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Partly cloudy and continued warm Friday.

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NEW JAP DRIVE IS THREAT TO CENTRAL CHINA

Offensive Reaches Six Year Peak As Enemy Units Cross Yellow River

By SPENCER MOOSA Chungking, May 11 (AP)—An atmosphere of uneasiness spread in China today as Chinese reports told of yet another thrust on Loyang, several times capital of ancient China in northern Honan province, and admitted that the enemy finally had succeeded in gaining control of the full length of the Peiping-Hankow railway linking his northern and central forces.

The Chinese claimed they had repulsed a Japanese attempt at another crossing of the Yellow River near Menghsien, about 25 miles northeast of Loyang.

But they acknowledged that they were battling enemy forces which had forced the river near Yuanchu, 45 miles northwest of the city, and that a third enemy spearhead had pushed along the Lunghai railway to the vicinity of Yenshih, only about 21 miles east of the city.

The most important Japanese offensive in China since the successful drive on Hankow in 1939 already had carved out an area of roughly 60,000 square miles of territory, much of it rich wheat-growing country, and was opening the possibility of a drive on the strategic town of Tungkuang, west of Loyang at the elbow of the Yellow river.

Tungkuang is the gateway to the rich northwest. In the area south of the Lunghai railway the Japanese continued a westward advance, Chinese field reports admitted, the latest enemy success being the capture of the important highway center of Lushan, about 75 miles southeast of Loyang.

The crossing of the Yellow river, a Chinese communique said, was accomplished by the Japanese in the vicinity of Yuanchu, 45 miles from Loyang, and threatened to outflank the defending Chinese army, already menaced by another enemy column only six or seven miles away on the southeast.

The new Japanese thrust from Shansi not only enlarged the scope of the enemy operations but placed (Continued on page four)

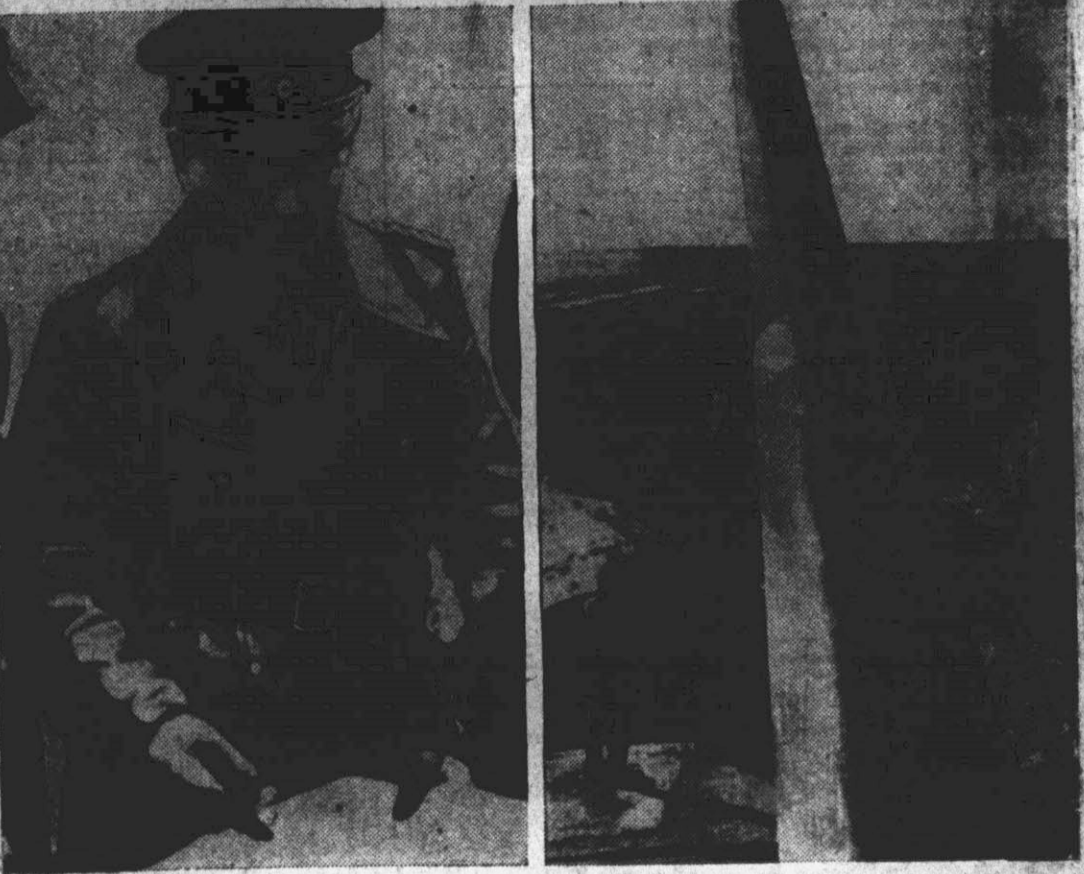
Casualty Totals Announced Today Washington, May 11 (AP)—American casualties in the war on all fronts now total 201,454, of which 44,778 are naval casualties and 156,676 are army.

Secretary Stimson, reporting this army total today as completed through April 28, said it included 27,297 killed, 64,231 wounded, 33,715 missing and 31,343 officially reported by enemy governments to be prisoners of war. Of the wounded, he said, 37,009 have recovered and returned to duty.

The latest navy casualty report, which includes marine and coast guard personnel, showed 19,221 killed, 12,090 wounded, 9,934 missing, 4,453 prisoners of war.

The last previous casualty report a week ago listed a total of 197,841, including 153,302 in the army and 44,539 in the navy.

On The German Side Of The Invasion Coast



Field Marshal General Erwin Rommel (left) checks up at his Atlantic headquarters on German plans of defense against the coming Allied invasion of Europe, according to the caption accompanying this German photo which reached this country via neutral Portugal. This big cannon (right) is part of the German Atlantic Wall, forming a "sinister threat to all enemy invasion plans," according to the German caption. The picture also came via Portugal. (AP Wirephotos).

Allies Warn French Keep Roads Open For Invasion

London, May 11 (AP)—The importance of France's transport systems in the impending invasion of western Europe was emphasized by both the Allies and Germans today as the London radio urged the French to keep off the highways after the attack starts and Vichy repeated that passenger train service would be cut Monday to facilitate troop movements.

The Allied request to French civilians was made in a BBC broadcast of invasion instructions. It stressed that troop movements must have right-of-way.

The announcement by the German-controlled Vichy radio of the forthcoming passenger train reduction, made originally three days ago and reiterated today, caused many in London to wonder whether the Nazis were seizing the remnants of the bomb-riddled railway system for what it was worth in helping to maintain the Atlantic wall.

Some passenger trains apparently still will run. The announcement said service would be "seriously curtailed."

The latest German guess on when the Allies will strike is Monday, the same day the French train service change is effective.

Called in last night as window dressing for a Berlin broadcast on the invasion preparations, an astrologer intoned: "The seventh day after the full moon often sees casualties and death." Monday is the seventh day after the full moon.

Another German broadcast said German sharpshooters were being equipped with special rifles fitted with a new telescopic sight to "pick up" (Continued on page four)

Half Holidays Begin Wednesday, May 17 The summer half holidays will begin in Greenville next Wednesday, May 17, when the stores will close at 12:30 on Wednesday until shortly before the tobacco market opens. The movement is sponsored by the Merchants' Association.

Early Wednesday closing during the summer has become a custom for Eastern Carolina stores and other business places.

He makes it plain that he regards political publicity as a shell game. Now you see it, now you don't. Some of his stuff moved under his own hand. Not all of it. He could write to order on the drop of a hint.

Isn't this a good spot for Senator Blunk to say something for or against something? Call Charley. Charley wrote it. Senator Blunk in all solemnity delivered it as his own.

You may be sure Michelson has his counterparts in the Republican camp at which he enjoyed heaving banana skins.

BRITISH PUSH JAPS BACK ON INDIAN FRONT

Japs Reported To Have Suffered Many Casualties In Fighting In India And Burma

By CHARLES A. GRUMICH Southeast Asia Headquarters, Kandy, Ceylon, May 11 (AP)—The British continued to drive the Japanese back from their Indian invasion today and it was officially estimated that the enemy had lost 15,000 dead since February 1 on the Arkan front of Burma, in the Imphal and Kohima areas of the Indian hinterland and in behind-the-line Chindit engagements.

