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NEW BLOWS IN AIR OFFENSIVE AGAINST NAZIS

Italy-Based Bombers Blast Aircraft Factories Near Vienna And Other Targets While Planes From England Carry Fight To Other Parts Of Reich

By AUSTIN BEALMEAR

London, April 12.—(AP)—More than 500 U. S. heavy bombers, flying from Italy, attacked German aircraft factories in the Vienna area today while Britain-based air fleets were sweeping toward Europe, carrying into the fifth day the current campaign to cripple the German air force ahead of the invasion.

The 15th air force bombers from Italy concentrated their main attack on a Messerschmitt factory at Terner Neustadt, 30 miles south of Vienna, dropping many tons of bombs. Returning crewsman reported good coverage of this target, which was heavily damaged last November. Liberators escorted by thunderbolt fighters attacked the target.

Another Italy-based force attacked an airfield and railroad yards at Zagreb, the capital of the puppet government of Croatia, while Fortresses bombed a cement factory at Split, Yugoslavia port.

Aircraft targets in the Vienna area, besides the Messerschmitt plant at Wiener Neustadt, were the components factory at the Reich, 20 miles to the north, and the Fischmied Markt components works 25 miles northeast of the central Messerschmitt factory.

In the first four days of the current campaign, air headquarters were announced, 352 German planes were shot from the skies, and many more were smashed around, both at airfields and in aircraft construction plants.

Last night RAF heavy bombers smashed at Aachen, Hanover and other objectives in central Germany. British airmen, following up yesterday's great assaults on Germany by a fleet of nearly 2,000 American heavy bombers and fighters which fought some of the fiercest sky battles of the war, braved bright moonlight in returning to the Reich for the first time since the March 30 Nuernberg raid cost a record of 94 bombers. Last night's attack on multiple targets, however, was carried out with a loss of nine planes.

The Air Ministry described the blow at Aachen, vital rail link between Germany, Belgium and northern France, as heavy and said the bombing was well concentrated. Sixty-four American bombers and 60 escorting fighters failed to return from yesterday's blows at plane factories in Oescherleben and Bernburg and at industrial targets in Rostock and Arnimswalde, near Stettin, a U. S. communiqué said.

The wild battles that streaked the sky with flame even over neutral Sweden cost the Germans 126 planes and at least 58 more were wrecked on the ground by American fighters strafing airfields on their way home. Still another Nazi plane was downed by the Swedes after it had opened fire on Swedish anti-aircraft, a Swedish communiqué said.

Court Martial For Japs
Fort McClellan, Ala., April 12.—(AP)—Court martials are in progress at this infantry replacement center for 28 Japanese-Americans who refused last month to accept military training.

An officer who declined use of his name said Brig. Gen. Wallace C. Phillon, commanding general of the center, probably would make a formal announcement in regard to the trials on their conclusion.

Congress Gets Down To Business Again Today

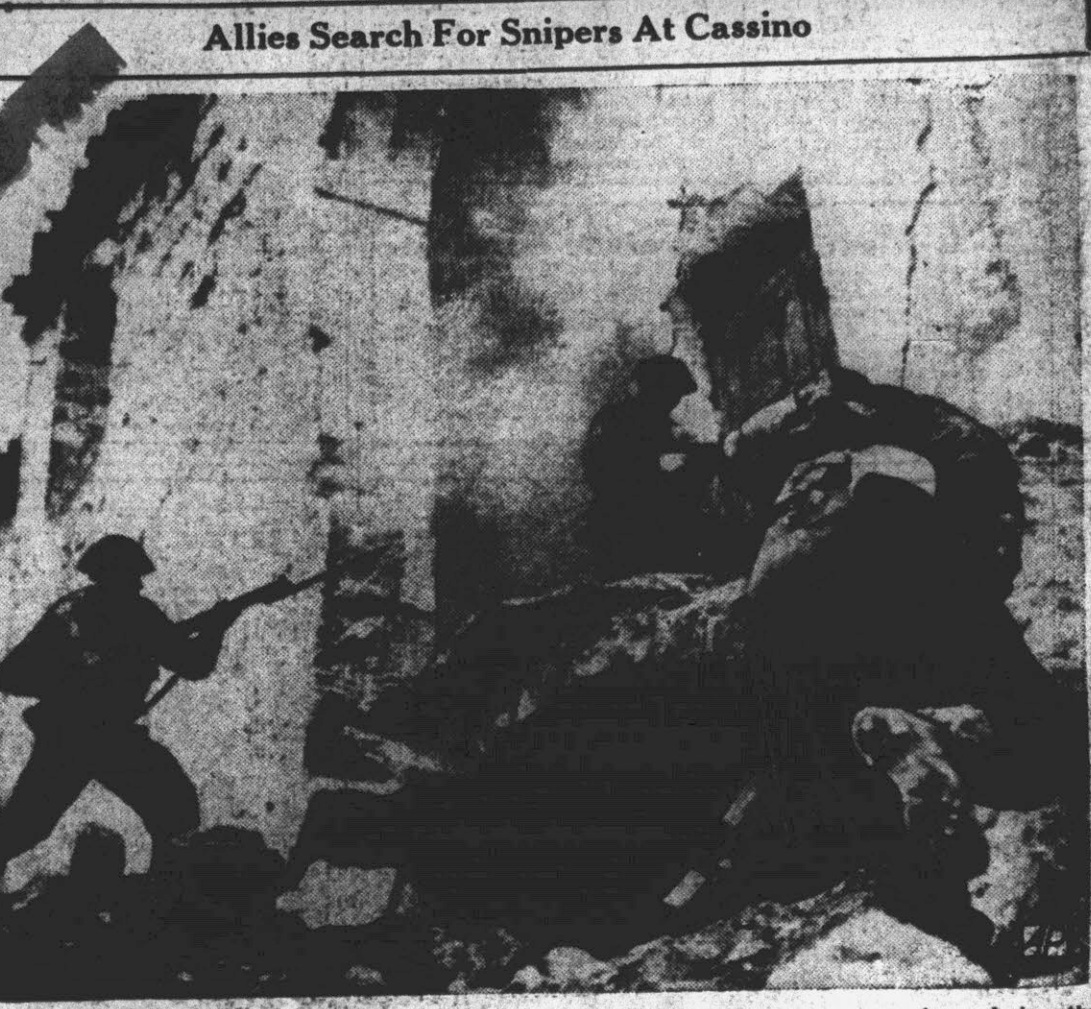
By FRANCIS M. LE MAY
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New Zealand infantrymen search a wrecked house in Cassino, Italy, for enemy snipers during the heavy fighting for possession of that German-held stronghold. This is a British official photo. (AP Wirephoto).

