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ALLIES SCORE IN BIG NAVAL BATTLE

British No Cleaning Up Madagascar

U. S. Bombers Stage Third Raid On Jap Bases At Rangoon; Vichy Reports That French Still Fighting On Madagascar

By DREW MIDDLETON
London, May 8.—(AP)—The prospect of a swift cleanup of Vichy-ordered resistance in Madagascar and the arrival of strong imperial reinforcements in strategic Ceylon put the United Nations in a better position today for a rapidly nearing test with the Japanese on the Indian ocean supply lanes to India, China and the Soviet Union.

As weary British land forces in western Burma held back the invaders, already close to the Bengal border, long-range United States bombers lashed out anew this morning at Rangoon, Japanese war-stepping stone for the westward drive.

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The landing force was said to have put ashore Wednesday, the day following the first British landing at Courrier Bay, and to have taken up positions favorable to guerrilla warfare.

Major General Lewis H. Brereton warbirds plunged through Japanese fighter planes, opposition for their eighth attack on the port and returned safely to their bases in India, a New Delhi communique reported.

It was the Americans' third attack on Rangoon in four days. British military quarters, meanwhile, conceded that the Japanese probably had won another battle for operations in the Indian ocean, the West Burma port of Akyab 360 miles from Calcutta.

The announcement of the British reinforcement of Ceylon, off the southern tip of India, said "seasoned" fighters who took part in the Ethiopian campaigns of 1940-41 had been sent to the island from Kenya, Uganda, Tanganyika, Nyasaland, Zanzibar and northern Rhodesia.

Bomber Is Missing Since Wednesday

Tampa, Fla., May 8.—(AP)—A MacDill field heavy bomber with 10 army men aboard, two of them passengers, was listed as missing today by MacDill Field officials.

The plane left MacDill Wednesday morning on a routine training flight. When no word was heard from the plane, due back at the field at 7 p. m. Wednesday, searching planes were sent out. So far no trace has been found of the bomber.

Bond Campaign Is Progressing

The War Bond and Stamp pledge campaign in this county is progressing nicely, according to reports issued this morning. Particular stress was placed on the Chitwood area where it was reported every family in the district had been called upon and with the exception of one family, all had pledged.

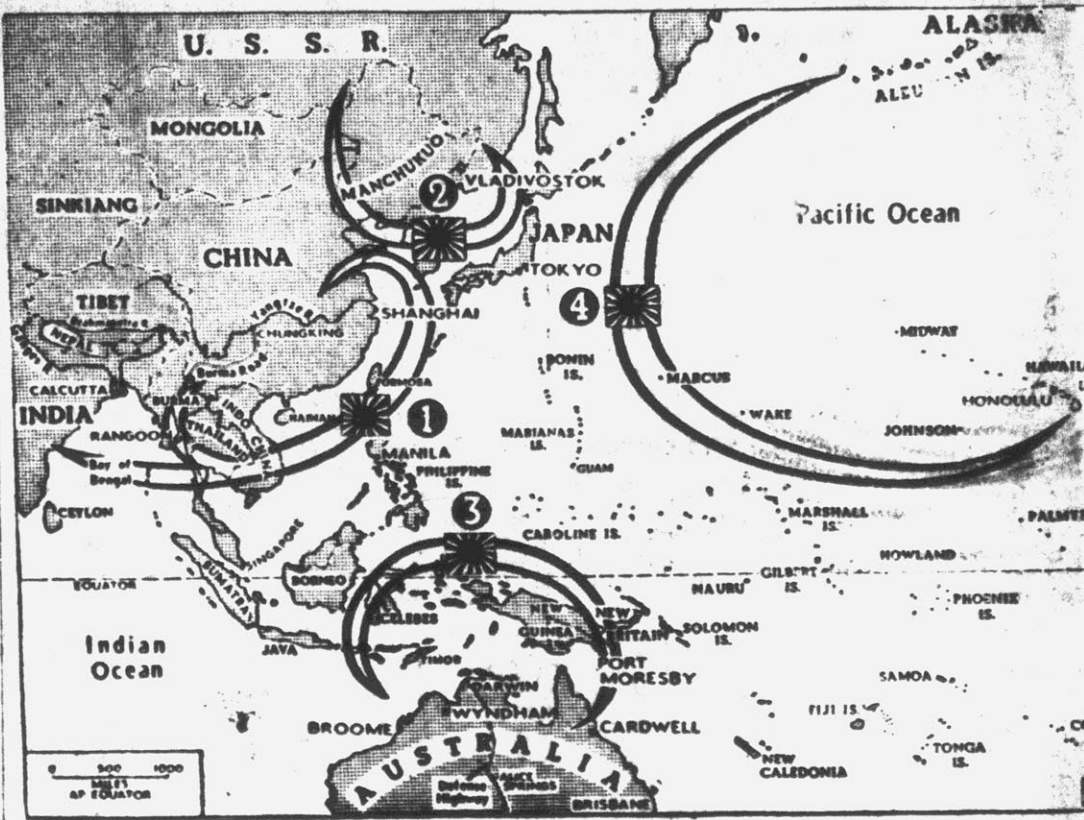
Local firms who have joined the list of 100 per centers, all their employees having signed pledges, are Young Mercantile Company and Ormond Wholesale Company.

Police

London, May 8.—(AP)—Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden declared in a speech at Edinburgh today that the United States, Britain, China and Soviet Russia must police the post-war world to prevent "highway robbery and gangster methods."

"Upon them," he said, "must fall the main burden for maintenance of peace and the main responsibility for economic reconstruction of the world after the war."

As Experts View Japanese War Plans



Military experts, studying Japan's conquests, expect a thrust designed to cut the supply line to Australia, along with other campaigns in the following order: 1—A pincer action from China from the north and from Burma, coupled with a drive on the coastal areas of India. 2—An attack on Russia where Vladivostok remains a dagger in Japan's back with a Siberian army landing on her Manchoukuo border. 3—An assault on northern Australia bases to cripple the United Nations' offensive effort. 4—Raids in force on Hawaii and Alaska because they hold an offensive threat to Jap holdings.

INCREASE OF TAX BURDENS IS IN PROSPECT

Sales And Double Social Security Taxes Being Considered

Washington, May 8.—(AP)—A host of new and drastic proposals to keep down the cost of living emerged today on the heels of a sudden decision by the treasury to ask Congress for a cut in personal income tax exemptions.

High administration sources said that since one of the purposes of the anti-inflation program was to "soak up" excess purchasing power that might be used to buy up raw materials, consideration had been given to such ideas as a federal retail sales tax (in addition to all other tax increases), doubled social security taxes, and compulsory purchases of war bonds.

These steps were advocated privately by some influential administration leaders before President Roosevelt sent Congress last week. The President did not mention these items, but promised further legislative recommendations "if necessary."

The WAR TODAY

By DeWitt MacKENZIE
Wide-World News Analyst

The great naval battle which is being fought between allied and Japanese fleets across the Coral sea east of Australia is still too young for us to judge of its possible effects, but we can see the fundamental strategy which precipitated it—that is to nullify the effectiveness of Australia as a United Nations base and thereby protect Japan's conquests in Indonesia.

At this writing the American, British and Australian units already reported to have sunk or damaged 13 Jap warships in this five-day-old conflict. As against this Tokyo claims the sinking of five United Nations vessels, including a United States battleship and two of our aircraft carriers, the Saratoga and the Yorktown.

Australian Prime Minister Curtin today declared that this engagement is of crucial importance to the whole conduct of the war in the southwest Pacific. That seems like a fair statement of the position, for while we do not know the size of the fleets involved, it may easily be that they are large enough so that domination of the Pacific may be bound up in the issue. That is to say, should either side suffer a disastrous defeat, it might mean the

Air Activity

London, May 8.—(AP)—"Hudson" aircraft of the coastal command made two attacks on a heavily escorted convoy of 12 enemy supply ships off the Dutch coast last night, the Air Ministry announced today.

"In the first attack at dusk," a communique said, "several ships were hit by bombs. A second attack was made in darkness some hours later when another ship was hit. Two aircraft are missing."

German raiders attacked a southeast coast town this morning, dropping bombs and spraying streets with cannon and machine gun-fire. The attack lasted only 20 seconds.

SEEK HOOK-UP WITH POWER CO

Matter Discussed Before Aldermen Last Night

The matter of connecting Greenville's electric plant with the lines of the Virginia Electric and Power Company for the mutual exchange of current in emergencies was presented to the Board of Aldermen last night by Martin Swartz, superintendent of the Greenville Utilities. Under the plan Greenville would build a line to a point about six miles north of the river and a sub-station to connect with the power company lines there.

Mr. Swartz explained that the power company at this time needed our excess power and that under the basis of the minimum sales provided in the contract the city would be available.

In fact, it is likely that thousands of bushels of wheat will be lost through lack of suitable storage space unless they can be put to use quickly.

Emphasizing the war as well as civilian needs for rubber, Wickard said that unless tires were available, particularly next year and thereafter, crop production would be considerably hampered and the movement of farm products to processors and consumers would be seriously threatened.

SUGGESTS USE EXCESS GRAIN MAKE RUBBER

Would Supply Third Of Nation's Needs Wickard Says

Washington, May 8.—(AP)—Secretary of Agriculture Wickard urged today a sharp extension in the government's program of making synthetic rubber from grain alcohol produced from surplus wheat and corn.

Suggesting the use of at least 80,000,000 bushels of grain, he said this quantity would make about 200,000,000 gallons of alcohol, which in turn would produce sufficient butadiene to make about 240,000 tons of synthetic rubber, or about one-third of normal needs of the country.

Wickard's recommendation was made before a Senate Agriculture subcommittee investigating uses of farm crops in the production of alcohol and synthetic rubber.

Telling of research activities, the secretary said: "After full discussions with members of my technical staff, I am convinced that immediate attention should be given to expanding the present program for butadiene production from grain alcohol so as to make possible greater production of synthetic rubber during the calendar year 1943."

Five Killed In Crash of Bomber

Alexandria, La., May 8.—(AP)—Five second lieutenants and a staff sergeant from Esler field died yesterday in the crash of a bomber 12 miles east of here.

The plane struck the earth and burned in a spot two miles from the nearest road.

