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Soviet Armies Threaten Important Rail Junction

Converging Russian Forces Closing In Toward Big Base Of Pskov, Gateway To Latvia And Lithuania; Annihilation Of Trapped German Divisions Continues

London, Feb. 14.—(AP)—The Red army rolled on today toward the big base of Pskov, saving remaining Nazi troops in northwestern Russia, after clearing the Germans from all the east shore of Lake Peipus in a five-day drive which swept up 300 localities, including the rail hub of Luga.

The latest victories brought to 12,000 square miles the amount of territory the Russians have reconquered since they launched their Leningrad offensive just a month ago today. They have now reached a point 150 miles southwest of Leningrad.

Lunging down from captured Ostrovsky, southernmost point on Lake Peipus, advance Russian units were less than 47 miles from Pskov, the gateway to southern Estonia and Latvia.

Far to the south, meanwhile, the Russians continued to wipe out the remnants of the 10 Nazi divisions trapped in the Ukraine, driving up within four miles of Korsun, which the Germans have made the core of their resistance.

Hurling masses of infantry and tanks against the outer rim of the death ring at a point west of Korsun, the Germans repeatedly were thrown back as they attempted to carve out a corridor through which some of the trapped Nazis might escape, a Soviet communique said last night.

"All night and day fierce battles progressed," said the bulletin. "One of our units repulsed seven enemy attacks. The approaches to the Soviet positions were covered with the bodies of German officers and men and smashed enemy war material."

Luga, which lies 80 miles south of Leningrad and the same distance northeast of Pskov, was taken by storm after two Soviet forces outflanked the town from east and west, the Soviet communique said.

Another Russian force, fighting in the streets of the town, had to drive the Germans out of fortified stone houses and newly-built block houses.

The drive toward Pskov is not netting any larger number of German prisoners, Maj. Gen. Alexander Gvozdikov of the Leningrad front staff told American correspondents in Leningrad.

"We have to smother them out and when the situation is hopeless the enemy withdraws as quickly as possible," he declared.

Asked when he thought the German might stop retreating and attempt to make a permanent stand, he said:

"We are not thinking in those terms. We are working to prevent them from stopping."

American Planes Sink Two U-Boats Rio De Janeiro, Brazil, Feb. 14.—(AP)—United States planes recently sank two more German submarines in the south Atlantic, the Brazilian news agency Meridional said today in a dispatch from Recife.

Anzio Heroine



Lt. Helen Talbot, (above), of Des Moines, was credited in press dispatches with organizing surviving nurses and taking charge of the surgical section of a hospital on the Anzio beachhead in Italy after it was bombed by the Germans. Allied headquarters announced that the hospital was a mile from the action area and quite plainly marked. (AP Wirephoto).

BOND DRIVE IS OVER THE TOP

Region One Exceeds Quota; Sale Of "E" Bonds Lags

By CHESTER WALSH Region 1, comprised by 16 northeastern North Carolina counties, with a quota of \$2,635,000 of War Bonds in the Fourth War Loan drive, had sold \$7,258,999 worth and gone over the top more than a half million dollars. W. H. Woodard, Greenville bank president and War Finance Committee chairman for the region, stated today.

In this quota we were given a goal of \$2,986,500 of "E" bonds, the series that pays \$25 for \$18.75 or \$100 for \$75. Region 1 has sold 751-2 per cent of the allotment. The nation's sale of its "E" bond quota is only 63 per cent sold, the U. S. Treasury reported. (These "E" bonds, of course, are included in the region's quota.)

Chairman Woodard stated that all "E" war bonds recorded as sold. (Continued on Page Two)

Legion Oyster Roast. Pitt County Post No. 39 American Legion, will hold a regular meeting and oyster roast in the rear of Scott's dry cleaners, Third and Cotanche streets, Tuesday night at 7:30. All legionnaires are invited to attend with oyster knives. Paul A. Scott is post commander.

MORE BLOWS IN SOUTH PACIFIC

Continue Raids On Rabaul; Ground Forces Advance

Allied Headquarters in the Southwest Pacific, Feb. 14.—(AP)—Adm. William F. Halsey's Solomons-based plane squadrons continued their "hit 'em hard and often" tactics against the Japanese base at Rabaul, New Britain, with a 134-ton bombing Friday. Allied headquarters announced today.

In this 12th day of raiding out of the past 14, three enemy planes were downed and probably five others were knocked out of weak interception, while the Allies lost two fighters, Gen. Douglas MacArthur's communique said. Rabaul was hit with 174 tons of bombs the day before.

The Tokyo radio said today that 55 American planes raided Kavieng, New Ireland, Sunday morning.

The broadcast, recorded by U. S. government monitors, said that 45 B-24's and 10 escorting fighters caused "only negligible damage" to the base and that they had been repulsed by anti-aircraft fire.

Objects of Friday's four attacks were the Tobera and Vunakanau airdromes, two of the four fields protecting the enemy's base, and the Vunapope supply area which returning pilots said "got the hell knocked out of it." Besides heavy damage to airdrome runways and runways by Liberator heavy and Mitchell medium bombers, torpedo and divebombers demolished buildings, hit the breakwater and smashed six barges.

There were one small and three large strikes in the series, starting with navy and marine torpedo and divebombers before dawn and culminating with two successive smashes by the Liberators and Mitchells just before noon. One damaged Mitchell made a forced landing at sea, but the crew was saved by a "Dumbo" patrol seaplane.

Communications this month have listed 179 Japanese aircraft destroyed at Rabaul, with 159 of these being shot down and the remainder smashed on the ground. Besides these destroyed for certain, 78 probabilities are listed. Allied losses for the (Continued on Page Two)

Weather Delays Rodent Campaign

It has been announced by Dr. N. Thayer Burnett, Pitt county health officer, that the rat campaign which was to get under way in Greenville today has, on account of the bad weather, been postponed.

J. T. Welch, city sanitarian, states that everything is in readiness to go forward with the campaign as soon as the weather permits. Mr. Welch states that while garbage should be in closed vessels and well taken care of at all times, it is extremely important that this be done during the rat campaign if the campaign is to be a success. He urges full cooperation on the part of all business houses as well as residences.

