

WEATHER

Mostly cloudy and warmer tonight. Partly cloudy and cooler Friday with light rain on the coast Friday morning.

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Plans For Crushing Nazis Believed Already Settled

Japan To Be Stripped Of All Ill-Gotten Gains Reducing It To Minor Island Kingdom; Germany Subject Of Roosevelt-Churchill-Stalin Conferences

By JOHN F. CHESTER Cairo, Dec. 2.—(AP)—Britain and the United States agreed on details for a new invasion of Europe and perhaps discussed a strike into the Balkans, it was reported on good authority today, at the epic tri-power conference where, with China, they pledged unrelenting war to thrash Japan into unconditional surrender and tear away the whole empire she has won in 50 years of conquest.

There was a feeling here that big developments would come from the five-day meeting of President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Churchill and

Stockholm, Dec. 2.—(AP)—The newspaper Allehanda speculated today that a Roosevelt-Stalin-Churchill meeting was taking place in Tabriz, ancient trading city in Iran less than 100 miles from the Russian and Turkish borders.

The newspaper, in a dispatch from Ankara, quoted "reliable information."

Tabriz is one of the largest cities in Iran, often stricken by earthquakes, it lies at an elevation of more than 4,000 feet at the foot of Mt. Sahand.

Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek, who left for unannounced destinations last Friday after completing their talks.

Chiang returned to Chungking yesterday. It was disclosed in Chungking, apparently disposing of rumors that the generalissimo and Mrs. Chiang had proceeded to Iran with Roosevelt and Churchill to confer with Premier Marshal Stalin. Reuters reported from Lisbon Tuesday that Chiang was in the party going to Iran, and the Berlin radio said yesterday a four-way conference already was under way in Teheran.

For Japan, the three war leaders promised "unrelenting pressure" by sea, land and air, and declared they would strip her of all her empire stolen in 50 years since 1854. The same territorial status as before Commodore Perry opened up that Oriental land of the Shoguns in 1853. Only her home islands would remain.

Major decisions were reported (Continued on Page Four)

Warn Nazis Against Use Of Poison Gas

New York, Dec. 2.—(AP)—The Soviet-sponsored Free German National Committee has warned the German people in a broadcast from Moscow that any Nazi attempt to use poison gas will bring swift Allied retaliation.

Asserting that Nazi talk of "secret weapons" has given rise to the "whisper of poison gas," the broadcast, recorded by U. S. government monitors, pointed out that the Allies had clear superiority in artillery and bombers the weapons with which gas would be applied.

Must Use Island Hopping Campaign Against Japan

(Editor's Note: William L. Worden, Associated Press war correspondent, has been on hand for two of the most bitterly waged island operations against the Japanese. Around him he saw them driven from Atafu in the Aleutians from bombers he watched the bloody unfolding of the successful campaign against Tarawa in the Gilberts. After talking with authoritative sources, here he discusses the campaign ahead.)

By WILLIAM L. WORDEN Pacific Fleet Headquarters, Dec. 2.—(AP)—The largest naval concentration in history and hundreds of thousands of Allied troops momentarily are expecting the attack orders opening a campaign against Japan of such magnitude as to make clear that Tarawa was only the overture.

It will be aimed against those hundreds of islands forming concentric rings of defenses for Japan's valuable conquests in the Philippines and the Indies. There will be fights for islands which are not so much of value to the Allies as they are dangerous in Japanese hands. On them, Japan has stationed some of her finest army and navy troops under orders to

Leads Red Drive



General Constantin Rokossovsky (above) directs the Red Army in a drive that may open the way for possible general advance toward Pinsk, key city of eastern Poland. (AP Wirephoto.)

ALLIES BOMB U-BOAT BASE

Fortresses Attacked Base At Marseille Today

Allied Headquarters, Algiers, Dec. 2.—(AP)—Flying Fortresses of the Northwest African Air Force attacked the submarine base and docks at Marseille in southern France today, a special Allied headquarters communique announced.

Submarine pens and naval building facilities in the harbor under construction for months and only recently nearing completion were bombed the special announcement said.

This was the first attack on this target by Flying Fortresses of the 15th Air Force but it was the second time in little over a week that the heavies from this theater had hit German Mediterranean naval bases. In a raid on Toulon naval base November 24 the big bombers caused heavy damage, sinking five U-boats.

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Nazis Defeated By Guerrillas

London, Dec. 2.—(AP)—Yugoslav partisans have inflicted a crushing defeat on the Germans in southwestern Slovenia, in which the enemy lost 3,600 men in killed and wounded a communique broadcast by the Yugoslav Army of Liberation reported today.

In 14 days of continuous fighting, the war bulletin said, more than 1,200 Nazis were slain and large quantities of arms and ammunition were captured by the Yugoslavs.

Other partisan columns, operating south of Slovenia in northwestern Croatia cut the important Zagreb-Belgrade main railway line in several places between Zagreb and Sisak.

In northwestern Serbia the German garrison at Mokragora capitulated after a long siege by Yugoslav forces.

The drive in the high school today under way this morning, but there was not as good response as was expected. Boxes have been placed in various parts of the building where students may deposit the old clothes and rags which they bring to school.

"There is a strong possibility," stated Mr. Dowd, principal of the high school, "that the students may canvass the town for old clothes later in the drive."

Anyone who has any old clothes or rags and cannot get them to one of the collecting points may have them picked up by calling 3721.

This is a great opportunity for the people of this city and nation to help our fighting allies in Europe by donating old clothes and rags," stated Mr. Dowd.

NAVY BLASTS NIPPON BASES

Kinkaid Forces Hammer Gasmata And Madang

Southwest Pacific Allied Headquarters, Dec. 2.—(AP)—Light naval craft of Vice Adm. Thomas C. Kinkaid's command have hammered Gasmata on New Britain island and Madang on New Guinea for the first time from the sea, boldly carrying United States colors onto Japan's southwest Pacific doorstep.

Many times these two prime enemy air and ship bases have felt the smash of tons of Allied aerial bombs but the seaborne attacks, presumably by destroyers the night of Nov. 29 and dawn next day, brought the Japanese a new kind of bad news which was hurled with marksmanship described as "effective."

Gen. Douglas MacArthur's communique today also told of a repeat aerial raid on enemy air facilities at Cape Gloucester, western New Britain. Twenty-eight tons of bombs were dropped there in the second attack for Nov. 29, making a total of 74 tons for the day.

Seventy tons of explosives likewise were dumped that day on the Japanese airfields at Alexishafen, 10 miles north of Madang. This air base is supposed to supply the air protection for ship supply and loading facilities at Madang.

The sea attack on Madang took the warships north of Vitiaz strait and far into waters which have been dominated by Japan since its invasion thrusts. The nearest Allied-held coastal point is at Puschhafen on the Huon peninsula New Guinea, nearly 200 airline miles southeast of Madang.

Besides the pounding of shore installations at Madang, the American naval vessels sank a small enemy craft in Dailman passage.

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No Liquor Books Will Be Issued December

Up to November 30th, 3,478 of the new ABC alcoholic beverage control permit books had been issued in Polk county. No permit books will be issued during December. They will be issued to applicants beginning on Tuesday, January 4, and on each Tuesday thereafter, it was stated.

While no exact figures on the number of books issued last year were available, it is understood that the total was between 14,000 and 15,000.

Schools To Head Old Clothes Drive

A drive for old clothes and rags is now being conducted through the county state and nation. The drive is under the direction of the War Production Board. In Greenville the drive is being headed by the student body of Greenville High School under the local Civilian Defense Council. This drive for old clothes and rags for people in the European countries was begun today and will continue for two weeks.

Of the clothes and rags that are collected those that are not usable as they will be reprocessed and made into new clothes for the refugees.

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Grand Jury To Meet Courthouse Friday

The Grand Jury, investigating charges made by R. D. Whitehurst of Bethel that certain persons in the county had improperly listed property for taxes and that others had failed to list, will meet at the courthouse tomorrow.

Judge J. Paul, Frazelle of Snow Hill, during a recent term of Superior Court, signed an order instructing the grand jury to make a full investigation of the charges at Bethel and requested it.

The grand jury's report is usually made the last part of a court term. The jury was instructed to take its time on the special investigation. The report will be read at the next term of court in January.

Marines Bring In Jap Prisoner



Scantly clad, and with hands held high, a Japanese prisoner marches ahead of two U. S. Marines, being one of the few prisoners taken during the bitter fighting that followed the invasion of Tarawa in the Gilbert Islands, November 20, resulting in American victory. AP Photographer Frank Egan, landing with the Marines, made this picture for the Still Picture Pool. (AP Wirephoto.)

German Forces Continue Heavy Attacks On Reds

Despite Fierce Resistance And Sticky Mud The Russians Continue Drive Toward Polish Border

By The Associated Press London, Dec. 2.—(AP)—Huge forces of German reserves are attacking all along the 600-mile eastern front in a desperate bid to regain control of vital communications and supply lines and halt the surging Russian drive to the old Polish border, Moscow reported today.

The Russians declared, however, that they were holding their lines against the fierce six-day onslaughts and even announced slight advances in White Russia and in the Dnieper bend. There was no mention in the Russian communique of developments in the Kiev bulge, where the Germans previously had recaptured the rail junctions of Zhitomir and Korosten to regain control of a 35-mile-long stretch of the important Leningrad-Odessa railway west of the Dnieper river.

