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Americans And British Holding Ground Despite Nazi Counter-Attacks

Eighth Army Bringing up Big Guns to Blast Through Axis Defense Positions; French Bag More Prisoners; Believe Showdown For Tunisia Near

By ROGER GREENE Associated Press War Editor Allied headquarters announced today that a series of violent all-day battles raged on the heights north of Medjez-El-Bab, 30 miles from Tunis, as the Germans lashed out in repeated but vain counterattacks to regain ground won by the British 1st Army.

Dispatches said British 1st Army infantry had driven to within 15 miles of the key road junction only 15 miles west of Tunis, in some of the fiercest fighting of the Tunisian campaign.

British vanguards were now reported holding a mountain line within 25 to 30 miles of Tunis, the capital, but it was clear that the enemy still had strength for powerful counter blows.

All his attacks were eventually beaten off and the high ground remains in our hands, a bulletin from Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's headquarters declared.

The communiqué said French troops also met stiffening opposition in the region of the Djebel Sersouf on the southwest rim of the Tunis-Bizerte defense zone, but held fast and captured more prisoners.

On the 8th Army front, patrol activity continues along the Enfidaville line, the communiqué said. Field dispatches reported that Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's 8th Army was bringing up its big guns to blast through Field Marshal Erwin Rommel's main defense bulwarks at Enfidaville, 50 miles below Tunis.

A French communiqué via Reuters said Gen. Henri Giraud's French troops had captured over 1,000 prisoners and killed nearly 1,000 more in attacking the western flank.

Dispatches from the battlefield said the final phase of the struggle was unmistakably at hand as British, American and French troops tightened their squeeze on Rommel's "coffin corner" and waves of Allied warplanes methodically blasted the remaining Axis airfield.

The entire Ferryville dock area was pictured as "devastated" by incendiary bombs.

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Says State's Rights Now National Issue

Atlanta, April 16—(AP)—No longer narrow, sectional or economic in scope, state's rights have become a national issue, Gov. J. Melville Broughton of North Carolina asserted today.

"It cannot be denied that centralized government in its bureaucratic manifestations has attained proportions that are alarming," said the chief executive in a speech prepared for delivery to the southern regional conference of the council of state governments.

"The war has necessitated much of this," he continued, "and unwise tinkers in government have undoubtedly sought to fix the emergency to exploit schemes that are alien to our form of government—schemes that would withdraw in the normal light of true American principles.

"But we may take heart in the aroused consciousness of the states and of the people. We are not going to have in America either a dictatorship or a totalitarian form of government."

TWENTY-TWO ESCAPE FROM GEORGIA PEN

Report Recapture By Posse of Two Desperadoes This Afternoon

Reidsville, Ga., April 16—(AP)—Recapture of two of 22 prisoners who broke out of the state penitentiary here early today after overpowering three unarmed guards was reported by Royal K. Mann, chairman of the State Prison Board.

He said a posse ran down one near Lyons and captured another near Vidalia after a state truck in which some of the convicts were fleeing overturned on the road between Lyons and Reidsville.

The identity of the recaptured prisoners could not be determined until they were returned here, Mann said, because they had given false names. He added he did not know who captured them.

Other convicts in the truck scattered after the vehicle turned over and were being pursued by bloodhounds and police, Mann said. The break was led by Forrest Turner and Leland Harvey, two of Georgia's most notorious prisoners, according to prison warden H. R. DuVall.

Warden DuVall said three of the prisoners jumped on guards G. B. Morrison, W. E. Overstreet and N. M. Spivey, locked them in a cell, took the prison keys and unlocked the front gate.

After taking the guards' keys they dismantled the prison telephone switchboard and pulled a switch which plunged the prison into darkness. They stole two prison trucks and a car belonging to Morrison and fled. The alarm was given a short time later, the warden said, when a 23rd prisoner, whom the warden believed may have been forced to leave the prison, appeared at the sheriff's office in Reidsville and surrendered.

The others abandoned Morrison's car near Cogswold, 14 miles northeast of Reidsville, and resumed their flight in another stolen car and the two trucks.

The break was led by Warden DuVall said, by Forrest Turner, 30, who has escaped from Georgia prisons so many times that the records are confusing, and Leland Harvey, 34, who has escaped at least six times, and D. G. Black, 31. These three overpowered the guards, the warden added.

New Taxicab Law Effective May 1st

Complying with the new state law permitting cities and towns to regulate taxicabs and requiring drivers to be of good character and reputation, a number of taxi men were today filing applications and being fingerprinted by Lester Page, fingerprint specialist with the Police Department. The state-wide law becomes effective May 1.

The taxicab law was passed at the recent session of the State Legislature as a result of pressure brought to bear on the legislators from all parts of the state. Taxicabs are an important part of the community life in all cities and towns. The law simply requires the drivers to be of good character, provides for taxing the vehicles, and otherwise safeguarding this kind of public transportation.

The army will deliver it free of charge to the most appropriate spot. The whole idea is: You can buy any size bond and have at least a share in a birthday gift to a personality which has presented the world with untold misery and suffering.

The treasury, however, asks that you buy during April just as much out of current income as you can afford—and maybe some besides that. It's to finance a war that is costing the United States 6 billion dollars a month, and to keep the home front safe from one of its deadliest enemies—inflation.

What the treasury is after, among other things, is to get loose money out of circulation—money that forces prices up by bidding against itself, even on a black market.

There'll be some \$45,000,000,000 of such loose money knocking about in 1943, it is estimated. The treasury thinks it is highly important that 13 billion of these loose dollars be invested in War Savings Bonds as soon as possible.

Authorities Conduct Search After Alcatraz Break



Boats of Alcatraz prison, San Francisco police and Coast Guard speed over San Francisco Bay in a search for four prisoners who escaped from 'The Rock.' Of the group, Harold Brest and Fred Hunter were caught, and Floyd Hamilton and James Boardman were killed. This was the seventh escape attempt from the prison (background).

Arrest Eight On Sabotage Charge

Baltimore, April 16 (AP)—The arrests of eight men formerly employed as welders at two Baltimore shipyards, on charges of sabotaging ships by doing faulty welding, were announced today by the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

SOVIETS RAID GERMAN BASES

Moscow, April 16—(AP)—The Red Army is throwing a mounting force into the bombing of German military objectives and cities, the latest feat of Russian fliers being announced as a raid on a German airfield on the Leningrad front where 13 German planes were destroyed on the ground.

The noon communiqué told of the exploits of a band of Russian fliers who bombed and strafed the German airfield, setting fires to buildings in the area as well.

The raid came on the heels of a Russian long-range attack on Kowno, the third bombing of that East Prussian city, and an assault on Danzig the first one this year.

Stories of the raids were given wide display in the Soviet press along with accounts of the Allied bombings from the west.

The German communiqué broadcast by the Berlin radio and recorded by the Associated Press asserted that the German air force destroyed 60 Russian planes yesterday with the loss of only two German craft. It said that in land fighting Russian attacks in the Kuban area had been dispersed with heavy losses to the Soviet troops.

German light naval forces operating off the Caucasian coast sank a Russian coastal ship, it was declared.

In land fighting Soviet troops struggled ahead in the Kuban area of the Caucasus, capturing another German stronghold and dominating the position in the face of fierce counterattacks by large numbers of German reserves.

Another sharp Nazi attack on the Donets river line north of Chuzhuy also was turned back, the Russians said.

The Danzig raid was made on the ports, warehouses, ship building yards, chemical plants and machine tool factories as well as other industrial objectives, it was announced.

Investia, the government newspaper, said the Soviet bombers made their way through bad weather and heavy clouds to reach the city, but that visibility was better over the River Vistula and heavy anti-aircraft fire met the first planes.

McDonald To Enter Race For Governor

Chapel Hill, April 16—(AP)—Dr. Ralph McDonald, who was runner-up to Clyde R. Hoey in the 1936 governor's race, will run for governor again in next year's Democratic Primary.

The Winston-Salem educator announced yesterday he had resigned from the faculty of the University of North Carolina here to make the race. He said however the university had requested him to continue his duties with its extension division until June 1.

McDonald said he did not expect to begin active campaigning for several months.

Allies Press Assault On Japanese Convoy

Cripple Three Out of Nine Ships Off New Guinea and Continue Offensive; American Bombers Make Eight More Heavy Assaults on Aleutians Base

By The Associated Press With a pledge of greater aerial reinforcements Gen. Douglas MacArthur's warplanes pressed home the attack on a nine-ship Japanese convoy off northern New Guinea today, after crippling three vessels in the opening assault and pounding other enemy targets across a wide expanse of the 2,500-mile South Seas battle arc.

Spotted at dusk yesterday off the base at Wewak, the enemy convoy consisted of six merchant vessels, a light cruiser and two other warships.

In swift waves, U. S. Flying Fortresses pounded on the enemy with these results: An 8,000-ton cargo ship left sinking; another 8,000-tonner floating lopsidedly, and a 5,000-tonner beached.

"We are continuing the attack," Allied headquarters said. Allied fighters reached out across the Pacific war zone, a navy bulletin said, American bombers ran up their two-day total of attacks on Kiska to 18 with eight more heavy bombing assaults on the Japanese outpost in the Aleutians Wednesday. The base was hit 10 times in a record-breaking attack Tuesday.

The navy said U. S. bombers also struck the enemy in the Solomon Islands yesterday, raiding off-bombed Munda and Vila and sinking an 80-foot Japanese vessel in Rekata Bay.

The Japanese, handicapped by losses to their 100-plane armadas during the past week, slacked up on their big new aerial offensive, but United Nations airmen continued to pound the enemy mercilessly.

