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U.S. Troops Move Into Battle Stations In Australia

Australia Is Threatened By Invasion

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By ROGER D. GREENE (Associated Press War Editor) Khaki-clad United States troops, officially described as "most substantial" in number, moved into battle stations in Australia today as Gen. Douglas MacArthur took over the Allied supreme command to meet a threatened Japanese invasion of the island continent.

Dispatches from Melbourne said the Americans were scattered to camps throughout Australia's vast domain of nearly 3,000,000 square miles.

At some points, they were quartered along side Australian troops. The British Exchange Telegraph news agency said Gen. MacArthur arrived yesterday at Alice Springs, midway point on the long defense highway between Darwin and southern Australia, and was expected to confer with government officials in Canberra, the capital, soon.

The 62-year-old hero of Bataan, along with his wife, four-year-old son and a dozen members of his staff, made the flight to Australia through the dangerous aerial war zone from the Philippines in a U. S. Army plane—a 2,000-mile trip by direct route to the nearest Australian base at Darwin.

Gen. MacArthur's arrival does not mean that American forces are pulling out of the Philippines, declared Lieut.-Col. Lloyd LeMay, army press officer, in Melbourne.

"The United States Army proposes to continue that fight. We have been holding the Japanese in the Philippines, and we intend to continue holding them."

While the Tokyo radio seized on MacArthur's departure from Bataan as a "treacherous abandonment of a sinking ship," the United Nations took a tremendous uplift from the knowledge that the most successful Allied commander of the war will now be able to direct large-scale counter-blows against the enemy.

Allied military experts cautioned against too great optimism, pointing out that the odds were still heavily in favor of the enemy, but they declared that the Japanese would be in for the fiercest campaign of the war if they attempted to storm Australia as they did Singapore and the Dutch East Indies.

Military Experts Warn Against False Optimism In Defense Of Australia

MacArthur's Aides



Gen. Douglas MacArthur's chief of staff, Maj. Gen. Richard K. Sutherland (top), and Brig. Gen. Harold H. George (bottom) of the air force flew with MacArthur to Australia where he assumes supreme command of United Nations forces in that area.

HERE'S A LIST OF FIRST 100 Pitt Men Assigned Order Numbers In Draft Lottery

A total of 3,262 Pitt county men who registered under the Selective Service act on February were assigned order numbers in the draft lottery which began last night at 6 o'clock and lasted through the night after 7 o'clock this morning.

- 1—Thurston Taylor, (col.), R-2, Farmville.
- 2—James Roderick Lang (white), Farmville.
- 3—Henry Staton (col.), Farmville.
- 4—George Howard William Johnson (white), Greenville.
- 5—Robert Alton McLawhorn (white), R-1, Greenville.
- 6—Ronald Earl Carraway (white), Farmville.
- 7—Arlemon Tyson (col.), Farmville.
- 8—Edward Arthur Coward Dixon (white), R-1, Greenville.
- 9—John Aaron Tyson, Jr. (white), Farmville.
- 10—Willie Warren Moore, (col.), Farmville.
- 11—William Talmage Kirkman (white) Robersonville.
- 12—Jesse Elliott Roberson (white) Stokes.
- 13—Jasper Johnson (col.), R-5, Stokes.
- 14—Ryan Stanley Pollard (white) R-4, Greenville.
- 15—Jim Taylor, (col.), RFD Stokes.
- 16—Adolphus Ward (col.), Farmville.
- 17—Sampson Tyson (col.), R-2, Farmville.
- 18—Robert Taylor (col.), Farmville.
- 19—Lloyd Thad Peaden (white), Falkland.
- 20—Raymond Hick Galloway (Continued on Page Four)

Pointed Out that MacArthur Facing Formidable Task With The Odds Still In Enemy Hands; Most That Can Be Said Is That Japs In For The Fiercest Campaign Of War If Australia Invaded

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER Washington, March 18.—(AP)—General Douglas MacArthur is facing an extremely formidable task in directing the battle for Australia, military experts declared today in cautioning against a wave of false optimism.

The odds, they pointed out, were still heavy in the enemy's favor, however much the United Nations may have been heartened by the arrival of American troops in considerable strength or by MacArthur's dramatic shift from Bataan to the Australian theater.

In all analyses of the situation, the most these authorities would venture was that the Japanese would be in for the fiercest campaign of the war if they attempt to blitz Australia as they have smashed Singapore and the Dutch Indies.

The expectation was that the enemy would risk the campaign nevertheless. If the Japanese do not attempt it or if they make the attempt and meet with failure, then the great island continent remains securely in the hands of the United Nations as the southern jumping-off point for a major offensive once sufficient men and materiel have been massed.

If MacArthur can hold Australia for such a day, the experts said, the Australian, American, Dutch and British fighting men serving in his command have a long and costly job ahead, with plenty of reverses to match the successes they win.

The strategy that the task calls for goes well with MacArthur's military temperament. It is the strategy of a dynamic defense—striking out as hard and as often as possible at the enemy. The Australians already have put it into effect, hammering away savagely from the air at the Japanese footholds in nearby islands to keep potential invading forces off balance, so to speak.

For the undertaking, MacArthur has many advantages, he did not possess in the Philippines, and probably as many disadvantages.

The advantages: He has more troops and better air strength at his command. He can organize his ground defenses in great depth because of the vast area of the country.

KHARKOV AREA IS STORMED BY SOVIET FORCES

Reds Reported At Suburbs Of Russian 'Pittsburg' HEAVY FIGHTING RAGING IN AREA

Stockholm Advances Report Surrender of 200,000 Germans In Great Pocket West Of Moscow

By The Associated Press Marshal Semeon Timoshenko's Ukraine armies were reported storming today into the suburbs of Kharkov, the Soviet "Pittsburgh," and Stockholm declared that Russian troops on the central front had surrounded 200,000 Germans in a great pocket west of Moscow.

A Reuters (British news agency) dispatch from Stockholm quoted Moscow reports that Soviet parachute troops had been dropped in the Smolensk area, 230 miles west of Moscow, and destroyed Nazi fortifications during a snowstorm.

Front-line dispatches said the Russians had captured five more communities in a gigantic encirclement movement to cut off the "escape corridor" of German garrisons at Rzhev and Vyazma. Latest reports said the gap had been narrowed to a bare 20 miles.

Tass, the Soviet news agency, said the Germans fled after a vain counter-attack in that sector, leaving 1,200 killed and wounded on the battlefield.

Other Soviet gains were reported in the Orel-Kursk area, midway between Moscow and Kharkov, with the Russians recapturing eight more communities.

Bucharest dispatches said the Russians were making a supreme effort to crack the German-Rumanian line across the neck of the Kerch isthmus of the Crimea, striking incessantly with tanks and artillery along the 20-mile front from Arabatskaya Streika to the port of Feodosiya.

Sinking of the Uruguayan merchant ship Montevideo by submarine in American waters precipitated demonstrations against the Axis powers in Montevideo and Santiago.

Survivors Of U.S. Vessel Sunk In Atlantic Sunday Landed At Morehead City

Medium Sized Merchant Vessel Attacked by One Large And Two Small Submarines; Six Members Of Crew Victims Of Torpedoing; 33 Survivors Reach Morehead After Being Adrift 3 to 9 Hours

Norfolk, Va., March 18.—(AP)—Three enemy submarines, one large and two small ones, pocketed a medium sized American merchant ship off the Atlantic coast early Sunday and sent her to the bottom with two torpedoes placed accurately in the engine room.

Six members of the crew lost their lives in the attack, the Fifth Naval District said in announcing the sinking today. Thirty-three survivors landed at Morehead City, N. C., after being adrift on life rafts from three to nine hours.

The loss of life resulted from the second torpedo which struck just below one of the life boats as it was lowered into the water.

The submarine that fired the second torpedo was about 280 yards from the ship, Captain Theodore Bockhoff reported. "They could see us as plainly as we could see them, and they knew that the lifeboat was being lowered," the captain said. He added that "both torpedoes were placed very accurately in the engine room."

Bockhoff said the attack was carried out by three submarines, two small and one large. They covered the ship on three sides in such a manner that as she continued to move forward she got deeper into the pocket they had formed.

The first torpedo struck aft on the port side, disabled the engines and brought the entire crew to the deck. The captain said the crew was "calm" under threat of another immediate attack. Boats were made ready to lower but were held aboard until the ship, with her engines stopped, lost enough headway to assure that the lifeboats would not capsize.