The intensity of the fighting was heightened, front dispatches to Moscow newspapers indicated, as both sides sought to improve their positions. Eddy Gilmore, Associated Press correspondent who has just returned to Moscow from the Korosten-Zhitomir-Kiev area, wrote:

"I saw one of the fiercest fights of the war, with both sides expending great numbers of men and machine guns and fighting in some of the worst mud."

Apparently the Nazis held the advantage in communications, since they were using well-equipped trunk lines in bringing up reserves from the west. The Russians were using railways only recently retaken from the enemy, most of which were wrecked in the German retreat. They were further handicapped by muddy highways, lack of the front and the longer distances from which to bring up reinforcements.

German defenses southwest of Kremenchug in the Dnieper bend, Moscow said, were crushed by Red army troops, who held their gains against 15 m. sq. counterattacks of Kremenchug. Soviet forces bottled their way toward the rail junction of Smela, beating down German counter-smashes, capturing many prisoners, 16 planes and 26 tanks, the Soviet communique declared. More than 2,200 Germans were reported killed in these actions.

In White Russia, Soviet troops plodded steadily ahead through intermediate German defenses northwest of Gomel to capture several villages on the road to Zhitomir. Other white-clad Red army soldiers crossed the Pribet river to the south to capture Narovl, 14 miles east of Yelk, Russian-held town on the Leningrad-Odessa railway, between Ovruch and Mozys.

Word that the Oriental war-mill is beginning to grind at high speed is of the greatest importance. Dispatch is essential for China is dangerously weak in her resources—virtually without military equipment—it will be exact. She must be retrained so that she may fight her great manpower against the Jap forces. That means retraining routes into China so that Allied supplies can reach her.

One wonders whether the Cairo conference got any further than these sweeping fundamentals. Perhaps not, for this is the time for action and not for talk of distant details in affecting a brave new world which is as yet being created.

Various European reports have it that the three great men of the Cairo conference have now proceeded to Teheran, the Persian capital, which is the aerial gateway to Russia to meet with Marshal Stalin in another convulse that will consider the other half of our global war—the European conflict. It is so, one would expect that there the idea will prevail of sticking largely to the fundamental operations necessary to achieve a quick victory over the Hitlerites.

What will this involve? I should say that most certainly it will push off the question of opening up that second front in France at the earliest possible moment. Here, as in the case of China, speed is the password to early victory. (Continued on Page Four)

Germans Retreating Along Italian Front

CARRIER SUNK OFF GILBERTS

Liscome Bay Was Only Vessel Lost In Operation

Washington, Dec. 2.—(AP)—The United States escort aircraft carrier Liscome Bay, was torpedoed and sunk by a Japanese submarine during the Gilbert island operations, and was the only American vessel lost during the engagement, the navy announced today.

The Gilberts engagement itself has been described as one of the bloodiest in the Pacific area.

Rear Admiral Henry M. Mullinnix, reported missing, was said by the navy to have been aboard the carrier.

Captain Irving D. Wiltse, commander of the Liscome Bay, also is reported missing in action.

The total casualties have not yet been disclosed by the navy. The normal complement of such carriers has not been announced.

The Liscome Bay was the first American escort carrier reported sunk since U. S. entry into the war and is the first carrier of any kind to be lost in more than a year. The last carrier sinking reported was that of the Hornet which went down in the battle of Santa Cruz October 24-25, 1942.

The sinking brings to 131 the total naval losses this far reported by the navy during the war. Five of the sinkings have been aircraft carriers, including the Liscome Bay.

An escort carrier is a small one, normally used to escort convoys.

The Liscome Bay was built at the Kaiser Company yards, Vancouver, Wash., and was launched April 19, 1943. She was named for a bay in Alaska.

Restrictions On Liquor Purchases

Raleigh, Dec. 2.—(AP)—The first four coupons in the new whiskey ration book will be redeemable any time during December, Carl Williamson, chairman of the State Board of Alcoholic Control, said today.

He said, however, that the half-pint increase in the value of the coupons might not be continued in January and subsequent months because of the national liquor shortage.

The chairman earlier this week announced that the four December coupons were earmarked for special purchases. The first two will be good for two pints one quart or one fifth of Scotch or domestic liquor. Coupons three and four will be good for two pints two tenths of one fifth of Brandy, rum, gin or cordials. No whiskey may be bought with coupons three and four.

Certificates Of War Necessity For 1944

Certificates of War Necessity issued by the Office of Defense Transportation are for the duration of the war and need not be renewed for 1944. Harvey R. Roseman, district manager of the ODT in Raleigh, stated today. He pointed out that many queries have been received by his office from persons wanting to renew their certificates for next year.

The mileage allotments authorized by the certificates for 1943 will stand for 1944 unless changed by the ODT, he declared.

Such certificates are necessary for operation of commercial vehicles to receive gasoline and tires.

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Cannon In Nose



This is the B-25 Mitchell medium bomber, with a 75mm cannon in the nose, a development in air warfare just disclosed by the Army. The innovation, tested in the South Pacific, and probably other theaters," the Army said, has proved its value. (AP Wirephoto.)

WAR CASUALTY REPORT ISSUED

Reveals 126,969 U. S. Casualties To November 15

Washington, Dec. 2.—(AP)—Secretary of War Stimson reported today that American army casualties from the beginning of the war to November 15 were 94,918, bringing the total announced casualties for all branches of the armed forces to 126,969.

Casualties reported by the Navy Department for the Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard to date, except for the preliminary reports announced yesterday from the recent operations in the Gilbert Islands total 22,051, of which 13,160 were killed, 5,740 wounded, 8,926 missing and 4,225 prisoners of war.

Stimson told a news conference that the army total included 23,417 killed, 32,690 wounded, 23,417 missing in action. Of the Americans officially listed as prisoners 1,610 had died in prison camps, mostly in Japanese-occupied territory, he reported.

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Waitress Finds \$300 In Kares Restaurant

Mrs. Irene Smith, of Gardnerville, while shopping in Greenville today, lost a small pocketbook with \$300 in it. An hour later she discovered her loss. She went back to Kares restaurant on Evans street looking for it. She was visibly distressed. Happy days were here again for Mrs. Smith when Chris and James Kares, owners of the restaurant, returned her pocketbook and the money. She had dropped the purse on the floor under a booth.

Mrs. Nina Ruth Hinson, an employee had found the purse and turned it over to the manager.

Criticize OWI Handling Conference News Report

Washington, Dec. 2.—(AP)—The handling of news about the Churchill-Roosevelt-Chiang conference from here by capital news agencies while the American public generally had to await an official release of the information, to this country's news outlets, aroused indignation in Congress today.

Some of the kackback led on the floor of the House, notwithstanding the fact that the official release time was given out here by the White House—not OWI.

OWI Director Elmer Davis explained that the agency had nothing to do with the White House communique handed to newsmen 30 hours ahead of authorized release to the general public and also in part in setting the 7:50 p. m. Wednesday, December 2, release time noted on the communique.

Davis pointed out his office was told by that timing in the same way that newspapers and radio stations were.

However, Rep. Carl-on (R-Kans.) was inclined to aim criticism at Davis' statement. "Instead of getting news from foreign capitals, we should get it more direct."

"We've had too many releases of

More Than 1,000 Nazi Prisoners And Quantity Of War Supplies Taken By Eighth Army In Big Breakthrough; Fifth Army Repulses Counterattacks

By NOLAN NORGAARD Allied Headquarters, Algiers, Dec. 2.—(AP)—The Germans are in full retreat from their ponderously fortified winter line in Italy near the Adriatic, leaving the battleground littered with dead, wounded and wrecked equipment, Allied headquarters announced today.

At the same time the Nazis apparently were making preparations to abandon Cassino on the Via Cassilina, the main inland road up a broad valley to Rome, in the face of rising pressure from Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark's Fifth Army-supported yesterday by a terrific aerial bombardment of one of the heaviest seen in the Italian campaign.

Spitfire pilots reported heavy German demolitions were taking place at Cassino, approximately 12 miles northwest of the Allied front at Mignano, shortly after fighter-bombers, Warhaws and A-36 dive-bombers had pounded the German defenses along a 20-mile front for three hours.

Sweeping over at 10-minute intervals waves of planes showered hundreds of fragments and high explosives in their most devastating combination upon German emplacements, trenches and fortifications, leaving them a churned mass of ruin.

The front-line aerial attack was keyed to a similar attack carried out behind the lines.

Forced to abandon their mountain positions north of the Sangro along the Adriatic in front of the offensive of Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's Eighth Army, the (Continued on Page Four)

Police are holding Blossie Early, Negro woman on a charge of assaulting Henry Adams, Negro employee at the airport, with a knife at her home on Bonner's Lane about noon today. Adams was treated at the hospital for knife wounds requiring numerous stitches. He was cut about the head and face and on a hand.

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KATION DEADLINES Foods: ABC, Dec. 20. Meats: GHJK, Dec. 4. L.M. Jan. 1. Sugar: "Sugar," Dec. 5 lbs., Jan. 15. Gasoline: No. 8-A coupons, Feb. 2.

19 SHOPPING DAYS LEFT... Buy Christmas Seals

Social and Personal

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR
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Sgt. and Mrs. Robert Lee Holloman are visiting relatives in Greenville and Farnville. Sgt. Holloman is stationed at Camp Atterbury, Ind. Mrs. Holloman is residing in Durham.

