

THE WEATHER

Considerable cloudiness, slightly warmer in east and south central portions tonight; some likelihood of scattered snow flurries.

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OUTLOOK DARKENS FOR PHILIPPINES, SINGAPORE

Japs Get Preview Of Possible Blockade

Nippon Reinforcements Pressing Gen. M'Arthur

Holds U.S. Is Subject To Invasion

Tokyo Acknowledges That Freighter Torpedoed And Damaged Within 100 Miles Of Empire's Coast And At Same Time Asserts That Contention U.S. Can Not Be Invaded Is Just Another Myth

By The Associated Press Japan got a preview taste today of the thing she dreads most—a possible blockade of her densely-populated empire—as Imperial headquarters acknowledged an Allied submarine raid within 100 miles of Tokyo in which the 2,225-ton freighter Unkai Maru No. 1 was torpedoed and damaged.

The nationality of the attacking craft was not given.

Previously, a U. S. Navy bulletin reported that submarines of the American Asiatic fleet had sunk a 16,000-ton Japanese transport and three 10,000-ton Japanese supply ships.

The Navy's communication was the first report in many days from the sizeable undersea force operating in far east waters at the start of the war, a month ago, but naval officials emphasized that the dangerous missions of the submarines would prompt reports foolhardy while operations are proceeding.

Imperial Tokyo headquarters said the attack in Japanese waters occurred early yesterday morning off the Izu Shichito islands, 100 miles south of Tokyo and Yokohama.

Official acknowledgement that the war has been brought to Japan's own doorstep came as the victory-flushed Nipponese boasted of the possibility of outright conquest of the United States.

The contention that the United States cannot be invaded is as much a myth as that the Maginot line could not be taken, or that Singapore and Pearl Harbor are impregnable," said the government-controlled Japan Times and Advertiser.

Exulting over the Pearl Harbor "sneak punch," the capture of Manila and steady approach to Singapore, the Tokyo foreign office's newspaper Giddily envisioned the probability that "the armed forces of this country will land on the American continent."

The newspaper said the British invaded the United States in 1812 because "the American Navy was not strong enough," and declared "it will be invaded again."

Governor Paroles Fred Erwin Beal

Kaleigh, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Fred Erwin Beal, Communist organizer of the bloody Gastonia textile strike of 1929, has been paroled after serving a little more than four years of his original sentence of from 17 to 25 years.

Upon his formal release today from a North Carolina prison camp, he will take a job in a New York textile plant which has been arranged for him. Beal began his prison term in 1938 after returning from a flight to Russia and publishing a book which described his disillusionment with Communism.

Beal, along with six other defendants, was convicted of second degree murder in the killing of Police Chief O. F. Aderhold of Gastonia, who was shot when officers raided a strike headquarters. Convicted and sentenced to varying terms, the defendants were released on bond pending an appeal.

Chinese To Aid

Chungking, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Chinese troops in British Burma are moving up to "designated positions" and more are ready to enter Burma when and if they are asked for, a Chinese military spokesman said today.

REDS SHATTER GERMAN SIEGE OF LENINGRAD

Communications Re-established With Old Capital

NEW GAINS MADE AT SEVASTOPOL

Soviet Garrison In Crimea Declared To Have Broken Out And Launched Offensive Against Axis

By The Associated Press Russia's armies were declared today to have virtually broken the long-drawn sieges of Leningrad and Sevastopol, and Soviet dispatches reported that "East of Leningrad the Germans have now lost everything they have been able to capture in the past three months."

The reports indicate that the invaders had been thrown back from the eastern arc of their siege ring, with defenders of the old czarist capital once more in direct communication with the rest of Russia.

At one stage of the siege, the German high command asserted that Leningrad was "completely isolated" from the south and that the only outlet was the precarious passage across Lake Ladoga.

Advices reaching London reported that Red army storm troops now were battering the Germans in wave after wave in a sanguinary four-day-old battle at Povenets, at the mouth of the Stalin canal.

While maps failed to show Povenets, presumably it was a village in the vicinity of Schlesselburg, 25 miles east of Leningrad, where the Neva river flows into the Stalin canal.

The canal itself, a link in Russia's Baltic-to-Arctic waterway system, extends 100 miles eastward to Lake Ladoga.

In the Crimea, Red army troops who stubbornly defended Russia's great Black sea naval base at Sevastopol for two months were reported saluting forth and crushing the Germans' own siege positions.

Dispatches from Kubyshev, the alternate Soviet capital, said the Sevastopol garrison broke out and launched a violent offensive when the Germans withdrew some of their siege forces to combat the Russian counter-invasion from the Kerch peninsula.

Irving government newspaper reported that the Germans had massed seven divisions—perhaps 105,000—troops on the approaches to Sevastopol in mid-December and threatened to break through the port's defenses on December 27.

Marines from the Soviet Black sea fleet drove them back, however, and the Germans were reported now facing the prospect of a complete withdrawal from the Crimea or being caught in a trap.

Water Main Pipe Freezes In West

Marshall, N. C., Jan. 9.—(AP)—The water main pipe supply at Marshall froze and burst some time during the night last night and this morning people on both sides of the river here were without water.

All of the water was drained from the reservoir.

Workmen are busily engaged in repairing the pipe but the water was still off at 12 o'clock today. It was not known exactly when the flow of water would be resumed.

Give Defense Stamps As Card Club Prizes

One of Greenville's weekly card clubs has taken up a move which adopted by others throughout the country would mean much to Uncle Sam in his war against Japan and the other Axis nations.



These United States soldiers are standing guard against enemy invasion at a sandbagged outpost somewhere on the Atlantic coast. They are ready to strip their anti-aircraft gun for action in case should arise.

Axis Attempt To Ease Libyan Forces By Sea

SEE SIGNS OF AN OFFENSIVE

Indicated Gen. Wavell May Open Two Allied Drives

London, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Intensified air assaults from Burma on Japanese bases in Thailand and deployment of Chinese forces in Burma, with Chungking's promise of more men when needed, led military observers tonight to the belief that Generalissimo Wavell might be preparing an offensive in both China and Burma to relieve Singapore.

Such a drive from British Burma would imperil Japanese air land and sea bases in puppetized Thailand and French Indo-China and, while it would not be a frontal resistance to the Japanese power drive in Malaya, it might well serve to slow or halt that effort.

The battle carried to the Japanese in Thailand and Indo-China would be in the nature of a flank or even rear guard attack both to ease the pressure on Singapore and rob the Japanese of some of their driving power for any other offensive action such as a move against the Dutch East Indies.

Japan's best chance of success against the N. E. I rests with an attack before the ABCD powers can muster their resources, military observers point out.

Undoubtedly an offensive anywhere in the Burma-China area would force the Japanese to divert great numbers of troops.

If a combined Burma-China drive is started it will be joint work of General Sir Archibald P. Wavell and Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek.

Burma falls within Wavell's domain as supreme commander of the united nations in the southwest Pacific but Allied operations in China are Chiang's to supervise.

Royal Air Force Again Raids Brest

London, Jan. 9.—(AP)—A strong force of RAF bombers attacked the naval base at Brest, where the German battleships Scharnhorst and Gneisenau docked, last night for the fourth straight night, and authoritative source said today.

The docks at Cherbourg also were attacked, he said.

Ten airmen were given awards for an attack on Brest in December when they were said to have scored hits on the Scharnhorst and Gneisenau and shot down several enemy aircraft "in the face of extremely heavy and accurate anti-aircraft fire and determined attacks by enemy fighters."

EVEN GREATER TAX INCREASES NOW INDICATED

Bi-Partisan Committee At Work On New Measure

SAYS ANY FIGURE TO BE TOO SMALL

Chairman Doughton Says Meeting Only Preliminary And No Definite Conclusions Reached

Washington, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Senator George (D-Ga.) said today that preliminary conferences with Treasury officials had emphasized that the nation faces even greater tax increases than were first indicated by President Roosevelt's budget proposal for \$9,000,000,000 in new levies.

The chairman of the Senate Finance Committee said that to raise that amount in the fiscal year beginning next July 1, Congress would have to fix rates that would produce \$12,000,000,000 annually when the full productive capacity was reached.

A bi-partisan congressional delegation, including George, started work on the tax program this morning with Treasury Secretary Morgenthau.

He pointed out that the military production peak would probably not be reached until the spring of 1943 which would be late in the fiscal year. Tax receipts necessarily will be drawn largely from the income generated by the production program he said.

