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Little change in temperature today and tonight.

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TODAY'S NEWS TODAY Final Markets

Russian Troops Driving Deeper Into Nazi Lines In Fighting Around Orel

Reds Gained An Additional Four Miles Yesterday In Drive On Important Base; Nazi Losses In Past Two Weeks Reach Staggering Toll

By WILLIAM MCGAFFIN
Moscow, July 19.—(AP)—Advancing Red armies have battered their way from the heavily wooded terrain northeast of Orel and are moving swiftly across rolling fields in their intensified drive to pinch off that German bastion and cut the Orel-Bryansk railway, front dispatches reported today.

Separate detachments of Soviet tanks rolled deep into the enemy's rear to the very approaches of the main enemy base, believed to be Orel itself, while massed Russian forces were poised on a springboard in the Oputkha river valley only eight miles northeast of Orel.

As the campaign reached the close of the second week of furious fighting along the 165 mile stretch of the central Russian front, the Nazi armies were reported reeling back under the sledge hammer blows of the Russian counter-offensive.

The German communiqué said today that the Red armies attacked in vain along the central and southern sectors of the eastern front yesterday, suffering serious losses in manpower as well as 337 tanks.

"On the Kuban bridgehead," the communiqué said, "the enemy discontinued his attacks in the course of the afternoon owing to his severe losses." Similar attempts to force the German lines on the Mius river and in the lower Donets basin were followed by the vicious defense and counterattacks of Nazi forces, the communiqué added. On the Orel front and north of Belgorod the Germans said they smashed repeated attacks by Soviet infantry and tank attacks. The German air force was successful in repelling Soviet air attacks, the communiqué said.

Soviet midnight communiqué reported that the Red army had advanced an additional four miles in one sector during the fighting (Continued on Page Six)

Severe Electrical Storm Here Sunday

A severe electrical and wind storm, accompanied by torrential rain Sunday afternoon about 4 o'clock struck a chimney at the Norfolk Southern Railway station, burned out an electric circuit at Swift and Company's place, struck P. E. Riddick's house on Harding Street, and started a fire in the attic, and beat down growing crops, but did slight damage. The storm appeared to travel in a circle and the clouds were hanging unusually low. It covered a wide area, extending as far as the coast by 6 o'clock. Some interruption to electric lines was reported, but Greenville Utilities Commission emergency crews were on the job and promptly made repairs. Firemen stopped the fire in the roof of the Riddick house. Vague reports of hail damage coming into town today were believed to be the result of the high wind. No specific report of hail had been received here at noon today. The storm ended three sweltering days of torrid heat. It lasted a short time. Thermometers in the city were hovering near the 100 mark when the downpour started. Overcast skies today was a blessing to growing crops, especially tobacco, which is now beginning to ripen on schedule time.

Present prospects are that farmers will harvest the heaviest tobacco and most abundant corn crop in years. This is in striking contrast to last summer's long dry spell, when the corn crop was a near failure.

Italians Urged Resist Allies To Bitter End

By THOMAS F. HAWKINS
Bern, July 19.—(AP)—Declaring that Italy would be dismembered, her people enslaved and her treasures looted if she yielded, Carlo Scorza, new secretary of the Fascist party, broadcast from Rome last night a frantic appeal for last-ditch resistance of the Allies.

The speech, obviously a reply to the Roosevelt-Churchill unconditional surrender demand which last week was conveyed to the Italian people by radio and leaflets dropped from planes, acknowledged, however, that the plight of Italy is desperate.

MORE GAS FOR EAST SECTION

Tire Situation Is Pictured As More Acute

Washington, July 19.—(AP)—More gasoline for the starved east, less for the west than it has been getting, and not-so-good news all around on tires was obtained today for the world's greatest motoring nation.

Completion of the huge "big inch" pipeline from Texas to the east coast, scheduled for today, coincided with these developments:

1. Secretary of the Interior Ickes, who also serves as petroleum administrator, announced that gasoline rationing for the driving public would be equalized over most of the nation, meaning more fuel for the east, and a reduction for the midwest and the southwest. No change was indicated for the west coast.

2. The Office of Price Administration acting at the request of Rubber Director William Jeffers, banned sale of new tires for spares for the next few months—no specific date given. Excepting firemen, doctors and others dealing with emergencies, OPA said that new, used or recapped tires will be denied motorists who have four sound tires, plus one that can be made to serve as an emergency spare. Jeffers said he was striving to make the present stocks last until synthetic casings can be turned out in sufficient quantity.

3. OPA also notified drivers that their B C and E and R gas coupons hereafter will be good until renewal dates are issued, regardless of the expiration dates. This move was made to encourage drivers to conserve their coupons without fear that the stamps will become invalid. B books outside of the east will be issued hereafter on a three-month basis. Individual needs will be adjusted by the ration boards by tearing out coupons not used in the three-month period, rather than giving each bookholder the same number of stamps but varying the length of time in which the coupons must be used. The east's four-month tenure of B books will be continued.

Sale Of Liquor Off Last Month

Raleigh, July 19.—(AP)—The 25 ABC counties sold \$1,174,860.90 worth of liquor in June according to figures released today by the State ABC Board. That represented 28,653 cases, a substantial reduction in both gallonage and dollar value under last month and as compared with June, 1942.

New Hanover county still led in sales volume, reporting receipts of \$165,712.05. Cumberland ranked second with \$133,901.65; Durham was third with \$126,052.00 and Wake was fourth with \$111,079.25. Other counties reported the following cash sales: Pitt, \$43,668.20.

Goldsboro Policeman Dead.
Goldsboro, July 19.—(AP)—E. J. Tew, 68, veteran Goldsboro police officer, died at his home here last night. He had been in ill health for three years.

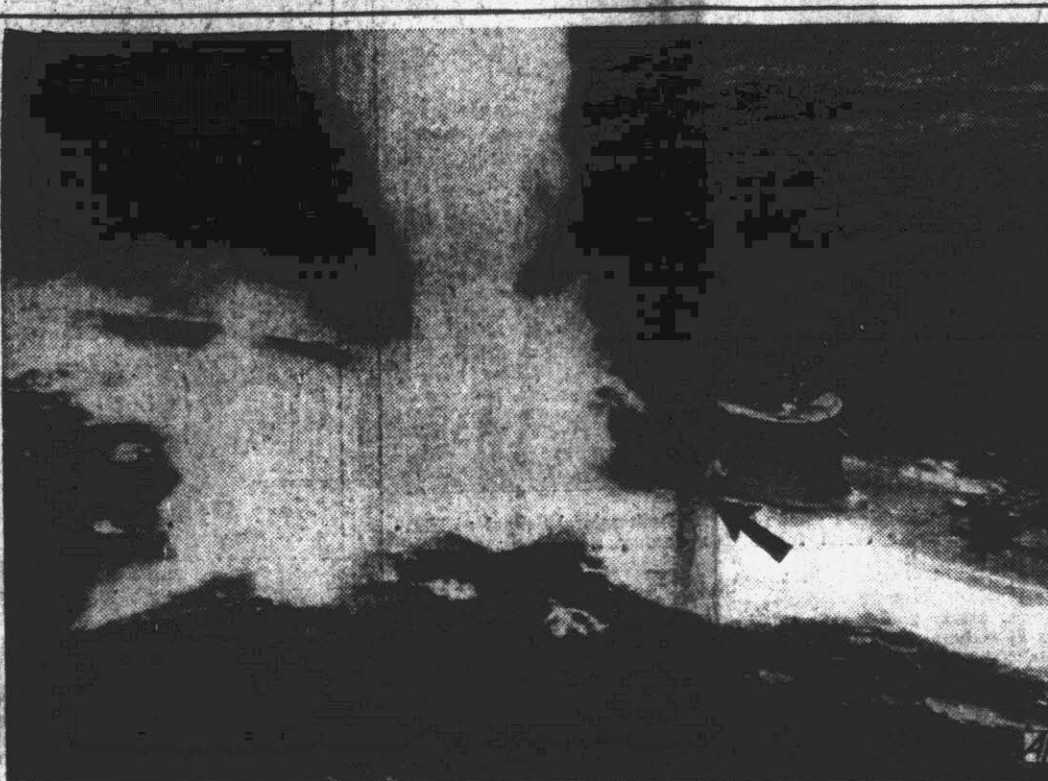
A native of Duplin county, Tew joined the police force here in 1900. He was made chief of police in 1915. A post which he held until his retirement in 1941.

The funeral will be held tomorrow.

Cyclist Killed.
Morganton, N. C., July 19.—(AP)—Jewel Bradshaw, 18-year old daughter of William L. Bradshaw of the Bridgeport community, east of here, died in a Valdese hospital last night three hours after she had been hit by an automobile as she rode along a highway on a bicycle.

Gen. Alexander indicated that he would retain as much of the administrative and judicial set-up in Sicily as possible under war conditions and that "existing laws will remain in force and effect" unless superseded by proclamation.

Nazi Sub Crewman Holds To Conning Tower As Bomb Hits



As one depth bomb blasts squarely on this Nazi sub, another (circled) drops alongside. One Nazi crewman 'hails himself' (arrow) against the conning tower, as another dashes forward. This was a "sure kill" for planes of an escort carrier which the navy says dispersed two "wolf packs" and safely delivered two convoys across the Atlantic.

RAID FRANCE AGAIN TODAY

Daylight Sweeps Follow RAF Attacks Last Night

London, July 19.—(AP)—A strong force of Allied planes was reported heading across the English channel this afternoon in the direction of Calais and Boulogne.

Observers on the southeast coast said the planes flew almost at sea level. Other planes were heard along the coast.

Earlier, the Air Ministry announced that RAF bombers and fighters destroyed eight enemy aircraft and damaged two enemy vessels in attacks last night on Nazi airport facilities in France and shipping off the Dutch coast.

Heavy explosions rumbled across the channel from the continent a little later. Fighters ran a shuttle over Folkestone, one large group returning as another formation went out.

Swift Mosquito planes on intruder patrols over northwest Germany and enemy occupied territory attacked and damaged ten locomotives and bombed railway targets near Dieppe.

Two enemy fighters were knocked down as Typhoon bombers with fighter escort blasted the Abbeville airfield in France and two others were destroyed by Mustangs on patrol off the Dutch coast, the announcement said.

An additional four fighter planes were reported shot down in an attack on an enemy convoy by coastal command. Beaufighters supported by Spitfires and Typhoons. Hits were registered on two units of the convoy.

Fascist Party In Sicily Dissolved

Allied Headquarters in North Africa, July 19.—(AP)—Immediate dissolution of the Fascist party and annulment of "all discriminatory decrees and laws" were among the first steps taken toward the rehabilitation of occupied areas in Sicily under General Sir Harold Alexander.

The orders were contained in a proclamation issued yesterday by Alexander, his first since the creation of the Allied military government of occupied territory in which former Governor Charles Poletti of New York State has an executive post.

Gen. Alexander indicated that he would retain as much of the administrative and judicial set-up in Sicily as possible under war conditions and that "existing laws will remain in force and effect" unless superseded by proclamation.

"So long as you remain peaceable and comply with my orders you will be subjected to no greater interference than may be inevitable in view of military exigencies, and may go about your normal vocations without fear," he said.

Charlotte Lawyer Dies.
Banner Elk, July 19.—(AP)—Edwin T. Canisler, Sr., 77, of Charlotte, prominent member of the North Carolina Bar, died in a hospital here early today after suffering two heart attacks yesterday.

Japs Get Worst End Of Encounter In Solomons

Ships And Planes Blast Efforts To Reinforce Munda

Allied Headquarters in the Southwest Pacific, July 19.—(AP)—Allied airplanes and surface ships battered 49 planes in the Buin-Pai area, Solomon Islands over the week-end as American troops increased their pressure on Munda with attacks on enemy positions near that key airbase.

United States fighters beat back two more attempts to run supplies to the beleaguered Munda garrison on New Georgia. Two destroyer flotillas, the first of three ships, the second of six, were intercepted west of Kolombangara Island and forced to retreat northward. One destroyer was believed to have been sunk and hits were scored on three others.

A powerful aerial force, described by a spokesman as almost as strong as the 200-plane armada that sank seven Japanese ships and shot down 49 planes in the Buin-Pai area Saturday, struck again at the remnants of enemy shipping in that harbor and pounded the nearby Kahili airfield. Thirteen Zeros were shot down. A cargo ship was sunk and two destroyers and another merchantman were damaged.

The raid was made by four-engine Liberators and torpedo and dive bombers with a strong fighter escort. Four of our planes failed to return.

Allied planes scored another victory over New Guinea Sunday. Greatly outnumbered, our fighters slammed into a formation of 50 enemy aircraft, shot down two fighters, probably destroyed four others and damaged two more—all without loss to themselves.

Sharp patrol clashes were reported from the Salamaua sector. Australian jungle fighters captured Japanese positions near Mt. Tambu and Orudubi. Japanese counterattacks were repulsed. The ground attack was supported by bombers and fighters, pinning the Japanese to their holes in the jungle.

