

Social and Personal

Daniel Gales left this morning for New York to purchase winter merchandise for Saled's Dry Goods Shop.

Mrs. J. Howard Mays and children will leave tomorrow for Centerville, Mass., to join Capt. Mays, who is stationed there.

Mrs. W. W. Phelps is spending several days in Morehead City.

Dr. Dargen Bure of Morehead City, attended the district meeting of the Dental Society in Greenville on Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Bob Hicks of Morehead City, spent Sunday here with her mother, Mrs. W. W. Phelps.

Mrs. E. T. Burnette left yesterday for Washington, D. C., to visit her daughter, Mrs. Frank Jacobs.

C. T. Fleming, Jr., spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Fleming. He had as his guests Miss Lucille Stephenson of Angler and Sam Harwell of Forest City. They are employed in the Bond office at New River Marine Base. Corporal Harry Lee Stokes has left for his post at the Army Air Base, Topeka, Kansas, after spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi L. Stokes.

Service League Shift. Look at Ellington's Book Store and see our Service League Shift. The proceeds will go for our hospital bed.

Board of Stewards To Meet. The Board of Stewards of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church will meet tonight at 7:30.

Free Day Nursery. A free day nursery sponsored by the Junior Woman's Club will be open tomorrow afternoon from 2:30 until 5:45. This is for the benefit of mothers who have no one to care for their children.

Birth Announcements. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edward Hudson announce the birth of a daughter, Virginia Lynn, at Pitt General Hospital, on Saturday, October 24, 1942.

Birth Announcements. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Langley announce the birth of a son on Saturday, October 24, 1942, at the James Walker Memorial Hospital in Wilmington.

Junior Chamber To Meet. The Junior Chamber of Commerce will meet Wednesday at 12:30 p. m., at the Proctor Hotel.

What Scientific Massage Will Do. Improves the function of the skin, soothes the nerves, stimulates digestion, circulation and elimination, increases intestinal action, reduces overwork, builds up underweights.

Day Nursery. Beginning Thursday of this week, the day nursery sponsored by the Junior Woman's Club, will be open on Thursday afternoons from 2:30 until 5:45 o'clock.

Cadet Boys Promoted. Victor Cozart, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cozart of Greenville, has been promoted to the rank of staff sergeant.

Hallowe'en Party. The Grimesland school requests your presence at a carnival on October 30 at 8 p. m. A small admission will be charged.

Orphanage Class To Sing. The midnet class of the Free Will Baptist Orphanage of Middlesex, will present a program at West Gum Grove Church on Monday night, November 2, at 8 o'clock EWT.

Social Calendar

TUESDAY
7:30 p. m.—Withla Council degree of Pochontas meets.

WEDNESDAY
9:30 a. m.—12:00 noon—Red Cross work room open. Ladies of Immanuel Baptist and Presbyterian churches in charge.

10:00-11:30 a. m.—Mission study class at the Methodist Church.

2:30-5:45 p. m.—Free nursery school at the city park on Cotanche street, sponsored by the Junior Woman's Club.

3:30 p. m.—Junior Woman's Club meets at the club house.

7:30 p. m.—Mid-week prayer service at First Presbyterian Church.

8:30 p. m.—Choir rehearsal at First Presbyterian Church.

THURSDAY
9:30 a. m.—12:00 noon—Red Cross work room open. Ladies of Memorial Baptist Church in charge.

10:00-11:30 a. m.—Mission study class at the Methodist Church.

2:30-5:45 p. m.—Nursery school at the city park on Cotanche street, sponsored by the Junior Woman's Club.

FRIDAY
9:30 a. m.—12:00 noon—Red Cross work room open. Ladies of the Christian Church in charge.

10:00-11:30 a. m.—Mission study class at the Methodist Church.

2:30-5:45 p. m.—Day Nursery sponsored by Junior Woman's Club, at the Hut in city park, Cotanche street.

6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club.

7:30 p. m.—Hallowe'en party at Third Street School.

7:30 p. m.—Red Men meet.

SATURDAY
1:00 p. m.—Mrs. P. E. Wells and Miss Elizabeth Wells will entertain at luncheon in honor of Miss Marjorie Spivey, bride-elect.

Promoted. Robert Mays, son of Mrs. Lucy Mays of this city, has been promoted to the rank of corporal. He is in the finance department at Camp Roberts, Calif.

Students Speak At Assembly. The idea that no student can afford to miss the entertainments for the year at East Carolina Teachers College—particularly the one on Thursday that brings to Greenville and the college, in Albert Spalding, one of the giants in the world of music today—is the keynote of the E. C. T. C. assembly program this morning. Those speaking included both students and faculty members.

Evan Griffin talked of Albert Spalding, the man; and Miriam Freeman told of his career as an artist that has brought him to rank among the foremost violinists of the world.

Estelle Davis, president of the Women's Student Government Association, and Lorraine Fritchard, chief marshal, suggested ways in which the students can contribute to the success of the program.

Lois Green gave a list of the various entertainments planned for the year and a brief comment on each.

After the talks, A. L. Dittmer discussed the numbers Mr. Spalding will be playing Thursday night and illustrated by playing excerpts from them on his violin, with Miss Eleanor Etheridge, new member of the music faculty, accompanying him.

All the students who spoke are members of the Entertainment Committee and were presented by a faculty member of the committee, Miss Marguerite Austin. Miss Orla Ross is the committee chairman and Miss Mamie Jenkins, the other faculty member.

Aids Art Student. A warmly encouraging incident happened at the local WPA Art Center recently. Mrs. A. A. Hicks of Oxford, who was visiting her sister, Mrs. Louis Skinner, came down to visit the library, and spent considerable time in the art gallery work-shops and office down in the basement of the building. Immediately interested in the clay modeling and pottery work being done there, she was especially impressed with a copy of the classic "Winged Victory" statue that was in the process of being made by Earl Rogers, a high school boy from the Stokes community, who comes in to the art center to work in clay when he finds the opportunity.

Upon hearing that Earl was having difficulty with finishing the statue because no picture of the back of it could be found, Mrs. Hicks immediately said "I have a small statue of that, I'll send it down for him to use as a model."

She has kept her promise. Her small copy of the "Winged Victory" has been sent from Oxford. And Earl is back at work on his copy of the "Winged Victory" with the fresh enthusiasm such interest and encouragement as this Oxford visitor gave him almost invariably engenders.



SOME PUMPKINS—A pretty reminder that Hallowe'en is coming soon is Movie Actress Ann Savage of Columbia, S. C., as she holds two pumpkins. The studio where she recently made her movie debut says she's green-eyed.

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR
October 27, 1902

It seems pretty well assured that Greenville is to have an ice factory by next season. Now what says somebody else to a furniture factory.

Mud has taken the place of dust. The Audobon Society of North Carolina was chartered yesterday by the Secretary of State. The principal office is in Greensboro and the purpose of the society are to promote a proper appreciation for the value of song and insective birds to man and commonwealth; create a sentiment for the enforcement of proper laws for the protection and preservation of birds and game. There is no capital.

New Exhibits At Art Gallery. "Changing New York" is the title of an important show of Photography now on exhibit in three sections, at the WPA Art Gallery, the Woman's Club, and the children's reading room of Sheppard Memorial Library.

In the 40 pictures which comprise this show, Bernice Abbott, well-known artist-photographer of New York City, has caught with her camera not only streets and buildings and out-of-the-way alleys and corners of the great metropolis, but its sunshine and shadow, its moods and its seasons, its towering skyscrapers and its lowly small-town street corners. The result of two years' work, Miss Abbott's series of pictures is destined to become a part of the permanent collection of the Metropolitan Museum of Art. For the next two weeks they may be seen in Greenville at our local Art Gallery, Library, and Woman's Club.

Meeting Held By Vocational Group

The Agriculture and Home Economics Teachers in Pitt County met in Greenville, on Wednesday night at six-thirty o'clock, October the twentieth. The purpose of this combined meeting, which was held in the smaller dining-room at Respass, was to discuss the joint program of the two organizations.

S. P. Peterson, of the Ayden School, Chairman of the Agricultural Group, presided at the meeting. A welcome was extended to all of the group, which also included the field supervisors of both agriculture and home economics: T. E. Elliot and Miss Mabel Lacey, respectively; D. H. Conley, Superintendent of Pitt County Schools; and seven non-vocational teachers in the county.

