your Honor, he wasn't a physical wreck until he gave me this black eye!

**Enough Trouble**  
Mr. White—Allow me to present my wife to you.  
Mr. Green—Thanks, but I have one!

**Quick Answer**  
Harry—Do you believe it's possible to communicate with the dead?  
Jerry—Well, I can hear you distinctly!

**Smart Fellow**  
Him—I dream of you all day.  
Her—What do you do nights?  
Him—Nights? Oh, nights I go out.

**YOU SAID IT!**

Artist—The most realistic drawing I ever drew was of a decayed apple.  
Critic—It must have been rotten!

**Reasonable?**  
Pvt. Rastus—What you mean, woman, tellin' me yo' jus' married me for mah insurance?  
Jemima—Ah figahs, soldier boy, dere ain't no sense in you'll dyin' fo' yo' country an' no one gettin' any benefit from it!

**Meaty Dish**  
Customer—Waiter, there's a hair in my turtle soup!  
Waiter—Quite remarkable, isn't it? You don't often see the hare and the turtle come in together.

**More Trouble**  
Mother—That boy of ours is getting more like you every day.  
Father—Why? What's he been up to now?

**Serve With Fork**  
Harry—I can fix castor oil with orange juice so you won't taste it.  
Jerry—Good. I can't stand orange juice!

**The Winner!**  
Maisie—I entered a funny face making contest.  
Daisie—Who won second prize?

**Star Dust**  
STAGE-SCREEN-RADIO

By VIRGINIA VALE

Released by Western Newspaper Union.

It's news when Elaine Carrington writes a new radio serial. So "Rosemary," heard over NBC at 11:15 a. m. EWT, is certainly news. Mrs. Carrington sort of regrets "Rosemary's" schedule, because she liked "Vick and Sade," which it replaces. Mrs. Carrington was known as a brilliant successful fiction writer before she turned to radio; her "Pepper Young's Family" and "When a Girl Marries" are tops in daytime serials. But she is essentially a family woman; her two children and her husband are far more important to her than her career. That may be one reason why her serials are so beloved.

It's actresses like Betty Winkler who are really right for radio; too often, the famous ladies of the screen who take to the air sound too mannered, too affected. Betty's a veteran; she played leading roles



**BETTY WINKLER**

in Chicago, then went to New York, where she's just completed a long running part in "Just Plain Bill." Being picked to do "Rosemary" is like being crowned with a laurel wreath.

Elia Raines never did get all her father's present when she was graduated from the University of Washington. He said he'd pay all her expenses for six months in New York while she was trying to get started on Broadway as an actress—after four months Hollywood beckoned, and Elia accepted. After seeing her in "Hail the Conquering Hero" we, the public, can be thankful it happened that way.

RKO's "That Men May Live" is the first camera record of the care taken of a wounded man from the time he arrives at a field hospital in France until he is returned to the United States; every step of the way is shown—the first time it's been done visually.

Claudette Colbert is stringing along with Gary Cooper, Sonja Henie, Loretta Young, Edward G. Robinson, Joan Bennett and George Brent—in other words, she's added her name to International Pictures' list of stars; she'll do "Tomorrow Is Forever."

For the last few months John Charles Thomas, who's heard from coast to coast on NBC every Sunday afternoon, has been running what amounts to a school for young singers. Three times a week he holds classes for youngsters from 13 to 18 years old, in the hope of developing talented newcomers.

"Roughly Speaking," starring Rosalind Russell, will introduce to film fans a man who's likely to land in a top notch with just that one picture. He's Arthur Shields, who plays a minister, and he is the older brother of the talented Barry Fitzgerald. Like Barry, he achieved fame as an outstanding actor with the renowned Abby Players of Dublin.

Ted Malone, who's heard tri-weekly on NBC, is writing a book on his experiences. It'll be worth reading—he goes right to the front lines to interview the GIs for his "Top of the Evening" broadcasts, and many a woman here at home has been made happy by getting direct news of her man at the front in this way. Malone has been overseas, working without respite, since last April.

The newest of the radio programs to spotlight youngsters is Mutual's "Steel Horizons," which stars a "Singing Cinderella" opposite Metropolitan Opera baritone John Baker each Monday night. No screen test is promised, but there's a chance to win national recognition.

**ODDS AND ENDS**—NBC will present the most comprehensive program of returns, news and commentary ever offered the public by radio on an election night, November 7. . . . Jim Thorpe, world-famous Indian athlete and actor, has been signed for the role of an Indian chief in Warner Bros. "San Antonio." . . . Almost every song Kate Smith has introduced has become a hit. . . . Cute Lorna Lynn, 10-year-old who's appeared in 10 Broadway stage successes, is having fun with her new role—that of "Beulah, the Call" on the Ed Wynn show. . . . Bert Gordon, always featured as "The Mad Russian," is now known as "Our Russian Friend."

William Goetz bought "Home Is the Sailor" nearly a year ago for Loretta Young, when she first signed with International. Now that Christopher Paul Lewis is born, Loretta Young Lewis is ready to make the picture.

Glady's Swarthout of the Metropolitan, the concert stage, movies and the air waves, has been engaged for 16 broadcasts on the "Voice of Firestone." Her first broadcast in the new series will be heard November 6.

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**ASK ME ANOTHER?**  
A General Quiz

The Questions

1. What is a milliard?
2. What is a lee tide?
3. What lake in the United States has no inlet or outlet?
4. What was Tokyo formerly called?
5. Is cement the same as concrete?
6. In South Africa what is a kraal?

The Answers

1. A thousand million.
2. One running in the same direction as the wind blows.
3. Crater Lake, Oregon.
4. Yeddo (up to 1868).
5. No. Cement is but one of the ingredients of concrete.
6. A village of natives.

Ill-Fated Chesapeake Has No Namesake in Navy

Owing to the misadventures of the first American naval vessel to be called the Chesapeake, the U. S. navy has never given this name to another combatant ship, says Collier's. In 1807, the captain of this frigate, unprepared to fight, struck his flag and allowed his vessel to be searched after being fired upon by H.M.S. Leopard.

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