

Mostly cloudy and warmer to-night. Cloudy and mild with showers Thursday, beginning in west portion tonight.

U.S. Bombers Rain Nazi Capital Again

More Than 1,000 Planes Showered Over 1,500 Tons Of Bombs On Berlin; RAF Raiders Blast Germany Last Night

By LEWIS HAWKINS London, March 22.—(AP)—More than 1,000 American planes showed new destruction on Berlin today, returning to the German capital for the first time since March 9. They dropped probably 1,500 tons of bombs.

"Strong forces" of Liberators and Fortresses attacked industrial and military targets in Berlin. U. S. air headquarters announced, indicating that 500 to 750 heavy bombers made the 1,150 mile round trip. Many hundreds of Thunderbolt, Lightning and Mustang fighter planes accompanied them.

It was estimated that 750 to 1,000 fighter planes took part, making the total force between 1,250 and 1,750 planes. This was the fifth U. S. heavy bomber attack against Berlin. Lightning fighter planes started the U. S. visits with an offensive sweep March 3. A small force of Fortresses bombed the Berlin district the next day and on March 6 about 850 heavy bombers dropped 2,000 tons of bombs on special targets there. Several hundred bombers made return visits March 8 and 9.

Mosquito bombers struck in western Germany last night. With today's assault it was estimated that between 2,700 and 3,000 American bombers have been over the German capital this month, dropping approximately 6,000 tons of high explosives and incendiaries. One hundred and thirty heavy bombers have been lost in these Berlin attacks, not including today's operation. In addition to the wounds left in the capital of the Reich, the heavy planes and their escorts downed at least 201 fighters badly needed by the Germans, according to official communications.

The journey to Berlin was the eighth air force heavy—one short of the record of 18 major missions established in February. The RAF's overnight operations which included laying of mines in enemy waters, were carried out without the loss of a single plane, the Air Ministry said.

Officers Dynamite Steam Liquor Still

ABC and county law enforcement officers early today used 13 gallons of dynamite to destroy a 50-gallon steam distillery a mile and a half east of Pactolus, near the Washington-Pactolus highway. The still was in operation, but the operators had fled. ABC Officer J. M. Ward stated.

U. S. Bids For Postwar Political Leadership

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER Washington, March 22.—(AP)—A 17-point foreign policy statement by Secretary of State Hull today gave the United States a bid for postwar political leadership, and at the same time brought into sharper relief a half dozen questions of immediate diplomatic concern.

Hull's statement was viewed here as setting goals for long range international cooperation and security on a basis of sovereign equality of all countries, large or small, beyond the limits to which other world leaders have committed themselves. The immediate questions for which his program furnishes a background are outside the scope of his statement, which is based on Hull's speeches over the past two years. But they may be decided in the light of the principles he laid down. They are: 1. What kind of relationship, military or diplomatic, is this government ready to extend to the French National Committee or possibly other patriotic groups, in preparation for the liberation of France by Allied invasion armies? 2. Should the United States now break relations with Finland over Helsinki's rejection of Russia's peace terms? 3. If Russia, whose armies are penetrating steadily deeper into Poland, decides finally against dealing with the Polish government in London, will the United States (and Britain as well) recognize a new

JAPS CROSSING INDIAN BORDER

Allied Communique Admits Penetration By Jap Forces

New Delhi, March 22.—(AP)—Japanese troops who launched a major offensive in northern Burma several days ago have crossed the border of India and penetrated into Manipur state "at one or two places," an Allied communique announced today.

The bulletin said the enemy forces consisted merely of small raiding parties. At the same time, Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten's headquarters declared that Allied troops had repulsed a comparatively heavy Japanese attack in the Maungdaw-Butheung area at the southern end of the Burmese front, where British and Indian forces have been moving slowly down along the coast toward enemy-held Akyab.

In another engagement in this sector, headquarters said, Allied troops captured a hill feature south of Butheung.

This was the first Allied acknowledgment of Japanese penetration of India. The Berlin radio in May, 1942, had reported Japanese crossings of the frontier, quoting Tokyo dispatches, but such claims never were heard directly from Japanese sources.

The Tokyo radio today declared that leaders of the Indian Independence League were jubilant "over news of the Indian National Army march into Indian soil." Berlin relayed a Japanese dispatch that the "provisional government of Free India in the name of Subhas Chandra Bose, head of the government and supreme command of the Indian National Army, issued a special statement yesterday clarifying the significance of the gallant fight for independence undertaken jointly by the Indian National Army and Imperial Japanese forces."

Nazis Prepare Evacuate Rome

London, March 22.—(AP)—The German-controlled Rome radio today announced that the Germans would withdraw all military installations from Rome and would divert all military traffic from the city, in an effort to place responsibility for bombings entirely on the Allies. The broadcast apparently sought to declare Rome an open city. Such a unilateral declaration, of course has no effect in international law since it would have to be accepted by the Allies to make it binding. The Badoglio government of Italy sought to declare Rome an open city before Badoglio capitulated last September.

The broadcast said: "So that responsibility for the bombing of Rome will remain entirely with the Allies, the German command in the next few days will scrupulously withdraw from Rome every installation which could serve as the slightest pretext for air attack, and will still further deviate military transports from the eternal city."

Pactolus Leads In Red Cross Drive

J. Nat Harrison, county-wide chairman for the Red Cross War Fund drive stated today that contributions through yesterday afternoon totaled \$11,495, which is more than a third of the \$31,000 set as a quota for Pitt county. Chairman Harrison was elated with the results of the Monday-Tuesday canvass and said that "while the \$19,505 we still have to get is quite a sizable amount, we are going over the top regardless." Pactolus was the first of the county communities to report its quota reached. Chairman George E. Cherry of Pactolus turned in \$374, which figures 110 per cent of the quota for that community. Belvoir, the only other sector reporting its quota reached has a total of \$314, which figures 125 per cent of the sum set for Belvoir. W. E. Cain is chairman at Belvoir. Amounts reported from other towns and communities are as follows: Ayden, \$185; Bethel, \$325; Bell Arthur, \$210; Chicod, \$115; Falkland, \$150; Fountain, \$150; Farmville, \$200; Grifton, \$300; Grimesland, \$900; Stokes, \$350; and Winterville, \$319, making a total of \$4,592 from the county and towns outside of Greenville.

College Trustees Praise President

Resolution Declares "College And Not Dr. Meadows" Benefitted By Any Errors In Handling Of Funds



Jackie Coogan, former film star, now a U. S. glider pilot, (above) was the first man to alight when British forces were landed by air behind Japanese lines in northern Bataan more than a week ago, according to an announcement from U. S. Army Air Force Headquarters in India. (AP Wirephoto).