Allied fliers reached out across the sea to blast three major Japanese air bases at Rabaul and Gasmata, New Britain, and Lae, New Guinea—and raided enemy-occupied Trangan in the Aroe Islands, bombed coastal shipping off the Timor and strafe a Japanese-held village on Timor island.

In addition, swarms of A-20 attack planes enemy in the Solomon Islands yesterday, raiding off-bombed Munda and Vila and sinking an 80-foot Japanese vessel in Rekata Bay.

Meanwhile, Allied headquarters disclosed that Japanese casualties in the New Guinea campaign up to (Continued on Page Six)

HITLER NOT IN COMMAND

Goebbels Says 'Government Has Right To Make Mistake'

New York, April 16—(AP)—Adolf Hitler still pursues his "vocation as a general," but apparently no longer is to be referred to as supreme commander of the armed forces, Berlin broadcasts recorded by the Federal Communications Commission indicated today.

Moreover, Propaganda Minister Goebbels declared in his current writing in the magazine Das Reich that "one must grant the government the right to make mistakes."

A Berlin broadcast recorded by the Associated Press, quoted Goebbels as saying "the German government did not foresee all that has happened in the past few years and nobody can foretell the course of any war."

In the same magazine, Col. Walter Scherff of the German general staff wrote that "the crisis through which we have passed left the fuhrer's vocation as a general unchanged. Hitler was not a person of icy calm" at times during the winter, the colonel added.

A later broadcast started with "The fuhrer and supreme commander of the armed forces has awarded a correction with the official news agency, DNB, saying:

"The item is to begin with the words 'The fuhrer has awarded.' The words 'and supreme commander of the armed forces' are cancelled."

Goebbels writing in Das Reich had this comment: "In 1918 the greatest disaster of the German people was that they gave themselves up. If Germany became weak for a second time it would mean that Germany is condemned. We cannot go back and we cannot even move out of the way. The government is not able to look into the future."

Leaders May Work Out Compromise Tax Plan

(By The Associated Press) Washington, April 16—Democratic and Republican leaders in the House who a fortnight ago were quarrelling furiously about taxes agreed today to try to work out a compromise that might put taxpayers on a pay-as-you-go basis by July 1.

They held a get-together in the office of Speaker Rayburn while outside there continued arguments on such varied topics as labor resistance to the new anti-inflation order, dollar devaluation authority, legislation to set up a boss over civilian supply and congressional demands to sit in on the United Nations food conference.

OPINIONS ARE HANDED DOWN BY MCMULLAN

Rules A. B. C. Boards May Use Part of Profits to Aid Law Enforcement

Raleigh, April 16—(AP)—Attorney General Harry McMullan ruled today in a digest of opinions that "no limitation is placed upon county ABC boards in the expenditure of the ten per cent of total profits required to be spent for law enforcement except one or more officers responsible to the board shall be appointed for law enforcement work."

"If an ABC board determines that it will aid law enforcement in the county and that it is desirable part of the ten per cent set aside for law enforcement may be used to install police radios in the cars of the sheriff and his deputies."

Other opinions: A board of county commissioners has authority to grant a leave of absence to one of its members. A juvenile court and not the Superior court has jurisdiction over a person under 16 years of age accused of bastardy. The juvenile court would have authority to require a boy under 16 years of age who is found to be the father of an illegitimate child and to have wilfully failed and refused to support it, to make payments for the support of the child.

There is no general law which authorizes municipalities in this state to hold referenda on the question of outlawing the sale of beer and wine.

Where a person is convicted of violating provisions of HB 180 relating to the hours for the sale of beer and wines, his name must be revoked by the courts. However, revocation becomes effective only after a final conviction. If a person is convicted in a recorder's court and appeals to the Superior court, the revocation is not effective pending such appeal.

There is no statute in this state which authorizes compensation to be paid by the state to persons who have been convicted of a crime and served part of a sentence and later found to be innocent.

A person who fails to list his dog for taxation is guilty of a misdemeanor. However, if a dog has been properly listed, and the owner fails to pay the tax he is not guilty of any criminal offense.

A private club organized for charitable, educational and recreational purposes, which operates a drink stand and lunch counter at which sales are made to members only is not exempt from payment of privilege taxes for the operation of the drink stand and lunch counter.

The term "employee" is defined in the workmen's compensation act to include all officers and employees of municipal corporations and political subdivisions of the state, except subdivisions of the state, except (Continued on Page Six)

RAF CONTINUES AIR OFFENSIVE

Make Raid On Targets in Germany and France

London, April 16—(AP)—Allied planes crossed the southeast coast of England this morning and headed for France to continue by daylight the air offensive against the continent.

The force followed a series of night sweeps by swift RAF Mosquito bombers and whirlwind fighter-bombers which ranged from northwest Germany to France to shoot up enemy rail transport, airfields, coast.

The Air Ministry said that RAF planes returned from these raids (Continued on Page Six)

British Sink Two Italian Destroyers

Allied headquarters in North Africa, April 16—(AP)—Two British destroyers sank two Italian destroyers off Sicily last night, according to the fleet commander, Admiral Sir Andrew B. Cunningham, announced tonight.

The admiral's statement indicated that the British destroyers suffered virtually no loss of personnel or damage. He said the British Navy was ready to smash any Axis attempt to withdraw by sea from Tunisia and that it meanwhile was hitting hard at supply lines from Europe.

To Open Pipeline In Richmond Area

Richmond, Va., April 16—(AP)—Governor Darden will open a valve releasing the first petroleum to reach Richmond by way of the newly-completed 180-mile pipeline from Greensboro, N. C., at formal dedication ceremonies on April 23, the Plantation Pipe Line company announced today.

The project constructed at a cost of \$4,500,000 is complete except for final connections of the line to oil company storage tanks in this area which are being hooked up now. After the governor turns the key to release the flow that will amount to a maximum of 30,000 barrels daily the Richmond-Baltimore-Washington area will be using petroleum products that Plantation is piping from Baton Rouge, La. The Baton Rouge to Greensboro pipeline will feed the Richmond circuit.

The formal opening will be observed here at the James River meeting house in South Richmond, and will be attended by representatives of the petroleum administrator for war, the Defense Plant corporation and officials of the pipe line company.

The WAR TODAY

AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEWS

By DEWITT MACKENZIE The divergence of views as expressed in Washington and in Australia regarding the danger of a Jap invasion of that continent leaves the American public in doubt and apprehension.

We set from Australian sources a picture of 200,000 Japanese planes and ready to invade as soon as the regain air control. Secretary of the Navy Knox counters with the view that there's no indication the Japs have the shipping to move so many men. An Allied spokesman in Australia retorts that a great Japanese combat fleet is massed in the Pacific area "within three days sailing distance of New Guinea."

Washington military authorities at this point intervene with the view that Japanese operations have passed from the offensive to one of "aggressive defense." They say there's a "strong possibility" the Japs will attempt to strike against Australia at any other important United Nations bastion.

Welders Taken Into Custody by FBI For Faulty Work on Liberty Ships

Baltimore, April 16 (AP)—The arrests of eight men formerly employed as welders at two Baltimore shipyards, on charges of sabotaging ships by doing faulty welding, were announced today by the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Seven of the men whose arrests were announced by FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover in Washington were accused of doing bad welding on Liberty ships at the Bethlehem-Fairfield Shipyard, Inc.

The arrest of performing faulty work on a tanker under construction at the Bethlehem steel company's Sparrows Point yard was disclosed when six men were brought before a U. S. commissioner for arraignment.

He was identified as James B. Dixon, 25 of Baltimore, a native of Portsmouth, Va.

All six entered pleas of innocent. U. S. Commissioner James K. Callen ordered the men held under \$5,000 bond each pending further hearing April 22.

Two of the eight were arrested outside Baltimore.

Hoover said the men have admitted performing faulty welding in order to finish their work in a hurry and earn more money. He added that there was no evidence of any Axis direction or supplies on the part of the welders.

Another Bethlehem-Fairfield welder arrested on a similar charge several weeks ago was convicted of sabotage yesterday in Baltimore federal court. He was George Arnold Steele, 20, formerly of Phoenix in Furnace, O. Sentence was suspended until April 19.

He listed these defendants to be arraigned today: Herman Scherer, 26, a native of New York, Raymond Ashby Bass, holder, 28, a native of Baltimore, Va., Hiram Thomas Via Jr., 22, born at Basic City, Va., Fairfax Holston Smith, 20, born at Greensboro, N. C., Leonard Lucas, 24, of Lancaster, S. C., were held by the national at Baltimore. Harley Brantley Miller, 22, arrested at Lexington, N. C., and Wilfred James Gossett, 24, arrested at Zanesville, O.

Many of the improper welds were in vital parts of the ships. Investigation said "and were of a discernible through the use of X-rays." (Continued on Page Six)

Social and Personal

Mrs. D. C. Davenport is in Pitt General Hospital for treatment.

Mr. Frank M. Brown has returned from Baltimore where he underwent an operation on his eye.

Pfc. Walter Earl Evans has returned to Camp Van Dorn, Miss., after spending a ten-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Evans.

Pfc. Dallas G. Whitford who has been in training in the Army Air Force Technical School at Trux Field, Madison, Wis., has been transferred to service at Drew Field, Tampa, Fla. He has recently been spending a short furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carol Whitford of Winterville.

Mr. Tvey Smith of Arthur is quite sick in Pitt General Hospital.

Mrs. J. H. B. Moore is confined to her home with sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Swain of Weldon spent yesterday here.

Mrs. Charlie Munford of New York is the guest of Mrs. C. T. Munford.

Cubs To Hold Meeting

The Cubs and parents of Park No. 9 will hold their regular monthly meeting this evening at Immanuel Baptist Church.

