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Occasional rain this afternoon and in the south portion tonight. Little change in temperature.

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U.S. WAS FIRST ROUND OF OFFENSIVE

American Bombers Loose Destruction On Sicily

Port of Palermo And Axis Airfields Left In Flames; Targets In Sardinia Also Blasted; British Submarines Sink More Axis Ships in Mediterranean

By NOLAN NORGAARD Allied Headquarters in North Africa, July 1—(AP) United States bombers and fighter-bombers of the Northwest African Air Force blasted Palermo and four Axis air fields on Sicily yesterday, virtually without opposition from enemy fighters, it was announced today.

(The Italian high command communique, broadcast from Rome and recorded by the Associated Press, reported "great damage and many casualties" at Palermo, a port of northwestern Sicily. Sardinian targets also were attacked, the communique said. Fires were reported started and several buildings destroyed in Cagliari.)

(Submarine pressure upon Axis supply lines continued. The London Admiralty announced that British submarines had destroyed a fast transport and three supply vessels and probably had sunk a fifth ship in Italian waters, boosting to more than 20 the number of enemy craft sunk or damaged in the Mediterranean during the last week.)

The attacks by Flying Fortresses, Mitchells, Marauders, Wasps and Lightnings came after the Wellingtons, in a pre-dawn attack, crashed again at the ferry terminus and freight yards of Messina. The explosives seen to burst in the Messina yards and many fires were observed. A large fire also developed south of San Giovanni.

The American raids on Sicilian targets yesterday left fires blazing at air fields and many enemy planes destroyed. Destroyed Italian laborers will be busy filling in the huge craters made on runways by heavy bombs, an official report added.

At Palermo seven direct hits were scored on a large barracks. Flying Fortresses, which made the seven hits in a military stores area. The crewmen failed to sight (Continued on Page Six)

New Food Chief



Carl E. Newton, 45, (above), president of Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Co., was named by Secretary of Interior Ickes as federal director of the national coal mines. Newton said his job is "to get maximum production."

AIRPORT WORK TO START SOON

Government Officials Here To Supervise Project

Actual work on the county-city airport near this city, will probably get under way the first of the week it was indicated here today by CAA officials who have arrived to supervise the work.

Some of the contractor's equipment arrived here yesterday and more was scheduled to arrive today and throughout the week-end.

J. P. Bishop, CAA engineer of Atlanta, arrived here last night and A. H. Sorenson, who will be chief engineer on the job, was scheduled to arrive here today.

Since bids on the project were opened in Atlanta last Thursday, Blythe Brothers Company of Charlotte, low bidder, have been rushing preparations to get the work started as quickly as possible.

Mr. Bishop stated today that Mr. Sorenson would be chief supervising engineer on the project and he (Bishop) would be assistant.

"We are here until the job is completed," Mr. Bishop said, adding that other members of the CAA representatives, about eight or 10, assigned to the job here, would arrive probably the first of the week. Asked how soon he thought the work would actually get under way, he said, based on preparation already made and the arrival of equipment, it was possible the work would start the first of the week.

On projects similar to the one here, he said usually the field could be placed in use within about three months from the time work is begun. He pointed out, however, that there was a possibility that final completion might not be accomplished in that time.

These projects have a way of growing, once they get started," he said, "and should the original plans the work would continue longer than the three months mentioned although such extension would not prohibit use of that portion of the field already completed at that time."

Original plans for the expansion of the field for which the CAA has allotted \$80,000 include the paving of three runways 4,000 to 5,000 feet long by 150 feet wide. The field is (Continued on page four)

REDS REPULSE NAZI THRUST

Aerial Activity By Both Sides Continues

London, July 1—(AP)—A strong Red army scouting party, storming across a river into German trenches after laying a barrage on the positions, blew up two German blockhouses and other enemy installations in a sector of the western front, the Soviet noon communique announced today.

More than 100 Germans were killed in the foray and German guns in that area were put out of commission, the war bulletin said. It was recorded by the Soviet Monitor here from a Moscow broadcast.

The communique said a German reconnaissance force was thrust back on the Volkov front south of Leningrad, and the Germans also lost a plane shot down by a Russian crew employing an anti-tank rifle. (Continued on Page Four)

Gas Rationing To Be Extended

Washington, July 1—(AP)—Secretary Ickes said today the midwest was closer to tighter gasoline and consumption curbs than ever and deplorable the Pacific coast probably would be restricted more severely, too, before the end of the year.

Ickes told a press conference that opening of the big inch pipeline's eastward extension within the next two weeks would bring the midwest still nearer to sharper restrictions without imposing the drastic curbs now imposed on eastern motorists.

He added that declining crude oil production in California, plus heavy military demands on that state's output will almost certainly lead to a deficiency of oil on the west coast before the end of the year that "could, and probably would, mean more severe rationing there."

Wooten Is Acting Chief Of Police

By CHESTER WALSH At the first meeting of the Board of Aldermen in the new fiscal year of 1943-44 at the City Hall at noon today Assistant Chief Herbert E. Wooten was named acting chief of police and C. Bowen Dorsey acting assistant chief.

In a preliminary ceremony Mayor Bruce Sugg and Aldermen J. Arthur Collins, Rufus V. Keel, David Evans, A. E. Hobgood and L. B. Fleming, elected at a recent primary election, were administered the oath of office by Superior Court Clerk J. Frank Harrington. Judge J. W. H. Roberts and Solicitor Ell Bloom also recently reelected, were sworn in.

The board reappointed Fire Chief George Gardner and Assistant Chief J. O. Duval, Tax Collector W. L. Patrick, Secretary Mary Louise Langley and all other appointive officers.

Axis Equipment Losses In North Africa Heavy

By JOSEPH MORTON Tunis, July 1—(AP)—It's beginning to look as though soldiers out in this neck of the woods can rest their dogs and ride around in style for a while.

This is because the German and Italian armies turned out to be even more obnoxious than the first returns. Officers are ready to announce now that the enemy left enough rolling stock behind to motorize a complete army.

Traitor Hopes For Clemency

Detroit, July 1—(AP)—Max Stephan, convicted traitor who had boasted an Axis victory in the war would save him, looked today to President Roosevelt for an order sparing him from the gallows in tomorrow's pre-dawn hours.

It was his only hope—and the White House preserved a silence which seemed ominous to Stephan and those who seek a commutation of the death sentence for him.

Nazi Naval Base Is Now Unusable

Stockholm, July 1—(AP)—Reports from Germany said today that shattering daylight attacks by U. S. Flying Fortresses combined with the RAF's night bombing had virtually eliminated Wilhelmshaven as a naval base.

Installations were said to have been battered to pieces and the arsenal blown up, making the port unusable.

As a result, the reports said, U-boats which formerly berthed at Wilhelmshaven have now been shifted to the mouth of the Weser river.

At the federal correctional institution at Milan, Mich., where the execution is scheduled to take place he was quaking with fright as his hours of life ran shorter.

Historians said it would be the first execution for treason at order of the federal government although others have been convicted and there have been executions for treason under state laws.

Casualty List. Washington, July 1—(AP)—The Navy announced today 16 casualties, including four dead, one wounded and 11 missing.

Munitions Blast Showers Town



This wreckage was all that remained of two freight train cars carrying munitions which exploded in a fire and showered the town of Grand Junction, Colo., with shell fragments for four hours. Four persons were hurt. The cars caught fire as the train pulled into town.

Allied Airmen Step-Up Tempo Of War On Axis

New Record of Destruction Set During June As Bombers Blast Axis Territory From All Directions

By The Associated Press London, July 1—Striking from three directions, the mighty air arms of the American and British navies subjected Axis Europe to a design of destruction unparalleled in all history during the month of June, and for the enemy the worst was still to come.

During the month, Allied aerial power reached out in rising fury from bases in Britain, in northwest Africa and in the middle east—with American and British fliers cooperating smoothly to keep the offensive going virtually around the clock.

These accomplishments stood out: 1. The unconditional surrender of the Italian island of Pantelleria on June 11, first island ever conquered by air power alone. The subsequent capitulation of Lampedusa, Linosa and Lampione, and the pattern of destruction spread over Italy, Sicily and Sardinia.

2. The great destruction wrought by the RAF in its city-by-city bombing of the Ruhr valley to whose concentrated industries Hitler looks for replenishment of his war machine.

Also significant were the two American Liberator raids last week on Axis airfields near Athens and Salonika, an aerial pincer toward a possible Balkan invasion route and the first penetration of the Ruhr, inaugurated by the RAF of a large synthetic bombing shuttle service between Britain and Africa with an important raid on both the outbound and homeward trips.

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Drives Against Japs By Land, Sea And Air

MORE MINERS BACK AT WORK

Thirty Thousand Returned To Their Jobs Today

Pittsburgh, July 1—(AP)—An estimated 30,000 miners trooped back to work today in the hard coal regions and the number of approximately idle in the producing fields dropped to around 100,000—less than one-fifth of the country's miners.

The upsurge in the "go to work" drive was felt mainly in Pennsylvania, the biggest producing state, where about 120,000 of the 200,000 miners were on the job.

The improvement came about after meetings by many United Mine Workers locals yesterday and last night, at which votes were taken to resume their tasks, and an appeal by Secretary Ickes that they return to work.

The biggest gain came from the hard coal fields in eastern Pennsylvania, where the vast majority of 40,000 men in the big No. 1 district of UMW went back. All but 30,000 of 83,000 hard coal miners were working.

Alabama reported that about 6,000 of its 24,000 union miners were working, an increase of 2,000 over yesterday. Gains also occurred in western Pennsylvania.

Reports indicated many mines would work the Monday Independence Day holiday at time and a half pay.

Secretary Ickes in a radio address last night appealed to the miners not to stay away from their jobs "on the eve of the greatest military campaign in history." The solid fuels administrator, custodian of the nation's mines, said that "the complaints of no man or group of men" could be placed above the nation's military goal.

Washington, July 1—(AP)—Interior Secretary Ickes said today that President Roosevelt has allotted him \$10,000,000 out of emergency funds to run the coal mines for the government.

