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Nazi Base At Bryansk In Range Of Red Artillery

Russians Push To Within 12 Miles Of Key City; Vital Railway to Vyazma Cut; Offensive Continues In Other Sectors With Gains Up to 20 Miles

NAZI BASE—3 COL. 48—M. London, Sept. 13.—(AP)—Bryansk, big German base and key to the Nazi defense position on the central front, was menaced by Russian heavy artillery today as Red army troops drove to within 12 miles of the city from the east.

A Soviet communique, broadcast from Moscow, disclosed that Russian troops were at Belye Berega after a four-mile drive which resulted in the capture of 40 villages in bitter fighting. The advance was ground out in a sector notable for stubborn German resistance since the fall of Orel a month ago gave the Red Army its first major victory of the summer offensive.

Elsewhere the Russians were meeting with success in their campaign to push the Nazis to the Dnieper or beyond before winter, gaining up to 18 miles and wresting 240 towns from German control in heavy fighting which resulted in the death of 3,700 German troops and the destruction or capture of 67 tanks, 210 trucks and 62 guns of various caliber. The Soviet war bulletin said:

The stab at Bryansk threatened to unsettle the entire northern end of the 600-mile active Russian front. Other Red army columns cut the Bryansk-Vyazma railroad at Bitosh, 40 miles north of Bryansk, leaving only the railroads through Roslavl and Gomel as possible avenues of escape for the Nazis. Roslavl, 80 miles northwest, already was menaced by another Russian column. Capture of that city midway between Bryansk and Smolensk would place heavy pressure on Smolensk, which is the main German base in the central front.

Other Russian troops were advancing along the Kiev-Konotop railway toward Kiev, capital of rich Ukraine, and were closing in on Mezhin, large railroad junction town only 72 miles northeast of Kiev. Some of the most bitter fighting yesterday, the Russians said, took place in the region between the Psel and Vorskla rivers as the Red army edged forward two miles to gain a foothold in Poltava province. On the Sea of Azov the Russians had swept 15 miles beyond the port of Mariupol and were heading toward Melitopol, 85 miles to the west, a rail center on the line leading into the German-held Crimea.

New Attack On Kurile Islands

New York, Sept. 13.—(AP)—The Japanese Domei agency said in a broadcast today that 12 American bombers attacked Japanese installations in the northern Kurile Islands yesterday. The broadcast was recorded by the Federal Communications Commission.

The Kurile stretch northward from Japan and include the principal North Pacific naval base at Paramushiro. Domei admitted that two Japanese transports were set afire but said damage to land installations was "extremely light. Land batteries and army and Navy armor shot down many American planes," the broadcast said, adding that Japanese losses consisted of one plane.

Italians Urged to Fight. London, Sept. 13.—(AP)—"Hit the Germans and hit them hard," the United Nations radio in Algiers urged the Italian people today. The broadcast declared "the next few days are decisive. Show yourselves worthy of the aid the United Nations are giving you. Have faith in the future."

Congress Returns From Summer Recess Tuesday

By ALEX H. SINGLETON. Washington, Sept. 13.—(AP)—Congress returns tomorrow from a summer recess to work for the war and prepare for the peace.

International and domestic problems of historic import confront the refreshed lawmakers as they resume their legislative chores in an atmosphere brightened by the surrender of Italy. Immediate congressional attention was focused upon the direct problems of war and their impact on the domestic economy—problems of raising revenue, of rationing, of mustering manpower for production and for the military forces.

Ahead are questions of long range legislation—issues and controver-

Round Trip To Victory Over Japs



Over the rugged Owen Stanley mountains of New Guinea moves a steady line of transport planes, nose to tail like circus elephants, speeding troops and guns to the siege of Japan's air base at Lae. Plane take off from Port Moresby, main Allied base on the south of the Papuan peninsula, flying over the mountains to a captured air strip near Lae to unload for the return trip (as shown on map). There are an estimated 20,000 Jap troops encircled at Lae and Salamaua. The Allies yesterday reported capture of the Salamaua airfield.

British Preparing For Big Drive Against Japs

Heavy Naval Units And Commandos To Be Sent To The Far Eastern Area

By ERNEST AGNEW

London, Sept. 13.—(AP)—Great Britain was reported today to be transferring many of her heavier naval units to the Far Eastern fleet under Admiral Sir James Somerville for the opening of an Allied payoff drive against the Japanese in southeast Asia this fall.

Lord Louis Mountbatten's new Southeast Asia command forces probably will be strengthened, too, with the transfer of some thousands of commandos from Britain—perhaps for operations against such outlying points as the Andaman Islands, which the Japanese have been using as a submarine and seaplane base and against the Nicobar group in the Bay of Bengal.

It is anticipated here that the coming offensive will be on a far greater scale than anything attempted thus far in southeast Asia and will get under way some time in October when the monsoon season ends.

In addition to early operations against outlying islands now in Jap hands, (Continued on Page Six)

Passenger Train Wreck Kills Two

Howard City, Mich., Sept. 13.—(AP)—Wreckers worked today to clear the Pennsylvania railroad tracks three miles south of here where a passenger train was derailed last night with death to the engineer and fireman.

No serious injuries among the approximately 100 passengers were reported.

The cause of the derailment, which took place about 8:30 p.m. (Central War time), was sought by investigators.

Men and money appear likely to precipitate the first two debates, but perhaps before either issue—the father draft and taxes—is settled, Congress will turn its attention to international policy.

Pending before the House is a simply worded resolution, sponsored by Rep. Fulbright (D-Ark.), which would put the House and Senate on record in favor of world legislation—issues and controver-

Aussies Take Jap Airfield At Salamaua

Fate of Jap Garrisons Trapped In New Guinea Believed Sealed

By C. YATES Mc DANIEL. Allied Headquarters in the Southwest Pacific, Sept. 13.—(AP)—The Japanese garrison at Salamaua today made desperate attempts to keep open a trail to Lae, its only channel of escape, so tight was the Allied surface and aircraft blockade along northeastern New Guinea's coastal barge route.

Australian pioneers who swam the flooded Francisco river Saturday had overrun prized Salamaua airfield two miles from the city without encountering resistance. Auzac troops who followed the pioneers across the river were last reported pushing Japanese remnants holding a ridge one mile and a half northwest of Airstrip.

In a drive around the outskirts of Salamaua, Australians saw no Japanese except the fallen, abandoned and decomposing amid the ruins of a stronghold virtually obliterated by hundreds of tons of bombs since the first Allied air attack on April 1, 1942.

Even if the survivors of Salamaua garrison succeeded in reaching Lae, their fate was sealed. For Japanese failure to offer serious resistance to the Australian landing from American naval craft on the Huon Gulf, Sept. 4, and the apparent inability of the enemy to smash an Allied bridgehead on the Lae side of the wide, swift-flowing Busu river seemed a clear demonstration of the decisive success of the Allied command's strategy.

That strategy was to weaken Lae garrison to a point where it could not hope to fight its way free of an Allied trap, set by the Australian-American drive to Salamaua, and sprung by the seaborne landings north and airborne landings west of Lae.

After seizing the airfield, Australians drove north and east toward Salamaua, two miles away, and made a fresh contact with the enemy along a jagged ridge a mile and a half north of the airfield.

At the same time seaborne Allied troops from the east and airborne forces from the northwest slowly closed their lines on Lae, 18 miles above Salamaua.

Both fighting units encountered opposition, but neither today's Allied communique nor a spokesman for Gen. MacArthur gave any suggestion that they were checked seriously.

The troops on the northwest were reported last night to have driven (Continued on Page Six)

Kai-Shek Named President China

Chungking, Sept. 13.—(AP)—Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek was elected President of China to succeed the late Dr. Lin Sen at a meeting of the Kuomintang central executive committee today.

Under a revision of the national government's organic law adopted Saturday, Chiang becomes president, commander-in-chief of China's land, air and naval forces.

In a statement to the central executive committee, Chiang expressed the hope that the communists would redeem their pledge of 1937 to give up the Communist movement, dissolve the Soviet organization and disband the Red Army by incorporating it into the national army.

New classifications will be halted throughout the nation at midnight Wednesday while all local draft boards review their records to see that men without dependents are classified properly.

Registrants classified in 2-A and 2-B by mistake, and non-fathers who were placed in 4-F but who now are physically able, will be reclassified.

All state directors have been notified to divide their allocations for October into two calls. The first will be for non-fathers. These will be taken without regard to local selective service board areas. If the state's full quota is not obtained through the first call then a second will be made to fill the remainder of the quota with fathers.

Wednesday also is the last day for men in non-deferrable jobs to register with the United States employment service for placement in other occupations.

Those in non-deferrable activities are being reclassified without regard to dependency status unless they submit evidence that they have registered for a transfer.