The boys will assemble at 7:30 and the parents at 8 o'clock. Both initiation and advancement ceremonies will be conducted and preliminary plans made for an outdoor meeting and marble tournament for next month.

Square Dance Tonight

There will be a square dance at the Woman's Club every Friday night, beginning at eight-thirty. Music for the dances will be furnished by Levi Evans string band.

College Play's First Run

In the first performance last night at the college of the Chi Pi Players' production of "Ladies in Retirement," three Greenville girls were prominent among the members of a cast that sustained suspense and interest throughout the whole story of an unusual murder and the unraveling of its mystery.

The three were Betsy Hobbog, as one of two half-crazed sisters who precipitated the murder; Ruby Taylor as a sister from a convent near the scene of the crime; and Virginia Cooke, as the maid who helped furnish in the love scenes some of the lighter moments of the play. A second performance will be given tonight at 8:30.

The play, a tragic story of the devotion of an older woman to two half-imbecile younger sisters left in her care, was given much of the proper mood by the artistic setting worked out by members of the Chi Pi group and Mr. and Mrs. Denton Rossell.

The director, Miss Ellen Caldwell, of the mathematics faculty of the college, had prepared each of the characters to make his contribution to the building up of the plot, the reality of the characterizations, and the unbroken suspense that held the audience to the close.

Social Calendar

FRIDAY
5:00 p.m. — Mrs. S. T. White and Mrs. J. B. Hawes, will entertain at tea at the home of Mrs. White, honoring Miss Myra Blount.

6:30 p.m. — Kiwanis Club.
7:30 p.m. — Red Men meet.

SATURDAY
7:30 p.m. — Misses Alice Leigh Blow and Elizabeth Gates will entertain at a spaghetti supper at the home of Miss Blow, honoring Miss Myra Blount.

SURGICAL DRESSING STATION OF RED CROSS in basement of New Classroom Building - E. C. C. C. Hours Daily Except Saturday 9-12 a.m. 2-5 p.m. Tuesdays and Wednesdays: 7:30-10:00 p.m. Workers should wear wash dresses and head coverings.

Robert L. Humber To Speak
Robert Lee Humber, widely known in this country and abroad, will speak on the "World Federation" at a meeting at Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church Monday morning at 10:30. Rev. G. W. Perry, pastor will preside over the meeting. The public is invited. Pre-Easter union services will be held at the church next week through Friday at 10:30 A. M. and 8 P. M.

Junior Woman's Club Meets
The Junior Woman's Club met Wednesday afternoon, April 14, at the home of Mrs. Charles Flanagan with Mrs. Ray MacKenzie as assisting hostess.

Lieutenant Taylor and Auxiliary Joans, representing the WAAC recruiting unit from Fort Bragg, spoke on the work of this woman's corps. They issued posters and pamphlets to club members and described all phases of the organization.

Miss Lelia Higgs was guest speaker for the afternoon and graciously presented an informative paper on Latin American Universities. She discussed educational progress thru three periods: (1) Colonial (2) Revolutionary and (3) Modern.

During the brief business meeting which followed, Mrs. W. D. Barbre, president, led the discussion on further plans for the sale of Defense Stamp corsages which the club has for sale each Saturday. Delegates to the State Convention to be held in High Point, April 27-29, were elected.

At the conclusion of the business meeting, the hostesses served a dessert course.

In Naval Service School.
Great Lakes, Ill., April 16 — After a series of aptitude tests and a personal interview given him during "boot" training to attempt to place him in the type of work for which he is best qualified in the Navy, Daniel M. Owens, 18 son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Owens, Route 4, Greenville, N. C., has been assigned to the service school for Electrician's Mates at the U. S. Naval Training Station here.

U. D. C. Meeting.
The George B. Singletary Chapter of U. D. C. met with Mrs. E. B. Allbrook at her home on Charles St., April 8. Mrs. E. S. Willard was hostess, also.

Mrs. Ralph Deal, president in the absence of the president, Mrs. J. L. Fleming.
After the beautiful U. D. C. ritual was said the following business was attended to:

Funds were voted for: Southern Literature for libraries, Historical fund, Children of the Confederacy organization.

A motion was passed to find out those eligible for the Military Service Crosses.

A survey was made to find out defense activities by the members. It was found that more than 90 percent were actively engaged in various forms of Red Cross work at tending classes and buying stamps and bonds.

It was announced that the young lady from Pitt county, who the chapter is sponsoring for Registered Nurses Training, later to do war work has already started her training in Watts Hospital, Durham, N. C.

Plans were suggested for the Confederate Memorial Day exercises and committees formed. These plans will be announced later.

Only Man



Billy Greene is the only man in the cast of "Ladies in Retirement," the play to be presented by the Chi Pi Players tonight at 8:30 in the Austin auditorium.

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR April 16, 1903
The cold weather continues and feels out of season. Wednesday Jesse Speight paid 25 cents a pound for some cotton.

Undergoes Operation
Major Smith of near Winterville, is getting along nicely, following an appendix operation in Pitt General Hospital yesterday.

To Observe Holy Week.
By series of short devotional services in the Y hut next week each afternoon at 1:30, April 19 through April 24, the YWCA, the YMCA, and the student denominational groups at the college working together will provide opportunity for observance of Holy Week.

Monday through Friday and at Vespers Friday evening, speakers drawn from these various organizations will talk on the seven sayings of Christ on the cross, taking them up in order of their utterance. The topic for the Saturday devotional will be "Those Who Take Up The Cross."

On Monday Nell Pitts of Creedmoor will talk on "The Self-Forgetfulness of Love," on Tuesday, Paula Ross of Edenton, "The Generosity of Love," Wednesday, Ruth McMan of Almon, "The Thoughtfulness of Love," Thursday, Mary Virginia Butt of Aurora, "The Loyalty of Love," Friday, Myrtle Massengill of Four Oaks, "The Patience of Love," at Friday night vespers, Harold Taylor of Stanfordsburg, "The Faithfulness of Love," and Mildred Beverly of Ahoskie, "The Trustfulness of Love," be Saturday services on "Those Who Take Up The Cross," will be led by Sylvia Greene of Roduco.

Miss Blount Complimented
In compliment to Miss Myra Blount, bride-elect, Mrs. R. M. Garrett and Mrs. R. C. Stokes entertained at a lovely tea yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Stokes, on Elizabeth Street.

Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Edward Batchelor and Mrs. E. T. Lloyd. Receiving with the hostesses and Miss Blount in the drawing room were Mrs. J. H. Blount, Mrs. H. L. Hodges, Mrs. Susie E. Warren, Mrs. F. L. Blount of Bethel and Miss Jean Ficklen and Mrs. John Hodges receiving at the door of the sun room where a second receiving line was formed. Here callers were presented to Mrs. M. L. Wright, Mrs. Dan Wright, Mrs. L. S. Ficklen, Mrs. William Anderson.

The home was beautifully decorated with a profusion of spring flowers. The dining room was especially lovely. The tea table, over which Mrs. John Hassell and Mrs. J. L. Kilgo presided, had for its centerpiece a gorgeous bowl of pink carnations, Persian lilacs, purple and white statice, yellow and white snapdragons, yellow and white tulips and Dutch lilies. Pink candles in holders with bases of pansies, burned at each side of the central arrangement. The buffet held a bowl of dark purple tulips, pink carnations, pink gladioli, purple iris and pink and yellow snap dragons. Trays of open face sandwiches in shapes of stars, bells, daisies and lilacs, pink and green cakes and composites of salted nuts and mints completed the table appointments.

Assisting in serving were Mrs. Jack Horton, Mrs. Tom Smoot, Mrs. Lee Folger, Miss Louise Kilgo, Mrs. Sam Northrop and Mrs. J. T. Cheatham, Jr.

Others assisting Mrs. Garrett and Mrs. Stokes in receiving throughout the house were Mrs. Marvin Blount, Mrs. Burke Stanfill, Mrs. W. D. Pruette, Mrs. J. J. Perkins, and Mrs. Charles Laughinghouse.

Tea guests were members of the families and close friends of the bride-elect.

King's Daughters Meet.
The Patient Circle held their April meeting Tuesday evening the 6th with Mrs. Richard Williams. This due to urgent business.

The president, Mrs. W. R. Jones gave a short devotional using a part of the 62nd and 63rd Psalms, the title of the Psalm, "A Psalm of David when he was in the Wilderness of Judah." Verses 1 to 8 are unexcelled in their expression of spiritual power and beauty. There is great assurance and comfort to all believers in the first line of the Psalm, "O God, Thou art my God." The privilege of making this claim is based on true and sincere devotion to God.

Quoting the great-souled woman of China, Madame Chiang Kai-Shek at present visiting the United States in an article "What Religion Means To Me," says this: "One of my strongest childhood impressions is of my mother going to a room she kept for the purpose, on the 3rd floor to pray. She spent hours in prayer; often before the be-

WGTC 1400 KILOCYCLES GREENVILLE, N. C.

- TONIGHT
7:00-Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS.
7:15-The Johnson Family, MBS.
7:30-At the End or Day.
8:05-Waltz Time.
8:15-Uncle Sam Series.
8:30-The Music You Love.
8:35-You and Uncle Sam.
9:00-Gabriel Heatter, MBS.
9:15-Chuck Foster's Orch. MBS.
9:20-Double or Nothing, MBS.
10:00-News.
10:15-Hoo Club.
10:45-Eddy Howard's Orch., MBS.
11:00-News.
11:15-Sign Off.