Official reports from Admiral William F. Halsey's command gave few details about the progress of (Continued on Page Three)

The WAR TODAY

AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEWS

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
This 202nd week of the Hitlerian attempt to conquer the world finds the United Nations holding a vigorous initiative right around the globe, and things going so well for them that British Prime Minister Churchill admits he is "almost afraid to say how well."

The bombing of military objectives in the eternal city of Rome is a signal of Allied determination, and a grim warning to supporters of Mussolini and his gangster ilk that "all they take the sword shall perish with the sword."

The invasion of Sicily proceeds like the ticking of a clock, and the Allies have established a secure line across the southeastern third of the island.

The amazing Russians, having stopped the Nazi offensive, are continuing to surge forward in a counter-drive which already is threatening the main enemy base in the strategic city of Orel on the central front below Moscow.

British Forces Advance To Outskirts Of Catania

Rome Is Target Of Allied Bombs

Bombing Confined to Destruction Of Military Objectives

By The Associated Press
Allied Headquarters in North Africa, July 19.—(AP)—An all-American force of Flying Fortresses, Liberators, Mitchells and Marauders carried out the war's first bombing of Rome. It was disclosed tonight.

The fliers concentrated on military targets in the Eternal City. The "San Lorenzo" marshalling yard, one of the targets, lies four miles from Vatican City.

The Flying Fortresses led the way and while they were attacking the San Lorenzo yards Liberators bombed the Littorio railway freight yards.

Simultaneously hundreds of Marauders and Mitchells, escorted by Lightnings, began a lengthy attack on the Campino airfield.

The fliers struck at the very heart of Fascist Italy in an emphatic follow-up to the Churchill-Roosevelt surrender demand.

The crews were specially trained to carry home a precision attack, pinpointing targets which possibly were protected by their proximity to some of the most sacred symbols and monuments of Christianity.

The San Lorenzo marshalling yards was the closest target to the Vatican. Forty-five minutes after the first attack another wave of Flying Fortresses laid a new pattern of bombs over the same yards.

All the crews were carefully instructed to avoid historical and religious points by means of large aerial photographs on which such places as Vatican City, St. John Lateran and others were outlined in red with the legend nearby: "Must on no account be damaged."

Striking home a grim ultimatum for surrender, the bombers smashed military targets in Rome by daylight today in a daring, significant raid.

Carefully-instructed U. S. bombardiers rained explosives upon the railway yards in Rome that had poured German troops to Sicily, and hit war industries in the city's outskirts. Leaflets were dropped beforehand to discount the anticipated Axis clamor that religious shrines in the eternal city were being desecrated.

The raid meant war in earnest to the Italians, who long have regarded Rome as a bomb refuge, and backed up the Allied demand of last week that Italians quit this war. It hinted strongly of coming invasion of the Italian mainland.

The surprised Italians announced some bombs had been dropped, and that damage was being investigated. The bombs were loosed over Rome at 11:13 a. m. (5:13 a. m. Eastern War Time) in a raid timed, despite the danger, for full daylight for accuracy. Heavy and medium American bombers bombed heavily on scores of planes, made the assault, with the raid yards the principal target since (Continued on Page Three)

Heavy Rain Drops Mercury 22 Degrees

Nearly an inch of rain fell in the Greenville section Sunday afternoon during a severe thunderstorm—85 one hundredths of an inch, according to the official observer—and that was more rain than fell during five days last week when it came in light showers and drizzles.

The thermometer officially registered 98 here Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock before the storm. At 8 o'clock last night the mercury had dropped 22 degrees to 76.

Riversmen today reported that the River had risen more than six feet during the past week while upstate rains of the previous week were coming downstream. The water is muddy and is backing up in creeks and ditches. Riversmen do not anticipate a flood.

More Hopeful

News yesterday of the rescue of 157 more survivors of the cruiser Helena, sunk in the navy's engagement in Kula Gulf, brought renewed hope to the family of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Wilkerson that their son, Ensign Herbert Wilkerson, who was aboard the Helena, might be safe.

Americans And Canadians Gain New Objectives In Sicily; Allied Airmen Blast Points On Sicily And Mainland; Entire Axis Air Convoy Wiped Out

By RHELAN MORIN
Allied Headquarters in North Africa, July 19.—(AP)—The American Seventh Army has captured Caltanissetta, almost half way across the mid-section of Sicily, in an eight-mile smash to split the enemy's front, battle reports to Allied headquarters said today as Allied forces gained all along the front.

While the fury of the powerful Allied air force burned for the first time upon Rome, the east of Fascist power, and bombed war and industrial targets in and around the Italian capital, Canadian, British and American troops drove forward in all sections of the Sicilian front. Edging up toward the Italian toe, the invasion host of Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's Eighth army burrowed relentlessly into local defenses protecting Catania on the Sicilian east coast, and pressed closer to that keystone of the enemy's position in all central and north-eastern Sicily.

Montgomery's men wrested some of the most important strong points of Catania's defense: from picked shock divisions of the German army, and reached a point within three miles of the city.

While these remnants were fighting the hardest battle of the Sicilian campaign against the hard core of Axis resistance, Canadian units, jabbing dangerously at the enemy's western flank where it is stretched in front of the mountainous Mount Etna, were said in General Dwight D. Eisenhower's communiqué to be gaining important ground "with still and determination in difficult country."

These battle-hungry soldiers captured Piazza Armerina, 15 miles directly east of Caltanissetta. In this 10th day of the Allied invasion, the combined forces had taken from the Axis approximately one-third of all Sicily, the official war bulletin stated.

Following the capture of Agrigento and Porto Empedocle on the south coast, American troops of Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton, Jr. were driving northeast, widening the gap between the enemy forces in western and eastern Sicily.

The capture of Caltanissetta, eight miles north of the previously reported northern point of American advance, was announced today at headquarters.

It is a highly important town dominating a network of roads and railways running through central Sicily. (Continued on Page Six)

State Guard Convoy Left Here Yesterday

Major L. J. Jones, commander of the Greenville company of the North Carolina State Guard, joined a convoy made up of guard units from Elizabeth City, Washington and Edenton here yesterday morning at 9 o'clock and proceeded to Fort Bragg for 10 days of maneuvers.

Twenty-five officers and men of the local company left here. About half of the company remained here under command of Sgt. Sherman Parks.

First Lieut. Howard Sumrell, who has been in the company since it was organized nearly three years ago, has tendered his resignation as a commissioned officer to Governor Broughton.

Policeman Drowned.
Charlotte, N. C., July 19.—(AP)—L. D. Blackmon, 45, veteran policeman of Charlotte, drowned yesterday in the Catawba river when a boat in which he and a companion had been fishing capsized.

Heads New Bureau



Leo T. Crowley, (above), was named by President Roosevelt to head the new "Office of Economic Warfare," a bureau which relieves Vice President Wallace and Commerce Secretary Jesse Jones of all responsibility in foreign economic warfare matters.

NAVY EFFECTS HEROIC RESCUE

Helena Survivors Removed From Jap-Held Island

By J. NORMAN LODGE
In the Japanese Held Solomons, July 16.—(Delayed)—(AP)—Steamer impudently beheaded a moon of almost dazzling brilliance, units of the United States fleet rescued 157 survivors of the cruiser Helena from this island before dawn today.

The 9,700-ton light cruiser Helena was sunk in the first battle of Kula Gulf July 7. She was the only American loss in that engagement, which cost the Japanese nine warships, and most of the probably 600 to 800 men aboard her were rescued within a few hours.

The pre-dawn rescue was one of the most magnificent maneuvers in the Pacific war to date, and the very audacity of going into the enemy's own backyard through waters thick with submarines made its significance (Continued on Page Six)

Workers Must Sign Employment Slips

Washington, July 19.—(AP)—Workers transferring from non-essential to essential jobs in the War Manpower Commission's region four hereafter will be required to sign certificates of their most recent employment, Regional Director Leo R. Werts announced today.

Werts said the region's employment stabilization plan had been amended at the recommendation of the labor-management committee because "our experience has indicated the need for some document which an employer could file at the time he hires a worker who does not come from an essential activity."

Region four comprises North Carolina, Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia and the District of Columbia.

Predict G. O. P. Victory In Presidential Race

Washington, July 19.—(AP)—Twenty years a bridesmaid in presidential politics, the Republican party came out flatly today with the forecast that it would be the bride in the 1944 election.

In a seven-page statement referring to President Roosevelt as "Candidate Roosevelt," Chairman Harrison Spangler of the G. O. P. National Committee made the prediction of Republican victory on what he called the strength of "poils of public opinion."

Spangler said the election would be decided in the northern states. Yet, he declared, the "solid south" was not so solid for the Democrats as they usually reckon. These "private polls," said Spangler, have showed that the GOP has gained three per cent among the ranks of labor, and five per cent in the rural areas of the north.

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Collins have returned from a business trip to New York.

Miss Sylvia Braswell of Laurinburg, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Eilers.

Mr. and Mrs. James Martin, Jr. of Norfolk, are visiting Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cadmus Capehart, 608 West Fourth street.

Pvt. Spruill Spain of the University of North Carolina medical school, spent the week-end at home.

Miss Bettie Tyson spent the week-end in Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. William Padgett have returned from Pawley's Island, S. C. after a week's visit, and have as their house guest Miss Alice Cleveland of Greenville, S. C.

Mrs. Bill Davenport and daughter, Billy, of Newport News, Va. are visiting Mrs. Davenport's mother, Mrs. O. H. Lemmon.

Miss Edith Trapp has returned from Carolina Beach where she spent her vacation.

Miss Elizabeth Everett, a graduate student of the University of Tennessee, is spending some time here with her mother, Mrs. S. J. Everett.

Mrs. B. L. Howland and daughter, Land, of Raleigh, are visiting Mrs. Howland's mother, Mrs. S. J. Everett.

Mrs. E. J. Everett has returned from an extended visit in Memphis, Tenn., and a month's stay at the University of Tennessee as hostess at the Panhellenic sorority house on the campus.

Pvt. W. H. Ward, Jr., is home on furlough from Patterson, N. J.

Mrs. Milton White and Miss Lill Wilson spent Sunday at Seven Springs.

Mrs. Walter W. Smith and sons, Walter, Jr. and Joe, of New Bern, are visiting Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Cecil C. Jones of this city.

Miss Ann Redwine left Saturday to spend some time at her home in Monroe, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry Bostic have returned from Atlantic Beach, where they spent the past two weeks.

Miss Lucy Nelson left Saturday for Graham, N. C. to spend about five weeks.

Promoted.
Staff Sergeant Harry L. Stokes has been promoted to the rank of Aerial Engineer, the public relations officer of the Tropicana, Kansas, Army Air Base announced today.
He is the son of Mr. L. L. Stokes, 912 Remick street, Greenville.

American Legion To Meet.
Pitt County Post No. 39, American Legion, will hold a regular meeting at the high school cafeteria Tuesday night at 7 o'clock. Commander Paul A. Scott will preside. Important matters will be considered. "Come and bring a buddy" is the message from Adjutant James R. Worley.

Dixon-Buck.
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Buck of Winterville, North Carolina announce the marriage of their daughter, Dorothy Frances, to Pvt. Francis Albert Dixon of Lenoir, North Carolina on Monday, the twelfth of July. Nineteen hundred and forty-three. Dixon, South Carolina.

Pvt. Dixon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dixon of Lenoir. For the past three years he has been in the United States Army. He is now stationed at Camp Rucker, Ala.

Christian Science Service.
"Life" was the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Christian Science churches and societies on Sunday. The golden text was from Prov. 16:22. "Understanding is a well-spring of life unto him that has it."

Among the citations comprising the lesson-sermon were the following from the Bible: "These words spake Jesus, and lifted up his eyes to heaven, and said, Father, the hour is come; glorify thy Son, that thy Son also may glorify thee. As thou hast given him power over all flesh, that he should give eternal life to as many as thou hast given him. And this is life eternal, that they might know thee, the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom thou hast sent" (John 17:1-3).

The lesson-sermon also included the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "The way is straight and narrow, which leads to the understanding that God is the only life. It is a warfare with the flesh, in which we must conquer sin, sickness, and death, either here or hereafter, certainly before we can reach the goal of Spirit, or life in God. Ask yourself: Am I living the life that approaches the supreme good? Am I demonstrating the healing power of Truth and Love? If so, then the way will grow brighter unto the perfect day. Your fruits will prove what the understanding of God brings to man."

Breaks Arm.
Little Ebern Earl Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ebern Allen, broke this arm yesterday when he fell from the seat of the car in which he was riding.

Social Calendar

MONDAY
6:30 p. m.—Rotary Club.

7:00 p. m.—Lions' Club.

7:30 p. m.—Modern Woodmen.

TUESDAY
7:00 p. m.—American Legion meets in high school cafeteria.

8:00 p. m.—St. Mary's Auxiliary of the Episcopal Church meets at the Parish House.

8:00 p. m.—Chapter 149 of the Eastern Star will meet.

WEDNESDAY
8:00 p. m.—Meeting of Junior and Senior hostesses of the Service Center at the Woman's Club.

FRIDAY
6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club.

7:30 p. m.—Red Men meet.

Forty Years Ago Today

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It seems that more than forty years ago today are being celebrated this season.