The program consisted of two talks given by Mr. Britt, of the Stokes School and Mrs. Stella Wright, of the Winterville School, respectively. Mr. Britt told of the joint program between the agriculture and home economics teachers in the school as well as in the community. Mrs. Wright's talk was concerned with the joint program also. Both talks showed the adaptation of the joint programs to the war crisis. Following these two talks, the meeting was thrown open to an informal discussion. Before the close of the meeting, Mr. Conley, Mr. Elliot, and Miss Lacey made brief comments about the joint program of work in Pitt County. At the close of the joint program both groups separated in order to have business meetings, after which, the meeting adjourned.

The island of New Guinea contains 315,000 square miles.

Dental Convention Here Fine Success

Dr. A. L. Wooten of Wilson, was installed as president of the Fifth District of the North Carolina Dental Association at its final session in Greenville yesterday. He succeeded Dr. B. McKay Johnson of this city, who presided over the sessions of the annual convention held in City Hall. President Johnson was complimented by the convention for his successful administration during the past year.

Dr. J. M. Kilpatrick of Robersonville, is the new vice-president, Dr. G. L. Overman of Goldsboro, is secretary and treasurer, and Dr. J. P. Duke of Washington, was re-elected editor of the association publication.

Dr. Herbert Spear of Kinston, is the president-elect for next year. "Due to ever-changing war conditions, the place of the next meeting will be selected by the executive committee, Dr. Johnson stated."

Nearly a score of the members attending the convention are in the medical division of the armed forces and were in uniform. The election and installation of new officers and the banquet at the Proctor Hotel yesterday climaxed one of the most successful conventions of recent years. Dr. Alfred M. Schultz was toastmaster at the banquet.

George P. Fleming Passes In Kinston

George P. Fleming, 82, dealer of Kinston tobacconists and assistant manager of the Eagle warehouse, died of a heart attack while awaiting the start of a sale at his warehouse in Kinston Monday. He was a native of Warren county. He began work as a buyer on the Kinston market in 1897 and had not missed an active season since. He settled at Oxford in 1881. He married Miss Martha Beasley shortly afterwards and they lived two years. Mr. Fleming opened the Eagle third warehouse in Kinston, in 1897. He has seen tobacco average as high as 51 cents per pound and as low as 51-2 cents a pound.

The funeral was held from the home in Kinston this afternoon at 4 o'clock. The Rev. Walter C. Ball, Methodist minister, officiated. Burial was in Maplewood cemetery. Members of the Kinston Tobacco Board of Trade were honorary pallbearers. Surviving are three sons, Corp. George P. Fleming, Jr., in the U. S. Army in California, Willie Fleming, U. S. Army, Camp Tyson Tenn., and Hunter Fleming of Cherry Point; two daughters, Mrs. Ben J. Stanley of Kinston, and Mrs. John O. Renfro of Wendell; and nine grandchildren.

Quake Shocks Recorded. New York, Oct. 27.—(AP)—Fordham University reported today that its seismograph recorded "very severe" earthquake shocks at 5:21:45 and 5:31:01 p. m., yesterday, with the epicenter about 5,000 miles southeast of here. Father Joseph J. Lynch, seismograph said this would place the tremors along the eastern border of Chile.

Vitamin B has been found concentrated in tree buds.

Pitt Co. Fair
Nov. 2 to 7

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GREENVILLE, N. C.

TONIGHT
7:00—Al Kavelin's Orch.
7:10—Human Interest Drama.
7:15—The Johnson Family, MBS.
7:30—Charlie Spivak's Orch.
7:45—Carlos Molina's Orch., MBS.
8:00—Address by Con Lanier.
8:10—Musical Interlude.
8:15—Crossfield Analyzes the News, TN.
8:30—Glenn Miller's Orch.
8:55—You and Uncle Sam.
9:00—Gabriel Heatter, MBS.
9:15—Harvey Rapp's Orch., MBS.
9:30—Address by Admiral Ernest J. King, MBS.

10:00—News.
10:15—1100 Club.
11:00—News of the World in Brief.
11:05—Sign Off.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 28
7:00—Sign on.
7:01—News.
7:05—Carolina Farm Features.
7:15—Yawn Patrol.
7:40—Lost and Found.
7:45—Yawn Patrol.
8:00—News.
8:15—10-2-4 Ranch.
8:30—Morning Meditations.
8:45—Your Morning Pickup.
9:00—News.
9:05—Local News and Ann'ts.
9:15—Missy's Music Box.
9:30—The Le Ann Sisters.
9:45—Rhythm and Recipes, TN.
10:00—Obituary Column.
10:05—Farmville on the Air.
10:25—Women in the News.
10:30—The Cheer Up Gang, MBS.
11:00—Headlines of Tomorrow, MBS.

11:15—Karl Zomar's Scrapbook, MBS.
11:30—Yawn on the Air.
11:45—Jimmy Dorsey's Orch.
12:00—Hillbilly Roundup.
12:15—News.
12:25—Tune Time.
12:30—Australia's Road to Victory.
12:45—Rodeo Roundup.
12:55—News and Markets.
1:00—Bond Wagon.
1:15—Winterville's Salvage Campaign.
1:30—Tobacco Talks.
1:45—Palmer House Concert Orch., MBS.
2:00—Today's War Commentary.
2:05—Musical Interlude.
2:15—Miss Meade's Children, MBS.
2:30—Mutual Goes Calling, MBS.
3:00—Robersonville on the Air.
3:15—Eaton Elliott's Orch., MBS.
3:30—Shady Valley Folks, MBS.
4:00—Walter Compton, MBS.
4:15—Evelyn Tyner's Orch.
4:30—Girl Scout Program.
4:45—Roy Spray, The Singing Cowboy, TN.
5:00—Swing Session, TN.
5:15—Quaker City Serenade, MBS.
5:30—Superman, MBS.
5:45—Young People's Fellowship Program.
6:00—Nation's Prayer Minute, MBS.
6:01—Sundown Serenade.
6:15—News.
6:20—Pitt County Salvage Drive.
6:30—Hillbilly Tunes.
6:35—Sportscast.
6:45—Oettinger Vlogs the News, TN.
7:00—Claude Thornhill's Orch.
7:15—The Johnson Family, MBS.
7:30—Confidentially Yours, MBS.
7:45—The Library Comes to You.
8:00—Sizing Up the News, MBS.
8:15—Edna Mae Johnson, TN.
8:30—Tod Crane Gets the News.
8:45—Musical Interlude.
8:55—You and Uncle Sam.
9:00—Gabriel Heatter, MBS.
9:15—Pitt County Salvage Program.
9:30—Boys Town.
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NEWS OF GREENVILLE HIGH

By CORA REDDITT

Stamps and Bonds
Up through today \$477.65 of War Stamps have been sold in the high school. The committee for selling stamps and bonds in Greenville High is composed of Eastace Conway, chairman, Shirley Warner, William Keck and Betty Forrest.

Beta Club
The Beta Club, a national honorary society of scholarship and leadership, took in new members today in a brief chapel program during second period. The students taken in were Rachal Brooks, Edna Mae Cannon, Jimmy Warren, Earl Denton, Mattie Harris Mayo and Jack Scott. Congratulations!

Tonight
Student Council meets at 7:30. Monogram Club meets at 8 o'clock. Members please attend these meetings.

Pigs and chickens were introduced in the South Sea islands by emigrants from Asia.

For Fuel Oil Ration Information

Tune In On Radio Station WGTC

Thursday October 29th-7:45 P. M.

Mr. Don L. Leach, OPA ration specialist, will explain in detail the fuel oil ration program at this time.

Program sponsored by
GREENVILLE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE



ROSE-PURPLE—Actress Jeff Dumall models this outfit composed of a rose crepe bodice with purple skirt. Belt is orange crepe. She has in of brown felt.

Mrs. W. A. Pollard Died At Farmville

Mrs. Lucy Anne Flanagan Pollard, 35, wife of W. A. Pollard, Jr. of Farmville, died early today after a long illness.

Funeral services will be held at the home of J. O. Pollard, her brother-in-law, in Farmville, Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock. The Rev. C. B. Mashburn, pastor of the Farmville Christian Church, will officiate. Burial will be in the Farmville cemetery. Pallbearers will be J. O. Pollard, M. E. Pollard, C. F. Baucum, Floyd Andrews, Kermit Lamm and Edward May.

Mrs. Pollard was a loyal member of the Christian church since girlhood. She was superintendent of the primary department of the Sunday school many years. She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Flanagan.

Surviving are her husband and two children, Robert, age 9, and Jimmy Pollard, 10 months; a sister, Mrs. Floyd Andrews of Mount Olive; a brother, Staff Sergt. William A. Flanagan of the United States army, and other relatives.

Scrap Drive ...

(Continued from page one)
Red Banks Community and Dr. A. D. Frank, of East Carolina Teachers College.

