National Legion of Decency List

CLASS A—Section 1—Unobjectionable for General Patronage

About Face
A-Haunting We Will Go
Apache Trail
Arizona Cyclone
Atlantic Convoy
Bad Men of the Hills
Bambi
Battle Cry of China
Below the Border
Billy the Kid's Smoking Guns
Billy the Kid in Law and Order
Blondie For Victory
Boothill Bandits
Boss of Hangtown Mesa
Bullets for Bandits
Call of the Canyon
Canal Zone
The Cyclone Kid
Dawn Express, The
Desperate Journey
Devil's Trail, The
Down Rio Grande Way
Down Texas Way
Enemy Agents Meet Ellery Queen
Escape From Hong Kong
Fangs of the Wild
Fingers at the Window
Friendly Enemies
Ghost Town Law
Give Out, Sisters
Girl from Alaska
Heart of the Rio Grande
Hello Annapolis
Henry and Dizzy
Hillbilly Blitzkrieg
Holiday Inn
Home in Wyomin'
House of Errors
It Happened in Flatbush
In Old California
Jackass Mail
Joan of Ozark
Let's Get Tough
Loves of Edgar Allen Poe
Lone Star Ranger
Lone Wolf in Scotland Yard
Little Tokyo, U. S. A.
Mad Martindales, The
The Magnificent Dope
Men of Texas
Miss Annie Rooney
Mr. Bug Goes To Town
Mrs. Miniver
Mokey
My Favorite Blonde
My Favorite Spy
North of the Rockies
Overland to Deadwood
Pacific Blackout
Pacific Rendezvous
Parachute Battalion
Phantom Plainsmen
Pied Piper, The
Pierre of the Plains
Postman Didn't Ring
Prairie Gunsmoke
Pride of the Yankees
Priorities on Parade
Private Buckaroo
Raiders of the Range
Reap the Wild Wind
Riders of the Northland
Rolling Down the Great Divide
Romance of the Range
Sabotage Squad
Secret Agent of Japan
Seven Sweethearts
Ships With Wings
Sombrero Kid
Sons of the Pioneers
South of Santa Fe
So's Your Aunt Emma
Stardust of the Sage
Strictly in the Groove
Submarine Raider
Suicide Squadron
Sunset on the Desert
Tarzan's Secret Treasure
Ten Gentlemen from West Point
Texas Manhunt
Texas Trouble Shooters
This Time For Keeps
They Raid By Night
Timber
Tombstone
Top Sergeant
To the Shores of Tripoli
Tramp, Tramp, Tramp
True to the Army
Tumbleweed Trail
Undercover Man
United We Stand
Wake Island
War Against Mrs. Hadley
When Knights Were Bold
Whispering Ghosts
Wings for the Eagle
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A Yank at Eton
Yankee Doodle Dandy
Yukon Patrol
Riders of the Purple Sage

CLASS A—Section 2—Unobjectionable for Adults

Amateur Gangster
Are Husbands Necessary?
Baby-Faced Morgan
Berlin Correspondent
Beyond the Blue Horizon
Big Shot
Big Street
Blondie's Blessed Event
Bombs Over Burma
Broadway
Bullet Scars
Butch Minds the Baby
Calling Dr. Gillespie
Captains of the Clouds
Crossroads
Dangerous Lady
Desperate Chance for Ellery Queen
Destiny Unknown
Dr. Broadway
Drums of the Congo
Eagle Squadron
Escape from Crime
Eyes of the Underworld
Falcon Takes Over
Fantasia
Flight Lieutenant
Footlight Serenade
Ghost of Frankenstein
Grand Central Murder
Great Impersonation
Great Man's Lady, The
Halfway to Shanghai
Hi! Neighbor
Highways by Night
I Live on Danger
I Married An Angel
Invisible Agent
I Was Framed
Journey Into Fear
Juke Box Jennie
Jungle Siren
Klondike Fury
Lady in a Jam
Larceny, Inc.
The Magnificent Ambersons
Madame Spy
Major and the Minor, The
Man Who Wouldn't Die
Man With Two Lives
Married Bachelor
Meet the Stewarts
Mexican Spitfire's Elephant
Mr. Wise Guy
Moonlight Masquerade
Murder in the Big House
My Gal Sal
Native Land
Night for Crime
Night in New Orleans
No Hands on the Clock
Now Voyager
Panama Hattie
Parachute Nurse
Pardon My Sarong
Prisoner of Japan
Remember Pearl Harbor
Rio Rita
Rings On Her Fingers
Rubber Racketeers
Saboteur, The
She's In The Army
Secret Weapon
Ship Ahoy
Sleepytime Gal
Smart Alecks
Spoilers, The
Spy Ship
Sunday Punch
Sundown
Suspicion
Sweater Girl
Syncopation
Take A Letter Darling
Tales of Manhattan
Talk of the Town
This Above All
This Gun For Hire
This Was Paris
Thru Different Eyes
Tish
Today, I Hang
Tomorrow We Live
Tortilla Flat
Tower of Terror
Two Yanks in Trinidad
Voice of Terror
We Were Dancing
Who Is Hope Schuyler?
Yank in Libya
Yokel Boy
You're Telling Me