The Georgia senator said he and Chairman Doughton (D-N.C.) of the House Ways and Means Committee were agreed upon levying all of the taxes that could be placed upon industries and individuals without slowing down the production program.

"We realize that whatever amount of taxes is levied, will be too small," he added.

George said Treasury experts had submitted a "mass of data" on the tax structure, but were not yet prepared to make specific recommendations on new levies.

Chairman Doughton, speaking on behalf of the delegation after the conference at the Treasury, explained, however, that the meeting was preliminary and that no agreement had been made yet on what types of taxes will be sought.

"All I can say is that we met to exchange views and everyone showed a very fine spirit," Doughton said.

Others who met in Morgenthau's office for a two-hour session were Chairman George (D-Ga.) of the Senate Finance Committee, Rep. Treadway (R-Mass.) ranking Republican of the House Committee on Finance, and Senator Charles McNary (R-Mich.) and Colin F. Stans, chief research expert of the joint congressional committee on internal revenue taxation.

Progress Is Made On Crop Insurance

Washington, Jan. 9.—(AP)—The Federal Crop Insurance Corporation reported today it had made progress in research looking to the extension of production insurance to growers of corn, tobacco, rice and citrus fruits.

The corporation is now authorized by law to insure growers against losses on wheat and cotton crops resulting from drought, floods, freezes, hail, insects and other hazards. Wheat insurance has been in effect since 1939, and is being offered on cotton for the first time.

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Because of the danger that allied peoples may get a distorted view of the military position, and become too confident, a spokesman for the British foreign office warned that reports of impending revolt in Germany should be treated with extreme reserve. That's good advice.

Malaya Defenders Also Being Forced By Numerically Superior Invaders; Ray Of Hope Presented In Announcement Of Sinking Of Four Japanese Warships; Full Toll At Wake Revealed

Civilian Defense

Washington, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Dean James M. Landis of Harvard Law School was assigned the task today of executing civilian defense activities. OGD Director Florell La Guardia turned his talents "to perfecting the organization throughout the country."

Presidential Secretary Stephen Early announced Landis' appointment, saying the educator would have the title of "civilian defense" and that Landis and La Guardia, mayor of New York, together would fashion broad matters of policy.

The change followed complaints that La Guardia had more to do than any one man could handle in directing the civilian defense program and serving as New York's mayor at the same time.

In a statement issued here today, La Guardia welcomed Landis' appointment as one which "will take the details of the office administration off my shoulders," permitting him "to devote more time to perfecting the organization throughout the country."

CHINESE MOVE ON TWO CITIES

Pierce Outer Defenses Of Canton And Nanchang

Chungking, Jan. 9.—(AP)—The Chinese reported today that their forces had penetrated the outer defenses of two of the most important Japanese-held cities of south China, Canton and Nanchang, capitals of Kwangtung and Kiangsi provinces.

An army communique declared that two Chinese columns had driven into the northern and northeastern suburbs of Canton in the course of an assault on the outer defenses of that million-population city that began three days ago. Fighting was still in progress.

Chinese dispatches said heavy casualties had been inflicted on the defenders of Nanchang in an attack that penetrated the outer barriers of the city.

Canton and Nanchang have been in Japanese hands since 1938.

The communique reported further heavy punishment dealt the Japanese columns retreating from their shattered attempt to take Changsha, capital of Hunan, and successes on many other fronts in central and southern China.

An encircling movement against Ichang, vital Yangtze river port above Hankow, which marks the high tide of Japan's drive into China, also was recorded. In a battle northeast of Ichang 200 casualties were inflicted on the Japanese.

Japs Again Claim U.S. Tender Sunk

Tokyo, Jan. 9.—Official Broadcast Recorded by AP—Imperial headquarters declared today the United States aircraft tender Langley had been sunk by Japanese submarines yesterday southwest of Johnston Island.

(The Japanese have previously made various assertions that they had sunk or damaged the Langley in what Americans have construed to be "fishing expeditions" for information.)

The 11,050-ton Langley, which began naval service 29 years ago as a coal-carrier, was first declared from Tokyo to have been damaged December 8 at the bay of Malaga in Japanese air attacks on the Philippines.

(She became a guinea pig for experimentation on the teaming of sea and air power as an aircraft carrier in 1920 and then was relegated to the role of a tender.

(Johnston Island is in the Pacific 900 miles southwest of Honolulu.)

Washington, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Repeating to Japanese claims that the U. S. aircraft tender Langley had been sunk, a Navy spokesman said today Tokyo was playing "the old Nazi game" of trying to smoke out the vessel's location.

Winterville Services John E. Lawrence, state secretary of the Baptist Training Union, will address the Winterville Baptist church unit Sunday night at 6:30 o'clock, after which the pastor, Rev. C. Arthur Francis, will deliver the regular sermon on the topic "The Unyielding Christian."

Charlie Harris Mayo Gets Wings Today Charlie Harris Mayo, graduate of the 1936 class of Greenville High School and one of several brothers and sisters who have made outstanding records at the local school, today was to receive his wings and be commissioned as a lieutenant at the advanced Army Brooks Field, San Antonio, Texas.

Lieut. Harris is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mayo, who live north of Tar river.

Daylight Saving Washington, Jan. 9.—(AP)—The House voted today, on a standing vote of 67 to 20, a daylight-saving bill ordering a uniform one-hour advance of the nation's clocks.

The Senate previously had approved a bill giving the President discretion to move the clocks ahead as much as two hours. The differences between the two versions were expected to require appointment of a conference committee to shape the legislation into the final form.

Under the House bill, the one-hour time advance would begin 20 days after enactment and remain in effect until six months after the war ended.

The WAR TODAY

By DeWITT MacKENZIE (World-wide News Analyst)

The greatest stroke of good fortune that could come to the allies would be a revolt in Germany and the consequent collapse of Herr Hitler.

That perhaps accounts for the avidity with which a lot of folk are seizing on reports of disaffection in the Hitlerian ranks and trying to squeeze over-much juice out of this turnip. The tendency to wishful thinking probably has been increased by the seriousness of the allied position in these opening days of the battle of the Pacific—the effort being to offset the uncomfortable facts that for the moment we apparently must take it in the neck from the Japs.

Because of the danger that allied peoples may get a distorted view of the military position, and become too confident, a spokesman for the British foreign office warned that reports of impending revolt in Germany should be treated with extreme reserve. That's good advice.

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Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kennedy, Jr. attended a business meeting and luncheon of O. T. C. News and Observer dealers at Goldsboro Hotel in Goldsboro yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cobb of Durham, are spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Cobb.

Missionary Circle To Meet.
The Matrons Missionary Circle of the Christian Church will meet at the home of Mrs. C. H. Edwards on Monday at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. John Proctor and Mrs. M. R. Long will be assisting hostesses.

Nazi In Budapest.
Berlin, Jan. 8 (Official broadcast recorded by AP) — German Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop arrived with his suite in Budapest today after a two-day visit with the Hungarian regent, Admiral Nicholas Horthy, in the country.

Men Wanted
The United States Employment service has job openings for men thoroughly experienced in the following occupations: Electricians, plumbers, machine shop supervisor, mechanics, steam fitters, instrument and level men, rodmen, survey, shoe repairmen.

All of these jobs are located away from Greenville. Further information may be obtained at the employment office, 815 Dickinson avenue.

Woman's Club To Meet.
Tonight at 8 o'clock the Woman's Club will meet in the club house to hear Mr. J. H. Rose speak on "Civilian Defense."

A musical program will be presented by a group of musicians from the college under the direction of Mr. A. L. Dittmer.

A special invitation is extended to the members of the Junior Woman's Club and all women of Greenville to attend this meeting.

Hostesses for the evening will be Mesdames H. C. Sugg, N. T. Ennett, V. C. Fleming, Gus Forbes, W. C. Harris, E. W. Harvey, C. C. Hilton, E. C. Hollar and T. T. Hollingsworth.

To Present Play, For Children.
Children and parents of Greenville who enjoyed the "Clare Tree" production of "Alice in Wonderland" brought to the city last year by the Greenville branch of the A. A. U. W. will be interested to learn that the organization will present this year, in collaboration with the Chi Pi Players of the college as producers, Charlotte B. Chorpennings' "Little Black Sambo and the Tigers." It will be given during the first week in February with a matinee performance at 3 p. m., and an evening one at 8 p. m. Clifton Britton will direct the production.

