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ALLIED OPEN NEW DRIVE IN ITALY

Allied Bombers Hammer German Targets Today

More Than 3,500 Aircraft Take Part In Days Activities; Day-Long Assault By Americans Followed RAF Night Attacks On Brunswick And Dortmund

By AUSTIN BEALMEAR London, May 23.—(AP)—Approximately 3,500 Allied planes battered Hitler's Europe today in a day-long assault in which more than 5,000 tons of explosives were loosed on German airbases, freight yards and other military objectives in the fifth day of the renewed pre-invasion aerial offensive.

An armada of up to 750 American Liberators and Flying Fortresses began the daylight smashes in a dawn attack on French and German targets after more than 1,000 British night bombers had hit Dortmund and Brunswick in Germany and other continental objectives.

Of the more than 1,700 planes—including fighters—making the American daylight raid one bomber and three fighters failed to return. The British night attacks cost 35 RAF planes.

Targets of the American attacks included rail yards at Epinal and Chaumont and airbases at Avord, Orleans-Briey, Bourges, Etampes-Mondestre, Caen and Chateaudun, all in France. Targets within Germany were not identified immediately.

The great force of American fighters—more than 1,000 escorted the big bombers on the morning missions—kept German opposition at a respectable distance and the headquarters announcement said that only one bomber formation encountered German fighter opposition and this was scattered by the P-38 Lightnings, P-47 Thunderbolts and P-51 Mustangs.

In all the night and daylight attacks, some 1,700 heavy bombers, 1,300 fighters and 500 miscellaneous types were estimated to have borne the equivalent of an American division of 15,000 men deep inside Hitler's invasion front.

The Vichy radio network left the air again early tonight, signaling perhaps a last-minute pick-up of the day's assaults which may make them among the war's heaviest.

Late this evening the German radio also was still broadcasting warnings of Allied planes over western Germany.

The first crack of dawn brought out the day attackers. While the American heavy bombers were unloading their deadly cargoes on a wide assortment of installations, the U.S. Army Air Corps was attacking the German invasion front, many of the Mustangs, Lightnings and Thunderbolts in the unusually strong fighter escort probably swooped low to shoot up other objectives.

Still other fighters—RAF Mustangs—carried out supporting raids over miles of enemy-held territory to strike targets of opportunity in a continuation of the new phase of the western air war carried out by low-flying American and British fighter planes.

These latest attacks brought to around 22,000 tons the total weight of explosives dumped by Allied aircraft flying from both Britain and Italy during the last five days.

The German radio reported further (Continued on page four)

Christens Ship



To Sari Earlyn Berman (above), four-year-old New Orleans girl, went the honor of christening the SS George W. Alther in New Orleans on Maritime Day (yesterday). Her merchant marine father was lost with his ship early in the war. The ship she was chosen to christen is named for a Dorchester, Mass. merchant marine officer who died in enemy action off Sicily. Shipyard officials said they believed Sari one of the youngest ever to christen a vessel.

STRIKE ENDS AT DETROIT

Chrysler Workers Ordered Back To Their Jobs

Detroit, May 23.—(AP)—The Chrysler Corp. strike causing idleness for nearly 12,000 war workers was called off suddenly today by the executive board of Local 400, United Automobile Workers (CIO).

Ordering strikers back to work, the local's executive board took its action a day before its membership was to appear before the parent UAW-CIO's highest councils "with facts and witnesses" to explain the strike.

President R. J. Thomas and co-officials of the NAW-CIO had ordered the local's leaders to appear before the UAW-CIO's international executive board tomorrow. At the (Continued on Page Four)

Weather Forecast From 7:30 p. m., Tuesday, May 23, until 7:30 p. m. Saturday, May 27: Partly cloudy and continued warm during the period with widely scattered thundershowers. Precipitation amounts mostly light.

Today On The Home Front

JAMES MARLOW and GEORGE ZIELKE

Washington, May 23.—(AP)—There's an old saying in Louisiana, when an election official is suspected of stuffing a ballot box, that he "voted chickens and tombstones."

This is a way of saying that, to offset legitimate votes cast against his candidate by real people, he filled the ballot box with the names of imaginary people, dead people or people no longer in that voting precinct.

The Supreme Court now has raised a club over that kind of fraud by saying it violates federal law but only, of course, when it occurs in a congressional election.

The maximum penalty, if convicted, is a fine of \$5,000 and 10 years in jail.

This is the first time the Supreme Court has ruled that stuffing ballot boxes is a federal crime. In the past it has given opinions on other phases of election cheating.

boxes. Until now the states considered this offense strictly a state affair outside government jurisdiction and it still is when only state elections are involved.

But henceforth, for such fraud in congressional elections, offenders be tried not only in state courts but also in federal courts.

Yesterday's opinion involved an alleged "conspiracy" by some Kentucky officials to stuff ballot boxes. So the ruling applied only to conspiracies.

This would seem to mean that if a single official was accused of stuffing a ballot box, he could not be tried under federal law. Interpreting a single man's action as a conspiracy would be difficult.

But the attorney general's office says there is another section of the law under which an individual election official could be prosecuted in federal court for stuffing a ballot box even though the Supreme Court has not ruled specifically on an individual's action.

The court restated that it is not a federal crime to bribe a voter to (Continued on page four)

TAX BILL SENT TO PRESIDENT

Leaders Predict President Will Approve Measure

By FRANCIS M. LE MAY Washington, May 23.—(AP)—In an emphatic answer to the annual March tax howl over decimals and digits, congress today sent to the White House legislation simplifying the return process for 50,000,000 income taxpayers.

Leaders said the President certainly will sign the "streamlined" into law.

Passed unanimously by the house, and by a voice vote in the senate—thus setting a popularity record for a major tax measure—the "painless" tax bill would relieve some 30,000,000 persons of the necessity of ever computing another federal income tax return. In addition it simplifies tax paying procedures for the other 20,000,000.

The measure rearranges the whole individual income tax structure, discarding the two-year-old wartime "victory" tax and setting new normal and surtax rates and exemptions—while keeping the actual tax burdens at substantially present levels for most persons.

Effective next January, the withholding system would be adjusted to take the full tax liability for wage and salary persons, earning up to \$5,000. Thus the withholding levy would become the actual tax, beginning next year, for 30,000,000 taxpayers. They would owe no more at the end of the tax year.

No change would be made in amounts withheld from pay envelopes this year, but the government itself would compute the taxes on 1944 income for those with wages and salaries of \$5,000 and less.

The measure would add some 100,000 new taxpayers earning between \$555 and \$624, while shifting to the status of income taxpayers approximately 9,000,000 persons now subject to the victory tax but with incomes not large enough to come under present income levies.

Generally, in the reshuffling to attain a two-tax system to supplant the present three-way—victory, normal and surtax—take from taxpayers' pockets, the legislation eases the burden for persons with large families, while increasing somewhat the load for childless married couples. This results from a flat \$500 (Continued on Page Four)

LIGHT VOTE IS EXPECTED

Gubernatorial Race Feature Of Saturday's Primary

Raleigh, May 23.—(AP)—Veteran political observers here were predicting today a light vote in Saturday's primary.

Various estimates place the state's voting strength at more than 600,000 in the 1,900-odd precincts, with more than 100,000 of this number of the armed forces. A small percentage of the service personnel is expected to take advantage of the absentee voting privileges.

Polls will open at 6:30 a. m. and close at 6:30 p. m.

Keenest interest in the campaign appeared to be in the race for the Democratic nomination for governor, R. Gregg Cherry of Gastonia, Dr. Ralph McDonald of Winston-Salem and Chapel Hill, and Olla R. Boyd of Pinetown are the candidates.

