

Partly cloudy and warm tonight and Wednesday with scattered afternoon thundershowers Wednesday.

INVASION OF FRANCE PROGRESSES

Allied Forces Pursuing Germans North Of Rome

British and American Troops Drive Five Miles Beyond Tiber River In Battle To Destroy Enemy; Remnants Of 20 Beaten Nazi Divisions Being Hunted Down

By SID FEDER

Allied Headquarters, Naples, June 6.—(AP)—Fifth Army forces drove steadily beyond liberated Rome today, some units plunging as much as five miles out from the historic Tiber river against what was officially termed "only weak resistance."

"The battle to destroy the enemy continues without pause," said a communique.

Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark's troops have crossed or reached the Tiber all the way from Rome to the sea and enemy divisions still in the flatlands below the city are in desperate straits.

In the coastal area alone well over 2,000 prisoners apparently will be unable to scramble out of the Allied net because all Tiber bridges from Rome to the sea either have been blown up or captured.

In still-jubilant Rome, however, eleven crossings remain intact and the Fifth Army poured across in a constant stream to chase the Germans fleeing northward in disorder.

Allied armored forces fanned out over a wide area. Infantry also has crossed the river in force and was reported driving due west of Vatican City. The only resistance anywhere came from isolated rear-guard units.

In the mountains east of Rome German rearwards threw strong opposition against the British Eighth Army in an effort to cover the northward withdrawal of the main enemy troops in that sector.

The Allied air forces gave the German columns no rest. In the area immediately north of Rome yesterday more than 375 of their vehicles were destroyed or damaged by fighter-bombers. Heavy bombers meanwhile pounded northern Italy rail lines, particularly in the Po valley. Four enemy planes were destroyed and the Allies lost 13.

Sub Sinks Freighter

Miami, Fla., June 6.—(AP)—In the first real flareup of submarine warfare in the Atlantic in many months, a British freighter manned by Frenchmen was torpedoed and sunk early in May.

Six men are missing. Forty-seven others sailed 500 miles to the South American coast in two lifeboats. Robert Arthur Nulton, 19-year-old U. S. navy signalman of South Portland, Me., aboard the ship, said two torpedoes struck shortly before sundown.

Dee Day Baby

Norfolk, Va., June 6.—(AP)—Dee Day Edwards was the name given today to a daughter born to Randolph and Alice Edwards here. The news was made public by Patrolman L. B. Hoeding, who took a member of the King's Daughters' staff to the house to deliver the child.

Sea-Borne Invasion Most Difficult Of Operations

Allied forces, striking the blow which they expect to end the most in Europe, have attempted the most difficult of all military operations— invasion by sea. Hal Boyle of the Associated Press accompanied American troops who shot their way into French Morocco in November, 1942, in what was, until then, the greatest such attack in history. In the following article he describes some of the factors involved in such a battle. Boyle is now assigned to the European invasion.

By HAL BOYLE

Landings on a hostile shore against entrenched opposition is the most difficult of military tasks.

In opening a new front in Europe the Allies are taking perhaps the most gigantic gamble of our time, but a gamble in which, with proper preparation, the odds are in their favor.

As a result of the landings in Africa and Italy, they have the advantage of a vital factor—experience.

The United States and England gambled greatly in their joint double smash into French Morocco and Algeria, the largest and most successful single overseas military and naval operation of its kind in history.

Their triumph in crossing 3,000

Flowers For Yank In Rome



An Italian youth gives a bouquet of flowers to an American soldier who rests before his tank which has halted on the edge of Rome on Route 6. Allied Fifth Army troops entered the city limits of the Italian capital June 4 hard on the heels of the fleeing German army. (AP Wirephoto from Signal Corps Radiophoto).

D-Day Chronology

(By The Associated Press)

12:37 a. m.—(EWT) German news agency Transocean broadcasts that Allied invasion has begun.

1:00 a. m.—German DNE agency broadcasts Le Havre being bombed and German naval craft fighting Allied landing craft the coast.

1:56 a. m.—Calais radio says "This is D-Day."

2:31 a. m.—Spokesman from Gen. Eisenhower in broadcast from London warns people of European invasion coast that "a new phase of the Allied air offensive has begun" and orders them to move 22 miles inland.

3:25 a. m.—Berlin radio says "first center of gravity is Caen," big city at base of Normandy peninsula.

3:32 a. m.—Supreme headquarters, Allied expeditionary force, announces that Allied armies began landing on northern coast of France.

3:40 a. m.—SHAEP announces Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery is in command of assault army comprising Americans, British, Canadians.

3:42 a. m.—Berlin says heavy Allied warships are shelling Le Havre and parachute troops are floating down on Normandy.

4:00 a. m.—Supreme headquarters says a number of feints preceded invasion.

4:07 a. m.—Germans say Allies were reinforced at dawn at the mouth of the Seine near Le Havre.

4:47 a. m.—French patriots warned to evacuate areas 22 miles bordering coast to escape aerial bombardment.

5:35 a. m.—Berlin reports strong air attacks on Dieppe; says cruiser and landing boat have been sunk off Cherbourg.

5:49 a. m.—Enemy says four British parachute divisions landed between Le Havre and Cherbourg and E-boats rushing into operational area and "no doubt are being dealt with," headquarters says. H-hour announced as between 6 and 8 a. m.

7:08 a. m.—Allied landing forces establish beachheads and are advancing inland, aerial pictures show. RAF bombers attacked Osnabruck, Germany. Air Ministry announces.

