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No decided change in temperature tonight, possibly a few widely scattered thundershowers this afternoon.

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TODAY'S NEWS TODAY Final Markets

British And American Bombers Continue To Pound German Centers

RAF Blasted Points In Rhineland And Other Parts Of Germany Last Night; 26 American Fortresses Lost In Raids Yesterday Said To Be "Worth The Price"

London, June 14.—(AP)—The RAF bombed objectives in the Rhineland and in other parts of Germany last night and laid mines in enemy waters, extending the virtually nonstop offensive, the Air Ministry announced today.

The specific targets were not named, nor was there any indication of the size of the raiding groups. One British plane was lost, the Air Ministry said.

Formations of big, black-bellied bombers were heard passing over the channel coast last night, taking up the offensive where the United States bombers had left off after Sunday daylight attacks on the German submarine plants and nests at Bremen and Kiel.

German night raiders, meanwhile struck back in reprisals which caused an early morning alert in London and some damage in a north-east coast town, which was showered with incendiaries. At least two of the enemy planes were brought down.

The double-barraged attack yesterday by the Eighth U. S. Air Force wrought new destruction on the German naval building centers and the unescorted bombers shot down a great number of German fighter planes out of the strongest enemy interception force they have ever encountered.

The raids were made at the cost of 26 fortresses, chiefly around Kiel, but Brig. Gen. Frederick L. Anderson, who commanded one wing of the operations, said "The price was not too high for the results achieved."

It was the heaviest toll ever suffered in a single U. S. air force raid in this theater. The previous high was 16 lost during the last previous attack on Bremen April 17.

The British lost 24 bombers Saturday night in a raid on Bochum and other targets in the industrial Ruhr valley which the Germans considered caused heavy damage. During the peak of the Bochum attack, five 4,000-pound bombs a minute were hurled into chemical plants and armament works, and thousands of incendiary bombs were rained into the ruins.

Bochum, lying between Essen and Dusseldorf, has been raided twice before this year. 1,000 tons of bombs having been laid on it May 13. Returning pilots said it was evident the Germans have strengthened their anti-aircraft defenses in the Ruhr.

Reconnaissance photographs made late yesterday showed that fires still were burning as a result of the RAF's Friday night raid on the Dusseldorf-Muenster area by the (Continued on Page Six)

Fountain Man Held Prisoner by Germans

Washington, June 14.—(AP)—The War Department made public today the names of 560 U. S. soldiers who are held as prisoners of war by the enemy; 264 are held by Japan, 291 are held by Germans, and five are held by Italy.

The War Department said that changes of status may have occurred since preparation of the list but that in case of any divergence between the list and information sent to the next of kin, the War Department telegram or letter to the next of kin is the final authority on the status of a soldier.

The list included: Interned by Germany, Stalag 58—Pvt. Richard L. Jefferson, Mrs. Bessie Jefferson, mother, Route 1, Fountain, N. C.

Tells Story Of American Naval Victory Off Attu

San Francisco, June 14.—(AP)—It was in perhaps the longest sea battle of the war and against overwhelming odds that American naval forces fought off Japanese attempts to reinforce Attu and Kiska and blasted their way out of a trap in a daring daylight torpedo attack, the 12th naval district disclosed today.

The action was reported "several weeks ago off the Aleutians. Today's story paid particular tribute to the lead destroyer of the three which, with the help of an American heavy cruiser, but to flight enemy destroyers, two heavy cruisers, two light cruisers and two transports of cargo ships. The destroyers streaked in under

REDS CONTINUE HAMMER NAZIS

German Plane Losses In Seven Weeks Total 3,319

By WILLIAM MCGAFFIN

Moscow, June 14.—(AP)—The Red army air force has begun its seventh week of fierce air battles which Russians say have cost the Germans 3,319 planes and Soviet scouting detachments reported offensive gains in the Orel "hinge" sector of the front. Striking in that region south of Moscow, where the Germans have been expected to attack, the Russian patrols captured four settlements, according to the Soviet midday communique.

A special communique indicated the ferocity and scope of the Russian air assaults on German communications and supplies which were launched in May. The Germans' June losses alone were 1,250 planes shot down, it said and it put German air losses last week at 498 craft to Russian losses of 153.

Three German planes were shot down last night in the fighting near Mtsensk, which is about 50 miles northwest of Orel, and about 300 Germans were killed, eight tanks were knocked out and artillery and mortar batteries were silenced when the Nazis counter attacked attempting to drive the Soviet forces from the captured settlements, the midday communique said.

Both the Germans and Russians have large concentrations in the important Orel sector. Enemy fortifications in that area, near Sevsk which is southwest of Orel, were pounded by big Russian tanks last night and active scouting was reported by the Russians.

The Russians said they also brought artillery to bear on German fortification and infantry concentrations in the Belgorod area northwest of Kharkov, and west of Rostov on the lower front.

Moscow was abuzz with the Red flag of the Soviet union today in commemoration of United Nations day.

Refuse Funs To Continue NYA

Washington, June 14.—(AP)—The House Appropriations Committee today refused to approve further funds for continuance of the National Youth Administration and ordering its liquidation not later than January 1, 1944.

The committee on a vote reported by Chairman Cannon (D-Mo.) as "very close," struck out of the Labor-Federal Security-War Manpower Commission appropriation bill an appropriation of \$35,000,000 recommended previously by a sub-committee.

Instead, the committee voted to give the agency \$3,000,000 to wind up its affairs.

Cannon said he expected supporters of the much-criticized NYA would make a stiff fight to restore the funds when the bill comes before the House for debate tomorrow.

The NYA had been operating under the federal security agency headed by Paul V. McNutt.

Wooten Acting Chief Assistant Chief of Police Herbert E. Wooten is acting chief until the Board of Aldermen make the regular annual appointments at a meeting the latter part of the month, Police Commissioner L. B. Fleming stated today.

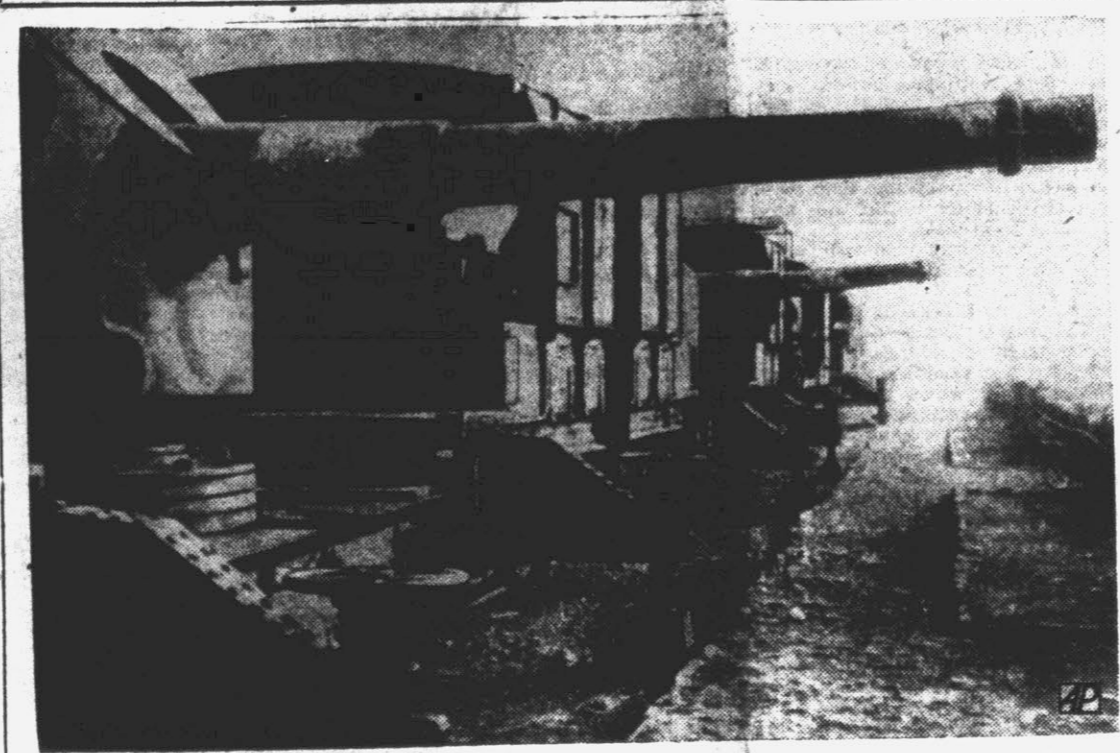
Flier Killed at Cherry Point Norfolk, Va. June 14.—(AP)—Lieut. (JG) R. W. Hathaway, USNR, of Dayton, Ohio, was killed Sunday when a navy patrol plane crashed near Cherry Point, the Fifth Naval District announced today.

Minor injuries were suffered by the eight other occupants of the plane.

Lieutenant Hathaway was the son of Mrs. R. W. Hathaway, of Dayton.

kill after the American force was trapped between the Japanese and nearby islands. The American cruiser walloped one of the Japanese cruisers at the start of the battle. The lead destroyer, eyewitness accounts said today, hit an enemy light cruiser with a salvo and put a torpedo in length, and that the fact "we could make all the speed we wanted probably saved us."

Heavy Mobile Coast Artillery Ready — Says Axis



"Everywhere on the long Italian coastline heavy coast artillery is ready to repulse successfully any Allied invasion attempt," says the caption for this picture which appears under the heading "The Italian Fortress Wall," in Review of the Week, a German illustrated newspaper, dated May 19. "After these railway guns can be brought quickly to impregnable spots," it adds.

COAL ISSUE IS STILL IN DOUBT

Anti-Strike Bill Will Go To White House Today

Washington, June 14.—(AP)—Another uneasy truce settled over the nation's coal fields today as the three-way wage-production struggle between John L. Lewis, the government, and the coal operators entered on what may be its climactic week.

About 2,200 Pennsylvania and Alabama miners agreed to return to the pits after a grief walkout in protest against the \$1-a-day fines ordered assessed against them by Interior Secretary Ickes, as government operator of the mines, for their participation in the June 1-5 strike. Ickes later modified his order to permit refunding of the fines.

Lewis sent out a call today for a meeting of the United Mine Workers' policy committee Wednesday, presumably to consider an expected War Labor Board (WLB) decision in the soft coal wage dispute.

UMW headquarters would not say specifically why the meeting was called except that it was necessary "to consider developments."

The meeting may coincide with a WLB decision on the miners' demand for portal-to-portal pay. Lewis reached an agreement on that issue with the Central Pennsylvania producers providing for a payment of \$1.30 a day. If a contract has been completed by midweek it probably will be submitted to the policy committee.

Meanwhile an anti-strike bill whipped through Congress during the tense coal negotiations was headed toward President Roosevelt's desk. Speaker Sam Rayburn and Vice President Wallace are expected to sign the legislation today and send it to the White House.

Given final approval by the Senate Saturday night, the measure would forbid strikes in government-operated industries and seek to curb walkouts in private plants or mines.

Spokesmen for the American Federation of Labor and the Congress of Industrial Organizations declared they would appeal directly to the President that he veto the (Continued on Page Three)

Information On Potato Permits

Ralph M. Woodside, deputy order administrator of the War Food Administration announced today the points from which permits for shipment of potatoes in carlots and in trucks will be issued. If a potato can be shipped without a permit these permits will be issued from the WFA offices at Washington, N. C., Scotland Neck, Bethel, Aurora, Columbia, Pantego, Greenville, Grifton, Elizabeth City, and New Bern. This order applies to truck shipments as well as carlot shipments and permits will have to be obtained at one of the above offices.

Mr. Woodside said all potatoes released under the freeze order will require grading by the federal state inspection service beginning at 12:01 a. m. June 15, 1943 adding that all truckers or shippers buying potatoes for shipment must obtain perishable agricultural commodities act (PACA) license.

These licenses may be obtained direct from William E. Paulson, division section, regulatory division, Food Distribution Administration, Washington, D. C.

The action is to enable the armed forces to obtain essential supplies and to provide for more equitable distribution of military purchases among producing areas and individual growers and shippers.

Further information may be obtained through the War Food Administration, Washington, N. C.

Induction Of Fathers To Begin About August

Armed Forces Expected To Reach Total Of 10,900,000 By January 1

Washington, June 14.—(AP)—The nation's draft-age fathers found little comfort today in disclosure by the House Appropriations committee that the rate of army inductions would be cut about 60 per cent after next December, with the bulk of 1944 inductees coming from the teen-age group.