Marine Stampedes Police At Station

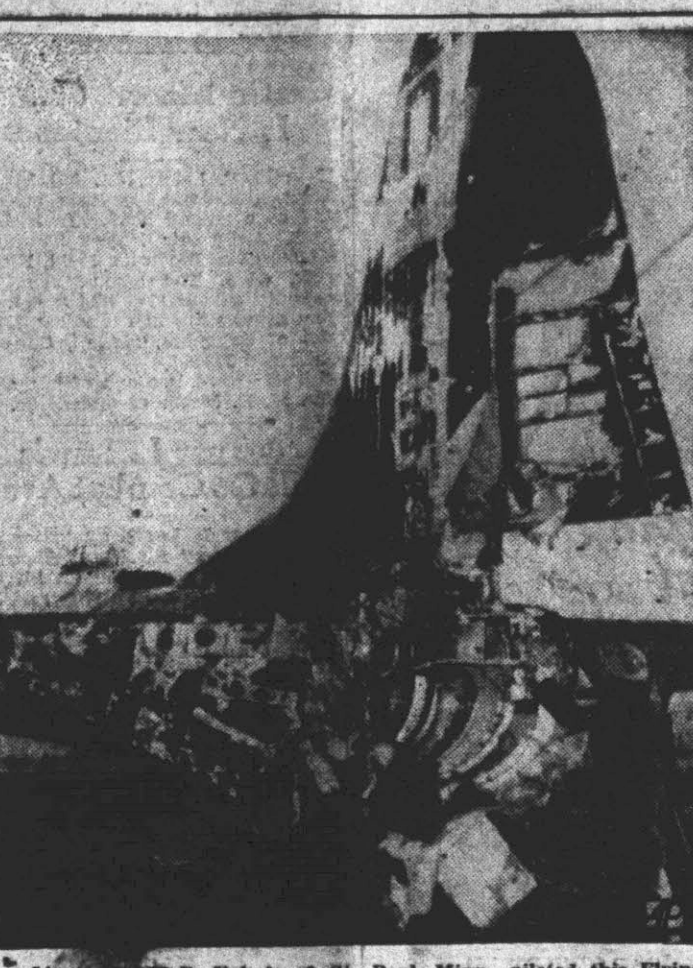
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Tail Section Shot Off Plane



Lt. James E. Walsh of St. Paul, Minn., piloted this Flying Fortress to a perfect landing at an emergency field in England January 24, after the tail section, with the gunner in it, was blown off by a direct hit from an anti-aircraft shell over France. Field attendants examine the damage to the craft named "Hang the Expense." (AP Wirephoto).

Aerial Warfare Against Nazis Continues Today

U. S. Fighter-Bombers Smash At Nazi Fighter Base In Holland; German Planes Raided London Last Night

By E. R. SULLIVAN London, Feb. 14.—(AP)—U. S. Thunderbolt fighter-bombers blasted the German fighter base at Gilze-Rijen in Holland today without loss, after German night raiders had scattered incendiaries over London in an attack touted by Berlin as made by "several hundred planes."

The Nazi planes dived low under a heavy barrage to lay incendiary bombs in parts of London. The Berlin radio, eagerly seeking to save the bomb-buffed German hometown, declared London was sowed with large fires in "another concentrated attack" on the center of the capital.

London crowds milling along the blackened walks and streets in the usual after-theater throngs watched off into the suburban areas, and found the attack in no greater force than last month when the enemy sent some 80 bombers against London and parts of southeast England.

Most of the bombs fell in the coastal area, causing casualties and damage. The British estimated the total raiding force at 50 to 60 planes, of which only some 15 reached London. Six were shot down, five over England, and one after returning to France.

Thunderbolt fighters escorted the fighter-bombers striking into Holland in the 15th operation of the strategic air force in 18 days. No enemy planes were met.

The daylight raid followed a heavy attack Sunday on the invasion coast of northern France, in continuation of a two-months offensive against Nazi installations there.

Escorted by swarms of fighters, Flying Fortresses, Liberators, Mustangs and RAF Typhoons battered mystery targets in the area which Allied bombers now have hit on 41 days out of the last 55.

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The blows against the invasion coast the first since Feb. 3, in which both Flying Fortresses and Liberators participated, followed by similar attacks Saturday by Liberators and RAF Mosquitos.

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Allies Gain Initiative In Rome Bridgehead Battle

NAZIS LOSING AIR WARFARE

German Fighter Force Reported Cut Over 40 Per Cent

Washington, Feb. 14.—(AP)—Germany is losing two ways in the war of attrition in the air, the War Production Board reported today. Charles E. Wilson, executive vice-chairman of the WPB, said a War Department report that United States heavy bombers are cutting the heat out of Nazi fighter plane production came just as American plants are getting fully into stride on more and better warplanes.

The army reported last week that precision bombing by the 8th air force in Britain, starting with 20 per cent last August, by November had slashed current and planned German fighter production by 43 per cent for the month.

Wilson's announcement indicated that the USAAF in the European theater has grown tremendously in recent weeks and no longer has "little brother" status in relation to the RAF, judged by damaged inflicted on the enemy.

Wilson said that the most recent raids, which were not included in the army report, had cut down Nazi fighter plane output even further than the 40 per cent reduction officially disclosed.

"The recent aerial operations against Dessau, Braunschweig, Halberstadt, Greater Frankfurt, Pechenham, Hochst, Leipzig, Offenbach and Ludwigshafen aircraft manufacturing facilities have been instrumental in reducing further Germany's aircraft production potential," Wilson said.

Wilson's unusual disclosure of the success of USAAF operations against German plane factories came in a statement declaring that as Axis production was knocked out, U. S. aircraft production was just getting into full stride.

"As the German ability to produce combat planes declines, the ability of the American aircraft industry to produce more efficient combat types in greater numbers is gaining momentum," Wilson said.

"That mass production of military aircraft in American plants has resulted in reduction of construction time by 90 per cent. An early fighter plane type required 157,000 man hours to complete. Mass production cut that time to 7,800 man hours by the time the 1,000th plane left the assembly line. A four-motored bomber took 200,000 man hours for construction in its early production stages but this time was reduced to 13,000 man hours for the 2,000th plane."

Five Victims Of Crash Recovered

Memphis, Feb. 14.—(AP)—Encouraged by the recovery of five bodies, salvage crews intensified efforts today to wrest from the Mississippi river other bodies of the 24 persons who died in the crash of an American Airlines plane Thursday night, 19 miles south of here.

The U. S. engineers dispatched additional boats to the scene to assist in operations and officials were confident that other bodies would be found in the area explored yesterday.

Snow And Sleet In Piedmont Section

Charlotte, Feb. 14.—(AP)—Snow and sleet made travel hazardous today in the Piedmont section of the state.

A sheet of unmet sleet, mixed with snow, covered the Charlotte area. Sleet began at 4:30 a. m. followed by snow which stopped falling before daylight.

Temperatures generally were in the 20's.

Greensboro reported two inches of snow this morning, Asheville five inches, Mt. Mitchell ten inches and Spartanburg, S. C., one inch.

Harry Hopkins' Son Dies In Marshalls

Namur, Kwajalein Atoll, Marshall Islands, Feb. 14.—(AP)—Stephen Hopkins, 18, youngest son of Harry L. Hopkins, friend and adviser of President Roosevelt, died getting what he wanted—combat action.

Stephen, who preferred fighting as a marine private to a chance to go to officers' candidate school, was killed the first night of the battle for Namur islet. A light machine-gunner he was shot through the head as he ran into a cross-fire between U. S. Marines and Japanese snipers, and died aboard a hospital ship.

One brother, David, is an officer on an aircraft carrier, and the other, Robert, is with the army in Italy.