Further, Ickes told a press conference that he had contracted with the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for "additional funds as we need them" should the presidential money run out.

Ickes joined with Carl E. Newton, his deputy federal coal mine administrator, in saying that definite plans for future government supervision are too incomplete to talk about now.

He said he had not yet had a (Continued on page four)

Governor Supports Work or Fight Plan

Raleigh, N. C., July 1—(AP)—Governor Broughton intends to use all the power at his command to see that idlers in North Carolina go to work.

He said as much last night in a radio address to the people of the state on his "work or fight" proclamation of last week.

Recalling that he had asked that Monday be made a day of dedication, Broughton urged that county committees be organized to "plan to the end that every able-bodied person shall be enrolled for active farm or industrial work."

He urged that these committees "search out those places where idlers hang out... And find out why it is that they are not at work."

"And if they stubbornly refuse to work in this hour of national danger," said the Governor, "I want to say to you that with whatever power of Legislative action I intend to support the mayors and sheriffs and public officials in their effort to insist upon these idlers going to work."

Broughton said 50,000 persons were needed to harvest crops in the state and "we have a desperate need in industry" yet in "scores, indeed hundreds of our counties, white and colored, are to be found sitting around, idling, loafing while work badly needs to be done."

Boisson Successor Named. Algiers, July 1—(AP)—The French committee of national liberation today named Pierre Charles Cotnam to succeed Pierre Boisson as Governor General of French West Africa, where the Dakar naval base is situated.

New Mines Chief



Judge Marvin Jones, (above), chairman of the recent Hot Springs food conference, was appointed by President Roosevelt as War Food Administrator to succeed Chester C. Davis, who resigned after serving since March. Davis, who says he plans to rest in North Carolina before other activity, flatly told the President the program to combat inflation won't work in its present form.

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Pitt County Road Project Approved

Raleigh, N. C., July 1—(AP)—Nine highway projects, all of which involve relocation of vital lines in the state's present system, have been approved by the Federal Works Agency as a part of the North Carolina Highway and Public Works Commission's post-war program of construction.

The FWA approved the expenditure of \$2,550 to aid in financing advance plans for the post-war improvement of the state agency will contribute a like amount from highway funds. The money will be used to make surveys, preparing specifications, and general engineering work on the proposed program.

W. Vance Baise, chief highway engineer of the Highway Commission, said earlier this week that the state's post-war highway construction program would probably require the spending of \$50,000,000 over a period of three or four years.

Included in the FWA's allocation of funds were: Pitt County: Relocation of U. S. route 264 through Greenville to eliminate hazardous traffic conditions, for a distance of 5 miles. Relocation of N. C. 11 at Greenville to tie in with the proposed relocation of U. S. 264 at the city limits, for a distance of 3 miles.

Martiniere Head Asks Washington For Terms

Washington, July 1—(AP)—Secretary of State Hull said today the United States Navy received a dispatch from authorities on Martinique requesting reopening of discussions concerning the status of that French Caribbean colony.

Hull was asked at his press conference whether the government had received from Admiral Georges Robert, French high commissioner on the island, a request for the dispatch of an American envoy to Martinique to fix the terms for a change of French authority there. Such a step could lead to alignment at last of Martinique with the Allies.

He replied that the Navy had received a dispatch from Martinique authorities and that it was being given appropriate consideration.

Viru Harbor Taken After Heavy Fighting; Japs Lose 65 Planes Against Loss Of 17 Aircraft And A Transport By Americans; Progress Made On New Guinea

By ROGER GREENE (Associated Press War Editor) American troops have captured Viru harbor on New Georgia island after a violent sea-air battle in which at least 65 Japanese planes, 17 U. S. aircraft and one American ship were lost, the Navy announced today as Allied forces drove ahead in their sweeping five-point offensive north of Australia.

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Potato Growers Of This Section Face Dilemma

Raleigh, N. C., July 1—(AP)—Governor Broughton said today that J. B. Hutson, president of the Commodity Credit Corporation, advised him by telephone that the lack of buyers on the eastern North Carolina early Irish potato markets was "purely temporary and perhaps local."

The situation, Hutson was quoted as saying, would be adjusted immediately.

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Vote To Freeze Tobacco Quotas

Washington, July 1—(AP)—The House passed and sent to the Senate today a joint resolution (H. Res. 144) authorizing the Secretary of Agriculture to proclaim 1944 production quotas for Burley and flue-cured tobacco on the basis of 1943 quotas.

The resolution sponsored by Representative Chapman (D-Ky.) was urged as a means of permitting the tobacco farmers to make plans for their 1944 total production and to prevent diversion of equipment needed for such production to tobacco growing in event quotas were not set.

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The WAR TODAY AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEWS

By DEWITT MACKENZIE While Washington is silent regarding the scope of the new offensive in the Pacific the important fact remains that we retain the initiative and are on the move through the islands and two tactical objectives, among numerous points which might be occupied are the big Jap bases in New Britain and northeast New Guinea.

The prospects are fascinating and if things go well the drive might swell into a very big operation.

Social and Personal

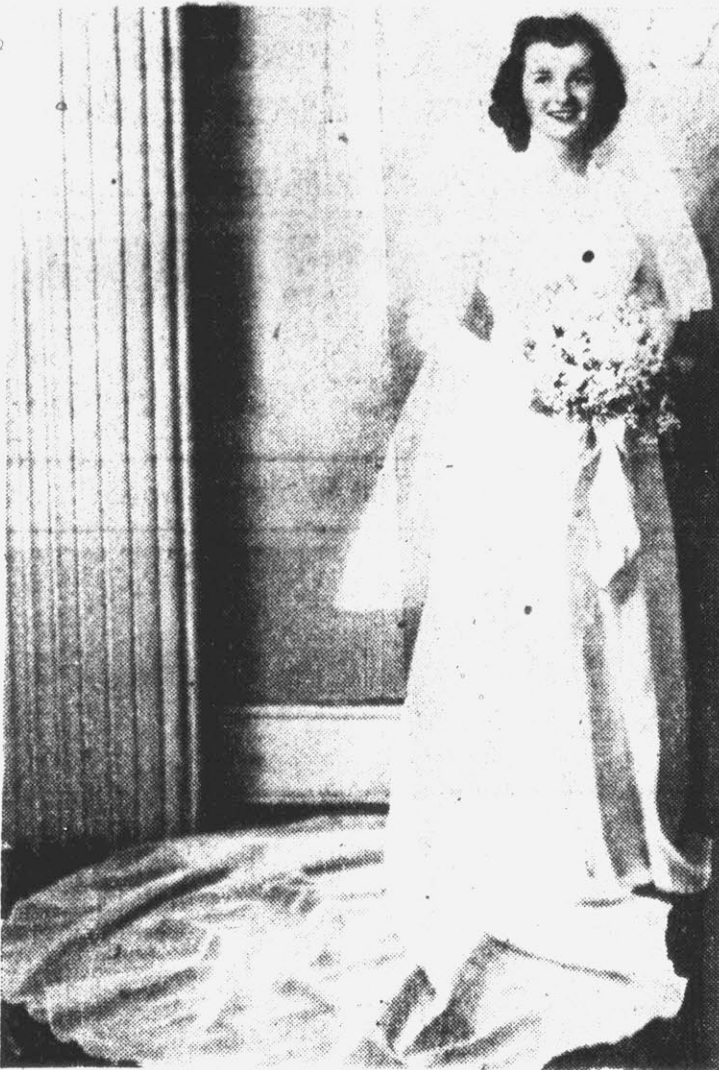
Forty Years Ago Today

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Fire Destroys \$75,000 Property At 12:45 this morning fire broke out in Parham's tobacco warehouse...

Penney Stores To Stage Bond Drive

July 1st marks the opening of a nation-wide War Bond and Stamp sales drive in 1610 J. C. Penney Company's department stores...



Mrs. Zack P. VanDyke, Jr., who before her marriage on Wednesday, June 23, in the Methodist Church in Stokes, was Miss Frances Whitchard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Whitchard of Stokes.

WGTC 1490 KILOCYCLES GREENVILLE, N. C.

- TONIGHT 7:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS. 7:15—The Johnson Family, MBS. 7:30—Ray Herberichs Orch., MBS. 7:45—Confidentially Yours, MBS. 8:00—This Is Our Enemy, MBS. 8:30—Modern Melodies, MBS. 8:55—You and Uncle Sam, MBS. 9:00—Frank Zinghiser, MBS. 9:15—Labor Emergency Program, MBS. 9:30—Harmony Hall, MBS. 10:00—News, MBS. 10:15—1100 Club, MBS. 11:00—News, MBS. 11:05—Sign Off, MBS.

- 11:15—Karl Zomar's Scrapbook, MBS. 11:30—Yankee Houseparty, MBS. 11:45—Ardent on the Air, MBS. 12:00—Hillbilly Roundup, MBS. 12:15—News, MBS. 12:25—Tune Time, MBS. 12:40—Carolina Farm Features, MBS. 12:55—News and Markets, MBS. 1:00—Western Melodies, MBS. 1:15—Songs of the Islands, MBS. 1:30—Luncheon With Lopez, MBS. 1:45—Broadway Bandwagon, MBS. 2:00—Cedric Foster, MBS. 2:15—Ozie Waters, MBS. 2:30—Mutual Goes Calling, MBS. 3:00—Today's War Commentary, MBS. 3:05—Musical Interlude, MBS. 3:10—In the Woman's World, MBS. 3:15—The Voice of the Army, MBS. 3:30—Chase Up Gang, MBS. 4:00—Walter Compton, MBS. 4:15—Uncle Sam Series, MBS. 4:30—Cote Que Club, MBS. 4:45—Requestful Yours, MBS. 5:00—Swing Session, MBS. 5:15—Quaker City Serenade, MBS. 5:30—Highway Patrol, MBS. 5:45—Superman, MBS. 6:00—News, TN, MBS. 6:15—Babe Rhodes Orch., MBS. 6:30—Sportscast, TN, MBS. 6:45—Sundown Serenade, MBS. 7:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS. 7:15—The Johnson Family, MBS. 7:30—For Victory, MBS. 7:45—Waltz Time, MBS. 8:15—Jack Miller's Orch., MBS. 8:30—The Music You Love, MBS. 8:55—You and Uncle Sam, MBS. 9:00—Frank Zinghiser, MBS. 9:15—Chuck Foster's Orch., MBS. 9:30—Double or Nothing, MBS. 10:00—News, MBS. 10:15—1100 Club, MBS. 10:30—Meet the Band, TN, MBS. 10:45—George Hamilton's Orch., MBS. 11:00—News, MBS. 11:05—Sign Off, MBS.