The figure excludes casualties inflicted on the Japanese by Lt. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell's American-trained Chinese driving down from north Burma, where the last figures showed 5,000 Japanese had been killed up to March 29.

The number of Japanese wounded during the fighting since February 1 was not estimated, but Japan's total casualties were much greater than those suffered by the Allies, whose losses were not disclosed.

The largest number of single front casualties—6,100 killed—was inflicted on the Japanese in their attempt to force the Imphal plain on the Indian frontier. Casualties there and at Kohima, frontier base to the north, numbered 8,000 in the two months the enemy has been attempting to invade India.

Today's communique said Gen. Stilwell's tank-supported Chinese forces had swarmed through two more villages east of Mogaung and Hkayin.

No major activity was reported yesterday in the Kohima neighborhood, the communique said, but fighting continued on the outskirts of the base where Allied forces improved their positions.

Infliction of casualties on "superior enemy parties" northeast and southeast of Palel, 25 miles south-east of Imphal, was mentioned in the announcement along with the enemy occupation of an elevated position on the Palel road where the Japanese are making continued attempts to gain the pass leading into the Imphal plain.

Appearance of Japanese troops in the Irri valley northeast of Imphal was reported also in the announcement that British forces had captured a position eight miles east of Imphal and Kohima.

The announcement on Japanese casualties in the Imphal-Kohima areas said at least 6,000 enemy troops had perished on, or on the approaches to, the Imphal plain and that 2,000 had died in the attempt to take Kohima.

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NAZIS CLAIM RED SETBACK Report Liquidation of Russian Bridgehead On Dnepr

London, May 11 (AP)—The Germans asserted today that they had wiped out a sizeable Russian bridgehead on the lower Dnepr river in a surprise attack and that their troops still were fighting in the Crimea west of Sevastopol, destroying 20 tanks there yesterday.

The Russians announced two days ago that Sevastopol and all the Crimea had been cleared of German and Romanian troops. The latest Soviet communique told of the sinking of two 4,000-ton transports hauling enemy survivors from the devastated port.

The German communique, wholly unconfirmed by Soviet sources, said strong bomber formations paced the Dnepr assault south of Grigoriopol which liquidated a Russian salient six miles long and four deep (Continued on page five)

King's Daughters and Sons in 54th Annual Meeting By CHESTER WALSH

The 54th annual convention of the North Carolina branch of the International Order of The King's Daughters and Sons was in session at the First Presbyterian Church here today. Mrs. James A. Sailer of Durham, president of the North Carolina branch, presided over the business sessions.

Preliminary to the convention Mrs. Hortense F. Mow, honorary state president, entertained members of the executive board at luncheon at her home yesterday afternoon.

The banquet, held at the Rotary building last night, was a brilliant affair, with Mrs. Henry S. Eley of Suffolk, Va., international president, delivering an eloquent and impressive address on the work of the organization.

Mrs. W. R. Jones, president of the Patient Circle, hostess to the convention, was toastmaster. Mrs. (Continued on page four)

Teen-Age Club To Open June 1 The Teen Age Club, composed of boys and girls from 13 to 19 years old, under the supervision of Miss Alice Strawn, home economics instructor at the high school, will be temporarily located in the high school cafeteria and gymnasium from June 7 until September 1 when it is hoped suitable quarters may be found elsewhere.

The Teen Age Club was organized to provide wholesome entertainment and recreation for the youngsters under proper direction. Membership cards will be issued at 25 cents each for a three-month period. There will be a paid full-time chaperone and an executive board composed of five men and five women.

The Teen Age Club met in the high school auditorium this afternoon to perfect the organization and provide rules and regulations. Present plans provide for dancing in the cafeteria and games in the gymnasium. The hours will be from 4 until 6 in the afternoon and from 7:30 until 10:30 at night, except Sundays when church hours will be observed. There will be no dancing on Sundays. Persons willing to donate games for the club may contact Miss Strawn at the school.

No servicemen will be allowed, except home town boys. Teen age clubs have been organized in many cities during the past year for the benefit of the young people. They are flourishing and wielding a good influence, church and school leaders state. The project here is meeting with general approval of parents and others.

Airmen Dealing Smashing Blows On Hitler's Europe

Congratulated After Bagging 27th Allied Planes Dropped 5,400 Tons Of Explosives On Airfields And Rail Centers Today; Pre-Invasion Aerial Offensive Continues Tonight



Capt. Robert St. Johnson of Lawton, Okla., receives congratulations in the cockpit of his Thunderbolt fighter from his crew chief, S-Sgt. J. C. Penrod of Newark, N. J., after the flier's return from a mission over Europe during which he shot down his 26th and 24th Nazi planes to set a new all-time American record for the European theater. Crosses on the plane indicate his previous 25 victories. This is an exclusive picture by Associated Press Photographer Peter Carroll. (AP Wirephoto via radio from England).

By AUSTIN BEALMEAR London, May 11 (AP)—Three thousand Allied planes dumped an estimated 5,400 tons of explosives on German airports and rail centers in western Europe today in the 27th day of the great, pre-invasion assault.

In one of the strongest assaults of the war on Hitler's already-dislocated system of military railways, Allied formations late last night and today singled out eight large rail centers serving the western defense wall on which to loose most of their explosives.

Three of the key centers were hit in daylight by a force of up to 250 American Liberator bombers escorted by possibly 500 Thunderbolts, Mustang and Lightning fighters, and other bombers smashed military installations across the channel.

The entire German radio network left the air about 6:30 p. m., strongly indicating a continuance of the British-American attacks after Londoners heard great formations streaking toward Europe whose ground shaking roar was the loudest of the war.

Since the full-scale assault on the rail network behind the Atlantic wall began on March 2, the Allies have made at least 157 attacks against at least 64 rail targets. Some key points have been hit four and five times.

Also tonight western Switzerland alerts were sounded indicating the offensive was rolling non-stop into the night and perhaps aiming at southern Germany.

The Vichy radio also reported that Orleans in southern France was bombed today. The Liberator thrust marked the return of British-based American heavy bombers to the pre-invasion offensive after a one-day layoff.

The daylight armadas followed up last night's fourth assault on Budapest or bombers striking from bases in Italy.

Last night's heavy and medium bomber attack on the Hungarian capital came close on the heels of daylight blows yesterday in which more than 3,000 Allied aircraft winging in from both Italy and Britain poured some 4,500 tons of bombs into Europe.

At mid-afternoon a heavy assault began on the mainland across the English channel, violent explosions from the Calais area shook buildings in Folkestone on the English side, and heavy rumblings were as (Continued on page four)

Jap Atrocities Revealed By Liberated Prisoners American Conquest Of Hollandia Area Frees 707 Jap-Held Prisoners Of War

By ASAHIEL BUSH Advanced Allied Headquarters, New Guinea, May 11 (AP)—Liberation of 707 Japanese-held prisoners of war by the American conquest of north-central New Guinea was announced today as fresh accounts of the enemy's cruelty toward captives came to light.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur announced that 462 of the liberated Allied were Sikhs, Indian soldiers captured in Malaya by the Japanese early in the war. Japanese numbered 86, and the rest were Americans, Australians, Chinese, Dutch, Filipinos, Poles and Czechs. Many were missionaries and other civilians.

This was by far the largest number recaptured from the enemy in any phase of the Pacific war and the only sizeable group yet liberated except for a detachment of Sikhs found in the Admiralty Islands in March.

Sikhs were quoted by a the Australian department of information as saying they were herded like cattle on an 18-day march from Singapore, and at one place "we saw a number of Chinese who had been nailed to palm trees with iron spikes driven through their foreheads."

A Sikh named Jemadar Shingara Singh said the Japanese guards told him that the Chinese had been sus- (Continued on page four)

Roosevelt On First Ballot Leaders Confident He Will Accept Nomination

By The Associated Press With 533 votes pledged or claimed for a fourth term, supporters needed only 56 additional ones today to supply the 588 needed for renomination of President Roosevelt on the first ballot at the July Democratic convention in Chicago.

Washington Democrats may furnish 18 of these in a state convention Saturday. With action of Tennessee Republicans in picking 19 delegates at a state convention tomorrow, this will complete the week's party activities.