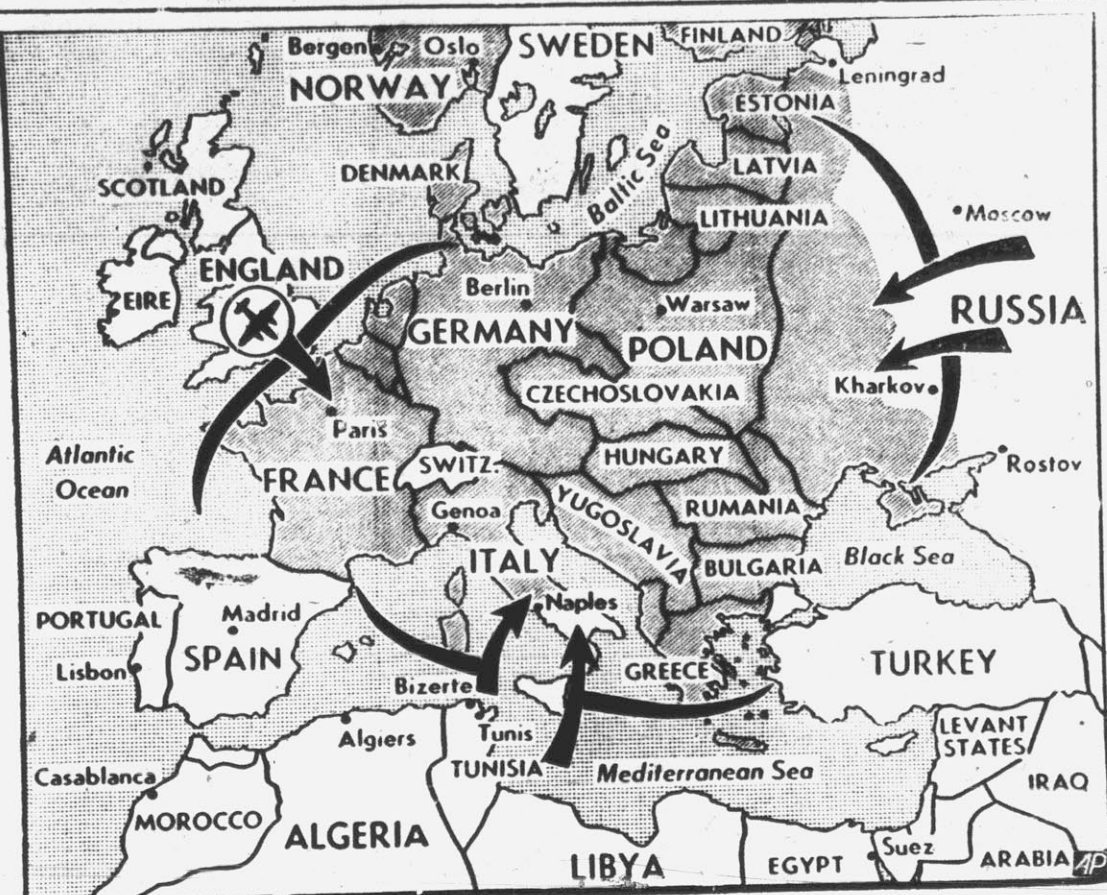
Bad Weather Holds Planes On Ground. London, Sept. 13.—(AP)—The RAF's heavy night bombers and American Flying Fortresses are believed to be awaiting a break in a stretch of bad weather before resuming their long-range campaign against Berlin and other Nazi war centers.

American heavy bombers have not left base since the climax of the eight-day, round-the-clock assault last Thursday, and the RAF's heavy bombers have made no major raid since the Munich assault of a week ago. Some Wellingtons and Stirlings, however, were reported to have participated in an attack on French channel ports Wednesday night.

An attack by a combined force of American Marauders, RAF Mitchells and Typhoons on French shipyards and airfields Saturday indicated that the Allies were not planning to give the Nazis any prolonged rest.

Germany Strike Savagely At Americans At Salerno

Germany Squeezed From Three Sides!



The arrows on this map indicate the three-sided Allied offensive against Germany and her occupied territories (shaded areas) in Europe. Late reports from Allied headquarters in North Africa said the American Fifth Army, which stormed a beach on the Italian coast near Naples, September 9, had widened its foothold in the area including the capture of the port of Salerno. British landings on the east coast of Italy turned a further threat of invasion of the Balkans. Meanwhile the Allied air offensive from England continues and the Russians on the eastern front are scoring victory after victory over the German in that area.

More Italian Vessels Reach Malta Today

MRS. COWELL DIED SUNDAY

Funeral Services Conducted This Afternoon

Mrs. W. J. Cowell, 85, oldest native of Greenville, died at her home, 410 East Fourth Street Sunday afternoon at 3:15 after a long illness.

Funeral services were held at the home this afternoon at 5 o'clock by Rev. George W. Perry, pastor of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church. Burial was in Cherry Hill Cemetery.

Survivors were Ralph Hardee, Joe S. Mow, wife Lipscomb, S. B. Underwood, Jr., B. S. Warren, John Overton, W. H. Woolard, Jr., and J. G. Fleming, Jr.

Mrs. Cowell before marriage was Zula T. Russell. She married the late W. J. Cowell in January, 1881. He died in March, 1941. Surviving are three daughters, Miss Martha Lee Cowell, assistant cashier of the Guaranty Bank and Trust Company, Greenville; Mrs. R. C. Henry (Continued on Page Six)

The WAR TODAY

AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEWS

By DEWITT MACKENZIE. Hitler's screams of rage at Italy's treachery, and his feverish efforts to offset the debacle with a stampede of such theatricals as the establishment of a puppet government in Rome, show clearly that the moral effect of his Axis partner's collapse is like a knife between the ribs.

Frequently it's difficult to separate the moral and military effects of a military setback like this. At a confused moment like this, the moral shock so quickly follows the military setback.

Recognition of this drove the Fuehrer to the microphone Saturday to try to prevent a stampede of such treachery as the establishment of a puppet government in Rome, show clearly that the moral effect of his Axis partner's collapse is like a knife between the ribs.

At least twice the master gangster trotted out the old bugbear of Allied intention to destroy Germany and other Axis countries—one of propaganda minister Joseph Goebbels' favorite lines.

Why did Hitler return to this idea so insistently? Undoubtedly because

Total Of 38 Italian Warships Now In Allied Hands; Others Expected

London, Sept. 13.—(AP)—Another Italian naval force arrived at Valletta, Malta, today, including the 23,000-ton battleship Giulio Cesare, the 5,000-ton seaplane carrier Giuseppe Miraglia, four destroyers and a number of submarines.

The arrivals brought to at least 38 the known number of Italian warships in Allied hands, and naval authorities waited for word of other arrivals from a score of Mediterranean bases.

Six of Italy's seven battleships now have been accounted for. Five are in Allied hands, the Roma was sunk by German planes, and only the 35,000-ton Imperio remains unreported.

The 35,000-ton battleships Italia and Vittorio Veneto and the smaller 24,000-ton Andrea Doria and Duilio as well as six cruisers, eight destroyers and 14 submarines, arrived at Malta late last week, shortly after the armistice was announced.

A dispatch from Madrid, however, said that an Italian cruiser and four other warships, destroyers and gunboats had been interned at Port Mahon in the Balearics for overstaying the 24-hour leave as provided by international law.

Two other Italian destroyers, the dispatch said, departed from Palermo, Mallorca, one of the Balearic Islands, last night after landing 25 wounded.

Seven of Italy's 10 known cruisers have joined the Allies and seven Italian warships reported to have put in previously at the Balearics before heading for an Allied port may have included others.

Still unaccounted for are more than half of the Italian submarine (Continued on Page Six)

Pershing Observes His 83rd Birthday

Washington, Sept. 13.—(AP)—General John J. "Black Jack" Pershing celebrated his 83rd birthday quietly today in a Walter Reed Hospital suite, keeping up with war news in a living room lined with maps.

The commander in chief of the A. E. F. of the first World War advised attendants he was "against a lot of fuss" and planned to stick to his daily routine of a brief walk or motor trip in the morning, with reading and letter writing the rest of the day.

His personal physician, Brig. Gen. S. U. Marietta, reported Pershing in "excellent health and keenly alert."

There was only one discordant note—an argument among the 40 army cooks at the hospital over who would win the assignment to prepare a birthday cake and its 83 candles.

AIRPLANE WINS FIGHT WITH SUB

Skipper Of Sub That Sank British Carrier Captured

Washington, Sept. 13.—(AP)—The navy announced today that the skipper of the German U-boat which sank the British aircraft carrier Ark Royal had been captured by a United States plane which bombed and sank the enemy undersea boat off the coast of Brazil.

Kapitänleutnant Friedrich Gugenberger, who was decorated by Germany for the sinking of the British carrier in 1941, was one of seven survivors picked up after a duel between the navy plane and the U-boat in which bombs finally shattered the submarine.

Gugenberger, the navy said, "is now a prisoner of the United States."

The date of the action in which the submarine was sunk was not disclosed.

The navy statement said: "Axis radio reports stated that Gugenberger was awarded the Knight's Cross of the Iron Cross by Germany in December, 1941, for sinking the Ark Royal and he was awarded the oak leaves to the (Continued on Page Six)

Army Officer Sends Thanks For Smokes

Paul A. Scott, commander of the local American Legion post, has received a letter from Lieut. Col. Harold G. Hoffman, at the New York port of embarkation, U. S. Army, expressing appreciation for another shipment of 20,000 cigarettes for servicemen overseas. "The name of the donor is fastened to every container and your effort is considered one of the best morale lifting factors of the war," the officer stated.

The American Legion has received a number of stores and public places in which may be deposited any sum of money to buy smokes for the servicemen.

Germans Capitalize On Freeing Of Mussolini

London, Sept. 13.—(AP)—The German radio chortled today over the Nazi-reported rescue of former Premier Benito Mussolini and some of his henchmen.

Twelve hours after his release by German parachute troops, and Elite guards was announced by Berlin, broadcasts recorded by the Associated Press began a full-blast exploitation of the incident. Hailing it as a master stroke and "an audacious venture."

The German broadcasts attempted to spread intriguing mystery over the incident, however, by declaring official quarters were tightlipped over the whole occurrence.

A DNB broadcast said "competent circles in Berlin state that other Fascist leaders were freed with Mussolini."

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British Advancing Up East And West Coasts of Italy With Little Opposition; More Adriatic Ports Taken; Nazis Admit Clark's Army Gaining Ground

By NOLAN NORGAARD. Allied Headquarters in North Africa, Sept. 13.—(AP)—A bitter and bloody battle raged into its fifth consecutive day around the American Fifth Army's Salerno bridgehead today with growing German forces resisting desperately the determined penetration into their hill positions girding the plain and protecting the broad port of Naples.

The British Eighth Army, speeding steadily northward from the Italian toe against little or no enemy opposition, captured the port of Crotona, 110 miles from the southern tip of the peninsula, and found that harbor in good condition for Allied use, a communique from Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's headquarters announced.