C. B. Mayo lost his horse today. Kinchen Cobb and Harry White went to House Station this morning and had to walk home.

W. L. Best returned Saturday evening from Wrightsville Beach. The enrollment in the Carolina Club is now 44 and will probably reach 60 by August 1 and possibly 75.

Story Hour.

The story hour at Sheppard Memorial Library will be held Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Miss Elizabeth Titworth will tell the stories.

Cannery Has Big Week.
Eighteen hundred cans in five days is the record made by the cannery this past week. Of this number 1,400 were for the people of Greenville and Pitt county. To date 59 different families have had products canned there. Join this group today by having your beans, squash, soup mixture, snap beans or tomatoes canned.

Call Mrs. E. B. Ferguson, 3130, for an appointment. If you want any of the above canned. Just at present the supply of cans for butter, beans and corn has been exhausted. However, more cans for these products are on the way here.

In a little over a month that the cannery has been running 7,000 cans of food have been canned. The following products have been canned: string beans, squash, beans, okra, carrots, corn, butter beans, soup mixture, tomatoes, potatoes and peas.

Have you made your visit to the cannery on 14th street extension, the old Girl Scout house, around the corner from the NYA center?

Service Center Hostesses To Meet.
There will be an important meeting of the junior and senior hostesses of the service center at the Woman's Club on Wednesday night of this week, at 8 o'clock. Plans for certain changes in the organizational set-up of the hostess group will be discussed, and a full attendance is desired.

Quiet Weekend.
The recent week-end was the quietest in this part of the country in years. Traffic on the highways was almost nonexistent.

Somebody stole J. Herbert Waldrup's Chrysler automobile from in front of Jarvis Memorial Methodist church yesterday morning while the banker was attending church services. The car had not been recovered this afternoon.

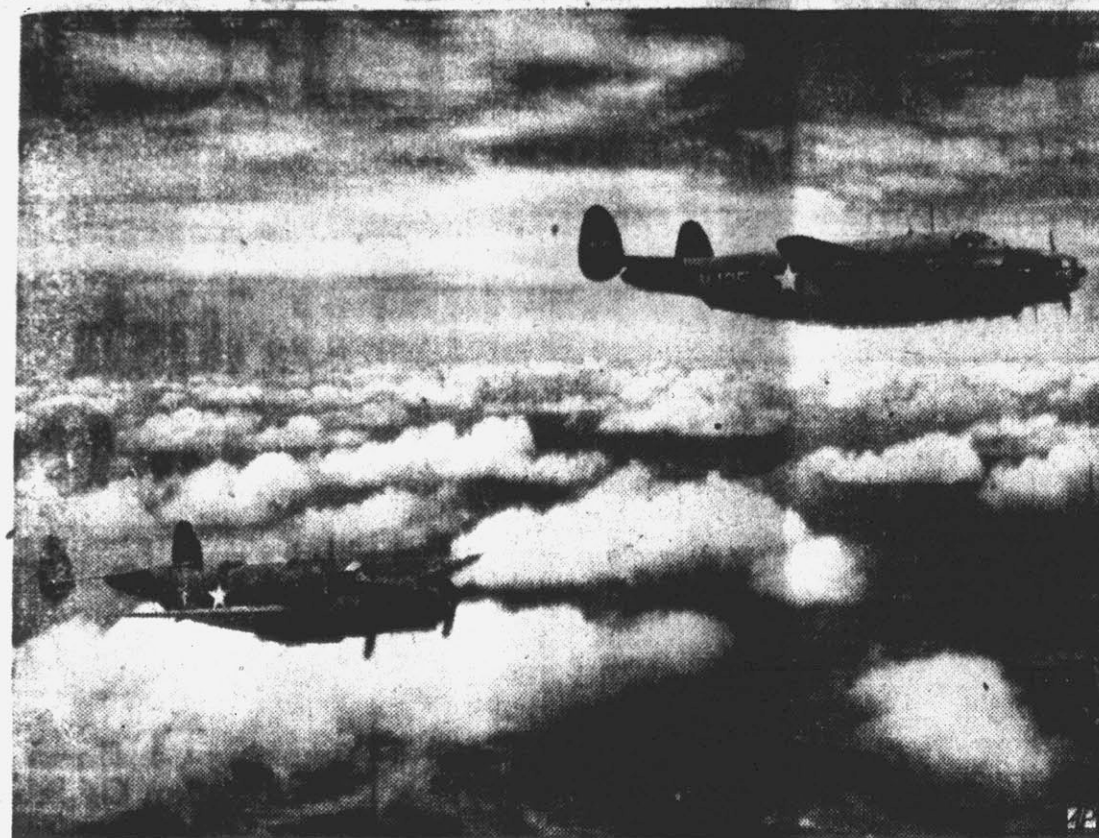
Found Sum Of Money.
A Greenville citizen found a sum of paper money on Evans Street in front of Five Points Market and turned it over to a newspaper reporter. If the person who lost the money will describe the amount and denomination of the money it will be cheerfully turned over to the rightful owner at the Reflector office.

Funeral Held Today For Henry Nobles.
Henry Nobles, 61, died suddenly at his home near Winterville Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

Funeral services were held at the home of his brother, Elias Nobles, near Winterville this afternoon at 5 o'clock. The Rev. J. C. Moye, Free Will Baptist minister of Snow Hill, officiated. Burial was in the family cemetery.

Mr. Nobles was born and reared near Winterville and spent his life in the community. He was a member of Piney Grove Free Will Baptist church. Surviving are one son, Henry Clay Nobles of the home; three sisters, Mrs. Lewis Speight, Mrs. Oscar Speight, and Mrs. Herman Avery; one brother, Elias Nobles, and a number of nephews and nieces of the Winterville community.

In New Zealand, schools of cutless fish swim ashore on cold nights as though temporarily crazed.



ABOVE THE CLOUDS—B-34 medium bombers of the Central Instructors' School at Randolph Field, Texas, fly well above spectacular cloud formations during a training flight.

Library News

The Home Front

can win battles and nothing so scy as an article on the home front in a current magazine at the Sheppard Memorial Library.

It seems that the manifestation of so much selfishness, shortsightedness and stubbornness on the home front has prompted an avalanche of articles this month on what the civilians need to be doing. They have not as yet grasped the imperatives of the hour. Another article says, "There is no home front in the sense that there is a solid wall of resistance. There is no such wall and we may as well face it."

It is the civilian's duty to adapt himself to war times just as much as it is the soldier's. To be sure it is hard for him to do without once he has had to work when he wants to play to stay at home when the open road calls, and to worry when he is used to being at ease. But we are at war, nothing is the same any more. The civilian must do his part.

Below are brief summaries of some of the articles that offer advice to the civilian:

"What Happened to Price Control," by Michael Darrack. In Harper's—a close scrutiny of what has happened in the OPA program, which has made itself open to criticism, not because of political failures, but because of a lack of imagination and intelligence.

"Children in Need," a symposium in Atlantic—Four articles in one that seek to cope with the problem of juvenile delinquency which needs urgent attention.

"The Personal Touch in Labor Relations," Taken from Labor News. In Reader's Digest—A request for employers to spend more time cultivating workers' friendship, respect and good will instead of fighting labor organizations.

"Search Out and Know the Truth," by Lord Halifax. In Vital Speeches—An Englishman pleads for more understanding, faith and knowledge of prayer.

"Winning on the Home Front," by Mrs. Everett Stalton. In Ladies' Home Journal—While men are fighting battles, there's a job for every woman, which has nothing to do with uniforms, blackouts, war work or food rations.

"How to Control Your Emotions," by Dale Carnegie. In Your Life. Tells how to react to circumstances so as to be happy.

"The Best That's In You," by Lewis, Buck, in an Optimist—War, like all major crises, has a way of bringing out the quality in people. Good quality, generally—courage, purpose, service, selflessness.

"How Stay-at-Home Mothers Can Help," by Josephine R. Robertson. In Parents Magazine—Why not try getting together with friends to use your spare moments to good purpose?

"Jotted Down," by Wallis Windsor. In Vogue—A first article by

the Duchess of Windsor in which she tells of how she and her household are meeting the war emergency. One pertinent statement she makes: "The training of being poor is the most valuable one in the world—even if being poor doesn't last."

Post-war Plans. Global blueprints by Churchill, Wallace, Welles, Hill, Burton, Ball and Culbertson. In Vogue—An Englishman and six Americans give their ideas of a peace plan. Ideas are splendidly outlined.

"As I Lie in My Comfortable Bed," Anonymous. In Harper's Bazaar—A woman tells what she has learned from others braver than she. Splendid practical philosophy showing that there is a way out, no matter how difficult these war times become.

Exchange Fruits and Vegetables. When Mrs. John Karsnak, 400 Jarvis street, found her plum tree loaded she exchanged some plums with a neighbor for his over-supply of squash. With the help of the city assistant agent she soon learned to operate the pressure cooker and had her jars filled. She hopes to can a supply of snap beans and other vegetables and fruits.

Postmasters To Meet. Raleigh, N. C., July 19—(AP)—The eighth annual convention of the North Carolina Chapter of the National Association of Postmasters will be held here Wednesday and Thursday.

Among the speakers will be three North Carolina Congressmen—representatives Carl T. Durham of the sixth district, Harold D. Cooley of the fourth and John H. Kerr, Jr., of the second.

Governor Broughton will speak at a banquet Thursday night.

Predict G. O. P. . . .
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non-classified groups, which would make the GOP a winner by 1,710,000. Spangler predicted the electoral college vote would reflect what he said would be the GOP gains in balloting totals.

He said the trend was underway in 1942 when the Republicans gained nine U. S. Senate seats, 44 places in the house, and five governors, and he maintained that it still was growing.

"These figures in our opinion are the very minimum and not the maximum," said Spangler. "They give adequate basis for belief in Republican victory in the presidential and congressional elections next year."

Who the GOP intends to win with is yet to be developed, with a score of possible presidential candidates mentioned, but none formally announced at this early date.

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8:55—You and Uncle Sam.
9:00—Gabriel Heater, MBS.
9:15—Mr. J. E. Winslow.
9:30—The Return of Nick Carter, MBS.
10:00—News.
10:15—1100 Club.
10:30—Meet the Band.
10:45—Lew Diamond's Orch. MBS.
11:00—News.
11:05—Sign Off.

TUESDAY, JULY 20

7:00—News.
7:05—Yawn Patrol.
7:30—Freedom on the Land Forever.
7:45—Musical Clock.
8:00—News.
8:15—Glee Club.
8:30—Morning Meditations.
8:45—Spotlight on Rhythm.
9:00—News.
9:05—Design for War Time Living.

Mrs. Minnie Little Died Early Sunday

Mrs. Minnie Case Little, 50, died at her home near Bruce at 8:50 Sunday morning after a two-day illness.

Funeral services were held at the home at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The Rev. L. B. Manning, Free Will Baptist minister of near Farmville officiated. Burial was in the Farmville cemetery.

Mrs. Little was born and reared in the Farmville community, the daughter of the late John P. and Mary Bundy Case. She married J. H. Little in 1910.

Surviving are her husband; four daughters, Mrs. Howard Garris of near Bruce, Mrs. Melvin Brann of near Ayden, Mrs. Albert Mewborn of near Walstonburg, and Minnie Little of the home; five sons, H. L. Bert T. and W. D. Little of Bruce, and Johnnie H. and Norwood Little of the home; six grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Alice Brock of near Farmville, Mrs. J. L. Joyner of Maury, and Mrs. J. F. Taylor of Ayden; and two brothers, Roy Case of near Greenville, and Johnnie Case of Ayden.

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10:05—Women in the News.
10:10—Musical Interlude.
10:15—Farmville on the Air.
10:30—Shady Valley Folks, MBS.
11:00—Stanley Dixon, MBS.
11:15—Karl Zomar's Scrapbook, MBS.
11:30—Merry Go Round, MBS.
11:45—Ayden on the Air.
12:00—Hillbilly Roundup.
12:15—News.
12:30—Tune Time.
12:40—Carolina Farm Features.
12:55—News and Markets.
1:00—Deep River Boys.
1:15—Melody Range.
1:30—Luncheon With Laps, MBS.
2:00—Oedric Foster, MBS.
2:15—Ode Waters, MBS.
2:30—Nashville Varieties, MBS.
3:00—Today's War Commentary.
3:05—Musical Interlude.
3:10—In the Woman's World.
3:15—Todd Grant Gets the News.
3:30—WOR Matinee, MBS.
4:00—Walter Compton, MBS.
4:15—Uncle Sam Series.
4:30—Six Ice Cubes and Gail, MBS.
4:45—Requestfully Yours.
5:00—Swing Session.
5:15—The Black Hood, MBS.
5:30—Chick Carter, MBS.
5:45—Treasury Song Parade.
6:00—News, TN.
6:15—Rainbow Trails.
6:30—Sportscast, TN.
6:45—Sundown Serenade.
7:00—Ray Henle, MBS.
7:15—The Johnson Family, MBS.
7:30—Martial Music.
7:45—Confidentially Yours, MBS.