The committee's information came from Paul V. McNutt, War Manpower Commission chairman, and Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, selective service director, during hearings on the WMC supply bill reported to the House today.

It was to the effect that a majority of physically-fit fathers, regardless of their children, would be in uniform by the end of the year. Induction of this class is expected to start in August and run until the end of the year, when the armed forces will aggregate 10,900,000 men.

By the end of this month McNutt told the committee, the cream of the nation's manpower will have been pretty well exhausted with the armed forces numbering 9,200,000 men between July 1 and December 31, inductions will continue, under present schedules, at the rate of an average of 300,000 monthly.

Mr. Roosevelt was said to have dwelt on the operation of food subsidies in Great Britain and Canada, observing that the system worked efficiently there, Republicans were represented as asserting that conditions are not the same in England, which imports about 60 per cent of its food under a system by which the government has ownership and can control prices more readily.

War Mobilization Director James P. Byrnes was said to have agreed (Continued on Page Six)

The WAR TODAY

AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEWS

While DeWitt MacKenzie is on vacation, this daily column is being written by Max Hill, former chief of the Associated Press Bureau in Tokyo.

By MAX HILL Another brief but important session of Japan's diet is scheduled for this week, and we should watch carefully all that the Tokyo radio sees fit to broadcast about the proceedings.

The announcements will be largely generous with propaganda specially concocted for consumption by the United Nations, but most likely we can find at least a clue to the true reason for this emergency three-day session.

It is logical to assume that Premier Tojo and his henchmen already have mapped a plan of action and it is now up to the diet to voice approval. Such rubber stamp actions are the rule for Japan's legislative body.

Tokyo's broadcasts already have used all of the phrases about Japan's immutable purpose, a perfected "structure for total national mobilization," and "reorganization of enterprise."

But all of this can be cut away by qualified statements leaving at least the germ of truth. For an example, it is not necessary to go back into history farther than November, 1941 when a special session was held in Japan before Pearl Harbor. Then American newspapers and our diplomatic corps were there

Sicily Airdromes Targets American Heavy Bombers

U.S. Fliers Smash At Japs In China

Chinese Commandos Gain In Yangtze Fighting; Japs Blasted In Solomons

By The Associated Press

American airmen, carrying out a series of furious bombing and strafing raids on the enemy's bases, and Chinese commandos, striking coordinated blows at his rear, have fashioned new successes along the upper Yangtze front of the Chinese theater, Chungking dispatches reported today.

More than 100 bombs were dropped on the big Japanese airfield at Nanchang in Kiangsi province, a supply link with the enemy's most advanced front in central China. Gasoline dumps were set afire and runways were torn up as the American Mitchells and Warhawks swept over the field and escaped without loss to their bases. Nanchang is the most important Japanese air base between Shanghai and Hankow.

The Chinese commandos killed 400 Japanese in attacks on their bases behind the front lines in the Yochow area along the middle Yangtze.

These harassing attacks followed a Chinese announcement yesterday of the recapture of Sungtze on the south bank of the Yangtze, between Ichang and Shasi, as the Japanese continued to fall back from their unsuccessful offensive toward Chungking.

In the latest of the aerial battles that have raged over the Solomons the navy announced yesterday the possible destruction of 33 Japanese fighter planes out of a force of 40 or 50 encountered over the Russell Islands. Six U. S. planes were lost, but four of the pilots were rescued.

The Japanese were believed on a mammoth "hunting expedition," seeking out American bombing formations proceeding to attack Japanese bases in the Solomons. They failed to find the bombers, which sent bombs screaming down on such targets as Bougainville.

The Tokyo radio version of the Russell island battle today asserted 33 American planes were shot down, and admitted the loss of only five of their own.

Meanwhile in the North Pacific American power was being exerted relentlessly on Kiska Island, the Japanese base in the Aleutians which is now isolated by American occupation of Attu. The navy communique yesterday said Kiska was bombed five times Friday morning.

From the Australian theater Allied aircraft continued their far-ranging attacks on Timor and other (Continued on Page Six)

Pay Last Respects To Chief Police

By CHESTER WALSH A thousand persons—white and Negro—rich and poor—attended funeral services yesterday for Police Chief George A. Clark, who died suddenly at his home early Saturday after spending the greater portion of his life maintaining peace and supporting the laws of the land.

Enforcement officers from many places and a delegation of representative Negro leaders of the city attended the funeral.

Rev. George W. Perry, pastor of Jarvis Memorial Methodist church, and Rev. J. C. Mose, Free Will Baptist minister of Snow Hill, officiated. Burial was in Cherry Hill cemetery. The grave was a wilderness of flowers.

Officials, white and Negro community leaders and others, paid tribute to the outstanding service the Greenville police chief rendered. Court officials, members of the bar and highway patrol officials and officers spoke of the good work he performed.

"Chief Clark was an influence for upholding the law, for closer and more mutual understanding among the people—white and Negro—for the welfare of all. For every warder of the law, Chief Clark caused to be issued by the law a dozen others from being written by his understanding of human nature and his ability to reason things out with people who wanted to go to law."

Chief Clark had the respect and confidence of the law-breaking element and the good will and appreciation of all, and sent three of his sons to the armed forces to fight for their country." Mayor Bruce Sugg stated.

Negro Fliers In Battle Allied Headquarters in North Africa June 14.—(AP)—The only American Negro aerial unit in foreign service was among the Allied forces that bombed Pantelleria, it was disclosed today.

They flew P-40 Warhawks and were under the command of Lieut. Col. Benjamin O. Davis, Jr., son of Brig. Gen. Benjamin O. Davis, a noted cavalry officer.

The all-Negro squadron trained at Tuskegee Institute, Ala., before going overseas.

Approximately 250,000 pounds of explosives were dropped upon the Gerbini and Catania fields by large formation of Liberators of the Ninth U. S. Air Force. It was announced.

Malta-based Spitfires again escorted the four-engine bombers on the last leg of the approach from the Middle East, during the attacks, and on the first part of the return trip. Both the targets lie about 125 miles north of Malta.

About 26 Axis aircraft were reported in a U. S. bulletin to have been observed in retracements and dispersal areas at Gerbini, "which with the runways, were blanketed with bursts."

Three other island stepping-stones for invasion already were in the hands of Allied forces—Pantelleria, Lampedusa and Linosa—and Sicily, at the foot of the Italian boot, appeared a logical target in the next phase of the offensive.

A Cairo Middle East air command communique said that at least eight planes were destroyed in the raid on Gerbini, three of which ran into bomb bursts as they attempted to take off and five Messerschmitt-109s shot out of the air in an ensuing battle.

At Catania, a port 12 miles to the east, serious damage was done to hangars and aircraft on the ground, with dense black smoke reported billowing up from hangars hit on the west side of the airbase.

The Italian communique said that formations of four-engine bombers also attacked Messina, with two planes brought down by anti-aircraft fire. It asserted also that three planes were shot down over Sicily and two over Pantelleria in air duels.

Yesterday's daylight attack on Catania followed a Saturday night assault by RAF heavy bombers which left large fires that could be (Continued on Page Six)

Bean Party Going On At Schools

Superintendent June H. Rose's "bean party" at the high school and Fleming Street Negro school was delayed in starting today because the refrigerator carload of fresh beans was late arriving. They were being unloaded this afternoon and the snappers were at work. The snapping will continue tonight after supper and tomorrow.

Mr. Rose is calling for white and Negro women and girls to volunteer to snap the beans which are to be canned at the school cannery for the cafeteria. The government donated the beans.

Women and girls willing to do some patriotic work are requested to help in this war work. White women and girls are to go to the high school auditorium; Negro women and girls to Fleming Street school.

The beans, when canned, may provide food for more than school children if food is scarce next winter while we are winning the war," Supt. Rose said.

Nazi Spies Helped Japs In Pearl Harbor Attack

Washington, June 14.—(AP)—The Office of War Information reported today that German espionage agents helped the Japanese prepare their attack on Pearl Harbor and at least one of them was sentenced to death, but the sentence later was commuted.

The report said Bernard Julius Otto Kuehn, a Nazi agent, was tried before a military commission in Honolulu on charges of betraying the United States fleet in Pearl Harbor to the Japanese five days before the Dec. 7, 1941 attack. He was convicted on Feb. 21, 1942, and sentenced to be shot on Oct. 26, 1942. The sentence was commuted to 30 years at hard labor. The basis for the commutation was not given.

Members of Kuehn's family have been interned for the duration, either in Hawaii or in this country. The OWI report, based on information from the Federal Bureau of Investigation, said Kuehn went to Honolulu in 1935 for the ostensible purpose of studying Japanese, and in three years banked more than \$70,000.

Picked up on Dec. 8, 1941, Kuehn and his wife at first denied they ever had any negotiations with the Japanese government, OWI said, adding: "But increasing evidence from the FBI contradicted their assertions and on Dec. 30, 1941, Kuehn signed a statement admitting he had prepared plans for the attack on Pearl Harbor." (Continued on Page Four)

"Memphis Belle"



Miss Margaret Polk, (above), is all smiles at her home in Memphis, Tenn., after learning that her fiancé, Capt. Robert K. Morgan of Asheville, N. C., would return home on England with his battle-scarred Flying Fortress, the "Memphis Belle," named for her. After 25 bombing missions over Axis territory, the plane was retired and will make a war bond selling tour of America.

NATIONS JOIN IN 'FLAG DAY'

Allies Display Might And Unity In Cairo Parade

By The Associated Press

Banners of all the United Nations were massed with the stars and stripes today in the first joint celebration of the heretofore strictly American observance of Flag Day.

President Roosevelt in his official proclamation setting June 14 aside for united tribute to the emblems of the 32 nations representing the "massed, angered forces of common humanity," called upon the United States to display the allied flags side by side with their own.

"We know that our flag is not fighting alone," the President said. "The flags of 32 United Nations are marching together, borne forward by the bravery of free men. Together, they are the emblem of a gathering offensive that shall bring (Continued on Page Six)

Legion To Install Officers Tuesday

Paul A. Scott, recently elected commander, and other officers of Post No. 39, American Legion, will be installed at a meeting of the post at the High School cafeteria tomorrow night at 7 o'clock. Commander Willard T. Kyzer will preside. Supper will be served.

The Legion post is concluding a year of constructive service during which the members have taken active parts in war work in numerous ways. The Greenville post received state-wide mention in state newspapers some months ago by its unanimous action to support an anti-veteran campaign, especially among men who were deferred from military service because of the disease.

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Social and Personal

Fvt. Fred L. Owens of Seymour Johnson Field, spent last week-end here with his family.

Dr. and Mrs. S. H. Williams, Jr., and daughter Ann, of Philadelphia, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Arthur left today for Beaufort to spend two days.

Miss Dorothy Skinner spent last week at Carolina Beach.

Miss Frances Tucker and Mary Frances Owens are spending some time in Elizabeth City.

Misses Pearl Mae and Bettie Lou Saled and Alfred Saled are spending some time in Washington, D. C., with their cousin, Miss Helen Marie Saled.

Mrs. George Gornito Jr. of Wilmington is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Tyson.

Miss Miran Barnhill of Bethel is employed at Beaufort.

Mrs. E. H. Williford of Carolina Beach is the guest of Mrs. E. F. C. Metz.

Robert Fleming, who is employed in Norfolk, spent the week-end here with his family.

Mrs. Charles W. Davis is visiting at her home in China Grove.

J. Nat Welker, district superintendent of the Ornum consolidated schools in Robeson county, spent the week-end here. Mrs. Walker, a school teacher, is attending summer school at East Carolina Teachers College.

Misses Carolyn Westbrook of Dunn, and Ann Moyer of Tarboro, are guests of their grandmother, Mrs. C. M. Jones.

Miss Virginia Kidd left today for Dobson, N. C., to visit her grandmother, Mrs. Allen Kidd.

Pat Patterson is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. R. H. Mann in Petersburg, Va.

Hilston Ryan has returned to his home in Petersburg, Va., after visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Patterson.

James L. Morrison, Jr., has returned to his home in Wilson after a visit here with friends.

Mrs. Haywood King and son, Haywood, Jr., have returned to their home in Lake City, S. C., after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. John Warner Wicks.

Mrs. H. B. Goochall and daughter, Alice, will return tomorrow from Delta Vista, Va., where they have been spending some time.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Crandall and little son, Chris Devon, of Winston-Salem, are visiting Mr. Crandall's mother, Mrs. Lizzie Crandall, and sister, Mrs. B. B. Gibbs.