Italian King To Get Out When Allies Enter Rome

NAZI ATTACK THROWN BACK

Germans And Allies Exchange Artillery Fire In Italy

By LYNN HEINZLERING
Allied Headquarters, Naples, April 12.—(AP)—The Germans launched a small attack against Allied troops defending the hills north of Cassino yesterday and stepped up the tempo of their shelling and mortaring of Castle Hill just behind the rubble town, but the attack was thrown back hard and Allied guns answered the barrage with sharp fire of their own, headquarters announced today.

Castle Hill, overlooking almost all of Cassino, has been a sharp thorn in the side of the Germans and they have tried repeatedly to take it. The castle itself is but a pile of rocks from months of shelling, first (Continued on page two)

Committee To Meet Friday

Dr. Paul E. Jones of Farmville, chairman of the Pitt County Democratic Executive Committee, announced today that a special meeting of the committee would be held at Respass' place on Friday at one o'clock. The meeting is for the purpose of making final arrangements for the precinct meetings and the county convention and to discuss other business matters.

The precinct meetings are scheduled for April 22 with the time and place of each meeting to be announced later by the individual precinct chairmen. The county convention will be held in the court house at noon on Saturday, April 29.

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King Emanuele Will Abdicate In Favor Of His Son Prince Umberto

By LYNN HEINZLERING
Naples, April 12.—(AP)—Tired and heart of empire, King Vittorio Emanuele III proclaimed to his people and the world today that he would turn over the power of the throne to his six-foot son Umberto, 39, the Prince of Piedmont, on the day that Allied troops enter Rome.

The 74-year-old monarch declared he would appoint his son "Lieutenant-General of the Realm," would retire entirely from public affairs, and that his decision was "final and irrevocable."

Thus Vittorio Emanuele, whose 43-year reign is the longest since that of Queen Victoria of Britain, yielded provisionally to the pressure of Italian liberal leaders who have refused to form a Democratic government in Italy while he remained on the throne.

"The day shall come," said the king, who Benito Mussolini so long eclipsed, "when our deep wounds will be healed and we shall take once more our place as a free people among free nations."

The announcement came a day after representatives of the Allied governments had closed a two-day conference in a southern Italian town where the king has a villa. (The fact that the king's statement so closely followed the Allied representatives' conference suggested that Vittorio Emanuele took his action with Allied approval.)

An official spokesman at the seat (Continued on page two)

Heavy Rain Storm Here Last Night

By CHESTER WALSH

A storm accompanied by lightning, heavy rain and high wind last night about 8 o'clock demolished a tobacco barn on Jule Brown's farm near the Marine Airport and scattered the timbers over a wide area. A nearby barn was not damaged. Trees were uprooted and outhouses and shelters were damaged at various other places. The rain was torrential for a time.

Wind blew down an ancient live oak tree in S. I. Dudley's front yard. A trailer camper had moved his outfit from beneath the tree a short time before. The former sheriff recalled a cyclone there about 20 years ago when he was weeding a tobacco plant bed and trees in nearby woods were snapping off and falling like toothpicks. He and his workers escaped injury because they were in an "air pocket" the storm missed.

A J. Cox's garage at Fleming's Cross Roads was damaged by wind last night and the roof of a nearby house was damaged. The wind was so strong that when Cox's front door blew open it bent when he tried to close it and he left it open.

Lightning struck and slightly damaged a tobacco barn on Jim Bullock's farm in the Belvoir section.

Reports from other sections of the county indicated that minor damage was done to outbuildings and trees.

Mrs. B. T. Clark, official river overseer here, reported slightly more than an inch and a half of rain last night. The river is steadily receding. The wind that did the damage centered over a stretching narrow area, it appears.

MARINE HERO GIVEN MEDAL

Award Made At Exercises At Local Airport Today

By CHESTER WALSH

Capt. Kenneth R. Chamberlain, now stationed at the Greenville Air Training Station, was awarded the Gold Star in lieu of a second Air Medal in impressive exercises at the Greenville Marine Airfield today for meritorious achievement as a scout dive bomber pilot in the Solomon Islands area last year.

Lieut. Col. E. R. West, commanding officer of Marine Air Group 34, made the presentation. Squadrons 343 and 344, in command of Major W. E. Gregory and Major Denning, respectively, and the Marine Band from Cherry Point participated in the military ceremony.

A squadron of planes based at Kingston maneuvered above the airfield during the ceremony. More than 1,000 persons witnessed (Continued on page two)

Missing

London, April 12.—(AP)—Staff Sgt. Abelardo Rodriguez, 22, son of a former president of Mexico, is missing in action after a U. S. Eighth airforce bombing raid on Aschersleben, Germany. It was announced today.

Rodriguez was a radio operator and gunner on a heavy bomber. He entered the army at Los Angeles July 7, 1942.

The WAR TODAY

AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEWS

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

(Associated Press War Analyst)

Today's horse-laugh: The unprecedented shelling which the American and British warplanes are giving western Europe in preparation for invasion is interesting commentary on the following Nazi propaganda, issued by radio Zeehan a year ago:

"German air defense is so strong that the enemy cannot approach military targets."

