

THE WEATHER

Fair, slightly cooler in southwest and south central portions tonight; generally fair and slightly warmer Thursday.

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GERMANS SAY U.S. PLANS TO SEIZE MARTINIQUE

RED FORCES IN UKRAINE IN GRAVE POSITION Declare Action Result Of New French Policy

HEAVY LOSSES ARE SUFFERED

Nazis Declare Black Sea Port Of Odessa Caught In Gigantic Squeeze; Soviet Quarters Assert That If City Is Entered Germans Will Find Smoking Ruins Of Demolished Factories And Empty Streets

(By The Associated Press)
Russia's Red armies appeared to have all but lost their grasp on the western half of the Ukraine below the Dnieper river today as German troops smashed from three directions at the great port of Odessa and suicide rear guards fought bitterly to cover the Soviet retreat to the Black sea.
A British war office spokesman acknowledged that the Russian position in the Ukraine had deteriorated rapidly and the Soviet high command was obviously silent on the struggle.
While the situation was undoubtedly grave for the Russians, qualified observers said the loss of the lower Ukraine, even the capture of Odessa, would not be a decisive blow to the Soviet. It was pointed out that the richest prizes still lie beyond the Dnieper river to the east where the big industrial centers are located. Most of the lower Ukraine now being overrun by the Nazi invasion armies is an agriculture country, while the treasure vaults of iron, manganese and other war materials are in the east.

(By The Associated Press)
Hitler's high command reported today that Nazi troops were "pursuing the enemy retreating toward Black sea ports," inflicting bloody losses on Russian rear guards, and the British conceded that the Red army position in the Ukraine was very grave.
Nazi military dispatches asserted that the port of Odessa, main base of the Russian Black sea fleet, was caught in a gigantic "squeeze" with German columns storming toward the city from three sides.
Soviet quarters in London said that if the Germans enter the Black sea ports of Odessa and Nikolayev they will find a "smoking ruins of demolished factories and empty streets."

German reports said a considerable Red army force was trapped along the Black sea coast between Odessa and Ochakov, 40 miles east, cut off from retreat by German and Rumanian troops knifing down the Bug river valley to the sea.
The Soviet high command, silent for the first time on key sectors in the 53-day-old struggle, reported that Russian troops had routed one German division of 15,000 men and smashed another division, killing and wounding 7,500 men.
"During the night of August 12 nothing of importance took place on our front," the Red army's mid-day communique asserted.

Soviet Russians interpreted the communique as indicating that the new German advances toward Odessa and Leningrad had been stemmed, reducing the third big Nazi offensive of the war to minor local actions.

The Germans, however, reported that Hitler's invasion armies were crushing the last Soviet resistance in the western Ukraine. Berlin commentators predicted that Marshal Semeon Budennyi, in command of Russian armies in the Ukraine, would have to surrender the entire Dnieper river bend to swiftly-advancing German and Rumanian troops.

Last Holiday

Hundreds of store clerks and other employees of Greenville business houses this afternoon enjoyed their last Wednesday afternoon holiday of the 1941 summer season.
In accordance with the resolution adopted by the Greenville Merchants Association proclaiming the mid-week half holiday during the summer, the practice will come to a close the week prior to the opening of the local tobacco market. The market opens on Tuesday, August 26, and all stores will operate on a full day's schedule next Wednesday.

Consider Opening Break On Border Belt Markets As Best In Four Years

Legless Ace Missing



Wing Commander Douglas R. Bader (above), legless veteran of the British Royal Air Force who had been credited with shooting down 15 German planes, was reported missing August 12. He lost both legs in a flying accident with the RAF in 1931.

AIM SET FORTH BY OPM CHIEF

Knudsen Predicts Peak Production By Next July

New York, Aug. 13.—(AP)—Director General William S. Knudsen of the Office of Production Management predicted today that if the nation's defense program hit the half way mark by January 1, 1942, "we should hit peak production by July and after that America can write its own ticket on war material."

"And that ticket can, as far as I am concerned, be twice what anybody else's ticket is," Knudsen added. Greater speed in sub-contracting defense orders will be required to accomplish the objective, he asserted, in an address to the New York division of Commerce Production Clinic.
"Decentralize that procedure business and let each manufacturer handle his job and his business with as little of—I could almost say Washington—as possible and we will get it done," the OPM chief declared.

"All we need is the will to get this job done and we have one great advantage—nobody is going to bomb us much while we are doing it. I think it is too late for that. All we need is to get together—stop bickering over procedure."

Colored Draftees Leaving August 21

Forty-five Negro registrants of the two Pitt County Selective Service Boards have been advised to report here at 7:30 a. m. Thursday August 21, to be sent to Fort Bragg for induction in the U. S. Army.
Twenty will be sent from Board No. One and 25 from Board No. Two.

Those to be sent by Board No. One follow: James Carney, Bethel; John Roy Carney, Route One, Bethel; Elbie Howell, Bethel; James Henry Morning, Bethel; John Benjamin Gibbs, Greenville; Jesse Carney, Bethel; John Henry Hollis Bethel; Horace Lee Joyner, Greenville; Jesse Dell Roberts, Greenville; James Jones, Route One, Greenville; Roy Earl Wilks, Route Two, Greenville; William Roscoe Wiggins, Greenville; Earlie Williams, Greenville; all volunteers, James Edwards, Route Two, Farmville; Hiram Leroy Hardison, Route Three, Vanceboro; Ernest Gullett Johnson, Farmville; Russell Rollins, Route Five, Greenville; Garfield Newton, Route One, Greenville; Clifton Moore, Fountain; Acie Gay, Route One Fountain.

Those to be sent from Board No. Two follow: Joseph Chappell, Greenville; James Marshmond, Greenville; Awnie Othorious Cannon, Winterville; James Teel, Greenville; Thomas Hardy, Greenville; Jesse Bass, Greenville; Rubin Carmon, Route One, Winterville; Bruce Chapman, Route Two, Winterville.

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With Apparent Improvement In Offerings, 25-Cent Averages Set Yesterday Expected To Be Exceeded For Second Day; Farmers Declared To Be Well Pleased At Better Than Expected Prices

Florence, S. C., Aug. 13.—(AP)—The better quality offerings received higher prices today as auctioneering of the 1941 Carolinas flue-cured tobacco crop on the 16 Border belt markets went into the second day.
Price averages apparently were being boosted above yesterday's average of around 25 cents a pound.

Farmers, satisfied with the better than expected prices, crowded the warehouse floors with tobacco. On several markets blocked sales prevailed.

On the Fairmont, N. C., market, where 945,802 pounds were sold yesterday for an average of 26.45 cents a pound, Supervisor C. B. Stafford reported farmers were highly pleased with their sales. Prices continued firm there today.

At Conway, the better grades got slightly higher prices and during the first 15 minutes of auctioneering the average was 27.75 cents, compared with an opening average of 26.50 cents. A total of 225,000 pounds was offered at Conway today and farmers were reported highly pleased.

Prices continued to advance on the Darlington market, the average reaching a high of nearly 30 cents. Much of the better quality weed sold as high as 40 cents, while lugs continued to bring anywhere from six to 10 cents.

In Darlington, farmers were described as being surprised at the best opening break in the last four years. Around 500,000 pounds was offered and about 200,000 pounds was sold yesterday.

This morning's sales at Kingstree were estimated at 24,05 cents a pound. Supervisor A. G. Swails said the quality of offerings appeared a little off from yesterday, but that good grades were continuing to sell well, with smoking types in demand.

Tabor City, N. C., reported a better break today with the market stronger than yesterday. In the first two hours 62,916 pounds were sold for \$15.795.18, an average of 25.01 cents. Top prices were in the 40's, some piles going for 45 cents a pound.

Offerings continued heavy and prices firm at Lake City, where 624,280 pounds were sold yesterday for \$158.021.79, or an average of 25.47 cents, compared with 602,642 pounds for \$119.035.20 on the opening day of 1940 for an average of 19.75 cents. Slight advances were noted today on medium grades of smoking types and cutters and lugs continued firm with top prices around 39 cents.

Supervisor Joe Hawkins reported that prices advanced one to three cents a pound on the Timmonsville market and said the quality was inferior to that offered yesterday.

Adel, Ga., Aug. 13.—(AP)—With sales heavy on all markets, most grades of tobacco held to earlier price gains yesterday in the Georgia-Florida flue-cured tobacco belt, the United States Department of Agriculture reported. The quality of the offerings was described as not quite as good as Monday.
General satisfaction with prices continued, department specialists said. Domestic manufacturers continued to bid actively for all cigarette tobacco.

Traffic Trouble In Three Dimensions
Albermarle, N. C., Aug. 13. (AP)—The car was coming. The car was coming. An automobile and an airplane collided on a stop near the airfield when Craven Almond's plane failed to gain altitude and struck the car. Damage was slight and no one was hurt.

HOUSE PASSES SERVICE BILL ON CLOSE VOTE

18-Months Extension Passed In Tumultuous Session

ACT ADOPTED ON 203 TO 202 VOTE

Senate May Be Asked To Accept Minor Changes In Order To Avoid House Vote On Compromise Bill

Washington, Aug. 13.—(AP)—By the hairline margin of a single vote, a tumultuous House gave its approval last night to an 18-months extension of service for the army's rank and file.

Temper frayed by the rough and tumble debate of a 10-hour session, the representatives burst into a roar when Speaker Rayburn ended the dramatic suspense of the final roll call with the announcement that the legislation had been approved by a record vote of 203 to 202.

Thus, the House joined the Senate in approving the War Department's insistent request that Congress authorize selective, national guardmen and reserve army components be kept in training for a total of 30 months instead of 12 and that it remove the 900,000 maximum on the number of draftees that may be in service at one time.

Final congressional action by the week-end on a compromise between the almost identical Senate and House bills was expected on all sides—but the unusually close House vote raised several questions of procedure.

The normal course would send the measures to conference with each chamber being required to vote on the compromise version. That would mean that the administration would have to run the risk of being defeated in the House.

Senator Barkley of Kentucky, the majority leader, expressed the hope that the Senate might accept the minor House changes in its original bill, thereby permitting it to go to the President without any further House consideration.

Busy Plant.
Memphis, Tenn., Aug. 13.—(AP)—Otto F. Wohlrat's flower plant blooms on a 24-hour-a-day shift. By grafting, Wohlrat has succeeded in producing both pink and white night-blooming cereus and a Christmas cactus on one plant. The cereus bloom at night and the cactus in the daytime.