James Ray Pittman is spending a few days in Washington, D. C. Mr. and Mrs. G. T. White and daughter, Carolyn, of Elizabeth City, have returned home after spending the week with Mrs. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hall of Ayden, Route one.

Social Calendar

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

Miss Marie Hall has returned to Cantonville, Md. after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hall of Ayden, Route one. Mrs. John R. Barker has gone to Los Angeles, Calif., to visit her mother and other relatives.

Commander Julian Timberlake, U. S. Navy, Mrs. Timberlake, Miss Charlotte Timberlake and Miss Mary Timberlake are spending a few days at Cottontale. They have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Charles Newcombe of Raleigh.

Henry Andrews, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Andrews, left today to enter Duke University.

Miss Betsy Hobgood spent yesterday in Durham.

John R. Barker left today for Carolina Beach to visit his daughter, Mrs. Russell G. Neal.

Mrs. H. L. Andrews is visiting her sister in Roxboro.

Miss Margaret Clark is spending several days in Wilson visiting relatives.

Miss Naomi Overton of Washington, D. C., is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Overton, in Stokes.

Mrs. James Campbell is spending several days with her sister in Chase City, Va.

Mrs. Cary Warren and Miss Adeline Warren left today for Louisville, Ky., to attend the graduation of Cary Warren from the officers training school at Fort Knox.

The following girls left yesterday for Camp Bearwalla, Hendersonville, to spend the summer: Lyle Batchelor, Nina Sue Lassiter, Lois and Mary Ann Waldrop. They were joined in Goldsboro by Miss Hill of Kinston, a counselor, and Virginia Baylor of Cherry Point, a camper.

Billie Mac and Ed Batchelor, Jr., John Lee Stokes, Jimmie Lee, Billie White and Harvey Ward, Jr., left today for Camp Pinnacle, near Hendersonville, to spend the summer. Ed Batchelor, Jr., will be assistant counselor at the camp.

Master Clark Promoted. Spl. Baxter Clark, Technical Training Command at the Army Air Base in Greensboro, has been promoted to sergeant and made an instructor in aerial gunnery.

Mrs. Harris Hostess. Mrs. W. C. Harris was hostess to members of the Greenville chapter of the Greensboro College Alumnae at a summer party on Thursday afternoon, June 24, at her home on West Third street. Shasta daisies, feverfew and gadioli were used to decorate the living rooms.

The guests were welcomed by the hostess and presented to Miss Nell Broome of Kinston, sister of Mrs. Brooks and special guest of the afternoon.

The minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. Wiley Brown. Mrs. F. P. Brooks, Mrs. Wiley Brown and Mrs. W. C. Harris each gave glowing reports of the recent commencement of the college which they attended in May.

Entertainment had been planned by Mrs. Brooks which consisted of a contest relating to Greensboro College, and a quiz program. Mrs. K. T. Futrelle was given a prize as winner in the contest and Miss Nell Broome was remembered with a gift.

A delicious salad course in the college colors of green and white, with ice-box fruit cake and an iced drink, was served by the hostess.

Called For Duty. Evelyn Wooten of Farmville, has been called to report for training in the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps at Daytona Beach, Fla. on July 15.

Masonic Lodge To Meet. Greenville Lodge No. 284 A. F. and A. M. will hold a special communication Friday night at 8 o'clock for work and instruction. All Master Masons invited.

POETRY DISCONTINUED. Beginning today, The Reflector will be unable to accept poetry for publication until further notice. This ruling is made necessary on account of the lack of space and time to handle contributions of this nature.

Dedication Service. Mount Pleasant Church will dedicate a service flag Sunday, July 4, to the boys who have gone into the service from the community. Recognition of relatives of the boys will be given by the pastor, R. L. Toppings. A picnic dinner will be served and those who attend are requested to bring a basket.

Program At College Tonight. The public is invited to see Miss Diana Marmain, American dancer, this evening at eight o'clock at the Marmain, in addition to her work as dancer and actress is a designer, and most of the elaborate costumes she wears for her widely varied program of dances were designed by her. The program will be given in the Austin Auditorium, at the college.

Executive Committee Meets. Mrs. James A. Salter, newly elected president of the North Carolina branch of the International Order of the King's Daughters and Sons, was hostess to her executive board consisting of Mrs. Z. A. Rochelle of Durham, first vice-president; Mrs. Octavia Evans of Durham, second vice-president; Mrs. A. E. Shackell of Tarboro, third vice-president; Mrs. Fred Savage of Wilmington, fourth vice-president; Mrs. W. T. Uelschi of Raleigh, recording secretary; Mrs. N. B. Allsbrook of Raleigh, corresponding secretary; Mrs. T. R. Manning of Roanoke Rapids, chaplain; Miss Eudale Shaw of Charlotte, historian; and Mrs. Hortense F. Moss of Greenville, honorary branch president for life at a beautifully appointed luncheon at her home on East Lane street, Raleigh on Tuesday, June 29.

A color scheme of green and pink was carried out in decorations and food. The table was covered with a hand-made cloth. The centerpiece was a low crystal bowl filled with pink gladioli, baby's breath and ferns.

Following the luncheon an executive meeting was held at which time plans for the ensuing year were made.

Rev. Allyn P. Robinson addressed the group on "Post-war Planning for World Peace." The board went on record as endorsing the Fullbright resolution.

Mrs. Thos. W. Young of Durham, immediate past president, was elected a member of the building committee of the King's Daughters Chapel at the Stonewall Jackson Training School for delinquent boys.

Thanks For Smokes, Men In Service Say

A card from "somewhere in the Pacific" from Top Sgt. J. N. Krentzlin, U. S. Army signal company and another from Top Sgt. Herbert Zimmerman, expressing thanks for cigarettes sent the servicemen by R. E. Harris, Jr., have been received here. "Thanks for the cigarettes and a deeper thank you for the thoughts which prompted you to send them. It makes a soldier feel as though the Nation he loves is behind him and doing what they can to make things pleasant for him," the cards stated.

Heavy Traffic To Seashore Resorts

Unusually heavy traffic to seashore resorts is reported by bus companies. Buses eastward do not have the sign up but as a regular thing now almost on the eve of the Fourth of July one is lucky to ride standing up.

Passenger car traffic through Greenville increased considerably today, with an unusual number of upstate cars passing through toward the seashore.

Fall Weather Ends Sweltering Period

Yesterday's rain literally saved the tobacco crop, which was suffering and causing some alarm. The steady all-day drizzle was worth a million dollars to field and garden crops. Overcast skies today are an additional blessing to growing crops.

A decided drop in temperature brought relief to the sweltering multitudes when the mercury descended to a point where sleeping at night was a pleasure instead of an uncomfortable task.

Police Force Holds Good Record Here

By CHESTER WALSH Only one arrest was made in Greenville yesterday and less than a dozen warrants have been issued for law violators during the past 10 days, the records show at the Police Department. Police are now having more time to devote to constructive work cooperating with other city departments. It was not so many months ago that the force spent much time dragging in "helpless drunks" and others in trouble as a result of being under the influence of liquor.

The police are working harmoniously as a law enforcement unit, cooperating with sheriff's officers, state highway patrolmen and the FBI and FBI a well known business man pointed out today while commenting on the department's good record for doing crime. "People don't get into trouble when they are working and busy," he added, with the comment, "there is no city in North Carolina where the people of both races cooperate better for the good of the community than in Greenville."

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Governor Broughton pointed out that within the last few weeks the state prison population records had been closely viewed by his parole office and that during the present week 25 would be freed to work on farms.

Kinston To Enforce Work Or Fight Plan

Kinston, July 1—A mass meeting to align Kinston and Lenoir county with North Carolina's campaign to put all available persons to work will be held at the courthouse next Monday, Dr. J. Y. Joyner of La Grange is chairman of the campaign in this county.

Dr. Joyner met this week with a committee in the office of County Farm Agent Glenn Swicegood and drafted plans for the session. City and county law enforcement officers will take part in the meeting. Special invitations have been extended to representative citizens of all parts of the county.

Surveys have revealed, it was stated, that there are many persons here who are not gainfully employed in spite of the serious labor shortage. Every effort will be made to secure the voluntary cooperation of idle workers, but if it is necessary law enforcement officers are expected to take part in the back-to-work campaign.

Must Register With Employment Office

All persons who expect to work at tobacco factories and warehouses when the season opens must be registered with the U. S. Employment Office, on East Fifth Street, opposite the high school. Persons who plan to apply for jobs when construction of the airport begins must also be registered at the employment office.

Incidentally, persons employed on essential war jobs cannot change places and persons doing farm work cannot leave to go to other jobs. The employment laws are to be strictly enforced to prevent the migration of labor, it is understood.

Vitamin Patent Invalid. San Francisco, July 1—(AP)—Patents governing the manufacture of vitamin D, said to have brought more than \$7,500,000 in royalties to the University of Wisconsin Alumni Research Foundation, were declared by the U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals today to be invalid.

There have been no requests for German or Japanese prisoners, he said. A tank has 8,000 parts.

De Valera Re-elected Dublin, July 1—(AP)—Eamon De Valera was reelected Prime Minister of Eire today by a vote of 67 to 37 in the first meeting of the Dail since the general election of June 22.

His opponent was William Casragh, leader of the opposition fine Gael party. The vote was taken after De Valera had opposed a suggestion to suspend the party system until after the emergency and to replace it in the interim with a national government.

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They Call It Pacific

by CLARK LEE

The Admirals and Their "Elephants"

Chapter 28
I learned soon after our arrival in Brisbane that the United States was fighting the Pacific war with only one hand, and that the day of the final destruction of Japan's power was still far off.