Allies Fight Back



Arrows on the above map show where German forces struck at six points along the front line of the Allied Fifth Army bridgehead south of Rome. American forces withstood three attacks west of Cassino and British troops opposed three other offensive moves north and west of Carroceto. With the arrival of reinforcements and supplies the Allies are again on the offensive and have regained some of the losses resulting from the German attack. (AP Wirephoto).

See-Saw Fighting Of Lessened Intensity For Past 24 Hours As Weather Permits Allied Airpower To Return To Action; Fierce Fighting Continues At Cassino

By EDWARD KENNEDY Allied Headquarters, Algiers, Feb. 14.—(AP)—Fighting of a see-saw character but of lessened intensity has marked the Allied perimeter at Anzio in the past 24 hours. Allied headquarters announced today after weathering a week-end truce.

Regaining the initiative in part after the blanketing of Allied air support by bad weather had given German armored units an edge, British troops drove forward and recaptured a bottleneck bridge over the railway west of Carroceto (Aprilia) 10 miles north of Anzio, with the support of tanks.

Emphasizing the indeterminate nature of the battle, however, the Germans again occupied the factory a half mile east of Carroceto after days of fierce fighting in which the battered packing house and silo-like structures of Benito Mussolini's agricultural enterprise changed hands four times.

While the Allied air forces again struck the German ring about the bridgehead and other objectives with the fury of 800 sorties, American troops paid with blood and sweat for a 200-yard advance in Cassino, 60 miles to the east, battering down each German stronghold in a house-to-house struggle.

The Germans, too, still held the ancient towers and buildings of the Benedictine monastery atop the hill west of Cassino.

Following Saturday's Allied announcement that the Pope's summer residence at Castel Gandolfo, just north of the Anzio-bridgehead, was bombed, the Germans declared that they were subject to bombing. The Allies stated that the Mt. Cassino monastery was being used by the Germans as a part of their fortifications as well as an observation post and that it might have to be taken by direct assault.

But there was no report here, contrary to Rome radio declarations, that the abbey had yet been bombarded.

The German communique declared an Allied penetration to the center of Cassino has been eliminated. Rome was bombed last night, it declared.

An official announcement said the Germans again had bombed an Allied transit hospital near Anzio Saturday night and caused casualties. Previously the Germans had (Continued on Page Two)

RELIEF FUND IS APPROVED

Place Time Limit On UNRRA Activities

Washington, Feb. 14.—(AP)—The Senate Foreign Relations committee approved the idea of a fund of \$1,350,000,000 at the American share in a world relief organization today but put a June 30, 1946, expiration date on it.

The house had voted—333 to 54—participation in the United Nations relief and rehabilitation administration for two years after the end of the war.

Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich.) sponsored the deadline date. Content and thus the date would provide congress with an over-all review of expenditures.

Senator Gillette (D-Iowa) cast the only vote against the resolution. He said he endorsed the idea of providing relief for liberated Europe but he would prefer that it be carried over to the next session.

Merchants Meeting To Be Held Tonight

There will be an important meeting of all retailers of Women's, Girls' and children's outerwear garments in the court room of the Municipal building in Greenville tonight at 8 o'clock.

Mr. W. A. Linehan, district representative of the state, will discuss MUR 330, and will instruct the retailers on pricing charts and report to be filed with the district office.

Today On The Home Front

JAMES MARLOW and GEORGE ZIELKE

Washington, Feb. 14.—(AP)—The ration blues—and reds—are coming back.

You're heading into the worst storm of food rationing complications thus far.

During the three weeks starting Feb. 27 you'll be wrestling with two sets of values in figuring how many points you have for meat and canned goods.

There'll be brown stamps, red stamps, green stamps, blue stamps, red tokens and blue tokens.

During the overlapping three weeks, some of the old brown and green stamps will be good for 8, 5, 2 and 1 points as marked on their faces.

New red and blue stamps in ration book No. 4 will be worth 10 points each regardless of what figures are printed on them.

So you can keep them straight by the colors: Here's the picture: Starting Feb. 27, you'll get 30 points for meat and fats every two weeks (instead of 22 at the present rate of 16 a week).

You'll have 50 points a month for canned and other processed foods every month (instead of the present 40).

To adjust for these changes meat point values will be lowered somewhat and canned foods point values will be somewhat higher.

Stamps will come out of your ration books horizontally instead of vertically. All those numbered with As will be used up first, all through the alphabet.

On Feb. 27, three red stamps will be valid—A-3, B-3 and C-3. Two weeks later D-3, E-3 and F-3 will come good, and so on.

Also on Feb. 27, five blue stamps will be valid, A-5 through E-5. Others will be validated five at a time.

The stamps will remain good for longer periods than at present. Up to now, stamps have been valid for approximately one month and 20 days. When the token plan starts, stamps will be good for about two months plus 20 days.

Thus the stamps which become valid on Feb. 27 can be cashed any time up to May 30.

The tokens will have no expiration dates.

Some time later, if need appears, OPA may have some five-point tokens, made in a larger size, also to be used for change.

The WAR TODAY

AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEWS

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

Associated Press War Analyst

There's better news today from the furious battle of the Anzio-Nettuno beachhead below Rome as a reward for those whose faith stood up during the trying days of last week.

The American-British force has regained the initiative, at least in part, and has been attacking the surrounding Germans with great violence. That doesn't necessarily mean that the crisis has been passed.

Our greatest need apparently is a spell of good flying weather to enable the Allied air force, with its heavy superiority, to get into full action. The battle may turn on air power.

Meanwhile our Yankee forces in the Cassino sector to the south are extending their efforts to smash through this tough spot, and are reported to have made some progress. A break-through here would tend to relieve the pressure on the Anzio-Nettuno beachhead, quite apart from the fact that Cassino is the barrier which is holding up the general advance.

One reason we haven't been able to take this heavily fortified town is because we have refrained—at least until now—from shelling the famous monastery which looks down on our forces from a hill-top and is being used by the enemy as an artillery post. This key position is the world's oldest monastery,

having been founded by St. Benedict in 529, and we have been protecting it from damage. However, stern necessities of war may force us to bombard it. Indeed, the Nazi controlled radio says we already have started.

The other tense spot in the European war is Finland. The peals of triumph in Moscow over the capture of Luga are knells of tragedy for the Finns, whose hour of reckoning with Russia is thus brought appreciably nearer by the fall of this stronghold. Hitler's strength in that part of the war zone is dwindling rapidly.

Little Finland is in the position of making peace quickly or of accepting a worse fate. The Helsinki government fully recognizes this, as is indicated by extreme activity pointing to possible negotiations between Finland and Moscow.

Significance would seem to attach to the fact that Dr. Juhani Paasikivi, who helped negotiate peace between Finland and Russia in 1940, has arrived unexpectedly in Stockholm, as have Finnish Minister of the Interior, Ehrenrooth and former Foreign Minister Erkkio.

The capture of Luga ranks among the great victories of the Russo-German war. This is one of the keys to the turning operation that the Muscovites are now in process of carrying out against the northern wing of the Nazi front which new rests on the Baltic Sea north of Narva in Estonia.