The British force landed at Tarento—the eastern leg of the Allied invasion which had been thrown across the saddle of the Apennines—swiftly extended its hold on the entrance to the Adriatic after the capture of Brindisi.

While reinforcements poured ashore to strengthen this right wing of the Allied assault, small German forces left in the vicinity were being pushed back rapidly.

(The British radio broadcast that the British had captured Altamura 22 miles west of Bari. Bari is approximately 50 miles north of Tarento and an important port on the Adriatic. It is 65 miles up the coast from Brindisi. The broadcast was heard by NBC.)

Previously elements of the first German parachute division had been encountered in the push up the Adriatic shore, but whether these were the forces remaining to oppose the advance was not stated.

The main bodies of enemy troops in southern Italy were still converging toward the big Naples-Salerno battle, however, and it was there that the crucial action was being fought.

"Very heavy fighting continues in the area of the Fifth Army at Salerno," said the communique. "The Germans are resisting desperately our determined thrusts to break through their positions."

La Gen. Mark W. Clark's chief of staff in this critical battle, Allied headquarters disclosed, is 44-year-old Maj. Gen. Alfred M. Guzzetta of Platte, Neb., raised among the United States Army's smartest tacticians. (Continued on Page Six)

Downward Trend In Living Costs

New York, Sept. 13.—(AP)—A slight further downward trend in living costs of wage earners and lower-salaried clerical workers was recorded in August by the Division of Labor Statistics of the National Industrial Conference Board, a research concern.

The decline was 3 per cent in August compared with a drop of 1.2 per cent in July, the board reported. Food prices led the downward trend with a decline of 9 per cent.

Housing remained unchanged, clothing rose 4 per cent, while sundries and fuel and light increased 1 per cent.

The board said the level of living costs was 4.8 per cent higher than a year ago. Food showed the greatest advance over August, 1942, with an increase of 10.2 per cent. Other advances for the 12-month period included sundries, 2.4 per cent; fuel and light, 3.5 per cent, and clothing 1.2 per cent. Housing remained unchanged.

The OWI noted that while the Nazis were boasting about Mussolini's "capture," they hadn't seen fit to have him broadcast, and weren't even quoting him today.

The Netherlands radio said that Vittorio Mussolini, eldest son of the deposed duke, had arrived in Germany, but it did not indicate whether he was one of those whom the Germans claim to have freed.

The Germans, in their broadcast, said that the news of the "liberation" was "sensationally featured in the Swedish press and quoted by the Swedish radio, and that the prestige of the national fascist government would be greatly strengthened by Mussolini's liberation."

The German paper, Zwofuhr Blatt, the radio said, declared the (Continued on Page Three)

OFFER TOWNS POSTWAR PLAN

Commerce Department Issues Business Bulletin

Washington, Sept. 13—(AP)—American towns looking for a way to provide jobs and production at war's end were offered a plan of action today by the Commerce Department.

The plan is not offered as a cure-all but as a way in which communities and businessmen, by preparing now, can swing into activity when peace comes.

In a booklet called "community action for post-war jobs and production," the department says it offers a "set of workable tools, a self-help plan which calls for no outside supervision."

The idea is this: Using methods suggested in the booklet, local Chambers of Commerce and business men get together and plan—not for the individual business—but for the community's business in general.

They will seek ways of providing work after the war and getting contracts into a town.

Each line of business selects a chairman who collects from the men in his field information on what they know they will have to do after the war—such as making repairs or manufacturing a product—and the information is circulated among them and publicized.

The work is carried on through a local chamber of commerce or a business men's organization.

These are the five steps suggested by the department booklet:

1. A work file plan, a summary of the jobs which the corner grocer, the druggist, the lawyer and other business men know they will have to offer when the war is over.

2. A survey of manufacturing opportunities which a community could reasonably expect to be attracted there after the war.

3. Businessmen, in towns with swollen wartime populations, can work through their Chamber of Commerce or other business organizations to estimate the size of the problem the community will face at war's end and take steps to meet it.

4. A program to urge consumers, retailers, wholesalers, bankers, manufacturers, and businessmen generally to build reserves of ideas and money for the post-war period.

5. Present business in a town can be strengthened in various ways ranging from finding methods of making shopping easier to pooling orders by retailers and wholesalers so as to get better prices or service.

Communities or individuals seeking such postwar help as this can get details on the suggestions and further advice by communicating with the Department of Commerce.

Germans Capitalize . . .

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What use the Germans intended to make of Mussolini after his 49 days of confinement away from his balcony at Palazzo Venezia remained to be seen, but it was likely that he might be restored as a puppet dictator in the Nazi-controlled territory in northern Italy.

Details of the reported rescue were still lacking, but a Berlin communique last night said that he had been freed by parachute troops.

Security service men, and armed members of the S. S.

The British foreign office stated it had no information on the whereabouts of Mussolini and at no time had he ever been in British-American hands.

Because of this, officials here discounted reports that he had been taken by German parachute troops in Sicily.

Some officials tended to discount the value of his reported release, arguing that if Mussolini did set up a puppet fascist regime the Italian people, thoroughly sick of war and Fascism, would pay little attention to it.

Unofficially the German claim apparently was accepted here, for the British Broadcasting Corporation, in a radio news bulletin to the Italian people, said that Mussolini had been released by the Germans and added that Premier Badoglio and King Vittorio Emanuele "are safe at an undisclosed place on Italian soil."

There was no official confirmation of either statement, however, from any Allied source.

Mussolini's whereabouts have been more or less of a mystery since his sudden fall, but it is believed in London that he has been held a prisoner in the Pontine islands off the west coast of Italy.

There seemed little doubt, however, that the Germans intended to use the former duce as a symbol around which to rally some sort of Italian resistance to the Allied armies.

Bearing out this belief, the German-controlled Paris radio declared:

"Mussolini is now free to take Italy in hand again and lead her along the road from which Badoglio tried to make her swerve. Italy has found her leader."

Congress Returns . . .

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cooperation to preserve peace. Leaders are reported to have agreed to make it the first order of business.

The move to draft fathers after Oct. 1 vied for primary interest. With less than three weeks in which to act, plans have been made for a swift test on Senator Wheeler's (D-Mont.) bill to ban induction of fathers at least until Jan. 1 and thus give Congress time to inquire into the whole manpower problem.

Meanwhile, the House Ways and Means committee has begun the spadework on a new tax bill. The administration has asked for \$12,000,000,000 in new revenue. But,

Casualty In Italy Invasion Carried Back



Four Allied soldiers carry an early casualty of the Italian invasion ashore on a beach in Sicily. This picture was radioed from Algiers to London and was retransmitted to New York.

Carolínians In Beauty Pageant



Jenelle Virginia Strange (left), who is "Miss South Carolina"; Sara Harvey (center), "Miss Columbia, S. C.," and Peggy Sherwood (right), "Miss North Carolina," are contestants in the annual "Miss America" pageant at Atlantic City, N. J. They are waving to passersby on Atlantic City's famous boardwalk.

with the dwindling number of fresh revenue springs and with the treasury still to present its recommendations, doubt is developing on Capitol Hill that a program acceptable to both House and Senate can be worked out this year.

Here are some of the other major issues on the Congressional calendar.

1. Benefits for the returning veterans.

2. Prevention of postwar unemployment.

3. Limitation on the size of the army.

4. National service legislation.

5. Compulsory military training after the war.

6. Extension of the Commodity Credit Corporation and its use of subsidies to hold down consumer prices.

7. Economies in government.

8. Repeal of the renegotiation law authorizing the government to recapture "excessive" profits on war contracts.

9. Reconversion allowances for industrial war plants.

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

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NOTICE OF RESALE
State of North Carolina
County of Pitt
In The Superior Court.
No. 1251
The Town of Bethel
vs.
Ruth James and husband, Joe James; Drew Garris and husband, Henry Garris, H. L. Andrews and wife, Lucille Andrews; J. Herman Andrews and wife, Elizabeth Andrews; C. D. Andrews; Annie Andrews, County of Pitt.

Try Our Want Ads

Under authority vested in the undersigned commissioner by virtue of that certain judgment entered in the above entitled cause dated March 23, 1943, and that certain order of resale made by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County on the 21st day of June, 1943,

draws and wife, Lucille Andrews; J. Herman Andrews and wife, Elizabeth Andrews; C. D. Andrews; Annie Andrews, County of Pitt.

Under authority vested in the undersigned commissioner by virtue of that certain judgment entered in the above entitled cause dated March 23, 1943, and that certain order of resale made by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County on the 21st day of June, 1943,

the undersigned commissioner will offer for sale at public auction for cash, at the court house door in Greenville, on

Monday, 13th day of Sept., 1943 at 12 o'clock noon

the hereinafter described real estate, subject to confirmation by the Court:

Beginning at the west corner of the W. A. James lot (now Worsley) and runs northward with the wall of said lot 70 yards; thence westward about 35 yards to the road (now Tarboro Street); thence eastward with the road (now Tarboro Street) to the beginning, containing one-half of an acre, more or less. Being the same lot conveyed to John H. Andrews in 1904 of record in the Pitt County Registry.

This 25th day of August, 1943.

M. K. BLOUNT, Commissioner.

Blount & Taft, Attys.

Aug. 30-1tw-2wk.

NOTICE

North Carolina—Pitt County.

In The Superior Court.

John Hall

vs.

Verna Lee Hall

The defendant Verna Lee Hall will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, to obtain an absolute divorce upon the grounds of two years' separation, and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the court house in Greenville, North Carolina, within twenty days after the 26th day of September, 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 26th day of August, 1943.

J. F. HARRINGTON,

Clerk Superior Court Pitt County

Blount & Taft,

Attys for Plaintiff.

Aug. 30-1tw-4wk.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

North Carolina—Pitt County.

