

Reds Take Initiative In Fighting In Kursk Area

Hundreds of Tanks Being Used By Each Side; Nazis Reported To Have The Advantage of Numbers In Belgorod-Volchansk Sectors; Sevastopol Still Fighting

By HENRY C. CASSIDY
Moscow, July 3.—(AP)—The greatest tank battle of the current German offensive, with hundreds of machines engaged on both sides in progress east of Kursk while 75 and 100 miles to the south Nazi shock troops are attempting to outflank and separate the Russian central and southern armies, Soviet military dispatches reported today.

The battle on the Kursk front began Wednesday morning with an attack by about 200 German tanks, the dispatches said. These were hurled back, and then the real mass engagement began at noon that day.

The Germans have suffered tremendous losses, and in the thick of the battle the Red army has managed to increase the fortifications of its already strong positions, said Red Star, the army newspaper.

Few details were given, but the Russians were said to have recaptured several villages.

Kursk, a key front in the present conflict, is about 280 miles south of Rostov and 125 miles north of Kharkov.

To the south, the new German thrusts were in the Belgorod and Volchansk sectors, 50 and 35 miles north and northeast of Kharkov.

Berlin. (From German Broadcast, July 3.—(AP)—German and other Axis troops have broken through the Russian front on a width of nearly 300 kilometers (about 185 miles), the German high command announced today.

The communiqué did not locate the section of the front involved.

It said, however, that German and Italian troops in the south repelled "several local attacks" by the Red army and that the Red army tank brigades had counter-attacked on the 300-kilometer front, only to suffer severe losses.

At these points, roughly midway in the battle line from Kursk to Kupiansk, the Germans were admitted to hold numerical superiority. Before Vichansk the Germans were acknowledged to have broken through temporarily at some points with small groups of tanks.

Red Star said they had made no real gains, however, being exterminated or driven back to their previous positions.

At Belgorod the Germans were reported thrown back to their original starting place, by the fierce resistance of Soviet artillery and infantry supported by tanks and planes.

German losses in both areas were described as "extremely heavy."

ADMIT LOSS OF SIX BRITISH WARSHIPS

London, July 3.—(AP)—The British light cruiser *Hermione*, four British destroyers and one Polish destroyer were lost in the recent effort to reinforce Malta and British forces in Africa, it was announced officially today.

The loss of the ships was announced in commons on June 23 by Clement R. Attlee, dominions secretary and deputy prime minister, but he did not then identify them.

Besides the 5,400-ton *Hermione*, the destroyers were the British *Bedouin*, *Hasty*, *Grove*, *Aldredale* and the Polish *Kujawik*.

Jawik. All were comparatively new and many were completed since the war began.

The *Hermione*, completed in 1939, was one of nine cruisers of the *Dido* class and carried ten 5.25-inch guns.

The destroyer *Hasty*, 1,340 tons, was finished in 1939 and the *Grove* and *Aldredale*, tonnage undisclosed, were completed in 1940.

Parade And Speaking Feature Celebration

FLYING TIGERS ARE DISBAND'D

Heroic Fliers Change Over To U. S. Command

Chungking, July 3.—(AP)—The epic story of the Flying Tigers, a thrilling tale of achievement by a handful of brave men against overwhelming odds, ended today with the dissolution of the American Volunteer Group.

Its sequel, with the promise of more and worse headaches for the Japanese, begins tomorrow when the dazed survivors of the group join wings with the regular United States army air force in China.

The final chapter in the unique story of the volunteer fliers, one of the most sensational of the whole war, was a singularly humane document issued today which reviewed their accomplishments, their honors, their grief and their tribulations.

Only at the end did the official history hint of the Flying Tigers' sacrifices in offering their services in a far-off country against a powerful foe.

"Some of the Tigers," it said simply, "have wives and children in America and miss them quite a bit."

From the time the AVG first went into battle on December 20, 1941—less than seven months ago—the announcement said its fliers shot down or burned on the ground 284 Japanese planes, definitely more than was responsible for what is believed to be the demoralization of the Japanese air force in China.

This was the record of a group which never had more than 250 men, of whom only 15 were lost in action and another nine in accidents.

The review's explanation for its spectacular record was that "each man was a specialist in a streamlined corps of extraordinary spirit which 'exerted efforts far beyond what would have been expected.'"

Besides fighting off Japanese raiders, which the AVG did with a daring and skill which drove the enemy to cautious night operations, it fitted out its fighters as bombers and served as air scouts for the (Continued on page six)

Roy T. Cox Able To Be Out Again

Roy T. Cox, Pitt County Register of Deeds, who has been quite ill at his home in Winterville, is improving and was able to spend a while in his office at the court house here this morning. Numbers of persons who visited the office expressed pleasure at his being able to be "up and about" again.

Military Units From Fort Bragg To Take Part

Victory Day will be celebrated in a big way here tomorrow with a parade and patriotic exercises at the Courthouse. General Robert E. Lee, of Fort Bragg, will be the principal speaker. General P. E. Wetherill will recognize the Pitt and civilian defense. Capt. Charles J. Gee, and Company K, 30th Infantry, with machinegun equipment, will be here to participate in the parade, substituting for the field artillery.

June H. Rose, assistant state director of the civilian defense council and John G. Clark, general chairman, will have part on the program.

The officers and soldiers will be entertained in Greenville homes during their stay.

Greenville citizens willing to entertain the officers and men tonight, tomorrow and tomorrow night are requested to communicate with Bill Lee, chairman of the Housing committee.

The parade will form at the Atlantic Coast Line station under the direction of Chief Marshal Charles A. White. The line of march will proceed up Dickinson Avenue to Evans and then to the court house, where the exercises will be held.

The parade will include the Army and High School bands, the mayor and city and county officials and distinguished guests. Red Cross and civilian defense workers Greenville State Guard, under command of Captain Jasper L. Jones, American Legion and Woman's Auxiliary, Boy Scouts, police and fire departments, with equipment Company K, 30th Infantry from Fort Bragg, the U. S. Army Engineers stationed here, floats representing the Kiwanis, Lions and Rotary clubs, Chamber of Commerce, Merchants' Association and the Junior Chamber of Commerce, Woman's Club and the Business and Professional Women's Club, and business places, and the Negro American Legion, Boy and Girl Scouts, the Negro Elks' club and others.

Business places are expected to close from 10 until 11 o'clock for the parade.

At the conclusion of the exercises at the court house athletic events including a baseball game, will be staged at the ball park. Swimming and diving events will be held at the municipal pool with the evening under the auspices of the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The people of Pitt county are invited to come to Greenville, bring their lunches, participate in the patriotic exercises and spend the day (Continued On Page Two)

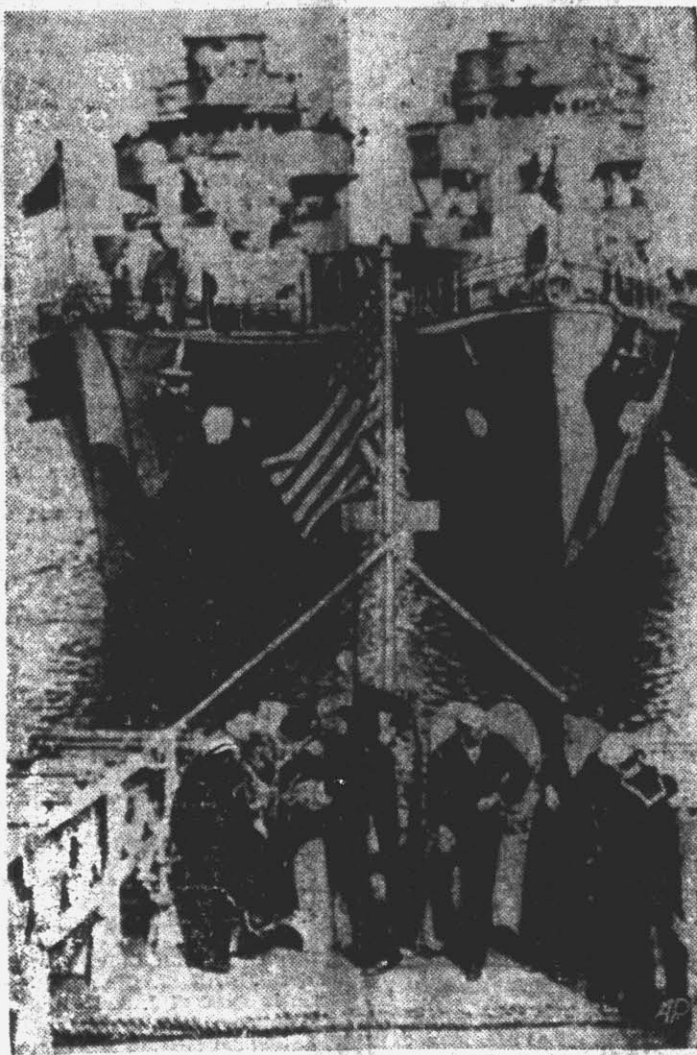
To Observe Holiday

The Home Building and Loan Association and the First Federal Savings and Loan Associations announced today that they would not be open for business tomorrow July Fourth.

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At U.S. Naval Base In Ireland



Surrounded by depth charges, United States and British sailors exchanged "navy talk" under the American flag on the stern of a U. S. destroyer berthed in the new United States naval base at Loughswerry, Northern Ireland. Two American destroyers are in the background. Existence of the base was disclosed for the first time July 1. This picture was taken from London.

BIG WAR BILL IS SIGNED BY FDR

Bill Provides 43 Billions For The Army

Washington, July 3.—(AP)—President Roosevelt has signed into law a vast \$42,820,000,000 appropriation bill for the war department, containing funds for thousands of new planes, tanks and guns and money to equip an army of 4,500,000 men by next July 1.

Congressional action on the big measure—the biggest in history—was completed by the Senate and House two days ago in less than 35 minutes. The House had passed it several weeks ago and the Senate disposed of the measure with 21 minutes of debate. A little later the House adopted minor Senate amendments in only a few minutes and without debate.

Sponsors said the legislation would help the nation build the best-equipped and largest army in its history. For reasons of military (Continued on Page Six)

Fenner Corbett To Leave For Annapolis

Fenner Corbett, 1941 graduate and former president of the Greenville High School student body, has recently received notice from the Navy Department to report on July 13, at the United States Naval Academy. Having already qualified mentally, young Corbett has only to successfully pass the regular physical examination prior to admission as a midshipman. He was appointed by Congressman Herbert C. Bonner in December, 1941. During the past year Fenner has attended the University of North Carolina where he was a member of the Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Corbett of Greenville.

Nation Will Observe A 'Safe And Sane' Fourth

A nation fighting to protect the freedom it won in other wars celebrates tomorrow its first warlike Fourth of July in a quarter-century under conditions that may make it really "safe and sane."

Most war factories will hum on many fireworks have been abandoned, and on the populous eastern seaboard, gasoline rationing will keep the greater part of the area's 10,000,000 motorists off the highways.

True, many of the 54,000,000 residents of the 17 gas-starved Atlantic coast states plan to make their usual holiday trips by train or bus, and some municipalities—mostly in the midwest—are to stage huge fireworks displays but travel generally will be in the form of parades and fireworks in the form of speeches.

Army warnings that fireworks display and large gatherings might present opportunities for looting air raids and for saboteurs and actual bans on such celebrations on the east and west coasts as well as the Gulf states indicated that those

Until Monday

Following our usual custom of observing July Fourth as a holiday there will be no issue of The Reflector tomorrow. Our next edition will appear at the regular time Monday afternoon.