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Finns Believed Seeking Way To Get Out Of War

By ROBERT STURDEVANT Stockholm, Feb. 14.—(AP)—An expectancy of some concrete development in Finnish-Russian relations, perhaps within the next two or three days, was evident here today despite the lack of any official indication that Finland actually was seeking a way out of the war.

From Helsinki came a report that the Finnish capital was awaiting momentarily some definite governmental step toward peace as the Social Democratic party continued heavy pressure on the nation's leaders to seek terms.

Speculation that something may be afoot was given a fresh flip yesterday by the arrival here by plane of Leo Ehrenrooth, Finnish minister of the interior. He had been preceded to Stockholm by Juhani Paasikivi, who helped negotiate the peace treaty that ended the Finnish-Russian war of 1939-40, and Elias Erkkio, former Finnish foreign minister.

Ehrenrooth ostensibly came here on a mission in connection with the evacuation to Sweden of Finnish children living in areas which might be subject to Russian bombing. As a cabinet member, however, he conceivably could play an important part in any peace talks.

There were indications, meanwhile, that Finland probably was feeling her way cautiously for fear that any move to get out of the war might result in German reprisals.

This was reflected in a dispatch from Helsinki quoting a conservative member of the Finnish parliament as saying in an interview: "We must see the situation only from the point of view of what is best for our own country. No one here wants to share Italy's fate."

It is known here that there is considerable anxiety in Helsinki that Finland might become another Italy, particularly in view of the feeling that the Germans might try to hang on to the nickel and copper mines in northern Finland regardless of developments.

Helsinki advices reported that a continuous round of government conferences was being held in the Finnish capital, but these activities were surrounded with great secrecy and there was no hint of their nature.

There was some speculation here that Vaino Tanner, Finnish finance minister noted for his anti-Russian stand, might leave the cabinet along with several other members in order to give the government a complexion more favorable to Russian eyes.

It was suggested that Paasikivi himself might be a likely prospect for premier in event of a shakedown.

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Strength FOR THE DAY

By EARL L. DOUGLAS

A woman who lives on a farm with none of the conveniences of life to relieve the drudgery, said sometime ago that when she prays at night she can think of no good thing to ask God to give her—she has everything. Her children are well, the crops are in the barn, the neighbors are kind beyond words. Only Bob who wears the Navy uniform and Dick who is in the South Pacific give her concern. She prays God to watch over them and to continue her blessings.

They lie round about us, these precious gifts, scattered far and wide by the loving hand of God. The countryside of our lives sparkles with them. Yet to these half-blind eyes of ours the landscape around us looks like an ash heap. Some-one looks down on us from his lofty station. The man up the street has more money than we have. The slight pains of yesterday torture us today and make us feel that we're less than ninety days from the graveyard. The boss is a tyrant. The cost of living is out of all reason. If we escape disease and pestilence, the government will get us with bigger and better tax levies. Life is scarcely worth living.

Not worth living? The greatest gift a man can have, and not worth having? Friddle-sticks. Snap out of such a delusion. Life is what we make it, better still, it is what we allow God to make it for us. Look out on the beautiful world. After God had created it. He called it good. Can you and I call it anything less? Look into men's hearts. The glow you see there is the radiance of the Most High.

This is a good world—and that in spite of the devil. We have all God's gifts. If we only have eyes to see them.

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To the People of this Community A FAVOR TO YOU

There is one very curious thing about these recurrent War Loan drives. So many people seem to think they're doing the solicitor, or the government, a favor when they sign up for a couple of Bonds.

As a mere matter of personal finance, the Bond buyer is usually doing himself a favor, because he's saving money that he might otherwise have spent foolishly, and at the same time is getting a good interest on his investment.

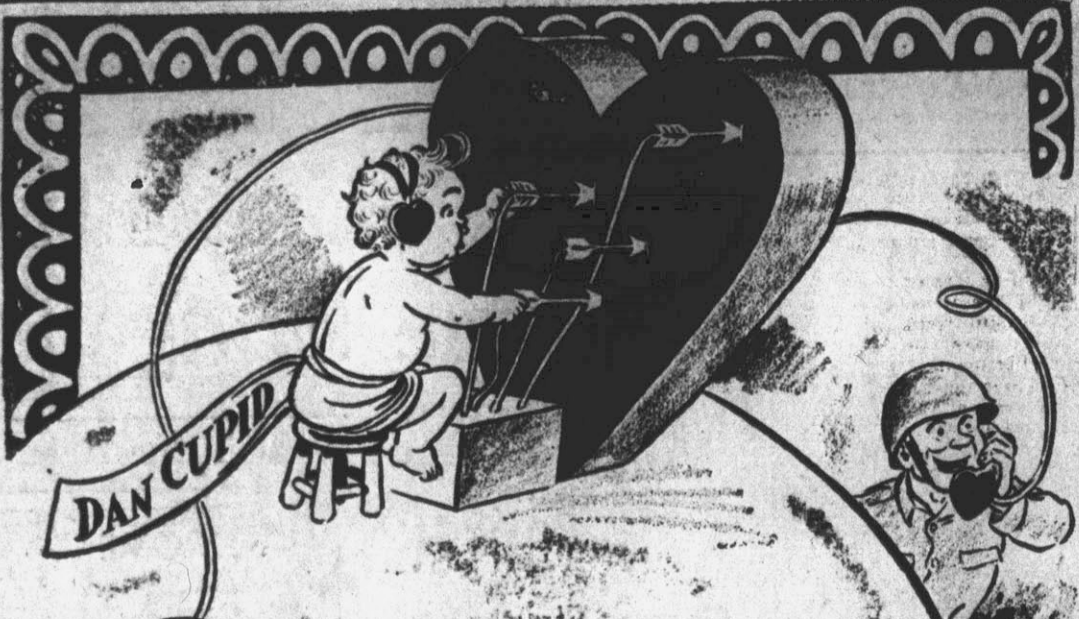
Then, many of you may be worrying over what you're going to do when the war ends. There will be readjustments, no doubt. People will need time, and perhaps money, to get themselves settled in profitable jobs. But the fellow who has bought the Bonds right along, and salted them down, will be sitting pretty. He'll have the best security there is, with a grub-stake to tide him over an awkward time, and maybe enough savings to start him anew in a good job or a paying business. You can't afford not to buy Extra War Bonds in the 4th War Loan.

THE EDITOR.

Marine . . .

(Continued From Page One) Cox, 521 Cotanche street, borrowed Miss Ada Hardy's car to go to the cemetery date to bring home a young girl relative. The Marine who had visited the Cox home returned in the car with the party to the home and would not get out of the car when the others did. A few minutes later Miss Hardy went out to the car for her keys and flashlight. They were missing. She saw the Marine walking away. She and other followed him to Fifth and Cotanche streets, seeking the keys. State Highway Patrolman C. L. Teague told the woman to go to the police station and he would bring the key. After he took his prisoner into the station the Ma-

A.P.O. Number, Please—Valentine's Day Relief



A boy—a girl—a world apart—So please connect her with his heart—She wants to send a VALENTINE By way of Dan's long distance line!