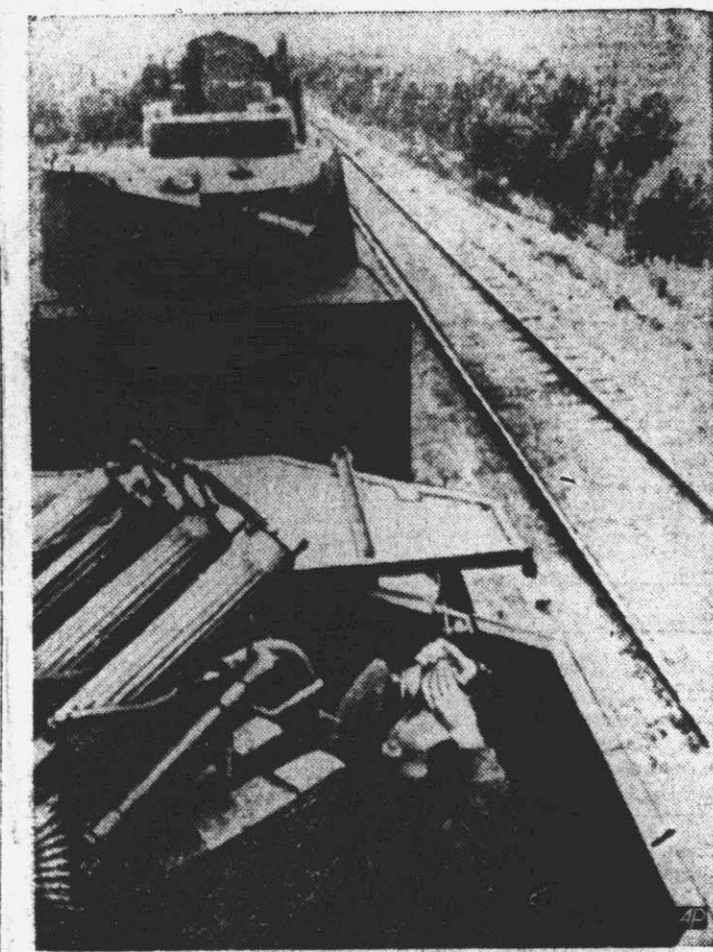
Local Chairman Reports On Bundles For Britain

By MRS. J. T. LITTLE

After listening to the deep appreciation as expressed by Queen Elizabeth in a radio talk this past Sunday, people of Greenville will be interested to know how our local ladies have carried on to do their part. During the month of July one large shipment of used clothing was made. This contained 160 pairs of shoes plus about 500 well repaired and cleaned used garments. Shipments made from the work room included 12 layettes, 60 children's dresses, 12 pairs men pajamas, 24 mens shorts and 36 tray cloths for hospital use. These articles have been made in the sewing rooms of Greenville, Winterville and Simpson. In the knitted wear during the month of July, we shipped 42 scarfs, 32 pairs of socks, 10 soldier sweaters and 12 children's sweaters. While this has been comparatively a slack month due to summer vacations and outings, the ladies of Greenville and surrounding communities can well accept the sincerity of thanks and appreciation as voiced to them in the above mentioned radio talk.

In conjunction with our local work, we will all be interested in the recent report relayed on July 26 from Bundles for Britain headquarters in New York City. The report was as follows:
"Bundles for Britain, Inc., 745 Fifth Avenue, announced yesterday the direct shipment to Great Britain of 1,468 cases of refugee clothing, air-raid shelter sets and equipment, hospital garments, knitted articles for civilian wear and for members of the British armed forces, 15,200 hospital garments and 236,200 pieces of refugee clothing contributed by donors in virtually every state in the union. These were packed at the Bundles for Britain warehouse, 112 West 89th Street, by volunteer workers, many of whom responded to a recent call for assistance in caring for the great influx of clothing which followed a recent appeal for apparel to be distributed among victims of bombing raids over Great Britain.
In addition to the goods shipped direct, Bundles for Britain also sent seven cases, containing more than 8,000 surgical instruments to the American Red Cross for shipment to Great Britain."

Russians Use Armored Train



This radiophoto from Moscow shows a Russian armored train moving toward the front to engage the Germans in battle. Such trains were used by the early Bolsheviks in the 1917 revolution against the czarist government and have now been put back into service with success, the Soviets claim.

Royal Air Force Wages Extensive Aerial Raids

SEEKING POST AT YDC MEET

Miss Davenport Candidate For Committee woman

Miss Patsy Davenport of this city, who has recently offered her candidacy for National Committee woman from the North Carolina Young Democratic organization, stands — so far as is known — uncontested for the coveted political honor which she seeks.

Election of Young Democratic officers will take place in Winston-Salem at the "most elaborate YDC convention ever held in this state," according to Ralph W. Gardner, present YDC state president.

Extensive scouting through the environs of Eastern North Carolina by an impartial researcher has as yet failed to turn up any extensible (Continued on page two)

Bombers Range From Norway To France And To Berlin

London, Aug. 13.—(AP)—British fliers, in a wide foray which ranged all the way from Norway to France, attacked Berlin heavily last night and unloaded explosives and incendiary bombs on a dozen other German cities.

In the German capital, a London Air Ministry communique stated, "large fires which were started were increasing their hold when our aircraft left."

The British bombers had as their main targets, in addition to Berlin the industrial cities of Magdeburg, Hannover and Essen, the Krupp armament works at Essen being the main objective. Much damage was done, the Air Ministry said.

The German cities of Stettin, Kiel, Bremen and Cologne, among others, also were attacked in this nightfall-to-daylight raid which ranked with the heaviest of the war.

Outside the Reich proper, the British air men struck at shipping harbors and airdromes in German-occupied Norway and pounded airdromes in the occupied Netherlands and docks at Le Havre in France.
The British declared they lost 13 bombers in the big attack.

The Germans came back today with the first daylight raid on England in a long time, bombing a northeast coast town and killing three persons and injuring seven. It was indicated the victims were civilians.

Eight More Cases During Afternoon

Eight more cases were disposed of in the afternoon session of County court yesterday.

Afternoon cases tried were: Charles Teel, driving drunk, \$50 fine, costs and license revoked for 12 months; W. O. Crisp, driving careless and reckless, acquitted; Elton Dawson Reel, driving careless and reckless, acquitted; Jack Wainwright, assault, 30 days, suspended on payment of one-half court costs and on further condition that he not molest Sam Wainright in any manner; Sam Wainright, assault, 30 days, suspended upon payment of one half costs and on further provision that he not molest Jack Wainright in any manner; Jimmie Little, colored, assault with deadly weapon, 60 days, suspended upon payment of costs and on further condition that he not molest Will Arthur Lane, also colored; Will Arthur Lane, assault with a deadly weapon, acquitted; Foster Rollins, Jr., colored, trespass and attempt to break into house, acquitted.

US May Ask Brazil For Base Rights

Washington, Aug. 13.—(AP)—Pursuing a broad strategy designed to safeguard the hemisphere, the United States today was reported negotiating for air base rights in Brazil to offset any German threat to Dakar, French West Africa.

Informed congressional sources declared the State Department has initiated discussions with Brazil urging her to resume control of an Italian-operated airport on the island of Natal, seaport on the hump of the South American continent. From Natal it is only 1,620 miles northeast across the narrowest part of the South Atlantic to Dakar, referred to frequently as a potential jumping-off point for operations against the Western hemisphere.

Members of Congress, concerned with military legislation, expressed misgivings over the announcement from Vichy that Admiral Jean Darlan would be given supreme control of French military matters. This newest evidence of Franco-German collaboration, probably meant that Hitler would be accorded the right to use Dakar.

HIGH OFFICIALS TO BROADCAST

Statements Promised Both By Vichy And London

London, Aug. 13.—(AP)—Major Clement R. Attlee, Lord Privy Seal and often Prime Minister Churchill's deputy in Parliament, will broadcast an announcement officially described as "important" in all British Broadcasting Company stations at 3 p. m. Thursday (9 a. m. EST). (Nature of the announcement was not disclosed, but there has been much speculation that Prime Minister Churchill and President Roosevelt and Harry Hopkins have met or are meeting secretly.)

Vichy, Unoccupied France, Aug. 13.—(AP)—Vice Premier Admiral Jean Darlan, newly awarded vast powers over military and other phases of French life, decided today to make a minute and a half radio announcement at 9 o'clock (2 p. m. EST) tomorrow. Informed sources said it would be "of extreme importance."

Pitt Liquor Sales \$27,326 For July

Raleigh, Aug. 13.—(AP)—Liquor sales in North Carolina for July of this year totalled \$183,146 more than for July, 1940. Robert Grady Johnson, chairman of the State ABC Board, said today.

Total sales for July were \$665,880, compared with sales of \$482,543 in July, 1940.

This increase was in spite of the sale of fewer gallons of liquor during the past month than for the same month of the preceding year, Johnson said.

July sales by counties included: Beaufort \$19,658.50; Edgecombe \$23,009.25; Greene \$2,840.40; Lenoir \$21,805.60; Pitt \$27,326.10; Vance \$13,863.40; Wilson \$24,736.35; Nash \$16,774.90; Cumberland \$73,808; Craven \$11,871.35.

To Give Away Dollars On Dollar Day Here

Adding emphasis to the semi-annual Dollar Day, C. R. McBrayer, manager of the local Penny store, announced today that new dollar bills would be given away at his store tomorrow.

A number of the crisp greenbacks will be partly concealed in a front display window and finders will be keepers. Anyone "spotting" one of the bills can go in the store, tell the manager where it is and claim it for his own.

Guardmen Treated
Members of the local unit of the State Guard were treated to cold soft drinks at their regular drill period last week by the Double Cola company. Members and officers expressed their appreciation for the several cases of drinks.

Authorized Berlin Quarters Assert That Certain American Groups Which Have Long Coveted French Island In West Indies To Seize Upon Opportunity To Satisfy Their Lust For Area

(By The Associated Press)
Germany charged the United States today with planning to seize the French island of Martinique in the West Indies, as a result of French Chief of State Petain's newly-announced policy of stronger collaboration with the Reich.

Authorized quarters in Berlin declared bluntly that certain American groups which "for a long time have cast covetous eyes on Martinique" would use Petain's speech yesterday as an excuse to "satisfy their lust" for the island.

In both Washington and London serious repercussions arose over France's new attitude.

In Washington, the conviction was freely expressed that Petain's pro-Nazi alignment held threats to the American interests and territories and the United States State Department was reported negotiating for air base rights on the hump of Brazil closest to Dakar, French West African take-off base nearest to the Americas.

In London, authoritative quarters said Petain planned to "subjugate the French people and force upon them a policy which they detest." Secretary of State Cordell Hull withheld formal comment, but some senators and congressmen outspokenly urged that the American republics should take over France's colonies in the Western Hemisphere.

Several congressmen also advocated breaking off diplomatic relations with the Vichy government and recognizing General Charles De Gaulle's Free French regime.
In Berlin the Nazi Foreign Office hailed Petain's speech as important, because powers outside the continent "which desire to establish guardianship over France were rebuffed" and because Petain had solidly aligned himself with Hitler's "new order" for Europe.

No Word Received On Yacht Potomac

Washington, Aug. 13.—(AP)—The capital remained without word of President Roosevelt today, the fourth day since the last dispatch was received from the chief executive's yacht Potomac.

The Navy Department, through which communications from the vacationing presidential yacht have been made public, had no comment on the Potomac's silence, unbroken since a dispatch was received last Saturday morning.

Officer Is Killed In Gastonia Wreck

Gastonia, Aug. 13.—(AP)—Ed C. McKenzie, 31; city police officer, was killed and two other city officers and a state highway patrolman, were injured when McKenzie's automobile and a police car collided at a street intersection today.

B. K. Birt and P. B. Childers of the city force received head injuries and their conditions were described as critical. State Highway Patrolman Jack Stewart suffered painful cuts and bruises.

Weather Report

J. A. CLARK (Always Observer)	
TEMPERATURES	
High yesterday	100
Low yesterday	64
At 1:30 p. m. today	77
PRECIPITATION (In Inches)	
For 24 hrs. ending 1:30 p. m. 1941	2.16
Total for month	2.16
BAROMETER	
(Pressure)	
7:30 last night	29.74
7:30 this morning	29.93
Prevailing Winds and Velocity	
7:30 last night	N-E
1:30 p. m. today	N-E

Social and Personal

Misses Mary Elizabeth Nobles, Mary Ann Duncan and Adelaide Warren have returned from Old Mill Camp near Greensboro.