Miss Riggs this morning issued the following statement in connection with the coming drive:

"News is coming in from all over the county that rural and town areas are coordinating their efforts to make the big scrap holiday on Wednesday, November 4, the biggest day Pitt county has ever had. Salvage committees are working on plans for closing of all places of business for half a day so that ev-

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LIQUID TABLETS, TABLETS, NOSE DROPS

ALBERT SPALDING

Wright Auditorium
THURS., 8:30

PRICES: \$1.50 and \$1.10

Tickets on sale tonight
Warren Drug Co., 7:30-9:30

Season Ticket: \$5.50 (inc. tax)

OTHER ATTRACTIONS
BALI-JAVA DANCERS

RISE STEPHENS
Met. Oper. Soprano & Movie Star

DENNIS MORGAN
Tenor and Movie Star

Every one can give his time to collecting scrap. It will be a great working holiday for merchants, farmers, housewives and school children.

Everyone is urged to contact the school principal of his district or salvage committee chairman and offer to help. This is a patriotic service that no one should shirk. Plan now to do your part and get in the fun. Our boys need the scrap and no one can be indifferent to the safe institutions are behind this holiday as an all-out effort to do our part and stand back of the hundreds of boys from our own homes who are now in service.

Every farm will be canvassed. Trucks will be furnished by each community and manned by high school students.

The influence of the county and local organizations, public and private institutions are behind this holiday as an all-out effort to do our part and stand back of the hundreds of boys from our own homes who are now in service.

MID-WEEK SPECIAL

Cannon SHEETS.

63 x 99 — 99c
81 x 99 — \$1.19
81 x 108 — \$1.29

Third Selection

This Offer For A Limited Time Only. We Reserve The Right To Limit The Amount Of Purchase.

Chenille BEDSPREADS

Beautiful Colors and Patterns to select from. Finest quality construction.

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BE On GUARD FOR WINTER

This cool weather is just a fore-runner of cold weather that is just ahead. We would like to suggest that you check your supply of household and clothing needs and hurry on down to Blount-Harvey's. Check this list of "musts" and be prepared for colder weather when it comes.

- Bedding of All Kinds
- Underwear for Men, Women & Children
- Woolen Fabrics for making Coats, Dresses, Suits and Skirts.
- Men's Overcoats
- Heavy Work Clothing.
- Wool Blankets
- Misses and Ladies' Trimmed and Untrimmed Coats.
- Leather and Wool Jackets.
- Shoes for the Entire Family.
- Children's Leggin Suits.

These are just a few of the things you and your family must have—you'll find these and many more at—

Blount-Harvey

Associated Press Files Answer To Federal Suit

Says Charges By Justice Department Unfounded

New York, Oct. 27—(AP)—The Associated Press, charged with monopoly by the United States government, today answered the anti-trust suit against it with a denial of the charges, and said that it is deprived of its right to choose its members, the assurance of an impartial and unbiased news report would no longer exist.

If the news gathered through the cooperative facilities of AP and its members, the answer said, "were restricted to be made available to everyone, whether a member or not, the incentive of each member to contribute his time, effort and money to the upbuilding of an organization for the mutual benefit of himself and of others making a contribution would disappear."

Where AP is obliged to admit to membership every newspaper which is prepared to pay its pro rata share of the cost of gathering and distributing the news, the non-profit association asserted, "AP would not only become a commercial news agency, but in view of the long period of years, it might well become the only news agency furnishing complete news coverage."

The presently unfounded charge of monopoly in the collection and distribution of news might then be substantiated in fact.

The answer of approximately 7,000 words was filed in United States district court for the Southern District of New York and comprised a general denial of the government's complaint of 14,000 words, in a civil action filed here August 23.

"It is the fundamental law of this land," the answer continued, "that no statute shall be construed so to abridge the freedom of the press. That newspapers shall be free to collect and distribute the news and that they shall be free to employ their associates in so doing. This right is now challenged by the means of a novel interpretation of the anti-trust statutes, which is designed to foster a particular newspaper, to wit, the Chicago Sun."

A corollary of the assertion by the government of the right to foster one newspaper is the assertion by the government of the right to destroy another newspaper.

"A corollary of the assertion by the government of the right to destroy one newspaper who may be associates in collecting and distributing news is the assertion by the government of the right to determine what news shall be collected and distributed and under what conditions.

"The Congress has never asserted any right or power to regulate newspapers or news agencies in the collection and distribution of news."

The answer said further:

"The impartial and unbiased character of the news furnished to AP by its members and to the members by AP is assured by the fact that the membership represents a cross-section of opinion on all issues of general interest, and by the fact that the membership has the power not only to control their cooperative enterprise but also to revoke disciplinary action against any member who departs from the standard of integrity in the reporting and publishing of AP news."

The AP answer also focuses upon the membership application of Marshall Field's Chicago Sun which was rejected at the last annual meeting of AP members in 1937.

The vote of members, 684 to 287 denying the Field application, the answer says, was due largely, if not entirely, to three obstacles erected by Field and representatives of the anti-trust division of the Department of Justice.

"The first obstacle," the answer sets forth, "was the fact that Field was incidentally with his so-called application for membership, charged that AP was engaged in a conspiracy to violate the anti-trust laws. In substance, Field's action was a threat of litigation and not a bona fide application for membership in AP."

"The second obstacle was the fact that Field admitted that he had not acquired any newspaper plant or press with which to publish the Chicago Sun. There was no assurance, therefore, that he intended to continue with reasonable permanence the publication of a newspaper after the exigencies of a particular political controversy should have ceased to exist."

"The third obstacle was the fact that, between the time when Field filed his application and the date for the annual meeting of AP at which action thereon was taken, many members of AP were interrogated by agents of the anti-trust division of the Department of Justice concerning their attitude toward the application of Field. The scope and character of the interrogations by these agents caused many members to believe that the anti-trust division intended thereby to intimidate the members into voting in favor of Field's application."

The answer says further in regard to the Chicago situation that Field "is possessed of immense wealth, and defendants over that publication of the Chicago Sun by Field, as the sole owner thereof, enables him to deduct from his personal income tax whatever loss he may sustain by reason thereof."

"The result is that the device through which Field publishes the

Chicago Sun deprives the government of a very large amount of revenue and Field enjoys a corresponding subsidy at government expense which places him at a great competitive advantage over other newspaper owners who are engaged in the publishing of newspapers for a livelihood and who do not enjoy such a subsidy."

The Associated Press also contended that at the same meeting when Field was denied membership the same action was taken on the application of Eleanor Medill Patterson, as sole owner of the Washington (D. C.) Times-Herald, and added "the vote of the members not Medill Patterson was largely due to the disclosure of the activities of the anti-trust division of the Department of Justice in respect of the applications of herself and Field."

Reviewing the history of the cooperative association from its organization in 1900, the Associated Press' answer pointed out that the by-laws have contained the same provisions for membership since that date and that when the structure was reviewed by the government in 1915, the then attorney general of the United States held it was not monopolistic.

Chief membership requirements are that applicants in a territory served by an existing member be admitted only by an affirmative vote of not less than a majority of members voting and that regular members furnish the news of their respective localities only to AP and that AP serve no newspapers other than those owned by its members.

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(Continued from page one) down two German escort planes after an attack on the convoy.

The convoy attack was carried out by planes of the United States Army Air Force, the RAF and the South African Air Force.

Axis forces guarding the convoy included four destroyers and a large air escort. Only one of the convoyed ships, a second merchantman, escaped.

The heaviest enemy air blow against the Eighth Army advance was dealt at dusk last night in a dive-bomber attack on British advance positions. The Stukas roared down in the falling light of evening, but were beaten off by intensive ground fire.

The Allied Air Forces, meanwhile, began large-scale use of night fighters as a cover for the advances of the Army of the Nile by night.

Day and night the Allied aircraft, including United States bombers and fighters, roared over the desert battleground, attacking enemy targets in the battle area and Axis landing grounds behind the lines, the communique said.

Fourteen of the Axis planes destroyed over the desert were shot down by Allied fighters. One Messerschmitt was sent diving to earth by a light bomber and another was brought down by ground fire.

Ten Allied planes were reported missing from these operations and the defense of Malta.

"The Rome radio reported today that the desert battle 'increased in violence yesterday after having continued throughout the previous night.' The Rome report said that 'although the battle is not yet over we are in a position to state that the Italo-German forces stood up to the powerful attacks unleashed by the enemy and repulsed them at all points.'"

The British ground forces necessarily were moving cautiously through the sea of intricately placed minefields which formed the major obstacle in the defense set up by Rommel.

The tricky German, as was expected, was awaiting the full force of the Allied offensive behind miles and miles of interlaced minefields, barbed wire obstructions and machine-gun nests, placed so his artillery could be concentrated on the advancing Allied troops.