"As the starboard lifeboat hit the water with six men in it," Captain Bockhoff related, "the second torpedo came under her, striking the ship with a tremendous explosion that blasted the boat to bits. The boat itself was not seen again, although the air tanks were found."

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Another Merchant Ship Torpedoed By Axis Sub

Hero from Georgia



Lieut. Commander Lucius H. Chappell (above), 37-year-old U. S. submarine skipper from Columbus, Ga., has been awarded the Navy Cross for "special meritorious conduct during action with the enemy." He is a son of Mrs. Lucius Chappell and the late Mayor Chappell of Columbus, prominent Georgians.

Charleston, S. C., March 18.—(AP)—The Sixth Naval District public relations office said today a merchant ship was torpedoed by a submarine off the Atlantic coast at 1:22 a. m., EWT, last Sunday after being lighted up by red and green very lights from the sub.

The ship carried a crew of 36 including the master. Three were killed and five listed as missing, three of whom were reported picked up by rescue craft. The other two were presumed killed while in a lifeboat. Fifteen were injured and nine of these still are in a hospital here.

The Navy said the officer on watch—identified as second mate Francis Boudreau of Taunton, Mass.—sighted the submarine at 1:17 a. m., on the starboard side as he stood at the helm. Boudreau said he did not ram it because he did not know it was a U-boat.

The craft sent up red and green very lights until the area was sufficiently lighted to aim the torpedo. One torpedo was fired, and it struck about midships.

The master was Capt. T. R. Hennevig of Brooklyn, N. Y. The Navy said the ship got no warning that it would be attacked. As soon as the torpedo struck, the ship caught fire, and the crewmen jumped into the water or abandoned ship in the No. 1 lifeboat. The No. 2 boat never was launched.

Downed By Planes Off New Guinea

Twelve Of Vessels Sunk Or Damaged In Concentration Off Australia-Mandated Island Were Warships; Heavy Losses Inflicted By U.S. And Australian Planes With Single Plane Lost

Washington, March 18.—(AP)—The Navy announced today that a Japanese invasion force concentrated near Salamaua and Lae, New Guinea, had been smashed by American and Australian air forces with the sinking or damaging of 23 Japanese vessels including 12 warships.

"The heavy losses inflicted on the enemy by the combined American and Australian forces were accomplished with the loss of but one plane," said Navy communique No. 57.

The same communique, reporting on activities in other areas disclosed that the American submarine Shark has been overdue in the western Pacific for more than a month and must be presumed to be lost. Next of kin of those aboard the Shark, including Lieut. Commander Louis Shane, Jr., of Tacoma, Wash., have been notified of the loss of the vessel.

Further, the communique disclosed that the American submarine Sea Lion had been so damaged at Cavite, in the Philippines, as to necessitate her demolition to prevent her use by the enemy in event Stewart, U. S. destroyer including Lieut. Commander Louis Shane, Jr., of Tacoma, Wash., have been notified of the loss of the vessel.

In addition two destroyers were listed as "possibly sunk." Ships damaged were listed as one cruiser, one large destroyer, two transports which suffered direct bomb hits, one troop ship, three transports, one aircraft tender, one gunboat—a total of 10, consisting of four warships and six others.

Moreover the Allied attackers demolished "many small boats" probably motor boats and three enemy seaplanes were shot down and shore installations including aircraft runways and anti-aircraft batteries were terrific.

The terrific loss delivered against the Japanese at New Guinea raised to 174 the number of Japanese ships of all types which have been sunk or damaged by United States Army and Navy action and, in this last case, with the help of Australian forces. This figure does not include damage and sinkings inflicted by British, Dutch or Australian forces in previous actions.

Loss of the Shark, Sea Lion and Stewart raised to five the number of United States warships announced as lost in the western Pacific fighting, the loss of the cruiser Houston and the destroyer Pope having been announced Saturday.

Planes Crash

Lima, Ohio, March 18 (AP)—Four Army planes crashed in flames six miles east of Lima shortly before noon today. There apparently were no survivors.

Byron Heffner, farmer, said he saw one plane fall on his farm and burst into flames. Two other planes fell about 100 yards apart a half mile east of the Heffner farm.

The fourth plane landed in the McClure woods a mile south of the Heffner farm and also burst into flames.

Bundy Files W. J. Bundy of Greenville filed today for Solicitor in the Fifth Judicial District, opposing the incumbent, D. M. Clark, also of Greenville. Both are Democrats.

Four Sons In Navy And Dad May Join Norfolk, Va., March 18 (AP)—Start something with one Rickman and you'll have four guys to handle.

The quartet of brothers, who enlisted in the Navy at Greensboro, North Carolina, came here for a course of instruction before going to sea. John, the oldest of the four, is 21; Richard is 19 and Karl and Kenneth are 17-year-old twins.

"When one Rickman starts something, the others finish it if possible," they said today. "We're in the Navy to do what we can toward finishing something some guys in Tokyo started."

John said he wouldn't be surprised "if there is another Rickman in here soon. Our Dad—he's only 39 years old—is thinking about enlisting. He's a maintenance engineer at a hosiery mill in Greensboro and thinks he might get a good rate as machinist's mate."

Lord Beaverbrook To Come To U.S. London, March 18 (AP)—Lord Beaverbrook, former British Minister of War Production, will go to the United States, it was announced officially today.

A spokesman, dispelling recent doubts as to whether Beaverbrook would continue in work for the government since his removal from the cabinet, said the publisher would carry on efforts in connection with the pooling of United Nations resources.

U.S. Patrol Boat Claimed By Nazis

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The WAR TODAY

By DeWITT MacKENZIE Wide-World News Analyst

Whatever you look at it, militarily or psychologically, the appointment of General MacArthur to supreme command in the southwest Pacific is as nearly perfect as things come in this life.

The appearance of this world's most famous active soldier on the scene already has inspired Australia and the allies in general with new confidence as regards the operations against the conquering Japanese. He brings to the continent "down under" the military skill and leadership which that great commonwealth lacks and which are so essential at this critical juncture in the battle of the Pacific.

Confirms Suicide Of Nippon General

Santiago, Chile, March 18 (AP)—A dispatch from Tokyo to the newspaper El Chileno said today the suicide of Lieut. Gen. Masaharu Homma for failure to destroy the American and Filipino defense forces in the Philippines had been "confirmed."

Homma, commander of the Japanese Philippines expeditionary forces, was reported early this month by Gen. Douglas MacArthur to have committed suicide because of his failure and to have been succeeded by Gen. Tomoyuki Yamashita, the conqueror of Malaya.

El Chileno's dispatch came from Carlos Barry, Chilean journalist. Barry said the proof of Homma's suicide was the fact that "the name of his successor, General Tomoyuki Yamashita, has been announced."

Official Of Cubbing To Be Here Saturday

J. A. Speedy, assistant director of cubbing from the national council of Boy Scouts of America, will be in Greenville Saturday, March 21. Mr. Speedy will meet with the local Scout officials and others who are interested. The meeting will be at the Proctor hotel at 7 p. m.

The operation of the cubbing program will be the theme of Mr. Speedy's discussion. Cubbing is the Boy Scout program for boys from 9 to 12 years of age. The discussion will be followed by an open forum. The public is invited to attend.

He has to defend a vast, sparsely settled country with a very long coastline. He has an enormous problem of supply because of the great distances meager transportation facilities in much of the country. Moreover, he must use some of his forces to protect the long route running northward through the continent to the Darwin area from industrialized Brisbane-Sydney-Melbourne region in the southeast corner.

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Social and Personal

Mrs. Kenneth M. Brim of Greensboro, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Overton.

J. B. Kittrell, Jr. and Karl Pace, Jr., students at Carolina, are spending the spring holidays in Jacksonville, Fla., as the guests of Tyndall Harris.

Mrs. A. D. Tetterton of Currituck spent Sunday with Mrs. Edward Austin and Miss Nellie Denny.

Herbert Wilkerson has returned to Newport News after a visit of several days at his home in Greenville. He was accompanied by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Wilkerson, who returned to Greenville the same day.

Mr. Carl Reid is able to return to his place of business after an illness of several weeks.

Mrs. J. Hicks Corey and Mrs. Preston Corey spent Monday in Raleigh and Chapel Hill.

J. Hicks Corey is home from Chapel Hill for the spring holidays.

Miss Marjorie Sugg, a student at Chapel Hill, is spending the spring holidays at her home in Greenville. She has as her guest Miss Harriet Linder, of Chicago, Ill.