Mrs. Guy Weeks and children of Petersburg, Va., Mrs. H. C. Bunch and daughter, Lucille, of Harrison, Tenn., and Mrs. L. A. Wetherby and daughter, Kay, of Fort Moultrie, S. C., will arrive today to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Elmo Savage. Mrs. Weeks, Mrs. Bunch and Mrs. Wetherby are sisters of Mrs. Savage.

Miss Florence Lanning has returned from her vacation which she spent at her home in Muncie, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde M. Brown of Salisbury, Mo., are visiting Mr. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brown.

Mrs. Kathleen Brown has returned to her home in Plymouth, after spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Vincent of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Flanagan and Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Warren left today for Seven Springs to spend several days.

Miss Eulalia Perkins arrived last night from a trip to South Boston and Richmond, Va., Detroit, Mich., and points of interest in Canada.

Nicky Marshall has returned from a visit in Detroit, Mich.

Mrs. Lloyd Vincent, Mrs. Letha Knight and Miss Lillian Bart Edwards spent Sunday in Plymouth.

Mrs. Milton White, Miss Lill Wilson and Miss Addie Johnston are spending a few days at White Lake.

Member of Choir.
Walter Vassar, professor of voice at Greensboro College, will complete his sixth summer as director of choirs at Lake Junaluska on August 28.

Miss Louise Kilgo of Greenville, is a member of the choir.

Undergoes Operation.
Charles Briley of Greenville, a student at Chapel Hill, underwent an operation Monday in Watts Hospital, in Durham.

Visitor in Greenville.
Miss Helen Butler, who formerly lived in Greenville and now resides in Winston, is spending a few days with Miss Elizabeth Meadows at her home on East Fifth street. Miss Meadows and Miss Margaret Moore rode bicycles to Kinston yesterday, and returned with Miss Butler, all three cycling back.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. C. have recently returned from California where she attended a meeting of the American Childhood Education Association as an official delegate from North Carolina.

Social Calendar

THURSDAY
10:00-11:30 a. m.—The Puppet Guild for children ages 9 to 12. Instruction and material free.

8:00 p. m.—The executive board of the Business and Professional Women's Club meets at the home of the president, Miss Helen Gaskins.

FRIDAY
10:00-11:30 a. m.—The Puppet Guild for children ages 9 to 12. Instruction and material free.

8:00 p. m.—The Kiwanis Club meets.

Forty Years Ago Today

Winterville, N. C.—Another of those delightful entertainments was given last Monday evening at the home of Mr. L. L. Kittrell by his charming daughter, Miss Hattie.

The whole evening, as it could not have been otherwise, was delightfully spent. For open-handed hospitality and kindness of heart, Mr. and Mrs. Kittrell can not be excelled, especially when assisted by their two delightful daughters. A visit to their home on any occasion is one at all times to be very much desired. We extend our sincerest thanks for an invitation to be present and regret exceedingly being deprived of the privilege, but hope Miss Hattie all through life may enjoy many such evenings, which she will justly merit.

Master J. T. Worthington spent Sunday with his grandmother, Mrs. Bessie Byrd.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Gibson visited Mrs. Larry Worthington Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hart of New York, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Worthington announce the birth of a son, on Monday, July 29, 1941.

Seeking Post At YDC Meet
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opposition to the energetic young Eastern Carolinian's candidacy. It is certain that commitments in her favor have been made by influential representatives from the majority of key Young Democratic organizations throughout the Eastern section, from whence the new National Committeewoman will probably come.

Formal blessing for Miss Davenport's candidacy came over a month ago when First District Young Democrats rallied at Nags Head, and a resolution was passed by the convention endorsing the Greenville woman as a candidate for national committeewoman of the Young Democratic Clubs of North Carolina.

Patsy Davenport, with an impressive record of enthusiastic work in YDC activities, is at present vice-chairman of the First District Executive Committee; and according to the consensus of Young Democratic opinion, one of the organization's most energetic boosters.

For the past three sessions of the North Carolina legislature, she has worked in Raleigh — for two sessions as a committee clerk, and last year as Senate Stenographer.

Last year at the YDC election in Raleigh, Miss Davenport experienced her baptismal campaign fire when she offered for vice-president. At the convention, however, she stepped down from her candidacy in favor of Miss Grace Taylor, of Danbury. Miss Taylor is said to favor Miss Davenport for National Com-

Ballard's X Roads

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Little and family of Falkland, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Worthington.

Larry Worthington left last week for Canada, where he will cure tobacco this season.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Worthington visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Worthington near Winterville, Monday.

Clarence Little and Errol Lee House are spending a few days in Richmond and Norfolk.

Mrs. Owen Tyson and Miss Susan Copeland were Greenville shoppers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Moye spent a few days last week with Mr. Moye's parents near Ormondville.

Little Miss Eunice Little spent Thursday night with little Miss Hazar Ray Hart.

LOWE'S DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS!

One Rack Dresses at	\$1.00
One Rack Dresses at	\$1.50
Dresses at	\$3.95 \$4.95 \$6.95
Spring Dresses at	1/2 PRICE
Skirts and Sweaters at	1/2 PRICE
One Lot Fabric Gloves at	10c
One Lot Kid Gloves at	\$1.00
Hats at	50c \$1.00 and 1/2 PRICE

LOWE'S

Smart Apparel For Women

MODES of the MOMENT

by Amy Porter



For neatness—a filing cabinet handbag. One plaid-lined compartment flips open to disclose trim subbyholes for mirror, pad and pencil, cigarettes, matches, key case. The other compartment holds comb, change, other bag-stuffers. Designed by Frilo. Hand-crocheted, tasseled beanie.

mittewoman in this year's election. Personable, titian-haired Patsy Davenport, a doctor's receptionist in Greenville, is one in a family of seven children, six of which are girls. Typical of a family which has always followed the political scene with more than passing interest, she joined the Young Democratic organization in 1937.

Although no opposition to her candidacy appears likely as yet, the date for Miss Davenport's nomination to YDC election is over a month in the future. This year's election of YDC officers will take place at the most elaborate convention ever promised Young Democrats in North Carolina. Winston-Salem, scene of the mid-September convention, is planning a spectacular affair which will expend up-

ward of \$17,000 for the entertainment of Young Democrats throughout the state. Highlight of the convention will be a lavish \$10,000 party, to be given all the delegates by Richard J. (Dick) Reynolds, mayor of Winston-Salem and Treasurer of the National Democratic Committee. Expectations are for an attendance of approximately 2,000 delegates, well over twice the largest number of delegates ever registered for previous convention.

The price of harmonicas, formerly imported from Germany, Czechoslovakia, and Japan, has risen 30 to 40 per cent.

Try Our Want Ads

YOUR DOLLAR WILL LOOK MIGHTY BIG WHEN YOU SEE WHAT IT WILL BUY AT BRODY'S DOLLAR DAY!

DRESSES AT A SAVING!

Group I—Silk and Cotton Dresses—values to \$2.95 **\$1**

Group II—200 Dresses—Silk and Bemberg Dresses—values to \$6.95 **\$2**

Group III—125 Dresses—Some styles that you can wear in early fall—values to \$12.50 **\$3**

Cotton Dresses—\$1.00 and \$1.29 value. Special **79c**
2 for \$1.50

Cotton Dresses—\$1.95 value, Special **\$1.50**

15 EVENING DRESSES—Values to \$7.95 **\$1**

Special Purchase of 500 SLIPS, GOWNS, PAJAMAS Values to \$1.95 **\$1.00**

SHOES AT A MARK-DOWN!

One Group Values to \$3.95, Special **\$1**

One Group Values to \$4.95, Special **\$2**

Ladies' \$1.00 White BAGS Special 50c

BEDROOM SLIPPERS
New Fall Colors—All Sizes **\$1.00**

CHOICE OF ANY HAT
Values to \$3.95 **50c**

SILK PANTIES
39c Value **5 for \$1**

BEACHWEAR REDUCED!
\$1.95 value for **\$1**
Swim Suits, \$1.98 and \$2.95 values **\$1**

BRODY'S Ladies' Dept. STORE

Must Show Before Fall Pride In Complexion



A creamy lotion after a day at the beach is an essential in the beauty budget.

By BETTY CLARKE
(AP Feature Service Writer)

You can consider fall fashion colors without being discouraged if you give your skin the care it calls for in summer.

Otherwise, you should make up your mind to change your skin as you do your frocks in the in-between season, while you are switching your wardrobe from summer to autumn fashions.

The thing to do in getting ready for fall brown or the ever-returning black is to make regular dates with yourself to take up the matter of your skin. How often depends on whether your skin is dry or oily.

Here are some seasonal tips on zeautifying dry skins: If your skin seems fairly flaky and slightly sun-parched, your date should be twice a day (yes, twice a day unless you don't care how old you look). And these are the steps: (1) Clean your skin with a special dry skin cream. (2) Then pat on a skin lotion. (3) While your skin is slightly moist from the lotion, apply one of those creamy masks. You should leave it on about ten minutes. (4) Remove it with a skin lotion and you are likely to find a glowing pinkish skin, which is the skin to cultivate this season, the experts say.

The girl with an oily skin can

keep to a twice-a-week schedule for her home-made facial. She probably will prefer to clean her face with soap and water (really) or maybe a more liquefying cream than that used by her dry-skinned sister. Then she uses a mask for 10 minutes, too.

Both kinds of skin can go in for powder base with more pink than yellow in it, especially for a complexion to suit fall colors like gray-blues, timber greens, true reds or brown and black.

If you are going to the beach for week-ends now, you must be as careful about using a lotion for protection as you were at the start of the season. And remember the shower after the swim is something for beauty's sake. Before you go to bed Sunday night, you will do well to start your back-to-fall beauty budget by applying a creamy lotion which will be softening and soothing to legs, arms and face.

Gassless Sundays May Be Adopted

Raleigh, Aug. 12 — It used to be the goblins who'd get ya if ya don't

look out; but now it's Secretary Harold Ickes — in the case of motorists, at any rate.

The aggressive FDR cabinet member, whose particular hobby nowadays is to boss the petroleum industry and all who use the products, wants Governor J. M. Broughton to "redouble" his efforts to secure cooperation of Tar Heels in a program of gasoline savings; and he is urging the Governor to invoke upon erring motorists all the pains and penalties provided by the law governing speeding, smoke-belching automobiles and other wasteful practices.

He says as much in a letter to Governor Broughton — a letter in which he likewise admits refusal of the public to heed his already issued suggestion for "gassless" Sundays and his semi-ukase imposing a seven-to-seven curfew on gas station sales.

Anybody who has been on North Carolina highways in the last few days can easily see that slightly less than no attention at all is being paid to the Ickes request that pleasure traffic be abandoned; and from every report reaching your reporter the curfew on gas sales is bringing no resultant reduction in consumption.

Not only that, but North Carolina officials are having to hold themselves well in check to keep from blasting at the whole basis of the Ickes position — a contention that the Eastern seaboard states must reduce their gas use by one-third.