The officers killed, with the residences of their fathers, were Second Lieutenants Merton W. Ormann, 23, pilot, Clinton, Wis.; Edward R. Walter, 23, co-pilot, Edinburg, La.; George S. Edwards, 23, Lubbock, Tex.; Thomas S. Giliam, 27, Statesville, N. C.; and Charles T. Willock, Jr., Winthrop, Mass.

The sergeant was Thomas R. Numbers, 26, Glendale, Calif.

REDS SAY NAZI ATTACK FUTILE IN THE NORTH

German Spring Offensive On Finnish Front Hurdled Back

By HENRY CASSIDY
Moscow, May 8.—(AP)—Germany is pressing a futile aerial offensive against Russia's far northern rail and water communications in an attempt to isolate the Soviet union from the outside world, the army newspaper Red Star said today, and a communique declared that 500 Nazis had been wiped out in the northwest.

For six weeks, the news paper said, the reinforced German northern squadrons had executed repeated raids, but the effects have been slight and 64 enemy planes have been destroyed or damaged over Murmansk alone.

The Russian air force is striking back heavily and has forced the Germans to shift their northern air bases to more remote regions in Norway and Finland, Red Star said.

Failure of the German offensive was evidenced by the arrival this week in Moscow of several passengers from the ice-free arctic port of Murmansk.

The German communique said Nazi and Finnish troops had annihilated an encircled enemy unit in Lapland after several days of bitter fighting, killing 1,400. Other Russian forces were reported smashed on the Murmansk front, the official German account said.

Red Star said that 14 raids were carried out against five German airports in the north last month and that the bombings were continuing. In the last two days, 43 German planes were estimated as destroyed in the northern fighting alone.

United States and British supplies have been flowing in increasing quantity into Murmansk in recent weeks.

German air squadrons are commanded by Col. Hans Juergen Stumpf, who most recently was reported in charge of air fleet No. 5 stationed in Norway, the Netherlands and Denmark.

The Nazi fliers were reported concentrating on railway lines, bridges, stations and trains. They usually fly in groups of 20 bombers protected by low-flying fighters operating at between 600 and 1,200 feet. The bombers fly at between 3,000 and 9,000 feet, dropping 1,000 pound bombs many of them delayed action types.

Red army units operating on northwestern front sectors have wiped out 500 Germans in two days' fighting and captured booty such as field guns, 24 mortars and 52 machineguns, the Soviet information bureau said today.

A Nazi counterattack on the adjacent Kalinin front was repulsed and the enemy "left more than 100 bodies on the battlefield," the mid-day communique reported.

A dispatch to Pravda "from the state border" said the Germans (Continued on page three)

Five Day Battle In South Pacific Is Still In Progress

Bulkeley, Torpedo Boat Hero, Home



Lieut. John D. Bulkeley, here of United States torpedo boat exploits in the Philippines, is shown in San Francisco upon his arrival from the Far East May 7. He told how two of the little torpedo boats sank a 6,000-ton Japanese cruiser in a daring attack off the Philippine island of Cebu. Lieut. Bulkeley is en route to New York.

Long Delay Expected In Procuring Casualty List

CHINESE HALT DRIVE BY JAPS

Claim Defeat Of Invaders Along Burma Road

By SPENCER MOOSA
Chungking, May 8.—(AP)—Claiming a smashing defeat over two Japanese columns driving into China along the Burma road, the Chinese high command declared tonight that one force of 1,000 Japanese was "wiped out" and that half of another unit 1,000 strong was killed and the rest were trapped.

The scene of the fierce counter-blow delivered by Lieut. Gen. Joseph D. Stilwell's Chinese troops was given as the sector near Chefang, 25 miles inside the Yunnan frontier from Burma.

Pitt Prisoner Paroled Today

Raleigh, May 8.—(AP)—The parole by Governor Broughton of 14 prisoners was announced today by Parole Commissioner Edwin Gill.

Those paroled included Annie Tyson Boyd, sentenced in Pitt last January to 18 months for manslaughter in the death of James Boyd.

London, May 8.—(AP)—Reuters news agency reported today that the Japanese were rushing troops into Manchuria, according to information in Chungking. The Japanese north China garrisons were reported being filled up with troops of the Wang Ching-Wei Chinese puppet regime.

The dispatch said reports from North China indicated that the Japanese hoped to be ready to make a move from Manchukuo (Manchuria) against Siberia some time next month.

Wang now is in Hsinking, the Manchukuo capital, on a Japanese-sponsored visit of state to Emperor Kang Teh of Manchukuo.

Wang's chief of staff made a detour en route to Hsinking earlier this week to call on General Seishiro Itagaki, commander of the Japanese army in Korea.

When the Hsinking visit was undertaken it was suggested in informed quarters that it might be connected with impending Japanese moves in the north, presumably against Russia.

(The Japanese might make some use of troops of their two puppet regimes, Nanking and Hsinking, for services of supply or other rear-guard duties.)

Japan Slow In Reporting To This Government

By EDWARD E. BOMAR
Washington, May 8.—(AP)—The long Japanese delay in reporting the names of American prisoners taken in the early stages of the war suggested today that months may elapse before those captured or killed in the Philippines will be known.

Many who fell in the heroic defense of Corregidor and Bataan may be permanently listed as missing.

For weeks the War Department has been obliged to respond to thousands of inquiries from families of officers and men by saying that no information was available.

Undersecretary Robert P. Patterson said: "This anxiety is easy to understand" and assured that any information as to casualties or prisoners would be telegraphed immediately to the next of kin.

Of the more than 50,000 American and Filipino troops and naval and marine corps personnel still (Continued on Page Four)

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The Japanese claim of three captured ships (Continued on page seven)

Allies Have Sunk Or Crippled Thirteen Japanese Warships; Aircraft Carrier, Cruisers, Destroyers and Gunboats Sunk; Japs Claim Heavy Losses By Allies

By ROGER D. GREENE
(Associated Press War Editor)
Allied and Japanese warships fought to the death today in a mammoth five-day-old battle in the Coral Sea, northeast of Australia, in which American, British and Australian gunners have already sunk or crippled at least 13 enemy warships.

United Nations headquarters announced that nine Japanese warships were sunk, including an aircraft carrier, two cruisers, two destroyers and four gunboats.

Sydney, Australia, Saturday, May 9.—(AP)—Little news of the great naval battle being fought in the seas east of Australia can be expected until the engagement ends, Australian quarters said today.

Allied headquarters has had only brief flashes from the United States sea forces on which to base its communique thus far, but there have been enough to show that enemy concentrations suffered heavy damage from the American navy.

Four other enemy warships were badly damaged, a non-combat vessel was sunk and two others were damaged.

The fateful struggle, still raging, appeared, by all accounts to be the greatest naval battle of the new World War.

Imperial Tokyo claimed a toll of five United Nations warships, including the sinking of a U. S. battleship of the 32,000-ton California class, the 33,000-ton aircraft carrier Saratoga and the 19,500-ton U. S. aircraft carrier Yorktown.

In addition, Tokyo asserted a British battleship of the 30,000-ton Warapite type was heavily damaged, perhaps sunk, and an Australian cruiser of the 10,000-ton Canberra type was damaged and may have gone down.

In London, the Admiralty quickly denied that the Warapite or any other British battleship had been sunk or damaged in the Coral Sea.

On the basis of the Japanese claim—which completely lacked confirmation from any Allied source—it appeared that at least a section of Admiral Chester W. Nimitz's main Pacific fleet, stationed at Pearl Harbor, Honolulu, was engaged in the battle.

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Washington, May 8.—(AP)—Secretary of State Hull said today he and his colleagues in the government were "much elated" over preliminary reports which have come to them on the great naval battle of the Coral Sea.

He made this reply to a press conference request for comment.

"Government officials are much elated with the preliminary reports and are eagerly seeking every fact relating to the entire battle which has been raging between the opposing fleets."

Annual Mother's Day Theatre Party

The annual Mother's Day theatre party, sponsored by the Pitt Theatre and the Daily Reflector and being joined again this year by the Greenville Floral Company, and the Carolina Dairy, Inc. will be held Monday afternoon.

The doors to the theatre will be opened at 12:45 and all Pitt county mothers 35 years or older will be admitted free up to 1:30 o'clock.

The theatre will present the musical comedy "Babes on Broadway," starring Mickey Rooney and Judy Garland.

The coupon printed below will entitle any mother of the required age to a ticket to the theatre party. It is to be presented at the door of the Pitt Theatre between 12:45 and 1:30 p. m. Monday.

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Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Simpson of Athens, Ga., are spending several days in Greenville, their former home.

Lieutenant Vernon Tyson who has been spending a two weeks' furlough at his home in Greenville, left yesterday to report for duty at the Army Field in Boston.

Mrs. C. A. Flyer has returned from Charlotte, where she underwent an operation several weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Clayton left this morning for Winston-Salem, Roxboro and Sanford. They will return on Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. S. H. Williams are visiting Dr. Williams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Williams, Dr. Williams recently received his degree in medicine from the University of Pennsylvania.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Phillip Coleman will arrive on Sunday from Fort Benning, Ga. and will be guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Forbes. Mrs. Coleman will spend some time in Greenville. Lieut. Coleman has been transferred to Blackstone, Va.

Captain and Mrs. Dean Painter and Sergeant Louis Gaylor of Fort Bragg, and Pvt. Richard Gaylor of Fort Jackson, S. C., will spend the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. Gaylor. Mrs. Painter will remain with her parents until Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Raper and children, Johnnie and Johanna, of Lexington, N. C., will arrive tomorrow to spend the week-end with Mrs. Raper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Guley.

Mrs. Kenneth M. Brim and daughter, Dolly Overton, of Greensboro, will arrive this afternoon to spend the week-end with Mrs. Brim's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Overton.

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Social Calendar

FRIDAY
6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club.
7:30 p. m.—Red Men meet.
8:00 p. m.—The T. E. L. class of Immanuel Baptist Church meets with Mrs. Clifton Bullock.
8:15 p. m.—"Stars of Tomorrow" presented by Marie Smith school of the dance, at the high school auditorium.

SATURDAY
3:00 p. m.—The Major Benjamin May chapter D. A. R. will meet at the home of Mrs. J. B. James, with Mrs. James and Miss Eunice McGee as hostesses.
4:00 p. m.—"A Surprise For Father Back," musical playlet, will be presented by the pupils of Miss Eva Hodges in the Third street school auditorium.

