

Social and Personal

T. Ray Oglesby of Winterville left yesterday for New York to spend several days.

Mrs. C. W. Shuff has returned from Raleigh to spend two weeks at her home in Greenville.

Pvt. Willie T. Meeks has returned to Camp Claiborne, La. after spending a short furlough at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Meeks of Greenville, N. C. R. 1.

The Rt. Rev. Thomas C. Darst and Mrs. Darst who have been the guest of Mrs. E. B. Ficklen during the diocesan convention returned to Wilmington today.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hodges of Norfolk, Va. who spent a week here to be with Mr. Hodges' mother Mrs. W. R. Hodges of Black Jack, who is ill at Pitt General Hospital, returned to Norfolk today. Mrs. Hodges is improving.

Mrs. Bill Sugg and little daughter Betty Reese of Snow Hill are visiting Mrs. Sugg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Thurnage.

Assembly Hour at College For assembly hour at the college this week the ECTC orchestra under the direction of A. I. Dittmer gave a program of popular appeal. To introduce each selection Mr. Dittmer gave a few words of explanation of the background for the composition or the work of the composer.

Following are the selections played: "March of the Little Lead Soldiers," Pierre; "Salute to America" (Love's Greeting), Egan; "Procession of the Sardinia," Ippolitoni; "Ballet Egyptian, Parts I and II," Laigini; "American Melodies," Zanicovic.

Around 20 students and faculty members are playing at present in the orchestra.

Conrad Thibault in Concert Conrad Thibault, who will be heard in a concert at East Carolina Teachers College on Friday evening, next week, May 21, has a fine concert baritone voice, big and well developed, with "masculine eagerness."

Young and handsome, he has been as well received by concert audiences across the continent from Boston, New York, Dallas to Norfolk, as by his radio audiences.

Reserved seats will be on sale tomorrow night 7:30 to 9:00 at Warren Drug Co.

Engagement Announced Mrs. John L. Horne announces the engagement of her daughter, Mary Doretta, to

Leggett Wellington Odom, Jr. The wedding will take place in early summer.

Miss Horne is the daughter of Mrs. John L. Horne and the late Mr. Horne of this city. Mr. Odom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Odom, Sr. of Gibson, North Carolina.

Nicholson-Sugg Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clay Sugg announce the marriage of their daughter, Marjorie Dixon, to

Don Gilliam Nicholson on Saturday, April twenty-fifth, nineteen hundred and forty-two, Cheraw, South Carolina.

At Home

Greenville, North Carolina

Announcement Engagement Mrs. H. C. Powell, of Valdosta, Georgia, announces the engagement of her daughter, Mary Catherine, to Lieutenant James Edwin Williams, United States Army Air Corps, of Moody Field, Valdosta, Georgia.

The wedding will take place in early summer.

Lieut. Williams is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Williams of this city.

Club Book Club The Club Book Club held its last meeting of the year Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Dink James on Ninth street. Upon arrival Mrs. James, assisted by Miss Agnes Fullilove, served an iced drink and a sweet course.

The president, Mrs. Fay Smith, presided over the business meeting. She welcomed the guests, Mrs. Georgia James and Mrs. E. J. Guss of Mrs. William Padgett. A collection was taken for the "Control of Cancer" and given to Mrs. Dink James, president of the Women's Club, who is sponsoring this movement. The members were urged to work at the surgical dressing room. They were also invited to attend the picture and lecture at the library informing the public of "Knowing Our Country."

Mrs. Smith then presented Mrs. Lee Folger who gave a most instructive talk on the "Effects of War on Children in the Home." She discussed fully the problems facing the children whose parents are in defense work and the responsibility that has fallen upon the mothers and fathers in their service. After the exchange of bouquets the meeting was adjourned.

At WAAC Training Center Daytona Beach, Fla. May 12 Fully trained in the art of army cooking, Auxiliary Annie G. Davenport of Route 3, Box 92, Betnet, N. C., is one of the graduates of the Bakers and Cooks school at the 2nd WAAC Training Center. The members of her class were either first or second cooks and most of them have already been assigned to army posts. First and second cooks earn the stripes of non-commissioned officers.

Social Calendar

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

10:00 a. m.—Mission Study class at Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church.

FRIDAY 9:20 a. m.—12:00 noon—Red Cross work room open. Leaders of the Christian Church in charge.

7:30 p. m.—Red Men meet in Austin auditorium.

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

SURGICAL DRESSING STATION OF RED CROSS over J. C. Fenney 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.

Promoted. Beaufort, Ga. May 13—Charles T. Futrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Futrell, 1008 Johnston St., Greenville, N. C., has been promoted from the rank of private to corporal. It was announced today by Colonel Mills S. Savage, commanding officer of the Beaufort, Ga. Army Air Field.

Winterville Class Meets On Tuesday night, April 27, the Winterville Nutrition class met in the Home Economics building for its final meeting and examination. Mrs. R. H. Forrest, the Home Economics teacher and the instructor, was highly pleased with the large enrollment of fifty-four members and the average attendance of twenty-four at each meeting. This is an excellent record for any community and the Winterville women are to be commended for their enthusiastic interest in the course, and their eagerness in which they responded to the opportunity to learn more about wartime feeding.

The Red Cross standard for receiving a certificate is high, but out of this number of regular attending members there were thirteen ladies who made high scores on the examination and have already received a Red Cross Standard Nutrition Certificate. They are: Mrs. L. S. Worthington, Mrs. D. W. Worthington, Mrs. R. E. Davenport, Mrs. Ellen Carroll, Mrs. H. H. Worthington, Mrs. E. A. Hooks, Mrs. Thurman Vincent, Mrs. Roy T. Cox, Mrs. Gertrude B. Speir, Mrs. O. H. Forrest, Mrs. J. D. McArthur, Mrs. J. H. Motley and Mrs. Willie Bedard.

