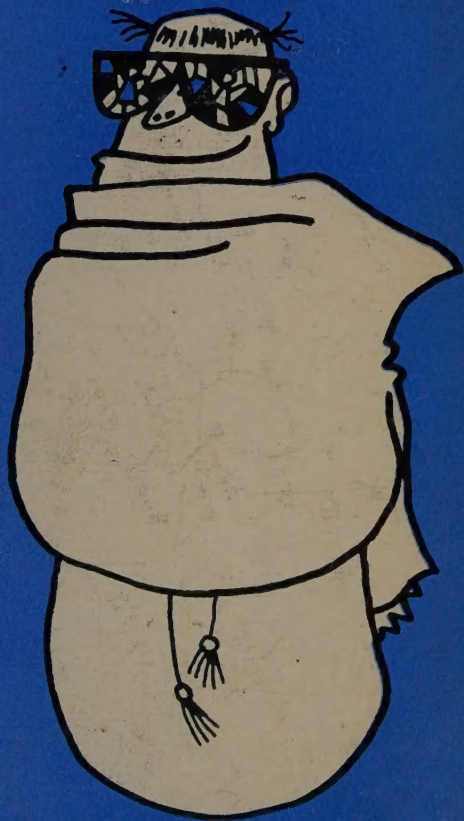


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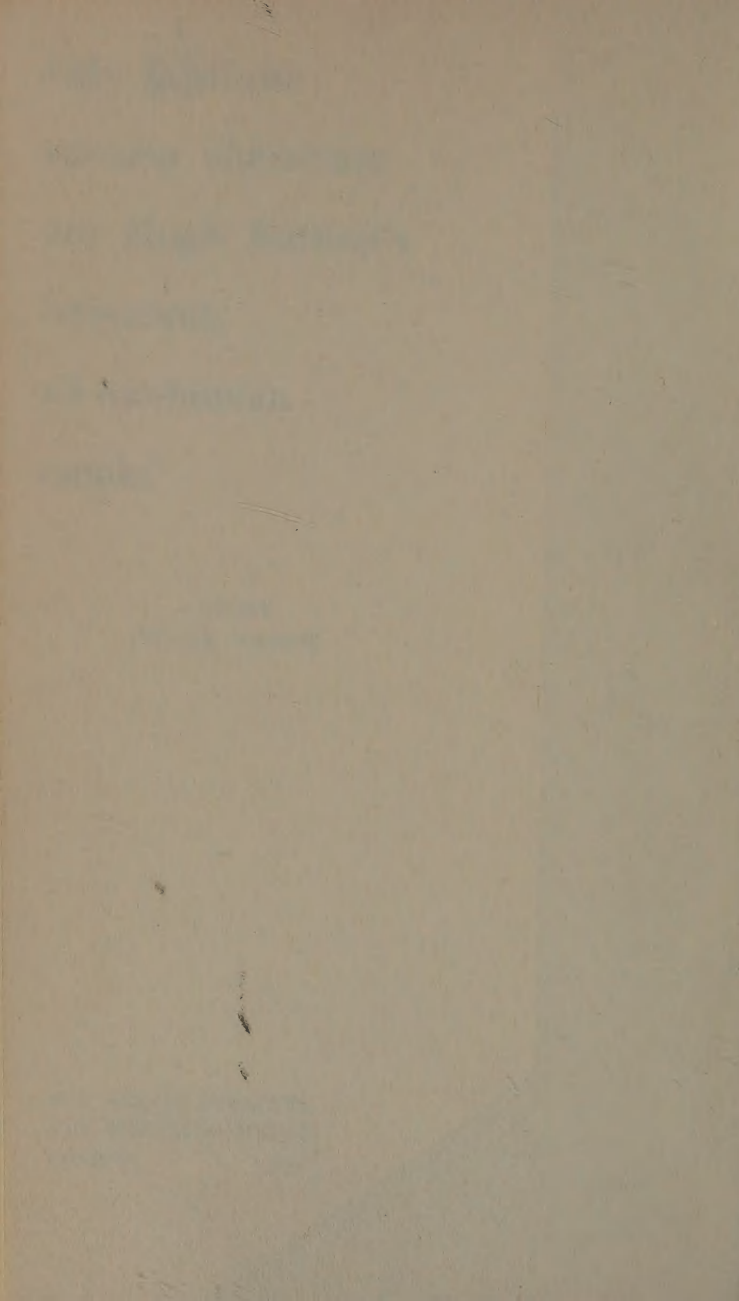
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"Five small loaves, please—!"



"I'm afraid you'll have to celebrate saints days like everybody else!"



“Could you very kindly lend me another cup of incense?”



“The more I see of him the harder it is to believe all souls are equal in the sight of the Almighty—!”



“For Lent I’m giving up penances—!”





“At least if it was a dove it wouldn’t be so bad—!”



*“It can’t be all that wonderful up there if he’s come back
to haunt us—!”*



"I've got the last trump—!"



*“Your sprinkling of holy water is not helping my
bronchitis any—!”*



"Snap—!"