BRITISH BLAST BREMEN AGAIN

Last Night's Raid Described As "Most Satisfying"

London, July 3.—(AP)—The Air Ministry announced today that Bremen, German port attacked for three times in a week, was blasted overnight again by a powerful force of RAF bombers.

Thirteen raiders failed to return. The weather was good and many fires were left burning," the Air Ministry said. "One enemy night fighter was destroyed."

Scores of Canadian pilots joined the British bombardiers in the attack on Bremen and said it was the "most satisfying" of recent raids.

Fires were burning so fiercely when they reached the target that "it was like aiming at a patchwork quilt," they said.

Canadian gunners were reported to have shot down at least one of the German night fighters whose numbers were said to have been higher than during any previous raids.

Nazi air fields in Belgium and The Netherlands were singled out at targets of other raids and coastal command Hudson bombers attacked German shipping off the Dutch coast, it was announced.

The thrust at Bremen was the third following a mass attack by more than 1,000 planes upon its (Continued on Page Two)

British Halt Axis Drive Toward Alexandria Egypt

LOCAL MARKET OPENS AUG. 25

Tobacco Markets To Operate On Five-Hour Schedule

Richmond, Va., July 3.—(AP)—Accepting recommendations of its sales committee, the Tobacco Association of the United States fixed today opening dates for southern tobacco markets, starting with the Georgia-Florida belt on July 25.

Dates set for other marketing areas were:

South Carolina and border belt August 6; Eastern Carolina August 25; Middle belt September 14; Old belt October 1; and Dark-Fired Virginia December 7.

These dates will provide a considerably longer selling season than last year when the Georgia-Florida markets opened August 5 and the Old belt markets September 16.

The Association concurred in the committee's suggestion that the same spread as is made this year between opening dates be maintained for the duration of the war.

A. B. Carrington, Jr., of Danville, Va., was elected president of the Association to succeed J. W. Dunnington of Farmville, Va., head of the association for the past two years.

L. L. Gravelly of Rocky Mount, N. C., H. R. Pettus of Richmond and Clyde B. Austin of Greenville, Tenn., were chosen vice-presidents. Carrington announced that M. E. Oliver, of Danville, would serve as secretary-treasurer for the coming year.

The Association adopted a resolution asking allotment by local rationing boards of "sufficient gasoline to the supervising buyers of the various purchasing companies to enable them to carry on their work in the most efficient and economical manner."

Also adopted were resolutions making uniform regulations for every belt. These call for a uniform five-hour selling schedule starting in Florida and Georgia at 9 a. m. and in the other bright belts at 9:30 a. m.

Those named to the board of governors of the association included: J. S. Picklen, R. M. Garrett, B. B. Sugg, of Greenville, and A. C. Monk, of Farmville.

War Bonds Exceed Quota in May, June

The people of Pitt county oversubscribed their quota of War Bonds in May and June, W. H. Woolard, president of the Guaranty Bank and Trust Company and county chairman of the War Bond Committee, announced today.

The May quota was \$108,000. Total bond sales for the month was \$176,200, exceeding the quota by \$68,200.

In June War Bond sales in the county totaled \$158,194.65, exceeding the quota by \$194.65, with a number of selling agents yet to report.

The Pitt county quota for July is \$229,700. Mr. Woolard expressed a hope that the people will continue to manifest a patriotic spirit and buy enough War Bonds to take the July quota over the top. "The government needs every possible dollar to provide equipment for the fighting forces and carry on the war work at home," the bank president stated. The bonds pay a good rate of interest and are a good investment.

Bank Statements

Washington, July 3.—(AP)—The comptroller of the currency today issued a call for a statement of the condition of all national banks at the close of business Tuesday, June 30.

Raleigh, July 3.—(AP)—Commissioner of Banks Guy P. Hood today called for a statement of the condition of all state banks as of the close of business on June 30.

The military tank is a British development inspired by the American farm tractor.

Cig-argumentative



Tucking his cigar supply into his coat pocket, Leon Henderson, price administrator, gets ready for an all-day session, if necessary, before a Senate Appropriations committee in Washington. He is seeking \$161,000,000 for operations of his office through next June.

WILL CALL FOR 1-B DRAFTEES

Men with Minor Physical Defects To Be Used

Washington, July 3.—(AP)—The army announced today that of starting the induction of regular quotas of men placed in the deferred 1-B selective service class because of minor physical defects.

Beginning August 1, men with only one eye or complete deafness in one ear, among others, will be inducted for limited military service, provided they otherwise meet requirements.

They will be assigned to duty with corps area service commands in one of the army's reserve organizations, and thereby release an almost equal number of fully qualified soldiers for service with task forces.

Induction under the new standards, will be limited to those with minor physical defects, who are able to bring to the army a useful vocation which was followed in civilian life," the War Department said.

Men found upon re-examination to be qualified for full military service will be inducted as 1-A registrants.

Among those now classified as 1-B who would be eligible under the new ruling for limited service status are men: whose weight and chest circumference do not meet 1-A standards but do not fall in class 4; who have minimum 40-40 sight in one or both eyes if correctable with glasses to 20-40 in either eye; whose hearing in one or both ears is not less than 5-20, with complete deafness in one ear permitted if hearing in the other is 10-30 or better; who have insufficient teeth if the defect is correctable by dentures.

"Piney" Fulkerson Here
H. W. (Piney) Fulkerson, former coach at the high school here, now a chief petty officer in the United States Navy, stationed at Norfolk Va., was here today. The "Piney" coach has been transferred to an unnamed post somewhere in the west, June Rose said. Fulkerson is about six feet tall, weighs about 200 pounds.

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Rommel's Forces Suffer First Setback Since Drive Across Libya; Battle Continues West of El Alamein Despite Berne Reports of Break-Through

By EDWARD KENNEDY
Cairo, July 3.—(AP)—

The battle of Egypt was re-joined with unrelenting fury today west of El Alamein in the bottleneck of the coastal approach to the Nile valley, with the resurgent British Eighth Army striving to exploit its first successful counter-stroke since the Axis invasion started.

Following their repulse in the El Alamein attack, the Axis forces had been pushed back some three or four miles to the west to re-group.

The German and Italian forces under "Erwin" the Fox were forced to retreat last night after a general assault on El Alamein, less than 70 miles short of their main goal, Alexandria, was crushed.

The battle seemed to have been restricted to the northern sector, in the immediate vicinity of El Alamein, and there were no indications of enemy movements on the edge of the Egyptian depression.

Continued with an apparently impassable terrain, less than 20 miles in length, it and the Mediterranean shore form the side of the bottleneck through which any eastward invasion of the rich Nile valley must pass.

Berlin, July 3.—(AP)—Militarists from Berlin said today that German and Italian troops were within 10 to 20 miles of Alexandria and that the battle of El Alamein was already regarded as won, the British in retreat toward the Nile delta. (There was no substantiation of these reports from any other source and nothing to this effect was broadcast on the Axis radio to the United States.)

The German broadcast said the British had been driven from their positions and that the Axis had been repulsed by the British forces.

Both Axis and British dispatches said British 30 and 10th army reinforcements were arriving in Egypt from Palestine and Syria.

An Axis spokesman announced, however, that the battle had developed with such speed that they would not have time to get into battle positions.

Yesterday the British, now being considerably reinforced, struck at the flanks of the Axis drive on El Alamein, and with tonight the RAF, buttressed by the South African air force and the United States Army air force, struck out anew at the enemy's immediate rear as well as his flanks for supplies and reinforcements.

American planes, manned by American crews, took part in one of the heaviest bombardments of Tobruk, Libyan port.

Throughout yesterday's battle fighting planes and dive bombers shuttled over the land forces, providing invaluable backing for the defenders and attacking Rommel's concentrations. It could be assumed that this offensive continued today.

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Attacked By Sub

San Jose, Costa Rica, July 3.—(Delayed)—(AP)—A German submarine launched three torpedoes in Puerto Limon at 8 p. m. today, hitting a United States merchant vessel which was unloading cargo at dock, killing several crewmen and Costa Rican bystanders. It was official announcement tonight.

Officials announced that the British liner *Albatross* was hit by the submarine. The Costa Rican ship *Albatross* was hit and slightly sunk at the Puerto Limon Canal.

The San Jose is a 1,000-ton freighter of the British shipping company in the service of the United Fruit Company.

The WAR TODAY

By DeWITT MacKENZIE
Wide-World News Analyst

With exceeding caution one observes that latest reports from Cairo indicate easement of the allied position in the bloody battle for Egypt as the result of a sudden seizing of the initiative by the British in a fierce counter-attack against the Axis flanks.

This action is said to have thrown back Nazi Field Marshal Rommel's main assault against the British position at El Alamein with severe losses, and to have forced him to fall back to the west. The Imperial positions were left holding firmly.

This is encouraging in that it shows the British finally have acquired the reinforcements necessary

for a counter stroke. It is even more encouraging to see that Allied Commander General Sir Claude Auchinleck was on his toes and ready to seize the opportunity. However, we must remember that the battle isn't yet finished, that Rommel is one of the most resourceful leaders of our time, and that our danger is still terribly grave.

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RIISING INCOMES

Babson Says Retailers May Benefit

Gloucester, Mass., July 3.—Industrial employment is at a new all-time high as we come to another Independence Day. Hence, national income should also break all previous records. I estimate for 1942 this should approximate \$111,000,000,000. This is better than a 50 per cent gain over 1939. By national income I mean the income received by the people and not the income of the Federal Government.

How it is saved or spent—particularly the share of it that retailers will get—is of vast importance to all of us.

Savings And Taxes
Individual checking and savings accounts are rising. This means that funds are accumulating for future purchases. Taxes, of course, are headed sharply upward. Including the purchase of War Bonds, for which the Government has asked only 10 per cent of our income, savings and taxes will probably account for about \$31,000,000,000 of the people's money this year. This would leave some \$80,000,000,000 for food, clothing, rent, fuel, electricity, and ice; house furnishings; church, benevolence and charities; insurance, miscellaneous items, garbage pail and other forms of waste.

Until Congress decides what form the new income tax bill will take, no one can closely estimate the (Continued on Page Four)

Dance

Service men will be guests of honor at a dance at the Country Club Saturday night beginning at nine o'clock. The dance is for club members, their guests and all service men. There will be no admission charge.

Social and Personal

Mrs. Letha Speight and daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Vincent, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Speight and Mr. and Mrs. Speight-Wadford in Clinton.

Miss Beth Howell of Suffolk, Va., is the guest of Mrs. S. J. Everett.

Sgt. Neal Herring, instructor in the U. S. Army Finance school at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana, returned to his duties Wednesday after spending a few days furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Herring.

Friends of Mr. T. C. Swindell will regret to learn that he is seriously ill at his home on Ward street.

Mrs. M. S. Thompson of Roxboro, visiting her niece, Mrs. R. C. Merrill.

Miss Ann Coughenour of Salisbury, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Sugg, Sr.

Mr. Robert Elks will return to Fort Bragg Sunday, after spending a ten-day furlough here with Mrs. Elks.

Mrs. A. E. Burton has returned to her home in Greenville after a visit with relatives and friends in Jacksonville, N. C. Carolina Beach and Wilmington.

Mrs. O. W. Willard and little Miss Barbara Harris have returned from a two-week visit in Washington, D. C.

Miss Ruth Maxwell of Goldsboro, and Miss Virginia Gravelly of Washington, are spending the week-end with their aunt, Mrs. Luther Herring.

Miss Frances Spilman of Duke University, will arrive this evening to spend the week-end with her mother, Mrs. J. E. Spilman, who will be accompanied by Mr. Maynard Mustafa, Asst. and Mr. Y. Kirkpatrick-Hovatt, also of Duke University.