Accepts Position Miss Rosa Lee McGowan, who has joined her parents in Portsmouth, Va., has resigned as a teacher in the Cententene School, Kinston, N. C., to accept the position of clearing house operator in the Southern Bank of Norfolk, Norfolk, Virginia.

To Speak in Wilson. Prof. R. C. Deal left today for Wilson, where he will speak tonight at 8 o'clock in the Charles Conn High School on a health program sponsored by the Institute of Life Insurance.

CHICOD NEWS Several from our community attended District Conference at New Bern last week.

Miss Dorothy Edwards of Raleigh was home over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith were supper guests of Mrs. Sammie Tucker last evening.

Prayer Service will be held in the home of Mrs. Jack Edwards Thursday evening. Your presence is requested.

We are looking forward to our Bible School which will begin May 22. We will have a leader from Duke University. It is hoped all children in the community will attend.

Mr. Lyman McRoy of Camp White Oregon spent last week with his parents, returning to camp Sunday by train from Raleigh.

Launch Drive For Control of Cancer The drive for the Control of Cancer has begun in Pitt county. Mrs. Dink James, chairman, announced today.

Cancer, according to the United States Public Health Service, is the fifth leading cause of death. It is not "fading," but due to a germ and is not hereditary. But it can be controlled through prompt treatment. The Health Service states: With this thought in mind an annual educational drive is made each year to acquaint the public with the dangers of cancer and the methods used in combating its growth.

Due to other drives in Greenville during the month of April, it was decided to postpone the Cancer Drive until May. This drive is sponsored annually by the Women's Club. Several book clubs have already made contributions to the fund. During this month the people of Greenville will be called on to contribute to this worthy cause. Mrs. Dink James, president of the Women's Club, is serving as chairman of the drive with Mrs. D. M. Clark, chairman of Public Welfare as co-chairman. Ralph Hardee of the Guaranty Bank and Trust Company is treasurer.

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR May 13, 1902

The engine and hose team of the Greenville Volunteer Fire Co., had the engine out at the cistern corner of Evans and Third Streets, for practice Wednesday evening. The engine was in splendid working order and part of the time had three streams going.

We have heard of no farmers committing suicide because they have no 11 cent cotton to sell, but the provocation is great.

Some of the planters have potatoes large enough to ship.

Mrs. Williams Talks To Winterville Club

In a talk last night to the Winterville Ruralist Club Mrs. Margaret S. Williams, Home Supervisor in Greenville, with the Farm Security Administration, stressed the importance of home canning in helping the Foods for Victory movement as well as in furnishing year round variety of diet. Figures given showed a remarkable increase both in the quantity and variety of canned food among rural Pitt county families.

The canning committee of the club also released the information that improvements have been made in the local canneries, and that the addition of new canning equipment would enable the canneries to care for all of the canning brought to them.

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Attend Meeting in Farmville Among those from Greenville attending the W. M. U. district meeting of the Baptist Church in Farmville yesterday were: Mrs. J. D. Simmons, Mrs. W. T. C. Biggs, Miss Sallie Mae Davis, Mrs. Nan Moore, Mrs. A. E. Hobgood, Mrs. W. R. Smith, Mrs. John Carroll, and Mrs. L. A. Stroud.

Soldier Presents Picture To "Mom" Sgt. Harmon Andrews of the United States Army Air Force and an instructor at Camp Seymour Johnson at Goldsboro, one of the 2,200 servicemen who have been the guests of "Mom" Horne (that's Mrs. J. L. Horne) since the Salvation Army opened the Vines House as a recreation center for servicemen, lured the place so well that he took a snapshot of the building, enlarged and colored it and sent the exceptionally fine reproduction to Mrs. Horne. Incidentally, Sergeant Andrews is an artist in photography.

The Vines House is sponsored by the Salvation Army in cooperation with the Servicemen's Center at the Women's Club and other agencies here. It has sleeping accommodations at a nominal cost for nearly a hundred men. Mrs. Horne has been mother to the boys. All of them affectionately call her "Mom."

Law Violations On Decrease, Appears

Fewer arrests for law violations have been made here during the past week than in a generation. Police Chief George Clark stated today. "When people are busy and working and go home at the right time at night they don't get into much trouble," the veteran police official stated.

A checkup with the State Highway Patrol, sheriff's officers, constables and police officers from other Pitt county towns revealed good order prevailing in those sections. A majority of the cases tried in county and city courts recently have been for speeding and reckless driving. Judge J. W. H. Roberts said today he plans to send law violators to work on farms to help with the crops, instead of to jail.

War Garden Vic

"We know our onions," says Vic, and his family. Victory war gardens contribute to the strength of the nation. And so does Rumford Baking Powder—used in baked foods, it's the individual minimum daily requirement of phosphorus, by the requirement of sodium. FREE: Rumford's new "Meat Extender, White today. Rumford Baking Powder, Box 4, Rumford, Rhode Island.

James Elks Comes Home As Sergeant

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Ben Harris Is Now Lieutenant In Navy

Ensign Ben Harris of the United States Navy Air Corps, now on overseas duty, was recently promoted to lieutenant (j. g.), an order from the Navy Department announced. He is in the blimp division. Lieutenant Harris is a son of Mrs. J. O. Harris and the late Mr. Harris. He has been in the service some time. He was here on a visit last year.