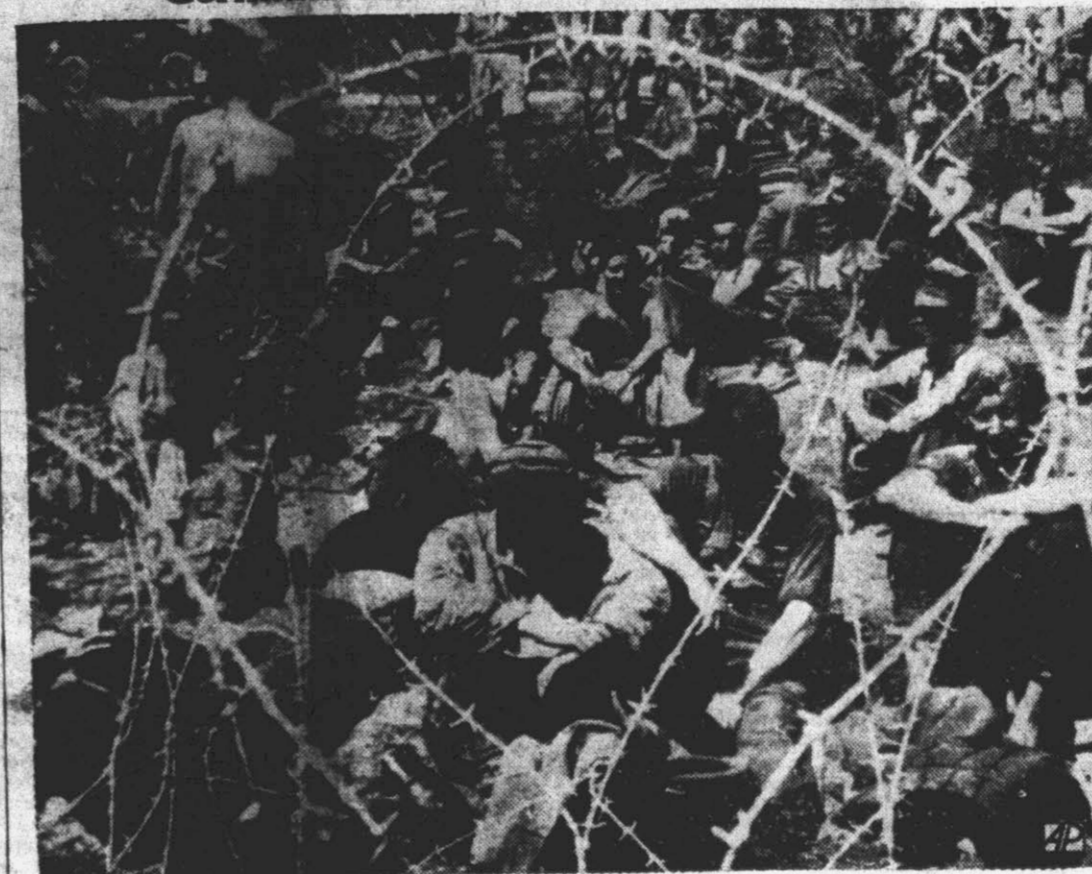
Active campaigns have been waged (Continued on Page Four)

Jap Plane Loss Heavy In Burma

Southeast Asia Headquarters, Kandy, Ceylon, May 23.—(AP)—Long Range U. S. Mustang and Lightning fighters have destroyed 213 Japanese aircraft—78 in combat and 135 ground—in attacks on enemy airfields in Burma in the last 10 weeks at cost of three fighters, an Allied resume declared today.

In addition, the resume said, 31 enemy planes probably have been destroyed and 58 have been damaged.

Germany Out Of Action In New Offensive



Behind the spiked lacwork of a barbed wire compound, German soldiers taken prisoners in the new offensive by the Eighth Army relax cheerfully under guard by British soldiers in the San Angelo area. This photo was made in Italy May 16. (AP Wirephoto).

Chinese Cut Old Burma Road Near The Frontier

Rains Slowing Stilwell's Efforts To Seize Myitkyina; Allies Improve Positions In East India

Chungking, May 23.—(AP)—The Chinese high command announced today that Chinese forces striking for the Burma border from the Salween river have cut the old Burma road at Chefang, only 28 miles from the Burma frontier.

The Chinese victory isolated the main enemy Burma road base at Luning, 35 miles to the northeast, by cutting its supply route from Mandalay. The communique said the Japanese garrison at Chefang was encircled and wiped out by the advancing Chinese.

These forces driving westward across Yunnan province in western China now stand less than 100 airline miles from American and Chinese forces in North Burma engaging the Japanese in hand-to-hand combat for Myitkyina.

Heavy rains are continuing to delay operations around Myitkyina and there has been no material change in the battle for that Japanese base in northern Burma, already one-third occupied by Allied troops, a communique from Lt. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell's headquarters announced today.

"The slow work of eliminating savagely resisting pockets of Japanese, who evidently are prepared to die in their dugouts and behind log entrenchments, continues," the bulletin said.

In the Mogaung valley northwest of Myitkyina, the communique said, the Japanese renewed attempts to reinforce their men isolated at Wangong, but twice were thrown back.

West of the Mogaung river several pickets of Japanese resistance were reported wiped out southwest of Malakawng.

"Six to eight Japanese dead, were left behind in each place," the communique added.

The Chinese advance which cut the old Burma road also severed the enemy's chief means of supplying forces in southwestern China. There is an alternate route from Teng-chung to Ghamo, in Burma, but it is only a trail and far inferior to the old road.

Other Chinese forces north of the Burma road were reported continuing their attacks on Japanese garrisons surrounded at Chaikungtang and Tatungtu, where the enemy's supplies were said to be "critically low."

More than 200 enemy dead were counted by the conquerors of Chefang, the communique said, adding that heavy rains had slowed operations over the entire area.

Chungking, May 23.—(AP)—Field dispatches said tonight the Chinese army had started a big counter-offensive in Honan province regarding the number of important strategic points.

No details were available immediately. (Continued on page four)

HIGH FINALS AT COLLEGE

Exercises At Wright Auditorium Tomorrow Night

Sixty seniors of Greenville High School will receive their diplomas at commencement exercises at Wright Memorial Auditorium, East Carolina Teachers College tomorrow night at eight o'clock.

In addition to the 60 graduates there are 33 former members of this year's class who received their diplomas last summer through speed-up courses in summer school or by passage of college entrance examinations.

Again following the commencement plan adopted last year there will be no visiting speaker and the principal address will be delivered by Richard Worsley, one of the graduates. Diplomas will be awarded by J. B. James, chairman of the board of trustees, and O. E. Dowd, high school principal.

The evening's program will be as follows: Senior Processional—"God of Our (Continued on Page Four)

STALIN HOLDS KEY TO PEACE

Postwar Merchant Marine To Be A Big World Factor

Boston, May 23.—(AP)—Premier Josef Stalin of Russia holds in his hands the power to help mold the future pattern of Europe and Asia, a factor which must be considered in planning a post-war merchant marine, according to Joseph P. Kennedy.

Speaking at a Maritime Day dinner last night the former ambassador to Great Britain said that "forces have been unleashed which may require years to control."

Answers to such vital questions as the American attitude toward other countries and the speed with which post-war economic and social life revives "lie not in the State Department nor in the foreign office, but in the mind of a single statesman." (Continued on page two)

Quiet Prevails On Russian Front

London, May 23.—(AP)—Small-scale German reconnaissance attacks in the area of Tiraspol in the lower Dniester river valley were reported today by Moscow as a lull continued along the rest of the long eastern front—a lull which military commentators on both sides again predicted would end soon.