Miss Mabel Tany, librarian in the U. S. Army Finance school at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana, returned to her home in Greenville after a two-month vacation.

Miss Helen Beeson, Jr., left Wednesday for Asheville for vacation of two weeks. She is expected to return to Greenville, N. C. on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Mill have been their little daughter, Rebecca, to Duke Hospital for treatment. The little girl has been ill for some time.

Notice: Band Members. The members of the High School Band will expect to participate in the parade tomorrow and are asked to meet at the band room at 9 o'clock to get their instruments. The parade forms at 9:30 at the Coast Line depot. Mr. McCordie, who is former member of the band to play with them.

In Duke Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Mill have been their little daughter, Rebecca, to Duke Hospital for treatment. The little girl has been ill for some time.

Lutheran Church. The hour for services of the Lutheran Church on Sunday has been changed to 7 p. m.

Notice. All children interested in marching in the parade tomorrow with the Red Cross will meet at the A. C. L. depot at 9 a. m. All who are asked to bring United States flags.

Attention: Brownies. The brownies who are going to march in the parade tomorrow morning are expected to be at the A. C. L. depot promptly at 9:30 o'clock. If the time is not yet set for the depot will meet at Bostic-Sugg furniture store at 9:30, transportation to the depot will be provided.

Mrs. Marvin Sugg, Troop Leader.

Massive Notice. Special communication of Greenville Lodge No. 294 A. F. and A. M., tonight at 8 o'clock. Work in the Master's degree. All Master Masons are cordially invited.

Arthur B. Corey, W. M. J. S. Willard, Secy.

Bethel Public Library Program. A program featuring National Defense and better reading was given on June 19 at 6 p. m. in the grammar school building in Bethel, under the direction of Miss Sallie Tucker. The program consisted of songs and readings by the boys and girls who visit the library to read books that they would not be able to get if there was not a public library in Bethel.

The program was climaxed by a fashion show put on by the five and six year olds. The girls were dressed in their mothers' clothes. There were sports dresses and dresses with ruffles and all kinds of frills. Some of the girls wore hats and of course, these took on many styles. There were wide brims, narrow brims and some with no brim at all. Many of the girls carried pocketbooks almost as big as they were and others had some money in keeping with their size. As for the shoes, one would know that they belonged to big girls or mother by the way the girls picked them up and put them down. One girl lost her shoe and all the others were disturbed until she had recovered it and put it on again. The show went on.

The program was well attended by Bethel citizens and all appreciated the entertainment by the children.

Social Calendar

FRIDAY
9:30 a. m.-12:30 p. m.-Red Cross sewing rooms open.
6:30 p. m.-Kiwanis Club.
7:30 p. m.-Red Men meet.

SATURDAY
9:00 p. m.-Dance at Country Club for club members, their guests and all service men. No admission charge.

In Local Hospital.
The many friends of Mrs. J. W. Barfield will regret to know that she is a patient in Pitt General Hospital. She is a sister of Mrs. Dick Briley of this city.

Memorial Baptist Church.
9:45 a. m.-Sunday school.
Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.
Prayers, "Meditation," by Massenet-played by Mr. E. F. C. Metz.
Violin Offertory-played by Mr. E. F. C. Metz.
Sermon: "Feasting at the Lord's Table."
Observance of the Lord's Supper.
7:00 p. m.-B. T. U.
Evening worship-8:00 p. m.

Mrs. Robert Elks Honored.
Mrs. J. Herman Tucker, Mrs. J. J. Payne and Miss Annie Ruth Tucker were joint hostesses at a surprise party and miscellaneous shower, at the home of Mrs. Tucker near Simpson, on Thursday evening honoring Mrs. Robert Elks, a recent bride.

The home was decorated with arrangements of cut flowers and the red, white and blue color scheme was used. The honoree was presented a corsage of red roses. Games and contests were played, with Mrs. Milton Tucker and Miss Rose Lee Briley winning prizes. Wishes for Mrs. Elks were written by the guests.

At the close of the games, the guests were invited into the dining room, where a delicious ice course was served. Misses Grace and Ethel Elks assisted with the serving.

The guests reassembled in the living room and a game of blindfold was played. The honoree was blindfolded and when her eyes were opened, much to her surprise, a huge basket of gifts had been placed at her feet by little Misses Jean and Jeanette Godley. The gifts were opened, and consisted of silver, crystal, linens and many other attractive and useful things. The hostesses remembered Mrs. Elks with silver in her selected pattern.

Leaves For Army.
Norman E. James of Norfolk, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. James, near Greenville. He graduated from Norfolk College and for the past five years has been employed by the federal government in the Munitions Department at Portsmouth. He will leave for Richmond on July 9 for induction into the U. S. Army.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church.
Fifth Sunday after Trinity.
7:30 a. m.-Holy Eucharist.
9:45 a. m.-Church School; Mr. S. O. Worthington, Supt.
11:00 a. m.-Holy Eucharist and sermon.

Divide Red Cross Work.
Because of the urgent need of completing the work on hand in the Red Cross sewing room, it has been necessary to divide it among the ladies in the churches of Greenville. Ladies of the Methodist Church will be in charge of the Red Cross sewing room on Monday morning from 9:30 until 12:30. On Tuesday morning the ladies of the Episcopal Church will be in charge; on Wednesday, the ladies of the Immanuel Baptist and Presbyterian Churches; on Thursday, the ladies of Memorial Baptist Church, and on Friday, the ladies of the Christian Church.

Bridge Hostesses.
Miss Alice Leigh Blow and Miss Dot Brinkley were hostesses at bridge on Wednesday evening at the home of the former, to honor Mrs. Charles Gaskins, a June bride. Cut flowers were used in decoration.

In the games, Mrs. Ray MacKenzie won the high score prize of perfume. The hostesses each presented Mrs. Gaskins honor gifts of china. Mrs. Bob Harrington and brides were presented vases. Mrs. Fred Broadwell, who is also a recent bride, was given crystal plates and Miss Miriam James, bride-elect, was remembered with crystal goblets. Mrs. Alex Blow assisted in serving a delicious frozen salad course.

Jarvis Memorial M. E. Church.
9:45 a. m.-Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.-Morning worship.
Organ Prelude: "Andante Pastorale."
Offertory: "Serenade."
Brief Devotional.
Holy Communion.
7:00 p. m.-Young People's Dept.
8:00 p. m.-Evening worship.
Organ Prelude: "Arioso."
Offertory: "Flower Song."
Sermon: "God's Plan For Your Life."

The Board of Christian Education will meet Sunday night after the evening worship service. Tuesday, 8:00 p. m.-The Board of Stewards will meet. Wednesday, 8:00 p. m.-Mid-week prayer service.

MARRIED IN CALIFORNIA



Bakersfield, Calif., July 3.-Pretty Dorothy Louise Sill, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan C. Sill, 1401 Alta Vista Drive, and Sergeant Joseph John Nobles, the son of W. L. Nobles of Greenville, N. C., were married June 14 at 12 o'clock at St. Joseph's Catholic Church before 150 guests. Monsignor P. J. McGrath read the wedding vows and Mrs. Arthur J. Metcalf, soprano soloist, sang "O Promise Me" and "Ave Maria," accompanied at the organ by Larry Beane, who also played the wedding recessional and processionals.

Miss Anna Marie Kelly stood with Mrs. Nobles as maid of honor, and Staff Sergeant Harry McCarron, was best man. Ushers were Sergeants Cliff Burton and Robert Smith. The bride's father, Dan C. Sill, gave her in marriage. The church was beautifully decorated with white gladioli, white larkspur and shasta daisies, with contrasting green palms and ferns, the scene being lighted by ivory tapers in candelabra. A reception for sixty guests followed in the patio at the Sill residence where Mrs. Sill was assisted by Mrs. Tod Mosier and Mrs. Francis Perry. Mr. Beane, at the organ at the Sill home, played through the reception, and Mrs. Sill, mother of the bride, added selections to the impromptu program. The couple left immediately for the north for a brief mountain wedding trip, the bridegroom having only a limited leave from Minter Field basic flying school where he is in the engineering department.

Mrs. Nobles, who is a daughter of one of the county's old and well-established families, was graduated from the local school and college, and from Lufkin's Business College. Mr. Nobles attended Duke University, entering the United States service from that institution.

The bride was exquisitely gowned in a white mousseline de sole train of floor length, made with gathered skirt and long sleeves. Her finger-length veil was held to the head with an off-the-face sweetheart crown, and her shower bouquet was of white carnations, ferns and satin ribbon. Miss Kelly wore a delph blue net gown of floor length, with short veil of matching tulle. She carried a sheaf of pink carnations and blue delphinium. Mrs. Sill's costume was a navy blue she made redingote style. Her corsage was of gardenias and roses, and she chose navy blue accessories.

Presbyterian Announcements.
Sunday, July 5, is the occasion of the mid-summer Communion service at the Presbyterian Church. Dr. Boyd has returned from a short vacation and will conduct the service at 11 o'clock. A brief meditation will be given on the subject, "Jesus, The Lamb of God." All members of the church and their friends in the community are invited to attend. A similar service will be conducted by Dr. Boyd at Meadowbrook Chapel at 8 p. m., following the young people's vesper service there at 7 p. m. All residents in the community are invited to this service.

Rev. L. C. Carter, assistant at the church, left last Tuesday for Montreal to attend the United Education Conference under the direction of Dr. H. H. Sweets of Louisville, Ky. Mr. Carter will enjoy a vacation in Charlotte and Jacksonville, Fla., visiting his parents and other friends, and will return about July 21. Albemarle presbytery will hold its regular mid-summer session next Tuesday, July 7, at the Second Presbyterian Church in Rocky Mount. Dr. Boyd and Mr. J. Nat Harrison have been chosen to represent this church.

The Greenville Ministerial Association will meet Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock in the Presbyterian Church. All ministers in the city are urged to be present and bring a layman representing their church. It is hoped that very definite action will be taken relative to the employment of a full time teacher of the Bible for the schools of this city.

Entertain For Bride and Bride-elect.
Misses Marie and Jane Smith entertained at a delightful spaghetti supper on Thursday evening at their home on Evans street, complimenting Mrs. Charles Gaskins, a recent bride, and Miss Miriam James, bride-elect.

A red, white and blue color note was observed in the decorations. Place cards of patriotic motif were used and miniature flags centered each small table, and also decorated the dessert course.

The hostesses presented Mrs. Gaskins crystal goblets, and Miss Marie Smith, bride-elect, was remembered with a sandwich plate.

Pennsylvania State College admitted its first student on February 6, 1880, when it was known as Farmer's High School.

FALKLAND NEWS

Little Thelma Jane Hardee is spending a few days with Mary Jane Ange, her schoolmate.

Mrs. W. A. Hudson and Mrs. T. R. Flowers went to Washington yesterday on business.

Mrs. W. F. Galloway went to Greenville Tuesday shopping.

Robert Lewis has returned from Norfolk, where he has been visiting his uncle and aunt, Mrs. C. M. Banks and Mr. J. T. Lewis.

Mrs. Ernest Elks left today for Portsmouth to be with her husband on the Fourth.

Miss Clyde Coleman left yesterday for Richmond after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Elks.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Allgood of Washington, were here for a short while Wednesday visiting Mrs. Allgood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Godley.

Mrs. Sam Lee of Richmond, was here for a few days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Elks.

Mrs. David Proctor of Greenville, was a visitor here Tuesday.

Parade And...

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units to participate in the Fourth of July parade, will assemble at the various points and places, as follows:

1. Fort Bragg Band, Dickinson Avenue at Ninth Street.

2. Fort Bragg soldiers, just behind Fort Bragg Band.

3. Engineer Company, just rear of Battery.

4. State Guard Company, Columbia Avenue.

County Civilian Defense workers under Sheriff J. B. Kittrell's office opposite A. C. L. depot.