But on the fourth day of the all-out Allied effort to destroy Rommel and his forces, the Allies still were masters of the desert sky and their infantry was reported wedged into the Axis defenses on a wide front.

The main blow of the Eighth Army was yet to fall.

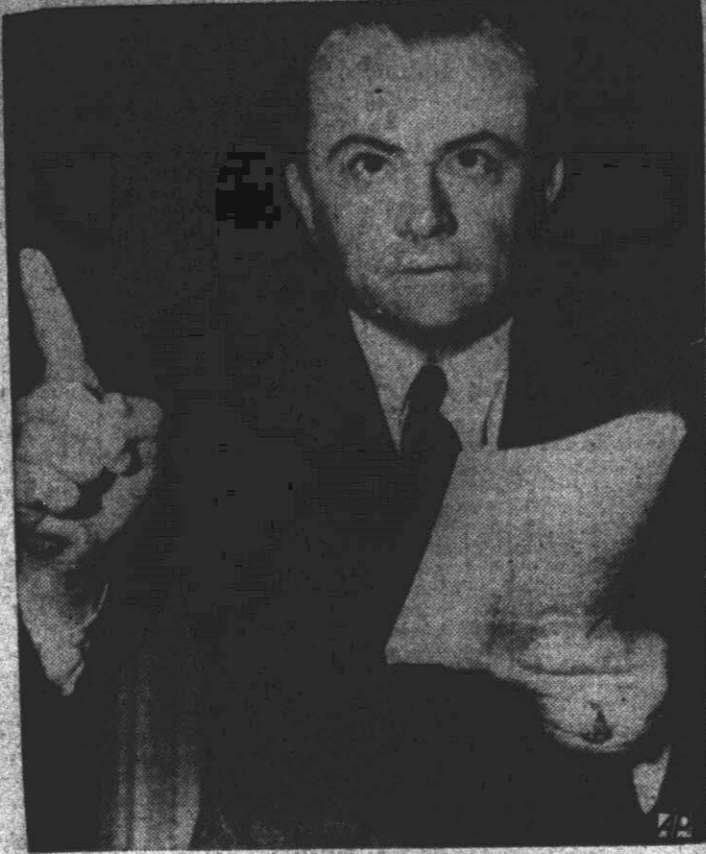
The first 1,450 Axis prisoners, 600 of them said to be Germans, were moving to the British rear for internment. Much hard fighting still was in store for the Allied ground troops before the elaborate Axis lines could be ground down and made ready for the accustomed type of the desert war of movement.

While the Axis was reported to have made several small-scale counter-attacks with tanks, all these were said to have been smashed. The main German tank forces had not yet been encountered.

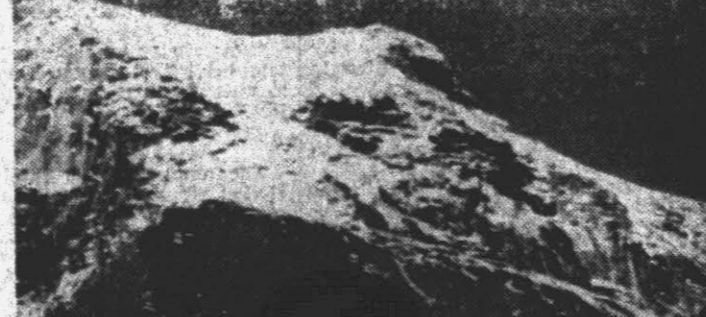
The Eighth Army has been receiving, and apparently can count on in the future, stronger air support than the Germans and Italians have given their troops, although the Axis put more planes aloft yesterday than in the first two days of battle.

Studies of animal bones near the Tigris have indicated that the earliest natives of Iraq ate pork, mutton and beef as well as game and fish.

O'Daniel's Draft Amendment Adopted



In Washington, Senator W. Lee O'Daniel (D-Tex.), gestured vigorously Saturday as he successfully advocated Senate adoption of his amendment to the teen-age draft bill to require a year's military training before 18 and 19-year-old selectees could be sent into combat outside the continental United States. The vote was 39 to 31.



THE GREENLAND PATROL — A bearded United States Coast Guard officer surveys the bleak coast of Greenland as his Coast Guard cutter heads out for the Greenland patrol. Bad as Axis subs and planes is the enemy winter.



Thomas Henry Robinson, Jr., (l. left), formerly of Nashville, Tenn., was manacled to prison guards as he was brought into federal court at San Francisco on his habeas corpus petition. It was his first trip away from Alcatraz prison where he is serving a 25-year sentence for the kidnaping of Mrs. Alice Stoll of Louisville, Ky., in 1934.

Kidnaper Off Alcatraz For Hearing



WAR SLIPS INTO A TROPICAL VILLAGE—Nestled amid palms and the luxuriant vegetation of the New Guinea jungle, this village near Port Moresby learns there's a war going on when U. S. Negro soldiers occupy it.



TANK DESTROYERS—Some of the highly mobile tank-destroyer forces line up at Camp Hood, Texas. The camp, formally opened Sept. 12, is a tank destroyer center and has as its motto: "Seek—Strike—Destroy."



JUST TESTING — On a "ground thermometer" Conrad Thibault, concert baritone, finds his vocal volume registers "way up around the riveter or the aeroplane."



YANKS LEARN NEW TRICKS IN BRITAIN — In protective masks and padding these Yanks grapple as they learn fine points of hand-to-hand fighting at an American Army station in Britain. The technique, devised by Maj. William Cunningham of Atlanta, Ga., combines the best points of fencing and boxing. Blunted bayonets are used.

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Strength FOR THE DAY

By EARL L. DOUGLAS

BE REALISTIC

People sometimes say, "How do you suppose So-and-so can sleep after the dishonest tricks he pulls every day?"

There's no need worrying about So-and-so; he sleeps fine. He's in the market to make money, or he's out for revenge, or he's just plain cursed. His philosophy of life is entirely different from that of the man who would lose sleep at night worrying about misdeeds and trickery. He believes that the way to get along in life is to get whatever you can, whenever you can, and by the use of any means at hand.

It's nice to believe that everyone can be appealed to by good, but it just isn't true. Judas Iscariot lived for three years in the closest possible association with the best man that ever lived, and in the end sold Him to those who were intent on putting Him to death. In every community there are people who have so long realized good or been indifferent to its appeal that it no longer has any effect upon them. The German saboteurs assumed they would encounter such confederates, and according to the law of averages a few could probably be found almost anywhere.

Charity encourages us to believe that most men are honest at heart, and realism compels to recognize that some very decidedly are not. All Rights Reserved—Babson Newspaper Syndicate

NAVY DAY

As we celebrate Navy Day today and pay tribute to all the fine traditions of the naval branch of our armed services the day brings even greater significance in view of the fact that while we are celebrating, our men are engaged in mortal combat against our enemies in order that our shores might be protected from invasion and our way of life preserved for generations yet unborn. In our celebration of Navy Day let us not be unmindful of the supreme sacrifices already made and still being made by the brave youth of America now fighting for its life in the far-flung areas of the south Pacific and pray that from these efforts victory will come.

WE MUST DECIDE NOW

Wendell Willkie did not mince words in his report to the nation last night regarding his findings on his recent world tour. Mr. Willkie rightly warned America that the eyes and hopes of the world are upon America and it is up to this nation now to fulfill its destiny or relinquish its right to be called great.

We agree with Mr. Willkie that this is no time for half-hearted efforts, senseless censorships, national or international politics.

This is not a rocking chair war and the only way we can hope to win it is to give it our hundred per cent attention and effort, which is impossible until and unless our government recognizes the fact that only by giving the people the truth can it hope to gain the confidence of the people within and



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outside our country. It is high time for those who are directing our nation's destinies to wake up to the fact that we now stand at the crossroads of civilization and the all important decision of our future is at hand.

WASHINGTON IN WARTIME

By JACK STINNETT

Washington—Back in 1940, when John L. Lewis, then just about kingpin in the CIO, put his chips on Wendell L. Willkie, I remember using a quote from someone who knows the old union rebel better than any one else. The quote was: "Don't forget that first and always, he's a good gambler."

In 1940, Lewis lost and for quite a while after that it appeared that his chips were dwindling. Whether they still are remains to be seen, but by his announcement that he is withdrawing the United Mine Workers from the CIO, Lewis has certainly demanded a new shuffle.

The question now is can Lewis gather enough supporters around him from the independent unions and possibly from dissatisfied unions in the CIO and AFL, to rebuild the power he once had.

He is, of course, employing the old battle strategy of divide-and-conquer. According to labor observers here, Lewis plan had this advantage: his opponents were already divided.