The Nazi attacks yesterday along the Dniester battle line were repulsed and 300 Germans were killed in the sporadic fighting, said a Russian communique broadcast by Moscow and recorded by the Soviet Monitor here.

There were no essential changes along the entire land front, the war bulletin said, but declared 23 Nazi planes were destroyed during the last two days in air combats or by anti-aircraft fire.

MacArthur And Halsey Confer

Somewhere in Australia, May 23.—(AP)—Gen. Douglas MacArthur and Adm. William F. Halsey conferred here officially last week concerning future operations against the Japanese.

While here Admiral Halsey was a guest of Vice Adm. Thomas Kincaid, commander of the 7th U. S. fleet in the southwest Pacific, the fleet which supports MacArthur's Hollandia-Aitape landings.

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Fifth Army Begins Big Offensive From Anzio In Move To Trap Nazis

BURHAM CASE IS UNSOLVED

Search For Body Of Missing Woman Continues

Durham, May 23.—(AP)—Durham police said it might be necessary to drain a 60-acre lake near here as further dragging operations today failed to yield a clue to the whereabouts of Mrs. Edward M. Jewett, 67, wealthy Boonville, Mo., woman, reported missing for nearly two weeks.

Meantime her 24-year-old grandson, Edward Jewett Martin, a Charlotte chemist, was held in jail here on an open charge. By the advice of his attorney, Victor S. Bryant, he declined to make any statement.

Dragging of Eastwood lake, which is 20 to 30 feet deep in places, was started yesterday and was resumed early today but was temporarily suspended when some three hours of effort were fruitless. Officers went into conference to decide their future course.

A report yesterday that a heavy wooden box, resembling a trunk, had been recovered from the lake was incorrect.

Mrs. Jewett, who had lived in Charlotte for two years, was last reported seen May 10 at a hotel in Boonville, where she was driven by Martin to inspect some of her property.

Detective C. W. Gates, directing the investigation, said searches found on the lake bank an impression made by a trunk or heavy box, tire tracks indicating an automobile had been backed close to the water, and a rowboat nearby that had been out from its moorings.

Gates said Martin was arrested Saturday after garagemen reported that a blood-spattered automobile emanating offensive odors had been parked at their place.

The officer added that in Martin's hotel room were found bloody clothing, a woman's purse, a new unused metal chopper and a hatchet; a woman's broken, bloody wristwatch, a broken pair of spectacles, a diamond ring and a can of spot remover in the glove compartment of the car; and a garbage can containing a woman's blood-soaked clothing and a new recently-used shovel, pair of bolt cutters and a new plow line at a Durham house rented by Martin.

The detective also said Martin had on his person a deposit slip for \$6,000 on a Charlotte bank dated May 13, and an unsigned copy of (Continued on page four)

The WAR TODAY

AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEWS

By DE WITT MACKENZIE Associated Press War Analyst

The battle of Italy swelled in fury today as the Germans continued to fling reinforcements into sectors threatened by the Allied onslaught, thus giving further indication of the importance which Hitler attaches to the holding of this front.

The German DNB news agency says the fighting is comparable with the bloody conflicts "on the Somme, at Verdun and in Flanders during the last war." And Brendan Bracken, Britain's colorful minister of information, declares that the struggle "is beyond description" and that the Germans are receiving one of the greatest thrashings in their history from the forces under General Sir Harold Alexander.

Berlin itself tacitly admits the dangers of Field Marshal General Kesselring's position, as the propagandists are diligently preparing the public for a further retreat which may carry the Nazi forces clear back into northern Italy—if they are able to reach there. In this connection we should bear in mind that the Allied command has

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A battlefront dispatch declared "the whole Liri valley seemed to erupt today" as the Eighth army crunched against Hitler line positions some 40 miles east of the beachhead.

"The battle in Italy has started upon a new phase," Allied headquarters declared.

"An attack by the Fifth army beachhead force started early in the morning May 23 in conjunction with an attack by the Eighth army against the Hitler line and continued action by the Fifth army on the coastal sector."

No details of today's fighting are available yet, headquarters added.

(A Berlin broadcast declared "it appears that the Anglo-United States command in south Italy intends to force success at all costs and today" as the Eighth army crunched against Hitler line positions some 40 miles east of the beachhead.)

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RATION GUIDE

Foods—Blue AS through QS, good indefinitely. Meats—Red AS through TS, good indefinitely. Sugar—Stamps 30 and 31, good indefinitely. Shoes—Airplane Stamps 1 and 2. Gasoline—A-10 coupons.

# Social and Personal

Sammy White, who graduated this week from McCallie's School for Boys in Chattanooga, Tenn., will arrive today to spend the summer.

Friends of Miss Mary Alice May will reeret to know that she is critically ill at her home 1006 Chestnut street.

Mrs. J. S. Barr, Major and Mrs. Philip Coleman and little son, Philip Jr., of Blackstone, Va. will arrive on Saturday. Mrs. Barr and Mrs. Coleman and son will remain in Greenville for the duration.

Mrs. Alton Clapp has returned from a visit in Myrtle Beach and Mullins, S. C.

Mrs. Wiley Brown, Mrs. Milton White and Mr. Wyan Brown left today for Parkton to attend the graduation of Miss Mary Brown, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Adrian Brown. Tomorrow they will go to Greensboro where Mrs. Brown will attend the alumnae meeting of Greensboro College.

Lt. Col. Worth Wicker and Mrs. Wicker, former residents of Greenville, were here today.

Charles Bailey Davenport who recently graduated from McCallie's School for Boys in Chattanooga, will arrive today to spend the summer.

Conor Merritt arrived today from McCallie's School for Boys in Chattanooga to spend several weeks with his mother, Mrs. R. C. Merritt.

Friends of Belva Joyce Allen will be glad to learn that she is improving after an appendectomy in Pitt General Hospital.

Mrs. Paul Fitzgerald has returned to her home from Pitt General Hospital.

No Prayer Service. On account of graduation exercises at the high school there will be no prayer meeting at the Memorial Baptist Church Wednesday night.

Mr. Sigmon's Mother Dies. Mrs. Bryce Sigmon and children were called to Denver, N. C., today on account of the death of Mr. Sigmon's mother, Mrs. W. E. Sigmon, who had been in declining health for some time. The funeral is expected to be held Thursday afternoon.

Birth Announcement. Mr. and Mrs. Jasper L. Tripp announce the birth of a daughter, Judith Lucille, on Sunday, May 21, 1944, in Pitt General Hospital.

Greenville Lions To Attend State Meeting. It was announced yesterday that 10 members of the Lions Club of Greenville had made reservations in Charlotte for the Lions Club state convention on June 11, 12 and 13. The convention will include all three districts of Lions Clubs in North Carolina. All 100 North Carolina clubs are expected to have representatives at the wartime convention.

The convention this year will have an atmosphere of wartime activity and cooperation on the home front. Features of the conference will emphasize the tremendous efforts being made and to be made by Lions in North Carolina to aid in victory.

Sixty-eight per cent of Australia's citizens between 14 and 65 are under arms or in war work.

## Social Calendar

**TUESDAY**  
8:00 p. m.—Withla Council degree of Pocahontas will meet.

**WEDNESDAY**  
7:30 p. m.—Junior Woman's Club meets for supper meeting at Proctor Hotel.

**THURSDAY**  
7:00 p. m.—Business and Professional Woman's Club will meet at the recreation room.

8:00 p. m.—Mrs. W. O. Freeland will present her first-year piano pupils in recital at Sheppard Memorial Library.

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

**FRIDAY**  
11:00 a. m.—12:00 noon.—The Athenium Club will entertain the wives of the enlisted men at the home of Mrs. C. H. Edwards.

6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club.