NEWS OF GREENVILLE HIGH

GREENVILLE HIGH ECTC Concert There will be a concert in the Austin Auditorium Tuesday night, May 18, at 8:15. Josephine Gibson, soprano, formerly of the present senior class, will sing. Others of Mr. Rossell's students of high school participating are practice teachers, program Walters, W. B. Harris, brother of Nancy and Mary Ann Harris.

There will be about six students in the concert, most of which have never presented a concert before. Miss Jernigan, the student who usually accompanies Mr. Rossell in his concerts, is on the program.

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FRIDAY, MAY 14 7:00—News. 7:05—Yawn Patrol. 7:40—Lost and Found. 7:45—Musical Clock. 8:00—News. 8:15—Magic Lamp of Melody. 8:30—Morning Meditations. 8:45—Spotlight on Rhythm. 9:00—News. 9:05—Design For Wartime Living. 9:10—Local News and Announcements. 9:15—Melody Time. 9:30—Organ Moods. 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—Cheer Up Gang, MBS. 11:00—Headlines of Tomorrow. 11:05—Local News. 11:15—Scott's Sonnet's Scrapbook, MBS. 11:30—Yankee Homeparty, MBS. 11:45—Dr. Paul Hagby, Speaker. 12:00—Midnight Time. 12:10—News. 12:25—Time Time. 12:40—Carolina Farm Features. 12:55—News and Markets. 1:00—10-2-4 Ranch. 1:15—Moby-Dick. 1:30—Byrdair, Johnson Field Headlines, TN. 1:35—Strictly Personal, MBS. 1:45—Broadway Bandwagon. 2:00—Cedric, Foster, MBS. 2:15—Quiz Waters, MBS. 2:30—Musical Time Calling, MBS. 3:00—Today's War Commentary. 3:05—Musical Interlude. 3:10—In the Woman's World. 3:15—Agony on the Air. 3:30—Shady Valley Talks, MBS. 4:00—Col. F. N. Heard, U. S. A. Guest of Walter Compton, MBS. 4:15—Mental Merry Go Round. 4:30—Boys Town. 5:00—Jeanette Haddock. 5:15—Quaker City Serenade.

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Trim as a brig is Carly's summer suit styled in crisp linen-weave fabric. Waves of frosty ric-rac and a snowy collar accent the billboard colours. A giddy flower patches on your lapel.

C. Heber Forbes

MBS. 5:30—Highway Patrol. 5:45—Superman, MBS. 6:00—News, TN. 6:15—They're the Barries, MBS. 6:30—Sportscast, TN. 6:45—Sundown Serenade. 7:00—Pulton Lewis, Jr., MBS. 7:15—The Johnson Family, MBS. 7:30—At the End of Day. 8:00—Waltz Time. 8:15—Herb Collins, TN. 8:30—The Music You Love. 8:55—You and Uncle Sam. 9:00—Gabriel Heatter, MBS. 9:15—Treadle Varieties. 9:30—Double or Nothing, MBS. 10:00—News. 10:15—1100 Club. 10:30—Meet the Band, TN. 10:45—Buddy Franklin's Orch., MBS. 11:00—News. 11:05—Sign Off.

Install Four Fans Servicemen Center Four standard electric ceiling fans have been installed in the auditorium of the Woman's Club by the Servicemen's Center, Willard T. Kyrzer, chairman, announced today. Installation of the fans was in line with the policy of those in charge of the Servicemen's Center to provide every available comfort and convenience for the servicemen when they come to Greenville and for those who assist in entertaining them.

The Servicemen's Center is open week-ends for reception and entertainment of the men of the armed forces. Refreshments, games and other forms of recreation are provided, as well as dancing. Special arrangements are made for the boys to write letters to the homefolks.

IS YOUR FAMILY GETTING PROPER NOURISHMENT? See Page 3

CONCERT by CONRAD THIBAUT, Radio-Concert Baritone EAST CAROLINA TEACHERS COLLEGE Friday, May 21 8:15 p. m. Prices: \$1.65 and \$1.10 Chart for Reserved Seats at Warren Drug Co. Fri., May 14, 7:30, 9:00 p. m.

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DR. McDONALD PRAISES ETC

Guest Speaker At Annual Phi Sigma Pi Banquet Last Night

"East Carolina Teachers' College in Greenville is among the foremost teachers colleges in this country and education in North Carolina has advanced more rapidly since ECTC was organized," Dr. Ralph W. McDonald, associate director of the extension of the University of North Carolina, stated last night at the annual banquet of Phi Sigma Pi, fraternity group dedicated to the teaching profession at the Old Towne Inn.

"Greenville, the college city, has become the cultural center of Eastern Carolina," he added, and he paid tribute to the fraternity for holding high the ideals of teaching.

Dr. McDonald reviewed the educational situation in the state. He pointed out the difference in the ideals of Germany, Japan and other totalitarian nations which provide for educating the individual for the benefit of the state and contrasted it with the principles and customs of democratic governments in educating and developing the individual for personal freedom. The educator's address was informative, interesting and entertaining and inspiring. He did not mention politics.

Clyde R. Mann, president of Phi Sigma Pi, presided and presented the speaker. Dr. Leon R. Meadows, president of ECTC, pronounced the invocation. Dr. Beecher Flanagan of the college faculty introduced the fraternity's officers for 1944.

They are Clyde R. Mann, president; Harry Jarvis, vice president; Harold K. Taylor, secretary; John W. Murray, Jr., treasurer; Robert E. Morgan, assistant secretary; Belvin B. Beck, sergeant-at-arms; Francis M. Spiner, historian, and Dr. Beecher Flanagan, sponsor. Honorary members are Dr. Clyde A. Erwin, Dr. Leon R. Meadows, Hon. F. C. Harding, Dr. Herbert ReBarker, Dr. H. C. Haynes and Dr. A. D. Frank. E. C. Hollar is associate member.