Mission Study Class. The Mission Study class of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church will meet tonight at 7:30 for their last session in "The Methodist Meeting House." All of those who are interested are invited to be present.

Returns From Hospital. Friends of Mrs. W. L. Brewer will be glad to learn that she has returned to her home from Pitt General Hospital and is getting along nicely.

Mount Pleasant Ladies Aid. The Ladies Aid of Mount Pleasant Church will meet on Thursday night, March 19 at 8 o'clock at the community building. The public is invited to come and enjoy the fun and entertainment. There will also be a sale of cakes and candies.

Nurses' Council To Meet. The Greenville Nurses' Council will meet Friday night at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Gus Forbes, with Miss Allie Clark and Mrs. John Mayo Forbes as hostesses.

Returns To Duke. Edwin G. Moore II has returned to Duke University after spending several days with his mother, Mrs. Selma Carson Moore. Mr. Moore has been pledged by the Sigma Chi fraternity.

Athenaeum Club. The Athenaeum Book Club met at one o'clock on Tuesday with Mrs. K. B. Pace. Upon arrival the hostesses served a delicious two-course luncheon.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Pace, who gave a most interesting and enlightening paper on "Religion in the Church in Latin America."

Following this a quiz program was entered into by the club members. Prizes were won by Mrs. Orchard, Mrs. Flanagan, Mrs. Ellington, Mrs. Young, Mrs. Bradsher, Mrs. Harrington, Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Perkins.

At the conclusion of the program, a short business meeting was held. The club voted to give \$5.00 to the Greenville Service Men's Club.

Celebrates Second Birthday. Little Miss Ann Joy Armstrong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Armstrong, entertained a number of friends yesterday at her home, 215 Chestnut street, in celebration of her second birthday.

A cake bearing two candles centered the dining room table, where the little folks were served ice cream cones and presented baskets of gifts and favors.

Those present were Joanne Parks, Billy Adams, Judy Adams, Jimmie Piver, Jr., Jimmie Lassiter, Ann Eddick, Patricia Evans, Billy Cuthrell, Donald Tripp, Mickey Averette, Mickey West, Francine Pool, Velda Scott, Norma Sheppard, Tommy Smith, Jr., Janice McLawhorn, Tommy Maiden, Tommy Key Norris, Waldo Ferrell, Jr., Gwynne Clark, Linda Ruth Whitchard, Ruth Eage, Jimmy West, Janet West, Billy Tripp, Ben F. Singleton, Jr., Cecil Riddick, Eleanor Norris, Nurshah Mayo.

Winterville H. D. Club Meets. Mrs. J. D. McLawhorn, Mrs. Rick Jackson and Mrs. Hodges McLawhorn were hostesses to the Winterville Home Demonstration Club at the home of the latter on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Harvey Worthington presided.

We had 19 members present and three visitors. Reports were given on "Gardens" by Mrs. John Garris and "Citizenship" by Mrs. O. H. Jackson. Mrs. Matthew Sermons favored us with a book review "The Good Shepherd."

Miss Kirby, our efficient assistant home agent, gave us a most interesting and helpful demonstration on "Planning the Wardrobe." Sewing for defense was discussed at length. It was finally decided to organize a circle in each community represented in the club. The following leaders were appointed: Mrs. Harry Worthington, Mrs. H. F. Worthington and Mrs. Hodges McLawhorn. This is to supplement the work being done in Winterville. At the close of the meeting our hostesses served attractive refreshments while we enjoyed delightful conversation.—Reported.

Social Calendar

WEDNESDAY
7:30 p. m.—Chapter 149 of the Eastern Star will meet.

8:00-11:00 p. m.—Informal dance at the Woman's Club, honoring the sailors stationed at the NYA Center.

8:15 p. m.—The choir of the Presbyterian Church will meet for practice.

THURSDAY
8:00 p. m.—The Junior Philathea class of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church will meet with Mrs. W. D. Pruitt.

7:45 p. m.—The choir of the Methodist Church will meet for rehearsal.

FRIDAY
3:30 p. m.—Miss Lucy Cherry Crisp, assisted by Mr. Clyde Carter, will address the Greenville Garden Club on the subject "Romance in the Garden."

6:30 p. m.—The Kiwanis Club meets.

7:30 p. m.—The Red Men will meet.

8:00 p. m.—The Greenville Nurses' Council meets at the home of Miss Allie Clark, with Miss Clark and Mrs. John Mayo Forbes as hostesses.

Spent Day in Wilson. Mrs. V. C. Fleming, Mrs. Hugh Smith and Mrs. Alice Keel spent today in Wilson with their sister, Mrs. Nonie Barrett, of Farmville, who was injured on Monday when struck by an automobile.

Announcement. Bishop Clare Purcell of Charlotte will preach in the Ayden Methodist Church Sunday night, March 22, at 8 o'clock. This will be Bishop Purcell's first visit to Ayden. The public is cordially invited to hear him. L. A. Tilley, Pastor.

Bell-Brewton. Mrs. Jamie Driver Brewton of McDavid, Fla., and Mr. Thaddeus Park Bell, of Americus, Ga., were married Tuesday evening, March 10, in Milton, Florida. The bride was attractively attired in a navy blue spring suit, worn with matching accessories. Her flowers were a corsage of pink carnations.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. P. M. Atchison, of the Methodist parsonage, in the presence of a few friends.

Mrs. Bell is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Driver of McDavid, Florida. She is a graduate of Century high school, Century, Fla., and attended Daphne State Normal College, Daphne, Alabama.

Mr. Bell is the son of Mrs. Mamie McNeill Bell and the late Thomas L. Bell, who was one of Americus' leading citizens and was serving his third term as mayor at the time of his death. Mr. Bell is a graduate of Americus high school, attended the University of Alabama, and was graduated from the St. Louis Watchmakers school.

Mr. Bell was connected with Best Jewelry Company in Greenville, N. C., but resigned several months ago to become an aircraft instrument mechanic at the United States Naval Air Base, Pensacola.

Mr. and Mrs. Bell are making their home at 239 North Barcelona street, Pensacola.

BLESSED IS THE NATION WHOSE GOD IS THE LORD

The following lines come from an unknown minister of England, setting forth the conditions of England at this time:

We have been a pleasure-loving people, dishonoring God's day, picnicking and bathing—

Now the seashores are bare; no picnics, no bathing.

We have preferred motor travel to churchgoing—

Now there is a shortage of motor fuel.

We have ignored the ringing of the church bells calling us to worship—

Now the bells cannot ring except to warn of invasion.

We have left the churches half empty when they should have been filled with worshippers—

Now they are in ruins.

We would not listen to the way of peace—

Now we are forced to listen to the way of war.

The money we would not give to the Lord's work—



This is all that was left of "Main street" in Alvin after one of two tornadoes that ripped across six Illinois counties struck it. The toll of death in the state mounted to 18, with about 170 others injured and more than \$500,000 in property damage estimated. In foreground is debris of the former postoffice building.

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR
Wednesday, March 18, 1902

We are advised by the general superintendent that the final conclusions have been made between Greenville and Kinston, so that the long distance service of the Carolina and Virginia Telephone Co. is now in practical operation to Morehead City and all intermediate points. Great credit is due the companies for their efforts in connecting up with first class long distance lines. A cable is now being laid from Morehead City to connect Beaufort with the system.

GREENVILLE HI-NEWS

By CORA REDDITT EVELYN SCHELLER

Basketball Game
The outcome of the hilarious basketball game between the lady-faculty and girls' teams was 18-13 in favor of the girls' team. "Snag" Clark, former Phantom Basketballer, and freshman at Carolina, refereed the game.

Debate Teams
During third period today, the Greenville negative team took part in a debate with the Kinston affirmative team in an assembly program. Topic of the debate was "Resolved: That a union of the Western Hemisphere nations be established." Members of the negative team were Jack Edwards and James Worsley, who took William Keek's place, vacated due to illness. Martha Rowe was the official timekeeper and Gerlie May was the presiding chairman.

Senior Pictures
Members of the senior class were again reminded today to have their pictures made at Baker's studio. Bill Carr is collecting the pictures and is putting them in alphabetical order.

Pan-American Day
Today, at first period the Spanish class and Modern History class met for the second time in the library. The first time was to hear the debate team's debate on the Western Hemisphere Union, while today's

talks included a book report by Ed Batchelor on "Inside Latin America" and a talk on our relations with Latin America by Eustace Conway.