I spent a month in Australia, inspecting our defenses and waiting for the Jap's next move. American troops and planes were being piled up in the country, but the number was small—perhaps too small for MacArthur to be able to defend Australia, let alone start an offensive against the Japs.

Finally, toward the end of the month, the Japs made their move. They started down into the Coral Sea with a huge armada. It looked like they were headed for New Caledonia, so I flew over to New Zealand, then up to Fiji and to New Caledonia. From stories of American navy fliers I met in the planes en route, I got the details of the Coral Sea Battle—the first in history between aircraft carriers and Japan's first decisive defeat.

As a result of the battle, the pressure was off New Caledonia. It looked as if the initiative was passing to the United States. But there were no more land fronts in the Pacific, and if any fighting was to be done, it was up to our Navy to do it.

I flew on up to Pearl Harbor to get accredited to the fleet. It seemed as if the plane would never reach Honolulu. For four hours I sat in the bombardier's place in the nose of the PB2Y, watching for the Hawaiian Islands until my eyes ached. When I finally sighted Oahu I didn't recognize it until we swung over Maui beach, bounced over the Marine airfield at Ewa and settled down on the waters of Pearl Harbor. It had taken me seven months to make the trip from Honolulu.

I telephoned my wife and apologized for being a little late getting back and would she excuse it please? She would.

I FOUND that she was working at an airfield, and that was only one of the many changes brought to the Islands by the Japanese attack six months before. All the civilians not in Army or Navy uniform were at work, building airfields, repairing ships, constructing docks, or serving in hospitals, acting as air messengers, or helping the Red Cross. Everybody carried a gas mask. The blackout was strictly and seriously enforced, and you had to have a pass to go out doors after curfew hour.

Civilians were allowed only ten gallons of gasoline a month and one quart of liquor a week. Bars and restaurants closed several hours before sundown. There were shortages of milk, eggs, meat, and vegetables as all the Island products went to the armed forces.

Pearl Harbor still showed signs of the bombing. The ancient battleship Utah was lying on the bottom of the western shore of Ford Island. The Oklahoma, on its side with part of its hull looming out of the water, lay ahead of the Arizona, which had gone straight down after a bomb exploded its magazine. The West Virginia was being gradually raised.

Another battleship was in dry-dock after being salvaged, and still others had already been patched up and taken to the Pacific Coast for repairs.

Most of the scars of battle had been removed from the Kaneohe naval air station, across the island from Pearl Harbor. At Kaneohe Japanese bombers deliberately ignored two empty hangars and laid their bombers squarely on a hangar, destroying it one blow and killing many men. That showed that the Japanese had excellent espionage.

But as great as the debacle at Pearl Harbor had been, as staggering the loss of life, I soon became convinced that the Japanese had lost their great chance to win the war in those three flaming, terrible hours on December 7. The mistake that they had made was almost inconceivable.

Far more than our own admirals had realized the significance of air power. Their primary targets on December 7 were undoubtedly our aircraft carriers. Through sheer good fortune our aircraft carriers were not in Pearl Harbor at the time of the attack. If, instead of hitting the battleships, the Japs had aimed their bombs and torpedoes at the docks, shops, oil tanks and shore installations in Pearl Harbor, the course of the war would

be coming in very handy along with the excellent telephone system that Jerry thoughtfully left behind at Tananarive.

Souvenir hunters can buy a few little things like helmets and mess kits at any French police station but most of the items picked up by troops on the battlefields have been called in. Strangely, however, hardly a soldier can be found willing to surrender a German Luger automatic pistol. This ozone seems to have vanished completely.

TELL FRENCH TO SIT TIGHT

Allies Prefer No Change In Africa Now

London, July 1—(AP)—Prime Minister Churchill disclosed to the House of Commons today that both the American and British governments had asked Generals De Gaulle and Giraud June 19 for assurance that there would be no important change in the French command in North Africa at present.

The Prime Minister also declared that the two French leaders had been asked to satisfy Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, Allied commander-in-chief in North Africa, that the present French military commander in that area, Gen. Giraud had effective control of the French forces there.

The assurance was requested, Churchill added, "in view of the prolonged discussion between the French leaders in Algiers on questions involving the character and control of the French armed forces and the serious effect which this might have on the furtherance of the war effort and the safety of Allied forces."

The representation to the French Committee of National Liberation, the prime minister said, "was made on military grounds and implied no decision to invest Eisenhower with full control over the political organization in North Africa."

Although diplomatic in tone the prime minister's statement appeared to confirm the Washington dispatch of June 27 by Kirke Simpson of the Associated Press, based on information from very high but unidentifiable sources, concerning the North African situation.

Simpson wrote: "The Washington government was revealed tonight as ready to back up General Eisenhower, Allied supreme commander in French Africa, to the limit in whatever steps he may find necessary to eliminate any threat to success created by the political controversy between Generals Charles De Gaulle and Henri Giraud, heading rival French factions."

Simpson added that "the Washington government expects General Eisenhower to tolerate in North Africa no DeGaulleist or other French activities which would delay execution of Allied military projects in that area, jeopardize Allied lines or undermine the morale of the forces commanded by General Giraud."

Simpson quoted one high informant as saying that full British cooperation was assured.

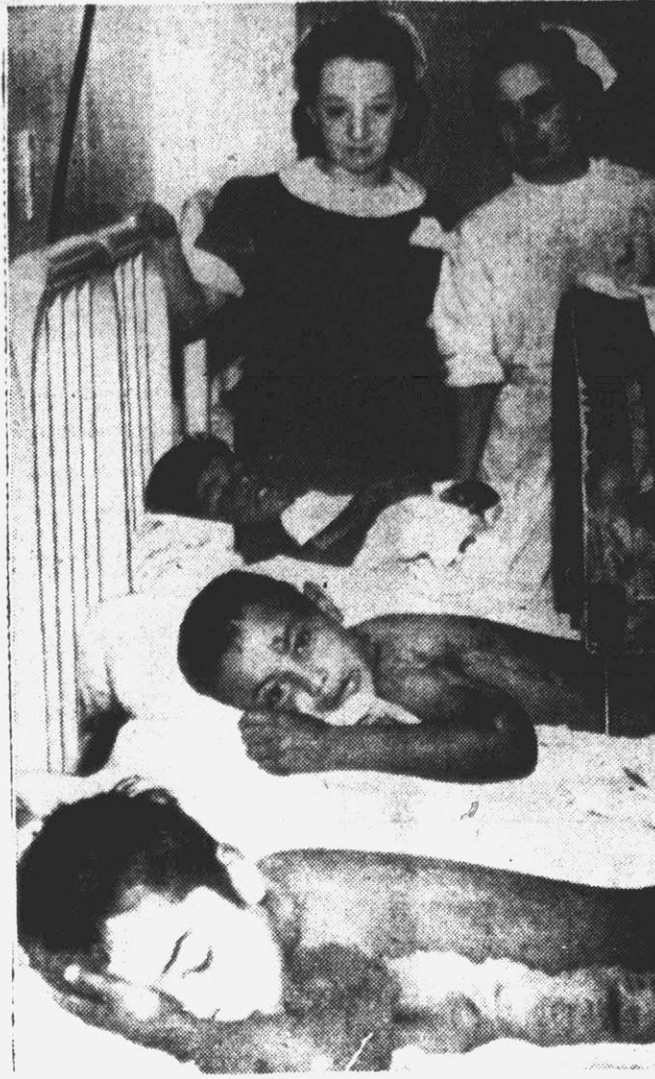
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Burned In Crash Of P-38 On Beach



Seriously burned by flaming gasoline from a P-38 army fighter plane which crashed and burned at Huntington Beach, Cal., these three youngsters lie in the Orange county hospital. Four other children were fatally injured. Front to rear: Reuben Silva, 7, Frank Barrega, 6, and Rudy Silva. The nurses are Genevieve Martin (left) and Eleanor Tucker.

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Raleigh Baker Gets Two Year Sentence

Raleigh, July 1—(AP)—Fred W. Staudt, operator of a Raleigh bakery, was under a sentence today of two years in the federal penitentiary in Atlanta, Ga., for alleged violation of Office of Price Administration regulations.

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The State Department, which cut diplomatic relations with the island April 30, has taken the attitude it would not deal with any French official subservient to the Axis-dominated Vichy government, and it was not considered likely in Washington that the admirals' request for an envoy would be granted if, by the double conditions he imposed, he insisted on bargaining in his old capacity of "ultimate French authority in the Caribbean."

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Axis Equipment . . .

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The army doesn't care to have much said about them. Of course a few trucks and tanks were mined and discarded as booty traps but there weren't many suckers left among the Allied troops hanging off the Tunisian campaign. The explosives were lifted gently out in most cases and the machines put into service.

In addition, several dozen captured planes are being crated for shipment back to the United States and England for study and use. There are more Italian craft than any other. Some gliders and six-motored transports are also being crated.

These planes are only a handful of the hundreds captured or destroyed in the Bizerte-Tunis-Cape Bon upheaval. Two-thirds seem to be scrap material only, but they present a very pleasant appearance stacked up in the salvage depots. A hundred cases of spare parts should prove useful, too.

Axis Equipment . . .

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The Federal Communications Commission, that the commissioner had addressed a "communique to the population" telling them that "to avoid bloodshed" he had dispatched a request to the United States for "terms."

Martinique Head . . .

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The request was conditioned, the French-language broadcast declared, on a renewal of "the guarantee to maintain French sovereignty in these islands, and of the non-interference of American forces. . . ."

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Strength FOR THE DAY

By EARL L. DOUGLAS

PLAYING WITH DYNAMITE

A missionary in educational work has recently devised a scheme whereby South American Indians may in a few weeks learn to read and write Spanish.

While this educator was conducting his work, a mine owner came to him and said, "You are my enemy because you are teaching these miners to read and write."

Attitudes like this always end in catastrophe. It is a terrible thing that multitudes of people can be degraded to the level of slaves.

The foolish nobles of France, and later of Russia, were deaf to human suffering and shut their eyes to the lessons of history.