Secretary of State Hull's blunt warning to neutral nations to stop lending aid and comfort to our enemies, delivered in the course of his exposition of America's foreign policy, hasn't fallen on deaf ears abroad, thought it remains to be seen how receptive they are.

Quick reaction comes from a pro-Nazi source in one of the most important neutrals—strategically situated Turkey—whom the Allies have been trying ineffectually to persuade to join them in the war. The newspaper Cumhuriyet, a Hitlerite sympathizer, declares there's no reason why Turkey shouldn't continue to ship chrome to Germany.

That's a direct reply to Mr. Hull, for one of the signs of the neutrals he mentioned Sunday was "lending aid and comfort to the Axis powers." Chrome is an essential of the steel which kills our soldiers. Chrome is an essential of steel, and Hitler is mighty short of

ALLIES BLOCK JAP PRESSURE NEAR KOHIMA

Japs Claim General Assault on Imphal Imminent

By CHARLES A. GRUMICH

New Delhi, April 12.—(AP)—Allied forces fighting hard to clear the Japanese invaders from Imphal-Kohima-Dimapur road have developed their operations to the point where enemy pressure on Kohima has decreased. Allied headquarters announced today.

The communiqué declared there was no important change at Kohima, which guards the 35-mile road to Dimapur on the American-operated Bengal-Assam railroad. Japanese snipers already have infiltrated along this route.

A Tokyo broadcast by the Domei agency declared that a general assault on the Allied citadel of Imphal was imminent, with Indo-Japanese forces making furious assaults on Allied positions some seven or eight miles northeast of the town. It said "terrible fighting" was in progress some 13 miles north of Imphal. The Japanese claimed the capture of Kohima on April 6.

The Japanese previously had blocked about 15 miles of the Imphal-Kohima road.

South of Imphal the Allies cleared out the last enemy road blocks on the Tamu-Palel section of the highway and thus the troops fighting south of this area, on the road to Tiddim, had a clear line to Imphal for supplies and reinforcements.

The communiqué announced, however, that the Japanese had occupied a hill overlooking the plain of Imphal from the northeast—but thereafter suffered heavy casualties, presumably from an Allied counter-attack.

In far north Burma, the two American-Chinese drives toward Myittha, main enemy base, made progress. The Chinese 38th division, pushing down the Moeng valley, occupied the village of Tiding after a swift advance from captured wakaung.

There were further fierce clashes on the Arakan front in the southwest which cost the Japanese heavy casualties.

The communiqué from Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten's headquarters said Allied aviation continued to range the fluid Burma battlefronts scouring Japanese concentrations and installations. Not one plane was lost in these widespread operations yesterday.

Executed

San Salvador, El Salvador, April 12.—(AP)—Victor Marin was executed today for participating in an uprising last week against the government of President Gen. Maximiliano Hernandez. Fourteen others still at large were sentenced to death in absentia. Ten army officers were executed yesterday.

New York Democrats Endorse Roosevelt

New York, April 12.—(AP)—The Democratic State committee today elected a ten-vote slate of delegates at large to the national convention, adopted a resolution endorsing President Roosevelt's administration and unanimously re-elected James A. Farley as state chairman for the ninth time.

The delegates at large are considered overwhelmingly in favor of a fourth term for Roosevelt. Farley's election failed to develop.

Vanceboro Man Killed Instantly

Mr. Daniel Reid Bland, 53, farmer of near Vanceboro, was instantly killed yesterday afternoon about 4:30 o'clock when a tractor he was operating turned over on him, crushing his chest.

At the time of the accident, he was working in a field near his home. It was reported that two mules had to be brought to the scene to lift the tractor before he could be removed from under the machine. It is not known why the tractor turned over.

The body will be at the home of Mr. Marvin Aldridge near Vanceboro until 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon when it will be carried to Epworth church to lie in state until 3 o'clock. At that time funeral services will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Brady, and burial will follow in the church yard.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Sallie Sawyer Bland; one son, James Bland of the U. S. Navy, now in the Pacific; one daughter, Mrs. Armetta Godfrey, of Cleveland, Ohio; four brothers, J. T. Bland of Greenville, Joseph A. Bland of Salisbury, George W. Bland of Vanceboro, and James F. Bland of Winston-Salem; one sister, Mrs. Henry Pittman of Snow Hill; six half-brothers, Raleigh A. Bland and Glenn Bland of Greenville, Clayton Bland of the U. S. Army, Dick Bland and Jake Bland of the Methodist Orphanage in Raleigh; two half-sisters, Mrs. Myrtle Huff of Vanceboro, and Miss Lois Bland of the Methodist Orphanage in Raleigh.

Mr. Bland spent his entire life in the Vanceboro community. He was a member of the Epworth Methodist Church near Vanceboro.

Two Red Armies Hammer Swiftly Through Crimea

Russians Capture Odessa



The arrows on this map denote major points of action on the Russian-German battlefront, high-lighted by the Russian capture of Odessa (1), important Russian port on the Black Sea. In the drive into Romania, Red Army troops had virtually isolated Iasi (2) where Russians were reported pushing over the Czechoslovak border (3) near the Tartar Pass. Moscow reported further reduction of the German force encircled near Skala (4). (AP Wirephoto).

Japanese Report Attack Against Truk Yesterday

Ships And Planes Blast Jap Positions In Southwest Pacific

New York, April 12.—(AP)—The Tokyo radio said today that 80 American bombers had attacked the Japanese base at Truk in the Caroline Islands yesterday and acknowledged "slight damage" to shore installations there.

The broadcast, recorded by the U. S. Foreign Broadcast Intelligence Service, said two of the raiders had been downed.

Allied Headquarters, Southwest Pacific, April 12.—(AP)—Naval and aerial pounding of Japanese installations on the west coast of New Guinea was reported by Gen. Douglas MacArthur today as official figures showed the enemy lost at least six men for each American in the fight for the western half of neighboring New Britain.

