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Leadership in Normandy

I think, and I knew to myself that all eyes, whenever there was anything on, was on me, and if I showed anything of fear at all they would have it. So what I had to do was keep it all inside. It was hard sometimes. You'd talk to them, treat them as though they were human beings, you know, not snarling and bawling at them that you should do this, do the damned thing yourself and let them see you doing it and ask them to help you to start with.