- SATURDAY, APRIL 17
7:00-News.
7:05-Yawn Patrol.
7:30-Melody Mustangs.
7:45-Musical Clock.
8:00-News.
8:15-Modern Novelty Trio.
8:30-Morning Meditations.
8:45-Strictly Instrumental.
9:00-News.
9:05-Design For Wartime Livelihood.
9:15-Local News and Announcements.
9:15-Milady's Music Box.
9:30-Melody Time.
9:45-Of Interest to the Ladies.
10:00-Obituary Column of the Air.
10:05-Women in the News.
10:10-Musical Interlude.
10:15-Farmville On the Air.
10:30-Rainbow House, MBS.
11:00-News Roundup, MBS.
11:15-Vivan Denning Presents. TN.
11:30-N. C. Goes to War.
11:45-U. S. Army Band, MBS.
12:00-Roundup Time.
12:05-News.
12:25-Songs of the Golden West.
12:40-Carolina Farm Features.
12:55-News and Markets.
1:00-Lest We Forget.
1:15-Melody Range.
1:20-Western Melodies.
1:45-Broadway Bandwagon.
2:00-News and Business Review.
2:15-Lani MacIntyre's Orch., MBS.
2:30-Mutual Goes Calling, MBS.
3:00-Today's War Commentary.
3:05-Musical Interlude.
3:10-In the Woman's World.
3:15-Ayden on the Air.
3:30-Shady Valley Folks, MBS.
4:00-Elmer Davis, MBS.
4:15-The Singing Troubadore.
4:30-Jungle Jim.
4:45-Jeanette Haddock.
5:00-Navy Bulletin Board, MBS.
6:00-News.
6:15-I Hear America Singing, MBS.
6:15-Sundown Serenade.
6:30-Sportscast, TN.
6:45-Mutual.
7:00-News.
7:15-Deep River Boys.
7:30-Religion Today.
7:45-Confidentially Yours, MBS.
8:00-Word of Life, TN.
8:30-Musical Varieties.
8:55-You and Uncle Sam.
9:00-Chicago Theater of the Air, MBS.
10:00-News.
11:00-Club.
10:45-To Be Announced.
10:30-News.
11:00-Sign Off.

NEWS OF GREENVILLE HIGH

Green Lights, high school paper, came out today. It was only four pages as ads have not been paying for the eight pages.

Reports
The next report will be given on Wednesday, April 28, and the final one will be given during the closing days of school in May.

Operetta
"The Chimes of Normandy," the light opera by Robert Planquette, will be presented Wednesday afternoon, April 28, and the following Thursday night. Tickets are on sale for 15c and 25c.

The cast includes: Amos Leggett, Henri; Bobby Clark, Grenicheux; Ernest Cahoon, Gaspard; Beverly Ballard, Bailly; Josephine Gibson, Germaine; Mimi Tripp, Gerpolette; Myrtle Pollard, Gertrude; and Manette, Delphia Flye.

Receive Awards
Eugene Carter, Denny Posey, Gene Dail, and Alfred Smith, eight grade science students of Mrs. P. W. Picklesimer, received honorable mention in a recent contest offered

by Current Science magazine. These students answered the question "Why is lead tetraethyl on the gasoline pump at the filling station?"

Coronation Ball.
"Who are the royalty?" will be answered tonight at the Coronation Ball. The ball which is probably the only dance at which the music will be supplied by an orchestra, that underclassmen will attend during the year, begins at 8:30 till 12:00. Jimmy Woodard's orchestra will play.

Students and service men attending are asked to remain in the building and use the cafeteria for refreshments and smoking.

Admission for couples is 75c and for stags is 50c.

Navy Seabees Will Accept Applicants
Chief F. B. Cleveland will be at the Navy Recruiting station, Raleigh, April 23 and 24, to interview men for the Navy's Seabees.

It is now possible for men between the ages of 18 and 33, who previously were prohibited from volunteering for any service, to enlist in the Navy's Seabees. The Seabees are composed of men skilled in every phase of construction—and the Navy guarantees each applicant that he will follow his chosen trade in the construction battalions.

Most men are enlisted with petty officer ratings in the Seabees, and, after a 30-day indoctrination period, they are assigned to some naval base on a construction project. Much of the duty is foreign duty.

As a Seabees petty officer, a tradesman draws up to \$126 per month base pay—plus all living expenses, clothing, and allowances for dependents. Ratings up to chief petty officer are awarded at time of enlistment.

Everyone interested in this branch of the service is urged to visit the Navy Recruiting Station, New Bern, bringing with them at least three letters of recommendation from former employers as to their ability, where they may be furnished transportation to Raleigh, in order to interview Chief Cleveland, on the above mentioned dates.

Ricks hotel here on April 28 at 29.

Over 300 representatives from Rotary clubs in eastern North Carolina will attend the two-day session, Hal S. Orr of Rocky Mount district governor who will preside over the convention, slated today.

The convention will be opened Wednesday, April 28, with registration at one o'clock. Dr. T. Roman Wagner, Baptist minister of Norfolk, Va., who is noted for humorous lectures, will speak at the fellowship banquet Wednesday night and Past District Governor H. I. (Tavaria) Jones of Graham will serve as toastmaster.

Announce Speakers For Rotary Meeting
Rocky Mount, April 16—A group of well known speakers including Don Bate of New York City, news commentator and author, Governor J. Melville Broughton of Raleigh and Algie Blair of Montgomery, Ala., a past director of Rotary International, will take part in the program of the convention of the 189th district of Rotary International which will be held at the

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### Negro Home Demonstration News

AMELIA S. CAPEHART  
Negro Home Agent

Each club member is to make a dress and wear it to the May Meeting.

**Ayden H. D. Club**  
The April meeting of the Ayden H. D. Club was held at the home of Mrs. Lottie Canandy April 8th, with Mrs. Josephine Reaves presiding over a short business session. Reports from the Garden Leader, Mrs. Nancy Becton were given. Despite inclement weather every one reported a garden in progress.

The club extra project for the month was a block quilt made by the members. The week of April 11 was observed as National Negro Health Week. Much has been done by club members to improve their homes and the surrounding for health.

The home agent, Mrs. A. S. Capeheart, gave a demonstration on "Cleaning to Save" or "Clean the Easy Way". She emphasized that cleanliness and order of the home affect the health and well being of every family. The average house-

A demonstration was given on the "Sure and Quick way of making a Dress" by the home agent.

### Freezing Weather Harmful To Crops

**By CHESTER WALSH**  
Following hail, wind and thunder storms earlier in the week the official thermometer here registered 30.7 Wednesday morning and 27.9 degrees Thursday morning. The ground was frozen in places and a heavy frost both nights considerably damaged young vegetables.

The thermometer this morning at 8 o'clock registered 38.4 degrees and the mercury gradually ascended the tube during the day, spreading hope that the cold snap is over.

Freezing temperatures and heavy frosts have completely set back white Irish potatoes and they must take on new growth. The damage by cold will decrease the yield to a great extent, it was stated at the County Farm Demonstration Agent's office today. Red Irish potatoes stand frost and cold better than the white variety and will come around all right, it is believed.

Tobacco plant growth has been retarded by lack of rain, wind and unusual cold weather. Many plants were seriously damaged by a freeze in February. Replantings are naturally late and they have been slowed up by recent wintery weather. The principal damage to tobacco plants has been done by flea beetles.

Many farmers were transplanting the last of April a year ago, but it now appears that transplanting will not get under way until the first of May, it was stated.



**WHITE**— Angel-skin crepe, with black Chantilly lace mantilla and fan, features this draped dinner gown by Lange.

### The WAR TODAY

(Continued From Page One)  
The Australian drive for more air power from the United States. You can't blame the public therefore if it wonders whether a high pressure advertising campaign is on.

However, Americans never questioned the need of building up Allied strength in the Pacific as rapidly as feasible.

There's no indication that the Allied high command has any intention of altering its basic strategy of knocking out Hitler first, or at least rendering him impotent, before trying to put the full heat on Japan. That strategy is a matter of necessity. It was imposed on the high command by a circumstance over which they had no control, namely, a Nazi strength which threatened to conquer all Europe quickly and then span the Atlantic.

If the Allies should divert any considerable amount of their striking power from Europe, in order to hit Japan, they might be handing Hitler a free ticket to victory.

We now have the battle of the Mediterranean in our favor. But the scales there haven't swung so violently our way as they couldn't be counter-balanced. If we weaken ourselves in that theater Hitler might stage a come-back. He who controls the Mediterranean wins the war.

The logical thing now is for the Allies to pile it on Hitler until he is crushed.

We also must divert as much strength as feasible to the southwest Pacific. But it looks now as though our job there for the moment must be largely an aggressive holding operation.

### NOTICE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

North Carolina  
Pitt County  
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT  
Before the Clerk  
Pitt County and the City of Greenville, Petitioners

S. I. Dudley and wife, Alma A. Dudley, Samuel C. Dudley and wife, Dorothy C. Dudley, Annie E. Tighman, and husband, Larry E. Tighman, Dorothy Sullivan and husband, Ralph F. Sullivan, Clara Barker and husband, Burney W. Barker, Charles T. Dudley and wife, Eddie Whitehurst and wife, Alice Whitehurst, Dorsey Acklin and wife, Rebecca Acklin, W. O. McGibony, trustee, The Land Bank Commission, and The Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation.

The defendants hereinabove named and each of them, will hereby take notice that a Special Proceeding has been instituted in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, and entitled as above, for the purpose of condemning under the right of Eminent Domain the following described land to enlarge and extend the boundaries of the County-City Airport located in Pitt County:

Situate in Greenville Township, beginning at a stake located in the center line of the N.W.-S.E. runway at the eastern end of same, and thence at right angles to the center of said runway N. 42-00 E. 500 feet thence N. 11-35 E. to the center of the Old River Road, thence with the center of the Old River Road northwesterly to the N. E. corner of the present airport site, Dudley's corner; thence with the eastern line of the present airport site and S. I. Dudley's line, S. 37-57 W. 677.9 feet to a corner in the Dudley and Airport line, thence with the Dudley line and the present line of Airport land S. 12-57 W. 1029 feet to the center line of the N. W. - and S. E. runway; thence continuing with the line of the airport site and Dudley line S. 12-57 W. 1527 feet to a stake, thence N. 42-00 E. 1325 feet to the beginning containing 42.2 acres as shown on map of the proposed airport made by H. L. Rivers, Engineer.