U. S. destroyers with a fighter escort steamed boldly into Hensa bay Monday and hurled shells into the enemy's shore installations while heavy bombers poured 227 tons of explosives on the base, which was left under a pall of smoke.

The attacking force then turned south to give Madang and its adjacent Alexishafen airbase the same treatment.

No air or sea opposition was encountered, but one bomber was lost by anti-aircraft fire.

A MacArthur spokesman said the (Continued on page two)

Dewey Gains Strength As More Primaries Held

By JACK BELL
(Associated Press Staff Writer)
Gen. Douglas MacArthur and Lt. Comdr. Harold E. Stassen, the army and navy entrants, emerged with demonstrated midwestern popularity in the Republican presidential race today but a record-smashing write-in vote in Nebraska showed New York's Gov. Thomas E. Dewey is strong there, too.

With his name and that of Wendell L. Willkie on the ballot, Stassen won yesterday's Nebraska preference primary. From 1,043 of the state's 2,031 precincts, the former Minnesota governor now serving in the navy collected 25,495 votes to 10,169 for Dewey. Willkie, who quit the race after failing to obtain a single delegate in the Wisconsin primary last week, trailed with 3,267.

Dewey got all of his votes the hard way—they had to be peddled in on the ballot—and his impressive showing led Ira Beynon, Nebraska national committeeman, to predict a first ballot nomination at the Chicago convention for the New Yorker, who has said he is not a candidate.

Mr. Beynon, who has been even more silent than Dewey about his

Germans Admit Fresh Retreats Before Ramping Soviets; Reds Capture Kerch And Dzhankoi; Other Units Take Scores Of Towns In Romania

London, April 12.—(AP)—The German communiqué today told of fresh retreats in the eastern and northern Crimea, where German and Romanian troops disengaged themselves in hard fighting toward positions further south.

Some 250 miles to the northwest, the Russians said they had fought into the streets of Tiraspol, Dniestr river port and rail junction, while on the middle Dniestr, the Germans crashed through the Russian cordon around remnants of 15 trapped divisions around Skala.

The Russian communiqué told of concerted drives in the Crimea from the east and north. An army commanded by Gen. Andrei Yeremenko captured Kerch in the east and swept 19 miles westward, overrunning 40 settlements. The Fourth Ukrainian army in the north beat past the northern rail bottleneck of Dzhankoi, 85 miles north of Sevastopol, and seized 50 more towns.

The Germans asserted they destroyed a large number of tanks in their retreats in the Crimea yesterday and that hard fighting continued on both fronts. Loss of Kerch was acknowledged after destruction of the harbor and military installations.

The Germans said "violent enemy attacks" were repulsed at Ovidiopol on the Dniestr estuary, toward which the routed garrison of Odessa was being herded. There the Germans said 20 tanks were destroyed.

Other major battles were said by the Germans to be in progress on Romania northeast of Iasi (Jassy), around Kowel in old Poland and southeast of Ostrov.

With but one exception Soviet arms were victorious all along the 500-mile long front extending from the Crimea to the old Czech frontier, a Russian communiqué declared. This was in the area just west of Skala above the middle Dniestr, where a German relief force cracked a Russian cordon previously thrown around the remnants of 15 Nazi divisions trapped in that area.

The German thrust was achieved only at the cost of many men and tanks, the Moscow bulletin said. It acknowledged that the Nazis had captured the important rail junction, midway between Skala and encircled Tarnopol, 30 miles to the northwest.

Marshal Ivan S. Konev's Second Ukrainian army, meanwhile, was reported to have struck hard at Axis forces in central Romania, storming the important rail junction of Pascani, 55 miles west of the Prut river, and Cristesti, eight miles beyond Pascani. 155 miles northeast of the rich Ploesti oil fields, surrendered only after 3,000 German and Romanian troops were slain, the Russians said. Near Iasi, fierce Axis counterattacks repulsed the bulletin added, and (Continued on page two)

Would-Be Assassin Dead

Mexico City, April 12.—(AP)—Lt. Antonio de la Loma Rojas, wounded while trying to escape after an attempt to kill President Manuel Tlila Camacho, died today.

Explosion Injures Six

Philadelphia, April 12.—(AP)—An explosion shook the vast oil plant of the Atlantic Refining Company today, injuring at least six persons and causing a five-alarm fire which the company said swept two gasolene tanks.

Two hours after the blast the fire was reported under control.

Brazilian Fliers Help

London April 12.—(AP)—The Algers radio said today it has been officially announced that Brazilian airmen now are cooperating with the Allied Mediterranean air force over the Anzio beachhead in Italy.

RATIONING GUIDE

Foods—Blue A-3 through K-3 now valid—good indefinitely.

Meats—Red A-3 through J-3 now valid—good indefinitely.

Sugar—Sugar stamps No. 25 and 31 now valid—good indefinitely.

Shoes—Stamp 18 expires April 30. Airplane stamp 1 good indefinitely.

Gasoline—A-3 coupons expire on May 8.

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Strength FOR THE DAY

By EARL L. DOUGLAS

ALL TO A GOOD END

Everything that happens to us may be used to our benefit. If we will only prove diligent and faithful.

Many years ago a rich recluse lost his money. This seeming catastrophe changed his whole nature, not for the worse but for the better. He came out of long hiding and for the first time entered into life and enjoyed it. One of the most radiant Christians I have ever known has spent his life in a wheel-chair. A happy-faced little girl who passes my home frequently cannot take a step without difficulty and pain.

Shakness often has a way of making people better. Occasionally it makes them worse. It destroys their morale, and leaves them in lifelong bitterness. But usually it has the opposite effect on their characters. One reason is that it gives them time to do a lot of thinking, which they could not do amid the rush of daily activities. As someone put it in a letter I received recently, "We call it illness—but God calls it stillness."