CLASS B—Objectionable in Part

Affairs of Martha
Almost Married
Bahama Passage
Bedtime Story
Blues in the Night
Call Out the Marines
Confessions of a Cheat, The
Corpse Vanishes, The
Escort Girl
Flying With Music
Gambling Lady
Gay Sisters
Gentleman After Dark, A
Gone With the Wind
Her Cardboard Lover
I'll Sell My Life
In This Our Life
Lady Has Plans, The
Lady In Distress
Lady is Willing, The
Misbehaving Husbands
Moontide
Navy Blues
Night Before the Divorce
Not A Ladies Man
One Thrilling Night
Orchestra Wives
Shanghai Gesture
So Ends Our Night
Somewhere I'll Find You
Sullivan's Travels
Swamp Woman
They All Kissed the Bride
Three Girls About Town
Three Hearts
Time in the Sun
Tuttles of Tahiti
Two-Faced Woman
Vengeance of the West
Wife Takes A Flyer, The

CLASS C—Condemned

City of Sin
Damaged Goods
Daybreak
Fighting the White Slave Traffic
Human Wreckage
It's All in the Mind
Lash of the Penitentes
Marriage Forbidden
Nine Bachelors
No Greater Sin
Pepe le Moko
Reefer Madness
Race Suicide
Roi, Le (French)
Sinful Daughters
Stolen Paradise
Time in the Sun

'CAN'T A GUY DO ANYTHING?'

By THELLA DICK

"Bruce please don't turn the water on the window box. The sun's too hot." Mrs. Bradley's voice held a weary note of irritation. Why must Bruce be so trying on a hot, busy morning like this?

There was, also, a distinctly peevish note in her eight-year-old son's response, "Jimminy, Mom' Can't a guy do anything?"

"Bruce, you've said that twenty times this morning, I do believe. I wish you'd try not to say it so much."

"Have I, Mom?" The small boy stared up through the open dining room window at her. "Twenty times! Whew, that's a lot."

He was thoughtful a moment, then exclaimed, "Well, Mom, I've only said it when you told me not to do things, so that proves what a lot of things I'm not allowed to do around here."

With a shock, Mrs Bradley realized that her son's remark was true He hadn't repeated his monotonous query any oftener than she had said, "Don't."

If his expression had been tiresome to her disciplined, adult mind, how much more so, must hers have been to him!

Mrs. Bradley felt that she must do some deep thinking. She couldn't do it with the clear-eyed gaze of her son upon her.

"Bruce, will you go on an errand for me?" she asked. There was no irritation in her tone, now.

"Sure, Mom, sure. Where to? May I take Tuck along?" His tone, too, had changed—it was eager and had lost all fretfulness.

"Yes, you may take Tuck. It will be a nice little trip for him. I have a magazine to send to Mrs. Jensen. It's quite a distance to go this warm morning—"

"I don't mind—honest I don't, mind—honest I don't. There's lots of shade."

There was a mist in Mrs. Bradley's eyes as she watched him step blithely down the street.

"The first 'Please do', instead of 'Don't, that I have said this morning and look how he responds to it," she murmured contritely.

She stopped her work and sat down in a chair "Let me see. What are some of the 'dont's' that I have handed out so freely to that child this morning?" she said. "There was, 'Don't make Tuck growl', 'Don't come to the table until you have combed your hair', 'Don't leave the screen door open', 'Don't ask for another cent today,' 'Don't—' O, I had better get a pencil and some paper and go at this in a businesslike way!"