And the said defendants, and each of them named in the caption hereof, will further take notice that they are required to be and appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, at his office in the court house at Greenville, N. C. within ten days after the completion of the service hereof, and answer the petition, copies of which have been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said County; and if the said defendants shall fail to answer the petition within said

time, the petitioners will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the said petition.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court this 25th day of March, 1943.

J. F. HARRINGTON  
Clerk Superior Court  
Pitt County

Mar. 26-11w-4wks.

### NOTICE OF ELECTION

The Private Laws of the General Assembly of North Carolina, Session 1937, as amended by the Session 1941, require that an election for the selection of a Mayor and five members of the Board of Aldermen, one member from Wards 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 in the City of Greenville, shall be held on the first Monday, the 3rd day of May, 1943; and pursuant to an Election held on the 28th day of March 1938 that an election for the selection of a Judge of Recorder's Court and a Solicitor of Recorder's Court, of the City of Greenville, shall also be held on the first Monday, the 3rd day of May, 1943; that the books for registration of voters who are not already registered for Municipal Elections or who have transferred from one Ward to another since last Election, shall be kept open for 10 days, exclusive of Sundays, preceding the first Monday in May and that all candidates for Mayor shall register their candidacy with the City Clerk at least 10 days prior to the first Monday in May and shall deposit for registration the sum of \$10.00 and that all candidates for Aldermen shall register their candidacy with the City Clerk at least five days prior to the first Monday in May and shall deposit for registration the sum of \$1.00; and that all candidates for Judge of Recorder's Court and Solicitor of Recorder's Court shall register their candidacy with the City Clerk at least five days prior to the first Monday in May and shall deposit for registration the sum of \$1.00; and that all candidates for Judge of Recorder's Court and Solicitor of Recorder's Court shall register their candidacy with the City Clerk at least five days prior to the first Monday in May and shall deposit for registration the sum of \$1.00; and that all candidates for Judge of Recorder's Court and Solicitor of Recorder's Court shall register their candidacy with the City Clerk at least five days prior to the first Monday in May and shall deposit for registration the sum of \$1.00.

By order of the Board of Aldermen at regular meeting March 4, 1943.

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### Only One Offender In Recorder's Court

**By CHESTER WALSH**  
In City Recorder's Court today Judge J. W. H. Roberts and Solicitor Eli Bloom claimed a record for the court when there was only one name on the docket for trial. Linwood Lassiter, charged with indecent exposure, was fined \$15, costs deducted.

Judge Henry L. Stevens of Warsaw established a record in Superior Court here yesterday when he adjourned court after completing a two-weeks docket in three and a half days, disposing of more than 30 cases.

Early closing of places where wine and beer are sold, announced plans of city officials of Greenville and other North Carolina towns and cities to enforce the vagrancy law and require men and women to work at some job regularly to help win the war, rationing of gasoline and a general tendency of people to go home early at night, were factors in diminishing the number of law violators, Police Chief George Clark stated.

**League Elects Officers**  
Raleigh, April 16—(AP)—The North Carolina Building and Loan league elected Crown B. Miller of Albemarle president at its annual meeting here yesterday. Victor M. Stonebanks of Raleigh was named vice president.

The league voted to increase its directors to five and elected Dr. R. Fonville of Burlington, Paul J. Kiker of Wadesboro, George W. Crane of Winston-Salem, H. H. Stranberg of Rocky Mount and Walter P. Carpenter of Lenoir.

### Convicted Rapist Dies In Chamber

Raleigh, April 16—(AP)—Protesting his innocence until the last, John Henry Lee, 20-year-old Camden county negro, was put to death today in central prison's gas chamber.

He was pronounced dead nine and one-half minutes after the gas was started at 10:08 a. m.

Lee was convicted in Camden County Superior Court of raping a young mother in that county last September 26. Paroles Commissioner Hathaway Cross said the negro entered the woman's home shortly after her husband left for a defense job in Norfolk Va., choked, assaulted and raped her.

The young Negro told prison Chaplain Lawrence A. Watts this morning that he was innocent and that he would not walk to the gas chamber. Watts said Lee told him that if he went "there" he would have to be taken, and that he had just as soon be shot to death in his cell as to die in the gas chamber.

However, Warden Ralph McLean said the negro walked to his death without even having to be supported.

### Governor Issues Pardon To Negro

Raleigh, April 16—(AP)—William Mason Wellman, a Negro sentenced to die after conviction in Iredell county last August of raping Mrs. Cora Sowers, 67-year-old white woman, was pardoned by Governor Broughton yesterday.

The governor said that payrolls at Fort Belvoir, Va., near Washington, disclosed unmistakably that Wellman was working in the Virginia town and signed the payroll about noon on the day of the crime.

The payroll receipt an other documentary evidence was not available to the court at the time of Wellman's trial, the governor said.

Wellman was released from prison yesterday—a free man. He had been granted three reprieves, the first one day before he was first scheduled to die November 20, 1942.

### Grand Jury Lauds Collection Of Taxes

The grand jury's report to Judge Henry L. Stevens in Superior Court yesterday praised the Pitt County Tax Department for exceptional diligence in collecting unpaid personal, poll and dog taxes and encouraged the department to continue the good work.

A check of the records in the tax collector's office shows that paid due taxes in Bethel township totaled about 90 per cent something of a record on delinquent taxes. Collections in Greenville township up to date are better than in years.

Reports from other townships show that tax collections this year are going to exceed past years by a considerable margin.

wife spends about one-third of her time cleaning floors, dishes, clothes, bath tubs, etc. Regular habits should be formed by all members of a household to "pick up" their personal belongings.

Elbow grease is one kind of grease the Government is not asking you to save especially when it comes to spring cleaning. In order to do a job good tools and supplies are necessary and with many of the household cleaning chemicals absorbed in war there are still many that we can make at home, with the elbow grease plus plenty of water and soap we can make the home front healthy. Mrs. Capehart left the club members with the serious thought that if we would do our part to conquer the evil of the world, we as individuals must attain attitudes of goodness when evil cannot live.

Mrs. Marybell Dixon, Reporter.

**Lewis H. D. Club**  
Twenty-two club members met at the home of Mrs. Polly Joyner, April 9th, for their monthly meeting. Devotional was led by the president, Mrs. Polly Joyner, after which reports on the Home Front were given.

The monthly projects was Home Improvement. Due to the war every one will spend more time at home this summer than ever before and in order to enjoy home and family life the club members reported much improvement in making the home and surrounding attractive, namely—repairing of building, painting, screening and planting flowers.

Cleaning to Save was the demonstration given by Mrs. Capehart. Emphasizing the cleaning of linoleum and waxing it to make it last longer. It is especially important to take care of linoleum these days, because of the cork used in its manufacture is imported and supplies are not easy to obtain. Also the care of furniture, walls, mirrors and windows.

A dessert course was served the meeting, adjourned to meet with Mrs. Emma Williams in May at which time every one will be dressed in her new dress made by suggestions given in our clothing lesson. Reported.

**Cherry Lane H. D. Club**  
On April 13 the H. D. Club met at the home of Mrs. Bessie Harris with 16 members answering to the call for month.

Bertha Joyner presided. Every one of the members reported that she was 100 per cent in the Food Production program. Gardens are being planted, and two brooder houses built by members during the month.

Space was given her for members to get the last information on making a dress by the Sure and Quick Method. Then the meeting was turned over to Mrs. Amelia S. Capehart, Home Agent. Her demonstration was "Cleaning to Save". We thoroughly enjoyed this demonstration which will be beneficial as well as profitable to us. Mrs. L. B. Cox, Reporter.

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- 5 Red Points lb. glass **CRISCO** lb. glass **24c**

- CARROTS** 2 bch. **17c**
- CABBAGE** lb. **10c**
- TOMATOES** lb. **29c**
- ORANGES** doz. **33c**
- LEMONS** doz. **28c**
- CELERY** bch. **14c**

- NOT RATIONED!**
- Fryers, dressed **57c**
- and drawn, lb. **35c**
- Roe Shad lb. **98c**
- Fresh Oysters qt. **51c**
- Hens, dressed and drawn, lb. **19c**
- Buck Shad lb. **50c**
- Fresh Oysters pt.

- 8 POINTS Bacon White Label or Palace, lb. **39c**
- 6 POINTS Rib Side Meat, lb. **24c**
- 1 POINT Fresh Neck Bones, lb. **10c**
- 8 POINTS Center Cut Pork Chops, lb. **41c**
- 4 POINTS Thick White Fat Back, lb. **17c**
- 5 POINTS Smoked Sausage, lb. **27c**

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## Strength FOR THE DAY

By KARL L. DOUGLAS

### STRONG AS MOUNT ZION

"They that trust in the Lord shall be as mount Zion which cannot be removed, but abideth forever." The word "trust" here used means literally to hang upon something. It tells us just what faith is, namely, hanging in complete trust upon the Lord and His promises. In recent generations there has been a great attempt made to rationalize religion. Many have felt that if the mystery were taken out of religion many people who are now indifferent would become zealous. As a matter of fact religion is and always has been a thing of faith. Above all else it involves self with complete abandon upon the divine promise. We are not told that those who understand religion shall be a mount Zion, but that those who trust the Lord shall be as mount Zion. There stood that great eminence of faith and religion devotion, surrounded by the hills and mountains, placidly surviving the ebb and flow of world tides. Its solidarity bespoke the quiet assurance of those whose faith had given them confidence and power.