In addition, there are some potent independent unions that have nothing to do with either the CIO or AFL, which might be recruited

on a new front.

Considering these things, is it any wonder that Lewis was willing to call for a new stack and another deal?

The talk of a "labor peace" between the A. F. of L. and the CIO has been kicked around ever since Lewis led the original rebellion. There have been times when it appeared more impossible than it has in recent weeks. But to those who know the extent of the jurisdictional differences, it never has appeared likely. The war effort hasn't changed the situation at all. In many instances, it has widened the gap. A quick glance at the rapid growth of union membership in the last year or so will make that understandable. Where the AFL and CIO once fought over hundreds of members and jurisdiction on a score of jobs, they now have to settle those same problems multiplied by hundreds.

Probably a much more important factor in the now three-cornered labor union struggle is the trend which manpower legislation will take.

If it comes down to a work-or-fight ultimatum, with wages controlled, the union game may have to be called off for the duration for lack of cards—at least so far as the three leaders are concerned. As a matter of fact, with James F. Byrnes now firmly in the saddle as stabilization czar, and likely able to call forth any further legislation necessary to enforce economic controls on all fronts, that time may already have arrived.

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pendence must be placed on America's large resources.

If we can get these fresh forces into action in the near future we may be able to nail Hitler's hide on the barn door by next fall.

There can no longer be any doubt of the efficacy of the bomber.

The partial destruction of the great Rhenish industrial city of Cologne provides an excellent example of what can be done with 1,000-bomber raids. It is well known that 40 per cent of the city was wiped out and probably another 25 per cent was partly destroyed, but I have been much interested in a comparison which had been worked out in RAF circles between the devastation in RAF circles between the devastation in this raid and losses in the Great San Francisco earthquake.

In the San Francisco earthquake and fire some 28,000 buildings were destroyed. Those included factories and the central business block. And part of the adjoining neighborhood also was destroyed. On the first night 350,000 persons were said to have spent the night out of doors as a precaution.

Well, the RAF has now obtained the full photographic facts on Cologne and most of this I have seen myself.

About 20,000 houses and business and industrial premises were destroyed and experience shows that for each house destroyed several others were damaged in some degree. About 200 factories were demolished and these included some of the most important.

Cologne is the third largest city in Germany and a quarter of its population of 600,000 had to be evacuated. Vastly important also is the fact that severe damage was done to railways and other communications.

So we see that the RAF, in an hour and a half with 1,000 bombers apparently did much more damage than was caused by the San Francisco disaster.

Think of the tiny cost in men and equipment as compared with trying to achieve the same results with a vast ground army.

Willkie Says . . .

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"Besides giving our allies in Asia and eastern Europe something to fight with, we have got to give them assurance of what we are fighting for. The 200,000,000 people of Russia and the 450,000,000 people of China—people like you and me—are bewildered and anxious.

"They know what they are fighting for. They are not so sure of us. Many of them have read the Atlantic charter. Rightly or wrongly, they are not satisfied. They ask: 'What about a Pacific charter?' What about a world charter?"

He mentioned the Shah of Iran the prime minister of Iraq, the prime minister of Turkey and the Generalissimo of China, and said the United States had failed consistently to send them representatives "intelligently" and to take realistic steps toward their solution.

He declared that no man of cabinet rank had been sent to Russia on special mission to talk to Mr. Stalin, adding that it was the British Prime Minister who spoke primarily for this country on the last such mission.

"We must wipe out the distinction in our minds," he said, "between first class and 'second class' allies. We must send to represent us among all our allies really distinguished men who are important enough in their own right to dare tell our President the truth."

Nazis Prepare . . .

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Widespread strikes were reported by the International Transport Workers' Federation to have broken out in Athens and Piraeus, Greece, leading to the use of troops to force the participants back to work. Three of the strike leaders were executed, 600 were sentenced to long prison terms and 11,000 persons were dismissed, the Federation said.

MURDER on the CAMPUS

By JERRY BRONFELD

YESTERDAY: Susan Drake would give a good deal to know exactly why Todd Malone should be so shy. Todd is the best football player State has, and Susan likes him. He even seems to like her. But that's as far as it goes. Meanwhile, brilliant Phil Humphries is always on hand—he was on hand when Susan's father, Lieutenant Drake, saw Todd's picture and noted a resemblance to a gambler of his acquaintance named Malone. Phil overheard the remark. He even decided to investigate it.

"I'll make you sit up on your hind legs and beg," Susan threatened. "Only 30¢ a drink—think I'll give him a ring right now."

"Susan, sweetheart," she greeted him happily, "this is Susan Drake."

"Hi," he replied.

"Well, go ahead—ask how I am," she prompted him, and she heard his laugh at the other end.

"I called to ask you to our house dance a week from Saturday night—think you'd like to go? Enough?" she means to be abrupt, but she didn't figure she would talk him by this much suspense; he didn't say anything for three or four seconds and it seemed like a minute.

"Dance?" he echoed. "Why—I don't know."

"Do you have a date that night?" she cut in.

"No, but—"

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BIG FIVE TO HAVE VISITORS

Three Of Teams Play Outsiders Saturday

Raleigh, Oct. 27.—(AP)—With one of the most important games of the season coming up this Saturday the meeting with the Tar Heels of North Carolina, Coach Doc Newton started preparations by giving his squad—of all things—a day of rest.

"Our team looked worn out against Holy Cross last Saturday," said Newton. "We had played three hard games in a row before we went to New England and in each of those contests, with Clemson, Carolina Pre-flight and Wake Forest our boys were outweighed from 10 to 15 pounds per man.

"Then we went up against a Holy Cross team that had a 15-pound advantage over us. It looked like a case of the mind's saying 'go,' but the body's saying 'no.' A little rest physically after our long day-coach ride and the previous hard games should bring the squad back to its peak."

Over at Chapel Hill, the Tar Heels weren't resting. They went to work to remedy weaknesses that showed up in the 20-14 loss to Tulane. Emphasis was on pass defense and on the Tar Heel attack.

"State has the best defense I have seen all season," said Coach Jim Tatum. "If Wake Forest couldn't score on them, how can we?" Tatum didn't attempt to explain Wake Forest's failure to score against North Carolina's defenses.

There was both good and bad news at Duke where the Blue Devils are preparing for Saturday's invasion by Georgia Tech, undefeated and ranked the fifth strongest team in the nation. Captain Jim Smith, wingback, appeared in heavy equipment for the first time since he was injured in the Wake Forest game. But absent from practice were Harry Troxell, guard, and Alex Luckes, soph tackle. Troxell suffered a cut forehead and Luckes an injured knee in the victory over Pittsburgh.

At Wake Forest, coach Peabody Walker scrimmaged his varsity against the freshmen and drilled his backs on pass defense in preparation for the game with Clemson at Wake Forest Saturday night. Jeff Brogren, sub fullback, missed the session and Center Bill Starford and blocking back Elmer Barbour were bothered by injuries. All are nursing injuries to the knees.

Passing, pass defense and timing of both passing and running plays were the subjects at Davidson as the Wildcats prepared for Virginia Military Institute. The squad appeared to be rounding into shape after a plague of injuries. Scotty Patterson, end, and Art Roach back, still were nursing injuries and both are listed only tentatively as prospects for action Saturday.

Feature In Duke Homecoming Game



These six lads promise to figure prominently in the outcome of the tenth meeting between Georgia Tech's elow Jacket and Duke's Blue Devils when the two mix it up in Duke stadium come Saturday afternoon. Betting odds are heavy in Tech's favor and that is easy to understand with such veterans as Bobby Sheldon, Ralph Plaster, and Mutt Manning running on the starting eleven. Best remembered by Duke fans is Sheldon who gave them many an exciting moment with his stinging sprints at Grant field last November. Duke's Daddy Lager and Harry Troxell, who fought their way into the Blue Devil lineup early this season, will be going against the boys from Atlanta for the first time. However, fullback Tom Davis saw action last year when he was holding down the tailback spot.

evicted from the defenses of a factory area after a five-hour fight yesterday.

More than four companies of German riflemen were declared to have perished in the southern outskirts and these accounts were coupled with a report of the repulse of all Nazi attacks on the Steppes northwest of the city.

"One Soviet infantry unit alone has killed about 300 Hitlerites and set six German tanks afire and destroyed four guns and seven machine-guns," the communique said.

Red Army Airmen were credited with shooting down five German planes and disabling two others.

A Soviet flanking ousted the Germans from the area of the north-side factory, the Russians announced at midnight.

"German prisoners of war stated that only 25 to 30 men are left in the companies of the 35th German Infantry division, the remainder having been either killed or wounded in the recent fighting," it was declared.

