

Fair tonight and Sunday, slightly colder in north central portion tonight; slowly rising temperature Sunday

GERMANS OCCUPY SOFIA AS BULGARIA JOINS AXIS

Avenues To Ben. Lucas Declares U.S. City Filled With Troops

Germans Pour Into Capital By Panzer Divisions, Transport Planes; British Minister To Meet King Boris After Which British Declaration Of War On Bulgaria Is Expected

Sofia, Bulgaria, March 1. (AP)—Germany poured her army into Bulgaria by panzer division and transport plane today, occupying this capital en masse almost before the ink was dry on the Bulgarian signature to the Berlin-Rome-Tokyo alliance.

Britain's Minister George Rendel made a final appointment with King Boris this evening to tell him that Britain had no choice but to break off relations with Bulgaria.

A British declaration of war on Bulgaria and Royal Air Force bombs on the German communication lines within the country already has been predicted by the minister—in the event of just such an occurrence as today's.

The first German armored cars rolled into the heart of the capital two hours after Bulgaria's Premier Bogdan Philoff had signed at Vienna the document which aligns Bulgaria for the second time in a quarter of a century with warring Germany.

As darkness fell, the German mechanized columns still were thundering down the streets in increasing numbers and huge transport planes were coming down methodically at the Sofia airfield packed with troops.

Swarms of German fighter planes winged over the city, circling low enough for the cross and swastika markings to be plainly seen.

Soon after the German troops reached the heart of the capital, Bulgarian official sources said that Varna, strategic Bulgarian Black Sea port, was being occupied by the Nazis.

The military occupation must have begun at dawn with the crossing of the Danube.

For weeks the Germans have been establishing pontoon bridges there. They were in Sofia as it happened before many Bulgarians had learned that their country had signed the Axis pact.

Annual Meeting Held By Farmers Mutual

The 45th annual meeting of the Pitt county branch of the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Association was held in the court house Thursday with W. H. Williams, president presiding over the meeting in the absence of L. W. Tucker, president.

Mr. Tucker was re-elected president and J. L. Perkins was retained as vice president and James L. Little as secretary-treasurer.

Agents named were J. D. Cannon Ayden; W. A. Rouse, Bethel; D. S. Spain, Greenville; A. L. Woodard Stokes; B. F. Lewis, Farmville.

The following supervisors were named: C. H. Briley, G. H. Rouse, J. C. Parker, W. M. Taylor, J. T. Moore, Frank Hart, T. W. Lang, L. R. Whitchard, A. D. McLawhorn, Ivey Smith, V. C. Fleming, W. E. Smith and W. K. Clark.

Specialist To Speak At Farmville March 5

D. E. Jones, Extension Rural Electrification specialist from State College, will discuss and demonstrate the proper use and value of electric current at a meeting in the town hall at Farmville at 2 o'clock Wednesday, March 5th.

B. A. Joyner of Farmville and J. C. Parker of Falkland are engaged in making local arrangements for the meeting.

Mr. Jones' talk will be helpful not only to those who have already connected with power lines but also those who contemplate connecting with the lines.

Lieut. J. H. Moye Here For Few Days' Visit

First Lieutenant J. Howard Moye is spending the week-end at his home here prior to being transferred to Fort Sill, Okla., for a three-months special course at the artillery firing school.

Lieut. Moye has been at Fort Jackson, S. C., where he went last fall with Battery A, 113th Field Artillery, local unit of the National Guard.

Ben. Lucas Declares U.S. May Face War Alone If It Fails To Aid Britain

'Quake In Greece

Athens, March 1.—(AP)—Northern Greece was shaken by a destructive earthquake today and early reports indicated that casualties would prove heavy.

Buildings collapsed in Larissa, a town with about 30,000 inhabitants. The panicky population fled their homes, many in night clothes, when the shocks were felt at 5:55 a. m. (10:55 p. m. Friday, EST).

Larissa authorities telegraphed for tents for 15,000 homeless persons. Troops were engaged in removing victims trapped by debris.

MAP STUDY IN GIRL SCOUTING Training Course To Be Conducted At ECTC March 8

A training institute for Girl Scout leaders under the auspices of East Carolina Teachers College and the Greenville Girl Scout Council, Inc. will be held at the College on Saturday, March 8.

Mrs. J. B. Kittrell, president of the Greenville Girl Scout Council, Inc., will be general chairman of the day's program, with Miss Helen Oppenlander, Director Region VI, Girl Scouts, Inc., serving as coordinator.

The program begins at 9:30, registration being scheduled for that hour.

At the general session, at 10 o'clock, Mrs. J. B. Kittrell, presiding, will give a brief welcome for the College, Superintendent J. H. Rose for the city schools, and Mayor B. B. Sugg for the city of Greenville; the Greenville Browns will sing a welcome song, and a college group will sing Girl Scout songs.

The address of the morning will be made by Miss Frances Lee, Field Adviser of the National Girl Scouts.

From 11:00 to 12:30 o'clock Miss Lee, Miss Turner, director of Rocky Mount Schools, and Miss Oppenlander will discuss work with various levels in the scout organization.

At a luncheon scheduled for 12:45 the Greenville Girl Scouts, Troup III, will give a short skit and O. A. Hankner, head of the E. C. T. C. Physical Education department, will speak on "Health and Safety."

Mrs. J. B. Smith, chairman of Leadership in Greenville Council will preside at a meeting at 2, at which time the Greenville Girl Scout chorus will sing.

Interest groups will meet at 2:15 Miss Virginia Boeger will talk to the nature group; Miss Vida Wickes of the ECTC faculty, to the Arts and Crafts; R. G. Walker, of the Greenville high school, to the Dramatics; Miss Frances Lee to the Community; and Mrs. S. B. Underwood, Jr., of the Greenville high school, to the group in Folk Dancing and Games.

Pages will be Troup I of Greenville Girl Scouts. Troup VI will have a display arrangement.

U.S. Coasts Swept By Gale Force Storms

By The Associated Press Two storms of gale intensity swept up the east and west coast of the United States yesterday.

On the Atlantic seaboard swirling snow reached a depth of 14 inches in New Jersey, took at least 17 lives in traffic and other accidents and tied up shipping and air travel.

On the Pacific coast, squalls and sudden wind gusts ripped roofs from sheds and buildings, uprooted hundreds of trees and blew down power lines. More than a dozen persons were cut by flying glass from wind-broken windows or by falling plaster.

Negro Is Being Held In Shotgun Slaying

Allan Cobb, Negro about 50 years of age, was almost instantly killed about 6 o'clock last night when he was allegedly fired on with a shotgun by Les Anderson, also a Negro.

According to members of the sheriff's office Anderson shot Cobb as the latter was standing in his yard and Anderson was in the road. The two men are reported to have engaged in an argument over a "love affair" between Cobb's daughter and Anderson's step-son.

Both Negroes live in the same community, about three miles west of Winterville in the Renston section. Anderson was found at his home by officers.

Met By King George



London, Mar. 1 (AP)—The new United States Ambassador to Britain, John G. Winant, was personally received today by King George VI at a railway station en route from Bristol to London and diplomatic sources described it as "reciprocation" for the reception President Roosevelt gave Lord Halifax. (Winant, left, and Benjamin Cohen, right, president of the board, are shown above as they prepared to leave for London by trans-Atlantic clipper.)

Wheeler And Taft Flay Power Granted In Bill

RECREATIONAL PLANS MAPPED

WPA Technician Submits Report On Survey Of Needs

Funeral Held For James R. Gullede

Return From Funeral Of J. Jayroe Mills

DON'T GET PANICKY Babson Discusses Real Values

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TURN EFFORTS TO END STRIKE IN MILWAUKEE

OPM Encouraged By Settlement At Bethlehem Plant

ALLIS-CHALMERS EMPLOYEES IDLE

Legislation Aimed At Averting or Delaying Strikes Suggested By William S. Knudsen

Encouraged by settlement of the Bethlehem Steel strike at Lackawanna, N. Y., the Office of Production Management at Washington directed its attention today to a labor dispute which has tied up production at Allis-Chalmers' Milwaukee plant for more than six weeks.

Sidney Hillman, associate director of the Office of Production Management, resumed conferences yesterday with officials of the CIO United Automobile Workers, whose demands at the Allis-Chalmers factory center on union security. The plant employs about 9,000 workers and has \$45,000,000 in defense orders.

In an effort to avert threatened walkouts which would tie up an even greater amount of armament production, a federal conciliator was dispatched to Detroit, where the CIO Automobile Workers have served notice of intention to strike at three plants of the Ford Motor Company, which employs 50,000 persons and are working on \$148,500,000 worth of defense equipment.