Although the President has declined to say anything about a fourth term, there was accumulated (Continued on page five)

Nazi Barrage On Beachhead By NOLAND NORGARD

Allied Headquarters, Naples, May 11 (AP)—A German artillery barrage on the Anzio beachhead reached a new peak Tuesday night with approximately 4,000 shells lobbed into fifth army positions in the space of half an hour. Allied headquarters announced today.

The same night the German air force sent 15 planes to raid the beachhead port area, but it was announced that no damage resulted and ack-ack shot down two of the raiders.

An official announcement said the Italian corps of liberation operating in Italy has been built up from one small motorized group "until it includes whole battalions of all the famous units of the Italian regular army."

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Social and Personal

Major and Mrs. James Howard Moyer and daughters of Richmond, Va., are visiting Major Moyer's sister, Mrs. W. E. Padgett, and Mr. Padgett.

Mrs. Robert S. Moyer arrived last night from Chilhowie, Va., to join her mother who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Lucy Moyer. Sgt. and Mrs. Moyer will return to Camp Roberts, Calif., on Monday.

Major and Mrs. Dean E. Painter and baby of Fort Bragg, spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Clayford. They are spending this week at Mims Shore.

Mrs. Eugene Gray and little daughter, Jeanette, of LaGrange, are spending a few days with Mrs. F. V. Johnston.

Mrs. Fred James DeMasi is visiting friends in Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

Joe G. Jenkins, second class radioman and aerial gunner, U. S. Navy, now stationed at Boca Chica, Fla., arrived yesterday to visit his mother, Mrs. Edna C. Jenkins.

AAUW President to Speak
The Greenville Branch of the American Association of University Women will meet Monday evening at 7:15, May 15, in the home of Mrs. Virginia H. Perkins, 521 Evans Street, for dinner. There will be a brief business meeting after which the group will have the privilege of hearing Mrs. R. A. Herring, state president, speak. All members are urged to be present. Anyone who has not made reservation should call Mrs. Perkins at once.

To Entertain Enlisted Men's Wives.
The Literature Department of the Woman's Club will entertain the wives of the enlisted men Friday afternoon from 4 to 5 o'clock at the club house.

Park Hostess.
The senior hostess for the city park on Friday will be Mrs. F. B. Haas.

This is to enable women who have small children to leave them at the park with safety.

Birth Announcement.
Technical Sergeant and Mrs. John C. Parker announce the birth of a son, John C. Parker, Jr., on Thursday, May 11, 1944, 308 Pitt street.

Elks Meet Tonight.
The Greenville Elks Lodge will meet at the Elks Home on Evans street tonight at 8 o'clock.

Kiwanians Meet at Hotel.
The Kiwanis Club will meet at Proctor Hotel Friday evening at 6:30. Dr. Robert S. Boyd will have charge of the program.

Social Calendar

THURSDAY
8:00 p. m. — Mission study class at Methodist Church.

5:30 p. m. — The executive board of the Business and Professional Woman's Club meets at the recreation room on West Fourth street.

7:00 p. m. — American Home Department picnic at Cotanche street park.

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Promoted.
Camo Mackrell, N. C., May 11.—Lindsay R. Whitchard, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Roy Whitchard of Stokes, has been promoted to staff sergeant 5th Camp Mackall, where he is attached to the Headquarters Detachment.

At Maxwell Field.
Maxwell Field, Ala., May 11.—Two youths from Greenville, N. C., have reported to the pre-flight school at Maxwell Field to begin another phase of their training in the U. S. Army Air Forces. They are Aviation Cadets Oscar G. Gulley, Jr., of 314 West Fifth street, and Charles W. Mow, 813 Charles street.

At Camp Peary.
William Keck, pre-med student at Wake Forest, entered Camp Peary, Va., on Monday for boot training, after which he will be attached to a hospital unit.

Finals Will Begin
Pactolus Tomorrow
Finals at Pactolus school will begin Friday night when the primary grades present the operetta, "Peter Rabbit," at 8:45.

Rev. R. L. Wilson, Baptist minister of Ayden, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon in the school auditorium Sunday night at 8:30.

Dr. R. B. Burrell of Williamston, a former president of Chowan College, will deliver the commencement address on Friday, May 19, at 8:45. Dr. Burrell served as morale officer for the British Empire during the first World War.

The public is invited to attend the exercises.

Literature Department.
The Literature Department of the Women's Club met Tuesday afternoon at Ragdale Hall with Misses Lena Elk and Ellen Caldwell hostesses. The parlors were tastefully decorated with spring flowers. Cooling refreshments were served as the guests arrived. The chairman, Mrs. W. H. Woodard, called the meeting to order. Miss Pearl Chapman read the minutes of the last meeting. Mrs. Woodard appointed committees and announced that the next meeting would be a picnic on Tuesday, May 23, at Cotanche street park.

Miss Eunice McGee, in her charming manner, presented Miss Mary Greene of the English faculty of East Carolina Teachers' College. Miss Greene very skillfully reviewed the late Stephen Vincent Benet's last book, "Western Star." The book is a long narrative poem. It is the saga of the beginnings of America, starting with the pioneer spirits in England. Mr. Benet's original plan was to have a series of books dealing with the American spirit of "moving on." The poem deals with some historical characters and some fictitious. The names are England, Jamestown and Plymouth, the general theme is the urge to push on to better living conditions and better lands. Guests for the afternoon included Mrs. Robert Caldwell and Miss Mary Greene.—Reported.

End of the Century Club.
On May 9 Mrs. J. F. Arthur was gracious hostess to the members of the End of the Century Club and guests. Miss Mary Harding, Mrs. Charles Bowen and Mrs. N. T. Brodshaw. Upon arrival guests were invited into the dining room, where delicious punch with accompaniments, and a sweet course, were served by Mrs. J. L. Little and Mrs. E. B. Ficklen.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. J. F. Arthur presided over a short business session.

Mrs. R. C. Stokes, Jr., presented Mrs. C. A. White as the speaker for the afternoon on the subject, "Our Navy Commanders." Mrs. White displayed pictures of a number of our commanders, and then gave an interesting, at times humorous, review of the life and individuality that make each one of the following important in our war effort: Admirals King, Nimitz, Stark, Ingersoll, Halsey, Vice Admirals Fletcher and Spruance and former Secretary of the Navy Knox.—Reported.

NEWS OF GREENVILLE HIGH
By DAVID WHITCHARD AND HOWARD WILLIAMS

Monogram Meeting
There will be an important meeting of the Monogram club tomorrow morning during the home-room period in room 17. President Theodore Lupton today urged all club members to be present at the meeting.

No More Initiations
The office today banned all school organizations' initiations for the rest of the year "that will interrupt school work this year." The announcement stated that pupils are to come to school properly dressed and that no one would be permitted to go to class "dressed other than as a lady or gentleman should dress."

Clothes Drive Continues
Today and tomorrow are the last days of the clothes for Russia drive in the high school. Students have brought many pounds of clothes and are nearing their goal of four pounds per person in school.

Wins Marksmanship Award.
Davidson, May 11.—Awards for excellence in rifle marksmanship were presented to five Davidson men on Wednesday in final ceremonies of the ROTC battalion. The awards were given by Hearst Publications to winners in the national Hearst Trophy rifle matches.

Among those who were winners of the medal was Cadet Corporal W. C. Sugg of Greenville.

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Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR
May 11, 1944

It is said that the figures will show that the total amount of taxes from all sources collected in Greenville for this fiscal year will aggregate nearly \$18,000. If this so the tax collector and treasurer will make about \$900 each out of their offices. This fact is leading many people to the conclusion that the pay of these offices should be changed from a commission basis to a salary, and the salary be made no larger than the work is worth. A general discussion of this matter between now and the next town election might save a good sum to the taxpayers.

Red Banks Club Meets.
Mrs. O. A. Tucker was hostess to the Red Banks Home Demonstration Club on Tuesday afternoon, May 2, with Mrs. Jack Harrington and Mrs. Buddy Harrington as assistant hostesses.

The home was decorated with lovely arrangements of fragrant spring flowers. The lawn and shrubbery were equally as pretty, with many blooming wexelia bushes and other flowers to touch up the new coat of green.

Mrs. L. W. Cherry, president, called the meeting to order. "America the Beautiful" was sung, the minutes of the last meeting were read and the treasurer's report given.

