

WEATHER

Little change in temperature tonight. Scattered thundershowers in mountains late tonight or early tomorrow.

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Reds Continuing Drive On Nazis

German Counterattacks in Kuban Area Thrown Back As Russians Penetrate Outer Fortifications Of Novorossisk; Axis Planes Destroyed Last Week.

By EDDY GILMORE Moscow, May 10.—(AP)—Red army forces have penetrated outer fortifications of Novorossisk, dispatches from the front declared today, and are "persistently crumbling the enemy defenses and breaking into the depths of his positions."

The Soviet advance in the Kuban coincided with continued fierce fighting in the air, which the Russians said had resulted in the destruction of 930 German planes in the last week, and a resurgence of activity in the Lisichansk area in the Donets Basin.

The air warfare was linked with smashing Russian raids on German communications centers behind the central and Ukrainian fronts—apparently part of a well-conceived plan to smash Nazi preparations for a summer offensive.

The midnight communique, which told of the destruction of the 930 German planes, said the Red air force lost 235 aircraft in the week ending Saturday.

The fighting near Novorossisk is close and sharp, with violent hand-to-hand clashes in the trenches following bayonet charges. Mortars pour shells upon the opposing lines at closer range and long and short range artillery batter away steadily.

The war upon German communications behind the Ukrainian, central and Kaling fronts brought fresh destruction upon more than 19 railway junctions.

The attacks were described as the most formidable the Soviet has ever made upon German communications and communication centers.

A dispatch from the Kuban front said the Germans are trying to stage (Continued on Page Six)

Predict Defeat Of Germany Next Year London, May 10.—(AP)—The Allied victory in Tunisia caused a spurt today in wagering on the end of the war with some brokers offering even money that Italy would be knocked out of the conflict by the end of the year and Germany would be defeated by November, 1944.

Numerous bets were reported in "The City" London's financial district—where the certainty of victory caused a rally in bonds of occupied countries, particularly France, Greece and Poland.

FRANCO OFFERS PEACE FEELER

Franco Says Continuation Of The War "Senseless"

Madrid, May 10.—(AP)—Generalissimo Francisco Franco made a clear appeal for world peace last night in Almeria, declaring neither the Axis nor the Allies could destroy the other and "it is senseless to delay the peace."

It was the second Spanish teletype in less than a month. On April 16, Count Gen. Francisco Gomez Jordana, the foreign minister, appealed for peace in an address at Barcelona.

"Franco is indebted to both Italy and Germany for help in the Spanish civil war and has proclaimed his friendship for the Axis."

"The speech was made as Axis resistance in Tunisia appeared near an end and Hitler and Mussolini were preparing to withstand Allied assaults on the European continent."

"London's reaction to Franco's peace feeler was a polite yawn. Newspapers gave little space since their headlines were too thick with victories to leave much room for talk of quitting. No British official would suggest an alteration of the Allied policy of 'unconditional surrender,'" pronounced at Casablanca.

"Those of us who witness the struggle serenely consider it senseless to delay the peace," Franco declared.

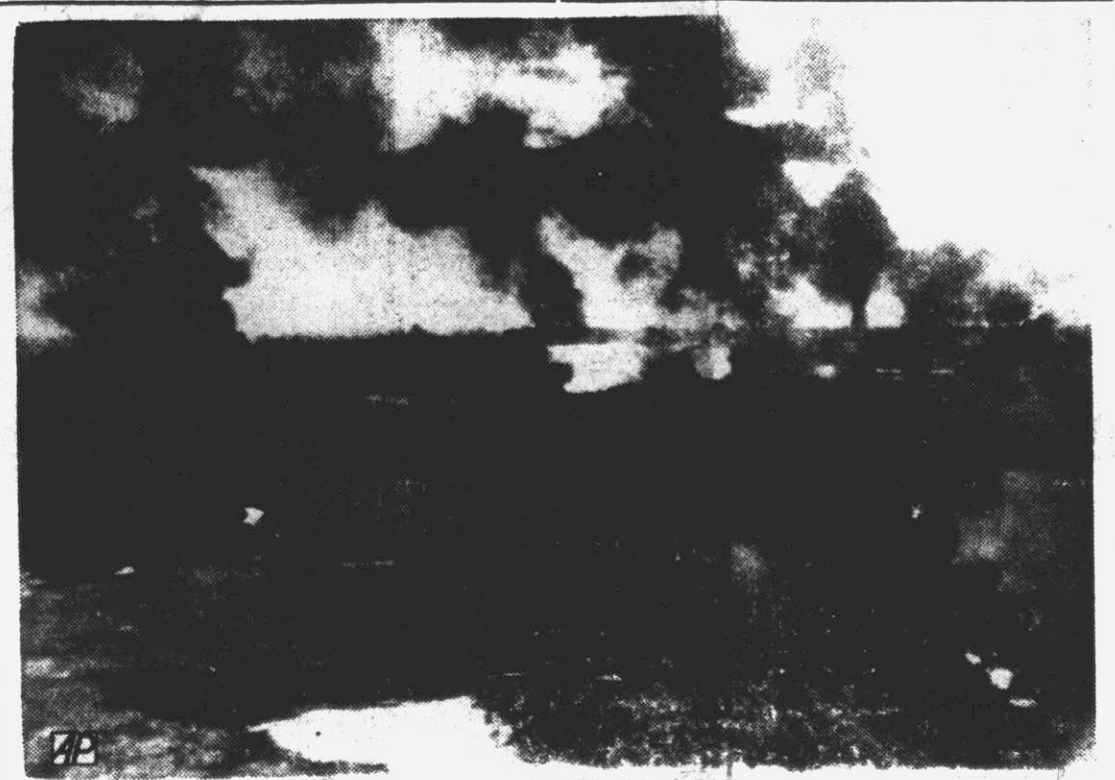
"Asked at his press conference in Washington for a comment on Franco's speech, Secretary of State Hull said he could only repeat with emphasis what he had said last month. At the time when a similar peace appeal was made by Franco's foreign minister, Count General Francisco Gomez Jordana, Hull said the sole objective and the determined objective of the United States is the complete and unqualified destruction of the Axis."

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Says Treatment Poles Barbarous Chicago, May 10.—(AP)—The British ambassador to the United States, Lord Halifax, charged today that more than 8,000,000 Polish men and women had suffered "barbarous punishment or death" at the hands of the Nazis.

"The latest estimates I have had show that whereas 150,000 Poles fell in the actual fighting, probably about 400,000 Poles and 1,500,000 Polish Jews have since died by execution or maltreatment," he said.

Wrecked Japanese Planes In New Guinea Burn



Smoke shoots skyward from the wrecks of Japanese planes, strafed by American and Australian planes during an attack upon the Jap airbase at Madang, New Guinea. At left, two bombers burn, and at right a fighter plane is consumed by the flames.

PRAISES WORK OF WPB HEAD

McNary Opposes Independent Civilian Supply Agency

Washington, May 10.—(AP)—Legislation to set up an independent civilian supply administration with claims equal to the armed services on goods and supplies needed for the home front was passed today by the Senate and sent to the House.

Washington, May 10.—(AP)—Praising WPB chairman Donald Nelson for "a very good job," Republican leader McNary (Or.) asked the Senate today to reject legislation to set up an independent office of civilian supply.

McNary said the government already has "too many agencies." "I certainly don't think it is necessary to create a new agency to deal with the civilian population," he said. "Frankly I think Mr. Nelson is doing a very good job."

McNary said that the civilian supply division recently reorganized by the War Production Board should be given an opportunity to demonstrate ability to handle the supply problem.

Senator Maloney (D-Conn.) and other supporters of the measure which would give civilian needs equal status with military necessities appeared confident that they had the votes to push the measure through, although some opposition has developed.

Part of the opposition was based on the fact that War Production Board chairman Donald M. Nelson (Continued on Page Four)

Observe Memorial Day In Greenville By CHESTER WALSH Impressive services were held on the court house lawn at noon today in observance of Confederate Memorial Day under the auspices of George B. Singletary, Chapter Daughters of the Confederacy, Mrs. Lula Fleming is president.

British Troops Forced To Fall Back In Burma

Americans Smash Jap-Held Air Base At Canton; Sub Shells Jap Island

Asheville, May 10.—(AP)—Federal Judge E. V. Webb, long-time advocate of bone-dry legislation, told the grand jury in U. S. District Court here today that he believed national prohibition was on its way back in the United States.

Washington, May 10.—(AP)—Urging renewal of President Roosevelt's powers to negotiate reciprocal trade pacts, Representative Doughton (D-N.C.) told the House today that any other course would be a cause for jubilation in the chancelleries of Hitler, Hirohito and Mussolini.

Saying "the eyes of the world are focused upon this legislative body," the 79-year-old Doughton, chairman of the Ways and Means committee, declared that the trade pact vote gave Republicans a chance to forever dispel the charge that they are isolationists.

A party-line fight developed with opening of a two-day debate on a measure to extend the reciprocal trade act for three years beyond the (Continued on Page Six)

British Destroyer Is Reported Lost London, May 10.—(AP)—The new British destroyer Pakenham has been lost, the Admiralty announced tonight.

Details of the sinking of the place were not announced. The Pakenham was built and commissioned shortly after the war started and was adopted by the borough of Wallasey.

Operating in the central Mediterranean in January the Pakenham with six other destroyers took part in a series of successful actions lasting over three days which resulted in the destruction of 13 enemy vessels, the Admiralty said.

Dwindling Axis Forces In Africa Being Wiped Out

Costly Venture

London, May 10.—(AP)—The Axis has lost more than 750,000 troops in the retreat from Africa which began with the reconquest of Ethiopia.

The figure is based on official announcements and authoritative estimates of killed, wounded and prisoners.

In east Africa, the Axis lost 280,000 troops, including 200,000 negroes. Casualties in North Africa were estimated at 426,000, not including the announcement that 50,000 had been captured around Bizerte and Tunis.

Losses in Axis material since the beginning of the Mediterranean campaign total more than 2,000 tanks, 5,000 aircraft shot down in combat and additional thousands destroyed on the ground, and close to 1,500 guns, according to authoritative figures.

AXIS PREPARES FOR INVASION

London, May 10.—(AP)—Intensive Axis preparations to ward off any allied invasion attempt along the soft underbelly of Europe were reported under way from the south coast of France to the Black sea today as the German-Italian debacle in North Africa entered its final phases.

Although Adolf Hitler and Benito Mussolini seemed particularly concerned over the prospects of an allied drive through southern Europe, reports from Holland indicated that the Axis was not overlooking the possibility of an assault across the English channel.

All of Holland was placed under martial law last night, the Netherlands News Agency Aneta reported, and Dutch sources were convinced the action was taken by the Germans in an effort to forestall any armed outbreak in connection with an allied invasion.