Here is a word of the Lord by which souls in all ages may be sustained: "The mountains shall depart and the hills be removed, but my loving kindness shall not depart from thee; neither shall the covenant of my peace be removed, saith the Lord."

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### DOUBLE SERVICE BY BYRON PRICE

Director, Office of Censorship (Written for The Associated Press and Daily Reflector)

The first thing any of us should be thinking about today is the winning of the war. If your extra dollars hasten victory by even a fraction of a second, they will be well spent.

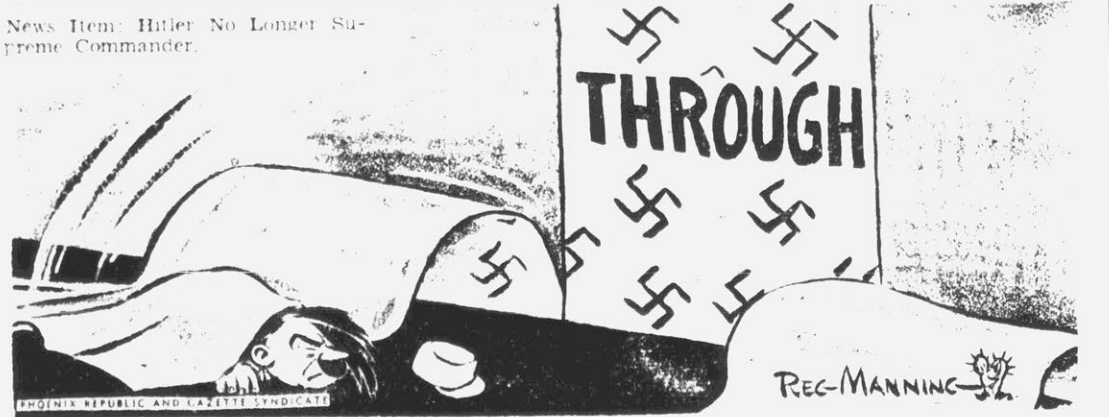
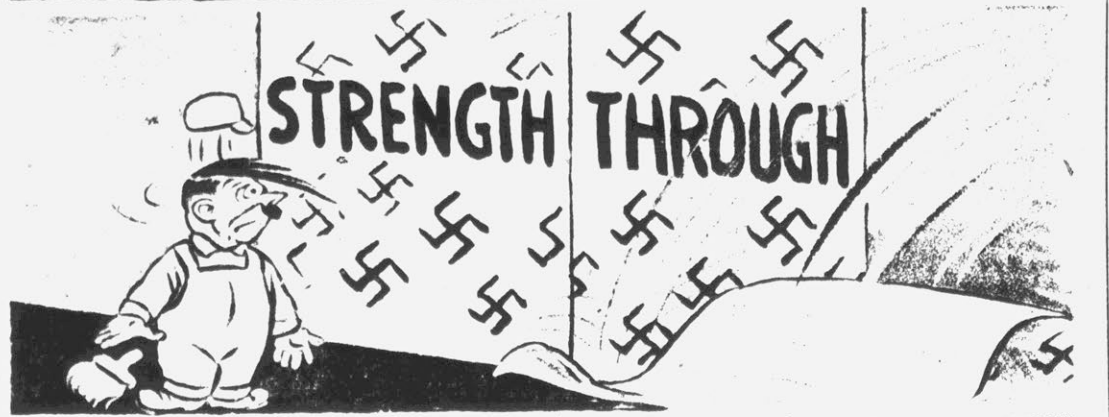
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### A HOPEFUL SIGN

The fact that, according to news reports, Hitler is no longer supreme commander of the Nazi forces despite the fact that he retains his rank as general, might indicate that Germany is finding that Hitler's intuition is no match for the brains of the fighting forces of the United Nations. Relieving Hitler of his command does not necessarily mean that Germany is at the cracking point for there are others of the high command who will see to it that the war is carried on, but the change should have its effect upon the German people who have been told by Hitler that they are a superior race and that he would personally lead them to world domination. It would be too optimistic to take this report as a sign of the immediate crumbling of German war machine

## Paper Hanger



REC-MANNING

News Item: Hitler No Longer Supreme Commander.

and the crack-up of German morale on the whole but if true the report is at least encouraging for it indicates that deterioration is setting in and may help to hasten the end of the tyranny brought about by Hitler and his cohorts in crime.

## WASHINGTON IN WARTIME

By JACK STINNETT

Washington — Don't think that was idle chatter when Postmaster General (Chairman of the National Democratic Committee) Frank C. Walker suggested that this year's conventions be held later and that only a month or two be devoted to the campaign.

Don't think it was idle chatter when Republican National Committee Chairman Harrison E. Spangler, ordinarily a very mild fellow, let loose a lot of wrathful sarcasm at the idea.

As a matter of fact, those might result in 1944 campaign strategy which you will see enacted.

There's no doubt now out what the 1944 campaigns are on. The fourth term talk, that "anti-third term" movement in several states (so far it has been mostly a fizzle), repetition of the names of Governors Bricker, Stassen and Dewey, and of Wendell Wilkie as potential Republican candidates, and now this battle over the lengths of the campaigns, are all opening guns

## Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1	Kind of salt	36	Coral islands
4	Fire Cuban tobacco	38	Change
8	Location	40	Any of several stars
12	Exclamation	41	Without
13	Sailed; Phil. name	42	Surgeon's instruction
14	Vegetable	44	Benign talk
15	Light blue	46	Self-destroyer
16	Thick-skinned animal	48	Mixed pack
18	Cutting implement	50	Any of several
20	Green letter	52	Appended
21	News organ	53	Artisan's likeness
22	Relative	54	Swiss caption
23	Barbarian	55	Verbal
24	Cast off	56	Thin of a coat
25	Auditor	58	A side
28	Exclamation	59	People's sand-
31	Platform	60	Latin
33	Interior	62	English letter

Solution Of Yesterday's Puzzle

1	Lowest face of a die	3	Happen
2	Metal	4	Disruptories
3	Happen	5	Wing
4	Disruptories	6	Moonasin
5	Wing	7	Greek goddess
6	Moonasin	8	Soft drink
7	Greek goddess	9	Peace start
8	Soft drink	10	Rebeck
9	Peace start	11	City in Florida
10	Rebeck	12	Barely visible
11	City in Florida	13	Without
12	Barely visible	14	Benign talk
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**NOTICE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION**

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT  
Before The Clerk  
Pitt County and the City of Greenville, Petitioners.

vs.

Paul G. Balafas and wife, Nancy Balafas; W. J. Dunn, Mortgagee; Elarion Papaconstantantinos; Mrs. James Long; Cliff-Well Clear Company, Inc. and Harry Stalls and wife, Mrs. Harry Stalls.

The defendants hereinabove named and each of them, will hereby take notice that a Special Proceeding has been instituted in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, and entitled as above, for the purpose of condemning under the right of Eminent Domain the following described land to enlarge and extend the boundaries of the County-City Airport located in Pitt County, Greenville Township, Pitt County, beginning at a stake on Tar River, the S. E. corner of the Streeter land and the S. W. corner of the Balafas land, thence with the line between Balafas and the Streeter land N. 25-22 E. 2597.9 feet, thence S. 48 E. to the line of the May heirs; thence with the line of the May heirs S. 25-22 W. to the S. W. corner of the May heirs land; thence S. 64-15 E. 23 feet to the ditch; Balafas and May heirs' corner; thence southwestwardly with said ditch to Tar River, the present airport corner, thence on Tar River to the beginning, containing 33.70 acres as shown on Map made by H. L. Rivers, Eng.

And the said defendants, and each of them named in the caption hereof, will further take notice that they are required to be and appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, at Greenville, N. C., within ten days after the completion of the service hereof, and answer the petition, copies of which have been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said County; and if the said defendants shall fail to answer the petition within said time, the petitioners will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the said petition.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court this 25th day of March, 1943.

J. F. HARRINGTON  
Clerk Superior Court  
Pitt County

Mar. 26-11w-4wks.

## HORSE PRAIRIE BY CLEM COLT

Chapter 10

"Of course," the sheriff said with a thin, wintry smile. "I am not pr'um'n' to doubt your word, but there'll be some who'll want to see proof, understand—I'm speaking about your kinship to Sam."

"Yes, of course—quite naturally." Blackwater nodded. "With such a large place at stake—and due to be sold in a few weeks for taxes—it is entirely understandable that some persons might wish to prove me an interloper."

Blackwater's smile shared the thought with the sheriff. "I expect they'll be a trifle bitter about it. But I can prove it all right. As a matter of fact I've got Uncle Sam's will. It's a home-made will but it's all in order."

"It seems rather queer—" "That I've waited so long to come out here? Well you must understand—But no matter! My acts are accountable to no one." "And while we're on the subject," he said, "I would like to know by what rights the Stockton bank has dared meddle with my business? Jones, here, tells me they claim to have been leasing Horse Prairie to some syndicate."

"You'll have to take that up with them," remarked Shallett hastily. "I know nothing about the matter. But I would like," he said, skewering a finger at Jones, "to know your connection with—"

"With Mister Jones?" "Exactly." "Yes, I know," murmured Blackwater blandly. "He had the same County-City Airport located in Pitt County."

Situate in Greenville Township, Pitt County, beginning in the center of the Old River Road at a point where the center line of the N. S. runway intersects same and runs with said River Road N. 55-20 W. 325.3 feet, thence S. 12 W. 480.9 feet to a ditch, thence with ditch to the ditch, containing 2 acres.

