

Scattered showers and thunder showers this afternoon and early tonight, little change in temperature tonight.

Miners Slow To Return To Work

Thousands Idle Despite Back-To-Work Order; Ickes Takes Steps To Take Over Mines; Leaders Differ Over President's Request For Drafting Strikers

By The Associated Press Washington, June 24.—(AP)—Despite the expressed ire of President Roosevelt and his announced intention to seek a draft law club, thousands of miners remained away from work today in defiance of their own union Policy Committee. And Secretary Ickes indicated he expected the pits to remain under more active federal management for "a considerable period."

Although the back-to-work movement ending the nation's third wartime coal strike gained strength, some United Mine Workers locals flatly voted down instructions to return to their jobs.

Ickes' statement, made in disclosing that he had called 29 major mine owners to meet with him tomorrow, followed a White House statement last night in which Mr. Roosevelt said he would ask Congress to raise to 65 the maximum age for induction of men into non-combatant military service.

Steps already are underway to set up machinery for drafting into uniform all mine workers within present selective service age limits, he said in a statement prefaced by the terse assertion "it is a good thing that the miners are returning to their work."

But they weren't in Pennsylvania, for instance, the nation's biggest coal producing state, operations were estimated by the West-Pennsylvania Coal Operators' Association at "less than 50 per cent."

The same figure was reported from Ohio, and in Alabama only 3,000 of the state's 26,000 miners were back at work.

Ickes, nominal operator of the mines since May 1 when they were taken over by the government, said developments in the controversy "indicate that the government will be compelled to continue custody and operation of the mines for a considerable period of time."

Although expressing hope for a speedy settlement that would permit a resumption of private operation, the interior secretary added: "But in the present circumstances it is essential to protect the government."

Graham Flanagan Honors Employees

By CHESTER WALSH Graham Flanagan, head of the Flanagan Buggy Company, Ford Motor Company's representative in this section, spread "good cheer" among the employees of Greenville company at a barbecue chicken supper at his home on the Falkland highway when he distributed bonus checks to employees as a gesture of appreciation for faithful and loyal services.

Ruhr Valley Bombings Cut German Production

By JAMES N. KING London, June 24.—(AP)—A deadly cargo of more than 15,000 tons of bombs has been unloaded on Germany in the past month by Giant British bombers, two thirds of which have fallen on industrial centers in the Ruhr valley where the Nazis themselves admit "incalculable" devastation.

RAID JAP BASE AT MACASSAR

Cruiser And Cargo Ship Hit; Large Fires Started

By MURLIN SPENCER Allied Headquarters in Australia, June 24.—(AP)—The Japanese, long undisturbed by their conquered islands in the southwest Pacific while they seized resources and built fortifications, had a grim warning before them today—38 tons of bombs dropped on Macassar, Dutch Celebes, where no bombs had fallen since Japan won the battle for Java.

American fliers had to cover a round trip of 2,000 over-water miles in heavy-based Liberator bombers to strike in daylight yesterday at Macassar but they appeared in great force, squarely hitting an enemy cruiser and a cargo ship and starting dock fires visible for 70 miles.

Only one of the big bombers was lost. The only Japanese fighter to attempt interception crashed into its wing. The two fell together. A spokesman for Gen. Douglas MacArthur said the flight was the second longest made in the war by land-based bombers, being exceeded only by a bombing raid on Eke Island from Hawaii, a round trip amounting to 2,400 miles.

Italian Islands Being Evacuated

London, June 24.—(AP)—Indications that Axis troops are being withdrawn from outpost islands in the Mediterranean from Sardinia to the Dodecanese to find a stronger line to meet an anticipated allied invasion were reported today by an unofficial source in London.

This information keyed with a Berlin broadcast that the Italian garrison already had evacuated six-mile long Castellorosso, easternmost island of the Dodecanese.

The unofficial source, who cannot be identified but who was continental connections, said it appeared the Axis garrisons in Sicily, Sardinia and Corsica were being reduced and that there were indications that the main Italian holding line was being developed somewhere between the toe of Italy and Naples and Taranto.

Resigns From Police Force

Police Sergeant Horace B. Drum, member of the Greenville police department some years, has tendered his resignation. He will be employed by a tobacco company, it is understood. The retiring officer has a good record with the department, Mayor Sugg and other city officials stated.

Vichyites Executed

London, June 24.—(AP)—The German radio broadcast a Paris dispatch today declaring that two high French officials who were Vichy collaborators had been shot in Algiers.

Pantelleria as the Allies Found it After Many Attacks



This scene, one of desolated wreckage, greeted the Allied landing forces that took over Pantelleria Island on June 11, after the Italian "Gibraltair" fell under 19 days of aerial and naval bombardment. (This is an enlargement from a new reel.)

Creation Of Food Czar Approved By Committee

Washington, June 24.—(AP)—United States armed forces have suffered 87,304 announced casualties in all war theaters to date. Of that number 15,132 were killed in action or died of wounds.

NAZIS PREPARE FOR INVASION

Washington, June 24.—(AP)—Reflecting congressional dissatisfaction over home front war operations, the House Agriculture Committee today approved a bill to create a "Food Czar" with complete control over wartime food production, distribution, pricing and rationing.

Huge Forces Being Moved Into France And Italy

Washington, June 24.—(AP)—Indications that Germany is moving huge forces into France and Italy in preparation to fight off an invasion were reported today by Secretary of War Stimson.

He asserted also that "an extraordinary lull" in ground fighting on the Russian front has occurred although the weather has been highly suitable for military operations.

Airport

Announcement of the name of the successful bidder for construction of the county-city airport near this city is scheduled to be made in Atlanta late today.

The WAR TODAY

AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEWS

By MAX HILL The Axis still is working and guessing—about what sort of an attack the Allies intend to launch against Germany or Italy this summer in Europe. Unidentified but evidently competent observers in Switzerland told Thomas F. Hawkins of the Associated Press that in their opinion the contract would be awarded about five o'clock.

Shuttle-Bombing Technique Now Being Used By British

Italian Airfields Bombed By Allies

Airdromes In Sicily And Sardinia Suffer From Heavy Raids

By NOLAN NORGAARD Allied Headquarters in North Africa, June 24.—(AP)—British heavy bombers from the Middle East command swept across the Mediterranean to attack the enemy airdrome at Comiso in Sicily on Tuesday night while twin-engined Wellingtons from northwest African bases blasted Olbia in northern Sardinia.

Communications said the heavy bombers caused two violent explosions and set two large and a number of smaller fires at the Comiso airdrome and that the Wellingtons left several fires burning on the Olbia docks.

He Challenged King

This U. S. Army private, John F. Schissel, from Cherokee, Iowa, challenged King George of Great Britain one night recently in north Tunisia while guarding the grounds on which the monarch was staying during his visit with Allied forces in that sector.