If we won't stop and rest and be thoughtful, God passes sentence upon us and sends us to bed for a while to think things over and commune with our souls. We call it illness, but He calls it stillness. When illness comes, speak to us with some possibility of being heard. Hard as it is to believe, it nevertheless remains true, that nothing ever happens to us which is not for our good, if we make it so.

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Dewey Gains . . .

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ous task of tabulating this vote was expected to shed more light on the situation. While the preference primary is not binding on the delegates, one group was pledged to support the winner and another was backing Gov. Dwight Crisswell, apparently remaining open for a third term, as a "favorite son" candidate at Chicago.

The Republican vote total in both Nebraska and Illinois was far ahead of the Democratic, where it was no contest most of the way. President Roosevelt, assured of the support of Nebraska's 12 delegates and 50 from Illinois, had 1,684 votes in 1,038 Nebraska precincts in an unopposed preferential primary race.

This voting edge prompted Republicans in both Illinois and Nebraska to predict victory for their party in November, but Maynard Edward J. Kelly of Chicago called the Democratic vote "a remarkable demonstration" in view of the few contests and the foul weather.

In Washington, Vice President Wallace announced plans for a trip to China about the time the Democratic national convention meets and there was immediate speculation that he was removing himself from the race under orders. The stock of Senator Harry Truman (D-Mo.) chairman of the War Investigating Committee, boomed as a possible successor.

In New York City, attention was centered on a meeting today of the New York State Democratic Committee, where the Albany organization headed by John J. O'Connell, Jr., has taken the initiative in a most oust Chairman James J. Farley.

Although Farley has told friends he is opposed to a fourth term for President Roosevelt, and National Chairman Robert E. Hannegan is reported to have counseled with the New York leaders against any counter move at a time when he and other national leaders are making extraordinary efforts to unify the party for the November campaign.

On the Republican side, Missouri members of the party met in a state convention to pick four delegates at large to complete a group of 30. Of 26 previously chosen in district conventions, six were pledged and two claimed for Gov. Dewey. Connecticut Republicans will pick 16 delegates at a state convention tomorrow and Friday, while main members of the party are naming 11. Both delegations probably will be unopposed officially, but Senator Danaher (R-Conn.) has predicted the Connecticut group will favor Dewey.

Congress Gets . . .

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Selective Service on the question of what action Congress will take, if any, to force 4-Fs into essential war work under threat of induction into army labor battalions. Taxes—the Ways and Means Committee will resume its efforts to simplify and "streamline" the tax statutes. Final action, however, is not expected until fall.

Italian King . . .

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of the government of Marshal Pietro Badoglio, said the king's statement, which was broadcast to the Italian people early this afternoon, was "a spontaneous announcement by his majesty" who "decided to make the statement at this time in order to eliminate any obstacle that might still exist in the efforts by various political parties to reach full cooperation with the Italian government."

"The king's statement is directed to all parties without exception in behalf of the effort of the entire nation to achieve true national unity."

While the king's action today made no immediate change in the situation since it becomes effective only on Allied occupation of Rome, it nevertheless was expected to open the way for the constitution of a government on a broader basis, with the participation of the various Italian political parties.

During the first half of his long reign, Vittorio Emanuele built up a reputation as a sympathetic monarch, interested in the welfare of his people. But under the regime of Mussolini his influence dwindled as he agreed to demands that led to Mussolini's dictatorship.

He remained in the background during the bombastic days of Mussolini's power. But he had a measure of revenge last July 25 when he had a hand in Mussolini's downfall and named his long-time friend, Badoglio to the premiership as "interim" ruler of the nation.

Prince Umberto, lean and erect, long has been the Italian ideal of a soldier. He entered the army after finishing his schooling, became a general at 29—the youngest Italian officer ever to hold so high a command. In September, 1942, he was given the rank of Marshal.

Beginning early in 1943 he came more and more into political prominence. Once he was called on to make a radio address to calm the fears of the Italian people stricken by heavy Allied air raids.

Japanese Report . . .

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Japanese have been cleared from western New Britain at a cost of 1,514 American casualties: 442 dead, 1,072 wounded and 10 missing.

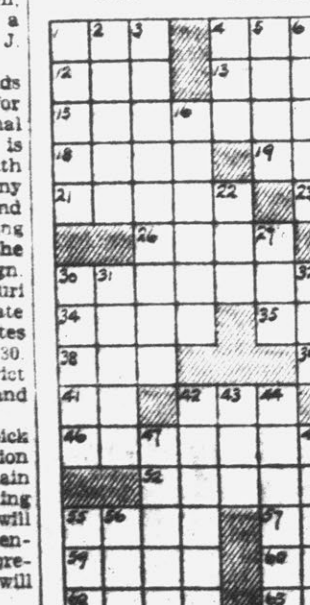
These figures contrasted with General MacArthur's estimate that the Japanese have lost 491 dead and prisoners plus at least that many more from wounds, starvation and disease. The enemy force of 40,000 is in full retreat across rugged terrain toward the badly battered Japanese base of Rabaul, 200 miles away at the northeastern tip of the island.

The American casualties covered such operations as the Dec. 15 landing at Arawe, the Dec. 26 invasion at Cape Gloucester and the March 6 landing near Takase, where American troops have expanded their Empire Augusta bay bridgehead two miles on the Torokina side, the total count of enemy dead for one month ending April 8 was announced as 5,370. Most of these Japanese died in a series of suicidal frontal assaults during March.

Other operations Monday included a 79-ton bombing of Rabaul by two Pacific planes and a new assault on the Caroline islands, where installations at Woleai Island were hit and a Catalina bomber dropped a 1,000-pound missile on a 9,000-ton enemy cargo ship. A smaller freighter also was damaged there.

Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS**
1. High card
 2. Ancient Irish capital
 3. Crustacean
 4. East Indian split pulse
 5. Egg-shaped
 6. European city
 7. Tending to burst forth
 8. Declare
 9. Rodent
 10. Obtain
 11. Steps for crossing a fence
 12. Scrape with something sharp
 13. Defy
 14. Corrode
 15. Smallest state: abbr.
- DOWN**
1. Those who glide over ice
 2. Press for pay—meat
 3. Hand
 4. Bank
 5. Distance
 6. Affirmative
 7. European
 8. Blunt
 9. Symbol for sodium
 10. Pathetic
 11. Bristle
 12. Expert
 13. South American animal
 14. Blunted
 15. Put apart
 16. Imitates
 17. Silk fabrics
 18. Wife of Jacob
 19. Measure of duration
 20. One: Scotch abbr.
 21. Not hard



Nazi Attack . . .

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by the Allies and then by the Nazis. German shelling of the area south of Cassino was on a reduced scale and normal patrolling activity was resumed there as on all sectors of the Italian front. Small enemy patrols and working parties were observed at various points in the Garigliano area and a number of German trucks were seen moving southwestward.

On the Anzio beachhead, a small enemy party attempted a minor thrust three miles southwest of Carroceto and two other parties tried to cross the Moleto river near the coast, but all these thrusts were repulsed. The Nazis attempting to cross the Moleto were brought under heavy mortar fire and suffered casualties.

German guns continued to shell the rear and port areas of the beachhead and 12 planes made what was described as an ineffectual raid on the port. One of the planes was downed by anti-aircraft fire.

Storm Toll . . .

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stranded high in the Colorado Rockies at Berthoud Pass by snow avalanches succeeded last night in opening a path to the inn where the victims had taken refuge.

South on the Colorado-New Mexico border other snowplow crews succeeded in opening Raton Pass closed by 50 inches of snow, and re-opened communications with several communities which had been isolated by the storm.

Boats as widely separated as Michigan and South Carolina were lashed by windstorms. A 67-mile an hour gale, described as the heaviest in nearly four years, battered many points along Lake Michigan, and in some localities tore ships from Moorings.

A tornado struck near Waltham, S. C. killing one woman and severing power lines. The power break forced textile mills at Seneca and Waltham to suspend operations. Rain or snow was general east of the Rockies in many places measuring well above two inches.

Two Red Armies . . .

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several towns captured. A Romanian high command communique, broadcast by the Bucharest home radio and recorded in New York by the Federal Communications Commission, said today that Romanian and German forces had successfully counterattacked in northern Moldavia, recapturing the towns of Poduluisel and Targu Frumos, respectively 15 and 30 miles west of Iasi.

Cen. Rodion Y. Malinovsky, whose troops were battling in the streets of Tiraspol, the last Dniestr crossing still open to the Germans aside from Ovidiopol, sent other forces in a dash toward Chisinau, capital of Bessarabia. This column liberated more than 100 towns and villages, while troops from Konev's army, coming down from the north, seized 30 more localities as they closed in on the capital, Moscow said.

Konev's spectacular advance into Romania—his troops were reported sweeping ascending the Carpathian foothills—has caused the Axis high command to shift its Romanian-German military headquarters from half-encircled Iasi to Bucharest, front dispatches said.

Northwest of Konev's drive, Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov's first Ukrainian army struck at heavily fortified positions along the old Czech border. Czech troops were brigaded with the first army, anxious to participate in the liberation of their country.

With the capture of Tiraspol apparently inevitable, the swift development of the Red army's triumphant drive into the Crimean high-land the news from the Russian front.

Killed By Lightning
Greensboro, April 12—(AP)—William A. Dick, 29-year-old farmer of Summerfield, Rt. 1, was killed by lightning yesterday as he stood in the yard at his home during a thunderstorm.

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Do you get sour or upset easily? ☐ ☐
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Marine Hero . . .

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the exercises and were impressed by the magnitude and importance of the airfield here and the great numbers and soldiers that the Marines are. Formal visitation at the Marine airfield and observing the great work the Marines are doing here was the most important public event in Greenville since the tobacco market was opened nearly half a century ago.

Lieut. Col. West flew in from Kingston and the Marine Band from Cherry Point in two planes followed. Other officers here for the ceremony were Captain Steadman, Lieut. Col. Abel, executive officer of Group 34 at Kingston, Major William Dolan, commander of headquarters squadron at Kingston and other officers.

Awarding of the honor to Captain Chamberlain was an impressive ceremony. The Marine Band and the color guard, and Major Gregory's Squadron 343 and Major Denning's Squadron 344 paraded in review. The pilot officers of the two squadrons were lined up in formation.

Reading of the citation required but a few minutes. When Captain Chamberlain stepped forward and Col. West advanced to present the Air Medal there was no cheering. It was a solemn and impressive occasion when a brave officer was honored for outstanding performance in line of duty in defense of his country.

The citation for Captain Chamberlain, signed by Admiral W. F. Halsey of the United States Navy, is as follows:

"For meritorious achievement while participating in aerial attacks against the enemy as pilot of a dive bomber attached to a Marine scout bombing squadron operating in the Solomon Islands area during the period from October 13 to November 22, 1942. Captain Chamberlain flew numerous missions against strongly defended Japanese positions. Despite heavy concentrations of anti-aircraft fire and often enemy fighter opposition he conducted the attacks with courage and determination. His consistently accurate dive bombing contributed materially to the devastating blows inflicted upon the enemy's installations, and his conduct throughout was in keeping with the highest traditions of the United States Naval Service."