The Bethlehem Steel strike was halted yesterday about 36 hours after it started, when the Steel Workers Organizing Committee, CIO, and the plant management agreed to accept a peace formula advanced by the Office of Production Management.

Meanwhile, William S. Knudsen, Office of Production Management director, sent a memorandum to Chairman Sumners (D-Tex) of the House Judiciary Committee outlining a method he suggested should be made mandatory when efforts to settle a labor dispute by conciliation break down.

His proposal included these points: No strike to be called without authorization of at least 60 percent of the employees in the affected plant; An investigation if a strike were voted by an Office of Production Management committee which would report within 10 days; Thirty day period then to elapse before work could be stopped.

"It might not be actively engaged in shooting, but when the British lost a ship they could take one from the American fleet to replace it," the Ohioan declared. Wheeler assented.

Earlier Wheeler had told the Senate that the time was "not far distant" when the president should use his legislative power in an attempt to bring about peace in Europe.

The Montanan interrupted an attack he had launched on the administration's British aid bill to assert that the president "still is in a position where he could exercise the powers he has to bring about a just peace, dictated by the United States."

A program of fun was enjoyed by members of the Greenville Kiwanis club at their regular weekly meeting last night when Dr. M. B. Massey was "tried" on a charge of "promiscuous perambulating" while on a recent trip to Florida.

The "charge" was brought by J. M. Taft, who was with the local Kiwanis on the Florida trip. "Judge" Eli Bloom presided and numerous "witnesses" offered evidence.

A more serious side of the program was presented by Rev. C. A. Patrick who, in accordance with a plan adopted some time ago, discussed articles appearing in an effort to create more interest in the official publication, Rev. Mr. Patrick is chairman of the Education committee.

Attention was called to the meeting to be held in Durham Friday March 7, at which time International President Mark Smith and District Governor Ray Albert Furr will be present.

Plans also were discussed last night for the annual ladies' night to be held on March 14.

Miss Janet Evans and Marvin Turner, vocational guidance students from the high school, were presented by Dink James as the two Junior Kiwanians of the week.

Former Gov. Laffoon Is Claimed By Death

Madisonville, Ky., March 1 (AP)—Rudy Laffoon, who created thousands of "Kentucky Colonels" while he was governor of Kentucky from 1931 to 1935, died today after a long illness. He suffered a paralytic stroke last week.

The 72-year-old Laffoon, a democrat, was succeeded in office by his lieutenant governor, A. B. (Happy) Chandler, now a United States senator.

Important Seaport City Also Reported Occupied

Bundles Arrive

The local organization of the Bundles for Britain movement today received word from the national office at New York that a box of clothing containing 150 warm garments had arrived.

Another box containing 200 more such garments, hats and 35 pairs of shoes, 15 of which were new, has been sent to national headquarters, but had not arrived when the message was received.

The local workshop in the Fire department building will be open Monday night from 7:30 until 10 o'clock and volunteer workers are urged to help with the work.

BUSY SESSION FOR ASSEMBLY

Thirty-Two Local Bills Enacted During Day

Raleigh, March 1 (AP)—At its busiest Saturday meeting so far this session, the General Assembly today ordered ratified 32 local bills.

Among new House bills was one by Moore of Wilson to provide for a graduated increase in fees which may be charged by justices of the peace and other county court officials.

Bills passed by the House and sent to the Senate included the following: House bill 353 to regular drawing of juries in Wayne; House bill 354, relating to court costs in Wayne; House bill 355 to make the solicitor of records' court in Washington the assistant to the Superior court solicitor; House bill 356, to elect city officials for the town of Bath; House bill 462, to regulate the fees of the Robeson rural police.

The Senate passed and ordered ratified House bill 352 relating to unclaimed fees in Wayne county.

Prisoner Wounded In Escape Attempt

Laurinburg, March 1.—(AP)—One prisoner was shot in the leg and two others escaped last night after the trio overpowered Jailer Walter Fletcher in the Scotland county jail.

The two who escaped jumped into a taxi and got away while the driver was in a cafe.

The prisoners saw away the bars of their cell and surprised the jailer when he came in with some coffee for some of the prisoners.

The prisoner who was shot was Sam Cummings, 18, serving a term for auto theft. The two who escaped were listed by the jailer as Woodrow Young, 28, serving a term for highway robbery, and Bill Williams 25, serving a term for auto theft.

Farmers May Apply For Emergency Loans

Roy Hearne, field supervisor for the Emergency Crop and Feed Loan office, announced today that emergency crop and feed loans for 1941 are available to farmers in Pitt county and applications for these loans are now being received in the county agent's office at Greenville.

As in the past these loans will be made to farmers whose cash requirements are small and who are ineligible for a loan from other sources, including production credit associations.

Money will be loaned to meet the applicants' necessary cash needs for preparing and cultivating his crops or for purchasing or producing feed for livestock. Borrowers who obtain loans for production of cash crops are required to give as security a first lien on the crops financed and in cases for loans for the purchasing or producing of feed for livestock, a first lien on the livestock to be fed.

Warehouse Proposal Killed By Committee

Rep. S. O. Worthington, home from the General Assembly for the week-end, reported today that a bill which would relieve warehousemen from liability where tobacco impressed with a lien has been sold on their floors, had been killed in committee.

The measure, offered by Rep. Garrett of Rockingham, was given an unfavorable report by Judiciary Committee No. One.

The Pitt county colon declared he had received many inquiries concerning the status of the proposal.

Weather Report table with columns for Temperature, Precipitation, and Barometer.

Social and Personal

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR Saturday, March 1, 1901

NOTICE! Persons having pictures they wish to have run in The Reflector are requested to get them into this office at least one week before the date they are to appear in the paper.

Social Calendar

MONDAY 10:00 a. m.—The Service League meets in Sheppard Memorial Library.

Miss Nellie Ruth Warren, who has been visiting her brother, Mr. Charles Warren and her sisters Misses Lillie and Helen Warren of Newport News, Va., has returned to her home.

Mrs. Bessie Jenkins is a patient in Taylor Hospital in Washington.

Miss Eleanor Barr of Fort Bragg is at home for the week-end.

Miss Mary Francis has moved from 927 West Fourth street to 1605 East Fifth street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Knott Proctor, Dr. and Mrs. K. B. Price and their guests, Dr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson of Buffalo, N. Y. left today for Washington, D. C. to attend the Congressional dinner at the Mayflower Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Edwards are spending the week-end with Mrs. Edwards' mother at Ballard's Crossroads.

Mrs. J. F. Gilbert has returned from New York and Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bostie and daughter, Mary Sue, of Farmville are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Berry Bostie.

Miss Catharine Tyson is home from Scotland Neck for the week-end.

Miss Louise Jones is ill at her home on Evans street.

Miss Katharine Jones is spending the week-end in Raleigh attending the Southern Conference basketball games.

Edgar Gibson, Louis Howell and Foy Clark, students at State College, are the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Gibson.

Earl Kittrell is home from State College for the week-end.

Miss Phyllis Shuff is home from Duke University to spend the week-end with her mother, Mrs. C. W. Shuff.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Forbes and small daughter, Julia Ann, of Washington, D. C. have been visiting Mrs. Forbes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Eilers.

Mrs. W. A. Peseck, Jr. of Wilson spent Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Eilers.

Mr. Wilbur Hardee and Miss Lena Mae Coward of Pinebluffs were visitors in Greenville Thursday.

Miss Clara Louise Corey is spending the week-end with Miss Elizabeth Williams of Greenville, Route Three.

Warren Parrish is home from State College for the week-end.

Immanuel Baptist Y. W. A. The Y. W. A. of Immanuel Baptist Church will meet Tuesday at 7:30 p. m., with Miss Hazel Willford.

Attention, G. A. Members. The Intermediate G. A. of Memorial Baptist Church will give their Home Mission program on Monday night, March 3, at 8 o'clock, in the Educational building, instead of in the church building, which was the first time announced.

All girls of Intermediate age of Memorial Baptist Church are invited to meet with us to study about our Home Mission Work.

E. C. T. C. Alumni. The Greenville chapter of E. C. T. C. Alumni will meet on Friday night at 7:30 o'clock in the new basement building at the college with Mrs. June Simmons, Miss Grace Smith, Dena Dora Haskett and Ella Tucker Smith as hostesses. A very interesting program will be presented by V. M. Mullalaha.

To Speak in Winterville. Reverend John Barclay, pastor of the Christian Church at Wilson, will speak at the Winterville P. T. A. meeting Tuesday night at 7:30. Rev. Barclay will speak on "Risks and the Near East."

Services at Bethany Tuesday. Services will be held at Bethany Free Will Baptist Church on Tuesday, March 4, at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. McAdams, Free Will Baptist home missionary, will speak. All members and others interested are urged to attend.

