

WEATHER

Moderate temperatures this afternoon, tonight and Sunday forenoon. Showers along southeastern coastal area this afternoon.

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Report Germans Are Evacuating Smolensk Region

Reds Advance On 44 Mile Front In Drive To Outflank Nazi Base At Kharkov; Other Soviet Forces Bearing Down On Stronghold Of Bryansk

By HENRY C. CASSIDY Moscow, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Information received from Russian guerrillas behind the German lines today said the Nazis were carrying out a general civilian evacuation of the Smolensk region.

Smolensk, 220 miles west of Moscow and probably the most important German base in all Russia, would be endangered by complete deflation of the Orel salient.

The information from the partisans said the Germans were moving the population to the west and also taking away all metal and other potential war materials, even the tin roofs of houses.

Two Russian army groups which outflanked Kharkov from the north in a swift drive through Belgorod, were threatening the rear of the German positions around that third largest city in the Soviet union today, front line dispatches said.

Descending the valley by way of the Uby river, the Russians raced through Zolochov, 25 miles northwest of Kharkov in a flank attack similar to the action farther north which drove the Germans from Orel and opened the way for a simultaneous push toward Bryansk.

Both Kharkov and Bryansk, 275 miles to the northwest, were threatened by the broad advance. Russian troops battering their way westward beyond Belgorod have already advanced 27 miles to cut the Kharkov-Bryansk railroad at Zolochov, 25 miles to the northwest of Kharkov, the Russians reported.

The German radio said in a broadcast recorded in London that another Russian column was poised at Chuguyev, 24 miles southeast of Kharkov which gave rise to the belief that the Russian high command was preparing another pincer operation similar to the one which pinched off Orel at the north end of the Kursk salient.

The German communiques said the Russians were attacking strong infantry and tank formations southeast of Belgorod toward Kharkov, but declared the thrusts were turned back after hard and fluctuating fighting.

The Russians also were said to be attacking in the Orel sector, along the Mius and Middle Donets, southwest of Vyazma on the central front and south of Lake Ladoga on the northwest front. The communiques declared 117 Soviet tanks were destroyed on all fronts yesterday.

A Red army war communique, which indicated there was to be no letup in the initiative seized from the German army on the central front, announced that the month of fighting with pictures showing the German's ill-starred attempt to erase the Kursk salient had cost the 120,000 dead, and the destruction of 4,605 tanks, 11,000 trucks, 2,492 planes and 1,623 guns. In addition, the Russians said they took 12,418 prisoners and captured 621 tanks, 875 guns and 2,521 machineguns and 325 supply and munitions depots.

The momentum of the advance which brought the Red army into Belgorod on Thursday has carried them well beyond the city in the new offensive operations centering around the strongly-defended Kharkov area, the communiques said. The Russians said they already had captured 150 villages along a 44-mile front including the railroad town of Zolochov and seven district centers.

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RUSSIA URGES SECOND FRONT

Says Time At Hand For Attack on Western Europe

Moscow, Aug. 7.—(AP)—The Soviet publication "War and the Working Class" asserted yesterday that Britain, the United States and Russia were agreed in June, 1942, on the urgent problem of creating a second front but that more than a year had passed without action in western Europe.

Referring to agreements reached in Washington and London by Foreign Commissar Vyacheslav Molotov in 1942, the magazine said, "It was plain at that time that in any case a second front in western Europe would be opened in the spring of 1943."

The magazine, organ of the Soviet trade unions, asserted that at the Roosevelt-Churchill conference at Casablanca last January "it was decided that in the course of the first nine months of the present year our Anglo-American allies intended to carry out a thorough plan of operations wherein naturally the opening of a second front was included."

"However, the nine-month period is nearing an end and a second front in Europe still does not exist," the magazine continued.

"We consider it improper to diminish the importance of military operations carried out by our Allies, the very great importance of the numerous bombings of Germany by Anglo-American aviation, also the importance of aid the Allies are giving us in military and material supplies."

It asserted only a few German and Italian divisions had fought against a second front in Europe, such as the German Atlantic wall of fortifications limited shipping space or the threat of German counter-invasion of England.