7:24 a. m.—Swedish reports in Berlin report dozen landings with main attack toward Caen.

7:32 a. m.—Supreme headquarters announces beachhead secured and dug in.

8:01 a. m.—Germans announce Allied landings on channel islands of Guernsey and Jersey; say Allied tanks land at Arromanches and between Cherbourg and Le Havre; Allies incessantly employing assault boats off Oysterham.

8:10 a. m.—Paris radio says battle in Normandy seems to be gaining depth.

8:34 a. m.—Berlin reports "fierce fighting going on everywhere" with Nazi counterattacks in progress.

9:10 a. m.—Big channel guns on French coast fire on Dover.

9:15 a. m.—11,000 Allied planes

Weather Forecast

For period from tonight to June 10: Little change in temperature except cooler in north section at beginning. Scattered thundershowers during period.

The WAR TODAY

AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEWS

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

Associated Press War Analyst

The voice which came over my bedside telephone in the early hours of this morning was quiet, steady, confident.

"This is THE day," it said simply. "The Allies have attacked on the Cherbourg peninsula and eastward they are well inland already."

All of us, I think, take our cue from the calm confidence of that voice, as this greatest amphibious invasion of history gets under way. There are many things of which we cannot be sure at this stage, and we shall see bitter days, but on one score we can be certain—there is no doubt of ultimate success.

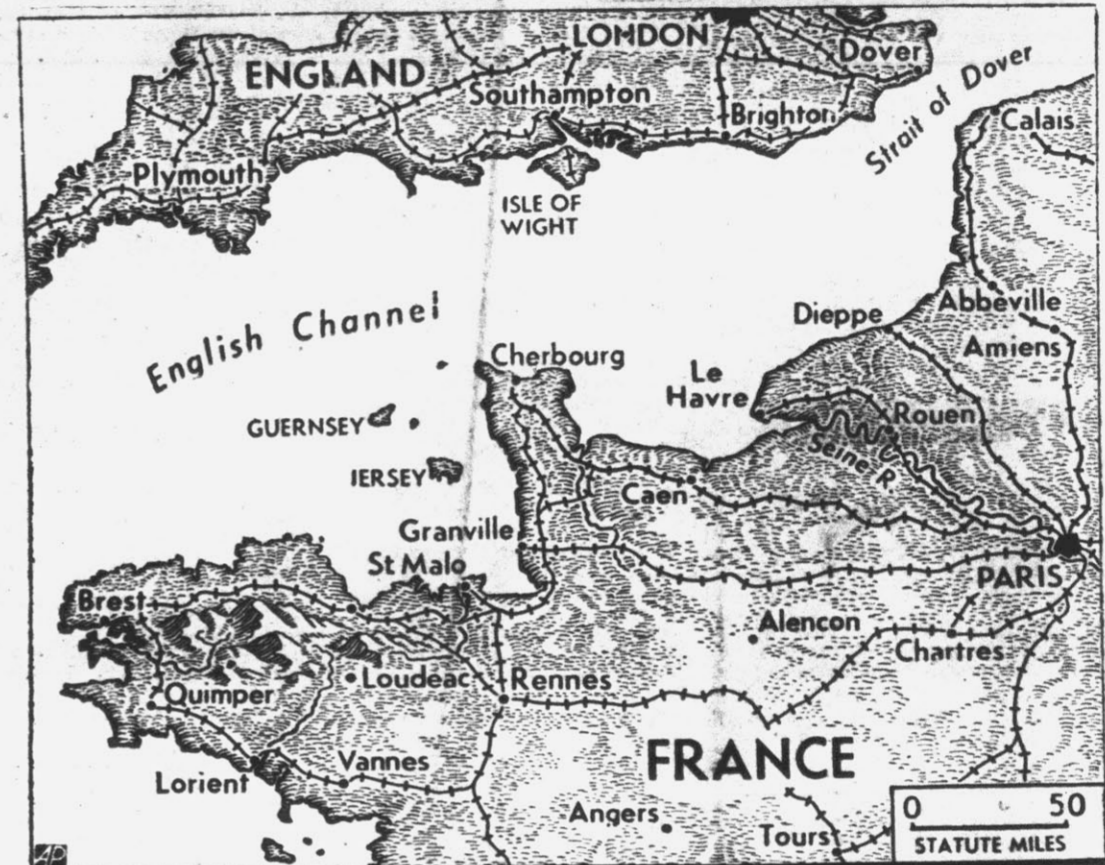
This is the coup de grace for which we have waited so long—the last great battle to exterminate the Nazi beast. As General Eisenhower put it to his boys when they started on this great adventure from which many will not return:

"You are about to embark on a great crusade. The eyes of the world are upon you and the hopes and prayers of all liberty loving peoples go with you x x x we will accept nothing less than full victory."

Allied forces—Americans, British, Canadians—have been landed in Normandy in a big scale operation. They came from the choppy Eng-

Report Air-Borne Forces Fighting 41 Miles Inland

Where Allies Smashed Hitler's West Wall



Allied troops under an umbrella of airpower and supported by big guns of the American and British navies early today smashed ashore on the coast of France between Cherbourg and Le Havre and late today had firmly established beach heads. The invading troops also landed on Guernsey and Jersey Island which were occupied by the Germans shortly after the fall of France.