Most children will know the story from which the play is made, and will be familiar with the experiences of little black Sambo, who went into the jungle full of animals to find butter and eggs and sugar and milk for pancakes so that his mother would be persuaded to make him a "beautiful little red jacket and blue trousers."

For the musical background the director will use Victor recordings made in Africa especially for the play.

At both matinee and evening performance, Snow White will greet the children in the lobby; Ferdinand the Bull, Dopey, Mickey Mouse and Pinocchio will usher; and Donald Duck will welcome the audience from the stage. These characters will all wear costumes approved by Walt Disney.

This production is being sponsored by the A. A. U. W. to bring good theatre to the children of Greenville at a price that will make it possible for all to attend. Tickets will be put on sale soon by members of the A. A. U. W.

Birthday Party.
Little Miss Gail Barnhill of near Stokes celebrated her sixth birthday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Barnhill, on January 5.

The home was decorated with red, white and blue balloons and silver bells. As the guests entered they were presented New Year caps in the patriotic colors with silver stars. Mrs. Barnhill directed them to the fish pond where their books were baited with a box of candy cigarettes and chewing gum by Mrs. Alfred Kennedy and Dupree Barnhill. The children then entered the living room where many interesting games were played. Next came the most thrilling part Mack and Neal Dupree, twins, entered pushing a carriage float decorated with blue and white crepe paper and little silver bells with a beautiful blonde curly-haired doll given by Gail's grandmother. Mrs. J. T. Dupree, Sr. Following them were all the little guests with gifts for Gail. They were beautiful and useful. The children were shown to the dining room by Mrs. Leon Brown. The table was decorated with a pretty birthday cake in the center, on each side of the cake were two tall, red, white and blue horns with brightly glowing candles. Mrs. A. C. Barnhill, Mrs. Herman Garris, Mrs. Alfred Kennedy, Jr. and Mrs. J. T. Dupree, Jr., assisted Mrs. Barnhill in serving ice cream and animal cookies. Each guest was given a table favor of a little cart drawn by an animal made of candy and cake. As the guests left they were given balloons bearing flags and ships. The following children declaring to Gail that they had a good time, were Misses Anne Miller, Patricia Congleton, Neal Dupree and June Turner; Masters L. E. Garris, Russell Brown, Mack Dupree, Jack Harrison, Warren Whitehurst and Dupree Barnhill.

Visitors Here.
Mr. John Angus, Jr. will arrive tonight from Asheville to join Mrs. Angus who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. James. Mr. and Mrs. Angus will leave tomorrow for Portsmouth to spend the week-end.

Social Calendar

FRIDAY
6:30 p. m.—Meeting of the Kiwanis Club.

7:30 p. m.—The Junior and Senior King's Daughters will meet at the home of Mrs. J. J. Stauffer, East Fifth street extension.

7:30 p. m.—The T. E. L. class of Immanuel Baptist Church meets with Mrs. Clifton Bullock.

7:30 p. m.—Red Men meet.

8:00 p. m.—The Greenville chapter of the Alumni Association of East Carolina Teachers College will meet in the new C. I. S. room building.

3:00 p. m.—The American Home Department of the Woman's Club meets at the club house, with Mrs. Arthur Corey, Mrs. Howard Mims and Mrs. C. E. Oakley as hostesses.

8:00 p. m.—The Greenville Nurses' Council meets with Mrs. Royce Jones. Miss Davey Fleming will be assisting hostess.

8:00 p. m.—The Woman's Club meets in the club house.

SATURDAY
8:00 p. m.—Mrs. Jack Whitely, Miss Lillian Abee, and Miss Martha Bland will entertain at bridge honoring Mrs. Bill Williams, a recent bride, at the home of Miss Whitely.

Engineers, Draftsmen, Attention!
The United States Employment Service has openings for engineers and draftsmen of all types. If you are qualified along this line and would like to have further information, go at once to the employment office, 815 Dickinson avenue.

Pactious H. D. Club Meets.
The Pactious Home Demonstration Club held its first meeting for 1942 at the home of Mrs. J. R. Baker on January 5 at 2:30 p. m., with Mrs. Roy Baker joint hostess.

After a short business session, Miss Verona Lee Joyner, home demonstration agent, welcomed the visitors present and urged them to join the club. She also made a short talk, mapping out a campaign of better living for 1942.

Mrs. W. F. Little and Mrs. C. J. Satterthwaite reported for their committees.

After a delightful social hour, when Bingo was played and refreshment served, the meeting adjourned.

Mrs. William Tripp, Secy.

GREENVILLE HI-NEWS

By CORA REDDITT EVELYN SCHELLER

Defense Paper.

The paper collected the last two days weighed 4,640 lbs. and this was the Junior Red Cross \$16.27. The paper is still being collected in the high school and town so if you have any please call Mrs. J. B. James, phone 2451 or Mrs. William Tat, phone 2119.

Green Lights

The possibility of "Green Lights" coming out every two weeks rather than every three weeks was discussed in the journalism class today. However, the fact that our printing bill this year is 20 per cent more, cuts cost 36 per cent more, less money coming from students, and every issue but one has had eight pages which made the paper cost \$33 more, made it look unwise to do so. "Green Lights" will come out every three weeks as it has in the past.

"Caught In The Squeeze?"

The notice today asked the teachers to get their retirement enrollment blanks and certifications of service claims in this office as soon as possible next week.

Radio Program

Last night Rachel Fleming and Florence Horton presented the "Greenville High News" over WGTC.

Senior Examinations

Physical record cards of the seniors were made out today. One government requested that all seniors in high school have complete physical check-ups.

Sea Scout Notice.

All Sea Scouts are requested to meet at the ship headquarters on Dickinson avenue at 2:30 o'clock on Saturday to work on putting the meeting place into shape. Just wear old clothes.

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Greenville ought to get several new enterprises this year.

The tobacco market has only light sales now, there being but little of last year's crop left unsold. Prices continue high.

Enterprises that will attract people to Greenville and give them employment is what the town needs. If we fail to have them, people will go elsewhere.

Mrs. R. W. King went to Kinston Thursday evening and returned this morning.

John Stator of Bethel, left Monday for Oak Ridge where he will begin school.

Judson Blount of Bethel, left on Monday for Mount Olive to begin school.

Chicod High School News

By MILDRED ADAMS

Ball Game

"Rah! Rah! Rah! Sis Boom Bah!" Every student at C. H. S. is in the school spirit. They want everybody to know what kind of ball team we have. When it comes to playing ball our boys and girls are in the "groove," and they really "kick" it out.

We are very proud to say that both boys and girls teams won over the Arthur Champs—girls, 28-18, boys 25-21—in favor of dear old C. H. S. Both teams showed great sportsmanship and a good time was had by all.

Glee Club

The high school glee club will make their third appearance January 18 in the Black Jack Free Will Baptist Church, under the direction of Miss Melrose Kennedy, glee club teacher. Every one in the community and elsewhere are invited to attend.

Senior Play

The characters for the senior play "Baahful Mr. Bobbs" has been chosen. The play will be presented in February in the high school auditorium.

Rumors

Why are all the boys going around school singing "Somebody Stole My Gal," and the girls singing "Chattanooga Choo Choo—won't you choo choo me home?" Folks, they have really got it going.

Axis Attempt Ease...

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throughout the day (yesterday). At the other side of Cirenaica eastern Libya, the weather-shielded, withdrawal of General Erwin Rommel's battered but still effective African corps continued with the mobile columns of the British Imperialists slaying at the stubbornly fighting rearward.

The Rommel retreat aroused British fears that the Axis might fall, or at least postpone, achievement of Britain's main objective of annihilating the enemy armored forces in northern Africa.

Rommel was favored in his retreat from Agadabia, where his forces have fought the British for days after being beaten back 300 miles from the Egyptian-Libyan border, by a combination of mud and a swirling sand-storm which impeded the British columns.

Also a large factor was the rear-guard resistance offered by Rommel's men and land mines laid to cover the retreat.

The effect of the reverses in Libya is being felt in Italy, it was indicated in a report in an anti-Nazi London newspaper, Die Zeitung. It said Premier Mussolini was recalling troops from Balkan occupied zones because annihilation in Libya would leave Italy "face to face with the danger of direct attack."