THERE WILL BE A TRUCK LOAD OF
AZALEAS-CAMELIAS
—and—
TRAILING GARDENIAS
FRESH DUG FROM THE
ORTON PLANTATION
Friday Morning, March 20th
To Be Displayed Next Door to the
FRIENDLY BEAUTY SHOP
East Fifth Street Near Five Points
ALL PRICES AND SIZES
COME EARLY FOR FIRST CHOICE

MUSICAL FETE SET FOR CITY

District Contest Here
March 27th And 28th

The District Music Contest for 16 counties will be held in Greenville Friday and Saturday, March 27 and 28. Up to the present time 61 entries have been received for this contest. Chairman J. H. Rose and Assistant Chairman A. L. Dittmer are of the opinion that the contest this year will be larger than ever before. Friday, March 27, will be devoted to the choral work, piano solos, practicing for the Festival Chorus, and the presentation of the Festival Chorus that evening. Saturday, March 28, will be devoted to bands, orchestras, and solos of the various band and orchestra instruments.

The judges for the contest this year are Major C. D. Kutschinski who will judge the bands and orchestras and the band and orchestra instrument solos; Dr. Arthur Rich who will judge the piano and vocal solos and the small vocal ensembles; and Professor Paul Onclay who will judge the glee clubs and choruses and who will direct the Festival Chorus.

The contest will be held at East Carolina Teachers College, using the Robert H. Wright building and the Austin building.

The following schools have entered up to the present time in the events named:
Goldboro in mixed chorus, girls glee club, soprano solo, contralto solo, boy's unchanged voice, baritone solo, tenor solo, high school piano solo and brass quartet. Greenville in mixed chorus, boys glee club, girls glee club, girls trio, soprano solo, contralto solo, piano solo. New Bern in mixed chorus, boys glee club, girls glee club, girls trio, soprano solo, boy's unchanged voice, baritone solo, high school piano solo. Bethel in mixed chorus, girls glee club, girls trio and band. Kinston in girls glee club, girls trio, soprano solo, boys unchanged voice, high school piano solo. Contentnea school in Kinston in girls glee club, boys quartet, girls trio, contralto solo, boy's unchanged voice. Morehead City in high school piano solo and junior high piano solo. Roper in mixed chorus, girls trio and high school piano solo. Bethel in mixed chorus, Trenton in girls glee club, girls trio and high school piano solo. Chocowinity in girls glee club. Jackson in soprano solo. Pikeville in high school piano solo. Freemont in junior high piano solo. Plymouth in band. Henderson in band, clarinet

Pitt Legion Post Auxiliary Guest

Members of Pitt County Post No. 39 American Legion, were guests of the Legion Auxiliary in an annual affair at the Woman's club building last night in observance of the 23rd anniversary of the American Legion, which came on Sunday, March 15.

Mrs. Arthur B. Corey presided and served as toastmaster for Mrs. George Spearman, president of the Auxiliary.

Following the cutting of the cake, a program was presented under the direction of Mrs. D. M. Clark. Mrs. J. H. Waldrop, accompanied by Mrs. Ivey Cooke, rendered two vocal numbers. A quiz program was presented with Dr. A. M. Schultz acting as Dr. I. Q. The quiz dealt with questions of historic facts about the local post and also included rhymes and jingles describing members of the post and guests were asked to guess the person described.

The hall was decorated in the patriotic red, white and blue color scheme, with St. Patrick's Day decorations also in evidence.

Following the program, the post held a short business meeting at which it voted to contribute \$25 to

It's a **jackie hill junior**

Sunshine Special
For having fun beneath the sun, This dress is Jackie's passion—its manner grand, its stitching, and its pockets full of fashion.

White Sandgrain (rayon), with white, red, or royal stitching, in sizes 9 to 17. \$7.95

Blount-Henry

Beargrass Woman Claimed By Death

Mrs. Sarah Rogerson, 70, died at her home near Beargrass at 3:15 o'clock Tuesday afternoon after two years of illness and several days of critical illness.

Funeral services were conducted from the home this afternoon at 3 o'clock by Elder A. B. Ayers, assisted by Elder B. S. Cowen, and burial followed in the Rogerson cemetery near the home.

Mrs. Rogerson was born, reared, and spent her entire life in Martin county. She was a member of the Beargrass Primitive Baptist church.

Surviving are two sons: Edgar and Theodore Rogerson, both of the Beargrass community, and six grandchildren.

It's a **jackie hill junior**

Ramblin' Rose
The waist is trim—the print is prim
The neckline is beguiling
So Jackie chose
Our Ramblin' Rose
She's in the know on styling.

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Henry A. Rollins Dies Of Injuries

Henry Austin Rollins, age 71, died Tuesday night at 9 o'clock in the local hospital from injuries received when he was hit by an automobile Saturday night on Dickinson avenue.

Home by Rev. Geo. W. Perry, pastor of Jarvis Memorial Methodist church and burial will follow in the Bethel cemetery.

Mr. Rollins is survived by one son, William Henry Rollins of Greenville, two daughters, Mrs. W. L. Smith of Raleigh; Mrs. W. Z. Worsley of Bethel; nine grandchildren, four great grandchildren; one brother, J. S. Rollins of Bethel; one sister, Mrs. J. R. Whitehurst of Bethel.

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No Opposition Offered For Many State Office Holders

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NO OPPOSITION—PAGE 3
By FRANK B. GILBERT
Raleigh, March 18.—(AP)—It's apparent now that North Carolina voters are going to have very little say in the naming of office-holders this year.

The deadline for filing for elective offices is Saturday. So far, the incumbents have been about the only ones who have plunked down their filing fees.

If precedent is followed, a number of Republicans will file between now and Saturday. But in the past the Democratic nomination for virtually all important offices has been tantamount to election.

The Democrats have very few contests in their ranks. In most cases, the incumbents will ride back into office without opposition. Only one Republican has filed.

The big exception in the Democratic slate is the seat in the U. S. Senate now held by Josiah William Bailey of Raleigh. Bailey is opposed by Richard T. (Dick) Fountain of Rocky Mount.

The terms of three justices of the State Supreme Court expire and must be filled at the elections this year. The incumbents—Michael Schenck of Hendersonville, E. B. Denny of Gastonia and Chief Justice W. P. Stacy of Wilmington—are unopposed.

Only two of the state's 11 members of the U. S. House of Representatives have opposition. They are Herbert C. Bonner of Washington, opposed by Marvin K. Blount and Jack Edwards, both of Greenville; and John Folger of Mount Airy, opposed by D. C. Speas of Winston-Salem.

The terms of 10 Superior Court judges expire, and all of the incumbents are unopposed.

All of the state's 21 solicitors come up for election, and 18 of them are unopposed. In the 19th district, the present solicitor was appointed to fill a vacancy caused by death and won't run to succeed himself. He's the only incumbent who doesn't think it's nice work if he can get it.

In the 19th, the candidates are John C. Cheesborough and James S. Howell both of Asheville.

H. L. Koontz of Greensboro, solicitor for the 12th, is opposed by Lee Wilson of Lexington. David Sinclair of Wilmington, solicitor in the eighth, is opposed by Samuel B. Frink of Southport.

The only Republican who has filed here is Avalon E. Hall of Yadkinville, solicitor in the 17th. The job of solicitor of the 17th is the only one the Republicans have been able to carry in recent years.

Many Are Enrolling For First Aid Class

A first aid class especially planned for housewives will get under way here Monday morning at 9:45 o'clock in the courtroom of the Municipal building.

A large number of women already have enrolled and any others desiring to take this course should call the Red Cross sewing room, Dial 3115, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 5 p. m., immediately.

SHOW BOAT GIRL

Chapter Nine Enter Dolores

It was shortly before noon the following day when Melissa had her first glimpse of the show boat. River Queen she was called, and in the not too far distant past of perhaps twenty years before, she had been in reality a show boat, plying her trade up and down the river, bringing romance and adventure and mystery, real and exciting and thrilling even if temporary and synthetic, to the dwellers in the small towns and villages along the banks of "Old Al."

Big and freshly white with new paint, broad in the beam, with gay awnings along her upper deck, with the interior all done over, seats removed to make places for small, intimately placed tables and with the stage left untouched, she would have made an old-time show boat captain sick with envy. Tied up at her dock, the yellow river water gently slapping her sides, she looked peaceful and serene, like an old lady napping in the sun.

As Randy ran his car into a garage built in a clump of trees along the bank, Melissa stood at the edge of the tiny dock, her eager eyes taking in the shining white, the gaily striped awnings of the boat.