8:00—South Myri Presents.
8:30—Music As You Like It.
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Italian Morale In Sicily Completely Shattered

Allied Headquarters in North Africa, July 19.—(AP)—Almost incredible first hand reports of broken morale among Italians in Sicily poured in at Allied headquarters today.

Italian troops were said to be surrendering in organized units. Civilians continued to show genuine joy after the arrival of Allied troops.

An Allied officer who read the proclamation of Gen. Sir Harold Alexander announcing the determination of the Allies to smash fascism was hoisted on the shoulders of a Sicilian crowd and carried about in triumph in one town. The people shouted, "This is the day of our deliverance."

A British officer who returned after six days in Sicily said the people themselves were tearing down the symbols of the Fascist party.

They expressed bitter feeling against the Germans whom they blamed for the shortage of food and clothing.

White bread, brought by the invading armies, was said by Sicilians to be the first they had eaten in eight years.

They appeared relieved when informed that forcing youths into forced labor battalions by invading armies was a Nazi practice, not an Allied practice.

A senior official of the Allied military government in Sicily who attended high mass celebrated by the bishop of the locality was intentionally seated in the main pew which for 20 years had been occupied by the leading Fascist party officials of the community. Afterward he was received by the bishop personally.

The Countess of Piedmont, head of the Italian Red Cross, was in Syracuse only 14 days before its fall, the people told the British.

Italians Urged . . .

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The nation would be broken up; the people would be reduced to a mass of serfs and most of them would fall under the Russian whip. The stronger would be sent to toil in the Ural mines and in the forests; the less strong would raise flowers for the ladies or would fetch ceramics for English baronets. The sacked museum, the schools subjected to the whims of the conquerors, the idle, parasitic, idle ports deserted of our ships, the factories, the abandoned fields would bear witness.

Rome Is Target . . .

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ance to the Axis war effort and in particular for the movement of German troops.

The leaflets dropped in advance of the raid over the city of Rome, 100,000 population (but now near 250,000 because of the influx of natives seeking to escape bombings elsewhere) declared the Allied targets would be military objectives being used for the sole interest of the Germans.

Setting a precedent, Allied broadcasts told of the raid even while it was in progress, in an effort to disconcert expected Axis propaganda that religious shrines were the main targets.

That propaganda followed shortly, with Berlin claiming heavy damage in non-military areas and to the civilian population. It also spoke of Vatican "astonishment and disgust" at the raid.

London observers saw in the raid the decision of the Allies that military considerations now outweigh the cries of protest sure to come from the Axis and possible neutral sources.

The Allied leaflets which were dropped prior to the bombs told the people "we leave it to your intelligence to decide whether it is likely we should waste our efforts on targets the destruction which for our purposes would be useless X X X. You will be able to see for yourselves."

Allied headquarters emphasized that Rome is one of four focal points of railway transportation in Italy, Naples, Bologna and Foggia.

The other three have already been bombed heavily on scores of occasions.

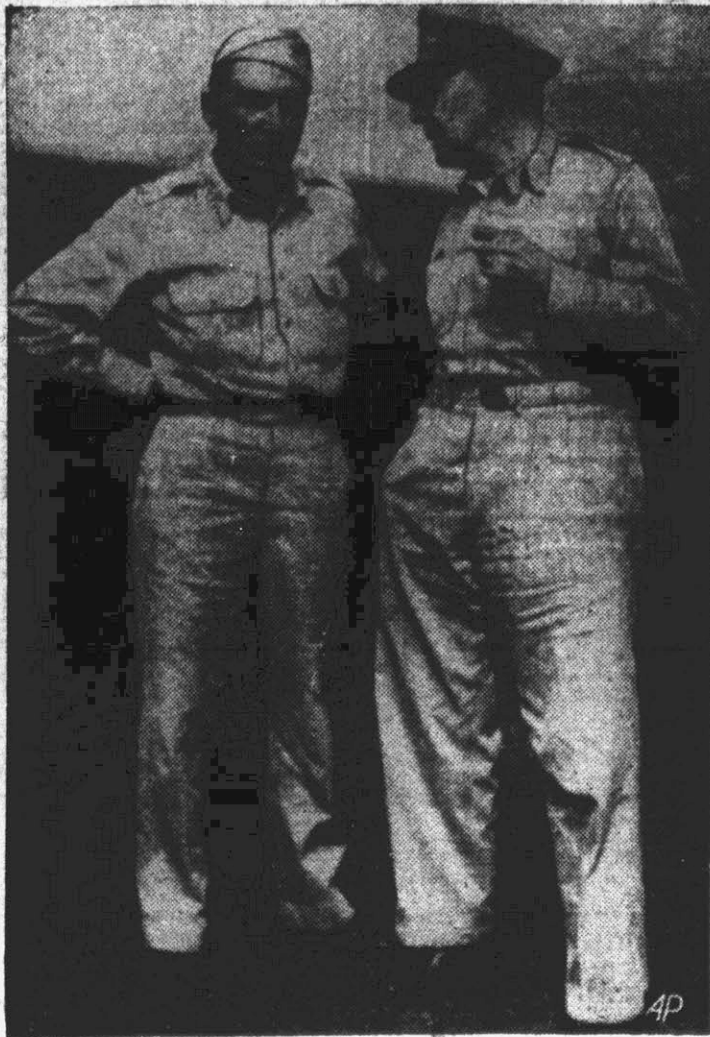
To prevent Axis military supplies from going through the supposedly safe Rome route, the capital was attacked.

The most profound warnings were given to the Italians to forestall possible Axis attempts to stage fake "bomb explosions" around non-military objectives and attribute them to an Allied air attack.

The leaflets reminded the Italians that "over a period of years Mussolini designedly brought more and more war plants and arsenals to Rome" where weapons are built to kill Allied soldiers.

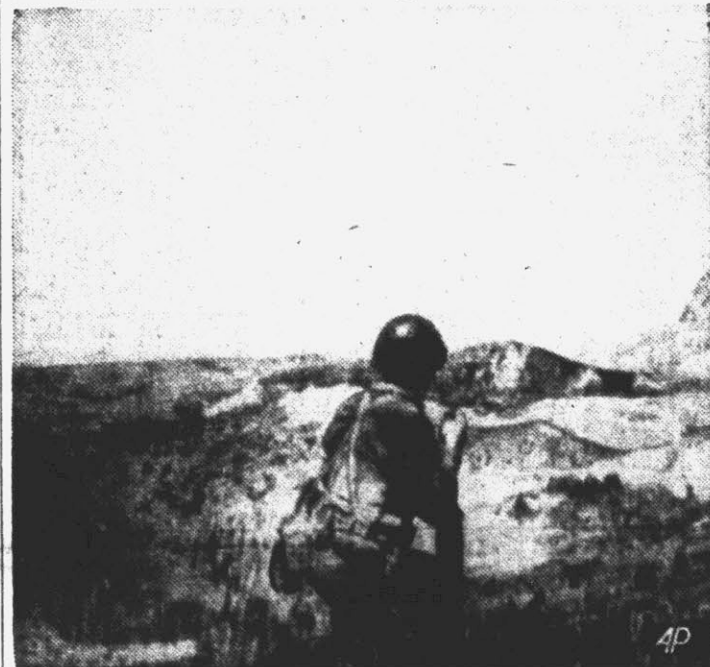
Monso I, in 1147, aided by German, French, and English crusaders helped establish Portuguese independence from the Moors by seizing Lisbon.

General MacArthur In New Guinea



General Douglas MacArthur, (right), in New Guinea to personally conduct the current campaign against the Japs, confers with Major Gen. Horace H. Fuller, commander of the 41st Division, somewhere on the South Pacific island. The capture of Mubo by U. S. jungle fighters and continued action against Munda, in the New Georgia island group, has just been announced.

Americans Move Against Snipers



American riflemen fire on enemy snipers on a hill in Sicily as the Allies continued advancing after invading the Italian island. Artillerymen lay down fire on the enemy sharpshooters. Note smoke from shellfire in right background. (Photo received by radio from Algiers).



IDENTICAL SERGEANTS—At the request of their mother, Sergeants Charles (left) and Robert Morrison, identical twins of Louisville, Ky., were re-assigned by Presidential order from separate bases to the Army Air Forces at Denver, Colo.

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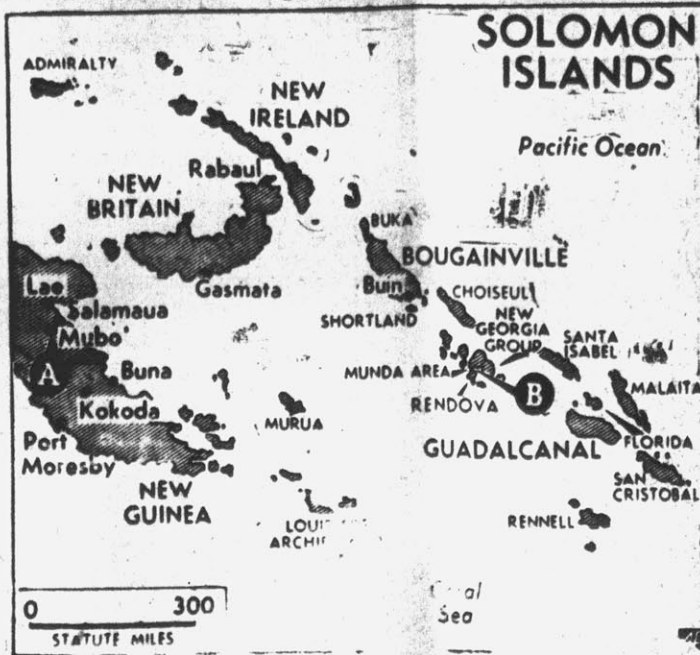
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Allied Troops Triumph In Pacific



Allied headquarters in New Guinea has announced the capture of Mubo (A) strategically near the Japanese base of Lae, with U. S. jungle fighters bearing the brunt of fighting in which at least 950 Japs were killed. To the east, in the central Solomons, Allied airmen shot down 45 Jap planes over Rendova island (B). General Douglas MacArthur is in New Guinea personally directing the campaign.



American soldiers haul a light piece of field equipment through the water and onto the beach at Rendova island as the American offensive against the central Solomons got underway June 30.



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Japs Get Worst . . .

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the battle for Munda. But today was the first time that the communique from General Douglas MacArthur's headquarters had mentioned American ground forces attacking the airbase area.

The Americans, late reports said, were advancing despite heavy rains which have turned the jungle battle area into bogs in which even heavy duty tractors scarcely are able to move. The Japanese are using their usual jungle tactics at Munda.

Incessant infiltration at night by small patrol armed with automatic weapons, firecrackers, and other noise making devices. The enemy is taking few American lives but his activities make sleep and rest almost impossible.

American warships and planes have beaten off all Japanese attempts to bring reinforcements to Munda but the enemy, using supplies and equipment accumulated there during the past year, shows no sign of collapsing.

NOTICE
North Carolina—Pitt. County.
In The Superior Court
Robert Conner
-vs-
Clara Meeks Conner
The above named defendant, Clara Meeks Conner, will take notice that an action as above entitled has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, by the plaintiff to secure an absolute divorce from the defend-

adultery; and the defendant was further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, in the court house in Greenville, North Carolina, within thirty days after the 17th day of August, 1943, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 17th day of July, 1943.
J. F. HARRINGTON,
Clerk of Superior Court.
S. B. Underwood, Jr.,
Atty. for Plaintiff.
July 19-26-Aug. 2-9.



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Today Sgt. Tex Klous, of the Hutchinson, Kansas, store, decorated for shooting down two Japanese planes off Kiska, is in the thick of things in the Aleutians. Buy a Bond and help him annihilate more Japs!

Today Sgt. Malcolm Logan of Laramie, Wyoming, a Flying Fortress Gunner, is thought to be a prisoner in Germany after the famous Renault raid. Buy a Bond and carry on, for him, where he left off!

Today Mrs. Jessie Hovis of Wichita Falls, Texas, is breaking all records selling Bonds, in the Penney store, for her son, Howard, a member of the "Lost Battalion" in Java.

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Strength FOR THE DAY

By EARL L. DOUGLAS

A MAKER OF TRADITION
Bishop John Coleridge Patterson is listed as one of the martyrs of the modern Church. After a brilliant career at Eton, during which time he became one of the greatest cricket players of all time, Patterson entered the ministry of the Church of England and was later sent to the South Sea Islands as a missionary.

He was greatly beloved by the people among whom he worked. One day, however, some white men landed from a ship and carried off five of the natives to sell them into slavery. Immediately, because he was a white man, the feeling against Bishop Patterson changed. The natives killed him with five arrows and tossed his body into the sea.

Later they repented of their violence, and amid great and widespread grief brought his body to shore and buried him with honors. Over his grave is a marker which bears these words: "He would gladly have given his life in behalf of those who took it."

Patterson's devotion to fine things began when he was a boy at Eton. He was elected captain of the cricket team. At the end of the season there was always a banquet characterized by considerable drinking and especially by the singing of coarse songs. Young Patterson insisted that a different type of banquet be held, and although he was roundly criticized by his comrades his dictum was at last accepted. It is said that to this day the tradition of clean, wholesome fun which he established continues at the school.