REDS SMASH AT GERMAN LINES

Wellington bombers of the Northwest African Air Force made a fire-setting raid Tuesday night on the northeast Sardinian port of Olbia, a communications from Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's headquarters said.

Thrust Near Belgorod Stirs Speculation In Moscow

Moscow, June 24.—(AP)—An assertion in the Soviet midnight communique that Russian units had struck at German defense lines west of Belgorod stirred the speculation of Moscow military observers today, since the town, on the lower-central part of the front, long has been in German hands.

New Ration Books Being Mailed Out

Charlotte, N. C., June 24.—Do not be disturbed if your War Ration Book 3 has not arrived, although your neighbor already has received his, the state OPA mailing center in Charlotte said today.

Coffee Ration More Liberal

Washington, June 24.—(AP)—The next two coffee rations will be on the basis of one pound in three weeks—the most liberal allowance since the beginning of rationing—the Office of Price Administration announced today.

Troops On Guadalcanal Live Much Easier Now

By J. NORMAN LODGE Guadalcanal, Solomon Islands.—(AP)—What a whale of a difference half a year can make!



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Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. James left today for Lake Junaluska.

Ray D. Mumford of Camp Mackall, N. C., is spending some time here with relatives.

Miss Lida Winslow of Goldsboro, N. C., is spending some time here with Mr. and Mrs. William McDonald.

Miss Edna Mumford is spending some time in Newport News, Va.

Pfc. M. S. Smith who has been stationed at Camp Hsan, Calif., has been spending a short furlough here with his mother, Mrs. Miss S. Smith. He left Tuesday night for his new post.

Miss Ella Tucker Smith, who has been visiting her brother Mr. D. S. Smith, in Spartanburg, S. C., and sister, Mrs. O. E. Hanes in Atlanta, Ga., has returned home.

Mrs. O. E. Hanes and infant son, John David, have arrived to make their home with her mother, Mrs. D. S. Smith, while her husband, Captain Hanes, is stationed with the Medical Corps in the Aleutian Islands.

College Girls Volunteer.

A group of sixty college girls were very willing to volunteer their services in the preserving of the string beans that were given to the Greenville school cafeterias by the government. The girls were members of an Education class at the college. Prof. E. D. Bunn gave the class permission to go, after the need for help had been expressed. The entire group went to the high school and in one hour's time with the help of Mr. Bunn had prepared twenty baskets for canning. Because of later classes the college girls had to return to the college by the rest of the group continued to work until late in the evening.

It was stated by a member of the group that it was not a waste of time and that they felt that they could make up the class work later, but that the preparation of the beans could not wait. While interviewing Prof. Bunn, he stated, "I know that the girls in summer school are really here for business, or they would not be spending their vacation period in school, but I am glad that they felt it their duty to help in an emergency."

Preserving of foods is one way of helping win the war and the girls of East Carolina Teachers College are willing to do all they can to help the March to Victory.

VanDyke-Whichard.

Miss Frances Whichard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Whichard of Stokes, became the bride of Zack Payne VanDyke, son of Mrs. Addie T. VanDyke and the late Zack P. VanDyke of Greenville, in a ceremony solemnized yesterday afternoon, June 28, at 5:30 o'clock, in the Methodist Church at Stokes.

The Reverend George W. Perry, pastor of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church of Greenville, and Reverend J. E. Hoyle, pastor of the bride, of Stokes, were the officiating ministers.

The church, with its background of ferns, white gladioli and branched candelabra with burning tapers, formed a lovely setting for the impressive ceremony.

Prior to the entrance of the bride, Miss Mary Belle Robertson, organist, and Miss Elizabeth Bridgers, soloist, both of Greenville, presented a program of nuptial music. Miss Bridgers sang "Because" and "O Perfect Love."

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a wedding gown of white marquisette with inserts of Chantilly lace in the long full skirt train. The basque waist was fashioned with sweetheart neckline and long fitted sleeves, ending in a point over the wrist.

Her veil of illusion fell from a Mary Stuart cap edged with orange blossoms and she carried an arm bouquet of brides roses and stephanotis.

Mrs. Clifford Stokes of Greenville, was maid of honor. She wore a dress of cornflower blue and carried pink roses.

The bridesmaids, Miss Rosamond VanDyke of Greenville, sister of the groom, and Miss Gwendolyn Gunter of Norfolk, Va., niece of the bride, wore turquoise blue gowns, and Miss Mary Whichard of Durham, and Mrs. Vance Harrington of Greenville, wore yellow. Mrs. Marvin Barnhill and Miss Carolyn Stokes of Stokes, wore pink. Their dresses were fashioned of marquisette, similar in cut to the bride's dress. They wore Juliet caps of matching colors with circular veils falling to the shoulders and over their faces. Their arm bouquets were of garden flowers.

Jake Hadley of Greenville, attended the groom as best man, and ushers were G. G. Woolard of Williamston, Sgt. Lindsey Whichard of Camp Mackall, N. C., brother of the bride, W. G. Norman, Tyson Bilbro, T. G. Basnight and Clifford Whichard, brother of the bride, all of Greenville.

The bride's mother wore a dress of heavenly blue with white accessories and a corsage of pink roses.

For traveling, the bride changed to a pink suit with blue accessories. She wore a corsage of white roses.

Mrs. VanDyke attended Stokes schools and East Carolina Teachers College. She has recently been employed as assistant secretary of the Greenville Merchants Association.

The groom attended the city schools of Greenville and Bowman School of Business at Poughkeepsie, N. Y. He is associated with his mother in the VanDyke Furniture Company.

After a wedding trip to unannounced points, Mr. and Mrs. VanDyke will be at home in Greenville.

Social Calendar

THURSDAY

11:00 a. m.—Mrs. Bob Moffett will entertain at a Coca-Cola hour honoring Miss Jane Smith, orifice-elect.

4:00 p. m.—Greenville chapter Greensboro College Alumnae will meet with Mrs. W. C. Harris.

6:30 p. m.—The Business and Professional Women's Club will meet at the recreation room on Fourth street.

8:00 p. m.—Junior Philathea Class of the Methodist Church meets with Mrs. Hicks Corey.

FRIDAY

6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club.

7:30 p. m.—Red Men meet.

8:30 p. m.—Rehearsal for the Yeargan-Smith wedding at the Eighth Street Christian Church.

9:30 p. m.—Mr. and Mrs. Lewis G. Cooper will entertain at a cake cutting honoring the Yeargan-Smith wedding party and out-of-town guests.

SATURDAY

5:30 p. m.—The marriage of Miss Jane Smith and Lt. Otis Leon Yeargan will be solemnized in Eighth Street Christian Church.

In Hospital.
Master Gilbert Banks McArthur, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McArthur of Route 2, Greenville, is very ill in Pitt General Hospital.