There were a few people scattered about. Three men in the bow end, their heads bent over a music score. A tall, slim girl in turquoise blue slacks and a daffodil tie, near her, a young man with thick, tousled red hair, dressed in brown slacks and sleeveless sports shirt, lay in a deck chair, his head sunk over a copy of Variety. Everywhere was peaceful and serene as Randy led Melissa aboard the River Queen.

The girl in blue slacks and yellow shirt raised her hand in a little salute and said cheerfully, "Hi, y' boss?" And then her eyes fell on Melissa and she looked startled and uneasy.

"Alice, this is a new member of the troupe," said Randy cheerfully. "Melissa, this is Alice Jordan and her partner, Hugh. Melissa, Marlowe, Hugh and Alice. She sings a little and dances a little and picks a guitar in her spare time. Hugh and Alice are the featured dance team on the show, Melissa."

"Hello," said Alice and Hugh politely, and the startled, uneasy look didn't vanish from their eyes.

The three men came forward and were presented as members of the orchestra. They greeted Melissa politely but without marked enthusiasm.

"Hello, darling—I thought I heard the car," said a woman's rich, warm voice as she came out on deck. It was a girl with ash-blond hair, great starty blue eyes, exquisitely smooth white skin and a body that was literally poetry in motion. She wore pajamas, with enormously wide trousers of powder blue splashed with great white polka dots, and a tightly fitting sweater-shirt of white with huge blue dots. At sight of Melissa she stopped short, and a startled, almost angry look was suddenly in her eyes.

"Well, angel where did you pick up the little mouse?" she demanded, and now there was the sting of a lash in the voice that had been warm and caressing.

"Dolores, this is Melissa Marlowe, who's joining the floor show," said Randy, and for all the quietness of his tone there was a note in it that made Dolores look at him sharply.

"Melissa, Dolores is prima donna of the show."

"And see you don't forget it, Me-

lissa," said Dolores curly. "Ace, I want to talk to you."

"Alice, how about finding Melissa a room and helping her make herself at home?" suggested Randy quietly. "Bob, how about a short rehearsal after lunch? Find out what Melissa does best, and get her ready to go on tomorrow night."

"Sure, boss," said Bob, the short, dark wiry-looking orchestra leader, as Alice, smiling at Melissa, led the way along the deck and down to the living quarters, while one of the orchestra boys followed with Melissa's two bags.

"I guess this will do," said Alice, opening a door and standing aside for Melissa to precede her into a stateroom that was a marvel of compactness, surprisingly comfortable for all its smallness. There was a bunk, puffy-looking, covered with snowy linen; above it, a shelf, and hooks to augment the tiny closet that was made by curtaining off one end of the tiny room.

"As you've unpacked and hung your things away, shortly will store your bags below for you until you want them again," Alice explained, smiling.

She turned toward the door, but Melissa stopped her with a little half shy, half eager gesture.

"Who is that girl—Dolores? She's beautiful, isn't she?" she asked, and waited; her heart hammering a little.

Alice hesitated, running a hand carelessly through her thick, naturally curling black hair, her eyes a little troubled.

"Dolores?" she repeated, and once again her eyes swept over Melissa before she said with an odd sort of wariness, "Oh, Dolores is star of the floor-show. Sure, she's beautiful."

"Is she—is she—engaged to Randy?" asked Melissa, because she had to know. It was suddenly the most desperately important thing in the world that she knew.

Alice grinned wickedly and her eyes danced ever so little.

"Randy?" she repeated. "Oh, you mean Ace? Well, now I'm afraid I wouldn't know whether Dolores is engaged to him or not. All I know is—she wants to be head woman in his life and, she acts as though he wanted her to be—but as for Ace—well, he's a cool and wary gent. Nobody ever gets on the inside of what Ace thinks."

She had been about to leave the room. Now she seemed to think better of it and curled herself up in the one chair the tiny cabin held while Melissa took off her hat and opened her smart new suitcases and began unpacking.

Alice watched the other girl as she moved about the tiny cabin, and Alice's eyes took in the smart new frocks and slippers and hats that Melissa had bought under Irene's guidance, and there was a puzzled look in Alice's eyes as she lit a cigarette, flicked the match out of the porthole and asked gently, "Have you known Ace a long time?"

"Since last spring," answered Melissa. "That's more than a year ago."

"Oh," said Alice mildly.

Advice
Melissa looked at her.

"I don't quite know what you mean by that," said Melissa swiftly. "Randy came to our place last spring when he was lost in the woods. He stayed over a day and a night and—well, my Gran and I liked him a lot. And when Gran died and I sold the cabin and came to New Orleans, I telephoned him and he took me to dinner and offered me a job."

Capital Glamor Girl



In a city filled by pretty girls from all over the world, Bettjane Greer (above) was chosen the "Nation's Capital Glamor Girl" by a committee of beauty and fashion experts in Washington. She will tour the country to display war fashions.

STUDENTS RIOT IN MONTEVIDEO

Additional Police Guard German Legation Office

Montevideo, March 18.—(AP)—Reinforced police guards were thrown around the German legation office and the home of the German minister today in the Wake of student riots last night over the sinking of the Uruguayan merchant ship Montevideo off the coast of Haiti.

(Youths also rioted in Santiago, Chile, in protest against the sinking of the Chilean freighter Tolten last Friday outside New York harbor. In flying raids they smashed windows of shops believed to be Axis subjects and suspected sympathizers.)

(The youths called for an immediate diplomatic break with the Axis. Chile and Argentina are the only

of the others were seated. Dolores, still in the polka-dotted pajamas, was hanging on Randy's arm, laughing up at him, her whole manner so possessive, so proprietary that it was like an open declaration to the world of other women.

And Melissa scolded herself sharply because her heart contracted a little with pain. After all, just because Randy had been kind to her and had offered her a job certainly it gave her no right to feel jealous or resentful of another woman's attentions to him. Randy had never, by word or act, offered her the slightest encouragement for her dreams about him.

He and Dolores sat down at the table. He bent his head toward Dolores until she had finished whatever she had been saying to him in an intimate little whisper. And then he laughed, and her eyes were gay and audacious.

But as Randy shook out his napkin he glanced up and met Melissa's eyes, and the little swift, friendly smile he gave her made her foolish heart leap a little.

To Be Continued

Russians Strike In Four Places



In three spearheads (arrows, 1) on the southern front, a Russian army of 1,500,000 men is reported in action, aimed at driving Germans west of the Dnieper river to new positions (dotted line). Germans admitted their lines had given way near Orel (arrow, 2), and on the central front (arrow 3) the Reds claimed other successes. Russians also reported a break-through on the Leningrad front and increased pressure on a Nazi army trapped at Staraya Russa (arrow, 4). Shaded area in dicates territory recaptured by the Reds.

Pan-American nations which have not broken off relations. (Fifteen of the youths were arrested in front of the conservative newspaper El Imparcial, at which newspapers were thrown.)

(Extra guards were placed before the German consulate and German stores.)

Some 200 youths attacked a toy

Several demonstrators were slightly injured when police used sticks to break up the riot.

Japs May be Faced by Transport Problems

Bern, Switzerland, March 17.—(Delayed)—(AP)—The German newspaper Koelnische Zeitung today raised the question whether Japan would be able to cope with a huge transport problem resulting from the occupation of so many widely scattered territories.

Now that many areas have been won, the paper said, the whole problem of safeguarding troops, establishing bases and exploiting the resources of the islands is one of transport.

"Whether Japan can keep economically what she got by fighting," the paper added, "depends upon whether she is able to construct a sufficient merchant fleet in time to maintain communications between the motherland and the Pacific territories."

shop here operated by a Spaniard allegedly belonging to the pro-Fascist Falangists. Then the crowd swarmed toward the offices of the Nationalist newspaper El Debate, crying "to jail with Herrea."

They referred to the Nationalist leader Luis Alberto Herrea, an opponent of inter-American cooperation.

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Wade In Army, Cameron Gets Job; New Tulane Coach

TOP DUKE MAN NOW A MAJOR

Former 'Trainer's Little Boy' To Coach Green Wave

Durham, March 18.—(AP)—With Wallace Wade commissioned a major, Eddie Cameron became acting director of athletics and acting head football coach at Duke University today.

Wade, who offered his services to the government some time ago, was ordered to report to Fort Bragg, N. C., March 28, probably to be assigned duties in the field artillery. He was a captain of cavalry in the first world war.