The Red Army of the western Caucasus repulsed attacks northeast of the port of Tuapse and struck against tactically important heights held by the invaders while east of Novorossisk "the men of one unit attacked the enemy, advanced and improved their positions," the war bulletin said.

The operations east of Novorossisk, which has been in enemy hands more than six weeks, were reported to have led to the seizure of nine machine-guns, 50 automatic rifles, more than 1000 ordinary rifles and large quantities of ammunition. Stalingrad's garrison matched the 63-day defense of Odessa and went

ball, track, tennis, basketball, baseball and golf. Although Bob Peller is the only student in his class at gunnery school at the Norfolk Naval Training Station who never had the benefit of college training, Bob is one of the top students in the group. Soldiers at Chamute Field, Ill., recently tried playing a basketball game with all players wearing their service gas masks. That might be a new alibi for coaches whose boys can't hit the basket. Nat Pierce, ex-Fordham, and Dick Cassano, ex-Pitt, will coach the "B" football team at the North Carolina pre-flight school. Since Jim Crowley's varsity is called "Cloudbusters" wonder if this gang will be tagged "The Drops?"

into the 64th day with lines reported intact.

"The Berlin radio reported last night that the Russians had launched relief assaults both north and south of the Red October Arms works, Red Army strongholds currently sought by the Germans."

"Overwhelmed and forced to withdraw," the Germans lost 750 men and three tanks about the factory, the midnight communique said.

Land, Sea And ...

(Continued from page one) shell American positions on Guadalcanal from the north Sunday while enemy land troops were charging

against our southern flank. Five heavy tank and artillery assaults were made on the west flank Friday and Saturday but the enemy apparently found the going too tough there.

To add to Sunday's day-long inferno, enemy dive bombers screamed down on the American-held airfield, inflicting minor damage. Five of the bombers were shot out of a flight of about 16 and Grumman "Wildcats" were reported to have accounted for the 17 fighters.

Although battered from land, sea and air, the American soldiers and Marines on the ground "held their positions," the Navy announced.

It was while protecting the movement of supplies and reinforcements to these men, who have fought off wave after wave of fresh enemy troops, that the Wasp was lost.

She was mortally wounded by a prowling submarine that fired a salvo of three torpedoes into the vicinity of her powder magazines and gasoline storage tanks during the afternoon of Sept. 15. A series of heavy explosions tore through the ship, starting fires that raged out of control. It was necessary to abandon ship about three hours after the attack.

All hope of saving her gone, a U. S. destroyer administered the coup de grace with torpedoes and she joined two other American carriers, the Lexington and the Yorktown, on the bottom of the Pacific. She was the 13th ship reported lost in the Solomons.

The Navy said all but about 10 per cent of her personnel, normally 1,800 officers and men, were rescued.

"It felt like an earthquake," was the way W. C. Chapman, 18, fireman second class, described the impact of the three torpedoes.

"Men in the forward part of the ship were thrown around like tennis balls," he said. "Shells were exploding forward and amidships. I heard fragments whine through the air overhead."

"The ship listed heavily to the starboard. One fighter plane rolled over the side. . . . Everyone lay flat on the flight deck awaiting the word to abandon ship."

Chapman, on leave in Miami, said he was rescued from a rubber life raft by a destroyer.

Another survivor, James Wilbur Turner, 21, ship fitter second class, told in Atlanta of how sailors, hit the water singing and laughing when they were ordered to abandon ship.

"You don't have time to be afraid," he said. "Those torpedoes came boom, boom, boom. Just like that."

Rescue destroyers passed now and then, he related, to shoot sharks that approached swimmers in the water.

The 739-foot Wasp was completed only two years ago but already she has seen service in both hemispheres, having been used early this year to ferry planes to the Mediterranean island of Malta. Her usual fighting force consisted of between 72 and 80 planes.

News of her loss was withheld until last night in hope the Japanese did not know

As Alabama Kept On Winning



Louie Seales, Alabama fullback, dashes around Kentucky's end for a six yard gain in the Kentucky homecoming game with Alabama in Lexington, Ky., Saturday. Kentucky held the Tide scoreless in the first half, but Alabama surged on in the final periods to win, 14 to 0, and preserve its undefeated record.

she had suffered a fatal blow.

But other carriers remained to fight on. Only yesterday the Navy reported, a carrier task force engaged enemy forces northeast of Guadalcanal and it was in this engagement that the destroyer Porter was sunk and one of our carriers damaged.

The two enemy carriers listed as damaged in last night's communique were hit in this same action, the details of which the Navy said were still incomplete.

While the main action centered in the Solomon Islands theater, Gen. MacArthur's Australian headquarters reported Allied warplanes were continuing their widespread raids on enemy bases in New Guinea and Dutch Timor.

Attacks were made against Kopyang, Japanese airdrome on the southwestern tip of Dutch Timor, and against Lee and Salamaua, both on the northeast coast of New Guinea, and against Kokoda, between Buna and Port Moresby.

In return, enemy planes raided Darwin, Australia, causing minor damage and dropped bombs harmlessly on Port Moresby and Milne Bay.

Japs Claim ...

(Continued from page one) Listed as sunk by the Japanese from August 25 to October 25 were the Wasp, three U. S. Cruisers, five destroyers, six submarines, six transports and a minesweeper.

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one cruiser, one submarine, two transports and a minesweeper.

Including Monday's battle, the Japanese claimed that seven U. S. aircraft carriers had been sunk or damaged since August 25—more carriers than the U. S. Navy acknowledges are in commission since the loss of the Lexington and Yorktown in early summer battles in the Coral sea and at Midway.

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Tokyo said that the Santa Cruz battle lasted from dawn until night and that more than 300 United States aircraft were shot down or destroyed, while 40 Japanese planes were missing.

In the August 25-October 25 period, Tokyo claimed, 408 U. S. planes were shot down and 97 destroyed on the ground, while 48 flying fortresses had been heavily damaged. Admitted Japanese airplane losses for the period were 104, including 26 which "hurled themselves with their bomb load upon the enemy."

OPA Plans Given Used Tire Sale

The North Carolina Office of Price Administration yesterday cleared the way for the sale of un-

repaired tires to the government under the idle tire purchase plan.

T. S. Johnson, State OPA director, said that the price ceiling which governs ordinary transactions in damaged used tires will not apply to sales of tires to the government through the Defense Supplies Corporation.

Already thousands of tires have been turned in to the government in North Carolina, and the order is expected to bring many unrepaired tires in quickly.

The idle tire purchase plan provides for purchase of tires at the ceiling price, less the cost of any repairs needed.

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Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLESTON, JR.
 Wide World Sports Columnist

New York, Oct. 27.—(AP)—So Bob Pastor is retiring, eh? That keeps his record clear—always after Joe Louis and never catching up. . . . Only the other day Jimmy Johnson was claiming the heavyweight title for Bob when Louis was the guy who was retiring. . . . Wonder if Jimmy could just be trying to get his fighter's name in the papers without having it pointed out that Pastor recently lost fight to Jimmy Bivins? . . . Maybe the A. P. P. E. Association Pugilistica Dei Professionisti Europei—has the right idea at that. . . . From its headquarters in Rome comes word that Walter Neusel of Germany, Luigi Munina of Italy, Lazzeri of Italy, Ole Tandberg of Sweden and Kasey Sys of Belgium will engage in a tournament for the European heavyweight championship. . . . If anyone else retires, one of those guys might put in a claim for the world championship.

Strike, You're Out

One of the stunts suggested for the Bowler's Victory Legion USO benefit week is trying to roll the ball between the 4 and 6 pins without knocking either down. . . . The plan is to give contestants army rank according to how many times they do the trick before tipping over a pin—three makes you a corporal, six a sergeant, nine a lieutenant, etc. . . . The B. V. L. hopes the pastime will become general.

Common Ailment

At a recent soccer match between Bath City and Swansea Town in England, a squad of police was on hand with a bucket of disinfectant. . . . Every time the ball went out of bounds, the ball and the shoes of the men who retrieved it were washed in the liquid to prevent the spread of the foot and mouth disease, which has struck many head of cattle in the district. . . . We know some football coaches who need protection from the same disease—every time they open their mouth they put their foot in it.

Today's Guest Star

John Mooney, Salt Lake Telegram: "Understand Manager J. J. Johnston is thinking of making a scouting trip through the hinterlands, possibly looking for a new champion. Well, after Bicycle Bob was beaten by Jimmy Bivins, who can blame old three J's for looking for fresher Pastors?"

Service Dept.