Heightening Axis fears, 400 allied planes raided the Sicilian harbor (Continued on Page Six)

Form New Church At Hollowood

The all day service was held at Hollowood school house yesterday as previously announced. Dr. Robert S. Boyd preached to a large audience in the morning at 11:00 o'clock. Dinner was served on the grounds at 1:00 p. m. and fully two hundred persons were present to enjoy the feast and fellowship.

At 2 p. m. Rev. Hugh Powell, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Washington, N. C., preached a sermon, "The Rewards of Worship" based on Isa. 6th chapter. Rev. H. N. McDiarmid, moderator, called the commission to order and proceeded to form the new church.

"Take Her Down"



Comdr. Howard W. Gilmore (above), 40, of New Orleans, La., and formerly of Knoxville, Tenn., wounded on the deck of the submarine he commanded, gave the order "Take her down," which meant the sacrifice of his life in waters of the Pacific to get his craft away from a Jap gunboat's weapons. The sub had rammed the gunboat hoistly before.

SEE VICTORY FOR TAX BILL

Senators Confident Ruml Plan Will Be Adopted By JACK BELL Washington, May 10.—(AP)—The Senate Finance Committee completed a modified version of Ruml-Carlson "skip a year" measure for current collection of income taxes today, recording a final favorable vote of 13 to 8 after Senator Bailey (D-NC) joined opponents of the proposal.

Chairman George D. Ga' said he would report the measure to the Senate today and ask that debate be started Wednesday.

The committee altered provisions of the windfall sections in final action today, providing in general that anyone who had an income abnormally large in the year on (Continued on Page Six)

ECTC Student Aids Attacks On Nazis

Lieut. D. S. Breese, a former student at East Carolina Teacher's College, was among a group of North Carolina Army Air Corps fliers from an American bomber station in Tunisia, who poured bombs and gunfire on retreating Axis forces in the Tunisia bridgehead Friday and helped to cover the roads from Bizerte and Tunis with the twisted and battered wreckage of enemy equipment, a delayed communication from the battlefield announced.

Fliers from Wilson Elizabeth City, Stem, Spencer and Gold Hill were among the Tar Heels who took part in the day's battles.

Annual Mother's Day Theater Party The annual Mother's Day theatre party, sponsored by the Pitt Theatre and the Daily Reflector, and being joined this year by the Greenville Floral Company, will be held Wednesday afternoon.

Prisoners Listed At 64,000 With An Additional 42,000 Killed or Wounded; Allied Airmen Deal Devastating Blow To Palermo, Sicily

By CARL C. CRANMER (Associated Press War Editor) Allied Headquarters announced today the unconditional surrender of 25,000 Axis troops and the collapse of resistance in the northern pocket of Tunisia and clamped down a sea and air blockade on Cap Bon where the plight of the remaining enemy forces, estimated at 80,000 was described as "worse than desperate."

Innumerable small boats in which terror-stricken German and Italian fugitives were attempting to escape the avenging steamroller of Allied North African armies were reported blasted to the bottom, and Allied Headquarters spokesmen declared it was certain only an insignificant few of the estimated 200,000 Axis troops which once crowded into the Tunisian gap had a chance of getting away alive.

The career of Adolf Hitler's hot-house-trained African Corps, deserted by its highest commanders who had surrendered or fled, seemed all but finished, and the opening of a new phase in the world war—an invasion of Europe—evidently was near.

While the Algiers radio reported that Axis prisoners in Tunisia had mounted to 64,000 and the dead and wounded to 42,000, the German-controlled Paris radio admitted that "the battle for Tunisia is nearing an end."

North African dispatches said several squadrons had some impressive small craft loaded with panic-stricken Axis troops trying to get away from Tunisia.

Allied Headquarters announced that all organized resistance collapsed in the Axis pocket between Bizerte and Tunis yesterday, and that the British, American and French allies had exacted their first "unconditional surrender" of the war from a large body of enemy troops.

In the bag of 25,000 prisoners taken in this sector alone were six generals, including four German (Continued on Page Six)

Giraud Ready To Meet De Gaulle 18—GIRAUD READY TO MEET DE GAULLE ... ICM ... London, May 10.—(AP)—The Algiers radio, in a broadcast recorded by the Associated Press, reported today that Gen. Henri Giraud had invited General Charles De Gaulle to meet him either at Marrakesh or Biskra to discuss plans for unification of French forces now battling the Axis.

De Gaulle previously had invited De Gaulle to meet him at some point outside Algiers, but no specific site had been mentioned heretofore. De Gaulle himself has been insistent on a meeting in Algiers.

Marrakesh is situated in Morocco about 150 miles south of Casablanca while Biskra is in the southeast corner of Algeria and about 200 miles from Algiers.

The WAR TODAY AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEWS

By DEWITT KENZIE It's becoming clear that the Russo-Polish acrimony has a meaning which thus far has not been revealed officially, but which might better be understood in Allied circles for the good of all concerned.

It seems that Moscow and the Polish government-in-exile (in London) are in process of trying to whittle each other down to the size which will fit their respective views of what post-war eastern Europe should be. There is in the offing—or so I believe—a sizeable boundary dispute. And that won't be the only one which will have to be settled after the conflict.

The Polish government-in-exile, headed by Premier Sikorski, apparently has read trouble in the writing on the wall. It will be an amazing thing if Europe is reconstructed along its old lines. Britain's Prime Minister Churchill the other day promised the restoration of a "great and independent Poland."

war Poland will be territorially the same Poland as existed before the war. It might even be bigger than the old Poland, but there is no guarantee that it will be identical.

The consensus seems to be that Russia is likely to insist on numerous territorial readjustments for defensive purposes. There's no indication that Moscow wants more territory merely for the sake of swelling the size of the Soviet Union, but there are several strategic areas for which it might be expected to ask.

For instance, it will be strange if the Reds don't claim the zones taken from Finland in 1940. Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania may be expected to be taken back into the Russian fold. And the Russians didn't take over eastern Poland for nothing. When Hitler started his war, then, too, they likely will reclaim Bessarabia, and demand control not only of the mouth of the Danube in Rumania but other strategic points on the Black Sea coast, probably including the great Rumanian naval base of Constanta.

Turkey Is Impressed By Allied African Victory By FRANK O'BRIEN Ankara, May 10.—(AP)—The smashing Allied assault which supplied Turkey with a deep impression in Turkey.

The Turks fully expected the Allies to take both towns, but anticipated a long and perhaps Stalin-like struggle at the gates. Turkey once ruled Tunisia and officials here know the difficulties of the terrain intimately.

The fact that the Allies took the entire area by storm has lifted Allied military prestige high among Turks and has correspondingly lowered German military prestige.

here is whether the blow will fall in the eastern Mediterranean on Turkey's doorstep or in the Central area.

The power and generalship of the Allied military machine which the clean-cut Tunisian victory exposed undoubtedly will strengthen Turkish confidence and influence her reaction to the coming Mediterranean events.

The recent concentrated Axis propaganda program aimed at beginning cajoling or threatening Turkey into remaining non-belligerent shows the Axis believes there is a strong possibility Turkey might collaborate in the liberation of the Balkans.

Social and Personal

Forty Years Ago Today

NEWCOMERS AND REMOVALS

Miss Helen Flanagan of Hampton, Va., spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. R. C. Flanagan.

Capt. and Mrs. Dean Painter of Fort Bragg and Sergeant Richard Gaylord and George Banks of Camp Gordon, Ga. spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Gaylord.

Mrs. S. J. Everett will leave tomorrow for Memphis, Tenn., to visit Mrs. Samuel Holoway. From there she will go to Knoxville to visit her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Everett at the University of Tennessee. Mrs. Everett will also go to Camp Walters, Texas, to visit her son, Pvt. E. C. Everett, who is in the army there.

Lt. Wilbur Brown of the Army Air Corps, who spent a furlough here with his grandfather, Mr. Jesse W. Brown, and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Aman, left Sunday night for Ephrata, Wash.

Cpl. Albert (Runt) Whitehurst who is stationed at Spence Field, Moultrie, Ga., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Whitehurst.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Edwards of Durham, are here to attend the funeral of Mr. Edwards' aunt Mrs. Addie S. Cox of Winterville. Mr. Edwards is a member of the faculty of the Durham City schools.

Miss Dorothy Hollar, who has been teaching in Windsor, has returned home for the summer.

Lt. and Mrs. Ernest Winslow of Camp Stewart, Ga., will arrive tonight to visit Mrs. Winslow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Spivey.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Jones of Jacksonville were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Duval. Mrs. Walter S. Dall of Kingston, is also spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Duval.

Pfc. H. R. Goodall, Jr., who has been quite ill for the past month in the hospital of the Sioux Falls, S. D. air base has recovered and returned to his post of duty.

Petty Officer Thomas Bland has returned to the Bliss Electrical school in Washington, D. C. after a short furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bland.

Dr. and Mrs. N. T. Ennett left this morning for Raleigh to attend the meeting of the North Carolina Medical Society.

Lt. and Mrs. John Angus, Jr., and Lt. Stanley Mucha of Fort Eustis, Va., and Cpl. Barry McDermott of Cherry Point, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. James.

Mrs. W. S. Brown has returned to her home from Pitt General Hospital but is still confined to her bed.

West Greenville P. T. A. The Parent-Teacher Association of West Greenville School met on May 5 with Mrs. W. J. Lewis presiding.

The meeting was opened with the singing of "America the Beautiful." Following the scripture reading, Mrs. D. M. Clark led an open discussion on "A Summer Recreational Program." Those present expressed themselves as being heartily in favor of such a program.

At the close of the discussion a short business meeting was held. Miss Philmore's first grade won the attendance prize—Reported.

Work Rooms To Close. The Red Cross sewing and knitting rooms located in the Woman's Club will be closed on June 1.

All who have unfinished sweaters are asked to complete them before that time.

Lecture On Washington. An illustrated lecture on Washington, our national capital, will be presented at the Community Art Center on Tuesday night at 8 o'clock, open to the public free of charge.

Secured by the local art center from the American Federation of Arts this lecture presents historical as well as current facts of much interest about the national capital, and is illustrated throughout with scenes in color showing some of the more important buildings, houses, parks, sculptures, and other interesting scenes in and about the city.

Mrs. F. Allen Garret will read the script, which was prepared by Miss Florence Berriman of the Federation staff. The interested public is cordially invited to attend.

Christian Science Service. "Adam and Fallen Man" was the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Christian Science churches and societies on Sunday, May 9.

The golden text was from I Cor. 15:22: "As in Adam all die even so in Christ shall all be made alive." Among the stations which comprised the lesson-sermon were the following from the Bible: "For we were sometimes darkness, but now are we light in the Lord, walk as children of light, wherefore he saith Awake thou that sleepest and arise from the dead and Christ shall give thee the light." (Eph. 5:8-14).

The lesson-sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook: "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "God is the creator of man and the divine Principle of man remaining perfect, the divine idea of reflection, man, remains perfect. The relations of God and man, divine principle and idea, are indestructible in Science and Science knows no lapse from nor return to harmony, but, beside the divine order of spiritual law, in which God and all that He creates are perfect and eternal, to have remained unchanged in its eternal history."