REG. MANNING

rine made a break and put up a stiff fight. All of the participants bore scars today. Officers found Miss Hardy's car keys in Strawcutler's pocket and returned them to her.

Nearly all of the trouble local officers have with servicemen lawbreakers is caused by Marines, police and court officials stated, and the police records show this. A false impression prevails that civil authorities have no jurisdiction over servicemen, but that's a fairy tale. Inadequate military policing of the city has put a troublesome burden on authorities. A conference today among Lieut. Lester Jones of the Highway Patrol, Police Chief Woodson, Judge Robertson and Solicitor Ell Blum may result in military policing of the city, especially on Saturday night, it was stated.

At the City Hall this morning it was stated that when a Marine officer phoned local authorities to turn the Marine over to them and the request was refused that the lieutenant threatened to "come get him." He was invited to try it.

More Blows In . . .

(Continued From Page One) period stand at 21 planes.

American Marines who are expanding their invasion holdings from their original December 26 landings at Cape Gloucester, northwestern New Britain, have taken large quantities of equipment and ammunition abandoned by the Japanese in the Bergen Bay area, the communiqué said.

The Leathernecks ranging eastward to Cape Mensing found many enemy dead from starvation or disease. Liberators made a 1,800-mile roundtrip flight to bomb Kendaridrome on Celebes Island, in the Netherlands East Indies, setting fires visible for 60 miles. Other Liberators struck at Dill on Timor island, 400 miles northwest of Dar-

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS 1. Excited 2. Idle sea weed 3. Steal 12. Enlace 13. One openwork fabric 14. Feminine name 15. Wrecklike 16. Hooplike 17. Mother 18. Mutilate 21. Wharves 22. Unrefined 23. Metal 24. Bard 25. Equality 26. One who pre-arranges 27. Play 28. Fine 29. Chinese coin 30. Toward 31. Girl 32. Flowering shrub 41. Conjunction 42. Male deer 43. Forays 44. Spider's trap 45. Pastry shells 49. Wager 51. Musical instrument 52. Relatives 53. Part of a flower 54. Fragments 55. Negative 60. So. American cowboys 61. Encourages 62. Wild animal 63. Clamping device 64. Nothing more than 65. Toward 67. Peep's mother

Grid for crossword puzzle with numbers 1-31 and 32-67.

Bond Drive Is . . .

(Continued From Page One) in the Richmond, Va., headquarters on February 29 count of Region 1's quota. He urges individuals to continue to buy the "E" bonds and enable the area to maintain its good record of meeting all government war time requirements.

Washington, Feb. 14.—(AP)—Arkansas and North Carolina today became the eighth and ninth states to meet their Fourth War Loan quota. The \$14,000,000,000 drive ends tomorrow. Although Saturday's total of \$12,964,000,000 left no doubt that the over-all goal would be attained, individual subscriptions stood at only 63 per cent of the \$5,500,000,000 quota for such purchases.

Relief Fund . . .

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Final approval of the legislation

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Solution Of Saturday's Puzzle

- 68. Roman date 69. Carreases DOWN 1. Poplar 2. Pertaining to the throat 3. Early English money 4. Microbe 5. Great Britain 6. Article of apparel 7. Playing card 8. War again 10. Regarded too highly 11. Singing voice 17. Tut 20. Source of phosphorus compounds 22. Epic poem 23. Afternoon functions 24. Failure to keep 25. Copy of matter already published 21. Neckpiece 32. Deliberate 33. Wood 34. Twentieths 35. Prevaricator 36. Every 37. Hazard 38. Spherical 46. Go 47. Ascends 50. Make into 51. Khatber 52. Singlish 54. Measuranda 55. Entreaty 56. Marquise name 58. Coarse hominy 61. Insect

NEWCOMERS AND REMOVALS

Col. and Mrs. E. R. West are living at 902 East Fifth street. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gladson have moved to 1402 Myrtle avenue. Tech Sgt. and Mrs. Sustman will move next week from New Bern and will have an apartment at 401 Library street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Paige have vacated an apartment at 501 East 10th street.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bolin have moved to 50 East 10th street. Major and Mrs. E. W. Shedecker have vacated the house on East 11th street and have moved to 2228 39th Place, N. W. Washington, D. C.

Mrs. A. H. Paul is now employed in the office of Register of Deeds.

Health Report For Month Of January

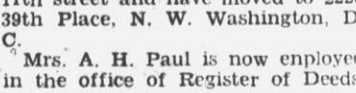
The following is a summary of the local health officer's January report to the Pitt County Medical and Dental Society last Thursday night. He stated that the contagious disease situation for January was about normal except that measles were on the increase.

The general sanitation program was carried out with emphasis on cafe, meat market and dairy inspections.

The report stated that school dental work for both white and colored school children had been carried on in January and that the attendance at the monthly ortho-

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MUSTEROLE

Martin Moore, Jr., Is Now Lieutenant

Martin P. Moore, Jr., 810 Evans Street, Greenville, recently graduated as a second lieutenant in the U. S. Army Air Forces Training Command at Frederick Field, Frederick, Okla. The second class to graduate during 1944 had members from every state in the union, District of Columbia, Hawaii, Canada and Porto Rico.

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Advertisement for VanDyke Furniture Co. with text 'Wanted At Once' and 'No Registered, Special Delivery Letter Was Needed'.

Comic strip 'THIMBLE THEATRE' featuring Popeye and the 'Shore Leaf'.

Comic strip 'BLONDIE' by Chic Young featuring Blondie and Dagwood.

Comic strip 'DAN DUNN - SECRET OPERATIVE 48' featuring Dan Dunn.

# Social and Personal

Miss Martha Lee Cowell left this afternoon to visit her sister, Mrs. Ted Weyher, in Dade City, Fla.

Lt. and Mrs. Conrad B. Schwarz have returned to Greenville after living in Newport, N. C., for three weeks. They are now residing at 605 E. Third. Lt. Schwarz is materiel officer of the new squadron 344, that has just been moved to Greenville from Cherry Point.

Mrs. Dean E. Painter and infant son of Fort Bragg, are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Gaylord.

Mr. and Mrs. John Adams, Jr., and Mrs. Dick Evans returned from Kentucky Saturday.

Cadet Midshipman J. B. Smith has returned from convoy duty to the Atlantic and will arrive today to spend a day or two with his parents.

Mrs. S. M. Crisp returned last night from Coleraine.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Staton, Jr., and little daughter, Judy, of Kingston, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Staton, Sr.

Miss Mary Ann Duncan spent the week-end in Raleigh.

Misses Betsy Hellen and Joyce Corbett spent the week-end in Chapel Hill.

Jack W. Teel, Jr., quartermaster third class, of the U. S. S. Starlight, is home for a short visit with his parents.

B. S. Warren, Sr., returned this afternoon from McPherson Hospital in Durham.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Collins and family spent the week-end in Norfolk attending the Spear-Lay wedding.