Die Zeitung further said Hitler had been told Italy's military situation is "greatly menaced" and that the Nazis must find new force to police the Balkans. It added that Germany could not send sufficient troops there from the Russian front and that Hungary would be given the job in exchange for promises of political compensations.

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Kiss For Bride Sally Rand



Dancer ally Rand became the bride of Cowboy Thurler Greenville, Montana ranchman and rodeo rider, in ceremony performed at Glendora, Calif., and gave him a kiss a few minutes after they spoke the vows before the Rev. George W. Bunton, retired Methodist minister.

Distinctive Hospital Described By Visitor

With a rising incidence in tuberculosis in prospect throughout the nation due to conditions relating to the war, local supporters of the National Jewish Hospital at Denver, which cares for tuberculous patients who can not afford to pay for treatment, will be advised of its work during the past year by Miss Rose Handelman, Field Secretary of the institution, who arrived Wednesday.

Dr. R. M. Schultz and Mrs. Luther Bowling are local trustees of the hospital which annually provides hospitalization for more than 800 men, women and children from all parts of the country.

The oldest national non-sectarian institution for the free care of the tuberculous poor in the United States, the hospital was founded in 1899. While it was brought into existence and is largely supported by American Jews, no distinction is made as to creed in admitting patients and the hospital's motto for nearly half a century has been faithfully observed. This motto is "None May Enter Who Can Pay—None Can Pay Who Enter."

Widely regarded as one of the outstanding interfaith philanthropies in existence, the National Jewish Hospital is sponsored by many of the most eminent men and women of Catholic and Protestant, as well as Jewish faith, including Wendell L. Willkie, Governor Herbert H. Lehman of New York, Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, Owen D. Young, U. S. Surgeon General Thomas Parran, Sidney Hillman of the Office of Production Management, Thomas E. Dewey, Bishop William T. Manning of the Protestant Episcopal Church, and William Cardinal O'Connell of the Catholic Archdiocese of Boston.

"The National Jewish Hospital receives no State or Federal aid, and depends entirely upon individual contributions," Miss Handelman declared. "Since its founding no patient has ever paid a fee."

vile far exceed the contributions in any previous year. The greatest amount contributed in any previous year was \$1,385.50.

She accounts for this increase on a basis of a better understanding on the part of the public as to the seriousness of the tuberculosis situation, on her corps of very efficient workers, and on the fact that the mail was used in Greenville this year for the first time, thereby reaching a larger number of people.

Mrs. Wooten expressed appreciation to all who in any way contributed to the success of the Seal Sale Campaign.

Reds Press Finns Around Lake Area

Helsinki, Jan. 9.—(AP)—A Finnish communique declared today that the Russian army was keeping up hard pressure against Finnish

lines north of Lake Onega despite heavy losses.

On a single battlefield north of the lake 500 Russians were killed in repeated attacks yesterday, the war bulletin said.

It reported the capture of Russian prisoners in a sector south of the svir river, between lakes Onega and Ladoga.

The Finnish command said fighting continued in one sector where the Finns claimed to have driven a wedge into the Russian lines.

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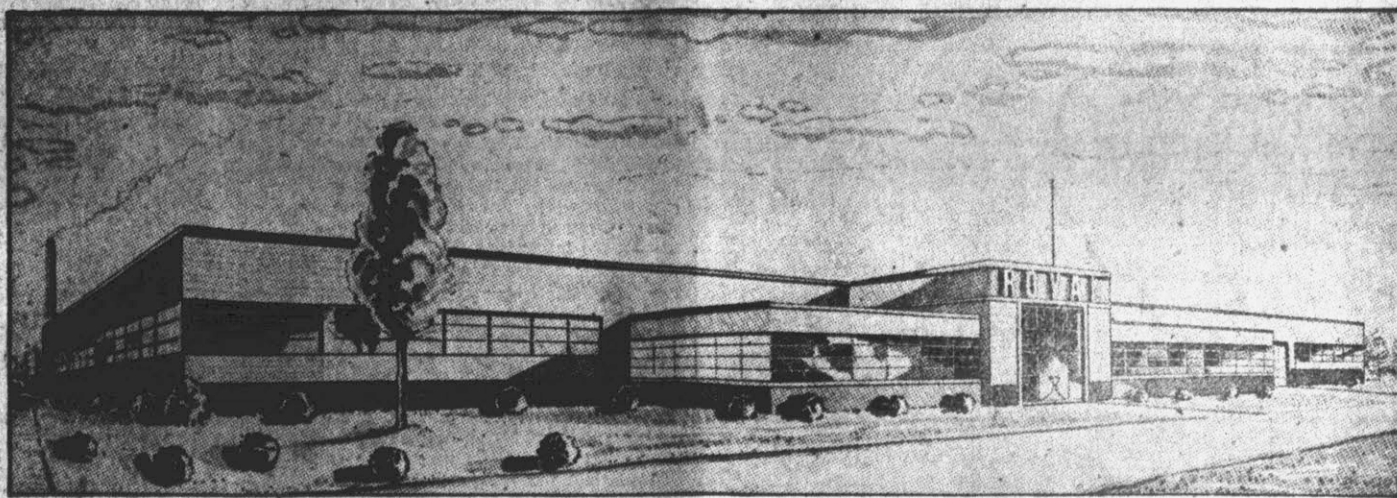
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Public Invited To Visit New Home of Royal Baking Co.



A cordial invitation is extended by Raymond B. Streb, president of the Royal Baking Company of Raleigh, to everyone to come to Raleigh on Wednesday and Thursday, January 14 and 15, and attend the opening of the magnificent new home of the baking organization, on Hillsboro street. The festivities will begin promptly at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday, when Mayor Graham Andrews of Raleigh officially cuts the ribbon stretched across the entrance to the new plant.



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"We are naturally proud of our new home," said Raymond B. Streb, president of the Royal Baking Co., "particularly as the added facilities more than double our former capacity. But we are even more proud of the fact that it is because of the thousands of friends in this territory, that this new building was made possible."

"We are certain that everyone in the vicinity of Raleigh is going to take a great deal of interest and pride in this new bakery," Mr. Streb said. "We would like to invite everyone to visit the new plant either Wednesday or Thursday evening from 6:30 to 10 p. m."

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No limit has been set on the wartime size of the army to be sent to Britain and any where else the high command may deem advisable. Secretary Stimson says the number to be drawn from the 8,000,000 to 10,000,000 available fit men will be determined by the needs as they arise.

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U.S. Leaflets Dropped By British Royal Air Force

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Stephen Early, presidential press secretary, said additional leaflets probably would be distributed over other occupied portions of Europe later.

"The United States leaflet number one," Early said, carried to the French a message of hope and "clearly implied that a very different kind of message would be carried to the enemy in due time."

On the leaflet was a picture of the American flag in colors, a picture of the Statue of Liberty, which is of French workmanship and was given to the United States by the French people, and Roosevelt excerpts.

From London, Mr. Roosevelt has received a report quoting an RAF official as saying: "United States leaflet number one was acclaimed everywhere in the RAF and the fliers felt it was an honor to be the couriers of America and to carry so stirring a message."

Pepsi Cola Workers Support Government

The 56 employees of the local Pepsi Cola Company, including both white and colored, have asked the management to take part of their weekly salary and purchase defense bonds or stamps for them.

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All Big Five Teams Have Weekend Games on Schedule

DUKE TO PLAY ON TWO NIGHTS

All Others Have Either Friday Or Saturday Tilts

Raleigh, Jan. 9.—(AP)—There was a lull on the big five basketball front last night with no action reported from any of the camps.

It must have been the calm before the storm, for all five of the fives will play either tonight or tomorrow night, and Duke's ace outfit has games scheduled both nights.

Tonight's program calls for meeting of Wake Forest's Demon Deacons with George Washington at Wake Forest and Duke with Maryland's Old Liners at Durham.

North Carolina's game with Fordham will headline the Saturday night program. N. C. State and Davidson will have a family fight at Charlotte and the Colonials of George Washington will move over to Durham to tackle the Dukes.