Prof. A. L. Dittmer entertained with violin selections. There were about 75 guests present.

Bury Mrs. Forrest Friday Afternoon

Funeral services for Mrs. R. D. Forrest, formerly of Winterville, who died at Craddock, Va., Monday, will be held at the Winterville Baptist church Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. W. H. Brunson, Christian minister of Ayden, and Rev. W. B. Nobles, Free Will Baptist minister of Winterville, will officiate. Burial will be in the Winterville cemetery. The funeral was postponed to await arrival of members of the family.

Pallbearers will be J. Frank Harrington, A. W. Ange, Vernon Cox, Nelson Hunsucker, Ronald Carroll, J. H. Mobley, C. D. Ward and Vernon White.

Negro Man Found Dead Near Belvoir

Isaac Monk, 29, Negro laborer, was found dead in bed this morning by his wife, Mrs. Lennie Monk, at their home near Belvoir in Beaufort Dam Township. He had been in bad health some time. He slumped to a heart attack, it is believed.

Coroner Griffin H. Rouse viewed the body and after investigating, stated that the man died of natural causes. He deemed an inquest unnecessary.

No Increase Of Gas This Summer

Charlotte, May 13—(AP)—"The eastern gasoline situation offers little hope of increased supplies for use this summer," War Price and Ration Board members here have been told.

The rationing officials met yesterday with Frank Merrill of Washington, D. C., OPA rationing executive, who released later a report of the session.

The report said that supplies had increased in the east in the last year due to increased facilities for bringing them in and probably would increase further by the end of the year but added:

"This does not mean 'driving as usual' because war demands have greatly increased our gasoline requirements."

It said that "the importance of examining applications closely and of adhering strictly to the mileage regulations in issuing all gasoline rations was emphasized" at the meeting and concluded that "applicants for special rations must remember that regulations give us authority to grant extra gasoline allotments in only a few emergencies involving life or death."

Negro Home Demonstration News
AMELIA S. CAPEHART
Negro Home Agent

Food Conservation Work Shop
The Pitt County Food Conservation Work Shop continues in the

A dime out of every dollar we own
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for VICTORY with U. S. WAR BONDS

county for the Negro farm women and 4-H Club girls.

Mrs. Daphne F. Lowe, Negro district home demonstration agent, held the demonstrations on canning and dehydration of fruit and vegetables Tuesday in the Jones and Cherry Lane School neighborhoods. Mrs. Lowe emphasized the importance of each farm woman and girl to see that plenty of food is produced on the home front and to conserve all the surplus by using the recommended and safe methods of preservation.

Due to limited amount of canning equipment this year she used the simple equipment that could be obtained in the home without very

little cash if any, the hot-water bath and home drying of fruits and vegetables.

For added attraction for the Cherry Lane group the fourteen home demonstration club members model dresses that they had made. Mrs. Lowe was very well pleased with the results that each club member had made from her first attempt in using a pattern and taking the guess-work out of sewing.

Negro subject matter specialist, Miss W. R. Laws, was a recent visitor in the county for conference with the local home agent last week.

Byrum H. D. Club
The Byrum H. D. Club met at the

home of Mrs. Bettie Gay, April 20, 1945, with 26 members present. Mrs. Gay, the president, presided. We opened by singing "O Columbia, Gem of the Ocean," after which the club collect for women of America was led by Miss Bertha Gay.

Mrs. Capehart, our home agent, demonstrated "Clean To Save or Clean the Easy Way."

The meeting adjourned to meet at the school, May 18, for the demonstration on home canning and drying of fruits and vegetables.

The hostess served delicious ice-cream and cake.—Henrietta Cobbs, reporter.

Canning Demonstration Schedule:

May 13—Ayden School, 2:00 p.m.
May 14—Moyes Chapel, 9:30 a.m.
Lewis H. D., 2:00 p.m.
May 17—St. Peter's School, 2:00 p.m.
May 18—Rock Spring School, 2:00 p.m.; Fountain School, 9:30 a.m.; Bynum School, 2:00 p.m.
May 19—Highsmith Com., 2:00 p.m.
May 20—Harris School, 2:00 p.m.
Cox School, 2:00 p.m.
May 21—Post Oak School, 9:30 a.m.; Clemons H. D., (Mrs. A. Newsome), 2:00 p.m.

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Here's how easy it is to bake the Ballard way. For light, grand-tasting hot southern biscuits, use only one tablespoon of shortening to every 1 1/2 cups of Ballard's Enriched OBELISK Self-Rising Flour. That's all the shortening you need — just one tablespoon!

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112 biscuits! That's enough to serve four a day to each member of a family of four all week long!
It takes two points for an average 1/4-lb. pork chop. Ask your family which they'd rather have: one pork chop to share among them for the entire week or 112 hot biscuits—enough for everyone to enjoy every day.

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To maintain adequate nutrition, the Government has asked that consumption of cereals—of which flour is the most plentiful—be increased 50%. That means you must bake at home if your family is to have

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Ballard's Enriched OBELISK Flour also provides extra quantities of Vitamin B₁ (Thiamin), Niacin, and Iron for abundant good health.

Bake the Easy Ballard Way
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VICTORY DEVIL'S FOOD CUP CAKES
1 cup Obelisk Self-Rising Flour*
4 tablespoons cocoa
1/2 cup sugar
3 tablespoons shortening
1 egg (whole)
1/2 cup milk
1/2 teaspoon vanilla

Think of it! Devil's Food Cup Cakes made with a 30% reduction in shortening! Sift dry ingredients together. Cream shortening and sugar. Add egg and beat thoroughly. Mix in flour and milk alternately. Add flavor. Bake in lightly greased muffin pans at 400° F. for 15 minutes. Makes 10 to 12 cup cakes.