Mrs. Ray Tyson left Tuesday night for New Bern to be with her daughter, Mrs. C. W. Bynum, who is quite ill.

Friends of Mrs. Joseph Tripp will regret to learn that she is quite ill in Parrott Memorial Hospital in Kinston.

Taylor-Skinner.
Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Skinner announce the marriage of their daughter Dorothy Allen.

Staff Sergeant Aubrey B. Taylor on Tuesday, November thirtieth nineteen hundred and forty-three Greensboro, North Carolina.

Jane Austen Club Meets.
The Jane Austen Book Club held its regular meeting on Thursday afternoon, November 11, with Mrs. W. G. Stokes as hostess, at her home in Stokes. The home was attractively decorated with autumn flowers.

After a short business session, presided over by the president, Mrs. J. B. Congleton, the meeting was given over to Mrs. J. A. Wombie who gave a very interesting paper on "The Army on Maneuvers". Mrs. Stokes, assisted by Mrs. J. B. Congleton and Mrs. J. A. Tyson, served a delicious salad with a hot drink.—Reported.

Smith-Hurff.
Mr. and Mrs. John J. Hurff of Henderson, N. C., announce the marriage of their daughter, Odell, to Mr. James Burley Smith of Greenville, N. C., on November 29, 1943.

Mr. Smith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Major Smith of Winterville.

To Give Christmas Readings.
Mrs. J. H. Rose will give several Christmas readings at the Greenville E. C. T. C. Alumni meeting on Friday evening. All members are invited to be present.

Pitt County Girl Wins Wings.
Lt. Mary Sue Manning of Greenville, Route 4, recently graduated from the Army Air Forces School of Air Evacuation, Bowman Field, Louisville, Ky. The class was honored by having General David Grant of Washington, D. C., to present their wings and diplomas, which qualifies them as a flight nurse. The class was followed by a formal parade led by Lt. Manning, who was chosen banner carrier of her class. Following the parade was a buffet dinner and dance.

Lt. Manning is now at home on leave. She has been assigned to the 914th Medical Air Evacuation Transport Squadron, upon returning to Bowman Field.

Wright-Haynsworth.
Mrs. William U. Eberhart announces the marriage of her daughter Ruth Eberhart Haynsworth to

William Alderman Wright, Lieutenant, United States Army on Sunday, November fourteenth nineteen hundred and forty-three Waco, Texas.

Lt. Wright is the son of Mrs. R. H. Wright and the late Dr. Wright, former president of East Carolina Teachers College.

Aldermen Meet Tonight.
The Board of Aldermen will meet at the City Hall tonight at 8 o'clock in regular monthly session. A number of important matters are to be discussed.

Commissioners Meet Monday.
The Board of County Commissioners will meet at the court house next Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

Service League Board To Meet.
The Service League board will meet at the home of Mrs. K. B. Pace on Friday at 10:30 a. m.

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Social Calendar

WEDNESDAY
8:00 p. m.—Junior Woman's Club meets with Miss Edla Taylor.

THURSDAY
10:00 a. m.—12:00 noon—Red Cross knitting room open in the Woman's Club.

FRIDAY
10:00 a. m.—12:00 noon—Red Cross knitting room open in the Woman's Club.

6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club will meet in high school cafeteria.

8:00 p. m.—Greenville E. T. C. C. Alumni chapter meets in the new classroom building at the college.

SURGICAL DRESSING STATION OF RED CROSS

Austin Building, E. C. T. C. Hours Daily Except Saturday:
9-12 a. m. 2-5 p. m.
Tuesdays and Wednesdays 7:30-10 p. m.

Monday, 9-12—Episcopal and Catholic women.
Monday, 2-5—Memorial Baptist and Catholic Women.
Tuesday, 9-12—Episcopal and Christian.
Tuesday 2-5—Book Clubs.
Wednesday, 9-12—Methodist Circles Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4.
Wednesday, 2-5—Presbyterian and Immanuel Baptist women.
Thursday, 9-12—Immanuel Baptist women.
Thursday, 2-5—Methodist Circles Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8.
Friday 9-12—Presbyterian women.
Friday, 2-5—Christian and Memorial Baptist women.

Masonic Lodge To Meet.
Special communication of Greenville Lodge No. 284 A. F. and A. M., Friday night at 7:30. Work in the Fellowcraft degree. All Master Masons and Fellowcrafts cordially invited.
N. R. Joyner, Master.
J. S. Willard, Secy.

Athenum Book Club Meets.
The Athenum Book Club met on Tuesday at one o'clock with Mrs. J. Knott Proctor at her home on

Pitt county gets \$1,620.79 of the first \$100,000 appropriated by the state for public schools. The number of children of school age in this county is 11,000.

The government bureau report today placed the cotton crop for this season at 9,996,017 bales. In consequence of this low estimate the price jumped right up. Middling 12-1-2 cents in Norfolk.

Oh, horrors! There is more spent on chewing gum than on missions! Why don't some of you shed tears for the poor farmer who only gets from three to four dollars a cord for his wood.—Durham Herald.

Fifth street.
A delicious three-course turkey luncheon was served to club members and guests, Mrs. Willy Glass and Mrs. June Rose.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. D. J. Whichard, Jr., who turned the meeting over to Mrs. Proctor. She introduced the speaker of the afternoon, Mrs. June Rose, who in her attractive, interesting manner gave a review of the book "Happy Land," which was thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

The club voted to take a needy family Christmas. After the distribution of books, the club adjourned.—Reported.

Inter Se Club Meets.
The Inter Se Book Club met at the home of Mrs. Marvin Blount on Tuesday. Miss Irene Hester was a guest of the hostess for the occasion.

During the business period the members voted to bring gifts for the needy to the next meeting and to fill stockings for the marines at Camp Lejeune.

COGA Meeting.
There will be a meeting of the athletic club in room 25 tonight at 7:30.

Bonds and Stamps.
The boys and girls of the Greenville city schools have bought or had bought for them a total of \$10,466.95 in War Bonds and stamps during the month of November. This is one of the largest amounts that have

COLLEGE MUSIC RECITAL TONIGHT

Wright Auditorium 8 P. M.
Note Correction In Date

BELK-TYLER'S

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- \$19.95 now \$15.88
- \$24.50 now \$19.88
- \$29.50 now \$23.88
- \$34.50 now \$26.88

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9:30—Hi Neighbor!

been bought by and for the city school students in a single month this year. The students of the Training School are credited with \$2,330.90, of bonds and stamps. Third Street School students \$869.60. West Greenville School students \$2,317.85 and the high school students, \$4,748.60.

The students of the high school are striving to get 90 per cent of the student body buying war stamps or bonds regularly by December 17 so that they may fly the Treasury Flag.

Beta Carnival.
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- 9:15—Gracie Fields, MBS.
- 9:30—High School News.
- 9:45—1100 Club.
- 10:00—News.
- 10:15—1100 Club.
- 10:30—News and Del Courtney, MBS.
- 10:45—Bernie Cumming's Orch., MBS.
- 11:00—News.
- 11:05—Sign Off.

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- 6:59—Sign On.
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 - 7:15—Yarn Patrol.
 - 7:40—Lost and Found.
 - 7:45—News, TN.
 - 8:00—Musical Clock.
 - 8:15—Magic Lamp of Melody.
 - 8:30—Morning Meditations.
 - 8:45—Spotlight on Rhythm.
 - 9:00—News.
 - 9:05—Design For War Time Living.
 - 9:10—According to Record.
 - 9:15—Morning Melodies.
 - 9:30—Organ Moods.
 - 9:45—Names in the News.
 - 9:50—Musical Interlude.
 - 9:55—Canning for Victory.
 - 10:00—Obituary Column.
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 - 10:10—Musical Interlude.
 - 10:15—Farmville on the Air.
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- 8:30—Christmas Serenade.
- 8:35—Music You Love.
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- 9:30—Double or Nothing, MBS.
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FINAL ASSEMBLY

By E. H. LEFTWICH

Chapter 18

"Last week," Pete said to Ken Dover, "you told me yours was the hardest working department in the plant."

"Sure, I did."

"Well, if that's the case, how about those two girls?" He nodded toward a pair of girls who were leaning on a section of coving and arguing heatedly. "All last week, I didn't see either of them do a bit of work. All they did was stand around and argue, like they're doing now."

"Oh, those girls," Ken said and winked at Pete. "Those two are exceptions."

"If they are exceptions, then why aren't the foreman fire them?" Ken laughed. "He can't."

"Why not?"

"Well, you see, it's this way: he's been running around with the thin one for six months or so, and a couple of months ago he started running around with the other one. He couldn't shake loose from the thin one so now, he has to go with both of them. He has a time keeping one from knowing that he's going with the other, and because he's going with them he can't afford to make them work when they don't want to."

"Well, aren't they suspicious?"

"Sure they are. That's why they argue so much."

"Kind of a mess, isn't it?"

"Yeah, but that's the kind of a guy Mug-head is."

Mug-head walked up waving a print. He thrust it toward Ken. "I give up," he said. "I can't find the location of the flange in detail J."

"How about you finding it?"

Ken smiled. "Sorry," he said, "but I gave up an hour ago. It's no use. I can't find it either."

"Okay," Mug-head said waving a hand. "Take it to Kitty."