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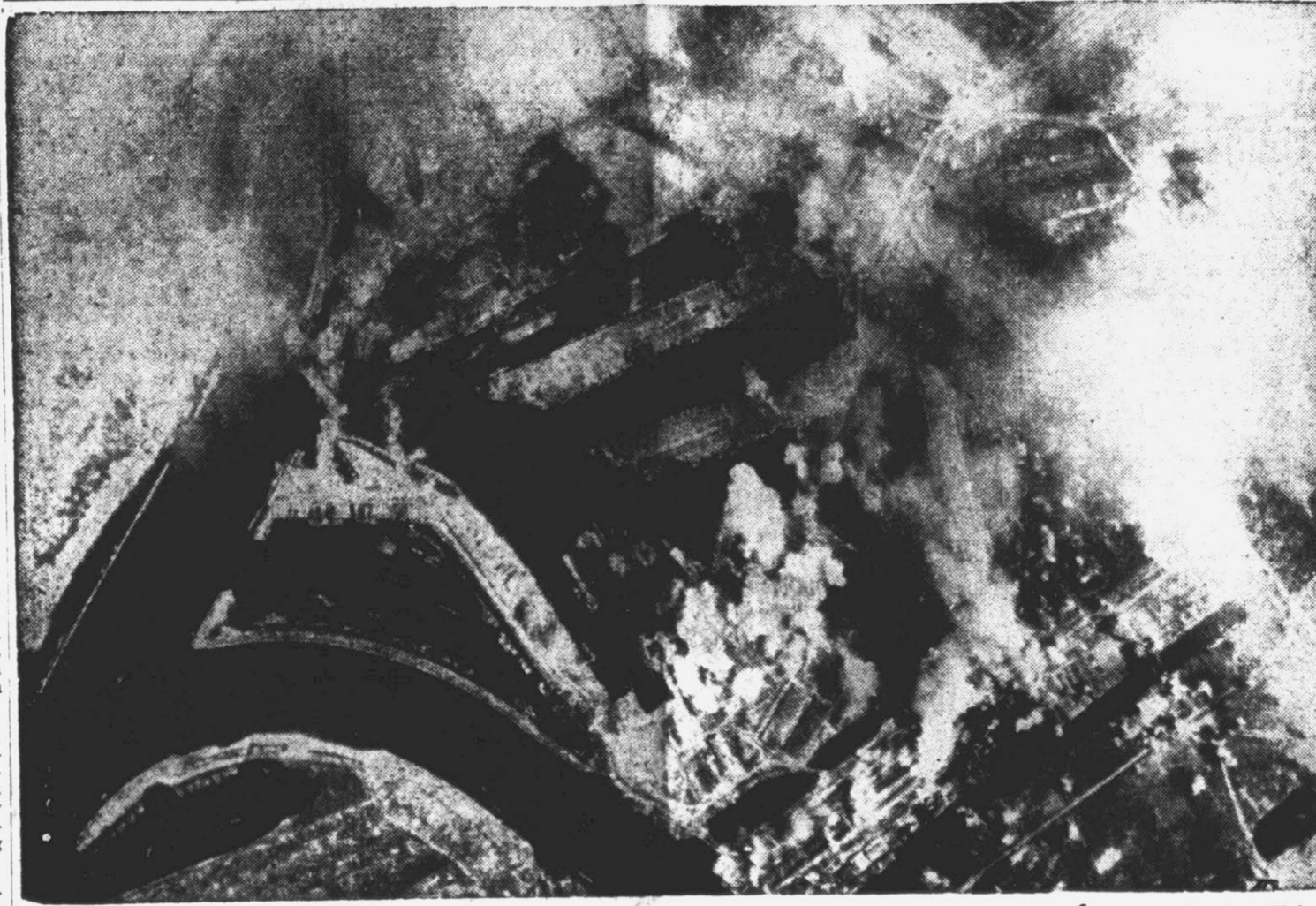
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"I never have been able to see why we should have one program for industry and another for agriculture," he said.

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Hamburg Shipyards Battered By Fortresses



While a screen of smoke from previous attacks hangs over the devastated port of Hamburg, bomb bursts hit the wrecked shipyard, U-boat production center in the port which gave haven to one-third of the German undersea craft. Hamburg was raided in greatest force by nine attacks in ten days. A Danish consular official estimates the cost in life at 200,000. (Associated Press photo from U. S. Army Forces.)

ASKS SUPPORT FOR FARMERS

Senator Says Increased Food Production Essential

Washington, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Government support of agricultural prices to encourage maximum food production was proposed today by Senator Aiken (R-Vt.) in an outspoken critique of the administration's rollback subsidy program.

Back from talks with farmers in his home state, Aiken told reporters he was convinced that a support price program such as already has been applied to potatoes and pork could be made to work for all major farm commodities.

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Series Of Discussions Indicates Nazi Crisis

Fear Of Berlin Bombings Causes Panic; Rumors Are That Hitler May Be Driven From Power

London, Aug. 7.—(AP)—The German International Information Bureau, a propaganda agency, said in a broadcast today that it was "understood in Berlin that a number of important discussions of a military and political nature have taken place in the fuhrer's headquarters the last few days."

This indication from German sources of a rising crisis came as reports filtered to London telling of fears in Berlin approaching a "state of panic" over the possibility of massed air raids on the German capital, serious strikes and German peace demonstrations.

The broadcast, also made by DNB, official news agency, said German newspapers had published photographs of such top Nazis as Reichsmarshal Hermann Goering, Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop, Gestapo Chief Heinrich Himmler, Propaganda Chief Paul Joseph Goebbels and Martin Bormann, chief of the Nazi party chancellery, at the scene of the discussions.

Also present, it was said, were Field Marshal Wilhelm Keitel, chief of the high command, Admiral Karl Doenitz, commander in chief of the navy, Air Force Field Marshal Erhard Milch, chief inspector of air forces, Col. Gen. Hans Jeschonnek, chief of the general staff of the air forces, Gen. Kurt Zeitzler, chief of the general staff of army ministry, and Artillery Gen. Alfred Jodl.

It was announced that the Japanese ambassador, Hiroshi Oshima, had been received by Adolf Hitler at his headquarters in the presence of Ribbentrop and Keitel on July 29.

Although he was last listed as a lieutenant general, the broadcast said the latest news reels showed Oshima wearing the uniform of a full general.

This curiously circumstantial account of the imminence of major decisions involving Hitler and presumably the whole course of the war was issued to the world on a day that saw speculation on the possibility of a military coup in Germany.