*“And don’t forget—We were the first to put a man
into space—!”*



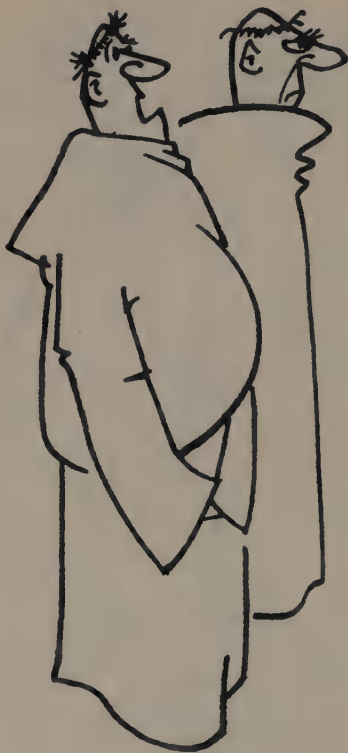
“And that’s another one of Rome”



“And make me better than Brother Angus—!”



“He’ll have your sins off you as soon as look at you—!”



“If you ask me, hell is the Abbot—!”



“You’ve been candid about my faults, so I’d be glad to fill you in about your own—!”



“Considering everything, I’m feeling much better—!”





"My knees are killing me—!"



“Now you try converting me—!”



“The only snag will be sharing it with women—!”



“And next time choose somebody else to tempt—!”

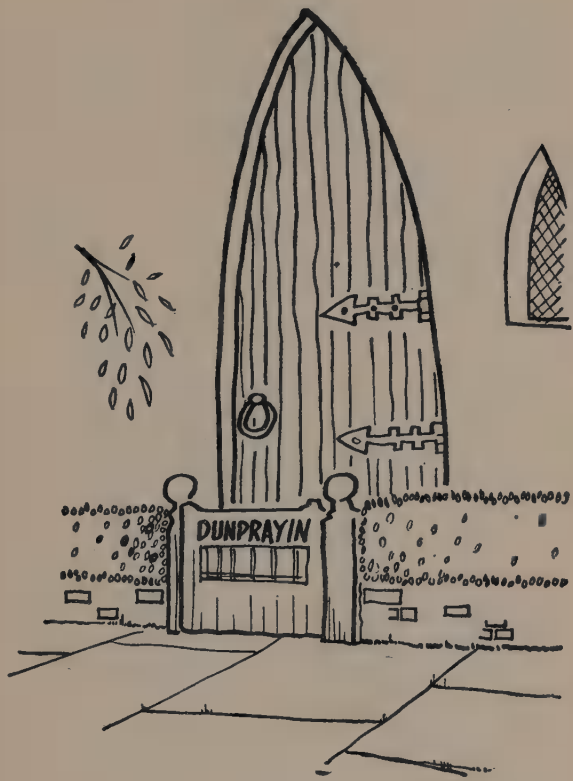


“If you were six foot two you’d know why it’s hard to be humble—!”



“No, honestly—You’re a figment of my imagination—!”









"Ave, Maria—!"

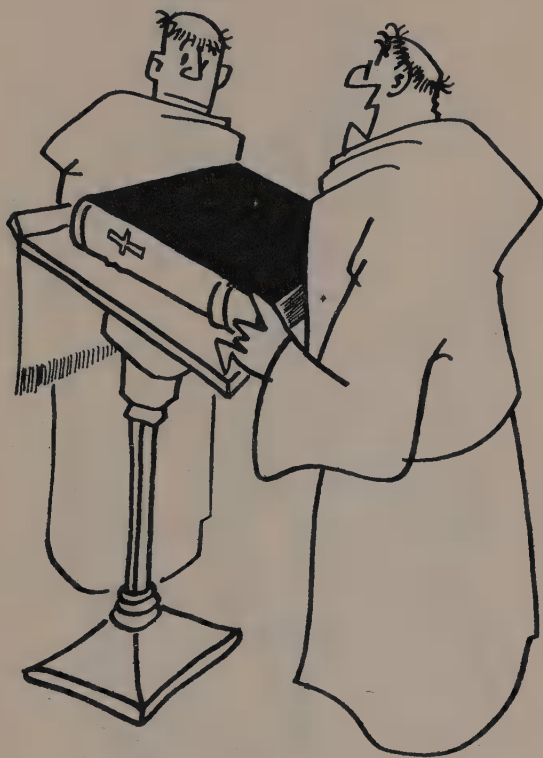


"I can outpray any man in the house—!"





“The idea is to make you pious, not to make you hungry—!”



“If only they’d tied up the film rights properly!”



“As a matter of fact some of my best friends are priests—!”



"Come in—Make yourself at home—!"



“You mean it’s possible to look like that and not be possessed by the devil?”





"It gets better as you go along—!"





*“My idea of heaven is a vow of silence for everyone
except me—!”*



“Is it my fault what I dream?”



*"I'll believe in miracles the day you stop sucking
your teeth—!"*



“You, levitate! You can’t even get up in the morning—!”



“Right ho Jack—Beat the retreat!”



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“Surely weed killer would be against the natural order of things—!”



“Well, we haven’t got a desert for you to meditate in so you’ll have to learn to live without it—!”



"I've been a missionary for twenty-five years!"



*“That’s terribly clever—Now change it back
into water—!”*



“Some of the lads were wondering whether you’d consider awarding sleeping out passes—!”



*“If it’s as wrong to think about it as it is to do it, why
am I wasting my time in here—!”*”



“And when you think about smoking do you inhale—?”



“And her christian name would have started with A!”







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“Drop the ‘brother’ and call me Tony—!”







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