

MacARTHUR DIRECTED TO OPEN OFFENSIVE

FULL COMMAND IS PLACED IN GEN. STUWELL

To Direct U.S. Forces In China, Burma And India

PLEDGES CHIANG FULL U. S. HELP

Says "We Won't Be Satisfied" Until Chinese And American Troops Get Together In Tokyo

Chungking, March 20. — (AP)—United States Lieut. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell announced today he had been placed in command of all U. S. forces in China, India and Burma, and promised that "we won't be satisfied until we see American and Chinese troops in Tokyo together."

Stilwell recently made chief of staff to Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, allied supreme commander in the China theater, pledged that "everything China needs to help her war effort will be furnished without reservation."

"President Roosevelt has expressed his determination to use all means necessary to clear China of the Japanese," he told his first press conference. "I am unable to go into details as to just what help or equipment is on the way, but you may assume from the fact that I have been assigned to command any United States forces in China, Burma and India that the effort contemplated is large."

"The United States means business and we won't be satisfied until we see American and Chinese troops in Tokyo together."

Stilwell had just returned from an inspection trip to the British-Chinese positions in Burma, where he commands the fifth and sixth Chinese armies.

Stilwell warned against impatience while the United Nations are mustering their forces for the inevitable counter-offensive.

"There is a great deal of work to do first, and there are mistakes to be repaired," he said.

The American commander said the American volunteer group fliers would be used to protect his Chinese troops in Burma, and added that "one of my biggest worries is to get adequate air support for those troops—but they'll get it." He said their discipline was "splendid."

He described the Chinese soldier as "one of the best in the world, if he has the equipment and supplies, no one can lick him."

As for the Japanese: "We knew the Japanese were a lot of savages, and we knew they were not going to die. We were rather surprised by their initial successes, but cool consideration shows that the probabilities were in favor of such successes."

"In the United States we were too dumb to see through their intentions, and now we are paying for it. We realize they are a dangerous and aggressive enemy—but where they have been met by anything like equal strength they have been licked."

Dr. Brooks to Head ECTC Department

East Carolina Teachers College will begin the fall term with a new department of instruction—one in the important field of health, according to information made public today by President L. R. Meadows of the college.

The new department, that of Health and Physical Education, will be headed by Dr. Frederick F. Brooks of Greenville, M. D., and Ph.D., and will coordinate the present student health program of the college, the work of the Physical Education Department, and the health courses that have been a part of the work in science. To help get the department organized, the Rockefeller Foundation has made a grant of \$5,000 to East Carolina Teachers College, for use during the next biennium.

Composing the staff of the department, in addition to Dr. Brooks will be G. A. Hankner, John E. Christenbury, Mrs. Miss Dorothy Parks, the present physical education faculty, who will continue with the work they are now doing; Dr. E. B. Aycock of Greenville, who will be assistant college physician; Miss Stella Grogan and Miss Mary R. Robertson, who will remain as head of the college infirmary and assistant nurse, respectively; and

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German Armies In Ukraine Reported To Be Planning Hasty Retreat At Kharkov

German Propaganda In Guatemala U.S. Worry

Central American Country Now Being Used By United States Air Patrol Operating In Defense Of Panama Canal

By CHANDLER DIEHL Guatemala City, March 20. — (AP)—An intensive propaganda campaign being waged by Germans in this Central American country—from which important United States air patrols now are operating in defense of the Panama Canal—is causing concern to persons interested in the United Nations' war effort.

The Guatemalan government has sent 115 Germans, considered dangerous to the United States for their propaganda work, to the United States for internment, but many more still remain.

Some quarters estimate there still are 5,000 Germans in Guatemala and complete surveillance of this group is a large problem for this small country.

Reliable informants say that in this group is Anita Raeder De Diestel, daughter of Grand Admiral Erich Raeder, commander-in-chief of the German Navy, who is serving as caretaker of the deserted German legation and apparently mingling freely with other Germans.

Guatemala's problem is made more difficult by the fact that the Germans' extensive coffee plantation interests are deeply entwined with the nation's economic position.

Well-qualified American sources say the Germans are making capital use of every situation for propaganda purposes.

For instance, letters written by Germans describing the fine treatment they are receiving in internment camps in the United States are cited as evidence that the North Americans fear they cannot win the war. The German prisoners are being treated so well, say the propagandists, to avoid German reprisals after the war.

The propagandists also are conducting a whispering campaign in an effort to persuade the Guatemalans that the United States air patrols now operating here are the product of "Yankee imperialism" and will only make the country liable to an attack by the Axis powers.

This campaign ignores the fact that Guatemala was one of the first Central American powers to declare war on the Axis after the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor.

Close First Week Of Civil Session

The first of a two weeks term of civil court was continued here yesterday afternoon, but the tribunal will be resumed Monday morning with Judge John J. Burney presiding.

Two days of the first week were taken up in the hearing of the Cheney King (colored) will case, the jury sustaining the will which some of the heirs had attempted to have set aside.

E. Winslow Company was awarded a \$350 judgment against J. H. Clark and his bondsmen, F. B. Manning, in claim and delivery proceedings relative to a pair of mules.

A dispute over property was compromised between Gertrude and Tom Leggett, colored couple.

Only two divorces were granted, these going to Henry E. Kyser vs. Elsie H. Kyser, white, and Alonzo Brown vs. Mary D. Brown, colored.

To Test Whistle

An old steam whistle formerly used as a fire alarm has been reconditioned and will be tested at 10 o'clock tonight for its effectiveness for possible use as a blackout warning.

Another test will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, in order to determine its effectiveness both at night and during the day. The whistle will blow 10 times on each occasion.

The tests are merely for the whistle and will not signify a test blackout.

Soviet 'Pittsburgh' Is Already Declared To Be City Of Flames From German Demolition Bombs; Russians Said To Have Captured Important Centers From Trapped German Army

By The Associated Press Adolf Hitler's Ukraine armies were reported in Stockholm dispatches today to be making hasty preparations for retreat from Kharkov, the Soviet "Pittsburgh," with the city in flames as Nazi demolition squads blasted military stores and oil supplies.

Against this picture of a major new reverse for German arms, Hitler's field headquarters asserted that Russian troops driving into the Donets basin east of Kharkov had been "thrown back after a new attack and suffered heavy casualties."

Soviet dispatches yesterday said the Germans had slain 30,000 civilians in Kharkov, but there was no direct word from Moscow on the progress of military operations against the big steel center of 833,000 population, which the Germans captured last October 24. Unofficial reports on Wednesday said Red army shock troops were fighting in Kharkov's suburbs.

Stockholm advices said great fires were burning in the city and that it was obvious the Germans' "whole upper Donets line is sagging to the point of collapse."

London reports said 500,000 German troops were believed based in the Kharkov area.

In the north, Soviet front-line dispatches said the Russians had recaptured an important defense center from survivors of the trapped German 16th army in the Staraya Russa sector, 120 miles south of Leningrad.

Tass, the Soviet news agency, said captured documents showed the beleaguered Nazis were exhausted and suffering from lack of food, with the daily ration in some cases reduced to lentil porridge.

The Moscow radio announced capture of an important road junction at the Kaimin front northwest of the capital.

Turkish-German relations were evidently in for discussion at Adolf Hitler's war headquarters, German Ambassador Franz Von Papen left Ankara last night to report to his chief. London circles have suggested Hitler was seeking permission to send troops across Turkey, a move that might be aimed either at Suez or the Caucasus.

Berlin—From German Broadcasts—March 20—(AP)—Russian forces striking into the Donets basin east of industrial Kharkov have been "thrown back after a new attack and suffered heavy casualties," the German high command declared today.

Red army attacks elsewhere on the front were said to have been repulsed.

The communique acknowledged that the Russians still were on the offensive in the Kerch peninsula of the Crimea where it said attacks by strong forces were "repulsed in stiff fighting."

Tobacconist Dies At Henderson Residence

Henderson, March 20.—(AP)—W. M. Young, 72, the oldest active tobacconist in Henderson, died today at his home here.

He had operated warehouses for many years in Henderson, Lumberton, Whiteville and other border markets and in Blackshear, Ga.

The funeral will be held at the home at 3:30 p. m. Sunday and interment will be in Elmwood cemetery here.

Curtin, saying that Casey never had intimated to him or any other minister that he was ready for a shift, had asked Churchill not to make the offer.

The appointment of the handsomely mustached Australian to the Middle East post was announced in London yesterday. This caused a stir at Canberra, followed by such a reluctant yielding on Curtin's part that Churchill cabled an expression of "surprise at the tone and substance" of Curtin's reaction.

The affair eclipsed the war in the Australian press today, nearly crowding the conflict and MacArthur from the front pages.

The Melbourne Herald said the public reaction to the Casey appointment was "surprise, shock and disappointment—if it is not altogether too late the matter should be remedied."

Cantor Invited

Raleigh, March 20.—(AP)—Governor Broughton said today he had invited Eddie Cantor, the comedian, to attend the finals of the statewide oratorical contest here April 4.