James Smith arrived today from Memphis, Tenn., to visit his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Joe Smith.

Miss Kathleen Stallings spent the week-end with Mrs. Joe Smith.

Dr. Picklesimer to Lecture. The public is cordially invited to hear a lecture in the Austin Hall at East Carolina Teachers College this evening by Dr. P. W. Picklesimer on the subject "Geography and the War." Geography has taken on a new interest during the past few years and for this reason a large audience is expected to hear Dr. Picklesimer this evening at 8 o'clock.

On Thursday evening, June 17, at 8 o'clock, a harpist and violinist will give an entertainment entitled "Music in Time of War." The performers in this entertainment have a wide reputation as excellent artists.

Red Men To Meet. Members of Mohican Tribe No. 50 I.O.R.M. are asked to attend a meeting to be held Wednesday night at 8:45 o'clock. A resolution will be offered that affects all members. Clarence Vincent, Sachem. E. C. Hines, C. of R.

Girls' State. Misses Elizabeth Estrell and Mary Barber Taylor left yesterday to attend Girls' State at N. C. C. W. in Greensboro lasting through Friday of this week.

These young ladies were selected as delegates by the Greenville American Legion Auxiliary unit.

They are two of the 173 young ladies who will organize themselves into a state and carry on government this week in a similar manner to the way our state government is administered.

Girl Scout Council Meeting. The Girl Scout Council will hold the last meeting of the summer in Scout headquarters at the City Hall tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. Mrs. E. L. Henderson, Girl Scout commissioner will preside. Reports of plans for opening Camp Hardee on the Pamlico on June 30 will be made.

Art Directors To Meet. There will be a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Art Center in the gallery at the library Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.

Bethel Woman With WAACs. Pecos, Texas, June 14—Auxiliary Annie G. Davenport, daughter of Mrs. J. C. Davenport, Bethel, N. C., is now serving as cook and baker with the WAAC, stationed at Pecos Army Air Field, Texas. Auxiliary Davenport received her military training at Daytona Beach, Fla.

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR June 14, 1903

A Charming Singer. In the Baptist Church Sunday morning Mrs. Janie Tyson sang as the offertory "O Divine Redeemer." Her singing was beautiful, the expression being perfect, and the congregation was delighted. Miss Tyson recently returned from Baltimore where she took special vocal instruction.

Cary Mayo returned Saturday evening from Rocky Mount.

GREENVILLE WOMAN'S CLUB GIVES ANNUAL REPORT. The annual business meeting of the Greenville Woman's Club was held Friday afternoon, June 5, at the club house, with Mrs. Dink James, president, presiding.

At this time reports of the year's work were read, and officers who had served their two-year period retired. New officers were installed.

The treasurer, Mrs. J. H. Corey, stated in her report that the club is not in the "red" and that outstanding debts for repairs and upkeep had been paid.

All departmental chairmen gave interesting reports of a successful year's work.

Mrs. John Blackman, reporting for the Junior Woman's Club, told of the many fine projects undertaken by the members, the most outstanding of which was the sale of War Stamp corsages at Easter.

Over 600 corsages containing more than \$750 in War Stamps were made and sold by the club.

Mrs. J. E. Winslow, as chairman of Education, reported that Bettie Forrest had received the Woman's Club award of \$5, given each year to the Greenville High School senior making the highest scholastic record for three years.

She also stated that subscriptions to the North Carolina Clubwoman and the General Federation Clubwoman had been given by the local library.

Mrs. A. L. Dittmer, chairman of Art, reported that the club had been awarded the Inez Boney gold loving cup for the best art work of its kind in the state, as a result of the Art Festival held at the club house in April.

The North Carolina school art exhibit was held in February, to which the public was invited to see the prize work of North Carolina school children.

A portrait of Mrs. Rosa Forbes Quiner, first president of the Woman's Club, was presented by the club.

Mrs. T. E. Hooker as Membership chairman, reported that 17 new members had been added this year. The club now has a membership of more than 100.

Mrs. J. Knott Proctor, as chairman of War Service, stated that the club would give a \$250 nursing scholarship and that a Greenville girl, who graduated from high school in June, had been chosen and would enter a hospital in September for a three-year training period.

The club furnished a reading room at New River, made and filled embarkation kits for service men and assisted in all war work and community drives.

Mrs. John Jarner, chairman of Stamps and Bonds, reported that the Woman's Club in cooperation with the Merchants' Association and other organized defense groups, was responsible for the sale of \$196,468.15 in Bonds and Stamps from November, 1942 through May, 1943.

Mrs. Dink James, president, reviewed the work of the year which was not covered by the departmental chairmen. The executive board for 1943-44 is as follows:

President, Mrs. H. S. Ragsdale; second vice-president, Mrs. W. H. Woodard; recording secretary, Mrs. W. I. Wooten; corresponding secretary, Mrs. N. T. Ennett; treasurer, Mrs. C. C. Hilton; reporter, Mrs. C. W. Davis; historian, Mrs. Hortense Moyer; chairman American Citizenship, Mrs. B. F. Bullard; chairman of American Home, Mrs. A. B. Corey; chairman Education, Mrs. C. D. Ward.

Fine Arts Division of Art, Mrs. A. L. Dittmer; Division of Music, Mrs. G. V. Smith; Division of Literature, Mrs. J. Roy Wilkerson; Garden Club, Mrs. S. M. Crisp; International Relations, Mrs. J. H. B. Moore; Junior Sponsor, Mrs. James T. Little; Junior president, Mrs. W. D. Barbre; Public Welfare, Mrs. D. M. Clark; House and Hospitality, Mrs. J. H. Corey; Membership, Mrs. T. E. Hooker; Subscription, Mrs. Royce Hunsucker; War Service, Mrs. J. Knott Proctor; Stamps and Bonds, Mrs. John Jarner.

The following committees have been appointed for 1943-44: Program—Mrs. H. S. Ragsdale, chairman, Mrs. J. L. Fleming, Mrs. E. B. Sugg, Mrs. J. E. Winslow; Welfare—Mrs. D. M. Clark, chairman, Mrs. J. B. White, Mrs. R. M. Garrett, Mrs. C. E. Blair, Mrs. A. Moseley, Miss Mary Harding, Mrs. L. A. Stroud; Membership—Mrs. T. E. Hooker, chairman, Miss Eunice McGee, Mrs. E. W. Harvey, Mrs. K. W. Cobb, Mrs. J. Key Brown, Mrs. H. C. Sugg.

The club adjourned to meet again in October.

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The public is cordially invited. Members of the Christian Woman's Missionary Society, don't forget the birthday party had special offering Saturday of this week. The business meeting will begin at the church promptly at 3:30. At 4:15 Dr. H. G. Haney, pastor of the Greenville Christian Church, will be guest speaker.

GREENVILLE WOMAN'S CLUB GIVES ANNUAL REPORT. The annual business meeting of the Greenville Woman's Club was held Friday afternoon, June 5, at the club house, with Mrs. Dink James, president, presiding.

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The club furnished a reading room at New River, made and filled embarkation kits for service men and assisted in all war work and community drives.

Mrs. John Jarner, chairman of Stamps and Bonds, reported that the Woman's Club in cooperation with the Merchants' Association and other organized defense groups, was responsible for the sale of \$196,468.15 in Bonds and Stamps from November, 1942 through May, 1943.

Mrs. Dink James, president, reviewed the work of the year which was not covered by the departmental chairmen. The executive board for 1943-44 is as follows:

President, Mrs. H. S. Ragsdale; second vice-president, Mrs. W. H. Woodard; recording secretary, Mrs. W. I. Wooten; corresponding secretary, Mrs. N. T. Ennett; treasurer, Mrs. C. C. Hilton; reporter, Mrs. C. W. Davis; historian, Mrs. Hortense Moyer; chairman American Citizenship, Mrs. B. F. Bullard; chairman of American Home, Mrs. A. B. Corey; chairman Education, Mrs. C. D. Ward.

Fine Arts Division of Art, Mrs. A. L. Dittmer; Division of Music, Mrs. G. V. Smith; Division of Literature, Mrs. J. Roy Wilkerson; Garden Club, Mrs. S. M. Crisp; International Relations, Mrs. J. H. B. Moore; Junior Sponsor, Mrs. James T. Little; Junior president, Mrs. W. D. Barbre; Public Welfare, Mrs. D. M. Clark; House and Hospitality, Mrs. J. H. Corey; Membership, Mrs. T. E. Hooker; Subscription, Mrs. Royce Hunsucker; War Service, Mrs. J. Knott Proctor; Stamps and Bonds, Mrs. John Jarner.

The following committees have been appointed for 1943-44: Program—Mrs. H. S. Ragsdale, chairman, Mrs. J. L. Fleming, Mrs. E. B. Sugg, Mrs. J. E. Winslow; Welfare—Mrs. D. M. Clark, chairman, Mrs. J. B. White, Mrs. R. M. Garrett, Mrs. C. E. Blair, Mrs. A. Moseley, Miss Mary Harding, Mrs. L. A. Stroud; Membership—Mrs. T. E. Hooker, chairman, Miss Eunice McGee, Mrs. E. W. Harvey, Mrs. K. W. Cobb, Mrs. J. Key Brown, Mrs. H. C. Sugg.

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Library News. Concerning The British Isles. Following the lead of an occasional article about the British Isles, there are appearing in the current magazines at the Sheppard Memorial Library a number of articles dealing with subjects all the way from the geography of the "Emerald Isle" to the military strategy employed by her leaders. Long since have the newspapers taken their cue and been printing daily letters written by their special reporters from the Isles and particularly from England. Henry McLemore is one of the most recent ones to be writing from London each day.

Both the United States and Great Britain are endeavoring to inform each other about the other. Later Great Britain proposes to add United States history to her school curriculum but for the present the newspapers and magazines have to be the informing agents. Being allies for a second time has awakened a friendliness that has thus far been only a frankness. Today a bond must be established in the heart as well as in politics. Thus the great need of these articles, which are: "Old England My Eye," by Arthur Kuidner. In Harpers—a mid-westerner gives his views about the change in the look on the English faces now as of years before, the change in their attitude toward Americans, and the seriousness with which they approach their rationed lives.

"Letter From London," by Mollie Potter-Dowd. In New Yorker—a weekly feature in which the author gives the English viewpoint on political and war news of the day.

"Scotland In Wartime," by Isabel Wylie Hutchinson. In National Geographic—a well illustrated article about the mood, the spirit, the food, the crops of the Scotch. Included also is the story of how they meet the raids, take to amusement and plan their invasion defenses.

"Letters From England," by Dorothy Black. In Ladies' Home Journal—Long letters about conditions in England to the editors of this magazine. Very interesting and humorous.

"How Peaceful Are the Irish" by Hugh O'Neill Hencken. In Atlantic—a splendid discussion of the present-day problem of Ireland, attempting to make the reader understand the Irish point of view. The author thinks they will have to have a Pearl Harbor to awaken them.

"The Hoover Frame of Mind," by Rebecca West. In Atlantic—An Englishman criticizes a former president's peace plans, and at the same time compares the English and American ideals of peace.

"The Team That Harries Hitler," by Raymond Danfell. In New York Times Magazine—Explains how the English and Americans are working together in the terrific air offensive against Germany.

"Lone Wolves of the RAF," by Jack Alexander. In Saturday Evening Post—Another of the author's splendid articles on the English in this war, this one dealing with the night roaming marauder, an intruder pilot, who is teaching the Nazis a new kind of homicide.

"I Came Home To London," by Gertrude B. Stern. In Harper's Bazaar—Back to London and finds a home. An article giving much detail about living in England today.

Yours truly, JOHN T. SKINNER, 208 Cotanche St. (Paid Advertising)

Attend Funeral of Chief Clark. Out-of-town persons here Sunday afternoon to attend the funeral of Police Chief George A. Clark, who was buried in Cherry Hill cemetery, included the following: Cameron McLaren, Camden, S. C.; Miss Jean George, Augusta, Ga.; Chief S. H. Martin, Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Spell, Williamsburg, Va.; Chief George Canady, Capt. Marion Haskins and Patrolmen Charley Moore and Johnny Piver, Kinston; Chief Sawyer and Walter Hamilton, Ayden; Chief Arthur Belangia and Arthur Dail, New Bern; J. L. Pettus, Edenton; Chief C. T. Hocutt, Detective Roy Martin, R. C. Welfare, Peter Harris, Mrs. R. B. Bradley, J. F. Johnston and Mrs. Virginia Treadway, Wilson; Mr. and Mrs. Graham Butler, Mrs. William Butler and Chief and Mrs. Robert Worsley, Tarboro; Judge Paul Webb, Morehead City; Thomas Foley, Burlington; Judge J. Paul Frizzelle, Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Moyer of Snow Hill; Sgt. and Mrs. Ernest Elks, Grimesland; Major and Mrs. Ralph Giles, N. M. Souterland, A. D. Souterland and J. M. Souterland, Goldsboro; Mr. and Mrs. Guy Stowe, Mr. and Mrs. James Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Francis, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Forbes, Johnnie Edwards, Harry Dail, Sgt. C. R. Williams, Sgt. Pittman and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Fowler, Washington; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Clark of Fayetteville and others.