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VOTE FOR CONTROL

On next Saturday our farmers will have the opportunity to vote again for tobacco acreage control, and according to our way of thinking, to vote other than for the program would be most unwise. Not only will a continuation of the program have its effect in the way of holding up tobacco prices, but it will enable farmers to continue their maximum efforts in the production of food and feed crops now so essential to our war effort. Uncontrolled acreage next year would mean that many growers would increase their tobacco production and that many new growers might begin to produce tobacco with its resulting low prices and at the sacrifice of other crops. The farmers of the tobacco growing areas have profited too well by the control program to cast it aside at the present time when to do so might upset their financial apportionment as well as cause a lot of people to go hungry as a result of neglect of other essential crops.

THE ROME BOMBING

Despite the fact that no doubt it was distasteful, the Allies today found it necessary to bomb Rome. Fair warning had already been given the Italians that concentration of military supplies and industries would lead to bombings, for the Allies could not be expected to let sentiment stand in the way of winning the war.

Alp, Alp!



when the Axis was using the city as a cover for its machines of death. While it is to be hoped that none of the historic and religious edifices of Rome will be destroyed by the war, it is high time that the Italian people realized that President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill meant what they said last week, when they told the Italians that the hour was at hand for them to choose between "death for Hitler and Mussolini or life for Italy and civilization."

WASHINGTON IN WARTIME

By JACK STINNETT

(First of two articles on Food Administrator Marvin Jones)

Washington — The Washington wisecracks have just about quit predicting that anybody will amount to anything in this war effort.

Whenever someone starts shouting praises for a new figure on the home front, the boys sing songs a little unrhymed couplet. Knudsen, Kimmel, Henderson, Brown—Wickard, Davis, Odum and Short.

That generally ends the conversation. There isn't one in the list that hasn't been touted as the modern Moses, who would lead us into some kind of an economic or military Promised Land. And there isn't one who hasn't stubbed his toe on

one or more rocky problems and had to limp off to a back seat or oblivion. The couplet could easily be expanded into a quatrain.

The Davis, of course, is Chester C. (not Elmer, who, however has been having his own trouble with the critical hurdles lately). That's why Marvin Jones slipped into the post of War Food Administrator without any single prediction.

Having had my own optimistic fingers burned, I'm not going to prognosticate anything at all about Marvin Jones, but it can be said here and now that no man has entered the wartime food picture with more undesired interest from press, radio and politicians than he.

If there ever was a man in Congress who accomplished more with such a genius for anonymity than Marvin Jones, I don't know who it could have been. From 1933 to 1940, there wasn't a piece of farm legislation passed by Congress that didn't bear his stamp of approval, sponsorship or name. That portion of the Texas panhandle which he represented from 1916 on to his appointment on the Court of Claims here, had cotton, cattle and wheat galore and Jones knew the problems resulting from these troublesome products as intimately as his round head knows the inside of his hat.

As chairman of the House Agriculture committee from 1933 to 1940, that the Roosevelt Administration took over in 1933, it was Jones' worry to lead the farmers out of the depression. Having worked his way to education and small farms from a tenant farm in north Texas, he was a champion of the underprivileged man with a hoe from the start.

In those days, Jones had three favorite expressions: (1) "All legislation is a compromise." (2) "It's a step in the right direction." (3) "If it works, we'll come back and make it work better."

As the third War Food Adminis-

trator in less than four months, he could be just as near the edge of his chair as the two who preceded him, but if he falls off, it won't be because he's pushed by the same forces.

Jones will "compromise" by politely showing the opposition a "few steps in the right direction" and if that works he'll be in there pitching to "make it work better" for the duration.

(Tomorrow: Jones and Politics)

Real Estate Transfers

The following deeds of transfer were registered in the office of the register of deeds during the past week:

Farmville Oil and Fertilizer Co. to Mrs. J. I. Morgan, lot, \$7,000.

Farmville Oil & Fertilizer Co. to J. I. Morgan, 4 tracts, \$9,000.

Farmville Oil & Fertilizer Co. to J. I. Morgan, 3 tracts, \$6,500.

County of Pitt to W. J. Bullock, 2 tracts.

Clifton Newton to Alice Newton and others 200 acres, \$75.

Joseph Oscar Coward and wife to C. T. Jackson and wife 10 3-4 acres, \$10.

Robert Booth, comr. to Joseph Oscar Coward, lot, \$490.

Julius Brown, et al., comr. to H. C. Smith, 11 5-8 acres, \$1,575.

Land Investment Co. to E. S. Yancey 2 tracts timber, \$500.

F. M. Wooten, Jr. and others to Alma A. Dudley, 59 6 acres, \$10.

John B. Lewis and wife to J. L. Creech and wife, lot, \$350.

Robert Hawkins and wife to Dotty Gardner and wife, lot, \$150.

Olive Mayo to Emma B. Mayo et al., 1 1/2 acre, \$40.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of Laura Stocks, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Greenville, or to her attorney named below, on or before the 12th day of July, 1944 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 12th day of July, 1943.

MRS. CLYDE STOCK, LOFTIN, Administratrix of the Estate of Laura Stocks.

Dink James, Atty.

July 12-19w-6wk

NOTICE OF SUMMONS

North Carolina, Pitt County

In The Superior Court

Thomas S. Whitte

-VS-

Bessie B. Whitte

The defendant, Bessie B. Whitte, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, to obtain a divorce absolute from the defendant on the grounds of two years' separation; and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court in said county in the court house in Greenville, N. C., on the 12th day of August, 1943, and answer or demur to the complaint and take action or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This 3rd day of July, 1943.

J. F. HARRINGTON, Clerk Superior Court Pitt County

July 6-19w-4wk



MURDER IN TIN

By CARL A. PETERSON

Chapter 10

I had never been to La Turique's before. It wasn't a large restaurant like Prendes' or Paolo's or an intimate one like Henri's. It was a small one and its atmosphere glittered. People of many nationalities were dining. Mexican army officers, Greeks, Englishmen, Americans, I

selected a table in the corner where we could continue our duel without being overheard.

"Two martinis," I said to the waiter. "Is that all right with you?" I asked her.

"They're the best martinis in the city."

"You've been here before then?"

"With my father and with other men."

"Recently?"

"No, not recently. Don't you guess shoes ever relax?"

I laughed. "You don't believe a thing I tell you."

"Do you believe what I tell you?"

"No. It's a strange situation. We don't trust each other, but you want my help."

"She toyed with the menu card. 'Perhaps you need mine.'"

"The martinis arrived. Last night I had downed three tequilas. I recalled, 'The world's at high tension.' I said, 'Each day is a week, a month. Each day is the equivalent in importance to thirty days in peace time.'"

"She smiled and we drank. I ordered two more martinis. But after the second shot I gave up the attempt to be merely social. Mirtilo and Johnson, I was sure, were not indulging in small conversation right now. They were probably discussing the lack of police activity; perhaps discussing my tele-a-tete at La Turique's with Sam Taggard's daughter; that is if their Gestapo footpad had phoned them."

"You should see the way you're staring at me," she said. "As if you hate me."

"Very."

"You're too pretty to be hated," I said. I thought that she might be a traitor pretty women had been traitors before in other wars. Yet it would be hard to hate her.

After I ordered, I said, "About this man Chevalle. When's your appointment?"

"Tonight, at ten o'clock. Why don't you come along with me?"

"Like father like daughter is what you think," she said. "But all I want, believe me is to help my father. I know he isn't a saint. But I'm not judging him. He's always been good to me. All I want is to help him."

"In his traitorous activities?"

"No. Just to keep him from harm. He's always been good to me. I must help him."

"Why don't you appeal to the American Consul?"

She took a silver cigarette case out of her purse.

"Why did you want me to meet Mirtilo?" I said.

"You're decidedly monotonous."

"Why do you want me to meet Chevalle?"

The waiter arrived with our order under a series of silver covers. "I'm hungry," I announced and for the next course or two I forgot about Sam Taggard. If he was dead, he deserved no sympathy of mine. He was a racketeer at best and he had gotten caught. He was of no value to a country at war. His discovery was all that mattered in connection with him.

At coffee I said, "I'm not a subtle person. I blunder around a great deal. I haven't made up my mind how much I can trust you. That's why I keep on repeating myself."

Back home one of the war posters shows a sailor with a redheaded goat-looking girl. There's some motto on the poster to the effect: Beware sailor. Do I make myself clear?"

"Very."

"I made your acquaintance last night. Tonight you invite me to visit a man called Chevalle."

"He lives on the Paseo de la Reforma," she said as if she hadn't been listening to me at all. "I don't like to visit a man alone late at night. You're somebody I can trust. It's like taking a policeman along. Mr. Calder, I don't know how this will sound to you but I am going to help my father as best as I can. If the government ever catches up with him—" She hesitated. "I know this. I don't want him sent to a penitentiary. Not if I can help it! I'm the one person he can trust."

"And you propose to pursue a course independent of your government."

"Don't preach to me. I'm willing to cooperate without preaching."

"Why do you want to cooperate with me?" I asked. "Why me in preference to other Washington representatives whom you have been meeting? It isn't that I'm unappreciative, but I'd like to know?"

"You call the policeman closest at hand."

"That's true."

"I've been in Mexico City long enough to realize I can't do much by myself."

"Is your father in Mexico City?"

"He was."

"Have you seen him?"

"No."

"Do you think he's left?"

"No. He would've gotten word to me somehow even though I'm being followed and my mail is being held."

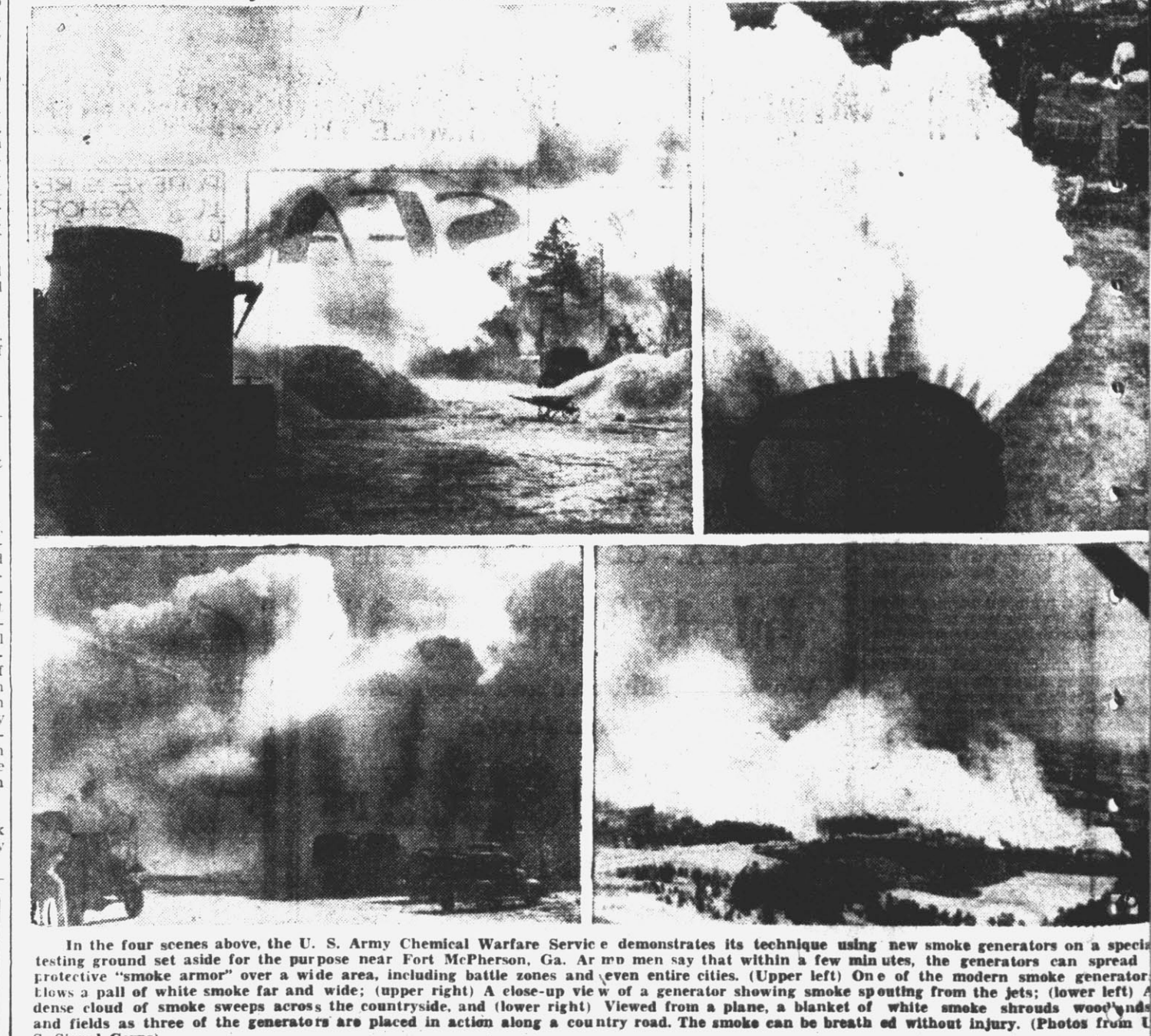
"Your father's ingenious," I admitted. "Any man who can stay out of sight for six months with both the Gestapo and our people after him—" I stopped and thought: Maybe his ingenuity was at an end? Maybe he had literally reached a dead-end in the room with the barrel window. Where was your father when you received word from him at Acapulco? And how did you get word from him?"