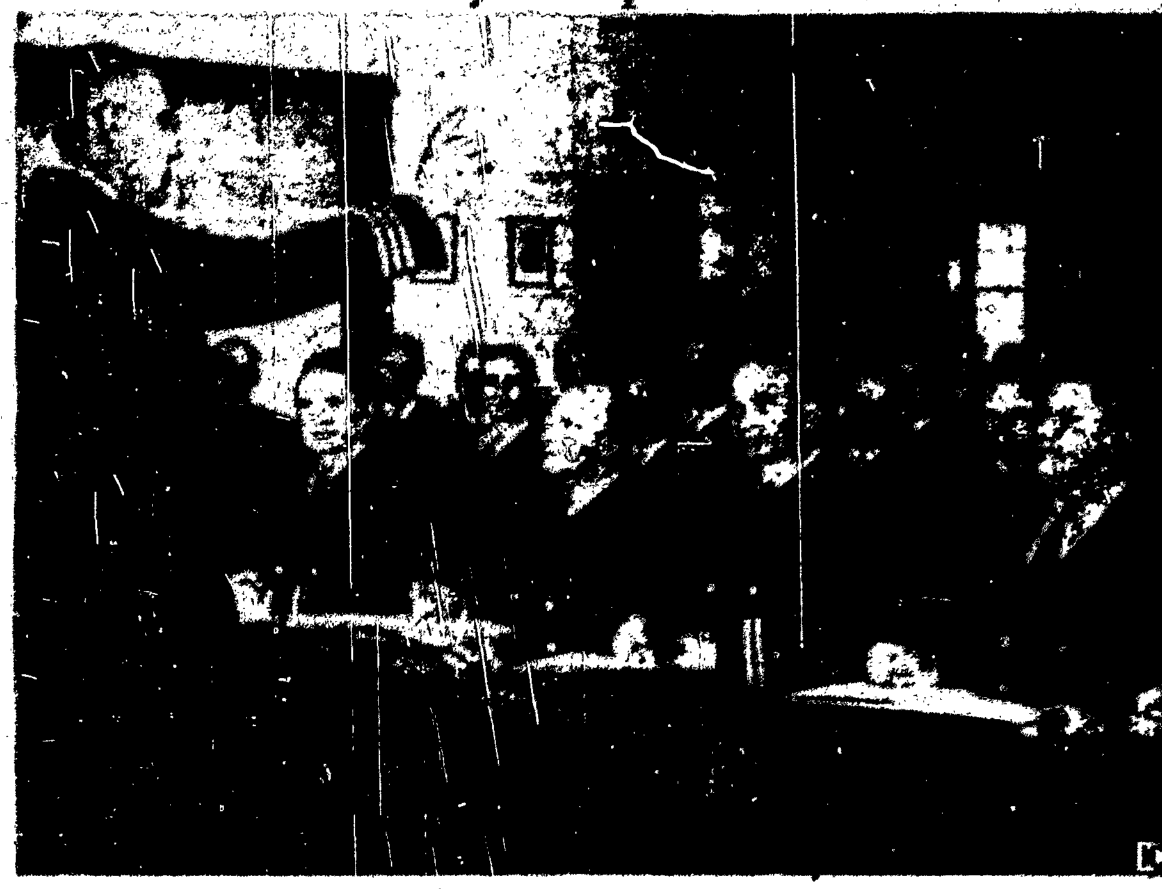
Carefully, Mrs. Bradley listed all the "don'ts" she could remember having inflicted on Bruce that morning. Opposite them, she listed the positive requests which she might have made in place of the negatives which had so irked her small son. She now realized how easy it would have been to say, "Please take Tuck out for a little run, Bruce" instead of "Don't get that dog to barking, I'm trying to phone."

Instead of telling him not to water the petunias, she could have suggested some use of the water which would have been beneficial or at least would have done no harm.

"With a little thought, I could have avoided all those unwise negatives," she decided. "In the future, I shall certainly try to avoid them. But if I forget, when Bruce says, 'Can't a guy do anything? I'll say 'Surely a guy can do something Son,' and then I'll suggest something interesting to do. I have a suspicion," with a wry smile, "that it will help my disposition as much as it does his."

And Mrs. Bradley was right, as she soon proved.

At the Navy Chaplains' School



Yes, even Chaplains must go to school! And maybe you will find your former parish priest in this picture At the United States Navy Operating Base in Norfolk, Va., newly commissioned chaplains learn the ways of the Navy at the Navy Chaplains' School, the first of its kind in our naval history A two months' course is given. (N.C.-Wide World photo.)