Masonic Notice.
Greenville Lodge No. 284 A. F. and A. M. will hold a special communication Friday evening at eight o'clock for work and instruction. All Master Masons invited.

J. S. Willard, Secy.

Mrs. Bloxton Recuperating.
Friends will be glad to know that Mrs. Adelaide Bloxton, director of the Home Management House at the college, is recuperating after a recent operation at St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Richmond.

About July 1, Mrs. Bloxton expects to go for the rest of the summer to her sister's home in Driver, Va.

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR
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Farmville Falls in Line

Farmville has joined the company of progressive towns in the county which are taking a department in the semi-weekly edition of the Reflector to place the advantages of the town and section before the public. It is an enterprising town, located in one of the finest farming sections of the south, with as good people as walk the earth. Farmville has many splendid buildings and some as large and progressive business firms as are found anywhere. One firm there is credited with paying the largest purchase tax of any firm in the county. To the many other advantages of the town will soon be added a graded school, movement having already been started to establish one there. It has excellent churches, progressive lodges, an industrious class of whole-souled people, and is an all-round good town.

BELL ARTHUR NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Melton McLawhorn and family of Newport News, Va., are spending this week here with relatives.

Mrs. Gilbert Davis and Mrs. Mack G. Smith returned Friday from Wilson, where they attended the Adult Conference at A. C. C. Gilbert Banks McArthur, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McArthur, is very ill in Pitt General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Melton McLawhorn and family and Addie Mae Willoughby spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Willoughby.

Mr. and Mrs. Kyrus Crawford of Washington, D. C., are making their home with Mrs. Verna Crawford at present.

Gilbert Davis, Jr. of A. C. C. Wilson, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Davis.

Miss Janie Hemby of Raleigh, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hemby.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherod Smith of Washington, D. C., visited Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Strickland part of this week.

Corp. John Bailey of Fort Eustis, Va., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mack G. Smith.

Mr. Charles Hotchkiss of Farmville, was here Tuesday.

Lillian Ann McArthur, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin McArthur, underwent a tonsil operation Monday. She is getting along nicely.

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June Bride



MRS. ALLEN HOLSTEAD VANDYKE—whose marriage took place Saturday afternoon, June 12, at 6:30 o'clock in Trinity Methodist Church in Wilmington. Mrs. VanDyke is the former Miss Harriet Anne Marshburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy D. Marshburn of Wilmington. Lieut. VanDyke is the son of Mrs. Zack Payne VanDyke and the late Mr. VanDyke of Greenville.

Wilmington, N. C.—The marriage of Miss Harriet Anne Marshburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy D. Marshburn of this city, and Lieut. Allen Holstead VanDyke, son of Mrs. Zack Payne VanDyke and the late Mr. VanDyke of Greenville, was solemnized Saturday evening, June 12, at 6:30 o'clock, in Trinity Methodist Church, Rev. Hiram K. King, of Henderson, uncle of the bride, officiated at the ceremony, assisted by Dr. Fred W. Paschall.

The pre-nuptial music was rendered by Mrs. Harris Bullard, organist, and Harold Makepeace of Sanford. Organ selections included "Intermezzo," "Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life," and "Liebestraum." "Because" and "The Rosary" were sung by Mr. Makepeace. During the vows, Mrs. Bullard softly played of palms and cybodium ferns. Two arrangements of white flowers and white burning tapers in four-branched candelabra completed the nuptial decorations.

The bride graduated from New Hanover High School and East Carolina Teachers College in Greenville. Lieut. VanDyke attended Park Union Military Academy and Smith-Dean Massey in Richmond. He is at present stationed at Camp Davis.

A number of parties were given for the bride before her marriage by Miss Jean Makepeace and Mrs. O. P. Makepeace of Sanford, Miss Jean Craven, Miss Mary Jon Thomas, Miss Rebecca Watson and Miss Ruby Lee Campbell of Jones-

To a Wild Rose.

The bride entered the church with her father, by whom she was given in marriage. Her gown was of bridal satin in a soft ivory shade, with a long fitted bodice buttoned in the back, and long tight-fitting sleeves, pointed at the wrists. A square yoke of transparent marquisette, outlined with a ruffle of Venetian lace, was joined to the bodice, from which fell a full skirt, forming a lovely court train. The finger-tip veil of illusion was cap-shaped and was held to the head by a coronet of orange blossoms. The bride carried a white prayer book covered with orchids and showered with stephanotis.

Miss Marshburn chose as her maid of honor and only attendant her cousin, Miss Jean Makepeace of Sanford. Miss Makepeace's gown was fashioned of Alice blue marquisette with sweetheart neckline, short puffed sleeves, and full skirt. The long fitted bodice was adorned with small bands of matching blue taffeta tied in bows in the front. She carried a nosegay of mixed summer flowers edged with pink net and tied with pink streamers. In her hair she wore an arrangement of natural flowers.

The bridegroom chose as his best man, his brother-in-law, Garland Woolard of Williamston, Ushers were Captain Milton L. Wick, Lieut. Charles W. Smith, Lieut. Charles W. Rouzeux, and Lieut. Howard J. Jaffee.

Mrs. Marshburn, mother of the bride, was gowned in blossom blue marquisette, with shoulder corsage of gardenias.

Immediately following the ceremony, a small reception was held at the home of the bride's parents for the immediate families, out-of-town guests, and members of the wedding party. The couple then left for a short wedding trip, after which they will reside in Wilmington. Mrs. VanDyke chose for traveling a two-piece dress of black tulle silk, trimmed in white, with accessories of white and a corsage of orchids from her wedding flowers.

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boro. Miss Frances Sutherland, Mrs. Norwood Orrell, Mrs. J. W. Hood, Mrs. E. A. Millican, Mrs. E. T. Marshburn, Mrs. Jack Yates and Miss Barbara Allen of Wilmington.

Honor For Men In Service On Sunday

Jarvis Memorial Methodist church will dedicate a service flag to members of the church now in the service of their country next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. There are 96 stars in the flag. Rev. George W. Perry, the pastor, will deliver a special message. An appropriate musical program will be presented. Seats will be reserved for specially invited guests, including parents of boys in the armed services.

Japs Bombed ...

(Continued from page one)
night, two United States patrol craft were unsuccessfully strafed by Japanese float planes in the vicinity of the Russell Islands.

Both Savo and Russells are near Guadalcanal.

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- TONIGHT**
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 - 7:45—Confidentially Yours, MBS.
 - 8:00—This Is Our Enemy, MBS.
 - 8:30—Modern Melodies.
 - 8:55—You and Uncle Sam.
 - 9:00—Gabriel Heatter, MBS.
 - 9:15—Your Concert Hour.
 - 9:30—Harmony Hall, MBS.
 - 10:00—News.
 - 10:15—1100 Club.
 - 10:30—1100 Club.
 - 10:45—Teddy Powell's Orch., MBS.
 - 11:00—News.
 - 11:05—Sign Off.