Miss Helen Brooks reported from a paper which outlined the different things to plant in May and the proper way to fertilize.

In the absence of Miss Joyner, Mrs. O. A. Tucker reported on a leader's school given by Miss Kirby, the subject being "Easier Methods for Laundry." Many members gave their various experiences, which made the discussion very interesting.

Mrs. Bob Starling led in a recreational period which was enjoyed by all.

A delightful salad plate with iced tea, crackers and cakes was served. Club members were reminded to attend the slip cover demonstration to be held on May 24.

Mrs. Tucker and her assistants proved themselves "gracious hostesses," and the meeting adjourned with many pleasant good-byes.—Reported.

The Razor's Edge
The versatile Somerset Maugham has again written a most entertaining book, for which he chose a religious theme that is so foreign to his many other books. With splendid narrative skill he has told the story of a young American's quest for a faith. In Larry Darvell he has created an appealing character who is definitely a representative of the present turbulent days. This young man, impelled by what he has seen of death in the war, renounces his fiancee, and the opportunity for wealth and position, to seek knowledge and a faith above and beyond human mortality. His search takes him all over the world and reaches its climax in India where he attains the experience of the absolute which he has been seeking.

Maugham has had a wonderful background for understanding human nature. He has lived in England, France, South Sea Islands and America, and has traveled extensively. Add to this education as a medical doctor and genuine interest in people, pathologically as well as psychologically. Then too, he is a serious man, "with the restless eye, the rather weatherbeaten youthfulness of a world roamer." He is de-

liberately reticent—"a man who makes his exquisite manners a shield between himself and the world."

In 1915 he published his magnum opus, "Of Human Bondage," which is fundamentally, despite certain discrepancies of detail—for instance, the club foot of the hero—the story of the first years of his life including the whole period of his medical training. Although the critical reception of the novel was not enthusiastic in either Great Britain or the United States at first, "Of Human Bondage" is generally recognized today as a "modern classic."

"The Moon and Sixpence" (1919) had immediate success. Always an inveterate traveler but never an aimless wanderer, Maugham had gone to Tahiti, seeking to discover the secret of the spell of the South Seas over the white man. The novel is based on the life of the artist, Paul Gauguin, in whose home Maugham lived while in Tahiti.

His novel "Cakes and Ale" (1930) became a subject of public controversy on publication when critics accused him of having maliciously portrayed therein two famous English authors, one recently dead and the other still living—Thomas Hardy and Hugh Walpole.

A record of a journey from Rangoon to Haiphang is found in "The Gentleman in the Parlor," (1930).

"Narrow Corner" (1932) is another South Sea adventure mingled with villainy, tropical heat and tales of odd characters.

The most frivolous of his books is "Theatre" (1937) while "Summing Up" (1938) is probably his most serious. "Summing Up" is his auto-

biography and well-illustrates the title.

"Christmas Holiday" (1939) is the story of a cultured young man's discovery of the cruder side of life during a Christmas holiday in Paris. The purpose of the book is to contrast the sheltered English life of the Masons with the greater "reality" of the Parisian underworld.

Two more of Maugham's books, "Up at the Villa" (1941) which betrays the yearnings of a "too-hemmed-in" society matron, and "The Hour Before Dawn" (1942) depicting the anxiety of an English girl who had married a German spy, are excellent examples of the author's understanding of the human emotions.

—H. L. R.

BELL ARTHUR NEWS
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Davenport of near Winterville, were here Tuesday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hunsucker spent Sunday with Mrs. Verna Crawford.
Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McArthur and family visited Mrs. Bessie McArthur Sunday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nichols and son, Bob, and Miss Bette Jo Todd spent Monday in Tebor, S. C.
Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Moyer of near Farmville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McArthur.
Rev. Gilbert Davis, Miss Bertha Newman, Mr. and Mrs. Mack G. Smith and the school faculty were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hart Sunday.
Mr. "Red" Rogers of Greenville,

was here Tuesday.
Mrs. Gilbert Davis returned on Tuesday from Nashville, where she has been visiting her niece, Mrs. G. C. Collins, Jr., for the past month.
Miss Ann Smith spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Henderson in Elizabeth City. Mrs. Ivey Smith and Bruce Strickland joined them Sunday for the day.
C. D. Smith spent Monday in Rocky Mount.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Rose of Wilson, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith.
Miss Helen Willoughby of ECTC, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Willoughby.
Miss Corrine Holloway of Greensboro College, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Mamie Ruth Holloway.

Marine engines, a million times bigger than watch mechanisms, must be constructed with the same accuracy.

Birth Announcement.
J. L. Tucker announce the birth of a son, Joshua Lawrence, Jr., on May 6 in Parrott Memorial Hospital, Kinston.

Mrs. Tucker was, before marriage, Miss Nannie Pearl Quinerly of Kinston.

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ESCAPE FROM PARIS

by Marion McClure Stewart

Chapter 31

Raoul was awakened by the rising sun shining in through the small window the shanty possessed. Adrienne was still sleeping peacefully, her head pillowed on her arm. Raoul realized suddenly he was hungry and thirsty. Then a sound on his ear of some one chopping wood. Glancing out the window he saw a young Frenchman chopping a tree trunk for firewood. Raoul emerged from the cow-shed and advanced cautiously towards the young man who suddenly stopped up and saw him. "Good morning," Raoul smiled, holding up the first and second fingers of his right hand in the V-sign. The man in surprise, hesitated for an instant then smiled in return as he waved the gesture. "We—my young brother and I—trying to make our way to the east," Raoul hastened to explain. "We were forced to take shelter last night in this shed. We had to go to the fields. The Nazis are everywhere on the roads." "If you are trying to escape from Boches, Monsieur, it is difficult," declared the farm hand. "A crowl came over his lean dark face. 'You must be careful. The raper for whom I work,' he pointed towards the distant farmhouse couldn't help you—neither he nor his wife—they are too afraid of being caught and they would be angry if they knew you were here." "That is unfortunate," commented Raoul. "I was hoping they might give us some breakfast or at least a cup of coffee." "Well, a moment," The young man shook his straw hat and watched his head in thought. "I'd better keep inside the shanty. They seldom come here. I'll try to bring you some coffee." Raoul thanked him warmly. The man's name was Charles Duval. Before entering the shanty he discovered Adrienne was awake. It was long before there was a knock at the door and Charles appeared with a jug of steaming cafe-au-lait, two tin mugs and a hunk of crusty bread. He had obtained them by a secret raid on the farmhouse kitchen while Madame Larue was feeding the hens and chickens in the earing on the far side of the house. Duval looked curiously at Adrienne as she smiled and thanked him, and she wondered if he had discovered her disguise. Leaving Adrienne and Raoul he resumed his bread chopping. "I never knew coffee could be so good," declared Adrienne. "I was really thirsty and hungry. But you mustn't linger here, Raoul. These people are so unfriendly to strangers." "We'll get away from here here's a little wood not far distant and we can hide there till nightfall," Raoul had barely spoken when the sound of voices outside caught his ear and he motioned to Adrienne to be silent. Through the window he could hear raised in argument the voices of Duval and an elderly man who was evidently his employer. "I tell you I saw you speaking to a stranger from the farmhouse window." "Oh he was a poor chap looking for a job," retorted Charles resuming his wood chopping. "He had been working on a farm near Veron." "Do you think I believe that story? He is probably one of the boys the Nazis are searching for. Do you realize there is a big reward offered for finding them? Where is this man going?" "How would I know. He asked me the way to Nantes, and I told him well as I could. He went along towards the main road." "Raoul caught a glimpse of the farmer's suspicious face as he peered at his farm hand together. As you're lying to me. He's somewhere around here," he snarled, and you know the penalty for us if the Nazis find him here. If I find him it'll be the worse for him—I'll keep him here until they come. How do I know you haven't hidden him in the old cowshed?" He took a step towards the door, but Charles dropping his axe took up his post in front of it. "It seems to me you're too anxious to help the enemy, M. Larue," he said with a sneer. "The farmer leapt on the young man and struck him in the face. As the two wrestled together Raoul fled from the rear and hit the farmer behind the ear. He fell flat on his face. "Serves the traitor right," muttered Charles looking down at his former employer as he lay unconscious. "He'll take a while to come around before he can call the patrol. In the meanwhile we'll be on our way." Duval pointed to a copse of trees that they were rapidly approaching. "We must push on at once. You mentioned you were going to Granville. There is another road not