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Governor Broughton apparently is determined that there shall be no loafers in this state while there is great need for workers to carry on our war effort and harvest the crops that are needed for consumption at home and by our fighting forces.

OUR AIRPORT BECOMES A REALITY

The arrival here of CAA official who state that they are here to supervise the construction of the county airport, and the arrival of machinery for carrying on the work gave additional assurance today that the work would get under way immediately.

While there has been doubt in the minds of some as to whether or not we would ever actually have a real airport, the great majority of our citizens have looked forward eagerly to starting of the work which is now at hand.

Speaking Of War Workers



REG-MANNING

worked so untiringly to procure the project for this county should get a lot of satisfaction out of the realization that their efforts have borne fruit and they are entitled to the thanks of our people for any benefits that come to this community as a result of the airport now and in the future.

WASHINGTON IN WARTIME

By JACK STINNETT

Columbus, O. — Just what will be the state of the war, the nation, and the political mind a year from now when the national conventions will be held is any one's guess.

But one thing appeared certain at the national governor's conference here. The Democratic administration hasn't yet "appeared" the all-important Democratic South.

There were 14 Southern and Democratic border states represented here. I talked to many of the 13 governors and to the one lieutenant governor (William Tuck, of Virginia) who spoke for the states

below the Mason-Dixon. At my own suggestion, the talks were "off-the-record." It was the substance of the opinions that I wanted. So there will be no direct quotes here.

The "grievances" add up to this in the order of their importance:

- 1. In many instances state political leaders have been ignored or over-ruled in the handling out of government jobs and in some cases Republicans have been given preference in wholly Democratic states. 2. The failure of the administration to do anything about the freight rates, which the South and Southwestern states claim are brutally inequitable and discriminatory. 3. Growing Congressional sentiment for anti-poll tax and anti-lynching legislation, which the administration has done nothing to stem and sometimes indirectly encouraged. 4. An alleged interference with the South's handling of the racial question in its own way. 5. If a strong Southern Democrat could be found for the second spot on the ticket next year — a man who would fight these battles for them, any objection to a fourth term would fade in the South. As far as I could learn "Assistant President" James F. Byrnes would be readily acceptable, but to borrow for most of the South the words of personable young Gov. Sam Jones of Louisiana, they are not so much interested in personalities as in issues. The battle cry here was that the South wanted back into the union — on an equal footing. An interesting by-product of these sessions is that a great many of the Democratic leaders all I find thought that President Roosevelt will be the next nominee if the war still is only as positive that Wendell L. Willkie will be his opponent again.

A cord of wood contains 128 cubic feet.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS 1. Vapor of milk and cream 4. Discard 9. Tub 12. New Zealand tribe 13. Oriental cart 14. Yacht 15. Seed container 16. Fabric made of flax 17. Female ruff 18. Metal money 20. Struck a tennis ball high in the air 22. Fastener 24. Rocket 25. With full force 26. Genre of trees and shrubs 41. East part of day 42. Snow 43. Hissing bird 44. Metric unit of length 45. Uncooked

DOWN 1. Opening 2. On the highest point 3. Kind of cocktail 4. Pertaining to the priests of Mars 5. Shouts 6. Operated 7. Son of Adam 8. Extended view 9. Flower 10. On the sheltered side 11. Made even 12. Hold fast 13. Vexatious 14. Plan of action 15. Captain of the ship 16. Absorbent 17. Principal instrument 18. Grape preserve 19. Fed to the tail 20. Wander 21. Restless 22. Confidence 23. French river 24. Parkings 25. Aerial photo 26. "Gone with the Wind" 27. Composition 28. Made of a cord 29. Blow 30. Show in 31. Long or pruned 32. Italian opera 33. Cook slowly 34. Small fish

Solution Of Yesterday's Puzzle

Grid for crossword puzzle solution with letters filled in.

AP Features

Allied Airmen ...

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rubber factory at Huls on June 23 was rated as probably one of the best bombing jobs of the war.

In addition, June brought an official statement that the number of heavy bombers in the Eighth Air Force had been doubled since March and would be redoubled by October.

The Americans lost 82 bombers in June against 62 in May, but because of the expanded operations the increase was not considered excessive. In their 13th night of operation, the RAF fliers lost 269 planes, the highest monthly total of the war.

From middle east bases, American heavy and medium bombers carried more than 2,155 tons of explosives across the Mediterranean to Axis objectives in 2,314 sorties during the month with the negligible loss of three big planes.

Airport Work ...

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so laid out that the runways could be increased to 400 feet wide, making more runway space and provision has been made for additional length also, should it be found that longer runways are needed. The plans also include a heating system for the field. The expansion of the airfield proper is under the CAA, while the Navy is expected to acquire additional lands for the erection of barracks, shops, hangars and other facilities for use in connection with the base.

The field has been officially designated by the Navy Department as a Marine base for air training and flying purposes in connection with the New River and Cherry Point Marine bases.

More Miners ...

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chance to determine what should be done with profits from the mines under government operation, but recalling his promise of sensible and conservative supervision, denounced as pernicious and false rumors that the mines would be nationalized.

Reds Repulse ...

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Five German bombers and two fighter planes were shot down out of a formation of nine bombers and three fighters, that attempted to raid a town west of Rostov, and two more German bombers were brought down in the Leningrad area by anti-aircraft fire on a Soviet armored train when the Germans attempted to attack the Russians said.

Earlier, on the Leningrad front, Red army artillery wiped out attacking German infantrymen, the Russians announced.

A Moscow broadcast early today bore out German radio claims that the Kuban area of the Caucasus was stirring with new activity. Russian fliers were said to have pounded at Takan, on the Korean straight opposite the Crimea, an entry point into the Caucasus, and the Germans asserted their fliers were smashing at Russian shipping in the Black Sea and in the Sea of Azov.

The Germans also hinted they had submarines operating in the Black Sea.

Gov't Buyers ...

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port and inability to obtain a sufficient number of cars. Thus far only 7,000 of a possible 11,000 carloads of potatoes have been shipped out, and word reaching here was that several carloads were on railway tracks. A large number of bushels have been dug and will spoil unless they are placed in cold

LOSER TAKE ALL

By Adelaide Hazeltine

Chapter 23

When Ann opened her eyes Bert was bending over her. "I'm all right," she said at last. "Plain case of hysterics," his smooth professional voice explained. "You're to go to sleep now and then tomorrow, if you're better, we'll talk this thing over."

"Tomorrow?" Suddenly she hoped tomorrow would never come. She'd lost Terrence House. She'd made a fool of herself to Jerry. She was achingly unhappy.

"Now take this," Bert held a little white capsule to her mouth, lifted her head while she sipped water. "If you need me in the night have someone call."

"Why don't you ask me what brought this on? Or don't you want to know what your husband to one shot was no good?"

"No good? You mean—?" "I mean this little bit of hysterics was started by the burning of my grandmother's will."

"You saw it?" "I caught Jerry Lane in the act." The girl told him the story. When she finished he said, cryptically, "Well, you'll never win if you don't travel a bit," and let her figure that out for herself.

Flora was there the next morning when Ann awakened. The maid brought her a tray of food and a basket for Gibbs.

"I'll try to get it to him sometime during the day," she told the girl. "I'm afraid I can't make it right now."

"You shouldn't go out in the rain, miss. If I could take it?" Ann smiled. She hadn't noticed the rain though it was beating against her window. "Thank you, Flora. The rain may stop by noon and I can go with it."

She ate a light breakfast, lay down and dozed off. It was 3 o'clock before she felt equal to dressing. She put on her blue and beige suit with a fresh powder blue blouse. Then she sat near the window and watched the rain falling in a grey sheet of water outside.

It was a bleak day on which to give up all the bright, happy plans she had drawn around the possession of Terrence House.

But she would have to give them up. Her last hope was burned with the will last night.

She had just reached the conclusion that she would pack her bags and go home when Gibbs appeared at her door. He stood, dripping hat in hand, and said, "I come the back way. Ain't nobody stirrin' in this weather."

"You must be careful, Gibbs. I know you thought I'd deserted you. I have a basket here for you."

"I wasn't a-mindin' the grub," he returned. "But," he shuffled his feet. "It's that stuff, I'm 'bout out again."

"Out of minerals?" He nodded. "I can give you a little more money." She reached for her purse. With the exception of her train fare back, she had only two \$10 bills. She gave one to Gibbs. "It's not much use but we'll keep it going a few days. I wanted to talk to you anyway."

"Yes'm." "You know you wanted to give it up that night Mr. Baxton fired you and I persuaded you to stay on. I told you then when we gave it up we'd do it together. Well, I'm ready to give it up, Gibbs."

"They ain't no sign of that fellow a-shovin' the will?" "No sign at all. He burned it last night."

Gibbs' face drew into a knot of resentment. "I'll never do him no good. That's what it won't."

Storage. A State Agriculture Department official who asked that his name not be used said, "The situation is worse than it was in 1928 when farmers were plowing under their potatoes."

A hurried conference was arranged with Governor Broughton by Agriculture Department Officials and G. T. Scott, who in his capacity as head of the State War Board, asked the farmers to increase their production by at least 22 per cent.

Only a few buyers most of them with private companies, were left on the eastern markets today and they were not purchasing.

The FSCC funds expired last midnight.

This is a family war. Put your War Bond buying through the payroll savings plan on a family plan, which means figure it out yourself.



ATTACHE—Brig. Gen. Richard G. Tindall, 51 (above), a Missourian, has been appointed United States military attaché at Ankara, Turkey, succeeding Col. Cornelius Jadwin.

WILSON'S WEEKLY Bulletin By George Rector Food and Nutrition Consultant to Wilson & Co. YOU CAN HAVE "HAM ON YOUR BUDGE"

Are you pining for a taste of delectable sweet, juicy ham? If you have been thinking you couldn't have ham without splurging on points, then you will be grateful for what I am going to tell you today. You will be thrilled to find how easy it is to get just the amount of ham you need, even if you are cooking for only one or two. There's no secret as to the how of it. Just read on!