Mrs. Z. P. VanDyke has returned to her home on Dickinson avenue from Pitt General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Merrill of Fort George G. Meade, Md., are visiting Mrs. Merrill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wilson.

Mrs. Ray Johnson and her sister-in-law, Miss Johnson, of Holden, Massachusetts, were the guests of Misses Maria D. Graham and Mammie E. Jenkins in the College dining hall last night.

Mrs. Kate R. Beckwith, former Dean of Women at E. C. T. C., is visiting friends at the College.

Awarded Medal.
Miss Willie Winberry of the Belvoir high school was awarded the Freshman Scholarship Medal, making the average of A. She is the daughter of Mrs. Caroline W. Winberry of Greenville.

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR May 8, 1902

Nice showers last night and this morning. The showers are a joy to those having tobacco and other plants that need setting out.

The Ayden baseball team came up this morning to play with the Greenville team. "Keep up the agitation against dogs, they should not be allowed on the streets at all," is the way a gentleman expressed himself this morning.

The Atlantic Hotel, Morehead City, is now the property of the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad Company.

Williams- Proctor.
Mrs. John Stanley Proctor announces the marriage of her daughter Mary Elizabeth to

Doctor Samuel Hodges Williams on Saturday, the eighteenth of October. One thousand nine hundred and forty-one. Elkton, Maryland.

At Home
after May 15th
128 North Third Street
Hammonton, New Jersey

Elks Club.
The Elks Club will meet tonight at 8 o'clock at the club house on Evans street.

Dance Recital.
Tonight at 8:15 in the high school auditorium, Marie Smith school of the dance will present "Stars of Tomorrow," a dance recital extraordinary.

During the past several months Miss Smith and her pupils have appeared on various benefit shows and have won much praise. Special costumes and intricate dance routines will be seen tonight.

Birth Announcement.
Lieutenant and Mrs. Charles Watkins announce the birth of a son, Robert Lee, on Tuesday, May 5, in Pitt General Hospital.

Notice.
A new class in First Aid for Civilian Defense workers will start Wednesday night, May 13, at seven-thirty. The class will be held in the high school building. This will be a ten-hour course; at the end of ten hours the course will continue, for those who wish to take the twenty-hour Standard Course. Older boys and girls who are interested in helping in the Civilian Defense program are urged to take this course also.

At the same time another class will start in Advanced First Aid for all those who have already completed twenty hours. This class will also be held in the high school building.

All Civilian Defense workers who have not had their necessary First Aid instruction must take First Aid before they can qualify as Civilian Defense workers.

Homeward Bound
Washington, May 8.—(AP)—The Swedish liner Drottningholm was on its way to Lisbon today with more than 900 Axis officials and nationals to be exchanged for North and South American officials and nationals.

The Drottningholm sailed from Jersey City at 7:50 p. m. yesterday.

Attend Dance At Marine Base.
Forty-seven Greenville girls went down by bus to New River last night to take part in the first dance given at the Marine Base there. Planned and directed by the chaplain, Major Dittmer, for the 11th Regiment of Marines, this first dance proved to be a most delightful and well carried out occasion—so much so that at its close the prevailing feeling visiting girls, marines, officers, and chaperones was expressed in words heard over and over: "Why hadn't we thought of this before?" And "This is our first dance but certainly not our last!"

There is as yet no social center at the Base, but the mess hall provided an excellent substitute for a Recreation Hall. Music was furnished by the Marine Band, with a drummer who undoubtedly knew what was expected of him on this historic occasion. Girls were invited from New Bern and Wilmington, as well as from Greenville, and no one had even the remotest chance of being a traditional "wall flower."

Chaperones for the Greenville girls were Mr. and Mrs. Ty Wagner, Mrs. R. C. Deal, Mrs. J. C. Waldrop, Mrs. Lindsay Savage, Miss Frances Wahl, and Miss Lucy Cherry Crisp.

The Round Table.
The Ladies of the Round Table held their last meeting of the club year at the home of Mrs. E. E. Rawl, with Mrs. Rawl, Mrs. H. H. Duncan, Mrs. Paul Fitzgerald and Mrs. J. B. Smith hostesses.

Mrs. J. E. Winslow presided over the meeting. Mrs. Duncan called the roll and read the minutes of the last meeting. Mrs. H. L. Carr checked in the books. Mrs. Winslow then turned the meeting over to Mrs. Rawl who at this time presented the following guests: Mrs. John Glenn, Mrs. K. W. Cobb, Mrs. H. Edwards and Miss Velma McDowell.

As always, we enjoyed having Mrs. Rawl's mother, Mrs. Little, with us. Mrs. Paul Fitzgerald most graciously presented our guest speaker, Mrs. John Glenn, whose subject was Mexico.

Mrs. Glenn, in her most delightful manner and gay Mexican costume, took us on a visit to Mexico City, the city of flowers and sunshine, rain, music and gay colors. Having lived there in former years, Mrs. Glenn knew just the things we would enjoy most. We visited the picturesque cathedrals, saw the native flag, the high walls, the wide beautiful streets with ever-blooming flowers. We wandered through the streets and shops admiring the lovely Mexican jade, the hammered silver, the most intricate handwork of pottery, blankets and what have you, showing the untiring patience of the people. We viewed the golden sunset cast its rays against the side of the towering mountain and at the same time watched the lights come on in the city below like twinkling stars. As you all know, eating is a tradition in Mexico, so we were invited into the dining room, where Mrs. Rawl, Mrs. Duncan and Mrs. Smith served a most delectable salad course with iced tea from a Mexican appointed table centered with a most appropriate arrangement of flowers in Mexican colors. This was a most festive occasion but as ever all good things must come to an end, so we turned our faces homeward with memories of these warm, loving people lingering in our hearts. This was declared one of the most delightful meetings of the year.—Reported.

Birth Announcement.
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Lanier of 1404 Chestnut street, announce the birth of a daughter, Marsha Sue, on Thursday, May 7, 1942.

Resigns



MISS ESTELLE MCCLEES

Miss Estelle McClees, alumni secretary at East Carolina Teachers College for the past two and a half years, will resign her work with the E. C. T. C. Alumni Association the first of June to return to the science faculty of the Elizabeth City High School, from which she came to the College in February of 1940 as its first full-time alumni secretary.

During the time Miss McClees has been on the campus, the Alumni Association has grown from a small beginning to a strong organization, with 21 chapters scattered throughout the state, one as far west as Rutherford county, and with a roll of members nearly four times what it was in 1940.

One piece of work for which Miss McClees has been responsible is the setting up of a geographical file which lists by counties the names of former students. She has also added much material to a master file, begun some years ago, which is a cumulative record of the activities of graduates.

A good part of Miss McClees' work has consisted of attendance on meetings of various sorts in many parts of the State. She has attended, for example, 45 alumni meetings alone, 14 of which were for the purpose of helping chapters organize, and 14 dinner or banquet meetings at which she represented the College.

Busy as she has been with these activities, she has found time to work out plans for an alumni news bulletin. The collection of funds for the from pledges by alumni has been recently completed so that the Association may now look forward to having a publication of its own.

The retiring secretary is responsible, also, for an increased interest that has grown up in the reunion classes, through her untiring effort to reach the members of these groups. For the members of the 25 year class, she made each year with the assistance of a member of the faculty a combination of directory of members and souvenir program of Alumni Day, worked out by an original design, each booklet with the stamp of hand-work on it, and mailed them ahead of time to members.

With Miss McClees here to receive and file such records, books by alumni are coming to the office shelves, one of poems by Mrs. Gertrude Cook Page of High Point, and a remedial reader of historical stories for children by Miss Bonnie Howard of Louisville, Ky., having been received in the past year or so.

Members of the E. C. T. C. Alumni Advisory Council declare that all who have observed Miss McClees' work are aware of the contribution she has made to the strengthening of the Association. "Miss McClees has given to the Alumni Association the tireless energy of a loyal alumna and the intelligent services which is gravely needed," says Miss Emma Hooper, chairman of the Alumni Advisory Committee, "and the result is an awakened loyalty in hundreds of graduates who had lost touch with the College and classmates. Her leadership as its first full-time secretary has given the strength of unity to the organization."

GREENVILLE HI-NEWS

By CORA REDDITT EVELYN SCHELLER

Radio Program
Thomas Williams and William Craft gave the high school news last night over WGTC. There will be only three more radio programs before the close of this school year.

Musical Play
The pupils of Miss Eva Hodges



Smith Electric Co. DIAL 2273

will present a musical play tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock in the Third street school auditorium. The public is cordially invited.

Scoop!
Witty, friendly, and versatile Charles Pace was elected president of next year's student council last Wednesday. Margaret Nisbet was victorious in the secretarial race, and Ed Rawl won out in the election for treasurer. A second primary for vice-president was held today between Pat Waldrop and Billy Wayne Tucker.

The newly elected S. C. A. officers will attend the meetings of the council for the remainder of the school year.

Guests At Pitt
T. Y. Walker, manager of the local theatres, has invited the staff of Green Lights to be his guests at the Pitt theatre May 14 at 7:30. The picture is "The Lady Has Plans," co-starring Paulette Goddard and Ray Milland. The picture concerns radio journalism.

I. C. Club.
Black Magic, Flower Romance and other games were enjoyed by ICers at the last meeting of the year held last night at the school. In the absence of President Doris Broadhurst, who has the mumps, Pauline Bell, vice-president, called the meeting to order. "Lib" Bridges, secretary, read the minutes and then the meeting was turned over to the entertainment committee. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served, after which the meeting adjourned.

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Ration Boards Protect Interests Of The People

Co-operation Is Key-note To Success Of Rationing Plans

By JAMES MARLOW AND WILLIAM FINKERTON

Washington, May 8.—(Wide World).—"Committees of neighbors" will be the key men in the drive to "hold the cost of living line at home."

The people of your home town who sit on the local war price and rationing board will be, in a sense, your buffer against bureaucracy; they also will be your guarantee against favoritism or corruption in the management of wartime prices and rationing.

Both Leon Henderson and Bernard Baruch, who first proposed the universal price ceiling out of his experience as chairman of the war industries board of world war one, lay great stress on these "committees of neighbors" in the price set-up.

They are part of a board effort in Washington to reconcile the necessity for government controls with the need for keeping government close to the people. They have counterparts in the local selective service boards and in the local farmers committees under the soil-conservation programs.