FRIDAY, JUNE 25

- 7:00—News.
- 7:05—Yawa Patrol.
- 7:40—Lost and Found.
- 7:45—Musical Clock.
- 8:00—News.
- 8:15—Magic Lamp of Melody.
- 8:30—Morning Meditations.
- 8:45—Spotlight on Rhythm.
- 9:00—News.
- 9:05—Design For Wartime Living.
- 9:10—Local News and Announcements.
- 9:15—Treasury Song Parade.
- 9:30—Bob at the Hammond, TN.
- 10:00—Obituary Column of the Air.
- 10:05—Women in the News.
- 10:10—Musical Clock.
- 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—Pitt County Emergency Labor Program.
- 11:45—Ayden on the Air.
- 12:00—Billieby Roundup.
- 12:15—News.
- 12:25—Tune Time.

- 12:40—Carolina Farm Feature.
- 12:55—News and Markets.
- 1:00—10-2-4 Ranch.
- 1:15—Songs of the Islands.
- 1:30—Luncheon With Lopez, MBS.
- 1:45—Broadway Bandwagon.
- 2:00—Cedric Foster, MBS.
- 2:15—Ozie Waters, MBS.
- 2:30—Mutual Goes Calling, MBS.
- 3:00—Today's War Commentary.
- 3:05—Musical Interlude.
- 3:10—In the Woman's World.
- 3:15—Treasury Star Parade.
- 3:30—Cheer Up Gang, MBS.
- 4:00—Walter Compton, MBS.
- 4:15—Boys Town.
- 4:45—Requestfully Yours.
- 5:00—Swing Session.
- 5:15—Quaker City Serenade, MBS.
- 5:30—Highway Patrol, MBS.
- 5:45—Superman, MBS.
- 6:00—News, TN.
- 6:15—Babe Rhodes' Orch., MBS.
- 6:30—Sportscast, TN.
- 6:45—Sundown Serenade.
- 7:00—Pulton Lewis, Jr., MBS.
- 7:15—The Johnson Family, MBS.
- 7:30—For Victory, MBS.
- 8:00—Waltz Time.
- 8:15—Joe Murala's Orch., MBS.
- 8:30—The Music You Love.
- 8:55—You and Uncle Sam.
- 9:00—Gabriel Heatter, MBS.
- 9:15—Chuck Foster's Orch., MBS.
- 9:30—Double or Nothing, MBS.
- 10:00—News.
- 10:15—1100 Club.
- 10:45—George Hamilton's Orch., MBS.
- 11:00—News.
- 11:05—Sign Off.

Five Killed in Crash
Dyersburg, Tenn., June 24 (AP)—Five members of the crew of a flying fortress were killed yesterday in the crash of the plane on an island in the Mississippi river. The public relations office of the training base here today identified the victims, among whom was 2nd Lt. James M. Odegaard, 23, whose wife resides at 744 Harbor Road, Winston-Salem, N. C.

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Strength FOR THE DAY

By EARL L. DOUGLAS

THE ART OF MAKING CHOICES

We live in a day when thousands of people are experiencing a profound conflict of loyalties. Many who once believed in peace, even to the point of pacifism, now find this whole position jeopardized by the behavior of totalitarianism. In Russia, many people who have hated Bolshevism and in past years have submitted to it only because they had to are now fighting valiantly in behalf of a cause they once abhorred. And this they are doing because they must either accept Bolshevism or Nazism, and they prefer Russia with Bolshevism to anything else in the world with Nazism.

One of the worst conflicts of loyalties arises when we have to choose between good friends and principles. Many a man has lost a lifelong friend because he could not conscientiously support this friend in his aspirations for advancement. A woman sometimes has to choose between the welfare of her children and the demands of her husband. Temptation in all its forms involves the agonizing struggle between selfishness on the one hand and principle on the other.

We have to face the fact that life is made up of such struggles, and although we might wish to have it otherwise, this, in the nature of things, cannot be. All along the way of life we encounter crossroads. Life is God's curriculum wherein He trains us in the art of making choices.

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CONGRATULATIONS

Our congratulations to the 4-H Boys and Girls of this county on the end of another successful year marked by exercises yesterday at which Kings and Queens for the year were crowned. The 4-H movement in this county is participated in by approximately 2,300 farm boys and girls and they are doing a great work. The boys and girls together with their parents and the teachers and others who supervise the work are due praise for the progress that is being made in this county.

A BETTER PLAN

Instead of requesting a change in the present draft laws in order that he might hold a "work or fight" threat over the heads of the coal miners, why doesn't President Roosevelt request Congress to pass the universal draft act that would place the services of every American at the disposal of the government in this time of emergency to be used where most needed in the war effort? To our way of thinking, drafting the coal miners into the army will not bring coal from the mines, and even as soldiers assigned to the mines the miners might not be inclined to dig much coal. The universal draft act with severe punishments for all violators will, in our opinion, take care of the present coal strike emergency and eliminate the dangers of further labor trouble for the duration of the war. For years such a measure has been

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urged before Congress to take care of just such situations as we now face and had such overall action been taken, to become effective on the day we became involved in the war, the time already lost from strikes and labor troubles would have been devoted to production. While much precious time has already been lost, we feel that it is not too late for the government to take this action to prevent further trouble.

WASHINGTON IN WARTIME

By JACK STINNETT

Washington — When is a cabinet not a cabinet? The answer is when this country is at war and the President is Mr. Roosevelt.

With the Office of War Mobilization now functioning, it is becoming more apparent daily that President Roosevelt has bypassed most of his cabinet in delegating wartime powers.

Only three of the ten members of the cabinet by right of office, have real authority at the council tables, and one of these — Secretary of State Hull — retains his importance by personal influence with the President, rather than by cooperative effort in the circle that now

Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS
- 1. Edible seaweed
- 6. Mineral spring
- 8. Fly high
- 12. Went up
- 13. Make a mistake
- 14. Formerly
- 15. City in Nevada
- 16. Navigator of the air
- 18. Present era
- 19. Filing with air
- 21. Painfully
- 22. Paradise
- 24. Peer Gynt's mother
- 25. Edible seed
- 26. Silliness
- 28. Wild sheep of India
- 30. Mouth comb
- 31. Duty
- 32. Arabic letter
- 36. Twisted ornament
- 38. Crazy
- 40. Entrance
- 41. Light open cotton fabric
- 42. Noise
- 44. Watch closely
- 46. Allows
- 48. Dance step
- 50. Biblical
- 52. American abbr.
- 53. Provided
- 54. Pertaining to
- 56. Friesland
- 58. Exclamation
- 59. Short ritualistic prayers
- 60. Large plant
- 62. Measure of length
- 64. Heated compartment
- 65. Ovale
- 66. English river
- 67. Not so much

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

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is running this war in all fields but that of military strategy.