"Don't you think there's a limit to your questions? I don't know why I'm telling you anything. I don't know why but I feel so alone. Oh, God. The last I knew dad was either in Cichoacan or Shalaco."



SERVICES AMID RUINS—Londoners and U.S. soldiers listen to a sermon by the Bishop of Croydon in the ruins of the church of St. Mary-le-Bow, destroyed in the 1941 blitz.

Army Chemical Warfare Service Demonstrates Its Technique



In the four scenes above, the U. S. Army Chemical Warfare Service demonstrates its technique using new smoke generators on a special testing ground set aside for the purpose near Fort McPherson, Ga. Army men say that within a few minutes, the generators can spread protective "smoke armor" over a wide area, including battle zones and even entire cities. (Upper left) One of the modern smoke generators blows a pall of white smoke far and wide; (upper right) A close-up view of a generator showing smoke spouting from the jets; (lower left) A dense cloud of smoke sweeps across the countryside, and (lower right) Viewed from a plane, a blanket of white smoke shrouds woods and fields as three of the generators are placed in action along a country road. The smoke can be breathed without injury. (Photos from U. S. Signal Corps).

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Having this day qualified as administrator of the estate of Robert T. Hodges, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit itemized and verified statements of account to the undersigned or his attorney, on or before the 5th day of June, 1944, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment to the administrator or his attorney.

This 5th day of June, 1943.

GROVER HODGES, Administrator of the estate of Robert T. Hodges, deceased.

Arthur B. Corey, Atty.

June 11-19w-6wk.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE

Having qualified as administrators of the estate of G. A. Clark, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to the undersigned, on or before the 16th day of June, 1944, this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 16th day of June, 1943.

JOHN G. CLARK, Administrator of the Estate of G. A. Clark.

J. W. H. Roberts, Atty.

June 16-19w-6wk.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

The undersigned, having this day qualified before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, Administrator of the estate of J. Bradsher, whose former residence unknown, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned or to the administrator at its place of business in Greenville, N. C., within twelve months from the date hereof or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery thereon.

All persons indebted to the estate of the said J. Bradsher will please make settlement with the administrator.

This 18th day of June, 1943.

GUARANTY BANK & TRUST CO., Administrator of the Estate of J. J. Bradsher.

June 21-19w-6wk.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE

Having qualified as administrators of the estate of C. J. Harris, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased, to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 14th day of June, 1944, this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 14th day of June, 1943.

FLOYD P. HARRIS, RFD 4, Greenville, N. C., and DAISY H. MOORE, 1200 Evans St., Greenville, Administrators on the Estate of C. J. Harris, Sr., deceased.

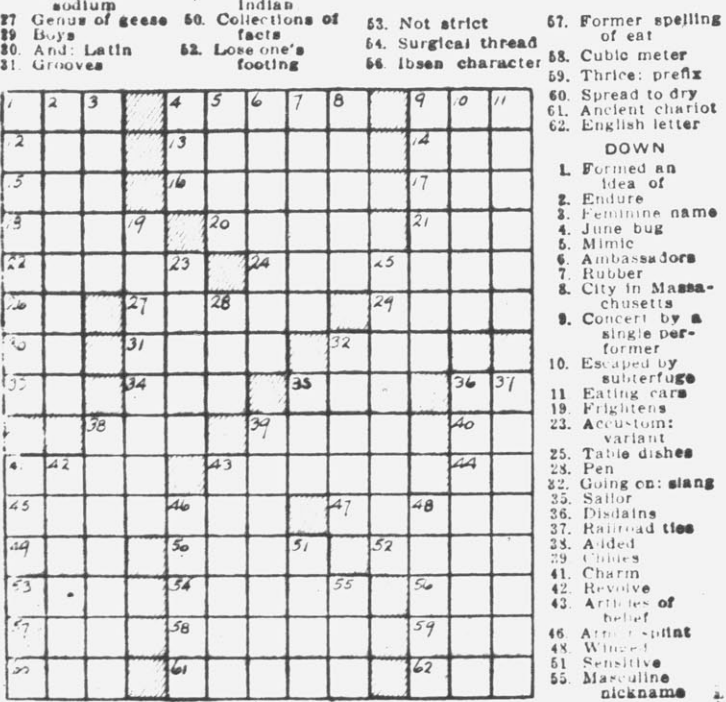
June 15-19w-6wk.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Greenland Eskimos
4. Valley
9. Color
12. Day of the week: abbr.
13. Music drama
14. Biblical king
15. Turkish name
16. Kinky
17. Is a sole
18. Secures
20. Denotish
21. Small fish
22. Angry
24. Satan
26. Symbol for sodium
27. Genus of geese
28. Boys
29. And Latin
31. Grooves

DOWN
22. East Indian split pulse
23. Down: prefix
24. Endavor
25. Child
26. From the signs: mus. abbr.
28. Beverage
29. Lure
30. Hebrew deity
31. English musical composer
32. Coat with an alloy of tin and lead
33. Compass point
34. Huge person or thing
35. Pulp fruit
36. American
37. Indian
38. Collections of facts
39. Love one's footing
40. Not strict
41. Surgical thread
42. Ibsen character
43. Former spelling of eat
44. Cubic meter
45. Thrice: prefix
46. Spread to dry
47. Ancient chariot
48. English letter

Solution Of Saturday's Puzzle



AP Features

Takes Figuring To Keep • Natl. League Standings

Games Halted Be-
cause Of Curfew
• Must Be Completed
At Later Date

By JUDSON BAILEY

(Associated Press Sports Writer)
This season may come to be re-
membered as the one in which a
certified public accountant couldn't
figure out the National League
standings on any given day.

Right now there are no fewer
than four "suspended games" in the
senior circuit which must be played
to completion at some future date.
Two of them already have been en-
tered in the standings as won and
lost for the teams involved, the
other two have not.

Yesterday Pennsylvania's Sunday
curfew halted the second game of
a doubleheader at Pittsburgh after
seven innings with the world cham-
pion St. Louis Cardinals leading
6-5. Under ordinary baseball rules
this would have become a victory
for the Redbirds as soon as play
ceased. But the National League
passed an "anti-stalling" rule last
winter which said that contests
halted before the end of nine in-
nings because of curfews must later
be played to completion.

So instead of a victory for the
Cards, who earlier in the day had
whipped the Pirates 7-4 for Mort
Cooper's 12th triumph, the game
simply entered a state of suspended
animation until September 1, the
date agreed upon for its conclusion.

At Boston the Massachusetts Sun-
day curfew stopped the second con-
test between the Braves and Brook-
lyn Dodgers in the midst of a Bos-
ton rally in the sixth inning. The
Braves had just scored three runs
to tie the count at 4-4 and had the
bases loaded with one out when
play is resumed at an unspecified
later date. The Dodgers bagged
the first game 9-5 in 11 innings.

The other two games that must
be completed were "suspended" as
the result of protests after they pre-
sumably had been completed and
already had been entered in the
standings. League President Ford
Frick ruled in these two cases that
the games should remain in the
standings until and if they needed
to be reversed after they are com-
pleted.

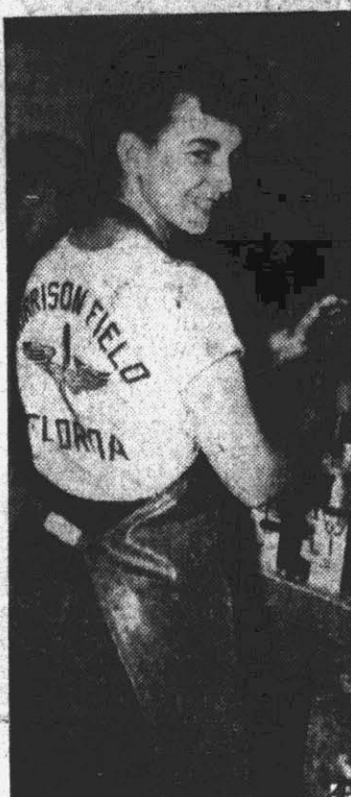
One of these games was a June 5
affair at St. Louis involving the
Cardinals and Phillies when the
Cardinals, leading 1-0 in the last
of the eighth, failed to protect the
diamond against a sudden storm.
It's in the standings as a St. Louis
victory, but Frick ordered it played
to a finish and won't be official till
July 27.

The other was a game June 13
at New York in which Babe Dahlgren
hit a double in the ninth in-
ning to give the Phillies a 6-3 ver-
dict over the Giants. Acting on a
protest, Frick ruled the score should
revert to a 3-3 tie and the game
be resumed with the same lineups
at the start of the tenth inning. The
Phillies still have an option on a
game won in the standings for this
ruling.

The American League has no
such rule and everything showing
in the standings today will count—
very likely toward another pennant
for the New York Yankees.

The Yanks yesterday swept a
doubleheader from the Philadelphia
Athletics to extend their winning
streak to eight games and 12 vic-
tories in their last 13 starts. Bill
Johnson's three-run homer helped
wrap up the first decision 7-2 for
Ernie Bonham and the Yanks
struggled to a 4-3 verdict in ten
innings in the night cap for Spud
Candler's 11th win.

Washington's stout-hearted Sen-
ators, in second place, kept the pace
by taking two games from the Bos-
ton Red Sox 9-2 and 5-4. The
Cleveland Indians subdued the St.
Louis Browns twice 4-3 and 10-7
with Jeff Heath hitting a three-
run homer in the first game and
Louis (Bobo) Newsom making an



REMINDER—Attractive
Lorraine Gauvin keeps her
soldier boy friend in mind by
wearing his shirt as she assem-
bles fuel pumps at the Ordnance
Depot, Fort Devens, Mass.

embarrassed return to the Browns
in the nightcap and getting belted
out in the third inning.

In the other American League
skirmishing Detroit divided a dou-
bleheader with the Chicago White
Sox, taking the first game 12-4 with
an 18-hit attack featuring homers
by Rudy York and Paul Richards
and dropping the second 4-1 to
Johnny Humphries' pitching.

In the National League the Chi-
cago Cubs crushed the Cincinnati
Reds twice 3-1 and 7-0 to vault into
fifth place. Bill Nicholson hit his
13th homer and made three other
hits in the second game.

The Giants topped the Phillies
10-6 and 3-2.

West Greenville And Trainers Split

Training School, won over West
Greenville's rejuvenated team Fri-
day by the score of 6 to 2. West
Greenville has been a sort of door-
mat for the league during the first
half, but now has strengthened
their lineup considerably and will
give all opposition a battle during
the second half of the split season
which begins on Monday.

Walterhurst, Minges and Cannon
were the leaders for West Green-
ville. Fleming and Farley were the
only two players able to hit safely
for the winners.

West Greenville 000 101-245
Training Sch. 402 200-824

Third St. won over West Green-
ville Saturday in a free game by the
margin of 9 to 5. It was a close
battle up until the sixth when
Third St. tallied three times. In
this inning White and Jones hit for
the circuit.

Tommy Eilers with four for five
and Cannon with two hits led the
attack of the losers. White, Bobby
Eyre and Jones did the smacking
for Third St.

Third Street 021 201 3-983
W. Greenville 200 201 0-585

Back the attack by upping
your payroll savings your
very next payday. Measure
your savings by your new
higher income.

BASEBALL

RESULTS
American League
New York 4, Philadelphia 2-3.
Cleveland 4-10, St. Louis 3-7.
Washington 9-5, Boston 2-4.
Detroit 12-1, Chicago 4-4.

National League
Chicago 3-7, Cincinnati 1-0.
Brooklyn 8-4, Boston 5-4.
New York 10-3, Philadelphia 6-2.
St. Louis 7-6, Pittsburgh 4-5.

Southern Association
New Orleans 5-3, Nashville 4-4.
Memphis 7-3, Atlanta 9-0.
Montgomery 9-2, Little Rock 3-3.
Birmingham 4-4, Knoxville 2-3.

Piedmont League
Sunday
Richmond 1-1, Norfolk 0-0.
Roanoke 6-1, Durham 2-3.
Fortsomth 9-8, Lynchburg 4-2.

Saturday
Norfolk 4, Roanoke 1.

STANDINGS

American League			
	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	47	30	.610
Washington	44	38	.537
Detroit	40	37	.519
Chicago	38	38	.500
St. Louis	38	39	.494
Cleveland	37	41	.474
Boston	36	43	.456
Philadelphia	34	48	.415

National League			
	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	49	28	.636
Brooklyn	49	35	.583
Pittsburgh	42	36	.538
Cincinnati	40	40	.500
Chicago	36	44	.450
Philadelphia	36	45	.444
Boston	33	42	.440
New York	33	48	.407

Piedmont League Through Sunday			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Fortsomth	56	18	.757
Richmond	47	30	.610
Lynchburg	39	41	.488
Norfolk	32	40	.444
Roanoke	30	45	.400
Durham	23	53	.303

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

New York, July 19.—(AP)—Inter-
ested in the "inside" of the ice game
these hot days, or would you prefer
to have some of the ice inside you?
Well, here's how we get it from
a couple of guys who can be called
"reliable sources." The National
Hockey League, which had plenty
of tough going last season, will be
an eight-club circuit with Cleveland
and Buffalo added.... It isn't that
Al Sutphin and Eddie Shore want
to give up that combination of mi-
nor league expenses and major
league gates, but there won't be
enough players for the American
League to operate.