Included in this speculation were rumors that Hitler might be driven out, both as head of the Reich government and as supreme military commander, perhaps to be replaced by some military veteran.

Reuters, the British news service, quoted arrivals in Zurich from Berlin as saying that the capital's authorities were at their wits end to control a mass stampede from the city. Many arrests have been made among refugees from bomb-battered Hamburg. Reuters said to prevent their spreading stories of fantastic casualties in that north port city.

Berliners' fears that their city will be singled out for devastation when autumn nights make longer Allied raids possible were rowred heightened also. Swedish dispatches said when the RAF showered leaflets over the capital, warning that Berlin would serve as a sequel to the fate of Hamburg, which has become the world's most battered city.

Propaganda Minister Paul Joseph Goebbels has admitted a partial evacuation of Berlin but he said the list was restricted to non-essential residents.

Reuters also quoted reports heard in Istanbul that the Germans were preparing to proclaim Berlin and (Continued on page four)

PEACE PRAYER URGED BY POPE

Hitler Still Hopes To Hold Italy With Axis

London, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Roman Catholics throughout the world and the people of Italy in particular have been called upon by Pope Pius XII to turn to God "in penitence and prayer" that peace might be brought to the world.

In a letter to Luigi Cardinal Maglioni, papal secretary of state, the pontiff said that "we who carry in our soul the sorrow and anxiety of all shall not leave anything untried to substitute hatred with charity and struggle and victory with the serenity of peace."

The Pope's action came in the midst of warlike utterances by Premier Pietro Badoglio and while Italy's ultimate surrender to the Allies were fading on the battlefields of Russia and Sicily and in the bomb-shattered cities of Germany.

Typical of Badoglio's new militaristic propaganda line was a broadcast from Rome this morning that "a large number of lads under military age have asked to be allowed to join the army as volunteers."

The broadcast was heard by the Ministry of Information here.

It appeared, however, that Adolf Hitler has not completely abandoned hope of holding Italy in the Axis orbit. An Italian frontier report said that Nazi Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop met the new Italian foreign minister, Raffaele Guariglia, somewhere in northern Italy yesterday. While there were no details available on the subjects discussed, it was presumed the Nazi leader sounded out Italy's plans for the immediate future and her position regarding her alliance with Germany. How long von Ribbentrop planned to stay in Italy was not divulged.

Says Post-War Plan Necessary

Burlington, Vt., Aug. 7.—(AP)—It is the responsibility of the United States to help build a post-war world which will "by force, if necessary," stop aggressive wars from being started, according to Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox.

Addressing the annual meeting of the State Chamber of Commerce last night, he said that "unless we do this we will find ourselves once more in the situation we are in today."

"The reason we are fighting at all now," he added, "is the one fundamental one of self-preservation. Getting down to bedrock we are fighting for the preservation of the United States, its people and its institutions."

The Navy Secretary then proposed a "moderate" three-point post-war program. He suggested the nation should contribute its military strength toward world security, should establish an economic system providing for freer exchange of the goods of the world, and should set up an organization of the world in which peoples wanting freedom could achieve it.

More than three million people in the United States have syllabus. (Continued on page four)

American Forces Take Important Point In Sicily

AIRMEN BLAST JAP POSITIONS

Air Activity Increases Following Fall Of Munda

By C. YATES McDANIEL Allied Headquarters in the Southwest Pacific, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Vulnerable spots where the next blows against the Japanese may fall now that Munda is ours, felt the fiery impact of America's growing air might in the Pacific during raids reported in today's communique from Gen. Douglas MacArthur.

Our fighters whipped a numerically superior enemy in an air battle off southern Bougainville. That enemy air and shipping sector is the most formidable barrier still between us and Japan's mighty fortress of Rabaul, New Britain.

Our bombers "in all categories with a fighter escort"—a recurring phrase in Pacific reports which yet is new enough to excite the emotions—bombed Rekata Bay, a float-plane base, with 65 tons of explosives. It is on Santa Isabel island, northeast of New Georgia, flanking the line of advance and supply from Guadalcanal to Munda. Its elimination is vital.

Other bombers 750 miles to the west ranged along the New Guinea coast, wrecking the supply barges Japan is utilizing to maintain the garrison at Salamaua, New Guinea. Salamaua, menaced by Australians and Americans only five miles away is the objective of the left prong of the offensive which opened last June 30. Munda was the goal on the right.

On Munda, our jungle troops fanned out from the newly won 4,000-foot airstrip into nearby mangrove swamps tracking down fleeing stragglers of the crushed Japanese. More than 1,600 enemy dead have been counted and there likely are many more.

In the Bougainville air fight, 16 of our planes sought battle with 30 Zeros, downing seven while we lost one. The scene of the action was at Buin-Paisi which includes the enemy's Kahili airdrome.

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Approximately 350 tons of bombs were poured on the small strip of territory around Messina. The heavy concentration of enemy anti-aircraft guns about the port—described as rivaling the defenses of the Ruhr area of Germany—offered "considerably less fire" yesterday, returning airmen said, and no enemy planes were sighted.

Other Allied planes ranged over the narrowing Messina bridgehead, pounding road communications and supply centers around Mt. Etna and staging evacuation beaches on the coast.

No Italian troops were reported fighting anywhere on the Sicilian front. The powerful sledgehammer drives by the Americans and British again cracked the dwindling bridgehead still held by the enemy and with the Allied air power hammering enemy roads and beaches by air night, the Germans were in precarious position.