Social Calendar

6:30 p. m.—Rotary Club.

7:00 p. m.—Lions' Club.

7:30 p. m.—Modern Woodmen meet.

8:00 p. m.—The Coleman Circle of Memorial Baptist church will meet with Miss Fink Manning.

8:00 p. m.—Circle No. 5 of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church will meet with P. C. Everett, who is in the army there.

8:00-10:00 p. m.—First aid class at West Greenville school.

TUESDAY

9:30 a. m.—12:00 noon—Red Cross work room open. Ladies of the Episcopal and Catholic churches in charge.

3:30 p. m.—Mrs. Dink James will be hostess to the Clio Club.

3:30 p. m.—Mrs. F. D. Duncan will be hostess to the Inter Se Club.

3:30 p. m.—The Chatham Book Club meets with Mrs. F. A. Wendall.

4:00 p. m.—The Literature Department of the Woman's Club meets at the home of Mrs. L. A. Stroud, with Miss Neil Matheson co-hostess.

4:00 p. m.—The Round Table meets at the college picnic ground on Tenth street.

8:00 p. m.—Withia Council degree of Pochantons meets.

WEDNESDAY

9:30 a. m.—12:00 noon—Red Cross work room open. Ladies of the Methodist Church and members of the Eastern Star in charge.

3:00-5:00 p. m.—Open house at Pitt General Hospital.

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

8:00-10:00 p. m.—First aid class at West Greenville school.

THURSDAY

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

6:30 p. m.—American Home department picnic at the City Park on Cotanche street.

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

7:30 p. m.—Red Men meet.

8:15 p. m.—Kiwanis minstrel in Austin auditorium.

SURGICAL DRESSING STATION OF RED CROSS

over J. C. Penney Co. Store. 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.

Picnic At City Park.

The American Home department of the Woman's Club will meet at 6:30 p. m. Thursday at the City Park on Cotanche street for a picnic supper.

Every member is asked to bring supper for her family. The children and husbands are invited. In case of rain the picnic will be held in the Woman's Club.

A. C. E. Elects New Officers.

The new officers of the East Carolina Teachers College branch of the Association for Childhood Education elected recently are headed by Dorothy White, incoming senior from Smithfield.

The three vice-presidents are Ethel Beaman of New Bern, Wilma Dean of Oxford, and Lillian Boyette of Ansonia.

Gladys Davis of Pikeville, was chosen corresponding secretary, and Helen Blanchard of Wallace, recording secretary and treasurer.

For representative on the publications Ruth McHan of Almond, was elected, with Carol Leigh Humphries of Woodstate, for Teo Echo representative, and Hazel Dell Jones of Farmville, for other publicity.

They will be installed at a candle-light program tomorrow evening.

Birth Announcement.

St. Sgt. and Miss Lester Thayer, Jr. of Fort Monmouth, N. J. announce the birth of a son, Lester Thayer, III on Sunday, May 9, 1943, in Pitt General Hospital, Greenville.

Dunn-Rouse.

Miss Elsie Rouse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. House of Hamilton, became the bride of Wiley Alva Dunn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Dunn of Greenville, in a ceremony Saturday, April 24 in the Christian church, with the Rev. H. G. Halsey officiating.

Try Our Want Ads

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The leaves on the trees look like they have obtained their full growth. They are usually grown by the 10th of May.

No kind friend, the weather reports are not manufactured in this office—we could guess right once a month.

The "bullish" market is creating excitement among the denizens of the cotton exchange.

While out on a skiff Sunday afternoon viewing the baptism, Wash Patrick fell into the river.

LIBRARY NEWS

Pulitzer Prize Books In Library. The Sheppard Memorial Library has three of the four books that received the Pulitzer Prize for 1942 in literature: "Dragon's Teeth" by Upton Sinclair, "A Witness Tree" by Robert Frost, and "Paul Revere and the World He Lived In" by Esther Forbes. The other prize winner was a drama "The Skin of Our Teeth" by Thornton Wilder.

For the fourth time Robert Frost, the New England poet, has won the Pulitzer Prize for a volume of verse. "A Witness Tree" is his seventh book and his first now in six years. He is in his sixties when a poet's lyrical days are supposed to be over, that is his verse is no longer the thing on wings that lyric poetry is. But here in "A Witness Tree" is the lyric in all its intensity, indeed, with a greater intensity than the lyrics he wrote when he was young. Frost once made a statement that all his admirers remember: "To me, the thing that art does for life is to clean it, to strip it to form." That in a sense is a good description of his poetry.

Baltimore's most prolific writer, Upton Sinclair, also in his sixties, got the prize for his third volume in a group of four about Lenny Rudd, a rich American playboy who spent much of his life abroad. "Dragon's Teeth" covers the years from 1930 to 1934. It describes the life Lenny lived in Germany where he met Hitler. Goering and Goebbels; in Paris where his feather-brained wife had established a salon; and on the yacht of a wealthy Jewish financier, who was a relative by marriage. When the Nazi terror broke out, Lenny, moved in terror and friendship, attempted to get his Jewish friend out of Dachau and in consequence was imprisoned himself. The book closes with the release of Freddie Robin, broken in body and spirit.

The library has the other three of this now famous group, "Between Two Worlds," "World's End," and "Wide Is the Gate," the last named having just recently been published. Two of Sinclair's earlier books are also in the library, "Jungle" and "Wet Parade."

The lone woman winner, Esther Forbes, a New Englander in her late forties, has written five other books besides her prize winner. Two of these, "The General's Lady" and "Paradise" are in the library. Literary critics say that Esther Forbes is a historical novelist who has some of the qualities most needed in a biographer. These qualities are what gained for her the prize for "Paul Revere and the World He Lived In," a biography of a Boston silversmith, etcher, bell caster, powder maker and Revolutionary War hero whose famous ride has been his best known claim to fame.

—H. L. R.

General Meeting of Woman's Club.

The Woman's Club held its general meeting at 3:30 Friday afternoon, with Mrs. Dink James presiding. The meeting was opened with the Club Woman's Hymn, which was followed by the collection.

The club voted to give a scholarship of \$250 for a student nurse. This sum is to be distributed over a three-year period.

The American Home Department reported that \$62.80 had been given by the club by this department during the year.

Delegates to the state convention which met in High Point were Mesdames Dink James, C. Hilton, J. H. B. Moore and J. Hicks Corey. Each of these made good reports on the splendid work which is being carried on by the women's clubs of the state.

The members of the Greenville club were delighted to see the loving cup which was presented them for the work done in the Fine Arts Festival. This is the Inez Boney cup for creative art.

Mrs. James announced that the week of May 17 had been chosen for the cancer control drive.

Mrs. J. H. B. Moore, chairman of International Relations in the club, presented the awards for the essay contest. The winner of first place was James R. Worsley, Jr., and second place was won by Tom Williams. Both of the young men are attending E. C. T. C.

Members of the club were urged to write Senator Robert R. Reynolds asking that he support the renewal of the reciprocal trade treaty. North Carolina's other members of Congress have given their support.

The club was delighted to have as its guest soloist Mrs. John Robert Boyd, who is visiting in the home of Mrs. R. S. Boyd. She sang two numbers, "Estrellita" by Ponce, and "Iris" by Wolf.

Miss Isabel Reid, Bible teacher in the city schools, spoke on "Week Day Education for Religion." Miss Reid said that the average home does not measure up to its part in the religious education of its children. She said that the church cannot reach as many children as the schools do, so the teaching of Bible through the schools has become very important. There are around 33,000 children in North Carolina enrolled in Bible classes in the schools.

A delightful social hour followed. Punch, cake and nuts were served.

Hostesses were Mesdames J. Hicks Corey, H. L. Taylor, V. C. Fleming, W. H. Woolard, R. C. Deal, G. C. Hilton, A. E. Gibson and Miss Mary Harding.

NEWS OF GREENVILLE HIGH

By CORA REDDITT

Junior-Senior

The Junior-Senior was held in the high school auditorium last Friday night. The dance floor was centered with a fenced-off garden plot, the ceiling hung low with stars, flowers had sprung up all around, and the entire room was like an outdoor colonial garden. The dance committee did very nice work and the floor show added amusement to the evening. In my opinion, it was the nicest Junior-Senior ever given in Greenville. I wish to express the "thank-you" to the senior class of 44 from the senior class of '43.

Memorial Day

Memorial Day was held, in part, at the high school this morning. The same decorations used for the Junior-Senior, with added flowers were used. It was both a beautiful and impressive ceremony. The center of the stage spot-lighted, contained the flag of honor for all Greenville students now in service. The band and glee club marched to the court house to finish the service. The armed forces were represented by three State Guardsmen, three Marines, and a former graduate, Billy Home, now of the armed forces, who entered the ranks of the GHS band.

Graduation

Graduation will be held in two weeks.

Announce Awards Of Scholarships

Scientific studies of a distinctly modern nature predominate in research projects for which 12 outstanding women scholars received \$1500 fellowship awards for 1943-44 announced yesterday by the American Association of University Women, according to information received by Mrs. J. E. Winslow, president of the Greenville branch.

Some of the subjects to be pursued, however, date back many centuries and show a continued interest in European culture.

Subjects which the fellowship recipients will study are public school central hygiene, inhibition of the central nervous system, race discrimination between white and colored children, the philosophy of a contemporary French writer, improvement in maternity and child welfare in Brazil, present day modern language instruction in the schools of Mexico, experiments with animal surgery in the field of sex hormones, vegetation of the United States, a study of two communistic societies in Indiana, the life and works of a Fourteenth Century Dominican, and the biblical theme of Judith and Holofernes.

The women receiving the awards represent a wide range of localities in the United States, and include also a Brazilian woman, physician who will study mother and child welfare at Columbia University, and a naturalized citizen of Australia, birth who will study the use of the biblical subject of Judith and Holofernes in the art of the Middle Ages and the Renaissance.

Will Teach Women How Preserve Food

The North Carolina Extension Service will place an assistant home demonstration agent in Greenville during June, July and August to instruct the women of the city in proper and scientific food production, food preservation and nutrition. The special demonstration agent will work in cooperation with the Citizens Service Corps of the Office of Civilian Defense. She will instruct various groups of white and colored women in preserving foods.

The Board of Aldermen recently appropriated \$300 to buy special canning equipment for the demonstrations.

This demonstration work will be done under the auspices of the Pitt county farm agent and the Home Demonstration agent. It is not connected with a food cannerly operated here in the summer for the high school cafeteria and others.

Receives Greetings

Los Angeles, May 10 (AP)—Mrs. Mary L. Capok who has no children of her own, received Mothers' Day greetings from 26 soldiers somewhere in north Africa.

When they were manning a searchlight battery near her home in February 1942, she fed them and did their mending.