Ken picked up the print and started toward the paint shop.

Why, Pete wondered, was Ken taking the print to Kitty? She worked in the paint shop. Surely she knew nothing about mechanical prints.

At lunch time, unexpectedly, he had a chance to ask Kitty about it, but he was so excited over the fact that she had smiled at him and consented to eat with him that he forgot about the print. There were more important things to discuss, such as arrangements for a date for that night.

"I'm sorry, Pete," she said. "I really am. But tonight, I have a date with Charley."

"Then, how about Saturday night?"

"I'm going to a little private dance, then."

"With Charley?"

"Yes."

Pete got up from the table. "Okay," he said. "If you want to go with Brackmyde altogether, that's your business. I guess I know where I stand."

She reached out to lay a hand on his arm but he had left.

That night, on the way home, Ken had wanted to know how Pete was coming along with his investigation of the sheet-metal department.

"Fine," Pete said. "My report is just about ready to turn in and if Melvin does his part, there'll be a grand shake-up in the sheet metal department, just after I'm transferred."

"What did you recommend?"

"First, the foreman will be put back on the bench and the leadman, Dover, given his job. About half the department will be put on different kinds of work to which they are better suited and a couple of girls will be fired."

"Whew! That's some order. I'd surely hate to be in your shoes if they ever find out what you are doing!"

"I'm not afraid, Les, but I don't want them to find out. It would spoil the entire plan if they did. So, I'm counting on you and the few others who know about the deal to keep quiet about it."

"You bet," Les assured him. "I'm not the kind of a guy who enjoys picking up a pal with a shovel."

For a moment they were silent. Then, "How are you and Kitty getting along these nights?" Les asked. "I saw you at lunch together tonight."

"Not so well," Pete said. "I just can't understand her. Les, she has the whole plant at her feet, yet she has to pick out a guy like Brackmyde to run around with ex-

clusively."

"It's a shame," Les agreed. "Brackmyde is not only a louse, but I wouldn't be a bit surprised if he isn't out for a little highclass sabotage on the side."

"What makes you think that?"

"Well, night before last, I saw him crawling out of Number 316. That ship goes out the door tomorrow and he had no business in it. No one but inspection was allowed to go into that ship."

Pete frowned. "There may be something in what you say. One night after I'd first started to work, old man Mose and I saw him coming out of a tall section with a pair of pliers in his hand. I expect it would be a good idea for us to sort of keep an eye on Brackmyde."

"Right."

"And if we actually find that he's damaging the ships, we'll know what to do about it."

"You bet—and say, I almost forgot. Old man Mose said to tell you that he might get to quit most any day now. The Termination Request Forms are just about ready to be printed."

To Be Continued

Library News

"JOURNEY TO AMERICA"
By Donald Peattie

Mr. Peattie addresses his book to an old German friend to whom he is introducing America, but it is also an attempt to express his own ideas. "If I can discover my country to you, a stranger to it, perhaps I shall come to see it whole myself." In it he depicts a number of events and persons and writes about some of our famous and symbols.

The volume ranges in time from the colonial period to present-day America, and in geography from the handsome town of Marblehead, Mass., to the magnificent wilderness of the Olympic peninsula in the state of Washington. Mr. Peattie believes that the essence of the United States is to be found in the back country both in former times and today.

The author is factual where facts accomplish the end, but strikes out boldly into admitted fiction when it better accomplishes the purpose.

We read of George Washington, Thomas Paine, Thomas Jefferson, Daniel Boone, Jeremia Boone who was captured by the Indians, Jim Bridgers, Kit Carson, Marcus and Narcissus Whitman and many more.

"Journey to America," presented as an interpretation of our country might better be called a reaffirmation of faith in America. In these days it is good to be reminded that the great bronze Liberty Bell was inscribed "Proclaim liberty throughout all the land unto all the inhabitants thereof."

—Mrs. Wyatt Brown.

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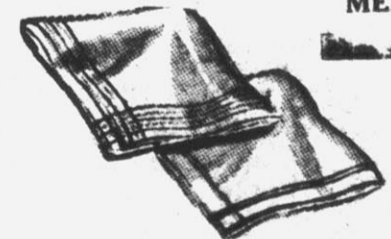
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Strength FOR THE DAY

By EARL L. DOUGLAS

DEMOTION HARD TO TAKE

Jonathan Edwards, the great New England preacher, has always been looked upon as one of the few real philosophers America has produced. While great distinction came to him the last few months of his life, there was a period previous to that time when he, who had preached to great congregations and whose writings were read with interest and admiration by philosophers all over the world, found himself holding services for a little group of a dozen or more redskins, most of whom could not read or write. He who had once been noted as a great orator, almost at the end of his career, the counsel of people who had no appreciation of what he was saying.

WASHINGTON IN WARTIME

By JACK STINNETT

Washington—Your capital in wartime. In spite of the grim realities of war, Washington's sense of humor trudges merrily along. Here's a lift from some of the stories now going the rounds.

This one is Donald Nelson's favorite and proof that the genial chief of WPB learned a lot about the literalness of the Russian mind. "If you don't want the Russians to take you at your word, don't say it," says Nelson.

On his recent trip to the U. S. S. R., Nelson attended one of those huge banquets of which the Russians are so fond. There were toasts and toast for into the night.

As the party was breaking up, Nelson was telling Premier Stalin how much he had enjoyed the evening. Smiling, he rubbed the back of his neck. "I've drunk so many toasts," he said, "I have a stiff neck."

The next morning he was aroused at an early hour by a knock at the door. He shouted, "Come in!" A Russian lady entered and explained, "In the museum I've come to fix your neck."

In a recent debate (the senatorial colloquy), Sen. Cotton Ed Smith of South Carolina, the death of the upper chamber humorists, both in vein and verve, arose to protest that he couldn't understand what the matter in hand was all about.

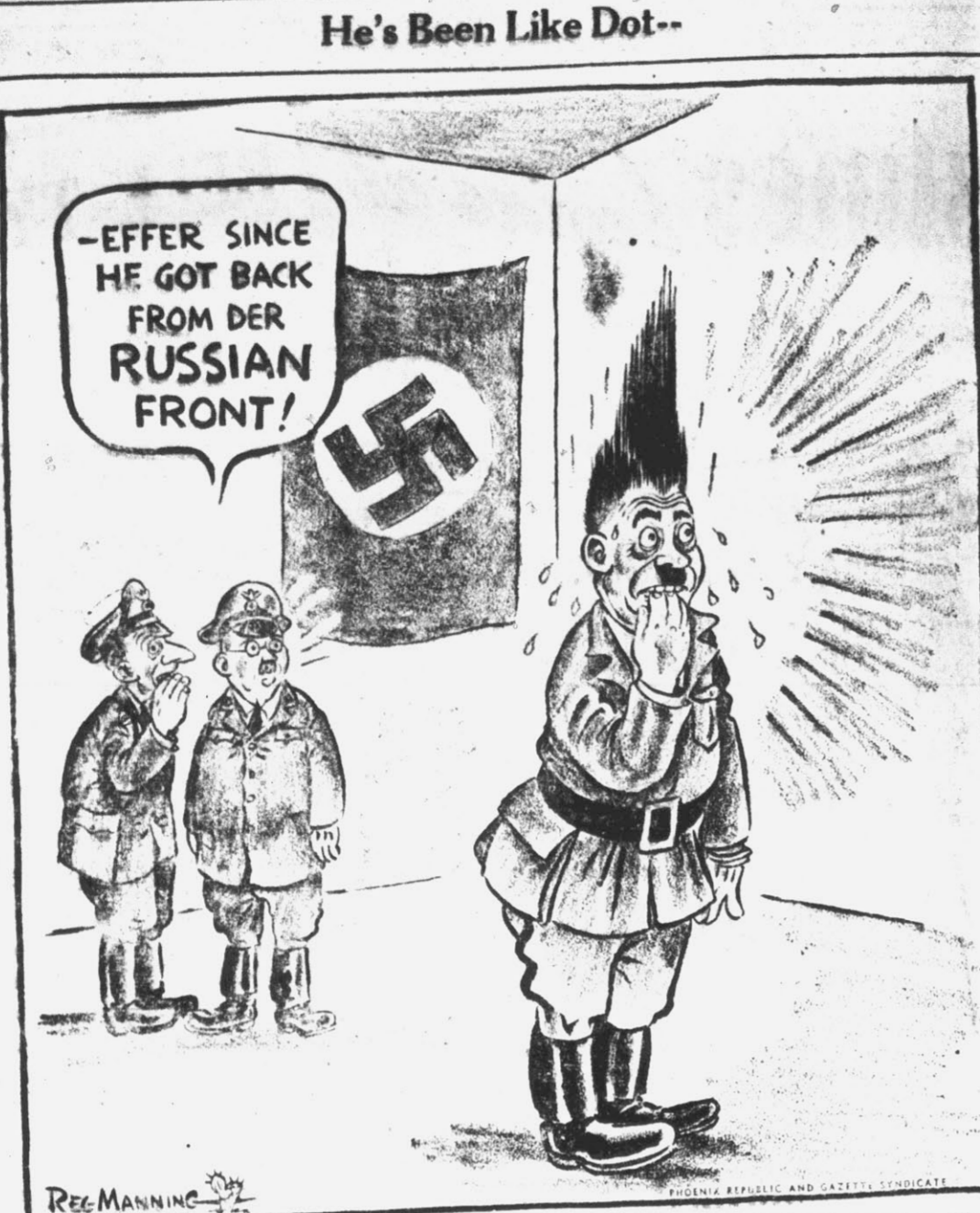
"Of course," he added, "maybe that's just because I'm an ignoramus."