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Fortress Of Troina Captured After Bitter Fighting; British Warships Turn Big Guns On Coastal Points; Planes Bomb Messina And Mainland

By DANIEL DE LUCE Allied Headquarters in North Africa, Aug. 7.—(AP)—American First Division troops have stormed and captured the vital mountain fortress town of Troina in central Sicily and Allied forces advanced on other sectors to sweep up a total of 125,000 Axis prisoners, headquarters announced today.

"The German line is now disjointed" by seizure of Troina guarding the escape hatch west of Mt. Etna, it was announced. U. S. units inflicted heavy casualties on German elite troops descending the town in some of the most savage fighting of the entire campaign.

American naval forces occupied the island of Ustica, 40 miles north of Palermo, and Allied bombers shattered Messina in their heaviest attack devastating this last Sicilian escape port. British warships again pounded the east coastal road of withdrawal near Taormina.

The fall of Troina threatened to prevent junction of the German 15th armored division and German Goering division in their retreat toward Messina.

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The WAR TODAY AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEWS

By DEWITT MACKENZIE The Red army's triumph in the capture of Orel and Belgorod might develop into a situation which would produce the "second front" for which the Muscovites are again begging. The loss of these two heavily fortified, railway centers is a major defeat for the Nazis. Whether it actually will develop into a catastrophe depends on what reserve strength the Russians have with which to follow up their successes. Latest reports show the Reds smashing forward to capitalize the capture of the two key positions. Should the Nazis lose much more ground in these vital sectors, their high command would be compelled to withdraw their entire right wing which is now anchored on the Sea of Azov, west of Rostov. This in turn would force an adjustment of the rest of the front to the north and south of Lake Ladoga. If the Germans have to retreat, they likely will fall back in the first instance to the line of the Dnieper river. A withdrawal of this magnitude is one of the most difficult and dangerous operations in war. It could easily be turned into a rout. Thus we have on the eastern front the most favorable situation which has existed since the Russo-German war began. This new Russian success, coupled with the progress of the Allied operations in Sicily, is calculated to cause the Allied command to check immediately and seriously whether now is the moment for the (Continued on page three)

Jap Air Losses In China Nine To One

Kunming, Aug. 6.—(AP)—The store stands at 9 to 1 in favor of Maj. Gen. Claire Chennault's 14th American air force in the matter of enemy planes definitely destroyed at the end of 13 months of operations in China, it was announced today. This ratio does not include 166 Japanese planes claimed as probably destroyed in aerial combat. The figures, released at the headquarters of the 14th U. S. A. F., on the comparative enemy and American losses from July 4, 1942, when the United States took over from the American volunteer group to Aug. 4, 1943, show: Enemy losses in the air, 312; Enemy losses on the ground, 130—total 442. Enemy planes probably destroyed in the air, 166. United States losses in the air, 36; United States losses on the ground, 15—total 51.

END OF AN ERA Babson Appeals For Small Communities

Babson Park, Mass., August 6.—The end of Mussolini's 21-year rule over Italy came so suddenly that its significance has yet to be appreciated. It marks, however, a definite end of an era of confusion. The sands of all dictators are now running out. Whether governments of Fascists, Nazis, Revolutionists, Socialists or New Dealers or city dictators—their ends are in sight. We shall return to religion and democracy. We also face a return to relief—not to New Deal relief but to relief coming from one more demagoguery that what is fundamentally right will prevail. We, however, do face new economic problems that will arise in connection with post-war reconstruction. The Basis of Recovery To date, the rise in the cost of living has been kept within reason- (Continued on page three)

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Strength FOR THE DAY

By EARL L. DOUGLAS

FLOWING THE OLD LIFE UNDER

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Jesus told Nicodemus, a noted teacher of the Jews, that the thing he needed most was to be born again. He needed converting. He needed to start at the beginning, to open his life to the beneficent influences of the spiritual world.

THE SPIRIT THAT IS AMERICA

The spirit that is America—no word written, spoken, or printed can express it, it is too elemental; a force that descended upon Washington and the Continental Congress and was the guiding light when no human precedent could show the way.

The spirit that is America produced the Monroe Doctrine. It brought about the Louisiana Purchase. It prevented the building of fortifications between the United States and Canada and it won the West.

The spirit that is America enveloped Lincoln and made him immune to the barbed shafts of ridicule and criticism and although the assassin's bullet ended his physical being it gave him immortality. It was the spirit of America that carried this country through the trying days of the reconstruction period.

It was the spirit that is America that compelled the Star Spangled Banner and the Gettysburg address. It was the spirit that is America that brought about compulsory education for every citizen. It sprinkled libraries all over this country using as its instrument men of great wealth.

It was the spirit of tolerance that is America that made possible the National Conference of Christians and Jews, of which a former

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vice-president of the United States is president.

It was the spirit of cooperation that is America that guided our secretary at the Havana Conference and is building the great Pan-American automobile highway; and is bringing into closer affiliation the educational facilities of the Americas.

It was the progressive spirit that is America that produced the greatest inventions and made possible the greatest purchasing power of every citizen and gave to those who create by hand and brain the greatest returns for their efforts.

May it continue to inspire every artisan in our factories and the leaders of our military forces and remove from them jealousies and vaulting personal ambitions. May it turn our practical politicians into statesmen and weld us all into a more united hemisphere.