Cameron has been backfield coach under Wade and coach of varsity basketball.

Wade came to Duke in 1931 from the University of Alabama. His Duke teams have won 85 games, lost only 19, and tied 3. His lifetime coaching record is 177 victories, 36 defeats and 8 ties. His Rose Bowl record shows two victories, two defeats and one tie.

New Orleans, March 18.—(AP)—"The trainer's little boy," the gangling kid who used to carry the water bucket, is going to be head coach of the Tulane Green Wave.

Claude "Little Monk" Simons, Jr., last night was named boss man of Tulane football—culminating a career that started as mascot of that team and included a period as one of the greatest athletes ever to wear the olive and blue.

He will succeed Lowell "Red" Dawson, who resigned Saturday to become an assistant coach at Minnesota, where he was an aide to Bernie Bierman before taking over here in 1936. Simons has been on the staff since 1933, for two years as assistant freshman coach and two as varsity backfield coach.

When "Little Monk" takes charge it probably will be the first time that a major college football team has ever had a father-and-son combination with the son as head coach and the father as trainer.

"Big Monk"—who is about two-thirds the size of his 28-year-old, six-foot-plus, 220-pound son—has been a coach and/or-trainer at Tulane since 1919.

Both father and son have coached Tulane baseball and basketball teams and "Little Monk" is now head tutor in the latter sport.

Line Coach Charles Rucker, who captained the 1928 team, was named chief assistant of the all-alumni staff.

Sailors Snatched From Fiery Death At Sea



These grimy, oil-smeared survivors of a torpedoed American tanker wait in a medical dispensary to wash a few minutes after they were landed safely at Southport, N. C. They told a gruesome story of shipmates perishing in burning oil covering the sea after a torpedo struck.

sible to see so many persons who are mis-handled after having been injured, and, as a result are seriously handicapped in their fight for life.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust executed and delivered to J. J. White, Trustee, by C. T. Mumford and wife, J. Caroline Mumford, on the 12th day of January, 1933, which said Deed of Trust is recorded in Book Q-19, page 135, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, the undersigned will offer for sale for cash, at public auction, before the Court House door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, at 12:00 O'clock Noon, on Monday, March 23, 1942, the following described real property, located in the Town of Greenville, Pitt County, State of North Carolina, to-wit:

FIRST TRACT: That certain piece, parcel or lot of land lying and being on the west side of Evans Street, between 10th and 11th Streets; BEGINNING at a stake on the west side of Evans Street 82 1-2 feet from the southwest corner of Evans and Tenth Streets; running thence southwardly with Evans Street 82 1-2 feet to a stake in what is known as the Parker or Schultz line; thence westwardly and parallel with Tenth Street 164'; thence northwardly and parallel with Evans Street 82 1-2 feet; thence eastward-

Fourth Corps Chief



Maj. Gen. William Bryden (above), deputy chief of the Army's general staff, has been designated commanding general of the Army's fourth corps area with headquarters in Atlanta.

ly parallel with Tenth Street 164 feet to the BEGINNING.

SECOND TRACT: That certain piece, parcel or lot of land lying in the Town of Greenville and on the west side of Summit Street; BEGINNING at a point on the west side of said street 165 feet north of the

northwest corner of the intersection of Summit and Third Streets; running thence westwardly, parallel with Third Street 150 feet; thence northwardly parallel with Summit Street 55 feet; thence eastwardly parallel with Third Street 150 feet to the west side of Summit Street; thence southwardly with the west side of Summit Street 55 feet to the BEGINNING, and being a part of Lots Nos. 14, 15 and 16 in Block "E" of the Lang property, as shown on map of record in Map Book 1, at page 131, Pitt County Registry.

THIRD TRACT: That certain piece, parcel or lot of land lying and being in the Town of Greenville and on the west side of Summit Street and the north side of Third Street; BEGINNING at a point on the west side of Summit Street 55 feet north of the northwest corner of the intersection of Summit and Third Streets, and running thence

westwardly and parallel with Third Street 130 feet; thence southwardly parallel with Summit Street 55 feet to the north side of Third Street; thence westwardly with the north side of Third Street 9 feet; thence North 22 East 167 feet; thence eastwardly parallel with Third Street to a point 130 feet west of the west side of Summit Street; thence southwardly parallel with Summit Street 55 feet; thence eastwardly parallel with Third Street 130 feet to the west side of Summit Street; thence southwardly with the west side of Summit Street 55 feet to the BEGINNING, and being a part of Lots Nos. 10, 11, 12 and 13 of the Lang property, as shown on map recorded in Map Book 1, page 131, Pitt County Registry.

This the 19th day of Feb., 1942. J. J. WHITE, Trustee. J. B. James, Atty. Feb. 20-17w-4wk.

WPB CHIEFTAIN TO CRACK DOWN

To Clear War Production of Any Interference

Washington, March 18 (AP)—Donald M. Nelson has given America a new promise—to knock down all interference to war production, whether from management haggling or union slowpuffs. In a broadcast message to the nation last night the War Production chief said the country's factories already were turning out war goods in large volume and that plane production had gone up more than 50 percent since Dec. 7. "But this is no reason for false complacency," he said. "We need more and more of these weapons, and we need them now. We have got to realize the value of time."

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"Yet some manufacturers have come to the War Production Board to plead for just a few extra months before going into war production. Some of them want to delay over details. Some of them argue before awarding a subcontract. I know of a case where 26 days were wasted this way. You and I will not stand for that."

"Then, too, I know of cases where workers in war plants have been told by other workers—by men in their own unions—to keep production down, to take it easy, not to hurry, to spread the job out and make the work last. You and I will not stand for that either."

"These cases are not typical. They are becoming fewer and fewer. In my opinion they simply reflect the fact that a few people just haven't got it through their heads that this is a life-and-death matter. I pledge my word to the American people that I will knock down such indifference or interference wherever I find it."

Yesterday on a foul tip off the bat of Johnny Mize.

San Bernardino, Calif.—President Bill Benswanger of the Pittsburgh Pirates, terms "preposterous" the report that the club would let Jim Waddell go to the Philadelphia Athletics. Waddell, last year a utility player with the Brooklyn Dodgers, now looms as the Pirates' regular right fielder.

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Are Benefitted By First Aid Course

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By S. L. WHITFIELD
To me one of the most interesting and most valuable topics discussed was digital pressure. I am especially interested in this topic because I learned there to check the arterial flow of blood which so often proves fatal. Even a minor wound may prove fatal. I feel that I have learned a great thing, for I might be able to save a life. In the hustle and bustle of today's activities one is likely to receive a wound anytime and almost anywhere. Therefore, it is valuable to me and anyone to know digital pressure and the other things which I have learned in our first aid course, especially the four self-helps.

By CLAUDE L. TAYLOR
It is really difficult to say which particular part of this course has proven to be the most enjoyable, in that I have never taken part in any work which was filled with more interest. The course has been beautifully taught and it is evident that this is very largely due to the wide or broad knowledge of the subject by the teacher. In the attempt to single out a special unit of deeper interest to me, however, it seems that the topics on transportation, shock and snake bites hold very much of my attention. There have been so many instances in which I could have been of help in aiding persons whom I have seen in distress due to one of the previously named conditions. I feel that just a knowledge of those three things alone repays one for the time, expense and effort spent in this class, to say nothing of the other important aids learned. Especially is this true of the topic on transportation; it is pos-

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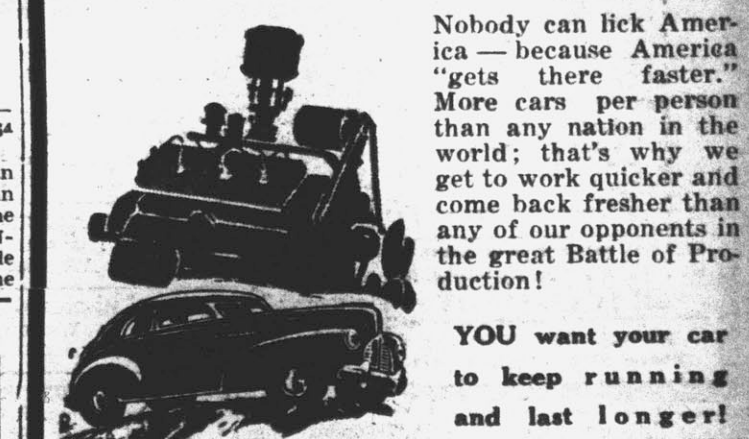
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Training Camp Briefs

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

(By The Associated Press)
St. Petersburg, Fla.—Funniest incident of the spring training season happened yesterday when the New York Yankees' shortstop, 5-foot 5-inch Phil Rizzuto, stood right up and argued with 6-foot 4-inch Umpire Cal Hubbard about a third strike.