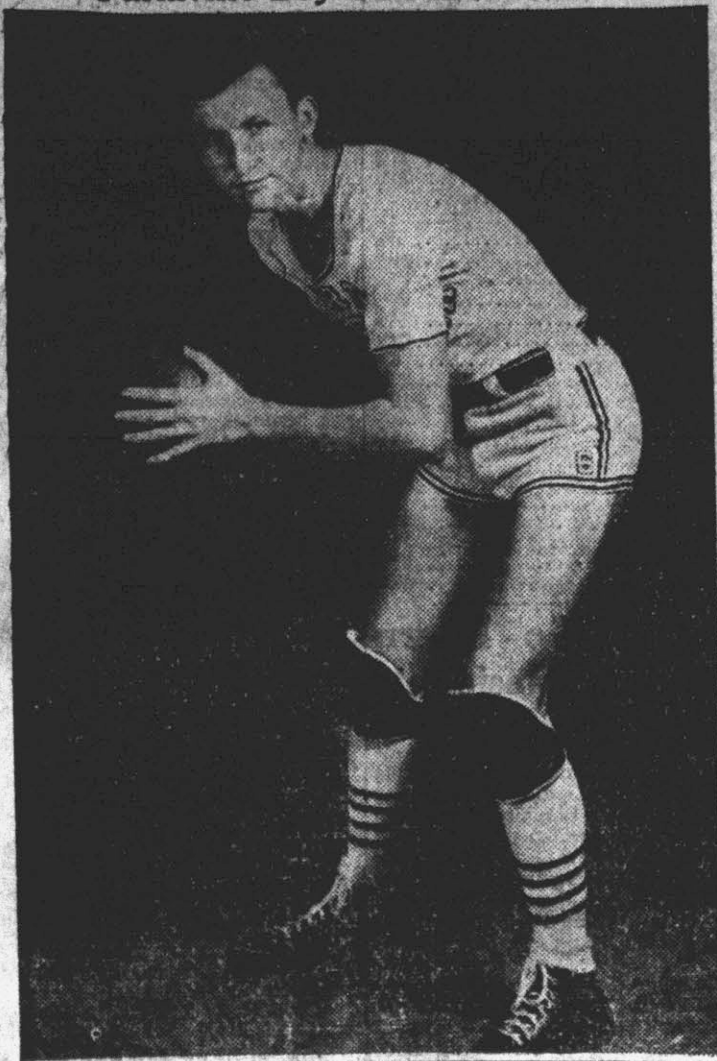
George Washington is the infant member of the Southern Conference—this is its first year, but the Colonials are going to be called the terrible infants if they smite the Deacons the way they did in a pre-holiday game. This score was 52 to 27, but the Deacons were without the services of their ace center, Herb Cline, and they intimate that having their ace back in the hole at center might make all the difference in the world.

The Tar Heels are hoping that they will be able to chalk up the first victory of a Carolina team over Fordham in the contest with the Rams. So far one tie at football is the high water mark for the Tar Heels in the rivalry with Fordham.

The three other football games were lost by healthy margins, and last year's quint, bowed to Fordham 42 to 41 in a fast and furious game in New York's Madison Square Garden.

However, Carolina's chance of breaking the Fordham jinx aren't

Farmville Boy To Face Test



JULIAN SMITH, FORWARD, U.N.C.

Julian Smith, who has been starting Carolina's early season games, is slated for his big test on the home court Saturday night. The Fordham Rams, who rank with the top teams in the East, nosed out the Tar Heels last year 42-41, and have exactly the same starting five they had then. The Farmville senior turned in one of his finest games of last year against the great New York U. team, however, and Tar Heel fans are looking to him to give another good account of himself in the Fordham headliner.

GHS ATHLETICS FACE PROBLEM

Lack Of Transportation Facilities Being Felt

Due to the government emergency action in rationing automobile tires, the High School is facing a serious situation in transporting its various athletic teams. This phase of the high school program, and its importance to national defense is being recognized as never before, is threatened with drastic curtailment unless some solution can be worked out.

Before the emergency, transportation has been taken care of by friends and followers of the sports who donated the use of their cars, but now these people cannot afford to do this. Travel by train or bus is out of the question due to cost and schedules.

High School authorities have the alternative of cancelling all schedules and running a modified intramural program or in some way secure its own bus. Whatever the solution, something has to be done immediately. Tomorrow the basketball team plays a return game in Portsmouth. Unable to find cars, Coach Boley Farley, told his squad

Play In Goldsboro

The Greenville high school basketball team will engage the Goldsboro team here tonight in its second game of the year. Just prior to the Christmas holidays the locals lost a one-point decision, 25-24, to the Portsmouth, Va., team.

Tonight's game, like most other contests, is expected to be centered around Troy Riddle, who stepped up from last year's second string and a really going places this year.

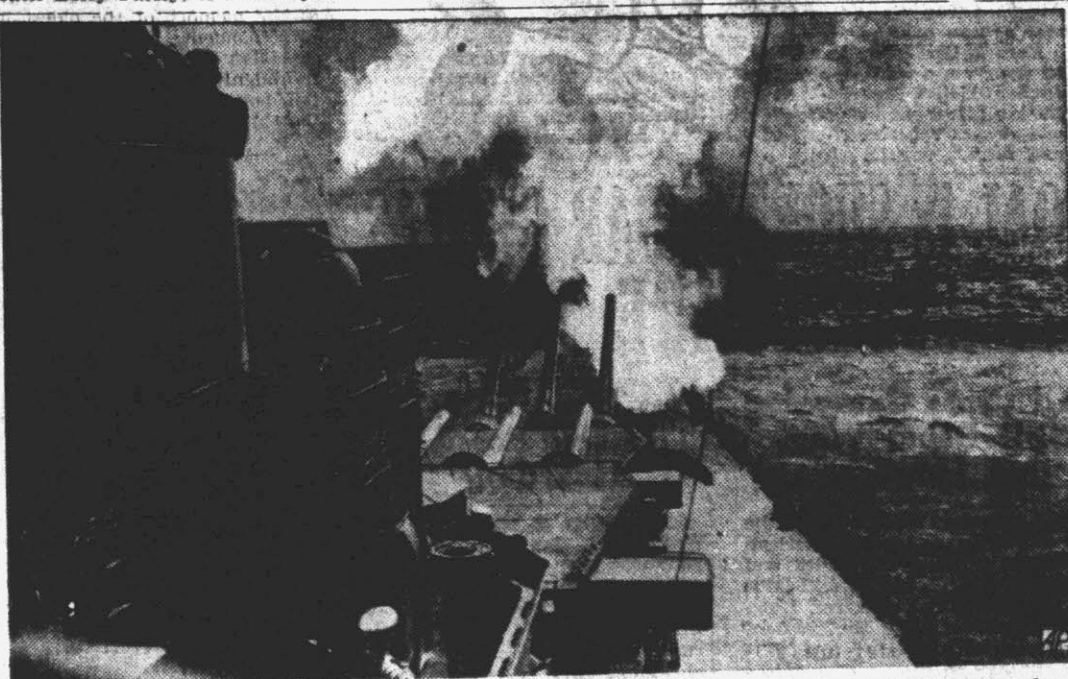
Other stars are expected to be Spearman and Brown, forwards; Johnson and Musselwhite, guards.

that the game would have to be cancelled. The boys decided that, rather than break the contract, they would defray their own traveling expenses.

If any citizens have any ideas that will help, the High School would like to hear from them.

Attention Farm Hands. The United States Employment Service has openings for a number of Share Croppers and Farm Hands. For complete information go to the Employment Office, 815 Dickinson Avenue.

Want Ads for Results



CAROLINA THUNDER The U. S. navy, which in August proudly put the newly-commissioned 35,000-ton battleship North Carolina (above) through tests, firing some 20,000 pounds from 19 guns for a record salvo, suffered a blow Dec. 7 when Japan bombed Hawaii, sinking a battleship and other war craft. Promptly Congress authorized increase of 150,000 tons in navy's vessel strength but included no battleships in this tonnage. During 1941 there were launched 3 battleships, at least 17 destroyers, 6 cruisers, 10 submarines, other craft.

VIRGINIA GENTLEMAN
THE ANNOUVAL OF BOB
STRAIGHT BOURBON WHISKEY
4 YEARS OLD
90 PROOF

bright, for the Rams are bringing the same starting lineup they had last year, and the Tar Heels, without center George Glumack, haven't been nearly as potent as last year's team.

Duke's Bob Gantt, a star on last year's freshman basketball team and allconference end at football last fall, may make his varsity debut out party has been delayed because of Duke's extended football season and because of a leg injury he suffered in the Rose Bowl game.

Beavers Hailed

Corvallis, Ore., Jan. 9.—(AP)—Oregon State's Rose Bowl champions were back on the campus today, the din of a noisy reception still ringing in their ears.