At one chivalrous Majority Leader Aiken Barkley was on his feet. "I move to take that out," he said. "The members of this body are all aware that our beloved colleague from South Carolina is an ignoramus."

Senator Smith was on his feet again. "Let it stand," he roared. "I've got lots of company."

There are two people who like to tell stories on Paul M. Nutt, the manpower boss. One is attractive Mrs. Paul McNutt and the other is Paul McNutt. Between them they have quite a collection.

The latest has to do with Brock Pemberton, the New York theatrical producer who has been devoting much time to seeing that the Washington Stage Door Canteen keeps running smoothly. Seeking a hostess who would devote most of her time to the patrons who are guests



canteen. Pemberton called Mrs. McNutt. Mrs. McNutt explained that she didn't think she could give that much time (she's one of Washington's most active war workers) to any additional job. "Why," she asked helpfully, "don't you get some woman whose husband is at sea?" "Well," came the slow reply, "isn't that where your husband is most of the time these days?" One of the favorite stories of federal employes is about the official of the War Manpower Commission who had for weeks been trying to hire a \$110-a-month messenger boy. Walking along F street one day, he was approached by a lad who was handing out sample packages of peanuts.

The WAR TODAY

(Continued From Page One) To my mind the biggest thing which can come out of this conference will be solidarity of general viewpoint among Stalin, Roosevelt and Churchill—the big three. There are bound to be differences of opinion regarding some details, and we should be foolish not to expect this. If we can get unity of purpose, however, in this first conference of its kind ever to be attended by the powerful figure of Stalin, then it will have a vast success.

Must Use Island...

(Continued From Page One) would be a major sea engagement. Hence, the experts expect the Japanese to draw their fleet back possibly never risking it in toto until the homeland is in danger of invasion.

Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS 1. Inhabitants of Yarmouth 4. Chaffy scale on ferns 9. Spot on a playing card 12. Sharp and harsh 14. Exact calculation 15. City of the cat 16. Lists 17. House 18. Put into action 20. Heaps 22. Temporary 24. Constellation 25. Narrow arm of the sea 27. English game 31. Easy card 32. Above the seaport

Grid for crossword puzzle with numbers 1-32 indicating starting positions for words.

Handing of news on tri-power conference snacks very much of child's play for which American taxpayers are paying dearly. Idea of ordering papers to hold story from Tuesday morning until 7:30 p. m. Wednesday when all Europe knows details is plain silly and tends to destroy all confidence in press and OWI also. Suggest Congress might scrutinize OWI appropriations more carefully in future to determine whether necessary and whether money is to be used to defray expenses of playing with news reports. Also suggest OWI reports be released at some hour when newspapers have a chance to compete with radio which seems to be favored on all big news breaks by Davis.

Criticize OWI...

(Continued from Page One) official requests that it be held up until 7:30 p. m. eastern war time Wednesday.

There was no comment immediately forthcoming from OWI on the action of the Bayonne, N. J. Times which published the official White House announcement in advance of the release time. Asserting the time restriction had been violated "not alone by foreign and domestic agencies" but by the OWI itself, the Bayonne newspaper said it acted on a conviction that the people of the United States are entitled to news as well as any other country in the world.

Davis made it clear that he felt the fault lay with British censorship in London.

"Later the London Daily Telegraph said an official investigation was being made of the 'promotive publication overseas.' The Reuters dispatch was withheld from British newspapers but was relayed to overseas clients of the service, including those in this country."

Rep. Carlson was moved to comment on the situation by a telegram from Ray Green, publisher of the Concordia, Kans., Balde-Empire, which said: "Believe me, Emer Davis and his OWI kicked American newspapers

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Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle 64. Drove of glacial drift 65. DOWN 1. Young sheep 2. Crooked dialectic 3. Flower 4. Outcast 5. Fruit of the oak 6. Allow 7. Axes 8. Remains voluntarily 9. Article of food 10. Arabic kingdom 11. Scotch art 12. One who carries 13. Part of a curve 14. Apothecary's weight 15. Insects 16. Stir up 17. Muffled breathing sound 18. Flung out 19. Porters 20. Gem 21. To discuss 22. Wear away 23. Try 24. Polished 25. File 26. Luggage carrier 27. Former Turkish court 28. Ship's prison 29. Dried fruit 30. Mineral springs 31. Part of a minstrel show 32. Nearest 33. Invite

in an effort to check the breakthrough.

(The German communication broadcast from Berlin said Montgomery made four heavy tank attacks in one sector yesterday.)

Gen. Montgomery's British, Indian and New Zealand divisions smashed forward as much as three miles yesterday despite renewed rains, thick minefields, heavy demolitions and wire entanglements left in their path by the beaten enemy.

The town of Rocca San Giovanni, two miles inland from the Adriatic and more than four miles beyond the Sangro was overrun in Montgomery's "colossal crack" at the Nazis across battlefields littered with Nazi guns and great quantities of smashed equipment.

In addition to more than 1,000 able-bodied prisoners already counted, Montgomery's headquarters announced that the Germans left behind many dead and large numbers of wounded now being treated in British hospitals.

The entire Sangro ridge from Fossacesia to Romagnoli is now in Allied hands after "heavy fighting," the Allied communique said, with a "particularly fierce" engagement having been fought for Fossacesia. Eight miles inland, the Germans still fought desperately to retain the town of Castel Frentano, five miles beyond the river after the British reached the outskirts.

Further inland, official dispatches said, Eighth army units pierced German defenses and were "very near" the important town of Casoli, 14 miles from the Adriatic on the main lateral road which has been the enemy's chief supply route behind the Sangro line.

Simultaneously with the rushing of enemy reinforcements to the Adriatic front, the Nazi command threw three fresh units into the Fifth army front at the western end of the line. It was disclosed that the 34th American infantry division is with the Fifth army of Lt. Gen. Clark.

United States troops who before dawn yesterday beat back two very determined enemy counter-attacks in the hilly country guarding the mountain link to the main road to Rome took prisoners from the German 44th infantry division. That division is a new unit in Italy, which like many others in the Mediterranean theater, had been reconstituted after being destroyed at Stalingrad.

American Flying Fortresses struck yesterday for the second time at the Fiat ball bearing works at Turin

in northern Italy.

Heavy forces of the big daylight bombers went over the target in two waves 45 minutes apart, covered the plant with destructive bomb bursts, and scored hits besides on the nearby Fiat motor factory and the railway yards.

Wave after wave of American Mitchells also hit German troop concentrations at San Ambrogio near Rocca San Giovanni, laying down patterns over the flashes that marked the sites of German artillery batteries.

Warhaws intensively raked enemy troop movements south of Chieti which had begun under cloud cover. In an effort to interrupt the Germans' effort to reinforce their caving front, and destroyed at least 16 vehicles.

Aircobras and Spitfires destroyed four more vehicles in expeditions across the Adriatic to Albanian coastal yards. Approximately 50 German fighter-bombers attacked the Eighth army in three formations yesterday. In all, three enemy planes were shot down, while every Allied plane returned from its mission.

A navy communique said American motor torpedo boats defending Bastia, Corsica, clashed with German "E" boats Monday night, damaging one and probably damaging others.

Plans For...

(Continued From Page One) reached and while the official announcement dealt only with Japan, no one questioned that the secret, day-and-night conference was global rather than strictly Far Eastern in character. A reliable source—reporters were barred from the heavily guarded proceedings—indicated that the American and British general staffs in their biggest meeting yet probably had decided details for a new offensive against Europe as well as details of Mediterranean and Middle East affairs.

The question of the Balkans also was discussed, said men in position to know details of the proceedings. One official observer reported that Mediterranean affairs were the first subject of the biggest military meeting of the entire conference.

Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower presided at this conference, it was said, and there was sound reason to believe that not only the present campaign in Italy was reviewed, but also future possibilities, including a possible Balkans campaign in which Soviet leaders are intensely interested.

ODT Gives Useful Facts About Trucks

Persons planning to open a business involving the use of commercial motor vehicles were warned yesterday to check in advance with the Office of Defense Transportation to avoid the possibility of heavy financial loss if refused gasoline. Many applications have been received by the ODT from individuals who had invested large sums of money in a new business and then found they were ineligible to receive gasoline and tires—without which they could not carry on their business, according to Harvey E. Roseman, ODT district manager in Raleigh.

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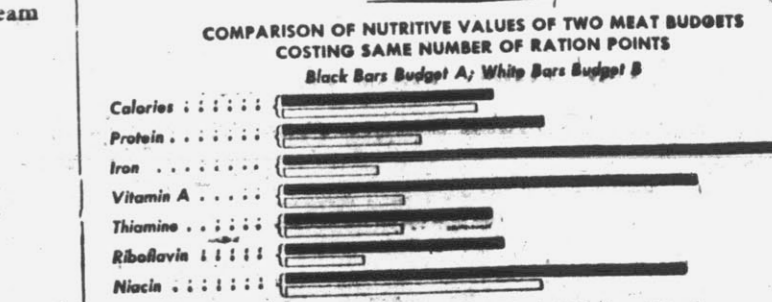
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WILSON'S WEEKLY Bulletin By George Repton

THERE'S WISDOM IN BUDGETING POINTS Today we present the cases of two average housewives—Mrs. Pretty Smart, who is seeing that her family of four gets three well-balanced, enjoyable meals every day; and Mrs. Not So Clever, who likes good food, too, but can't do so well by her family of four. Each, of course, has exactly the same amount of points per week to stretch—or to squander. Each calls her weekly list a "point budget." Now let's see who's doing the budgeting.