known to many—just a narrow dirt road that branches off from there—it is a short cut to the coast line. We will take that at once." Hour after hour they trudged on in the heat of the September sun, only pausing to eat some sandwiches at noon and munch apples they collected in passing through an orchard. Water they drank from a brook that flowed along their path. That night they slept in a hayfield, continuing on their way at dawn. No Nazi patrols were seen on the road they followed which ran through woodland and meadow, hardly wider in spots than a beaten track. During the next two days they followed this route, skirting occasional farm houses and sleeping in the fields. The contents of the luncheon packets had long since been exhausted, but Duval leaving his companions for brief intervals at dusk had twice returned with eggs from hen coops which they ate raw. Adrienne was certain now that Duval had penetrated her disguise from the first moment he saw her. His manner towards her since then had been one of rough but unfeeling consideration and courtesy. "I figure now we are within a few miles of the tunnel," remarked Duval during a rest period. "Suddenly she saw that they were in the midst of open country, cloaked in a mantle of darkness and mist. Not far distant the shadow of a cottage loomed up. "I believe this is it!" Raoul shifted her to the ground. With the aid of a small flashlight, he bent over the sward-off roots of an old willow tree and motioning to the others to stand back prodded the grass covered turf with his jack knife. A section of the ground suddenly yielded. Raoul thrust it aside, revealing an opening in which a ladder descended to a hidden passage.

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They went down the ladder and found themselves in a tunnel, ten feet in height, enclosed above and on both sides by cemented stone work, with a floor made of bricks. They stood still for a moment as the sound of voices came to them from the room nearest the connecting passage. Then advancing towards the doorway they saw three men sitting playing cards under a central light. A man small in stature but ruddy faced and sturdy instantly rose and advanced towards Raoul with an outstretched hand and a welcoming smile. "You are Raoul de Lamothe," he said. "I have seen you at a meeting in Paris, so I recognize you immediately. And this," he added glancing towards Adrienne with a smile, "is Adrienne—my old friend's niece." He held her hand tightly. "You make a pretty boy, but I see that you are weary. Come, Adrienne. I have a room ready for you. Or will you have some wine first?" "Not tonight thank you," returned Adrienne smiling. "Captain Morin, this is our good friend and ally, Charles Duval. Without his help we could never have made this journey safely. M. Duval would like to join the Fighting French." Captain Morin grasped Duval's hand heartily. "Welcome. You are one of us from now on. Now Adrienne my child," he added turning to her, "come with me." Two Spitfire planes were on their way back across the Channel after forming part of a fighter escort for bombers raiding Germany by day when a trio of Messerschmitts appeared from behind a cloud formation. To John Farrel, pilot of one Spitfire, it looked as if he and Torchy Williams were in for trouble. Radiating a warning to Torchy he climbed, but not before the pilot of the foremost Messerschmitt had adopted the same tactics and opened fire. Getting his opponent in his sights, John met his attack with a furious burst of fire that raked his fuelage and damaged a wing; then with a rapid half roll he dived to avoid the Nazi's return fire. He could hear the shower of lead grze his fuselage as he poured a steady stream of fire into the Messerschmitt. The Nazi plane instantly

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ACTRESS—Screen actress Marguerite Chapman dons bathing suit and sandals and gets all ready for the beach.

look fire and began to fall. Farrel caught a glimpse of the pilot preparing to bail out; then his attention was riveted on the encounter. Torchy was having difficulty with the two remaining Messerschmitts, one above him, the other endeavoring to get on his tail. Farrel dove for the nearest plane, pouring into it a stream of fire, while Torchy dropping into a half

loop met the Nazi who had been attacking him from the rear. With a withering blast he caught its gas tank. The second Messerschmitt plunged towards the Channel but the third diving in a half circle raked Farrel's plane and damaged his engine. Losing no time in disconnecting his mouth piece from the plane's oxygen tank to snap in the tube leading from the small tank carried in the pocket of his flying kit, he opened his hatch and bailed out just as the flames of the gas tank leaped towards him.

When a short distance from the water, he managed to free himself from his parachute and dropped into the Channel. Coming to the surface he set free his collapsible rubber boots. Flying Officer Jeffrey Fenwick, pilot of a British reconnaissance plane, was flying over the French coast when he caught sight of smoke issuing from the two smoke stacks in Captain Morin's tool house roof—a prearranged signal. "Seems that the Captain has some fugitives in the tunnel," he remarked to Rufe Wainwright, his co-pilot. "Better drop a message in code by parachute for the old Cap. Say we'll return and pick them up at Sandy Point at three-thirty a.m."

Shortly after, the parachuted weighted message drifted down into the Captain's garden bordering his cottage and was immediately spotted by the Captain himself who was keeping a lookout from the tool house. As the plane slowly circled overhead at a low altitude, Captain Morin using a flashlight signaled a semaphore message through the skylight in the tool house roof. "He's got it," Wainwright gave a chuckle. "He says there's a woman among the refugees. Great old boy, that."

Suddenly the navigator's voice came to Fenwick on the ear phones. "Man in rubber boat just below signaling for help, sir." Instantly the flying boat began to descend over the Channel until finally it alighted on the water's surface not far distant from the rubber boat which Farrel was paddling

towards it. A rope was thrown out, and a minute later he grasped Rufe Wainwright's outstretched hand and clambered through the side hatch with a grin. "Gosh, I'm in luck. Thanks a million, pal. Thought I'd be out there all night." Johnny followed Wainwright into the wardrobe of the plane and was soon rubbed down and into dry clothes. Returning after an interval from the adjoining rear compartment, with a tray of food, Wainwright informed him of their intention to pick up Captain Morin's refugees on the return journey, at three-thirty o'clock in the morning in the vicinity of Granville.

"Wish I could go with the rescue party," declared Rufe, grinning. "One of them it seems is a girl." Johnny's face underwent a change as a thought struck him. It grew tense and eager. "Do something for me, old fellow. Get permission for me to join the rescue party. I have a reason for asking. Will you do this for me, Wainwright?" Adrienne's face floated before Johnny's vision. Please God he would soon see her again. He'd recently had a letter from Adrienne by means of the underground postal service informing him she might shortly make the attempt to escape; somehow he felt she was the girl hidden in the old Captain's secret refuge. His thoughts were suddenly scattered by Wainwright's reappearance.

"It's O. K. with the skipper, buddy—you're welcome to join the party. Two of our men will put off at three o'clock in the rubber dinghy and you can all hide behind the cliffs until the refugees arrive." To Be Continued

GIRL SCOUT NEWS

The Greenville Girl Scout Leaders' Club met at the ECTC gymnasium on May 1 with Miss Nell Stallings as hostess. Those who attended enjoyed an evening of fun and frolic with May Day practice, college girls, and Miss Stallings were: Mrs. Paul Batchelor, Mrs. Sam Underwood, Mrs. Norman Scrivener, Mrs. J. G. Riddick and Mrs. J. T. Uzzle. Misses Sadie Little, Laura Lee and Helen Bason, college students and assistant scout leaders, were very kind and beneficial in giving us a boost with the song tunes and games that Miss Stallings had outlined for the leaders. It was quite a treat to be, or pretend, that we were young again, and to do a song and dance, trying to get the swing of the thing to be able to go back to troop meetings with these grand games, with a song thrown in for our scouts. After oodles of fun we adjourned to meet again when Miss Funderburke was in town.

The troops are in full swing this spring weather, each troop making definite plans about when they will

go to camp this summer down at Camp Hardee. Troop 4 and Mrs. Scrivener went down to Mr. Tripp's summer place last Thursday and had the time of their lives on a picnic. They will meet at Bonnie Green's house this week and let the local office congratulate this troop in re-registering on time.

Troop 5-A met down on the Little House property last Saturday with Mrs. J. B. Basset and their assistant leader, Lytle Batchelor. They had a grand time planning for the future and playing games. They also had the opportunity to meet Miss Elizabeth Moore, our business manager for Camp Hardee this summer. She came down from Raleigh for the week-end to make plans for camp this summer. Troop 5-B met at Mrs. Watson's with Mrs. Proctor, and plans and parts were given out for a play. Let's keep our eyes on the Brownies. Troop 6 took Mrs. Cheatham on a real fried chicken, chocolate cake picnic last Saturday out at Mrs. Dave Mosier's house, and they could have stayed all afternoon, if the rain hadn't brought them in.