NAZI PLANES RAID LONDON

Casualties And Damage Caused By The Attack

By LEWIS HAWKINS London, March 22.—(AP)—About 100 German warplanes subjected London to a sharp attack last night, causing casualties and damage in a number of sections in the heaviest assault upon the city since the fire raid of March 17.

Bombs also were dropped at scattered points in East Angles and southeast England by the raiders, nine of which were shot down, a communique said. The planes which attacked London struck in three waves from the northeast and southeast and were greeted by a thunderous barrage which reared a new window-rauling peak in some areas. More than 40-millimeter cannon opened fire on the bombers.

Woman Gets Verdict For \$25 Damages

In Superior Court yesterday judgment was rendered in favor of Mrs. E. L. Keel against the Grayhound Bus Line for \$25 for the loss of a handbag. She sued for \$125. The better portion of today was spent hearing the suit of Miss Elizabeth Coward of Farmville against A. C. Monk Company, alleging damages and injuries in connection with a collision of one of the company's trucks and Miss Coward's car. This afternoon a compromise verdict of \$900 was rendered in Miss Coward's favor. Judge Clawson L. Williams of Sanford is presiding.

Shells For Hunters

Washington, March 22.—(AP)—The War Production Board plans to release 26,000,000 shotgun shells for civilian use on April 1. Senator Maybank (D-S.C.) says he has been informed by the board. A proportional distribution will be made monthly thereafter, he said he was told.

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Governor J. Melville Broughton, State Auditor George Ross and Dr. L. R. Meadows, president of East Carolina Teachers College, were in Raleigh today so far as any official statements were concerned regarding action of the Board of Trustees of the college which late yesterday, by a vote of eight to four, adopted a resolution in which Dr. Meadows was exonerated of any wrong in connection with his handling of college funds and given high praise for the progress the institution has made under his guidance as president. The action of the board came in executive session following the third open session of the investigation over a period of three weeks, the first held in Raleigh March 10, followed by meetings here Tuesday of last week and yesterday.

Dr. Meadows said immediately following the board's action yesterday that he had no statement to make and an inquiry today brought the same reply. Governor Broughton and State Auditor George Ross, under whose department the audit was made, declined any comment on the matter when contacted in Raleigh today.

The lengthy resolution adopted by the board set forth that in the call of Dr. Clyde A. Erwin, ex-officio chairman of the board, the members had assembled in a series of meetings and gone over carefully all charges as contained in the "so-called Audit or Report on Investigation," examined all witnesses and reached the following conclusions: "Whereas, upon reassembling, and after giving a thorough study and consideration to the audit and all the evidence and reports offered by the Auditors, the State Auditor and Department of Justice, together with the evidence and documentary proof of Dr. Meadows, including such additional evidence as has been presented at this meeting, the Board concluded its deliberations with the following findings of facts and resolved as follows: "1.—That upon full consideration of the Audit and all the evidence, having due regard for sources, the character and weight thereof, the Board finds that Dr. Meadows has honestly handled and accounted for every dollar of the college funds entrusted to him and that he has wisely and economically used said funds for the best interest of the College; and he is therefore completely exonerated from any suggestion of wrong doing or misapplication of college funds as contained in the Audit and Report of the Department of Justice.

"2.—That while the Board does not approve of the method of bookkeeping employed by the President nor the mingling of college and personal funds as he frankly admitted had been done in several instances, (for which action he based his authority on a resolution of the Board passed during the administration of his predecessor back in 1924), and the Board bearing in mind the substance rather than the form and realizing that after all honesty in government by one's conscience and not by the double entry or any other system of bookkeeping and having found from the preponderance of all the evidence that all such funds had been honestly accounted for and if any losses had been sustained by such practice it was by Dr. Meadows and not the College; it would seem that the Board would be keeping faith with the public and exercising its full duty by seeing that such unbusinesslike practices were discontinued." (Continued on page two)

NAZI CRUELTY IS REVEALED

Repatriates Saw Many French Prisoners Killed

By MEL MOST New York, March 22.—(AP)—Numerous reports from inside the walls of secrecy surrounding Nazi-land are being obtained through American repatriates. These concern particularly news of Americans caught in Hitler's Europe who had not been heard from, as well as the conditions under which United States civilians and prisoners of war are being held.

A prominent American banker and society leader in France was shot in the leg without provocation by a German guard at the Compiègne concentration camp for American men.

The victim of the shooting was Norman Lewis, 51, investment banker and Paris representative of the Eastman Dillon Company.

Lewis, a soldier of the French Legion of Honor award, was one of the leading spirits among the interned men and as barrack chief wore an armband entitling him to approach the camp gate. On doing so one day last November, however, a German guard fired at him without warning and the bullet pierced his leg. As a result, Lewis was hospitalized for two months at Val-de-Grace. German guards at Compiègne, the worst of the camps for Americans in Germany or France, were delightfully jumpy because of an incident which occurred there last year. The two camps were separated by a double row of barbed wire entanglements. (Continued on page two)

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The WAR TODAY

AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEWS

By DEWITT MACKENZIE Associated Press War Analyst Germany's seizure of Hungary—a move which is partly military and partly political—is smart tactics. It is a logical step in the Nazi dictator's preparations for the final defense of his inner fortress. On its political side it's calculated to terrify the Balkans and Finland into sticking to the sinking ship. It ought to have the opposite effect, since it's fresh proof that the Fuehrer will sacrifice them to the last man. However, fear rather than reason has been ruling their future attitude will depend heavily on Russia's further progress into the Balkan peninsula. From the military standpoint Hitler is aiming at two objectives: (1) He is establishing a barrier against the onrushing Red armies and to keep his Allies in line. One highly important aspect of the situation is the necessity of protecting Rumania's Ploesti oil fields. This represents Hitler's sole source of natural oil. Hungary is the logical point for Hitler's operations in southeastern Europe. Not only are there prime rail connections with Germany and with the Balkans, but the great Danube river forms one of the most important communications on the continent. Small craft can travel it from the Black Sea clear into the Reich and there cross by canal into the Rhine which will take them to the North Sea. This Danubian route becomes doubly important to Hitler now that he has lost the rich agricultural lands of the Ukraine upon which he banked to keep his people well fed. There still remain the endless wheat and corn fields of Rumania and Bulgaria for him to draw upon, and the Danube provides transport for this and other products. There are indications that some Hungarians are trying to revolt. It's possible that further Russian successes may inspire other resistance to Hitler in the hordes for Germany on the peninsula.