8:00 p. m.—Mrs. W. O. Freeland will present her older piano pupils in recital at Sheppard Memorial Library.

**Picnic Canceled.**  
Troop 5-A will not go on their picnic this week as we are planning a trip to Camp Hardie as a troop. Please meet Saturday at 10 o'clock at Mrs. Skinner's to sell poppies in the residential districts of town.

## Kiwanians In Group Meeting Goldsboro

By CHESTER WALSH

At a meeting in Goldsboro last night of Greenville, Wilson, Wilmington, Tarboro and Goldsboro clubs, Jeff Bates of Columbia, S. C., treasurer of South Carolina and governor of the Carolinas Kiwanis district, praised Don H. Conley of Greenville, lieutenant-governor of the Seventh Kiwanis division and the clubs under his jurisdiction for outstanding wartime service and increasing the membership.

The banquet was held at Hotel Goldsboro. President T. B. Dameron of the Goldsboro club presided. It was a wonderful meeting, every club in the division reporting increased membership and more active community service. Donald King reported for Wilmington, Dick Bundy for Greenville, Arthur Wooten for Wilson and Sam Bundy for Tarboro. Bill Arthur reported that the Jacksonville club was holding a joint meeting at home and that the Onslow county club is growing. James Butler, secretary of the Goldsboro Chamber of Commerce, welcomed the visiting Kiwanians.

An entertaining musical program included the following: Solos by P. R. Hobbs, with Mrs. H. H. Alexander as accompanist; solos by Miss Elizabeth Royall, with Mrs. J. V. Riley as accompanist, and violin solos by Mrs. W. D. Swanson with Mrs. Riley at the piano. The group singing of Kiwanis songs, with Mrs. Irene Morris at the piano, was inspiring.

The Greenville club had 22 members, including Mrs. Lepa Tyson, at the meeting, the largest delegation present.

Twenty-five per cent of the workers in Australia's war factories are women.



**CAMOUFLAGE**—Allied snipers rehearsing in England for the operations on the continent of Europe cover themselves and their weapons with netting as camouflage.

## Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR  
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The lawn mower now maketh much music.

House cleaning and white-washing are in order.

The spring onion is with us in all intensity of its old time odor.

Forest and field are now clothed in garments of green the loveliest ever seen.

At a meeting of the citizens of Ayden last Tuesday night a committee was appointed to solicit the taking of stock in a cotton seed oil mill.

Spring is nearly gone, summer is advancing and the candidate is here. Irish potato crops are fine, corn tolerably good, cotton not so well and the least said about tobacco the better.

## VICTORY GARDEN DISEASES AND THEIR CONTROL

The victory garden with which we are all familiar and interested may contain many diseases to lower our production. We should be prepared to control diseases before they reveal themselves in order that their spread may be prevented.

Two diseases of beans in North Carolina are Anthracnose and bacterial blight, first noticed on the pods as tiny greenish-brown specks which later enlarge into circular spots. The germs causing these diseases will lodge in the soil over long periods of time, and the best way to destroy them is to destroy the plant. It is advisable to plow under or burn the diseased plants as soon as harvesting is completed and then avoid planting beans in the same spot for three years.

Root knot, better known as "big root," a very common disease in North Carolina may attack practically all vegetable crops. Root knot prevents the plant from securing normal growth and production in spite of good garden practices. The roots of diseased plants swell and are subject to decay following the attack.

Control of many such diseases is most important as it greatly affects our food production which is so essential to our "fight for freedom."

## Frank Speaks To Rotarians

By WYATT BROWN

The Montgomery Ward case was discussed last night for the Rotary Club by Dr. A. D. Frank of the East Carolina Teachers College faculty. He also touched on the United States Merchant Marine and Invasion Day. Dr. Frank made it clear that he was expressing his own personal opinion.

From an outstanding fleet of the finest merchant ships about 1830 carrying about 90 per cent of our own freight and 90 per cent of the passengers, our position deteriorated gradually to 1860 hitting an all time low in 1912 when we carried 10 per cent of our traffic. Then during the last war and a couple of years following it, the United States again built up a merchant marine only to let it be tied up to rust and rot until we became the eighth largest operator of ships. World War II has brought up to the front again.

Now the question is whether we will slide back after the war to a second or third rate maritime nation again. The men of our Merchant Marine today deserve a great deal of credit for the job they're doing," declared Dr. Frank.

Giving the background of the Montgomery Ward case Dr. Frank said it started 18 months ago on the passage by Congress of the War Manpower Act. There was an election among the employees choosing the CIO. A contract was drawn.

Recently the contract expired. Avery refused to agree to the "check-off" system of collecting dues. He said the CIO was not representative. The WLB agreed to another election but ordered the old contract to be in force until the results of the election. Avery said he would not agree. An impasse resulted. Election returns showed the CIO was the choice. Avery claimed he was not a war manufacturer but Dr. Frank cited that his 27,000 claims for priority indicated he was.

"As long as we have the law, we must obey the law," he explained that he was not discussing the merits of the law. "Anyone who blocks the war effort should not be spared for it spills precious blood," he said.

Next Dr. Frank commented on the tendency to neglect war production with the emphasis on post-war planning. He cited the misapprehension at the cessation of navy requirement of fighter planes resulting in the feeling that the war was over and a plunge on the stock market.

On the invasion of Europe from England Dr. Frank said it was all guesswork. He cited the lack of knowledge of anyone as to what was the true significance of the offensive in Italy. Dr. Frank took notice of the fact that all U. S. troops in Italy were green, meaning that some 300,000 seasoned troops had been shifted somewhere else and he said he hoped it was England where they would be needed. He said Great Britain and the U. S. were more ready for the invasion than Russia and that he believed the holdup was that Russia

was not ready. Molotov it seems has said the second front would be opened simultaneously with a Russian drive.

Dr. Frank said he hoped General Eisenhower would be left free to choose "D-Day" without congressional pressure or Russian comment. He said the General and his staff knew better than anyone else when to strike.

"All we know is that it is coming and the time is getting closer," he said in conclusion.

Visiting Rotarians were Irvin Morgan and J. I. Morgan of Farmville; Jack Quinerly of Ayden, and Dr. Steuer of Hastings, N. Y. Phil Goodson, sergeant-at-arms, presided at the program. Before Dr. Frank appeared, Joe Moye, president-elect, gave a report of the recent Rotary convention at Pinehurst. John Fleming, club president, presided.

## Mrs. McKinney's Brother Killed

Mrs. Carl McKinney, of this city has received word that her brother, Pvt. John Woodrow Atchison, of Thomasville, has been killed in action on the Italian front. Atchison met death in the battle for Cassino on April 29, according to the official information.

## Cases Tried Monday In Recorder's Court

The following cases were disposed of in Police court yesterday: Driving drunk: Marvin Sugg, 60 days, suspended on payment of \$50 fine and costs and to lose license a year.

Peck Brown, home brew for sale, 60 days, suspended on payment of \$50 and costs.

Neil Joyner, colored, assault on female, costs.



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## Stalin Holds . . .

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man in Europe today—Mr. Stalin," Kennedy said.

"If the Russian land power finishes its magnificent job and then goes home turning swords into plowshares we can be more confident of a firm basis for an enduring peace." Another point that limits all post-war problems, Kennedy said, is the question of just what foreign trade will be generated.

"After the army and navy have taken what ships they want and after we have decided what vessels are required for our merchant marine," the former ambassador said, "I think we should then negotiate for the transfer of tonnage to foreign countries—taking into consideration, of course, just what effect the use of these ships by foreign nations will have on our own merchant marine."

Kennedy emphasized that the United States should "not insist on having the biggest fleet."