**Woman's Club To Entertain.**  
The Woman's Club will entertain the wives of the officers stationed in Greenville, at an open house on Thursday morning at 10:45 at the home of Mrs. J. B. James, 410 East Fifth street.  
There will be bridge and other forms of entertainment and all officers' wives are extended a most cordial invitation.

**In Hospital.**  
Mr. H. P. Tyson is improving following an operation in Pitt General Hospital.

**F. W. E. Circles To Meet.**  
The circles of the Free Will Baptist Church will meet tonight at 7:30 in the following homes:  
Circle No. 1, with Mrs. Sophia Hardee, 1111 Cotanche street.  
Circle No. 2 with Mrs. W. E. Warren, 115 East Eighth street.  
Circle No. 3 with Mrs. G. S. Whitehurst, 209 Paris avenue.

**Graduates.**  
Pvt. Burnace L. Haddock, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Haddock, Rte. 1, Vanceboro, has graduated from the Fort Crook Ordnance Automotive School, Fort Crook, Neb. The courses covered all phases of automotive repair and maintenance for all types of army vehicles.

**Ferry-Nichols.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nichols of Greenville, Route 2, announce the marriage of their daughter, Beatrice, to Captain J. W. Perry of Wilson and Houston, Texas, on Saturday, February 5, 1944, in Houston, Texas.

Mrs. Perry is the attractive and eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nichols. After completing a business course at A. C. College, Wilson, she was employed by Southern Dairies and was later transferred to the office of that company in Greensboro, where she worked until her marriage.

Captain Perry has served thirteen months in Africa, returning to the United States in December. At present he is stationed in Texas, where the couple will make their home.

**Contract Club Hostess.**  
Grifton, Feb. 14.—Mrs. Ben G. Tucker entertained members of her contract club and invited guests at a delightful party on Thursday night at her home here. Three tables were in play amid attractive seasonal decorations. Tallies and table appointments were of the Valentine motif.

Following progressions, scores were totaled and the club prizes went to Mrs. Wiley Gaskins and Mrs. Walter Patrick. Mrs. Milton Hart was given the guest prize.  
Making up the tables were: Mrs. Elmo Smith, Mrs. F. L. Cox, Mrs. Clay Burney, Mrs. Raymond Johnson, Mrs. Edward Hart, Mrs. Carey Garris, Mrs. Julius Chauncey, Mrs. Newwood Lockhart, Mrs. Tilman Chauncey.  
Mrs. Tucker served a dainty congealed salad plate with sandwiches and coffee.

## Beware Coughs Following Flu

After the flu is over and gone, the cough that follows may develop into chronic bronchitis if neglected. Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germy laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. No matter how many medicines you have tried, all your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

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# Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR  
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What a strong navy is worth was brought home to us in our late trouble with Spain. We realize it more fully than ever since Japan is doing things to the Russian ships. The idea of building a great American navy should be heavily backed by our Congress, for in the future the most powerful nation will be that one that can keep its flag afloat on the seas against any foe.

## SUBJUGAL 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.  
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Wednesday, 9-12—Methodist Circles Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4.  
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Thursday, 2-5—Methodist Circles Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8.  
Friday 9-12—Presbyterian women.

Friday, 2-5—Christian and Memorial Baptist women.

**Fidelis Class To Meet.**  
The Fidelis Class of Memorial Baptist Church will hold their class meeting and banquet Thursday night at 7 o'clock at Respass, with Mrs. George Hertlein, Mrs. R. C. Duffin and Mrs. C. D. Ward as hostesses.  
All members are asked to meet at the church at 6:45.

**Attention Junior Hostesses.**  
There is to be an important meeting of junior hostesses at the Service Center on Wednesday evening at 7:15. Don't be late.

**Mrs. Brunson Entertains.**  
Grifton, Feb. 14.—Mrs. Keith Brunson entertained on Wednesday evening at a pretty party at the Grifton teahouse. The spacious living room was attractively decorated with potted plants. On arrival guests found their places by Valentine tallies at the nine tables appointed for the games. Following several progressions, high scores went to Miss Bert Johnson and Mrs. Clay Burner, while Mrs. Joe Trapp, a recent bride, was remembered with a vase.

Mrs. Brunson had as guests a number of out-of-town members of a former bridge club in Ayden, as follows: Mrs. Staton Ross, Mrs. P. R. Taylor, Mrs. Lyman Baldree, Mrs. S. M. Edwards, Mrs. W. W. Salisbury, Mrs. H. C. Oglesby, Mrs. Allen Johnson, Mrs. Tucker Tripp, Mrs. Sam Pierce, Mrs. Rodney Harrison, Mrs. Marvin McCormick, Mrs. James Everett, Mrs. Alton Gardner, from Grifton; Mrs. Edward Hart, Mrs. Ivan Bissette, Mrs. R. A. Nelson, Mrs. Thurman Williams, Mrs. J. T. Biggers, Mrs. Jack Chapman, Mrs. Elmo Smith, Mrs. C. R. Cobb, Mrs. Paul Bradley, Mrs. H. P. Quinerly, Mrs. Jack Tucker, Mrs. L. L. Mewborn, Mrs. L. D. McCotter, Mrs. James Smith, Miss Frances Taylor, Miss Josephine Essey, Miss Margaret Register and Miss Esther Hardee.  
A delectable sandwich plate with salted nuts, individual cakes and coffee was served at the conclusion of the games.

**Alpha Iota Initiates Students.**  
Twenty-five honor students in business education who had composed the active membership of the ECTC chapter of Alpha Iota were initiated at a dinner meeting Saturday night at the college as members of the newly established chapter of Pi Omega Pi. This organization, the business education fraternity of college and university groups, puts special emphasis on scholarship as a requirement for membership.  
At the dinner, Dr. E. R. Browning, head of the business education department, spoke on "Your Chosen Profession and Its Future in North Carolina."  
Geraldine Taylor, Greenville senior and president of the chapter, was toastmistress; Miss Audrey Dempsey gave the speech of welcome; President L. R. Meadows extended greetings; and Dr. Karl Gilbert played a violin number, with Miss Eleanor Etheridge accompanying him.

The students initiated, who included a number from Greenville, were: Ruth Allen, Annie Bartholomew, Rena Bateman, Gretchen Boswell, Mary Bryan, Dixie Chappell, Harry Chestnut, Amy Floyd, Betty Hobgood, Laura Hearne, Clarine Johnson, Mildred Johnson, Evelyn Jones, Dorothy Lewis, Daisy Mayo, Manora Mewborn, Annie S. Perry, Ellen Riddick, Maribelle Robertson, Marjorie Rowe, Katherine Russell, Geraldine Taylor, Frances Tunstall, Jane Vann and Vivian Yelverton. Miss Lena Ellis and Miss Velma Lowe were made honorary members. Dr. Browning and Miss Dempsey, already Pi Omega Pi members, presided over the initiation.

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## Dunn Evergreen Nursery

ON THE OLD FAIRGROUND ROAD DUNN, N. C.