A REAL POINT BARGAIN

Wilson's Certified Smoked Boneless Ham is cause for great rejoicing. Your dealer will cut you any size slice you want—thin for ham and eggs, thicker for baking, or thicker still for baking with a glaze.

And speaking of points, what a value! Only 10 points a pound when sliced (same as with bone in). Can you take more good news? Here it is. If you can use a half or whole Certified Boneless Ham you get the advantage of the lower trade point value.

Still in your favor, smoked meats shrink less than other meats. Haven't you noticed?

Memos on Use

No. 1. If you pan-fry Certified Ham slices, why not pour cream in with the drippings after removing ham to platter... makes a not-to-be-forgotten gravy.

No. 2. Or to be different, serve Bar-B-Q Sauce with it. To the drippings, add 1 1/2 tsp. vinegar, 1 1/2 tsp. water, 1/2 tsp. dry mustard, and 2 tsp. sugar. Heat and pour over ham. Serves 4.

No. 3. If someone fails to show up for dinner and you have cooked ham left over, it's nothing to moan about. Cut it in small bits and sprinkle over layers of potatoes when scalloping. Adds wonders to the flavor.

"For Health's Sake" Memos

Ham is high in Vitamin B1 (thiamin), the morale vitamin—also popularly known as the nerve vitamin.

Wilted lettuce made with home-grown leaf lettuce accommodates by adding large amounts of Vitamin A and Riboflavin (Vitamin B2)—both are concerned with the dark green leaves so use the darkest leaves. Both of these vitamins are important to good eye conditions.

Rhubarb adds another valuable vitamin in important amounts—Vitamin C. Perhaps you know it as Ascorbic Acid.

Isn't it grand to be able to get point bargains (as in ham) and high nutritive value at the same time? It just takes good planning.

Sincerely yours, George Rector

Wilson & Co. The Wilson label protects your table.

SPECIALS FOR Friday & Saturday.

Our Store will be closed Sunday and Monday for the 4th of July

But what you will need for these two days

Try these unrationed breakfast cereals, no rationed points required.

- Kellogg's Corn Flakes, 5c 14-oz. pkg. Gold Medal Oatmeal with water tumbler, 25c
Post Toasties, 5c 2 pkgs.
Cerealioats Breakfast Cereal, 2 pkgs. 25c
Pep Whole Wheat Cereal, 2 pkgs. 25c

Argo and Clinton Starch 4c Quart Fruit Jars, dozen 77c

Side Meat, best quality, lb. 22c Fresh Country Eggs, dozen 35c

Fat Back, lb. 16c Kleek Beads of Soap 8c

Table Salt, 11-2 lb. boxes 3c Cigarettes—Lucky Strikes, Camels, Chesterfields, Old Golds and Raleighs—2 pkgs. 25c (Carton—\$1.25)

100-oz. jar Vinegar 35c Grove's Best Flour—every bag guaranteed to give satisfaction or your money will be refunded.

Best Quality Molasses, gallon 95c Electric Light Bulbs, guaranteed 1,000 hours, American made. Special—3 for 25c

Libby's Grapefruit Juice, 13 1-2 oz. can—3 for 25c Large Decorated Salad Bowls, 50c value. Special 25c

Duke's Mayonnaise, jar 15c Pet and Carnation Milk, 3 for 27c Men's New Summer Straw Hats \$1.49

Pure Lard and Shortening, lb. 17c One lot Ladies' Silk Dresses at Special Prices

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NAME PLAYERS FOR ALL-STAR BALL CLASSIC

Leagues Pick Players For Annual Game at Philadelphia July 13

New York, July 1—(AP)—A new chapter in the baseball life of Ellsworth "Babe" Dahlgren will be written in Philadelphia's Shibe park the night of July 13.

The Babe, leading National league hitter, was one of a group of 25 picked yesterday to represent the senior circuit in the annual all-star baseball game that night against the American league all-stars.

It is the first time that Dahlgren has been named for the classic.

The squad is dominated by eight members of the world champion St. Louis Cardinals. Eleven, including six of the eight Cards, are newcomers. The veterans are Mel Ott, of the Giants and Billy Herman, of the Dodgers, who will be playing in their tenth classic since the "dream game" was started in 1933.

The rosters:

Pitchers—Morton Cooper, Max Lanier and Howard Pollet, St. Louis; Truett "Rip" Sewell, Pittsburgh; Claude Passeau, Chicago; Johnny Vander Meer, Cincinnati; and Al Javery, Boston.

Catchers—Walker Cooper, St. Louis; Mickey Owen, Brooklyn, and Ernie Lombardi, New York.

Infielders—Babe Dahlgren, Philadelphia; Frank McCormick, Lonnie Frey and Eddie Miller, Cincinnati; Martin Marion and George Kuroski, St. Louis; Billy Herman, Brooklyn, and Stanley Hack, Chicago.

Outfielders—Stan Musial and Harry Walker, St. Louis; Vince DiMaggio, Pittsburgh; Billy Nicholson, Chicago; Mel Ott, New York; Fred "Dixie" Walker and Augie Galan, Brooklyn.

Batting practice pitchers—St. Johnson, Philadelphia and Clyde Shoun, Cincinnati.

Batting practice catcher—Virgil "Spud" Davis, Pittsburgh.

Coaches—Mike Gonzales, St. Louis and Frankie Frisch, Pittsburgh.

An American league all-star team heavily laden with New York Yankees and Cleveland Indians was also created today from nominations submitted by the eight managers.

The Yankees and Indians each placed six players on the 25-man squad, which will be directed by Manager Joe McCarthy of New York, leaving 13 spots for men from the six other clubs.

Those were taken by four Washington Senators, three Boston Red Sox, two St. Louis Browns and two Detroit Tigers, and one each from the Philadelphia Athletics and Chicago White Sox.

These were the managers' selections for 1943.

Pitchers—Spurgeon Chandler and Ernie Bonham, New York; Tex Huggson and Oscar Judd, Boston; Emil Leonard, Washington; Harold Newhouser, Detroit; James Baaby and Al Smith, Cleveland.

Catchers—Bill Dickey, New York; Buddy Rosar, Cleveland; and Jake Eddy, Washington.

Infielders—Ken Keltner and Lou Boudreau, Cleveland; Rudy York, Detroit; Joe Gordon, New York; Vernon Stephens, St. Louis; Dick Siebert, Philadelphia; Luke Appling, Chicago; and Bobby Doerr, Boston.

Outfielders—Charles Keller and John Lindell, New York; Chet Laabs, St. Louis; George Case and Bob Johnson, Washington; and Jeff Heath, Cleveland.

Coaches will be Lena Blackburne of Philadelphia and Art Fletcher of New York. Dave Kelle of Philadelphia was selected as pitcher and John Schulte of New York as catcher for batting practice. Eddie Froehlich of the Yankees was designated as trainer.



HITTING THE DIRT—Pvt. Jess Finley of McLean, Tex., takes a dive from his bronco during the rodeo staged by service men at Camp Roberts, Calif., to entertain the post.

BASEBALL RESULTS

American League

Detroit 3, Boston 3.

National League
New York 4-0, St. Louis 3-5.
Chicago 6-5, Boston 2-4.
Brooklyn 5-11, Cincinnati 0-5.

Southern Association
Nashville 4-6, Knoxville 3-3.
Little Rock 2-2, Birmingham 1-10.
Chattanooga at Atlanta, postponed.
Only games scheduled.

BASEBALL STANDINGS

American League

Team	W	L	Pct.
New York	33	24	.579
Washington	34	28	.545
Boston	32	31	.508
Cleveland	30	31	.492
Chicago	27	30	.474
Detroit	27	30	.474
Philadelphia	30	34	.469
St. Louis	26	31	.458

BASEBALL STANDINGS

National League

Team	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	38	23	.623
Brooklyn	42	26	.618
Pittsburgh	32	28	.533
Cincinnati	30	31	.492
Philadelphia	30	31	.492
Boston	28	32	.467
Chicago	25	38	.397
New York	24	40	.375

BASEBALL STANDINGS

Piedmont League Through Sunday

Team	W	L	Pct.
Portsmouth	44	13	.772
Richmond	33	22	.600
Lynchburg	28	29	.491
Norfolk	23	29	.442
Noanoke	22	31	.415
Durham	14	40	.259

Fights Last Night

By The Associated Press

Hartford, Conn.—Phil Terranova, 127, New York, stopped Jackie Calhira, 127, Hamilton, Ont., (3), non-title.

Crowding Patty Berg In Match



Catherine Fox of Glen Ridge, N. J., with a 78 in the Women's Western Open Golf meet, at Chicago, was just two strokes behind the well known Patty Berg, who carried off medalist honors. Jack Fox, pro golfer and honorary president of the New Jersey P. G. A., rewards his daughter with a kiss. Ann Casey of Mason City, Ia., also shot a 78.

LEAGUES GIVE RECEIPTS TO RELIEF FUND

Total Collected Yesterday Falls Short of Amount Donated Last Year

By JUDSON BAILEY
Associated Press Staff Writer

The major leagues scored 100 per cent for entertainment on the first of their two war relief days yesterday, but they failed to get more than a bare passing grade at the box office.

An assortment of doubleheader twilight and night games in eight cities drew 134,578 fans who paid \$147,291 into the treasury of National War Relief, Inc., and this might seem like a lot of people and a lot of money except that games for the army and navy relief in the same cities last year netted \$289,412 or approximately twice as much.

Under last year's arrangement when clubs were permitted to make their own rivals and choose their own dates the Brooklyn Dodgers and New York Giants played each other and wrote out checks for \$60,000 in Brooklyn and \$73,000 in the Polo Grounds.

This year's plan of having all clubs meet on the same day had good points, but it resulted in a rate of \$32,000 at Brooklyn and \$17,000 at New York.

Nevertheless, the major leagues still have another crack at matching last year's total war relief contribution of \$506,830 for sixteen major league benefit games. The clubs which were on the road today and stage shows of their own on July 28.

At Brooklyn before a crowd of 26,893 the Dodgers handed out the Cincinnati Reds twice 5-0 and 11-1. In the first game Curt Davis pitched a four-hitter and never let a runner past first.