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Closeout of about 100 pairs of ladies' summer gloves—whites and colors. Dollar Day—**27c pair**

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1 for \$1.00

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A small lot of ladies' light color sweaters that are soiled.
1/2 PRICE

MEN'S SHIRTS
A lucky purchase of 816 men's shirts, in regular collar styles and sport styles. Stripes, checks, whites, and plain colors. Sizes 14 to 17. The price after Thursday will be \$1.29 or \$1.39. Dollar Day—**\$1.00**

LADIES' SHOES
Odd lots of high grade shoes are to be closed out—**\$1.00 per foot** (Tax Included)

UNPAINTED CHAIRS
A special purchase of unpainted chairs, suitable for breakfast room, kitchen and other places. A \$2.00 value. Dollar Day—**\$1.00**

MEN'S SWIM SUITS
Close-out of some swimming trunks and a few beach shirts. Values to \$2.50. Dollar Day—**\$1.00**

CHILDREN'S BEACHWEAR
We have assorted entire stock in three price groups—**50c \$1.00 \$2.00**

BATH MAT SETS
A special purchase of chenille bath mats and seat covers to match—all colors—worth \$1.50 to \$1.75. Dollar Day—**\$1.00**

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Sale of entire stock of beachwear. Bathing suits, play suits, shorts, slacks, shirts, etc.
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MEN'S SUITS
Now is a good time to buy that summer suit for next summer. We could make money by keeping these, but Thursday we will sell them very cheap.
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INFANTS' WEAR
Closeout of odd lots of infants' wear. Values to \$1.50. Sale price—**2 for \$1.00**

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Closeout of about 30 summer evening dresses. All good styles. Regular prices \$10.95 to \$19.75. Now at—**1/2 PRICE**

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Sale of about 20 evening dresses. Values to \$10.00. Some are soiled—**\$2.95**

Blount-Harvey

MADE UP TO KILL

by Kelley Ross

Chapter 15
Stroke of Genius!
"You don't know!" I'm afraid I screamed.
"That is, I don't know yet, Haila," Parker returned.
"But you've been in touch with her," Jeff said.
"Frankly, Jeff, I ain't."
"Don't you know anything about her? Anything at all?"
"Frankly, between friends, like I told the cops, no."
"But what the hell," Jeff shouted. "You announced her for your cast."
"That was one of the cleverest strokes of genius I ever committed!" Lee's name is on the lips of New York. We'll pack 'em in! My show will clean up! Don't you get the angle?"
"But, Parker," Jeff said desperately, "you must know how to get in touch with her!"
"I wish I did. If you should find out anything about her, will you let me know immediately?"
I leaned back on the sofa. I felt like crying. But I should have known. I knew Vincent Parker. Jeff was regarding him with amazement mingled with distaste. "I still don't get it. You put Lee Gray's name in the papers. What did you expect? Why?"
"She ain't in no other show, is she? So she needs a job. Okay. When she sees I hired her, ain't she gonna be elated and come to see me?"
"Then you're taking it for granted that Lee Gray is an actress?"
"Obviously no other possibility had occurred to him, but that only stopped him for a second. 'Who doesn't want to be an actress? Is there someone?'"
Jeff gave up. He went to Parker and extended his hand. "Vince, let me shake with you. You're right; you are a genius."
Parker clasped Jeff's hand warmly. "I appreciate that, Jeff, coming from you. You didn't tell me, Jeff what line you're in."
"My line is—I'm in advertising. But right now I'm on my vacation." "Advertising, huh?" Parker made a note. "Who you with? I'll talk to one of my friends there and get you put in a better spot."
Jeff managed not to laugh. "C'mon, Haila, we'll be going."
"You ain't detaining me," Vincent said. He turned to me. "Haila, I'm glad you dropped in, maybe you can tell me. I'm thinking of Carol Blanton for the part of the girl in my show. I seen her in 'Green Apples' and she was good. But what I want to know is this: Was her performance indicative of her talent? I mean, was it typical?"
"I'd call it typically indicative," Jeff said.

played in Bowers' show wasn't just her dish. Know what I mean? That she ain't just a one-part actress."
"Oh, no, Vincent. Carol has a wonderful sense of character."
"Sure," Jeff put in. "She's got everything. Especially a voice. It gets me. It's exciting."
"I'd like to have her read for me."
"There's just one thing about her Vincent, and that's it," I said. "She gives a terrible first reading."
"Professional jealousy?" Jeff jeered.
"Don't be silly, Jeff."
"Were you there when she first read for Bowers?"
"No, but one night some agent sent a couple of scripts over to the apartment and Carol and I read them to each other. She's really pretty bad, reads a part as though it were a timetable. She admits it herself and worries a lot about it. I just told Vincent because I don't want him to judge her by her first reading. She works into a part beautifully."
Parker looked mortally wounded. "Haila, have you ever known me to misjudge talent? Ain't that always been one of my fortes?"
"That must be one of Clint's fortes, too," Jeff said. "If he cast Carol despite her reading."
"Uh-huh, Clint and Vincent are both famous for their casting ability. Aren't you, Vincent?"
He smiled modestly. "The only difference between Bowers and me is that I got showmanship. For instance, not only do I want Carol Blanton because she is perfect for the part, but with all her publicity about the poisoning and murder we'll pack them in! With her and Lee Gray it can't miss."
"What?" I felt a little sickish. "Vincent, you're not going to exploit Carol's murder publicity?"
"That's showmanship! It'll be a clean-up!"
"But, Vincent, Carol won't stand for it!"
"When she reads the script—if she's an artist—Look, let me tell you about the script! Though 'Heavens Fall' that's the title. The kid that wrote it is a genius. It's his first play. He's only 21 years of age, ain't never even voted. His grandmother is a millionaire. She's backing me to the hilt. I predict that Though Heavens Fall will revolutionize dramatic writing. It's in five acts."
"People are used to three acts," Jeff said. "They might leave after the third."
"Not a chance! This show is gripping! It grips you. It's the story of a violinist that loses an arm fighting for free speech. He can't play the fiddle any more, even if he felt like it. He gets bitter and joins the Communist Party. He sells his only Stradivarius and donates the money to the Reds, so they can stage a demonstration. His father is killed in the demonstration. His mother never wants to see him again."
"The father?" Jeff asked.
"The son. The two of them have a terrific scene in which the mother says, 'I never want to see you again.' His wife's going to have a baby and he thinks the only reason she doesn't throw him over is because of the baby. That's how bitter he is. See? There's a beautiful scene in Central Park. In fact the entire action of the play takes place in Central Park."
"It sounds wonderful, Parker, revolutionary," Jeff said.
"And that's only the first act!" "Don't tell me how it ends, you'll spoil it for me."
"Okay, Jeff. What do you think, Haila?"
"I still don't think Carol will let you—"
"Now, wait a minute, Haila! She needs a job, don't she? Bowers has closed his show, ain't he?" Parker shook his head sadly. "The chance of a lifetime falls in his lap snack and he closes. With all the publicity he could run a year and make a million. Don't misunderstand me, Clint is a prince among men, but he's a showman. There's very few of us left, you know."
"I doubt, Vincent, if even you would have the showmanship to make a million out of the murder of one of your dearest friends."
"Haila, you know there ain't no place for sentiment in show business. That's why Bowers slipped. Eve North was washed up years ago and Bowers he never seen it. His eyes were blinded with the sand of sentiment. When Eve had the appeal of youth, she was a box office attraction, a draw. But when she lost her youth—and who doesn't! I ain't criticizing Eve—she didn't have nothing left. She was never an actress, she was to be looked at. Bowers never seen that Eve was through, and that's what ruined him."
"Ruined?" You talk as if he's living the poorhouse," Jeff said. "Remember his address is still Gracie Square."
"Vincent means ruined artistically," I explained.
Parker shook his head. "I mean Bowers don't have a nickel to rub against."
I stared at him, thinking of Clint's lavish productions, his cars, his apartments, his clothes. Everything about him murmured affluence. I said incredulously, "You mean Clint Bowers is broke?"

Refugees Return To Smolensk



Berlin sources described this radiophoto as showing refugees returning to the Russian city of Smolensk after fighting between the Germans and Russians had left sections of the town in ruins. A church stands in the background.

"In little pieces. He's in debt past his ears."
"But he has the reputation of being a wonderful business man."
"It takes one hell of a wonderful business man to keep on producing shows and living at Gracie Square when you're flat. Personally, I don't care for Gracie Square. I ain't business acumen that ruined Bowers. It's like I said, sentiment and no showmanship."
"It's a strange combination," Jeff said. "The shrewd business man and the sentimentalist."
Parker shrugged his shoulders. "Even J. P. Morgan got married."
"It's tough," Jeff said. "Green Apples would have been a hit and saved Bowers."
"Sure, it was his comeback. That's what I told him when I seen him Sunday night after the invitation performance. All the show needed was a third act twist to be a smash."
Jeff motioned to me and we started edging toward the door. Only after Parker had thrust a copy of Though Heavens Fall under my arm and extracted my promise to read it and talk to Carol about it did we manage to escape.

When I reached for the Down button Jeff said, "Wait!" He led me over to the board that listed the tenants on Radio City's sixty-second floor.
"If Ashley didn't sneak up here to see Parker," he mused, "who did he see?" He began reading down the list. "The Grayson Company, Lithography. Ernest Horowitz, attorney-at-law. Leather Novelties, Lincoln Photographic Supplies."
I took over. "Mallory Sporting Goods. Madame Mantillini, Corsetiere. Wendell Drug Company. And Zenith Displays. Well, Jeff?"
"Hummm. I better get my self a notebook."
"He might've been to any of three or four of those places."
"Or all of them. Maybe he was passing out calendars with his picture on them. And then again," he added, trying to sound like Ellery Queen, "maybe he wasn't."

To Be Continued

Blown Air Cures Hay
Columbus, O.—(AP)—One of the most promising of the new developments in curing hay involves forced circulation of air through hay in the mow. This method, developed in Tennessee, is gradually spreading into Ohio, reports G. R. Shier, extension farm building spec-

alist at Ohio State University.
Shier says four or five hours of sunshine as the hay lays in the swath will do 80 per cent of the curing. After that the hay is hauled to the barn and stored over special ventilation flues through which air is forced to finish the curing.
This method along with other practices for curing hay in the barn is still in the experimental stage, and Shier thinks it probably will be another year or two before information on the method will be generally available.

Her Screen Test
New York.—(AP)—Arlene Francis, brunette star of "What's My Name?" was reading in her apartment when the buzzer sounded. She answered and a man calling from the front door said, "Miss Francis? I'm here for the screen test."
Miss Francis laughed a musical laugh and said, "Mister, I don't know what you're selling but I don't think you'll get very far with that gag." Then she went back to her reading.
A few minutes later she builtime sociation was at her door, and with him another man. "Hate to trouble you, Miss Francis," he said, "but we've got to do this job when the tenants are in." So the two men came in and began examining the windows, looking for holes in the screens that might need repairing. —this was the screen test!

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SALE! WOMEN'S HATS

All summer hats must go now. Slightly worn. Were \$2.00—Dollar Day!

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\$1.00

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Strength For The Day

By EARL L. DOUGLASS

TOO MUCH APOLOGY
It never pays to apologize for our
religion. The man who is
ashamed of the faith into which he
was born will soon find that every-
body is ashamed of him. He will
find himself shunned about uncer-
emoniously and will have little com-
fort with which to heal his bleeding
heart when evil days come upon
him.