Up to 40,000 workers can be housed in the Pentagon building of the War Department.

The present ration of meat and pork in Sweden will be increased during the coming winter.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS 1. Early English court 5. So. American wood (acrel) 8. Individual 12. Person marked by a certain number 13. Crown boy 14. Wind spirally 15. City in Norway 16. Charm 17. Very soft mus. abbr. 18. Part 19. Exists 22. Natural covering of the head 24. Old French coin 25. Anglo-Saxon consonant 26. Kind of cloth 27. Sailor

Grid for crossword puzzle with numbers 1-27 and some filled-in letters.

WASHINGTON IN WARTIME

By JACK STINNETT

During Jack Stinnett's vacation his column is being conducted by members of the Washington staff of The Associated Press. Today's column is by Pat O'Brien.

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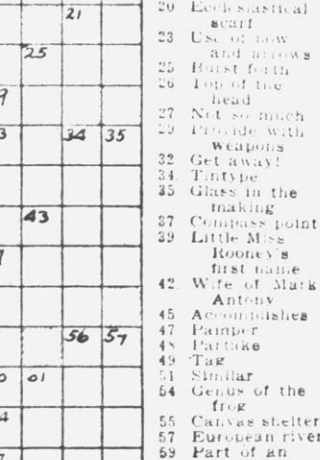
President Clark Griffith's experiment with all night games continues as successful as it has been in the first few weeks. Other major league clubs probably will fall in line with the idea before long.

Many of the clubs have suffered from attendance drops this season. Washington's gate has gone up about 35 per cent over a year ago. The average night game attendance here has been around 14,000. In the past few seasons, the Senators and their opponents performed in comparative privacy on weekday afternoons.

NEWCOMERS AND REMOVALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Herring have moved here from New Bern and are living on Park Drive.

DAN DUNN - SECRET OPERATIVE 48



MURDER IN TIN

By CARL A. PETERSON

Chapter 27 "Chevalle," I said. "I am not here to arrest you. My advice to you is to help me with Johnson. Any help you give will benefit you eventually. You're not a dangerous spy. You're a victim of circumstances. I said, appealing to his ego or rather to the piece of it. 'You're a victim. You're a casualty of this war. If not for your father, Chevalle, you would not be hiding in this hole. You're not dangerous like Johnson. I know that you're afraid of him. I can promise you safety. He doesn't know that I am here. I got the password from Sam Taggard. I know nothing," he said. "You advise me—? Suddenly he asked, 'How valuable is the tin mine?' His expression was that of a business man who cannot help getting a vicarious kick out of my story of fortune.

Notice of Sale of Land By Pitt County For 1942 Unpaid Taxes

Pursuant to Chapter 310 of the Public Laws of 1931 and Section 1715 of the Public Laws of 1939, and by reason of the non-payment of taxes due and owing Pitt County for the year 1942 by the undersigned persons, firms and corporations, I will on Monday, the 6th day of September, 1943, beginning at 12 o'clock M., and continuing until this sale is completed, before the Court House door in Greenville, N. C., offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash, the real estate of said delinquents briefly described as follows.

Table listing land parcels for sale in Greenville Township, including names like Abrams, John H., Jr., and amounts like 2.10 acres.

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BELOIR TOWNSHIP (White)

Table listing land parcels in Belvoir Township, including names like Clark, C. D., 46 acres, 19.37; Everett, C. E., 107 acres, 44.25; Hardy, John, 75 acres, 27.64; Clark, Ned, 48 acres, 10.16; Harris, Galen R., 38 acres, 33.12; Hathaway, J. A., 93 acres, 20.56; Lewis, Mrs. E. C., 40 acres, 15.57; Metropolitan Life Ins. Co., 30 acres, 9.60; Moore, W. D., 86 acres, 22.66; Morris, Mrs. Annie, 36 acres, 14.11; N. C. J. S. L. Bank, 108 acres, 7.60; Peader, Mrs. Bessie, 95 acres, 19.00; Pollard, B. S., 90 acres, 41.80; Scott, A. B., 35 acres, 12.64; Warren, E. T., 40 acres, 9.50

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This the 16th day of July, 1943. E. F. TUCKER, Asst. Clerk Superior Court Wm. J. Bundy, Atty. for Plaintiff. July 17-1w-4wk.

Any excuse you can give for not upping your payroll savings will please Hitler, Hirohito and puppet Mussolini.

Social and Personal

Social Calendar

TODAY

5:00 p. m.—The wedding of Miss Audrey Leggett and Staff Sergeant Carl Rex Porter will be solemnized in the Eighth Street Christian Church.

5:30 p. m.—Mrs. W. G. Leggett will entertain at a cake cutting honoring the Porter-Leggett wedding party.

MONDAY

6:30 p. m.—Rotary Club.

7:00 p. m.—Lions' Club.

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8:00 p. m.—Withla Council degree of Pochantons meets.

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Immanuel Baptist Society.

The Woman's Missionary Society of Immanuel Baptist Church will meet Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. A missionary program will be presented.

F. W. B. Circles To Meet.

The circles of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Free Will Baptist Church will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock as follows:

Black-Forbes.

Miss Jane Elizabeth Forbes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Forbes, Sr., and Lt. (jg) Robert Glenwood Black, U. S. N. R., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Black of Gallatin, Missouri, were married at high noon today at Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church.