In rationing such scarce goods as automobiles and tires, the local board has the grave responsibility

of saying whose service to the community most warrants his having a car and tires.

In the field of price control, they will serve mainly to help local merchants with their reporting problems. But they also will hear complaints of citizens who believe a merchant is pushing prices up.

Cooperation: Henderson repeatedly has asked people to concentrate on cooperation in the battle against high prices, to help their storekeepers to meet the laws' demands rather than to assume at once the role of self-appointed policemen.

Describing the long, hard job of preparing to put a price ceiling over most things that Americans eat, wear and use, Henderson praised the cooperation of retailers and remarked: "The smallest amount of your time was given to methods of putting people in the house-gov." Jail sentences and fine are clearly set out for violators of price and rationing orders, but Henderson realizes that if the drive against the high cost of living ceases to be a cooperative undertaking of all the people and becomes, like prohibition, a matter of the government against the people, it is doomed to failure.

The check: Meanwhile, corps of buyers especially trained to catch the chiseling shopkeeper will keep a continuing check on the fairness of the merchants' prices. If violators are found, they will be smacked hard.

But the stress will be on catching bootleggers of goods, rather than annoying honest merchants who fall into temporary technical violations.

The local boards serve on a voluntary basis. The success of the draft boards in attaining reputations for fairness gives officials hope that the standing of board members in their communities will keep their decisions fair and just.

Above the local board will be the full-time administrators of the price and rationing rules—in district offices, state offices, regional offices and finally in Washington.

Retail chief: The man who will handle directly the thousands of tough problems arising on the retail front is a bespectacled expert on government administration named Merle Fainsod.

As an assistant professor in Harvard's Littauer School of Public Administration, he impressed on his students a strong conviction that the problems of modern government could be worked out through the cooperation of the various interests involved. Friends expect him to work hard to avoid creating unnecessary hardships.

His major opus is "government and the American economy" (W. W. Norton and Co., 1941) written in collaboration with Lincoln Gordon. Fainsod, who previously had served on the President's committee on administration management, has been price executive for the consumers durable goods section of OPA.

The problem: If Fainsod can put his philosophy of government to work in this difficult post, he may contribute a major share to the success of the basic drive against the high cost of living.

The problem he faces was well summed up by Alfred Friendly of the Washington Post. Pointing out that the little businessman who faces ruin because of a government edict is a natural center of sympathy among his fellow citizens. Friendly wrote:

"In the final analysis, the price control order depends for its success on public opinion. The public must realize that no matter how bitter the individual cases, how grievous the inevitable hardships, they are trifling compared to the greater national hardship that would ensue if inflation descended on the country."

"OPA is hoping that this truth will sink home. Hoping, and crossing its collective fingers."

Quezon Arrives At San Francisco

San Francisco, May 8.—(AP).—The army announced today that Manuel Quezon, president of the Philippine commonwealth, has arrived in San Francisco. He was accompanied by his family and executive staff. After resting here President Quezon will proceed to Washington to meet President Roosevelt.

Quezon, his family and his staff found haven in Australia as the Japs were hammering at Philippine defenses.

He was met in San Francisco by Dr. Oscar Chapman, assistant Secretary of the Interior, and Lieut. Gen. J. L. DeWitt, head of the western defense command.

British Begin . . .

(Continued from Page One) ish would not rest, however, with control of the big Diego Suarez naval base, but would make other landings or inland drives to obtain French air bases farther south unless the entire French defense force came to terms.

The British offered to repatriate any Frenchmen on Madagascar who did not wish to cooperate with the United Nations and pledged restoration of the island to France simultaneously with the first landing on Madagascar Tuesday, a foreign office commentator announced today.

The first British landing resulted in capture of the strategic Diego Suarez naval base Thursday morning, but a military commentator said landings will be necessary to obtain such vital strategic points as the Tulear air base if French resistance continued.

The commentator said the offer to the French was made to "avoid bloodshed" and was contingent on French cooperation with the British occupation forces.

He said, however, there was no confirmation of reports that the surrender terms at Diego Suarez included a "cease fire" order for all French forces on the island, 28,500 square miles in area.

Reds Say . . .

(Continued from Page One) withdrew from Russian territory with heavy losses.

This was the second enemy attempt to drive into this sector of Karelia. In the first, near the outbreak of the war, a Finnish battalion of 1,800 men supported by two German companies crossed the frontier in the same general region but were driven back to Finland by a Russian counter attack.

Pravda said the sector remained relatively quiet throughout the winter. The new thrust, Pravda said apparently was left entirely to German troops.

The Communist party paper said the Nazis sprung their new assault last month.

The specific location of the battle on the long Karelian border was not disclosed. The terrain was described, however, as covered with swamps, lakes and hills, apparently on the well northern tundra.

Three German battalions reported to have penetrated across the frontier were buried back onto Finnish soil within a short time after they entered Russian territory, the dispatch to Pravda said.

"Thus, ingloriously, ended this spring visit in which they placed great hopes," Pravda's correspondent wrote.

Red Star reported that generally along the Karelian front Russian troops were moving forward steadily.

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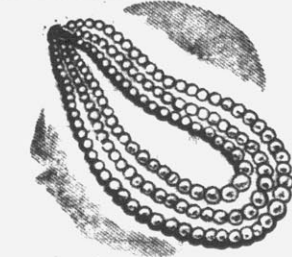
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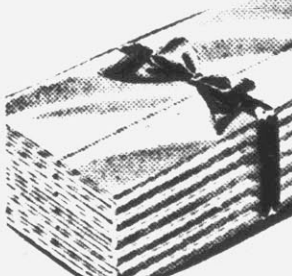
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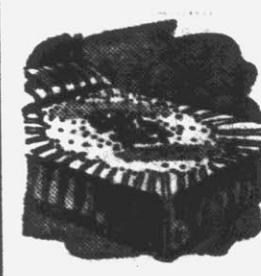
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Strength FOR THE DAY

By EARL L. DOUGLAS

BENEATH GREAT DOMES

People come to resemble the surroundings amid which they live and work. The miner very often stoops because his work takes him through tunnels with low ceilings. On the other hand, men who live their lives out-of-doors and especially those who live where the plains are broad and the mountains high, stand very straight and often throw back their heads with freedom and with something of pride. Emerson once remarked that he had noticed that men whose duties are performed beneath great domes acquire a stately and appropriate manner. The vergers in cathedrals have a certain dignity about them. Princes of royal blood generally carry themselves in a way which indicates their exalted station.

All this is particularly true in the realm of faith. People who are truly by religious discipline their nearness to God in all that they do, say, and think. They frequently have a dignified bearing or a peaceful countenance which indicates that the fierce conflict between right and wrong in their hearts has resulted in a triumph of the higher over the lower. They are the descendants of those who have fought the good fight of faith in generations past. They are heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ. They have gone through crucifixion and have broken the power of sin.

True Christians are like the people Emerson spoke about, who because their duties are performed beneath great domes, acquire a stately and appropriate manner.

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WE DON'T LIKE IT

All of you probably remember the old, old story about the woman who placed the frozen snake in her bosom to warm it and when it revived it bit her and she died from the poison venom. We remember it so well that we are opposed to the plan presented to the Board of Aldermen last night whereby we would connect our electric lines with those of the Virginia Electric and Power Company for the mutual exchange of current. Had the woman in the story kept beyond striking distance of the snake she would not have died of snakebite, and if we keep our distance from the power companies we will not stand in danger of having the power companies own our municipal power system some day. While we would not object to a hook-up with a municipally owned power plant similar to our own, for the exchange of current in time of emergencies, we would want that hook-up agreement to carry a clause that the connection was to be broken the minute a power company came into the picture. That, in a nutshell, is how jealous we are for our own power plant, for if handled properly, the day should come when its profits should pay the major part, if not all, of our city operating expense.

Under the plan presented to the board last night, estimates were that we might net around \$4,000 a month profit by the sale of power to the power company at

Lion In Waiting



this time, but it was admitted that the cash outlay for the connecting link, for which we are to pay, was based on old costs and that the present costs no doubt would run higher. It was also revealed that the profit was based on operating costs alone and did not take into consideration plant investment that should be added to the cost of current sold before figuring a profit. While we do not claim to know the costs of producing power, we have been informed that taking everything into consideration, our cost of production is probably above or equivalent to the price at which the proposal would sell current to the power company. But even if there is a slight profit from the sales we feel that we are taking an awful gamble to let the power company get its foot in our door. Once we are connected with the company for the mutual exchange of electric power it would be an easy matter to let our plant run down to the extent that we would begin to buy our power from the company rather than rebuild

the plant, and then the end of our municipally-owned system and its financial benefits to Greenville would be at hand and we would be just another customer of the power company.

It is our understanding that no deal can be made without the sanction of the Board of Aldermen, and when this matter comes before the board for final action we sincerely hope it will be turned down.

Washington Daybook

By Joe Stinson

Washington—"Yoo-hoo, Skinnay—school's out" used to be the June cry of American youth, but it won't be this year.

Commissioner John W. Studebaker's Office of Education has issued this announcement: "This summer comes not as a time for vacation but as an opportunity for (the schools) pointing up their services toward certain basic objectives highlighted by the needs of the armed forces and of war production."

As President Roosevelt once pointed out, the educators just have to say it the hard way.

All that means is that any school that doesn't keep open this summer and contribute its plant and personnel in some way to the war ef-

fort is skipping its opportunity to be of important use to the community and the nation.

Just so those opportunities won't be overlooked, the Office of Education's wartime commission has outlined them and they are worth repeating. For example, schools, which heretofore have gathered nothing but dust and broken windows through the summer heat, can touch a little T. N. T. under the enemy this year (so the commission says) by offering their buildings and staffs for—

- (1) Courses in mathematics, English, social studies and science.
- (2) Aviation education—from model building on up.
- (3) Training of women and girls for all trade and clerical occupations.
- (4) Courses in nursing, nutrition, first aid.
- (5) Intensive physical fitness courses for lads and lassies who will be up for military training or war work within the next three years.
- (6) Office of Civilian Defense (OCD) courses for air raid wardens, auxiliary fire and police wardens and other OCD jobs as may be needed in those areas.
- (7) Continuation and expansion of such courses as now are offered under the federal aid program.