Their Mothers' Day greeting: "Hello Mom—miss your waffles. What's cooking?"

Mrs. Addie Cox Funeral Today

Funeral services for Mrs. Addie S. Cox, 81, who died Saturday afternoon at 4:30, were held at the Winterville Episcopal Church this afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. Sidney Matthews, rector, and Rev. Stephen Gardner of Washington, officiated. Burial was in the Winterville cemetery.

Mrs. Cox was the widow of J. D. Cox, a civil engineer, a former member of the North Carolina Legislature and clerk of the Pitt County Superior Court from 1914 to 1918. He died in 1930.

Surviving are an adopted son, J. D. Cox of Richmond, Va.; two brothers, Rev. Claudius F. Smith of Richmond, Va., and G. Fred Smith of Sanford, Fla., and two sisters, Mrs. H. L. Johnson of Louisville, and Mrs. B. T. Cox of Winterville.

Funeral bearers were Hardy Johnson, Bose Cox, John J. Carroll, A. J. Cox, James Edwards and Ivan Bissette.

Mrs. Bertha Lois Forest Died Today

Mrs. Bertha Lois Kittrell Forrest, wife of E. D. Forrest of Cradock, Va., formerly of Winterville, died suddenly at her home in Cradock, early this morning.

Mrs. Forrest is survived by her husband, E. D. Forrest; five sons, C. W. Forrest of Cradock, Va.; Cpl. Ben D. Forrest, 51, of Sheppard Field, Texas; Herbert H. Forrest of Winterville, Va.; Clifton T. Forrest of Camp Hood, Texas, and Elvy K. Forrest of Greenville; four daughters, Mrs. O. J. Stancil of Greenville, Mrs. C. A. Bowling of Mississippi, Mrs. A. C. Skinner of Watha, N. C., and Miss Lois Ann Forrest of the home; five grandchildren, a sister, Mrs. J. D. Manning of the Gallopway's Cross Roads community and a brother, L. E. Kittrell of Sanford.

Mrs. Forrest was born, reared and spent her entire life in the Winterville community until two years ago when the family moved to Virginia. She was a member of the Ayden Christian church.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

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- 7:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS.
- 7:15—The Johnson Family, MBS
- 7:30—Harry Bruer's Orch.
- 7:45—Mrs. Rose's Radio Actors.
- 8:00—High School News.
- 8:15—Uncle Sam Series.
- 8:30—Music As You Like It.
- 8:55—You and Uncle Sam.
- 9:00—Gabriel Heatter, MBS.
- 9:15—Treadle Varieties.
- 9:30—A. L. Alexander's Mediation Board, MBS.
- 10:00—News.
- 10:15—1100 Club.
- 10:30—Meet the Band, TN.
- 10:45—Lew Diamond's Orch.
- 11:00—News.
- 11:05—Sign Off.

TUESDAY, MAY 11

- 7:00—News.
- 7:05—Yawn Patrol.
- 7:30—Melody Mustangs.
- 7:45—Musical Clock.
- 8:00—News.
- 8:15—Glee Club.
- 8:30—Morning Mediations.
- 8:45—Spotlight on Rhythm.
- 9:00—News.
- 9:05—Design For Wartime Living.
- 9:10—Local News and Announcements.
- 9:15—Milady's Music Box.
- 9:30—Melody Time.
- 9:45—Talk by How It Started.
- 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—Cheer Up Gang, MBS.
- 11:00—Headlines of Tomorrow, MBS.
- 11:15—Karl Zomar's Scrapbook, MBS.
- 11:30—Yankee Houseparty, MBS.
- 11:45—Talk by Dr. Paul Bagby.
- 12:00—Hillbilly Time.
- 12:15—News.
- 12:25—Tune Time.
- 12:40—Carolina Farm Features.
- 12:55—News and Markets.
- 1:00—Deep River Boys.
- 1:15—Hawaiian Music.
- 1:30—Seymour Johnson Field Headlines, TN.
- 1:35—Strictly Personal, MBS.
- 1:45—Broadway Bandwagon.
- 2:00—Cedric Foster, MBS.
- 2:15—Ozie Waters, MBS.
- 2:30—Nashville Varieties, MBS.
- 2:40—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—Brag-Gen Robert L. Deming, MBS.
- 4:15—Treasury Star Parade.
- 4:30—Ice Cubes and Margaret, MBS.
- 4:45—Len Salvo, Organist, MBS.
- 5:00—Swing Session.
- 5:15—Quaker City Footlight Rhapsody, MBS.
- 5:30—Highway Patrol.
- 5:45—Superman, MBS.
- 6:00—News, TN.
- 6:15—Sundown Serenade.
- 6:30—Sportscast, TN.
- 6:45—Melodic Moods.
- 7:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS.
- 7:15—The Johnson Family, MBS.
- 7:30—Martial Music.
- 7:45—Confidentially Yours, MBS.
- 8:00—The Cisco Kid, MBS.
- 8:30—Music Just for You.
- 8:55—You and Uncle Sam.
- 9:00—Gabriel Heatter, MBS.
- 9:15—George Hamilton's Orch., MBS.
- 9:30—Return of Nick Carter, MBS.
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Loan Association On The Honor Roll

According to the most recent published statement released from Washington, D. C. by the Federal Home Loan Bank Administration, the First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Greenville was placed on the honor roll for the months of

March and April because of its fine record of sale of War Bonds. A. C. Tadlock, Secretary-Treasurer of the Association indicated that there were 479 Federal Savings Associations throughout the United States on the honor roll in April and the achievement of the local institution in winning a place on the honor roll shows that it stands with the highest ranking federal savings institutions in the country.

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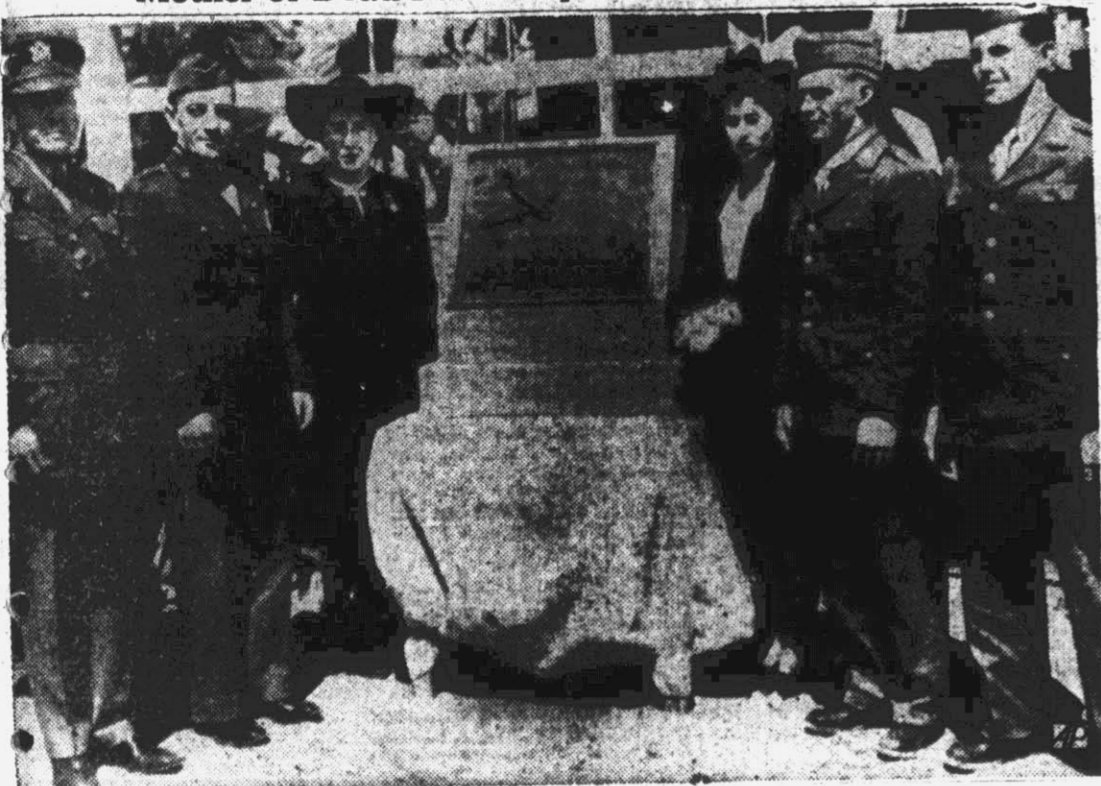
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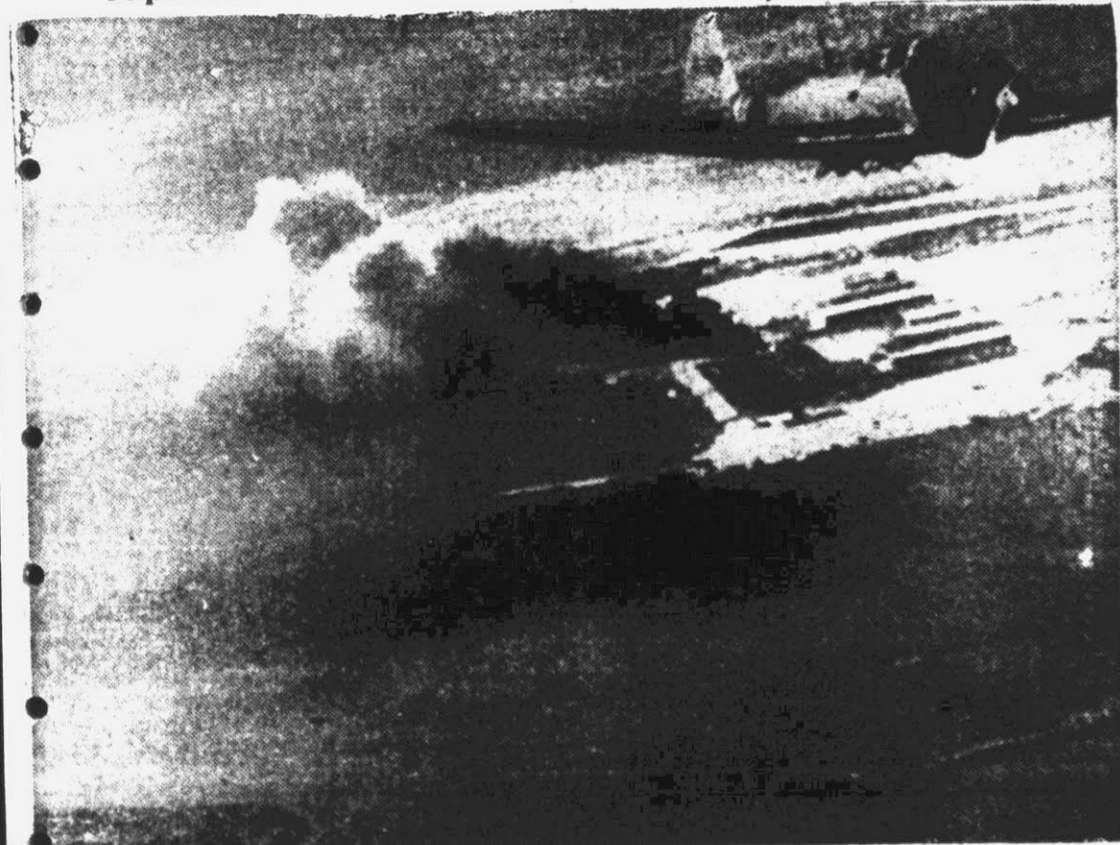
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Mother of Dead Paratrooper Dedicates Camp