Classwork was cancelled yesterday to give students and townspeople a chance to cheer the football conquerors of Duke. A victory banquet is scheduled for next Friday night upon the return of Coach Lon Stiner, visiting relatives in Nebraska.

Try Our Want Ads

Round and Round the Little Ball Goes—Where it Stops, Nobody Knows!

Why take a chance when it costs no more to be sure you are sure of right prices and quality merchandise at our store?

THE HENS AND COWS HAVE DONE THEIR BEST. OUR DAIRY PRODUCTS PASS THE TEST!

COCOA—Hershey's or Baker's
8-oz. pkg. **10c** 16-oz. pkg. **19c**
HERSHEY'S CHOCOLATE SYRUP
5 1-2 oz. can **5c** 16-oz. can **10c**
BAKER'S CHOCOLATE, 8-oz. pkg. **19c**

SELECTED COUNTRY EGGS, per dozen **33c**
FULL CREAMERY BUTTER, 16-oz. roll **39c**

VEGETABLES—Snap Beans, Turnip Salad, Green Top Turnips, Collards, Beets, Rutabagas, Spinach, Cauliflower, Tomatoes, Peppers, Cucumbers, New Red Potatoes, Lettuce, Celery.
HOUSE CURED YAMS, peck **30c**
FRUITS—Apples, Oranges, Bananas, Grapes, Grapefruit, Fresh Pineapples.

IN OUR GRADE "A" MARKET

Chuck Roast, Veal or Beef, lb. **25c** Ham Ends, Good for Boiling, lb. **25c**
Smoked Tongue, lb. **35c** T-Bone Steaks, Small, lb. **40c**
FRYERS, lb. **25c**

GARRIS GROCERY Co.
CORNER EAST FIFTH & COTANCHE STS.
Dial "GREENVILLE'S" Dial 3168
FOOD CENTER 3169
FAST DELIVERY SERVICE

DAN DUNN - SECRET OPERATIVE, 48

YES, HERE COME THE BOYS--AS SOON AS I OPEN THIS DOOR, THE WHOLE PLACE WILL BE UNDER ARREST--WILL BRUNO BE SURPRISED WHEN I WALK IN? HE THINKS HE KILLED ME!

ALL RIGHT, SLICK AND THE REST OF YOU REACH FOR THE CEILING, YOU'RE ALL UNDER ARREST!

WHAT TH' IT MUST BE A GHOST!

NO, I'M NOT A GHOST, BRUNO! HURRY UP AND SEARCH THESE RACKETEERS, BOYS, AND GET 'EM OUT OF HERE, EXCEPT THIS ONE!

WH-WHAT ARE YUH GOING TO DO WITH ME?

I'M GOING TO TALK TO YOU VERY PRIVATELY, BRUNO--AS SOON AS I GET MY COAT OFF YOU BETTER GET READY, TOO.

THIMBLE THEATRE - STARING POPEYE

UNKNOWN TO THOSE ON BOARD, SWEETPEA GETS HIS LITTLE HEAD WEDGED INTO A SECTION OF STOVEPIPE AND ACCIDENTALLY FALLS OVERBOARD.

HURRY, OSCAR, ROWER ME TO SHORE AND THEN PICK UP THE OTHERS--

AYE AYE, ADMIRAL!

LOOK!

BLOW ME DOWN! A SUBMARINE!

I AM GONER STOP 'EM, BEFORE THEY DOES SOME DAMAGE!!!

SWEETPEA?

BLONDIE - by Young

HELLO MAMA

WHY DID YOU COME HOME FROM SCHOOL AT NOON-TIME IN THIS AWFUL STORM?

I CAME HOME TO EAT LUNCH

BUT I PACKED YOU A NICE LUNCH TO TAKE TO SCHOOL, SO YOU WOULDN'T HAVE TO COME HOME

WHAT BECAME OF YOUR LUNCH?

I ATE IT AT RECESS

To bring out the best in any soup, Serve with fresh, flaky PREMIUM CRACKERS

Baked by NABISCO NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY

One Auto Accident

MAY TAKE EVERYTHING YOU OWN AND YOUR EARNINGS FOR YEARS TO COME—UNLESS YOU HAVE ADEQUATE Automobile Insurance Protection

Save Money by Insuring with Farm Bureau.

FLETCHER G. THOMAS
AGENT
FARM BUREAU MUTUAL INSURANCE CO.
Shelburn Bldg., Back of Post Office Dial 2517

HERE'S THE WAY OUR 80-20 COLLISION POLICY WORKS

\$ 5.00 Accident We Pay \$ 4.00 You Pay \$ 1.00
\$10.00 Accident We Pay \$ 8.00 You Pay \$ 2.00
\$50.00 Accident We Pay \$40.00 You Pay \$10.00

In other words, we pay 80% of the damage up to \$250.00 and we also pay for ALL damage above that amount. Your maximum loss is \$50 regardless of the amount of the accident.

WANTS

Rates 15c per word, minimum charge 35c for 25 words, one insertion; six insertions \$1.85; one month \$7.00. Indented lines known as classified display, or larger than regular size type, double price.

Other than to business houses having regular accounts with us, no want ads will be charged. Send or bring cash with order. To prevent errors, want ads will not be taken over the telephone.

Frank Plumbing
CITY PLUMBING CO.
We Clean and Press Men's Suits, Ladies' Coats—Dresses
Our work must please and a trial will convince you.
CAROLINA DRY CLEANERS
Dial 2276—Leon Smith, Prop.

DELCO-HEAT
SMITH ELECTRIC CO.
Phone 2273 Since 1918

FOR DEFENSE — PLANT OUR
new seed garden peas and our cabbage plants which we receive fresh daily. J. A. Watson, Seed and Hardware.
17-1f

POULTRY WANTED
For top market prices for your poultry and eggs sell with us. Pitt Poultry Co., next to Radio Station.
1-1 mo.

5,000 CORDS OF OAK, CYPRESS
and pine wood on stump, for sale. One mile north of Grimesland. See Tom Andrews, Bethel.
2-12f

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY
If you have been selling electrical appliances, sewing machines, or automobile tires and need to make a change, here's your opportunity. Old established company with complete line of household and farm necessities will back you with no investment required. Write Watkins, Box 5071, Richmond, Virginia, for further information.

FOR RENT—ONE OR TWO COM-
fortable bedrooms in heated home near college. Dial 3711 after 7:30 p. m.
7-3f

SERVICE STATION EQUIPMENT
and stock for sale. Good location. See J. G. Clark.
6-6f

BABY CHICKS THAT LIVE AND
grow. Hatched in large electric incubators. Delivers each Tuesday. Eggs, set each Monday, \$2.50 per tray of 130 eggs. Place orders now. Robeck's Hatchery, Stokes, N. C.
Jan. 6-3 mo.

FOR RENT—TWO BEDROOMS
convenient to bath—business women preferred. Mrs. Alice Keel, 409 Jarvis St. Dial 3519.
7-3f

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED OUR
new garden seed. A complete line also onion sets and cabbage plants. White's Stores, Inc.

WANTED — POSITION AS FARM
manager or assistant farm manager. Age 41, with 25 years experience. Sober and dependable. Can furnish A-1 references. Frank Harrington, Gen. Del., Greenville, N. C.
9-3f

FARM FOR SALE—IN BELVOIR
Township on highway—94 acres, more or less. Tobacco allotment under 1942 program. 3.2-3 acres. Plenty woodland for farm and market. One tenant house and one tobacco barn. Price reasonable. L. T. Pierce Farmville.
5-6f

FOR RENT—TWO ROOM FURN-
ished apartment, with lights, gas and electric refrigerator. Reasonable rent. West Greenville. Dial 2285
8-3f

WANTED TO RENT — SMALL
house or three or four room unfurnished apartment. Close in. Dial 3807.
8-3f

WE ARE EQUIPPED TO WELD
any burst automobile engine blocks without removing it from the car. If the cold weather caught you napping, call us. Greenville Machine Works, 810 Clark St. Telephone 2535. 8-2f

MANUFACTURER AND DISTRIBUTOR
of well known candies, nuts, peanuts and sundries wants distributor for Greenville territory and vicinity. Routes already established. Must have car. Phone 2573.
7-eod-3f

BEAUTY SERVICE FOR THOSE
who care—Soft, lustrous Permanent Waves, \$3.50 up. You, too, can be lively. Visit our shop for your complete beauty needs. Dial 3318. Cinderella Beauty Shop, 2 doors below Library.
9-eod-1 mo.