Board Number Two Sends Thirty Three
Selective Service Board Number 2 sent the following white men to Fort Bragg Saturday for induction into the armed forces:

Simon Joseph Waters, Leon Thomas Lanier, Rufus Donzell Johnson, Frank Gaston Massey, Milton Elree Harrington, Ralph Lane Bobbitt, Rufus Albert Mayo, James Levy Corey, James Dewey Edwards, Leon Edward Evans, Russell L. Tripp, John Marshall Godley, Lawrence William Buck, John David Sutton, Abraham Lincoln Neely, Walter Marvin Pollard, Walter Raymond Joyner, Joseph Everett Casey, Walter Lee Cox, Meakin Earl McLawnorn, Rhoderick Stancil Sumrell, Sylvester Fleming, James Wyatt Allen, Bill Phillips, Odie Lewis, George Aaron Case, Herbert Williams, John William Tumberlake, Milford Deaver, Fred Johnson Skinner, Haldon Drannon Wilson, Thad Edward Carmon, John David Branch.

NEWS OF GREENVILLE HIGH
By DAVID WHICHARD AND HOWARD WILLIAMS

Pan-American Celebration
Tomorrow, the third period of a Wait Disney production "South of the Border" was shown to the student body of the high school. This was a picture about Latin America to more familiarize the students with the ways and customs of their Latin American neighbors.

On Friday night at 8 o'clock in the G. H. S. auditorium the Spanish and Latin American History classes under Mrs. Howard Mims will present a "Fiesta" in honor of Pan American Day which is April 14. The public is cordially invited to attend this gala affair. There will be no admission charge.

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Social and Personal

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Mrs. C. B. Whichard broke her arm in a fall Sunday afternoon.

Rev. W. H. Moore, former pastor of Memorial Baptist Church in Greenville, is very ill in a Raleigh hospital.

Mrs. J. H. B. Moore and Mrs. C. W. Hearn are spending today in Raleigh in the interest of the Spring Art Festival to be held here at an early date.

Mrs. W. C. Harris is a patient in Pitt General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Boyd have returned from Charlotte where they attended the funeral of Miss Evelyn Boyd.

Mrs. F. W. Davis of Harrisburg, Pa., is spending the week here with her mother, Mrs. S. A. Smith, 1201 Cotanche street.

Miss Helen Thomas, who is attending school at Meredith College in Raleigh, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Thomas near Greenville.

Miss Abeyounis Honored. Miss Jean Abeyounis was delightfully entertained at an announcement party Monday night, given by her sister, Miss Pauline Abeyounis at her home on West Third street.

The party was in the form of bridge, with four tables in play in a setting of cleverly arranged spring flowers. Bride's hats served as favors with tallies and refreshments assisting in carrying out the color scheme of green and white. A shoulder corsage of white gladioli marked Miss Abeyounis' place, whose honor gift was silver in her favored pattern.

High and second high score awards went to Mrs. E. F. C. Metz and Miss Jean Rush, and the floating prize to Mrs. Carl McKinney.

Methodist Prayer Service.

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

Chatham Book Club.

Mrs. Fred Blank was gracious hostess to the Chatham Book Club Tuesday afternoon at her home on Rock Spring Road. Charming arrangements of iris, spirea and pink hydrangeas were used throughout the living room.

Dr. A. D. Frank's analysis of the war news was the program feature for the afternoon. His talk was optimistic, giving us only one bad sign which was Germany's withdrawal of men from Russia. Germany herebefore has been extravagant with her men's lives in order to gain an advantage quickly. This withdrawal means more men to be thrown against Russia's allies. He complimented the Allies' gains in the Mediterranean.

The Japanese navy's refusal of combat so far is a good sign. In conclusion he said our post-war foreign policy could not be wisely stated now.

Assisted by Mrs. Shotwell and Mrs. Bendall, the hostess served a delicious sweet course with coffee.

A donation to the cancer clinic was favored. After a short business session presided over by the vice-president, Mrs. W. P. Moore, the meeting adjourned.—Reported.

Clio Book Club.

Mrs. Agnes Barrett entertained the members of the Clio Book Club Tuesday afternoon at her home on Eighth street. When the guests had assembled, the hostess served a delicious salad course with coffee.

The meeting was presided over by the new president, Mrs. Jesse R. Moyer. II. Mrs. Barrett introduced Miss Marguerite Austin, who as guest speaker, gave a very interesting and entertaining review of Rene Krupps' book "The Young Lady Randolph." She related many incidents in the life of the former Jenny Jerome of New York City who was to become the darling of society in New York, Paris and London, and later to be the mother of the Prime Minister of England, Winston Churchill.

At the conclusion of Miss Austin's delightful paper, a short business session was held. The club made a contribution to help the work of the American Society for the Control of Cancer. Guests for the afternoon were Mrs. Wendell Smiley and Miss Austin.—Reported.

Social Calendar

THURSDAY

10:00-12:00 a. m.—Red Cross knitting room open, second floor, Blount Bldg., W. Third St.

11:00 a. m.-12:00 noon.—Woman's Club will entertain wives of the officers stationed in Greenville, at the clubhouse.

3:30 p. m.—George B. Singletary Chapter U. D. C. meets with Mrs. S. T. White.

8:00 p. m.—Choir of Eighth Street Christian Church meets for rehearsal.

Lieut. Smith in Italy.

News has been received of the safe arrival of Lieut. Leslie D. Smith of this city, in Italy. Lt. Smith has been in North Africa for nine months and recently was attached to the Fifth army. His address is M. P. Department, A. P. O. 782, care Postmaster, New York.

Debate Team Wins Honors.

A debate team composed of Elsie West of Roxboro and Amanda Ehrig of Mantec, representing the Jarvis Forensic Club of East Carolina Teachers College won top rating as a "contest winner" April 7 and 8 at the Grand Eastern Forensic Tournament at Charlotte conducted by the Strawberry Leaf Society under the auspices of Winthrop College.

The team entered seven rounds of debate, winning five and losing two. It won from the Carson Newman negative and affirmative teams, from the Lynchburg affirmative and negative teams, and from the Mars Hill negative. It lost to the Farmville, Va., affirmative and the Mars Hill affirmative.

The "contest winners" are the top ten of about thirty-five teams. Only one team had a better record than the ECTC team. Teams from most of the southeastern states attended this meet.