This boosted Brooklyn half a game ahead of the St. Louis Cardinals in the National league standings although the Cards retained a slender percentage advantage by outwitting a doubleheader with the New York Giants. Nort Cooper appeared

in relief, was beaten in the tenth inning of the first game 4-1, but Lefty Hooper pulled a six-hit 5-0 start in the second.

The Chicago Cubs captured two games at Boston 6-2 and 5-2.

The New York Yankees reinforced their hold on the American league with a 3-1 triumph in ten innings at Cleveland in a night game.

Oswal Groves achieved his fifth victory without defeat for the Chicago White Sox last night, 7-1, by leading Washington to five hits before the biggest turnout, 29,495.

John Nardone pitched a three-hitter as the St. Louis Browns beat Philadelphia 3-1.

Ninth inning homers by Bobby Doerr and Pinky Higgins raised the Detroit Tigers and Boston Red Sox to a 2-1 tie in a game ending in a 10-inning war.

Pittsburgh and the Phillies also played to a 3-3 deadlock which was broken by the ninth-inning outburst after 11 innings of their night game.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

New York, July 1—(AP)—Just to start something what was the first time since the baseball game ever played in 1918. The major leagues when clubs were permitted to make their own rivals and choose their own dates the Brooklyn Dodgers and New York Giants played each other and wrote out checks for \$60,000 in Brooklyn and \$73,000 in the Polo Grounds.

"We still have our schedule, we still have our coach, we still have our field—and we hope next fall we will have some players to go with them."

Reclassified
During the Pirates' batting practice the other day, a grounder took a bad hop and smacked first baseman Elbie Fletcher on the left ear. Manager Frank Frisch hurried down to first asking, "Are you all right, Elbie?" "I'm still 3-A," replied Fletcher as he ruefully rubbed his ear, "but for a minute I thought I was 4-F."

Scrap Collection
It took Frank Kelleher, Syracuse outfielder, a full year to hit a single in the Buffalo ball park. During his 1942 appearances and until June 24, 1943, he socked nothing but doubles and homers there.

Nat Fleischer's personal copy of his ring record book is getting quite a workout these days. Nat gets an average of 40 letters a day from service men and most of them want him to settle arguments about boxing.

And did you know that Monday will be the ninth anniversary of the Louis debut as a pro fighter? Lieutenant George Halas of the Bears and Chicago Billwell of the Cardinals were the ones who kept Don Ameche from getting a national football league franchise.

And no cracks about Halas' bad action or Bidwell's Huns.

Hand-to-Hand
Navy Lieutenant DeWay Myers, instructor in hand-to-hand combat at the Iowa Navy Pre-flight school, can offer concrete proof of the value of his teachings.

Coming out of the shower from the other day, Myers started to skid and only a "grip" grip on Lieutenant Bill Reed, who happened to be right there, kept him from falling flat.

"Glad you," pointed Myers as he pulled himself up. "I'm glad you didn't go home early tonight."



1885-1943—This 19th century bonnet, worn by Ensign Bergman, borrows a strictly up-to-the-minute "victory garden" motif with its decorations of fruit, flowers and vegetable leaves. Looks good enough to eat, doesn't it?



FLIER—Ensign Harold L. George (above) is commander of the Air Transport Command, whose activities include delivery of men and material, urgently needed for prosecution of the war, to destinations in all parts of the world.



MOSQUITO'S STING—Britain's new "Mosquito" fighter packs a mean sting in its nose—four 20 mm. cannon and four .303 machine guns. Two Rolls Royce engines power the plane, which is constructed of wood.

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Men's tan elk knockabout. Flexible grain insole, oak leather out-sole, rubber heel. Goodyear welt. Sizes 6 to 11, \$4.00.

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DAN: AND IRVIN HAVE ARRIVED IN A BIG CRAPSTOWN SOMEWHERE ON THE EAST COAST. THEY JUST LAGGED RESTAURANTS AND BARS ALONG THE WATERFRONT. THERE'S A GUY IN ONE OF THEM. I'M TRYING TO LOCATE HIM.

WOMAN: SO YOUR SHIP JUST GOT IN SAILED? WHERE FROM???

DAN: IF YOU'RE GOING TO BE HERE TOMORROW AT THIS TIME I'LL TELL YOU ALL ABOUT IT--GOTTA GET BACK TO MY SHIP RIGHT NOW--WE'RE LATE--

WOMAN: WHAT DID YOU RUSH OUT THAT WAY FOR DAN? WHAT'S A IDEA?

DAN: I THINK THAT GIRL WILL FURNISH US A LEAD--

WOMAN: I WANT TO GET INFORMATION ABOUT A SHIP. INFORMATION THAT SHE'LL NEXT BE USED IN COASTWISE TRADING--CAME IN FROM LIVERPOOL--WILL THAT DO, DAN??

DAN: YOU SEE, IF MY LEAD IS WHAT I THINK IT IS, I DON'T WANT TO AROUSE SUSPICION BY HAVING IT FOUND OUT THAT I DON'T KNOW WHAT I'M TALKING ABOUT--I'LL GET IN TOUCH WITH YOU LATER--

WOMAN: GOOD LUCK, DAN!!

THIMBLE THEATRE — Starring Popeye

DARLING LITTLE, SWEET PEA, YOU MUST COME TO MY WEDDING, I WANT YOU BOTH--JUST YOU AND AUNT JONES.

OLIVE: THANK YOU, OLIVE.

Now Showing: "The Chief Mourner!"

I HOPE YOU AND WIMPY WILL BE HAPPY.

WOMAN: THANK YOU, AUNT JONES.

POPEYE: SAY, POPEYE, WHY DIDN' AT GOOFY DAME ASK YA TO THE WEDDING?

Bottoms Up!

LISSING, SWEEPEA, FOR THE LAST TIME I YAM TELLIN' YA TO STOP CALLIN' HER A GOOFY DAME!

WOMAN: HAH! YER STILL SWEET ON 'AT BLASTID SHEMALE, AIN'TCHA?

POPEYE: WIVES HAVE THE FUNNIEST IDEA OF A SIP!

BLONDIE — by Chic Young

NOTHING LIKE AN ICE-COLD LEMONADE ON A HOT DAY.

MAN: OH DAGWOOD CAN I HAVE JUST A SIP?

Bottoms Up!

WIVES HAVE THE FUNNIEST IDEA OF A SIP!

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WE HAVE A FEW TOBACCO
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Hog Market

Raleigh, N. C., July 1—(AP)—(NCDA)—Hog markets higher with tops of 13.40 at Richmond and 13.25 at Rocky Mount.

Poultry and Eggs

Raleigh, N. C., July 1—(AP)—(NCDA)—Egg and poultry markets firm with light receipts.
Raleigh — U. S. grade A large (clean white) 41; grade A hens, all weights, 20 to 25.
Washington—U. S. grade A large 42 to 43; Some broilers and fryers, 28 1-2

FOR SALE — 25 CORDS PINE TOBACCO wood. Also several thousand feet of gum boards. Phone 2138. T. A. Smoot, Jr. 1-3f

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY — RAISIN pies, buttered layer cake, potato rolls. People's Bakery.

WANTED — GOOD SECOND-HAND baby's play pen with floor. Call 3347

WE HAVE A LIMITED SUPPLY of Cryolite Tobacco Poison for spraying or dusting. Keel Supply Company, Greenville. 1-1f

LET US BERLOURIZE MOTH-proof your rugs, upholstery, etc. Ten years written guarantee. One application costs no more. The Mahogany Shop. 30-4f

BEGIN PLANTING THAT FALL garden now. It's time for late sowing of peas, lima beans and corn. We have the seed. J. A. Watson, Seed and Hardware. 30-2f

WAR WORK
A representative of a shell loading plant will be at Greenville Employment office on July 2 and 3, from 8:30 a. m. to 5:30 p. m., to interview men and women interested in essential war work. The work is light. Pleasant working conditions. Housing facilities available for families. Room and board available at reasonable rates. Transportation to plant paid by employer. Proof of citizenship necessary. Persons who apply should be able to pass physical examination which is not rigid.
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Grain Market

Chicago, July 1—(AP)—All grains surged upward in a broad, active trade today, reflecting increased demand in cash markets, a boost in the loan rate on wheat and congressional approval of anti-subsidy legislation. Wheat was up about two cents at its extreme highs.
Profit-taking appeared in all pits near the close, cancelling losses of yesterday when 35,950 bushels of wheat, oats and rye were traded compared with 17,316,000 bushels for the same grains a year ago.
After hitting the highest prices since early March, wheat closed 1 1/2¢ higher, July \$1.48 1/2, September \$1.48 1/2, oats were up 1/4¢, July 69¢, and rye was ahead 1/4¢, July \$1.03.

New York Cotton

New York, July 1—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 10 to 30 cents a bale higher.
Futures closed 30 to 90 cents a bale higher.

	Open	Close	Pr. Cl.
July	20.57	20.60	20.54
Oct.	20.03	20.16	20.01
Dec.	19.86	19.98	19.83
Feb.	19.70	19.82	19.64
May	19.57	19.70	19.52

Middling spot 21.88, up 5.

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, July 1—(AP)—Soaring commodities again apparently responding to a revival of inflation psychology, hogged the limelight in today's financial markets.
Transfers were around 1,000,000 shares.
Registering top figures for 1940 or longer were Western Union, Consolidated Edison, Eastern Air Lines, Pan American Airways, Public Steel, Chrysler and American Can. Ahead most of the time were U. S. Steel, Dow Chemical and American Airlines. Leaders included Bethlehem, General Motors, International Harvester, Douglas Aircraft and U. S. Rubber.