In The Superior Court

City of Greenville

vs.

The Society of Christ Our King, Inc., et al.

Under and by virtue of an interlocutory judgment of the Superior Court of Pitt County signed and entered in the above entitled cause by Honorable J. F. Harrington, Clerk of said County, on the 6th day of September, 1943, the undersigned Commissioner of the Court, will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash before the court house door in Greenville, N. C., at

12:00 o'clock, Noon, on

Monday, the 18th day of Oct., 1943

the following described real property, to-wit:

Lying and being situated in

Greenville, N. C., on the North side of Fourth Street, and beginning at a point in the North line of Fourth Street located 264 feet westwardly from Pitt Street, and running thence westwardly with the North line of Fourth Street 330 feet to a stake; thence northwardly 165 feet to a stake, a corner; thence eastwardly and parallel with Fourth Street 325 feet, more or less, to a stake, a corner; thence southwardly with the line of Lottie S. Cooper 165 feet to the point of beginning on Fourth Street, the above property being the same as the 2nd, 3rd and 4th parcels described in deed of record in Book L-19, at page 2 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, to which deed reference is hereby made.

This sale is being made for the purpose of foreclosing tax liens held by the plaintiff against said property and is subject to confirmation by the Court. The proposed purchaser at said sale will be required to make a cash deposit in the amount of 10 per cent of his bid with the commissioner at the time of the sale and pending confirmation by the Court. The sale will remain open for twenty days for raised bids.

This the 13th day of Sept., 1943.

R. B. LEE, Commissioner.

Sept. 13-1tw-4wk.



From where I sit . . .

by Joe Marsh

One of the best-liked farmers in these parts is Bert Childers! And he has the best way of beatin' the man shortage, too.

Come husking time, Bert invites all of his farmer neighbors over to have a glass of beer. When they ask politely "Where's the beer?" Bert points to a bucket-full of frosty bottles in the middle of the field.

"All you got to do," he says, "is work your way out to it."

Well, Bert's idea has caught on all over the countryside.

Folks are pitching in to help their neighbors harvest grain, and fruit, and vegetables—and are taking their reward in sociability when the job's done.

And from where I sit, that's a mighty healthy picture of American life—people working together to get in the food this country needs—and afterwards, sittin' around like good friends, over a moderate glass of wholesome beer. I'm for it!

Joe Marsh



"Home" . . .

For years he dreamed about this moment . . .

and hated to wake up

to mud and blood and killing . . .

A man gets lonely in a crowd of men . . .

But there was a job to do . . .

a job of fighting to make this world

a decent place in which to live

So that other boys in the future . . .

wouldn't have to cut

huge chunks out of their lives

in the name of freedom.

So he fought and dreamed . . .

and woke up . . .

until the day the dream was real.

The thing to remember is this:

War Bonds and Stamps

will bring them together sooner!

Buy for Human Happiness . . .

War Bonds and Stamps will speed

this horrible war to a quicker end

Buy for Victory . . .

War Bonds and Stamps will make jobs

for those who come home!

Buy for a safe and better future for all of us.



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Strength FOR THE DAY

By EARL L. DOUGLAS

IT TOOK A CRASH

Recently I received a letter from a young friend of mine who, in trying to pilot his plane over the Himalayan mountains, had a crash which brought him and his companion crippled to the earth. They were, humbly speaking, as good as dead. Now listen to this:

"It was very evident right from the start that it was far more than our skill which had enabled us to survive the crash, and it was then I started to pray. I know our prayers were answered, for I feel sure we could never have gotten out of those mountains without it. I doubt very much if anyone at home could imagine just how rough that country is up there without actually seeing it. Organized expeditions, led by Europeans, have set out to explore that area and have had to turn back, claiming these mountains to be impossible. Yet Captain Robert and I were able to stumble out with no equipment at all for such a trip, and each with a broken ankle. Robert's was so bad that on our return the best Army hospital out there — and they are good — was reluctant to undertake the job of setting it and advised that he be sent home for it.

"There was also our food supply. Originally, we had enough, by Army standards, to last two men one day. That we were able to stretch out for eight days, for four more we had nothing. During all this time we weren't once bothered by feelings of hunger or by any noticeable weakness due to lack of food.

"I am only sorry now that I had to be awakened in such a cruel way, but I certainly never forget the lesson I received out in those mountains in the power of prayer."

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EMPTY VICTORY

Granting that Mussolini might again be in Hitler's hands, to our way of thinking except for propaganda purposes, he is of little value. It must be remembered that Il Duce lost out with the Italian people even before Allied troops landed in Italy and we see little hope that he could again be a factor in rallying Italian aid for the Axis cause. Hitler's propaganda to the contrary, Il Duce, so far as the war is concerned, is a dead pigeon.

ARE YOU DOING YOUR PART?

Much progress is being made in the Third War Loan campaign but it must be remembered that many people make their purchases at the beginning of the drive and the going gets tougher as the time goes on.

In responding to our country's appeal to share in the purchases of 15 billion dollars worth of bonds during September you will not only be helping our war effort but you will be making the safest investment in the world.

We expect our men on the fighting fronts to give their lives, if necessary, to win the war. To do less than our full share back home is to break faith with these fighting men who are protecting our very lives and freedoms.

To Add New Glory To Old Glory!



TALBURN

U. S. Treasury Department

WASHINGTON IN WARTIME

By JACK STINNETT

Mackinac Island, Mich. — One thing definitely can be said of the Republican post-war advisory council conference just concluded here: The Old Guard still is in the saddle but they really tried to bend over backward to give the party's "bright young men" a place in the party councils.

When the opening session of the 40-odd present members of the "Council of 49" was held, Spangler was designated to appoint the committees, and out of his pocket he pulled the list.

Sen. Arthur H. Vandenberg, of Michigan, was named chairman of the foreign policy and international relations committee, and Sen. Robert A. Taft, of Ohio, chairman of the postwar enterprise, industry and employment committee.

Spangler couldn't possibly have done any better by the Old Guard. The only two other possibilities, so far as the convention lists and apparent appointment policies were concerned, would have been Sen. Charles McNary, minority leader of the upper house, who wasn't here; and Rep. Joseph W. Martin, Jr., minority leader of the lower house, who told us personally that he had asked to be excluded from all committees because of the pressure of his job in Congress.

From there on, the eight permanent committees which will try to pull out the major planks in the Republican platform between now

and next summer are something of a different story.

On Vandenberg's foreign policy committee, "internationalist" Rep. Charles A. Eaton claims a majority, with such advocates of post-war collaboration as Sen. Warren R. Austin, of Vermont; Gov. Edward Martin, of Pennsylvania; and Rep. Francis P. Bolton, of Ohio. However, there wasn't much in the original committee draft to indicate that Eaton's "internationalist majority" had won an all-out victory. It certainly lagged behind the broad outlines suggested by the President, Wendell L. Willkie and Gov. Thomas E. Dewey, of New York.

On the other hand, Gov. Dewey drew the chairmanship of the government administration reform committee, and Governor Earl Warren, of California, also high in the list of "liberal" presidential possibilities, was given chairmanship of the social security and welfare committee.

Scattered through the committees where they can kick a lot of dust in the eyes of the Old Guard if they have a mind to, were such others as Arizona National Committeeman Kelland; Missouri Rep. Louis E. Miller; New Jersey Committeeman H. Alexander Smith; Michigan Wilkieite, Mrs. Dudley Hay; Governors Dwight Griswold,

of Nebraska, and Earl Snell, of Oregon; and Rep. Charlie Halleck, of Indiana, among others.

Real Estate Transfers

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

F. M. Wooten, Jr., to Newton Clements, et ux, lot, \$1.

Land Investment Co. to Esther M. Staton, lot, \$10.

L. B. Kinlaw, Jr., et al to Missouri Hooks, lot, \$75.

C. T. Day and wife to Marvin D. Lanier and wife, lot, \$10.

Margaret S. Everett to James David Dotson and wife, lot, \$250.

Cora Conde to Thomas B. Brinkley, lot, \$1.

Mary E. Whitehurst to N. H. Whitehurst and wife, lot, \$10.

Wyatt Holmes and wife to Lydia E. Wainright, lot, \$100.

Junius D. Grimes and wife to Willie Nicholson and wife, lot, \$400.

Mrs. Ella Jane Avery to Henry Ferrell Jolly and others, lot, \$300.

Mrs. Josie McLawhorn to B. T. McLawhorn, 20 acres, \$25.

Thelma Craft and husband to B. T. McLawhorn, 20 acres, \$125.

Winnie McLawhorn to B. T. McLawhorn and wife, 96 acres, \$10.

Rosa M. Flanagan and others to J. C. Andrews and wife, lot, \$10.

The City of Greenville, N. C. to Mr. C. A. Turner, lot, \$150.

W. A. Weatherington and wife to Mrs. Bruce Ellis Boyd, lot, \$150.

Louis Eddie Hodges and wife to C. M. Griffin and wife, lot, \$200.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, heretofore trading and doing business with headquarters in Greenville, North Carolina, under the trade name "Mrs. Morton's Bakery," have leased for a period of three years beginning August 1, 1943, and ending July 31, 1946, for a definite monthly rental, that part of said business engaged in the manufacture, wholesale sale and delivery of bread and rolls and including the trade name "Mrs. Morton's Bakery," the building and equipment at 1602 DeBoussay Avenue, Greenville, North Carolina, to Odell Calhoun and J. W. Swearingen, trading as C. S. Baking Company, pursuant to the terms of a written agreement dated July 24, 1943, which has been duly recorded in the office of Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Greenville, North Carolina.

The undersigned will pay debts existing against "Mrs. Morton's Bakery" on and prior to July 21, 1943, but will have no connection with the management or operation, and will not be responsible for any debts, or other liabilities of "Mrs. Morton's Bakery," or Odell Calhoun and J. W. Swearingen, trading as C. S. Baking Company, and using the trade name "Mrs. Morton's Bakery," after July 31, 1943.