Washington, Providence and may-
be New Haven will join the Eastern
—not's not call it amateur—League
and so will Atlantic City when the
army moves out of the convention
hall.... The figuring is that there'll
be enough kids available for the
eastern circuit without cutting in
on the physically "unfit" and the
married men over 25 who'll fill the
big league resters.... Of course
there's the ticklish question of get-
ting "clearances" for the athletes,
but if necessary the National League
will play only week-end games and
the players will work at war jobs
the other five days.

Not For the Book
Chicago scribes tell this one on
Jimmy Dykes, who is carrying on
his feud with umpires in a peaceful
manner this season.... It seems
Jimmy wasn't satisfied with the
umpire observation of a rather in-
definite rule banning quick returns
by pitchers so he clipped the item
out of his book and posted it in

Sicilians Welcome Yanks—Mopping Up In Captured Cities



Pausing in a town while moving up against Axis forces on the island of Sicily, three American pri-
vates (top), George Kater of Cedar Rapids, Ia., William Moss of Wheeling, W. Va., and Jesse A. Hamp-
ton of Louisville, Ky., found themselves surrounded by welcoming Sicilians. (At bottom) U. S. troops mop
up along a Sicilian street as trucks loaded with Axis prisoners roll back to the rear. Under a war depart-
ment ruling, faces of prisoners are blotted out. (Photos received by radio).

the umpires' dressing room.... A few
days later Dykes thought one of the
Philadelphia pitchers was making
quick returns so he started shouting
at Bill Summers about it.... "What
do you know about quick returns?"
Summers came back, "that rule
isn't in your book...." "And it isn't
either," Dykes ruefully admitted as
he displayed the mutilated page."

Monday Matinee

The Elkins brothers, who got
Johnny Greco into big-time fights,
are bringing a new middleweight,
Danny McGuire, down from Hailey-
bury, Ont.... Gunder Haegg's race
at Cleveland will be held at Bald-
win-Wallace College because the

AAA couldn't interest any of the
papers there in sponsoring the event
.... George Metkovich, the Coast
League whiz recently bought by the
Red Sox, is likened to Ted Williams
by no less an authority than Lefty
O'Doul, who taught Williams some
of the tricks of the hitting trade
.... Chaledona, three year old sis-
ter of the famed Chaledon, can
make the clockers' eyes pop out
with her early morning speed but
in the afternoons all she does is
make the bettors' blood vessels pop
with her lack of it.... Paul Florence,
the Birmingham Barons' "prexy-
bury, Ont.... Gunder Haegg's race
claims to have the solution of the
manpower problem. Says Paul:
"We are going to turn over to the

government all the men we have
left on base."

Today's Guest Star

Hap Burgess, Sioux City (Iowa)
Journal: "If the girls keep taking
over the sports jobs in the nation,
the gridiron press boxes this fall
will smell sweeter—if not so 'spir-
ited.'"

**This is a family war. Put
your WarBondbuying through
the payroll savings plan on a
family plan, which means fig-
ure it out yourself.**

Warship Battles Heavy Seas



En route to the fight fronts abroad, a U. S. warship battles
heavy seas and sends a billowing curtain of spray cascading down
her sides. Foam and spume sweep the deck as the bow smashes
through a wave. Full speed ahead is the order, no matter what the
weather.



TROUBLE FOR AXIS—Tanks and army motorized equip-
ment fill the huge storage yard of a tank depot operated by the
Ford motor company at Richmond, Calif., while awaiting ship-
ment to the fighting fronts abroad. They spell trouble for the Axis.

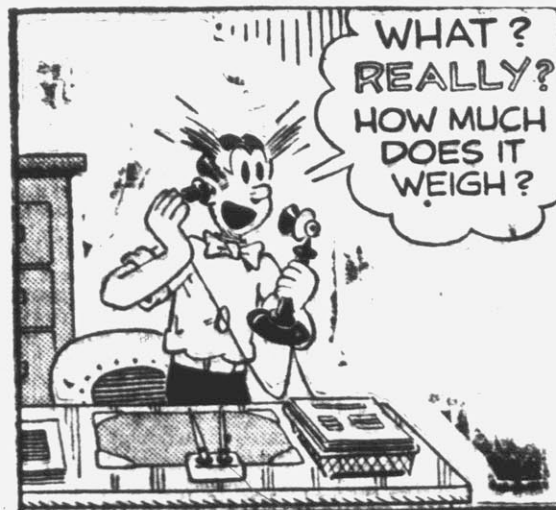
DAN DUNN—SECRET OPERATIVE 48



THIMBLE THEATRE—Starring Popeye



BLONDIE — by Chic Young



LAND SHIP—Far from the ocean is this "ship" at the Indian-
town Gap, Pa., military reservation where the Army trains steve-
dores to man ships supplying the world battlefronts. Here booms
load cargo aboard the "ship." The "ship" even has its pennants.

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GET YOUR ARSENATE OF LEAD NOW 15c pound Also Paris Green at 50c pound PITT F. C. X.

WANTED TO PAY HIGHEST prices for wheat, rye, barley, oats and other local grown grains. J. B. Kirtrell, Phone 2232. July 7-18t

CANTALOUPE FOR SALE at stand on 14th street. J. F. Arthur Jr. 14-6t

WANTED — COLORED BOY, 18 years old or over, to work in meat department. Apply Pender's, Evans St., Greenville. 15-1t

FOR QUICK SALE—NICE BROOD sow, weight 275 pounds, 7 pigs, 2 weeks old. Price reasonable. Jatha Dail, Harrington Farm, 3 miles NE of Greenville. 16-3t

CURED LEAF TOBACCO OF ALL TYPES will be worth real money this year, so protect it wisely. Fires do occur, and of course, you can't market the ashes. The wise thing to do is protect every leaf of your crop with adequate fire insurance. You and yours are entitled to this much consideration. So, let us SAFEGUARD you today. We'll do a satisfactory job of it. ERNEST WILLARD AGENCY (Across from Court House) 16-1t

FOR SALE—ONE 34-IN. DINING table, four chairs and sideboard. Solid oak. Call 3398. 16-3t

FOR RENT—NINE ROOM RESIDENCE, uptown. Apply 212 Washington St. 16-3t

WE NOW HAVE TURNIP and rutabaga seed, tobacco twine and thermometers, asphalt roofing and roof paint. J. A. Watson, Seed Hardware. 12-1t

FOR PROMPT AND SATISFACTORY plumbing repair work, call S. T. Hicks, Dial 2662. July 16-1m

WANTED—WASH AND GREASE boy for service station and garage. Stafford Oldsmobile Co., Phone 2016. 16-3t

WANTED—POSITION IN GREENVILLE by former teacher. Prefer office work. Dial 2265. 16-6t

FOR SALE IMMEDIATELY two half-ton Ford trucks, one panel and one sedan delivery, \$100 cash each. Sunshine Cleaners. 17-1t

ATTENTION LEAF TOBACCO DEALERS! Your 1943 Revenue Bond should be attended to NOW, so as to avoid delay in getting your registry number for the season. Don't wait until the last minute, see us now. Our office is just across from the Court House. ERNEST WILLARD INSURANCE AGENCY. 10-cod-14

FOR RENT—BUILDING FORMERLY occupied by Greenville Motors, Fifth Street. See F. W. Satterthwaite, Farmville, or W. L. Harrington, Greenville. Occupancy August 1st. 12-cod-10t

FOR RENT—ROOM WITH TWIN beds. Inner-spring mattresses. Call 3652-1 after 6 p. m. 311 Summit St. Mrs. S. E. Gates. 19-cod-3t

FOR SALE—ONE 1937 CHEVROLET truck, 11-2 tons. Motor in good condition. Tires fair—\$375 cash. Phone 3624-0. 19-2t

Hog Market

Raleigh, July 19.—(AP)—(NCDA) Hog markets steady with tops of 13.80 at Richmond and 13.45 at Rocky Mount.

Poultry and Eggs

Raleigh, July 19.—(AP)—(NCDA) Poultry and egg markets steady with light receipts.

Raleigh—U. S. grade A large (clean white) 48; grade A hens, all weights, 20 to 25.

Washington—U. S. grade A large 43 to 45; live poultry receipts and sales of insufficient volume to determine prices.

Grain Market

Chicago, July 19.—(AP)—Covering by traders who had previously sold short rallied wheat in the final minutes today, all contracts except July finishing with minor gains.

Earlier the market had slumped on leading pressure reflecting increased receipts at the principal terminals.

Oats and rye rallied from their lows along with the bread cereal but could not cancel all the earlier losses.

At the close wheat was 1/4 lower to a higher, July \$1.44 1/2, September \$1.44 1/2, oats were up a changed to 1/4 lower, July 69¢, and rye was 1/4-1/2 lower, July \$1.05 1/2.

New York Cotton

New York, July 19.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 5-10 cents a bale lower.

Month values were 20 to 30 cents a bale lower, Oct. 19.96, Dec. 19.78, Jan. 19.65.

Nervous liquidation influenced by favorable war developments and private reports noting the excellent condition of the crop to date, depressed cotton prices.

Futures closed 15 to 20 cents a bale lower.

Open Close Prev. Cl. Oct. 20.01 19.98 20.02 Dec. 19.83 19.81 19.84

May 19.54 19.53 19.56 July 19.42 19.39 19.43 Middling spot 21.33, off 7.

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, July 19.—(AP)—Except for assorted leaders generally were notably unresponsive today to the exceptionally cheering war news.

Transfers were around 900,000 shares.

Stocks at peaks for 1943 or longer included Standard Oil (N.J.), Pure Oil, Ohio Oil, American Telephone, U. S. Lines and Caterpillar Tractor. Support was accorded Goodrich, Montgomery Ward, Western Union and Westinghouse. Backward were U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, Goodyear, Allied Chemical, Douglas Aircraft, United Aircraft and Glenn Martin. Bonds were uneven and commodities shaky.

FINAL STOCKS	
Al Chem and Dye	161 1/2
Allegheny	2 1/2
Allis Chalmers	41 1/2
Am Can	90 3/4
Am Car Fdy	38 3/4
Am Rad and St S	10 1/2
Am Roll Mill	15 1/2
Am Smelt and Ref	42 3/4
Am Sug Ref	30 1/2
A T and T	157 1/2
Am Tob B	65 1/2
Anacosta	28
Arm III	5 1/2
A C L	33 1/2
Aviat Corp	5 1/2
Baldwin	17 1/2
Bendix Aviat	37 1/2
Beth Stl	64 1/2
Boeing Airpr	17 1/2
Borden	28 1/2
Briggs Mfg	29 1/2
Budd Mfg	7 1/2
Burl Mills	30 1/2
Bur Add Mach	14 1/2
Cannon Mills	47 1/2
Case J I	119
Caterpillar Trac	54 1/2
Chrysler	83 1/2
Coca Cola	121 1/2
Coml Credit	41 1/2
Coml Solv	15 1/2
Cont Can	35 1/2
Corn Prod	58 1/2
Curtiss Wright	8 1/2
Doug Aircraft	64 1/2
Dupont	157 1/2
Eastman Kodak	42 1/2
Firestone	42 1/2
Gen Elec	38 1/2
Gen Foods	43 1/2
Gen Mot	55 1/2
Goodrich	41 1/2
Goodyear	41 1/2
Int Harvest	72 1/2
Int Tel and Tel	14 1/2
Johns Man	85 1/2
Kennecott	33 1/2
Libby O P G I	42 1/2
Ligg and Myers B	72 1/2
Loews	63 1/2
Lorillard	20 1/2
Mack Truck	35 1/2
Mont Ward	48 1/2
Nash Kelv	13 1/2
Nat Biscuit	22 1/2
Nat Cash Reg	27 1/2
Nat Dist	33 1/2
N Y Cent	18
No Am Aviat	11 1/2
Otis Elev	20 1/2
Pac Mills	26 1/2
Packard	41 1/2
Penny J C	99 1/2
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FOR SALE—A BUILDING LOT 45 by 95 feet. Colored section. Near school. \$325 cash. To sell or buy see L. J. Smith, Real Estate—Insurance. 19-2t

Navy Effects ...

(Continued From Page One) nal success the more remarkable. Tonight heavily-bearded men of war who have suffered from hunger, aqualor, thirst and anxiety for more than a week slept once again without fear of molestation.

"It was an impudent thing to do, running up there," the commander of the protecting destroyer fleet said on his return, "but it was damned well worth while."

"The Helena's men were fighting men."

The commander explained that the force of destroyers—converted four pipers now known as APD's or destroyer transports—penetrated northward deep into the Japanese Solomons.