*When using Obelisk Plain Flour, add one teaspoon baking powder and one-half teaspoon salt.

VICTORY CUP CAKES
1 cup Obelisk Self-Rising Flour*
3 tablespoons shortening
1/2 cup sugar
1 egg (whole)
1/4 cup milk
1/2 teaspoon vanilla and lemon

Cream shortening and sugar. Add egg and beat thoroughly. Mix in flour and milk alternately. Flavor. Bake in lightly greased muffin pans at about 400° F. for 15 minutes. Makes 10 to 12 cup cakes.

*When using Obelisk Plain Flour, add one teaspoon baking powder and one-half teaspoon salt.

VICTORY WAFFLES
2 cups Obelisk Self-Rising Flour*
2 eggs (whole)
3 tablespoons sugar
4 tablespoons melted shortening
1 1/2 cups sweet milk

Imagine! Only 1 1/2 red ration points for both shortening and butter! Beat eggs and sugar together. Add melted shortening and beat thoroughly. Mix in flour and milk alternately. Stir until smooth. Bake and serve with 1/4 lb. melted butter and syrup. Serves 3... with 35% less shortening.

*When using Obelisk Plain Flour, add two teaspoons baking powder and one teaspoon salt.

VICTORY BISCUITS
Have all ingredients—particularly the milk or water—well chilled. To every 1 1/2 cups of Obelisk Self-Rising Flour* add only one tablespoon of shortening. Cut in shortening thoroughly. Quickly add one-half cup of milk, and mix. Pat dough smooth, place on lightly floured board, and roll gently and quickly—don't press—until dough is about 1/2 inch thick. Cut with biscuit cutter and bake in hot oven at 475° F. for only 8 to 10 minutes.

*When using Obelisk Plain Flour, add one teaspoon baking powder and one-half teaspoon salt per cup of flour.

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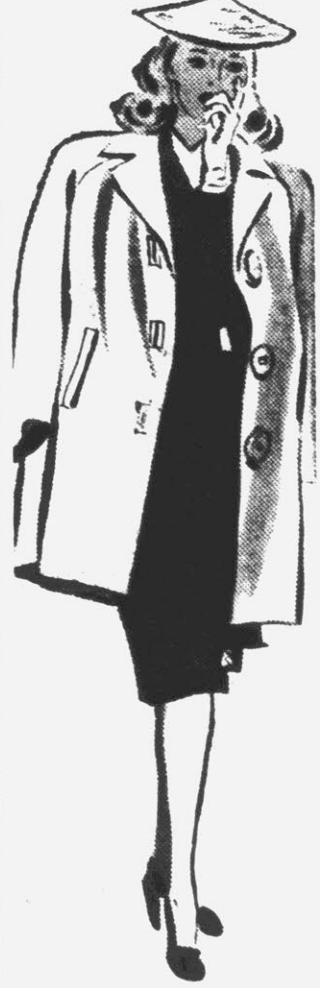


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\$14.95	Coats \$ 9.85
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INDIANS PUSH YANKEES FOR FIRST PLACE

National League Games Postponed Because Of Weather

By JUDSON BAILEY.
(AP Sports Writer)

The Cleveland Indians are crowding the New York Yankees for first place in the American League, but there is no way of telling yet whether the Tribe is on the warpath or simply doing its spring moving.

In recent years the Indians have moved menacingly in the spring and usually subsided in the summer. Last year they won 13 consecutive games in an April sprint and created some early excitement among their followers. On May 2 they were six full games in front of the Yankees, but the next day they went into a six-game losing streak and there is no point in recalling the subsequent details.

This spring the Indians have not been as flashy, have had no winning streaks, but they have not lost two consecutive games. This may mean they will stick in the scrap longer.

They overpowered the Washington Senators last night in a floodlight affair 8-2 to move within one game of the pace-setting Yankees, who were beaten at Chicago 2-1 in ten innings for their second straight setback.

Chubby Dean held the Senators to six hits and had a shutout till the ninth. He also lost a shutout in the ninth in his only other start against the White Sox last week. Dean's pitching was supported by a 13-hit attack on the part of his teammates, their biggest spree of the season.

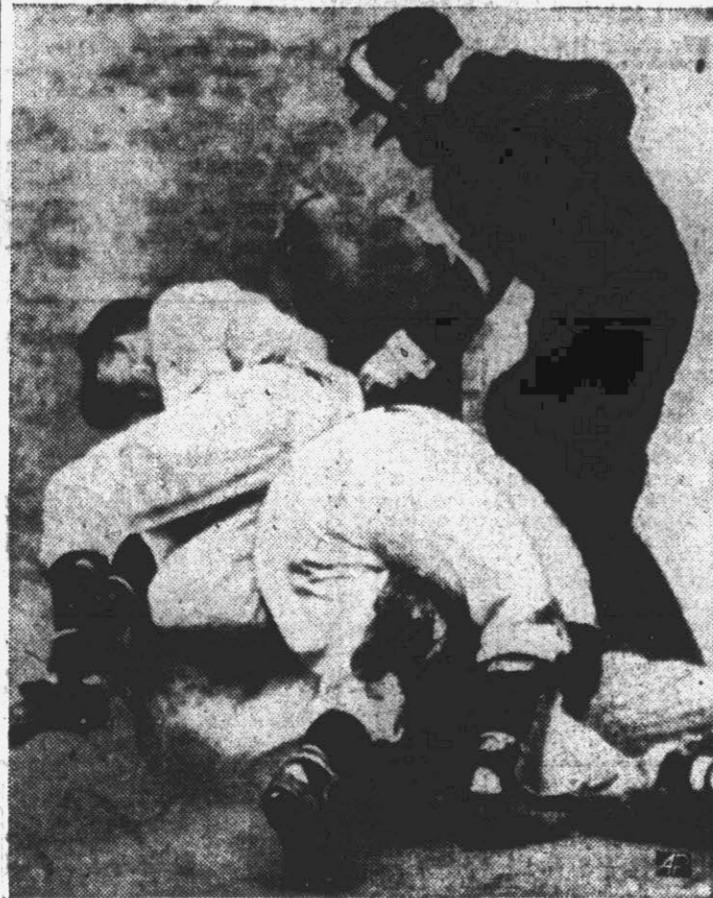
The Yankees' whipping of the White Sox was the handiwork of Johnny Humphries and Joe Kuhel. Humphries pitched six-hit ball and allowed only one single after the third inning. He himself made two hits and started the rally that tied the score in the eighth. Kuhel singled him home with the tying tally and then in the tenth singled rookie Thurman Tucker across with the winning run.