Russian Forces Massing To Strike Germany From East

INVASION REACTION

Nation Turns To Prayer For Allied Victory

By The Associated Press

America received news of the invasion of Europe calmly today and turned to the altars of its faiths to pray for peace with victory.

In the nation's hamlets and great cities people went to churches, temples and synagogues to meditate and to participate in the services of prayer scheduled for D-day.

There were few demonstrations. Groups gathered at newsstands and stood before radio loudspeakers. Comment generally reflected the combination of hope and trepidation which marked the end of the tense waiting period.

Thousands of men and women in war production plants observed a brief moment of silence, followed by an immediate resumption of the work.

News Of Allied Landings In France Caused Russians To Dance With Glee

By HENRY C. CASSIDY

Moscow, June 6.—(AP)—Russian armies were understood today to be massing and preparing to perform their part of the joint Allied task of crushing Germany with a blow from the east, combined with Gen. Eisenhower's invasion from the west and Gen. Alexander's thrust up the Italian peninsula.

"The invasion of northwest France was the 'second front' for which the Russians had called for three anxious years. But the 'second front' already had ceased to be a political issue here before Eisenhower struck.

The controversy amounted virtually to a crisis in 1942 when Stalin called for a front in western Europe of "first rate importance" and urged the United States and Great Britain to fulfill their obligations "fully and on time."

The "second front" talk died down after the Teheran agreement on "the scope and timing" of blows from the east and west.

Russians who learned of the invasion today literally danced with glee.

For them it meant the end of three years of anxious waiting for the thrust from the west.

Newspapers which had not announced the invasion were carrying glowing accounts of the fall of Rome.

Peter Smollett, head of the Russian department of the British Ministry of Information, walked in to the press department of the Foreign Commissariat at 12:30 p. m. holding up his thumb, announced, "They're off." Then we went to (Continued on page three)

Official Vote Is Announced

Raleigh, June 6.—(AP)—A canvass by the State Board of Elections of votes cast in the May 27 primary showed today a total vote of 321,757 was cast.

In the Democratic gubernatorial race, R. Gregg Cherry of Gastonia received 185,027 and Dr. Ralph W. McDonald of Winston-Salem, 134,661. Olla Ray Boyd of Pinetown received 2,069.

In the senate race, Clyde R. Hoey of Shelby received 211,049; Cameron Morrison of Charlotte 80,134; Marvin L. Rich 7,428; Arthur Simmons 4,592; and Giles Newton 3,057.

For Lieutenant Governor, L. Y. Balentine of Wake county received 131,002; and W. I. Halstead of Camden county 59,246; Jamie T. Lyda received 18,940.

STRIKES MAR INVASION DAY

Some Strikers Return To Work While Others Leave Jobs

(By The Associated Press)

Invasion Day found approximately 14,000 men and women idle in scattered labor disputes, but 4,000 others went back to their jobs in some response to pleas to support the fighting forces.

Production of finished airplane engines was halted at the Wright aeronautical plant in Lockland, Ohio, and at least 12,000 employees were off duty following the transfer of seven Negroes from one shop to another. Company and CIO union officials sought to end the stoppage and agreed it was a protest against mixing whites and Negro workers.

The Broken Roller Bearing Company (Continued on page three)

President Says Victory Over Germany Is Certain

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

Washington, June 6.—(AP)—In a speech which made no reference to invasion but was delivered in the certain knowledge that the climactic hour finally had come, President Roosevelt told the nation last night that victory over Germany is certain but "it will be tough and it will be costly."

The President broadcast on the fall of Rome at 8:30 p. m. eastern war time, about the time United States and Allied forces were jumping off from England or the air and water-push across the channel.

Now that the invasion has been announced, he may avail himself of the regular Tuesday afternoon news conference to say more.

To many listeners here it seemed that the chief executive was extraordinarily pre-occupied last night, that his comment on the accomplishments in Italy was designed more to point them up as prelude to what was to come than to exult in the victory already won.

Having in mind the fact that Berlin and Tokyo remain as Axis capitals he summed up the capture of the Italian capital by saying "one up and two to go."

"Our victory comes at an excellent time," Mr. Roosevelt declared in a radio address last night, "while our Allied forces are poised for another strike at western Europe—and other armies of other Nazi soldiers nervously await our assault. And

Gigantic Invasion Force Lands Along 100 Mile Front; Ground Forces Have Penetrated Two To Nine Miles; Nazi Opposition Weaker Than Anticipated

By WES GALLAGHER

Supreme Headquarters, Allied Expeditionary Force, June 6.—(AP)—The Allies landed in the Normandy section of northwest France early today and by evening had smashed their way inland on a broad front, making good a gigantic air and sea invasion against unexpectedly slight German opposition.

Prime Minister Churchill said part of the record-shattering number of parachute and glider troops were fighting in Caen, nine miles inland, and had seized a number of important bridges in the invasion area.

Four thousand ships and thousands of smaller landing craft took the thousands of American, British and Canadian seaborne forces from England to France under protection of 11,000 Allied bombers and fighters who wrought gigantic havoc with the whole elaborate coastal defense system that the Nazis had spent four years building. Now, because of the job done by the beachheads were secured quickly.

Allied losses in every branch were declared to be far less than had been counted upon in advance.

The Germans said the landings took place from Cherbourg to Le Havre—a front of about 100 miles and that a strong airborne force was fighting as far inland as Rouen, 41 miles east of Le Havre.