The undersigned have retained their cake, pie and pastry business at 314 Evans Street, Greenville, North Carolina, and will hereafter operate same under the name "Mrs. Morton's Cake Shop."

This the 30th day of July, 1943.
J. O. MORTON,
ELISE P. MORTON.

Aug 5-11w-6wk

NOTICE
North Carolina—Pitt County.
In The Superior Court.
Doll Hines
-vs-
Rosa Williams Hines

THE LONG NIGHT

By Eleanor Atterbury

Chapter 27

Bette found Sue a few moments later. Flung on her narrow cot, she was weeping furiously and for some time refused to listen to Bette's pleading. When finally she raised her tear-wet face the fury and hatred in her lovely dark eyes cut Bette to the heart.

"I'm terribly sorry, Sue," she said again. "What can I do to make you believe that I hadn't planned this, that I didn't deliberately try to—"

"Nothing! Nothing you can say or do will ever make me believe it. You wanted him even though you knew he was the only man in the world for me! I loved him. I confided in you! And you—"

"Sue, stop it!" Bette ordered, conscious now of the girl's mounting hysteria. "That's not true and you know it. Never once in all the years that you've trailed home with one beau after another, have I ever interfered. I didn't interfere this time. I assure you."

"Oh, no! You didn't interfere!" Sue mocked her bitterly. "You only trailed off after him, trapped clear over a mountain just 'doing your

duty' of course. And spent a night with him. God knows doing what! No wonder he feels he has to marry you!"

"Stop it," etc's own anger raised a word. "How dare you say that? 'Cause it's true— isn't it?" Sue challenged brutally. "He doesn't love you. He's never paid the slightest attention to you. But he knows people will talk—even in this god-forsaken hole."

Bette fell silent. Was this true? "I knew something was up when you didn't come to the ship. I came back only because I felt responsible for you. And—" her fury overtook her again, "and I was right. You stayed behind only because you knew it was your best chance to get him!"

Bette could stand it no longer. Turning from the bedside, she ran blindly out of the make-shift quarters, out into the chill darkness, straight toward the newly-reconstructed headquarters where she knew she would find Scott.

Scott's quick smile faded almost immediately as he saw her face.

"Come outside a moment, please. I must speak with you—alone," she said quietly, but her heart ached in her throat.

Scott dismissed the soldier with him, came to her swiftly. "What is it, darling?"

That lovely new sweetness in his

tone made it even more difficult. She was glad of the darkness that made it impossible to watch her face.

"I—I came to tell you that I—I— I can't marry you now—ever. I'm quite impossible. I'm terribly grateful to you for asking me. And—well—please forgive me. She spilled the words out rapidly, trying hard to keep her voice steady.

Scott caught her arm, would have drawn her close but she pushed away. "What are you saying, Bette? What's happened?"

"Nothing. It's just that I—I'm sure it's a mistake. I feel it's better to put an end to it now before it's—too late."

"You mean—you—don't love me, ette? Is that what you are trying to tell me?"

Not love him! Her heart cried out against that awful lie. She loved him so much that the hurt she heard in his voice was physical pain. But she must not tell him that. If she knew she had realized why he had proposed, he would insist. And it wasn't his pity she wanted. Never that. She should have known it was too much to expect of luck that he should love her.

"Yes," she managed, her voice tight, her lips dry. "Yes, that's it. Please—forgive me."

She fled then lest her courage fail and her heart prevail. But, later as she lay sleepless, racked by sob's she smothered in her pillow, she knew she had done the right thing.

And try as she did, she couldn't stop remembering Scott had never complimented, only teased her. That he had seldom sought her company. That he had often walked with Sue, stood chatting with

her, obviously enjoying her company. That even on that dangerous night they had met on a mountain-side, pursued by the enemy, never once had he shown the slightest interest in her save as a companion. She'd been a fool not to see the truth for herself. Blinded by her own deep desire, she'd believed because she wanted so much to believe. But—now her pride lifted its battered head—it wasn't entirely as Sue has said. She hadn't pursued him. She hadn't wanted to take him and his interest away from her sister. That wasn't true. Sue had to believe that.

But when the first thing the next morning she tried to find Sue to tell her that, she could find no trace of her. Alarmed when she learned Sue had left without breakfast, that she had failed to report as to her destination, Bette realized this was no ordinary absence. There was no place for Sue to want to go on this small post, no place she could go that would take her long— and, of course, into the woods! And in the mood in which Sue had appeared last night, most anything might happen.

Worried now and feeling the weight of her own responsibility very heavily, Bette knew she must find Sue—and quickly. But where to look first? Where could a girl go to hide her disappointment or— Bette shuddered—take some wild revenge. And why—oh, why hadn't she told Sue last night as soon as it was done that Scott was free from any obligation to her?

Why hadn't she given Sue that proof that she had not tried desperately to destroy her chance at happiness?

To Be Continued

British Sappers Clear Italian Beach Of Land Mines

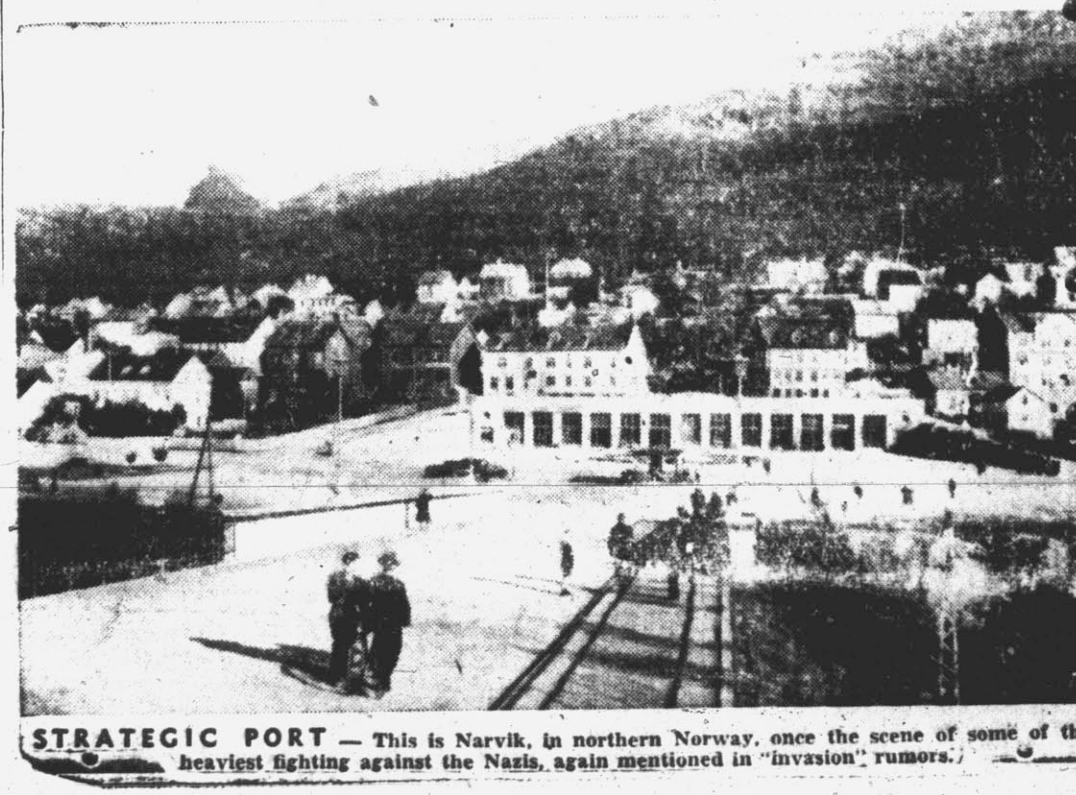


Exceeding the advance of troops or movement of equipment after the landing during invasion of the Italian mainland, British sappers go about the tedious but vital task of clearing the beach north of Reggio Calabria. This is an official British picture received through OWI by radio.

Draft Board Removed From Office



Three of the five members of Haverhill's (Mass.) draft board, No. 76, who announced they would not call up fathers for military service as long as men without children were exempted, lock up after being ordered out of office by National Selective Service Director General ershey. (Left to right) William Heath, managing editor of the local newspaper; Armand Salvani, World War I veteran; W. J. McDonald.



STRATEGIC PORT — This is Narvik, in northern Norway, once the scene of some of the heaviest fighting against the Nazis, again mentioned in "invasion" rumors.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1. While
3. At a distance
7. New Zealand
12. Exist
13. Run
14. Put up
15. Military store-house
17. Turkish title
18. Location
19. French city
21. Final ending
22. Finish
23. End to the full
24. Tropical bird
25. Down prefix
26. House
27. Telexonator
28. Kind of cheese
29. Wrinkles
30. Rumor
32. Alarm whistles
33. Arabian chieftains
34. Take exception
35. Companion
36. Cancels
37. Christian era
38. Conciled
39. Repositories
40. Rebuttal
41. Rubber tree
42. Palm lily
43. Cud
44. Roughly elliptical
45. South American animal
46. American waterfall
47. Musical study
48. Musical study

COR LADS GRAM
ARE ALOP LEVI
NIP GAVE OMEN
NORMS ENTRANT
ANOA ORDAIN
ORAL SPADES
DEFILED SPA
AT ALOYSIA OL
BUR EARNEST
SIERRA VEIL
SEANCE SUMS
EDENTAL BESOT
LORD TALE INA
MOVE TIES VAT
OMER OMIT EDE

Solution Of Saturday's Puzzle

1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11.
12. 13. 14. 15. 16. 17. 18. 19. 20. 21. 22. 23. 24. 25. 26. 27. 28. 29. 30. 31. 32. 33. 34. 35. 36. 37. 38. 39. 40. 41. 42. 43. 44. 45. 46. 47. 48. 49. 50. 51. 52. 53. 54.