Hollywood, Calif.—Young Don Kooloway, the Chicago White Sox second sacker, got six hits against the Chicago Cubs and the Philadelphia A's in the past two days.

Orlando, Fla.—Catcher Jake Barry of the Washington Senators has found out that the Brooklyn Dodgers can be rough even in an exhibition game. He was thoroughly shaken up in yesterday's encounter with Johnny Rizzo.

St. Petersburg, Fla.—The St. Louis Cardinals, seeking their ninth straight Grapefruit League triumph, designated Bill Lohrman, Lon Warneke and Harry Breechen to pitch today against the Boston Red Sox. Sox effective were Max Lanier and John Beazley in yesterday's 1-0 triumph over Cleveland. The Card outfield had only two chances.

Daytona Beach, Fla.—Kirby Higbe, one of Brooklyn's better pitchers, will see today what a period of rest has done to the "catch" in his shoulder. He is slated to take the mound against the Detroit Tigers.

Clearwater, Fla.—The New York Giants came here today for the first of 15 games with the Cleveland Indians, who are gloating over the pitching ability of Ray Poat, up from Cedar Rapids of the Three-eye League. Poat yesterday limited the St. Louis Cardinals to one hit in five innings.

Ontario, Calif.—Rumors that Phil Cavarretta might be sold to the Philadelphia Athletics were sidetracked today by Manager Jimmy Wilson's remark that the three left had hitting outfielders he intended to keep from the Chicago Cubs' National League campaign were Cavarretta, Bill Nicholson and Charley Gilbert.

Sanford, Fla.—After watching Nanny Fernandez, Boston Brave rookie third baseman, develop a sore right arm, Casey Stengel chided him. "Oh, it is nothing," the youngster said, "just keep me in the lineup and I'll work it out."

Tampa Fla.—Rookie Bill Laman, apple of Manager Ray McKechnie's eye, will be on the shelf for a few days. The Cincinnati Reds' rookie catcher injured two fingers

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BABY CHICKS THAT LIVE AND GROW. Hatched in large electric incubators. Deliveries each Tuesday. Eggs set each Monday, \$5.50 per tray of 150 eggs. Place order, now. Stoeck's Hatchery, Stokes, N. C. Jan. 8-3 mo.

BICYCLE INSURANCE?—YES. We write it. The cost is low, too. Insure yours with us now. The phone number is 2651. Ernest Willard Insurance Agency. 14-6t

POULTRY WANTED—FOR TOP prices for your poultry and eggs sell with us. Sell now while prices are high. Pitt Poultry Co., next to Radio Station. Feb. 19-1 mo.

LOST—ON MONDAY NIGHT—man's wallet containing identification cards plus money. Finder please notify Reverend Hartwell Campbell.

WE HAVE BOTH RED AND white seed potatoes, seed oats, lettuce, pasture grass, lawn grass, and all kinds of garden seed. (Call us for seed) J. A. Watson, Seed & Hardware. 7-1t

FOR RENT—HEATED APARTMENT, unfurnished. Four rooms and bath. 522 E. Ninth St., near college. Available at once. Apply Dial 3001. 9-1t

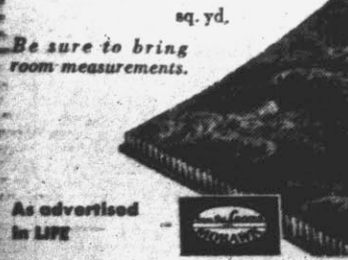
IT'S TIME TO PLANT YOUR permanent lawn now. Call us for prices and estimates. We are glad to loan our customers a seed sower and roller. J. A. Watson, Seed and Hardware. 16-1t

COLORS HELP WANTED—WOMAN, good cook and know how to clean house. Living quarters on premises for couple. Write Box 408 or see W. C. Purser near Gardner's Cross Roads. 16-3t



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CALL US FOR KINDLING WOOD and nice lump Black Dan coal. Cash Coal & Wood Company, Dial 2931 from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Jan 13-eod-1 mo

FOR SALE OR RENT—ONE Hospital Bed, Quinn-Miller & Strong.

FLOWERS FOR SALE—JONQUILS, daffodils and King Alfreds, at Mrs. Oscar Tucker's near Red Banks Church. Mrs. Oscar Tucker, Route 3. Mon-Wed.

NOTICE—THIS IS TO NOTIFY anyone and everyone to not give Mrs. Bessie Abeyounis, my wife, any credit or accept her checks. I will not be responsible for same. B. G. Abeyounis.

JUST RECEIVED A FRESH SHIPMENT of Bowers Batteries direct from the factory. Get your car a Bowers Battery now while prices are still low. Stafford Oldsmobile Co. 12-15t

FOR RENT—THE VINES HOUSE, thoroughly reconditioned; 18 bedrooms. Suitable for boarding and rooming house. Conveniently located. See Dr. W. I. Wooten. 17-1f

CHERRY HILL CEMETERY LOT for sale—171-2 by 35 feet, or 712-1-2 square feet. Desirable location. Dial 2678 17-3t

FOR RENT—2 ROOMS—KITCHENETTE and bath—618 Evans St., near Five Points. Wed-Sat.

RIDE A MERCURY BICYCLE— buy one today. J. A. Watson. Hardware and Seed. 16-1f

W. R. SUMRELL—SHOE REPAIR shop and bicycle repair shop. Bicycles painted. 124 W. Fifth St., next to Baker-Davis Hardware Store. 16-1f

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SHOE salesman for full time work. Apply Merit Shoe Co. 16-6t

MR. FARMER—LET US VULCANIZE your tractor and truck tires. We can handle any size. Scott Service Station. 11-6t

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TAXI SERVICE OF GREENVILLE has found it necessary to increase the price from 10 cents to 12 cents per mile due to higher operating expense. 18-3t

SPECIALS FOR THURSDAY—ICE Box Cookies, Cream Puffs, Cinnamon Buns. People's Bakery.

Grain Market
Chicago, March 18.—(AP)—An outbreak of stop loss selling in ry futures during the final hour unsettled the wheat market today and prices of the bread cereals declined. Wheat closed 1/2-3/4 cent lower than yesterday, May \$1.28 1/2-3/4, July \$1.30 1/2-3/4; corn unchanged to 1/4 lower, May 88-88 1/2, July 90 1/2-3/4; oats unchanged to 1/4 down; rye 1 1/2-2 1/4 lower, May 79 1/2-3/4; soybeans 1/4 off to 1/2 up.

Poultry and Eggs
Raleigh, N. C., March 18.—(AP)—(NCDA)—Egg and live poultry markets steady at Raleigh and about steady at Washington.
Raleigh—U. S. extra large (clean white) eggs 27; colored hens 19 to 21-1-2.
Washington—U. S. extra large (white graded) eggs, 30 to 31; fowls colored, four pounds and up, 21.

Australian General Welcomes M'Arthur
Sydney, Australia, March 18.—(AP)—Maj.-Gen. Henry Gordon Bennett, Australian commander in the Malayan campaign, said today that "the arrival of Gen. Douglas MacArthur in Australia is the healthiest and most welcome sign we have had."
"MacArthur's stand in the Philippines, stamped him as a man with the fighting spirit which soon will be needed and which will be extremely welcome to the people of Australia in particular," he declared.

Resume Riots
Montevideo, Uruguay, March 18.—(AP)—Crying "death to the Axis countries" and singing the Uruguayan national anthem, crowds of students demonstrated again this morning against the sinking of the Uruguayan steamer Montevideo, torpedoed off the coast of Haiti.

Asks War Funds.
Washington, March 18.—(AP)—President Roosevelt asked Congress today to appropriate \$17,579,311,253 more for the War Department, with \$8,515,861,251 of the total going to the Army Air Corps.

Hog Market
Raleigh, N. C., March 18.—(AP)—(NCDA)—Hog prices steady at Richmond, Va., and Rocky Mount, Va. \$12.50 and \$12.25, respectively.

New York Cotton
New York, March 18.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened unchanged to 15 cents a bale higher.
Noon values were 5 cents a bale lower to 10 cents higher.
Futures closed 5 cents a bale higher.