Churchill told Commons: "All this, of course, although very valuable as a first and vitally essential step, gives no indication whatever of what may be the course of the battle in the next days and weeks, because the enemy will now probably endeavor to concentrate on the area."

"In that event heavy fighting will soon begin and will continue. It is therefore a most serious time that we are entering upon."

Thousands of highly-trained troops leaped down well behind Nazi lines from carrier ship trains boring through the rainy, stormy night and a headquarters officer declared this "very large scale" operation was "carried out with great precision. Our losses in aircraft were very small. It was a fine job—very fine indeed."

The airborne troops carried the brunt of early battle, creating large diversion and many demolitions.

The grand assault—scheduled yesterday but postponed until today because of bad weather—found the highly-vaunted German defense much less formidable in every department than had been feared.

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RATION GUIDE

Foods—Blue A6 through Q6, good indefinitely.

Meats—Red A8 through T8, good indefinitely.

Sugar—Stamps 20 and 31, good indefinitely.

Shoes—Airplane Stamps 1 and 2, Gasoline—A-10 coupons.

Social and Personal

Mrs. Graham Gulley, Jr., and Graham III, of Leggett, spent yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Gulley.

Miss Ann Hedwige will leave tomorrow morning for Monroe, N. C., to spend the summer.

Capt. Frank Wilson and Capt. Howard Wilson, who have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson, have returned to their respective posts at Colorado Springs and Washington, D. C.

Mrs. J. F. Arthur and children have gone to Atlantic Beach to spend a month.

Bruce Warren, Jr., of Asheville, is spending the summer with his grandmother, Mrs. Susie Warren.

Mrs. Dink James and children and Miss Agnes Fullilove left yesterday for Watkinsville, Ga. Miss Fullilove will spend the summer at her home there.

Mrs. Nina Ames left today to visit her daughter, Yeoman Mabel G. Ames, USNR, who is stationed in San Francisco, Calif.

Cpl. Herman D. Nelson of the Army Air Corps, stationed at Lincoln, Neb., is spending a few days here with his wife and parents.

Mr. Robert Forbes is a patient in Duke Hospital.

Friends of Mr. W. S. Forbes will be sorry to learn that he is ill at his home on Twelfth street.

Nickel-Gates. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Edwin Gates announce the engagement of their daughter Elizabeth.

Richard Fritz Nickel, Lieutenant, Army Air Corps. The wedding will take place in July.

Christian Youth Rally. Rev. F. W. Weisman, outstanding youth leader from Dunn, will speak at the Eighth Street Christian Church at 8 o'clock tonight. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The third day of the rally was opened by a worship service led by Betty Nobles. The theme was "The Lord's Prayer" and Dot Ormond rendered the solo "The Lord's Prayer." The morning study program was shortened so the rally delegates could attend the invasion prayer service.

Wyatt Brown led the afternoon discussion, "Choosing Your Vocation."

Awarded Degree. Columbia, Mo., June 6.—Miss Lucy Clyde Blount, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Blount of Greenville, was awarded an Associate of Arts degree at the 112th commencement exercises at Stephens College.

President James M. Wood awarded the diplomas after an impressive ceremony during which 780 young women were awarded the Associate of Arts degrees.

St. Mary's Auxiliary. St. Mary's Auxiliary of Episcopal Church will meet in the Parish House tonight at 8 o'clock.

Receives Award. Chapel Hill, June 6.—Fourteen prizes, medals, awards and fellowships were awarded University of North Carolina graduates and students at the final graduating exercises in the Piedmont Stadium here last night. The awards included: Alpha Chi Omega Award in Chemistry—Jesse N. Williams, Greenville.

Attend Merchants' Meeting. The following from Greenville left yesterday to attend the meeting of the State Merchants Association being held in Raleigh this week: Lyman Ormond, B. B. Sugg, L. B. Garris, Clifton Edwards, Mrs. Cora Powell, Eli Bloom, Curtis Perkins, Charles Blair, D. J. Whichard, Martin Swartz, L. A. Stroud, C. Heber Forbes, John Webb.

Messrs. Bloom, Sugg, Whichard and Swartz returned last night.

Social Calendar

TUESDAY
8:00 p. m.—Mrs. Fred DeMasl will be hostess at bridge in honor of Mrs. Ruby Taylor, bride-elect, and Mrs. P. R. Masten, III, a recent bride.

8:00 p. m.—Circle No. 3 of the Christian Church meets with Mrs. Lee H. Moore.

8:00 p. m.—Chapter 149 of the Eastern Star meets.

WEDNESDAY
4:00 p. m.—Circle No. 1 of the Christian Church meets with Mrs. W. H. Woolard.

6:30 p. m.—Mrs. I. E. Garris, Mrs. C. H. Edwards will entertain at a spaghetti supper, at the home of Mrs. Edwards, in compliment to Miss Ruby Taylor.

7:30 p. m.—Members of the German Club will entertain at a picnic supper and dance at the Country Club. Officers of Squadron 344 and their wives will be guests.

THURSDAY
6:00 p. m.—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Collins will entertain the Collins-Taylor wedding party at dinner.

8:30 p. m.—Rehearsal for the Collins-Taylor wedding in Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church.

9:30 p. m.—Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Sugg and Mrs. W. L. Batchelor will entertain the Collins-Taylor wedding party at a cake cutting, at the Sugg home.