DOWN
1. Humbug
2. Peaceful
3. Instigate
4. Strike out
5. Metrical foot
6. Cells
7. Lukewarm
8. Existed
9. Persisting to a
10. Patience
11. Summer resort
12. Patience
13. Color
14. Moves
15. Rage
16. Took oath
17. Due southeast
18. Petty malice
19. Verbs
20. Forecase
21. Waste away
22. Metal used in
23. Revolver
24. Protection
25. Obstruction in a stream
26. Danger signal
27. Archaic
28. Make puddle
29. More certain
30. Pulpy fruit
31. Be carried
32. Black eyes
33. Place
34. Beverage

RIDDLE GAINS 19TH VICTORY

Pitches One-Hit Game As Reds and Pirates Split Double-Header

By TED MEIER
(Associated Press Sports Writer)

It isn't very often that a one-hitter is pitched in the major leagues after Labor Day, but Elmer Riddle, of the Cincinnati Reds, accomplished the feat against the Pittsburgh Pirates yesterday.

In the first game of a double-header, Riddle retired the first 22 men to face him. Then, with one out in the eighth, Bob Elliott doubled for the Pirates' lone bingle.

Riddle went on to gain his 19th victory of the year, 1-0. Only one other Pittsburgh batter got on base. Pinch hitter Tommy O'Brien walked in the ninth, but was erased in a double play.

Pittsburgh gained a split by taking the nightcap, 7-0.

Ace Adams, the "work horse" of the majors, came near Riddle's performance. The Iron City, Ga., right hander joined the New York Giants in 1941, but has been used exclusively in relief. Yesterday he started his first game and beat the Boston Braves, 7-2, with a neat three-hitter. It was the 64th game Adams has appeared in this season.

In the opener southpaw Cliff Melton blanked the Braves 3-4.

The New York Yankees swept a five-game series from the Boston Red Sox 1-0 and 9-6.

The St. Louis Browns likewise got good pitching from Bob Muncrief and Denny Galehouse and swept a double-header from the Chicago White Sox 2-0 and 6-2.

Washington moved within two percentage points of the second place Cleveland Indians by beating the Philadelphia Athletics twice, 4 to 3 and 9 to 5.

Tommy Bridges hurled a four-hitter for Detroit against Cleveland, but lost 2 to 1.

Brooklyn won its 18th game in 21 starts by beating the Phillies, 8-4.

A scheduled double-header between the St. Louis Cardinals and the Chicago Cubs was postponed.

One out of every five homes in Great Britain was damaged or destroyed by bombs by the end of 1942.

Sun spots range from 500 to 50,000 miles in diameter.

BASEBALL

RESULTS

American League
Washington 4-2, Philadelphia 3-5.
New York 1-9, Boston 0-6.
St. Louis 2-6, Chicago 0-2.
Cleveland 2, Detroit 1.

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

Southern Association Playoff
Nashville 5, New Orleans 2.
(Nashville leads, 3 games to 1.)

Piedmont League Playoff
(Saturday)
Portsmouth 5, Roanoke 3.
Others not scheduled.

(Sunday)
Norfolk 4, Richmond 1.
Portsmouth 5, Roanoke 0.

STANDINGS

| American League | | | |
|-----------------|----|----|------|
| | W. | L. | Pct. |
| New York | 85 | 49 | .634 |
| Cleveland | 73 | 60 | .549 |
| Washington | 75 | 62 | .546 |
| Detroit | 69 | 65 | .515 |
| Chicago | 66 | 67 | .496 |
| St. Louis | 62 | 71 | .466 |
| Boston | 62 | 74 | .456 |
| Philadelphia | 44 | 88 | .333 |

| National League | | | |
|-----------------|----|----|------|
| | W. | L. | Pct. |
| St. Louis | 90 | 44 | .672 |
| Brooklyn | 74 | 59 | .556 |
| Cincinnati | 74 | 61 | .548 |
| Pittsburgh | 73 | 68 | .518 |
| Chicago | 61 | 71 | .462 |
| Philadelphia | 58 | 75 | .436 |
| Boston | 56 | 73 | .434 |
| New York | 49 | 84 | .368 |

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

New York, Sept. 13—(AP)—Comparing this year's Oklahoma football squad with the 1942 outfit, Harold Keith comes up with the following sets of figures: 1942—age, 20.8 years; height, 6 feet 1/2 inch; weight 187 pounds; 1943—19.3 years; 5 feet 11 1/2 inches, and 174.6 pounds.

And his average 1943 player is a navy trainee, too.

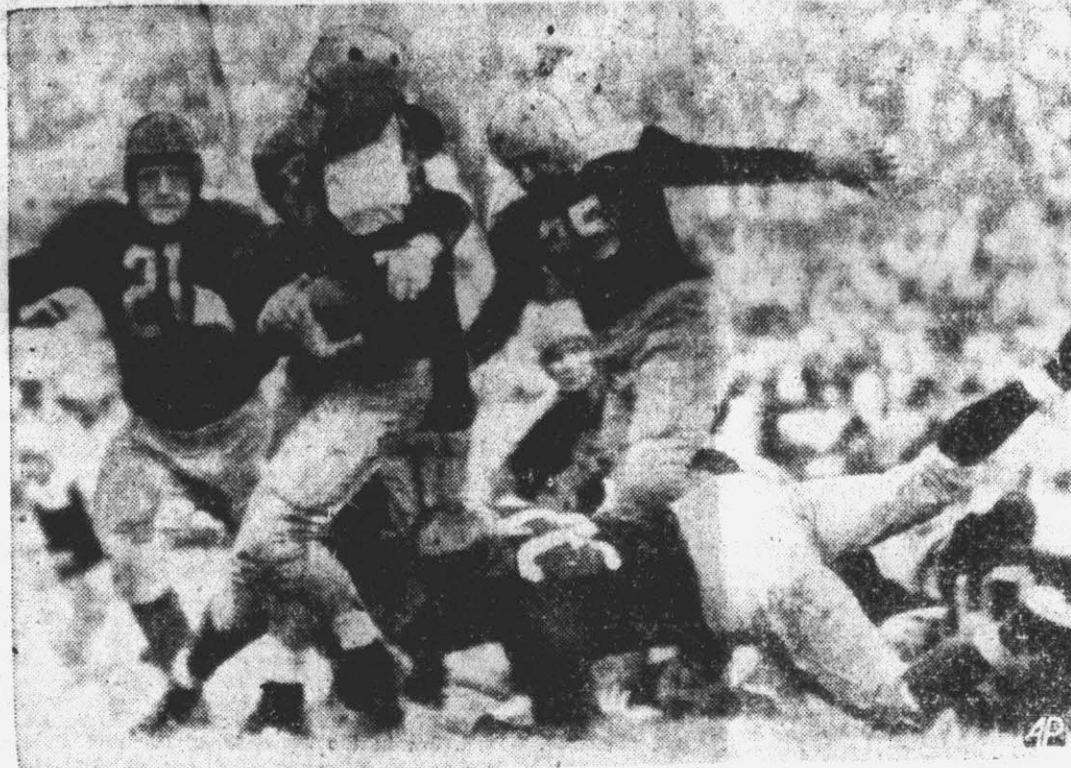
Clemson's Joe Sherman puts the situation at an "army" school somewhat more simply: "We're planning to do the best we can with what we have, which is not quite some."

Gil Had His Fill

Gil Bouley, a 230-pound tackle at Boston College last year, pared his weight down to 218 while he was training to become an army physical training instructor at Atlantic City, N. J.

Then Gil decided

Autumn's In The Air - And Here's Football Again



Fritsch, Green Bay Packers' fullback, carries the ball for a first down around right end in Packers-Redskin game at Baltimore, one of the first of the autumn season. Slivinski, Redskin guard, makes chest-high tackle as Sammy Baugh (33) grabs Fritsch around the knee. Farman (21) skims left guard, and Flowers (35) of the Packers backs the play. Green Bay won 23-21.



TRAINING SCRAMBLE—With teams larger than regulation, students at the service school at U. S. Naval Air Training Station, Great Lakes, Ill., really go for soccer ball.

he'd like to be a flier in spite of the 200-pound limit, and the cadet selection board gave him two weeks to get rid of the extra poundage. So midsummer afternoons, Bouley swathed himself in wool and galloped along the boardwalk. Most of the bathers on the beach paid little attention, but one stopped Gil and asked: "Who are you fighting?" "The cadet board," replied Bouley, moved off at double time.

Quote, Unquote

Don Kolloway, on a visit from Camp Grant, Ill., to his old White Sox buddies: "Know what we did the other day? Well, after a four-hour hike with full pack we went through an hour of calisthenics. And then did we get to go to our barracks to rest? We did not. We went to the mess hall to scrub for two hours. Wonder why I ever thought playing a double header at second base was hard work?"

Service Dept.

Joey Archibald, former featherweight champ who was turned down as too short when he tried to enlist in the navy last year, was inducted last week and assigned to the navy. Capt. David E. Topper, former All-America

player at St. John's Annapolis and also a former AP scribe, is news section chief of the Marines public relations division in Washington. One of the navy's new destroyer escorts had been named for Lieut. (jg) Joe Finch, former nose

man U track captain who died when the destroyer Laffey went down in the Solomons.

Appropriate Abbreviation
Dick Wakefield's Tiger teammates disclose that Dick's secret ambition

DAN DUNN - SECRET OPERATIVE 48



BLONDIE — By Chic Young



THIMBLE THEATRE — Starring Popeye



MIDDLE BELT SALES BEGIN

Estimates of Average Range From 35 to 41 Cents

By The Associated Press

The middle blue-cured tobacco belt opened its 1943 sales today with an unofficial average that ranged from 35 to 41 cents for mostly medium grade leaf, an abundance of which had been damaged by continued dry, hot weather.