Reds Push Ahead



Russian forces crossed the Dniester river last Friday and following the capture of Mogilev Podolski (arrow) Sunday have pushed on to within 30 miles of the Prut river. Two Rumanian divisions hurled into the broken German defenses have been smashed by the onrushing Russian armies.

REPORT LOSS ANOTHER SUB

Navy Says Scorpion Overdue And Presumed Lost

Washington, March 22.—(AP)—Loss of the American submarine Scorpion, the fourth submarine listed overdue and presumed lost in eight days, was announced by the navy today.

The loss brings to 23 the number of American submarines sunk since the war started, all but three of them by enemy action, presumably while on war patrols in Japanese controlled waters.

The Scorpion carried a crew of approximately 75 officers and men, all listed as missing in action. Her commanding officer was Commander Maximilian G. Schmidt, a native of Booneville, Mo.

The text of Navy Communique No. 513: "The submarine USS Scorpion is (Continued on page two)

River At 13-Foot Level And Rising

By CHESTER WALSH Tar river was steadily rising today as a result of heavy local and upstate rains and the stream was at the 13-foot level at noon. It had risen a foot and half since noon Monday.

The river level, usually around the five-foot mark, has stood at 10 feet the past several weeks, according to Mrs. B. T. Clark, official river observer.

Five inches of rain has fallen in this section since March 1. Farmers are removing livestock from low-grounds.

The temperature last night dropped to 32.2 degrees, the freezing point. The weather was clear today with rising temperature.

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The fruit crop in this section has not been damaged by cold so far. Planting of vegetable gardens has been delayed by wet grounds.

Aldermen Enforce License Tag Law

By CHESTER WALSH The police today had written nearly 100 warrants against owners of motor vehicles who failed to procure city of Greenville license tags on January 1 and they are being served. Some of the cases are expected to come up before Judge J. W. H. Roberts in Police Court Friday morning. The city tags cost a dollar each.

The list of 300 delinquent license tags contains names from every sphere of life, from the owner of a jalopy to near-limosines and from pick-up to heavy duty trucks, and from clerks and laborers to business firms and professional owners.

At the last meeting of the Board of Aldermen, the mayor instructed the city clerk to turn over to the police a list of all motor vehicle owners who had not bought city tags and ordered the police to arrest all violators. This announcement was included in the regular story about the aldermen's meeting.

The city clerk was today doing a land office business selling tags.

Reds Push Deeper Into Bessarabia

FIERCE FIGHT FOR CASSINO

Fifth Army Inches Ahead In Bloody Struggle

With the Fifth Army at Cassino. March 22.—(AP)—The fight for the ruins of Cassino developed into the wildest battle of the Italian campaign today with two German attacks against Castle Hill behind the town. New Zealanders slugging it out in the streets, and German and Allied mortar and artillery firing landing within a few hundred yards of each other.

Allied guns were brought up to fire at direct range on the Continental front in which the Germans managed to reinstall themselves after once being driven out. The hotel area and entire south end of the town held by the Germans were brought under this fire.

The Germans indicated their concern over the situation by sending a large formation of planes to attack communications in the rear of the Fifth army line. Allied planes took up the chase.

The flashes of Allied shells could be seen as they exploded in the German-held portion of the town immediately at the base of Monastery hill. Clouds of smoke drifted over the town and valley, the battle grew in intensity without any major change in positions.

The first German attack against Castle Hill, held by New Zealanders, was launched at 5:30 a. m. But was broken up by Allied artillery and mortar shells plumed on the Germans' route from their stronghold on Hill 165. About 30 more German prisoners were taken.

The hand-to-hand fighting in Cassino's southern portion was officially described as "very heavy."

German defense forces in Cassino were reinforced Monday by young Nazi parachute troops and units of an armored Grenadier division. Official reports of fighting in the town's southern section in (Continued on page two)

Escaped Prisoner Had Ayden Record

By CHESTER WALSH Wallace Rigbee, one of the three long-term prisoners who escaped from Central State Prison Saturday and who were captured yesterday near Creedmoor, was the man who held up Police Chief Walter Hamilton at Ayden on a Saturday night last fall and robbed the ABC store of a quantity of bonded liquor, and then stole an automobile in which he and a companion escaped.

Coincidental with the Ayden holdup two cars collided not far from the ABC store while the robbery was being committed and both car sirens continued to sound for some time. Rigbee and his companion were later captured and in Superior Court in Greenville were given prison sentences.

Rigbee was later tried and convicted in Wilson and Surry counties on various charges.

Rigbee is serving from 25 to 35 years, the other two prisoners, Robert Brudgers, Ralph Scott and Robert Brudgers, were serving from 14 to 20 years and from 20 to 25 years, respectively.

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Advance Units Now Within 30 Miles Of Prut River Border of Rumania; Thousands Of Germans Threatened With Encirclement

London, March 22.—(AP)—Capture of Pervomaisk on the Bug river northwest of Nikolaiwe was announced by Premier Stalin tonight in an order of the day.

Fall of this important German stronghold punched a segment out of the German line directly north of Odessa, and added to the threat to the thousands of German troops in southern Rumania. The station of Podgorodnoye, four miles above Pervomaisk, fell yesterday.

Moscow, March 22.—(AP)—Marshal Ivan Konev's forces "have pushed the front to the borders of Rumania," a dispatch to the Moscow News quoting an officer just returned by air from Bessarabia declared today.

Pervomaisk was "an important railway junction and powerful stronghold in the German defenses on the central part of the southern Bug river. Stalin's order declared and was captured after two days of stubborn fighting.

Soviet forces striking southward were reported within 40 miles of the major escape road for the thousands of Germans in the Odessa bottleneck while other forces penetrated Bessarabia to within 30 miles of the Prut river.

Reinforced by masses of tanks and artillery pouring steadily across the Dniester river, the Russians smashed the Cernauti-Baltysk trunk railway in their advance toward the Prut, starting line for the southern wave of the 1941 German invasion. A Soviet communique declared the Russian units sweeping southward toward the Odessa-Tiraspol-Kaasi railway also struck to within 30 miles of another escape line for the Germans in the south.

The hammer and sickle was raised above 330 more liberated towns and villages yesterday as the Russian units continued to pound the Germans back along the 500-mile front from Old Poland to the Black Sea. The Soviet Bulletin said the forces striking for Lwow, big Nazi communications hub in old Poland, had crashed into Lwow province. The Russians were within 56 miles of Lwow.