FINAL STOCKS

Al Chem and Dye	160
Allegheny	2 1/2
Allis Chalmers	42 1/2
Am Can	30 1/2
Am Car Pdy	42 1/2
Am Rad and St S	10 1/2
Am Roll Mill	15 1/2
Am Smelt and Ref	42
Am Sug Ref	29
A T and T	155
Am Tob B	21
Anaconda	68
Arm III	35
A C L	34
Bur Add Mach	14 1/2
Caterpillar Trac	49 1/2
Chrysler	84 1/2
Coca Cola	108 1/2
Coml Credit	40 1/2
Coml Solv	14 1/2
Cont an	36
Corn Prod	57 1/2
Curtis Wright	57 1/2
Doug Air	67 1/2
Dupont	157 1/2
Eastman Kod	165 1/2
Elec Pow and Lt	24
Firestone	41
Gen Elec	39 1/2
Gen Foods	41 1/2
Gen Mot	39 1/2
Goodrich	41
Goodyear	39 1/2
Int Harvest	73
Int Tel and Tel	14 1/2
Johns Man	85 1/2
Libby O F G I	41 1/2
Ligg and Myers B	72 1/2
Loews	61 1/2
Lorillard	20 1/2
Mack Truck	36 1/2
Mont Ward	47 1/2
Nash Kely	22
Nat Biscuit	22
Nat Cash Reg	27
Nat Dist	34
N Y Cent	18 1/2
No Am Aviat	11 1/2
Otis Elev	20 1/2
Pac Mills	27
Packard	4 1/2
Param Pix	27 1/2
Penny J C	98 1/2
Penn RR	29 1/2
Pepsi Cola	43 1/2
Pullman	39 1/2
Pure Oil	18 1/2
Radio	11 1/2
Rep Stl	20
Reynolds B	30 1/2
Seab Al	1
Seab Oil	24 1/2
Sears	82 1/2
Sou Ry	27
Sperry	29 1/2
Std Brands	7 1/2
Std Oil N J	58
Stewart Warner	13 1/2
Tex Co	52 1/2
Tex Gulf Sul	40 1/2
Up Carb	84 1/2
Unit Corp	37 1/2
Unit Drug	13 1/2
US Ind Alco	39 1/2
US Rub	44
US Steel	57 1/2
Vanadium	24 1/2
Vick Chem	43
Vac Caro Chem	65 1/2
Warner Pic	14
Western Un	39 1/2
West El and Mfg	100
Woolworth	41 1/2
Yell T and C	17 1/2



FOR SUMMER — A flared half-pleated, tiny turnback collar and bracelet length sleeves mark this pink and navy blue silk crepe modeled by Film Star Nan Wynn.

SUB MENACE IS BEING LICKED

Nazis Claim Only 20 U-Boat Sinkings Last Month

(By The Associated Press)
Hitler's harassed U-boat fleets, punished by Allied planes and surface craft recently as never before, were reported in official German broadcasts today to have sunk only 20 British and American merchantmen totaling 107,000 tons in June. It was a far cry from the 138 merchant vessels aggregating 851,000 tons which the Germans claimed as submarine victims in March. And even this claim of 20 was without Allied confirmation.
The Nazi high command—which in the past has devoted special bulletins to the work of the undersea raiders in the battle of the Atlantic—incorporated the June report in its regular communiqué.
"Thirty-one enemy merchantmen aggregating 149,000 tons, as well as three transport lighters, were sunk in the fight against British and American communications during June," said the communiqué broadcast as recorded by the Associated Press. "Of the total 107,000 tons were sunk by our U-boats."
Although the communiqué, as if to make comparison with past claims more difficult, did not state the total number of sinkings attributed to submarines, broadcast dispatches of DNB and Transaccon said the score was 20.
Both carrier and land-based planes are cooperating with surface ships in the current fight to rid the Atlantic of submarines. DNB insisted, however, that losses of U-boats in June "did not exceed the normal average" and said their production had increased.

London, July 1—(AP)—British naval observers said today Germany was now losing one U-boat, built by slow and costly precision methods, for every mass-produced Allied freighter sunk by the undersea craft.

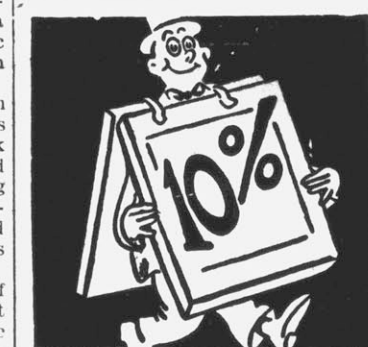
SEEK PROBE OF BEW POLICIES

Byrd Committee To Ask For Full Investigation

By JACK BELL
Washington, July 1—(AP)—A sweeping investigation into the policies and worldwide operations of the Board of Economic Warfare was projected by members of the Byrd committee today as Vice President Wallace gave notice the agency soon will ask congress for direct financing.
The inquiry resulted from a hot exchange in which Wallace, head of BEW, accused Commerce Secretary Jesse Jones of obstructing the board's acquisition of vitay war materials.
James F. Byrnes, war mobilization director, summoned both to the White House yesterday for a peace-making conference, which apparently failed of its objective. Both principals promptly issued more critical statements.
Chairman Byrd (D-Va) and Senator George (D-Ga), a member, meanwhile told reporters the joint committee on reduction of non-essential federal expenditures will broaden a present inquiry into subsidiary corporations of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to look into the allocations and commitments made by BEW.
George said the Byrd committee was not interested in investigating what he called "an unfortunate controversy" between the two high administration officials, but was determined to explore fully the BEW policies.
"The whole BEW program, including its commitments and promises ought to be examined," he declared. "I think the country wants to know what the organization itself ought to do. Of course this must be done without disclosing any military secrets, but it can be done."

American ...

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any enemy fighters and the flak was comparatively light. The slackening of the ground fire impressed the pilots.
Lightning-escorted Mitchells heavily bombed Sicaria air field. Bombs covered the field. Direct hits were scored on a building and on an anti-aircraft gun position.
While one fortress formation blasted Palermo another raided the Boca Di Falco airbase, southwest of Palermo, and scored hits on barracks, the administration buildings and the field. Photographs taken



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from the bombers showed a number of wrecked aircraft which were disabled in previous raids. Enemy fighters failed to appear and the anti-aircraft fire was light.
All engagements cost the Allies two planes.
In addition to the two German fighters shot down by lightnings and the third destroyed by Axis and flak, reports listed Junkers-88 and a Heinkel 111 as shot down Tuesday night by RAF Beaufighters which encountered a number of enemy raiders over the Mediterranean.

U. S. Wins ...

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reaction may be expected" as the offensive rolled forward from two main directions—in the Solomons and in New Guinea.

"Reports are incomplete but satisfactory progress apparently has already been made," Stimson said.
The offensive, he added, is proceeding on schedule.

Informed Washington quarters predicted that the drive, launched Tuesday morning (Wednesday morning, Solomon islands time) would touch off a momentous new sea battle.
"All elements—ground, naval and air—are being employed in closest synchronization," said a bulletin from Gen. Douglas MacArthur's headquarters.

Striking on a 750-mile arc, American and Allied forces landed on Rendova and New Georgia islands in the central Solomons, seized To-briand and Woodlark islands off the southeast tip of New Guinea without a struggle, and stormed ashore at Nassau bay in northeast New Guinea.
Dispatches said the landing forces at Nassau bay, just below the big Japanese base at Salamaua, moved swiftly inland "and are in contact with the enemy."

Fighting was also believed in progress on Rendova and New Georgia islands.
All operations are under the supreme command of Gen. MacArthur. While details of the actual fighting remained scarce, qualified Washington informants predicted that the offensive would force Japan's hand and result in a possibly decisive naval engagement for control of the south Pacific.
Capital observers expressed belief that Tokyos war lords could not much longer avoid a show-down test of sea power if they hoped to

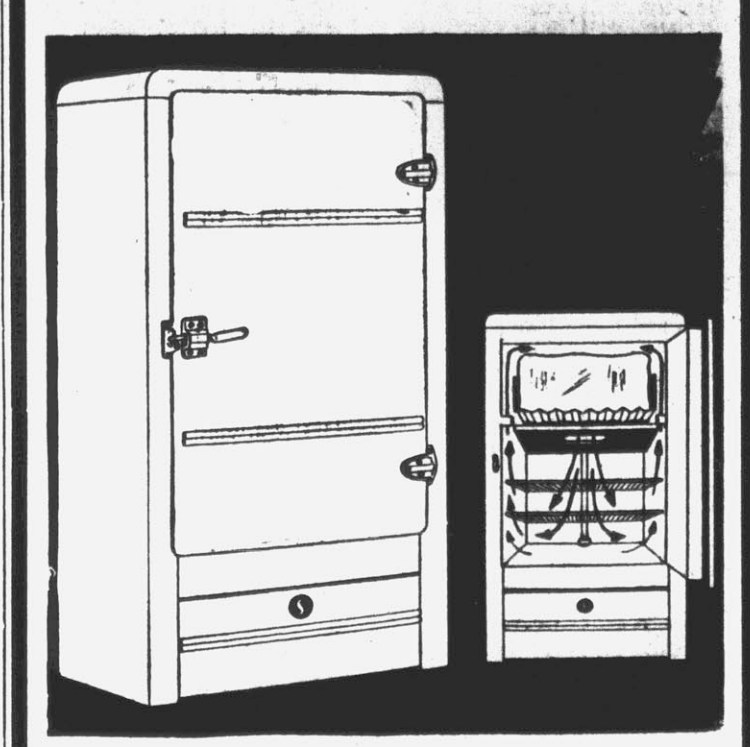
stem the two-way Allied "squeeze" which appeared to be aimed at the keystone base of Rabaul, New Britain, as the first major objective.
Imperial Japanese headquarters acknowledged that Allied troops had landed on Rendova, but was silent on other landings. A Tokyo broadcast said Japanese army and naval air forces were engaged in "violent attacks" against the Allied fleet off Rendova.
Wholly without confirmation, the enemy communiqué asserted that Japanese naval planes had sunk or heavily damaged six American transports, three cruisers and a destroyer, and reported the destruction of 31 U. S. aircraft.

Similar Japanese claims in the past have been officially branded as "fantastic exaggerations."

Rendova is only five miles—easy artillery range—from the enemy air base at Munda, New Georgia, and the announcement that U. S. Marines had landed on New Georgia suggested that a drive on the base was developing.

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