Cantor annually donates \$5,000 in prizes to the national winners of the contest, sponsored by the American Legion.

JAPS DECLARE ALLIES WAGING RUTHLESS WAR

Charges International Law Is Being Disregarded

SAYS OWN NAVY TO RECIPROCATE

Acting Secretary Welles Expresses Doubt Anyone Will Take Seriously Such Japanese Charges

Tokyo (From Japanese Broadcasts), March 20. — (AP)—The Japanese Navy charged today that the United States and Britain, since the start of the war in the Pacific, had waged "extreme warfare based on retaliation and hatred" and declared that Japan would reciprocate.

Alleging that Japan's foes were employing tactics in disregard of international law, the navy promulgated an ordinance "revising" its warfare regulations which it said were based on the London declaration of 1909 and precedents of international law.

The precise nature of the revision as well as the specific charges against the United States and Britain were not given.

Navy Minister Admiral Shigetaro Shimada announced the decision to the cabinet while the government took action to notify Japan's foes through neutral powers of the decision.

Professor Shigeharu Enomoto of the naval academy, "explaining" the new ordinance, said that the Imperial navy desired to act justly under international law but that war is by nature "reciprocal" and therefore, he said, there is no reason for Japan to adhere to warfare regulations when her enemies disregard them.

Washington, March 20.—(AP)—Acting Secretary of State Welles expressed doubt today that the world would take seriously a Japanese charge that British and United States forces have been unyieldingly ruthless in their methods of warfare.

The Japanese government should know, Welles commented at his press conference, that if there are any nations in the world which have shown complete disregard for the rules of warfare and the precedents of international law then Germany and Japan certainly fall into that category.

In other quarters, the Japanese charge was viewed as a backdrop of propaganda to obscure the atrocities of which the Japanese themselves have been accused repeatedly.

The Japanese navy itself grossly flouted international law by attacking Pearl Harbor prior to a declaration of war, it was noted.

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Strike Concluded At Republic Plant

Niles, O., March 20.—(AP)—Work resumed today at the Niles Steel Products plant of Republic Steel Corporation after members of SWOC local 2347 voted to return to work.

The walkout, characterized by James C. Quinn, SWOC sub-regional director, as unauthorized, began Wednesday when union members said, the management refused to negotiate a grievance involving a 10-cent hourly blanket increase.

SWOC officials are to meet with plant officials to try to settle the grievance.

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Georgian Draws Last Draft Number



Albert Carter (left), a sailor from Albany, Ga., smiled as he drew the last number from the bowl at Washington in the nation's first draft lottery since the United States entered the war. Standing beside him is Brig. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, selective service chief. The drawing ended a little more than 13 hours after it started.

Broke, Hungry Burma Seeks Her Independence

Ask Freedom Even as British Prepare Meet Japs

By DANIEL DE LUCE Mandalay, March 20.—(AP)—Burma is broke, hungry and battered by invasion but even today, the British prepare to meet new Japanese thrusts into the hinterland of the country. Burmans are clamoring with growing insistence for independence.

Burma's appetite for self-rule has been whetted by the impending visit of Sir Stafford Cripps to India and as the British prepare to meet new Japanese thrusts into the hinterland of the country. Burmans are clamoring with growing insistence for independence.

Since the Japanese invasion, the Burma autonomous movement had been pigeon-holed by mutual consent but with indications that India is approaching dominion status Burma again and are understood to have made formal representations.

In the jungle no-man's land on the Irrawaddy and Toungoo fronts, meanwhile, the British evidently were drawing in their advance guards to make their stand on a battlefield of their own choice in the attempt to stop enemy drives along the two roads which dictate strategy for both sides in Burma.

The major fight in central Burma, apparently, will be for the paved Promote road, which runs along the broad Irrawaddy river through the rich Yenangyuang oil fields to Mandalay.

State Fair October 12

Shelby, N. C., March 20.—(AP)—The Cleveland county fair here will open Sept. 21, the North Carolina State Fair at Raleigh, Oct. 12, and the Southern States Fair at Charlotte, Oct. 19.

Keep It Up

Declaring that last week's response to an appeal for contributions to help provide meals for visiting service men here over the week-end was "very gratifying," Mrs. F. B. Haar, chairman of the Organization for Service Men's Housing Committee, renewed the appeal for this week-end.

Many public spirited citizens who find it inconvenient to take the men into their homes but desire to aid in some manner made contributions to the organization to help provide meals for the visiting service men.

Anyone willing to aid in this manner this week is urged to call Mrs. Haar at 3825, or after 2 o'clock tomorrow, the Woman's club building, 3115.

The request also applies to persons with rooms they are willing to be used for the week-end by the visitors.

Says Aim Is To Relieve Philippines

Bataan Hero Says He Was Sent To Australia To Open A Counter-Offensive To Ease Pressure on Philippines; Opening Shots Fired In Battle For New Guinea; Hit Scored On Jap Cruiser

By ROGER D. GREENE (Associated Press War Editor) With the dramatic pledge "I came through and I will return," Gen. Douglas MacArthur announced in Australia today that he had been instructed by President Roosevelt to prepare a great American counter-offensive against Japan for the primary purpose of relieving the Philippines.

Gen. MacArthur, whose escape in a speedboat through the Japanese blockade of Bataan peninsula provided one of the most thrilling exploits of the war, gave no intimation when the Allied offensive would be launched.

In Washington, President Roosevelt declared that we are doing everything we possibly can in the phase of the far Pacific struggle, but he called attention anew to what he termed a little, old lesson in geography—the vast distances of the war theater and the long time it requires for reinforcements to reach there.

On the fighting front, dispatches from Port Moresby said the opening shots were fired in the battle for New Guinea island, where Japanese invasion columns are seeking bases from which to make a direct assault on Australia 300 miles across the Timor Sea.

The War Department announced in Washington that two U. S. Army bombers scored a direct hit on a large Japanese cruiser at Rabaul, New Britain Island, northeast of Australia.

Presumably, this was the same attack reported yesterday by the Royal Australian Air Force.

A British broadcast said Allied bombers again blasted at Japanese-occupied Dutch Timor Island, one of the main bases for Japan's threatened invasion of Australia.

Few details were available regarding the developing conflict on New Guinea Island.

Dispatches from the embattled island said Australian forces had begun sniping at Japanese invasion columns driving down toward Port Moresby, only 300 miles from the Australian mainland.

Japanese warplanes twice raided Port Moresby again today but were driven off after strafing the air drome.

In his first interview since his spectacular dash from siege-bound Bataan peninsula, Gen. MacArthur declared:

"The President of the United States ordered me to break through the Japanese lines and proceed from Corregidor to Australia for the purpose, as I understand it, of organizing an American offensive against Japan."

"The primary purpose of this is the relief of the Philippines. I came through and I will return."

Thus, in crisp terms, Gen. MacArthur served notice on Japan that the long weeks of Allied defensive fighting—the disheartening retreats in Malaya and the Dutch East Indies—may soon be ended.

High-ranking United States and Australian army officers conferred with Australia's Army Minister Francis Forde, paving the way for an Allied war council which will assume basic control of all military operations.

The council was expected to include Gen. MacArthur, the new United Nations supreme commander in the southwest Pacific; Lieut. Gen. George H. Brett, U. S. A., deputy supreme commander; Vice Admiral Herbert F. Leary, chief of Allied naval forces in the Australia-New Zealand theater; and leaders of Australia's fighting forces.

Men, Aged 45 To 65, To Get Factory Jobs

Washington, March 20.—(AP)—Men of 45 to 65 must register on April 27 for non-combatant service, possibly work in war factories, under the selective service law.

President Roosevelt set the date yesterday. After the registration of this ground which numbers about 15,000,000, only those of 18 and 19 years will remain unregistered.

Social and Personal

Social Calendar

FRIDAY
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.

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of my father, Samuel P. Phillips, who died March 22, 1939. You left us dear daddy, to go far away. We miss you more day by day. You left us in sorrow, many tears have we shed, but we hope to join you never to part again. We loved you much but God loved you best. He called you home, where forever you'll rest, in a place bright with sunshine, where there will be no worry, no care. He suffered much yet he bore his suffering patiently; never complaining. Three years have been sad and lonely, no years will be the same, you have gone and left us broken hearted, but to heaven you have gone to wait for the ones you have left behind to weep.
Mrs. Esther Phillips Harrison

Major May Chapter D. A. R.

Featuring the program of the March meeting of the Major Benjamin May chapter D. A. R. which was held at the home of Mrs. Sam T. White in Greenville on Saturday, was a talk given by Dr. A. D. Frank, head of the History department at East Carolina Teachers College. After discussing the present World War as a "World Wide Revolution," he said that the fighting nations are one hundred per cent prepared while the United Nations are barely five per cent prepared; that we must get fully prepared; that if the Axis wins, the whole world will be subjugated by Germany and democracy will disappear.