A Letter From Mr. Skinner. Greenville, N. C., June 14, 1943. Claude D. Tunstall, General Agent, National A. & H. Ins. Co., Dear Sir:

This is to acknowledge payment of \$100 today and also \$200 received last month as monthly installments on my claim with you. I realize now more than ever the value of a disability policy as it may be several months yet before my doctors will allow me to go back to work. It is a comforting thought to know that I can look forward each month for some time to come to a check from your company. Thanking you for your efforts in regards to my claim.

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TONIGHT

- 7:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS. 7:15—The Johnson Family, MBS. 7:30—Flying High, TN. 8:00—Waltz Time. 8:15—Treasury Star Parade. 8:30—Music As You Like It. 8:55—You and Uncle Sam. 9:00—Gabriel Heatter, MBS. 9:15—Farm Agent. 9:30—Alexander's Mediation Board, MBS. 10:00—News. 10:15—1100 Club. 10:30—Meet the Band, TN. 10:45—1100 Club. 11:00—News. 11:05—Sign Off.

TUESDAY, JUNE 15

- 7:00—News. 7:05—Yawn Patrol. 7:30—Freedom of the Land. 7:45—Musical Clock. 8:00—News. 8:15—Cote Glee Club. 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—Milady's Music Box. 9:30—Bob at the Hammond, TN. 10:00—Obituary Column of the Air. 10:05—Women in the News. 10:15—Musical Interlude. 10:15—Farmville On the Air. 10:30—Shady Valley Folks, MBS. 11:00—Stanley Dixon, MBS. 11:15—Karl Zomar's Scrapbook, MBS. 11:30—Yankee Houseparty, MBS. 11:45—Ayden on the Air. 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—Melody Range. 1:30—Luncheon With Lopez, MBS. 2:00—Cedric Foster, MBS. 2:15—Ozie Waters, MBS. 2:30—Nashville Varieties, MBS. 3:00—Today's War Commentary. 3:05—Musical Interlude. 3:10—In the Woman's World. 3:15—Todd Grant Gets the News. 3:30—Cheer Up Gang, MBS. 4:00—Walter Compton, MBS. 4:15—Uncle Sam Series. 4:30—Ice Cubes and Margaret.

- MBS. 4:45—Requestfully Yours. 5:00—Swing Session. 5:15—Quaker City Footlight Rhapsody, MBS. 5:30—Highway Patrol, MBS. 5:45—Superman, MBS. 6:00—News, TN. 6:15—Melodic Moods. 6:30—Sportscast, TN. 6:45—Sundown Serenade. 7:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS. 7:15—The Johnson Family, MBS. 7:30—Marital Music. 7:45—Confidentially Yours, MBS. 8:00—The Cisco Kid, MBS. (The Girl Who Came to Kill). 8:30—Music As You Like It. 8:55—You and Uncle Sam. 9:00—Gabriel Heatter, MBS. 9:15—Ramon Ramo's Orch. MBS. 9:30—Death Insured, MBS. 10:00—News. 10:15—1100 Club. 10:30—Meet the Band, TN. 10:45—1100 Club. 11:00—News. 11:05—Sign Off.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS

North Carolina Pitt County In Superior Court City of Greenville vs. The Society of Christ Our King, Inc. The defendant, The Society of Christ Our King, Inc., will hereby take notice that a civil action entitled as above has been instituted in the Superior Court of Pitt County for the purpose of foreclosing the lien of taxes and tax sales certificates for the years 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940, and 1941 held by the City of Greenville in the total amount of \$760.48, on the property located on Ford Street, and three lots on North side of 4th street, Greenville, N. C. and described in the complaint which has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court herein.

And the defendant will further take notice that it is required to be and appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County at the court house in Greenville, N. C. within thirty days after the service of this summons, and either answer or demur to the complaint filed herein, or the relief therein demanded will be granted.

Witness my hand this the 26th day of May, 1943. E. F. TUCKER, asst. Clerk Superior Court May 25-1-t-w-4wks.

WANT ADS PAY

REMEMBER Father's Day JUNE 20TH The fathers of America are fighting fathers. They may be fighting in the front lines... or fighting on the industrial front here at home... but all of them are fighting for the freedom and security of America. No gift you can give an American father, this Father's Day, can approach the gift he is giving you. But any gift will let him know you appreciate what he is doing — will renew his fighting spirit. We've selected, from our entire store, the things we think he'd like most to receive. Let your heart and your purse decide the one for your father — and give it to him with all your love. WHETHER HE IS AT HOME... OR WHETHER HE IS AWAY... REMEMBER FATHER ON FATHER'S DAY! SUNDAY, JUNE 20th Blount-Harvey

BELL ARTHUR NEWS

Mesdames Mack G. Smith and Gilbert Davis are attending the Adult Conference of the Disciples of Christ at A. C. College in Wilson this week.

Miss Aileen Crawford spent a few days last week with Mrs. Gilbert Davis.

Gilbert Davis, Jr., is attending summer school at A. C. College. Mr. and Mrs. Hart of New York, visited their son, H. L. Hart, and Mrs. Hart here during the week-end.

Lansley W. McArthur of Elizabeth City, spent the week-end with his mother.

Mrs. Jonas Dilda and son, Revel, of Fountain, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McArthur on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Crawford of Greenville, visited Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Rosberry Saturday.

Mrs. Harry Smith and infant son are spending several days with Mrs. R. T. Strickland, Mrs. Smith was the former Miss Maude Strickland of BellArthur.

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# They Call It Pacific

by CLARK LEE

"Think How Angry Your Wife Would Be?"

Chapter 13

WE STARTED down the mountain, barely crawling. No light at all came through the clouds and the trees lining the road.

I tried standing on the running board watching the roadside and listening to Carlos. "Hard to see, slow, straight, slow." With only a mile or so to go before reaching the main road to Manila we rounded a corner and our lights illuminated the rear end of a bus halted in the middle of the road. We saw eight or ten more buses ahead of it. The buses were in the middle of the road and we couldn't get around them, so we turned off our lights and coasted to a stop.

Carlos walked up ahead to investigate. He reported that it was the convoy that our friend Major Garcia was sending to Manila. It was commanded by another major. They had stopped while a scout car went ahead to investigate if it was still possible to get through, or if the Japanese coming inland from Da Mortis had already reached the junction between our road and the main highway to Manila. It was about one-thirty in the morning.

ON OUR left, on the inside of the road, the hills rose perpendicularly for a hundred feet. The river, which we could hear but not see, was some thirty feet below the level of the road on the right, and the retaining wall dropped steeply down to that distance. We could see the tops of the hills across the river about a hundred and fifty yards away, only outlined against the sky.

We got out of the car and sat on the wall and chatted with the Filipino boys who were smoking cigarettes and enjoying themselves. Only a few had rifles and they told me, "We are Filipino Scouts, sir, of the Engineers. There are sixty of us. The rest are recruits."

Twice the convoy started and we got back in our car, but each time it moved only a few feet and stopped again.

The second time the soldiers remained in their buses, while the three of us got out and sat on the wall. I saw the first to get on the hill. There was the noise of breaking bushes and of someone or something descending the mountain. Juan quavered, "Japs!"

IN THE darkness Carlos located the major and called him back to our car. We all listened and heard the unmistakable sounds of many people or animals, coming down the hillside.

The major was excited. "I have only six men with rifles. No machine guns. We had better run on and take a chance of making it."

Just then, we heard a loud explosion from ahead. "They must be blowing the bridge at Klondike," Carlos said. "We can't get through now. We'll have to fight."

"Major," I said, "this looks like a good position to defend. Nobody can come down this hill on the left, except human flies. We can run our car over on its side, and a few men can control the road from the upper end, since they'll have to come straight at us. They can't climb this wall from the river. We can hold out until dawn and get back up the road to the hills before their dive bombers get here."

The major, by this time, was jumping with nervousness, and Carlos took over. He ran to the nearest buses, and in Spanish told the boys to pile out and crouch behind the wall. The major saw him and snapped out of it.

The major came back and stood by the car and said, "O.K." I switched on the light and focused it on the hillside. It was much nearer and lower than it had seemed and the slope down to the stream was only about thirty degrees. The hillside was covered with trees and brush. We couldn't see anyone moving.

The major challenged, in a loud shout: "Halt, who goes there?" Immediately, from about a dozen places on the hillside, came back grunts and shouts, "Hai," "Ha," "Ho," "Ha." Then we heard the sing-song call, "A-tu-ta," which we learned later was the Jap password.

TO THE right of the car, covering our right flank, I could see about twelve boys crouched be-

side the wall. I snapped out the searchlight.

The major ran back a few steps and pulled out his .45 and fired three quick shots in the air. The recruits who had been alongside the car evidently mistook the shots for the starting pistol of a fifteen-mile race back up the mountain to their homes in Baguio. They stampeded up the road. Juan, who had been in the back seat, jumped past me and took off behind them. He disappeared almost instantly, a thin streak in the darkness.

Our soldiers started firing their Springfields and Enfields, rapid fire. The sound echoed back and forth across the canyon and sounded like thousands of shots. I could hear the bullets smashing into the brush on the hill across the river.

There was a pause while the soldiers reloaded, then another volley. Leaning back against the cliff, with the car between me and the hill across the river, I couldn't hear any shots coming back, nor see any flashes. I thought, "This engagement will go down in the minds of these boys at the Batalla de las Sombras—the shadow fight."

I walked the few feet back to our car and saw the rear door was open and three pair of boots were projecting. Three tiny figures crawled reluctantly out. One of them still had a rifle. He knelt down on the road, while I sat on the running board. He said, "I am wounded, sir." I felt his arm and got blood on my hand. He had another wound in the shoulder. "Kindly do not make me shoot any more, sir." "It's all right," I said. "You do not have to fire any more."

The second recruit said, "I also, have been wounded in the arm." The third was panicked. "I don't know where I was going, if any place, so I took all three of them over to their bus, where they crawled onto the floor. I was still not thoroughly convinced there were Japs across the river, and I thought it was possible the two recruits had been wounded by our gun fire, in the first confusion."

The firing had ceased for a second time and then suddenly it started up again. There were no flashes from alongside the car, nor behind it. I realized suddenly that I and the Ford were our right flank and rear guard.

I said to myself, crouching there beside the car, "Lee, think how angry your wife would be with you if you were killed here, all uncovered with glory and without killing a single Jap. You've got to get the hell out of here."

There remained the question of Carlos. I had last seen him in the middle of things, running the show, waving his arms and giving orders. I made myself walk down to the left, stumbling along the wall, looking for him. I went about 150 yards, past most of the buses, and couldn't find him or anybody who had seen him. Finally I bumped into the major. He told me, "The muchacho with the white shirt ran up the road when the firing started."

OUR troops were still firing sporadically, but apparently some of the Scout sergeants had taken over, because there was less wild shooting and things seemed to be pretty well under control.

I went back to the car. I drove straight to Major Garcia's house. He woke up after I had pounded on the door for a few minutes, and came down in his dressing gown, carrying a flashlight. We went up to his rooms, on the second floor, and I told the major what had happened.

"Where is the other muchacho?" he asked. I told him, and the major said, "He will show up here in the morning."

"I don't know how you got back. I ordered those bridges blown up at one o'clock. Well, in any case, we are very nicely cut off here now."

The major picked up the telephone and called his office. "Captain Hernandez? The Japs are on the south road, now, as well as the north. Our convoy seems to be cut off. My orders to blow the bridges have not been carried out. . . . What am I going to do? I am going to fight. . . . With what forces? Well, we have those fifty ROTC cadets. They have six machine guns and I believe they know how to shoot them. Wake them up and tell them to get ready. Get two buses and take them down the road. . . . I'll be right over."