In the fighting in old Poland, the Russians said the Nazis threw in an infantry division "just arrived from Denmark," but several German attacks were repulsed and 800 of the enemy were killed.

A battle of unparalleled ferocity was declared by the Germans as they raged around Kovel, a rail junction 100 miles north of Lwow on the road to Warsaw, but the report was without Soviet confirmation. Kovel is 500 miles from Berlin, the same distance as the Allied invasion forces in Britain.

Twenty-Nine U. S. Soldiers Killed

London, March 22.—(AP)—Twenty-nine U. S. soldiers were killed and eight injured in an accidental explosion during training activities in England, it was announced today. Names were withheld until their families were notified.

St. Matthias Invasion Close Ring About Japs

Allied Headquarters, Southwest Pacific, March 22.—(AP)—The snapping shut of an invasion ring around thousands of Japanese at Rabaul, Kavieng and in the Solomons by marine landings in the St. Matthias islands, 580 miles south of Truk, was disclosed today by Gen. Douglas MacArthur.

The flat island of Emirau, a potential air base, and nearby Elo-musao were occupied easily Monday by ground forces from the Solomons who shot the front line from the Green Islands on past the length of New Ireland to a near juncture with Gen. MacArthur's conquerors of the New Hebrides.

While the invaders, aided by air and naval cover, brushed aside light opposition, the town of Kavieng on New Ireland, 94 miles to the south-east of the St. Matthias group, virtually was erased in a three and a half hour bombardment. Big American battleships, making their first appearance in the Bismarck sea, joined other warships in hurling 1,900 tons of shells.

The leapfrog thrust into the St. Matthias group, made possible by air and naval neutralization of the intervening bases of Rabaul and Kavieng, "completes isolation of all enemy bases in the Bismarck archipelago and places us in bombing range of Truk," General MacArthur said.

The strangulation nose-air base as won by amphibious invasions

The invaders of St. Matthias are nearer Truk than any other Allied forces. In the western Marshalls, central Pacific forces have an air base at Eniwetok, 750 miles-land-based bombing distance—east of Truk. Thus the time approaches when that Caroline naval base will be open to bombing attacks from two directions.

The marines who went ashore on the 40-square-mile island of Emirau at dawn Monday encountered no fixed defenses as they seized a base with two harbors within 15 miles of the larger St. Matthias island of Musau.

The synchronized naval assault on Kavieng, which only the day and night before underwent preparatory air raids, was deadly.

"Whole sections of the town were (Continued on page four)

RATION DEADLINES Foods: Blue A-5, B-5, C-5, D-5. E-5, expire May 30. Meats: Red A-5, B-5, C-5, D-5, E-5, F-5, expire May 30. Sugar—Stamp 30, no expiration date. Gasoline—A-5 coupons expire May 5.

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Strength FOR THE DAY

By EARL L. DOUGLAS

TRUE WORTH LIES DEEP We are told (Matt. 9:9) that as Jesus one day passed by the revenue office in Capernaum, "he saw a man called Matthew, sitting at the place of toll; and he said unto him, Follow me. And he arose, and followed him."

No one was so hated by the Jews as the publican or tax collector. He was what we would call today a "Quint," one who turned against his fellow countrymen and served the enemy for a fee. We are told that when Jesus looked upon him he saw "a man, called Matthew."

It is easy to be deceived by externals, especially in our judgment of people. We see the wickedness, pettiness, passion, greed, and unloveliness in the hearts of those with whom we come in contact, and our lips drip with words of criticism and scorn.

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DR. JACOBS SPEAKS AT COLLEGE ASSEMBLY

In discussing the topic "School Health Work," at the regular assembly program Tuesday at the college, Dr. W. P. Jacobs, state school health coordinator under the auspices of the Rockefeller Foundation, commented that his was not a new subject, that some work had been done in the field, but that all too frequently a good start had not been followed through; and then explained how the work such as that now being done in Pitt county is carried on.

Dr. Jacobs and members of his staff are in Pitt county at the invitation of the county. They work out through the county from headquarters at East Carolina Teachers College.

In his talk yesterday, Dr. Jacobs told of the very practical teaching done by one teacher in Ceylon, while he was there, in the fight against malaria; and of work done later when he was in India, where, as he said, "cholera is as common as colds and measles."

Crossword Puzzle

1. High pointed hill 2. Printer's printing blocks 3. Harden 4. Perfect golf 5. Lotter 6. Piece 7. Age 8. Young person 9. Musical composition 10. Planet 11. Vend 12. Several instruments 13. Rows 14. Concerning 15. Old-time dappers

16. Waste allowance 17. Daughter of Cadmus 18. Small drum 19. Watch security 20. Serpentine darts 21. Type of railway 22. Cleaned with a broom 23. Polynesian 24. Manners 25. Aerial 26. Musical composition 27. Finished 28. Convinced 29. Strike and rebound 30. H. B. Stone's character 31. Dutch city

32. Canceled 33. Number 34. Suppressing 35. Discontinue 36. Distant

37. Mineral 38. Marine fish 39. Management 40. Quarter of a mile 41. Prosperous times 42. Town in California 43. Acts 44. Thoroughfare 45. Orthopedic 46. Nobleman 47. Vase 48. Licker up with the tongue 49. Dismounted person 50. Undersanded 51. Attempts 52. Resound 53. Jewish month 54. Drive away 55. Fashion 56. Of the sun 57. Evergreen shrub 58. Atoned for 59. Roasting stake 60. Reach across 61. Followed 62. Of greatest age 63. Head cook 64. Italian opera 65. Seed covering 66. Bacchanalian cry 67. Dances 68. Poem

When workers go into a county, Dr. Jacobs went on to explain, they have conferences with school principals, and further conferences with all the teachers and members of the health staff in the county. Schools are grouped and teachers are asked to come for hour-long conferences to discuss such topics as common diseases, health habits, physical education, and methods for determining which children need medical care.

At the present time ten people are being trained to lead in further work in the counties and Pitt county has applied for one of these workers.

In addition to the work done directly in the schools, summer conferences lasting six weeks are held in the Woman's College and Bennett College in Greensboro, and a Negro college in Durham.

As a third means of improving the health of the children of North

Carolina, the board is working in teachers' colleges to acquaint prospective teachers with what a child should be expected to know about health.

The speaker was introduced by Dr. F. P. Brooks, director of the college department of health education. Dr. Brooks mentioned the speaker's training and wide experience, and pointed out with pride that Dr. Jacobs is a native of Eastern North Carolina, having been born in Windsor.

Nazi Planes ...