Masonic Notice. Greenville Lodge No. 284 A. F. and A. M. will hold a regular communication Monday night at 7:30. N. R. Jordan, Secy.

Church Conference. Tomorrow night at eight o'clock a conference of church leaders of the Eighth Street Christian Church will be held in the parsonage. Those expected to attend are heads of all departments and organizations of the church, teachers in the third year Junior and Intermediate classes of the church school. Cards have been sent to these and, in addition, all others who are interested in the preparations of the church for the Pre-Easter work are invited to be present.

10:00 a. m.—5:00 p. m.—Bundles For Britain Workshop.

3:00 p. m.—St. Catherine's Auxiliary of Episcopal Church meets.

3:00 p. m.—The Claude Wilson Circle of the Immanuel Baptist Church meets with Mrs. W. O. Bilbro.

3:00 p. m.—The Matrons of the Eighth Street Christian Church meet with Mrs. T. I. Wagner.

3:00 p. m.—Circle No. 1 of the Eighth Street Christian Church meets with Mrs. W. H. Woolard.

3:00 p. m.—Circle No. 2 of the Eighth Street Christian Church meets with Mrs. N. A. Roebuck.

3:00 p. m.—Circle No. 3 of the Eighth Street Christian Church will meet with Mrs. Guy Evans, Sr.

3:30 p. m.—The Circles of the W. M. S. of Immanuel Baptist Church meet.

3:30 p. m.—Meeting of executive board of the Women's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church.

3:30 p. m.—Circles Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church meet.

3:30 p. m.—The Circles of the W. M. S. of Memorial Baptist Church will meet.

6:30 p. m.—The Rotary Club meets.

7:00 p. m.—Meeting of the Lions Club.

7:30-9:00 p. m.—Group working Crafts at the Greenville WPA Art Gallery.

7:30-10:00 p. m.—Bundles For Britain Workshop.

8:00 p. m.—Y. W. A. of Immanuel Baptist Church meets with Miss Evelyn Jones.

8:00 p. m.—The Wesleyan Service Guild meets with Miss Jane Hadley.

8:00 p. m.—The Greenville Symphonic Chorus will meet at the Woman's Club.

TUESDAY 10:00 a. m.—12:00 p. m.—Drawing and painting classes for adults at the Greenville WPA Art Gallery. Free instruction.

10:00 a. m.—5:00 p. m.—Bundles For Britain Workshop.

1:00 p. m.—Mrs. J. Knott Proctor will be hostess to the Athenium Club.

3:30 p. m.—The Ladies of the Round Table will meet with Mrs. J. E. Nobles.

3:30 p. m.—The Inter Se Book Club will meet with Mrs. Wyatt Brown.

3:30 p. m.—Mrs. F. C. Harding will be hostess to the End of the Century Club at the home of Mrs. E. B. Ferguson.

3:30 p. m.—The G. A. of Immanuel Baptist Church meets at the home of Mrs. Herbert Harris.

3:30 p. m.—The Clio Club meets with Mrs. Lee Folger.

4:00 p. m.—Girl Scout Troop No. 3, Mrs. David Proctor, leader, meets in the Girl Scout room.

7:30 p. m.—St. Mary's Auxiliary of Episcopal Church will meet.

Honor Roll Honor roll of the primary department of the public school: Nannie Bowling, Ethel Bowling, Mary Lucy Duppre, Allie Estelle Greene, Oscar Greene, Inez Pittman and Estie Whitchard.

March, Third month. The year is one-sixth gone. Today had a spring feeling. A little of the snow about in spots yet.

March made a pretty beginning and came in very lamblike.

Memorial Baptist Circles. The Circles of the Woman's Missionary Society of Memorial Baptist Church will meet on Monday at 3:30 p. m., as follows:

Lottie Moon Circle, Mrs. A. W. Hodnett, Chm., meets with Mrs. S. L. Bridgers.

Fannie Heck Circle, Mrs. G. J. Bell, Chm., meets with Mrs. J. C. Duval.

Henrietta Hall Shuek Circle, Mrs. H. L. Andrews, Chm., meets with Mrs. A. E. Hobbgood.

Annie Armstrong Circle, Mrs. Graham Flanagan, Chm., meets at the home of Mrs. D. M. Clark, with Mrs. Clark and Mrs. A. C. Howard as hostesses.

The J. B. Lawrence Circle will meet with Mrs. Vance Perkins on Lewis street.

On Monday night at 7:30 the Ina Belle Coleman Circle, Mrs. Chester Welsh, Chm., meets with Miss Pink Manning.

Piano Recital. Miss Lois V. Gorrell's advanced piano class gave a miniature recital at assembly hour at the college yesterday, assisted by Mrs. Matheny, a voice pupil of Denton Russell of the music faculty.

Five members of the class appeared on the program, among them Maribelle Robertson and J. N. Williams of Greenville. As an introduction to each number, Miss Gorrell gave a brief comment on the composer and the nature of his work.

Following is the program: "Juba Dance," Nathaniel Dett, Edna Mitchell; "The Eagle," MacDowell; "Chasms, Wilda Rovall, Songs: "If God Left Only You," by John Denzmore; "My Lover is a Fisherman," by Lily Strickland—Mrs. Louise Matheny.

"Valse in A" Chipon, J. N. Williams; "Prelude in C Minor," Rachmaninoff, Maribelle Robertson.

Mrs. Hardee Critically Ill. Word has been received here of the critical illness of Mrs. H. M. Hardee at her home in Norfolk. Mrs. Hardee is a sister of Mr. W. S. Galloway of this city.

Meeting Cancelled. The meeting of the Literature Department of the Woman's Club, scheduled to be held on Tuesday, March 4, has been cancelled. The date of the next meeting will be Tuesday, March 18.

Falkland P. T. A. The Falkland Parent-Teacher Association held its regular monthly meeting Thursday evening, February 27, at 7:30, in the school auditorium. The study group met at 7 o'clock, with Mrs. C. A. Lawrence as leader. The sixth grade gave a play showing the beginnings of the Parent-Teacher Association and also a short program based on Founder's Day, using the candle-lighting service. The club sang a group of Stephen Foster's songs.

Due to the absence of the president, Mr. J. T. Lewis presided over the business meeting. The picture, which is kept by the grade with the most parents present at P. T. A., went to the sixth grade.

Delicious refreshments, furnished by Mr. G. H. Pittman, were served.

Falkland Honor Roll. Grade 1-B—Bessie Jean Lewis, Jean Jones, Glenn Fleming, Robert Bright, Floyd Langley.

Grade 1-A—Ernestine Hayes, Doris Marie Hudson, Louise Stocks, Alice Jean McLawhorn.

Grade 2—Edward Corbett, Evelyn Arnold, Eleanor Briley, Mary Alice Meeks, Bobbie Winberry.

Grade 3—Harvey Bradshaw, Rebecca Corbett, Joyce Clark.

Grade 4—Lorene Jackson, Linwood Peaden, Frances Little.

Grade 5—Evelyn Lawrence, Colton Winberry, Gladys Manning.

Grade 6—Louise Peaden, Barbara Ann Lewis, Frances Taylor, Margaret Windham.

Grade 7—Louis Lawrence, Charles Harris, Willie Winberry, Louise Walston, Doris Little.

Baptist Circles Meet Monday. The Circles of the Woman's Missionary Society of Immanuel Baptist Church will meet on Monday at 3:30 o'clock, as follows:

Mrs. Hughes' Mother Ill. Friends of Mrs. Hugh Hughes will regret to learn that her mother, Mrs. J. P. Smith, is very ill in Pitt General Hospital.

Methodist Circles To Meet. The Circles of the Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet Monday afternoon at 3:30 in the following homes:

No. 1, Mrs. M. K. Blount, Chm., with Mrs. Joe Taft.

No. 2, Mrs. J. G. Fleming, Chm., with Mrs. J. B. James.

No. 3, Mrs. Wyatt Brown, Chm., with Mrs. C. E. Oakley.

No. 4, Mrs. Leslie Jones, Chm., with Mrs. Van Fleming.

No. 5, Mrs. Jack Edwards, Chm., with Mrs. L. B. McCormick.

No. 6, Mrs. W. D. Pruitt, Chm., with Mrs. L. B. Garris.

No. 7, Mrs. E. H. Willford, Chm., with Mrs. Edw. Batchelor.

The Wesleyan Service Guild will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock with Miss Jane Hadley.

Attention, Methodists. Sunday, March 2, will be known throughout Methodism as Compassion Sunday. The Methodists of the United States have been asked to raise one million dollars for relief work in England, in China and in the army camps of this country.

The minimum amount asked from Jarvis Memorial Church in Greenville is \$162.70, but as some of the smaller churches may not be able to raise their portion, it is hoped that the local congregation may exceed this quota.