Troop 8 seems quite settled in their new meeting place, Mrs. Paul Batchelor's basement, and are keeping their senior scout, Bonnie Green, and assistant leader busy as bees. Troop 9 welcomes their new leader, while Mrs. Ward is out of town. She is Mrs. O. R. Waters, and she is really getting down to work on

that cyclist badge. This troop is going to be first class, first thing anybody knows. Troop 12-A has been meeting over at the college gym, with Sadie Little, college assistant, giving them some grand exercises and games that the college girls are playing. Troop 12-B has had a nice ride on their bicycles and did they have fun! Cyclist badge coming up, I bet.

The Girl Scout cookies will soon be here, and the public will be called upon by scouts with their boxes of cookies. They are the same good quality as always, and you won't have to worry about dessert for a day or two. They will be sold downtown for the convenience of downtown shoppers. They were mighty hard to get this year, so it is a real treat to be able to have them on sale at this time. We expect them in about the last week in May, so be on the lookout for a scout and a box of cookies soon.

The Service League has chosen for their campship selectee this year a Brownie from Troop 6, Lillie Fry. We are proud of Lillie and know that she will always be grateful to the Service League for this award.

Troop 6 will not meet this Saturday as Mrs. Cheatham will be out of town, but next Saturday will be the day for Brownies of Troop 6. Plan to come and talk about going to Camp Hardee.

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Strength FOR THE DAY

By KARI L. DOUGLAS

THINKING THAT COUNTS Superficiality is a devastating curse in this modern age of ours.

Probably the worst aspect of superficiality is superficiality in thought. William Butler Yeates wrote with penetrating insight when he penned these words: "God guard me from those thoughts men think."

In mind alone, He that sings a lasting song "Thinks in a marrow bone." When we think, we have to think not just with our minds but to the very center of our beings—to the marrow of our bones.

The wisdom of the world's great thinkers has been that variety. That's the reason such men have become famous. The wisdom of the ages bids us think long and deeply before we speak.

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WASHINGTON IN WARTIME

By JACK STINNETT

Washington—Although the speech-making junket of Gov. John W. Bricker of Ohio to Oklahoma, Texas, Arkansas, Alabama and Florida on his quest for the Republican presidential nomination may seem, at first glance, to be a waste of time, political observers here think differently.

All those states have a total of only 109 out of 1,059 delegates to the GOP convention and observers feel that Governor Bricker and his advisers are certainly astute enough as politicians to realize that they won't count for much when ballots start flying at Chicago.

The question has been raised here: why then has Bricker chosen to waste valuable time and campaign funds making the rounds there?

The answer, observers believe, is that the governor is just doing what may be a little valuable missionary work for the Republican party—a lick that must be gotten in before the primaries since in all but a few congressional districts in those five states, nomination in the primaries is tantamount to election.

In other words, the Republicans see a possibility of giving the New Deal a good flogging in these states (and some others), not with Republicans, but with anti-New Deal Democrats.

Reports are that Senator Lister Hill, Democratic whip in the Senate, the man who nominated the President for the third term, and for the most part an ardent New Deal supporter, is expecting tough opposition from anti-administration opponents in Alabama.

There's also talk that Senator Claude Pepper, who has never swerved from the New Deal line, has a powerful opponent in Florida on an anti-Roosevelt platform, W. Lee "Pappy" O'Daniel, a Texas won his ticket to the Senate by lambasting the New Deal. The same is true of Senator E. H. Moore of Oklahoma, Democrat-turned-Republican.

What is true for the senators must be true for a good many of the House members.

It's hard to tell from here just how fair an appraisal of the situation...



some administration political leaders aren't very happy about it. Gov. Bricker's trip may have been inspired almost entirely by GOP strategists who are just taking out insurance against a possible defeat at the polls in November.

Beaumont-Le-Roger airfield 70 miles west of Paris. All the mediums and their escorts returned from the attack there and the raid on Cormelles-en-Vexin, 20 miles northwest of Paris.

The Air Ministry announced that Britain-based RAF heavy bombers in strength last night attacked railway yards at Lens and Lille, France, and at Gent and Courtrai, Belgium, while other bomber formations struck at military objectives on the French invasion coast.

The Air Ministry said the big night-flying bombers concentrated on one coastal objective this time, whereas on the previous night seven were hit by as many task forces, suggesting that whatever the objective might have been it was considered of prime importance to get such a sizeable dose of explosives.

Allied headquarters at Naples said that 33 planes were lost in yesterday's day and night assaults by Italy-based planes. Berlin radio claimed 51 Allied planes were destroyed, 41 of them heavy bombers.

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Jap Atrocities

(Continued From Page One) pected of helping guerrillas, mostly Australians, still fighting in the island sections of Malaya.

Other Sikhs told of being beaten frequently with sticks and rifle butts and of seeing their comrades put to death because they were ill. Lance Naik Gurman Singh related in this respect: "A close friend of mine reported to me the death of Havildar Bahadur Khan. He had become ill and apparently the Japanese decided against wasting time and medical supplies on him."

"Baladur Khan was given an injection and he died almost immediately. The same thing was done to at least 14 others that I know of in the same camp."

The prisoners were forced to build roads, repair airfields and dig silt trenches for the Japanese.

(Continued From Page One) off the commanding officers of each wave of invading troops as they hit the beaches.

On the British side of the channel, meanwhile, it was disclosed that emergency units are poised and ready to go into action on D day to evacuate and provide shelter and food for non-combatants of English coastal towns that are used as invasion springboards.

Preparations for re-establishing civil administrations in the Netherlands and Belgium after they are liberated were said to be nearly complete. It was learned last night that the governments of those two countries soon would sign agreements with Britain and the United States providing for civil officials to take over from the military.

(Continued From page one) The two new villages captured in Gen. Stilwell's Mogaung valley drive were not named in the communique.

Convention In

(Continued From Page One) Hortense Move introduced Mrs. James M. Salter of Durham, state president. Dr. Robert S. Boyd said the invocation. Mrs. Jones welcomed the delegates and Mayor Bruce Suggs extended greetings.

Mrs. Thomas W. Young of Durham, former state president, introduced the international president, Mrs. Eley's able discourse was timely and appropriate to wartime conditions. She encompassed in her wonderful message much of life's beneficial philosophy and flavored it with some sound and wholesome advice.

The banquet hall was attractively decorated. Purple and silver, the organization's colors, accentuated the color scheme on the banquet table with a long panel of purple topped with a silver cross and lovely summer flowers. Place cards were in similar motif. About 100 guests attended the banquet, one of the outstanding social events of the season.

Naval Clash Off Coast Of Norway

London, May 11—(AP)—An armed German trawler was torpedoed and sunk and two others were damaged off the Dutch coast today when light coastal forces of the British navy attacked a strong force of enemy patrol vessels while on a pre-invasion offensive sweep of the English channel, the British announced today.

The Admiralty, reporting that the British ships returned to harbor after suffering only superficial damage and minor casualties among the crew, said one of the damaged trawlers was left burning.

A German broadcast before Admiralty announcement told of the encounter off the Netherlands and also of one off Eiba island in the Mediterranean. Losses on both sides were reported.

Escape From Coal Mine Stettlarton, May 11—(AP)—Two men trapped for more than 13 hours by a mass of fallen coal in a shaft here were rescued uninjured early today.

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Carries Hitler's Reply To Turkey

Istanbul, May 11—(AP)—German Ambassador Franz Von Papen was back in Istanbul today after a hurried trip to the Reich and presumably he had with him Adolf Hitler's reply to Turkey on the latter's sudden stoppage of chrome shipments to Germany.

Von Papen was accompanied by the German military and commercial attaches, but it was considered significant that his party did not include Dr. Karl Glodius, head of the German Trade Commission, who negotiated the pact a year ago.

WILSON'S WEEKLY Bulletin



Whether she resembles Whistler's Mother or is a gay young thing in victor garden overalls, the American mother has surely shown that she has what it takes. Let's honor her Sunday for the job she is doing for the war effort—factory, store, office, school room or home. Let's give her a party dinner.