(Continued From Page One) erated by United States troops as well as American batteries of 90-millimeter guns added their barrels to the din set up by the British anti-aircraft defenses.

British night fighters and the heavy barrage apparently forced many of the attackers to jettison their bombs haphazardly in the London suburbs, but many nevertheless fell in the city.

Rescue workers still were digging for victims in the ruins of several homes at Midland. It was believed, however, that the death list would not be nearly as heavy as in some of the February raids.

Report Loss ...

(Continued from page one) overdue from patrol and must be presumed to be lost.

"2. The next of kin of casualties of the Scorpion have been so notified."

Loss of the 1,525 ton submarine followed the disappearance of the Capelin and Sculpin, listed as overdue and presumed lost, last Saturday and the Scovina, listed as overdue and lost on March 14.

The new sinking brings to 147 the number of American naval vessels lost since the war started. Compared with that figure, American submarines alone have sunk, probably sunk or damaged 642 Japanese ships of all types including some warships. Sinking or damaging of Japanese craft by all types of American action totaled 2,024.

The Scorpion was built at Portsmouth, N. H., and was launched July 20, 1942.

May Limit ...

(Continued from page one) duction, but the relative prices for the various products encourage the most desirable pattern of production."

Before the hearing started, Senator Mavbatik (D-SC) asked the food administrator whether rationing was in prospect for any items not now listed. Jones mentioned milk as the only possibility in sight.

Another question which interested the senators was the chance for separating, pasteurizing and butter rationing, with butter becoming ration-free.

Senator Hawkes (R-NJ) recalled testimony yesterday by Col. Bryan Houston, OPA deputy in charge of rationing, that if OPA had it to go over again it might treat butter and meats separately. Hawkes asked:

"If it was a mistake to combine them, and I think it was, why shouldn't they be separated now before any more confusion exists?"

Senator Taft (R-Ohio) said at yesterday's hearing he had been advised that 120,000,000 pounds of butter were in storage in January, eight times the amount a year ago, and asked about the prospects of moving butter off the lists.

Colonel Houston replied that if the War Food Administration indication of surplus is available, the OPA will take "whatever steps are needed" to see that rationing does not handicap distribution, that "we will delete it from rationing temporarily if necessary."

Houston said that he hoped nothing more will have to be added to the ration list.

Hawkes declared that public patriotism would assure a successful rationing system "if the people clearly understand what is needed, and do not feel they are being regulated when there is no actual necessity."

Nazi Cruelty ...

(Continued From Page One) giements. The interned Americans, whose barracks windows looked over into the other camp, reported they saw Frenchmen shot to death an average of three or four times weekly.

In the French camp, they said, conditions of actual starvation prevailed.

One Frenchman worked his way through the barbed wire early one morning simply to pick up potato peels left as refuse outside the American barracks. On the way back to his own camp, however, he became caught in the wire and Americans saw him starve to death as he hung helplessly entangled, still gripping the peels.

Fierce Fight ...

(Continued From Page One) dicated that they may have regained some ground there after recapturing the Continental hotel wreckage.

On the Monte Cassino slopes, British troops made a determined attack on two German points last night and were making good progress until they ran into a minefield. The Germans meanwhile started infiltrating down a gulch toward the British-held hill, forcing the attackers to return to their base.

Other Allied troops made a foray to a second German-held point about 1,600 yards from their own position in an attempt to prevent the infiltration but were driven back.

Indian troops holding a small plateau farther south received supplies by air yesterday as they had on the two preceding days. Invaders again dropped the supplies by parachute.

Allied troops retained two points southwest of Cassino under heavy enemy attacks. New Zealanders in the town have been attacking toward these points against strong opposition.

The Anzio beachhead sector was mostly quiet except for heavy German artillery fire near Padiglione. On the Adriatic side of the battle line, patrol clashes occurred, especially in the Orsogna region.

Flying for the second straight day in weather which grounded four-engine bombers, Allied medium bombers yesterday again hit rail and port facilities north of Rome, knocking out two bridges and two viaducts.

College Trustees ...

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"That the Board refers with pride to the splendid physical growth of the College as reflected from its stately and handsome buildings, its artistically arranged trees and shrubbery, well planned paved walks and picturesque lawns, presenting a scene of unusual beauty; and from these mute testimonials of devoted and faithful services rendered by Dr. Meadows and his predecessor, Dr. Wright, made possible by these very donations, we learn the eternal truths, for though inaudible these mute signs carry the indelible impress of undeniable facts and defy the disloyal tongues of those who thoughtlessly or for ulterior ends seek to desecrate these sacred monuments.

"4. That we express our full faith and confidence in the character and integrity of Dr. Meadows; and assure him of our appreciation of the splendid work he has done in building up East Carolina Teachers College to its present outstanding position among the Nation's truly great institutions of learning; and we pledge him our full support in his efforts to make East Carolina Teachers College even more useful to the State and Nation.

"Be it resolved by the Board of Trustees of East Carolina Teachers College, that the Budget Act and the Laws of North Carolina apply to the handling and disbursing of all funds of and by East Carolina Teachers College and that the Custody of such funds and the disbursing and the accounting thereof shall be through the duly bonded treasurer of the college."

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U. S. Bids ...

(Continued From Page One) port of any political force in occupied European countries before the people of those countries have a chance to express their will.

Another point which had the ring of a summons to people under the Axis yoke to rally now to the United Nations' cause, was Hull's assertion that "there is no surer way for men and for nations to show themselves worthy of liberty than to fight for its preservation."

On the long range questions of international organization, the secretary called for creation of an international agency backed by adequate force to maintain peace, the settlement of dangerous political differences by negotiation, the organization of an international court to solve legal disputes, and the reduction of armaments so far as they may be reduced without endangering the force necessary to maintain peace.

GIRL SCOUT NEWS

Notice To Brownies There has been such a grand response among the Brownies that we have decided to divide the troop into troop 5-A and 5-B. Here is the list of Brownies that belong to each troop:

Troop 5-A. Mrs. C. C. Skinner, leader, meets at her home, 404 Maple street, Saturday morning at 10:30. Will these girls go to her home Saturday morning:

Barbara Batchelor, Nancy Glass, Elizabeth Ann Hardy, Leslie Jones, Sarah Lee, Janice Ormond, Nancy Proctor, Jo Padgett, Mary Ann

NOTICE OF RE-SALE

A raised bid having been duly filed and pursuant to authority and direction contained in the Last Will of Laura E. Harris, which has been duly probated and filed of record in the Office of Clerk of Superior Court of Pitt County, the undersigned executors will offer for resale and sell to the highest bidder for cash before the Courthouse door in Greenville, North Carolina, on

Wednesday, April 5, 1944 at 12 o'clock noon the following described real estate: Lying and being in the County of Pitt, State of North Carolina, situate in Greenville Township, adjoining the lands of Haywood Knox, W. B. Brown and Robert Tucker, lying on the main road to New Bern about four (4) miles from Greenville, known as the Frank Bell place, containing fifty (50) acres, more or less, it being the same land described in the mortgage deed executed by J. J. Griffin and wife, Sarah L. Griffin, to B. F. Patrick, dated January 18, 1888, recorded in Book R-196; and the same property conveyed by B. F. Patrick to Laura E. Harris, by deed dated January 11, 1894, recorded in Book P-5 at page 326 of the Office of Register of Deeds of Pitt County.