Table comparing two meat budgets for a family of four. Budget A (Mrs. Pretty Smart) and Budget B (Mrs. Not So Clever) with itemized lists and total costs.

Budget "A" Is Nutritious That Mrs. Smart knows how to feed her family is as plain as the black and white in the chart below. See how, by serving meat every day, she insures her family almost twice as much protein as does Mrs. Not So Clever. Even before rationing, the average American didn't get sufficient protein in his daily diet. Now, with shortages, it takes wise point budgeting indeed to reach the protein goal for buoyant health. Lack of sufficient protein causes the blood count to go down, makes one tire easily; retards a child's growth. The "iron" line runs on and on in Budget A, while in Budget B it barely gets started. A deficiency of iron may cause anemia, low vitality, pallid complexion and fatigue. See that you and your family aren't iron and protein poor. Vitamin A, thiamine and riboflavin also take a back seat in Budget B... are way in the lead in Budget A.



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Thursday, December 2, 1943

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.

New York, Dec. 2.—(AP)—Coming up for the second round, it appears that baseball's insurgents had about as much chance against Judge Bramham as Kingfish Levinisky had against Joe Louis. It was the same kind of a slaughter except that ringside seats were free—and, like one of Joe's first-round kayos, it left observers wondering how they ever figured it would be a fight. . . . Before disappearing into a caucus at which the five out-voted league heads apparently were trying to figure out what they could save from the wreckage, Shag Shaughnessy came up with a big grin and remarked: "Well, I guess we gave 'em a show. I think it's good for baseball to bring these things out in the open. . . . Crack of the day from the losing side: John (Buffalo) Stigmeier's "I want to compliment the president on the way he has conducted this meeting on behalf of his votes."

Not So Unusual

Herb Pennock figures that his new post as boss of the Phillies gives his brand new grandson, Eddie Collins, 3rd, a unique position. "He's the only baby who has two general managers for grandparents," says Herb, totally ignoring the fact that almost all grandparents can qualify for that role where the younger members of the family are concerned.

Lobby Patrol

One veteran minor leaguer refused to be impressed by yesterday's fuss. "I've seen it happen twice before," he commented, "and each time the result was the same. The men who were in the driver's seat stayed there. . . . Perhaps the most confused man in the place is Walter "Boom Boom" Beck, who used to pitch for the Phillies. Bill Cox named Beck as manager of the Utica, N. Y., club before completing arrangements for his release from Knoxville, Tenn. Now with new men running the Phils, Boom doesn't know whether he's a manager, player or just a guy looking for a job. . . . Probable successor to Herb Pennock as head of the Red Sox farm system is Joe Beardon, of Scranton, Pa., who has been Pennock's assistant. Branch Riekey says this most unusual baseball convention he ever attended, "because nobody is talking about winning the pennant."

Team News

Turn back the clock the right number of years and you could get up quite a ball team right in the hotel lobby. For a starter, how about Kiki Cuyler, Mel Ott, Leo Durocher, Charles Grimm, Joe Cronin, Jimmie Fox, Herb Pennock and Fred Fitzsimmons? . . . Need a catcher, too? Skeets Dieke has been around in his sailor suit shaking hands.

Big Deal

While all hands have bemoaned the absence of trades this week, Charlie Herndon, president of the Appalachian League, was offering a deal that might interest a lot of folks. He wanted to trade a pheasant for a ham.

Cleaning the Cubb

Whether the Southern Association moves up to Class AA may depend on whether leagues below that class are allowed to pay bonuses to sign free agents. Billy Evans points out that the south has a lot of good ball players who won't quit full time jobs without a little extra inducement. Eddie Dyer picked up a third baseman for the Columbus, Ohio, club just by dropping in to see the football Dodgers. Coach Pete Cawthon recalled that his half-back, Frank Martin, was a pretty good ball player at Alabama. U and Dyer sent him right over to sign with Prexy Al Banister. . . . Bob Carpenter, Jr., says that Herb Pennock's first job with the Phillies will be to educate Bob in the ways of major league baseball. No wonder he gave Herb a five-year contract.

Fights Last Night

By The Associated Press
Cleveland—Jimmy Bivins, 187½, Cleveland, outpointed Lee Q. Murray, 200, South Norwalk, Conn. (10); Joe Maxim, 182, Fort Bragg, N. C., stopped Claudio Villar, 187½, Spain (6); Maxie Berger, 148, Montreal, outpointed Chuck Hunter, 143, Cleveland (8); Lulu Contantino, 133½, New York, stopped Freddy Pope, 126, Columbus, Ohio (4).

Navy Blasts . . .

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A 1,000-pound bomb hit within 75 feet of a Japanese destroyer off Taiwan on the north coast of New Britain probably damaging the ship. The destroyer and another naval vessel were escorting two merchantmen.

Other Allied bombers struck Japanese installations on the Kai Islands northeast of Australia, hitting the hardest at Langgoer where the jetty area was bombed and fires visible for 40 miles were set in supply dumps.

On Huon peninsula, Australian soldiers who captured the enemy coastal supply point at Bonga Nov. 29, were fighting westward toward Wareo and a juncture with other troops moving northward from Setteberg.

Japanese strong points near the American-held beachhead at Empress Augusta Bay on Bougainville island in the north Solomons were strafed and hit with 46 tons of bombs, helping marines and soldiers to make slight advances on the northeastern flank of our holdings.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of C. S. Forbes, deceased, late of the County of Pitt and State of North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned administratrix on or before the 26th day of October, 1944, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified as executrix of the estate of Meekin B. Haddock, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Greenville, or to their attorney named below, on or before the 26th day of October, 1944, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

NOTICE

North Carolina—Pitt County. Maebelle Walker

NOTICE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed on the 20th day of February, 1940, by Daniel Blount and wife, Maria Blount, to S. H. Williams, trustee, of record in Book M-23 at page 206 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, default having been made in the payment of the debt therein secured at maturity and the owner and holder of the debt having called upon the trustee to foreclose said trust, the undersigned trustee will on Monday, the 13th day of December, 1943, at 12:00 o'clock, M.

NOTICE

That certain tract of land in Winterville Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, beginning at the corner of Joe Anderson and Mount Nobles land on the West side of the New Road that leads from the old plank road to the Scuffleton Road near Oscar and Lewis Speight, and runs thence across the railroad with said Anderson line to the line of the Blount land, thence with the line of the Blount land to Blount Nobles line, thence with his line to the beginning and containing 49 acres, more or less, and being the tract of land sold by Reuben Kincaul January 20, 1900, and recorded in the Pitt County Registry in Book V-6 at page 14, and said land being deeded to Daniel Blount and wife, Marie Blount, March 11, 1911 by deed recorded in Book U-9 at page 127.

NOTICE

A deposit of 10 per cent will be required of the proposed purchaser at the time of the sale.

NOTICE

This is the 12th day of Nov. 1943. S. H. WILLIAMS, Trustee. Harding & Lee, Attys. Nov. 12-14-43.

will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint. This the 26th day of Nov. 1943. J. F. HARRINGTON, Clerk Superior Court Pitt County. J. B. James, Atty.

EXECUTRIX—NOTICE

Having qualified as executrix of the estate of James H. Clark, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons holding claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Grimesland, on or before the 24th day of October, 1944, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This 20th day of October, 1943. (Mrs.) ROXIE L. CLARK, Executrix of the Estate of James H. Clark. Oct. 21-14-6wk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The undersigned, having this day qualified as Executor of the estate of Helen G. Gray, late of the County of Pitt and State of North Carolina, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned Executor, and all persons holding claims against said estate will file their claims itemized and duly verified with said Executor within twelve months from the date hereof, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery of said claims. This the 15th day of October, 1943. F. C. HARDING, Executor. Estate of Helen G. Gray. Oct. 16-14-6wk.

NOTICE SERVING SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

North Carolina—Pitt County. In The Superior Court. Coy Lee Fields

Charity Gray Taylor Fields

The defendant, Charity Gray Taylor Fields, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, for absolute divorce, and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said county in the court house in Greenville, North Carolina, within twenty days after the 28th day of November, 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.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of F. H. Hunsucker, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Winterville, or to her attorney named below, on or before the 13th day of November, 1944, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

NOTICE

This is the 1st day of Nov. 1943. ROSA C. HUNSUCKER, Administratrix of the Estate of F. H. Hunsucker. Dink James, Atty. Nov. 17-14-6wk.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed on the 20th day of February, 1940, by Daniel Blount and wife, Maria Blount, to S. H. Williams, trustee, of record in Book M-23 at page 206 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, default having been made in the payment of the debt therein secured at maturity and the owner and holder of the debt having called upon the trustee to foreclose said trust, the undersigned trustee will on Monday, the 13th day of December, 1943, at 12:00 o'clock, M.

before the court house in Greenville, N. C., offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder cash the following described real property to-wit:

That certain tract of land in Winterville Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, beginning at the corner of Joe Anderson and Mount Nobles land on the West side of the New Road that leads from the old plank road to the Scuffleton Road near Oscar and Lewis Speight, and runs thence across the railroad with said Anderson line to the line of the Blount land, thence with the line of the Blount land to Blount Nobles line, thence with his line to the beginning and containing 49 acres, more or less, and being the tract of land sold by Reuben Kincaul January 20, 1900, and recorded in the Pitt County Registry in Book V-6 at page 14, and said land being deeded to Daniel Blount and wife, Marie Blount, March 11, 1911 by deed recorded in Book U-9 at page 127.