The Office of Education already is battling off cutlines for all courses suggested in the first six recommendations. But it is pointed out that each local school administration must decide its own needs and adapt its summer school program to its own community requirements. Time was when summer school

was something to be attended by the laggards who couldn't keep up with the rest of the class or some smart Johnny or Mary who wanted to reach high school or college at the prodigy age.

The latter may sneak in this summer—if their particular talents apply to the war effort—but there will be no dumb chucks in this wartime summer school. The office of education recommends that counselors be appointed to select only those who will benefit most and those who will benefit the country's all-out military program most by this special summer school training.

The WAR TODAY

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empire which they had stolen. The Jap is wily, and is quite aware of the danger of letting greed persuade him to keep on reaching out for new territories until he has over-extended himself.

Japan's greatest worry has been the rapid growth of American power in the Australian base, for this has created a direct threat to all the Nipponese conquests. Not only will this base in time become strong enough to foster an all-out, major offensive against the Japanese, but it already has established a menace to Japanese sea communications between the mother country and the occupied territories.

As Rear Admiral Harry E. Varnell, U. S. N. (retired), remarked yesterday in a speech in New York, Japan's greatest vulnerability is these sea communications. Not only are the lines terribly long, but the Japs are very short of merchant shipping and every vessel sent to the bottom is a real victory for the allies. Already the allies have taken a heavy toll of Japanese transports and cargo ships.

Long Delay . . .

(Continued from page one)

mailed to have been captured, met death or suffered wounds, specific reports have been received thus far on only a few hundred.

The war department has been able to report the names of only 121 officers and men killed in the Philippines, and fewer than 300 other army personnel who met death in other Pacific war theaters.

Two lists of American prisoners and interned civilians forwarded by the Japanese thus far through the International Red Cross committee at Geneva total but 339. None was listed as captured in the Philippines.

Radio communications that were "strained to the utmost" by military necessities, Patterson explained, made it impossible to dispatch inquiries to military headquarters, on beleaguered Corregidor as to whether any individual was safe or otherwise.

Some anxious wives and parents raised the question why in the light of this explanation there were facilities to transmit news reports. Patterson explained that these were relatively brief, and could be transmitted at odd times when urgent official messages had been cleared. Undersecretary Patterson told his press conference yesterday that for families who believed their soldier husbands and sons were in the Philippines "the only recipe to follow is that no news is good news."

"This is not merely an empty phrase. It is a logical point, rather than a psychological one," he said.

Bicycle Curfew

Vichy, France, May 8.—(AP)—The Germans have forbidden bicycling after dark in almost half of occupied France in an effort to stem anti-Nazi terrorism.

It has been determined in the course of attacks against members of the German army as well as during the accomplishment of acts of sabotage that the authors of these attacks each time had bicycles at their disposal, the order said.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

A Few Reasons Why Pitt County Should Have A Congressman, And Why Marvin K. Blount Is The Man

—by—

W. S. MOYE

First, because we have the largest vote, the largest population, and the greatest amount of taxable property of any county in the district. The total Democratic vote in the fourteen counties in our district for 1940 was 37,783. The Pitt County vote was 5,882, which was nearly thirty per cent of the total vote.

The population, 1940 census, was 218,988 for the fourteen counties. Pitt County's population is 61,237, nearly one-third of the total population.

Total assessed value of property in the fourteen counties is \$130,204,766.00. Pitt County's assessed value is \$33,305,541.00, which is about one-fourth of the total.

Now, a comparison with Beaufort County, the only one offering a candidate against Pitt.

The Beaufort County vote in 1940 was 4,653. The Pitt County vote was 5,882, or more than double that of Beaufort. The population of Beaufort County in the 1940 census was 36,368. The population of Pitt in the 1940 census was 61,237. The taxable property in Beaufort County in 1939 was \$21,431,273.00. The taxable property in Pitt County in 1939 was \$33,305,541.00.

Beaufort County has had a Congressman for forty-four consecutive years. His term is out now, and I think, considering the above mentioned facts that Pitt County is entitled to a representative in Congress.

It seems to me that since Pitt County has supported a Beaufort County Congressman for forty-four years, that they owe us a vote at this time. I think the other counties in the district feel the same way. That they have supported Beaufort County long enough, and will be glad to vote for a man from another county.

We live in an agricultural district. The main source of our income is farming. Marvin Blount is a son of Pitt County, born and raised here. He is a farmer, business man, and lawyer. In the Senate of North Carolina, in his law practice with farm committees before the Agricultural Department, and everywhere he has ever had a chance, he has done all he could for the interest of the farmer. He knows about the growing and marketing of all of the crops raised in our country. He is familiar with the toil, the burden and handicaps the farmer has always had.

Nearly all the counties in our district grow tobacco. Pitt County is the largest tobacco growing county in the world. We have several other counties in the district that grow tobacco. In Congress, tobacco is one of the smallest things they have to confront them. Eggs sell for more money in the United States than tobacco, yet tobacco pays more tax than any other commodity grown on the farm. In our territory it is our greatest source of income. We have 435 Congressmen. I doubt if more than 30 of them know anything about tobacco.

Marvin Blount, with his experience in tobacco from the time it is planted until it is marketed would be able to take care of our interests in that as well as all other crops grown, as he is thoroughly familiar with all of them.

We have supported Lindsay Warren for eighteen years. Out last vote was for him. We loved him and thought him a great man, and he was. The country called him to a greater work. Now we are looking for a man to fill his place. I think Marvin K. Blount is the man. Herbert Bonner has never been elected by the people. He was appointed by the influence of Lindsay Warren to fill the unexpired term. I think we are intelligent enough now to choose our own men to fill his place.

Just a short time ago when Congress, our President and everybody was calling for money, asking every school child, every teacher, every man and woman to buy Stamps and Bonds from twenty-five cents to fifty thousand dollars for National Defense, Congress voted a pension for themselves—\$4,600.00 per year, which would have cost millions of dollars. When Herbert Bonner was asked about that, he said he wasn't there when it was voted on. There was no statement published in which he objected to it. THIS WAS REPEALED LATER.

I say we need a man that will be there when such vital questions as that come up. I think we should pension these crippled soldiers who are fighting for our country for \$21.00 or more per month, but not men who make a salary of ten thousand dollars per year.

Marvin Blount is a man of high character, rare intelligence, and a leader in his community. He served as Mayor of our town four years. He made wonderful improvements, and we were proud of his administration. He was elected State Senator from Pitt County three terms, from 1927 to 1931. In the Senate he introduced a great many bills that are in force today and have proven to be of great value to North Carolina. He served on a lot of important committees and did a lot of valuable work for our state. During all his terms in the Senate he proved himself to be a real leader and a worker for the benefit of the people.

Marvin K. Blount has the ability, the courage and manhood to go in Congress and help solve the great problems of the world today. If he is elected he will do this with honor to himself, his district, and his country.

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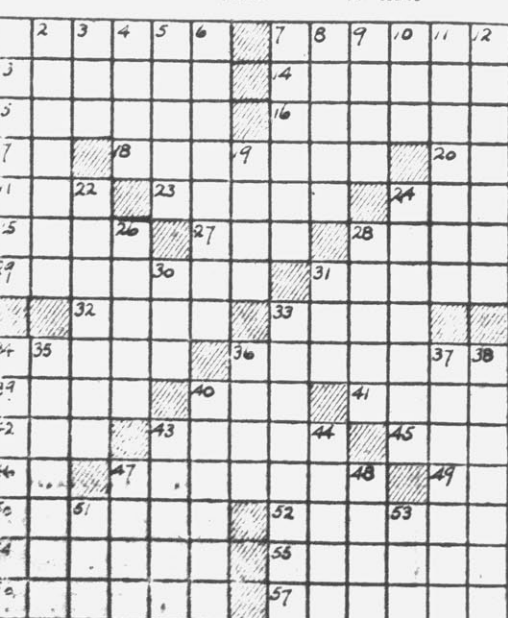
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- Depart suddenly and secretly
 - Revised abuses
 - Not involving morality
 - Landed property
 - Kind of grape
 - Pertaining to winter
 - Article
 - Bedaub
 - Earth's comb. form
 - Idle talk
 - Lining of a well
 - Harden
 - Small case
 - Devout
 - Nothing more than
 - Dinner course
 - Shelters for small animals
 - Playing cards
 - Tight
 - Fragment of pottery
 - Lathe workers
 - Study
 - Waste allowance
 - Former
 - City in Belgium
 - Mineral spring
 - Smallest state
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 - Humbles
 - Fat-digesting enzyme
 - Small tapering piece

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- Issue forth
- Pass between mountain peaks
- Assault nomad
- Magicians
- Sinners
- Warm again
- Pertaining to a certain continent
- Roman road
- Strive dialectic
- Stand for bridge
- Exchanges
- Flesh food
- Largest European bird
- Hunting dogs
- Department in France
- Ascend
- Elm
- Whorled vegetable
- Excavated or burrowed under
- Safe keeping
- Pedal digits
- Rests
- Least fresh
- Pure
- Verdant
- Hacking
- Existence
- Low gutter
- Monkey

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Big League Baseball Goes to Bat for War Relief Today

PROCEEDS GO TO ARMY, NAVY

Dodgers And' Giants To Play Benefit Performance

By JUDSON BAILEY
Associated Press Sports Writer
Baseball will go to bat for war relief today with the first of 16 regularly scheduled major league games from which army and navy assistance funds will get all proceeds.

Appropriately this affair will be staged by the Brooklyn Dodgers, whose President L. S. (Larry) MacPhail first campaigned for the big leagues to adopt such a program, and will be unique in that it will be a twilight game and that all persons who enter Ebbets Field, including the players and umpires, will buy tickets.

Brooklyn's foe for this dramatic encounter, starting at 4:45 p. m. will be the New York Giants and later the same teams will play a companion piece at the Polo Grounds.

The present installment in the National league's hottest rivalry comes during a sort of intermission in the intersectional skirmishing of both leagues.

The first siege between the eastern and western clubs came to an end yesterday with inclement weather erasing all games except a doubleheader between the Giants and the Pittsburgh Pirates. After some intramural battling during the week-end, the eastern clubs of the American league will move into the west next week and the western clubs of the senior circuit will attempt a raid on the east.

Yesterday the Pirates captured a 2-1 eleven inning decision in the first half of the bargain bill at Pittsburgh and the Giants came back to bag the nightcap 6-2.