The story is told of him, during
the first World War while Rheims
was being bombed, a Salvation
Army worker, a French family in
the cellar of their house, and as
the bombs burst over their heads
quietly led them in prayer. Sudden-
ly the door was flung open and
a German officer carrying a
revolver rushed into the cellar fol-
lowed by a soldier with fixed bay-
onet. The Salvation Army worker
did not look up but quietly continued
his prayer. When he was finished,
the German officer who spoke
French approached the Salvation
Army worker, and with tears stream-
ing down his cheeks, showed him a
picture of his wife and children.
"Will you pray for them too," he
asked, "that they may be kept from
all harm while I am away?"
Even the roughest of men, in sea-
sons of life is being lightly regarded,
cause before sincere piety and bow
head and heart in reverence.
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CAN RUSSIA HOLD?
(Industrial News Review)
In wars, as in horse races,
the long shot occasionally
upsets the dope and comes
through for a win. Some of
the experts are now cau-
tiously hazarding the guess
that this may prove true of
the Russians.

When the German-Rus-
sian war began, the bulk of
the military authorities re-
solutely agreed that Hitler
was probably right when he
said that it would be over in
six weeks. Those six weeks
and more have now passed,
and the Russians, instead of
retreating in confusion, are
said to be planning gigantic
counter-attacks. The Ger-
mans have not taken any
areas of major importance.
The Red air force, which,
according to German claims,
was almost totally destroyed
in the early days of the fight-
ing, is still very much in evi-
dence and is giving excellent
support to the Soviet land
forces. The Red mechanized
equipment, which was sup-
posed to be second-rate, has,
according to some reporters
who have seen it in action,
actually proven equal and
even superior to the German.
Most important of all, the
morale of the Russian people
—military and civilian alike
—seems to have proven far
more staunch than anyone
expected.

Germany has not lost the
Russian war. It would not
come as any great surprise
if Hitler's forces yet succeed-
ed in taking Moscow, Lenin-
grad and other key cities.
But these would be hollow
victories unless, at the same
time, Hitler was able to de-



stroy Russian military power. So long as substantial Red armies remain in existence and fighting, Hitler will not be safe no matter how much Russian territory he succeeds in conquering. On top of that, Russian civilians have shown an almost suicidal fervor in destroying areas which have been evacuated, and in sniping at German troops. The Russians are fighting a total war in total fashion now, and they have demonstrated surprising courage.

Best of all, from the British-American point of view, is the apparent fact that Germany is suffering terrific losses. On August 2, the Russians claimed that 1,500,000 Reich troops had been killed, wounded or captured. That may represent a big exaggeration—neither the Russian nor the German propaganda ministries can be depended upon for the whole truth. But, if even a third or half that many German troops have been incapacitated, it is a severe reverse to Hitler. The first divisions sent into Russia were the cream of the German crop—the tough veterans of the Polish, French and Low Countries campaigns. No nation can create soldiers of that quality overnight. That may explain reports to the effect that the reserves Germany has lately sent into Russia have proven inferior in quality to the men who preceded them.

It also seems unquestioned that Germany has lost vast quantities of aircraft and mechanized equipment—and has consumed immense amounts of oil, that most precious of war materials. Russian bombers have been invading the Rumanian oil fields, and may have done considerable damage. And in the meantime, Britain has been carrying on determined, big-scale air raids against the Continent.

At the beginning, British spokesmen had little to say of Russian chances. They were frankly skeptical. Now they are saying that the Russians have actually stopped the Germans, and that there is no possibility of the campaign ending before the winter rains set in. If that is true, Germany will be in for

a war of position—and that is precisely what Hitler cannot afford. In addition, Britain gets stronger as Germany gets weaker. This war isn't over yet—but not since it started has the outlook been so good for the Allies.

In time, news of the German reverses and losses is bound to seep through to the German people, no matter how much baloney Dr. Goebbels put out through press and radio. Then, think some, German morale will start to crack. It is a fact that in the last World War, Germany went to pieces in a matter of a few months, and the main reason for that was the collapse of morale at home. Will it happen again?

Washington Daybook

By Jack Stinnett

Washington—In view of all the hullabaloo there has been about subversive elements in labor, it is surprising that there was no more comment which slipped through the House of Representatives in a move to clear the marine radio operators' union subversive agency in or the so-called Bland bill (sponsored by Rep. Schuyler Otis Bland of Virginia, chairman of the House

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1. Biography
2. Deeds
3. Sufficient
4. Equally
5. Wear some person or thing
6. Land measure
7. Charge for the use of money; abbr.
8. Ill-mannered child
9. Turf
10. Fragile
11. Insect
12. Type measure
13. Paise
14. Thus
15. French revolutionist
16. Profit
17. Assistant minister
18. Kind of acid
19. Units
20. Polynesian chestnut
21. Very small
22. Merchant
23. Was interested
24. More mature
25. Symbol for tantalum
26. Calls forth
27. Paid public notice
28. Musical study
29. Corroded
30. Coffee beans
31. Metal-bearing rock
32. Indigo plant
33. Baking chamber
34. Japanese measure
35. Part of a plant
36. Depend
37. Become firm

DOWN

1. Rent
2. Reserved
3. Cross by wading
4. Female sheep
5. Uttered with out vocal sound
6. Historical word for a goblet
7. Skilled workman
8. Piece of a fleet
9. African gazelle
10. Act of spelling with letters of another alphabet
11. Boat
12. Level
13. Jewish tribe
14. Obliteration
15. Subordinate officials
16. Scene of action
17. Turkish edict
18. With; preposition
19. Automobile
20. Distant; prefix
21. Supervisors of letters of the alphabet
22. Three-pronged spear
23. Ceremony
24. Singing voice
25. Discoverer of radium
26. Alluvial deposit at the mouth of a river
27. Brother of Cain
28. From
29. Found in timber
30. Horn
31. Relation

territory, especially after the House committee added to it that a person is also guilty who "disseminates or distributes, or at any time has, etc., subversive propaganda."

4. According to Ramspeck, passage of the bill immediately would result in the revoking of licenses for about 150 of the 2,000 radio operators now employed by the merchant marine. These men would have the privilege of open hearings; but they would have to disprove evidence assembled against them by the army and navy intelligence services and the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

As an example of how some members of Congress feel about it, let's quote Ramspeck again. "I do not believe," he said, "it is in the interest of labor or anybody else in this country to have subversive individuals holding membership in labor unions and in position to do damage to the welfare and safety of the United States of America and its merchant marine."

Voorhis contributed this: "It has been my view all along that the kind of legislation that should be brought in the House is legislation that would attempt in a very careful and discriminating manner to separate the great rank and file of American labor from those elements that really make for trouble for the labor movement itself."

This may be only a straw in the wind, but insiders on Capitol Hill think it might also be a good-sized hunk of timber in building a foundation for a labor movement completely free of "fifth columnists." If this measure goes through the Senate without any serious blasts of opposition, the seamen may be next and after that other labor groups involved in national defense.

It may be that the "enemy of democracy" boys in the labor camps are in for a bit of legislated trouble.

ly give up all its other publishing ventures in preference to discontinuing the Review, which now goes to more than 20,000 farmers each issue.

The Review is published on glazed paper now, but even if it isn't forced to suspend altogether, it will probably have to appear in a less flashy style in the near future.

This and That

Only recently appointed, C. B. Parmele of Wilmington has resigned from the state ABC board, because of his health. Off the record reports are that the prominent real estate man from down by the sea has gone, or is going, to Mayo clinic for a thorough checkup and diagnosis. . . . Yesterday this column had John K. Slear, Bulwinkle secretary, after the postoffice job in Charlotte. Today, according to Charlotte papers, it's his boss House seat he may seek. . . . From Massachusetts come reports confirming the oft-expressed theory that it's speed which causes highway fatalities. Enforcing a 40-mile limit in order to conserve gasoline. Bay State officers reported only one fatality last week as compared with nine in the corresponding seven days of 1940. . . . Absence of Commissioner of Paroles Edwin Gill, attending a national convention of prison officials, makes unlikely any announcement of change in the Department of Revenue setup for the next two weeks. . . . Your reporter was struck by statement of Commissioner of Revenue Allen J. Maxwell that crown tax on beer sold at Fort Bragg post exchanges averages about \$1.800 a month, at a cent and a quarter per bottle. That's more than 100,000 bottles of beer a month; but when it is remembered that there are more than 50,000 soldiers at and near Bragg, the average consumption per man a month shrinks to the insignificant figure of about two. . . . Incidentally, the Department of Revenue, for all its brave stand, is practically certain to yield in the matter of collecting that crown tax at all. Army officials hold the whip hand because they can ignore Maxwell and his department and bring in beer from South Carolina. That would mean nothing but a loss for Tar Heel distributors and no gain for Maxwell or the department.

A New Leaf That Didn't Turn

McComb, Miss.—(AP)—A McCombite returned from far places with the statement he was determined to live right and pay up all the debts he had run away from, says Editor Oliver Emmerich of the Daily Enterprise.

He ran a notice in the newspaper to that effect.

The notice was published, Emmerich asserted, on credit—and never paid for.

There is a "Cape of Good Hope" at the sea entrance to Swatow Kwangtung province, China.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE BY COMMISSIONER

By virtue of and the authority of a judgment of the Superior Court of Pitt County in a certain action therein pending entitled, "W. C. Harris, Administrator of the Estate of Wiley Clark, Vs. Arthur Clark, David Lee Clark, et al.," the undersigned Administrator and Commissioner, therein authorized, will on Monday, the 1st day of September, 1941

at 12 o'clock, noon before the Court House door in Greenville, N. C., expose to public sale the following described tract or lot of land:

Lying and being in the City of Greenville, N. C., and being and lying on the East side and on the North end of Cotanche Street, and bounded on the North by Tar River; and on the East by Jim Perkins land; on the South by the Ruth Clark lot; and on the West by Cotanche Street, and being lot No. 5 in the division of the Peyton land as recorded in Land Division Book 2, page 142 in the Office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, under that certain special proceeding, entitled: "Reuben Clark and wife, Emma Clark, Lula Hart and Victoria Peyton, Vs. Charles Peyton and Ida Peyton," dated June 19th, 1933, and more particularly described, as follows: Lot No. 5 beginning at a stake in the Northwest corner of Lot No. 4 allotted to Charles Peyton; and running North with Cotanche Street 40 feet to the corner; thence East 140 feet; thence South 40 feet; thence West 140 feet to the beginning. This being the lot upon which Reuben Clark was living at the time of his death, and which was allotted to Emma Clark, the first wife of Reuben Clark, in said division.

Terms of sale cash. A cash deposit of 10 per cent will be required of the purchaser at the sale to guarantee his good faith.

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Germans Reported Closing In On Odessa



German sources claim they are drawing a ring around Odessa, Russia's great Black Sea port, with thrusts down the Bug river (1) and a drive from Bessarabia. The Nazis also said they have sunk six Russian troop transports in the Black sea and that Panzer division units have pursued the Russians from the Ukraine to the Black sea coast at several points. Meanwhile the Russians announced their air force had wrecked a railway bridge at Cerna-Voda, Rumania, on the oil line from Constanta toward Germany, and bombed shipping at Constanta.

State And Army At Odds Over Crown Tax On Beer

Reflector Bureau.
By HENRY AVERILL.
Raleigh, Aug. 13.—The army and the North Carolina department of revenue have settled amicably a number of tax questions of more or less controversial possibilities, but so far they have not been able to get together on the question of whether or not the state shall collect the cent and a quarter per bottle crown tax on beer sold at army canteens in the state.