Continuing, he stated that we can lose; that we are being whipped every day; that if Russia steps out, we probably will lose; but that it had always been thus in the beginning of each war in which we have been engaged—that we began by losing and ended by winning. However, he said that the United States could not win alone. England, Russia, China and the Americas must win together.

Mentioning ways in which each of us might help, he urged us to keep up civilian morale and defense, by doing all we can to kill enemy by keeping faith with the Allies and with our own American, and by not complaining over shortages, lack of gasoline, tires, sugar, etc., which the curtailment of world trade had brought about.

Dr. Frank was presented by Mrs. White.

Mrs. Beasley conducted a devotional program, using the twenty-seventh Psalm.

Mrs. Henrietta Williamson presided over a business session, during which Miss Tabitha DeViscenti announced the cancer drive which is to be conducted in April.

During a delightful social hour, guests were invited into the dining room where Mrs. K. W. Cobb poured tea and Mrs. C. W. Shuff, Mrs. George Perry, Mrs. J. B. Hawes and Mrs. J. H. Boyd passed delicious sandwiches, cakes, nuts and mints. From a beautifully appointed table which was centered with a lovely arrangement of carnations, narcissi, iris and fern. Quantities of early spring blooms were used throughout the home.

Additional guests were Mrs. T. A. Person, Mrs. L. W. Gaylord, Mrs. Frank Wilson, Mrs. George Perry, Mrs. A. E. Hobgood, Mrs. W. H. Bradshaw, Mrs. Richard King, Mrs. P. P. Brooks, Mrs. Kyzer, Mrs. J. B. Hawes, Mrs. W. H. Smith, Mrs. Eugene Wilson, Mrs. C. W. Shuff, Mrs. K. W. Cobb, Mrs. J. H. Boyd and Dr. A. D. Frank.

Intermediate G. A. of Memorial Baptist church will hold its regular monthly meeting Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Educational building. Every member is urged to attend and bring a friend.

Germans Abandon Equipment In Staraya Russa Area



White-clad Russian soldiers on sector. This picture was radioed from by retreating Germans in the Staraya Russa area, Moscow, some use to look at war equipment abandoned by the German 16th army trapped in the area. The Red army is reported to have captured the equipment.

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR
Friday, March 20, 1902

The S. S. Society

The S. S. Society met with Miss Blanche Finagan at her home on Fifth street March 7. There were 10 members, and two visitors present.

After the business of the hour had been satisfactorily disposed of all present entered into the fun of the evening with lively interest.

At 10 o'clock dainty refreshments were served by our fair hostess, who left nothing undone that would give pleasure to her guests.

All too soon came the hour for dispersing and it was with much reluctance that we bade each other goodnight.—Reported.

N. C. TEACHERS HOLD SESSION

Mrs. Elizabeth Mims Named Treasurer Of Group

Raleigh, March 20.—(AP)—Miss Ethel Perkins of Lexington today was elected president of the classroom teachers' section of the North Carolina Education Association, in session here, succeeding Mrs. Annie Laurie McDonald of Hickory.

Other new officers of the section are Miss Sarah Foust of Charlotte, vice president; Miss Blanche Broadway of Durham, secretary; and Mrs. Elizabeth Mims of Greenville, treasurer.

The association, which convened here last night, met by groups this morning.

The department of superintendents elected T. C. Roberson of Asheville, superintendent of the Buncombe county schools, as president. He succeeds Horace Sisk of Fayetteville. Other officers chosen were P. T. Furate of Elm City, vice president, and L. E. Andrews of Lexington, secretary-treasurer.

Bill Smith of Western North Carolina Teachers College was elected president of the student section of the physical education teachers' group. Other student officers are Hugh Daniel of Appalachian, vice president, and Miss Helen Hartsorn of Western Carolina Teachers, secretary-treasurer.

Miss Janice Little of Appalachian presided over the student meeting, after being introduced by E. E. Garber of Appalachian, president of the North Carolina Association for health, physical education and recreation.

Mathematics teachers heard their president, Miss Sarah Olive Smith of Winston-Salem, and others discuss shifts which will be made in the elementary school curricula because of the addition of a 12th grade to the school system. New officers will be elected this afternoon.

Music teachers heard talks by Eric Stapleton of Raleigh, connected with the WPA music program; Dr. Ruth Hannas of the Woman's College; Benjamin Swalin of North Carolina; Mark Hoffman of Greensboro College; Glen Haydon of North Carolina; and Dr. Luther

To Hold Camporee In Roanoke Rapids

The annual Camporee of East Carolina Council, Boy Scouts of America, will be held April 17, 18, 19 it was announced today. Roanoke Rapids will be the host city to more than 1500 khaki-clad Scouts in their thrilling demonstration of patrol camping. Greenville Troops are already laying their plans to attend this inspiring council-wide event.

The Camporee was devised primarily to teach Scouts the proper way to camp out under all conditions, and if past Camporees is a true index Scouts have certainly had to camp under all sorts of weather conditions. Patrols pitch their tents and prepare all meals, as well as demonstrate various phases of the Boy Scout activities over the three day period.

The local Scout Committee headed by L. M. Buchanan discussed ways and means of helping Troops transport Greenville Scouts to the Camporee and E. R. Conway was appointed to help work out a plan whereby all Greenville Scouts will have an opportunity to participate.

Bob Feller, speed-ball pitcher of the Cleveland Indians, now serving as Athletic Instructor in the United States Navy, has stated he would attend the Camporee if his duties would allow at that time. Gene Tunney, former heavy-weight champion of the world, has been invited to attend, and he told a group of Roanoke Rapids Scouters at an interview in Raleigh he would be delighted to attend if his duties would permit.

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Espionage Described As Fun by Young Girl

New York, March 20.—(AP)—Lucy Boehm, 19-year-old high school girl, who said she "found espionage lots of fun," was sentenced today to five years in Federal Women's Reformatory at Alderson, W. Va., by Federal Judge Henry W. Goddard.

Judge Goddard also sentenced Carl Herman Schroeter, 48-year-old skipper of a Miami, Fla., fishing boat, to 10 years imprisonment. Both pleaded guilty to participation in the espionage ring headed by Kurt Frederick Ludwig, master Nazi spy, who was sentenced to 20 years imprisonment recently.

by Stuart Pratt and Fletcher Moore of Elon; Edgar Alden of Meredith; and Mrs. Edgar Alden of Peace.

Supervisors and directors of instruction elected C. W. Davis of Roanoke Rapids as their president. Other new officers of the group are Eloise Rankin of Mecklenburg, vice president, and Grace Brunson of Winston-Salem, secretary.

Section and group meetings will continue this afternoon and early tonight. The second general session will be held at Memorial auditorium tonight, with Dr. Alexander J. Stoddard, city superintendent in Philadelphia, Pa., delivering the principal talk.

The three-day convention will end tomorrow, with the election of officers.

Bertie Man Saved By Gov. Broughton

Raleigh, March 20.—(AP)—Eleventh-hour intervention by Governor J. M. Broughton saved the life of Jesse Manning, 38-year-old father of three children, who was scheduled to die today for the slaying of Paul West, 71-year-old Bertie county storekeeper.

Troubled by the nature of the case, and unable to decide what to do, the governor went to the prisoner's cell on death row yesterday and had an interview with him and later commuted his sentence to life imprisonment.

"After our talk," the governor said, "I was convinced that this man was not mentally responsible for this murder—if he was guilty." Psychiatrists had been divided in their opinion of Manning's mental-ity.

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U.S. Freighter Braves Seas to Sail Into Alexandria Port

ARRIVES WITH WAR SUPPLIES

Vessel Was First 'Ugly Duckling' To Pass Suez

By PRESTON GROVES
Alexandria, Egypt, March 18 (AP)—An American-built "ugly duckling" freighter flying the stars and stripes have braved the challenge of Nazi bombers and submarines by sailing through the eastern Mediterranean into Alexandria bringing war materials to reinforce Britain's north African armies.

The ship—the first of her class to be commissioned under the United States emergency wartime building program—brought a note of cheer to British forces in Egypt, which have scarcely seen an American flag in Egypt since the beginning of the war.

The vessel, under command of Capt. Richard Ellis, a tall Louisiana, immediately began discharging her 10,000-ton cargo which the British almost pop-eyed with delight.

The nature of the cargo cannot, of course, be disclosed.

It can be revealed, however, that the ship, which was built in Baltimore and took on her cargo there, traveled around the southern tip of South Africa, through the Red Sea and the Suez into the Mediterranean.

Not a single enemy submarine or plane was sighted during the entire voyage.

She carried a naval gun crew. The ship had a whole string of "firsts" to her credit:

She was the first begun and the first finished in the Baltimore yard, she was the first "ugly duckling" to pass through the Suez, and the first to reach Alexandria.

The British noted three Filipinos among the pantry help and immediately asked the captain:

"Have you Japanese aboard?"

The captain replied grimly:

"If there were, these Filipinos would kill them in a hurry."