Oddly enough the only two cabinet members who still are powerful are Republican Secretaries — Stimson of War, and Knox of Navy. That is because both have done excellent jobs as spokesmen for the armed forces and because in their three-year tenures, the greatest Army and Navy, the United States ever conceived has risen to such strength and efficiency.

Harold L. Ickes' star has risen again since we got into the war but that is because of his activities as Solid Fuels and Petroleum administrator rather than as Secretary of Interior.

Henry Morgenthau Jr. still speaks with authority on tax matters but it is considered a certainty here that it will be Economic Stabilizer Fred M. Vinson who will carry the tax bill for OWM from now on — not the Secretary of the Treasury.

Jesse Jones has more importance as head of the Reconstruction Finance Corp. than as Secretary of Commerce. A recent chart that included even minor war mobilization agency heads didn't even list Jones.

Attorney General Biddle gets an occasional mention as prosecutor of war frauds, but little more. Frank C. Walker continues to get some headlines as chairman of the Democratic National Committee, but few as postmaster general. James A. Parley turned over a smoothly functioning department to Walker and the present No. 1 Postmaster has been content to let that machine handle the problems of wartime mail.

Frances Perkins, as Secretary of Labor, has lost much authority on labor matters since the war started and the recent strengthening of the powers of the War Labor Board. Claude R. Wickard has seen much

of his vital powers as Secretary of Agriculture, in so far as they apply to wartime food supply and distribution, pass to Food Administrator Chester Davis.

Davis, however, is just one of the "czars," and some think that the general food policies — like the general policies of all the "czars" (prices, fuel, manpower, labor, transportation, and rubber) — will be made in the east wing of the White House when James F. Byrnes calls his five OWM colleagues in for conferences.

On OWM, too, particularly on Vinson and Byrnes, will fall the job of refereeing conflicts that arise out of the maze of overlapping authorities in the already existent war agencies. They can't do that by delegating important tasks to the now "inactive" members of the official cabinet. That would only be compounding confusion. It looks as if the President's cabinet, for the most part, is waning for the duration.

Ruhr Valley ...

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"You can't pick up a coal mine and carry it away," he declared. "And Germany's transportation is strained already to such an extent that moving plants would seriously impede production."

Only three Ruhr towns of any consequence — Gelsenkirchen, Hamborn and Herne — have not felt a blow by a major RAF force, one big enough in the Air Ministry's own words to wipe out a city of 200,000 population in one night.

Industrial production in the Ruhr was said on June 9 to have fallen about 35 per cent under 1942.

Lord Selborne, minister of economic warfare, estimated on June 10 that a million homes in the Ruhr had been destroyed, leaving up to 5,000,000 persons homeless.

The effect of the 10,000 tons of destruction heaped upon the seven cities of Dortmund, Essen, Wuppertal, Bochum, Oberhausen, Krefeld, and Mueheim — with an aggregate population of under 2,000,000 — can be gauged when it is recalled that the heaviest weight of bombs dropped on London in one raid was less than 500 tons and the total for 90 nights was only 7,500 tons.

Troops On ...

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island. Back in November and December, we usually wore fatigue greens until they rotted off with perspiration and mud and insect attack. Now, with the exception of working parties, starched and well laundered cotton khaki is the vogue. Malaria was making inroads upon the men in the warm months of 1942. Today, because of a better medical knowledge of the anopheles malaria bearing mosquito and because medical science has found the proper way to dose men with atabrine, malaria is the exception rather than the rule.

Back in those dismal days, when washing machine Charlie paid his nightly nuisance visits, dropping bombs, when pistol Pete and his most mythical sniping cannon shot his daily quota of shells and when the Tokyo express streamed up and down Skylark channel pouring tons of shells into Henderson field and arroyos, we usually ate stale salt crackers with jam, morning and night. There just wasn't any mounds of meat.

Today, for instance, in a well screened quarters, with Philippine mess boys serving, we had an excellent corned beef hash, fresh buttered cabbage, peaches, bread, butter and ice water. You'll never appreciate what ice does to water.

And until you've dragged one weary leg after the other through at least two feet of jungle mud, you

LOSER TAKE ALL

By Adelaide Hazeltine

Chapter 17
"You'll have to blame me for this," Ann said to the little group gathered in Mr. Baxton's office. "I'm responsible for Gibbs being on the third floor."

"You can't fire him!" Ann tried to quiet the panic in her voice. "He — you see — he's essential!"

"Essential or not, he's fired," retorted the lawyer. "All right, Gibbs." "But —" Ann drew a breath of courage. "You don't understand. I — I — detained Mr. Lane." She glanced at Jerry. The dawning contempt in his eyes twisted her heart but she had to go on. "While Gibbs searched his room for me."

Like a jack in the box, Mr. Baxton jumped up. "Searched his rooms?" He shook a threatening fist in her face. "What did you want that's in his room?"

"I — I —" She clenched her hands because they shook. "I — he had — a paper I wanted."

"What kind of paper?" Mr. Baxton was relentless.

All right she'd tell them. "I think he is withholding my grandmother's will!"

"Will!" It was a chorus of gasps uttered simultaneously by Sarah and Mr. Baxton and Jerry.

"Yes, Gibbs isn't the only one to be caught pilfering people's rooms." She dared to look at Jerry again. His mouth, usually so quick to smile, was frozen off and a dull flush colored his jaw.

With a show of indifference which Ann knew was camouflage for real concern, Mr. Baxton said to Jerry, "Well? Have you got the will?"

"Jerry kept his eyes on Ann. "No," he said.

"Then you've destroyed it, Ann thought wildly, and no one can prove it."

"She's just making it up," Sarah cut in. "She wants to keep Gibbs here. I agree with Mr. Baxton. I wouldn't trust him even to cut the lawn."

Gibbs stood, his head bowed, turning his tattered hat round and round in his hands. When Sarah finished speaking he looked up at her and said, "I ain't a-aimin' to give you no chance. I'm a-leavin' tonight."

Ann said, "No, Gibbs!"

He didn't answer. She turned back to the three others. "I'll be responsible for his behavior from now on. I'll promise you he won't give you any more trouble. He's been here a long time. My grandmother —"

"Your alleged grandmother is dead," Mr. Baxton observed. "Lots of things are going to be changed."

never appreciate drained and crowned roads.

All these things have come to the Guadalcanal I left in December.

Shuttle-Bombing ...

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The RAF feat aroused speculation as to whether the U. S. Air Forces might stage similar raids. The range of the Flying Fortresses and Liberators would make such runs possible at least across France to North Italy.

Officially described only as "several squadrons" — which means at least several dozen planes — the Lancaster force was strong enough to ravage three acres of the important radio location equipment plant in the Zepelin works at Friedrichshafen and also to severely damage the Maybach Werke motor plant on the way out.