FRIDAY
1:00 p. m.—Mrs. E. D. Britt and Mrs. Wade Britt of Ayden will entertain at luncheon honoring the Collins-Taylor wedding party.

5:30 p. m.—The marriage of Miss Ruby Taylor and John Collins, Jr., will take place in Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church.

6:00 p. m.—Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Taylor will entertain at a reception, honoring the Collins-Taylor wedding party.

6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club.

Attending Aquatic School.

H. A. McDougle, chairman of water safety, announces that the Pitt County Chapter of the American Red Cross is sending the following to national aquatic school at Brevard: Hennie Ruth Whichard of Greenville; Bobby Darden of Farmville; and Etta Frances Harper of Farmville.

In England.

Pvt. Rufus Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Williams of Grifton, Route 1, has been in England about a month. He has been in the army four years. His address is A. S. N., 34602982, Btry. C. 561 F. A. Bn., A. P. O. 368, care Postmaster, New York.

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KING VISITS GENERAL—Somewhere in England, King George VI pays a visit to the headquarters of Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery, British hero of the North African campaign. His Majesty is shown (left) leaving a mobile unit.

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR
June 6, 1904

The Board of County Commissioners made a good step in the interest of taxpayers. A reduction of 2-3 cents on each \$100 of valuation, 8 cents on each poll, and 10 cents on each \$100 in stock law territory south of the river, was made at their meeting Monday.

The result of the election for alderman removes the last straw at which the whiskey advocates caught in their efforts to prevent the establishment of a dispensary in Greenville.

Stewards To Meet.
The Board of Stewards of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church will meet tonight at 8 o'clock.

Birth Announcement.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Dail of Winterville, announce the birth of a daughter in Pitt General Hospital on Monday, June 5, 1944.

back our forces. Success may not come with rushing speed, but we will return again and again; and we know that by Thy grace, and by the righteousness of our cause, our sons will triumph.

"They will be sore tried, by night and by day, without rest—till the victory is won. The darkness will be rent by noise and flame. Men's souls will be shaken with the violences of war.

"These are men lately drawn from the ways of peace. They fight not for the lust of conquest. They fight to end conquest. They fight to liberate. They fight to let justice arise, and tolerance and goodwill among all thy people. They yearn but for the end of battle, for their return to the haven of home.

"Some will never return. Embrace these, Father, and receive them. Thy heroic servants, into Thy kingdom."

"And for us at home—fathers, mothers, children, wives, sisters and brothers of brave men overseas, whose thoughts and prayers are ever with them—help us, Almighty God, to dedicate ourselves in renewed faith in Thee in this hour of great sacrifice.

"Many people have urged that I call the nation into a single day of prayer. But because the road is long and the desire is great, I ask that our people devote themselves in continuance of prayer. As we rise to each new day, and again when each day is spent, let words of prayer be on our lips, invoking Thy help to our efforts.

"Give us strength, too—strength in our daily tasks, to redouble the contributions we make in the physical and material support of our armed forces.

"And let our hearts be stout, to wait out the long travail, to bear sorrows that may come, to impart our courage into our sons wherever they may be.

"And, O Lord, give us faith. Give us faith in Thee; faith in our sons; faith in each other; faith in our united crusade. Let not the keenness of our spirit ever be dulled. Let not the impacts of temporary events or temporal matters of but fleeting moment—let not these deter us in our unconquerable purpose.

"With Thy blessing, we shall prevail over the unholy forces of our enemy. Help us to conquer the apostles of greed and racial enmities. Lead us to the saving of our country, and with our sister nations into a world unity that will spell a sure peace—a peace invulnerable to the schemings of unworthy men. And a peace that will let all men live in freedom, reaping the just rewards of their honest toil.

"Thy will be done, Almighty God. Amen."

Try Our Want Ads

Chaplain Calhoun Speaks To Rotary

By WYATT BROWN
Reassurances as to the spiritual welfare of the men in the armed services in so far as the chaplains and facilities for the chaplains are concerned were given last night by Chaplain Calhoun, who is stationed here in Greenville with the Marines. The chaplain listed the variety of matters which came over his desk in a week's period when he was located at Lambert Field, Mo. His message was how the sharing of faith experiences and problems was enriching the service men's spiritual life.

J. H. Waldrop announced the Fifth War Loan drive which opens here June 12 to last through July 2. He explained the variety of bonds available to backers of the Fifth War Loan drive. Citing the past record of Pitt county which usually goes over the top, Mr. Waldrop announced that forces to put this drive over have been thoroughly organized.

Volunteers to assist in getting a check-up of all retail food dealers for OPA were enlisted last night by J. B. Kittrell from the Rotary Club members. Guests of the club were Frank M. Wooten, Jr., and Alec Dail, Visiting Rotarians from Ayden last night were Roy Turnage and Theibert Worthington. Herbert Waldrop, chairman of the Program committee, presented the program. John G. Fleming, club president, presided.

Mrs. Amanda Ball Buried In Grifton

Mrs. Amanda Ball, 73, died at the home of her son, W. R. Ball of near Hanrahan, Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock after one and a half years of illness.

Funeral services were held at the home of her son this afternoon at 3 o'clock by the Rev. Duff Toler, and burial was in the Grifton cemetery.

Mrs. Ball had lived in Pitt county for the past 12 years, and was a member of the Mount Zion Free Will Baptist Church at Cash Corner. Surviving are two sons, W. R. Ball of Hanrahan, and D. W. Ball of Halifax; two brothers, Charlie Baker of Washington, N. C., and Tom Baker of Chocowinity, and one sister, Mrs. Julie Boyd of Vanceboro.