Despite the epithet "ugly duckling" affixed to ships of this class, the British thought the new arrivals were really a splendid ship and a harbinger of better times to come.

Dr. Brooks . . .

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Miss Marguerite Austin, who will continue to teach the hygiene courses she has had in the Science department.

Following a three-fold aim, the new department will work for better health among the students by continuing the program of physical examinations and follow-up care.

It will contribute to better health in the state by training prospective teachers in nutrition and hygiene in such a way that they will both practice and teach more healthful ways of living, and will work through Child Health conferences in the summer both to build up the health of groups of pre-school children by providing a balanced diet over a period of three months, and to demonstrate for teachers taking health courses in the summer school the value of supervising nutrition.

According to the plans outlined, Dr. Brooks, who has his degree of doctor of philosophy from the University of North Carolina and of doctor of medicine from the University of Michigan, will, as head of the department and college physician, give three-fourths of his time to the work of teaching and supervision, and physical examination and follow-up care of the students, reserving the remainder of his time for private practice in order to keep in touch with medicine.

Dr. Aycock is a graduate in medicine from McGill University, and will give approximately a fourth of his time to the department and the remainder to his own practice.

Dr. Brooks will leave Monday to do some months of research in health problems on a scholarship from the General Education Board.

During the spring and summer he will be participating in Child Health conferences held in other institutions and working out health projects in various parts of the state, with headquarters at the University of North Carolina, and early in September will return to resume his practice and take up the duties of his new post at the college.

This work is receiving the financial support of the General Education Board because of the interest of the Foundation in promoting health teaching and better health throughout the nation.

Bethel Church Plans For 'Widow Sermon'

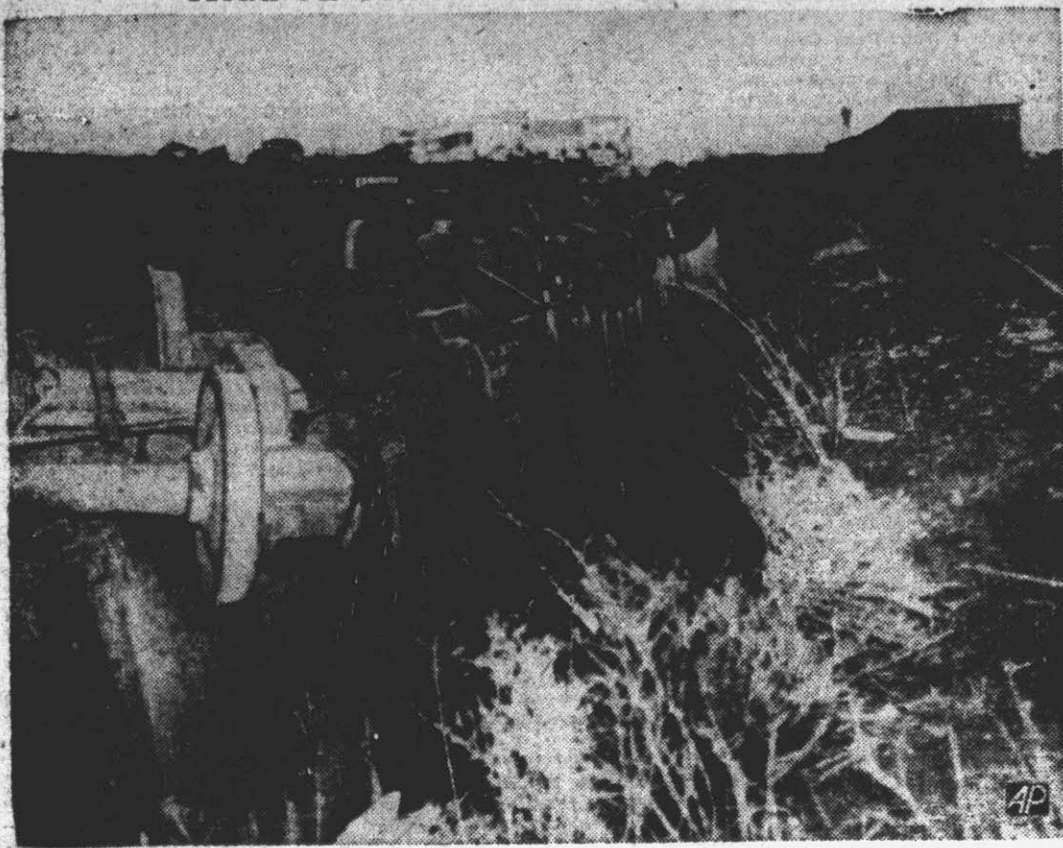
At the Bethel Methodist church Sunday night at 8 o'clock, there will be another service in the series of "widow sermons." In these services the program of worship and the message are based on the scripture illustrated in the art glass window chosen for the evening. The window is then illuminated from the outside.

Next Sunday the window to be used is the one with the scene from "The Sermon on the Mount." This is a memorial window, bearing the names of M. O. Blount and Mrs. Florence Blount.

Marvin K. Blount of Greenville will give the address relative to the sermon on the Mount, and the place of the home in the Christian faith.

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Head-On Collision Of Trains Kills Four



Four trainmen perished in this pile of wreckage left by the head-on collision of a passenger train and a freight train near Waverly, Tenn. The trains were running between Nashville and Memphis on the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railroad. Two of the victims were A. C. Hargrove, Sr., 46, fireman on the passenger train, and his son, A. C. Hargrove, Jr., fireman on the freight. None of the passengers was hurt.

SHOW BOAT GIRL

By ROBERTA COURTLAND

Chapter 11
Success
Two nights later the River Queen was ready for business. The day had been crowded with a thousand last minute details. Everybody was keyed up, tense. Everybody knew that Randy had sunk the last penny that he could rake, scrape or borrow into buying and equipping the River Queen, and that unless business was good from the very beginning, he would be literally sunk—and their jobs with him.

As dusk gathered above the river, the first cars began to arrive; by nine o'clock the parking space at the side of the road was filled and more cars were coming, their headlights cutting like sharp knives through the summer darkness. The tables were all taken, Melissa knew that a great many of the people who had come in those sleek, expensive cars were upstairs at the gambling tables. But there were enough downstairs at the beginning of the floor-show to pack the tables so that the waiters had to exert the most expert dexterity to make a way between them with laden trays.

There had been a good deal of friction over the order in which the acts of the floor-show were to make their appearance. No one wanted to open the show. But Melissa had said innocently, "If you think I'm good enough, Bob, I don't mind opening."

Bob looked at her with frank gratitude.

"O. K., kid—you'll knock 'em cold," he answered. "You and Alice follow Melissa, Hugh, and Dolores. You'll take the final spot."

"Naturally," said Dolores curtly. "Where else would a star be spotted in an outfit like this?"

And so, shortly before ten o'clock, the curtains of the stage swung apart and a girl stood there. Behind her was a painted drop representing a garden crowded with rather incredible-looking flowers and beyond it, a glimpse of a white porticoed mansion.

That drop had been unearthed among some of the "properties" acquired when Randy had bought the River Queen, and Bob had all but wept with delight when he had seen it. Against its faded colors, Melissa, in a hoop-skirted, crinolined frock of pale green and cream-colored silk, so stiff it could all but stand alone, a scoop-shaped bonnet of white straw tied with green satin ribbons beneath her pretty chin, made a picture that caught the imagination of the audience immediately.

The first notes of her voice, caught up and amplified and warmed by the microphone, brought an appreciative silence, and when she had finished there was a great burst of applause that made her come back and sing again and again. She sang four numbers before they let her go. And Alice and Hugh were half-way through their first routine before the audience settled back to give them their polite attention.

Flushed and bright-eyed and on up to the excitement and delight, Melissa stood in the wings when Randy came toward her, his hands extended for hers, his eyes alight.

"You were swell, darling," he told her eagerly, and that little endearment sank down into her heart and curled warmly there. He'd called her "darling." Maybe he had done it carelessly. Maybe he hadn't been conscious of it. But she had been; and she would treasure the memory. "There are some people here I want you to meet. Come along with me."

He tucked her hand through his arm and led her out into the auditorium and to a table where half a dozen people, men and women, were sitting. Speaking softly, so that the attention of other tables would not be drawn away from Alice and Hugh, in the midst of a very torrid rumba on the stage, Randy introduced her.

A Crush
They looked at her curiously, these well-dressed men and women, with the self-assurance that seems an inevitable part of the possession of great wealth and social position. They were pleasant, friendly, even flattering. One of them was a young

man of perhaps 22 or 23, and he said, acknowledging the introduction, "Come on, Scarlett, and dance with me! I've always wondered how girls of the 'bevo de wah' period managed their hoopskirts in a dance—"

"Well, you're not going to find out just now," said Randy lightly. "There was a hint of steel in his voice. "Because the orchestra is currently busy with a number and this dance-act will be followed by another. It will be at least 20 minutes before the stage is cleared for the audience to dance."