On the return trip the docks at La Spezia were bombed accurately, the communique said, and stores of oil set afire.

The La Spezia attack represented

the first RAP assault on northern Italy since April 18, when a big fleet of bombers hit the naval base there.

During the night, German raiders made their heaviest attack in weeks against an English objective.

It was announced that 15 enemy planes pounded the port city of Hull in an attack lasting more than an hour, destroying a museum and valuable exhibits, parts of the shopping center and residential property.

Thousands of incendiaries set fires which were not brought under control until after dawn.

The casualty toll still was climbing early today with rescue squads digging out bodies of those buried in the wreckage of their homes.

The Berlin radio said the Allied planes also were over Germany during the night, asserting that a few "made nuisance raids" in the western sector.

Another German broadcast of a DNB dispatch, recorded by the Associated Press, asserted that a formation of British planes attacked a

German convoy off Flushing, Holland, from a low level this morning. The report was not immediately confirmed by the British.

Williamston Flier Receives Air Medal

Headquarters, Panama Canal Department—Maj. Wheeler Martin, Jr., 26, of Williamston, N. C., is one of 95 officers and 249 enlisted men to receive the Air Medal at an air base in the Caribbean area.

At a colorful ceremony, Col. H. K. Mooney, commanding officer of a bombardment group, presented the medals to the officers and men and lauded them for their achievements.

Mrs. Martin is the wife of Maj. and Mrs. Wheeler Martin, 214 East Main street, Williamston. His wife resides at the same address. He is a graduate of Wake Forest College.

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WILSON'S WEEKLY Bulletin

By George Rector
Food and Nutrition Consultant to Wilson & Co.

COME OUT OF THE KITCHEN!

To have fun with the family is nearer to our hearts these days than ever. Not only does this take more of our time but Red Cross, O. C. D., and Victory Gardens also make extra demands on it. So I suggest hot weather meals that you can prepare and then forget. Here is a dinner you can put in the refrigerator early in the morning and then have the day for these outside activities.



Hot Day Menu

- B-V TOMATO JUICE
- COCKTAIL
- JELLIED VEAL SURPRISE
- BUTTERED PEAS
- CUCUMBER WATERCRESS SALAD
- REFRIGERATOR CHEESE CAKE
- COFFEE MILK

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Cold Main Dishes

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You'll save time every day if you make a habit of using short cuts, such as chefs have devised for large kitchens where prepared foods, ready for instant cooking, is the order of the day.

For instance, you can partially cook French fried potatoes, then leave them draining in the wire basket, ready for a quick last-minute browning.

Flour and butter can be combined in a "roux" and kept in the refrigerator ready to whisk into hot milk for white sauce as needed.

Oranges, grapefruit and other fresh fruit may be prepared for fruit cocktail, combined with a simple sugar syrup and chilled until dinner time.

With such short-cuts as part of your summer-cookery design, you'll be amazed at the time gained.

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Brooklyn's 'Old Timers' Bearing Down On Cards

Washington Senators Pushing Yankees for First Place in American League

By JUDSON BAILEY
Associated Press Sports Writer

The world champion St. Louis Cardinals are supposed to be the only big league team in the big leagues this year in the frank opinion of the best judges of baseball talent, and this strangely enough is paying high tribute to the Brooklyn Dodgers.

The Cardinals are good; so good that they can keep players like Jimmy Brown and Johnny Hopp and Danny Litwiler lolling on the bench. On the other hand the Dodgers are old and doddering, with doubtful pitching, a glaring infield gap and a confusing outfield.

Yet the standings today show that this outfit of oldtimers, of whom only one regular is under 30 years of age, is just half a game out of first place in the National League and harassing the Cardinals every step of the way.

Currently they are on a six-game winning streak with five of these victories coming at the expense of the New York Giants, who lost both ends of a doubleheader yesterday 7-2 and 6-0 and stumbled into the cellar.

In the first game Rube Melton pitched five-hit ball and in the second of Curt (Dan) Boone Davis nearly treated the big week-day turnout of 27,547 paying customers to no-hitter, going until two were out in the eighth inning before another veteran, Dick Bartell, tagged him for the Giants' first hit. Davis permitted another single in the ninth, but gave no walks.

The crowd, incidentally, proved the interest of fans in bargain baseball, because the same teams drew just 16,488 paid for a single game on Sunday.

The Cardinals were clipped by the Cincinnati Reds 3-3 with the St. Louis ace, Mort Cooper, setting charged with his fourth defeat after being belted off the mound by a three-run fourth inning.

At Chicago the Cubs divided a doubleheader with the Pittsburgh Pirates to move out of last place for the first time since early May. Claude Passeau pitched a five-hitter to win the first game 4-1, but the Pirates battled back to ake the ninth 7-5.

The Boston Braves nosed out the Philadelphia Phillies 1-0 and 4-3 in a pair of air-tight pitching struggles. In the opener Red Barrett gave five hits to four Boston made off New Kimball, but a single and a double were combined in the second inning for the game's lone run. Al Gerberauer and Al Javery wrestled for 11 innings in the afterpiece with Chuck Workman eventually breaking it up with

BASEBALL

RESULTS
American League
Washington 6-0, New York 0-4.
Detroit 3-6, Cleveland 1-9.
Chicago 4, St. Louis 3.

National League
Brooklyn 7-6, New York 2-0.
Boston 1-4, Philadelphia 0-3.
Chicago 4-5, Pittsburgh 1-7.
Cincinnati 3, St. Louis 3.

Southern Association
New Orleans 4, Atlanta 1.
Memphis 3, Knoxville 2.
Chattanooga at Birmingham, postponed.
Little Rock 5, Nashville 4.

Piedmont League
Norfolk 4-7, Lynchburg 3-6.
Portsmouth-Durham, postponed.
Roanoke 5, Richmond 0.

STANDINGS

American League			
	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	32	22	.593
Washington	32	26	.552
Cleveland	28	28	.500
Boston	29	29	.500
Detroit	27	27	.481
Chicago	24	27	.471
Philadelphia	27	31	.466
St. Louis	22	29	.431

National League			
	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	34	20	.630
Brooklyn	37	24	.607
Pittsburgh	29	26	.527
Cincinnati	28	26	.519
Philadelphia	28	28	.500
Boston	25	28	.472
Chicago	21	35	.375
New York	21	36	.368

Piedmont League Through Sunday			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Portsmouth	39	12	.765
Richmond	30	18	.625
Lynchburg	25	25	.500
Roanoke	19	26	.422
Durham	19	27	.413
	12	36	.250

a single.

The American league also produced some dazzling pitching, not the least of which was in a night game at Philadelphia as the Boston Red Sox beat the A's 1-0 in a fourth-inning home run by Leon Culberson. Boston was held to four hits by Rookie Don Black while the A's made five scattered singles off Oscar Judd, who gave way to Mace Brown for the final out in the ninth. The contest was interrupted for an hour and five minutes by a practice blackout.