Albin Wilkies pitched five-hit ball in the first game, but a mental lapse by shortstop Pete Coscarart kept him from a shutout and forced the fracas into overtime. With the bases loaded on two hits and an intentional walk in the fifth inning, pitcher Bob Carpenter raised a fly to short left. Coscarart caught it, but delayed throwing the ball and Harry Danning loped home from third base. The Pirates, who made 12 hits, finally pushed across the deciding run in the 11th

Yesterday's Results

AMERICAN LEAGUE
All games postponed.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Pittsburgh 2-2, New York 1-6.
Other games postponed.

PEDMONT LEAGUE
Greensboro 7, Portsmouth 6.
Winston-Salem 7, Norfolk 2.
Richmond 4, Asheville 1.
Charlotte at Durham, postponed.

BI-STATE LEAGUE
(Wednesday games)
Burlington 6, Danville 5.
Other games postponed.

Standings

BI-STATE LEAGUE		
	W.	L.
Danville	4	2
Wilson	3	2
Burlington	3	3
Rocky Mount	2	3
Sanford	2	3
Leaksville	2	3

NATIONAL LEAGUE		
	W.	L.
Brooklyn	15	7
Pittsburgh	14	9
St. Louis	11	9
Boston	12	11
New York	11	12
Cincinnati	9	11
Chicago	9	12
Philadelphia	6	16

AMERICAN LEAGUE		
	W.	L.
New York	15	7
Cleveland	14	7
Boston	14	7
Detroit	15	10
Washington	11	12
St. Louis	10	14
Philadelphia	8	16
Chicago	4	18

Six-Alarm Fire
Oakland, Calif., May 8 (AP)—A spectacular six-alarm fire which started from an unexplained explosion destroyed the big Par Soap Company plant on the eastern outskirts of Oakland today.

Unofficial estimates of damage ran as high as \$300,000.

on singles by Elbie Fletcher and Bob Elliott, sandwiched around a sacrifice.

The second session was a tight left-handed hurling duel between rookie Dave Koslo and the previously unbeaten Ken Heintzelman until Buster Maynard, a recent recruit from New York's Jersey City farm, broke a tie score with a three-run homer in the seventh.

ECTC DEFEATS NAVY 15 TO 4

Pirates Get 16 Hits Off of Three Pitchers

By BERT MOYE
The Pirates of East Carolina Teachers' College won their fifth consecutive game of the season yesterday afternoon at the college field as they trounced the Norfolk Naval Hospital to the tune of 15-4.

Captain John Christenbury's boys collected a total of 14 hits off the offering of three navy hurlers, six of these being for extra bases, two being triples and the other four being singles. Also figuring prominently in the scoring spree by the Teachers was the errors made by the visitors which totalled nine during the ball game.

Nick Gaudin, pitching for the Teachers had the Navy men eating out of his hand during the entire game, and for the first three innings it was three up and three down in a row. However the Norfolk lads managed to score a tally in the fourth frame when Woods singled, was sacrificed to second by Edwards and came home on Thorne's timely single. The sailor boys came back in the fifth frame and scored two more runs. Incidentally this tied the count at three-all in this period of the game. A walk, error and single produced these two runs. The final tally for the visitors came in the seventh frame on a walk, stolen base and a long single by pinch hitter Thorne.

The Teachers scored a tally in the first on a single and a triple, put across two more in the second on a walk, double aided by an error and went out in front in the fifth frame with two tallies scored on two doubles and a single. Then to put the game on ice the Teachers came back with four runs in the sixth on four hits, two errors and a walk. One lone tally was made in the seventh without a hit but a mighty big error gave the boys a run. The Teachers made five more runs in the eighth frame on four hits, two errors and a walk.

Featuring for the Teachers was the fine defensive work of Tripp on third; Futrell at first, and Brown in right field. All three of these boys played a fine brand of baseball. Mayo, second sacker, with triple, double and two singles and Waters, shortstop, with double and

Cellarites Win In the Piedmont

Charlotte, May 8 (AP)—Winston-Salem's cellar-dwelling Twins won a ball game last night. They defeated the Norfolk Tars 7-2.

Pitcher George Lake limited the Tars to six well spaced hits while the Twins collected 15 off Harry Crubb and Vic Raschi.

Richmond walloped the Asheville Tourists 4-1. Jim Vin pitched six hit ball for the Colts. All five runs were scored in the first two innings. Afterward Bivin and Simonini staged a fine slab duel.

The Greensboro Red Sox based out the Portsmouth Cubs 7-6. Roger Wright, tall right-hander, took over the mound work for the Red Sox in the sixth and received credit for the victory.

The Charlotte-Durham game was postponed.

The teams play at the same stands today—Charlotte at Durham, Winston-Salem at Norfolk, Richmond at Asheville, Portsmouth at Greensboro.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.
Wide World Sports Columnist

New York, May 8 — Most of the American league managers are high on the Tigers and their up-and-coming young pitchers, but Del Baker only grows "look at the standings".

Come to think of it, the Cards had some right good rookie flingers last season, and they couldn't win the pennant. Instead of breaking up the Yankees, Gerry Priddy would like to break into the Yankees. He was doing all right at third base until Joe Gordon was hurt and Gerry had to move over to second for a while. Now Gerry can't get Frank Crosetti off the corner.

Today's Guest Star.
Bill Knott, Jr., Bay City (Mich.) Times: "If revenge is sweet, Bobo Newsom needs no sugar ration card after Wednesday's performance against his former Detroit team."

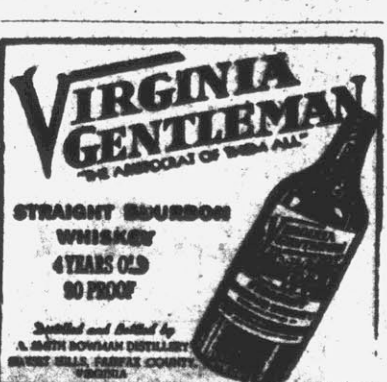
two singles led with the willow for the Teachers. The seven hits garnered by the navy men were scattered among as many players.

Score by innings: R. H. E.
Naval Hospital 000 120 100—4 7 9
E. C. T. C. 120 024 15x—15 14 1
Batteries: Emerson, Brazel, Wilcox and Lee; Gaudin and Sisk.

mates."

One-Minute Sports Page.
Byron "Whizzer" White is going into the Intelligence Division of the Navy—which seems like the right spot for a guy who won a Rhodes scholarship at Colorado and had the highest average in his class at the Yale law school. Little Rock (Ark.) high school track team stretched its winning streak to 90 consecutive meets and 17 straight state championships last week. The Little Rockets, unbeaten in 17 years, have averaged 76.5 points a meet.

Short Short Story.
You've heard about the ball player who couldn't hit the side of a barn. Now comes the story of one who used the side of a barn to learn to hit. Jack Wallasey, the Athletics' rookie, reports that he used to lunge at a pitch. To cure him, Lefty O'Doul tied a rope around his chest, fastened the other end to a barn and made him practice hitting that way. "Now every time I feel myself batting the old way, I expect to be knocked down, so I don't do it," Wallasey explains.



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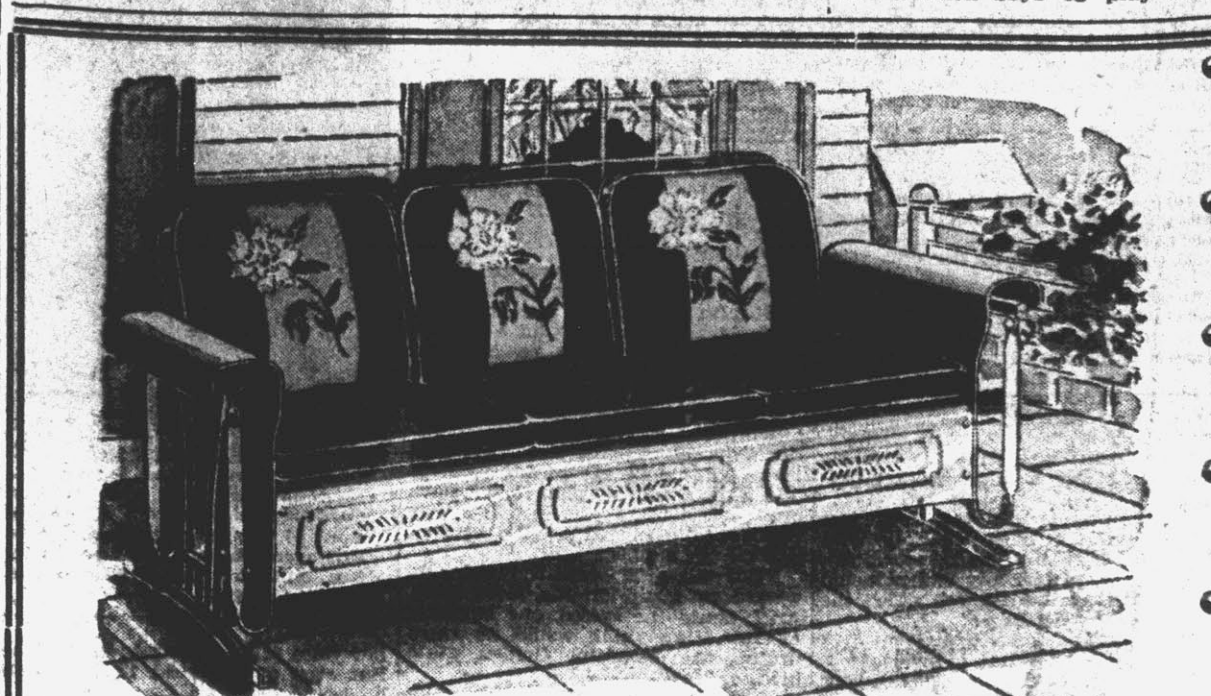
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gets out of the Army... The Yankees stadium is plastered with air raid instructions, telling the spectators where to go for safety, but in the press box the stickers merely say: "Sit Tight."

Last Laugh
Waite Hoyt tells this one about Bill Dickey's season with the Yankees: "When the club reached Mobile, Ala., on the way north from training, a woman on the station platform recognized Dickey and asked what he was doing in Mobile. 'Why, I'm playing ball with the Yankees, Aunt Kate,' Bill explained. 'The Yankees,' Aunt Kate exclaimed. 'Willie, can't you find some nice southern boys to play with?'"