The question used was the national collegiate query: "Resolved, that the United States should cooperate in establishing and maintaining an international police force, upon the defeat of the Axis."

GOOD NEWS PSORIASIS

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Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR

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The Baptist Female University at Raleigh, now being out of debt, will be formally dedicated to the service of God on May 17.

Elizabeth City will have a free mail delivery beginning August 1.

A swallow may not make a summer, but a frog can make a spring.

Those showers during the past few days were as refreshing as the dewdrops and as cheering to the farmers as a six hundred pound bale of cotton from one acre of land.

Winterville Club To Meet.

The Winterville Woman's Club will hold its regular meeting Friday, April 14, at 4 o'clock.

Troop 33 Meets

The meeting of Troop 33 opened at 7:30 with the scout oath and laws led by Alton Howard, after which dues were collected amounting to \$1.65. Following the patrol meetings the Lion patrol gave a first aid skit. The Wildcat patrol also gave the Royal Order of Slam to five boys, Jimmy Brady, Edward Congleton, Dwight Garrett, Tommy Lupton and Ed Warren. Jimmy Cox, Scribe.

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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.

I AM REPRESENTATIVE FOR Charis garments and girdles. Let me take your measure. Mrs. W. L. Hall, 502 West Fourth St., Dial 3432.

A GOOD BUY—5-ROOM HOME on Myrtle Ave., 2 blocks from school, on beautiful corner. Large lot, 150 feet paying for only \$2,750. Call us for appointment. Stallworth, Hadley, Tripp, 312 Evans St., Dial 2401.

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WANTED—USED CARS AND trucks. Will pay cash money for your car or truck. W. W. Ballinger, Dickinson Ave., Greenville. Phone 4285.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY FOR retail sales work. Apply Karl Ca-hoon, A & P Store on Dickinson Ave. 10-3t

SPECIAL—SEED POTATOES—offering seed Cobblers and Red Warbas potatoes below cost price. Price prospects much more favorable since large per cent of N. C. and S. C. crop rotten in ground. F. C. X. Fruit and Vegetable Service, 808 Clark St., Phone 2517. 1-4

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Grain Market
Chicago, April 12—(AP)—Grain prices worked slightly lower today, influenced by prospects of expanded corn shipments with improving weather and the possibility of importing corn from the Argentine. At the close wheat was unchanged to 1/4 lower, July \$1.70 3/4, oats were unchanged to 1/4 lower, July \$1.30 3/4, rye was down 1/4 cent, May \$1.30 and barley was unchanged to 1/4 lower, July \$1.25.

New York Cotton
New York, April 12—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 5 cents a bale lower to 20 cents higher and closed 10 cents a bale lower to 50 cents higher.
Open Close Prev. Cl.
May 21.10 21.11 21.11
July 20.75 20.75 20.73
Oct. 20.19 20.13 20.15
Dec. 19.98 19.98 19.95
Mich. 19.83 19.70 19.80
 Middling spot 21.5, unchanged.

N. Y. Stock Market
New York, April 12—(AP)—Stocks edged into slightly lower ground today on a comparatively small volume of dealings. Failure of rails to maintain gains established in the early proceedings.

brought out enough selling to leave the majority of key issues fractionally in the final hour. Prior to the downturn prices were mixed. Transactions were approximately 700,000 shares.

FINAL STOCKS

Allegheny	2 1/4
Al Chem and Dye	142 1/2
Allis Chal Mfg	35 3/8
Am Can	36 1/2
Am Car Pdy	13 1/2
Am Roll Mill	13 1/2
Am Smelt and Ref	38 1/2
A T and T	157 1/2
Am Tbb B	61 1/2
Anaconda	26
Arm Ill	5 1/2
A C L	38 1/2
Atl Ref	29
Aviat Corp	19 1/2
Baldwin	19 1/2
B and O	8 1/2
Barnsdall	16 1/2
Bendix Aviat	36 1/2
Beth Stl	58
Boeing Airpl	14 1/2
Borden	30 1/2
Budd Mfg	28 1/2
Cable J I	35 1/2
Caterpl Trac	47 1/2
Chrysler	83 1/2
Coca Cola	114 1/2
Dow Chem	118
Dupont	144
Eastman Kod	165 1/2
Gen Elec	35 1/2
Gen Mot	57 1/2
Goodyear	42 1/2
Johns Man	89
Lagg and Myers B	75

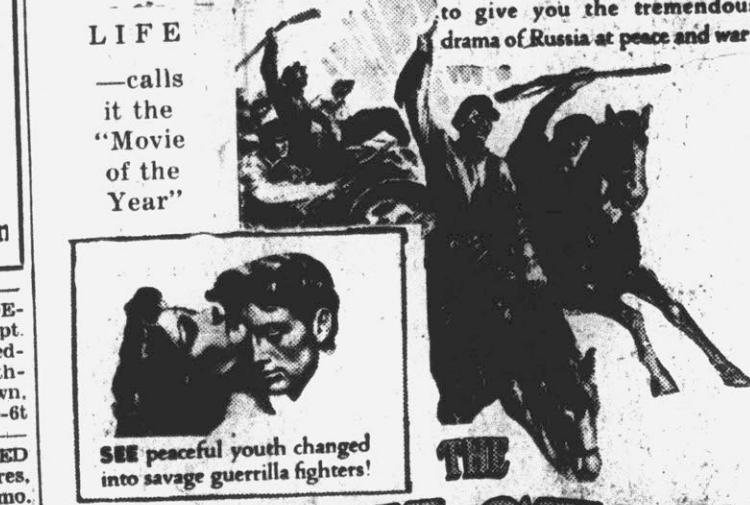
The Movies Today

PITT—Humphrey Bogart, Michele Morgan, "Passage to Marseille"
STATE—Dorothy Lamour, William Holden in "Fleet's In"—News

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