Leut. Ralph G. Martin, who recently was decorated for shooting down a Jap seaplane in a fight over New Guinea, set a record at Olivet College in Michigan a few years ago by winning eleven letters in foot-

The Lowdown

A few secrets of football success as dashed out yesterday at the football writers' luncheon: By Ed Danforth, Atlanta Journal sports editor—"If the Marines were to have a serious reverse on Guadalcanal, it would practically wipe out top rank football in the South." . . . By Herb Kopf, Manhattan coach: "I said last week we had played our worst game against Detroit; Saturday it looked as if our worst was the best." (The Manhattan star was Jim Worst). . . . By Lou Little, Columbia coach: "Sometimes I look on our defense the way we all look on our month of February—I wonder why we have it at all."

Legislation Must . . .

(Continued from page one) they did not otherwise challenge the use of proxies.

The manpower proposals remained in a huddle which Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, director of selective service, did little to clear up when he indicated before the Senate Military committee yesterday he had no desire for legislation at this time.

Previously, Chairman Paul V. McNutt of the War Manpower Commission had left the impression with congressional committees that an administration measure was in the offing. The committee, with four bills pending before it, decided to let the whole thing go until after the election.

Russians Crush . . .

(Continued from page one) ated with killing 4,000 Germans and Rumanians in six days, routing survivors from their positions and occupying new lines.

Pravda said that, because of heavy losses, the Germans were unable any longer to press attacks on all sectors.

Red Air Force storm planes and bombers attacked enemy defenses south and northwest of Stalingrad, while German squadrons concentrated their attention on the city district.

More than 1,300 enemy flights were reported from one Stalingrad sector.

The noon communique reported about a battalion of enemy infantry was wiped out and six tanks were destroyed in the northern section, where the Germans had been

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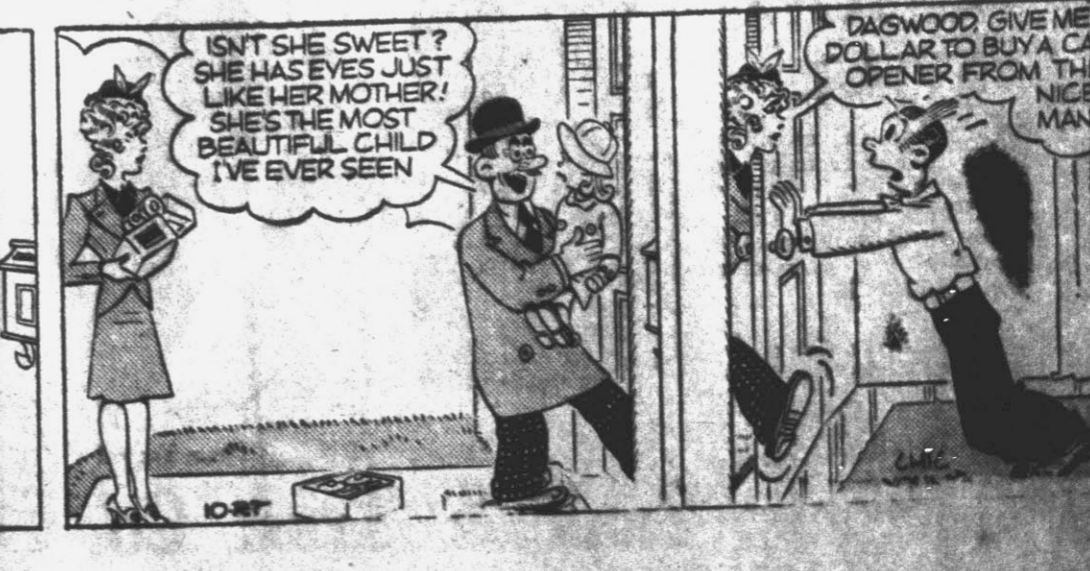
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WANTED TO BUY IMMEDIATELY—150 second-hand suits. Double breasted preferred. Regardless of condition. Sunshine Cleaners. 19-1f

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SUBSCRIPTIONS TAKEN FOR all magazines. Let me send in your renewals. Mrs. A. J. Moore. Authorized Representative. Dial 3355. Oct. 20-27-Nov. 3.

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FOR SALE—3 MILCH COWS, ONE milking now—two will freshen in November. See G. H. Rouse at Greenville Fertilizer Co., 509 Dickinson Ave. 27-eod-3f

FOR RENT—6-ROOM HOUSE ON Jarvis street. Apply to J. H. or J. C. Waldrop. 27-1f

SPECIALS FOR WEDNESDAY .. Cream-filled Doughnuts, Ginger Snaps, Ginger Bread, Vitamin B-1 Bread. People's Bakery.

LOST—GASOLINE RATION BOOK of Elijah Wooten, Jr., Greenville, N. C., Route No. 1. This is an A book, No. F916781C. Finder please return to Pitt County Ration Board, 119 West Fourth Street, Greenville, N. C. 27-2f

Poultry and Eggs

Raleigh, Oct. 27—(AP)—(NCDA)—Egg and poultry markets steady. Raleigh—U. S. extras large (clean white) 47 to 50¢; colored hens 19 to 21. Washington—U. S. extras large (graded white) 50 to 53¢; colored fowls 21 to 22.

Hog Market

Raleigh, Oct. 27—(AP)—(NCDA)—Rocky Mount hogs 10 cents lower with top of \$14.00; Richmond steady with top of \$14.25.

Grain Market

Chicago, Oct. 27—(AP)—Weakness in rye contracts, which were off about 2 cents at one time, unsettled other grain pits today and prices generally were lower. Other grains, however, displayed more resistance to the decline than rye.

New York Cotton

New York, Oct. 27—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 10 to 25 cents a bale higher. Late forenoon values were 10 to 15 cents a bale higher, Dec. 18.23, Mch. 18.35, May 18.43. Futures closed 30 to 35 cents a bale higher.

	Open	Close	Prv. Cl.
Dec.	18.22	18.26	18.20
Jan.	18.22	18.33	18.27
Mch.	18.35	18.40	18.32
May	18.44	18.48	18.41
July	18.55	18.57	18.50
Oct.	18.63	18.66	18.59

Middling spot 19.93, up 4.

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, Oct. 27—(AP)—Stocks turned downward today on a moderate selling movement credited to concern over the battle for Guadalcanal island. In the final hour declines in the pivotal industrials ranged from fractions to around 2 points. Transactions amounted to about 700,000 shares.

FINAL STOCKS	
Al Chem and Dye	140 1/2
Allegheny	13-32
Allis Chal Mfg	25 1/2
Am Bnl Mill	11
Am Smet and Ref	40
A T and T	125 1/2
Am Tob B	44 1/4
Anaconda	27
Arm Ill	3
A C L	32 1/4
Atl Ref	17 1/2
Aviat Corp	3 1/2
Bendix Aviat	35 1/2
Beth Stl	37 1/2
Boeing Airpl	17 1/2
Borden	21 1/4
Borg Warner	26
Briggs Mig	20
Budd Mig	3 1/4
Burl Mills	13 1/2
Bur Add Mach	8 1/2
Case J I	72 1/4
Caterpil Trac	37 1/4
Champ P and F	18 1/2
Ches and O	33 1/2
Chrysler	65 1/2
Coca Cola	81
Coml Credit	23 1/2
Coml Solv	9 1/2
Consol Edis	15 1/2
Con Oil	6 1/2
Cont Can	26
Corn Prod	51 1/4
Curtiss Wright	6 1/2
Dow Chem	123
Dupont	181
Elec Auto Lt	29 1/2
Firestone	19 1/2
Freeport Sul	37
Gen Elec	29 1/2
Gen Foods	33 1/2
Gen Mot	41 1/4
Goodyear	21 1/2
Int Harvest	51 1/2
Int Tel and Tel	4 1/2
Keaneport	31 1/2
Kroger Groc	26
Libby O F G I	27 1/2
Ligg and Myers B	61 1/4
Loews	44 1/2
Lorillard	15 1/2
Louis and Nash	62
Mack Truck	29 1/2
Mont Ward	31 1/4
Nash Kely	6 1/2
Nat Biscuit	16
Nat Cash Reg	18 1/2
Nat Dairy Prod	14 1/2
Nat Dist	23 1/4
NY Cent	11 1/2
No Am Aviat	13
Otis Elev	16 1/2
Pac Mills	18 1/2
Packard	2 1/2
Param Pix	16 1/2
Penny J C	74 1/2
Penn RR	24 1/2
Pepsi Cola	24 1/2
Phillips Pet	41 1/2
Pullman	27 1/2
Pure Oil	9 1/2