5. Civilian Defense Units, rear of State Guard Company on Columbia Avenue.

6. N. Y. A. floats and personnel Albemarle Avenue.

7. Pitt County Post No. 39, American Legion, Albemarle Avenue, just rear of N. Y. A.

8. Red Cross, Senior and Junior and floats on dirt street beside Harvey filling station.

9. Brownies, dirt street beside Jones Market.

10. Boy Scouts (white) Chestnut Street at Albemarle Avenue.

11. All remaining floats rear of Boy Scouts on Chestnut Street.

12. High School Band, Elizabeth Street at junction with Albemarle Avenue.

13. High School children (white) carrying flags, on Albemarle Avenue at junction with Elizabeth Street.

14. Civilian Defense Units (Negro) East side of A. C. L. depot.

15. American Legion Post No. 39, Albemarle Avenue, just rear of Civilian Defense Units.

16. Red Cross (negro) between Ninth Street and Dickinson Avenue.

17. Boy Scouts (negro) Tenth Street east of A. C. L. railroad.

18. Girl Scouts (negro) just rear of Boy Scouts.

19. Fire Department and truck (negro) rear of Girl Scouts.

20. Elks (negro) men and women, Ninth Street.

21. School children (negro) just rear of Elks.

Added Special
9 p. m. On Our Stage
SATURDAY, July 4th
VICTORY
CHOIR
under direction
Lewis S. Bullock
PITT THEATRE

Symphonic Chorus Helping War Work

Greenville and Eastern Carolina received signal honor when W. E. Colvert, general secretary of the National Salvage Board in Washington, heard the North Carolina Symphonic Chorus sing for the Rotary Club during its recent tour of northern states. The government executive wrote James B. Volger, executive secretary of the State Rationing Committee at Raleigh, recalling that Governor J. M. Brough was one of the sponsors of the Symphonic Chorus and suggested that Lewis Sidney Bullock, the director, write a parody on one of the old songs to stimulate the salvaging campaign in the country.

Mr. Bullock complied at once. He wrote a parody on "Dixie," encouraging the salvaging of rubber. The Symphonic Chorus will sing it at the Pitt Theatre tomorrow at 9 o'clock. They will include the song in their program at the Patriotic Day exercises at Farmville tomorrow. The song goes something like this: "America needs your scrap rubber. Take something that's made of rubber. Throw it in with a grin—save to your Uncle Sam. It may be that outworn girdle, garden hose, hot water bottle. You will help us to win. If you give with a vim. We will prove that down in Dixie We give and give."

For our dear land and Uncle Sam. We'll fight and die for victory. So now—right now! Let's help this drive go over. We will—we will! "Way down South in Dixie!"

British Blast...

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docks, warehouses, factories, railways and other targets the night of June 26, which followed similar four-figure raids against Cologne and Essen. (In view of recent estimates that losses in the night raids upon Germany ranged about four per cent, the announcement that 13 bombers failed to return would indicate about 225 planes were involved last night.)

Financial Statement
AS OF JUNE 30, 1942
First Federal Savings
And Loan Association
OF GREENVILLE
GREENVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA
RESOURCES
LOANS \$611,114.54
The amount owed us by borrowers, secured either by first mortgages on their homes re-payable over a period of years in monthly installments, or by accounts in this Association.
STOCK OF FEDERAL HOME LOAN BANK 6,600.00
Our ownership interest in the district bank of the Reserve Credit System serving this type of organization under Federal Supervision.
CASH ON HAND AND DEPOSIT 50,942.55
A reasonable amount to meet the needs of our members. Additional substantial funds are available in 24 hours from the Reserve Credit System.
IMPROVEMENT TO BUILDING 499.79
FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT 1,855.02
Sufficient to furnish clean, pleasant quarters for effective operation.
DEFERRED CHARGES 2,367.13
TOTAL \$673,379.13
LIABILITIES
PAYMENTS ON ACCOUNTS \$655,925.23
The savings and investment money placed in the Association by private individuals, corporations, trustees, the United States Government, etc. Each individual's account is protected against loss up to \$5,000 by Federal insurance.
ACCOUNTS PAYABLE NONE
ACCRUED INTEREST PAYABLE NONE
LOANS IN PROCESS 576.24
This amount will be paid out to completely close loans that have been made, and are now in the process of being disbursed.
COMBINED RESERVES AND UNDIVIDED PROFITS 16,877.66
This amount has been earned and collected; part of it is reserved in accordance with our Federal Charter requirements assuring safety; part of it is held as undivided profits assuring our ability to continue paying 2% per annum on our accounts.
TOTAL \$673,379.13
FEDERAL INSURANCE PROTECTS EACH INDIVIDUAL'S
ACCOUNT AGAINST LOSS UP TO \$5,000
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA—COUNTY OF PITT (ss)
A. C. Tadlock, Secretary-Treasurer of the above-named Association, personally appeared before me this day, and being duly sworn, says that the foregoing report is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.
(Signed): A. C. TADLOCK, Secretary-Treasurer.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3rd day of July, 1942.
(SEAL) HENRIETTA JOHNSON, Notary Public.
(My Comm. Expires Jan. 23, 1943).

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR
July 3, 1902

Contest Closed—Kinchin Cobb the Winner

The subscription contest between the carrier boys of The Daily Reflector that has been in progress for a month, closed Thursday night. The result has been very gratifying, as it has added a good number of new subscribers to the paper. The boys have been given a commission on the subscriptions brought in, and this morning Kinchin Cobb was given \$2.50 in gold as the first prize.

Winterville News

Cannery Open in Winterville.
The Winterville cannery is open and ready for business to all those who wish to take advantage of this service.

Mrs. Jim Buck and Mrs. Daniel Smith are in charge of this project and anyone who wishes to can their surplus commodities may get in touch with these ladies. Remember, it is our duty to can everything we can and help ourselves by helping your government.

Miss Evaline Cox spent last week in Candler.

Miss Mary Grace Gaylord is visiting in Wilmington.

Miss Joyce Currin of Washington, spent last week with her cousin, Miss Barbara Dail.

Mrs. J. D. Cannon and Mrs. Joe Causey of Ayden, spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. R. L. Abbott.

Miss Nan Loy Tucker left Sunday for a visit in Winston-Salem and Charlotte.

Miss Gretchen Forrest, a student of Lynchburg, Va. hospital, arrived home Wednesday to spend her vacation.

Mrs. V. E. White and Miss Fannie Mae Ange left Saturday morning to visit their sister, Mrs. Jimmie Black, in Johnstown, Pa.

Mrs. D. T. Cox is spending this week here. She has a position in Jacksonville.

Miss Juanita Kittrell has returned home after spending a month with her sister, Mrs. William Jones.

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Photographic Process Speeds Mail Of U. S. Soldiers

TINY COPIES ARE ENLARGED FOR READING

Small Roll Can Contain Hundreds Of Letters

By HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE
(Wide World Science Editor)
Greenville, N. C., July 3.—A roll of film which can hold a thickness of one-thousandth of an inch in letter-writing paper safeguards the newly adopted system of transporting mail for American troops abroad.

The system, inaugurated this month, reduces a soldier's complaint to a photographic film five-eighths of an inch square, transports it to destination as film, then photographically enlarges the letter to reading size.

This makes it possible to transport millions of letters by air, with savings of sometimes weeks or months over ordinary mail. The system, devised by the Eastman Kodak company, was first put into use by the British two years ago for their near east troops.

The letters are photographed on a continuous strip of film, so that a roll small enough to hold in one palm equals the ordinary-sized letter capacity of a fully-stuffed mail bag. The thickness-feeler comes in to use to prevent confusion and loss in copying letters at high speed in so little film space.

The letters are photographed at speeds of 100 per minute. As they go straight down to pass before the camera, there is danger of two sheets sticking together, passing through as one, so that the sheet underneath fails to be recorded.

The thickness-feeler is a metal rod. Each letter is written on a special form, on paper four-thousandths of an inch thick. The soldier feels the extra width of two letters try to enter together. The slight extra pressure of two thicknesses is used to actuate an electric circuit which stops the machine. The apparatus also stops if electric current fluctuates, or the film runs to an end or the automatic camera's driving mechanism gets out of order.

Whenever it stops, the robot machine rings an alarm. If the operator either carelessly, or for cause, opens the interior while the film is running, a winding motor rolls up the unexposed film as a safeguard against accidental exposure to light of letters already photographed.

The bottom of the form letter contains a sign in block red, "V." This sign is not just an advertisement, slogan or name. It is photographed along with the contents of the letter.

If photographs in black, and when the film, at destination, is re-run for enlargement, the V-Mail sign acts as a chopper. The shadow it casts, just as the end of the soldier's letter passes the recording camera, actuates a knife to cut off the photographic paper in which the letter is recopied. The recopying is done on a continuous film at the rate of about 100 letters a minute.

In Britain the system was put into use by Aircraphs, Ltd., a subsidiary of the Eastman company, which has made the process available to the U. S. Government without royalties.

Hitler Prepares For Second Front

London, July 3.—(AP)—Preparing for an invasion of Belgium, German authorities, the official Belgian news agency reported today, have ordered all Belgians to go to their homes and close all doors and windows when the alarm sounds and have issued emergency orders to their railway, civil and economic staffs in Belgian coastal areas to get back home as best they can when the allies strike.

Berne, Switzerland, July 3.—(AP)—German occupation forces are greatly increasing military preparations in Norway and Denmark, presumably against a possible second front, Stockholm dispatches said today.

Danish beaches have been barred to civilians and blackout restrictions intensified in both countries. Considerably increased land and air force activities were reported in Denmark.

In Berlin it was announced that all boys over 16 would be sent to a three-week training camp for "ideological instruction" and afterward would be subject to call to military service.

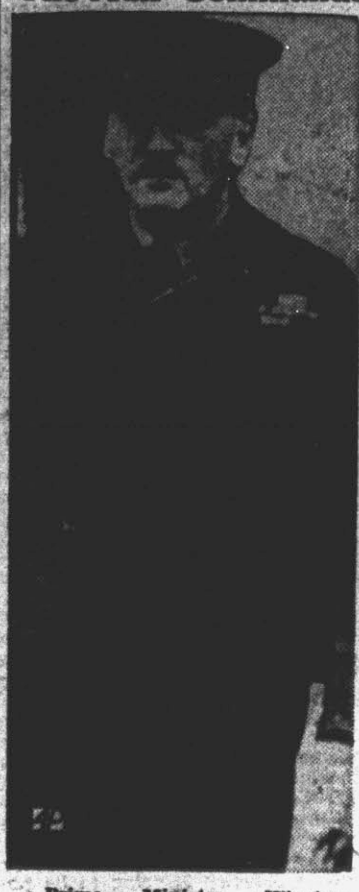
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Prime Minister Winston Churchill has announced in London that Gen. Sir Claude J. E. Auchinleck (above), commander in chief of British forces in the Middle East, has taken command of the British Eighth Army battling the Axis in North Africa. "The Auk," as he is known, superseded Lieut. Gen. N. M. Ritchie.

HARRY H'PKINS WILL WED SOON

President's Right-Hand-Man To Marry New Yorker

New York, July 3.—(AP)—Mrs. Louise Macy, attractive fashion authority and former Paris editor of Harper's Bazaar, said today that she and Harry Hopkins, presidential aide, would be married in about a month.