The New York Yankees and Washington Senators split a pair of shutouts to remain two games apart at the top of the standings. Milo Candini, the Senators' sensational rookie, achieved his seventh triumph without a defeat in the first

game 8-0, allowing six hits and himself hitting a home run and a double. His victim was Spud Chandler. Eddie (Jumbo) Bonham retaliated in the second game with a 4-0 blanking.

Hal Newhouse limited the Cleveland Indians to five hits to win 3-1 in the first game of a doubleheader and then Cleveland captured the second 9-6 in 11 innings with a two-run homer by Jeff Heath in the final frame spelling victory. The game was played in the presence of over 5,000 paying customers and 350 troops who were on hand to prevent any new outbreak of Detroit's racial troubles.

The Chicago White Sox advanced into sixth place by trimming the St. Louis Browns 4-3 with bunched hits for a pair of two-run innings.

Fights Last Night

By The Associated Press
Elizabeth, N. J., Tippy Larkin, 140½, Garfield, N. J., knocked out Bobby McIntyre, 140½, Detroit (5). Oakland, Calif.—Pedro Ortega, 138, Mexico defeated Tzee White, 139, San Francisco (10).

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

New York, June 24—(AP)—Samples of V (for-van) mail: "The other day Harry Markson, the Shakespeare of swat, was reading a letter from APO—Care Postmaster, San Francisco. It said, nearly as we can recall: 'We have formed a boxing club here and have bouts against the Australian soldiers. Our clubroom consists of the four walls of a tent, surrounded by the dense jungles on New Guinea. We would like some pictures of fights and fighters to hang on these walls.' That's just one of many, Harry remarked, 'I get so many like it that sometimes when I need a picture to use myself I find we don't have any.'

Another letter was directed to this department by Pvt. Ray Stofard of the Columbia, S. C. army air base. 'I live in Williamson, W. Va., and it is strictly a Cincinnati town,' he reported. 'Frank McCormick is and always will be tops for me as a baseball player. I wrote to Frank the other day and received my biggest thrill when I received a letter from him and I showed it to everyone. I say to leave baseball men out of the army to keep the game going.' It is necessary to point out what conclusions can be drawn?

Definition Doubtful
Abe Greene, the NBA president, says that Tony Galento's future exhibitions of pounding animated punching bags must be billed only as "entertainment." And what kind of dictionary do you use, Abe?

Quote, Unquote
Pvt. Clinton Bridges (former sparring partner of Joe Louis now at Salt Lake air base): "Look at what boxing taught me. I always managed to keep out of Louis' way."

Shorts and Shells
Fred Mandel and Gus Dorais have dug up a tackle candidate for their Detroit Lions who will sign only if agreements can be made in Detroit for him to continue his study for an operatic career. Why not make him assistant coach and relieve Dorais of the task of signing

the blues every Monday? ... Still in the discussion stage is a war bond ball game between all-stars of the three New York clubs and the Norfolk Naval station. The stars may be picked on their "bond league" averages. ... Bill Hulse, the N. Y. U. alumnus who broke the world record for two thirds of a mile the other evening, is a school list whose work in a war plant is considered important enough to keep him out of the armed forces.

Today's Guest Star
Bob Dunbar, Boston Herald: "We begin to surmise that lady baseball fans also are patriotic, because the attendance at ladies' day here have been so small that the local explanation is that a lot of them have gone to work."

Service Dept.
Eddie Hickey, former Creighton basketball coach, and Walter McLaughlin, former graduate manager at St. John's of Brooklyn, are partners in boxing, wrestling and hand-to-hand fighting at the North Carolina Navy Pre-flight School. But Eddie reports they don't start re-playing the garden court games until "mess." ... Pvt. Ed. "Forky" Oliver, the barrage balloon glofer, plays first base for a camp softball team and spends his spare time watching major league ball games in Boston.

West Greenville Wins By Shutout

West Greenville won their first game of the season this morning at the stadium, beating Third Street 5-0.

The game was by far the best played to date in the boys league. In registering the first shutout of the season, Carawan allowed only three hits, one each by Flye, Taft and Turner. Dick Flye pitched a steady game for the losers and had it not been for a bad first inning when W. Greenville tagged him for four runs, he would have given Carawan a battle for honors.

W. Greenville hit opportunely, six of their hits being divided evenly among the Williams twins and "Red" Conway.

W. Greenville will play Training School tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at the stadium.
Third Street ... 000 000 0-0 3 3
W. Greenville ... 400 001 x-5 7 3
D. Flye and J. Hardy.
Carawan and McKenney.

Showers Blessings To Growing Crops

By CHESTER WALSH
Tuesday night's thunder storm, worth millions of dollars to farmers of the eastern half of the state, did

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light damage, watered crops at a stage of growth when moisture means a better and more abundant harvest.

Delayed reports coming in today told of lightning striking a tree on Arthur Davenport's place near Reedy Branch Church, in the Winterville community, topping it over on top of Davenport's car and killing his hound dog, who had sought shelter under it from the storm.

Lightning struck a cornfield near the city on the Greenville-Ayden highway and scorched a small area. Hall damage was slight. A little was reported in the Belvoir section and a small shower of it east of Greenville, without damage to crops.

Some damage from wind was reported in the Tarboro section and from hail in the Wilson-Rocky Mount area.

Partly overcast skies yesterday following the rain was a blessing to growing crops and tobacco growers are optimistic over the present crop outlook. R. C. (Bob) Rankin, sales supervisor of the Greenville tobacco market, stated today.

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DAN DUNN — SECRET OPERATIVE '48

THERE, THERE, KAY, BRACE UP OLD GIRL—DAN'LL COME OUT OF IT—AIN'T AT RIGHT, DOC?

SURE, SURE—COME WE NEED YOUR HELP—YOU MUST PULL YOURSELF TOGETHER.

V-YES, YOU'RE RIGHT—SEND FOR BABS—HE WOULD WANT TO SEE HER BEFORE—I-IF—HE—

I'LL SEND FOR HER—SA-AY—WHERE'S THE TELEPHONE??

AND JUST OUTSIDE DAN DUNN'S DOOR TWO DOCTORS DISCUSS HIS GRAVE CONDITION.

YES, WE MUST DO SOMETHING—HE'S NOT IMPROVING—WHAT WOULD YOU SUGGEST—

WE'VE GOT TO BRING HIM OUT OF HIS COMA—IF SOME ONE HE CARED FOR GREATLY WOULD SPEAK TO HIM—WE MUST GET HIS MIND WORKING—OTHERWISE—

THAT'S RIGHT, I'LL ASK IRWIN—HE'LL KNOW WHO THAT ONE PERSON MIGHT BE.

A GOOD IDEA—I MUST REMAIN WITH DAN.