Pork Supreme In Corn Bread Ring

1 1/2 lb. cubed pork shoulder 2 tsp. fat 1/2 cup onion, sliced 2 1/2 cups celery, sliced

KEEP MOTHER OUT On "her" day of the year, why not keep Mother out of the kitchen and surprise her with a humdinger of a Sunday dinner?

WILSON'S CERTIFIED MARGARINE in each potato and sprinkle with paprika Lucious!

Use Mom's favorite corn bread recipe. If you don't have a ring mold, bake it in a shallow pan and cut in squares.

Everybody helps but Mom Dad and the older children can make the main dish, shell the peas and wash the vegetables for the salad tray while a smaller tot sets the table.

More food must be grown in Victory Gardens this year. Do your share by bringing out boys born sooner, safer.

Lost "Pep"



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WILSON'S WEEKLY Bulletin By George Pecton Food and Nutrition Consultant to Wilson & Co. QUEEN FOR A DAY



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Crossword Puzzle

Table with crossword puzzle grid and clues. Clues include: 1. Arrive, 2. Small soft mace, 3. Mournful, 4. Dilated, 5. Sheep, 6. Star in Lyra, 7. Chief actor, 8. Rodent, 9. Epochs, 10. Small apron, 11. Seat in church, 12. More lately acquired, 13. Timber tree, 14. War fleet, 15. Late coma, 16. Number, 17. Covers with a hard surface, 18. Fencing sword, 19. Weakens, 20. Slave, 21. Anger, 22. Orchard meal, 23. Urchin, 24. Regard too highly, 25. Not so much, 26. Trunk of a tree, 27. Filled tree, 28. Having an offensive odor, 29. Child, 30. Edible tuber, 31. One of the Roman Fates, 32. Salt, 33. Appear, 34. Look after, 35. Grotto, 36. Sound-magnifying device, 37. Insect, 38. One opposed, 39. Old member, 40. Run around, 41. Himalayan, 42. Dwellings, 43. Edible seaweed, 44. Act out of sorts, 45. Sailor, 46. Always, 47. Protective garments, 48. Town in Pennsylvania, 49. Lawful, 50. Tipping to one, 51. Century plant, 52. Prong, 53. Kind of cheese, 54. Scrutinize, 55. Precious stone.

Solution Of Yesterday's Puzzle

DOWN 1. Grotto, 2. Sound-magnifying device, 3. Insect, 4. Run out, 5. Opposed, 6. Old member, 7. Run around, 8. Himalayan, 9. Dwellings, 10. Edible seaweed, 11. Act out of sorts, 12. Sailor, 13. Always, 14. Protective garments, 15. Town in Pennsylvania, 16. Lawful, 17. Tipping to one, 18. Century plant, 19. Prong, 20. Kind of cheese, 21. Scrutinize, 22. Precious stone.

New Jap Drive

(Continued from page one) added emphasis on the possibility of a general westward drive toward the old walled city of Sian in Shensi province, natural gateway to Szechwan and the provisional capital at Chungking.

The brown trout originally came from Europe.

WANT ADS PAY

SAYS HITLER TO BE KILLED

Predicts German People Will Turn On Leaders

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 11—(AP)—A University of Michigan psychologist, who forecast the Munich failure, predicted today that German people will liquidate Hitler on the heels of a successful Allied invasion.

Dr. Norman R. Maler, whose research work in frustration won the 1938 award of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, said his prediction was based upon painstaking laboratory experiments in behaviorism.

Asserting that the Germans "belong to a frustrated society," Maler said that even now a revolution is brewing in the Nazi nation which Hitler has staved off by "security bait."

When the "myths" of new secret weapons and the invincibility of Fortress Europe are blasted, the psychologist declared, "nothing can save Hitler."

It might be well, Maler suggested in a statement issued through university channels, for Allied generals to permit their leaders before setting up what he described as "dangerous war guilt trials."

"Hitler unified the frustrated German people by giving them a release through aggression," he said. "Now, this aggression itself has been frustrated, and in addition the residents of the Reich are being punished by gigantic bombing raids beyond their ability to endure."

"They are powerless to strike back at their enemies, and will inevitably turn to fighting among themselves."

The psychologist warned that in peace discussions the Allies must regard punishment as "dynamic."

"Extreme punishment will strengthen the German people's habit of warfare rather than remove it," he declared.

Phantoms Lose To La Grange

In spite of the fact that the Phantoms out-hit their opponents yesterday they suffered their fifth defeat of the season to the tune of six to one at LaGrange.

The LaGrange nine accounted for two runs in the first and one in the second to take the lead which proved too much for Greenville to overcome. The game, twice interrupted by rain was tit-for-tat from the third inning on with both teams playing air-tight ball. Only three errors were committed during the game, two by Greenville and one by LaGrange.

Amos Leggett scored for the Greensies in the sixth after hitting a two-bagger into deep right field. In the eighth the Phantoms threatening a rally with two outs, sent runners to second and third but it died at that point. In the eighth LaGrange added two more runs to their four-one lead.

"Spooky" Morgan went all the way on the mound for the locals and gave up only five hits while his teammates collected eight safeties off Conrath, the LaGrange pitcher.

Nazis Claim ...

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west of the river. The area was said to contain "dominating mountain ranges" and to have strengthened the Axis front line guarding the approaches to the Galati gap in Romania, between the Carpathians and the Danube estuary.

Moscow reported tremendous damage in Sevastopol with the center of the Black Sea port "destroyed or ruined."

Experienced British naval experts predicted the Russians would have the big port in working condition to "some degree" shortly and that the recapture of the base would give Soviet airman dominance of the entire Black sea area, easing the problem of feeding supplies to the Crimea and Ukraine over water routes instead of long rail hauls.

Capture of the city, which was announced early yesterday by Marshal Stalin, was proclaimed by the Moscow radio as a "happy augury" on the "eve of great impending events."

The Russians reported no important changes yesterday on the long eastern front. The next Russian move was a matter of speculation, but Lwow, old Polish gateway to eastern Europe and Galati, astride the route to the oil fields of Romania, were regarded here as the next major objectives of the Red armies.

The Moscow radio, reviewing air activity for the past week by the Russians, said Red airman and anti-aircraft defenses had destroyed 300 German planes. During the past month, the broadcast said, airman of the Black Sea fleet sank more than 100 enemy ships, 30 during the last week, including "several transport ships with a total displacement of 25,000 tons."

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Women IN THE CHURCH

Despite the plea of many leading Methodist women and ministers that "women be included in the traveling ministry" of the Methodist church, the general conference of the denomination in recent session defeated the proposal by almost two to one. Five years ago, a similar proposal was lost by only 12 votes. Proponents of the measure included Mrs. J. D. Brazg, president of the Woman's Society of Christian Service in the church—a body of more than a million women. Women may now be ordained to the Methodist ministry as "local preachers" but cannot become members of the annual conference which assign men to the "traveling ministry."

For the first time in the history of the Young Woman's Christian Association in India, an Indian woman has been named national general secretary, the highest executive office. She is Miss Sosa Mathew, and she succeeds in that office the Methodist minister, Miss Anne Guthrie. The ceremony of the "lighted lamp" in which the new secretary received the symbol of the office from her predecessor, was recently held in the chapel of Isabella Thoburn College, Lucknow, before a body of 140 delegates from Y. W. C. A. in India, China, Burma, Ceylon and Egypt. Among those present were Lady Rani Matiaraj Singh, national president of the Y. W. C. A. of India, and Madam Tsai-Kwei, general secretary of the Y. W. C. A. of China.

Mrs. Estella Searles Howard, described by a Puerto Rico newspaper as "a Christian in the most fundamental sense of the term," has retired after serving for seven years as superintendent of the George O. Robinson school, operating in San Juan, Puerto Rico, under the auspices of the Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service. Mrs. Howard served with her husband as a missionary in southern Rhodesia; Africa, for 14 years and later helped to supervise activities of a school in Georgia. During her administration the Puerto Rico institution has undergone extensive improvements. It will open next fall with accommodations for 135 girls and a staff of 25 persons. Miss Verr H. Self is the newly appointed superintendent.