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This the 12th day of Nov. 1943. S. H. WILLIAMS, Trustee. Harding & Lee, Attys. Nov. 12-14-43.

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Cool requisite to your feminine charm. Requisite scented with a flower bouquet, inspired by an old Southern garden. Companion fragrance to Shalton's Old Spice. In a cylindrical container, romantically adorned with birds and flowers. 10 oz. size, \$1.00.

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Boxes of delightfully scented soaps that will thrill her. 50¢ & \$1.00 FROM \$1.00

Coty Gift Set

There's a golden and a gay air about these sets. There's Coty Dusting Powder, Face Powder, Rouge, Lipstick, and a glorious bottle of Perfume which makes an attractive gift. \$5.00

GLASS TEA SETS

A new glass tea set just like mother's! Fun for make-believe or even for real serving. From our collection of gifts for little girls. 69¢

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His choice of tobaccos attractively boxed. And include a pouch and pipe for they complete the all-out smoking enjoyment for him. Visit our Tobacco Department and outfit the smoker.

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USING EVERY TRICK OF JU-JITSU, THE FIFTH COLUMNIST MANEUVERS DAN INTO A DANGEROUS POSITION—AND IS SLOWLY FORCING THE PISTOL MUZZLE CLOSER AND CLOSER TO THE DETECTIVE'S HEAD!

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IF YOU SAY PLEASE

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IT'S AN AWFULLY LITTLE PIECE OF CAKE

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YER GRAMAW PEG

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SEE KEEL SUPPLY CO. FOR your Friddy Fertilizers needs, at Keel's Warehouse, Dial 4046. 10-11

FARMS FOR SALE—THREE PITTS- county farms listed with me today. One near Winterville with 3.9 acres tobacco; two about 6 or 7 miles from Greenville, 17 acres tobacco each. D. L. Turnage. 29-61

WANTED TO BUY—FOR AN INDIVIDUAL, for cash only, 1940 or 1941 model automobile. Must be in perfect condition with good tires. Dial 4377. 1-31

WANTED—USED KIDDIE KOOP Call 2539. 1-31

We Clean and Press Men's Suits, Ladies' Coats—Dresses Our work must please and a trial will convince you. **CAROLINA DRY CLEANERS** Dial 2276—Leon Smith Prop.

AVON TOILET ARTICLES—DESIGNED for Christmas gifts. On display at 111 East Tenth St. Mrs. Nan Moore, Dial 2855. 30-eod-61

WANTED—ALL PEOPLE SUFFERING from kidney trouble or backache to try "Kiddo"—37c. Money-back guarantee, at Warren Drug Co., Greenville; Sauls' Drug Store, Ayden. 2 mo. 2-10

NO CERTIFICATE REQUIRED FOR RECAPING TRUCK TIRES
SUTTON TIRE RE-TREADING COMPANY
Wade St. Dial 2834

FOR SALE—A LOVELY HOME—400 Summit St. One-third cash, balance yearly. H. L. Jenkins, Greenville, N. C. 29-61

SPECIAL OFFER—WITH EACH purchase of 100 baby chicks—we'll give you absolutely free 50 chicks. This offer good as long as chicks last this week. Dall's Hatchery, Ayden, N. C. Phone 3271. 23-11

OYSTER BAR OPENS FRIDAY at Respass Barbecue Place. Select oysters served as you like 'em. Prompt service and always a welcome at Respass' Place. Come to see us. 1-61

INCOME TAX SERVICE
J. Nat Harrison
522 East Ninth Street
Phone 3001 Greenville

FREE FOLDER FOR INVENTORY of your furniture and personal effects. Something you always thought you should have. On a cold winter evening you can get around it with this conveniently arranged folder. Come by and get yours. General Insurance Agency, 312 Evans St. A. B. Stallworth. 1-11

Wanted At Once
Will pay cash for all types of Farm Machinery, including Tractors, Disc Harrows, Tractor Plows, Cultivators, Horse Drawn Implements, etc.

Let me know what you have.

Ray MacKenzie
Phone 3811

KINSTON PECAN MARKET NOW open. Bring your pecans to Eagle Warehouse, Kinston, and receive highest cash prices. Open daily, 9:00 to 5:00 p. m. Kinston leads in price. Miller & Newman buyers, at Eagle Warehouse, Kinston. 1-71

FOR SALE—TWO DESIRABLE building lots on East 5th Extension. Corner lot, \$650—adjoining lot, \$750—both lots for \$1,500. Also other choice lots priced right. Buy now for building after the war. Tripp, 312 Evans St., Dial 2401. 1-11

WANTED AT ONCE—BOYS INTERESTED in News and Observer paper route. Apply in person, 513 Evans street. 30-31

AUTOMOBILE REPAIRING OF all kinds—work guaranteed—prompt service. Jones Garage, 211 Cotanche Street. 1-41

CASH FOR CORN—WOODROW Worthington will buy your corn or shell it, also grind your feeds of all kinds—hay, beans, corn, etc. Woodrow Worthington, Corn and Hammer Mill, east of city limits of Winterville, N. C. Residence phone 3624-6. 3-11

WANTED—COUPLE OF BARBERS for best location in town—5-chair shop, 70 per cent commission, grossing \$90 to \$110 per chair, weekly average. Onslow Barber Shop, Jacksonville, N. C. Roy Dudley, Mgr. 24-61

FOR RENT—COMPACT 5-ROOM apartment, completely furnished, steam heated, close in. Couple adults only. Call 2894. 29-11

SEE KEEL SUPPLY CO. FOR your International Fertilizers needs, at Keel's Warehouse, Dial 4046. 10-11

NOTICE SWEET POTATO GROWERS
The OPA is planning ceiling price on sweet potatoes at an early date. We suggest growers sell part of their crop at present price levels, as ceiling will probably be lower than present prices. F. C. X Fruit & Vegetable Service, 808 Clark St., Phone 2517. 26-61

FOR SALE—MAN'S BICYCLE in good condition. Balloon tires. J. P. Benton, 211 Greene St. 2-31

WANTED TO RENT—A ONE- horse crop with 5 acres of tobacco or more, and other crops. See Levy Tyson, Greenville, R. 2. 24-61

SEE KEEL SUPPLY CO. FOR your Robertson's Fertilizers needs, at Keel's Warehouse, Dial 4046. 1-11

FOR SALE—LEATHERETTE baby carriage, practically new. Call Mrs. Bob Moffett, 3179, after 6:30 p. m.

IF YOU WANT A GOOD INVESTMENT—see quick. For sale—some small farms about 4 1/2 miles from town—62 acres in all—31 acres cleared—1943 tobacco allotment 4.7 acres. One tenant house, one tobacco barn, double stables, small extra building, good land. Only \$4,250. General Insurance Agency, Jake Hadley, Dial 2401. 1-11

FOR SALE—ONE MAN'S PRE- war bicycle. Call 2076.

FOR SALE—THREE SOWS WITH eight pigs each, and 23 shoats averaging 75 pounds. Good breed. Levy Buck, 3 miles from Greenville on Farmville highway. 29-61

FOR SALE—GOOD MULE, PRICED reasonable. Call 2702. Chas. R. Flye, Greenville, N. C. 2-31

JUST RECEIVED—12,000 pounds of Chifferobes, 2 mirror doors and 4 drawers in walnut finish.
J. Q. Holliman & Son
703 Dickinson Ave. Dial 4010

FOR SALE—JERSEY MILCH cow and calf. Cow just fresh, giving four gallons per day. Larry Mazingo, Greenville, R. 2, Stantons-Mozing road. 2-21

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE MY store will close on Wednesday afternoons at 1 o'clock, beginning December 1. J. A. Watson, Seed and Hardware. 27-11

FOR SALE—ONE FARMALL tractor and 20 shoats. Russell Harris on Fyikland highway, two miles from Greenville. 2-31

FOR SALE
On Saturday December 11, 1943 at 11:00 a. m. in Greenville, North Carolina at the court house door
The Blund Farm (R. B. Sumrell Estate property) located in Stark Creek Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, consisting of 313 acres, more or less—80 acres cleared; 5.7 acres tobacco allotment; 1,000,000 FEET ORIGINAL GROWTH PINE TIMBER; two tenant houses; pack-house; 3 tobacco barns and other adequate buildings; and two artesian wells.
For inspection see R. D. Sumrell—Telephone 210-6, Ayden, N. C. or Blaney Sumrell—Telephone 310-2, Ayden, N. C. 30-51

FOR SALE—ONE MAN'S BICYCLE in perfect condition, and extra set of tires and tubes also. Highest bidder can get same by calling 3659-1. 2-41

LOST—IN FRONT OF MR. FRANK Moseley's home on Lewis street, light tan billfold containing gas coupons bearing John Farrow's name. Also \$10 bill. Finder call 3564 or the Reflector office. 2-21

CHOCOLATE LAYER CAKE, PO- tatoes, Fruit Cake, and a variety of Cookies. People's Bakery.
LOST—LADIES' SMALL BLACK Sheaffer fountain pen. Ring missing from top. Reward. Dial 2316.