This the 21st day of March, 1944. M. R. HARRIS and FERNANDO HARRIS, Executors of the Will of Laura E. Harris.

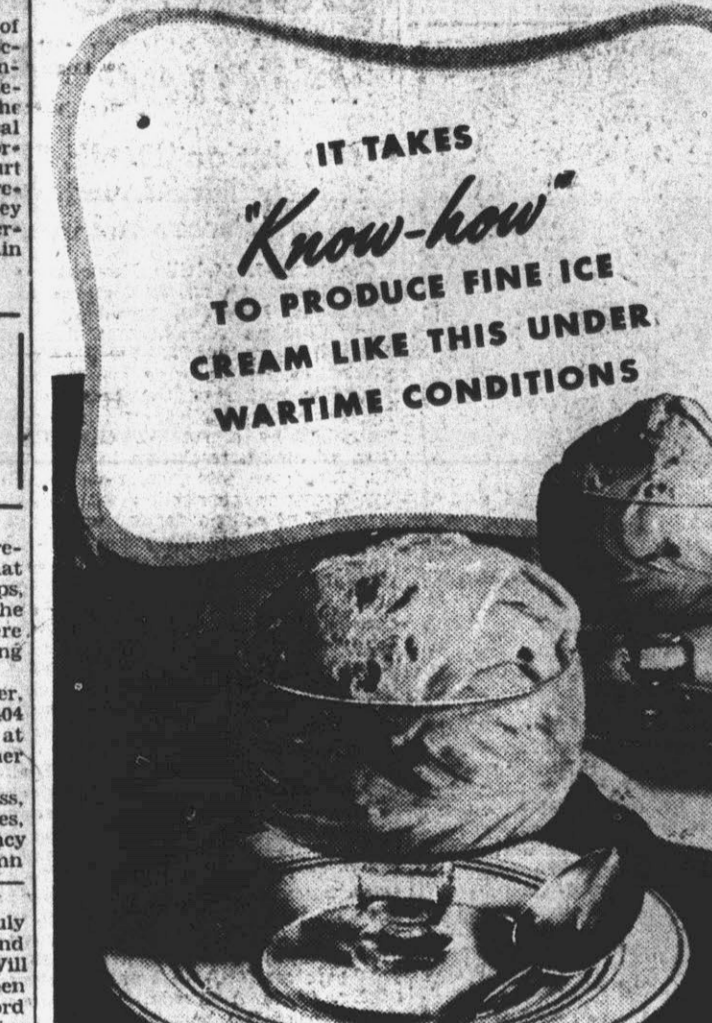
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Stark, Nina James Skinner, Janet Watson, Sudie Mae Spain, Jane Roserson, Ann Blanchard, Ann Brewer. Troop 5-B. Mrs. T. M. Watson, Mrs. J. K. Proctor, leaders, meet at their homes Thursday afternoon. The following girls belong to this troop: Barbara Corbett, Mary Hefty, Eleanor, Hester, Elizabeth James, Sylvia Rogers, Virginia Lee Smith, Louise Baughn, Anne Brown, Erlene

Christian, Oustie Cosby, Barbara Harris, Paty James, Rachel Lang, Lenna Rose, Betsy Uzzie, Ann Wilkerson. Troop 6. Mrs. J. T. Cheatham, leader, will meet Saturday morning at 10:30 at the scout office. Troop 12 will meet at the Training school Thursday afternoon after school. Troop 4 will meet at the scout office at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon.



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Social and Personal

Sherwood T. Bullock, seaman second class of Camp Perry, Va., is spending a ten-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Bullock.

Cpl. Marion Nobles, stationed at Camp Myles Standish, Mass., is home on furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Nobles of Stokes.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry R. Stox and children, Larry, Jr., and Jean, spent yesterday in Wilson with friends.

Engagement Announced. Mr. and Mrs. Jasper C. Wynne, Sr., of Bethel, announce the engagement of their daughter, Nancy Elizabeth, to Robert Cowley Young, Cadet, U. S. A. A. F., of Maxwell Field, Ala. The wedding will take place in April.

Mrs. Taft in Hospital. Mrs. Joseph M. Taft underwent an operation for appendicitis in Pitt General Hospital yesterday.

Services At Black Jack. The Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Malpass of Clinton, will conduct services at the Black Jack Free Will Holiness Church on Saturday night, March 25, at 7:30, and also Sunday, March 26, at 11 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Methodist Prayer Service. Mid-week prayer service will be held tonight at 8 o'clock at Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church.

Improving. Mr. Herman Wilson of Venters Crossroads, who underwent an operation for appendicitis about two weeks ago in Pitt General Hospital, is improving satisfactorily.

Birth Announcement. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley R. Furman announce the birth of a daughter, Dale Dianne, on Thursday, March 16, 1944, in King's Daughter's Hospital, Portsmouth, Va. Mrs. Furman is the former Miss Ernestine Byrum of Greenville.

Episcopal Lenten Services. At this Wednesday evening's service at the Episcopal Church at 8 o'clock, Miss Venetia Cox, who recently arrived from the Orient, will speak about conditions in China. The Friday service will be at 5 o'clock. Next Sunday the Holy Communion will be celebrated at the 11 o'clock service when the Women's United Thank Offering will be presented.

In England. Sgt. Richard Gaylord, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Gaylord of this city, has arrived safely in England.

Athenaeum Club. Mrs. J. J. Perkins was charming hostess to the members of the Athenaeum Book Club and several guests at a two-course luncheon at its regular meeting Tuesday at one o'clock.

A variety of lovely spring flowers were attractively arranged in the living and dining rooms.