Commissioner of Revenue A. J. Maxwell says the matter is still in process of discussion between Assistant Attorney General Lee Gregory and the War Department, and that no decision on the department's final policy is likely for several days.

On the other side of the controversial fence, the army authorities have said flatly that they are not going to permit the tax to be levied on beer sold at the camp post exchanges (principally at Fort Bragg and Camp Davis). They declare that until the revenue department agrees to elimination of the tax on beer for the exchanges will be bought in other states (South Carolina, for the principal part) and hauled to the army camps in army trucks.

On the surface a cent and a quarter levy seems little to argue over in view of the fact that the Revenue department went out of its way to rule that materials furnished private contractors engaged on government projects were not liable for the sales tax. The amount involved is, however, well above \$2,000 a month, as the revenue from beer sold at Fort Bragg alone has averaged something like \$1,800 monthly so far this year.

Here are the rival contentions with respect to collection of the crown tax:

Revenue Department: The department contends that North Carolina's crown tax on beer is a tax on brewers and not a consumers or sales tax. Commissioner Maxwell and Mr. Gregory freely admit that if the tax were directly on the consumer, it could not be collected on beer drunk by soldiers in post exchanges on federal property.

Mr. Maxwell says the department has been anxious to cooperate to the limit with all army and defense projects, but he is of the opinion that under the North Carolina beer tax law there is an obligation upon the department to collect the crown tax from the brewers on all beer, no matter where or to whom sold.

The army: The Fort Bragg and Camp Davis judge advocates (who conferred at length with Messrs. Maxwell and Gregory late last week) contend that collection of the crown tax by North Carolina is in fact the equivalent of levying a tax upon a governmental agency. They point to a ruling of Attorney General Bob Jackson (before his elevation to the U. S. Supreme court) to the effect that post exchanges are government agencies. They cite a recent South Carolina court decision which banned the Palmetto state authorities from collecting any taxes on army reservations.

They emphasize that of the 48 states North Carolina and Utah alone are attempting to collect any tax on beer sold at post exchanges. Then, going beyond the legal aspects of the matter, they declare that the tax just isn't going to be paid. It will be avoided, and evaded by buying the beer in South Carolina and trucking it in government vehicles to Bragg, Davis and other army posts.

So it seems that unless the department eventually decides to abandon its legal right (if, indeed its contention for this right is correct) to collect the tax, North Carolina distributors are going to lose the sale of some 5,000 or 6,000 barrels of beer annually.

Man About Manhattan

By George Tucker.
MAN ABOUT M.
New York—Young Man In a Hurry Department: Teddy Powell, by name, Teddy Powell is an orchestra leader. The other day he was whizzing down the Henry Hudson parkway at a slightly illegal rate of speed in an effort to keep a recording appointment at the Victor recording studios, in 24th street. A cop picked him up.

"What's your name?" the cop demanded, taking off his gloves and hauling out his little book of tickets.

"Teddy Powell," said Teddy Powell.

"Ho, ho," boomed the cop, "so you're Teddy Powell! Now ain't that just ducky?"

"What's the trouble," asked Ted, beginning to scent danger. "I just stopped a guy five minutes ago and he said he was Teddy Powell. He said he was hurrying to keep a recording date."

"That's what I'm trying to do," Powell told him excitedly. "I'm Powell. Here, I can prove it. My license."

But he couldn't find his license. He searched first one pocket then the other.

"Just as I thought," said the cop. "You better come with me—Speeding—Driving without a license—Giving phoney names—"

Probably an hour later, having finally established his identity to the law's satisfaction, Powell drove up to the studio and hurried in just in time to hear one of his trombone players telling Ruth Gaynor, the vocalist, a most amusing story.

The trombonist was saying "Wait'll I tell Ted about using his name—I just told that cop I was Teddy Powell and he let me go. All he said was 'Okay, but take it easy from here on!'"

One of the Rockefeller Center seals is named Sergeant Yaw. Tommy Dorsey, who doesn't mind

Your Screen Test

By ROBBIN COONS

1. She was a sister to Scarlett O'Hara and—more recently and importantly—is leading lady to Robert Montgomery in a supernatural comedy. Her name opens locks, and one pugilist.
2. This is the movie's sporting season. Can you name two football stars now starring on the screen, and one pugilist?
3. Hollywood mourns: (a) An old-time comedy an who died after a long career devoted to Irish characters; (b) a leading man, newly prominent, who won acclaim for strong intellectual portrayals. Who were they?
4. Why did Private Kenneth Wilkinson of the U. S. Army go to Hollywood?
5. Once Lucille Langhanke, Ruby Stevens, S. A. Brough, and Stanley Morner weren't famous. They are now—under what names?

Count 20 points for each question answered. A score of 60 is good, 80 excellent and 90 or above colossal.

Screen Test Answers
1. Evelyn Keyes, with Montgomery in "Here Comes Mr. Jordan" (Raskin).
2. From Marion Keeler, with Montgomery in "Here Comes Mr. Jordan" (Raskin).
3. (a) Charlie Chaplin and (b) James Stephenson.
4. Private Kenneth Wilkinson, as the 300-plus movies he had seen in the past nine months.
5. Respectively, they are Mary Astor, Barbara Stanwyck, Robert Taylor and Dennis Morgan.

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swinging the classics, has drawn the line at putting in rug-cutting twists to the National Anthem. "I'm playing it just like my grand pappy played it," says Tommy, "the way Mister Key wrote."

The most interesting phonograph record of the week, in this department's opinion, is "You and I," with Diana Shore singing—it isn't often that song writers prove themselves good prophets, but Tom Adair has—After composing "Let's Get Away From It All" he found himself doing just that—He's in the army.

If you happen to be wandering through Chinatown anytime soon and some black-haired maiden begins crying "Way! Ad-da! Ngor ai forjune gai-gee, sou-ark, yee-kip-yet-ku," don't get excited—She's only singing, "Hey! Daddy! I want a diamond ring, bracelets, everything—"

On matinee days the Center Theater throws a tea for its patrons. All those who witness "It Happens on Ice" are entitled to the beverage free. Of course, it's iced tea.

Records Of Board Open Information

Raleigh, Aug. 13.—All non-confidential information concerning Selective Service registrants is a matter of public record and must be made available to any person upon request during business hours of local boards in North Carolina.

General J. Van B. Metts, State Director of Selective Service, declared today. The State Director pointed out, however, that the public is not permitted to handle records.

The only way to be withheld as confidential are the record of the physical condition of a registrant, all answers on the questionnaire under the subject of dependency, except the names and addresses of claimed dependents, the answers to questions on previous military service, and the registrant's court record, the director said.

Pointing out that Selective Service Form 100, the Classification Record of Registrants, contains practically all pertinent information of a non-confidential nature, Director Metts emphasized that

this form is subject to examination by the public during local board business hours.

This record includes the name of the registrant, his age and his race. If he volunteered, the date of his volunteering is shown. If his record is transferred to another board for the purpose of classification physical examination or induction the date of such transfer and the date of the return of the registrant's record from the transfer board are indicated.

ONE WAY TO ESCAPE THE MADDENING CROWD

Clear Lake, Ia.—(AP)—Artist Grant Wood is not bothered with

anyone looking over his shoulder while working on the north shore of Clear Lake, an Iowa vacation spot.

Determined to make good use of a year's leave of absence from the University of Iowa art faculty, the noted artist obtained an abandoned railway station poised on concrete blocks.

When he goes to work in this odd retreat, he enters by the freight door, using a stepladder. Then he draws the ladder in after him, closes and locks the door, and goes into a further room.

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Coastal Plain Teams Kept Idle By Rains Last Night

GREENIES OFF TO GOLDSBORO

Return Here Tomorrow Night: New Bern Here Friday

All games in the Coastal Plain League were rained out last night. The Greensies have been scheduled to play the Tarboro Orioles in a double header, at Guy Smith park. The Greensies go to Goldsboro tonight, returning here to engage the Burs tomorrow night at 8:30. The locals also will be at home Friday night when they engage the New Bern Bears.

With less than a month of play remaining, the Greensies are still clinging to their second-place standing. Although the pressure being applied by several clubs to get in the play-off series is being realized by the locals. With no doubt about it, Wilson and Greenville, New Bern, Williamston, Rocky Mount and Goldsboro are fighting for the other two berths in the championship play.

Wilson continued far out in front

16 and one-half games ahead of the second-place Greensies. Greenville is two and a half games ahead of New Bern, with the Bears leading Williamston by three games. Rocky Mount and Goldsboro can not be counted out, the former being only a game and a half behind the fourth place Williamston and Goldsboro half a game behind Rocky Mount.

With this set up, the Greensies have four more scheduled games with Wilson and three each with the remaining clubs in the loop, not counting rained-out games. The schedule calls for the regular season to close September 3, but under the schedule it is provided that the games not played on the night the postponed all-star game was played be run off after the close of the regular season. With several teams fighting it out to get in the play-off it is likely that these games will be played.

TODAY'S GAMES

COASTAL PLAIN LEAGUE
New Bern at Williamston.
Tarboro at Kinston.
Greenville at Goldsboro.
Rocky Mount at Wilson.

PIEDMONT LEAGUE
Norfolk at Charlotte.
Richmond at Greensboro.
Asheville at Durham.
Winston-Salem at Portsmouth.

White Sox And Browns Swap Blows



This was the scene at the start of a mass fist fight between Chicago White Sox and St. Louis Browns players which resulted in police intervention and banishment of three players. Elden Auker (18) of the Browns and Joe Kuhel (partially hidden), Sox first baseman, are tangling and umpire Joe Rue is trying to separate them. Rushing in are Harling Cliff (left) and Luke Sewell (right), Browns manager. In the background is Sox Coach Monte Stratton. The fight took place in Chicago.

BASEBALL STANDINGS

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	75	37	.670
Cleveland	59	49	.546
Boston	57	52	.523
Chicago	56	54	.509
Detroit	51	58	.468
Philadelphia	49	59	.454
Washington	44	61	.419
St. Louis	43	64	.402

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	71	38	.651
Brooklyn	66	39	.629
Pittsburgh	58	46	.558
Cincinnati	56	48	.538
New York	51	52	.495
Chicago	46	62	.426
Boston	44	62	.415
Philadelphia	29	77	.274

PIEDMONT LEAGUE			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Durham	62	40	.608
Portsmouth	62	45	.579
Norfolk	55	53	.509
Richmond	52	51	.505
Charlotte	51	54	.486
Asheville	50	54	.481
Greensboro	44	57	.436
Winston-Salem	40	62	.392

COASTAL PLAIN LEAGUE			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Wilson	68	25	.731
Greenville	52	42	.553
New Bern	49	44	.527
Williamston	47	48	.495
Rocky Mount	45	49	.479
Goldsboro	45	50	.474
Tarboro	35	57	.380
Kinston	34	60	.362

RESULTS YESTERDAY

AMERICAN LEAGUE
New York 4, Boston 0.
Detroit 2-1, Cleveland 0-4.
Washington 9, Philadelphia 3.
St. Louis 5, Chicago 6 (14 innings, darkness.)

NATIONAL LEAGUE
New York 8-2, Brooklyn 5-0.
Philadelphia 2, Boston 1.
St. Louis 8, Chicago 7.
Others not scheduled.

PIEDMONT LEAGUE
Winston-Salem-Portsmouth, rain.
Asheville 3, Durham 2.
Norfolk 3, Charlotte 1.
Richmond-Greensboro, rain.