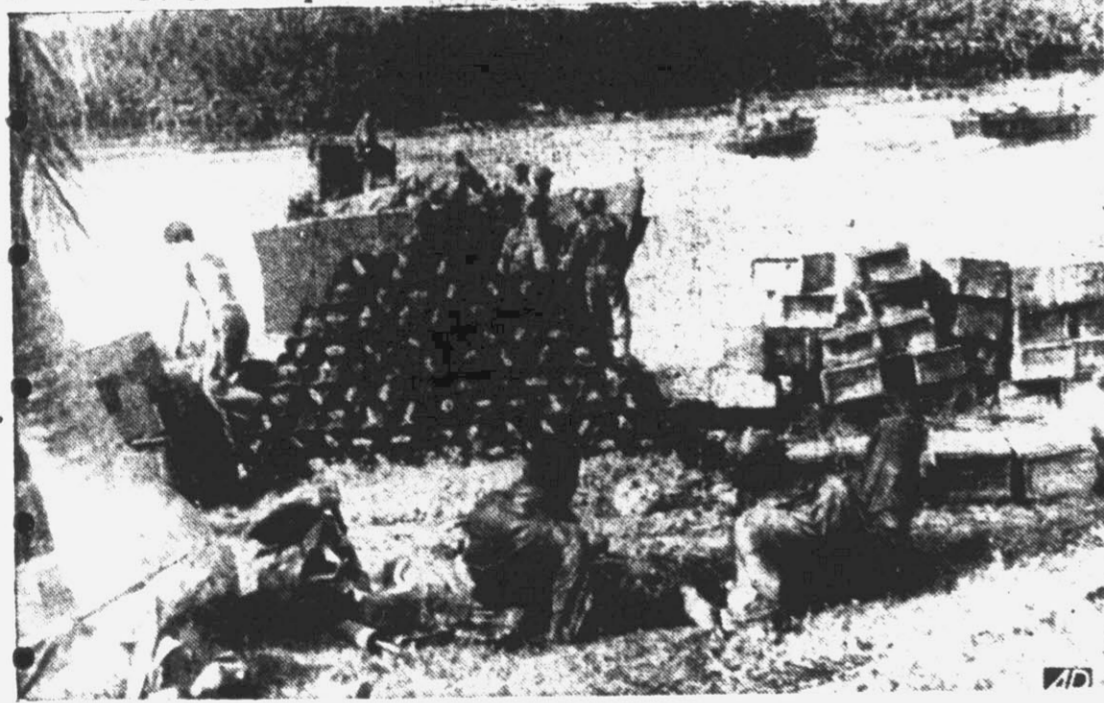
Mrs. Alda Mackall Newton (third from left) participates in the dedication of Camp Mackall at Hoffman, N. C., new airborne training center named in memory of her son, Private John T. Mackall of Wellsville, Ohio, who was killed in North African airborne invasion. Left to right: Col. V. G. Oldsmith, post commander; Gen. Gerry Chapman, commanding general, Airborne Command; Mrs. Newton; Miss June Mackall, sister of Private Mackall, and two brothers, Privates Gerald Mackall and Robert B. Mackall, both in the armed services.

Japanese Version Of Sneak Attack On Pearl Harbor



Japanese sound track commentary accompanying this Japanese newsreel picture describes it as showing Japanese planes over Hawaii during the sneak attack on Pearl Harbor. Scene is from the Japanese film obtained by the U. S. War Department and released to U. S. newsreels through the Office of War Information.

U. S. Troops Land Supplies On Russell Island



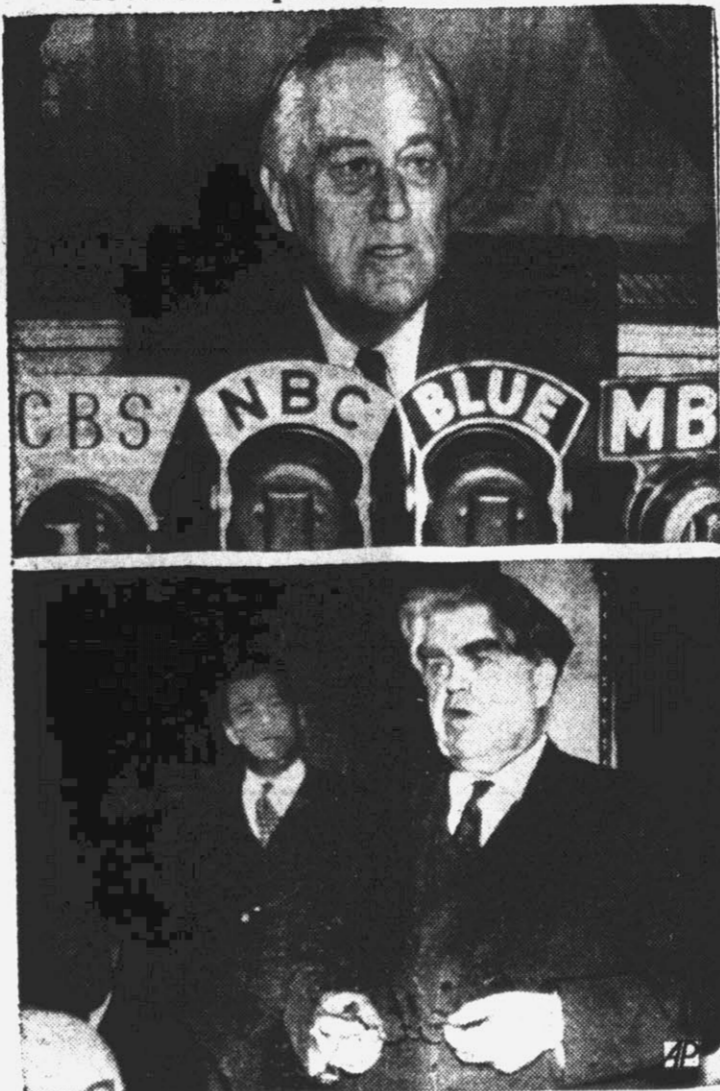
While some of the troops stack hastily unloaded supplies on the shore of Russell Island during its occupation last February by American soldiers, landing boats return for more stores. Anti-aircraft shells in clips of three are piled in the center, cases of food at the right.

Miners Go Back To Work In Alabama Coal Pits



Returning to their jobs after a week away from the pits, these workers boarded mine cars May 3 and rode back to work under ground at the Newcastle Coal Company mine at Newcastle, Ala. Some of the men in this group are maintenance workers.

Roosevelt Speaks - Lewis Yields



Sitting before a battery of radio microphones in Washington, President Roosevelt (top) broadcasts his address to the nation on the coal mine crisis. He appealed to the miners to go back to work and declared "coal will be mined, no matter what any individual thinks about it." The President spoke shortly after the announcement of a two-week truce in the coal strike impasse. Bottom: John L. Lewis, president of United Mine Workers, announces the truce to reporters in New York a few minutes before the President delivered the broadcast.

Miners Listen To Roosevelt



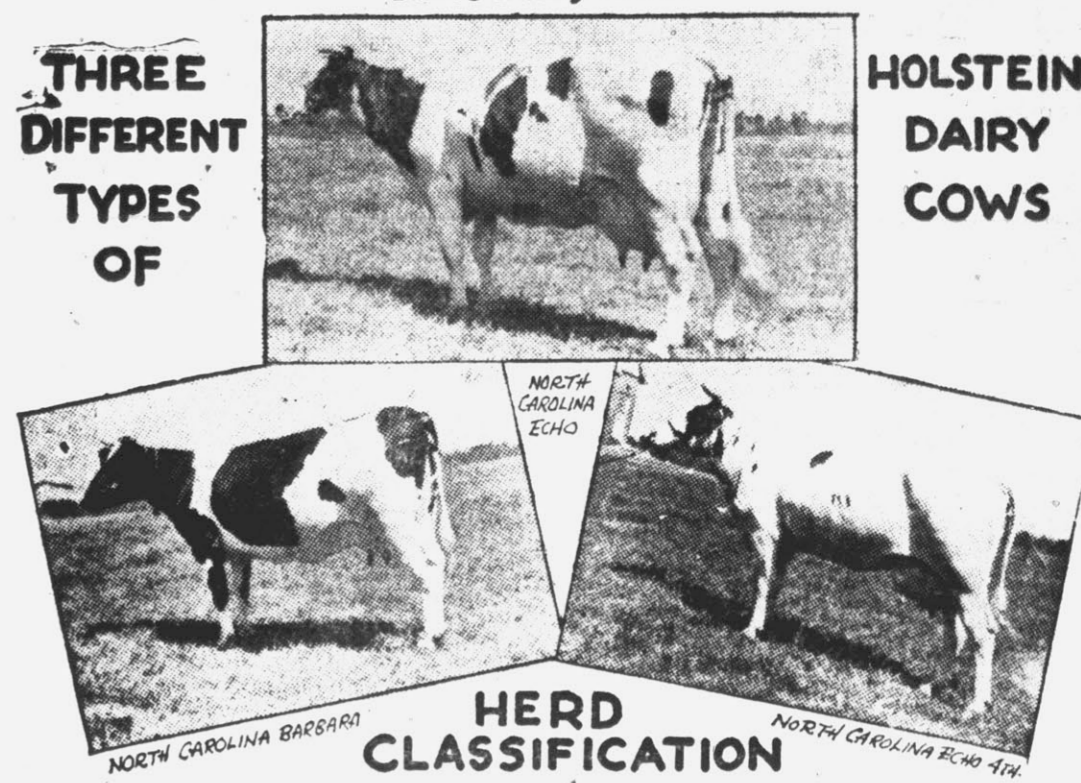
A. E. Black, a coal miner living near Harlan, Ky., and his family gather around a radio to listen to President Roosevelt's broadcast to the nation, appealing to miners to end the coal strike and return to work. A few minutes before, John L. Lewis, president of United Mine Workers, announced in New York that a two-week truce had been declared, and that work in the coal mines would be resumed May 4 officially.

Top-Ranking Air Ace Comes Home



Marine Captain Joe Foss, top-ranking United States air ace, greets his widowed mother, Mrs. Mary Lacey Foss (left), at Canton, South Dakota, upon his arrival back home after heroic service on Guadalcanal. He is credited with knocking down 26 Jap planes. Captain Foss' wife stands at right.