A short business meeting was presided over by the president, Mrs. D. J. Whichard, Jr., after which the program was turned over to the hostess. Mrs. Perkins introduced Mrs. E. M. Clark, who gave a most interesting paper on the life and works of Rudyard Kipling, noted author and poet, calling particular attention to his three best known poems, "Recessional," "The Road to Mandalay," and "It."

YWCA Elects Officers. In election of the Young Women's Christian Association at East Carolina Teachers College held yesterday, Willie Mae Daniels of Oxford was chosen president for next year; Paula Ross of Edenton, vice-president; Mary Cameron Dixon of Wilmington, secretary; and Pearl Arnold of Dover, treasurer.

Miss Daniels, who succeeds Helen Stone of Reidsville as head of the organization, has been on the cabinet for two years, having served first as secretary and then as vice-president. She is specializing in home economics, and is a junior at the college.

Both Miss Ross, who succeeds Miss Daniels as vice-president, and Miss Arnold, who succeeds Sylvia Greene of Roduco as treasurer, have been heads of standing committees in the association this year. Miss Dixon, an incoming sophomore, follows Violet Sparks of Ruffin as secretary.

College Senior Class Play. Virginia Rouse of Greenville and Dave Owens of Pinetops have the leading roles in the senior play, "Twin Beds," which is being presented by the senior class of East Carolina Teachers College Saturday and Monday nights, March 25 and 27, at 8:30 in Austin auditorium.

"Twin Beds" is a three-act farce written by Margaret Mayo and Salisbury Field. The play centers around the domestic troubles of Blanche and Harry Hawkins. Blanche is quite insistent upon entertaining operatic tenors and burlesque queens, to the dismay of her husband, Harry.

Virginia Rouse plays the role of Blanche, who is a charming, petite, sprightly young woman, girlish in appearance and confident and affectionate by nature. She is too much in love with her husband actually to flirt with any other man, but too gracious and too happy by nature not to wish to make other

men happy by appearing to be flirtatious.

Harry Hawkins, played by Dave Owens, is a rather handsome, clean-cut and temperamentally jealous young man with a sarcastic trick of speech, but with as good manners as are permitted to one of his irritable tendencies. He is always smartly tailored and well groomed.

James Warren has the part of Signor Monti, the frolicsome, lovable, pompadour Italian tenor. Signora Monti, played by Maribelle Robertson, is a handsome, good-hearted, slangy-spoken woman. She still has about her the atmosphere of the cabaret world, from which she has recently evolved.

Andrew Larkin, a timid, apologetic little man, is played by Joe Lasciter. Margaret Pugh Harden plays as Amanda Larkin, a good-looking, prim-mannered young woman. Elizabeth plays as North, the maid.

"Twin Beds" is being directed by Clifton Britton, teacher of dramatics in Goldsboro High School. Britton, a graduate of ECTC, directed numerous plays while he was a student here.

A. C. E. Meets. The college branch of the Association for Childhood Education held its regular monthly meeting March 14 in the Education building.

During the business session, a report was given concerning the work done on the A. C. E. room. The group decided to continue the project of beautifying the dining hall lobby. Lucile Huseketh and Bettie Smith were chosen as delegates to represent the association at the N. C. E. A. meeting at Raleigh March 23-24.

As this was the last time the president, Dorothy Whitley, met with the members, she briefly reviewed some of the work done during her term of office. The program consisted of singing of patriotic songs, rounds, and children's songs. Louise Holloman then told a children's story, "How the Morning Glory Learned to Climb."

Those seniors finishing in March who will go out to teach, were asked to stand as all members of the association sang the college song. They were Dorothy Whitley, Nancy Wynne and Christine Hellen.

The president pinned the A. C. E. pin on Sybil Beaman, vice-president, who will act as president until the new officers take over. Carol L. Humphries, Reporter.

Square Dance at Ayden. There will be a square dance at the Ayden High School gym Friday night at 8 o'clock, sponsored by the Pierce Home Demonstration Club.

Teachers Meet. Raleigh, March 22—(AP)—Teachers and public school officials from all parts of the state were assembling here today for the 60th annual convention of the North Carolina Education Association. The convention will end Friday.

The United States is supplying about 70 per cent of the oil used by the United Nations.

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR
March 22, 1904

The rains continue. W. R. Smith has moved to the Cherry house, corner of Third and Greene streets.

There was quite a severe earthquake shock along the New England coast Monday morning.

Jesse Speight went to Norfolk today.

Mrs. R. W. King returned this morning from Kinston.

Kinchen Cobb went to Winterville Tuesday evening.

The days and nights are now of equal length.

Some vernal equinox weather is due about this time, so do not be surprised if it is a little bad.

Legion Celebrates 25th Anniversary

At the 25th birthday celebration of the American Legion, sponsored by Post No. 39 and the Woman's Auxiliary, at Respass' place last night, Arthur B. Corey gave an interesting history of the American Legion and its activities during the years.

His narration of the legion's origin and its accomplishments, especially in rehabilitation and vocational training of veterans of World War I, was impressive. Paul A. Scott, commander of the post, was master of ceremonies.

June H. Rose's description of the American Legion as a "great force and influence on the life of the nation" was informative and interesting. He pointed to the great work of rehabilitation ahead for the returning veterans of World War II and expressed a hope that the NYA center buildings here might be used in this worthy work.

Mrs. D. M. Clark, president of the Woman's Auxiliary, outlined the ideals and activities of the auxiliary.

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and enumerated some of its accomplishments.

About 130 legionnaires and auxiliary members attended the birthday supper. Koss Hester, with the lucky number, 13, won the birthday cake.

The meeting was something of a "homecoming" for a number of legionnaires and a fine spirit of fellowship prevailed. The meeting was informal and inspiring. Post No. 39 now has a membership of 254 veterans and there is renewed activity among the members and the women of the auxiliary.

NEWS OF GREENVILLE HIGH

By DAVID WHICHARD AND HOWARD WILLIAMS

Student Council Meeting. Last night at the Student Council meeting the council decided that a chapel program and open forum would be held for the G. H. S. students on the Lexington Student Council Congress some time next week if the office approved it. Also the council voted to recommend to the office that students be allowed to dance in the auditorium during the lunch hours for the remainder

of the school year. Reports were given from the movie committee and radio committee after which the meeting was adjourned.

Junior Class. Tonight at 7:30 at the high school there will be a meeting of the Junior class committees for the Junior-Senior. Tomorrow at home room period there will be a meeting of the Junior class. The Junior class officers today urged all members of the class who had ideas for this year's Junior-Senior to see the chairman of one of the committees.

Dancing Instruction. Instruction in social dancing will be given to all G. H. S. students who wish it tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock in the auditorium. Miss Ales of E. C. T. C. and Mrs. Proctor of the high school will be the instructors of this series of lessons.