Crown 4-H King And Queen In Ceremony

Impressive exercises marked the annual coronation of the king and queen by the Pitt County 4-H club at Octaneh Street Park this afternoon. The program was impressively presented by the boys and girls while the grownups manifested pride in their achievements.

The story of 4-H club work in Pitt county is interesting. These boys and girls, under fine leadership and direction, are doing things on the farms to set a pace for their parents. They work on the practical things of life and their achievements have won statewide praise.

In Africa. Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stainback that their son, Pvt. A. B. Stainback, Jr., has arrived safely in North Africa.

King Says Allies Doing All Right

Washington, June 6.—(AP)—Admiral Ernest J. King told reporters at one p. m. today that the invasion is "doing all right so far."

King, commander-in-chief of the fleet, made the remark as he, General George C. Marshall, chief of staff, and Gen. H. H. Arnold, chief of the air forces, left the White House after an hour and a half conference with President Roosevelt. The three top officers appeared in good spirits as they left the executive mansion, but they would not discuss their conference further.

Halfax Confident

Washington, June 6.—(AP)—Lord Halifax, British ambassador, upon being informed of the invasion, issued the following statement: "No doubt we shall have very tough fighting, but we all have complete confidence in General Eisenhower, his deputy commanders and all the Allied troops."

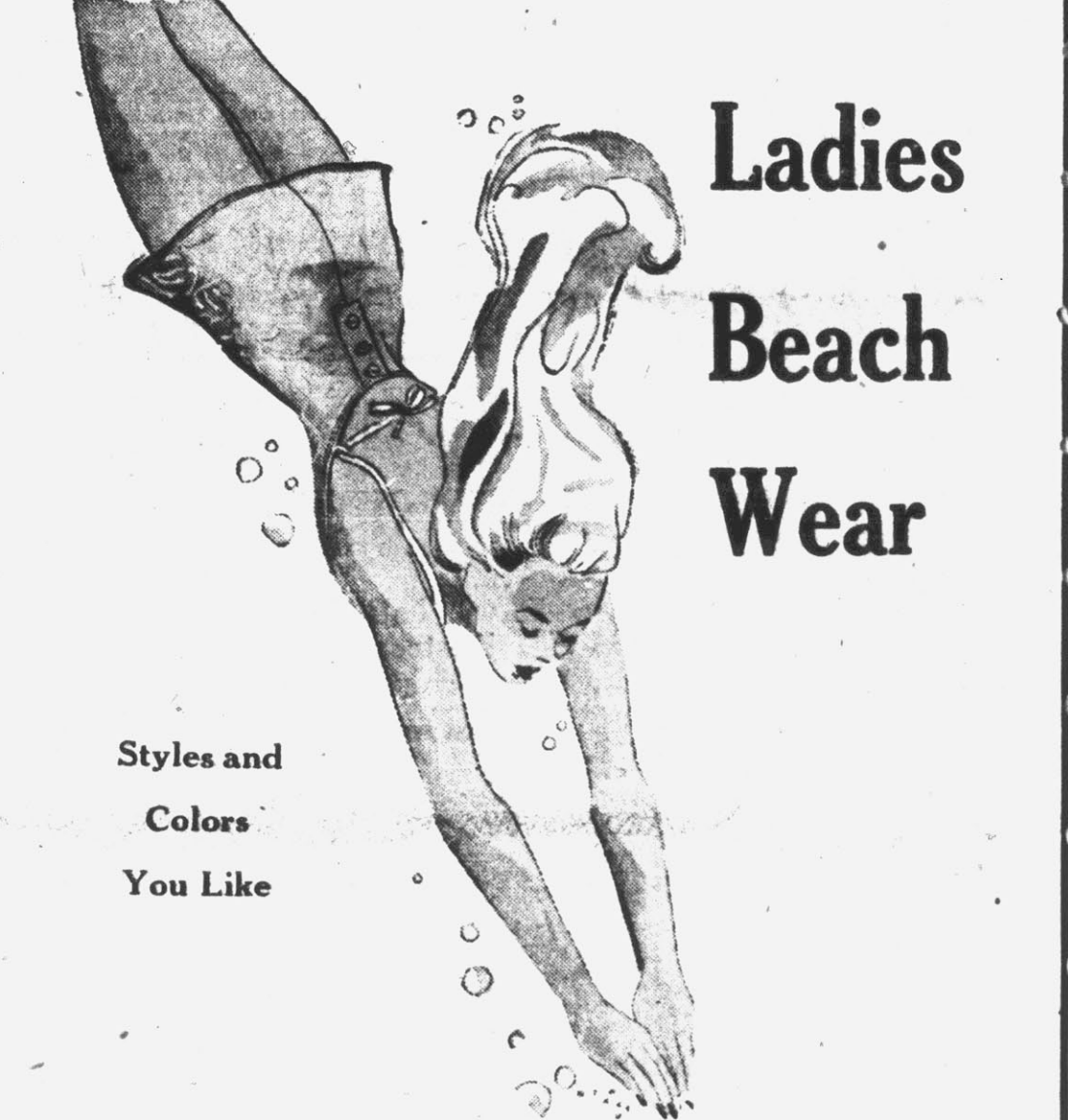
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"D-Day" . . .