Three Dairy Cows



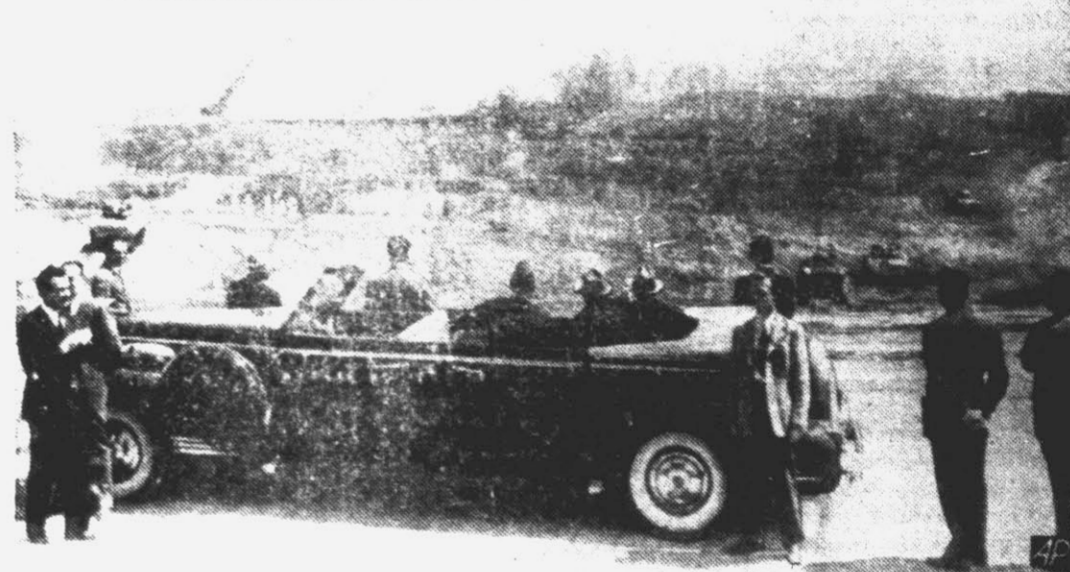
Dairy cows have certain body characteristics that indicate their ability to produce milk. Three typical Holstein cows from the N. C. State College dairy herd show excellent, very good, "dairy type." North Carolina Echo, above, is rated "Excellent" and scores 95 per cent on dairy type. She produced 18,569 pounds of milk and 674 pounds of butterfat in 305 days. This great cow combines dairy type and high milk production to a marked degree. Barbara, the "Very Good," producing 16,226 pounds of milk and 684 pounds of butterfat in 365 days at 2 years old. She shows good dairy type but is lacking in udder development. Echo 4th, lower right, lacks body depth, udder development, and smoothness of rump, rating as "Good." She produced 12,888 pounds of milk and 412 pounds of butterfat in 281 days at 3 years of age.

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President Sees Practice Tank Battle At Fort Knox



Smoke and thunder from exploding live ammunition lend realism to a practice tank battle staged by Fort Knox, Ky., troops on April 28 for President Roosevelt. Tanks advance at right and left with their shells bursting in the background. With the President, who is on the far side of the car, are Lt. Gen. Jacob L. Devers, chief of armored forces, (left), and Governor Keen Johnson.

Jap Shrapnel Dug From U. S. Vessel's After Battle



Using hunting knives and chisels, seamen aboard one of the U. S. vessels which took part in hard fought sea battle off Kourindora, 110 miles from the deck of the craft, west of the Aleutians, dig shrapnel through badly outnumbered, an American force of one heavy cruiser, one light cruiser and four destroyers intercepted the Jap expedition on March 26, damaged at least three Jap ships and forced the enemy to retreat.

BIG LEAGUES TAKE ON LIFE

Lively Ball and Arguments Furnish Big Week-end

By JUDSON BAILEY
Associated Press Sports Writer

The connection may not be clear, but the lively ball and lively arguments returned to the major leagues together.

For some reason the boisterous boys who usually are stormier than the North Atlantic have been drably docile this spring. The balata ball has been blamed for everything else and it might as well be held responsible for this, too.

At any rate, when the two big leagues quit playing with bean bags this week-end and the extra-base hits started rattling off the fences, the noise aroused the dragons of the dugouts.

Manager Leo Durocher of the Brooklyn Dodgers got into an argument with umpire Babe Pinelli in Boston, was ejected from Saturday's game and was fined \$75. The same day manager Mel Ott of the Giants was bounced at Philadelphia and coach Art Fletcher of the New York Yankees was tossed out by an umpire for the third time in his 17 years in the big show.

Sunday manager Frank Frisch of the Pittsburgh Pirates and most of his players joined in a tirade against umpire Jocko Conlan and fans at Forbes Field threw bottles and cushions on the field in protest of a decision at the plate. And in Washington two players, Ellis Clark of the Senators and catcher Johnny Peacock of the Boston Red Sox, came to blows.

These antics weren't able to steal the show, however, from the revitalized balata ball, which was introduced in the national league on Saturday and in the American on Sunday. The 147,000 fans who turned out for the fight doubleheaders on the Sabbath seemed well satisfied. In 16 games there was not a single shutout and in the American league, the slappers' paradise which had produced only nine home runs before Sunday, came up with six in one day.

Three of them were made by the Yankees in beating the Philadelphia Athletics 13-1 in the first game. Spud Chandler, in addition to pitching eight-hit ball for his third victory without a defeat, homered inside the park with two on. The A's won the second game, though 4-3.

Washington beat the Red Sox twice, 3-2 in ten innings and 8-2. The scrap between Clark and Peacock occurred in the seventh inning of the first game while Clark was at bat. Both were banished. Alex Carrasquel, the big Venezuelan, ignored a tattoo of 11 hits in the second session to last the route and gain his fourth victory without a setback.

Pitcher Bill Dietrich of the Chicago White Sox failed to duck a liner by Rip Radcliff in the fourth inning of the first game with Detroit and was smashed on his pitching arm. No bones were broken, but the arm had to be put in splints. Chicago went on to win 3-1, but the Tigers took the nightcap 4-1 when Rudy York hit a homer to set off a three-run rally in the 11th inning.

The Cleveland Indians nosed out the St. Louis Browns 6-5 in 13 innings and then were beaten 7-5 in the second game, which was halted in the seventh by darkness.

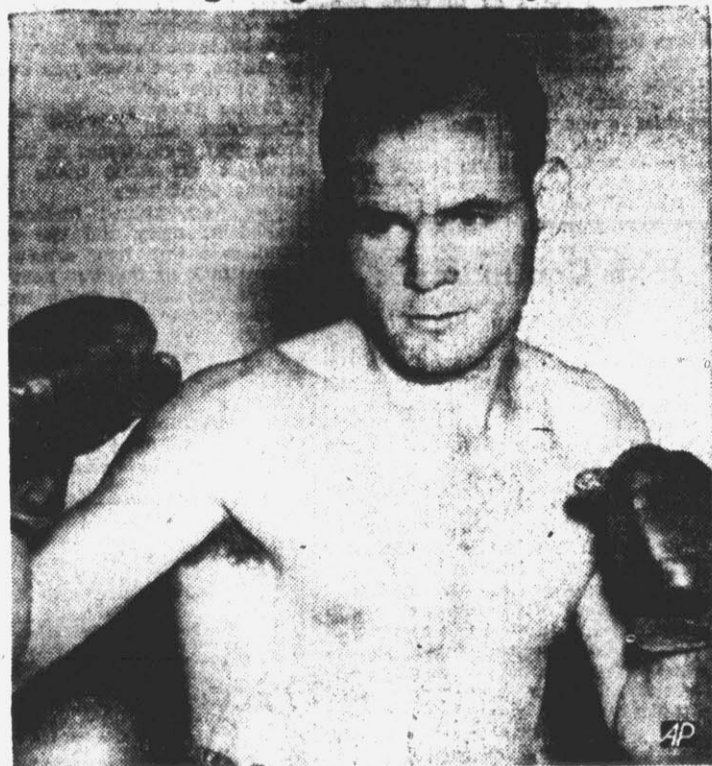
The Philadelphia Phillies swept a doubleheader from the New York Giants 3-2 and 3-1, running up an unheard of winning streak of three games. The attendance was 24,943 and the turnout surprised even Phillie officials, who were caught short-handed in the ticket booths.

Brooklyn's pace-setters were held to a split at Boston. The Dodgers won the opener 5-4 in ten innings and then were beaten 3-1 on Jim Tobin's four-hit knuckle-balling.

The St. Louis Cardinals moved back into second place by beating the Pirates 8-1 and then playing a 3-3 tie game which was halted after nine innings by the Sunday curfew in Pittsburgh. Mort Cooper pitched six-hit ball in the first game and Howie Pollet, pitching a seven-hitter, led in the nightcap till the Pirates tied the count with two in the eighth. Then Frankie Gustina tried to steal home and when he was called out the game was interrupted by a noisy demonstration. After play was resumed there was time for only one inning.

The Chicago Cubs, with a revamped lineup, clubbed the Cincinnati Reds 13-2 and 4-3. Paul Derringer made his bow in a Chi-

He's Fighting In The Army Now



Pvt. Gordon Baxley Hardy of Augusta, Ga., claimant of the southern welterweight boxing title and a veteran of more than 100 professional fights, is doing his fighting in the Army now — without pay for his ring appearances. Stationed at Miami Beach, Fla., he says that boxing in the Army is "lots more fun" than professional fighting. He is 27.

games will be a help to the war try if the men keep this in mind. Drowsy defense workers don't want to go to a ball park to be rocked to sleep."

Monday Matinee

The gag about the postman's day off isn't a gag to Pete Ladislaw. He took time off from delivering the mail the other day and delivered most of the winning shots for his team in the Garden City, L. I. Country Club best ball golf tournament. Which brings up Mike Costone's report when somebody suggested that he'd regain his tennis form if he took a little more exercise. "You come over to Montclair and carry the mail bag over my route on magazine days and you'll find I get plenty of exercise."



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BASEBALL

RESULTS

American League
New York 13-3, Philadelphia 1-4.
Chicago 3-1, Detroit 1-4.
Washington 3-8, Boston 2-2.
Cleveland 6-5, St. Louis 5-7.

National League
St. Louis 8-3, Pittsburgh 1-3.
Chicago 13-4, Cincinnati 2-3.
Philadelphia 3-3, New York 2-1.
Brooklyn 5-1, Boston 4-2.

International League
Rochester 6-1, Baltimore 1-2.
Toronto 3-2, Syracuse 0-0.
Montreal 5-7, Jersey City 2-1.
Buffalo 7, Newark 6.

Southern Association
New Orleans 6-1, Birmingham 3-5.
Little Rock 19-3, Memphis 3-5.
Chattanooga 10-9, Knoxville 8-9 (second called end of eighth, darkness).