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Upon arrival guests were greeted by Lt. and Mrs. James B. Hawes and Mrs. H. G. Best and directed to the punch bowl where punch was served by Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Forbes and Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Best.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. A. White received at the front door and presented the guests to the host and hostess and to the guests of honor.

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The color scheme was green and white. An imported lace cloth was used on the table. The centerpiece was a large silver bowl of white dahlias, white gladioli, baby's breath and fern, flanked by burning tapers in silver candelabra.

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At one end of the table was a three-tiered wedding cake. After the guests were assembled around the cake there was much merriment in the cutting of the cake—a sabre being used for the cutting.

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At the other end of the table the bride entered the church with her father, who gave her in marriage. She wore a wedding gown of white chiffon fashioned along simple lines with long fitted bodice and three-quarter sleeves.

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The maid of honor was Miss Margaret Little Blount of Bethel, cousin of the bride. She wore pale blue marquisette with fitted bodice and full skirt with a hat of gold straw. She carried an arm bouquet of Golden Charm roses tied with harmonizing satin ribbon.

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The flower girls were little Miss Martha Emily Moyer Hadley and Miss Anne Hamric, cousins of the bride. They wore identical dresses of pink taffeta made off-the-shoulder with long bouffant skirt and carried colorful bouquets of mixed flowers.

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Lt. James B. Hawes of Greenville and Fort Bragg, attended the groom as best man. Ushers were Jerry Harris of Oxford, Bert Moyer, cousin of the bride, Fred J. Forbes, Jr., and Sgt. John Mayo Forbes of Greenville and Fort Benning, Ga., brothers of the bride.

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The bride's mother wore a dress of dark brown chiffon with aqua trimmings with hat and accessories to match. Her corsage was of Talisman roses.

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Immediately after the ceremony, Mrs. E. A. Moyer, Jr., and Mrs. G. B. W. Hadley, aunts of the bride, entertained at a wedding breakfast at the home of Mrs. Moyer, honoring the wedding party, members of the families and out-of-town guests.

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Assistant hostesses were Miss Rose Hadley, Mrs. A. E. Shackell and Miss Jane Hadley.

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Mixed summer flowers were used throughout the spacious home, which was thrown ensuite, and tall tapers burned in silver holders.

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Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Perry greeted the guests upon arrival and they were met by Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Best, who introduced them to the receiving line which was composed of Mrs. E. A. Moyer, Jr., Mrs. G. B. W. Hadley, Lt. and Mrs. Robert G. Black and members of the bridal party.

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The guests were then invited into the dining room by Mr. and Mrs. S. T. White and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Forbes, where they were served from a beautifully appointed table centered with a crystal bowl of mixed flowers, by Miss Mary Hadley of Raleigh, Mrs. J. B. Hawes, Mrs. George F. Hadley and Mrs. Eugene Hamric.

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Following the wedding breakfast, Lt. and Mrs. Black left for a wedding trip to unannounced points. For traveling, the bride wore a two-piece suit of rich shade of vicuña brown faille with ice-blue trim, with a hat of brown fur felt to match the suit with which she wore accessories to match, and a corsage of Talisman roses.

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The WAR TODAY

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great adventure of landing an army in France. That might not fit in with current plans, but it seems likely that the Allied program is flexible enough (due to the smoothness with which things have been going in the Mediterranean theater) so that a quick change could be made.

One circumstance which might favor an invasion of France in the near future is the happy state of the Allied campaign of bombing western Europe. Careful analysis of the daily objectives of the Anglo-American air forces over a long period would indicate that much attention has been paid to "invasion points" quite apart from the big industrial centers and communication lines. We have been for instance, persistently bombing strategic centers in the valley of the Somme—one of the cockpits of the last war. That is one of the historic military routes to Germany.

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1:45—Pilgrim Hour, MBS.

2:00—This Is Fort Dix, MBS.

2:15—Dreamin' in Dixie, MBS.

2:30—Christ for the Crisis, TN.

2:45—Sammy Kaye's Orch.

3:00—Violin Melodies.

3:15—Bright Sun Four.

3:30—Adventures of Bull Dog Drummond, MBS.

6:00—News.

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HELP WANTED FOR SEED FEED and farm supply store. Write P. O. Box 609, Greenville, giving past experience and salary expected to start. 6-31

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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-eod-14

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**New York Cotton**

New York, Aug. 7—(AP)—(Old contract)—Cotton futures opened 10 to 20 cents a bale lower and closed unchanged to 20 cents a bale higher.

Open	Close	Prv. Cl.
19.95	19.97	19.97
19.80	19.85	19.83
19.64	19.71	19.69
19.51	19.55	19.54
19.37	19.44	19.40

Middling spot 21.23, off 2.

**N. Y. Stock Market**

New York, Aug. 7—(AP)—Buying interest in today's stock market continued feeble. American Telephone, Westinghouse and U. S. Steel showed resistance.

Chrysler, Goodrich, U. S. Rubber, Montgomery Ward, Sears Roebuck, Douglas Aircraft, Kennecott and American Can carried minor gains. Bonds were irregular with changes generally narrow. Commodities also were slightly mixed.