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URGE FARMERS PAY OFF DEBTS

President Says Such Payments Will Help War Effort

Washington, July 3.—(AP)—President Roosevelt asked today that farmers begin immediately to pay off their debts, mortgages and other obligations so as "to avoid the unnecessary hardships such as were experienced by farmers and others during and following the first world war."

This presidential recommendation was made in a letter to Secretary of Agriculture Wickard, copies of which are to be sent to each of the million-and-a-half borrowers from the Agriculture Department's Farm Credit Administration.

The letter endorsed efforts of the FCA to induce the farmers to use extra money from war crops to pay off farm mortgages and other debts.

"Those who take this advice," said Mr. Roosevelt, "will be contributing in a real way to the accomplishment of three important objectives. First, by making such payments they will reduce farm mortgage debts which might otherwise be burdensome in the readjustment period after the war."

"You know Mr. Hopkins is a very busy man, and we haven't had an opportunity to discuss wedding plans fully. We definitely will be married in about a month, however. I expect to see Mr. Hopkins over the week-end, and perhaps we can then decide."

Hopkins, 52, is a close personal friend of President Roosevelt and lives at the White House, as does his daughter Diana.

He now is lend-lease supervisor and member of the War Production Board and has been sitting in at presidential conferences with representatives of the United Nations such as Prime Minister Churchill of Great Britain and Foreign Commissar Molotov of Russia.

It will be Hopkins' third marriage. He was separated by divorce from his first wife, by whom he had three children, and his second wife, Barbara Duncan Hopkins, mother of Diana, died October 7, 1937.

Mrs. Macy is 38. In Washington, Presidential Secretary Stephen Early confirmed the engagement.

"I can tell you," he said, "that if Mr. Hopkins were in Washington today he would be very happy to tell you in person of his engagement to Mrs. Louise Macy of New York City. He and Mrs. Macy will be married at an early date. As yet neither the time nor the place has been decided."

STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF

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RESOURCES

Cash and In Banks	\$5,256,423.08
U. S. Bonds	919,564.25
N. C. Bonds	202,374.95
Municipal Bonds	850,654.59
Total Cash and Marketable Bonds	\$7,229,016.87
Other Bonds and Stocks	54,807.50
Banking Houses, Furniture and Fixtures (Net)	174,702.29
Other Real Estate	1.00
Bond Income Earned But Not Collected	10,995.74
Loans and Discounts	3,218,436.62
Total Resources	\$10,687,960.02

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock — Common	\$ 300,000.00
Capital Stock — Preferred	160,000.00
Surplus	250,000.00
Undivided Profits	54,129.79
Unearned Interest	27,404.68
Reserve — Interest, Taxes, Insurance, etc.	84,786.84
Reserve — Preferred Stock Retirement Fund	45,000.00
Reserve — Dividends Payable in Com. or Pfd. Stock	68,000.00
Reserve — Dividend Preferred Stock	2,400.00
Deposits	9,696,238.71
Total Liabilities	\$10,687,960.02

Deposits June 30, 1942	\$9,696,238.71
Deposits June 30, 1941	6,849,063.71
INCREASE	\$2,847,175.00

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Jap Bases Bombed By Allied Airmen

Allied Headquarters, Australia, July 3 (AP)—A double night of bombing of Japanese-held Dili, in Portuguese Timor, concentrated on enemy occupied buildings, the wireless station and the airbase, was announced by General MacArthur's headquarters today.

Two buildings received direct hits and several fires were started, the war bulletin said. General MacArthur's communiqué yesterday also had announced an attack on Dili, which lies 500 miles across the Tumor Sea from Darwin.

Today's war bulletin revised upward the number of enemy casualties inflicted by the commando raid last week end on Salamaua, New Guinea, but gave no new figure. The first estimate was that the Allied land raiders inflicted some 60 casualties at the cost of two men wounded.

Heavy Docket In Recorder's Court

In City Recorder's Court today Judge J. W. H. Roberts disposed of the following cases:

Doane Peacock, lottery, guilty, six months, sentence suspended on payment of \$50 and costs, to be of good behavior for two years and find gainful employment. Appealed bond, \$150. Roy Little, colored, vagrancy, not prosed; on a lottery charge Little was fined \$10 and costs, to be of good behavior two years and to find gainful employment; Ernest Adams, colored, lottery, six months under probation officer and to pay \$10 fine and costs; B. M. Reagan, drunk, 30 days, suspended on payment of costs; Leatha May Harris, colored, disorderly conduct and assault with deadly weapon, 12 months in jail or the county house; Robert Whitcher, colored, riding bicycle without lights, \$5 and costs; Arlene Respass, riding wheel without lights, \$3 and costs; Jesse Spruill, colored riding wheel without lights, \$3 and costs; John Savage, colored, riding wheel without lights, \$3 and costs, and Watson Pomes, lottery six months under probation officer.

Stationed in Oklahoma Oklahoma City, July 3.—Pvt. Herbert D. Tripp, formerly of Greenville, is one of the soldiers stationed here at the Oklahoma City air depot.

Private Tripp is assigned to a headquarters squadron and is on detail as a truck driver. He is the son of Mrs. Farrow E. Tripp, New Bern. He was on duty at Sheppard field, Texas, before reporting to this depot.

Celebrate 4th In Australia

Melbourne, July 3.—(AP)—Australian celebrations of American Independence Day began today with an official luncheon arranged by the Australian-American cooperation movement and a rally of 1,600 school children.

Mrs. Douglas MacArthur, wife of the United Nations commander in the southwest Pacific, sang the Star Spangled Banner with a chorus at the rally.

Guests at the luncheon included heads of the Australian and American fighting forces.

After Four Years Winston-Salem, July 3.—(AP)—For the first time in four years Mrs. Mary McKnight is "talking up a storm" to her neighbors these days.

In December, 1938, Mrs. McKnight suddenly lost her voice. Then, just as suddenly, it came back to her. She'll do her best to make up for the lost time, she says.

Killed By Mines Tunis, July 3.—(AP)—Fourteen persons, including five children in swimming, have been killed by floating mines in Tunisian waters, authorities announced today.

DRINK Kool-Aid
KEEP COOL!
Makes 10 BIG COOL DRINKS!

Less Travel Gatlinburg, Tenn., July 3.—(AP)—Travel in the Great Smoky Mountains National Park dropped 40 per cent in June, compared with June, 1941, and officials said gasoline rationing was largely responsible. The Department of Commerce says explorations show Peru has enough iron ore to last 50 years.

JUNE BRIDES

—or Brides of any month, will find shopping at our store an excellent way to make Hubby happy by keeping the family budget well in hand.

JULY 4th SPECIALS

24-ounce Salad Dressing	22c
32-ounce Grape Juice	31c
47-ounce Campbell's Tomato Juice	23c
No. 2 can Pineapple Juice	19c
Tall Pet or Carnation Milk, 12 for	\$1.00
Post Toasties or Corn Flakes—3 for	18c
Skinner's Spaghetti or Macaroni—3 for	20c
Wheaties—2 for	25c

Watermelons and Cantaloupes, Peaches, Apples, Oranges, Lemons, Bananas.

Home Grown Tomatoes, pound 10c

ALL VEGETABLES THAT ARE AVAILABLE
MEAT DEPT.—Assortment of Cold Cuts, Chops and Steaks.

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SPECIAL VALUES FOR SATURDAY, JULY 4th

Our store will be open Saturday all day except for the big 4th of July Parade. Come in before the parade and see our values we know you will be back after the parade for the the best values in Greenville! Look these values over and see what you can save.

The best Rib Side Meat that money can buy—pound	19c	Libby's Pineapple Juice, 12-ounce can	12c
Pure Lard, pound	15c	Grapefruit Juice, 18-ounce can	12c
Table Salt—Free Running 1 1-2 pound boxes	3c	Peaches—Good for pie—No. 2 1-2 can	12c
Armour's Corned Beef, can	25c	Grove's Best Flour—Every bag guaranteed—12-pound bag	52c
Armour's Corned Beef Hash, can	13c	Grove's Best Flour—every bag guaranteed—24-pound bag	\$1.00
Armour's Corned Beef Tripe, can	29c		
Kingan's Spaghetti and Meat, can	15c	Blue Enamel Cold Pack Canners	\$1.49
Kingan's Luncheon Tongue, small cans	15c	One Lot Table Oil Cloth, 54 inches wide—yard	25c
Kingan's Potted Meats, can	4c		
Kingan's Vienna Sausage, can	9c	1,500 PIECES DECORATED DISHES	
Kingan's Breakfast Sausage, 1 1-2 pound can	25c	You will find in this assortment many beautiful decorations	5c up to 35c
Van Camps Pork and Beans, small cans	5c	Floor Coverings—two yards wide—yard	59c
Herring Roe, can	15c	Men's Sport Shirts, values up to \$2.00	97c
Peanut Butter, 2-pound jar	35c	Children's Cotton Panties, pair	15c
Kellogg's Corn Flakes, package	5c	Ladies' All-Leather Sandals—\$2.98 value—Special	\$1.98
Tomato Juice—20-ounce can—3 for	25c	Men's Wash Ties, 25c value	10c
Pet, Carnation, Libby's, Armour's Evaporated Milk—3 tall cans for	25c	Men's Shirts and Shorts, 50c value	35c
		Suit Cases, each	\$1.49

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Strength FOR THE DAY

By EARL L. DOUGLAS

TWO TRADITIONS IN CONFLICT

The liberty which we cherish in this country is not something that was achieved overnight. The signing of the Declaration was only an incident in the long history of progress.

Our tradition of liberty really goes back to the Roman Republic. As Rome in later years extended her empire, the significance of the individual was everywhere emphasized as the basis of Roman culture. In 1215 the barons at Runnymede compelled King John to grant Magna Carta. The English speaking people were always restless under absolutism of any kind, and when in 1789 they finally threw off the yoke and established a democratic form of government with the king as a figurehead, they acted in complete accord with their tradition.

The philosophy supporting our concept of liberty was first set forth by John Locke; then by Montesquieu and Rousseau, Madison and Jefferson.

The people of Germany were but little influenced by the culture of Greece. Accordingly they have, through the centuries, exalted the state and minimized the importance of the individual. The philosophers who lent support to this system were Kant, Fichte, Hegel, Schopenhauer, and Nietzsche. They prepared Germany for the coming of Hitler, Rosenberg, and Himmler.

There is an irreconcilable difference between our tradition and theirs.

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IT MEANS MORE TO US THIS YEAR

Every Pitt County citizen is invited and urged to attend the Victory celebration to be staged here tomorrow morning. There will be a great parade and speeches that will inspire you to greater efforts in behalf of the country's war effort. Let this year's celebration mark rededication of our lives and efforts to protect and preserve the freedom and liberties won long ago. Our victory in the present world conflict means not only the preservation of our own freedom but the carrying of freedom to other nations now being crushed under the heels of the aggressors.

MAKE IT A SAFE FOURTH

Tomorrow we will again celebrate the Fourth of July but this time it will be different. Last year we celebrated the anniversary of our independence. This year we are fighting to preserve that independence. Every accident that occurs tomorrow as a result of the celebrations throughout the country will weaken our nation to the extent of deaths, injuries or property damage caused and at a time like this our nation needs every bit of its manpower and material resources for its great war effort. Your sane celebration of the Fourth will help to hold accidents to a minimum and our nation will be better off.

Skyrocket



Washington Daybook

Washington.—All wars are a field day for the sloganers—but this one is tops.

There are thousands of war production plants in the United States. The War Production Board has a production drive division. The sole purpose of this division is to stimulate maintenance of production schedules. An important phase of its work is promotion of slogan campaigns.

In 313 major war plants, slogan contests already have been held. In many of them, cash or war bond prizes are offered for winning slogans. In the Cadillac factory in Michigan, 3,323 workers participated in the contest.