Also, one other parcel beginning at a point in the May line where the northern property line of the N. W. - S. E. Runway crosses same, thence S. 48 E. to ditch on the western line of the present airport site, thence down said ditch to the May heirs corner, thence N. 64-15 W. 23 feet to another of the May heirs corners, thence with the western line of the May heirs land N. 25-22 E. to the beginning, containing 0.6 acres. The above land being a part of Lot No. 5 of the R. J. C. property. Reference is made to Map made by H. L. Rivers, Eng.

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Mar. 26-11w-4wks.

**NOTICE**

The undersigned having qualified as Executor and Executrix of the estate of R. L. Smith, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased, to exhibit the same to W. H. Smith, Executor, Greenville, on or before the 10th day of April 1944, or this notice will be plead in bar thereof.

This the 7th day of April 1943.  
W. H. Smith, Executor.  
Vernessa S. Townsend  
Executrix of R. L. Smith  
Deceased.

Apr. 10-11w-4wks.

**NOTICE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION**

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT  
Before The Clerk  
Pitt County and the City of Greenville, Petitioners.

vs.

George May, Joseph May, John May and wife, Beatrice May, Mamie Garrett and husband, George Garrett, Wilhe Price and husband, James Price, Tempie May, Laura May, Nina May, Belle May, Arkinson and husband, Roy Arkinson, Bernice May Clifton and husband, James Clifton, Leonard Roberson, E. H. Taff, Jr., trustee for M. K. Blount, Jasper Perkins, and J. L. Liverman.

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idea that's been buzzing around in some other folks' heads—that the Holcom place would be sold for back taxes. But that's muddy water gone under the bridge. The place is not going to go. I'm paying the taxes and, incidentally, Mister Jones has agreed to stay as range boss—" "He's goin' to stay, all right!" like Shallett snapped.

"Do I understand you intend to arrest him?" "I am arrestin' him! Right here an' now! You may be all you claim to be but this skunk-coddlin', four-flusher is goin' to jail!" "What for?" Blackwater asked. "What for? If there's anything on the calendar—" "Let's be specific—shall we?" The sheriff got hold of his temper. "Very well," he said grimly. "If you're hiring him you've got a right to know, I guess. There's half a dozen charges we could bring against him, but—" "Oh, is that so?" Tubac growled. "What you're doin' arrestin' for?" Shallett's growl cut through his gab, "is breakin' an enterin'. Breakin'," he said, plainly pleased with himself, "an' enterin' the Stockman's Bank and Mortgage—" "Say! What is this?" Jones demanded. "A frame-up?" "Just a moment," interposed Blackwater. "Do you wish me to understand your arrestin' my range boss for robbin'—" "I never said nothin' about robbin'." As a matter of fact, Mr. Haines invited this viper into his private office Whereupon this scoundrel drew his gun and forced Mr. "Who says so?" Tubac snarled at him; and Blackwater asked: "Do I understand you to say Mr. Haines is prefering the charges?" "All right, He did. That make any gist for your mill?" "Depends," Blackwater said darkly, "on some things I'm not at liberty to disclose just now. But I will say this much, Sheriff—and I say it in all seriousness, if I were Mr. Haines I would not press this thing any further."

"What you drivin' at?" "That's one of the things I cannot divulge. But you may take my word for it, sir. Grave misfortunes may overtake Mr. Haines if he continues the attack along these lines." "I didn't come out here to bandy words," Shallett told him. Are you givin' him up or are you fessin' to aid an abet him?" "I will answer that when you tell me what proof of this charge Mr. Haines has brought forward."

"Oh, that!" The sheriff grinned at them nastily. "The bank's offered plenty evidence. It seems just before this lobo cleared out he made some threats."

"Let's not get ahead of the story," protested Blackwater. "You haven't said what Mr. Jones was threatenin'—"

"He wasn't stoppin' at threats! He was all fixed to force Mr. Haines to open the private vault in his office—" "Doesn't seem likely he would threaten and then fail to—" "Mr. Haines was too smart for him. He punched one of the buttons on his desk and Jones got scared and hoped it. But before he cleared out, he snatched up a couple of sheets of paper, stamped the bank's name on 'em, made Mr. Haines get him a red seal with blue ribbon on 'em."

"I never listened to such childish twaddle in my life!" "If this sidewinder's got them papers on him," Shallett began, "Don't you, Sheriff? Have a little regard for the dignity of your office. Use your head. Anyone could happen to have two sheets of blank paper with the Stockton bank stamp on them."

"One of these papers had been notarized—" "Do you mean to say it is the bank's practice to keep blank sheets of paper prepared with—" Blackwater let his words trail off and looked at the sheriff very queerly. "Hmmm. Yes, indeed," he muttered. "This looks like a case for the bank examiners. I've a friend up at Washington that I believe would be—" "Here!" snarled the sheriff. "What're you up to?" "I'm afraid," declared Blackwater coldly, "I've nothing more to say to you, Sheriff. Arrest my foreman if you care to. I shall get in touch with my friend right away. I'm going to have that bank looked into. Criminal negligence is the very best face I could put on it. I think I shall prefer charges. Willful intent to defraud. Misappropriation of bank clients' money. Embezzlement—" "Wh—wh—what are you talkin' about?" "I have nothing further to dis-

and with thirty-five hundred dollars to deposit and he brings me a blank sheet of paper with no ink on it but the bank's emb stamp. The receipt was made with fading ink, but my Washington friend is an expert on inks—" "You insult my intelligence," drawled Blackwater stiffly. "I have a witness to the entire transaction who will swear she's Haines' teller, make out a check for the money my range boss deposited. You will be hearing from my attorneys, Sheriff, and I should advise you to have a better story for them than this preposterous tale you're telling me."

But the sheriff, with a gut curse, jumped on his horse; and now he was gone, burning up trail in his haste back to town. To Be Continued

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# Everybody Picks Yanks To Win League Pennant

## And Bailey Goes Along With The Crowd In His Prediction

By JUDSON BAILEY  
New York, April 16—(AP)—The New York Yankees this year are the worst-looking team Joe McCarthy ever has managed in the big leagues yet everybody is picking them to win another American league pennant and there is no reason to believe the majority isn't right.

You only have to look once at the Yankees this spring to realize the changes that war has wrought on baseball and if you can stop shuddering long enough to look at them two or three times you start naming over their rivals in the hope of finding some other pennant possibility.

But it is a sad commentary on the caliber of the clubs in the American league this season that not one can be counted on to step out in front of the Yankees, although two or three might cause commotion if some of their doubtful sparkplugs should start firing in rhythm.

The Yankees have only one regular infielder, Joe Gordon, and one regular outfielder, Charley (King Kong) Keller, back from last year, and as a result McCarthy is having to make over a whole ball club for the first time in his life. He is transforming pitcher John Lindell into an outfielder, making a third baseman out of a rookie shortstop, Bill Johnson, and transforming another rookie, second baseman George Stinnett, into a shortstop.

As it now is pieced together, the Yankee infield is pathetic. But in another month Frank Crosetti will be free of the suspension imposed upon him by commissioner Landis for pushing an umpire in the world series and there is a possibility that Red Rolfe may rejoin the club in the summer after his season as baseball coach at an end.

The Yankees have lost Joe DiMaggio and Tom Henrich from the outfield, Buddy Hassett and Phil Rizzuto from the infield and Red Ruffing from the pitching staff. Yet these may not prove to be mortal wounds because other clubs have been hit equally as hard—and the Yankees can afford to relinquish some of the in-game margin by which they dominated the league last year.

The Boston Red Sox should finish second, just as they have in four of the last five years. Manager Joe Cronin has had to give up his entire outfield. Ted Williams, domineering DiMaggio and Lou Pinney—as well as shortstop Johnny Pesky, the leading rookie of the league a year ago, and two good pitchers, Bill Butland and Charley (Broadway) Wagner.

However, Cronin still has a dangerous club. The pitching staff topped by 22-game winner Tex Hughson is impressive and the infield has veterans Tony Lupien, Bobby Doerr and Jim Tabor, all good hitters. Eddie Lake, former Cardinal farmhand, and Skeeter Newsome are filling the gap left by Pesky at short.

Whether the Sox make a battle for the pennant depends on the

## Dodgers Get Pitchers

Brooklyn, April 16—(AP)—The Brooklyn Dodgers today announced the purchase of Pitchers George Washburn and Johnny Allen from the Philadelphia Phils.

For Allen it means a return to the club for which he played last season. The veteran right hander was sent to the Phils last winter in the deal that brought Pitcher Rube Melton to the Dodgers.

The Phils obtained Washburn from the Chicago Cubs two days ago.

Both men have 3-A draft classifications.

## Training Camp Briefs

Brooklyn — The high-flying Brooklyn Dodgers cross the river again today to battle the New York Giants, whom they defeated Wednesday, 1 to 0. Curt Davis, who has been on the shelf with a thumb fracture suffered early in the training season, is scheduled to report for duty.

New York — Idle yesterday and with only a workout scheduled today, the New York Yankees approach the season's opener with a pitching staff suffering from lack of work. Only two chukkers have hurled as much as nine innings against major and minor league opposition.

Boston — Three cancellations in three days have the Braves pitching staff upset and Casey Stengel's worried about lack of work for Tobin, Barrett, Andrews and Jelfcoat. None has gone more than six innings.

Middletown, Ohio — Manager Bill McKechie of the Cincinnati Reds says Lonnie Frey is the lead-off man for the season's opener, with Max Marshall and Frank McCormick holding down the third and fourth spots. The second man still is undetermined.

St. Louis — Cardinal Manager Billy Southworth will try Mort Cooper for the full nine innings today in the fourth game of the city series with the Browns, and hints it is a tuneup for a probable opening-day assignment against the Reds next Wednesday.