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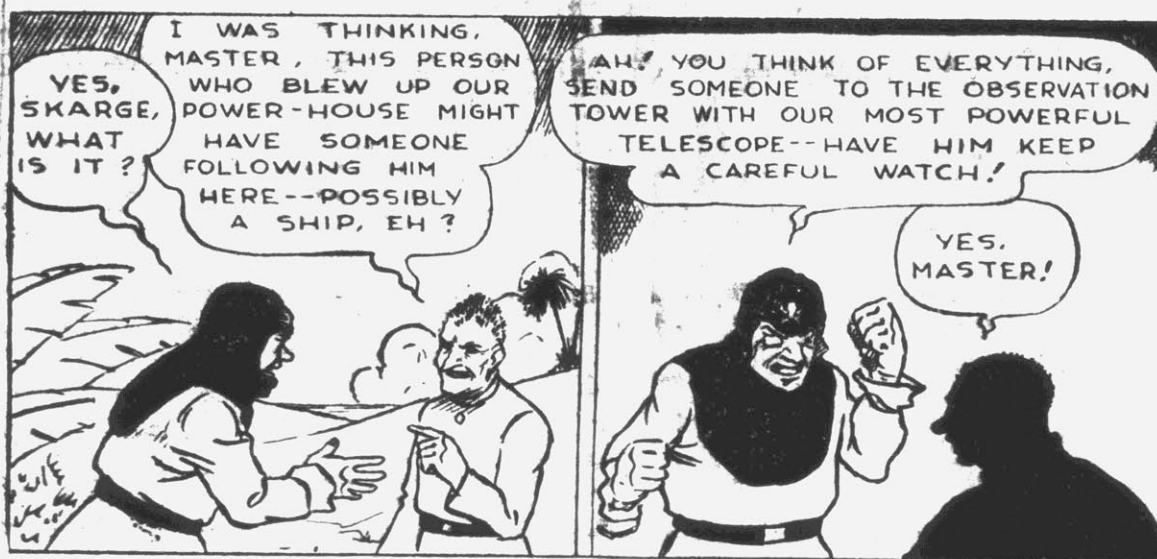
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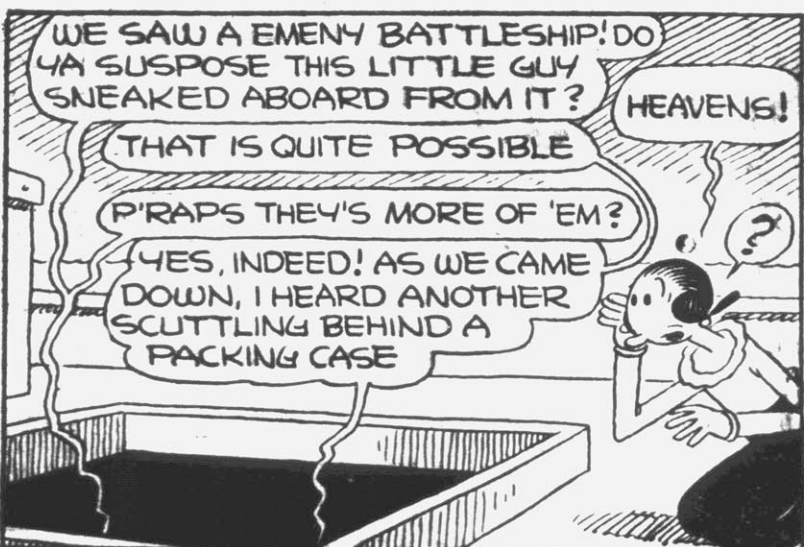
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INDIA WARNED TO RESIST JAPS

People Told Words Will Not Prevent Invasion

New Delhi, May 7.—(AP)—The government of India launched a vigorous campaign today to create fighting spirit in this country whose major political group—the Congress Party—decided a week ago that only way to oppose a threatened Japanese invasion would be by "non-violent non-cooperation."

Morning newspapers carried a full-page advertisement warning the public that work, not words, would stop the Japanese.

The same theme will be featured in broadcasts, posters and additional advertisements, a government spokesman said.

The advertisements showed a bayonet rammed through a sheaf of papers beneath the heading: "Words will not stop the Japanese."

If 40 crores of people (40,000,000) decide that the Japanese are to be

stopped, they will be stopped," the advertisement said.

"We must give things we need because our gallant soldiers need them more. We must pack into every single day several hours of war work."

People were then urged to grow more food "to make good our Burma rice losses," to beware of rumors, assist civil defense agencies, travel less, leave trains free for the army, work harder, lend rather than spend and to save electricity and paper.

"Above all face the future with courage and resolution," the exhortation said and concluded with the appeal in large type:

"Build India's War Front."

How many Indians are under arms at home in uncertain, because until the Japanese entered Burma six months ago British policy was to send them to other fronts.

The army conceivably could have been expanded to much more than 2,000,000, but there were two limiting factors—equipment and officers. Officers training is being expanded and lease-lend aid from the United States is helping to relieve the equipment shortage.

Politeness Pays.—(AP)—Tifton, Ga., May 7.—(AP)—Trooper J. L. Futch of the Georgia highway patrol stopped a woman for driving too fast and politely warned her. She thanked him and asked his name.

A few days later Futch received a letter, thanking him for his kindness. He said it was signed by the wife of Red Ruffing, New York Yankee pitcher. In the next mail the trooper received a baseball autographed by all members of the Yankees. Ruffing's signature headed the list.

Seek Hook-Up . . .

(Continued from Page One) sell approximately \$91,000 worth of current a year to the company at a net profit of about \$4,000 per month based on actual operations cost but not including plant investment.

A number of citizens were present at the meeting and asked questions pertaining to various phases of the proposed transactions and Mr. Swartz furnished the explanations. The Greenville plant, he said, is not now running to its full capacity and the connection with the power company would give an outlet for our excess power and at the same time give us an inlet over which to receive power if at any time for any reason our plant was out of running order. By operating the plant at full capacity, he said, the unit cost of production would be lowered with the result that sales of the excess electric current could prove of financial benefit to the city.

Other matters handled by the board last night included a decision to give half the cost of a plot of ground in Greenwood Cemetery as a burial place for World War veterans if the county would pay the other half.

Members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce appeared before the board in behalf of Paul T. Ricks who sought a 60 day franchise to operate a bus system within the city of Greenville pending negotiations with the city at the expiration of the 60 days for a permanent franchise should the trial period reveal that the venture was a public necessity and financially profitable. The matter was left to the street committee with power to act.

In a letter to the board Judge L. C. Skinner called attention to the fact that there was no vice-recorder for the court and the board appointed J. W. H. Roberts as vice recorder for the period ending June 30, 1943, at which time the recorder's term expires.

Captain Jasper Jones of the local State Guard unit appeared before the board and requested that the city pay one half the cost of summer trousers for the guardsmen's uniforms provided the county would do the same. The matter was left up to the finance committee.

Other matters coming before the board included routine reports, and payment of bills.

Allies Score . . . (Continued from Page One) Italian ships sunk, one damaged and possibly sunk, and a cruiser damaged or sunk would, if verified, cast a grave shadow over Allied hopes in the second phase of the battle.

The British side of the available picture lay in the reliable British Admiralty's denial regarding the Warespite and in the fact that Japanese claims of ship sinkings, especially with regard to aircraft carriers, have proved totally false time after time.

By the Japanese description, it was also the greatest naval engagement in all American history.

The running battle apparently started Monday off the Solomon Islands and swept westward to the Coral Sea, flanking across hundreds of miles of the south Pacific.

First reports indicated it far exceeded in scope and importance the great battle of the Java Sea two months ago, in which Japanese successes paved the way for the conquest of Java.

All Australia waited tensely for news to be flashed on the outcome, realizing that the fate of the commonwealth may hinge on Allied victory or defeat.

Australia's Prime Minister John Curtin declared gravely that the action was of crucial importance to the whole conduct of the war in the Far Pacific zone commanded by Gen. Douglas MacArthur.

"Nobody can tell what the result of the engagement will be at this moment," Curtin said, and left a

GAS LIMIT TO BE 3 GALLONS

Henderson Says Figure May Be Lower

Washington, May 8.—(AP)—Price Administrator Leon Henderson said today that motorists on the eastern seaboard, using their cars for non-essential driving, could expect no more than three gallons

clear implication that an Allied defeat might well lead to a Japanese invasion of Australia.

of gasoline a week under a government rationing system.

"I am going to say two, with no prospects of getting it above three," Henderson told newsmen just before going before the House Interstate Commerce committee to testify on the gasoline and tire situation.

He said that this would apply to approximately one-third of the cars—the cars not used for work purposes.

He said that he had been over the situation earlier this morning with the petroleum coordinator's office and added: "I don't see how I can avoid giving the basic rationing per unit today."

"With a 50 per cent (in the supply of gasoline) it is going to fall between 2 and 3 gallons a week, probably nearer 2," Henderson continued. "We're still working to see if it can be increased, but I see no prospect of getting it above 3."

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Hog Market

Raleigh, May 8.—(AP)—(NCDA) Hog prices steady, with tops at \$13.25 at Richmond and \$13 at Rocky Mount.

New York Cotton

New York, May 8.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 30 to 50 cents a bale higher.

Noon values were 40 to 60 cents a bale higher. July 19.63, December 20.07 and March 20.20.

Futures closed 30 to 50 cents a bale higher.

	Open	Close	Prev. Cl.
May	19.28	19.34	19.25
July	19.62	19.61	19.55
Oct.	19.92	19.91	19.85
Dec.	20.03	20.04	19.95
Jan.	20.06	20.08	20.00
Mar.	20.17	20.18	20.08

Middling spot 21.15, up 6.

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, May 8.—(AP)—Selected industrial stocks continued to lean forward in today's market but buying faltered after an early brisk push.

Commitments were lightened in many cases as the session drew to a close and top gains running to a point or more for favorites were reduced or cancelled. There also was an assortment of minus signs observed in the final hour. Transfers were around 300,000 shares.