The opening was somewhat shaky. From the State Agriculture Department had come a recommendation that growers move slowly in placing their offerings on the floors. The average on the big eastern belt had nose-dived to about 36 cents and there was little hope of the middle belt equalling the 40.30 a hundred average recorded on last year's opening. Only last week Governor Broughton advised farmers to retard the movement of their crop to market, both to afford labor for food and fiber crops ready for harvesting and to prevent weed damage by long waits on the floors.

Reports from the nine markets today indicated, however, that farmers for the most part were satisfied, even though efforts had failed to get the Office of Price Administration to increase its 41 cents a pound weighted average ceiling.

About 500,000 pounds were sold on the Henderson floors where an unofficial average of about 40 cents was reported paid during the first sales.

The lowest recorded sale was 6 cents and the highest was 48. Quality mostly was medium.

C. W. Allen, Oxford sales supervisor, estimated his average at 36 or 37 and the poundage at 400,000. The range was 6 to 48, mostly for poor quality.

The quality at Aberdeen was reported to be extra good, bringing an unofficial average of 41 cents, with a range of 6 to 47. About 225,000 pounds were on the floors there.

Fuquay Springs estimated its poundage at 500,000 and its unofficial average at 38 cents. Quality was common to medium.

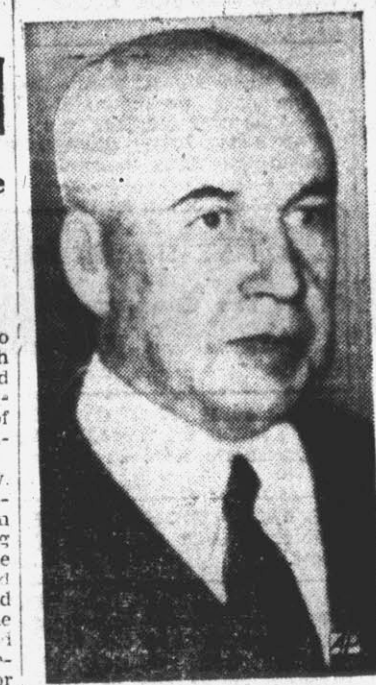
Approximately 1,000,000 pounds were reported on Durham's floors and Sales Supervisor L. G. Cheek estimated today's sales would total 600,000 pounds at an average of about 37 cents. Green tips and inferior grades predominated. Better grades were ranging around 45 cents.

Sanford's poundage was about 250,000 with an average of approximately 41 cents. Quality was medium to good.

At Louisville an average of approximately 38 cents per pound was reported by E. F. Freeman, warehouseman, who said that prices ranged from six to 46 cents.

is to be another Frank Sinatra. But those who have heard him sing say the only likeness is in the first syllable of Frank's name.

Resigns Post



Segundo Storni, (above), resigned as foreign minister of Argentina after he was criticized for his unsuccessful bid for lend-lease aid from the United States. The U. S. embassy was later put under police guard.

PROBE FIRE AT PHILADELPHIA

Investigate Blaze That Destroyed Station Sheds

Philadelphia, Sept. 13—(AP)—A stubborn fire that roared unchecked for four hours through train sheds at the Pennsylvania railroad's Broad street station left 16 tracks a jumble of charred wreckage today with damage estimated by the railroad at \$265,000.

More than 350 persons, nearly all of them firemen and civilian protection workers, were injured, several seriously in battling the eight-alarm blaze, which broke out as church bells rang yesterday, six days after the Pennsylvania's Congressional Limited was wrecked at Philadelphia with a death toll of 80.

The Federal Bureau of Investigation, City Fire Bureau, railroad police and army and navy intelligence offices immediately began an investigation of the fire, which started in the engine room under the "Chinese wall" on which trains approach the station from the west.

Sgt. Harry Burke of the city detective squad said several charred boxes were removed from the engine room for chemical analysis. Firemen reported several loud explosions were heard and flames shot up 50 feet between the tracks soon

after the first alarm sounded. The 57 trains scheduled to leave yesterday from the \$4,000,000 station, which replaces a structure destroyed by a \$1,000,000 fire in 1922, left instead from the connecting suburban station and the 30th street station.

R. C. Morse, vice president in charge of the railroad's eastern division, disclosed that six passenger coaches and 1,500 pieces of baggage also were destroyed. He added, however, that "very little mail" was lost.

Reno Divorce Case Aired Here Today

By CHESTER WALSH

In Civil Superior Court here today the action of Mrs. Jessie Mayo Hart of Arden, against Eugene Hart for maintenance for herself and two young children got under way shortly before noon and a jury was selected. Taking of testimony began after the noon recess. Judge J. Paul Frizzelle of Snow Hill, is presiding. Jesse A. Jones of Kingston, is counsel for Mrs. Hart. J. B. James and Judge Albion Dunn represent the defendant.

A history of the case indicates that Hart, who charged his wife with abandonment, secured a divorce in Reno, Nevada, last January. In the meantime, Mrs. Hart instituted proceedings in court here, charging her husband with abandonment and non-support and sought maintenance for herself and the children. The case has been in court before Hart, after securing a divorce in Nevada, claimed that he was free. There was some contention that North Carolina law does not recognize divorces granted in some states, but it was shown that the U. S. Supreme Court has ruled that such divorces are legal in all states. Trial of the case is expected to take up the better portion of today and tomorrow, court officials stated.

May Delay Old Belt Opening

Danville, Va., Sept. 13—(AP)—The opening of the Old Belt tobacco markets, set for next Monday, may be delayed a week owing to the buyer shortage.

Members of the sales committee of the Tobacco Association of the United States have been called to meet at four o'clock this afternoon at Raleigh, N. C., to canvas the whole situation.

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 13—(AP)—Governor J. M. Broughton said today he had received a large number of protests from tobacco farmers and warehousemen against a proposal to delay the Old Belt market opening for a week.

The protests were transmitted to the sales committee of the Tobacco Association of the United States, which meets here later today.

The Old Belt is scheduled to open next Friday.

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Honus Wagner, (right), coach of the Pittsburgh Pirates who used a balloon ball pitch more than 40 years ago, demonstrates his technique to Rip Sewell, present Pirate pitcher, whose balloon ball is keeping him at the top in National League hurling records this season. So far Sewell, Decatur, Ala., native, has won 19 and lost 7.

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Hog Market

Raleigh, Sept. 13—(AP)—(NCDA)—Hog markets 10 cents higher with tops at 14.70 at Richmond and 14.55 at Rocky Mount.

Poultry and Eggs

Raleigh, Sept. 13—(AP)—(NCDA)—Egg and poultry markets steady to firm.
Raleigh—U. S. Grade AA extra large (clean white) 55; hens, all weights, 22 to 25.
Washington—U. S. grade A large 52; broilers and fryers 28 1/2.

Grain Market

Chicago, Sept. 13—(AP)—Good cash demand today heaped grain futures to rally and resist some profit-taking.
Oats were a leader, with the September and December deliveries reaching new seasonal highs again at times. Buying by a cash house was followed by other purchasing. Wheat upturns were influenced by strength at Winnipeg and buying by brokers with cash connections. Rye advanced with the other grains. September wheat closed 1.47 1/2; oats 76 1/2; rye 1.03 1/2.

New York Cotton

New York, Sept. 13—(AP)—Cotton futures (old contracts) opened 15 cents a bale lower to 10 cents higher.
Noon prices were 10 to 25 cents a bale higher. Oct. 20, 24, Dec. 20, 27, Feb. 19, 1944.
Futures closed 5-30 cents a bale lower.
Open Close Prev. Cl.
Oct. 20.17 20.19 20.20
Dec. 20.02 20.00 20.02
Mch. 19.91 19.86 19.90
May 19.80 19.74 19.80
July 19.62 19.55 19.61
Middling spot 20.98, off 6.

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, Sept. 13—(AP)—Peace stocks continued to make the best showing in today's quiet and somewhat irregular market.
Merchandising issues and industrial specialties were among the principal gainers with assorted favorites touching peaks for 1943. There were a few wide advances. J. I. Case got up about 5 points—but small fractional variations were the rule. Rails, steels, motors, rubbers and croppers were ragged from the start. Trends were mildly uneven near the close. Transfers approximated 500,000 shares.

FINAL STOCKS

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| Adams Exp. | 10 1/2 |
| Allegheny | 2 1/2 |
| Allis Chal Mfg | 37 1/2 |
| Am Car Fdy | 36 1/4 |
| Am Rad and St S | 10 1/2 |
| Am Roll Mill | 13 1/2 |
| Am Smelt and Ref | 38 1/2 |
| Am Sug Ref | 27 1/4 |
| A T and T | 158 1/2 |
| Am Tob B | 59 1/2 |
| Anaconda | 2 1/2 |
| Arm III | 6 |
| A C L | 28 |
| Atl Ref | 26 1/2 |
| Bendix Aviat | 35 1/2 |
| Beth Stl | 57 1/4 |
| Boeing Airpl | 14 1/2 |
| Borden | 28 1/2 |
| Borg Warner | 34 1/2 |
| Budd Mfg | 6 1/4 |
| Burl Mills | 27 1/2 |
| Bur Add Mach | 12 1/2 |
| Chrysler | 80 1/2 |
| Coml Credit | 40 1/2 |
| Consol Edis | 22 1/2 |
| Cont Can | 35 1/2 |
| Curtiss Wright | 7 |
| Davison Chem | 14 1/2 |
| Dupont | 146 1/2 |
| Eastman Kod | 157 1/2 |
| Firestone | 40 1/2 |
| General Electric | 37 1/2 |
| Gen Foods | 40 1/2 |
| Gen Mot | 51 1/2 |
| Goodrich | 39 1/2 |
| Int Harvest | 68 |
| Int Tel and Tel | 14 1/2 |
| Johns Man | 85 |
| Libby OF Gl | 40 1/2 |
| Ligg and Myers B | 70 1/2 |
| Leeds | 58 1/2 |
| Mont Ward | 42 1/2 |
| Nash Kelly | 12 1/2 |
| Nat Biscuit | 21 1/2 |
| Nat Cash Reg | 28 1/2 |
| Nat Dist | 32 |
| N Y Cent | 16 |
| North Am | 17 1/2 |
| Otis Elev | 20 1/2 |
| Pge Mills | 24 1/2 |
| Parkard | 3 1/2 |
| Param Pix | 26 |
| Pennix J C | 98 |
| Penn Dix | 27 1/2 |
| Penn RR | 27 |
| Pepsi Cola | 53 1/2 |
| Pullman | 35 1/2 |
| Pure Oil | 16 1/2 |
| Radio | 10 1/2 |
| Rep Stl | 17 1/2 |
| Reynolds B | 26 1/2 |
| Seab A L | 7 1/2 |
| Sou Ry | 21 1/2 |
| Sperry | 26 1/2 |
| Std Oil N J | 58 1/2 |
| Stewart Warner | 11 1/2 |
| Tex Co | 45 1/2 |
| Tex Gulf Sul | 36 1/2 |
| Un Carb | 82 |