R. L. Renfrew, guests, were remembered with gifts. Other players were Mrs. Mewborn, Mrs. Cobb, Mr. and Mrs. Brown Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Bissette, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Williams.

**Mrs. Gower Hostess.**  
Grifton, Feb. 14.—On Friday night at her home here, Mrs. Eleanor Gower had as guests for bridge her contract club and invited players. Four tables were appointed for the games in the living room, where early spring flowers were used as decorations. After several spirited progressions the highest scores were compiled by Mrs. Ivan Bissette, Mrs. L. D. McCotter and Mrs. Clay Burney. They were remembered with attractive gifts. Other guests were: Mrs. Jack Tucker, Mrs. Jack Chapman, Mrs. T. J. Williams, Mrs. H. P. Quinerly, Mrs. Alton Chapman, Mrs. A. D. Wall, Mrs. Vance Wall, Mrs. R. A. Nelson, Mrs. R. B. Mewborn, Mrs. L. L. Mewborn, Miss Marie Chapman, Miss Bert Johnson and Miss Louise Mewborn.

Mrs. Gower served a chicken salad plate with tea and sandwiches.

## NEWS OF GREENVILLE HIGH

**By DAVID WHICHARD AND HOWARD WILLIAMS**

**Junior Class Meeting.**  
There will be a meeting of the Junior class tomorrow morning at home room period. The purpose of this meeting is to appoint committees for the annual Junior-Senior.

**War Bond Drive.**  
The war bond contest in the high school ends tomorrow. For the past four weeks students have been selling war bonds in order to buy a P-51 Mustang fighter plane. Prizes

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of picture show passes will be given to the three boys and the three girls who have sold the largest number of bonds during this campaign. The winners of this contest will be announced this week.  
**Radio Program.**  
A fifteen minute radio program will be presented from G. H. S. tomorrow morning at 10:30. The program will be a forum discussion by students of an American History class.

**Phantoms Vs. New Bern.**  
The Phantoms will meet the New Bern High School basketball team here tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. These two teams met in the Bears' home town last Friday night and the Phantoms came out on the long end of a 39-22 score. Admission will be 15 cents for students and 25 cents for adults.

## BELL ARTHUR NEWS

The local boys' and girls' basketball teams defeated the Belvoir teams in the high school auditorium here Wednesday night.

The P. T. A. met Wednesday night in the high school library. A brief Founder's Day program was presented, including the lighting of candles on the P. T. A.'s birthday cake. The chief item of business was discussion and plans for a pro-

gram of recreation for the young folks of the community.

Mrs. Wm. McArthur, Miss Annie McArthur, Mrs. Mack G. Smith, Lindsey and Robert McArthur returned Thursday from Portsmouth, Va., where they visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Koeger.

Mrs. Lizzie Tyson and Mrs. Janie McLawhorn of Winterville, visited Mrs. R. S. Willoughby and Mrs. Fannie Willoughby one day last week.  
A large number of people from this community attended the "A" Day exercises in Greenville Thursday. Mr. Hendrix and a captain from the U. S. Department of Health visited the school Tuesday. Mrs. W. H. Hyde and Mrs. L. B. Howell spent Tuesday with Mrs. Alvin McArthur.

**Calotabs**  
Next time you need calomel take Calotabs, the improved calomel compound tablets that make calomel-taking pleasant. Sugar-coated, agreeable, prompt, and effective. Not necessary to follow with salts. Caution: Use only as directed.

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The Following Merchants Are Participating In Dollar Day:

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Other than to business houses having regular accounts with us, no want ads will be charged. Send or bring cash with order. To prevent errors, want ads will not be taken over the telephone.

**WANTED - TWO WHITE BARBERS** for best location in Jacksonville, N. C. Five chair shop on Main St. opposite theatre. Each chair grosses 90 to 100 dollars per week when regularly worked; 70 per cent commission. Contact Roy Dudley, manager, Jacksonville, N. C., or Harvey Ward, owner, Greenville, N. C. 14-4t

**165 LBS. MAINE CERTIFIED SEED** potatoes. Hardwood, will deliver. Limited supply of cart wheels; 7-1/2 foot peanut weeder; fertilizer distributors; 14-inch disc hillers for tractor or horse. R. F. McLawhorn and Son, Greenville, N. C. 14-1t

**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, P.O.

**FOR SALE - SEED POTATOES** - 165 lb. Certified, Maine grown Cobblers, V. C. Chemical Corp., Dial 2922. 8-12t

**PERMANENT WAVES - \$3.50 UP** Machine, Machineless and Cold Waves. Expert service. Johnson's, 430 Evans St., Dial 4483. 1t

**FOR SALE - TWO 30-GALLON** automatic gas water heaters and 4 side arm gas water heaters. J. D. Aman, Dial 3747. 8-12t

**PINE QUALITY BABY CHICKS** - U. S. approved, pullorum tested. Available for immediate delivery. Barred Rocks, N. H. Reds, White Rocks, Parameuter Reds and White Leghorns. Every chick from a N. C. State approved blood tested hens. Also booking orders for future delivery. Duff's Hatchery, Ayden, N. C., Dial 3271. 10-1t

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**FOR SALE - SHOE SHOP ON EASY** terms, or for rent. Answer "Shoe Shop," care Reflector. 9-12t

**CASTLES IN SPAIN - JUST WISHING** never puts a foundation under dreams. A Security Registered Policy will make your dreams come true. Talk it over with Jake Hadley, General Agent, Security Life Insurance Company, 312 Evans St.

**INCOME TAX SERVICE** **J. Nat Harrison** 522 East Ninth Street Phone 3601 Greenville

**WANTED - BOOKKEEPER** - Prefer man over 28. Contact Colonial Ice Co. 8-5t

**CHICKS, CHICKS - DRUM'S N.C.** U. S. approved pullorum tested. All chicks are hatched from carefully graded eggs, produced by selected and banded breeders, from flocks fed a special breeder mash to insure healthy chicks that will live and grow. Seven popular breeds hatched each Tuesday. Drum's Hatchery & Feed Store. Feb. 9 - Mon-Wed-Fri-1t

**PECAN BUNS, INDIVIDUAL RAISIN** pies, chocolate snaps. People's Bakery.

**COLLEGE VIEW - LARGE BEAU-**tiful corner building site on East Fifth Street, front of college. Priced to sell. Also some lots of the pavement. Buy now and build after the war. Tripp, 312 Evans Street, Dial 2401. 1-1t

**TODAY** Technicolor Musical **'RIDIN' HIGH'** with Dorothy Lamour **PITT**

**HAVE SEVERAL STEEL BEAM** one-horse turn plows in stock. J. A. Watson, Seed and Hardware. 14-1t

**WANTED - A SUBSTITUTE STAR** mail carrier one or more days per week. Greenville-Kinston. Car. expenses, salary furnished. Call 4371 or apply at 116 Long St. 11-3t