"To Britain and Norway, for example," he said, "a merchant fleet is a matter of day-to-day survival. One of the ideals we are fighting for is to make the world safe for peaceful nations and there isn't much point, if after winning, we deprive them of an opportunity to make a living."

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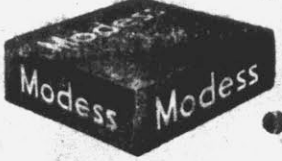
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moved along as smoothly as ever.

Corporal Jim Uzale, who did such yeoman work in building Scouting in this area was a visitor at Saturday evening's Campfire program and was given a rousing welcome by all the Scouts present.

A. B. Staiworth, Scoutmaster of Greenville Troop 36 spent the entire 3-day period at the Camporee, while Scoutmasters Guy Evans, Bill Drum and their assistants were with us as much of the time as their business would permit. These men are developing really fine troops, and their work showed splendid results in the achievements of their Scouts in the Camporee program.

Other Scouters present included John Fleming, chairman of Greenville district; Col. J. B. Brook, of the Greenville District Committee; Colon McLean, chairman of Beaufort district; Wheeler Martin, chairman of Martin district and host for the camporee; Jack Booker, chairman of Albemarle district; E. King, M. G. Waters, James Phippen, and C. G. Morris, Beaufort district committee members.

Rev. Robert Bradshaw, chairman of Greenville District Court of Honor, has announced that the quarterly session of the court will be held Friday evening, at 8 p. m. at Jarvis Memorial Methodist church. All Greenville Scouts are expected to be present in uniform and accompanied by their parents. The present standing of troops in the inter-troop contest will be announced, with a special bonus of 350 points given to the troop having the greatest percentage of parents attending the court.

### Negro High School Exercises Thursday

By CHESTER WALSH  
Music by the Glee Club, a talk by City School Superintendent June H. Rose, presentation of diplomas to graduates by J. B. James, chairman of the Greenville School Board and presentation of special awards to students by Mayor Bruce Sugg will feature commencement exercises at C. M. Eppes Negro High School Thursday night at 8 o'clock. The school is nearing the close of its third year under wartime conditions and has done outstanding work.

"The Negro school officials, faculty members and parents, together with the students, have cooperated whole-heartedly with other community agencies to make Greenville a better place in which to live and to provide better educational facilities," Supt. Rose said today.

The commencement program will be as follows: Processional, "The Lord Is Great" (Wilson), audience standing; invocation, Rev. S. P. League; "Father to Thee We Pray" (Gounod), by mixed chorus; remarks by Prof. W. H. Davenport, the principal; "America," High School band.

Heber Anderson will discuss "Opportunities of Youth," Martha Williams will discuss "Our Duty in the Present Crisis." Evelyn Wooten will sing "Homing" (Teresa Del Riego). Clyda Shepard will discuss "The Negro in the Post-War World."

Frances Chapman will sing "God Bless America." The Girls' Glee Club will sing "In Silent Night" (Brahms). The High School Band will play "Promotion March." The Girls' Octette will sing "I Dream of Jeanie" and "There's a Meeting Here Tonight."  
Rev. J. A. Nimmo will pronounce the benediction. Recessional, "God of Our Fathers" (DeKoven).  
The public is invited to attend the commencement exercises.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

### Pete King Has a Talk With Colonel Bain

"Up in Durham, couple of days ago," Pete King said, "I run into this fellow Bain—you know, 'Colonel' Bain, the brewers' state director in North Carolina? We rode along an hour or so and had some interestin' talk."

"I told the Colonel," he went on, "it seems to me the beer retailers are conductin' their places pretty well these days."  
"Yes," he shot back, "they believe in their self-regulation program. It's 5 years old right now and they back it up! Bein' a decent, wholesome lot how they bristle up when some law-breaker

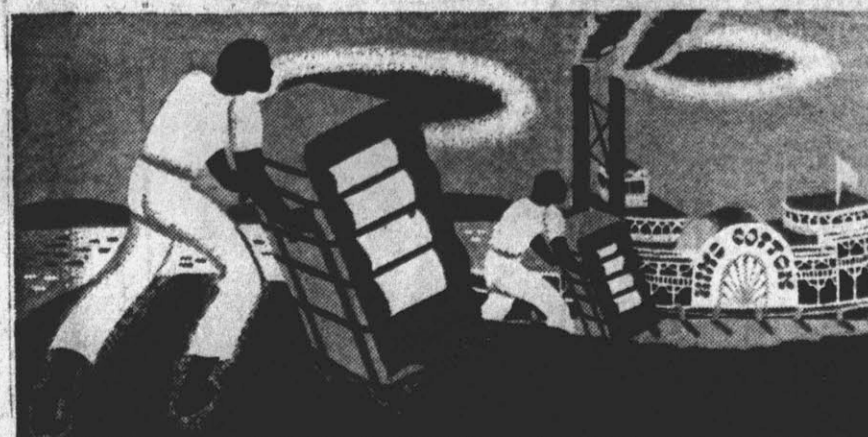
tries to horn in behind a legal beer license, too!

"Another thing: they see the obligations we all owe these fine fellows in uniform among us, an' they're settin' the right kind of an example. Yessiree, things are coming along OK."  
"I was mighty glad to hear Pete tell this little incident. From where I sit, it all adds up to decency and moderation, two rockbottom essentials in this democracy of ours."

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## Strength FOR THE DAY

THE PROBLEMS OF THE OUTSIDER

The gospel of Christ continually presents men with the challenge: "What are you going to do with the outsider?"

Jesus fairly plagued His generation with that question. "What," He demanded, "are you going to do about the Samaritan? What are you going to do about the outcast? What are you going to do about the beggars, the lepers, the publicans, and sinners?" As soon as the Christian Church started out upon its world mission, it was confronted with the question, "What is Christianity going to do about the Gentile?"

It is comparatively easy to make Christian principles work within the family circle or within our circle of close friends. But the shoe begins to pinch when we go beyond these limited circles and try to make Christian principles operate among people of another race, another social class, another nation. The labor situation is crying out today for the application of Christian principles on the part both of employer and employee. The race problem, which mounts in intensity with every passing year, can only be settled on the basis of Christian understanding.

When we have answered the question, "How should we treat the outsider?" we have gone a long way toward answering the further question, "How can we put Christianity into operation?"

## WASHINGTON IN WARTIME

By JACK STINNETT

Washington. Frequently, the states show the federal government the way to solve a problem.

Sen. Gerald P. Nye has recently brought back from his state the preliminary reports on that undertaking. As a state enterprise the methods used and the results obtained are fascinating.

North Dakota, being primarily a farm state, keyed its questionnaire in that direction. Through the G. N. D. A. it went into every one of the state's 13 counties and already has received more or less complete reports from 42 of them. What they did was to contact more than 6,000 North Dakota service men. No effort was made to do it directly, but answers were obtained indirectly through the families of these men.

Exactly 5,053 of those reporting were on farms when they were called to the armed services. But the number expressing a desire to take up farming when they come home is 5,523. Of the first number only 1,575 were working their own farms when they went into service, and only 676 actually owned the land they were working; but 3,393 would like to buy land. The other 2,130 would be willing to rent or work on shares.

To me the most enlightening figure in the report was that the average resources per man (in either cash, bonds or real estate) amounted to \$1,050. That means that on the average, there won't be one of them coming back who couldn't make a down payment on a farm, a home—or perhaps buy a car outright. It's a phase of immediate postwar spending (which coupled with demobilization pay would be considerable) that I haven't seen discussed by either industrialists or the federal and state lawmakers.



and a good deal more than that when demobilization starts.

If similar surveys in other states bear out the trends established by the G. N. D. A. (of course the trends would be entirely different in industrial states, but savings, desires and so forth might establish similar averages) really intelligent legislation might be drawn to fit in with what G. I. Joe really wants in a postwar world.