BABY CHICKS — TWO WEEKS
old—\$11.00 per hundred. Cash in on February and March broilers by starting chicks now. Save your pullets for plenty of eggs next summer and early fall. Drum's Hatchery & Feed Store.
Mon-Wed-Fri

FOR RENT—FURNISHED STEAM-
heated room. Private entrance. Large closet, automatic hot water. 804 East Third St. Dial 2896.
Wed-Fri-Sat

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY—IN-
dividual Apple Pies, Chocolate Malted Milk and Lemon Layer Cakes. People's Bakery.

CITY BOARD IN REGULAR MEET

To Proceed With The Erection of Local Fire Tower

The Greenville Board of Aldermen, in regular monthly meeting postponed from New Year's day, last night discussed plans for starting work immediately on the fire tower, took steps looking toward the snagging of Tar river above the port terminal, made changes in the proposed rat control program, concurred with the School Board in confirming the sale of the Vines House and attended to numerous routine business.

A. J. Maxwell, Jr., Goldsboro architect, presented plans and specifications for the fire tower and it was agreed to start work immediately, even if the structure can not be erected according to original plans because of the lack of steel.

The tower will be erected as a WPA project, officials of which have advised that they are ready to proceed with work. It was brought out that a special priority would be required to secure the necessary steel and in the face of this it was decided to go ahead with the foundation and first floor. If it then develops that it will be impossible to get the steel, inside steps will be erected of reinforced concrete instead of steel. The tower will be erected on the corner of Myrtle and Washington avenues. Of its total cost of approximately \$11,000, M. O. Minges has contributed \$5,000. The city owns the property and this and the \$5,000 may provide the sponsor's share of the project.

Mayor B. B. Sugg was authorized to sign an agreement with the War Department engineers regarding the snagging of the Tar river.

The Fire Committee recommended the purchase of a small trailer pump which can be hooked on behind an automobile, but the suggestion was re-referred to the committee for further study. It was disclosed at the meeting that the large aerial ladder truck contracted for some time ago by the city was being held up by the war. It was revealed that work had been started on the truck, but had to be halted. A letter advised, however, that work would be resumed and the delivery would be made as soon as possible.

A survey will be conducted of the city in connection with the rat control program looking to a clean-up campaign before the actual campaign is put on. The clean-up drive will include the removing of housing places for the rodents so that when the campaign is put on it will prove more effective. The campaign, however will proceed at the earliest moment.

After holding a meeting of its own, the School Board reported to the aldermen that it had confirmed the sale of the Vines House to Dr. W. I. Wooten for \$11,000 since the bid was not raised in the specified 10 days. The city concurred in the action.

A telegram from the bond attorneys was read stating that it was legal to sell part of the authorized \$250,000 bond issue if officials so desired. School officials, however, pointed out that due to the inability to get certain building materials at the present, it was not proposed to issue any bonds or undertake any improvements just now.

Wilmington Youth Pays For Killing

Raleigh, Jan. 9.—(AP)—A 21-year-old Wilmington youth was executed at Central prison here today for the slaying of his bride-to-be on their wedding eve.

Deadly hydro-cyanic fumes were administered at 10:03 a. m., and Roland P. Westcott was pronounced dead eight and three-quarter minutes later.

The asphyxiation was one of the quickest in the six-year history of the gas chamber—but witnesses also described it as one of the most gruesome.

Westcott, who was pale and trembling as he entered the chamber, groaned loudly as he started to inhale the gas, and involuntarily beat his knee against a chair in which he was strapped.

Wanted—Two men with cars with farm background, to contact farmers in this and surrounding counties, with a service pertaining to the New Farm Defense Program. Not affected by priorities. Compensation discussed at interview. See or write H. M. Palmer, Proctor Hotel, 7 to 9 p. m., Friday and Monday.

Tell WHY And WIN Theatre Tickets

Three Days Remain For You To Enter Contest

- (1) BAHAMA PASSAGE in technicolor with Madeline Carroll.
- (2) PACIFIC BLACKOUT, a story ahead of the time, with Robt. Preston.
- (3) MALAYA, starring Dorothy Lamour and Richard Denning.
- (4) GREAT MAN'S LADY, human drama with Barbara Stanwyck, Joel McCrea.
- (5) REAP THE WIND, produced by Cecil B. DeMille.
- (6) SULLIVAN'S TRAVELS, grand and gay, with Veronica Lake, Joel McCrea.

Letters should be carried or mailed to the Pitt Theatre. They should not be too long, we suggest a hundred words. Neatness counts and the decision of the judges will be

As Roosevelt Presented War Plan



Here is how grave President Roosevelt appeared as he presented to Congress a unified war plan calling for mammoth arms production, United States forces fighting on many fronts and a hard-hitting attack on the enemy's own territory. "Only total victory can reward the champions of tolerance and decency and freedom and faith," he said.

GOAL IS SHORT SUGAR QUOTAS BY ABOUT \$700 ARE POSSIBLE

Red Cross Campaign Still Being Waged, However

The offensive launched by the Pitt county forces of the American Red Cross is still being waged and at the present stage is still \$700 short of the initial objective. However, these forces are confident of overcoming all resistance and winning through to their initial objective of \$10,000 for war relief.

The campaign will continue until the objective is reached, and anyone wishing to contribute to the fund is requested to bring the contribution to the general headquarters at the Woman's Club or else mail it to the Red Cross, Box 586, Greenville.

Of the \$9,300 raised thus far, \$4,179 is the result of the barrage laid down by the heavy artillery under General L. B. Garris; \$2,900 is the result of the offensive waged by the Greenville regiment under Colonel John G. Fleming; and \$2,223 represents the advance made by the other regiments throughout the county.

The figures for the Greenville regiment include two special gifts—one of \$20 from the Forty-one Book club, and another of \$25 from the Greenville Masonic Lodge. These generous gifts should open the way for others from social and fraternal organizations.

Fifteen per cent of all money raised during the campaign will be kept here in Pitt county for defense work by the local chapter.

In a special Red Cross program last night, originating from the local station, C. W. Willard issued a call for 80 persons to enroll in the local first aid classes which are scheduled to start soon. Anyone wishing to enroll for these classes is requested to telephone Mr. Willard at 3124.

Persons in the Farmville area wishing to take the course are asked to contact Dr. Robert T. Williams, telephone 232-6. The course there will be taught by Dr. Williams and Dr. John M. Mewborn.

Persons in the Ayden area who are interested in the course in first-aid are requested to contact S. P. Peterson, who will be in charge of the course there.

Dr. E. B. Aycock, who will be in charge of the Red Cross home nursing program throughout the county, last night issued a call for registered nurses and for volunteers who wish to take the course in home nursing. Interested persons may telephone Dr. Aycock at his office, phone 3411.

Tin Destroyed In Lost Malaya Area

London, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Reuters said a Singapore broadcast reported today that 30 to 40 per cent of Malaya's tin production still is available to the British, and that the remaining 60 to 70 per cent no longer is available either the British or the Japanese.

The implication was that the tin producing facilities in such places as the Ipoh district were destroyed by the British before they withdrew.

Richmond Livestock

(Courtesy J. N. and J. L. Williams)
Richmond, Jan. 9.—Hogs, market steady, top \$10.70, good and choice 100-225 lbs. \$9.70, 100-120 lbs. \$9.20, 120-140 lbs. \$9.70, 140-160 lbs. \$10.20, 160-180 lbs. \$10.50, 225-250 lbs. \$10.60, 250-300 lbs. \$10.25, over 300 lbs. \$10.00. Sows under 350 lbs. \$9.20, over 350 lbs. \$8.20, stags \$7.20.

Hog Markets

Raleigh, Jan. 9.—(AP)—(NCDA) Hogs steady. Tops of \$10.45 at Rocky Mount and \$10.70 at Richmond, Va.

Grain Market

Chicago, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Buying of grain centered in the rye pit here today, where prices were up about a cent a bushel at one time, but gains in other cereals amounted to only fractions. Soybeans rose more than 2 cents but later lost part of this advance.