Cases Tried City Recorder's Court

Cases tried before Judge J. W. H. Roberts in City Recorder's Court today included the following:
Drunks: Earl Cleve, 30 days or \$15; Johnnie Mills, 30 days or \$20; Roosevelt Robertson, 30 days or \$20; Julius Kennedy, colored, and Joe Staton, colored, 30 days or \$15.
Assault on female John Mack, colored, 30 days, suspended on payment of \$15 and not to visit Greenville for 30 days.
Larceny: Hubert Worthington, colored, 90 days on roads.
Gambling: Leroy Gorham, Cicero Spellman, Leroy Reid, Julius Kennedy and Henry Smith, each 30 days, suspended provided each pay part of the costs.
Disorderly conduct: Ben Wooten, colored, 30 days in jail and suspended on payment of costs and not to visit the home of Almetta Washington or disturb her in any way.
Vulgar and profane language: Dick Cooper, 30 days or costs.
Speeding: Joe F. Hopkins, colored, 30 days, suspended on payment of costs and to forfeit license five days.
At Friday's session of court judge, was continued in the case against Blanche Holloman for falsifying a check as man and wife with Carlton Morris at a hotel for immoral purposes. Morris asked for a jury trial and his case was transferred to Superior Court. He is in jail.

Dies In Fire

Cambridge, Sept. 13—(AP)—One man perished and approximately 130 tenants fled by ladders, fire escapes and stairways when fire spreading upward through an elevator shaft and stairways mushroomed through three floors of a six-story, 56-suite, brick apartment building today.
The property was severely damaged but fire officials would offer no estimate of the loss.

To Talk Freight Rates

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 13—(AP)—Governor Broughton will leave tomorrow for Denver, Colo., to attend a three-day meeting of southern and western governors who plan to discuss freight rates.
He will return by way of Lincoln, Neb., where he will attend a meeting of the executive committee of the National Governors' Council.

Airplane ...

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Knight's Cross was awarded to Guggenberger, was commander of one of two U-boats which the Germans credited for the Ark Royal sinking.

The navy plane, a Martin Mariner, was flying anti-submarine patrol off the Brazilian coast when it sighted the submarine. Only minutes later the U-boat sighted the plane. Anti-aircraft fire came from the after deck gun as the submarine turned and increased its speed.

The navy bomber immediately began its run for the release of bombs. Through heavy fire, the plane came in over its target and released its bombs from an altitude of only 50 feet.
The drop completely straddled the sub, two of the bombs striking the U-boat's deck, the others landing close aboard on the port and starboard sides, the navy reported.
"The U-boat was blasted out of the water. Then boiling water and intermingled brown stains were all that could be seen. Returning to the spot about a minute after the attack, however, the navy divers saw spreading oil, various brown discolorations and 15 to 20 survivors in the water."

A life raft was dropped in the midst of the German survivors and the plane hovered over the scene until relieved two hours later by another plane which in turn stood by until the seven survivors were picked up by a United States naval seaplane tender. The navy did not explain what happened to the other survivors seen in the water at the time the life raft was dropped.

Immigration from East India to British Guiana began in 1938.

Boiled bamboo shoots, Army style taste like asparagus.

British Preparing ...

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hands it is believed generally in London that recapture of the Burma road is one of the immediate goals of the Allies.

Both the United States and Britain are expected to increase air power in that theater. The Arakan campaign which the British undertook last December demonstrated that the key to the reconquest of

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| Unit Corp | 1 1/2 |
| Unit Drug | 13 |
| US Rub | 44 1/2 |
| US Smelt and Ref | 55 |
| US Steel | 51 1/2 |
| Vanadium | 19 1/2 |
| Vick Chem | 43 1/2 |
| Warner Pic | 13 1/2 |
| Western Un | 35 1/2 |
| West El and Mfg | 93 1/2 |
| Woolworth | 39 |
| Yell T and C | 18 1/2 |

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Burma is naval and airpower and that without control of the sea lanes the number of troops which can successfully be maintained in Burma is strictly limited by the extraordinary complexity of land communications.

Three reasons are assigned here for the failure of British empire forces to expel before now the five divisions which it is estimated the Japanese are employing to hold Burma.

First, India has occupied a relatively low place on the quota list for supplies; second, the training of her troops previously was directed toward the desert warfare of the west rather than the jungle warfare of the east; third, the campaign season between the monsoons is relatively short.

Next time the story should be different.

Mrs. Cowell ...

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of Rocky Mount, and Mrs. Theodore K. Weyher of Dade City, Fla.; and two sons, R. B. Cowell of Norfolk, Va., and Frank H. Cowell of Hyattsville, Md.; five grandchildren, Zula Cowell of Norfolk, Richard Cowell of Philadelphia, Frances Cowell and Pvt. Frank H. Cowell, Jr., in the U. S. Army of Hyattsville, Md., Frances Lee Henry of Pittsburgh, and Mrs. R. K. Barnhill of Stokes; and four great-grandchildren.

Aussies Take ...

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17 miles down the Mackam river valley from the inland airstrip on which they began to land eight days ago and to have reached a position eight miles from the town of Lae. There, at Heath's plantation, the communists said they came upon the enemy's outpost defenses.

Meanwhile, with the enemy's airpower still largely if perhaps only temporarily, missing from this theater of war, the Allies pressed their unending campaign against his lines of supply and reinforcement by sea.

In the Solomon Islands and in the waters around New Guinea and New Britain, big reconnaissance bombers attacked a total of eight enemy freighters, and set afire or otherwise damaged at least five, perhaps more.

More Italian ...

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fleet which was believed to have numbered between 50 and 60, some of which are understood to have been operating in the Atlantic.
Other units of the fleet, including some of the submarines, were believed to be at sea attempting to elude German bombers which sent the giant 35,000-ton battleship Roma to the bottom with one well-placed bomb as it fled Italy Friday.

By THOMAS S. TREANOR
Los Angeles Times Correspondent
Representing the Combined American Press.

Distributed by the Associated Press
Valletta, Malta, Sept. 13—(AP)—Italian ships which have surrendered to the Allies are eminently suitable to carry on the war in the Pacific against the Japanese, naval officers here believe.

Reports that Italian war vessels were designed only for short dashes about the Mediterranean and are unfit for long cruises have been over-emphasized, British officers said.

"That is the same old story that used to be passed around about the German fleet," said one officer. "You know how true that was." "These are good ships," continued. "Some of the battleships rate with the best in the world."

The principal complication will be in manning the vessels and providing ammunition for them. The caliber of their guns differs from that of British and American vessels and it is not likely they could have carried away enough ammunition to make them immediately useful.

Unless manufacturing facilities already had been made available in anticipation of just such an emergency, extensive factories will have to be provided for ammunition.

Germans Strike ...

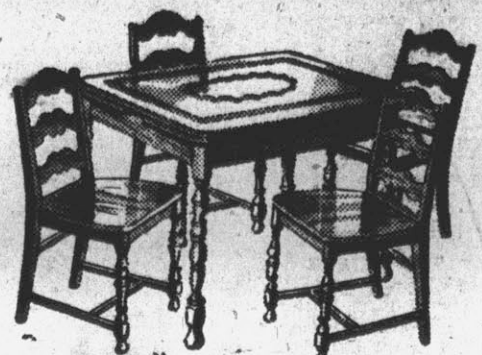
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ticians and organizers. He is the youngest major general in the American army.

Also indicating fierce fighting in the Salerno area, the German communiqué said Nazi troops were throwing hard punches of their own in the northern part of the battle area and threw back Allied forces "to the town and coastal strip"—presumably Salerno.

It was conceded, however, that the Allied forces south of Salerno were making strong thrusts "to break through mountain positions east of the coastal plain." Enemy troop movements on the highways toward Salerno were heavily attacked all day yesterday by Allied dive-bombers and strafers which raked convoys ranging up to 200 vehicles streaming northward toward the fight.

The importance the Nazi com-



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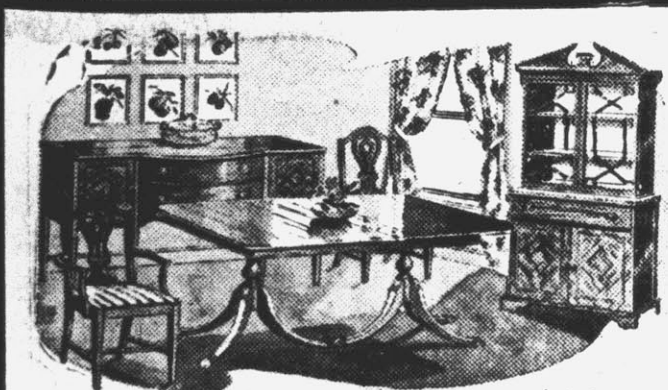
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