Ernie Bonham, the Yankees' ace, who had won three games without a defeat, went the route and was tapped for nine hits, seven of them in the last four frames. A year ago Bonham won eight straight before he was stopped.

The Philadelphia Athletics and Detroit Tigers battled in a 15-inning marathon at Detroit before a single by Ned Harris gave the Tigers a 3-2 victory.

The St. Louis Browns staggered the bruised and bleeding Boston

Unsafe At Home Plate!



In a wild tangle of legs and flying punches, three players of the Washington baseball team and Catcher Johnny Peacock of the Boston Red Sox mix it up in a scrap at home plate in the seventh inning of a game in Griffin Stadium at Washington. On top of the heap is George Case, Washington rightfielder. Ellis Clary is low man in the scuffle, and Catcher Jake Early straddles one of his legs. Umpire Bill McGowan takes a hand to separate the scrappers. Clary and Peacock were banished from the game. Washington won the baseball game 3 to 2.

Charleston, W. Va., high has been throwing the disc near the 170-foot mark, about a foot short of the interscholastic record. Don Short of St. John's prep in Brooklyn seems to have slender beaten. He has allowed eleven hits and one unearned run in five games.

Painful Poetry Department
Jersey Jones, ye olde hockey and fight tub thumper who has turned his talents to publicizing a Baltimore amusement part this season, suffered a poetical inspiration after reading all about the "balata blight" in baseball. In case anyone thinks this Dept. is responsible for the world's worse verse, we re-

produce Jersey's effort here:
To Baseball Fans
There's no "dead ball" at Carlin's. With rides and chills And fun and thrills It's the liveliest place in town.

COLORED NEWS

There will be a joint P.-T. A. meeting with the C. M. Eps High School and the Flemming Elementary School. All patrons and friends of both schools are urged to be present. Urgent matters claim your attention. Setting time tonight

Thursday, May 13, 8:00 P. M.
O. James Rooks announcer

Dedicate Colored Y. M. C. A.
The opening and dedication of the Solon P. League Y. M. C. A. was held at the York Memorial A. M. E. Zion church Sunday, May 9, at 3 p. m. with the Rev. Solon P. League presiding. Music was furnished for the occasion by a men's chorus composed of the various choirs of the city churches. The scripture lesson was read by Rev. E. N. Staten. Prayer of dedication was offered by Rev. J. A. Nimmo, pastor of the Sycamore Hill Baptist church. Mayor B. B. Sugg delivered a very helpful and inspiring address. Selected to give the message was Dr. Herbert Bell Shaw, secretary of the Ministerial Brotherhood, Relief and Home Mission of the A. M. E. Zion church of Wilmington. His message was enjoyed by all present.

Others to speak on the program was Dr. J. D. Simons, pastor of the First Baptist church in the city and Supt. J. H. Rose, each bringing inspiring messages.

Out of town visitors were Dr. Shaw's mother and his wife, Mrs. Ardella Shaw. Serving at the table on finance was Prof. D. D. Dapree, Charles Allen, Prof. W. H.

Davenport, Mrs. L. R. Taylor, and Mrs. Francis Hopkins the hostess for the "Y". Thanks to Prof. Rose who paved one dollar for Church Hill Thomas, membership fee.

At the close of the service a motortrate formed and went to 115 E. 2nd street where refreshments were served by the Stewardess boards of York Memorial church and the Junior Women's Club of Sycamore Hill Baptist church.

We want to thank our many friends for the loyal support they have given in helping to establish this institution.

—BUY WAR BONDS—

Red Sox 6-4 with Chet Laabs hitting a three-run homer—his second roundtripper of the season. It was the fourth loss in a row and 14th in 20 games for the last place Red Sox, who made only six hits.

All National League games were postponed because of unfavorable weather in the east.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

New York, May 13—(AP)—The postman has to work anyway (you know that "neither rain nor snow" line) so why should we both do it? Here's today's offering, courtesy of U. S. Post Office Department and various contributors:

Excellent Excerpts
From Harry Markson's thumbnail sketch of Bob Montgomery: "Bob worked on a tobacco and cotton plantation as a child but didn't like the work, which is why he took so kindly to Philadelphia." From Gabe Paul's news of the Reds: "Around the clock baseball offered to Reds' patrons." Sounds like

BASEBALL RESULTS

American League
Detroit 3, Philadelphia 2.
Chicago 2, New York 1.
St. Louis 6, Boston 4.

National League
All games postponed.