BLONDIE — by Chic Young

I WILL LEAVE A NOTE (WIT' ME NAME SIGNED TO IT)

CASHIER

VAULT

CRASH!

DAGWOOD WILL YOU HELP ME WITH THESE DISHES?

THAT'S THE TROUBLE WITH THESE SMALL HOUSES—THERE'S NO PLACE FOR A MAN TO HIDE

RING

SO I TURNED IN THE HEM, AND NOW IT LOOKS LOVELY—OF COURSE, IT WILL NEVER LOOK NEW BUT—GAB GAB GAB

I'M MAKING MY GREEN HAT OVER, TOO—I TOOK THE FLOWER OFF AND—GAB GAB

The Wrong Fox-hole!

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Hog Market Raleigh, June 24—(AP)—(NCDA)—Hog markets steady with tops of 13.50 at Richmond and 13.25 at Rocky Mount.

Poultry and Eggs Raleigh, June 24—(AP)—(NCDA)—Egg and poultry markets steady.

Grain Market CHICAGO, June 24—(AP)—Grains had an easy undertone today, wheat shipping to a new low since May 15.

New York Cotton New York, June 24—(AP)—Cotton of 50 cents a bale in cotton carried the July position to a new 14-year high.

N. Y. Stock Market New York, June 24—(AP)—Scattered favorites attracted fairly strong buying power in today's stock market.

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IRISH POTATO PRICES DROP

Some Growers Bitter Over What They Term 'Raw Deal'

By CHESTER WALSH Pitt county farmers today bitterly resented the juggling of prices by buying companies of Irish potatoes.

The eastern potato crop, late but of excellent quality, begins to go to market here, there and elsewhere.

The government, farmers say, has done the best it can to maintain a level price, but in spite of a shortage of potatoes, prices now being paid here, in Bethel, and on other markets, remind us of the depression of 1932 and 1933.

"It is apparent that the combine buying the potato crop has an 'affectionate relation' with the powers-that-be in Washington," a farmer, one of the leading citizens of Pitt county, told a Reflector reporter today.

Another farmer, not interested in growing potatoes other than for his own use, put in six or seven acres of spuds. "We take a load to market, get \$2.70 a hundred; bring in another load and the price is off—considerably off, and the grower is the goat," he said.

"I have taken my workers from tobacco, corn and cotton in the fields to harvest Irish potatoes. These crops have suffered as a result. Peanuts and soybeans on my farm are simply fodder to me, and I don't gather that," another farmer said indignantly.

"A farmer gets a square deal when he brings his tobacco to the market here in Greenville or other towns. If there is a man who will say we get a fair deal on Irish potatoes, let him show himself and we will exhibit him on the court house steps," a farmer, business man and banker stated today after looking over the potato market here, at Bethel and other places.

Topping it off, a farmer who seldom has much to say, predicted that the "trust" buying Irish potatoes will manage to get the OPA to raise the price of potatoes when they begin to be sold to consumers.

Irish potato growers in Pitt and adjoining counties are bitter over what they call a "raw deal."

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"MY FRIEND FLICKA" IS MIGHTY HEART DRAMA!



Teeming with emotion and tumultuous with thrills Mary O'Hara's best seller "My Friend Flicka" is playing at the Pitt today and Friday. Pictured above is Roddy McDowell, Preston Foster, who have roles of father and son in this grand story of love and life.

N.C.E.A. Sponsors Summer Conferences

The North Carolina Education Association is sponsoring a series of one-day summer conferences for the purpose of studying vital issues facing the public schools during the coming year.

Three areas have been chosen in the state in order to conserve travel and we are expecting a large attendance of administrators, college students, teachers and laymen," stated Horace Sisk, Fayetteville, president of the N. C. E. A.

Conference number one will be held at East Carolina Teachers College, Greensboro, Tuesday, July 6, for the eastern area.

The second conference is scheduled at Woman's College of the University of North Carolina, Greensboro, Wednesday, July 7, for the central section of North Carolina.

The final meeting of the series will be on the campus of Appalachian State Teachers College, Boone, Friday, July 9, for the western division.

Prominent educators will direct open forums on the following topics: In-Service Training During the Emergency, Federal Aid to Education, War and Peace Fund Campaign, Fall Program Planning, and Future Steps in North Carolina Education.

Secretary Fred W. Greene said today, "mounting teacher shortage and the issuance of numerous war emergency teaching permits will seriously affect the instructional phases of education during the coming school year. It is therefore necessary to have as many administrators, teachers and laymen can conveniently attend to help with the planning procedures."

Creation Of . . .

(Continued on Page Four) prospects. The bill calling for an all-powerful food administrator embraced proposals made by the Republican congressional food study committee, and it was reported to have the full support of Republicans on the House Agriculture Committee, joined by several Democrats.

Proponents want the authority over food production, transportation, distribution, pricing and rationing placed under Chester C. Davis, War Food Administrator, who now is in charge of production and distribution.

Two bi-partisan congressional committees called at the White House last week with this proposition, but President Roosevelt was reported to have taken the position that the present set-up was more practicable—with both Davis and Prentiss Brown, price and rationing administrator, reporting to Fred Vinson, economic stabilization director, who is responsible to James F. Byrnes, war mobilization chief with an office in the White House.

Italian Airfields . . .

(Continued from Page One) other fires in the near Olbia, it was announced. The destroyed enemy tanker was a medium sized vessel. It was caught by a Beaufighter attack on a small convoy north of Sicily.

Reds Smash At . . .

(Continued from Page One) result of the fighting more than 200 Germans were killed. It described the Russian attackers as a reconnaissance unit. Except for this sortie, the land front continued in its lull. The Red Air force kept up its destructive raids against enemy airdrome. (The Soviet noon communique, as recorded by the Soviet radio Monitor in London from a Moscow broadcast, said there was only desultory action on the front last night.)

Miners Slow . . .

(Continued From Page One) ernment's interest in the operation of the mines that I undertake active participation in the supervision of management and operation of the mines. To a press conference questioner who asked whether UMW President John L. Lewis had "pointed a pistol at the head of the government" in setting October 31 as a new deadline for another work stoppage in the absence of an agreement, Ickes replied: "Maybe he's pointing a pistol at my head."

Most congressional drafters regarded Mr. Roosevelt's quarter club proposal as an inadequate substitute for the anti-strike bill which many legislators now expect him to veto. Raising of the draft age would take in many of the older miners.

the president's proposal, though Byrd said he thought Mr. Roosevelt should sign the anti-draft bill for the effect it would have in preventing future walkouts. Senator Connally (D-Tex.) who started the anti-strike bill on its way through the Senate, sent a telegram to the White House urging approval of the measure which went through both branches of Congress with a thumping majority at the height of the coal controversy. He said "it appears that more than 80 per cent of the people of the United States favor the bill" and he insisted it was not "anti-labor."

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