Wheat closed 1/4-3/4 higher than yesterday, May \$1.28 1/2-3/4, July \$1.30 1/2-3/4; corn 1/4 off to 1/4 up, May 85 1/2-3/4, July 87 1/2; oats 1/4 lower; rye 1/4-3/4 up; soybeans 1 1/2-1 3/4 higher.

New York Cotton

New York, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 10 to 25 cents a bale lower.

Midday prices were 10 to 15 cents a bale higher: March 17.77; May 17.94; July 18.03.

Futures closed 45 cents to 1.35 a bale higher.

	Open	Close	Prv. Cl.
Jan.	17.62	17.66	17.39
Mar.	17.70	17.86	17.75
May	17.89 1/2	18.02	17.92
July	17.98	18.11	18.00
Oct.	18.03	18.19	18.06
Dec.	18.20	18.21	18.09

Middling spot 19.32, up 11.

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Ralls today guided the stock market over an irregularly higher course.

While gains of fractions to about two points were widespread at the close, losers were plentiful.

FINAL STOCKS

Air Reduction	37 1/2
Al Chem and De	145
Allis Chalm Mfg	29
Allegheny	5-16
Allis Chalm Mfg	29
Am Can	61
Am Car Pdy	31 1/2
Am Rad and St S	4 1/2
Am Roll Mill	11 1/2
Am Smelt and Ref	41 1/2
Am Sug Ref	20 1/2
At and T	125 3/4
Am Tel B	48
Anaconda	27
Arm III	3 1/2
A C L	24 1/2
Atl Ref	21
Aviat Corp	3 1/2
Baldwin	14 1/2
Bendix Aviat	37 1/2
Beth Stl	63 1/2
Boeing Arlpl	19 1/2
Bond	20 1/2
Briggs Mfg	16 1/2
Burl Mills	17 1/2
Bur Add Mach	66 1/2
Case J I	65
Caterpil Trac	41 1/2
Ches and O	35 1/2
Chrysler	47
Coca Cola	71
Coml Credit	17 1/2
Coml Solv	9 1/2
Consol Edis	13 1/2
Con Oil	5 1/2
Cont Can	24 1/2
Corn Prod	55 1/2
Curtiss Wright	8 1/2
Doug Avro	66 1/2
Dow Chem	118 1/2
Dupont	145 1/2
Eastman Kod	137 1/2
Elec Auto It	22 1/2
Firestone	13 1/2
Freeprot Sul	37 1/2
Gen Elec	27 1/2
Gen Foods	39 1/2
Gen Mot	32 1/2
Goodrich	14
Goodyear	11 1/2
Int Harvest	46 1/2
Int Tel and Tel	57 1/2
Johns Man	57 1/2
Kennecott	35 1/2
Kroger Groc	28 1/2
Libby O P F	21 1/2
Ligg and Myers B	73 1/2
Loews	37 1/2
Lorillard	14 1/2
Louis and Nash	70 1/2
Mont Ward	28 1/2
Nash Kelv	3 1/2
Nat Biscuit	15 1/2
Nat Cash Reg	12 1/2
Nat Dairy Prod	14
Nat Dist	21 1/2
NY Cent	9 1/2

No Am Aviat	13 1/2
Old Elmer	12 1/2
Pac G and E	19 1/2
Packard	2 1/2
Param Pix	14 1/2
Penny J C	75 1/2
Penn R R	21 1/2
Peppi Cola	18
Phillips Pet	38 1/2
Pullman	25 1/2
Pure Oil	9
Radio	18 1/2
Rep Stl	18 1/2
Reynolds B	26 1/2
Sou Ry	17 1/2
Sperry	30 1/2
Std Brands	4 1/2
Std Oil N J	38 1/2
Stewart Warner	5 1/2
Tex Co	36 1/2
Tex Gulf Sul	24 1/2
Un Carb	69 1/2
Unit Air	34 1/2
Unit Corp	5-16
Unit Drug	5
US Ind Alco	33 1/2
US Rub	16
US Smelt and Ref	46
US Steel	53 1/2
Vanadium	19
Vick Chem	41 1/2
Warner Pic	5 1/2
Western Union	24 1/2
West Elec and Mfg	79 1/2
Woolworth	27 1/2
Yell T and C	12 1/2

Japan To Intern Manila Residents

London, Jan. 9.—(AP)—The Japanese news agency, Domei, broadcast today a Manila dispatch saying that all Allied nations in occupied parts of the Philippines had been ordered to report by next Thursday to Japanese army authorities, the British and Americans for internment.

(Yesterday the Berlin radio said some 4,000 Americans and Britons already had been interned.)

The internment, Domei said, was ordered for "their own protection."

"Those failing to report by next Thursday will be summarily dealt with on the presumption that they are engaging in hostile fifth column activities."

No Plans As Yet Commandeer Cars

Washington, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Price Administrator Leon Henderson issued a formal statement today assuring the nation the government has no plans to commandeer private automobiles and explaining that fears of commandeering undoubtedly arose from his own answers to questions at a press conference January 2.

At that time Henderson said commandeering of automobiles was "one of the gloomy possibilities" that a prolonged war might bring about.

Henderson said today the government "presently is well supplied with automobiles" and added there was no occasion for citizens to offer their cars for public use.

Acknowledge Loss Of British Vessel

London, Jan. 9.—(AP)—The British cruiser Galatee, 5,720 tons, has been torpedoed and sunk by a U-boat, the Admiralty announced tonight.

The communique said: "The Board of Admiralty regrets to announce that H. M. S. Galatee (Captain E. W. V. Sim, R. N.) has been torpedoed and sunk by a U-boat. Next of kin of casualties have been informed."

JOHNNY MACK BROWN
with **FUZZY KNIGHT**
and **NEIL O'DAY**
"Breezy Little Bears"
Paramount Novelty
Comedy — Cartoon
PITT

TODAY AT THE MOVIES

Pitt—SUNDOWN—starring Gene Tierney, Bruce Cabot
Tom Tyler, Bob Steele

Held In \$1,000 Bond For Killing Husband

Annie Boyd, Greenville Negroess charged with killing her husband in an argument after she allegedly saw him with another woman, waived preliminary hearing in Municipal recorder's court this morning and was bound over to Superior court under bond of \$1,000. Bond was not provided and the defendant is being held in jail.

The only other case disposed of at the regular Friday morning session was one charging Obie Drake, colored, with assault on a female. The defendant was given a 30-day sentence, suspended upon payment of court costs.

A NEW STAR IS BORN

—Her Name is Shirley Temple
SEE WHAT SHE LOOKS LIKE NOW!
Shirley TEMPLE
KATHLEEN
with **Herbert MARSHALL - Laraine DAY**
"GAIL PATRICK - FELIX DRESSART"
COMING TO THE PITT WED.-THUR. JAN. 14-15

STATE

TODAY-SATURDAY THE THREE MESQUITEERS in "WEST OF CIMARRON" BOB STEELE
Added Thrills "TEXAS RANGERS" No. 9 "LEND A PAW" Comedy

COLONY

TODAY-SATURDAY "THE CAT AND THE CANARY" with BOB HOUE and PAULETTE GODDARD Plus "Spider's Return" No. 6

TEXAS RANGER

Blasting the bad lands as he tracks the lawless to their lair!!
THRILLS FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY—
SAT. Adults 22c Inc. Def. Tax
JOHNNY MACK BROWN
with **FUZZY KNIGHT**
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"Breezy Little Bears"
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To Offer Course In Preparation Of Food

Because of demand the special feature course in the buying and preparation of foods will be offered at the college each Wednesday and Friday afternoons at 4 o'clock in room 7 of the new Classroom building. The course is open to the public without charge.

Mrs. Adelaide Bloxton, director of

DUFFY'S
Time Tested for COLDS!

HOME SWEET HOME
DINETTE SETS ARE VERY NIFTY,
WE HAVE SOME AT PRICES THIRTY
Space-saving styles! Money-saving prices. Solidly built Dinette Sets designed for luxury in the tiniest Dinette. Convenient budget terms.
HOME FURNITURE STORE
GOOD FURNITURE at RIGHT PRICES

Blount-Harvey
JOIN The Crowds At Blount-Harvey's Annual January Clearance and White SALE DRESSES COATS HATS LINGERIE ROBES GIFTS SHEETS HOSE DRESS MATERIAL CHAIRS MEN'S TOPCOATS MEN'S HATS BOYS' WEAR SHOES
All The Above Things Are Greatly Reduced
Come Early Saturday
Blount-Harvey