The contribution of each member of the Methodist Church is needed, and each is requested to help in this work. If you cannot attend church Sunday please send in your offering.

Presbyterian Announcements. The church schools at the First Church and Meadowbrook Chapel convene at 9:45 o'clock Sunday morning. They are schools for the whole family.

At 11 o'clock at the First Church, we shall have the pleasure of hearing Dr. A. P. Hassell, until recently a missionary to Japan, and the father of our own Mr. Pierson Hassell and a brother of Mrs. Hobbgood of Farmville.

He is cordially invited to hear Dr. Hassell. Since he is from Japan, it is most likely that he shall bring to us some most valuable information relative to conditions there.

At 7:30 p. m., Rev. Charles Lawrence will preach at Meadowbrook Chapel, following the Y. P. vespers service. On Monday the executive board of the Auxiliary of the church will meet at 3:30 p. m., as usual.

Wednesday night at 7 o'clock, the members of the First Church will gather there for their second annual Fellowship Supper. Mrs. Guy Smith will render a short organ recital at 6:30 p. m. Invitations have gone out to fully 300 resident members.

Rev. Arthur V. Gibson of Sanford, will be the special speaker for this occasion. The annual budget of the church for 1941-42 will be presented and a congregational meeting will be held, at which time Elders and Deacons will be chosen in the rotary system.

The supper is provided by funds from the Board of Deacons, and the Women's Auxiliary will serve it.

Good progress is being made in raising funds with which to purchase new pews and a carpet for the church and a meeting of the Improvements and Planning Committee of the Session will be held at the church Sunday afternoon, at the call of Mr. Picklen, chairman.

Greensboro College Alumnae. The Greenville chapter of the Greensboro College Alumnae met on Monday afternoon, February 24, at the home of Mrs. W. C. Harris on West Third street.

The rooms of the attractive home were fragrant and charming with beautiful arrangements of early spring flowers. Golden daffodils and spring-flowering shrubs were used throughout the home.

The president, Mrs. J. E. Parker, presided.

Mrs. J. R. Gullledge's absence was noted and regretted. The secretary was instructed to send Mrs. Gullledge a message and also Mrs. Jesse W. Brown, Sr., who has been unable to attend meetings for some time on account of an indisposition.

The chapter was especially happy to have as guest on this occasion, Miss Martha Tyson of New York City. Miss Tyson, who is well-known in Greenville, is a member of the class of 1882, and her name was added to our roll as an honorary member of the local chapter.

At the close of business, Mrs. Wiley Brown ably presented a most interesting college program. Mrs. Brown read from the centennial, "The Echo," a brief history of Greensboro College for one hundred years, in which its early difficulties and struggles for existence were depicted and its fine progress and success were noted.

Mrs. Brown added humor to her program by the vivid recall of some of her college experiences, mentioning among other things, the length of time it took and the inconvenience she encountered in getting to and from the college in her student days, and, of course, she said, then no one thought of coming home for Christmas, but college life was full of fun and the girls had a good time all the same.

Mrs. Brown read also a newspaper clipping about the first alumnae chapter organized in the Pitt county, which was very interesting to everyone present since two of the charter members of that early organization were present and, since the date of this meeting was so near the anniversary of Washington's birthday, Mrs. Brown closed her program with a humorous reading entitled "The Hatchet," in which her expression and child impersonation were perfect.

After the program a social hour was enjoyed, during which the hostess served delicious tea refreshments.



GOOD ENOUGH NOT TO EAT—Give Joseph Grunz, a New York chef, some spare time and this happens: stately called "Nature in Salt" and showing swans, cygnets and a woman. It appeared at chefs' exposition in Grand Central Palace.

Ballard's H. D. Club Meets.

(By Mrs. P. J. Elks) The Ballard's H. D. Club held its regular meeting with Mrs. A. C. Turnage on Wednesday afternoon.

We had 12 members present and three visitors, which we were very glad to have with us and hope they will come again.

The president, Mrs. L. E. Jones, opened the meeting by singing several songs, after which the club collect was read.

The major project for the afternoon was "Arrangement of a Bedroom." Mrs. C. L. Jones, Miss Rose Elwood Bryan and several others discussed the different units of a bedroom which consists of sleeping unit, dressing table unit, bath unit and storage unit.

Mrs. J. R. Gowan gave a very interesting talk on Poultry, and Mrs. P. J. Elks gave us some interesting notes for our spring gardens.

The minor project for the afternoon was "First Aid." Mrs. C. L. Jones gave us some real interesting facts concerning first aid.

We were delighted to have our new demonstration agent-at-large, Miss Rose Elwood Bryan, to meet with us.

We are very sorry so many of our members are sick and hope they will soon be well and able to meet with us.

The hostess, Mrs. A. C. Turnage, served a delicious plate consisting of cake, whipped cream and coffee.

The meeting adjourned until our next meeting which will be held on Wednesday, March 26, with Mrs. Chester Worthington. We wish to extend a cordial invitation to our friends to meet with us.

SEEING THROUGH MY WINDSHIELD

By ROSE ELLWOOD BRYAN (Home Dem. Agent at Large)

This week has been delightful. I have traveled many new roads, all of which were in excellent condition, in Pitt county. It has been a joy to see every farmer busy in the field plowing and cleaning up for spring.

I have met many fine women in the various clubs and found some splendid leaders busy at their various duties.

Home Demonstration Clubs

The St. Johns club met with Mrs. E. W. Fleming. These women are busy planning their community building to be located on the church grounds. Mr. L. C. Moore and Mr. George M. Taylor have already sent in some money.

Mrs. C. R. Fleming entertained the Pactus club. The blueprints

have arrived for their community building to be located on the school grounds. Mrs. Walter Langley reported their 4-H leaders were busy and they expect to help the 4-H club members turn in some of the best records this year that have ever been in. They are studying home beautification. They expect to plant some lovely lawns and to stop the cars from driving all over them.

Meadowbrook club met with Mrs. Rosa Briley. They not only had a splendid meeting of their own but loaned their House Furnishing leaders, Mrs. P. O. Allen and Mrs. J. W. Meeks, to the Bethel club. In the absence of an agent they gave the demonstration "Arranging the Living Room." Mrs. Briley told the members she would give them some dewberry plants. Just watch the small fruits grow at Meadowbrook.

Mrs. A. C. Turnage entertained the Ballard's club. Four of their leaders gave an excellent report. When the national defense program was mentioned it was an inspiration to hear Mrs. G. H. Crawford tell how she had saved her seeds for years. These women are keeping records of expenses and were distressed because their new books had not arrived.

The Chico club met at the Home Economics building Thursday afternoon. They broke the attendance record for the clubs with 22 present. They were busy planning a Kiwanis supper under the leadership of their president, Mrs. James Smith. Miss Mary Thomas, extension specialist in foods and nutrition from State College, gave them an excellent talk on our part in the national defense program. Miss Mildred Becton, the vocational home economics teacher, joined the women at the close of her classroom work. Mrs. Harvey Smith entertained us with a George Washington game, after which Mrs. Roy Gaskins and Miss Beatrice Gaskins served delicious refreshments of chocolate milk and home made cookies.

Cotton Stamp and Food Practice

Leaders from all over the county gathered Thursday night to receive information about the Cotton Stamps and Food Practices included in the farm program for 1941. Mr. J. L. Nicholson from the State AAA office, presented the program. Mrs. A. P. Hassell of the local AAA office, presented the work now being carried on in Pitt county. Miss Mary Thomas, nutrition specialist of the State Extension Service, presented the Daily Food Essentials that are required for every healthy person. She pointed out that these food essentials were valuable in a city-wide recreational program: the swimming pool, Army, tobacco warehouses, library auditorium and urged that a swimming pool be erected for colored children.

A portion of the report was devoted to parks and beautification and suggested that as long-term plan the south bank of the Tar river

County Wide Rat Control The club women are delighted with the county wide rat control program which Mr. R. R. Bennett, farm agent, and Mr. J. Y. Taylor, AAA chairman, and their committee are putting on in March. Each one plans to place their order for bait with the local committeeman the first week in March and to call for it on the 21st at the place designated in their local community, and to use it effectively. This they state will be most valuable as mice and rats are most destructive. The main thing they seem to like is baby chicks. A county without rats is beyond our fondest hopes. But if every farmer in the county cooperates, I am sure this can be done.

Matress Centers I have visited all four matress centers at Pierce, Pactus, Farmville and Bethel. Every one was busy and the nice new matresses were a joy to behold. But, alas, all is not so easy. The projects have been forced to close because the cotton has given out. They will resume their program just as soon as the shipment of cotton arrives. If the applications continue to come in as they are now this will not happen. Be sure to place your application at one of the centers or with Mrs. Ruel Tyson at the Agricultural building. Just as soon as the cotton arrives, notices will be sent out. Make every effort to come on the day assigned. With this cooperation we can run at full speed. To date 846 matresses have been made.