FINAL STOCKS
Air Reduction 31 1/2
Alb. Chem and Dye 12 1/2
Alb. Chal. Mig 27 1/2
Am. Can 40 1/2
Am. Car. Pdy 30 1/2
Am. Rad. and St. S 41 1/2
Am. Roll Mill 11 1/2
Am. Smelt and Ref 39
Am. Sug. Ref 16 1/2
A. T. and T. 119 1/2
Am. Tom B 39 1/2
Anaconda 26 1/2
Arm. Ill 3 1/2
A. C. L. 23 1/2
A. I. Ref 3 1/2
Aviat. Corp 3 1/2
Baldwin 12 1/2
Bendix Aviat 36 1/2
Beth St 60 1/2
Boeing Airpl 18
Borden 18 1/2
Briggs Mig 18 1/2
Budd Mig 2 1/2
B. Ad. Mach 6 1/2
Case J. I. 62 1/2
Caterpill. Trac 34 1/2
Ches and O 30
Chrysler 53 1/2
Coca Cola 58 1/2
Coml. Credit 16 1/2
Coml. Solv 8 1/2
Consol. Edis 12 1/2
Cot. Oil 5 1/2
Cont. Can 24 1/2
Corn Prod 7 1/2
Curtiss Wright 7 1/2
Dow Chem 10 1/2
Dupont 110
Eastman Kod 12 1/2
Elec. Auto Lt 24 1/2
Firestone 15
Freeport Sul 34 1/2
Gen. Elec 24 1/2
Gen. Foods 30 1/2
Gen. Mot 34 1/2
Goodrich 14
Goodyear 13 1/2
Int. Harvest 43 1/2
Int. Tel. and Tel 2 1/2
Johns Man 60 1/2
Kennecott 32
Libby O. P. 1 1/2
Ligg. and Myers B 58 1/2
Loews 40
Lorillard 12 1/2
Louis and Nash 67
Mont. Ward 25 1/2
Nash Kely 4 1/2
Nat. Biscuit 14 1/2
Nat. Cash Reg 13
Nat. Dairy Prod 14 1/2
Nat. Dist 20 1/2
Rep. St 17 1/2
Reynolds B 23
Sears 48 1/2
Sou. Ry 16 1/2
Sperry 27 1/2
Std. Brands 3 1/2
Std. Oil N. J. 34 1/2
Stewart Warner 5 1/2
Tex. Corp 32 1/2
Tex. Inf. Sul 30 1/2
Unit Carb 61
Unit Air 32 1/2
Unit Corp 5-16
Unit Drug 5 1/2
US. Ind. Alco 30 1/2
US. Rub 15
US. Smelt and Ref 41
US. Steel 50 1/2
Vanadium 17 1/2
Warner Pte 5
Western Union 26
West. Elec. and Mig 70
Woolworth 24 1/2
Yell. T. and C 11 1/2
Total Sales 335,780

N. Y. Stock Market
New York, March 18.—(AP)—The stock market was unable today to rekindle the bullish spark that animated yesterday's dealings and prices dipped fractions to about a point all along the line.
A few rails and rubbers were resistant but most industrial leaders were well under water at the close. Dealings dwindled to around 350,000 shares for the session.

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Tornado Overturns A Freight Train In Illinois



So strong was the force of a tornado that swept sections of the Mississippi valley and the middle west that it overturned this string of nine freight cars at Middlegrove, Ill. The storm left 20 dead, 170 injured and hundreds homeless in several areas of Illinois. Throughout the whole tornado area, at least 123 were killed and about 900 injured. In Mississippi 65 were killed and 630 injured. Tennessee's toll was at least 20 dead and 100 injured.

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Yates In Navy



Charlie Yates of Atlanta (above), winner of the 1938 British Amateur golf championship, has reported to the Navy Yard in Charleston, S. C., for assignment to duty in the communications office. He is an ensign. He was drafted by the army but got transferred to the navy.

ADOPT LAW ON STORE LIGHTS

Outside Switches Required If Lights Left On
An ordinance was being prepared this afternoon and will become effective immediately upon the affixing of Mayor B. B. Sugg's signature providing that no store of business houses shall leave window or other lights on at night without some arrangements having been made so they can be extinguished in case of a blackout.
The ordinance requires one of three things:
1. That all lights be extinguished before leaving for the night, or
2. That someone stay on the premises to cut out the lights in case of emergency, or
3. That an outside switch be installed on the front or side of the building.
The order will become effective immediately upon the signature of the mayor under an ordinance adopted recently by the Board of Aldermen.
The decision to establish such an order was reached today at a meeting of city officials, merchants, managers of business houses and others interested. The city was advised recently by Theodore S. Johnson, state Civilian Defense chairman, that it was "obligatory" that such measure be taken to insure complete blackouts in case of air raid alerts.
It was explained by City Attorney R. B. Lee that the attorney general had ruled that such ordinances applied to all territory within a one-mile limit of the actual city boundary line.
It was brought out at the meeting that some arrangements would be made whereby persons installing outside switches could leave their display window lights on when closing at night and have them extinguished at a certain hour by members of the police department or employees of the Water and Light Commission.
This phase was debated upon after local store managers had expressed a desire to leave their lights on during the early hours of the night if policemen could cut them off at a specified time. Such a plan is worked in most all large cities.
Pigs get big faster and make better bacon if fed certain amounts of high protein feeds along with their corn or cereal rations.

DANGER AREA IS DESIGNATED

Britain Says Bay Of Biscay 'Dangerous' Waters
London, March 18.—(AP)—The Admiralty issued a warning today that all of the Bay of Biscay, except for a 20-mile strip along the Spanish coast, and thousands of square miles of the Atlantic ocean southeast of England "are dangerous to shipping."
In defining the danger area, the Admiralty said that any vessel disregarding the terms of its notice would do so "at its own risk and peril."
Such a notice usually would mean that the defined zone had been mined or that Britain is planning to carry on unrestricted submarine warfare in those waters.
The Admiralty said its limits run from the French coast just south of Brest to a point northwest of Bishop's Rock off Lands End in Cornwall; then roughly west for 240 miles to a point in the Atlantic, south from there for 200 miles; east for 200 miles to a point 20 miles off the northwest coast of Spain, and then back to the French coast, leaving free a 20-mile stretch along the Spanish coast.

Mrs. Hooker's Broth'r Is Claimed By Death

Word has been received here of the sudden death last night of Adam C. Davis, Jr., 52, dean of engineering at Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y., a brother of Mrs. W. E. Hooker of this city.
Other survivors include his wife his father, A. C. Davis of Stuart, Fla., a brother, E. B. Davis of Portsmouth, Va., and another sister, Mrs. W. G. Mordecai of Raleigh.

LOTTERY ENDS AT 7:10 A.M.

Ceremonies Started Last Night At 6 O'clock
Washington, March 18.—(AP)—The nation's first draft lottery of the war, a step toward classification of about 9,000,000 men for possible military service, ended at 7:10 a. m., eastern war time today, a little more than 13 hours after it started.
Only 6,998 numbers, two less than was planned, were drawn from the historic draft goldfish bowl.
Selective service officials immediately went into a conference to determine whether additional capsules would be drawn to bring the number up to 7,000.
Albert Carter, a sailor from Albany, Ga., plucked the last number from the bowl during the regular drawing. Secretary of War Stimson drew the first number, 3485, last night.
The lottery was held to determine the order in which qualified men will be called up for examination leading to military service. Those affected are between 20 and 44 years of age and who had not registered for the 1940 and 1941 selective service drawings.
After government officials and congressmen drew the first numbers last night, teams of soldiers, sailors, marines, officers and clerks worked through the night geared to a rate of about 500 capsules an hour.
The ceremonies started at 6 o'clock.
Brig. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, director of selective service, announced that a check had shown that due to a misprint there were two se-

TODAY AT THE MOVIES

Pitt—TWO FACED WOMAN— Greta Garbo, Melynn Douglas
State—BIRTH OF THE BLUES— Bing Crosby, Mary Martin

rial numbers 2,885 drawn. One should have been 2,385, he said. It was decided that the proper order number for serial number 2,885 was number 1,638 and that all serial numbers drawn with order numbers after number 744, which got the first 2,885, would be moved up by one order number.
This necessitated changing the order of the numbers in 6,258 places.
To make up for the misprint and for the two missing numbers, three capsules were placed in the bowl, shaken up, and drawn. The first was serial number 6,342 which became order number 6,393; the second was serial number 2,069 which became order number 6,999 and the third was the corrected 2,385, which became order number 7,000.

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