## Durham Case . . .

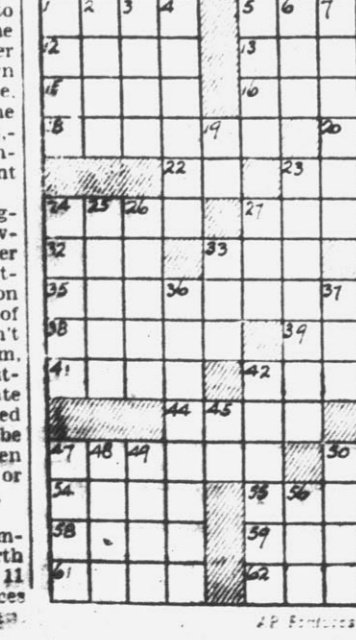
(Continued From Page One) will by Mrs. Jewett which would have left him a half interest in a Missouri power company, a diamond ring, the automobile, and a one-fifth share of a 550-acre Missouri estate. Martin was quoted as valuing his grandmother's estate at a half-million dollars.

## THE WAR TODAY

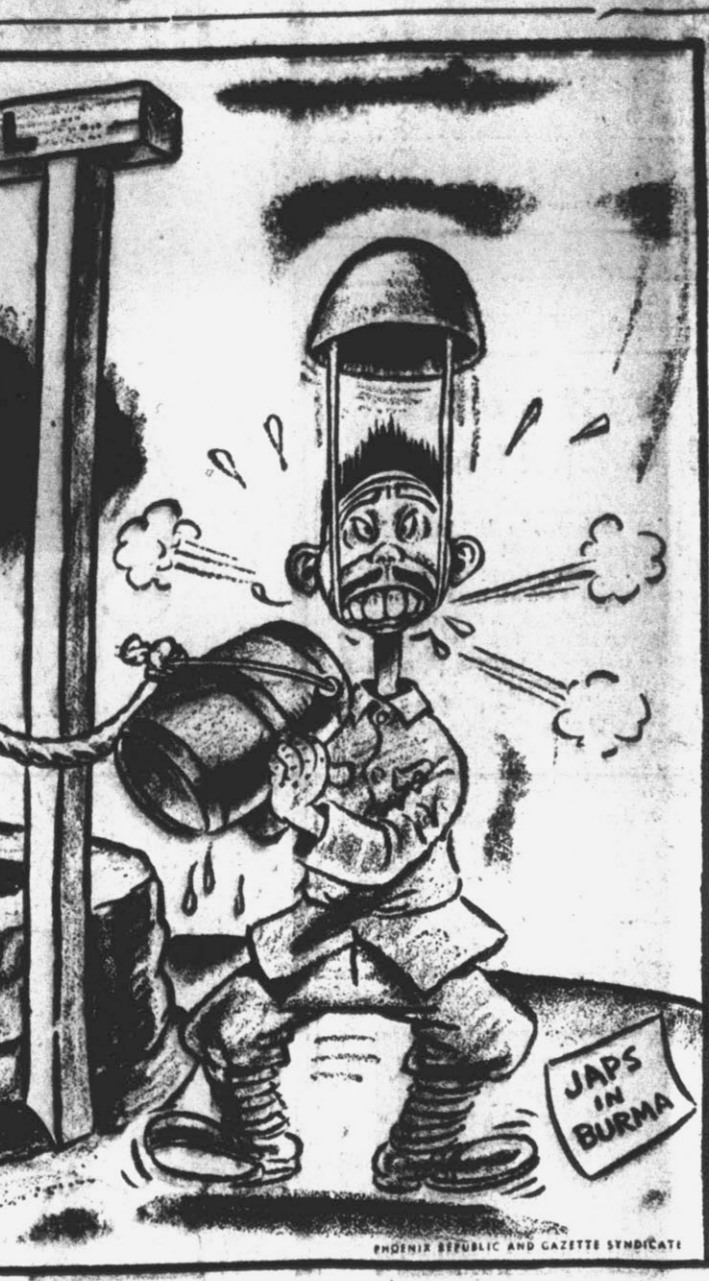
pressed battle line, which adds to the precariousness of his position. The German controlled Vichy radio calls attention to another highly interesting point. It says German reconnaissance has revealed large concentrations of troops on Corsica, and that it's possible these portend an attack on the Italian coast opposite the island. Such an Allied operation would, of course, throw a force behind Kesselring in addition

## Crossword Puzzle

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18. Knock  
19. Massachusetts state



## Vinegar!



to the strong contingent at Anzio.

Just in passing, it may be observed that while troops on Corsica might be intended for an assault on Italy, they also might be there if the French were getting set for an invasion of the Rhone valley in France. The Germans are expecting such a French expedition from Algiers. Well, that gives the Hitlerites two choices to gamble on as regards Corsica.

## Allies Open . . .

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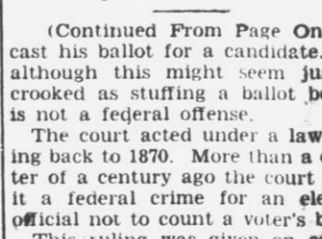
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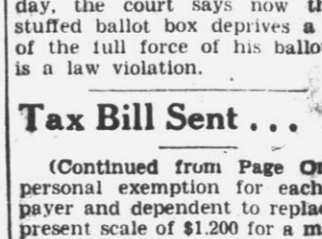
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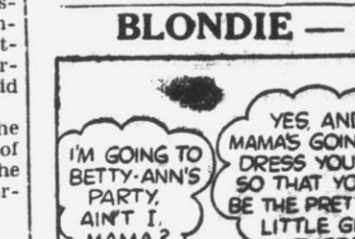
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**JUST RECEIVED SIX BISSELL** sell Carpet Sweepers, \$6.95 each. Better come early. Quinn-Miller and Stroud, Furniture of Quality, Greenville. 23-2f

**WANTED - GIRL FOR STENO-**graphic and general office work. Apply Box 719 Greenville, N. C. 22-2f

**FUEL OIL—KEROSENE**  
**ECONOMY OIL CO.**  
Esso Products  
**TOMMY JARAWAN**  
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**WANTED TO RENT—FURNISHED** house, preferably in suburbs of Greenville. Phone 2721. 22-3f

**BABY CHICKS—N. H. Reds, Bar-**red Rocks, \$9.00 per 100 at hatchery. By mail prepaid \$9.00 per 100. Chicks every Tuesday. Roebuck's Hatchery, Stokes, N. C. 1-1f

**HAVE SWEET POTATO, TOMATO** and bell pepper plants. Also Rotenone dust, Arsenate of Lead, Paris Green and other poisons. J. A. Watson, Seed and Hardware. 13-1f

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**PRE-WAR BABY CARRIAGE FOR** sale. Call 3236. 22-3f

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

**WE HAVE GENUINE ASBESTOS** wicks for tobacco curing oil burners. Also one-gallon size thermos jugs. J. A. Watson, Seed and Hardware. 16-1f

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**LOST - A LADY'S RED SPORT** coat on the highway between Greenville and bus station in Washington, Thursday afternoon about 4:15 or 4:30 o'clock. Finder please notify Mrs. M. L. Davis, Pinetown, N. C. 20-3f

**WANTED—HIGH SCHOOL BOY** over 16, living close in, to usher one day a week. Possibility additional extra work during fall and winter. Apply (do not phone) Pitt Theatre, 3 to 5 p. m., Tuesday or Wednesday.

**"GOOD AS GOLD" FLOUR** - Every bag guaranteed to please or your money refunded. White's Stores, Greenville. May 9-1 mo.