"Then the first dance thereafter is mine, Miss Marlowe—don't forget!" said the young man, and watched as Randy drew Melissa away with him.

The night was very warm and they stepped out on deck away from the crowded, brilliantly lit auditorium. They faced the wide river, the woods of the shore behind them. The moon had just risen—a great round copper colored disk that seemed to hang so low Melissa had an absurd feeling that she might stand on tiptoe and touch it. It would be butter-soft, fragrant—She laughed at such an idea, and Randy, loving her laughter, looked down at her, smiling a little, and asked, "You're happy?"

"Of course. You've been so good to me—I mean, everybody has been so nice—" She stammered a little because she didn't want to let him guess that the greater part of her happiness came because she was with him.

"You should be happy, surely, because you are a success," said Randy gravely. "That man you met back there, Marston, is one of my backers. And he thinks you have terrific possibilities."

"He seems terribly young to be anybody's backer—"

Randy laughed drily. "I'm talking about Marston, senior—not Jimmy," he said swiftly. "Jimmy's—well, he's a pup. He's attracted to you and he'll want to give you a terrific rush. Just keep your eyes open and both feet on the ground, that's all. And if he proves troublesome, let me know and I'll handle him."

"I don't expect to have any trouble with him, because I don't expect I'll ever see him again after tonight—except just when he comes back to the show boat," said Melissa simply.

Randy chuckled drily.

"Oh, he'll want to take you around—show you a good time and all that," he said carelessly.

"I won't have to go, will I?" demanded Melissa uneasily.

"Of course not," said Randy swiftly. "Never as long as you are on this show boat do you have to do anything you don't want to."

"I'd say that was taking in rather a lot of territory," said Dolores behind them, her voice cool. " Aren't you coming in to hear my number, Ace?"

"Sure," said Randy curtly, and drew Melissa's hand through his arm as he turned toward the door to the auditorium.

Dolores' dark eyes flashed, but

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By EARL L. DOUGLAS

COOPERATION SPELLS TRIUMPH

Last fall the football team of a little church college in the South defeated a team picked from among the soldiers of a great southern camp. On the soldiers' team were eight all-Americans. To the amazement of everyone, however, the little church school overwhelmingly defeated the soldier team made up of some of the best players in the country.

Why did this happen? Because the church team, made up of ordinary players, had plenty of time to practice and had developed a remarkable cooperation on the part of all members of the team. The eight all-Americans went into the game with very little practice. The soldiers were treated to the amazing sight of head-liners being handled by mere amateurs. The point was that the amateurs worked hard, practiced diligently, and played the game with plenty of cooperation.

Men of mediocre ability frequently make quite a success in life while others, bordering on genius, come to a miserable end. One little factory presided over by an official who knows how to get his workers to cooperate will frequently out-produce a much larger and better equipped organization. The man who can lead his fellows to cooperate is being diligently searched for by employers who can sign big salary checks when they find the man they are looking for.

USE INDIAN AFFAIR TO SNIPE AT BRITISH

(Scottish Rite News)
Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek's recent appeal to Great Britain for it to grant the people of India real political power offered an opportunity for the enemies of England in this country to renew their vicious attacks against our Ally. They made the most of it. On every hand, the age-old Indian situation was reshaped, mostly to the discredit of Great Britain.

There is still an element in the United States that, while wanting a United States victory, would prefer it if Great Britain and Russia came out badly used up, finished as first-rate powers. They may honestly want to see Hitler destroyed and Japanese militarism forever broken, but they cannot forget their hatred of our two Allies.

Such a hope just is not in the picture. It should be evident by now that it will take the combined resources of all the Allied Nations to win, and that victory for one will be victory for the others. The United Nations will win or lose this war together.

One of the best sources of aid and comfort to our enemies has been the way in which these anti-British and anti-Russian elements in our country have made use of every available opportunity to criticize our Allies. Consciously or unconsciously, they seek to drive a wedge between this country and the nations fighting with us.

The revival of the Indian question was made to order

Latest Map Of Australia



for this purpose. But before we jump to any conclusions about it, we should remember that the Indian question is far too complex for outsiders in this country to settle. Bluntly, the English people themselves are far better equipped to debate this issue and bring about a settlement fraught with justice and wisdom than we are. When aroused, the English have blazed with righteous indignation over more than one controversial issue, and can be depended upon to take care of this problem.

These same critical elements, who seek to meddle in British affairs, are always the quickest to take offense from criticism of United States policies by the British. They reserve for themselves the right to snipe at England, yet hotly resent any similar tactics from British subjects.

It must be remembered that Indian leaders have yet to agree among themselves on a plan of self-rule. Competent observers believe that without a practical, workable plan, it is probable that the 240,000,000 Hindus and

the 80,000,000 Moslems would be at one another's throats. Instead of strengthening the Allied cause, they would disrupt the country with civil war.

Whatever Great Britain decides to do about the problem, it must first make certain that the step will not weaken the Empire from a military standpoint. Regardless of the humanitarian principles involved, it is doubtful if independence would be of much value to the Indians if it weakened their country. Certainly the rule of the British in India, though far from perfect, is infinitely more just than it would be under German or Japanese domination.

As a matter of fact, the biggest single restriction placed on Indian autonomy under the present set-up is in military matters. All things dealing with national defense and foreign policy are exclusively the domain of the Viceroy. In internal affairs the Indians have a voice, though not complete independence.

It is almost certain that some adjustments will be

made in the near future. Until that time, it might be well for the people of the United States to refrain from criticism. Englishmen are raising their voices, and it is probable that their self-criticism will be more effective than opinions from this country. The English people, acting through their responsible Government, will deal with this matter to the best interest of all concerned.

Washington Daybook

By Jack Stinson

DAYBOOK - MM

Washington - The amputations at the Office of Civilian Defense continue. Critics a few weeks ago were calling it a boondoggling centipede with scores of extraneous legs, but it's being rapidly pared down to a four-legged war dog with the single objective of guarding the welfare of the civil population under any wartime catastrophe.

What has happened and is happening to OCD is another example of how democracy works when it gets its dander up and how the "voice of the people" can get a job done effectively.

There were only rumblings when the OCD was coasting along under the direction of New York's Mayor Fiorello H. LaGuardia. It was apparent that the little dynamo of New York City Hall had spread his tremendous energies too thin, but nobody took it very seriously until Dancer Mayris Chaney's twinkling toes booted the whole business into the critical limelight.

The flood of objections that rolled up against making a sociological enterprise out of what was purely a civilian defense effort not only swept Miss Chaney out of her job, but also washed out Mayor LaGuardia, Mrs. Roosevelt, and a score of lesser OCD officials. Dean James M. Landis, of Harvard, took over. But that didn't stop the criticism.

The storm settled around the physical fitness unit with coordinators of everything from archery to yachting, including codeball, horse-shoe pitching, paddle and table tennis, walking, and bag punching. Now that, too, has gone the way of other extracurricular OCD activities.

Transferred by executive order of the President to Paul V. McNutt's Office of Defense Health and Welfare.

That, say the critics now, is where it belongs. It's important to note that even the severest critics think "it" belongs somewhere.

Nearly 50 per cent of the registrants in the first draft had to be turned down because of physical defects. In the present draft, including men from 20 to 44, the rate is likely to run higher.

Reports from the entire country are not in, but if the District of Columbia can be taken as any gauge, there are two significant things in recent surveys: (1) The physical defects of potential draftees consisted of 20 per cent dental; 11 per cent venereal disease; eyes, heart, musculo-skeletal and feet defects, nervous and mental diseases, 10 per cent each; ear, nose and throat troubles, 5 per cent; and from here on down to minor percentages; and (2) there is only one school in the district that offers more than two hours a week of physical training (exclusive of voluntary sports).

Paul McNutt has under his direction the office of education. Start-

ing with the schools and working out to older age groups, it is possible that the much maligned physical fitness unit of OCD may become one of the important factors in fitting the nation for a long-time war effort.

The WAR TODAY

(Continued from Page One)
Fuehrer is slow to forgive, and the fact that he now has summoned his captains again means that he is faced with a military task which exceeds his capabilities of direction. That is understandable, for no matter what offensive operations he may have in mind he still must solve the greatest defensive problem of history. He must defeat the Russian giant, which gains strength from adversity, like the wrestler Antaeus who became stronger every time he was thrown and touched his mother earth.

Coincidentally, German war production is being spurred almost to the breaking point. Civilian consumption has been further curtailed and all manufacture is directed to the one end—to meet the crisis of the battle-field.

Along with this, Reichsmarshal Herman Goerring has appealed to farmers to concentrate as never before on food production. At the same time it's announced that food rations are to be reduced in the Reich on April 4.

These facts lead us straight to a thought which this column has emphasized often—that Hitler's sources of supply are tightening up on him. Again we can say that his highway to victory must lead to a break-through to fresh stores. They lie, as you know, in the Caucasus and the Middle East.

We can go even further, for the Nazi leader's preparations clearly provide for the possibility that he may fail. Hence the rush to grow foodstuffs at home, and the conservation of both food and goods.