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# CHANGING RULING IN FLAG CASE

## High Court Reverses Decision On Saluting Flag

Washington, June 14—(AP)—The Supreme Court overruled today a decision it delivered in 1940 and held that school children can not constitutionally be required to salute the American flag if they had religious scruples against such action.

After delivering this 6 to 3 decision, the justices unanimously held unconstitutional in a decision by Justice Roberts, a war-time anti-sedition statute of Mississippi which outlawed statements of distribution of literature "which reasonably tend to create an attitude of stubborn refusal to salute, honor or respect the flag or government of the United States or of the State."

Justice Jackson delivered the decision in the first case which dealt with a flag salute requirement of the West Virginia Board of Education. Both actions involved members of "Jehovah's Witnesses."

The three dissenters were Justices Roberts, Reed and Frankfurter. "We think the action of the local authorities in compelling the flag salute and pledge," Jackson asserted, "transcends constitutional limitations on their power and invades the sphere of intellect and spirit which it is the purpose of the First Amendment to our Constitution and reserve from all official control."

In its June 3, 1940 decision, the court sustained the constitutionality of a flag-salute regulation by the Minersville (Penn.) school district. It also was challenged by "Jehovah's Witnesses" who contended that saluting the flag constituted idolatry.

Chief Justice Stone was the lone dissenter at the time. But, since then, Justices Black, Douglas and Murphy, who had participated in the majority decision, expressed the view that the case had been "wrongly decided."

Justice Frankfurter who wrote the 1940 majority opinion, dissented from today's action. Both Justices Rutledge and Jackson, who were not members of the court in 1940, joined in the majority opinion.

The West Virginia regulation provided that the right hand be placed upon the breast and the following pledge be repeated in unison:

"I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the republic for which it stands; one nation, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

It was challenged by Walter Barnett, Paul Still and Lucy McClure, parents of Kanawha county school children expelled for refusal to join in the salute.

The committee on the bill of rights of the American Bar Association and the American Civil Liberties Union urged the court to hold the flag-salute unconstitutional, as applied to those with religious scruples. The American Legion contended the regulation should be upheld.

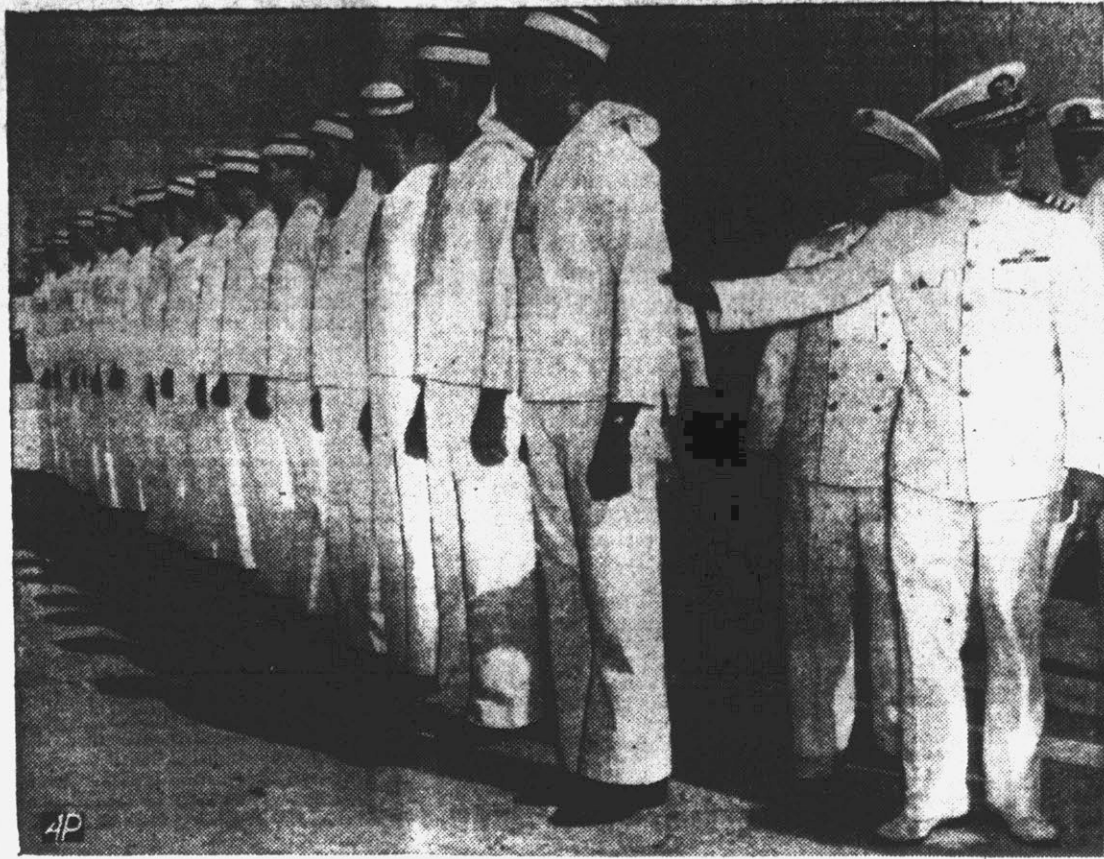
**Short Fruit Crop**

Raleigh, June 14—(AP)—The State Department of Agriculture estimated today that North Carolina's peach crop would be even less than the 350,000 bushels predicted last month.

The state's production last year was 2,463,000 bushels. The severe reduction was attributed mainly to unseasonable weather.

Apples are expected to be 30 per cent less than the full crop while cherries and plums are just about all killed. A few pears will be gathered.

# Duke Naval ROTC Students Train in Florida



Right in the midst of the captain's inspection of the Naval ROTC students of Duke University training at the Navy's section base at Mayport, Fla., Commander M. R. Sanders, base commander, pauses to grab the arm of Robert "Bob" Ganley, outstanding Duke athlete, and remark: "Here is the boy who caught the passes that beat Georgia Tech in Atlanta in 1941. He's some athlete." Sanders is a Georgia Tech graduate and an ardent football supporter of his alma mater.

## Jack Atkinson In Hands Law Again

In Police Court today Judge J. W. H. Roberts passed a few moments while he and Solicitor Eli Bloom paid tribute to Police Chief George A. Clark, who died Saturday.

The following cases were disposed of:

Jack Atkinson, Negro about 36, who has "not worked at gainful employment since he was 16," it was testified, was found guilty of operating a lottery, vagrancy, speeding and reckless driving and sentenced to 12 months on the roads. He was placed on probation two years. Sentence was suspended provided he go to work on a farm within 48 hours and work six days a week. He is to continue to work until November 1, 1943. The court recommended that Atkinson's license be revoked for 90 days. Atkinson was convicted in federal court some months ago of illegally possessing gasoline ration coupons and sent to prison.

John B. Wooten, colored, guilty of carrying a concealed weapon, was given 90 days in jail and assigned to work the city streets. Judgment was suspended provided he pay a fine of \$50 and costs and report to the court that he is working regularly. On a charge of assault with a deadly weapon judgment was suspended on payment of costs.

Tank Gooding, colored, drunk, 30 days at the county home, sentence to begin at expiration of term he was serving at the City Hall. James Lawrence, colored, speeding, 30 days, suspended on payment of costs and to lose license five days. Norman Clark, drunk, 30 days or \$15 and costs and not to drink for a year. John H. Barrett, drunk, 30 days, suspended on payment of costs.

## Local Teacher Is Conference Leader

The leader of the science study group in the three-day session of the Southeastern Regional Conference of the Association of Childhood Education, meeting in Greensboro on June 15, 16, and 17, will be Miss Cleo Rainwater, critic teacher of the fifth grade in the Training School of East Carolina Teach-

ers College. Miss Rainwater, who has a broad knowledge of science and is an expert in teaching this subject to children, was requested to plan the program for the science study group and to bring some of her original collections to this important educational conference.

The states included in the Greensboro conference, which is one of six similar regional meetings being held in the United States, are North and South Carolina, West Virginia, Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia and Florida. The meeting of the National Conference of the Association was cancelled because of the war, and North Carolina is fortunate in having one of the regional meetings that were substituted.

The purpose of the conferences is to consider the educational and health needs of children and the adjustments which must be made for their welfare in wartime.

From Greensboro Miss Rainwater will go to Cochran, Ga., for a visit with a sister.

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## Try Our Want Ads

some lad until his first "chow" at the Tennessee base, he wrote the Reflector.

There was "good cheer" when Dale "bumped into" James Briley, Leonard Briley, Eugene Dail, Judson Blount and Bill Turner, when Dale was assigned to "K P" duty. "We were a happy group when we went into a "bull session" reunion after supper," the letter stated.

The Greenville boys relayed greetings to the folks at home.

## Clarks Send Third Son Armed Service

John G. Clark, district state highway commissioner, and Mrs. Clark today sent their third son to the armed forces when Virgil S. Clark left for Biloxi, Miss., where he will enter the U. S. Army Air Corps at Keesler Field.

Lieut. Charles Clark is an instructor in the Army Air Corps at Craig Field, near Selma, Ala. Staff Sgt. John Clark is in the Coast Artillery and stationed in Panama.

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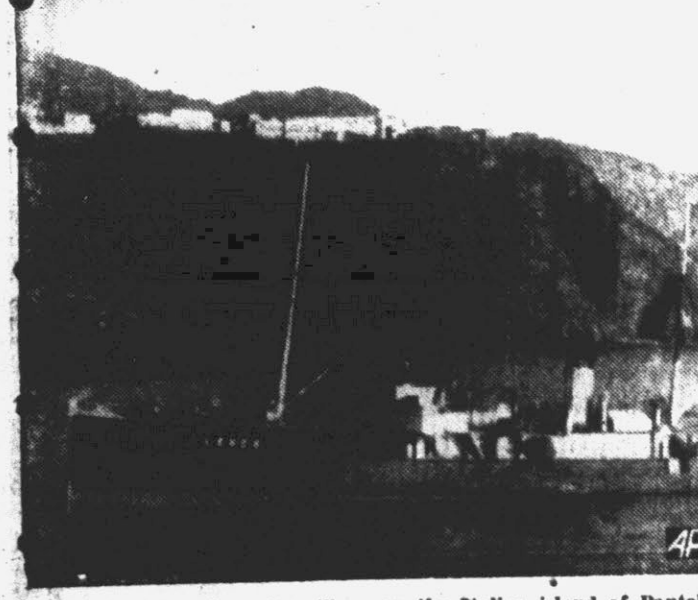
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GOOD SOIL AND POOR People who love gardening have long since learned that soil can sometimes be too rich. If it is too rich, the plants go to tops and do not bear as they should. It is amazing to realize that under any circumstance fertility could be too pronounced.

We have all seen people who have gone to tops. They produce a nice, luxuriant growth but no fruit. They have charm, culture, unbounded energy, perhaps, but they never seem to get anywhere in life. Students of human nature have always observed that the children of the rich have less chance to succeed in life than the children of the poor, or certainly than the children of the middle class. The reason, of course, is that children from homes of affluence have grown in soil that was too rich. It made them go to tops, gave them plenty of good-looking foliage but very little fruit.

There are some vegetables which positively have to be planted in inferior soil. Soil which is too fertile ruins them. Likewise, there are many people in the world who cannot stand it to be planted in soil which is too rich. The vegetables which thrive in inferior soil are like that variety of people, who, because of the stern discipline and denial of life, turn out much more successfully than those who come from the privileged class.