WANTED—A TWO-HORSE CROP—must have at least 5 acres tobacco. Have plenty help. See or write Mayo Stalls, R. 2, Robersonville, N. C., or call 3121-1, Robersonville. 2-31

WANTED—MAN OR woman, with grocery experience to manage local store. Apply Birdseye Flour Mills Store, 807 Dickinson Avenue, Greenville. 2-61

JUST RECEIVED—A CARLOAD of ground wheat feed. Also a car of feed oats. Get your supply now. Pitt F. C. X., Dial 2214. 2-60d-31

Grain Market
Chicago, Dec. 2—(AP)—Grains were firm during early trading today, helped by mill buying of wheat which sent May and July contracts to new seasonal peaks, but liquidation developed toward the close and practically all early gains were erased.
Wheat closed 1/4 higher, December \$1.65 1/2, oats were 1/4 lower to 1/2 higher, December 78, rye was 1/4 lower, December \$1.15 1/2, and barley was 1/4 lower to 1/2 higher, December \$1.18.

Hog Market
Raleigh, Dec. 2—(AP)—(NCDA)—Hog markets steady with tone of 13.85 at Richmond and 13.55 at Rocky Mount.

Poultry and Eggs
Raleigh, Dec. 2—(AP)—(NCDA)—Egg and poultry markets steady to firm.
Raleigh—U. S. grade A large (clean-white) 51; hens, all weights, 23 to 25.
Washington—U. S. grade A large 55; broilers and fryers, 28 1/2 to 30.

New York Cotton
New York, Dec. 2—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 20 to 35 cents a bale higher.
A noon prices were 70 cents to \$1 a bale higher. December 19.33, March 19.27, May 19.02.
Futures closed 70 to 85 cents a bale higher.

Open Close Priv. Cl.
Dec. 19.20 19.30 19.15
March 19.15 19.26 19.11
May 18.93 19.02 18.87
July 18.69 18.80 18.63
Oct. (new) 18.41 18.50 18.35
Middling spot 20.09, up 14.

N. Y. Stock Market
New York, Dec. 2—(AP)—Bullish forces continued in control of the stock market today.
Transfers were around 750,000 shares.
The better showing of trends again was attributed partly to technical factors having to do with the November setback. Commitments were reinstated here and there on the thought the rebound from an 8-months' average low could go a bit farther before meeting resistance.

FINAL STOCKS

Al Chem and Dye	144 1/2
Allegheny	9 1/2
Aus Chas Mfg	34 1/2
Am Can	80 1/2
Am Car Fdy	30
Am Roll Mill	11 1/2
Am Smelt and Ref	37 1/2
A T and T	155 1/2
Am Tob B	55 1/2
Anaconda	25 1/2
Arm II	4 1/2
A C L	25 1/2
All Ref	25 1/2
Aviat Corp	34
Baldwin	17 1/2
B and O	4 1/2
Barnsdal	16 1/2
Bendix Aviat	33 1/2
Beth Stl	55 1/2

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IF THAT'S THE WAY YOU FEEL ABOUT IT I'LL STAY OPEN A FEW MINUTES LONGER SO YOU CAN BUY A DR. PEPPER

Boeing Airp	12 1/2
Borden	29
Bull Mfg	7 1/2
Burl Mills	25 1/2
Bur Add Mach	11 1/2
Cannon Mills	42
Case J I	125
Caterpil Trac	42 1/2
Ches and O	44 1/2
Chrysler	75 1/2
Coca Cola	11 1/2
Coml Cred	37 1/2
Coml Solv	13
Cont Can	31 1/2
Corn Prod	54 1/2
Curtiss Wright	6 1/2
Doug Airp	45
Dupont	139 1/2
Eastman Kod	153
Eaststone	37
Gen Elec	35 1/2
Gen Foods	40 1/2
Gen Mot	50 1/2
Goodrich	38 1/2
Goodyear	34 1/2
Int Harv	67 1/2
Int T and T	11 1/2
Johns Man	85
Ligg and Myers, B	63 1/2
Loews	56 1/2
Lorillard	16 1/2
Mont Ward	44 1/2
Nash Kely	19 1/2
Nat Bis	27 1/2
Nat Cash Reg	27 1/2
N Y Cent	15 1/2
Parson	3 1/2
Param Pix	23 1/2
Penny J C	96 1/2
Penn RR	24 1/2
Pepsi Cola	48 1/2
Pullman	35 1/2
Pure Oil	8 1/2
Rep Stl	27 1/2
Reynolds B	27 1/2
Seab A	14
Shaw	83 1/2
Sou Ry	54
Std Brands	27 1/2
Std Oil N J	53 1/2
Stewart Warner	10 1/2
Tex Co	46 1/2
Un Carb	76 1/2
Unit Airp	25
Unit Corp	13 1/2
Unit Drug	1 1/2
US Rub	38 1/2
US Smelt and Ref	51 1/2
US Steel	60 1/2
Warner Pic	11 1/2
Western Union A	42 1/2
West El and Mfg	92 1/2
Woolworth	35 1/2

Earthquake Toll
Ankara, Dec. 1—(AP)—Interior Minister Helmi Uran told the Turkish National Assembly today that 2,919 persons were killed and 1,084 were badly wounded in last Saturday's earthquake in north-central Turkey, while 3,321 buildings were destroyed.

Uncle Sam Takes Over
Jackson, Miss, Dec. 1—(AP)—Perry Booker, 36-year-old negro porter, has been inducted into the army at Camp Shelby and his wife and 12 children will receive an allotment of \$320 a month. Three children are by a former wife.

Foiled Doctors
Zion, Ill, Dec. 1—(AP)—When Miss Julia Chase was 24 years old, doctors gave her one year to live. Today she celebrated her 101st birthday. She has 65 descendants.

Enough gasoline to overflow an average railway tank car is used by tanks of one American mechanized division during each 100 miles of travel.

Greenville Masons Be Hosts To Ladies

Greenville Lodge No. 284, A. F. and A. M., will have its annual "ladies night," at 7:30 next Wednesday evening in the new classroom building of East Carolina Teachers College. A dinner and entertaining program has been arranged. Robert L. Fugh of New Bern, Craven County superintendent of education, will make the address.

All Masons in and around Greenville, whether members of the local lodge or not, are invited to attend with their ladies. Tickets may be procured until Friday night of this week from any member of the committee on arrangements, Claude D. Ward, Uran Cox and W. J. Bundy.

Dirksen To Be GOP Candidate

Washington, Dec. 2—(AP)—Representative Everett M. Dirksen (R-Ill.), who is serving his sixth term in Congress, announced today he would be a candidate for the Republican presidential nomination next year.

Attached to his formal announcement was a copy of a petition signed by 36 members of Congress, including 11 from Illinois, urging him to submit his name to the 1944 National Convention of his party.

"This effort to seek recognition on the national ticket is dedicated to a complete and speedy victory over our enemies, a victorious peace, a sound program for the disposition of post-war domestic problems, the preservation of freedom, the restoration of balanced government, a militant united party and a Republican victory," Dirksen stated.

Disembarkation Completed Today

Jersey City, N. J., Dec. 2—(AP)—As disembarkation of repatriates from the exchange liner Gripsholm was completed in record time today, the navy disclosed that 30 passengers had been removed to Ellis Island for further questioning.

The last of the 1,491 Americans left the ship at 1 p. m., 27 hours after the ship docked. The clearance record, for it took three days to pass all repatriates on the Gripsholm's first voyage a year ago, and seven days in the case of the arrival in July, 1942, of the Drottningholm on which the Federal Bureau of Investigation found a German spy.

The transfer of some passengers to Ellis Island is not unusual, officials having taken 162 there from the Gripsholm last year.

Allics Bomb . . .

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German naval vessels, probably sinking five smaller ones, severely damaging two armed merchantmen and doing extensive destruction to drydocks.

Shipping experts disclosed this damage today after a study of reconnaissance photographs.

"It was one of the most severe

blows ever dealt a naval base by air attack," the air force announcement said of the strike at Toulon, a base which was badly wrecked by the French in scuttling their fleet.

A number of French naval vessels which had been scuttled about a year ago and some submarines were in the harbor when the force of Fortresses dropped its bombs.

War Casualty . . .

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Stimson announced that American army casualties in Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark's 5th army from the beginning of operations on the Italian mainland to date total 11,572, of whom 1,811 were killed, 7,091 wounded and 2,670 missing. Casualties of British elements in the 5th army have been somewhat smaller, he said.

The Navy supplied these figures making up the 32,051 total in the Navy-Marine Corps-Coast Guard: Navy—10,663 killed, 3,001 wounded, 8,248 missing and 2,276 prisoners of war; total, 24,188.
Marine Corps—2,181 killed, 2,668

wounded, 637 missing and 1,948 prisoners of war; total 7,427.
Coast Guard—316 killed, 78 wounded, 41 missing and one prisoner of war; total, 436.

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