**FINAL STOCKS**

Allegheny	2 1/4
Alle. Chl. Mfg.	26 3/4
Am. Can.	85
Am. Cit. Fdy.	35 1/2
Am. T. & T.	35 1/2
Am. Sugar Ref.	39 1/4
Am. Tel. & Tel.	26 1/4
Am. Tob. B.	56 3/4
Anaconda	25 1/4
Arm. Ill.	57 1/2
A. C. L.	24 1/2
At. & T.	25 1/4
Atlas-Pow.	65 1/2
Baldwin	65 1/2
Bata. Mill	17 1/2
Bell. & A. V. L.	34
Beth. Stl.	58 1/2
Boeing Airpl.	15 1/2
Borg. Warner	28 1/2
Budd. Mill	6 1/2
Burl. Mills	27 1/2
Bur. Add. Mills	42 1/2
Canon. Mills	43 1/2
Case. J. I.	107
Caterpil. Trac.	48 1/2
Chrysler	75 1/2
Coca Cola	110
Com. Solv.	14
Cons. Can.	33
Corn. Prod.	58 1/2
Curtiss Wright	7 1/2
Doug. Air.	60 1/2
Dow Chem.	137 1/2
Firestone	37
Gen. Elec.	35 1/2
Gen. Foods	40 1/2
Gen. Mot.	50 1/2
Goodrich	36 1/2
Goodyear	35 1/2
Int. Harv.	66 1/2
Int. Tel. and Te.	13 1/2
Johns. Man.	83
Libby O. F. G.	38 1/2
Lip. and Myers B.	69 1/2
Loews	59 1/2
Lorillard	19
Mont. Ward	43 1/2
Nash. Kely	11 1/2
Nat. Discut.	21 1/2
Nat. Cash. Reg.	25 1/2
Nat. Dist.	39 1/2
N. Y. Cent.	15 1/2
No. Am. Aviat.	10
Packard	37 1/2
Param. Pix.	24 1/2
Penn. RR.	26 1/2
Pepsi Cola	48 1/2
Pullman	17 1/2
Pure Oil	9 1/2
Rep. Il.	17 1/2
Reynolds B.	29 1/2
Seab. A. L.	79 1/2
Seas.	79 1/2
Sou. Ry.	22 1/2
Spery	27 1/2
Std. Brands	7 1/2
Std. Oil N. J.	54 1/2
Stewart Warner	11 1/2
Tex. Co.	49 1/2
Tex. Gulf Sul.	39
Un. Carb.	82 1/2
Unit. Arc.	31 1/2
Unit. Corp.	14 1/2
Unit. Drug	12 1/2
US. Bus.	46 1/2
US. Steel	52 1/2
Vick. Chem.	31 1/2
Va. Caro. Chem.	3 1/2
Warner Pic.	12 1/2
Western Union	36
West. El. and Mfg.	90 1/2
Woolworth	37 1/2
Yell. T. and C.	17 1/2

**TIMELY COMEDY COMES TO PITT TWO DAYS**



Charles Coburn is put on the pan by Joel McCrea and Jean Arthur in scene from "The More the Merrier" hilarious comedy at the Pitt Sunday and Monday.

**Breezy Program At Meeting of Kiwanis American Forces . . .**

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ing barrage over the enemy's Troina stronghold for three days in succession, finally knocked out the German defenders.

With many detachments of the depleted German 29th motorized division staying at their machine-gun and mortar nests to the last, the enemy suffered an exceedingly high ratio of dead and wounded under the Americans' round-the-clock drive.

The Sicilian front on July 20 was 175 miles wide. Today its narrow width of 45 miles enabled the employment of tremendous firepower and air power by the Allies.

Allied air forces smashed again at Naples, an Allied communique said, and British warships bombarded Taormina between Catania and Messina in Sicily.

American destroyers patrolling south of Lipari islands off the northeast coast of Sicily Tuesday night sank one heavily-armed enemy lighter and one of two escorting E-boats.

The British navy besides pounding the vital coastal road near Taormina also patrolled waters close inshore, and minesweepers are clearing the channel into Catania, the communique said.

American destroyers patrolling off Palermo drove away five enemy E-boats, and patrol torpedo boats have swept the waters as far east as the Gulf of Gioia on the west coast of the toe of Italy without meeting enemy sea traffic.

**German Move To Occupy Hungary**

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Ankara, Aug. 6—(Delayed)—(AP)—The first steps toward the total Nazi occupation of Hungary were believed to be under way today, following reports that the Germans were increasing their garrisons in that country under the guise of sending troops through Hungary enroute to Greece.

The Germans, it was reported, have maintained steady pressure on the government of Premier Nicholas Kallay to send troops into other Balkan countries to replace the Italians, but the Hungarians have refused the request even in the face of open threats that their own country will be occupied.

An official statement indicated that the Hungarian government has no intention of submitting to German demands that it send troops out of the country to meet a possible Allied invading army.

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open city and remove the ministries and other services to Dresden, Leipzig, Munich and Prague.

The Zurich Die Weltwoche said that strikers demanding peace had piled new troubles upon Germany's already over-taxed war industries, that workers in some factories in Austria had refused to work and their action had been followed in Stuttgart and Berlin factories. Promises of increased rations and the presence of Nazi Elite Guard members in the factories failed to deter them, the newspaper said.

The collapse of Benito Mussolini and his Fascist regime has struck German morale with the weight of a "political Stalingrad," whose final effects on the Axis may be much more important than has yet been indicated, said Die Weltwoche.