The Stromberg-Carlson plant at Rochester, N. Y., waged a battle for slogans under the inspiration of a corps of attractively-uniformed girls. More than 2,000 employees submitted slogans.

Some of the sloganers are patient amateurs. But many produce rhymes and alliterations that help turn the wheels in their own plants. For example, "Harding's Hands Harass Hitler and Hirohito" may not mean a thing outside Elmhurst, N. Y., but it's a war cry for the employees of Harding Bros. there.

The worker at the Curtiss-Wright factory in Beaver, Pa., who contributed that "Speed 'Em for Freedom" knows all there is to know about putting the slogan words that make work. So does the Westinghouse Electric employee at Canton, Ohio, who thought up that "T. N. T.—Today Not Tomorrow." Add, too, the Waukegan, Ill., American Steel and Wire Co. worker who contributed, "Speed the wheels

to beat the heels." And the offer of the Globe-Union man at Milwaukee: "Production quotas must be beat to knock the Axis off its feet."

Some of the puns that get into the slogans are something. From Du Pont's Julet, Ill. factory comes: "If it's Nip and Tuck, make it the Nip that gets Tuck." And the Donora (Pa.) Zinc Works pasted up: "Let's Zinc the Hell out of 'em." The favorite rhymes in an overall survey of the thousands of slogans are "destruction" and "production"; and "relaxes" and "Axis." Oddly enough, several have come through from scattered sections with, "Democracy's (of Freedom's) existence depends on your assistance."

The Du Pont factory at Pompton Lakes, N. J., made a bow to the U. S. Treasury with, "A Defense Stamp a Day, Keeps the Axis Away." And the Arma Corp., Brooklyn, also did a little extra-curricular work in developing the time-saver slogan: "If it's talk—take a walk." Arma's production slogan is equally direct: "Cook His Goose—Produce."

The WPB is pretty keen about its slogan campaign. Michael Strauss, director of the production drive, writes a personal letter to each of the winners. Labor-Man-agement committees are given all kinds of advice and encouragement in promoting the campaigns.

The reason: the plants plastered with the words of the sloganers almost invariably are ahead of production schedules.

Crossword Puzzle

1. Church sitting
2. Shellfish
3. Mineral spring
4. Exalt
5. Competitor
6. Solemn promise
7. Discomfiter
8. Incline
9. Addition to a building
10. Iron
11. Pointed steel implements
12. Timber
13. Location
14. Upright
15. Conjunction
16. Total

17. Flowerless
18. Period of time
19. Edible fungus
20. Steps
21. Ability
22. Financial
23. Shortage
24. Roman road
25. Prong
26. Moves back
27. Racket
28. River flatboat
29. Jig-shaped
30. Large weapon
31. Exclamation
32. One of the islands
33. Old times
34. poetic
35. Nourished

62. Cheese
63. Thing; law

Solution Of Yesterday's Puzzle

1. Kind of rubber
2. Ireland
3. Fine porcelain
4. Chaik
5. Cover
6. English river
7. Female horses
8. Railroad ties
9. Slender
10. Long stick
11. Pointed tools
12. Chess piece
13. Small boat
14. Postpone
15. Holding device
16. Round-up
17. Hat of the courage
18. Animal allied to the raccoon
19. Appointment to meet
20. Bay
21. Done or made previously
22. Impostor
23. Measure
24. Short for a wild animal
25. Sinful
26. Most excellent
27. Take great delight
28. Musical composer
29. American lake
30. Rescue
31. Auction
32. Purposes
33. Nervous
34. Switching

coat and the great Gattara depression some 55 miles down in the desert. The British line was anchored at El Alamein.

Rommel decided to make his main attack on the British concentration in the neighborhood of El Alamein, with the idea of crushing the defenders in a swift frontal thrust and opening a direct route to the great naval base of Alexandria some 65 miles further east. The German commander launched his assault, flinging into it all available forces.

As a result the British suddenly found the pressure came on their left flank near the Gattara depression. Auchinleck, on the lookout for just such a chance, forthwith flung a counter-attack against this enemy flank and started to roll the Axis forces back. At the same time he made another counter-stroke against Rommel's northern wing, and this too met success. With both his flanks rolling back there was nothing for Rommel to do but pull his army out of the trap which was developing.

Obviously this is only a phase of the conflict, and the battle may have been resumed in full force again even as this is being written. One thing is made clear in despatches from the front—it is a fight to a finish between Rommel the Nazi and Auchinleck the Scotsman. There will be no half-way business. Either the Allies or the Axis will take a murderous beating.

Study Winning War And Peace

Denver, July 3.—(AP)—American school teachers began writing out lessons today for two new study courses—victory in war and leadership in a move toward a lasting world peace.

The new topics won't appear as regular classroom subjects, but will be woven into all study courses on the curriculum.

More than 6,000 members of the National Education Association were instructed by scores of speakers during their five-day annual convention ended yesterday that their immediate problem is to send millions of trained youths into war industry.

Next, they were told, they must teach young people to understand the economic problems of all peoples and be prepared to settle international conflicts of the future at the conference table rather than on the battlefield.

But while they set about these new tasks, their own ranks are thinning. The teachers learned from U. S. Commissioner of Education John Studebaker that more than 50,000 of their number have entered armed services or war industry and that many schools might have to close.

The convention laid plans to ask persons qualified to teach, but not now teaching, to come into the classrooms and lend a hand. Leader of the NEA in its 1942-43 year will be A. C. Flora, superintendent of Columbia, S. C., schools, elected last night to succeed President Myrtle Hooper Dahl of Minneapolis.

The new first vice president is B. C. B. Tighe, principal of senior high school, Fargo, N. D.

MRS. MURDOCK TAKES A CASE

by George Harmon Cox

Chapter 14
"Where Were You?"
"You told Mr. Thorndike to pay him off," Bacon said to Hester, "and he did, and Mr. Allen delivered them and got a receipt. He snorted softly. 'Okay, I'll take that. That's a motive we can use. Before or after—he was shot, somebody lifted that hundred grand.' He shot a glance at Sergeant Keogh, who was leaning against the door-frame. 'Not bad,' he said, and turned again to Hester.

"You don't seem very worried about that loss."
"I don't see how it concerns me now," she said. "The bonds were his, weren't they? I mean if you recovered them I couldn't have them, could I? Wouldn't they go in his estate?"

Bacon looked annoyed and did not bother to disguise his feelings as Hester went on.
"Now all I have is a receipt for the bonds. I hope you find them because I hope you find out who killed him, but I don't see how it will do me any good." She twisted one hand and inspected the scarlet nails. "It's been rather a shock to me, you know. I still can't quite believe that he—that he's dead."

Her voice died away and there was a moment of silence while she regained control of it. "Neither do I quite understand your line of questioning. If I'd had any idea that such a thing was going to happen I certainly wouldn't have given him the money, would I? I could just as well have waited a day or two."

Once again, the telephone saved Bacon a reply. He sat down and answered it saying:
"Bacon speaking. Yes, Malloy. . . You have, huh? . . . Good. Bring him out here. Yes, right away."

He was feeling better when he hung up. He rubbed his palms briefly, a gleam of satisfaction in his eyes.
"Mr. Thorndike . . . would you mind telling me the—ah—status of Mrs. Losado's account? That is, just what it amounts to and—"

"That's hardly a matter to discuss here," Thorndike said. "But if Mrs. Losado—"
"I don't mind at all," Thorndike spread his hands. "Roughly it amounted to about a hundred and fifty thousand dollars."

"Before you handed out the hundred?"
"Yes."

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Bacon went on with some other questions and Joyce Murdock took the opportunity to study Dean Thorndike. As always he was immaculate, and had anyone been casting a movie that had to do with an investment counselor, he could have stepped right into the part just as he was.

"I see," Bacon said. "And how long has Mr. Allen worked for you?"
"Way over a year now."
"He handles investment accounts the same as you do?"
"He has two clients of his own, yes."

"That's all he does?"
Thorndike smiled and shook his head. "As a matter of fact, a good part of my business has to do with the publishing of a market letter. I originally hired Ward to help out on it. He had the sort of training I needed and it worked out all right. Since then he was able to branch out with these two accounts which he developed, but he's still my assistant on the letter."

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Joyce stole a glance at her husband, noticing that he seemed tentative but unconcerned; then looked back at Ward Allen, who tossed a cigarette into the fireplace before he replied.

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"What's wrong with you, Mr. Allen?"
"Well—yes."
"And you knew him well enough to have an argument with him last night?"

Allen studied the lieutenant a moment, his blond face grave but otherwise expressionless. "Did I?"
"You did," Bacon said. "Right here in the hall. At least that's where the argument started. After that you went into the library."
"Perhaps I did," Allen said. "I remember now. The maid was in the hall, too, wasn't she?"
Bacon eyed him disgustedly and changed his tack. "What time did you get home last night?"

"Around ten."

"Say in, did you?"
"Yes, I read until about one and then—"

"Then how does it happen that you put your car away around eleven thirty?"
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"How far is the garage from your place?"
"You know as well as I do," Allen said. "It's a half a block, isn't it? Perhaps a little more."
"Hardly far enough, though, to bother with the hat and topcoat you were wearing."

"Far enough when it's chilly."
"I see," Bacon said, in a tone which indicated he neither saw nor believed. "What about you, Mrs. Murdock?"
Joyce smiled at him. "You mean where was I?" Bacon nodded and she said: "I had dinner with Ken's a line and went home a little after ten."

"And stayed there?"
"Yes."
"Miss Stewart?"
Delia exchanged quick glances with Joyce, looked up at the ceiling and spoke with studied casualness. "I was home by ten, I think. I didn't go out again."

The police stenographer was jotting all this in a notebook and when Bacon decided he had everything down he inclined his head at Hester.

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Bulletin A Credit Commerce Body

The Chamber of Commerce Bulletin, edited by Executive Secretary Willard T. Kyrer, issued today, is a comprehensive sheet. It contains valuable information about the trade body's activities in arranging for the Pasteur Day exercises here on July 4; the new gasoline rationing rules which call for a new registration on July 9, 10 and 11 for the new law which becomes effective July 22, requiring coupons for consumers and dealers for the purchase of gas; registering of industrial and institutional users of sugar before July 5, etc.

The bulletin calls attention to recent meeting of North Carolina freight receivers with representatives of the Office of Production Management and the Norfolk Port Traffic Commission at Norfolk to discuss proposed motor freight rates to North and South Carolina points. The new rates, scheduled to become effective June 15, were suspended by the Interstate Commerce Commission until January 15, 1943. A final hearing is to be held in Charlotte.

The Chamber of Commerce has a supply of Bulletin No. 2, "What Every Retailer Should Know About the Maximum Price Regulation." The monthly bulletin calls attention to Heroes' Day, July 30, when American retailers are to honor war heroes by a special effort to sell War Stamps and Bonds on that day. The trade body is now devoting half of its time to activities in connection with the war effort, Secretary Kyrer stated.

Soccer is the national sport of Costa Rica.

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Announcement!

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Top American League Teams Start Three Game Series

YANKEES AND BOSTON MEET LATE TODAY

Yanks Only Three Games Ahead Of Sox

By JUDSON BAILEY
Associated Press Sports Writer

The fourth of July fireworks in the major leagues are slated to be set off at twilight tonight in Fenway park at Boston where the rocketing Red Sox and the sputtering New York Yankees will collide in the most important series of the midsummer.

A mere three games separate the clubs in the standings and the game at 6 p. m. tonight and tomorrow's holiday doubleheader will give the Red Sox a chance to move into a tie for the American league lead.