Southern Association
Little Rock 7-0, Birmingham 3-4.
Nashville 11-12, Knoxville 2-0.
Chattanooga 4, Atlanta 2.
Memphis 4, New Orleans 1.

Piedmont League
Lynchburg-Portsmouth, postponed.
Roanoke 2, Durham 0.
Norfolk 3-0, Richmond 1-1.

College
N. C. Navy Pre-Flight 4, N. C. State 1.

STANDINGS

American League			
	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	13	6	.684
Cleveland	10	6	.625
Detroit	9	7	.563
St. Louis	8	7	.533
Washington	10	9	.526
Philadelphia	8	12	.400
Chicago	6	10	.375
Boston	6	14	.316

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

a diamond version of the six-day bike race. From Jimmy Johnson's latest communication about his newest fighter: "The most amazing list of knockouts on anybody's record is that compiled by Jam Wiloby." In these days of point rationing we wonder if Jimmy stopped to think that "ham" might lose on points. From a statement by president Rufus Catrolton Harris on wartime intercollegiate athletics at Tulane: "There should be no athletic scholarships unless there are some poor boys who are rejected military services." In other words, don't pay 'em unless they're worth it.

Today's Guest Star
Lewis Burton, New York Journal-American: "A senior Ginja of Mexico City and Lisbon is seeking to interest Mike Jacobs in bull fighting promoting around New York. Individually, bull and fight are two of the best products of Mr. Jacob's office."

High School Jinks
Reese Hart of the Raleigh, N. C. Times wants to know if it was a record when the Raleigh high school baseballers swiped 29 bases in two games—13 against Durham and 16 against Rocky Mount. Henry O. King of the Huntington, W. Va., advertiser reports that right hander Dave Stender pitched three consecutive one-hit games for Huntington Central High before he finally got his lumps. And that Russell "bit stoop" Thomas of



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YEAH, JUG, SHANGHAI SENT ME -- I'M TO DEFEND YOU AND YOUR PALS -- BUT THE CASE DOESN'T LOOK GOOD TO ME.

THE BIG QUESTION IS, CAN YOU GET US OFF ??

I'LL TRY -- BUT IT'LL TAKE A LOT OF FIXING TO GET YOU OUT OF THIS MESS

BUT WE'VE GOT TO GET OUT OF HERE, CHEATER!

YOUR CASE GOES BEFORE THE GRAND JURY THIS AFTERNOON -- AFTER THEY ACT I'LL KNOW WHAT TO DO.

WELL YOU DO WHAT YOU CAN -- I'VE GOT ANOTHER ANGLE WE CAN TRY.

WHAT'S THAT?

SHH -- THE GUARD IN OUR CELL BLOCK CAN BE BOUGHT!

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Hog Market

Raleigh, May 13 - (AP) - (NCDA) - Richmond hog market steady with top of 13.75; Rocky Mount 15 cents lower with top of 13.60.

Poultry and Eggs

Raleigh, May 13 - (AP) - (NCDA) - Egg and poultry markets steady. Raleigh - U. S. Large (clean white) 36; grade A hens, all weights, 25. Washington - U. S. large 40; some broilers and fryers 28 1/2 to 29.

Grain Market

Chicago, May 13 - (AP) - Grains dropped about a cent at times today, wheat and oats moving to new lows for the past three weeks or longer. As steady selling uncovered a scarcity of bids. Some stop loss orders were touched off, accelerating the decline.

New York Cotton

New York, May 13 (AP) - Cotton futures opened 5 cents a bale higher to 5 cents lower. Mid morning values were 10 to 25 cents a bale higher. May 20-20, July 19-19 and Oct. 19-19. Cotton futures ended slightly lower today on southern hedge selling and scattered liquidation.

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, May 13 - (AP) - A number of odds-on favorites did relatively well in today's stock market competition but many leaders were left at the post or finished in the losing field.

FINAL STOCKS table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes Alleghany, Allis Chalmers, American Can, etc.

TO HOLD DOWN LIVING COSTS

OPA To Hire 1,400 Investigators To Check on Violators

Washington, May 13 - (AP) - Price Administrator Prentiss M. Brown today disclosed plans to hire 1,400 more investigators to help roll back the cost of living, and said the OPA's new subsidy program will be strictly experimental.

Job of the new probers will be to educate innocent violators of price rules and punish willful "chicklers."

The 1,400 extra investigators, Brown explained, will be added to an existing force of approximately 3,500. Their salaries are provided for in the next OPA budget, which has been approved by the White House preparatory to submission to congress.

Together with volunteers from "price panels" of local ration boards, the investigators will go from store to store, checking compliance with price rules, explaining and preparing evidence for criminal prosecution in the wilful cases.

OPA is busy now putting out simplified price lists so that everyone - store owner and housewife alike - can know what the legal prices are.

Seek Relaxation Of Gas Restrictions

Charlotte, May 13 - (AP) - Independent gasoline jobbers associations of the Carolinas launched a movement here today seeking to have gasoline rationing restrictions relaxed in North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia and Florida.

W. A. Parker of Raleigh, executive secretary of the North Carolina Association, said the jobbers at a conference here agreed to work out an application in this area of the restrictions now applying to the southeast in place of the rigid requirements laid down for the 17 states of the Atlantic seaboard.

Allies Mopping

(Continued from Page One) so that the First Army got in the knockout punch for the west, while the bulk of the enemy troops were held on the southern front by the fact "everyone, including the Germans," expected the Eighth Army again would strike the major blow.

The commander in chief said Britain, the United States and the Allied French "have a real reason for encouragement and hope as a result of this campaign."