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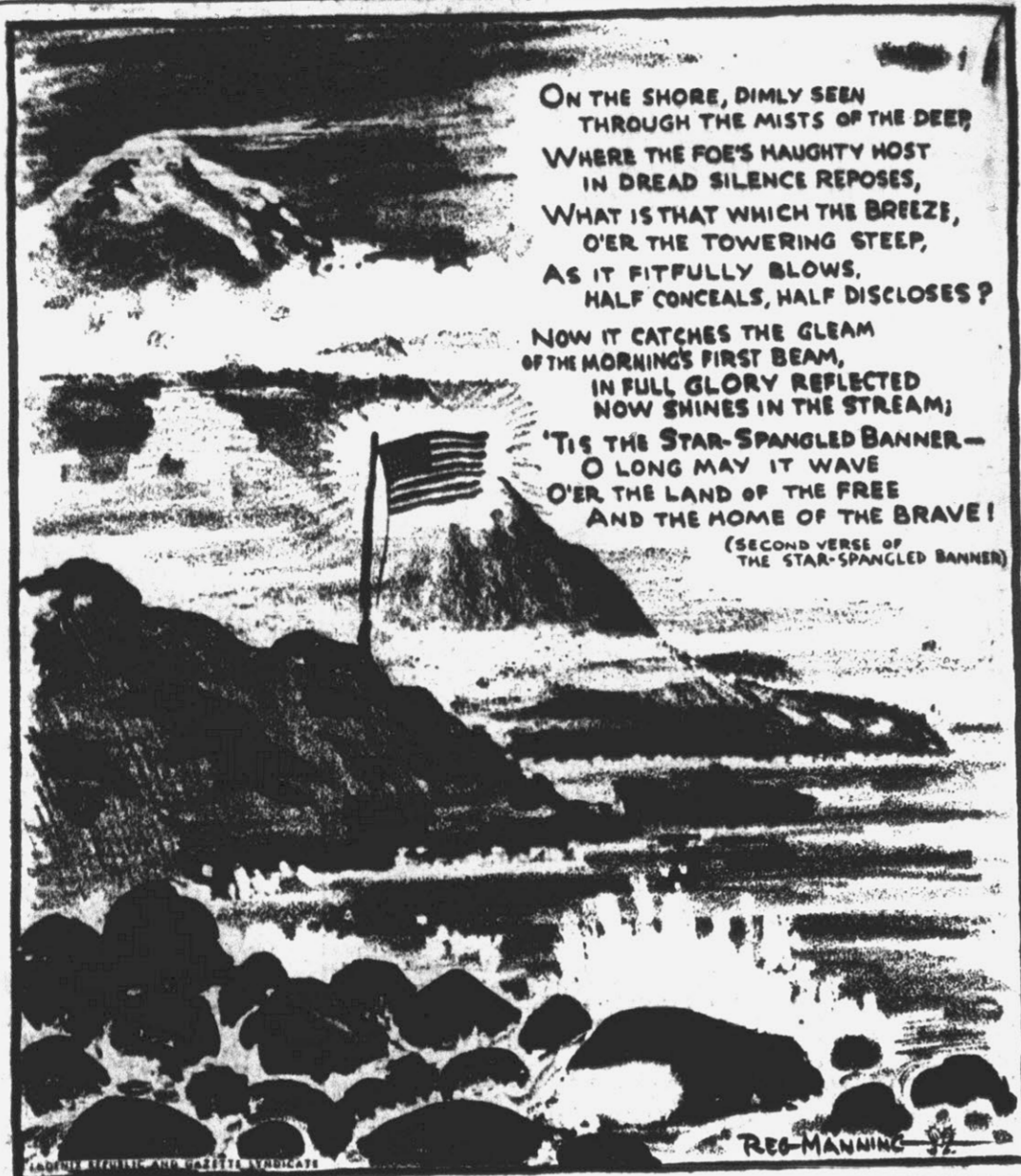
NO MAGIC IN BUREAUCRACY

New frontiers of accomplishment that promise not only better living for us but for the peoples of the world, are seen for the future by Robert P. Barbour, president of the National Board of Fire Underwriters, if opportunity and rewards are not denied and "if government keeps its hands out of business and industrial enterprise that can be handled capably by private citizens."

Speaking at the board's 77th annual meeting, Mr. Barbour called attention to warnings by Congressional leaders of the dangerous expansion of government by bureaucratic edict and directive, and said: "Only an informed and vocal public can kill this unhealthy growth, which, in so many countries of the world, has made the individual little more than a cipher. Let no one believe any government has magic enough to give something for nothing."

Mr. Barbour cited a world trend to minimize the importance of the individual and to magnify the importance of the state, with resulting loss of personal liberty and initiative. "Even in this country there has been growth of a philosophy that would have us believe we have outgrown the American way of life, that government bureaus and super-agencies can plan for and direct the individual better than he can for himself; a philosophy which tells young people that the opportunities that their forefathers enjoyed have gone and that the gov-

In Triumph Shall Wave



ON THE SHORE, DIMLY SEEN THROUGH THE MISTS OF THE DEEP WHERE THE FOE'S HAUGHTY HOST IN DREAD SILENCE REPOSES, WHAT IS THAT WHICH THE BREEZE, O'ER THE TOWERING STEEP, AS IT FITFULLY BLOWS, HALF CONCEALS, HALF DISCLOSES? NOW IT CATCHES THE GLEAM OF THE MORNINGS FIRST BEAM, IN FULL GLORY REFLECTED NOW SHINES IN THE STREAM; 'TIS THE STAR-SPANGLED BANNER—O LONG MAY IT WAVE O'ER THE LAND OF THE FREE AND THE HOME OF THE BRAVE!

(SECOND VERSE OF THE STAR-SPANGLED BANNER)

REO-MANNING

ernment must plan and do for them."

It is a healthy sign when business and political leaders are alert to recognize a menace to freedom on the home front as well as the battlefield.

WASHINGTON IN WARTIME

By JACK STINNETT

(Second of two articles on how Congressional committees push the war effort.)

Washington — When the home front muddle and the greater pressure of attention to global military affairs forced the President to set up the Office of War Mobilization, he discovered that a little heard-of subcommittee of the Senate Military Affairs committee had already done the spade-work for him.

The subcommittee, headed by Sen. Harry M. Kilgore, dug into a lot of things. It probed the relationship of wages to price controls and production and their conclusions on that score are interesting. "If wages and prices had been administered as production and manpower instruments," the committee said, "stabilization of both wage and price structure by industry-wide agreements, with incentive payments for increased production, would have become a basis for policy in an early stage. "Only if wages and prices were production instruments will it be possible to achieve overall stabil-

ization of economy."

That may sound like something out of a college textbook, but it may be the keynote of a new government policy—in fact, in a small way, already is — and its simple meaning is that prices, wages, and manpower have to be correlated to peak production can be brought to a peak and the national economy stabilized on a "hold-that-line" front.

More surprising, perhaps, was the committee's report that "Jimmy" Byrnes testified that his function as director of Economic Stabilization primarily was one of settling disputes. He described his function as that of a "court of appeals," and said that no problem was considered until it had reached an impasse through controversy among subordinate agencies.

That was considerably different from what many in the government and out had been led to believe and, if true, explains in great measure why that stop-gap set-up brought no real relief to the home front situation.

Senator Kilgore's subcommittee included: "It is with regret that the committee is compelled to report that war mobilization is in a crisis. The time has come — indeed, it has all but passed — for basic policy integration. "With that the subcommittee offered its own bill for a War Mobilization Board. It would have had 13 members. Byrnes would undoubtedly have been acceptable as its chairman. The other members would have been the heads of existing war agencies (five of whom are on the President's OWM, still leaving eight to be for orders and authority, at the OWM table). "Will OWM solve the home front problem? That remains to be seen, but at least it follows a blueprint

Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS 1. Aeriform fluid 2. Term of address 3. Cut short 4. High mountain 5. Sheepskin 14. Greek letter 13. Huge wave 16. Pertaining to a branch of the service 17. Title of a knight 18. Fine cotton fabric 20. Ruse 22. Staff 21. Unwashed 25. Front of a boat 27. Epoch 28. Piece of Queneau 31. Suit 32. Come out 34. Sun god

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Solution Of Saturday's Puzzle

- DOWN 1. Labor for breath 2. Opposite of weather 3. Birds 4. Simple organism 5. Pertaining to grand-parents 6. Turn off 7. Literary fragments 8. Fuses 9. By the side of 10. Part of the eye 11. Covering of a tree 12. Bovine animal 13. Bent again 14. Nests of birds 15. of great 16. Heavy board 17. Soldering flux 18. Punish by a fine 19. Ascend 20. Face of a gem 21. Large bird 22. Roam about 23. Type of automobile 24. Distinguished 44. Northwestern state 46. Brazilian nucaua 48. Hat 49. Helped along 50. Toward the 51. Boy attendant 52. Belonging to 53. Small 54. Cover the inside 55. Small island

that a Congressional committee had marked out after more than a month of hearings and study.

Real Estate Transfers

The following deeds of transfer have been filed in the office of the register of deeds:

- Daisy M. Skinner and others to Louis C. Skinner, Jr., als 58 acres, \$10. H. H. Tripp to W. C. Clark, lot, \$10. N. O. VanNortwick and wife to J. V. Taylor, 100 acres, \$10. W. J. Bullock and wife to W. H. Brunson and wife, lot, \$2,300. C. E. Smith to Helen W. Smith, tract, \$10. L. B. Kinlaw and wife to Sam Gardner and wife, lot, \$10.

Tell Story . . .

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He paid high tribute to the American cruiser which "fought off the two Japanese heavies" and itself was hit. He told of receiving orders to lead the bold, daylight torpedo attack after the United States' force had been trapped. The destroyers waded in from 25,000 yards. After torpedoes had been launched, the two big Japanese ships turned and ran. Five persons were killed and five wounded on the destroyer leader which made its base after a "pretty miserable trip" with no lights, no heat and no fresh water.

The destroyer was greeted with a mark of high esteem when it arrived. The skipper of the heavy cruiser had posted an order that "if the (destroyer) wants anything, give it to them. If you don't have it, go get it. If you can't get it, make it." Roy Jones, of Chilton Forge, Va., here controlman 2d class, said of the battle that the Japanese kept "coming like termites and I figure I just ain't coming back X X X when a heavy cruiser fires a full salvo and they're coming right at you, they look pretty big. "The ship's medical officer, Lieut. Richard S. Meredith of New York City, said his practice before entering the Navy was limited to obstetrics, "but I have very little use for that specialty now." Flying splinters from a whaleboat first notified him his ship was hit.

Nazi Spies . . .

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pared the system of signals for the Japanese consul-general which the latter had dispatched to Tokyo in his message of Dec. 3.

The signals, OWI explained, were for use in reporting the movements of the American fleet at Pearl Harbor. "One such signal was a light in a dormer window of a house in Kalama," the OWI report said. "Special agents of the FBI had no difficulty in locating the house with the dormer window. It was owned and occupied by Kuehn and his wife, Friedel X X X."

Highlights of Kuehn's story, as reported by OWI: Sometime during November, 1941, he went to Otiqiro Okuda, Japanese vice consul at Honolulu and offered to assist the Japanese in obtaining information about the national defense of the United States. Okuda requested, first, information regarding the movement of the American fleet at Pearl Harbor; second, a system of signals by which information could be conveyed to the Japanese fleet.

The Japanese vice consul thought the first system "too complicated," and Kuehn submitted a simplified system Dec. 2, together with a tabulation of the number and types of American ships then in Hawaiian waters. On Oct. 25, 1941, FBI reported, Tadasi Morimura, fourth secretary of the Japanese consulate, delivered

LOSER TAKE ALL By Adelaide Hazelline

Chapter 8 "Is there nothing serious the matter with her?" "Nothing but too much fat and that's an ailment that will outlive her. "But the candy—those chocolate creams—you didn't mention them to her?" He shrugged. "Why should I? She pays for the privilege of lying up there and eating them. The longer she lies the more it means to Terrence House."

And to Dr. Renfrow, Ann thought cryptically but she made no comment. The entire scene had been repulsive to her. To Be Continued

Sea-lions swallow small, round pebbles, apparently as an aid to digestion.

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EXECUTRIX NOTICE Having qualified as executrix of the estate of J. F. Parker, Sr., deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased, to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 5th day of May, 1943, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 5th day of May, 1943. Executrix of the estate of J. F. Parker, Sr., deceased. May 5-11w-6wks.

NOTICE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY The undersigned having this day qualified as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Ben Edwards, late of the County of Pitt and State of North Carolina, notice is hereby given to all persons in-

debted to said estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned Executor, and all persons holding claims against said estate are required to file their claims itemized and duly verified with the undersigned Executor within twelve months from the date hereof or this Notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery on said claims. This the 28th day of May, 1943. R. B. GREENE, Executor estate of Ben Edwards.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS Having this day qualified as executor of the estate of Addie Smith Cox, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate to file them with the undersigned executor, G. H. Cox, Washington, North Carolina, within twelve (12) months from the date of this notice or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to the estate will please make immediate settlement. This the 18th day of May, 1943. G. H. COX, executor of the estate of Addie Smith Cox. May 20-11w-6wks.