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news! In a short time telephones were ringing from house to house playing the news. And likewise the Reflector was in the postoffice to be delivered on the morning's mail to the rural routes out of Greenville.

News of the invasion of liberation of oppressed peoples was reflected among people here in more of a religious way than by the exultation and cheering of Armistice Day in 1918. The invasion marked the beginning of a new Thanksgiving day which will for all time be celebrated all over the world. Good cheer and thanksgiving were the characteristics of the mood of the people. It was a solemnly thankful spirit.

By 9 o'clock this morning when the fire siren and the air raid alarm stentoriously blasted forth the news that today is "D-day," practically everybody knew what had happened. A reporter, hobnobbing with groups here and there in the business section, met solemn people—thankful people—more in the mood of receiving communion in church than in the rejoicing of winning a battle. There was manifest a profound desire by people here to seek the sanctuary of a place of worship and give thanks for what

was accomplished and ask Divine guidance on the Allied Armies in their crusade for peace for all mankind.

Churches were opened and from 11 until 1 o'clock today thousands of men, women and children—with a goodly sprinkling of men in uniform—visited churches all over the county to give thanks and pray for peace. A large number of business houses closed from 11 until 1 o'clock while special thanksgiving services were being held in the churches.

Russian Forces . . .

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notify Soviet officials. Maj.-Gen. John E. Deane, chief of the U. S. military mission, and Lt.-Gen. Roacas Burrows, British military mission head, prepared a joint statement for the Soviet press.

Twenty Jap . . .

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that prowling American submarines had sent six transports and 10 cargo vessels to the bottom of the Pacific and navy planes got two more in the Truk area. In hand fighting, meantime, six Japanese columns tightened on

Changsha, key city of the Hankow-Canton railway in China's Hunan province. Hunan's governor, Gen. Hsueh Yueh, said "the fate of the nation depends upon the outcome of the present battle."

In the southwest Pacific, American invaders of Biak Island in the Schouten group off Dutch New Guinea outflanked the Japanese defenders and cut in on the Mokmer airfield from two directions. Nineteen enemy planes were added to the 30 announced as destroyed in this theater yesterday.

Bitter fighting for Japan's north Burma base of Myitkyina continued with Allies pressing their offensive inside and outside the town.

Strikes Mar . . .

(Continued From Page One) pany at Canton, Ohio, reported nearly 1,000 CIO unionists had left their posts in the seniority controversy. At Toledo, 450 baker employes still were away from work.

One thousand workers who had quit because of curtailed operation of a soft drink canteen returned to their duties at the C. G. Hussey steel firm in Pittsburgh after army and navy conciliators declared: "You can't back up the boys by striking." A CIO leader strove to terminate

a walkout of 500 or more at the Simonds Saw and Steel Company in Lockport, N. Y. Full scale production was resumed at the Illinois ordnance plant in Carbondale, Ill., where 800 had been idle.

Four hundred striking spinners, and more than 2,000 others who had been out of work because of a lack of yarn, were back at their jobs at the Riverside and Dan River cotton mills in Danville, Va. The concern announced it would abandon employment of Negroes as spinners and doffers—an issue in the case.

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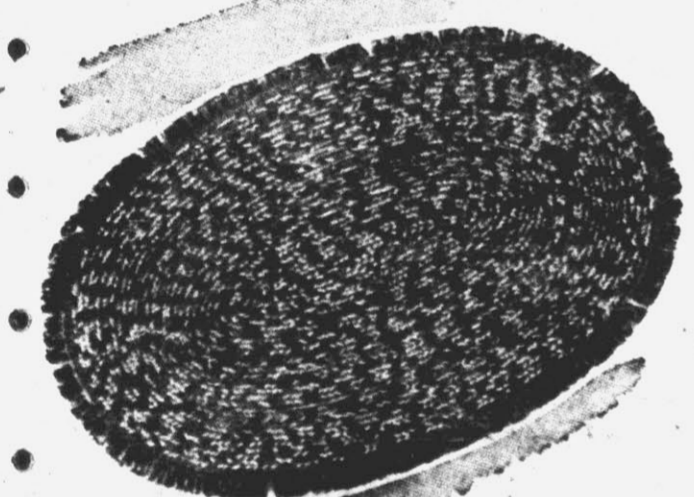
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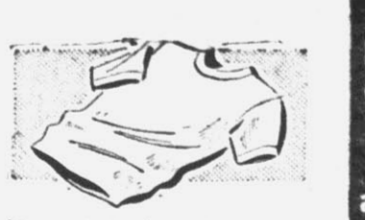
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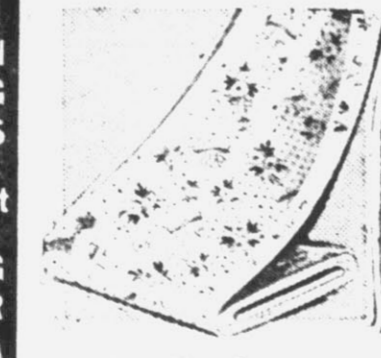
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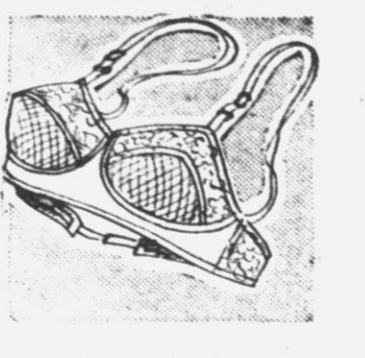
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GOLF TOURNEY IS UNDER WAY

Playing For Club Championship and President's Cup

The Greenville Country Club golf championship and the President's Cup handicap matches began at the club yesterday.