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**FOR SALE—NICE HOMES, SMALL** or large, city or suburban. Also some farms. Cash or terms. We buy or sell. If it's real estate see J. Hicks Corey Agency, Dial 2615, Greenville, N. C. Tue-Fri-1f

**WANTED—ALL PEOPLE SUFFER-**ing from kidney trouble or backache to try "Kiddo"—97c. Money back guarantee, at Warren Drug Co., Greenville; Sauls' Drug Store, Ayden. Tue-Fri-1f

**WANTED - YOUNG LADY FOR** general office work. Steady position, five day week. Opportunity for advancement. Apply in person. Recent high school graduate acceptable. National Biscuit Company, 200 Albenmarle Ave., Greenville, N. C. 23-2f

**FOR SALE—BABY CARRIAGE IN** good condition. Dial 2579. 23-2f

**SPECIAL CLEARANCE SALE ON** Baby Chicks for Tuesday and Wednesday, May 23 and 24. One week old chicks, \$10.00 per hundred. All chicks are N. C.-U. S. approved and guaranteed strong and healthy. Drum's Hatchery and Feed Store, Dial 2537. 23-2f

**SPECIAL—SCHOOL GIRL OVER** 17, who lives close in, for extra cashier work. Job does not interfere with school work. Apply (do not phone) Pitt Theatre office, 3 to 5 p. m., Tuesday or Wednesday. 22-2f

**WANTED - 4 OR 5 ROOM UN-**furnished apartment by man and wife with no children. A. E. Williams, Greenville, Route 2, Box 15. 19-6f

**ATTENTION**  
Auction Sale Used Cars—Saturday, June 3rd, 1:30 o'clock p. m., and each Saturday thereafter. Want to sell your car? Let us clean it up for you and sell it. We will do our best for you. Scott's Motor Sales, East 5th St., Greenville, N. C. 23-10f

**STOLEN—A "B" GAS RATION** book from my home. Anyone seeing or knowing the person who has this book please notify Aaron Wooten, 408 Bonner's Lane. 23-3f

**SPECIAL—PITT SEA FOOD CO.,** Dial 2442. Large Trout, per lb., 30c; Medium Trout, per lb., 22-1-2c; Extra Nice Butter Fish, per lb., 22-1-2c; Croakers, per lb., 20c. 23-3f

**WANTED - EXPERIENCED** saleslady between ages of 25-40. Write letter giving details of past experience. Regular work for the right individual. P. O. Box 408. 23-1f

**Hog Market**  
Raleigh, May 23—(AP)—(NCDA)—Hog markets steady with tops of 13.85 at Richmond and 13.55 at Rocky Mount.

**Poultry and Eggs**  
Raleigh, May 23—(AP)—(NCDA)—Egg and poultry markets steady, with liberal receipts.  
Raleigh—U. S. grade A (clean white) 32; hens, all weights, 22 to 23.  
Washington—U. S. grade A large 36 to 37; broilers and fryers 31.7 to 33.2.

**Grain Market**  
Chicago, May 23—(AP)—Wheat reasserted its dominance as the market leader today, uncovering a

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bearish sentiment that eased prices rapidly into seasonal lows for the bread cereal. The downward movement spread to all grains with the greatest sympathy shown by rye.

Liquidation at one time sent July wheat contracts down more than three cents, the lowest since December. The approach of harvest in the southwest and some evidence that farmers may sell surplus grain added to the movement. Favorable crop conditions continued and some new wheat was said to have been offered below the ceilings.

July wheat closed 1.61 1/2; oats 77 1/2; rye 1.11 1/4; barley 1.21 1/2.

**New York Cotton**  
New York May 23—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 5 to 10 cents a bale higher.

Noon values were 15 to 25 cents a bale higher, July 20.60, October 19.90. December 19.60. Futures closed 10 to 20 cents a bale higher.

Open Last Prv. Cl.  
July 20.66 20.68 20.64  
Oct. 19.92 19.93 19.91  
Dec. 19.68 19.68 19.66  
March 19.44 19.54 19.43  
May 19.23 19.23 19.21

Middling spot 21.65, up 4.

**N. Y. Stock Market**  
New York, May 23—(AP)—Relatively active rails, liquors, retail stores and specialties swung upward in today's stock market.

Volume was around 700,000 shares.

**FINAL STOCKS**

Allegheny	2
Al Chem and Dye	142
Allis-Chalmers	35 3/4
Am Car Fdy	34 1/2
Am Roll Mill	13 1/2
Am Smet and Ref	37 1/2
A T and T	158 1/2
Am Tob B	63 1/2
Anacoda	25 1/2
Arm Ill	5 1/4
A C I	40 1/2
Aviat Corp	32 1/2
Baldwin	19 1/2
B and O	7 1/2
Barnsdall	16 1/2
Bendix Axiat	37 1/2
Beth Stl	58 1/2
Boeing Airpl	137 1/2
Borden	40 1/2
Budd Mfg	7 1/2
Bur Add Mach	12 1/2
Case J I	36
Caterpill Trac	48 1/2
Ches and O	45 1/2
Chrysler	85 1/2
Coca Cola	114 1/2
Coml Credit	46 1/2
Coml Solv	15 1/2
Consol Edis	21 1/2
Cont Can	38 1/2
Corn Prod	56 1/2
Curtiss Wright	5
Doug Air	48 1/2
Dow Chem	120
Dupont	145
Eastman Kod	162
Firestone	46 1/2
Gen Elec	35 1/2
Gen Foods	42 1/2
Gen Mot	59 1/2
Goodrich	48 1/2
Goodyear	45 1/2
Int Harvest	74 1/2
Int T and Tel	93
Johns Man	31 1/2
Kennecott	31 1/2
Ligg and Myers B	76
Loews	60 1/2
Lorillard	18 1/2
Mont Ward	43 1/2
Nash Kelv	12 1/2
Nat Bisc	20 1/2
Nat Cash Reg	32 1/2
Nat Dist	37 1/2
N Y Cent	18 1/2
No Am Aviat	8 1/2
Packard	4 1/2
Param Pic	25 1/2
Pennny J C	99 1/2
Penn R R	29 1/2
Pepsi Cola	49 1/2
Phillips Pet	43 1/2
Pullman	43 1/2
Pure Oil	16
Radio	9 1/2
Rem Rand	16 1/2
Repub Stl	16 1/2
Reynolds B	29 1/2
Sears	89
Sou Ry	23 1/2
Std Brands	29 1/2
Std Oil N J	55 1/2
Stewart Warner	13 1/2
Swift	30 1/2
Tex Co	48 1/2
Union Carbide	80
United Air	28 1/2
United Corp	1 1/2
United Drug	17 1/2
US Rub	14 1/2
US Smet and Ref	54
US Steel	51 1/2
Vanadium	18 1/2

## State Guard Doing Big Job Greenville

By CHESTER WALSH  
Col. J. Douglas C. France, U. S. Army of Fort Bragg, inspected the Greenville company of the N. C. State Guard at the armory last night and praised the officers and enlisted men for their good work. The army officer, who knew that the company's ranks had been depleted by the draft, removals, etc., was outspoken in his commendation of the outfit, the good work it is doing now and pointed out the opportunity for service when the fighting overseas stops.

The Greenville soldiers clicked like veterans in their inspection drill and made a favorable impression on the army officer, and Major William H. Blount of Washington, commander of the Second Battalion, and other officers from Washington. Capt. Jasper L. Jones is commanding officer. William H. Woolard, Jr., and Burt Greene are lieutenants. John T. Welch is acting sergeant.

The State Guard was organized three years ago to take over on the home front in case of riot or attack by the enemy until the regular army could take over. The men serve without pay. Men who have been in the State Guard and entered the armed forces have rapidly won promotion as a result of the training received at home.