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION North Carolina—Pitt County In Superior Court Charles Howard -vs- Helen Howard The defendant in the above entitled action, Helen Howard, will take notice that an action as above entitled has been brought in the Superior Court of Pitt County to obtain an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony. And the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, N. C., on the 3rd day of July, 1943, or within 30 days thereafter, and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint. Witness my hand, this 3rd day of June, 1943. E. F. TUCKER, Asst. Clerk Superior Court of Pitt Co., N. C. Julius Brown, Attorney for the Plaintiff. June 4-11w-4wk.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of John Alvin Padgett, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased, to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 18th day of April, 1944, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 18th day of April, 1943. Virginia D. Padgett, Adm. of the estate of John Alvin Padgett. May 18-11w-6wks.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Willie P. Bryan, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased, to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 27th day of April, 1943, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 27th day of April, 1943. Woodrow Wooten, Administrator of the estate of Willie P. Bryan. April 27-11w-6wks.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION Having this day qualified as administrator of the estate of Robert T. Hodges, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said decedent, to exhibit itemized and verified statements of account to the undersigned or his attorney, on or before the 5th day of June, 1943, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment to the administrator or his attorney. This the 5th day of June, 1943. GROVER HODGES, Administrator of the estate of Robert T. Hodges, deceased. Arthur B. Corey, Atty. June 11-11w-6wk.

NOTICE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY The undersigned, having this day qualified as Executrix of the Estate of T. A. Person, late of Pitt County, State of North Carolina, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said Estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned Executrix, and notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said Estate to file duly itemized and verified claims with the said Executrix within twelve months of the date hereof or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery on such claims. This the 12th day of June, 1943. ANNIE M. PERSON, Executrix of the Estate of T. A. Person. Greenville, N. C. S. B. Underwood, Jr., Atty. June 14-11w-6wk.



REVIEWING THE CORPS—These high ranking officers watched the review of West Point Cadets at the academy (left to right): Gen. Henry H. Arnold, head of the USAAF; Maj. Gen. F. B. Wilby, academy superintendent; Rear Admiral John R. Beardsall, Naval Academy superintendent; Brig. Gen. Philip Gallaher, commandant of cadets; Col. John N. Welkert, commandant Stewart Field.

THEY SANK A U-BOAT JUST AS POPEYE WOULD'VE



Coast Guardsmen of the U.S.S. Spencer, which sank a U-boat and captured its crew in the North Atlantic, point to "Popeye," the popular sailor cartoon character, as their inspiration. "Popeye" is painted on the Spencer as a warning to the enemy. (Left to right): Robert Raynor, New York; Irz Metzger, of York, Pa.; Fireman Third Class, Elmer Steinel, of Chicago, Ill.; Watertender; Paul Rasmussen, Brooklyn, New York; Fireman First Class, Richard Stratton, Los Angeles; Machinist Mate; Michael Longo, Philadelphia, First Class Fireman; and Ralph Greenberg, Chicago, Seaman 2c.

# PROUD GIANTS NOW RESTING NEAR BOTTOM

## Dodgers Gain Half Game On First Place Cards

By JUDSON BAILEY  
Associated Press Sports Writer

The New York Giants, once the proudest team in baseball, are brushing close to the bottom of the national league and rapidly becoming an object to scorn both for the fans and for rival clubs.

In two doubleheaders over the week-end the foggy Giants lost three out of four games to the hustling Philadelphia Phillies and dropped within half a game of last place.

Except for Carl Hubbell they would be this new, too, for the Giants have dropped 11 of their last 13 decisions, and Hubbell has accounted for the only two victories they have scored since May 30.

Hubbell, who used to be called "Big Boy" because of his size, still is the bread and butter man of the Giants. No longer the pitcher he used to be, he nevertheless shut out the Pittsburgh Pirates on one hit and yesterday held the Phillies to seven as New York won the first game of a doubleheader 6-2 before 14,593 paying customers, second-smallest crowd of the day in the major leagues.

The Giants gave him plenty of help with 16 hits, three of them homers, but they quieted down in the nightcap which the Phillies won 6-3 with a four-run rally in the ninth. This outbreak was climaxed by Babe Dahlgren's double with the bases loaded.

The Brooklyn Dodgers halved a doubleheader with the Boston Braves, but gained half a game on the first place St. Louis Cardinals when darkness kept the world champions from deciding their second game against Pittsburgh after the Pirates had won the first.

Nate Andrews beat the Dodgers 4-3 in the opener at Ebbets Field and Billy Herman decided the nightcap in Brooklyn's favor 3-2 with a two-run homer, his first of the year, in the eighth inning.

At St. Louis the Pirates scored seven runs in the first inning of their first game, in which they made 16 hits to win 10-3, but the second session went 12 innings to a 4-4 tie before darkness fell.

In the other national league affair, Cincinnati split with Chicago. The Reds made 20 hits in the first



**TWO 'DEVIL DOGS'**—Marine Private Alexander A. Boccardo of Scranton, Pa., and his fighting partner, a Doberman Pinscher, make a formidable pair of Axis fighters. The dog is being specially trained at Camp Lejeune, New River, N. C.

### BASEBALL

**RESULTS**

**American League**  
Washington 16-0, Boston 5-7.  
St. Louis 3-1, Cleveland 1-2.  
Philadelphia 5-3, New York 3-2.  
Detroit 6-3, Chicago 4-2.

**National League**  
Cincinnati 10-1, Chicago 6-4.  
Boston 4-2, Brooklyn 3-3.  
New York 6-3, Philadelphia 2-6.  
Pittsburgh 10-4, St. Louis 3-4.

**Piedmont League**  
**Sunday**  
Portsmouth 7-4, Richmond 1-0.  
Lynchburg 5-1, Durham 0-12.  
Roanoke 9-2, Norfolk 2-1.

**Saturday**  
Roanoke 1-7, Durham 0-2.  
Portsmouth 5, Lynchburg 3.  
Richmond 2, Norfolk 1.

**Southern Association**  
Atlanta 3-2, New Orleans 0-1.  
Memphis 14-5, Knoxville 7-6.  
Nashville 5-4, Little Rock 1-7.  
Chattanooga 6-3, Birmingham 0-2.

**STANDINGS**

**American League**

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	26	17	.605
Washington	26	21	.553
Detroit	23	21	.523
Philadelphia	24	24	.500
Boston	23	25	.479
Chicago	19	26	.419
Cleveland	21	26	.441
St. Louis	17	24	.415

**National League**

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	29	15	.659
Brooklyn	31	19	.620
Cincinnati	24	20	.545
Pittsburgh	23	22	.511
Philadelphia	21	23	.477
Boston	19	21	.475
New York	17	30	.362
Chicago	16	30	.348

**Piedmont League Through Sunday**

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Portsmouth	32	10	.762
Richmond	28	13	.683
Lynchburg	22	19	.537
Norfolk	15	23	.395
Roanoke	14	24	.368
Durham	9	31	.225



**THIGHS' RIGHT**—Movie experts say Dorothy Gilmore has the most shapely thighs in Hollywood and Dorothy shows how she developed them by doing her housework.



**ALLIED HARBOR NOW**—Framed by palm trees in this view, American and British ships ride at anchor in the harbor at Bizerte, Tunisia, where Axis vessels once held sway.

### Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

New York, June 14 (AP)—Why not some umpires in baseball's hall of fame, too? Writing the other day about the players whose bursts were enshrined at Cooperstown and the ones who were merely busts, the thought arose that probably no other group has contributed more to the game than the umpires... and certainly the place isn't complete without at least a picture of Bill Klem drawing the line... And a lot of umpires have had their share of fame—"King" Gaffney, for instance... You may never have heard of him, for he worked in the days when a single umpire had to call 'em all and keep two packs of unruly ball players under control, but fans in those days used to turn out just to watch the king... And how about Tom Pynch, who became national league president, Jack Sheridan, Joe Cantillon, Tommy Connolly, Tim Hurst, Hank O'Day, Silk O'Loughlin, Cy Rigler or Billy Evans?

**First For Hurst**  
The old timers tell this one about the time Tim Hurst encountered a pugnaic young pitcher named State had a turnout of 52 players

### Sports Roundup

The New York Yankees' five-game winning streak was snapped at Philadelphia as the Athletics swept a doubleheader 5-3 and 3-2. This helped Washington shave a game off the Yankees' lead as the Senators split a pair at Boston. They took the first 16-5 with an 18-hit offensive, but were shut out 7-0 by the four-hit hurling of Tex Hughson in the second session.

Detroit took charge of third place by beating the Chicago White Sox twice, 6-4 and 3-2.

Tommy Bridges, allowing only nine hits and fanning nine, was responsible for the first victory and Rudy York played a major role in the second, driving in two runs with a pair of doubles.

The Cleveland Indians saved themselves from a complete rout by the St. Louis Browns by winning the second game of their doubleheader after they had lost the first four contests of a five-game series. The Browns took yesterday's opener 3-1 with the Indians capturing the second 2-1 in ten innings.

### Sports Roundup

Monday Matinee  
Mello Bettina, who has been in the army nearly a year, makes his first ring start since he was inducted when he fights Lou Brooks at Philadelphia tonight... Philly futures include Al Davis vs. Al Tribuani June 28 and Beau Jack vs. Johnny Hutchinson July 12... Iowa

### Sports Roundup

**Don't Take It Lion Down, Ray**  
When Ray Dumont, who thinks up all those screwy ideas to publicize the national semi-pro baseball congress, came out with "black cat night" to open this year's tournament on Friday, August 13, sports editor Freddie Mendell of Hutchinson, Kas., came back with a blast suggesting that Ray should put his head in a lion's mouth instead... Replied Dumont: "You furnish the lion. And if I should lose my nerve, we can at least console part of the fans by throwing in a couple of umpires."

### Sports Roundup

**Today's Guest Star**  
Nixon Denton, Cincinnati Times-Star: "If you see a lone person on the average university campus, he's probably the head football coach surrounded by his 1943 squad."



**REPLACEMENT FOR METAL**—Use of pressed wood to make the light reflectors at left and right above saves enough metal to make the Garand rifle displayed by the pretty model. The reflectors are used in industrial plants.



**BATTLE REHEARSAL**—Army combat engineers watch the explosion of a bangalore torpedo designed to blast a path through enemy barbed wire defenses during extensive combat maneuver, carried out somewhere in Great Britain.

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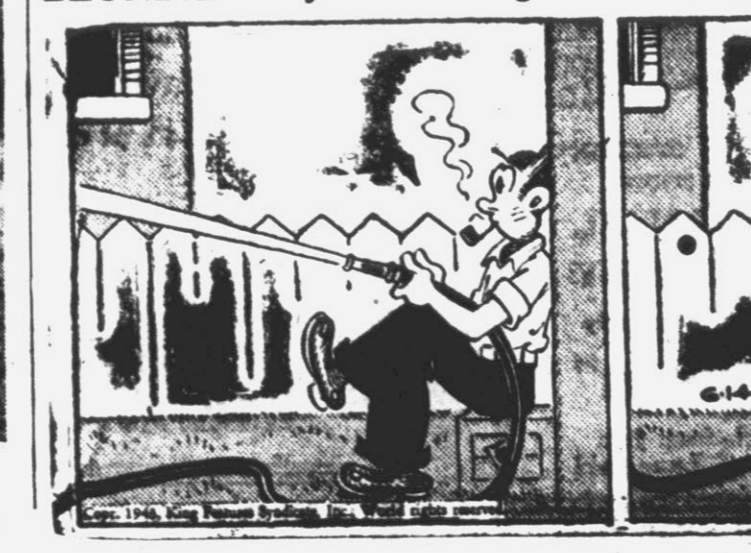
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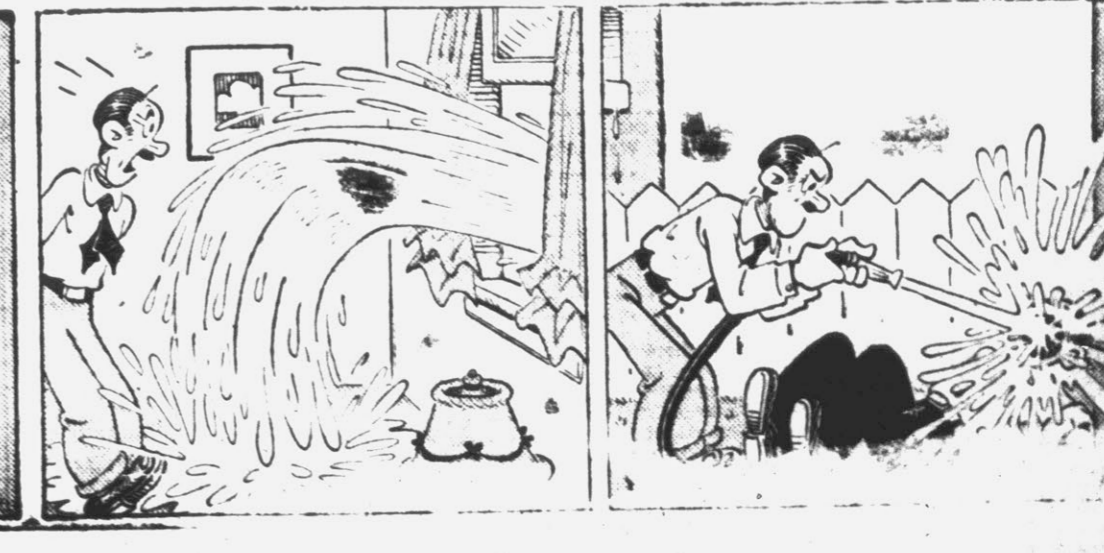
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**Lieut. Tom Cox** in City. Lieut. Charles Thomas Cox, U. S. Army artillery division who has had overseas duty, is in the city spending a 15-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Fronia Cox, 114 East 11th street.