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Regnolds B 24 1/2
Seab A L 9-32
Sears 54 1/2
Sou Ry 16 1/2
Sperry 28 1/2
Std Oil N J 42 1/2
Swift 38 1/2
Tex Gult Su 37
Un Carb 74 1/2
Unit Alrc 28 1/2
Unit Corp 7 1/2
Unit Drug 6
US Ind Alco 30 1/2
US Rub 23 1/2
US Smet and Ref 42
US Steel 49 1/2
vanguard 17 1/2
Vick Chem 34 1/2
Warner Pic 6 1/2
West Union 28 1/2
West Elec and Mig 75 1/2
Woolworih 28 1/2
Yell T and C 12 1/2
Total Sales 628,640

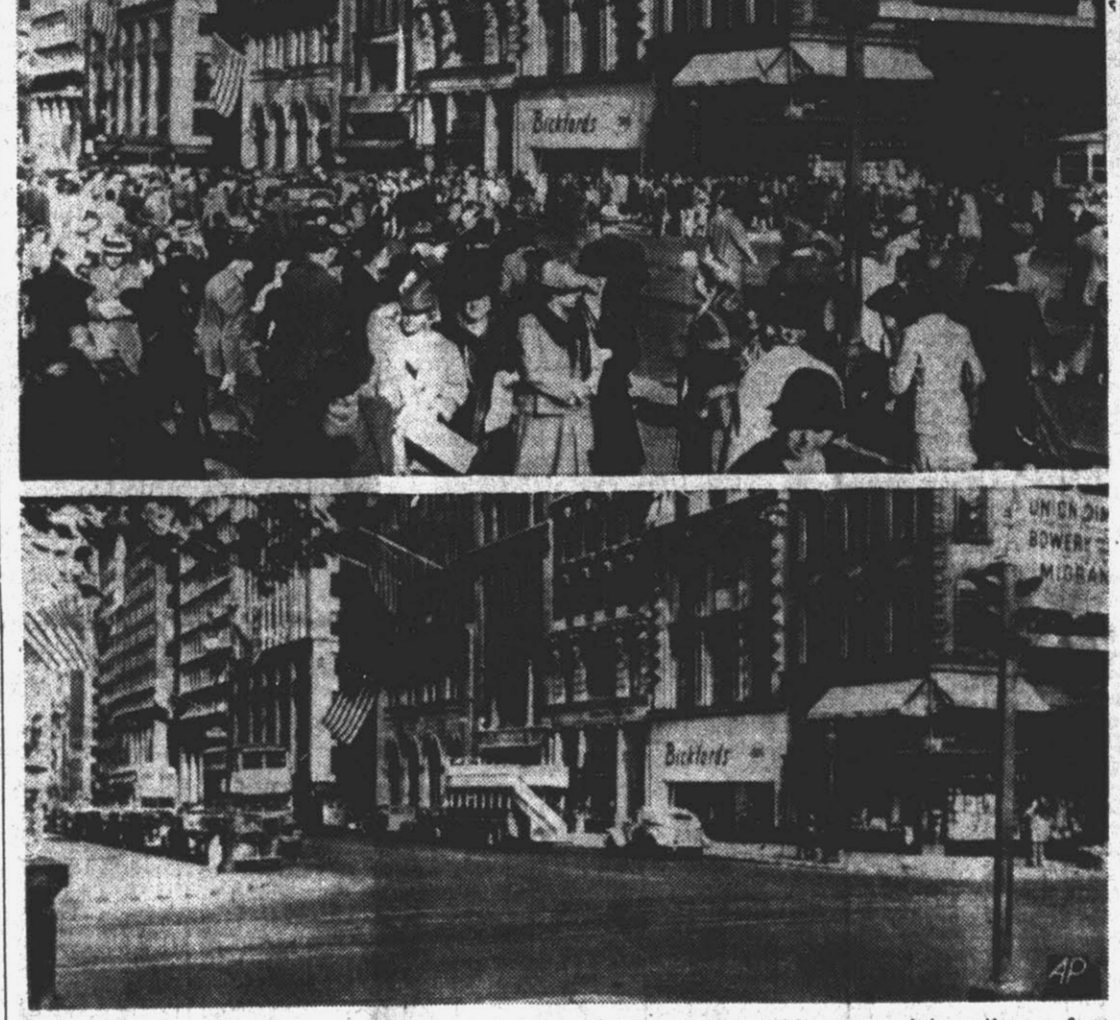
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Bigger Navy . . .

(Continued from page one) sands more planes and many new tons of floating craft, as President Roosevelt signed into law the second supplemental wartime appropriation and contract signed authorization bill. Congress completed action on the measure Thursday. The legislation brought to \$97,000,000,000 the total of direct appropriations and contract authorizations for the Navy since July, 1940.

New York Streets Empty In Air Raid Drill



The picture at the top was the scene at the busy 42nd street and Fifth avenue intersection a few minutes before sirens sounded New York City's first daylight air raid drill. Bottom: The same intersection just after the sirens blew. Except for air raid wardens (right background), the streets are deserted. Pedestrians, who jammed the sidewalks a few minutes before, have taken shelter. Note the automobiles halted in the street.

British Tars Help Virginia Farmers In Harvest



Lease-lend didn't provide for anything like this, but British sailors, spoiling for something to do while their ships are being repaired and overhauled in the Hampton Roads area, have pitched in to help short-handed Virginia farmers harvest their crops. Top: A group of the sailors march into the Norfolk Navy Yard to change to work clothes and catch rides to nearby farms. Bottom: Some of the volunteer workers gather corn in a field. The tars are not allowed to collect pay but wise farmers furnish plenty of beer, food and entertainment to make up for it.

800,000 tons of new aircraft carriers, 300,000 tons of cruisers, 300,000 tons of destroyers and escort vessels and 200,000 tons of auxiliary ships. Acquisition of 14,611 new bomber and fighter planes, at a cost of \$2,862,000,000, was provided in the direct appropriation. Arriving or hundreds more merchant ships was financed in a \$100,000,000 item, and \$600,000,000 was provided for defense housing. Including all items, appropriations totaled \$6,741,900,000. The measure was raised to \$222,000,000,000 the money provided for defense and war purposes since July, 1940.

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Flier Decorated

Gen. MacArthur's Headquarters, Australia, Oct. 27—(AP)—Major William G. Benn, leader of three devastating raids on the Japanese stronghold of Rabaul, New Britain, in which 100,000 tons of shipping were believed blasted, was awarded today the Distinguished Service Cross by General MacArthur for "extraordinary heroism, courage and leadership."

To Die Friday In Gas Chamber

Raleigh, Oct. 27—(AP)—Herman Allen, 35, convicted of murder, and Odis Harris, 17-year-old Negro convicted of rape, are scheduled to die Friday in the state's gas chamber. Governor Broughton could intervene, however. Seventeen other persons, including two women, are on death row.

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HULL REPLIES WILLKIE TALK

Says U. S. Policy On India Forward Looking

Washington, Oct. 27—(AP)—Secretary of State Hull, commenting on criticism by Wendell L. Willkie of the administration's attitude toward India, said today the United States was in fact deeply interested in the Indian situation and was watching for opportunities that might develop. Willkie said in a radio speech last night that a policy of silence on the problems of Indian independence was losing the United States friends in that part of the world. Asked about the speech at his press conference, Hull said the American attitude had been made known. He declined to take up in detail Willkie's criticism, pointing out that some American has something to say every day on some phase of the British-Indian situation, and he added, such Americans have various views. Hull went on to say that the state department for some time, and especially during this administration, had consistently proclaimed and carried forward in practice what it regarded as a forward looking policy. He said it will not expect commendation, but it is to be expected, he added, that the criticism will diminish as time goes on and the full facts are understood. In connection with Willkie's assertion that the United States had "no minister or ambassador in residence" in the Arabic speaking countries, Hull commented that Iraq was the only independent Arab state. He added that the United States minister to Iraq for many years

TODAY AT THE MOVIES

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was the late Paul Knabenshue, whom he called a man of unusually broad experience. The government, Hull said, has sent his successor Thomas M. Wilson.

As for Syria and Lebanon, Hull remarked, those countries still are mandated territory. To them, however, the government recently sent George Wadsworth as diplomatic agent and counsel general.

Three house democrats criticized Willkie's report on his round-the-world survey, with Rep. Patman (Tex.) maintaining that matters of war strategy should be left to the military experts.

Rep. Rankin (D-Miss.) maintained that the address would be "irreparable harm to the English speaking Allies," and declared that "the most dangerous part was the part which gave encouragement to the revolutionists in India.

"Does not the gentleman agree," Rep. Cox (D-Ga.) asked Patman, "that the American public has taken the measure of Mr. Willkie and pays very little attention to what he says?"

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