In other words, the Fuehrer no longer is sure of what fate has in store for him. He isn't the same all highest whom I saw stand before 12,000 people in the great sports palace in Berlin just before the Munich crisis and tell the world that if Czechoslovakia didn't give him what he wanted he would go and take it. In those days he could take what he wanted; now he's not so sure about it.

ORDINANCE REGULATING BLACKOUTS IN CITY OF GREENVILLE

Order No. 1
WHEREAS, The Regional Office of Civilian Defense with the approval of the War Department have requested all municipalities in this area to take steps to obtain immediate blackout of all lighting which is not capable of being extinguished at a moment's notice; and,

WHEREAS, The Board of Aldermen of the City of Greenville have heretofore adopted an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to issue and publish orders relating to blackouts having the force of law; and,

WHEREAS, for the protection of life, health and property it is deemed advisable that certain orders and regulations relating to blackouts should be made at this time;

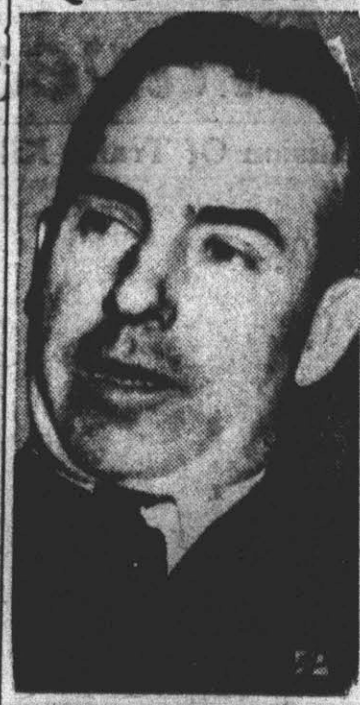
Now, Therefore, pursuant to authority vested in me by ordinance of the City of Greenville, it is hereby ordained:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person in charge of any store, shop, cafe, hotel, manufacturing plant or other business establishment or advertising display to permit the same to be so lighted between sunset and sunrise that light is visible from the outside unless, (1) some responsible person capable of extinguishing said light or lights is within the building or establishment with access to the light switch at all times the light or lights are burning, or (2) said store, shop, cafe, hotel, manufacturing plant or other business establishment is equipped with an outside switch conveniently located near the entrance thereto on the main, or one of the main streets or thoroughfares on which said establishment is located. Without warning or signal is given, all lights visible from the outside, or giving off light to the outside shall be immediately extinguished, and shall not be turned on again until the all-clear signal is given.

Section 2. It shall be unlawful for any person to permit his or her dwelling, room, or place of habitation to be so lighted between sunset and sunrise that light is visible from the outside unless there is in such dwelling a person capable of and responsible for extinguishing said lights, when a blackout signal is given. When a blackout signal is given it shall be the duty of every person in a dwelling or house of any kind, whether it be a home, hotel, or apartment, to turn out all lights used in connection therewith, unless the windows, doors, or other openings are so covered that no light whatever from the interior is visible. The dwelling, room or buildings shall remain darkened until the all clear signal is given. The management of hotels and apartments shall be held responsible for full compliance with this section.

Section 3. Whenever any blackout warning or signal is given, all motor and other vehicles using the public streets or highways shall promptly pull to the curb and come to a stop and extinguish all lights, except emergency vehicles such as fire trucks, police cars, ambulances, public utility vehicles and automobiles used by physicians and nurses may be permitted to operate provided the front and rear lights of such vehicles are covered with some opaque material which will prevent the passage of light, and provided that horizontal slits two inches wide and one-half inch high are cut across the bottom of the lenses of such lights, which slits must be covered with blue cellophane or other blue partly transparent material. Each front and rear light on such emergency vehicle so used shall have the shield cover of approved material installed in such a manner as to prevent the light from

Quits WPB Post



Robert R. Guthrie (above) of New York has resigned his post as chief of the War Production Board's textile, clothing and leather branch. He charged workers within the WPB of indecision. Chairman Donald M. Nelson was reported to have ordered an investigation of the resignation.

passing through the slit being seen from above. In the alternative, such emergency vehicles equipped with parking lights may operate with all lights completely extinguished, except the parking lights provided such parking lights are dyed blue and so shielded that the light therefrom is not visible from aircraft flying at a height of five hundred feet. No vehicle during an air raid shall be parked in front of a fire plug or across the driveways to hospitals.

Section 4. Every operator of any plant or manufacturing enterprise shall, after a blackout signal is given and until the all clear signal is given, so operate his plant that no light from furnaces, smoke stacks or other light emitting apparatus, shall be given off.

Section 5. Persons caught away from their premises shall seek cover and stay off the streets during any blackout period in order to provide the safe and easy passage of emergency vehicles, and while outside no person shall smoke, strike a match, use a torch or flashlight, except that authorized persons engaged in emergency work may use flashlights, the lenses of which are covered with blue or other dark material.

Section 6. The provisions of this ordinance or order, and all prior and subsequent ordinances and orders regarding blackouts shall apply as effectively to practice blackouts as they apply to blackouts caused by the presence of the enemy.

Section 7. The following signal is hereby designated as the official blackout signal for the City of Greenville: Short continuous blasts of all authorized whistles for a period of three minutes or longer.

Section 8. The following signal is hereby designated as the official all clear signal for the City of Greenville: Three long blasts of all authorized whistles.

Section 9. The Chief of the Fire Department is hereby authorized and directed to cause the sounding of a blackout signal and of an all clear signal when, and only when, the district in which this city is located is notified so to do by the First Interceptor Command, and it shall be unlawful for any other person, unless expressly authorized by the Chief of the Fire Department so to do, to sound or attempt to sound a blackout or all clear signal.

Section 10. The word "blackout" used in any ordinance or order shall be construed to mean any period of time designated by Federal authorities during the emergency for extinguishing lights of all kinds.

Section 11. All ordinances, rules, orders and regulations relating to blackouts shall be applicable to the

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Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS**
1. Owns
2. Percolate
3. Large sea pens
4. Insect
5. Masculine
6. Small stream
7. Meadow
8. Animal covered with small tufts
9. Spin lightly
10. English letter
11. News organization, abstr.
12. Pertains
13. Secondary
14. Fall to hit
15. Spouting hot spring
16. Exhaust
17. Employed
18. One of the Muses
19. Blazed
20. Supplication
21. Not so many
22. Cereal seeds
23. Rough lava
24. Hawaiian
25. Reorder suit-able
26. Nobleman
27. Month
28. Tedious
29. Talker
30. Oil, suffix
31. Size of coal
32. Item of property
33. Flowering shrubs
34. Scotch chemist
35. Hire
36. Buchananian city
37. Proverbs
38. Fish
39. Inlet of the sea
40. Organs of vision
41. Stop

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ALOE DAY ELIA
SECT OPENWORK
TATTERS ANGLE
SHRIVE SNEE
SHINE BLESSED
TONG POALS NO
AVE PEONY MAW
ME PLANT RATE
PRELATE METER
LOTS HOPE
SLAVE CAPERED
CATERERS NILE
OVER GOT TALE
TARS OWE SLAP

Solution Of Yesterday's Puzzle

1. Stop
2. Fish
3. Inlet of the sea
4. Organs of vision
5. Proverbs
6. Fish
7. Inlet of the sea
8. Organs of vision
9. Stop
10. Lumberman's implement
11. Kind of cheese
12. Lubricate
13. Calm
14. Bevel
15. Dinner course
16. Took up again
17. Old
18. Spread to dry
19. Hoarse sound
20. Petty quarrel
21. Small island
22. Tubbers
23. Mexican garments
24. Put apart
25. Of the mouth
26. Off
27. Go by
28. American
29. Indian
30. Talker
31. Make certain
32. Irish poet
33. Narrow back street
34. Relieves
35. Dams of butter
36. Canal in New York state
37. Kind of duck
38. Compass point
39. Feminine name
40. Tier

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IDEA IS SEEN AS INCENTIVE

Fullerton Writes Of This And That In Sports

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.
New York, March 20.—(AP)—With spring football getting under way in the north (it's about over in the south), George Carens of the Boston Traveler asks why it would not be a good idea to arrange a few games to aid the army and navy relief funds and give the boys an incentive to bear down. He figures it wouldn't cost much to bring together teams like Harvard and Boston College or Fordham and Columbia and plenty of fans would pay to see them. To make sure the customers won't miss seeing a pole vault record at the Chicago relays tonight (if Cornelius Warmerdam can go high enough) officials scheduled the event to start 45 minutes before the rest of the meet.

Quote, Unquote
Alfred Vanderbilt (at the Chicago racing meeting): "We are not here as individuals to protect a sport; but rather we are here as a sport to help protect the nation."