Till yesterday Boston had at least a slender chance for taking over exclusive possession of first place on Independence Day, traditionally the date for tagging pennant winners, but weather kept both clubs idle.

It took none of the lustre away from the Red Sox-Yankees series however, and chiefly furnished a lull during which Manager Joe Cronin fined Slugger Ted Williams \$250 and lectured to him in front of the entire club for loafing.

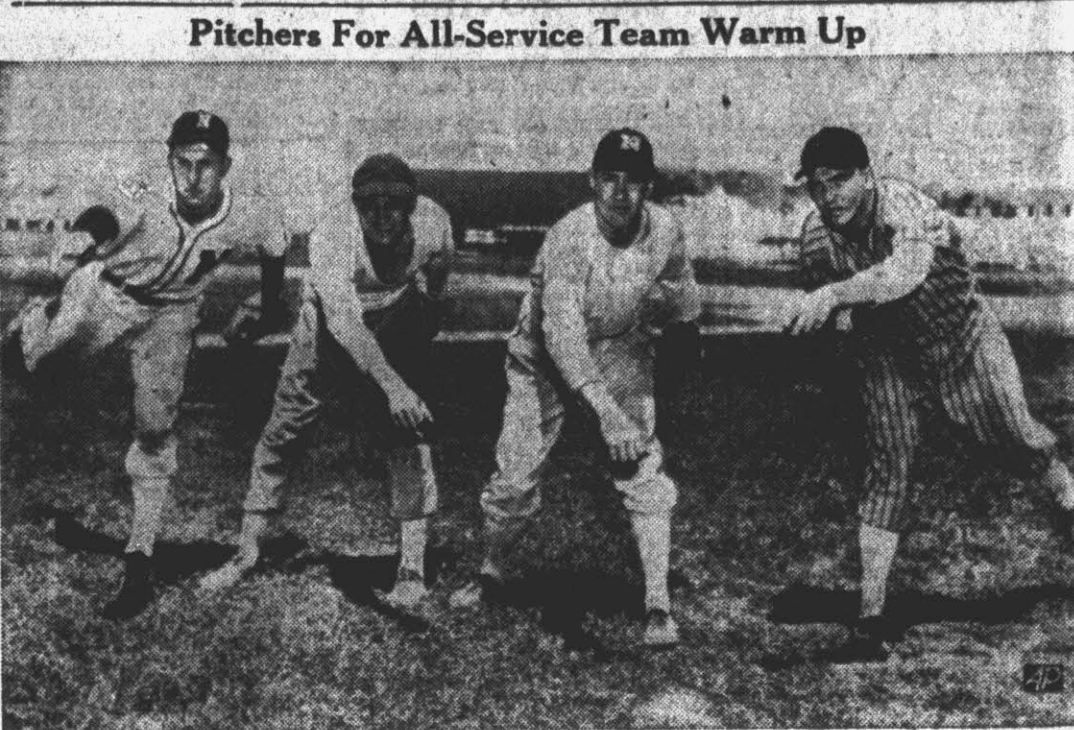
The Sox have won 20 of their 24 games and with Williams presumably chastened and ready to make his bat do his talking, they may add additional bruises to the already battered world champions, who have lost 11 of 17 games since leaving New York nearly three weeks ago. Boston already has won five out of eight games from the Yanks this season.

If New York is able to win the series, though, the champs may be hard to head. On this date a year ago they had precisely the same lead they now hold—three games—and won in a romp.

The Cleveland Indians and Detroit Tigers both took advantage of the idleness of New York and Boston yesterday to tighten the boundaries of the first division.

The Indians completed a sweep of their four-game series with the Chicago White Sox last night with a 5-1 triumph before 29,000 fans who turned out at Comiskey park for an army-navy relief affair that netted \$33,352.

Lefty Lovill (Chubby Dean kept



The first work-out for the All-Service team, which will meet the major league All-Star team at Cleveland, Ohio, July 7, brought out this quartet of former big league pitchers for a practice session at Great Lakes, Ill. They're in the service of Uncle Sam now. Left to right: Fred Hutchinson, former Detroit Tiger; John Gredzicki, ex-St. Louis Cardinal; Bob Feller who used to make baseball history with the Cleveland Indians, and Mickey Harris, former Boston Red Sox hurler.

The Sox subdued on three hits for eight innings while the Tribe gave him a 7-1 yead on 18 hits, two by Dean himself, but Chicago rallied for four runs in the ninth and it took two reliever hurlers, Joe Hoving and Harry Eisenstat, to smother the fire.

This lifted Cleveland within 6 1/2 games of the lead.

Detroit, in fourth place, edged up to 8 1/2 games by beating the St. Louis Browns, 5-4. Big Al Benton obtained his fifth successive victory, but was staggering at the finish. The Browns nailed him for 12 hits, nine of them in the last four innings, and they had the tying and winning runs on base in the ninth before finally yielding.

The Tigers were limited to eight hits, but five of them produced four runs in the sixth inning to provide a cushion for Benton.

In the only game played in the National league the St. Louis Cardinals extended their winning streak to four games by beating the Pittsburgh Pirates, 3-1, on the five-hit hurling of John Beazley, who had a shutout till the ninth.

Bob Klinger held the Redbirds to one run for seven stanzas, but was forced out by two runs in the eighth.

Hockey is the national sport of Canada.

Yesterday's Results

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Detroit 5, St. Louis 4.
Others, postponed.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
All games postponed.

PIEDMONT LEAGUE
Winston-Salem 1-0, Greensboro 0-4.
Durham 4, Richmond 2.
Asheville 2, Charlotte 1 (13 in.)
Portsmouth 5, Norfolk 4.

BI-STATE LEAGUE
Burlington 11, Leaksville 3.
Danville 10, Rocky Mount 4.
Wilson 4, Sanford 2.

Colored Baseball Here Monday Nite

Guy Smith stadium will be the scene of battle for two snappy colored baseball clubs Monday night, July 6, at 8:30, when the Greenville Grays play host to a strong team from Alexandria, Va.

Special seats will be available for white fans, so, come out and enjoy a good game.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.
Wide World Sports Columnist

SPORTS ROUNDUP
New York, July 3.—Reminder: Tomorrow is Independence Day, traditionally given over to recreation and patriotic observance. It also is USO Day, when places will be asked to contribute, and the day when most tennis and golf clubs will hold Red Cross tournaments.

Get the idea?...The famous battery of George Earnshaw and Mickey Cochrane will be reunited when Mickey's Great Lakes Navy players get a workout against Fort Custer, reinforced by Army members of the all-star service squad, at Detroit tomorrow....Fourteen Marquette footballers are working this summer in Milwaukee breweries....If that's the way to toughen up, they'll just grin and bear it.

Short, Short Story
Last spring 20-year-old Bob Chesnes failed to make the grade as a pitcher with the San Francisco Seals and was farmed out to San Jose of the California League....He

didn't get much fielding support there and one day, right in the middle of the game, he stalked off the mound...."I can play shortstop better than that," he growled, taking his place in the infield....He did. Now he's regarded as a very promising short fielder.

completed his officers' training course, and Herbert Breeden, guard, has just applied for officers' training....That sailor looking for the mailman at the Great Lakes Naval Training station (well, then, one of them) is John Duncan Rigney, the former White Sox pitcher.

Beau, one of racing's greatest money-winners, is running at Agua Caliente these days—and still is a maiden....Pittsburgh already has about \$25,000 in the till for the Army-Navy game next Thursday, and the Chicago All-Star football game, which won't be played until August 28, is over the \$50,000 mark.

Service Dept.
Golfers Frankie Strafaci, now serving with the Quartermaster's Corps in Australia, writes home that he shot a 70 for his first round down under....Lot of guys down there would like to do it with a machine gun....Early in 1941 a full team of Mississippi freshman footballers enlisted in the Marines for regular duty. Of these, Lee Smith, guard, is a flier at Norfolk, Va.; Roy Terrill, halfback, is at the Marine aviation school at Jacksonville, Fla.; Bubber North, end, has

Today's Guest Star
Jimmie Murphy, Canton, Ill., Daily Ledger: "What's wrong with the Cardinals? That question is being asked wherever baseball is discussed. The answer is found in the National League statistics—runs batter in, Mize, New York, first; hits, Mize first; home runs, Mize first; runs scored, Mize first....The Cards certainly cannot be called Mize-ry this season."

New York enacted price fixing laws in 1790.

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Jello Assorted Puddings, 3 for	25c
Sure-Jell, package	15c
White Rose Green Tomato Relish, 10-ounce jar	15c
Blue Plate Preserved Figs, 16-ounce jar	29c
Sticky Fly Paper, 4 rolls	10c
DOG FOOD	
Hunt Club, 5-pound bags	60c
Strong Heart, 16-oz. can—12 for	\$1.00
VEGETABLES	
Shelled Butterbeans, Peas, Corn, Snap Beans, Okra, Collards, Squash, Green Cabbage, Carrots, Lettuce, Celery, Tomatoes.	
ICE COLD WATERMELONS	
Cantaloupes, Peaches, Bananas, Oranges, Lemons, Apples.	
EAT MEATS FOR VITAMINS AT NO EXTRA COST	
Stew Beef, 20c	Branded Steer Lobe Roast, lb., 35c
Veal Cutlets, lb., 45c	Lamb or Veal Chuck Steak, lb., 30c
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THAT'S RIGHT- I'LL HAVE TO SWIM AFTER HIM- I'LL TAKE OFF MY SHOES AND COAT.

GOOD LUCK, AND BE CAREFUL!

DON'T WORRY, WARDEN!

AS THE BOAT DISAPPEARS IN THE NIGHT MISTS OF THE SWAMP, DAN STEPS INTO THE CHILLY WATERS-- WITH POWERFUL STROKES HE FOLLOWS THE ORIENTALS!

I'M GLAD THEY'RE NOT ROWING FAST--HMM! THEY'RE HEADING FOR THAT LITTLE COVE!

THIMBLE THEATRE STARING POPEYE

POPEYE, I HAVE A JOB FOR YOU, I WARN YOU IT IS TOUGH

OKAY, SIR- I LIKES 'EM TOUGH

I WANT TO SEND YOU ON A DANGEROUS MISSION

OKAY, SIR- I LIKES 'EM DANGEROUSK

I WILL GO ANYWHERE ON EART' AN' DO ANYTHING YA SEZ- NOTHIN' KIN STOP ME!

WELL, COME TO MY OFFICE, I'LL EXPLAIN THE DETAILS

OH, MY. GORSH!

HE'S AFRAID HE CAN'T GET PAST YOU

WHO, ME?

BLONDIE — by Chic Young

WHAT'S THE MATTER, DEAR?

I'M ALL-IN / I'VE BEEN HOUSE-CLEANING ALL DAY AND I CAN'T MOVE

DON'T WORRY- I'LL MAKE SUPPER- I'LL TAKE CARE OF EVERYTHING

DID BLONDIE FINISH HER HOUSE-CLEANING?

THE HOUSE-CLEANING FINISHED BLONDIE!

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Ray Corrigan in "ROCK RIVER RENEGADES"

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY
Yanks Smashing the Axis' Greatest Spy Trap

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'MY GAL SAL' TECHNICOLOR HIT AT PITT



Who's got the button? Seems as Victor Mature has, as he fastens Carole Landis' dress in "My Gal Sal," starring Rita Hayworth at the Pitt today and Saturday.

bushel were wiped out in a subsequent retreat.

Wheat closed 1/4-1/2 cent lower than yesterday, July \$1.17 1/2, September \$1.20 1/4-1/2; corn unchanged 1/4 off, July 86 1/2, September 89 1/4-1/2; oats 1/4 off to 1/2 up; soybeans 1/4 lower to 1/2 higher; rye 1/4-1/2 lower.