Col. France and Mrs. France were honor guests at a banquet at the Old Towne Inn before the inspection.

Brazil has been a republic since 1889 when Emperor Pedro II abdicated.

## BASEBALL

**STANDINGS**  
National League

St. Louis	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	21	9	.700
Pittsburgh	15	10	.600
Cincinnati	17	12	.586
Philadelphia	13	13	.500
New York	13	16	.448
Boston	14	18	.438
Brooklyn	12	17	.414
Chicago	8	18	.308

**American League**

New York	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	17	10	.630
St. Louis	17	15	.531
Washington	15	14	.517
Detroit	15	16	.484
Boston	14	15	.483
Philadelphia	14	15	.483
Cleveland	14	17	.452
Chicago	13	17	.433

**YESTERDAY'S RESULTS**  
National League  
No games scheduled.

American League  
No games scheduled.

Vick Chem 43  
Va Caro Chem 4 1/2  
Warner Pict 12 1/2  
Western Union A 45 1/2  
West El and Mfg 98 1/2  
Woolworth 39

FIVE TIMES IN THE LAST HOUR YOU'VE BECOME TOO WEAK TO PRACTICE AND HAVE HAD TO HAVE A DR. PEPPER!

## Studebaker Champion rates high with busy Federal law officer

HERE'S a letter from Frank M. Durance of Orlando, Florida who says: "My 1941 Studebaker Champion has been driven about 150,000 miles—at the lowest maintenance cost of any car I've ever owned. Whether across the county or across the nation, this dependable Studebaker is always ready to go on a moment's notice. Its gasoline mileage is consistently high and its materials and workmanship are the finest."

Yes, these war days, the tire-saving, gas-saving, soundly built Studebaker Champion adds new luster to its reputation from coast to coast.

It's no wonder that used Studebaker Champions, Commanders and Presidents are in such big demand everywhere.

Studebaker... Pioneer and Pacemaker in Automotive Progress

New building Wright Cyclone engines for the Boeing Flying Fortress—multiple-drive military trucks—other vital war material.

## ROGERS' BODY BROUGHT HOME

**Famous Humorist Buried At Claremore, Oklahoma**

Claremore, Okla., May 23—(AP)—Will Rogers is back in Claremore, the town he made famous. His body was placed last night in a stone crypt beside the Will Rogers Memorial Museum, one of Oklahoma's most beautiful buildings and located on the rolling planes that Rogers loved. Rogers and Wiley Post, another famed Oklahoma man, died in an Alaska plane crash nine years ago.

"I never met a man I didn't like," Rogers once said, and he met kings and cowpunchers, princes and paupers. But at the top of the list of those he liked best were his old Claremore friends.

Movement of the body from California was kept secret at the request of the family. Less than 100 persons were present for the brief, simple ceremony preceding the burial.

"He rests now amid familiar scenes," said the Rev. John R. Abner, pastor of the Oklahoma City. "The long journey is ended. He is at home."

The casket of the famous writer and screen star was lifted Friday from its burial place in Glendale, Calif. It was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. James Rogers, his son and daughter-in-law. Rogers' widow was unable to make the trip because of illness.

The memorial museum was built by the state in 1938 on a 20-acre plot which Rogers purchased years ago to be used for a homestead after his retirement.

His crypt was built later by a group of prominent Oklahomans and friends and efforts were made to bring his body back from California. Arrangements with the family were made by the Will Rogers Memorial Commission.

**Flier Killed**  
Norfolk, Va., May 23—(AP)—Second Lt. Joseph Walter Porten, USMCR, of McHenry, Ill., was killed Monday when his navy land plane crashed about one mile southeast of Stella, N. C. Fifth Naval District headquarters reported today.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Peter S. Porten, of route 2, McHenry.

**For Fourth Term**  
Princeton, N. J., May 23—(AP)—Emerging from a maze of relativity and mathematical formulas, Professor Albert Einstein has spoken in favor of a fourth term for President Roosevelt.

Einstein declared yesterday that it would be "very dangerous to change leadership now." He spoke at a meeting of the New Jersey League of Independent Voters at the Princeton Inn.

## Virginia Man Held For Woman's Death

Winton, May 23—(AP)—Hertford county Sheriff C. W. Parker said today that he had arrested Jesse Coburn, 50, of Franklin, Va., charging him with the murder of Mabel Whitley, 21, whose body was found Friday in Meherrin river near Murfreesboro.

Coburn, who is being held in the county jail here, will be given a preliminary hearing tonight before Justice of the Peace R. H. Underwood in Murfreesboro.

The sheriff said Coburn was taken into custody in Murfreesboro today with N. C. Highway Patrolman B. F. Dixon assisting in the arrest. Miss Whitley's body was discovered in the river by workmen loading pulpwood. Dr. Morgan B. Ralford, of Franklin, acting Rutherford county Coroner Lunsden Horton, said the young woman died from "a blow or blows" on the head. A deep gash above her left eye was cited as the probable cause of her death. Dr. Ralford said he found no evidence of drowning.

Santo Domingo was the first permanent settlement in the new world.

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**SAVE A BUNDLE A WEEK**

## The Movies Today

**PITT**—Paulette Goddard, Fred MacMurray in "Standing Room Only."

**STATE**—Humphrey Bogart, "Action in N. Atlantic. Popeye comedy.

## Rumored Change In Ambassadors

London, May 23—(AP)—The Berlin radio quoted Swedish press dispatches today as saying that John G. Winant, who returned to Washington last week, might be succeeded soon as U. S. ambassador to London by William Averell Harriman, now Ambassador to Moscow.

The broadcast added that former Undersecretary of State Sumner Welles might then take Harriman's post in Moscow.

"These changes," Berlin said, "may be a prelude to a new three-power conference."

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Made For Laughter  
**Fred MacMurray**  
**Paulette Goddard**  
"STANDING ROOM ONLY"  
with  
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**Strange, Forbidding, Thrilling**  
**"THE CURSE OF THE CAT PEOPLE"**  
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See America's Eighth Air Force on a Real Bombing Mission  
**"THE MEMPHIS BELLE"**  
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**Wednesday Morning SPECIALS**

6 Florence Oil Stove Wicks	50c
4 New Perfection Oil Stove Wicks	\$1.00
5 Nesco Oil Stove Wicks	\$1.00
2 Sq. Yds. Congoleum—Regular \$1.50, Special Wednesday morning	\$1.25
9x12 Linoleum Rugs, Special Wednesday morning price	\$5.95
3-Pc. Bentwood Lawn Suites, \$14.95 value, Wednesday morning	\$11.95
All Cotton Mattress, \$10.95 value, Wednesday morning	\$8.95
2—75c cans Paste or Liquid John's Old English Wax—Wednesday morning	\$1.25
One lot Table Lamps, \$12.95 value, Wednesday morning	\$9.95
Platform Rockers, \$49.50 value, Wednesday morning	\$34.95
Lounge Chairs, Steel Spring Construction, Regular Price \$54.50, Wednesday morning	\$39.50
Bates Bed Spreads, \$5.95 regular, Wednesday morning	\$4.95
Extra Special—One Lawson Sofa, made by Tomlinson, Regular \$129.50, Special Wednesday morning	\$79.50
64x90 "Tablecraft" Damask Table Cloths, Regular \$5.95 value, Special Wednesday morning	\$3.95

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One Group of Chairs, attractive covers. Regular price \$59.00. Wednesday morning we are offering these chairs at 1-2 price. **\$29.50**

Duncan Phye Sofa, solid mahogany frame, springs in the cushions. Regular price \$149.00. Wednesday morning price **\$89.00**

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