Spring Braining
Jack Zeller of the Tigers proposes a rule that baseball teams should not start training before March 15. That would give them more than three weeks, he says, and two is enough.... The Giants' Babe Barna is getting a regular Babe Herman reputation when he tries to play the sun field. A few days ago he let a fly bounce off his shoulder for two bases, then squared accounts by socking a homer and a double. A couple of days later he misjudged one that went for three bases, then bonered again.... Chuck Comiskey, who will become owner of the White Sox on his 21st birthday about five years from now, hopes to play ball next summer with the White Sox farm at Wausau, Wis.

Today's Guest Star
Kenneth Jones, Peoria (Ill.) Journal Transcript: A year or so back after Chicago had quit football, the Big Ten was referred to as the "Big 91-2." With further deterioration in the Maroon showing, it is fitting that the name be changed to, shall we say, the "Big 91-4?"

Headline Headliners
When the story came through the other day about the sports editor who figured out a football league race from the condition of each team's bus tires, the Milwaukee Journal headlined it: "Here's a Paradox: Tired Grid Team Has Best Chance."

Great Skat
Doc Erskine, Marquet U. backfield coach, was all set to announce he had a genuine "skat" back for his team next fall after he had recruited sophomore Al Skat from the basketball team.... then he discovered that Al pronounces it "Scott."

Wade Now Under Former Teammate

Fort Bragg, March 20.—(AP)—Wallace Wade in the army now will serve his first active duty under his old college football teammate, Lieut. Col. John C. Butner, Jr.
The Duke gridiron mentor and producer of Rose Bowl teams, has recently been commissioned a major in the field artillery. Col. Butner commands the 10th training battalion in the Fort Bragg field artillery replacement center.
Major Wade will be assistant battalion executive and will help plan the physical training schedules to harden and toughen the trainees.
Major Wade played guard and Col. Butner played end on the Brown University team that went to the Rose Bowl in 1916.

Colored Tournament Set For Grimesland

A colored basketball tournament for elementary boys will be held at the Pitt County Training school in Grimesland Saturday with 10 teams

Dawson Quits



Lowell (Red) Dawson (above) has resigned as head football coach at Tulane university in New Orleans to go to the University of Minnesota as chief assistant in football under Dr. George W. Hauser, acting head coach of the Gophers.

Training Camp Briefs

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Los Angeles—Manager Jimmy Wilson revised his plans for the Chicago Cubs pitchers yesterday, much to the sorrow of Claude Passeau. In previous games the hurlers had worked three innings each. But against Pittsburgh, Wilson decided to use only two pitchers. In the fourth inning Passeau was nicked for four hits and four runs.

St. Petersburg, Fla.—Observers at the St. Louis Cardinals' training grounds are labeling southpaw Harry Brecheen as the No. 1 candidate for bullpen honors with the Red Birds this season. Brecheen, who won 16 and lost 6 with Columbus last year, has the knowledge, repertoire, confidence and poise to make him a brilliant relief performer.

Sarasota, Fla.—Impatient Jimmy Fox, who insists that his fractured toe has mended enough to permit him to enter the Boston Red Sox lineup, must prove his claim to an X-ray machine.

St. Petersburg, Fla.—Joe DiMaggio and Charlie Keller, the slugging outfielders of the New York Yankees, made their first appearance of the exhibition season yesterday and surprised everybody by playing the full nine innings against the Kansas City blues, who won the game anyway.

Miami Beach, Fla.—The Philadelphia Phils announced that pitcher Ike Pearson had recovered from a stomach ailment and is working out with a high school team in his home town, Grenada, Miss. He will join the club at Augusta, Ga., April 17.

Orlando, Fla.—Bob Repass, the Washington Senators' sparkling shortstop, made his first error of the spring season in yesterday's tussle with the New York Giants

scheduled to participate. Afternoon and night contests are scheduled, with a small admission fee being charged. Following the games, entertainment for the players and guests has been arranged.

Jap Tanks Wrecked By Australian Gunners



Blasted and set afire by Australian anti-tank gunners, these Japanese tanks lie in smoking ruins among trees blockading a highway somewhere on the Malaya Peninsula before Allied troops withdrew. A dead Jap lies in the foreground.

But to make up for throwing past first base in the fifth inning, Bob made a brilliant pickup of the next batted ball.

Clearwater, Fla.—The Boston Braves, arriving for their game today, found the Cleveland Indians happy over the mound situation. In yesterday's 3-2 victory over the Boston Red Sox, Vernon Kennedy scattered six hits through five innings and Al Smith held the Sox hitless in the last four frames.

Los Angeles—Manager Frankie Frisch of the Pittsburgh Pirates is expressing satisfaction with his outfield contenders, all southpaw hitters. He has assigned Johnny Barrett and Jimmy Wasdell to right field, Cully Rickard to understudy Vince DiMaggio in center, and Eddie Stewart and John Myrostek to sub for Maurice Van Robays in left.

Anaheim, Calif.—Connie Mack says Philadelphia Athletics rookie Jack Wallaesa, who played with

Wilmington in the Interstate league last year, "will be my shortstop when the season opens." The spot was vacated by Al Brancato, who joined the navy.

St. Petersburg, Fla.—Manager Leo Durocher of the Brooklyn Dodgers says the injury to Dolph Camilli's throwing arm, which kept the first baseman out of yesterday's game with the St. Louis Cards, isn't serious.

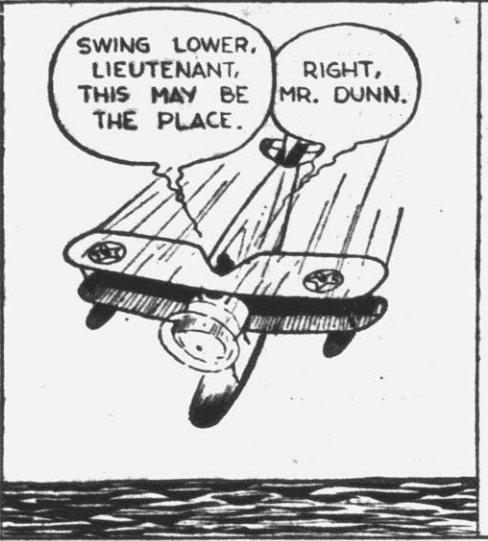
Pasadena, Calif.—Manager Jimmy Dykes of the Chicago White Sox is looking for hitters to back up his dependable mound corps. Unless Joe Kuhel, who batted .256 last season for his poorest mark in 11 years in the majors, starts hitting again, Dykes may give Murrell Jones, up from Shreveport, a try at first base.

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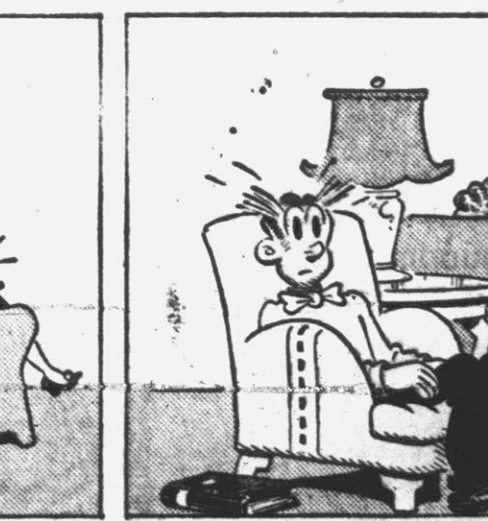
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Work Resumed At California Plant

Richmond, Calif., March 20.—(AP)—Normal production was resumed today at the Richmond shipyard No. 1, with the return of 1,000 workers who walked off the job Wednesday night.

Reports that other shipyards were operating on a 10-hour day, with double time for the two extra hours, were blamed by the company for the work stoppage. The reports were false, company officials said.

Possibility that the rumors had been spread by groups attempting to sabotage the war industry was investigated.

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FACED BY LACK OF MANPOWER

President Suggests Shortage In Labor By Fall

Washington, March 20.—(AP)—President Roosevelt suggested today a possibility that there might be some shortages of labor for war production by next fall.

He told a press conference that until that time there probably would be enough workmen for the tasks assigned.

But he added, plans are not yet ready for a systematic allocation of labor to war industry under a manpower mobilization program.

Reporters speculated that the new draft registration ordered for

older men on April 2 might be for the purpose of listing persons available for war work. The chief executive said, however, he did not know how these registrants might fit into war plans.

The President brushed aside a request for comment on moves in Congress to lift statutory 40-hour week restrictions during the war, saying that probably he had fewer ideas on the subject than his questioners.

He did volunteer, however, figures supplied to him by Donald Nelson, the WPB chief, which showed that in many industries as well as in individual plants, the work week was in excess of 40 hours or nearly up to it in industries operating around the clock.

He said Nelson had given him figures for February which showed these hours per man per week, on the average:

In blast furnaces, operating four shifts a day, 39.8 hours; in the smelting and refining of copper, lead and zinc, also on a four-shift basis, 39.6; in foundry and machine shops, 46.9; manufacture of electrical machinery, 45.4; plants making brass, bronze and copper products, 46.1; aluminum manufacturers, 45.9; machine tools, 55; aircraft frames, 48.7; shipbuilding, 48.2; explosives, 44.9; engines of all kinds, including turbines and engines for planes, 51.1.