Anglican Minister Scrubs Prison Floor So Priest Can Say Mass

LONDON, Aug. 17 – An Anglican minister in Tunis, Isaac Dunbar, discovered 30 British Catholic sailors in a French prison in Tunisia, and telephoned to the English White Fathers at Carthage, and when arrangements were made for the visit of a priest he scrubbed the floor of a room in preparation for Mass.

This news is told by the White Fathers at Heston, near here They say the British soldiers had been in the camp for twelve months without any communication with the outside world. They are part of the crew of 100 of two cargo boats sunk off the Tunisian coast.

The camp is at a lonely spot 100 miles inland and one day the Anglican minister was invited to visit it. When the men expressed a desire to see a priest the Dr. Dunbar got into touch with Father Handcock, who is a professor at the White Fathers' Carthage seminary. Though recovering from illness he made the difficult journey.

An Arab guard nearly shot him as he approached the camp. A Scotsman saved the situation by shouting "A Catholic priest, boys! Take off your hats!"

Father Handcock found that the men had received nothing but their food and that they had not even one book between them. They had no prayer-books or rosaries.

Most of the men made their confession and Father Handcock returned to Carthage where the students made a collection of books, clothing and pious objects.

Then the priest returned to say Mass and found that the Anglican minister had scrubbed out a room for him.

Bishop Asks Prayers For Storm Protection

ST AUGUSTINE, Fla.—Prayers for protection against destructive storms are asked by the Most Rev. Joseph P Hurley, Bishop of St. Augustine, in instructions issued through the Very Rev. George Rockett, Chancellor.

It is urged that during August, September and October, when the danger of "northeasters" and hurricanes is greatest in this area, the oration, "Ad repellendas tempestates" be said in all Masses in which the rubrics permit. The members of the laity are also asked to offer their own prayers for protection against storms.

The liturgical prayer, "Ad repellendas tempestates," dates back many centuries.

"I couldn't serve as a juror, Judge. One look at that fellow convinces me that he's guilty."

"Sh-h! That's the district attorney!"

IN FORMER VICE-PRESIDENT'S HOME

The new Cardinal Farley Military Academy, at Rhinecliff-on-Hudson, N. Y., which will occupy the 937-acre estate and home of the late Levi P. Morton, former Vice-President of the United States Brother P. E. O'Ryan, of the Christian Brothers of Ireland, is principal of the school which will open soon. The property is the gift of Mrs. Morton to the Archdiocese of New York. (N.C.W.C.)

Argentina Youth Asks Fair Wage For Workers

BUENOS AIRES — The Christian Labor Youth of Argentina has petitioned Minister of Interior Miguel Culaciatti to take the necessary steps to reduce the cost of the prime necessities of life, and to raise the wages of workers whose minimum living costs exceed their average earnings.

The petition states that the disproportion between living costs and wages is "causing a deficit in the family budget, keeping the worker's family constantly in debt, and forcing it to live under hygienic conditions with grave detriment to physical and moral health."

Such conditions not only affect the quality of the work done by the head of the family, but also bring about a "general discontent among the working class, predisposing it to acceptance of the subversive theories of the communistic soap-box orator."

COLLEGE HEAD VOICES HOPE ALL MALE STUDENTS WILL JOIN ARMY, NAVY RESERVES

MILWAUKEE – The hope that every able-bodied male student at Marquette University will enlist in one or the other of the reserve units being maintained on college campuses by the armed forces was expressed by the Very Rev. Raphael C McCarthy, S. J., president of the university.

"We are confronted with a national emergency which calls for the greatest effort in American history," Father McCarthy said. "Total war demands total effort. It is the patriotic duty of every individual to render whatever services and make whatever sacrifices are required to win the victory.

"The schools are enlisted for the duration and for the difficult days that will follow. The army and navy officials have wisely concluded to utilize existing facilities in their attempt to build up the officer personnel which will be needed by our expanding forces and demanded as replacements for depleted ranks. They are encouraging eligible young men to enlist in the various reserves. These boys will be allowed to continue their studies because experience has amply proved that a college education is one of the most effective means of training for responsibility and leadership.

"The idea of the Government officials is not to enable boys to evade the call to service. It is to prepare them for more adequate service. It is hoped that every able-bodied student at Marquette will show himself ready and eager to cooperate with the authorities in the carrying out of their program."