Allied armies dropped their final bomb in Africa at midmorning yesterday. It was dropped by the Desert Air Force, which lost its first day after Italy entered the war.

But the air force announced there would be no letup. It means merely that its attacks will be concentrated across the Mediterranean.

On the southern sector facing Eighth Army positions fighting was stubborn throughout yesterday in the morning, but the battle ended as organized combat during the day.

Enemy resistance collapsed suddenly in the area of Zaouat, 28 miles south of Tunis. The Allied communique announced that the French troops, centering attacks in that area, had captured more than 22,000 prisoners in the final 48 hours of combat.

A person is taller when he awakens in the morning than when he goes to bed at night.

In the 19th century, members of European royalty often came to the United States to hunt buffalo.

Buffalo meat was a food staple of pioneers moving west in the 19th century.

FRIDAY-SATURDAY Hopalong Rides With Romance

Invest in Victory BUY U. S. WAR BONDS OR STAMPS EVERY PAY DAY

BLONDIE - by Chic Young



May Use India

(Continued from Page One) clean-up in North Africa so short-circuiting shipping routes to India that delivery of greatly increased material there this summer seems certain.

Second, until those supplies can be trans-shipped to the Chinese armies and the American Air Force in China the full weight of Allied military power cannot be brought to bear on Japan's Asiatic flank.

Messrs. Roosevelt, Churchill and their advisers might have to choose between alternative master plans and give a final "go ahead" order, some experts said, but even this is by no means certain.

Today Mr. Roosevelt gave his morning over to conferences with President Eduard Benes, president of the Czechoslovakian Government in Exile. Churchill also arranged to see Benes.

Constant meetings still are in progress, the White House said, but members of the staff of the Prime Minister and President, but identification of the American participants still was being withheld.

There are no plans at present, the White House said, for a joint Roosevelt-Churchill press conference.

The situation regarding the war with Japan appears to be much more fluid, however, and most authorities would not be surprised if important decisions for its development were reached at the current Washington meeting.

Theoretically Japan is now encircled, but the ring needs to be drawn tighter and vital resources and bases must be cut off from her before the encirclement begins to squeeze.

The only active threat to the vital interests of the island empire at present is posed by American naval and air forces in the Pacific.

See Compromise On Tax Measure

Washington, May 13 (AP) - Apparently gaining strength rapidly, administration forces approached within striking distance today of another upset of the skip-a-year plan to pit taxpayers on a current payment basis.

Although advocates professed confidence they had the votes to force senate passage of a modified Ruml plan, administration strategists contend the issue is so close it may well go their way on a compromise.

Their way in this case is a substitute offered by Chairman George (D-Ga.) of the finance committee which would abate - instead of a full year's tax liability - 75 per cent of the lesser of either 1942 or 1943 taxes for everybody.

One administration lieutenant who asked to remain anonymous said an informal canvass showed the senate almost evenly divided between the George proposal and the measure voted out by a majority of his own committee.

President Roosevelt has expressed disapproval of the 100 per cent abatement idea and the administration furnished the major share of the votes when the house twice defeated proposals similar to the senate committee bill, the last time by a four-vote margin.

Plan Increase Of Farm Machinery

Washington, May 13 - (AP) - A revamped farm machinery production program raising food to a No. 1 priority level with munitions and weapons is being formulated by the War Production Board and Food Administration.

This was disclosed today by M. Lee Marshall, deputy food administrator in charge of supplies, machinery, equipment, materials and facilities.

Enough steel and other materials will be made available for farm machinery, beginning about July 1, to allow an output for 1944 crop equivalent to about 80 per cent of 1940 production. Manufacture of machinery for this year's crops was held to less than 40 per cent of the 1940 volume under a WPB allocations program which gave munitions priority over food production supplies.

Marshall said he expected details of the new machinery program to be announced soon so as to allow manufacturers ample time to arrange for a speedup in their operations in July.

Vance Perkins Promoted

Vance P. Perkins, who resigned as treasurer of Pitt county some months ago to accept a position as accountant at Camp Pickett, near Blackstone, Va., has been promoted and has taken over his new duties as cashier. Mr. Perkins is spending a few days with his wife and children, who have been here for some time. They have been living at Farmville, about 20 miles from the camp. They will shortly move into a government housing project near the camp.

Treaty May Be Approved Today

Washington, May 13 (AP) - Continuation of the administration's reciprocal trade powers for at least two more years appeared certain of house approval today after a barrage of Republican-backed strictures was beaten down during a bitter, partisan floor fight.

The nearly-solid Democratic majority was joined by more than a score of Republicans, who split from their colleagues with a cry against "restrictive" amendments which they said might damaged Allied relations.

Their were the sentiments on which Speaker Rayburn (D-Tex.) pitched the tone of his climactic address after watching the minority group push across its first victory, cutting extension of the act from three years to two.

It was the Republicans' only victory of the day, coming on a tentative tellers' tally of 196 to 153, and advocates of the trade pacts between nations served notice they would seek a rollback vote on that issue today before going any further.

In swift succession, the house rejected three amendments after Rayburn denounced them as "cripping."

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(Continued from Page One) on Cologne nearly a year ago and probably was equalled in the May 4 raid on Dortmund.

Duisburg, which only 12 miles west of off-bombed Essen, had been bombed 59 times before. Among its important industries is the Vereinigte Stahlwerke munitions plants, which was reported heavily hit in successive raids on April 8 and 9.

While last night's raid was said to have been the heaviest in point of weight of bombs dropped, it was not necessarily the largest in respect to the number of planes employed.

The Canadian air force was well represented in the armada which participated in last night's raid. Nine of the missing bombers were said to be Canadian.

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