"We Americans do more than most other people to rescue our fighting men," he continued. "I am very happy our mission succeeded as smoothly as it did without interference from the enemy." He crossed his fingers and grinned. "We were lucky."

Having been aboard one of the rescue boats, I can attest that considerable luck was attached for during the entire period spent practically at a standstill off the enemy island, there were constant enemy contacts on our instruments.

While we were waiting for the return of our landing boats from the beach—humorously so-called—a Japanese bomber came over and dropped a stick of explosives across the stern of one of the destroyers, but the blast apparently did no damage.

At another point an enemy float bi-plane passed barely 100 feet above our ship, but fortune favored the brave. The moon ducked behind a black cloud at that moment, and we were unmoisted.

Fire in French City London, July 19.—(AP)—The Paris radio, in a broadcast recorded by Reuters, reported today that a great fire was raging in the French city of Rouen and damage already ran into millions of francs. It did not give the cause of the fire.

Leaf Program ...

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acres at less expense together with the stabilizing effect on the tobacco growers income have all been accomplished by tobacco control.

The majority of Pitt county farmers recognize that continued control on tobacco is of vital importance since unlimited acreage would reduce our production of war food and feed crops here as well as in the new tobacco areas should there be a tendency to increase tobacco acreage.

Leading farmers have expressed the hope that all farmers will go to the polls and vote which they say might have some influence on prices paid for this year's tobacco which everyone is so busy trying to save. The number of votes cast will indicate the farmers interest in their program.

It is the thought of men who study the financial condition of the county that the question of having or not having tobacco marketing quotas is of such vital importance to the county that all farmers should take time to go vote on the question. Farmers may vote for three years, one year, or against quotas. Two-thirds of the votes cast must be for quotas if they continue.

A navy of 15 battleships, 50 cruisers, 130 destroyers and eight aircraft carriers could be bought with the money saved by clothes rationing in Britain in two years.

The Gila monster is the only poisonous lizard in the United States.

Radio	11 1/2
Rep Stl	19 1/2
Reynolds B	31 1/2
Seab A L	14 1/2
Seab Oil	24 1/2
Sears	84
Sou Ry	26 1/2
Sperry	29 1/2
Sid Brands	7 1/2
Sid Oil N J	59 1/2
Stewart Warner	13 1/2
Tex Co	53 1/2
Tex Gulf Sul	41 1/2
Un Carb	85
Unit Alre	35 1/2
Unit Corp	15 1/2
Unit Drug	13 1/2
US Rub	43 1/2
US Steel	57 1/2
Vanadium	24 1/2
Va Caro Chem	5 1/2
Warner Pic	15 1/2
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West El Mfg	97
Woolworth	40 1/2
Yell T and C	18 1/2

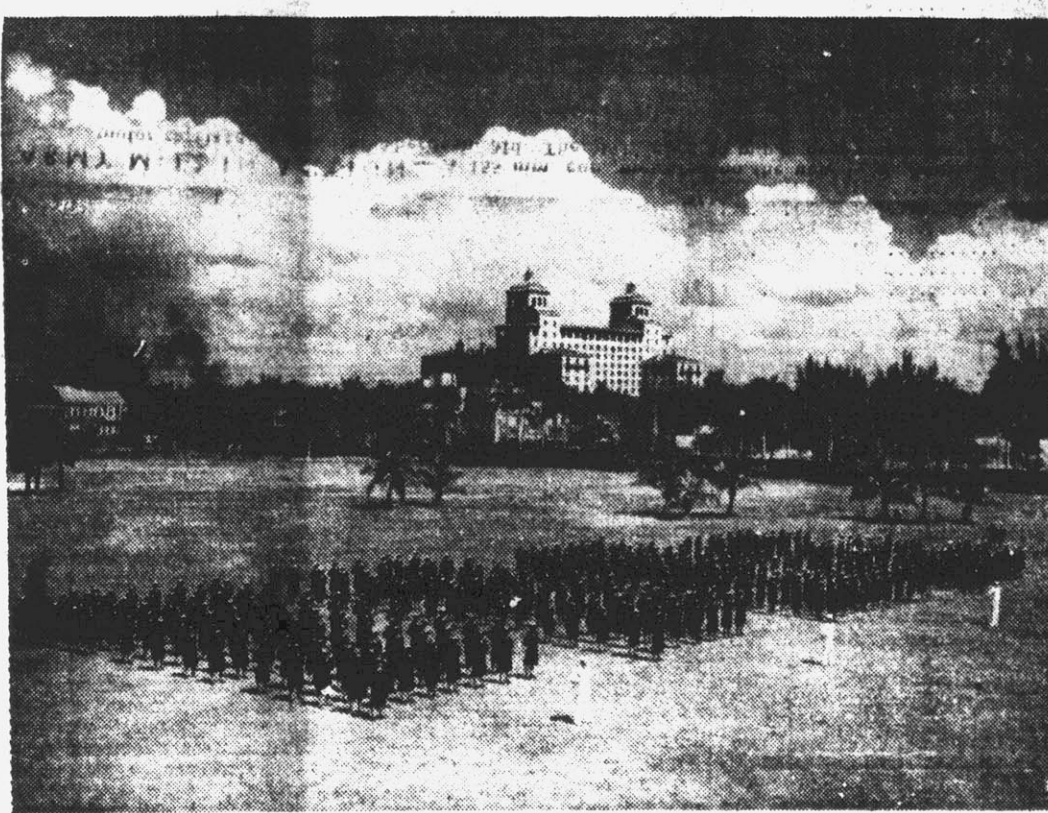


PARADE REST FOR SPARS—SPARS of the U. S. Coast Guard stand at "parade rest" on the grounds of the former Biltmore hotel, Palm Beach, Fla., where they are being trained.

Allied Forces Invade Sicily With Mules And Motorized Units



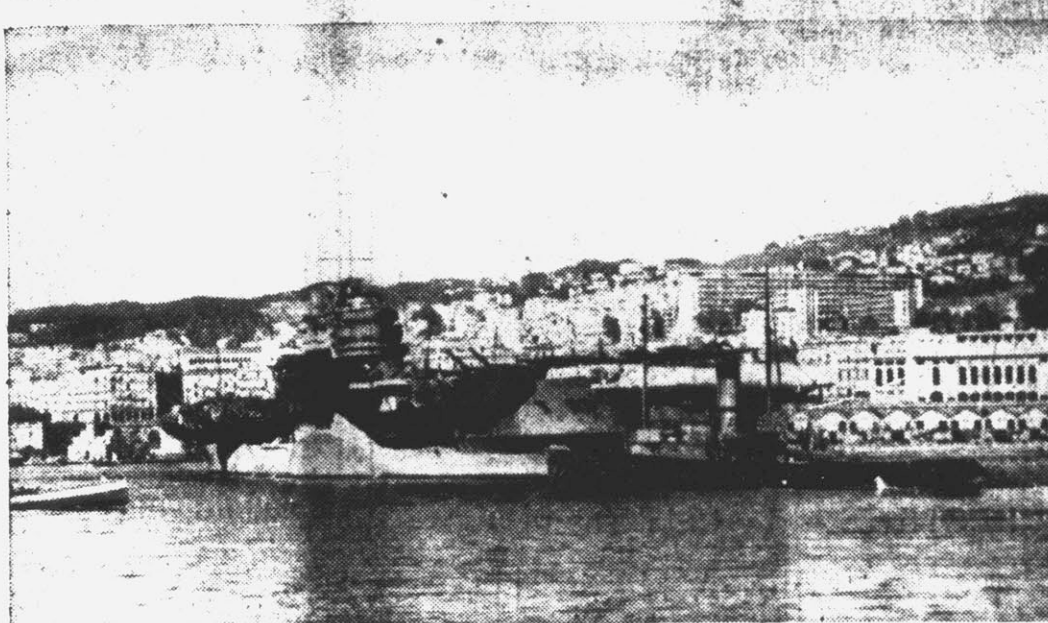
Not all of the equipment Allied forces took with them on the invasion of Sicily was mechanized, as evidenced by this radiograph received from the Army Signal Corps showing American troops leading army pack mules shoreward as they unload shallow-draft landing boats. A considerable portion of the Italian island's terrain is mountainous.



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ARMY M-12 IN ACTION—A 155 mm. gun, mounted on the new U. S. Army M-12 gun motor carriage, is fired at Aberdeen, Md. The M-12 does 30 m.p.h. over rough terrain.



AN ALLIED PORT NOW—Once an Axis stronghold, Algiers harbor now provides a base for Allied shipping. Here the British aircraft carrier Formidable ties up alongside the jetty.

PRELIMINARY CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION

To All to Whom These Presents May Come—Greetings:

Whereas, it appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that the Perkins Manufacturing Company, Inc., a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated at Evans Street in the City of Greenville, County of Pitt State of North Carolina (J. J. Perkins being the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served), has complied with the requirements of Chapter 22, Consolidated Statutes, entitled "Corporations," preliminary to the

issuing of this Certificate of Dissolution:

Now Therefore, I, Thad Eure, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 24th day of June, 1943, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereto set my hand and affixed my official seal at Raleigh, this 24th day of June, A. D. 1943.

THAD EURE, Secretary of State.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

Having qualified as administratrix on the estate of Thomas Moore, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before July 8, 1944, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This July 8, 1943.

MAVIS MOORE, Greenville, Route 3, Admrx. on the Estate of Thomas Moore.

July 8-1tw-6wk.

Russian Forces ...

(Continued From Page One) yesterday, capturing several villages and killing about 5,000 German troops.

The battle, which was intended by the Germans to pinch off the Kursk Salient and straighten out the line, continued to pile up heavy losses in the Nazi armored and air divisions, the Russians said. They announced they had knocked out 78 tanks and 137 planes on Saturday and said an incomplete check showed 20 more tanks destroyed yesterday to bring German losses to the staggering total of approximately 3,500 tanks and 2,000 planes in the last two weeks.

Russian communiques have indicated during the last two days that Red army troops were advancing steadily if somewhat slower despite adverse weather conditions. Their reports of the fighting showed that the Germans were nipping at the Soviet flanks and melting back in the face of determined Red army mechanized attack.

The midnight communique gave major attention to the Orel section of the front where the major Russian gains have been registered in this, their first, summer offensive. The area around Belgorod at the southern end of the salient where Field Marshal Guenther Von Kluge made a few small gains in the early days of the fighting, was the scene of intensified clashes between scouting parties, the communique said.

The Soviet bulletin did not identify the exact locality of yesterday's gains, but Russian dispatches during the last two days have indicated that the Red Army is within 1 mile of Orel in some localities and closer to the Orel-Bryansk railway.

British Forces ...

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Sicily. It is about 28 miles from the south coast, and only about 37 miles from the north coast.

Hardly ten miles further along to the northeast is Enna, described as the strategic center of the big island.

The Canadians and Americans gained contact after their captures of Calanissetta and Piazza Armerina and both armies then turned north in a rapid advance upon Enna, which has been called the "navel of Sicily."

Geographically it is almost the dead center of the island and it is the focal point of virtually every main highway cutting through that area. The general line of the advance of the whole front was now approximately even, from the left flank where the Americans were attacking, through the center, where the Canadians were in action, to the right flank where the British were battling.

The line was an average distance of about 50 miles from the coast. And some Canadian units had advanced 20 miles in a single day.

Meanwhile, Axis prisoners captured in Sicily mounted to 35,000, or more than a tenth of the entire German and Italian force with which it is estimated Gen. Alfredo Guzzoni started his defense of the island. Of these 23,000 were in American hands, and observers said the Italians were surrendering not as isolated groups but as organized army units. In one case an Italian company shot its German commander and gave up.

The most important moves were taking place on the eastern stretch of coast, however, where Gen. Montgomery's troops had battered back strong German units in the confidence of three large rivers across the Catania plain, thrown strong bridgeheads over the southernmost of these and gained control of the estuary three miles south of their strategic objective.

Resistance south of Catania was very strong, with German troops placed on each side of the Italians, it was stated, but the British were gradually widening their bridgehead across the river.

Allied bombers, besides upsetting the tranquility of Rome, took other severe cuts at Catania in the path of the Montgomery army, and American Lightning fighters made a brilliant kill of an entire formation of Junkers-52 transports used to ferry troops and supplies to Sicily.

The Allied communique said 35 of these transports were encountered over the Tyrrhenian sea, and every one of them was shot down. The formation was sighted between Sicily and the island of Ustica, off Sicily's north coast.

Other fleets of aircraft blasted the Italian mainland airbases of Fomigliano and Monte Corvino, and Randazzo, important communications point across Mt. Etna from Catania, where 24 tons of high explosives were dropped.

Reggio Calabria, the main bottleneck across the strait from Sicily, was the target of fresh blows by four-engined RAF Halifaxes and American Liberators flying from Middle East command air bases.

Attack bombers made a particular target of the roads connecting Enna with Palermo, Messina and Randazzo, bombing and strafing large concentrations of vehicles in an effort to isolate that mountain center.

A collection of 150 vehicles was badly shot up when it was caught retreating northward from Agrigento.

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