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WEEK-END SPECIALS — ROE Shad, lb., 25c; Buck Shad, lb., 15c; Rockfish, lb., 20c; White Perch, lb., 15c; Herring, 7 for 25c. Native Market, Fleming's Crossroads. Bill Pollard, Prop. Dial 3302. 20-2f

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY — Cream Puffs, Butternut, Lemon and Pineapple Layer Cake. People's Bakery.

Hog Market
Raleigh, March 20.—(AP)—(NC-DA)—The hog market was steady at Richmond today, with a top of \$2.50. It was 10 cents lower at Rocky Mount, where the top was \$12.16.

CRY FOR SHIPS IS PRONOUNC'D

Domestic Facilities Being Taxed By War Needs

Washington, March 20.—(AP)—A cry for ships and more ships arose from members of congress today as they received evidence that the accelerated war production program had started to tax the nation's domestic and foreign transportation facilities.

Concerned lest a shipping shortage handicap the arms effort in the next few months, Senator George (D-Ga.) declared that congress must "take hold of the transportation problem and deal with it vigorously" to avoid a serious slowdown in the delivery of vital military supplies to battle areas all over the world.

George told reporters a long step could be taken in this direction by streamlining of domestic transportation facilities through the merger of bus and trucking companies and by more thorough co-ordination of railroad transportation—a subject Chairman Truman (D-Mo.) said the Senate Defense Investigating Committee soon would explore thoroughly as a part of an inquiry into the possibilities of speeding up ship construction.

Truman said Maritime Commission officials would be asked to report on the progress of the current ship construction program, which contemplates the building of 786 merchant vessels aggregating 7,995,000 tons this year. This is part of a long-range program calling for the construction of 2,877 cargo ships of 30,834,421 tons.

Chairman Emory S. Land of the Maritime Commission, who previously had investigated that strikes had "cost us between seven and twelve ships last year," told a Senate Appropriations subcommittee this week there was still some "loafing" and "slow-downs" among ship workers.

Land indicated earlier that the processed material problem likewise was acute, for he said the commission got only 154,659 of the 220,000 tons of steel it needed in January.

New York Cotton

New York, March 20.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 5 cents a bale higher to 15 cents lower.

Noon prices were 5 cents a bale lower to 5 cents higher. May 18.61, July 18.70 and December 18.82.

Futures closed 5 to 20 cents a bale lower.

	Open	Close	Prv. Cl.
May	18.61	18.59	18.60
July	18.70	18.66	18.70
Oct.	18.78	18.77	18.81
Dec.	18.80	18.81	18.83
Jan.	18.88	18.83	18.85
Mar.	18.88	18.88	18.91

Middling spot 20.24, off 1.

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, March 20.—(AP)—A slow drifting stock market today just about cancelled the brisk MacArthur rally of St. Patrick's Day. There were feeble come-backs at the close and a smattering of favorites managed to emerge with modest advances but minus signs still were well in the majority. Transfers approximated 300,000 shares.

FINAL STOCKS

Air Reduction	31
Al Chem and Dye	123
Allis Chal Mfg	26 1/2
Am Can	59 1/2
Am Car Fdy	30
Am Rad and St S	4 1/2
Am Rold Mill	18 1/2
Am Smelt and Ref	38 1/2
Am Sug Ref	117 1/2
A T and T	38 1/2
Arm III	2 1/2
A C L	23 1/2
Atl Ref	6
Aviat Corp	3 1/2
Baldwin	12 1/2
Beth Stl	18 1/2
Boeing Airpl	19 1/2
Borden	28 1/2
Bridg Mfg	78 1/2
Budd Mfg	2 1/2
Bur Add Mach	6 1/2
Cannon Mills	35
Caterpil Tract	33 1/2
Champ P and F	16
Ches and O	2 1/2
Chrysler	53 1/2
Coca Cola	57 1/2
Coml Credit	16 1/2
Coml Solv	8 1/2
Consol Edis	12
Con Oil	5 1/2
Cont Can	24 1/2
Corn Prod	48 1/2
Curtiss Wright	7 1/2
Dow Alc	63 1/2
Dupont	98
Eastman Kod	109 1/2
Elec Auto Et	118 1/2
Gen Elec	23 1/2
Gen Foods	29 1/2
Gen Mot	34 1/2
Goodrich	14 1/2
Goodyear	13 1/2
Int Harvest	42
Int Nick Can	26 1/2
Int Tel and Tel	2 1/2
Jenns Man	60 1/2
Kennecott	32
Kroger Groc	27
Libby O F Gl	22
Ligg and Myers B	59
Loews	39 1/2
Lorillard	12 1/2
Louis and Nash	65 1/2
Mont Ward	25 1/2
Nash Kely	4 1/2
Nat Biscuit	14
Nat Cash Reg	14
Nat Dairy Prod	14
Nat Dist	20
NY Cent	8 1/2
No Am Aviat	12 1/2
Otis Elev	12 1/2
Packard	2 1/2
Param Pix	14
Penny J C	64
Penn RR	22
Pepsi Cola	16 1/2
Phillips Pet	34 1/2
Pullman	24 1/2
Pure Oil	8 1/2
Radio	2 1/2
Rep Stl	22 1/2
Reynolds B	42
Sears	16 1/2
Sou Ry	28 1/2
Sperry	3
Std Brands	3
Std Oil N J	33 1/2
Tex Co	32 1/2
Un Carb	59 1/2
Unit Air	32 1/2
Unit Corp	5 1/2
Unit Drug	5 1/2
US Ind Alco	30
US Rub	14 1/2
US Smelt and Ref	40
US Steel	50 1/2
Vanadium	17 1/2
Warner Pic	5 1/2
Western Union	25
West Elec and Mfg	69 1/2
Woolworth	24 1/2
Yell T and C	11 1/2
Total Sales	278,570

GREEN CLAIMS LABOR ON JOB

Says War Effort Not Being Slowed By Workers

Washington, March 20.—(AP)—Testifying that union labor was "whole-heartedly behind the war program," President William Green of the A. F. L. told senators today that any restrictive labor legislation now would "take the heart out of the voluntary cooperation offered by American workers."

"Compulsion can do nothing that free workers will not give in larger and more generous measure when they are offered the opportunity to cooperate," the labor leader told the Senate Appropriations sub-committee which has been investigating war production and labor relations. Yesterday Donald M. Nelson, chairman of the War Production Board, suggested to the senators that a system of distinguished service awards plus "incentive pay" in key industries be tried to stimulate war production.

Green, after lauding President Roosevelt's stand against repeal of the 40-hour work week law, suggested that senators probe the forces behind the flood of letters and telegrams demanding this and similar wartime labor legislation.

At his press conference, President Roosevelt brushed aside inquiries about the congressional moves to change the 40-hour week law and said he probably had fewer ideas on the subject than the reporters who brought up the questions. He read them figures, however, to show that in the machine tool industry man-hours per week, on the average, were 55, in blast furnaces operating four shifts a day, 39.8, and so forth in various industries.

On the House side of the Capitol, Undersecretary of the Navy James V. Forrestal testified on the Smith bill to limit profits on war contracts to a maximum of six per cent, suspend hour-limitation and overtime pay for work on Navy and Army contracts, and abrogate closed shop

TODAY AT THE MOVIES

Pitt—DR. JEKYLL & MR. HYDE—Spencer Tracy, Lana Turner

State—SADDLE MATES—featuring The Three Mesquiteers

Jobs To Play Role In Drafting Men

Washington, March 20.—(AP)—Brig. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey forecast today that the matter of deferment from military service would shift "from the question of how many dependents you have to what job you are doing" as President Roosevelt suggested there would be labor shortages for war work by fall.

Hershey, director of Selective Service, spoke to the conference on war demands for trained personnel as the President told his press conference that plans were not yet ready for a systematic allocation of labor to war industry under a manpower mobilization program.

contracts in plants holding Navy and Army contracts, but he confined himself to the profit-limitation section.

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Grain Market

Chicago, March 20.—(AP)—Fresh declines in the grain market today carried prices of leading cereals and soybeans down to near or below the lowest figures quoted so far in 1942 in most cases.

Wheat closed 1/4-1 1/2 cents lower than yesterday. May \$1.26-\$1.25 1/2, July \$1.27-\$1.28, corn 1/4-1/2 down, May 87-87 1/2, July 89 1/2; oats 1/2-3/4 off; rye 3/4-1/2 lower; soybeans 5 1/2-5 3/4 lower.

Poultry and Eggs

Raleigh, March 20.—(AP)—Today's egg and poultry markets: At Raleigh—Egg market steady. U. S. extra (clean white) 27; poultry about steady, colored hens 18 and 20.

At Washington—Eggs steady. U. S. extra (large) 29 to 30 1/2; poultry weak, colored hens 15.

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