## Hog Market

Raleigh, June 14—(AP)—(NCDA)—Hog markets 10 cents higher with tops of 13.50 at Richmond and 13.30 at Rocky Mount.

## Poultry and Eggs

Raleigh, June 14—(AP)—(NCDA)—Egg and poultry markets steady. Raleigh—U. S. large (clean white) 41; grade A hens, all weights, 20 to 25. Washington—U. S. grade A large 40 to 42; poultry receipts insufficient to determine prices.

## Grain Market

Chicago, June 14—(AP)—Persistent selling entered grain pits today and wheat, oats and rye slumped more than a cent at times in a market which displayed a substantial drying-up of buying power. Profit-taking appeared in oats and rye, while wheat ran into hedging pressure. Large wheat receipts at Kansas City and Minneapolis had a depressing influence on trading sentiment. Little attention was paid to the decline of 4,582,000 bushels in the visible supply last week, leaving total supply at 135,205,000 bushels against 184,202,000 bushels last year. At the close wheat was 1 1/4-1 1/2 lower, July \$1.44 1/4-1.44, September 1.44 1/4-1.44, corn was unchanged, July 1.05, oats were off 1 1/4-1 1/2 and rye was down 1 1/4-1 1/2.

## New York Cotton

New York, June 14—(AP)—Cotton futures opened unchanged to 20 cents a bale lower. Noon prices were unchanged to 10 cents a bale lower, July 20.23, Oct. 19.85, Dec. 19.65. Futures closed 5-15 cents a bale lower.

	Open	Close	Prv. Cl.
July	20.24	20.21	20.24
Oct.	19.83	19.83	19.86
Dec.	19.64	19.64	19.67
Feb.	19.43	19.46	19.47
May	19.30	19.32	19.33

Middling spot 21.98, off 6.

## N. Y. Stock Market

New York, June 14—(AP)—Financial markets suffered a sharp spill today. Transfers were around 1,500,000 shares. On the downside were Southern Railway, U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, Chrysler, General Motors, U. S. Rubber, Sears Roebuck, United Aircraft, Western Union, Kennecott, Dow Chemical, Standard Oil (N) and Allied Chemical.

## FINAL STOCKS

Al Chem and Dye	156
Allegheny	2
Allis Chal Mig	37 1/2
Am Can	84 1/2
Am Car Fdy	40 1/2
Am Rad and St S	10 1/2
Am Roll Mill	14
Am Smelt and Ref	30
A T and T	152 1/2
Am Tob B	80 1/2
Amconda	27 1/2
Arm III	5 1/2
A C L	32 1/2
All Ref	25 1/2
Aviat Corp	5
Baldwin	17 1/2
Bendix Aviat	36 1/2
Beth Stl	62 1/2
Boeing Airpl	17
Borden	27
Briggs Mfg	28 1/2
Budd Mfg	7 1/2
Burl Mills	29 1/2
Bur J and Mach	14 1/2
Case J I	120 1/2
Caterpil Trac	48 1/2
Chrysler	79 1/2
Coml Credit	39 1/2
Coml Solv	13 1/2
Corn Prod	34 1/2
Curtiss Wright	87 1/2
Doug Air	67 1/2
Eastman Kod	160
Firestone	36 1/2
General Electric	38
General Foods	42 1/2
General Motors	54 1/2
Goodrich	39
Goodyear	37 1/2
Int Harvest	70
Int Tel and Tel	13 1/2
Johns Man	84 1/2
Kennecott	30 1/2
Ligg and Myers B	70 1/2
Loews	80
Lorillard	19 1/2
Mack Truck	35
Mont Ward	43 1/2
Nash Kely	13
Nat Biscuit	21
Nat Cash Reg	25
Nat Dist	31 1/2
N Y Cent	16 1/2
No Am Aviat	11 1/2
Otis Elev	20
Pac Mills	25 1/2
Packard	17
Param Pix	25 1/2
Penn J C	20 1/2
Penn Dix	34
Penn RR	28 1/2
Pepsi Cola	41 1/2
Phillips Pet	49 1/2
Pullman	35 1/2
Pure Oil	17 1/2
Radio	10 1/2
Rep Stl	17
Reynolds B	30 1/2
Seab A L	1 1/2
Sears	77 1/2
Sou Ry	25 1/2
Sperry	43 1/2
Std Brands	74
Std Oil N J	55 1/2
Stewart Warner	13
Tex Co	49 1/2
Tex Gulf Sul	40 1/2
Trans and West Air	21
Un Carb	82 1/2
Unit Airc	35 1/2
Unit Corp	1 1/2
Unit Drug	13
US Ind Alco	36 1/2
US Rub	39 1/2
US Smelt and Ref	55
US Steel	54
Varadum	24
Vick Chem	42 1/2
Va Caro Chem	5 1/2
Warner Pic	14 1/2
Western Union	35
West El and Mig	95
Woolworth	40
Yell T and C	16 1/2

# SAYS HITLER NEARING END

## Davis Says Germans Will Do Away With Fuehrer

Boston, June 14—(AP)—The Axis nations have reached a realization that they cannot win an affirmative, and positive victory, Elmer Davis, director of the Office of War Information, said today and he predicted at a press conference that when Hitler's "people feel that he is a liability rather than an asset, they will do away with him."

He saw, as an important factor affecting the morale of enemy nations, the knowledge that American industry had been girded for war. The American people, he said, were fighting this war as they did the Civil War—ready to give their sons, their brothers and fathers "to see the thing through," but having difficulty in understanding that other sacrifices were necessary to the successful prosecution of the war. Nonetheless, he said, industry had been placed on a war-footing and that realization, he said, was bound to affect the Axis.

"The steps which the Axis nations will now take, Davis predicted, will be to try desperately to battle their way out, hold onto whatever they've got or, failing that, rely on 'political shenanigans.'"

"I am afraid that the many allied nations who have claim upon Hitler after this war is over will never get a chance at him," Davis declared. He was here to address members of the American Newspaper Guild. "The chances are 100 to 1 that he won't last until the end of the war," the OWI head continued, "for when his people feel that he is a liability rather than an asset they will do away with him."

Commenting on the recent announcements that the war against the German submarine menace had been more successful in May than during any months since Pearl Harbor, Davis disclosed that the first two weeks in June had been even better than the corresponding period in the previous month.



**SNOO HAT**—Stark white with American Beauty roses is the dashing color combination of the snoo hat worn by Nan Wynn, film actress. The straw braided hat is worn back on the head. A striking black and white print dress completes her outfit.

## Nations Join . . .

(Continued from Page One) erate the world. In Washington, as elsewhere, the new "flag of the four freedoms" was flown publicly for the first time before all the United Nations. Chosen by popular poll, the flag consists of a white field emblazoned with four upright bars of red, representing the principles of the Atlantic Charter: Freedom of speech and religion, and freedom from want and fear.

## FDR Requests . . .

(Continued from Page One) that the application of subsidies for rollbacks on prices would be much more difficult in this country. Before the White House meeting Edward A. O. Neil, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, the senate Banking committee today that demands of organizer to pay for subsidy payments to finance price rollbacks represented a "finely disguised effort to secure another unwarranted increase in wages."

## British And . . .

(Continued from Page One) heaviest force of RAF bombers ever sent out on a mission. London, June 14—(AP)—Reuters recorded a German broadcast today saying "American" planes attacked Flushing in the Netherlands yesterday morning. Flushing was one of the targets of RAF daylight raiders Sunday.

## U. S. Fliers . . .

(Continued from Page One) er Japanese island bases, but concentrated their greatest load—nearly 30 tons of bombs—on Yunakamau airbase at Rabaul in New Britain. Numerous fires visible for 50 miles were kindled in the wake of the Portresses and Liberators. It was their third big attack on that base in four days. Minor raids were carried out in Burma by Allied armen.

## Health Kings And Queens Selected

Miss Edna Kirby and S. C. Winchester, county 4-H leaders, today announced the 1943 Kings and Queens of Health. They are as follows: Senior Queen, Nell McGlohon, daughter of Mrs. Grover McGlohon, Winterville. Senior King, J. Brooks Tucker, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Brooks Tucker, Grimesland. Junior Queen, Janice Turnage, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Turnage of Ayden. Junior King, Clay Morgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Morgan of Fountain.

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## Induction Of . . .

(Continued from Page One) have to take them." Asked by committee members if it were reasonable to conclude that all fathers, except those physically unfit or given occupational deferment, would be called into service, Hershey said: "I do not think it is quite that broad, I think you will have to take fathers; I am not at all sure but what a great majority of them will have to go."

And, he added, selective service makes no distinction between a father with one child and one with more.

Hershey told the committee he believed the armed services soon would "come to the place where they will believe that the maintenance of a certain number is the most we can maintain, and obviously that number will have to be set almost on the basis of the men who become 18 years of age, because that is the only real source that remains."

Other disclosures made by McNutt and Hershey during the committee's hearings: Some 63,000,000 men and women will be engaged in the far effort, military and civilian, by next month, and about 64,400,000 by July, 1944.

During the twelve months ending June 30 of this year, 5,400,000 men will have been inducted into the armed forces and 2,300,000 will have been added to munitions industries payrolls.

McNutt feels "confident that peak harvest labor needs in agriculture will be met" this year.

At the time of the attack on Pearl Harbor, slightly more than 2,000,000 men were in the armed forces. At the end of March, 1943, there were 8,000,000, and by the end of this month there are expected to be 9,200,000. How they are distributed among the various branches of the service was not disclosed for the record. Employment in the aircraft industry increased from 465,000 in December, 1941, to 1,800,000 last March, and in the shipbuilding industry from 532,000 to 1,600,000 during the same period.

Selective Service has inaugurated a new program of transferring inductees over 35 to the reserves instead of releasing them outright, if they have essential jobs to go to. The purpose of the change, Hershey explained, is to retain jurisdiction over the men.

Mental disease is the outstanding cause of rejection of white inductees.

About 25 per cent of every dollar spent to produce motion pictures goes for salaries of the casts.

## Sicily Airdromes . . .

(Continued from Page One) seen for miles. Catania has been heavily punished before by Allied bombers in the campaign to obliterate Axis air force nests. After forcing the unconditional surrender of Pantelleria island on Friday, and Lampedusa about 30 hours later, the Allied forces made virtually a clean sweep of minor Italian stepping stones in the Mediterranean narrows when a British destroyer appeared before the tiny island of Linoosa Sunday morning and the garrison of 140 surrendered without a bomb being dropped or a shell fired.

## By RELMAN MORIN

Allied Headquarters in North Africa, June 4—(AP)—A British flier who surveyed results of the Allied aerial bombardment of Pantelleria said today upon his return from the captured island that Italians told him "the noise alone nearly killed them."

The flier was RAF Sgt. Pilot H. E. Love of London. Love said the Italian garrison still had enough equipment to sustain resistance several months when it capitulated Friday.

Of 90 wrecked aircraft he counted on and around the island's bombed airfield, he said many were German types with Italian markings. Pantelleria's airplane hangars, carved into solid rock, are capable of sheltering at least 100 aircraft and 60 trucks, he said. Garrison members were reported to have taken refuge within the hangars during the height of the bombardment.

"The sleeping quarters were arranged around a gallery, Love said.

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