Recreational Plans Mapped. (Continued from page one) off from the street by a hedge or fence. She also explained that the swimming pool house might be used during the winter months and one of the nearby empty stores during the summer months for indoor activities.

Included in the center would be area east of Evans street. She proposed that another center for white children be located at Third Street school and designated the area as district three, embracing the area in that section. She pointed out that there was plenty of outdoor space and indoor facilities for the recreational project.

Center three, embracing districts five and six for white children, would be established at the Guy Smith park. Miss Teasdale explained that outdoor facilities were adequate and that indoor facilities could be provided under the stadium. She took into account the proposal to develop a playground adjacent to West Greenville school and suggested that when this is done the recreational center be transferred to the new development.

The fifth center would be for colored children in districts two and four, the northwest section of the city, and would be established at Fifth Street school and the Catholic Mission, with either place as headquarters. Both indoor and outdoor facilities are adequate for the program, according to the findings of the survey.

Center five, embracing district seven for colored, would be developed on a site adjoining the cemetery for children in the southwest section of the city. This project would entail the erection of a building and some work on the land, but Miss Teasdale pointed out that this center is badly needed and added every effort should be made to provide it since more than half the children in Greenville are Negroes.

The sixth center would be established for pre-school and younger children in the first district. It was pointed out that the Center No. One will not be readily accessible to small children in the first district. The report proposed that the Rotary club building be used for the younger children. She explained however, that facilities at the Training school might be used in connection with this center.

The report listed the following as supplementary facilities which would be valuable in a city-wide recreational program: the swimming pool, Army, tobacco warehouses, library auditorium and urged that a swimming pool be erected for colored children.

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be acquired by the city and developed into a city park and proposed a similar development on the banks of Green mill run. It also suggested that city-owned property, including school grounds and play grounds, be developed into parks.

FUNERAL HELD FOR JAMES R. GULLEDGE

(Continued from page one) Duke University. President Leon R. Meadows of the College paid tribute to the work and character of Mr. Gullledge. After speaking of his early life and preparation for the position of librarian, President Meadows told of the development of the library of the college under Mr. Gullledge in his five years as its head, naming among other things the growth in the size of the library, the establishment of the course in library science, the increased staff, and the addition of third floor stacks.

Mr. Gullledge was a man of vision, he said. The last line he sent officially to the president's office closing a report intended to be played before the General Assembly, shows how he looked down the future—"This means that the next step for enlargement is a new library building."

"He is not dead," said President Meadows. "So long as the spirit of southern hospitality, the spirit of courtesy and genuine friendliness, the love of good literature and of people is among us, the spirit of James R. Gullledge will live also in our midst."

After the hymn "Goin' Home" by the college choir, A. L. Dittmer played Braga's "Angel's Serenade." The active pall bearers were H. J. McGinnis, E. C. Hollar, J. H. Moyer, G. J. Woodard, J. Herbert Waldrop, and Dr. W. I. Wooten, of Greenville; J. A. Station of Bethel; Jesse Keach, Victor Ruark, and J. E. Edwards of Belhaven, the ten men who were Mr. Gullledge's companions on the fishing trip two years ago on which he very nearly lost his life when the boat went down and the party drifted for hours before being rescued.

Honorary pallbearers were the men of the college faculty. Present for the service at the College were a number of relatives and out-of-town friends. They included Mr. Gullledge's mother, Mrs. S. T. Gullledge, and his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Gullledge, of Albemarle; his three sisters, Miss Mary Gullledge of Albemarle, Mrs. Charles M. Sturkey of Bryon, Ohio, and Mr. Sturkey and Mrs. Eugene Smith and small daughter, Lou Ann, of Roselle, N. J.; a nephew, James M. Sturkey from State College, Raleigh; Mrs. Gullledge's mother, Mrs. R. A. Byrd of Hendersonville; her brothers, A. M. Byrd of Greenville, S. C., and C. R. Byrd of High Point; Mrs. O. L. Lackey of High Point, and Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Barber of Columbia, S. C.

Among the many floral designs were a grave number from groups and organizations, not only of the College but of the town also. The regular marshals of the College served as ushers, and were assisted in the lobby by Clifton Britton and Ward James of the student body.

Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Frank, Dr. and Mrs. Denver E. Bachman, Miss Elizabeth Smith, and Mrs. Paul Rick accompanied the party to Albemarle as representatives of the college.

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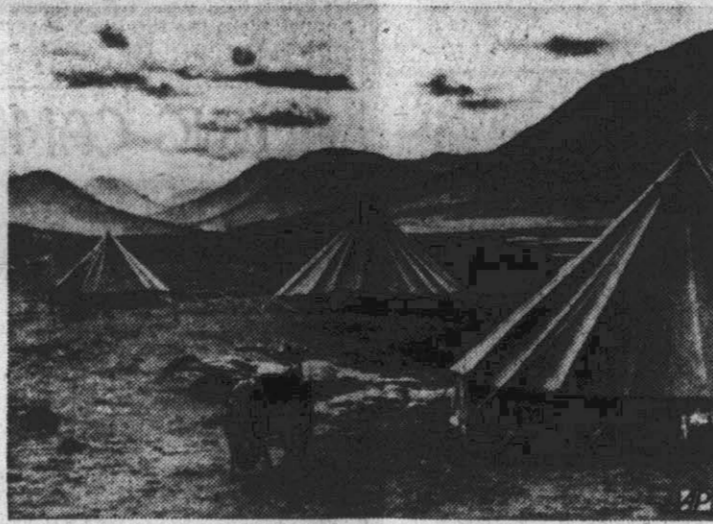
MONDAY, MARCH 10th 10:00 A. M.

5 Mules, 1 Horse, 1 Cow, and all Farming Implements. Sale at J. W. TETTERTON HOME PLACE

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SPRING'S IN THE AIR—On the lighter side of winter's picture are the "Skippy Queens," a girls' softball squad at New Orleans, where spring training is taken seriously. "Henny" Johnston leaps toward a base, beating a toss by Pitcher Betty Breaux (background). Betty Thiel (right) waits for throw. Last year the Queens were runners-up for state title.



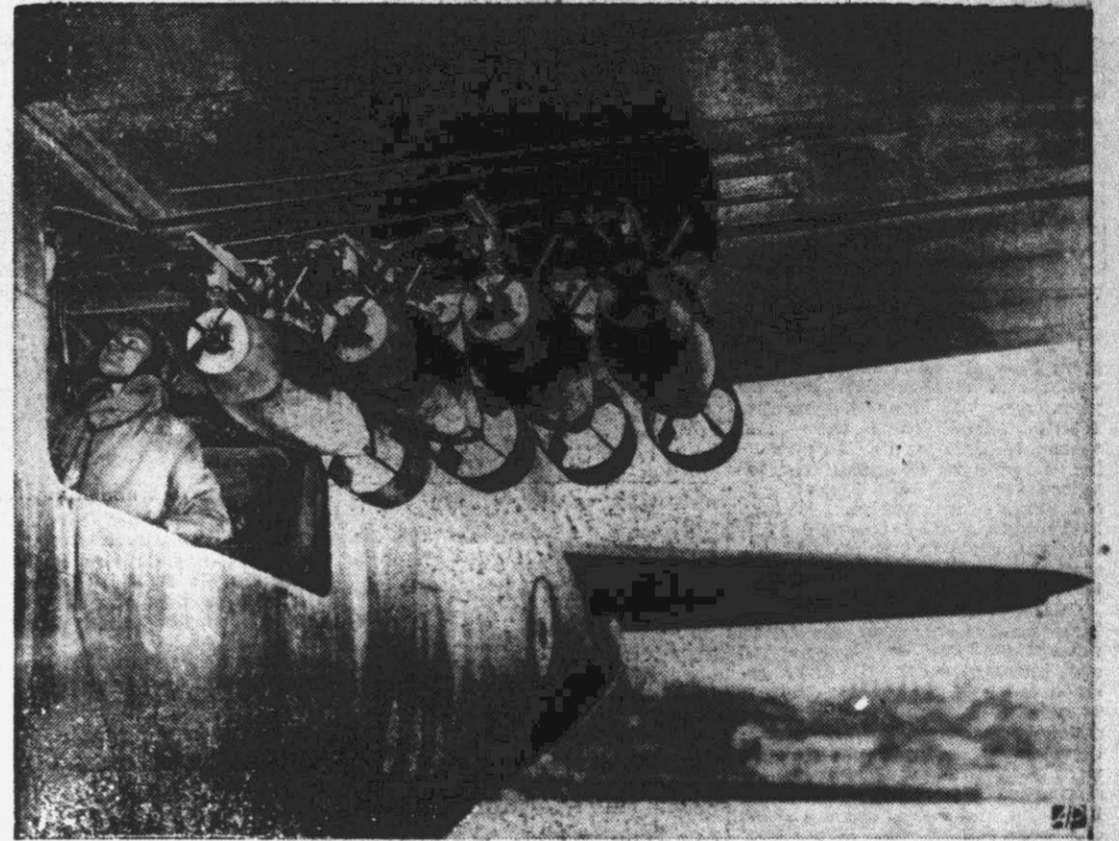
LAND OF MIDNIGHT SUN—To bleak Iceland, once a sovereign state united with Denmark, the war has reached. Here is the sleeping camp of some Canadian troops, established on Iceland to guard against incursions by Nazis.