FINAL STOCKS	
Air Reduction	32
Al Chem and Dye	123
Allis Chalm Mfg	23 1/2
Am Can	63 1/2
Am Car Pdy	24 1/2
Am For Pow	12 1/2
Am Rad and St S	4
Am Roll Mill	10
Am Smelt and Ref	37 1/2
Am Sug Ref	17
A T and T	110 1/2
Am Tco B	38 1/2
Anaconda	24 1/2
Arm III	2 1/2
A C L	22 1/2
Atl Ref	15 1/2
Aviat Corp	3
Baldwin	11 1/2
Bedix Aviat	32 1/2
Beth St	54 1/2
Boeing Airpl	15
Borden	19
Briggs Mfg	18 1/2
Budd Mfg	2 1/2
Burl Mills	16 1/2
Bur Add Mach	6 1/2
Caterpil Trac	33
Champ P and F	14 1/2
Ches and O	29
Chrysler	56 1/2
Coca Cola	63 1/2
Coml Credit	18 1/2
Copli Solv	7 1/2
Consol Edis	12 1/2
Con Oil	4 1/2
Cont Can	24
Corn Prod	44
Curtiss Wright	6 1/2
Doug Air	54 1/2
Dow Chem	97 1/2
Dupont	108 1/2
Eastman Kod	116 1/2
Elec Auto Lt	14 1/2
Firestone	14 1/2
Gen Elec	23 1/2
Gen Foods	28
Gen Mot	34 1/2
Goodrich	16 1/2
Goodyear	14 1/2
Int arvest	42 1/2
Int Tel and Tel	2 1/2
Johns Man	52
Kennecott	28 1/2
Kroger Groc	25
Libby O F G	22 1/2
Loews	39 1/2
Lorillard	11 1/2
Mont Ward	26 1/2
Nash Kely	5 1/2
Nat Biscuit	43 1/2
Nat Cash Reg	15
Nat Dairy Prod	13 1/2
Nat Dist	19 1/2
NY Cent	7 1/2
No Am Aviat	10 1/2
Otis Elev	13 1/2
Pac Mills	16 1/2
Packard	13 1/2
Param Pix	13 1/2
Penny J. C.	60 1/2
Penn RR	21
Pepsi Cola	18 1/2
Pullman	23
Pure Oil	7 1/2
Radio	2 1/2
Rep Stl	15 1/2
Reynolds B	22 1/2
Sears	44 1/2
Sou Ry	14
Sperry	22 1/2
Std Brands	2 1/2
Std Oil N J	33 1/2
Stewart Warner	57 1/2
Tex Co	33 1/2
Tex Gail Sul	28 1/2
Un Carb	59 1/2
Unit Air	26 1/2
Unit Corp	5-1/6
Unit Drug	4 1/2
Unit Fruit	52 1/2
US Ind Alco	25 1/2
US Rub	16 1/2
US Steel	47
Vanadium	16 1/2
Warner Pic	4 1/2
Western Union	25 1/2
Western Elec and Mig	69
Woolworth	21 1/2
Yell T and C	11 1/2
Total Sales	313,209

CONGRESS TO GET VACATION

Farm and Labor Legislation Is Postponed

Washington, May 8.—(AP)—The "indefinitely postponed" sign was hung on proposed labor and farm price legislation today as leaders studied the possibility of letting Congress take a short summer vacation, beginning about July 1, while a Senate committee puts the finishing touches on the new tax bill.

The seventy-seventh Congress has been in almost continuous session since it convened on January 3, 1941 and some legislators with elections coming up this year—which includes all of the members of the House and more than one-third of the Senate—have expressed the desire privately to get home and look into the condition of their political affairs.

With this in mind, leaders were said to have checked off the possibility of immediate action on controversial proposals to curb organized labor's privileges in wartime or on President Roosevelt's suggestion that price control ceilings on farm prices be lowered.

Advocates of restrictive labor legislation conceded that the collapse of recent efforts to bring such measures before Congress meant that nothing was likely to be done to revise these bills for weeks or possibly months.

Dail Rites Held This Afternoon

Funeral services for Walter S. Dail, well known Greenville citizen, who died yesterday morning, were conducted at Jarvis Memorial Methodist church at three o'clock this afternoon, after which the body was taken to Kingston for burial. The services were conducted by Rev. George W. Perry, pastor of the church.

The funeral was largely attended including the following out of town people:

Kinston: Mrs. R. G. Hodges, Mrs. E. T. Moseley, Mrs. P. H. Crawford, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hines, Mrs. L. C. Moseley, Mrs. D. E. Wood, Mrs. J. M. Quinn, Mrs. Cora Cochran, Mrs. V. A. Rountree, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. James Dail.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Richardson, Henderson; Mrs. O. P. Dickson, Hookerton; Mrs. B. F. D. Albright, and Mrs. B. F. D. Albright, Jr., Maury; Mrs. L. L. Hardy, W. S. Dail, Jr., Huntington, W. Va.

Students Lift Theatre Boycott

In view of the satisfactory terms agreed on by college authorities and the theater company from which the college receives its motion pictures, the two weeks boycott on local theaters was lifted by unanimous vote of the student body last night in mass meeting.

The boycott had been established on Friday, April 24 in a student mass meeting until satisfactory terms had been agreed on. An agreement was reached yesterday morning in a conference of college authorities and representatives from the Charlotte booking agent.

The trouble started some two months ago when the college, through no fault of its own, showed a motion picture which had not had its second run at the local theaters. The picture had been chosen from a list sent to the college entertainment committee by the Charlotte booking agent, whose duty it was to check the pictures booked by the local theaters before sending a list to the college.

Churchill

New York, May 8.—(AP)—Prime Minister Churchill will broadcast a speech Sunday at 3 p. m. (EWT), according to a British broadcasting announcement heard today by CBS.

Executed

Paris, Occupied France, May 8.—(AP)—The Germans announced today that five hostages had been executed and 50 others condemned to death for an attack on a member of the occupation forces May 2 in the Clichy section.

Bethel Man Died Here Last Night

Don Carson, 50, of Bethel died Thursday afternoon at 6:30 o'clock in Pitt General Hospital in Greenville. Funeral services were conducted from the late home this afternoon at 4 o'clock by Rev. J. G. Phillips, pastor of the Bethel Methodist church assisted by Rev. M. M. Johnson, pastor of the Baptist church in Bethel and Rev. M. Y. Self, Methodist minister of Farmville.

Mr. Carson is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lillie Bunting Carson; two sons, Don, Jr., and Jack, one sister, Mrs. Sidney Carr, of Farmville, two brothers, R. R. Carson, of Bethel and Robert Carson, of Houston, Texas, and his mother, Mrs. J. Rufus Carson, of Bethel.

Mrs. Proctor Back With WPA Program

The city WPA recreational project has recently re-employed Mrs. David Proctor. Previous to her three-month absence from this work, Mrs. Proctor supervised the setting up of five play areas in Greenville. Her work along the line of developing more wholesome and safer play for children has been outstanding.

In addition to setting up, maintaining and supervising play areas, the WPA city recreational program has carried on club work among children and given many hours of maintenance, entertainment and hostess work for the benefit of our service men.

The city WPA recreational committee is pleased to have Mrs. Proctor return and in cooperation with Miss Minnie Atkinson aid in carrying on an effective program.

Norris Will Be Candidate Again

Washington, May 8.—(AP)—Senator George W. Norris, veteran Nebraska Independent, may be an unwilling candidate for another term. "I want to quit at the end of this term but when they say that would be cowardly and you can't quit in the middle of a battle, what can you do?" the 80-year old, white-haired dean of congress asked his interviewer.

Norris resumed his senate activities recently after a six weeks hospital rest under doctors' orders. He frequently has announced he would not seek reelection for another six-year term.

But friends recall that he made the same announcement in 1930 and again in 1936.

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Chinese Halt...

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The communique might indicate the destruction and pocketing of the invasion spearheads which the Japanese claimed had penetrated past Chefang to Lungling, 25 miles deeper into China.

The high command said the battle occurred yesterday afternoon when the Japanese, moving up the Burma road from the border town of Wanting with truck loads of reinforcements, split into two units and attacked the Chinese on both flanks, in some cases penetrating to the rear of the Chinese line.

The ensuing struggle was described as "most ferocious." The high command said that the remnants of the attacking force—drivelled to 400 to 500 men—was being cut off.

"One thousand Japanese have been killed to the northeast of Chefang, where Japanese columns were routed in a Chinese counter-attack," the communique said.

The Japanese columns, attempting to outflank the Chinese wings met vigorous Chinese counter-attacks in which one Japanese column comprising a thousand men was wiped out. The other Japanese column was crushingly defeated and has only half its original strength left."

The invading force apparently was that which a Chinese army spokesman described yesterday as a mechanized spearhead with warplane support which had reached Chefang, 25 miles inside China's Yunnan province on the famed Burma road.

Last night's Chungking communi-

TODAY AT THE MOVIES

Pitt—MISTER V—starring Leslie Howard

State—ARIZONA TERROR—Dag "Red" Barry, Lynn Merrick

que said the Japanese had brought up artillery in an attempt to blast their way deeper into Yunnan.

(Japanese Imperial headquarters declared today that Japanese forces had occupied Lungling, 50 miles inside Yunnan and 25 miles beyond the Chefang battle area.)

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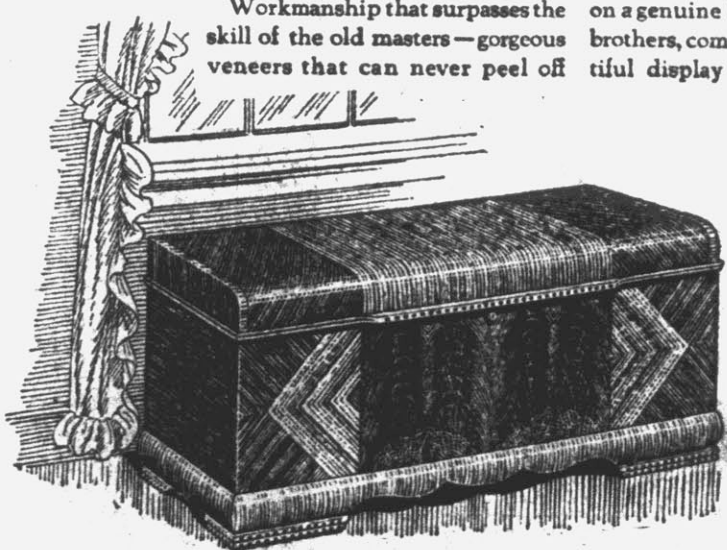
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