Piedmont League
Portsmouth 2, Norfolk 0.
Lynchburg 3, Roanoke 2.
Durham-Richmond, postponed.

STANDINGS

American League			
	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	13	5	.722
Cleveland	10	6	.625
Detroit	8	7	.533
Washington	10	9	.526
St. Louis	7	7	.500
Philadelphia	8	11	.421
Boston	6	12	.333
Chicago	5	10	.333

National League			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	12	6	.667
St. Louis	8	6	.571
Cincinnati	9	8	.526
Pittsburgh	7	7	.500
Boston	7	7	.500
Philadelphia	7	8	.467
Chicago	7	10	.412
New York	6	11	.353

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

New York, May 10.—(AP)—Maybe this isn't the best time to be talking football, since spring practice this year proved only that nobody knows what football will be like next fall. But when you talk to Jack Lavelle, eventually you talk football, and generally you come up with some fresh ideas on the subject. Jack, you remember, is the old Notre Dame guard who coaches a New York high school team and in his spare time is about the best grid scout in the business.

Good Scout
The suggestion that "informal" football may do away with a lot of scouting brings a pained look to Lavelle's round face. "Scouting," he argues, "is what makes football games good. It's football's new service for the quick dissemination of information. A scout sees some-

one in the field in the opener and had the help of a 14-hit attack.

Heroic Chaplain Decorated



Capt. William C. Taggart (right), Army Air Forces chaplain, stands at attention at the First District Army Air Forces Technical Training Command center at Greensboro, N. C., and receives the Silver Star medal for gallantry in action off Java, Brig. Gen. Junius W. Jones congratulates the chaplain. (Associated Press Photo from U. S. Army Air Forces.)

Skippers Pause Between Patrols



Assigned to patrol the Guadacanal-Florida Island area for Japanese ships, these P. T. boat skippers of the U. S. Navy pause between trips at an advanced base somewhere in the South Pacific. (Left to right, foreground): Ensign Alexander W. Wells of Daytona Beach, Fla.; and Lt. Clarke Murray of Cowesett, R. I.; (rear) Lt. Craig Smith of Rochester, N. Y.; Lt. Clark Faulkner of Kansas City, Mo.; Ensign Bart Connolly of Brookline, Mass., and Ensign B. P. Percy of Greenville, Miss. Two flags painted on side of boat denote two enemy ships to its credit.

new trick or defense, brings back the dope and the first thing you know all the coaches are trying it — if they have the material. "Do you know," Jack asks, "I've actually had college coaches ask me what was meant by a looping line? How long do you think it would take them to learn things without scouting?"

On The Lavelle
Idea No. 1 from our latest discussion is that the college game may not be as bad from the spectator standpoint as a lot of fellas think. The loss of coaches and older players won't spoil the game. There will be less finesse but a lot more enthusiasm, says Jack. Of course that may only be true here in the east. Reports from some other sections say there won't even be many 17 and 18-year-old players on hand because the kids that age are going from high school right into the army instead of into college. Another of Lavelle's ideas is that football needs more competent coaches in the junior high schools. That's the place for the kids to learn such things as blocking and tackling. And we remember when it was the freshman coach's job to teach those things in college.

Bowl One
The season's here. Without a doubt. The umpires threw Lippy Leo out.

Today's Gest Star
Don Donaghey, Philadelphia Evening Bulletin: "The swing shift ball



NEW UNIFORM—Champion Runner Gregg Rice substitutes the natty uniform of the United States Maritime Service for the familiar track suit. He recently entered the service.



TABLES TURNED—Veronica Lake (center) and WAAG Lt. Madelyn Miller show La Vaughn Speer (seated), studio hairdresser who dressed Miss Lake's famous peck-a-boob bang, how short her own hair must be to meet regulations of the WAAC.



WAR PRISONERS' MAIL—Archbishop Amleto Cicognani, Apostolic Delegate to Washington, inspects the sorting and remailing of letters to war prisoners and families separated by the war, a service of the Vatican Information Office.

DAN DUNN - SECRET OPERATIVE 48



THIMBLE THEATRE - Starring Popeye



BLONDIE - by Chic Young



LEO'S AT IT AGAIN—Leo "The Lip" Durocher, volatile manager of the Brooklyn Dodgers, gets off to a fast start for the '43 baseball season by disputing a decision of Umpire Bill Stewart. As usual, Leo argued without success.

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Hog Market

Raleigh, May 10 (AP) - (NCDA) - Hog market 25 cents lower, with top of 13.90 at Richmond and 13.75 at Rocky Mount.

Poultry and Eggs

Raleigh, May 10 (AP) - (NCDA) - Egg and poultry markets steady on moderate receipts. Raleigh - U. S. grade A large 36, colored hens 25.

Grain Market

Chicago, May 10 (AP) - Wheat was under pressure today, but early losses of almost a cent were reduced late in the session on covering by previous short sellers. Rye and oats followed the bread cereal higher near the close.

Selling in wheat at the start was based upon a belief crop conditions had improved in large areas of the southwest. It was pointed out also that the harvest season is approaching in Texas, a period which normally makes traders take a more pessimistic attitude toward prices.

Wheat closed 1/4 lower to 1/2 higher. May \$1.44 1/2, July \$1.43 1/4. Corn was unchanged at 60 1/2. Soybeans were 1/4 off and rye was unchanged to 1/4 lower.

New York Cotton

New York, May 10 (AP) - Cotton futures opened today 10 to 25 cents a bale lower.

Noon prices were 10 to 40 cents a bale lower. May 20.20, July 19.93, Oct. 19.76.

Futures closed 10 cents a bale higher to 40 lower.

Table with columns: Open, Close, Prv. Cl. for various months (May, July, Oct., Dec., Mch.)

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, May 10 (AP) - Utilities in the low-priced class boomed over today's stock market. Transfers were around 2,500,000 shares.

Posting new highs for 1943 or longer were Commonwealth and Southern, Paramount Pictures, International Telephone, Standard Oil (N.J.) and General Motors. Support- ed were U. S. Steel, Western Union, Westinghouse and Montgomery Ward.

Bonds were steady.

FINAL STOCKS

Table listing various stocks and their prices, including Al Chem and Dye, Allegheny, Allis-Chalmers, etc.

Al Chem and Dye 159 1/2, Allegheny 27 1/2, Allis-Chalmers 37 1/2, American Can 84 1/2, American Car & Foundry 39 1/2, Am Rad and St S 10 1/2, Am Roll Mill 15, Am Smelt and Ref 43 1/2, Am Sug Ref 27 1/2, A T and T 152 1/2, Am Tob B 56 1/2, Anaconda 39 1/2, Arm Hill 5 1/2, A C L 24 1/2, At Ref 24 1/2, Aviat Corp 18 1/2, Baldwin 18 1/2, Bendix Aviat 19 1/2, Beth Stl 64 1/2, Boeing Airpl 18 1/2, Borden 26 1/2, Briggs Mfg 28 1/2, Budd Mfg 9 1/2, Burr Mill 13 1/2, Burr and Mach 13 1/2, Cannon Mills 41, Case J I 120, Caterpil Trac 46 1/2, Chrysler 75 1/2, Coca Cola 100, Coml Credit 37 1/2, Coml Solv 14 1/2, Cont Can 32 1/2, Corn Prod 59 1/2, Curtiss Wright 9 1/2, Doug Air 70 1/2, Dupont 14 1/2, Eastman Kod 166, Firestone 36 1/2, General Electric 37 1/2, General Foods 38 1/2, General Motors 53, Goodrich 36 1/2, Goodyear 67 1/2, Int Harv 67 1/2, Kennecott 33 1/2, Libby O F G I 36 1/2, Ligg and Myers B 67 1/2, Loews 57 1/2, Lorillard 18 1/2, Mack Truck 35 1/2, Mont Ward 43 1/2, Nach Kely 29 1/2, Nat Biscuit 25, Nat Cash Reg 31 1/2, Nat Diet 19 1/2, N Y Cent 18 1/2, No Am Aviat 19 1/2, Ore Elev 19 1/2, Pac Mills 24 1/2, Packard 4 1/2, Param Pix 27, Pennay J C 88, Penn IR 31 1/2, Penn Cola 44 1/2, Puller 36 1/2, Pulte Oil 18 1/2, Radio 12, Rep Stl 18, Reynolds B 28, Seab A L 28, Sears 71 1/2, Sst RV 27 1/2, Sperry 37 1/2, Std Brands 31 1/2, Std Oil N J 44 1/2, Stewart Warner 12 1/2, Tex Co 49, Tex Gulf Sul 40, Un Carb 84 1/2, Unit Air 38 1/2, Unit Corp 2, Unit Drug 12, US Ind Alco 38 1/2, US Rub 41, US Smelt and Ref 60, US Steel 56 1/2, Vanadium 22, Vick Chem 41, Va Caro Chem 58, Warner Pic 13 1/2, Western Un 35 1/2, West El and Mfg 6 1/2, Woolworth 37 1/2, Yell T and C 16 1/2

CHERRY POINT HEAD VETERAN PACIFIC AREA

Lt. Col. Bayler Was Last Man To Leave Wake Island

New Bern, May 10 (AP) - Lt. Walter L. J. Bayler, commander of an aviation group at the Marine Corps Air Station at Cherry Point, holds the unique, double distinction of being the military man who left Wake Island after the Japanese attacks in 1941, and of being the only man to participate in all three major battles involving Marines in the Pacific war zone - Wake, Midway and the Solomons.

Leaving Hawaii on Thanksgiving day 1941, Colonel Bayler reported for duty at Wake Island. Seventeen days later the Japs made their sneak attack on Pearl Harbor, and six and a half hours later loosed their bombs on Wake.

For nearly two weeks Bayler stayed on Wake, throughout the thick and heavy Japanese raids by sea and air, fighting with the small Marine force under command of Maj. J. P. Devereaux, that band which, in the face of overwhelming odds, sent out the famed communique, "Send us more Japs" and "Wake still holds."

Only 40 hours before the gallant Wake defenders were forced to yield, Bayler was officially ordered to leave the island. Taking the last American flying boat to leave, he carried with him valuable reports of air operations and other important records, and with that his own personal knowledge of the enemy's maneuvers and methods of operation which he is teaching to his training unit here at Cherry Point.

From Wake Bayler went to Midway, arriving on December 19 and remaining there for five months, during which the famed Midway sea battle was fought on June 4-5.

On August 5 he departed for Guadalcanal and stayed there from August 30 until November 5, under almost constant fire from enemy air raids, sea shelling and land assaults. During all of the battles at Wake, Midway and Guadalcanal his sole injury occurred when he stumbled over an American machine gun in the dark on Guadalcanal - and that was not serious.

Bayler's Marine career started in 1927 when he was commissioned a second lieutenant upon graduation from the United States Naval Academy. After serving eight months in the U. S. Steel, Western Union, Westinghouse and Montgomery Ward.