RICE IN A RACE—These are the pistons that drove J. Gregory Rice, former Notre Dame distance runner, to a new world three-mile indoor record of 13:51 at 53rd annual A.A.U. championships in New York. Rice finished in a dead heat with Don Lash, the catch being that Lash was a full lap behind. Rice is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Rice of Missoula, Mont.



EASY—FOR HIM—Can you displace top ball without disturbing balance of stick? Oslie Delroy can, after years of practice.



'GETTING THE DROP' ON ENEMY—Closeup of an Australian Air Force plane in service near Britain shows bombs moved out on their mobile racks to "action position" under wings.



These three survivors of the Eastern Air Lines crash near Atlanta were forced to sit helpless and shivering while their companions died in the smashed plane. This picture taken after rescuers arrived on the crash scene. In the foreground is K. B. Sewell of Atlanta. Background (left to right): Philip Brady of Hollis, N. Y., and George Fineburg of New York City.



THINKS NOTHING OF IT—Very little had Lieut. Andrew C. McDonough (above) to say about his breath-taking, 620-mile-an-hour, four-mile dive, in an Aircobra interceptor-pursuit plane at Buffalo, when he arrived by this transport plane at his home town, Atlanta. However, others talked about his feat, plenty. He's a naval reserve and a commercial airlines pilot.



BANDMAN—Dressed for the part, Fred W. Pike, director of the McAlester prison band at McAlester, Okla., shows how he'll add sartorial color to a rodeo soon to be presented. Note that his name is well displayed on the fancy chaps.



Tige Is Plane Crash Hero
Tige, a small white Spitz owned by a farmer, was dubbed a hero for his "work" in connection with the plane crash near Atlanta. It was Tige, running excitedly, who led N. Hansell of Bronx, N. Y., from the plane wreckage to a farm house where a call for help was sounded. Tige stands in front of the big transport's motor which was hurled 50 feet away from the fuselage when the big ship struck a pine grove.



THE SPACE ACE—Torger Tokle (left), 22-year-old Norwegian ski ace, tells how it felt to soar through a snowstorm 243 feet and 238 feet at Lake Placid, N. Y., to shatter an Olympic 65-meter jumping record set nine years ago at Lake Placid. Tokle's skis are three-grooved. Some 4,000 persons saw the jumps which were on concluding event of Lake Placid Sno-Birds' meet.



RODEO RULE—A Tucson high school girl, Louise Priser, ruled over La Fiesta de los Vaqueros, annual rodeo staged in quite rip-roaring fashion at Tucson, Ariz.



LONG REACH TO SAFETY—A five or six-inch spike, such as this man is using, helps in self-rescue of a person who has fallen into water. He drives spike into ice, pulls self up waist high, then brings a leg up over the ice.



SCOUT RESCUE CROSS—Of their own design for use in wintertime rescues is the Boy Scout rescue cross being demonstrated. The cross, made of two 12-foot lengths of spruce notched together, offers two arms to drowning person in icy water.



IS THERE A BOY SCOUT ON THE ICE?—Because winter sports, especially ice skating, may cost a life, the Boy Scouts rehearse rescue procedure and study accident prevention often. Scout rescue of a "victim" who'd crashed through ice as shown here, the Scouts wriggling out in a human chain, thus distributing their weight over a greater surface. Boy Scouts' equipment for rescue operations includes five or six-inch spikes, a 20-foot length of 1/4-inch rope, strong muscles and a cool head.

Stokes-Arthur Girls; Stokes-Winterville Boys Tonight

STOKES TEAMS COME THROUGH

Boys Upset Farmville, Girls Defeat Pac-tolus

The semi-finals will be run off tonight in the county-wide basketball tournament at East Carolina Teachers College with Stokes and Arthur girls starting off the program at 8 o'clock.

This game will be followed by a battle between Stokes and Winterville boys.

Both Bethel teams were assured of a place in the finals when byes were drawn by the girls and the boys.

Arthur girls continued to show their strength last night, defeating Chicod 34-24. The victory was sweet revenge, for the Chicod team had tripped the Arthur girls near the close of the regular season.

The Stokes girls won a right to semi-finals play by taking an overtime 21-19 win over Pacolus.

The Stokes boys, not to be outdone by their fair comrades, came through with a 14-13 victory over the highly favored Farmville team. H. L. Whitehurst scored nine points to lead the Stokes team to victory.

Arthur boys put up a good fight in an attempt to enter tonight's semi-finals along with their girls team, but Winterville proved too much and pulled out on the long end of a 37-30 count.

The two Bethel teams which drew byes and will enter the finals tomorrow night with tonight's winners, had little trouble in defeating their respective foes.

Bethel boys, paced by R. Weeks with seven points, defeated Grifton 22-15, while the girls defeated Fountain 19-7.

Last night's games provided several thrillers, with the overtime tilt between Stokes and Pacolus girls providing one of the highlights. Another much-talked battle was the one-point victory scored by Stokes over Farmville. The Farmville team was slated to come through and probably win the tournament, while the Stokes team was given only a fair chance of advancing this far in the tournament.

Tonight's contests are expected to attract large crowds, with Monday night's finals slated to draw an even larger number.

He's UP Again



FRANZ VON PAPEN

Things are looking up again.

Franz von Papen, handsome German aristocrat, was called the man behind the Bulgarian-Turkish non-aggression treaty. That put him on top again after being on and off for 25 years. Here's his record:

DOWN—As a German military attache accused of plotting, he was recalled in 1915 from Washington.

Tripoli Was That Place In Your History Book Where The United States Fought Barbary Pirates



"Tripoli today is a beautiful city of 100,000, with white, flat-topped houses rising row on row from the water..."

AP Feature Service

If the British had a talent for piracy they might be able to make an infernal nuisance of themselves by taking Tripoli.

Tripoli in the past has been a pirate's paradise for attacks on Roman, Italian and other shipping. Even your Uncle Sam was victimized once—but not for long.

Original Tripoli (the three cities) was owned by powerful Carthage and ships sailed from its harbors against the fleets of Carthage's sworn enemy, Rome. Then Rome beat Carthage and took Tripoli along with most of the rest of the world.

After Rome tottered, Tripoli was conquered successively by Vandals, Arabs, Spaniards, and Turks. By that time, the country had gone pretty much to pot and the Turkish boys took up piracy to make ends meet.

There was the notorious Barbary pirates, who ranged from Algiers and Tunis as well as from Tripoli and levied toll on the shipping of all the world. European powers took turns chastising them. But for centuries white slaves decorated Tripoli's harem and worked Tripoli-

tan galleys.

U. S. Took Action

Then your Uncle Sam got mad. He, like most other nations, was paying tribute to Tripoli for "protection." Tripoli tried to hike the ante. Your Uncle Sam's retort was in the tone of Charles C. Pinckney's historic reply to a French effort to force a loan: "Millions for defense; but not one cent for tribute." He had been paying \$83,000 annual tribute.

Anyway he sent a squadron to lambast Tripoli in the modern manner—without the formality of declaring war. One of the U. S. ships, the Philadelphia, unfortunately ran aground in Tripoli harbor, got itself captured and gave Stephen Decatur ("our country, right or wrong") his chance to gain immortality by leading a desperate and successful attempt to burn it. Also another American, William Eaton, pioneered Britain's blitzkrieg route, took Der-na and was planning to continue his march west when the war ended with Tripoli being bombarded and pacified. That was in 1804.

Ten years later, Uncle Sam had to do the job over again. Tripoli re-

luctantly left piracy, promptly went broke and grubbed along under the Turks until Italy bestirred herself to get ahead of the French and Germans and grabbed all of Libya in 1911.

The native tribes hadn't been consulted, of course, and did quite a little shooting before they would admit the transfer of title.