BASEBALL

STANDINGS			
National League			
	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	13	5	.722
Philadelphia	10	5	.667
Cincinnati	9	6	.600
Pittsburgh	7	6	.538
Brooklyn	8	8	.500
New York	8	9	.471
Chicago	1	13	.071

American League			
	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	13	5	.722
New York	9	5	.643
Washington	8	7	.533
Cleveland	9	9	.500
Chicago	8	9	.471
Philadelphia	7	9	.438
Boston	6	10	.375
Detroit	6	12	.333

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

National League
St. Louis 4, Brooklyn 2.
Philadelphia 7, Chicago 1.

American League
Detroit 4, New York 2.
Philadelphia 9, Chicago 0.
Cleveland 5, Boston 4.

The speckled trout is really a char.

Roosevelt On ...

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ing evidence that party faithful who want him to run again have become increasingly confident that he will accept a draft nomination.

In Florida, Senator Andrews, a Democrat who has supported most of the administration's program declared for a fourth term with the assertion "there is no man other than the President capable of leading this nation through the vital years to come."

Washington politicians were inclined to attribute significance also to an hour's conference yesterday between the President and Senator Wheeler (D-Mont), one of the chief congressional critics of the administration. They counted this meeting, the first between the two in four years, as part of the harmony campaign in which party leaders have attempted to patch up the rift caused by the 1938 attempt "ouster" when Mr. Roosevelt openly opposed the renomination of some congressional Democrats.

Wheeler said politics was not discussed at the meeting, adding that he was still opposed to a fourth term. He has said in the past, however, that some party leaders have made friendly overtures to him.

Republicans watched closely, meanwhile, an attempt by the National Association of Colored People to obtain a statement from New York's Gov. Thomas E. Dewey on the anti-poll tax bill now before the senate.

The association asked Dewey, who is the leading prospect for a Republican presidential nomination with 264 pledged and claimed delegates, to use his influence with Republican senators to support the bill.

Late counts on West Virginia's Tuesday primary indicated that 19 Republican delegates either openly supporting or leaning toward Dewey were leading.

Jefferson Standard Buys Realty Co.

Greensboro, May 11—(AP)—The Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Company purchased for \$1,525,000 the entire capital stock of the Southeastern Realty Company, of Greensboro, consisting of 2,146 shares, thereby acquiring ownership of valuable real estate holdings here and in Wilmington, Raleigh, Burlington and Spencer, it was announced by Julian Price, Jefferson Standard president.

The insurance company's purchase was made from Oscar W. Burnett, Thomas C. Darst, Jr., and associates of Greensboro, who previously had acquired the Southeastern stock from members of the Cone family, former owners.

At the end of 1943, the U. S. aviation industry produced planes and spare parts at the rate of 81 million a month.

Madame Kai-Shek Still In Chungking

Chungking, May 11—(AP)—Mrs. Chiang Kai-Shek, wife of the Chinese generalissimo, and President Sun Fo of the Chinese legislative Yuan, were in the Chinese capital today, and not, as the German radio reported, engaged in negotiations with Moscow.

Mrs. Chiang will broadcast from here to America tomorrow night. President Sun Fo attended to his governmental affairs in the city as usual during the day.

Earlier, the Berlin radio had broadcast a report that Mrs. Chiang and Sun Fo had arrived in Moscow to conduct negotiations on frontier problems and on relations between the Chungking government and Chinese communists.

Three Children Drawn

Wilmington, May 11—(AP)—Three children fell into the intracoastal waterway near Carolina beach yesterday and apparently drowned.

They were Norlene Holt, 12, Ray Holt, 5, and Jimmy Holt, 3, children of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Holt.

Colored News

Report On Whitehurst School. The Whitehurst school has had a very successful year. Everyone worked together to make the community better.

During the school term, \$18 was raised and contributed to the Bethel high school library, Junior Red Cross, T. B. Seal Sale, Orphanage, State P. T. A., Infantile Paralysis fund and for Library books.

Improvement has been made on the school grounds and Mrs. Dora Tillet, the teacher, has done her part well to cooperate in every program.

Dewey Opposed To Poll Taxes

Albany, N. Y., May 11—(AP)—Governor Thomas E. Dewey today asserted his opposition to poll taxes "and every other device to deprive free people of their votes."

Dewey, prospective Republican nominee for president, sent a telegram to Walter White, secretary of the National Association for Advancement of Colored People, at Washington, which said:

"I have your telegram concerning the fight against the poll tax now pending in the United States Senate. My views on this subject are well known. I have always fought against the poll tax and every other device to deprive free people of their votes."

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of Leon Smith, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Greenville North Carolina, on or before the 10th day of April, 1945, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 7th day of April, 1944.
LENNA A. SMITH,
Administratrix of Leon Smith
James L. Evans, Atty.
Apr. 10-11w-6wk.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

North Carolina—Pitt County. Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Carl W. Sermons, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at his office in Greenville, N. C., on or before the 26th day of April, 1945, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 27th day of April, 1944.
M. C. SERMONS, Administrator of Carl W. Sermons.
Apr. 27-11w-6wk.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

North Carolina—Pitt County. Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Samuel Sugg, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at his office in Greenville, N. C., on or before the 17th day of April, 1945, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

PRELIMINARY CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION

State of North Carolina Department of State To All To Whom These Presents May Come—Greeting:

Whereas, it appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that Coburn's Shoes, Incorporated, a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated at No. 410 Evans Street, in the City of Greenville, County of Pitt, State of North Carolina (C. D. Coburn being the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served), has complied with the requirements of Chapter 55, General Statutes, entitled "Corporations," preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate of Dissolution:

Now Therefore, I, Thad Eure, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 29th day of April, 1944, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing of the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said

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SPECIALS

For Friday & Saturday

- Pure Lard in packages, 2 lbs. 34c
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- New Corned Herring, dozen 20c
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- 12-oz. can Kingan's Spiced Luncheon Meat 31c
- Maxwell House Coffee, lb. 29c
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- Green Cabbage, lb. 5c
- No. 1 cans Tomato Soup 5c
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Remember Mother On Mothers Day
She Remembers You Every Day

Special Prices On Gifts Suitable For Mother
Mother's Day Pictures, with appropriate motto, \$1.00 value. Special 75c

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values up to \$10.00. Special \$4.95

New Shipment of Hats, Bought Especially
For Mother's Day

One lot Full Fashion Hose, Special, pair 45c
Blouses, Skirts, Underwear—Special Low Prices

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Let the thermometer climb... you'll be refreshingly coolly efficient in your smart Dixie Weave suit! Dixie Weave is carefully tailored of lightweight all wool fabric.

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Men's shoes that give you extra value. You can proudly use Airplane No. 1, or your new stamp, Airplane No. 2, on these smart shoes.

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JUST RECEIVED SHIPMENT All Steel Bed Springs—\$9 and \$11. Quinn-Miller & Stroud, Greenville 11-24

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BROWN SUGAR CROWDER Peas; Gray Crowder and large Blackeye Peas; Soybeans, several varieties; Calcium Arsenate; Arsenate of Lead; Paris Green; Roll Roofing, four kinds; Cement, Bricks, Cement Blocks, Dad's Hatchery and Seed Store, Ayden, N. C. 10-4f

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PAINT YOUR HOME NOW. WE have a good supply of inside and outside house paints. Dial 3595, Cozart's Auto Supply. 8-6f

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WANTED IMMEDIATELY—TWO experienced garment pressers. Also one silk presser. Sunshine Cleaners. 8-1f

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No. 6
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125 to 175 Negro women, ages 18 to 40, wanted immediately for work in Greenville on military camouflage nets. Work will last about 90 days. Previous experience unnecessary.

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The Movies Today

PITT—Ginger Rogers, Ray Milland, "Lady in the Dark."
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Bond Advertising Measure Is Killed

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Chairman Sabath (D-Ill) said the committee voted the bill down, but he did not disclose the margin.

The measure would provide for an annual outlay of \$15,000,000 to be spent in all weeklies and in dailies published in cities of less than 25,000 population.

Critics of the bill have contended that newspapers now grant much more space voluntarily to war bond promotion than the government ever could pay for.

The committee action kills the bill, at least temporarily, because the rules group decides which measures get to the floor.

Marine Flier Killed
Norfolk, Va., May 11—(AP)—When his navy land plane crashed near Morehead City, N. C., yesterday, Staff Sergeant John Richard Larson, USMC, of Long Beach, N. Y., was killed. It was announced today by the Fifth naval district public relations office here.

His next of kin is listed as his aunt, Anna Petersen, 100 East Hudson Street, Long Beach.

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