Col. Bayler is a recognized authority on communication engineering. He holds a master's degree from Harvard, where he studied this subject, and also took postgraduate work at Annapolis.

At Cherry Point he plans and directs training programs for the men under his command, getting them ready for the day when they will avenge their comrades on Wake, Midway and Guadalcanal.

Announce Clinic For Negro School

It was announced by the Health Department today that the pre-school clinic for the colored children will be held Tuesday, May 18 at the Fleming Street school at 9.30 a. m.

Cases Tried Today City Police Court

The following cases were tried in Police Court today: Clarence Craft, drunk and disorderly, 30 days in jail, or \$15 fine, costs deducted. James Joyner, cell-door, crashing red light, 30 days or \$10 on costs. Edmund Letchworth, drunk and profane language, 30 days or \$10 on costs. Directed. Mrs. J. J. Taylor and Capt. Lee Cox, both colored, disorderly conduct and assault. Martha June, six months, suspended on payment of costs and good behavior for a year. Cora Lee was not guilty. J. J. Johnson, driving drunk, six months, suspended on payment of \$50 and costs and lose license for a year.

Coal Mines Back To Normal Today

Pittsburgh, May 10 (AP) - Full production was resumed in the soft coal fields today following a return to the part of the remainder of more than 1000 mines in two states, who struck in protest against company fines of \$1 a day for unauthorized work stoppage, preceding the general shutdown May 7.

Five hundred mines at the Ohio-Kentucky line of the Jones and Laughlin Steel Corporation at Belpre, Pa. returned to normal today with the exception of two mines. Another hundred workers at another J. and L. mine near California, Pa. ended their strike Saturday.

In Ohio work also resumed at two large mines employing 1,200 men.

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In War Zone



A. S. Oakley, Jr., son of Mrs. Lela Oakley of Greenville, R. C., is with the Pacific fleet. He enlisted in the navy in March 1941 and received his training at Norfolk. He holds a rating of Seaman 1st Class.

Fired Bruce Sugg But Praises Him

By CHESTER WALSH

John H. Adams, prominent Oxford tobaccoist, fired Bruce Sugg on the first job he ever had - he was about 13 then - was in Greenville today hounding with the mayor of the Pitt county metropolis, talking business and engaging in some interesting reminiscences of the tobacco market here in olden times.

Adams took a fancy to young Bruce Sugg, took him to M. P. Jordan and Company's tobacco factory where the Imperial Tobacco Company is now located, and made a lot of the youngster. He introduced him to the workers at his boss' warehouse in the city, and young Sugg forgot to mail several important letters and Adams fired him.

"Bruce Sugg was fresh from the country then, all sprouting with cobbleurs and bayesed," Adams said today. "He was a bright youngster and had promise. Could I have foreseen the future and the prominent part Sugg was to play in it I would have hesitated in firing him."

The Oxford tobaccoist said with a smile today in the mayor's office at the City Hall.

Incidentally, John Adams has a son in Greenville, John H. Adams, Jr., a buyer for the Person-Garrett Tobacco Company, and another, William Adams, an executive in a New York bank.

Farm Machinery Now Available

Many farmers have been unable to locate certain articles of farm machinery and equipment. At present there are available in dealers stocks the following machinery: 1-Avery 3 ft. one way plow, 3-spring tooth harrows; 1-Allis-Chalmers "C" one way plow; 4-John Deere cultivators; 1-Vulcan cutout 2 horse disc harrow; and 3 Hackney wagons. All farmers who are in need of any of this equipment are urged to contact the local Farm Machinery Rationing Committee located in the Agricultural Building in Greenville. The Committee, realizing the problems of the manpower shortage, is anxious to get this equipment in farmers hands as soon as possible.

Axis Prepares ...

(Continued from Page One) of Palermo yesterday on the third anniversary of Hitler's invasion of the lowlands, leading that important base flaming and smoking under the heaviest aerial onslaught of the Mediterranean campaign.

In the Balkans, German troops were being moved southward through Hungary at a rate comparable to that preceding the Axis attack on Greece and Yugoslavia, according to travelers from Europe arriving at Ankara. Stockholm dispatches reported Germany was sending modern weapons to bolster Bulgarian defenses.

Nazi Gestapo Chief Heinrich Himmler has hurried to the Balkans to demand the suppression of German opposition and the deportation of all opposition leaders, it was reported from Geneva by Tass official Russian news agency.

A German radio commentator yesterday underlined the Balkan

developments when he said "reported (Allied) troop movements to Cyprus and troop concentrations in Palestine and Syria point to a campaign against southeastern Europe, the enemy will be repulsed at every point of our southern front."

He boasted of the "strengthened defenses" of the Dodecanese, Cyclades, Soprades, and other Aegean islands generally.

German Field Marshal Erwin Rommel, previously reported to have left North Africa to take charge in the Balkans, was said by London newspapers to have ordered a speedup of new construction by Greek forced labor. The newspapers reported that Rommel also had ordered the construction of new strategic highways between Bulgaria and Greece.

At the southwestern end of Hitler's conquered territory, the German labor corps was rushing construction of a new anti-invasion defenses along the French Mediterranean coast, according to a German broadcast recorded by the Associated Press, which also disclosed that the key French port of Le Havre had been ordered evacuated. Tass quoted German newspapers reaching Stockholm that mass arrests have been made at Vichy for "underground subversive activity."

That special identification cards have been issued to the populations of prohibited zones on the French-Spanish frontier.

The invasion theme, though in a different note, also was sounded yesterday by Gen. Henri Giraud, who told his French homeland in a broadcast from Algiers that "tomorrow the European fortress will be attacked." He warned that the struggle would be "hard and perhaps long."

"Don't be impatient," he cautioned Frenchmen. "Don't give pretexts for savage and bloody repression. Wait until we are ready to strike together."

And in Italy, where millions of Italians were summoned to observation of army and empire day, Gen. Attilio Teruzzi, minister of an Italian Africa that no longer exists, warned that Italy's whole future was at stake and said "we will fight to the last drop of blood."

Trade Pacts ...

(Continued from Page One) June 12 expiration date. Republicans charged that the act, born in 1934, violates the constitution in its present form by delegating to the executive the tariff and treaty-making powers of Congress. They claimed sufficient strength to "recapture" these powers.

Democratic leaders marshaled their forces behind Secretary of State Hull's request for extension without revision, basing their case on a contention that the trade pacts are needed not only to build commerce but to secure world peace.

The Republicans challenged Democratic arguments that action on the trade authority extension would reflect the extent the United States will participate in postwar world adjustments. The 10 Republican members of the Ways and Means Committee issued a statement saying:

"We of the Republican minority regard it as not only unfortunate, but imprudent and presumptuous, for the Secretary of State to hold that the action of Congress on the extension of the trade treaty act is a test of American foreign policy in the postwar world, and ask other nations to construct it as such."

Hull had told the committee that the United States must demonstrate now its "amercy of purpose" and willingness to bear its share of responsibility in world affairs by extending the administration's authority to trade reciprocally with other nations.

See Victory ...

(Continued from Page One) which he obtained a tax abatement must pay on the excess over a "normal" year.

Previous committee approval was by a 13 to 7 vote, five Democrats joining the eight Republican committee members in voting for the bill.

Even such opponents as committee chairman George (D-Ga.) conceded likely passage of Legislation embodying in some form the Ruml principle probably late in the week. From that time on, it is considered

anybody's guess as to what happened, since administration supporters in the House defeated a modified Ruml plan by a narrow margin.

Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich.), chief exponent of the measure in the Senate committee, said it was his best judgment the House would accept the measure now but others had different ideas and there was talk of a possible compromise.

Reds Continuing ...

(Continued from Page One) off the newest assaults by the Red army, were forced to send into the battle reserves which they had planned to use in the summer campaign.

The Germans also hurried up new artillery and tank units and threw them into the fighting, which extended from the marshes of the Sea of Azov across the mud flats to the Kuban river and from the river southward to Novorossisk.

The frontline dispatch said that large groups of Germans were still separated from each other and that hourly their position inside Novorossisk grows worse. It declared the Germans were employing many tanks and that a number had been cut off from infantry behind the Soviet lines and destroyed.

The Russians said that at least 15 small craft loaded with soldiers and one transport had been sunk within the past 24 hours in the Black Sea.

The Red army's advance in the Kuban may not be as flashy as some of the successes in the winter campaign, but is slow and sure.

There was increased activity along the Donets with sharp clashes north of Chuguev and south of Balakylea. Artillery duels which have been under way west of Rostov for about two weeks still were in progress.

Dwindling Axis ...

(Continued from Page One) divisional commanders and remnants of crack armored divisions of the African Corps which Hitler had trained in superheated armories in Germany for their African task.

Strong resistance continued to be offered by the enemy at the entrance to Cap Bon peninsula south-east of Tunis, but the communique said Allied destroyers and light naval forces had this gangplank into the sea closely blockaded and under fire from the Axis guns.

Kelibia and Sidi Daoud on the peninsula were bombarded from the sea, and an enemy barge loaded with troops and ammunition was sunk and a ship blown up.

With the French pressing in toward Cap Bon on the west from Zouchouan and the British Eighth Army making progress from the south in conjunction with the British First Army driving down from the north, Allied air forces hammered enemy troops on the peninsula without respite. The communique said, did "great damage" to shipping around the peninsula and assaulted Pantelleria island the second time in two days.

While American, British and French forces ripped up the final pockets of resistance in northern Tunisia and converged in plunging drives on Cap Bon to break up enemy plans for a drawn-out last stand on that peninsula, light naval forces roved along the coast, with orders to sink, burn and destroy every enemy ship seen cut off a retreat by sea.

No organized attempt at evacuation of the Dunkerque type had yet been detected, an official Allied announcement said last night, and the German air force apparently had quit the fight.

On the other hand, American Flying Fortresses, medium bombers and fighters - 400 of them - made the greatest aerial onslaught of the Mediterranean war on Palermo, the most important enemy base in Sicily, wrapping that port in a pall of smoke which defied reconnaissance photographers for hours.

Photographs of yesterday's mammoth 400-plane American raid on Palermo showed an oil fire, two fires on the docks, ships exploded in the harbor, explosions of gasoline storage tanks, explosions in an army headquarters building and damage to the railroad yards and industrial plants.

The weight of bombs dropped was five times that of any previous attack launched against European

bases from here and so great was the destruction at Palermo, the Axis southern gateway from Europe to Africa, that there was but little left of the harbor.

Flying Fortresses, Mitchells and Marauders and Lightning fighters from Maj. Gen. James H. Doolittle's strategic air force made up the raiding formations.

The four-engined fortresses attacked at noon, and the medium bombers a half hour afterward. A square mile of Palermo next to the harbor, in which docks and war factories were concentrated, was the target and even before photographed were developed, the airman said it was certainly wiped out.

Among the objectives bombed were the shipyards, the Fiat factory, iron and steel works, the arsenal and a chemical plant which were

turning out implements of war for the Axis.



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