COASTAL PLAIN LEAGUE
All games, rain.

An Ingenious Baseball Fan
Plant City, Fla.—(AP)—Pete Russo, president of the Plant City baseball club, has figured how to keep cool while watching ball games. He brings along a small electric fan connected to a storage battery which he carries on a shoulder strap. He hangs the fan on a grandstand post and it whips up a nice breeze for him.

Hollywood

Right and Sound

By Robin Cress

Hollywood.—The "thitter," as we thitter-lovers like to call it, is here to stay—for the summer.

Here's a movie sound stage that looks like backstage on Broadway. Rows of canvas dressing rooms each with names transplanted from the Bright Light sector—Vera Zorina, Irene Bordoni, Victor Moore. Another dressing room, with a name transplanted some seasons ago—Bob Hope. And all making a musical comedy transplanted from the stage, "The Louisiana Purchase." Even the producer has been transplanted. He's Buddy DeSylva.

It's the biggest mass migration from stage to screen since the early talkie days when bewildered picture-makers hired whole stage casts stood them under a mike before a camera, and said, "Go ahead talk!" Besides the three stars, there are Charles Latorre, Lyndia Grey and Charles Lasky, who was Zorina's dancing partner in the show.

But there's a difference in the present migration. Misses Zorina and Bordoni, and Victor Moore, all have movie pasts behind them.

Moore, the real veteran of the lot, started making movies back in 1916, was acting in Hollywood when local real estate was valued in orange production. He's been alternating between screen and stage through most of the years since.

He's a comic, but the best movie he ever made was "Make Way For Tomorrow," a serious piece that failed at the box-office.

Irene Bordoni, of the bangs and the talking eyes, has been away

longest. The French-born star, long a Broadway adornment, fled the movies a dozen years ago. "Heartbroken," she says. She starred in "Paris" and "The Show of Shows." It is all "so de-ferent, so wand-erful now."

She is right; it is "de-ferent." When Miss Bordoni first stood under a movie mike, Hollywood was afraid of the microphone, so afraid that it forgot about its actors. It was an era of you-can't-do-this-and-don't-do-that, of technical hazards and taboos. Irene Bordoni, whose stock-in-trade was vivacity and free-wheeling, had to toe a mark and keep an eye on a mike. She had to record songs on the stage

while being photographed; today she records the songs first, and then gives all attention to acting when she's before the camera. Miss Bordoni saw her movies and left town, sure that movies were not for her. She was so sure that she never signed the contracts sent after her. She seems delighted now. "They think about the actor—they give us leeway," she says.

Miss Zorina, slight and graceful as ever, is a "summer Hollywoodian" of three years' standing. In 1938 it was "The Goldwyn Girl" that served as warmer-upper for her stage hit in "I Married an Angel." The next summer she was

here for "On Your Toes," a film that landed, unfortunately, on flat feet. Better, though not colossal even in the Hollywood sense, was her next hot-weather work, "I Married An Adventuress." After the picture, this part of the "thitter" packs up to take "The Louisiana Purchase" on the road. But they'll be leaving Hope behind. The movies have, got that boy, winter and summer, for keeps.

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Is There A Barber In The Audience?

HWY. PROGRAM MAY BOG DOWN

Defense Measures Bring Loss In Revenue Receipts

Reflector Bureau.
By HENRY AVERILL.
Raleigh, Aug. 13.—Ben Prince, chairman of the State Highway and Public Works Commission, is truly "on the spot" right now and, what's toughest of all, there seems little or nothing he can do about it.

Trouble is that Ben didn't put himself on the spot through any action of his own, he got there through force of the emergency and other circumstances over which he has absolutely no control.

On the brighter side, the highway chairman has the satisfaction of knowing that nobody blames him for the trouble which apparently lies ahead.

These prospective troubles stem from two main causes—President Roosevelt's veto of the defense highway bill and the contemplated compulsory reduction of gasoline consumption in North Carolina by a third, with the consequent loss of more than \$10,000,000 in highway revenues to the state annually.

If nothing is done about either of these problems it takes no seventh son of a seventh son to see that North Carolina is in for a period of complete stagnation in its road construction.

The \$10,000,000 or more loss in gasoline revenue is equivalent to knocking almost a third off gross highway revenues, and with more than \$8,500,000 required annually for debt retirement and sinking fund, it amounts to almost a 50 per cent whack in money available for road maintenance and construction.

Chairman Prince is of the opinion that any such drastic revenue reduction would force the state to "pick which roads we will maintain," and is certain that there would not be a penny for new construction.

As for the Roosevelt veto of the congressional defense road project Mr. Prince has no opinion to express publicly. He points out the obvious fact that the state had prepared its program on the assumption that several million dollars would be available through the veto bill and that it now devolves upon the commission to revamp these plans in toto. And that with the year's construction season all but over.

In spite of the discouraging outlook, however, the road chairman is optimistic that there will soon be compensating developments. He does not believe that the federal government will put itself in the position of completely paralyzing the highway program of any state.

In that view of the matter, it is believed that Congress will reenact some national defense highway program which will meet the objections raised by the President in his veto message; and, further, that the central government will take some steps to make up at least the major part of revenue lost to the state through drastic reduction in gasoline revenues.

So, taking it all in all, Mr. Prince is looking at the situation in a rather hopeful vein; though he makes no pretense at forecasting definitely how relief from the prospective drought in highway funds will be brought about.

The chairman has now been in office something more than two months and he has become absolutely convinced of one thing, at least—that working for the state is no bed of flowery ease.

"When I was practicing law way up in the west I used to think of state officials taking long weekend vacations at the beaches; but I am now profoundly certain that everybody who works for the state earns his money," he laughingly told your reporter.

BRICK MANUFACTURERS BEGIN EDUCATIONAL DRIVE

"In this defense-minded day, when the capacity of builders and suppliers of building materials is taxed to capacity, it is well," says E. R. Rankin, president of Virginia-Carolina Clays, Inc., nationally known association of North Carolina brick manufacturers, "to cast an eye a little beyond to a day when construction in our land resumes its normal course. Our organization," states Mr. Rankin, "sees clearly the need of a general promotion of brick as a most important medium of modern building, with special emphasis on the unlimited supply and accessibility of this essential material. To put this thought into action, a series of advertisements has been prepared for Virginia-Carolina Clays, Inc., setting forth the virtues of burnt clay products—how they have served mankind for more than six centuries and are today a paramount factor in every building project. Furthermore," states Mr. Rankin, "these advertisements are now appearing exclusively in North Carolina newspapers and will continue over a period of 12 months."

This timely and aggressive campaign is a genuine tribute to the far-sightedness of this strong North Carolina association. It brings an interesting and romantic story to our citizens in reviewing the enduring charm—the functional common-sense preserved in many of our most historic buildings through use of brick in their construction.

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FREE DOLLARS
How about some fun For Dollar Day? In our center window we will have a number of one dollar bills hidden throughout the window. They are yours if you find them.

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You've Heard It Said Every Day: You Always Get More For Your Money At PENNEY'S! Come See For Yourself!

Buy All Your Needs This Dollar Day At Penney's And Save! Never Before Such Values! Come 8:30 Sharp!

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Sizes 2 to 16

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MEN'S SHIRTS and SHORTS 25¢ each
Buy Now and Save!

BOYS' FAST COLOR DRESS SHIRTS 59¢
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BUY YOUR WINTER UNIONS NOW! 79¢
Good Quality!

BOYS' COTTON Special SPORT SETS \$1.29
The Thing for School!

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For Your Home! Decorative LINENS 1.00
Dainty pieces for every room in your house! Hand made, imported! Doilies, luncheon sets, table cloths, pillow cases, scarfs!

Gigantic Value! Terry TOWELS 10 for 1.00
Of fluffy terry—use them for hand towels or for bath towels! Absorbent—very serviceable! White with bright borders. 16" x 29"

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You'll want lots of these pretties! Novelty tublast prints! Generously cut for full protection. Specially low priced—don't wait!

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5% down, 95% feathers for just right softness and buoyancy! Sturdy 8 oz. striped ticking. Finished size 18" x 25". Big value!

Save More Money! Bath Mat Sets 1.00
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ONE GROUP FAST COLOR DRESS PRINTS 10¢
See This Value!

6-10. COTTON BLANKETS \$2.98
See This Now! A Wonderful Buy

8 1/2" BROWN SHEETING 21¢ yard
Very Special! Buy Now!

81x99 NATION WIDE SHEETS 94¢
Stock Up Now!

11. BROWN HOMESPUN 7¢ yard
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80x105 COTTON BEDSPREADS 89¢
A Real Value! Buy Now!

WASH CLOTHS 3 for 10¢
Special! Buy Now and Save!

MATTRESS PROTECTORS \$1.00
Special! Twin or full bed sizes. Sturdy bleached muslin filled with clean cotton!

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Save on These! BIG TOWELS 4 for 1.00
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Includes 6 Philofilm Covers and a Famous Glasslike Pie Plate! All At One Low Price!

Six Philofilm covers—transparent, odorless, easy to wash! They help to preserve food and prevent odors in the refrigerator. Use them on plates, bowls, jars or bottles! And a real glasslike pie plate—for baking. Easy to clean! Don't miss this extraordinary value!

Very Special! Beautiful PATCHWORK BED QUILTS Reduced to \$1.00
Stock up on this one. See them now!

For the First Man in our store that a size 39 Suit will fit—a real Summer Tropical Worsted Suit for \$1.00
Men, Be Here!

Cunning For Baby! CRIB SPREADS 1.00
Dainty as can be, and very serviceable too! Woven candlewick dots or juvenile designs tufted in fluffy chenille. White or pastels.

Now when you need them the most... Men's Fast Color Sport Shirts 77¢
For Dollar Day Men! Take A Tip—Stock up for now and for next summer at this low price!

Look! Look! Look! One Big Rack
● Summer Dresses
● Slack Suits
● Sport Dresses
and Odds and Ends in SPORTSWEAR
Reduced for Dollar Day
\$1.00

Ladies, don't wait on this one because it will be a grab rack and they won't last long at this give-away price!
All Summer Hats Reduced to 25¢

Special! 5% Wool BLANKETS 1.00
Great big dollar value! Unusually warm and sturdy! Not less than 5% wool! Solid colors—3" sateen binding. 72" x 84".

PRACTICAL COMBS For Every Member of the Family! 10¢
A handy RAT-TAIL COMB for making curls, a DRESSING COMB and even a POCKET COMB for Oad!
All good quality!
All three at the low price you usually pay for one!
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Look! Look! Our First Quality Nylon Hose Sizes 8 1-2, 9, 9 1-2—2 dozen pairs—Special for Dollar Day \$1.00 pair
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Fast color broadcloth shorts with "Crispers" or buttons. Swiss ribbed shirts of fine combed cotton. Ribbed cotton briefs.

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Complete With 9 Index File Cards—20 Recipe Blank Cards
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WE HAVE ABOUT 50 WATER-proof canvas covers for trucks and trailers in stock. Buy early before it is necessary for us to sell them at higher prices. J. A. Watson, Seed and Hardware. 2-11

HOW ABOUT THAT SPACE YOU'VE BEEN NEED- ing to fill with an extra chair? We've got them. Here's a little secret—they're slightly shopworn, but a little "slipcovering" would work wonders. QUINN-MILLER & STROUD

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FOR RENT—COTTAGE, MODERN conveniences, on the Pamlico—possession at once. Twenty dollars weekly rental. Mrs. Ellis E. Phillips, Shady Banks, Washington, N. C. Mon-Wed-Fri.