Has 100,000 Population

Tripoli today is a beautiful city of 100,000, with white, flat-topped houses rising row on row from the water and minarets pointing to the sky. The promontory on which it is built forms a crescent-shaped bay and gives Tripoli sea breezes and comparatively cool weather.

The oasis east of town is rich, with groves and fields covering its 25 square miles, but the grim desert sweeps in nearly to the west edge.

Mostly, however, the true desert stays away from the coast and on the intervening territory shepherds tend their flocks. Wormwood grows in clusters on the stony plateaus and gazelles still roam. Three caravan routes, crossing the Sahara at its narrowest, converge on the city.

Milton Tucker read topics on this subject, which were very interesting. Our hostess, assisted by Mrs. Novella Edwards, served sandwiches, salted nuts, crackers and Coca-Cola, which was enjoyed by all present.

Little Rebecca Ann Pate and Peggy Edwards are both ill with measles, we are sorry to report.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Tucker, little Jane Tucker, W. J. Edwards, Mrs. Novella Edwards, Mrs. Jimmie Edwards and Mrs. J. R. Godley were shoppers in Raleigh Thursday.

While there they visited the Pierce

Machine Knows All The Answers They're Hunting For A Moon



Teacher Mildred Joslin of St. Louis demonstrates the machine which grades 40 papers a minute.

AP Feature Service

St. Louis—This machine age may abolish one of the drudgeries of the drudgeries of the teaching profession—grading papers.

An electrical device embodying some of the principles of the mechanical filing system is being tested in a public school here. It grades as many as 40 papers a minute, a job which ordinarily might require hours of after-school work.

The pupil, using a special pencil of high graphite content, marks what he considers the right answers on his examination paper. Then the paper goes into the machine.

A button is pressed and keys hit down on the correct answers. If there is a mark on the pupil's paper in the correct space, the key records an electrical impulse. Fifty impulses equal 50 correct answers. Teacher watches a dial and jots down the pupil's name and score.

The machine is adaptable to any kind of test with multiple-choice questions.



When heavy seas scour the ocean bottom and wash rocks up on the California shore, hundreds of persons start searching for moonstones.

Not true gems like those from the Orient, but rather a milky quartz known as Chalcedony, they still are suitable for cutting and polishing. Some are used in jewelry, the larger ones as agate bearings. Best price is about 50 cents a pound.

Here are some moonstone hunters in action.

NAZIS EAT MORE POTATOES LESS MEAT

Week's Basic Diet For Average German

	1927	1937	1941
POTATOES—81 Oz.	Normal	Deficient	Deficient
BREAD—50 Oz.	87 Oz.	100 Oz.	+23
MEATS—23.5 Oz.	62 Oz.	59 Oz.	+18
FATS—12 Oz.	19.5 Oz.	13 Oz.	-45
	11 Oz.	8 Oz.	-33

Based On Official German Statistics, U. S. D. A. Estimates

DAN DUNN - SECRET OPERATIVE 48



BLONDIE — by Young



THIMBLE THEATRE (Starring Popeye)



A Short Cut Alibi!!



Now Showing: Mining His Own Money!



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POSTAL ODDITIES

GUY M. DAVIS - LOS ANGELES P.O. CLERK RECENTLY WON A CAKE-BAKING CONTEST IN WHICH HUNDREDS OF WOMEN COMPETED!

PICKPOCKETS OFTEN DROP STOLEN PURSES IN MAIL BOXES

Thousands of stolen pocketbooks are found yearly in letter boxes where they have been deposited by pickpockets. Thieves find mail boxes handy for this purpose because they afford a quick place to deposit a stolen article without raising suspicion.

A Postal Oddities program is presented over radio station WGTC each Tuesday afternoon at 5:45 o'clock.

WANTS

Charges 1 1/2c per word, minimum charge 15c for 25 words, one insertion; six insertions \$1.25; one month \$7.00. Indented lines known as classified display, or larger than regular size type, double price.

Other than to business houses having regular accounts with us, "want" ads will be charged. Send or bring cash with order. To prevent errors, want ads will not be taken over the telephone.

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N. C. approved, pullorum tested. All popular breeds. Hatch each Monday and Thursday. Dall Hatchery, Ayden, N. C. 19-1 mo.

MISS LELIA HIGGS WILL BE IN
New York the week of March 9-16. Anyone wishing selections made of rugs, wall papers, furniture, lamps, etc., call 3024. Special attention will be given to individual needs. Sat-Mon-Wed.

FOR SALE, CHEAP—COMBINATION
electric box—four ice cream holes and drink compartment—at Leo Hawkins' Service Station on Washington Highway. 22-2t

PROTECT YOUR FLOORS
with one of our Door Mats—a big assortment to select from. Home Furniture Store.

FOR RENT—FIVE-ROOM MODERN
apartment. Duo-Therm heat. Corner of West Third and Davis Streets. \$25 per month in advance. Mrs. C. W. Shuff, Phone 3416. Mar. 1-eod-1f

FOR RENT—4-ROOM UNFURNISHED
apartment. Duo-Therm heat. St. and Colonial Ave. Good neighborhood. Near Third Street School. \$15.00 per month in advance. Milton H. White, 414 Latham St., Dial 3228.

FOR RENT—THREE-ROOM UNFURNISHED
apartment. 204 Washington St. Dial 3842.

SPECIALS FOR SUNDAY—HARD
Rolls, Lemon Meringue, Apple and Coconut Pies. People's Bakery.

FOR RENT—SIX ROOM BUNGALOW
Near Third Street School. Move today. \$20 monthly advance. L. J. Smith, Real Estate-Insurance.

Chicago Grain Market

(Courtesy Vernon Parrish)

WHEAT—	Open	Close	Pr. Cl
May	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2
July	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2
Sept.	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2
CORN—			
May	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
July	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
Sept.	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
OATS—			
May	35	35 1/4	35 1/4
July	31 1/2	31 3/4	31 3/4
Sept.	30 3/4	30 3/4	30 3/4
RYE—			
May	42 1/2	43 1/4	42 3/4
July	44 1/2	44 3/4	44 1/2

N.Y. Stock Market

New York, March 1.—(AP)—The stock market exhibited a lamb-like mood today as it stepped into the month of March and leaders generally failed to get anywhere in particular.

A few small orders and specialties attracted modest bidding, but steel, motors, aircrafts and coppers lacked rising animation during the greater part of the brief session. Slightly mixed prices prevailed at the close.

Dealings were among the slowest since last August, with transfers approximately 150,000 shares.

Some Movie 'Stills' Are Never Seen

The "Hays office" isn't concerned with "moving pictures" alone. The organization for administering the film industry's self-imposed censorship applies just as many rules to "still" shots used for advertising as it does to the movies. The accompanying pictures show how regulations governing portrayal of such things as crime, sex and religion are applied to the "stills." You may see suggestive pictures, but chances are they were taken by free lance photographers, the Hays office explains.



This shot of Mary Beth Hughes was rejected.



This one was not so revealing, passed easily.



The Hays office decided Robert Preston was making love to Paulette Goddard here in a too "impetuous" pose....



A picture of the same pair sitting up like this was permitted. Reclining love scenes are not necessarily taboo.



Most people think the Hays office requires twin beds. It doesn't, but British censors do. Hays office advised producer this still of Merle Oberon and Melvyn Douglas would get by in England.



This still of Mary Martin was passed. It illustrates plot: producer saw legs, gave her a job.

N. Y. Stock List

American Radiator	67 1/2
American Telephone	160 3/4
American Tobacco B	69 3/4
Anaconda	24 1/2
A. C. L.	15
Bendix Aviation	34 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	78 1/2
Chrysler	65 1/2
Col. Gas and Electric	4 1/2
Commercial Solvent	9 1/2
Consolidated Oil	5 1/2
Curtis Wright	8 1/2
Dupont	14 1/2
Electric Power and Light	3 1/2
General Electric	32 1/2
General Motors	42 1/2
Liggett and Myers	90 1/2
Montgomery Ward	36 1/2
Reynolds Tobacco B	32 1/2
Southern Railway	12 1/2
Standard Oil of N. J.	34 1/2
U. S. Steel	58 1/2

Large Sums Borrowed From Federal Agency

Farmers obtained nearly 161,000 emergency crop and feed loans in 1940 for a total of \$19,470,625, according to figures released by S. P. Lindsey, Jr., director of the Emergency Crop and Feed Loan section of the Farm Credit Administration. This compares with 139,452 loans made in 1939 for \$15,079,509, or an increase of 15.4 per cent in the number of loans and 29.1 per cent in the amount.

The early launching of the loan program in the storm and flood affected areas of the south, together with broadened activity in the Wenatchee-Okanogan district in the Pacific northwest, was the chief factor in the greater volume of loans made in 1940, the director pointed out. These loans are made for short periods to small farmers who cannot obtain loans from other sources for the production of crops or the feeding of livestock.