**GARDEN SEED, FLOWER SEED** onion sets and gladiola bulbs. White's Stores. Jan. 6-1 mo.

**Hooker & Buchanan INC.** **Mutual Insurance** Next to Pitt Theatre Dial 2612

**GOOD AS GOLD FLOUR - EVERY** sack guaranteed to please or money cheerfully refunded. White's Stores. Feb. 3-1 mo.

**FOR SALE - EIGHTH STREET** Christian Church parsonage, located corner Eighth and Charles streets. Six rooms and bath - three bedrooms and bath upstairs, and living room, dining room and kitchen downstairs. Lot 60 by 156 feet. Terms one-third cash, balance to suit purchaser. Call or see W. E. Hooker, phone 2612. 19-1t

**FUEL OIL - KEROSENE ECONOMY OIL CO.** **TOMMY CARAWAN** Dial 2225 Greenville, N. C.

**WANTED TO RENT - 5-ROOM** furnished house or apartment, by refined adults, who will take care of property. \$50.00 or \$60.00. Call Mr. Tripp at 2401. 1-1t

**J. B. Oakley & Son COMPLETE INSURANCE SERVICE** Proctor Hotel Bldg. Dial 3726

**LOST - SATURDAY MORNING** - boy's brown corduroy coat with army air corps insignia on sleeve, size 16, on hangar from cleaner's, somewhere between New Deal Cleaners and Raleigh Ave. Reward if returned to Mrs. R. E. Sellers, 1412 Chestnut St., Phone 2358. 14-3t

**Income Tax Service** **J. H. HARRELL, Atty.** Offices Proctor Hotel Bldg. Office phone 2843, Res., 3639-1

**WANTED - YOUNG LADY STE-**nographer with general insurance experience. Permanent position. Location, Greenville, North Carolina. State experience and salary desired. Apply in care of "A" care Daily Reflector. 12-Sat-Mon-Wed-6t

**GET YOUR SEED POTATOTS** - war approved, or Maine certified. Keel Supply Co. 1-1t

**WHITE AND BARRED ROCKS,** New Hampshire Red baby chicks - \$10.00 per 100. Custom hatching, \$2.50 per tray, 132 eggs. Place your orders now for the future. Roebuck's Hatchery, Stokes, N. C. 1-1t

**Ernest Willard INSURANCE** ANY KIND - ANYWHERE 123 East Fifth Street

**AT AUCTION - E. T. DICKERSON** home - 436 W. Fifth St. - Thursday, Feb. 17, at 3 p. m. Burton Auction Co., Geo. P. Clark, Representative, at Greenville Hotel. 12-4t

**STATE TODAY** **RICHARD DIX** in **"THE GHOST SHIP"** with Russell Wade, Edith Barrett plus Novelty - News



One of the many luscious "pin up girls" in the all new Karston show of 1944 playing the State Theatre Tuesday, Feb. 15, for one day only. Not to be confused with the average touring show, this great production, really five shows in one, presents world famous beauties and entertainers from the Follies, Vanities and Scandals. The music of Gene Krupa, Eddy Duchin, Little

**SPECIAL - NEW SHIPMENT** overseas mailing boxes for service man and women. Exact postal regulation size. All you do is fill it and put on address. Holds five pounds. Efrin's Dept. Store. 10c each. 12-2t

**FOR SALE - SLIGHTLY USED,** man's pre-war Ranger bicycle. Charlie Worthington, 8 miles from Greenville, one mile east of Stokes highway. 14-16

**New York Cotton** New York, Feb. 14 - (AP) - Cotton futures opened unchanged to 25 cents a bale higher. Noon values were 50 to 70 cents a bale higher. Mch. 20.67, May 20.31, July 19.84. Futures closed 40 to 65 cents a bale higher.

	Open	Close	Prv. Cl.
Mch.	20.55	20.63	20.55
May	20.21	20.24	20.16
July	19.78	19.82	19.74
Oct.	19.35	19.46	19.33
Dec.	19.20	19.29	19.17

Middling spot 21.39, up 8.

**N. Y. Stock Market** New York, Feb. 14 - (AP) - Selected rails and specialties continued to operate in recovery territory today but, as in past weeks, many industrial leaders showed a decided reluctance to follow suit. Prices were a shade uneven near the close. Transfers approximated 600,000 shares.

FINAL STOCKS	
Allegheny	2 1/2
Al Chem and Dye	145 1/2

**F**ACING THE biggest food production job of all time, you will need every pound of soda you can get. It is coming in faster and, while ships are still the big problem, there is reason to believe there will be enough for every essential requirement.

1,000,000 tons of natural Chilean nitrate - the tonnage U. S. farmers used last year - properly applied, would produce 250,000,000 bu. of oats or 100,000,000 bu. of wheat; 125,000,000 bu. of corn or 4,800,000 tons of forage crops; 6,000,000 tons of vegetables, or 2,500,000 bales of cotton and 1,100,000 tons of cotton seed.

These figures show why farmers need all the Chilean Soda they can get to smash '44 goals and help make Victory sure!

*Natural*  
**CHILEAN NITRATE of SODA**

Alle Chat Mfg	36	Penn RR	28 1/2	Swift	36 1/2
Am Can	83	Pepet Cola	50	Tex Co	47 1/2
Am Car Fdy	39 1/2	Phillips Pet	41	Un Carb	70
Am Roll Mill	13 1/2	Furnman	44	Unit Air	28 1/2
Am Smelt and Ref	36 1/2	Pure Oil	15 1/2	Unit Corp	13 1/2
A T and T	187 1/2	Radio	9	United Drug	12 1/2
Am Tob B	35 1/2	Reynolds B	17	US Ind Chem	38 1/2
A C L	27 1/2	Sears	29 1/2	U S Rubber	42
All Ref	12 1/2	Sou Ry	85 1/2	U S Smelt and Ref	54
Aviat Corp	19 1/2	Std Brands	25 1/2	U S Steel	52
Baldwin	12 1/2	Std Oil N J	29 1/2	Vanadium	11 1/2
B and O	7 1/2	Stewart Warner	52 1/2	Vick Chem	4
Bendix Aviat	34 1/2		12 1/2	Warner Pic	12 1/2
Beth Stl	58 1/2				
Boeing Airpl	14 1/2				
Borden	29 1/2				
Budd Mfg	7				
Burl Mills	28				
Bur Add Mach	13				
Cannon Mills	43 1/2				
Case J I	38 1/2				
Chrysler	79 1/2				
Coca Cola	11 1/2				
Coml Credit	39 1/2				
Coml Solv	14 1/2				
Cont Can	38 1/2				
Intlix Wright	5 1/2				
Doug Aire	51 1/2				
Dupont	139				
Eastman Kod	158 1/2				
Firestone	38 1/2				
Gen Elec	35 1/2				
Gen Foods	54 1/2				
Gen Mot	41 1/2				
Goodrich	36 1/2				
Goodyear	36 1/2				
Int Harvest	76 1/2				
Int Tel and Tel	13 1/2				
Johns Man	81				
Legs and Myers B	7				
Loews	58 1/2				
Lorillard	17 1/2				
Mont Ward	42 1/2				
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