No other single event of the war has resulted in a comparable blow to the morale of the German people except the disastrous defeat at Stalingrad, the newspaper said and this view was reflected in reports from other neutral countries bordering the Reich.

**Production Lag . . .**

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plants.

Labor turnover: All officials agree—including labor representatives on WPB—that this is the "biggest human handicap" in boosting production.

Gradually creeping into the news now is the suggestion that a labor draft law may be necessary to keep workers in one war job or to shift them from a less essential job into a more essential one.

But at the same time industry men walk into WPB offices here complaining that the armed services draft is stripping their lathes and assembly lines of men, while important time is lost training replacements.

Meanwhile it is no secret—though details may not be given for security reasons—that some finished munitions are so defective they cannot be used, thus holding up delivery and ruining schedules.

**CARDS END RECORD OF RIP SEWELL**

**Veteran Pitcher, However, Still Remains On Top In Major Leagues**

By TED MEIER  
Associated Press Sports Writer

Rip Sewell's 11-game winning streak for the Pittsburgh Pirates ended abruptly last night as the first place St. Louis Cardinals pounded out an 8 to 3 triumph.

The 35-year-old Sewell and his tantalizing slow ball had hand-cuffed National League hitters since June 9 when he lost a 4 to 3 game to the Cards at Sportsman's park. In his next start he beat the Chicago Cubs, 4 to 2, and followed with victories over Cincinnati, Chicago, Cincinnati, Philadelphia, Brooklyn, St. Louis, Philadelphia, Brooklyn, New York and Boston for the longest winning streak of the year.

His bid for his 18th victory came to grief through the hitting of Stan Musial and Ray Sanders, backing up Max Lanier's five-hit pitching. Musial, league-leading swatsmith, whacked out four hits in four times at bat while Sanders drove in five runs with a double and triple. Sanders' two-bagger in the first inning with the bases loaded wiped out a 1-0 Pittsburgh lead his triple in the seventh came with two on and put the game on ice.

Although beaten, Sewell remains the standout twirler in the Majors with a record of 17 triumphs against three defeats. He has lost twice to the Cards and once to the Braves.

**Goldsboro Girl Sets New Record**

By SCOTT SUMMERS  
Tarboro, Aug. 7—(A.P.)—After breaking records in 11 out of 21 events yesterday, the more than 100 swimmers entered in the ninth annual outdoor Carolinas AAU championships took a rest this morning and then settled down to the serious business of swimming this afternoon.

Goldsboro's Peggy Pate is shooting for a new record in the women's junior national AAU 200-meter breaststroke this afternoon. She swam the same distance four seconds under the national mark in the CAU event yesterday.

Adolf Keifer, holder of all world backstroke records, and Ensign Jack Smith, formerly of the New York Metropolitan AAU and champion diver, were on hand today. Keifer will try to lower several of his own records today and Sunday and Smith will perform in exhibitions today and tomorrow. Both will also give a demonstration of the type of swimming taught at the physical training school of the U. S. Navy at Bainbridge, Md.

Two other navy men due to arrive by plane from Pensacola, Fla. today are Lt. Mahan and Lt. Weirner, who have entered the service men's events which start today.

"Rat" Boykin, former Tarboro swimmer, wired that he was bringing a surprise from the Louisville, Ky., army glider pilot training school at which he is stationed.

**Junior Sports**

West Greenville Vs. Third Street. The league leading West Greenville softball team lost a game to the hard-hitting Third Street aggregation yesterday, 15-10.

Pleasant, Jones, and Jordan the winners at bat, while Mir and Ellers were best for the losers.

Third Street . . . 502 107 0—15 15  
W. Greenville . . . 003 034 0—10 10

**East End Vs. Training School**

Jean Pease, the only girl player in the league, hit a home run yesterday, but East End lost to Training School nevertheless, 10-1.

Training school had too much power at the plate for East End to overtake a nine run lead, piled up in the first four innings.

Rouse and Clayton hit well for the winners as did Bobby Pease for the losers.

East End . . . 100 000 0—1 5  
Training School . . . 143 200 0—10 14

**Batting Averages For Those Hitting 250 or More in Junior Softball**

Pease, B., East End	432
Five, B., Third Street	403
Ellers, West Greenville	394
Allgood, Training School	393
Blair, L., East End	370
Minges, West Greenville	368
Jones, Third Street	322
Cannon, W. Greenville	310
Lupton, Training School	310
Joseph, Third Street	285
Northrup, Third Street	282
Pleasant, Third Street	264
Fleming, Training School	259
Jordan, Third Street	255
Clark, L., East End	255
Stokes, Third Street	251

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**High Food Prices Caused Harlem Riot**

New York, Aug. 7—(AP)—While the death toll of the recent Harlem rioting rose to six early today, the district office of the Office of Price Administration announced it would open a branch in Harlem to check food prices, which were cited by Negro leaders as an underlying cause of the disturbance.

Commenting on the announcement that a Harlem branch of the OPA would be formed, H. Woodruff Howell, chief district OPA Price Executive said: "We have wanted to do this for a long time. The trouble up there last Sunday touched it off. X X X We believe that there are tremendous economic pressures in Harlem. If for no other reason, food prices are higher there and we want an office in that section that can act."

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**THUR.-FRI.—**  
Stembeck's John

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