New York — The Giants hope to resume operations against the Brooklyn Dodgers today just where they left off in the first meeting.

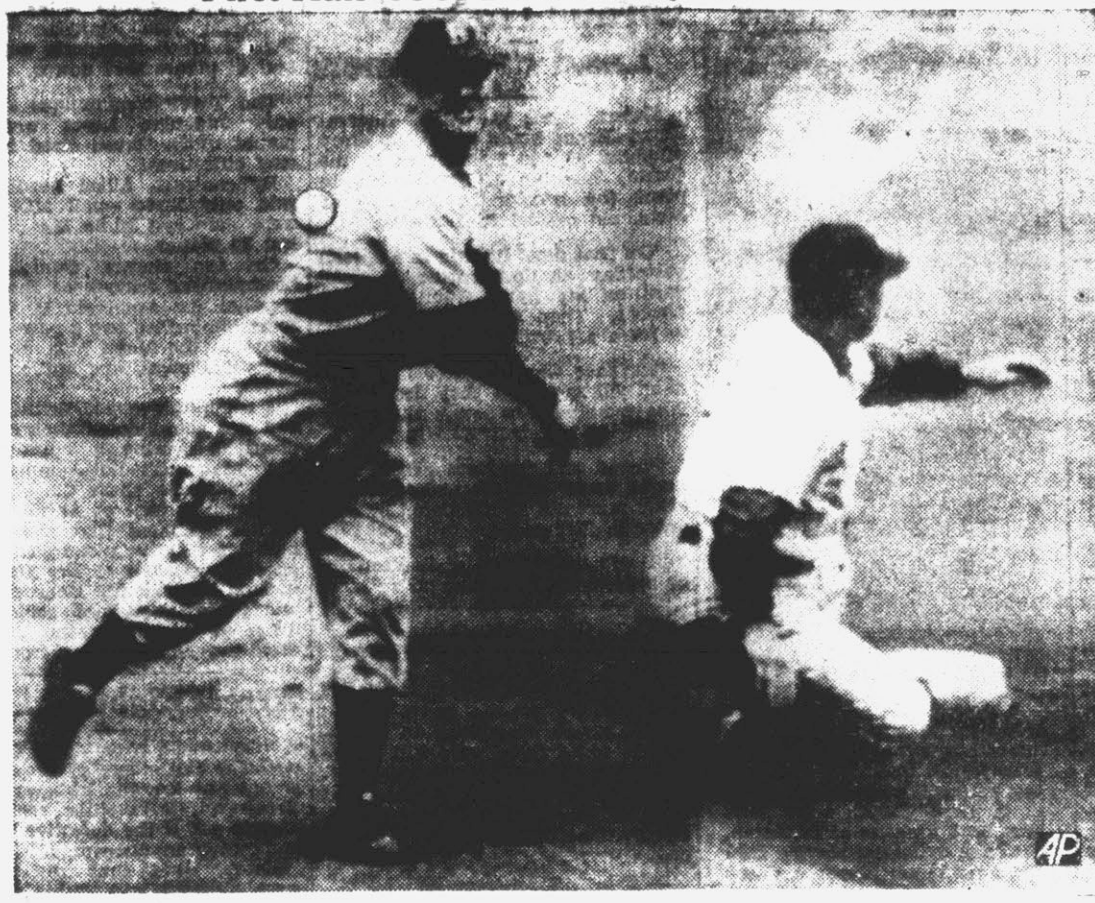
outfield and particularly on old Al Simmons, who is trying hard to make a comeback. Another veteran, Pete Fox, is fixture in rightfield.

Back of these two club may come a three-way scramble between the Cleveland Indians, St. Louis Browns and Detroit Tigers, with their ultimate positions dependent largely on the draft.

On a lunch we would place Cleveland third, St. Louis fourth and Detroit fifth.

This leaves the Washington Sen-

## First Half Of A Double-Play At New York



George Stinnett Yankee shortstop, was out at second base in the first inning of the Yankee-Dodgers civilian defense benefit game Wednesday in Yankee Stadium. Arky Vaughan, Brooklyn shortstop, pegs ball to first base to complete the twin killing, which started with a hit by Art Metheny, Yankee fielder, who was out at first on Vaughan's throw. The Dodgers won 4-1.

ators, Chicago White Sox and Philadelphia Athletics to bring up the rear. Washington is much improved, but is vulnerable to the draft. The White Sox are uncertain defensively and lack power, while the less said about the A's the better.

sits in a half-back leather chair behind a desk literally covered with papers, statues of baseball stars and airplane clock and various documents piled two or three inches deep. His offices, high in an upper Michigan Boulevard sky-scraper overlook cold, blue lake Michigan.

"How old are you?" he snapped. He was informed honestly and readily.

"Then, how in hell do you manage to stand this cold weather?" he asked. "It's brutal."

Landis, who usually spends his winter vacations in Bellaire, Fla., and visits the various major league training camps before returning north, spent the winter at home in Chicago in keeping with the times.

"I had a couple of slight colds, otherwise my health was fine," he said. "But I don't like cold weather. It's brutal."

Landis likes to discuss the war, which he hopes will be over by next fall.

"But I want to bring out one pertinent point," he says, leaning over to shake a long finger in my face. "We will never know when such things will end."

Landis believes that spring training in the north, above the so-called Landis-Eastman line, proved satisfactory to the players. He said baseball. His hair, snow-white, he hadn't received one complaint

either from players or club officials. He laughed about a columnist who recently criticized him because six of the clubs trained in Indiana.

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You'll see from six to eight 20-game winners in each league. Several players, those long ball hitters, those 320 men, have been hunted out. Roy Weatherby, instead of Joe DiMaggio, will be in the Yankee lineup. Joe McCarthy will be afraid now, sitting on the

## To Allow Fishing

Raleigh, April 16—(AP)—Inland fishing will be permitted throughout the state on Easter Sunday and Monday. Hinton James, commissioner of game and inland fishing, said today.

The two-day open season for all kinds of angling was approved by a poll of the Board of Conservation and Development.

James said, however, that bag and license regulations would be enforced.

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it. It told how a confessed bootlegger in a Federal court testified to the fact that another bootlegger, also on trial, had bought a million pounds of sugar a few years ago.

"As a matter of fact, Helen, no distiller is making whiskey today and hasn't for many months. All distillers are working night and day producing war alcohol for the government. And they make every drop of it exclusively from grain, too."

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## Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

By CHARLES DUNKLEY (Pinch hitting for flu-stricken Hugh S. Fullerton, Jr.)

Chicago, April 16—(AP)—Kenesaw Mountain Landis, 76 year old commissioner of baseball, eased his feet down from his littered desk and fixed piercing eyes on his questioner.

"No one knows what will happen to baseball this summer," he blurted. "It would only be a guess. But I have every hope that we will finish the season as usual, and that the Pennant races, in both leagues, will be exciting."

Landis is an excellent listener, but pulls no punches in expressing his views on almost everything—except baseball. His hair, snow-white, he hadn't received one complaint

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Hog Market Raleigh, April 16 — (AP) — (NCDA) — Hog markets steady with top of 14 1/2 at Richmond and 14 1/4 at Rocky Mount.

Poultry and Eggs Raleigh, April 16 — (AP) — (NCDA) — Egg and Poultry markets steady. Raleigh U. S. extras large (clean white) 36; colored hens 25 to 27.

Grain Market Chicago, April 16 — (AP) — Wheat prices held steady in a dull market today on a little commission house and mill buying.

New York Cotton New York, April 16 (AP) — Cotton futures opened unchanged to 5 cents a bale higher.

N. Y. Stock Market New York, April 16 (AP) — Light selling today stemmed the rallying drive of the stock market.

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RAF Continues ... (Continued From Page One) and small coastal craft.

RAF Continues ... One Mosquito pilot reported he had shot down two German planes, destroyed one locomotive and wrecked three others with cannon fire.

RAF Continues ... American-built Ventura bombers of the RAF also made a duck attack on shipping and docks at Cheong and the Le Havre air-drome.

RAF Continues ... RAF heavy bombers, a large force of which attacked the German industrial city of Stuttgart Wednesday night, apparently remained grounded last night.

Giraud Hopes To Lead Frenchmen

Algiers, April 16 — (AP) — General Henri Giraud hopes to lead an army of about 300,000 Frenchmen in the coming invasion of Europe and to plant the tricolor in the city of Metz, old capital of Lorraine.

Eleven Army Fliers Die In Plane Crash Fort Myers, Fla., April 16 (AP) — Eleven army fliers were killed yesterday when a twin-engine advanced training plane crashed at Buckingham Field near here.

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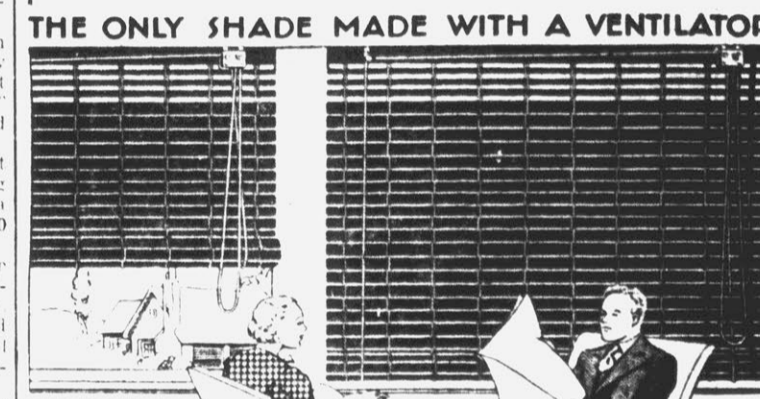
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