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FOR RENT—UNFURNISHED apartment. Two blocks from Main street. Private front and back entrances. Garage. Dial 3846.

DOLLAR DAY SPECIAL—ONE dollar off on any two permanents. Other specials. Retha's Beauty Shop.

Hog Markets

N.Y. Stock Market

New York, Aug. 13.—(AP)—The stock market remained in the grip of August lethargy today, but its tone was slightly brightened at intervals by rallying tendencies in rails, specialties and mail order shares.

New York Cotton

New York, Aug. 13.—(AP)—Cot- ton futures opened five higher to one lower. Midday prices were 14 to 23 points higher, October 15.93; March 16.22; July 16.11.

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(2) "THE SUCKER LIST" Crime Doesn't Pay
(3) New Travel Talk
(4) "Alley Cat" Cartoon

WANTED—VACUUM CLEANERS to repair—Electrolux, Hoover, Eureka, or any make. Carry hose, bags, cords and parts. New and used cleaners for sale. Fleming Vacuum Cleaner Repair Service, 305 Paris Ave. Dial 2267. Jul 19-1 mo.

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FARMERS—LET US HAUL YOUR tobacco to the Border market. Truck leaving Sunday, August 17, for Monday's sale. Reserved space. Call W. W. Ballinger, Dial, Day 3015, Night 3466. 11-31

FOR FULLER BRUSH PRODUCTS Dial 3017. 12-61

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(Continued from page one)
Ayden; James Roy Horton, Green-ville, all volunteers. James Allen Hines, Metter, Ga.; George Carr Baltimore, Md.; Simon Dixon, Jr. Route Two, Grifton; Thomas Ad-ams, Jr. Greenville; Charlie Dixon, Route Two, Greenville; Charlie Hawkins, Route One, Grimesland; Buddy Thompson, Greenville; Thomas Chapple, Greenville; Earl Washington Thompson, Route One Greenville; James Robert Taft Grimesland; John Henry Parker Chitod; Raymond Spell, Greenville; Robert Edward Bush, Route One Winterville; James Ernest Edwards New port News, Va.; Joseph Thom-as Nicholson, Route Two, Grifton; Andrew Jackson Walker, Jr., Greenville.

N. Y. Stock List

American Radiator	6%
American Telephone	153 1/2
American Tobacco B	70 1/2
Anaconda	27 1/2
A. C. L.	24 1/2
Atlantic Refining	21 1/2
Bendix Aviation	37 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	69 1/2
Chrysler	56 1/2
Col. Gas and Electric	2 1/2
Commercial Solvent	10 1/2
Consolidated Oil	5 1/2
Curtis Wright	8 1/2
Dupont	158 1/2
General Electric	31 1/2
General Motors	38 1/2
Liggett and Myers	85 1/2
Montgomery Ward	32 1/2
Reynolds Tobacco B	32 1/2
Southern Railway	17 1/2
Standard Oil of N. J.	42 1/2
U. S. Steel	57 1/2

Chicago Grain Market

(Courtesy Vernon Parrish)			
WHEAT—	Open	Close	Pr. Cl.
Sept.	109 1/2	111 1/2	109 1/2
Dec.	113 1/2	115 1/2	113 1/2
May	116 1/2	118 1/2	116 1/2
CORN—			
Sept.	77 1/2	78 1/2	77 1/2
Dec.	80 1/2	81 1/2	80 1/2
May	85 1/2	86 1/2	85 1/2
OATS—			
Sept.	41 1/2	41 1/2	40 1/2
Dec.	43 1/2	44 1/2	43 1/2
May	46 1/2	47 1/2	46 1/2
RYE—			
Sept.	66 1/2	68 1/2	66 1/2
Dec.	70 1/2	72 1/2	70 1/2

Richmond Livestock

(Courtesy J. N. and J. L. Williams)
Richmond, Aug. 13.—Hogs, mar- ket 10 cents lower, top \$10.90, good and choice 100-225 lbs. \$10.70-\$10.90; 100-120 lbs. \$9.00-\$9.50; 120-140 lbs. \$9.50-\$10.00; 140-160 lbs. \$10.00-\$10.45; 160-180 lbs. \$10.45-\$10.80; 225-250 lbs. \$10.30-\$10.80; 250-300 lbs. \$10.00-\$10.50; over 300 lbs. \$9.90-\$10.40. Sows under 350 lbs. \$9.25-\$9.75; over 350 lbs. \$8.75-\$9.25. Cat- tle market about steady on cows and bulls. Most dairy type cows \$5.50-\$6.50, thin canners down to \$4.50 and below; a few good fat cows above \$6.50. Good heavy sau- cage bulls \$7.50-\$8.00, common light weight \$6.00-\$6.50. Vealers fully steady good, and choice nearby \$11.00-\$11.50, common and mediums largely \$9.00-\$10.00. Spring lambs about steady most offerings selling from \$10.00 down.

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ENGINES

THE SOLDIER

RIFLES

ALUMINUM

CLOTH

STEEL

RUBBER

THE FLEET

ALL SHIPS

TIN

MACHINE TOOLS

CORK

STEEL

Photos stand for armed forces we are building. Sketches around each photo show civilian supplies that will be tapped.

NAVAL STRENGTH IN THE PACIFIC

	UNITED STATES	GREAT BRITAIN	DUTCH ALLIED WITH BRITAIN	JAPAN
BATTLESHIPS	12	0	0	10
AIRCRAFT CARRIERS	4	1	0	8
CRUISERS	33	5-14	3-4	46
DESTROYERS	90-113	6-16	8-12	125
SUBMARINES	40-72	12-24	18	71

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Teachers Retirement Fund To Absorb Boost In Pay

Reflector Bureau.
By HENRY AVERILL

Raleigh, Aug. 11.—North Carolina's teachers, all but a very few, may as well prepare themselves for something of a shock when they get their first pay checks this coming season.

Why? Because in dollars and cents these checks are going to be smaller than those the very same teachers got last year, even with the added year of experience and the "restored to pre-depression" schedules. This isn't true of all cases—some teachers will get in cold, hard coin more than they did last year—but it is true in most.

This seeming paradox—an actual decrease in cash received in the face of a theoretical increase and an earned increment of one year—comes about through the new retirement system adopted for teachers and all other state employees.

In short, the four per cent retirement fund deductions from salary checks will, in most instances, exceed the increase that comes from increment and raise put together.

At the very beginning of the scale, the teacher who started in last year with no previous experience, but a Class A certificate, got \$96 a month. This year she (or he, as the case may be) will get monthly checks for exactly the same \$96.

This new schedule calls for a \$100 monthly pay for a certificate teachers with one year's experience, but

the four per cent deduction for retirement exactly cancels the boost.

The teacher who last year drew \$100 (Class A and one year's experience) will this year find that her check calls for only \$98.88.

The schedule for A certificate and two years' experience says \$103, but put "de ducks" for retirement on that and \$4.12 comes off, leaving the teacher actually \$1.12 short of her last year's salary.

And so it goes up to the teacher who last year had seven years' experience. Here the increment takes an unusual jump, with the result that this year—with eight years' experience, she'll find her check is for 88 cents more than last year.

Of course those teachers who qualify for the new "masters" certificates will go into higher pay brackets and will get more than they did last year—by a comfortable margin. Elsewhere along the line there will be little change in actual figures on the pay checks. Negro teachers, profiting from a differential reduction will also get more money this year.

Despite the fact that the first pay check is likely to give the teachers something of a shock, there really is nothing in the situation for them to complain about. They have been asking a retirement system for a long time, and now they've got it. The four per cent deduction means they will have less money to spend, perhaps, but it also means that the state is putting a like sum into the pot from which they will all benefit in the long run.

Here are the salary schedules for teachers with Class A certificates. The school commission's charts euphemistically list white teachers' salaries as "maximum" and Negro salaries as "minimum" but in read-

ing them they can be given their true connotation:

No previous experience, white \$96, Negro \$87; 1 year, white \$100, Negro \$90; 2 years, white \$103, Negro \$93; 3 years, white \$106, Negro \$96; 4 years, white \$110, Negro \$99; 5 years, white \$114, Negro \$102; 6 years, white \$118, Negro \$105; 7 years, white \$122, Negro \$108; 8 years, white \$126, Negro \$111; 9 years, white \$130, Negro \$115.

FISH BOMBED BY RAF FEED RATIONED NAZIS

Kiel, Germany.—(AP)—Plenty of fish, especially herrings, were provided Kiel's population by the Royal Air Force after a recent night raid on this city.

Although it is a fish story, a correspondent of the Berlin Zwoelf-Uhrblatt says it is authentic.

The RAF bombs must have exploded amidst a big school of herring. Thousands of dazed or dead herring were washed ashore or floated into Kiel harbor the next morning as a welcome extra ration. The newspapers' correspondent didn't specify whether it happened to be a meatless day.

But he went on to say that the population brought buckets-full of fish bait into town and fishermen made record hauls.

And Bales Came Tumbling After Butte, Mont.—(AP)—Climbing to the top of a pile of hay, Dan Brooks, rancher, started to pull down a bale.

It struck him and he and the bale dropped 40 feet to the floor of the hay mow.

Both the rancher and the hay went through the floor and 74 additional bales, weighing 7,500 pounds, came tumbling after.

Brooks, prostrate on the ground floor, covered his head with his arm for protection and took everything that came his way.

Ranch hands pulled the pile of hay away—a 20 minute job—and found Dan smiling and only slightly hurt.

Sound Effects Just Too Good

New York.—(AP)—For a hatchet murder scene in a radio broadcast the sound effects man bought half-a-dozen melons, a luscious whack on a melon being the nearest thing to realism available. But when the sound man returned from dinner to put on the program, no melons remained—only their rinds. Hun-

TODAY AT THE MOVIES

Pitt—The RELUCTANT DRAGON —a Walt Disney feature

State—FREE AND EASY—with Ruth Hussey, Bob Cummings

gray actors had eaten the sound effects. With only five minutes in which to do it, the hatchet murder was re-written into a shooting.

RATION CARDS ISSUED TO BARNYARD FAMILIES

Vichy, France.—(AP)—Animals now are going to have ration cards in unoccupied France. They will be issued for livestock of "public utility," including cows, draft horses in mines, breeding animals, and so forth. Animals kept merely to meet needs of their owners will have to get along the best they can.

Livestock which can be fed "only by the hand of man," will be entitled to full ration cards; animals like goats, which pick up part of their sustenance by grazing, will get half ration cards.

The distance from New York to Suez is 5,193 miles.

TODAY-THURSDAY



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WHAT?? A FRESH FOOTPRINT IN THIS DAMP SAND—FROM NOW ON I BETTER BE CAREFUL!

BUT JUST AS DAN SEES THE TELLTALE FOOTPRINT, ACE BART'S LOOKOUTS FROM THEIR SAFE REFUGE BEHIND A PILE OF ROCKS, SEE HIM!

HEY, GIMP! THERE'S SOMEONE PROWLIN' AROUND THE BEACH!

WH-WHAT? WHERE?

WE CAN'T TAKE NO CHANCES—I'LL HANDLE THIS HERE TOMMY GUN AN' YUH CARRY THAT ROD.

OKE—AN' IF HE'S A WRONG KIND O' GUY WE'LL LET HIM HAVE IT!