Radio Programs. Today the high school band presented a 30 minute music program from the high school over WGTC. The radio program of Greenville High News will be given tomorrow night at 9:30 by Susanne Kilgo and Hennie Ruth Whichard.

Mrs. Linnie Harris Died At Son's Home. Mrs. Linnie Harris, 77, died at the home of her son, Walter Harris,

near Greenville, at 13:20 o'clock Wednesday morning after about eight months' illness. Funeral services will be held at the home at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Rev. W. J. Lynch, Holiness minister of Wilson will officiate. Burial will be in the Cox family cemetery near Cox Mill.

Mrs. Harris spent all of her life in Pitt county. She was the widow of the late John A. Harris. She was a member of the Hopewell Pentecostal Holiness church near Black Jack.

Surviving are five sons, Levy, Clarence, Johnnie, Walter, and Grover Harris, all of near Greenville; 33 grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren.

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Grain Market
Chicago, March 22—(AP)—Wheat and oat prices generally held steady today, but rye eased toward the close following a higher opening. Good demand for cash wheat at all supply imparted strength to futures. Selling of rye came from both commission houses and local traders.

Wheat closed unchanged to 1/4 higher, May \$1.73. During the session May wheat hit \$1.73 1/2, only 1/4 under the OPA ceiling. Oats finished unchanged to 1/4 lower, May 81 3/4, rye was down 1/4, May \$1.26 3/4, and barley was 1/4 lower to 3/4 higher, July \$1.22 1/2.

New York Cotton
New York, March 22—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 15 to 35 cents a bale higher.

Futures closed 40 to 85 cents a bale higher.

| | Open | Last | Pvt.Cl. |
|-------|-------|-------|---------|
| May | 20.89 | 20.94 | 20.86 |
| July | 20.36 | 20.47 | 20.30 |
| Oct. | 19.85 | 19.93 | 19.79 |
| Dec. | 19.05 | 19.74 | 19.61 |
| March | 19.50 | 19.59 | 19.45 |

Middling spot 21.89, up 8.

N. Y. Stock Market
New York, March 22—(AP)—The stock market faltered today after attempts to advance under the leadership first of rails, then of lower-priced oils, and was irregular at the finish.

Heavy turnover, in blocks of 1,000 to 3,000 shares of carrier and petroleum issues, kept volume well ahead of Tuesday's at about 1,400,000 for the full five hours.

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| | |
|------------------|---------|
| Alleghany | 2 3/4 |
| Al Chem and Dye | 14 1/2 |
| Allis Chalm Mfg | 37 1/2 |
| Am Can | 85 1/2 |
| Am Car Mfg | 38 1/2 |
| Am Roll Mill | 14 |
| Am Smelt and Ref | 157 1/2 |
| A T and T | 58 |
| Am Tob B | 62 |
| Anaconda | 28 1/2 |
| Arm III | 5 1/2 |
| A C L | 54 |
| Atl Ref | 30 1/2 |
| Aviat Corp | 38 1/2 |
| Baldwin | 20 1/2 |
| B and O | 18 |
| Barnstall | 37 1/2 |
| Bendix Aviat | 60 1/2 |
| Beth St | 14 1/2 |
| Boeing Airpl | 10 1/2 |
| Borden | 14 1/2 |
| Budd Mfg | 30 1/2 |
| Burl Mills | 13 1/2 |
| Bur Add Mach | 44 1/2 |
| Cannon Mills | 37 1/2 |
| Case J I | 49 |
| Caterpil Trac | 46 1/2 |
| Ches and O | 48 1/2 |
| Chrysler | 84 1/2 |
| Coca Cola | 118 1/2 |
| Coml Credit | 43 1/2 |
| Coml Solv | 57 1/2 |
| Corn Prod | 5 1/2 |
| Curtiss Wright | 52 1/2 |
| Doug Airc | 121 1/2 |
| Dew Chem | 145 |
| Dupont | 164 1/2 |
| Eastman Kod | 43 |
| Firestone | 36 1/2 |
| Gen Elec | 41 1/2 |
| Gen Foods | 58 1/2 |
| Gen Mot | 48 1/2 |
| Goodrich | 44 1/2 |
| Goodyear | 71 |
| Int Harvest | 13 1/2 |
| Int Tel and Tel | 92 1/2 |
| Johns Man | 76 1/2 |
| Lige and Myers B | 61 1/2 |
| Loews | 18 1/2 |
| Lorillard | 15 |
| Mont Ward | 12 1/2 |
| Nash Kelly | 21 1/2 |
| Nat Is | 29 1/2 |
| Nat Cash Reg | 34 |
| Nat Dist | 20 1/2 |
| N Y Cent | 8 1/2 |
| No Am Aviat | 4 1/2 |
| Packard | 26 1/2 |
| Param Pic | 98 1/2 |
| Penn RR | 29 1/2 |
| Pepsi Cola | 50 1/2 |
| Phillips Pet | 46 1/2 |
| Pullman | 43 1/2 |
| Pure Oil | 17 1/2 |
| Radio | 10 |
| Repub Stl | 17 1/2 |

Reynolds B 30 1/2
Sears 25 1/2
Soy Ry 31 1/2
Std Oil N J 55
Stewart Warner 12 1/2
Swift 31 1/2
Tex Co 48 1/2
Un Carb 80
United Aire 29 1/2
United Corp 1 1/2
United Drug 14
US Ind Chem 38 1/2
US Rub 47 1/2
US Smelt and Ref 54
US Steel 53
Vanadium 20 1/2
Vick Chem 44 1/2
Va Caro Chem 4 1/2
Warner Pic 13 1/2
West Un A 50
West El and Ftg 98

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completely destroyed, ammunition dumps exploded and shore batteries silenced. General MacArthur's communique related.

Also on the day before more explosives were poured down by Solo-

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Latest News

mons planes on Rabaul where upwards of 1,000 Japanese aircraft have been destroyed, airfields were wrecked and the harbor made untenable within three months' period.

Along the New Guinea coast, today's reports told of the aerial damaging of a 6,000-ton freighter transport and a gunboat in another convoy attacked near Hollandia. This was in the same sector where a convoy of at least five ships was destroyed Sunday.

The Movies Today

PITT—Andrews Sisters in "Swingtime Johnny." Extra, Marines at Tarawa.

STATT—Bob Hope, Victor Moore, "Louisiana Purchase."

Reflector Ads Pay!

Starts THURS.

Henry Looking for Romance!

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