Hog Markets

Rocky Mount 7.10

New York Cotton

New York, March 1.—(AP)—Cotton futures closed unchanged to five higher, middling spot 10.90, off four.

WANT ADS PAY

Professor Deal Heard By Washington Lions

R. C. Deal, member of the East Carolina Teachers College faculty who is greatly in demand as an after-dinner speaker, made the principal address at the annual ladies' night meeting of the Washington, N. C. Lions club last night.

Professor Deal is the unofficial ambassador of good will both for the college and the city of Greenville.

Campaign Is Planned For Control Of Rats

County Agent R. R. Bennett reported today that the services of L. C. Whitehead, district agent, division of predator and rodent control have been secured to assist in putting on a county-wide rat control program in Pitt.

The county agent said the action was taken following receipt of numerous requests for assistance in eradicating the rodents.

The campaign is planned for March 21 and any person desiring to take part is urged to place their order for the poison with his local

Romancers in "Santa Fe Trail" at Pitt Today



Errol Flynn and Olivia de Havilland add the romance to the stirring story of the West "Santa Fe Trail" playing at the Pitt today through Monday.

AAA committeeman.

Mr. Bennett explained that Mr. Whitehead uses a red squill poison which, if handled properly, is not poison to farm animals. He warned, however, that extreme care should be used in placing the poison so as to keep it away from the animals.

It was pointed out that for the campaign to reap the full benefits it would be necessary for the entire county to join in the drive on the rodents at the same time. The poison will be mixed by the farm agent, office force and will be distributed to the various township centers so it can be distributed and put out the same day it is mixed.

RED OAK NEWS

The Red Oak Club meeting will be held Tuesday afternoon, March 4, at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. C. S. Hunter on the Farmville highway.

The meeting was previously scheduled for Wednesday.

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means a \$900 tax for each man and woman employed. Income taxes have not only doubled, but the number of people required to pay them have greatly increased. All of this is an addition to big increases in real estate taxes and taxes upon everything we buy. Nearly all the readers of this column are today paying out in taxes, directly and indirectly three dollars out of every ten dollars they earn.

Those who forecasted these great tax increases were howled down a dozen years ago. Yet, it is any more unreasonable to believe that taxes will be much less a dozen years hence? So long as the world continues to revolve around the sun and so long as pendulums continue to swing, then prices, interest rates, real estate values, and taxes will continue to go up, and then down! It is as foolish today to think that things are going to continue to grow worse as it was in 1928 to think that conditions would continue to grow better.

Don't Be Hooked By Crises

We hear a lot today about the possibilities of synthetics—this means the manufacture of everything artificially, from children to coffins. College professors tell us that our potatoes will be grown by electricity, that cotton will be pulled out of the air, and instead of bothering to cook food, we will swallow a pill three times a day with a glass of water. Perhaps we will!

Statistics show that with all the college professors, medical experts and dieticians, we are lucky today if

we live to the "three score years and ten" which we read about in the Scriptures of three thousand years ago. My guess is that the next trend will be toward old-fashioned corn bread and molasses, and that we will hear less about vitamins, A, B, C, D, E, F, G, and so on ad infinitum. We think candles and kerosene have "gone," but statistics show that more of both of these are being sold today than ever before.

Educational Changes Are Ahead

Let's look at the educational record: When I was a boy in Gloucester, I attended a two-room school house with a stove at one end and an outhouse in the back yard. But we did learn how to spell, to add and to work. Moreover, in those days our parents were more interested to have us get training than diplomas. In fact, I did not even get a diploma when finishing my course in high school. Today, our children get their so-called education in palaces with the latest heating, ventilation, and lighting equipment, to say nothing of the extravagant toilet facilities.

Mr. W. J. Cameron, of the Ford Motor Company, told me the other day that the number of students preparing to be mechanics is only about one-seventh the number now employed as mechanics; while the number now studying for the professions is about 13 times those engaged in the professions! If young men would study these figures more and two-legged figures less, they would learn to be good mechanics, builders, and plumbers. The days when white-collar jobs offered the best opportunities have gone.

It has been said that the only thing which is permanent is change. This means that nothing will remain as it now exists—some things are getting better, while others are getting worse. There always will be changes. If you are blue over the war, read Green's History of England or the history of any country — including the United States. War has been a normal condition. There is nothing to worry about today if we will have the guts of our ancestors. We need Hitler to wake us up. Surely England did. Invest in Homes, Kids, and Religion

It is fair to say that there are certain things which have always been of value, and always will be. Let me mention a few: (1) Good health is of great worth. Time and money invested in keeping ourselves well is a primary investment. (2) The ability to take care of one's self, whether by the raising of food or by the building of houses, is of real importance. A dollar may be worth 100 cents or 10 cents, but the quart of milk from your own cow which your family drinks always has the same value. (3) A good sensible wife or husband and a family of properly-trained kids cannot be beat as a sound investment. Too

TODAY AT THE MOVIES

PITT—"Santa Fe Trail"—Errol Flynn, Olivia De Havilland

STATE—"Three Men From Texas" with William Boyd, Serial

many parents depend upon safe deposit boxes rather than upon children. I am still betting on the old-fashioned investment in a good family and a home with a kitchen garden. (4) Let us not forget the church. It has come through the ages as a great pillar of strength. Better invest a little more money in your church and other good works. (5) It is well to buy U. S. Baby Bonds, a few well-diversified, conservative stocks, and some life insurance; but remember these are only investments of the past century while the other things have always been valuable and always will be.

No Trace Of A Hangover

Richmond, Va.—(AP)—A one-time federal prisoner out on parole called by long distance telephone to tell Carroll Minor, chief probation officer, that he was drunk and wanted to get back in the penitentiary. Advised by the officer that a warrant couldn't be obtained until the next day, the probationer pleaded he might sober up and change his mind. He did.

MANNERHEIM'S DIET WATCHED BY FINNS

Copenhagen.—(AP)—The Finnish Field Marshal Mannerheim will get his special porridge, made of cracked buckwheat, after all.

It was recommended as part of his diet by physicians but the war halted importation from England and America. Finns living in Denmark heard about the difficulty, bought up the small quantities available here, and sent it to him.

The Smarties!

Goldboro, N. C.—(AP)—Officers seeking bootleg whiskey searched a dwelling unsuccessfully and were about to give up when one of them turned a spigot for a drink of water—and got liquor. The pipes had been concealed behind the plaster and a still was in the attic.

Today's Short Story

Army trainees at Fort McClellan, Ala., have brought military life up to date. Bugle calls are sounded by playing phonograph records over a public address system.

NOTICE

North Carolina—Pitt County. In The Superior Court. Adam Karl Miller -vs- Pearl Frederica Failor Miller. The defendant, Pearl Frederica Failor Miller, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, to obtain an absolute divorce from the said defendant, and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said county in the courtroom in Greenville, N. C., on or before the 19th day of March, 1941, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint. This the 17th day of Feb. 1941. E. F. TUCKER, Asst. Clerk Superior Court of Pitt County. Jack Edwards, Atty. Feb. 18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1941

SUNDAY-MONDAY

Gripping Drama!

A mad doctor wins the affections of wealthy women, marries them, then methodically does away with them!

"THE MAD DOCTOR"

Starring **BASIL RATHBONE**

ALLEN DREW, JOHN HOWARD with Barbara Allen, Ralph Morgan

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"LOVE'S INTRIGUE" Comedy
LATEST NEWS EVENTS

TUESDAY

Daring Gangster Picture
PAUL MUNI

in
SCARFACE

Special Attraction on Display in Lobby—Wax Figures of Famous Gangsters Killed at Their Rackets

WED.-THUR.

"TIN PAN ALLEY"

with ALICE FAYE, BETTY GRABLE

FRI.-SAT.

Ray Corrigan in "WEST OF PINTO BASIN"



NAZI WATER PLANE—A 700-yard starting rope that's manipulated by a windlass is used for this amphibian glider, shown in Berlin by its inventor, Jachtmann (above).

Iron Rails To Kansas... Iron Nerves from there on!

Re-live a great American saga... with the heroes who tamed the devil's own highway... and called it the Santa Fe Trail!

Ride and thrill with **ERROL FLYNN** and **OLIVIA DeHAVILLAND**

with **RAYMOND MASSEY**, **RONALD REAGAN**, **ALAN HALE**

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Goofy with Gags! **ROAD SHOW** Furious Fast Fun!

with Adolphe Menjou, Carole Landis, John Hubbard

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Ann Sheridan, George Brent
"HONEYMOON FOR THREE"

Coming **WESTERN UNION** In Glorious Technicolor

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