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, July 3.—(AP)—The stock market lost some of its war-buying enthusiasm today but there still were enough buyers in the market to keep prices generally in the advancing division.

Most plus marks were relatively small and there was a shattering of minor declines at the last. Transfers approximated 300,000 shares.

FINAL STOCKS

Air Reduction	30 1/2
Allegheny	5-16
Allis Chal Mfg	24 1/2
Am Can	65 1/2
Am Car Fdy	24
Am Rad and St S	4 1/2
Am Roll Mill	9 1/2
Am Smelt Ref	37 1/2
A T and T	113 1/2
Am Tob B	25 1/2
Anaconda	2 1/2
Arm III	23 1/2
ACL	23 1/2
Atl Ref	17
Aviat Corp	2 1/2
Baldwin	10 1/2
Bendix Aviat	30
Beth Stl	52 1/2
Boeing Airpl	16 1/2
Borden	18 1/2
Briggs Mfg	18 1/2
Budd Mfg	2 1/2
Burl Mills	16 1/2
Bur Add Mach	7 1/2
Cannon Mills	30
Case J I	67 1/2
Caterpillar Trac	33 1/2
Ches and O	30 1/2
Chrysler	61
Coca Cola	76 1/2
Coml Credit	20 1/2
Coml Solv	8 1/2
Consolid Edis	13
Con Oil	5 1/2
Cont Can	26
Con Prod	17 1/2
Curtiss Wright	6 1/2
Doug Air	55 1/2
Dupont	112
Firestone	16
Gen Elec	26 1/2
Gen Foods	30
Gen Mot	38
Goodyear	17
Int Harvest	46 1/2
Int Tel and Tel	2 1/2
Johns Man	54 1/2
Kroger Gro	25 1/2
Libby O F G I	25 1/2
Lig and Myers B	64 1/2
Loews	41
Lorillard	14 1/2
Louis and Nash	61
Mont Ward	29 1/2
Nash Kely	5
Nat Biscuit	14
Nat Cash Reg	15 1/2
Nat Inst	22 1/2
NY Cent	9
No Am Aviat	10 1/2
Otis Elev	13 1/2
Pac Mills	15 1/2
Packard	2 1/2
Param Pix	14 1/2
Penny J C	69
Penn RR	19 1/2
Pepsi Cola	2
Phillips Pet	37 1/2
Pullman	21 1/2
Pure Oil	8
Radio	3 1/2
Rep Stl	14
Reynolds B	23 1/2
Seab A L	3-16
Sears	55 1/2
Sou Ry	14 1/2
Sperry	24
Std Brands	3 1/2
Std Oil N J	35 1/2
Stewart Warner	6 1/2
Tex Co	34 1/2
Tex Gulf Sul	29 1/2
Un Carb	66 1/2
Unit Aire	25
Unit Corp	5-16
Unit Drug	5 1/2
US Ind Alco	25 1/2
US Rub	17 1/2
US Smelt and Ref	44 1/2
US Steel	4
Vanadium	15
Vick Chem	38
Warner Pic	5 1/2
Western Union	24
West Elec and Mfg	68 1/2
Woolworth	27
Yell T and C	11 1/2
Total Sales	356,550

Grain Market

Chicago, July 3.—(AP)—Flour business and demand for wheat from milling interests gave the futures market an upward thrust today but early gains of a cent a

CHECKING UP ON MANPOWER

Lists Of Essential Occupations To Be Posted Soon

By FRANCIS M. LE MAY
Washington, July 3.—(AP)—Manpower sources said today that lists of essential civilian activities and "critical war occupations" would be published about July 15 to establish a definite guide for military deferment.

The United States employment service is preparing the lists in collaboration with the War Production Board, the war navy and agriculture departments, and with other government agencies, as a part of the general program to keep men with critical skills at their work benches.

By direction of Manpower Chairman Paul V. McNutt, copies of the lists will be sent to all local draft boards, and to the extent required for the maintenance of essential activities, individuals who are engaged in essential occupations in essential activities" will be deferred from military service.

This does not mean, however, that every man of draft age working in one of the occupations listed will be automatically deferred, since the selective service act definitely prohibits "group" deferments. Each man in such essential classifications, or his employer, must establish to the local board that his skill or service is necessary to the war effort according to the definitions of the Manpower Commission.

McNutt gave these definitions: "Essential war activities include the production, repair, transportation or maintenance of equipment, supplies, facilities or materials required in the prosecution of the war by the United States and by the other United Nations.

"An essential occupation means any occupation, craft, trade, skill or profession, required in an essential activity, in which an untrained individual is unable to attain reasonable proficiency within less than six months of training or experience.

"A critical war occupation means an essential occupation, found by the United States Employment Service to be one with respect to which the number of individuals, available and qualified to perform services therein is insufficient for existing or anticipated requirements for essential activities."

In war industries the lists are expected to embrace such skilled workers as draftsmen, machinists, tool makers, ship fitters, ship carpenters and ship electricians, etc.; perhaps irreplaceable government workers, farmers, tradesmen and professional men.

Flying Tigers ...

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Chinese. Particularly when the Japanese pressed from Burma into western China with a suddenness and power which surprised the Chinese, the summary related, "it was only due to the AVG's continuous bombing and strafing attacks, which broke up the Japanese armored columns that the Chinese were able to consolidate their positions, and halt the advance."

Now, it said, the Japanese have broadcast that Brigadier General Claire L. Chennault, the AVG's skilful chief, will return to America but they will be disappointed to know that he will return to America only when they are defeated and that the majority of the members of the AVG also will remain in China.

Reds Take ...

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sions holding plateau slopes before Kursk.

German's claim to Sevastopol, the Crimean fortress city, was still officially ignored, although Soviet dispatches said the Russians were outnumbered 15-to-one and the situation was tense.

Berlin dispatches cleared through neutral Switzerland indicated that the Germans hoped to wreck the Red army organization by September—a feat they boasted completed several times in 1941—stabilize winter positions and release a large number of troops, probably in anticipation of a second Allied front).

NO FUNDS FOR AGRICULTURE

Annual Department Supply Bill Not Yet Passed

By OVID A. MARTIN
Washington, July 3 (AP)—War food production programs faced a disruption today as Congress went into a recess until Monday without acting on the Agriculture Department's \$680,000,000 appropriation bill.

The department, which has instituted plans for record production of food for the military and domestic needs of the United Nations, has been without funds since Wednesday, when the new fiscal year started.

The department continued to function in a nominal way, but officials made no commitments. Budget officials were in a quandary. They were particularly perturbed about a payday for 80,000-odd employees coming up on July 8. They said that unless funds were voted by July 6, checks could be made out only for the last week of June.

The House attempted vainly yesterday to provide funds. It passed a new appropriation bill carrying items on which both Houses were in agreement, and granting money for a two-month period for agencies involved in disputes. A third bill was to be submitted later when an agreement was reached on the points of difference.

The Senate balked at this measure when Russell pointed out that it carried a provision which the Senate had twice rejected before—a ban on sales of government-owned crops at below parity prices.

Asserting that Senate conferees had agreed to a simple resolution making funds available to the department on a temporary basis, Senator Russell (D-Ga.) angrily told the Senate that the House action was "almost contemptible" and "unfair" to the Senate.

"I have no idea what the House intended by sending us this emergency bill," he said. "This is absolutely without precedent. I was told and so were other Senators that the House would pass merely a continuing resolution."

British Halt ...

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counter-attacked the enemy tanks inflicting losses," the bulletin reported, "and after an armored battle the enemy withdrew, leaving our positions intact."

Advices from the front indicated that British reinforcements being hurled into the struggle had played an important part in the flanking operations, which were part of a carefully laid defense plan.

One British column, composed of tanks and mobile artillery, was said to have swept widely around Rommel's right flank late yesterday afternoon to strike the Axis forces in the rear.

Both sides were reported throwing everything they had into the battle, climax of a 350-mile Axis drive.

Seventeen Wins

Clovis, N. M., July 3.—(AP)—Seventeen straight victories and no defeats.

That's the pitching record of 22-year-old Ken Wyatt of the Clovis Pioneers of the West Texas-New Mexico league this season. Wyatt, no relative of Whitlow Wyatt of major league fame, entered organized baseball only a year ago.

From Nazi Prisons



Home from Nazi-dominated Europe where Germans imprisoned her as a member of Yugoslavia's Chetnik guerrilla army, Ruth Mitchell (above), sister of the late Brig. Gen. Billy Mitchell, comes ashore at Jersey City, N. J., from the diplomatic exchange liner, Drottningholm, which brought her and 948 other passengers from Lisbon. She said the Germans treated her "like a criminal."

TODAY AT THE MOVIES

PHI—MY GAL SAL—Rita Hayworth and Victor Mature

State—SUNSET ON THE DESERT—Roy Rogers, George "Gabby" Hayes.

JAPS CONTINUE DRIVE IN CHINA

Chinese Say Railway Gap Still Not Closed

Chungking, July 3.—(AP)—The Central news agency reported that Chinese pursuit planes intercepted and drove off eight Japanese planes that attempted to raid Hengyang, railway junction in Szechuan province, at noon today.

The Chinese high command acknowledged today the Japanese capture of Iwang, important highway city in Kiangsi province 80 miles south of Nanchang.

This indicated the invaders were pressing an attempt to trap a large Chinese force in a semi-circle south of the Chekiang-Kiangsi railway which the Japanese claimed to have captured July two days ago.

A Chinese army spokesman, asked whether the Japanese had closed the gap of 30 to 50 miles which the Chinese had held in the railway, replied, "It is likely the gap still is in our hands."

Tokyo (from Japanese broadcasts) July 3 (AP)—Japanese troops reported by Domei today to have killed 17,031 Chinese soldiers and captured 7,505 in operations during the past 50 days on the Chekiang-Kiangsi front.

(Japanese casualties were not announced. The Japanese claim full possession of the 450-mile railway between the port of Hangchow and Nanchang, capital of Kiangsi province, as a result of the campaign.)

Domei said the Japanese seized a large quantity of munitions, including 33 guns and 39 trench mortars.

Ingersoll Raised To Rank of Admiral

Washington, July 3.—(AP)—Vice Admiral Royal E. Ingersoll, commander in chief of the Atlantic fleet, has been promoted to the rank of full admiral by order of President Roosevelt.

Announcing this today, the navy disclosed that Admiral Thomas C. Hart, former commander in chief of the Asiatic fleet, had been placed on the retired list with the full rank of admiral.

Since the law allows only four admirals in the service at one time, Hart's retirement cleared the way for Ingersoll to take top rank.

The Navy said that despite Hart's retirement he would remain on active duty as a retired officer. He passed the retirement age of 64 about a year ago.

Kinston Alert and Air Raid Test Last Night

The Kinston air raid control center had a practice alert and test yesterday evening. The setup functioned with unusual efficiency. June H. Rose, assistant director of civilian defense in this state, stated.

Mayor William B. Stanley is commander of the civilian defense in the city on the Neuse.

Added Special
9 p. m., On Our Stage
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PITT THEATRE

Big War Bill ...

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security, few details of how the money would be spent were made public.

But the House Appropriations committee did say that \$11,316,000,000 would be available for the air corps—and presumably about 23,550 planes to help achieve President Roosevelt's goal of 60,000 new aircraft this year and 125,000 in 1943.

The President also gave his approval to five other supply bills: Interior Department, \$170,000,712; State, Justice and Commerce Departments, \$428,281,885; Labor-Federal Security, \$1,971,574,318; deficiency items, \$53,721,999; and WPA, \$282,584,000.

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