The pairs for the club championship tournament are as follows:

- Allen and Bower; Waldron and Bilbro; Harrell and Ormond; Bobb and A. Barrett; Proctor and Glass; Kilgo and Ruffin; B. Brown and L. Henry; Long and Keck; C. W. Depka and Smoot; Forbes and Dunn; James and Batchelor; Savage and L. Donovan; Conley and Capt. Simpson; Mayo and Phelps; Blank and Baker; Lipscomb and L. Crutcher; Dr. Barrett and Capt. Simpson; 14; Phelps 10 and L. Tait 10; Edwards 13 and J. Tait 13; Dr. Barrett 8 and L. Crutcher 10; Lipscomb 11 and Baker 8; Clayton 14 and Ruffin 10; Dunn 12 and James 14; Glass 9 and L. Vohor 10; Vincent 18 and Ernest 12; Mayo 8; Clark 4; Conley 8; Capt. Bilbro 10; Harrell 12; Harrell 9; R. Turner 10; Ormond 14; Bobb 14; A. Barrett 14; Lane 10; Savage 9; Roberts 14; Proctor 9; Hooker 12; Batchelor 16; Forbes 16; Pichlen 12; Little 12; Smoot 7; L. Wase 18; Kilgo 11; L. Henry 18; Murray 15; Brown 15; Long 18; Allen 6; Depka 16; Keck 10; Mac Batchelor 18; Dr. Haney 10.

All first round matches must be played by Sunday, June 11. Following matches are to be played within the week following. All participants are urged to call their opponents at once and arrange to play their match.

BASEBALL

STANBINGS
National League

Team	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	23	14	.674
Pittsburgh	23	16	.590
Cincinnati	24	18	.571
New York	20	23	.465
Boston	21	25	.457
Brooklyn	19	23	.452
Philadelphia	17	22	.436
Chicago	13	25	.342

American League

Team	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	27	20	.574
New York	22	18	.550
Detroit	24	22	.522
Chicago	20	21	.485
Boston	21	23	.477
Philadelphia	20	23	.467
Cleveland	21	25	.457
Washington	20	24	.455

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

Invasion Of...

(Continued From Page One)
Airborne troops who led the assault before daylight on a history-making scale suffered "extremely small" losses in the air, headquarters disclosed tonight, even though the great plane fleets extended across 200 miles of sky and used navigation lights to keep formation.
Coastal batteries, were virtually silenced by the guns of the British, American and Allied fleets, including battleships, and the beachheads were speedily consolidated.
Fighters who went out to guard the beaches had little to do, however, as the German air force up to noon had flown only 50 sorties against the invading forces.
The Germans were known to have probably 1,750 fighters and 500 bombers to meet the attack, why they did not use them at the start was not apparent, but Allied sirmen warned that a violent reaction may be expected soon, noting that Herman Goering in an order of the day had told his airforces, "the invasion must be beaten off even if the Luftwaffe perishes."
An optimistic air pervaded this headquarters over the smooth manner in which was launched the great crusade to liberate Nazi-enslaved Europe, a crusade in which the supreme commander, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, told his men, "we will

accept nothing less than full victory."
Prime Minister Churchill told Commons tonight that Allied troops had penetrated in some cases several miles after their effective landings on a broad front, and happily asserted, "many dangers and difficulties which this time last night appeared extremely formidable are behind us."
He and all other sources agreed that the operation was going according to plan. The air forces, to which he paid high tribute for their work in smashing coastal defenses, estimated that between midnight and 8 a. m. alone more than 31,000 airmen were over France, not counting parachute and glider troops.
German broadcasts said, the Allies penetrated several kilometers in between Caen and Isigny, which are 35 miles apart and respectively nine and two miles from the sea.
German opposition apparently was less effective than expected, although fierce in many respects, and the Germans said they were bringing reinforcements continuously up to the coast, where "a battle for life or death is in progress."
The seaborne troops, led by Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery, surged across the channel from England by 4,000 regular ships and additional thousands of smaller craft.
They were preceded by massed flights of parachute and glider forces who landed inland during the dark.
The initial landings were made from 8 to 8:25 a. m., British time (midnight to 2:25 a. m. EDT) as the Germans said subsequent landings were made on the English channel isles of Jersey and Guernsey and that invasion at new points on the continent was expected hourly.
All reports from the beachhead, insofar as they were in specific detail, agreed that the Allies had made good the great gamble of

amphibious landing against possibly the strongest fortified section of coast in the world.
Reconnaissance pilots said the Allied troops had secured the beachhead and were slashing inland, some of them actually running in a swift advance. The unofficial word at headquarters confirmed this, while the Vichy radio admitted the Allied drive inland was going right ahead.
More than 640 naval guns, ranging from 4 to 16-inch, hurled many tons of shells accurately into the coastal fortifications which the Germans had spent four years preparing against this day.
Prime Minister Churchill was able to tell Parliament that the shore batteries had been "largely quiet," the underwater obstructions had proven less dangerous than feared, and the whole operation was "proceeding according to plan."
German naval opposition was confined to destroyers and motor torpedo boats which headquarters said were being "dealt with." The Germans, as expected, blared on their radios all sorts of claims of vast destruction done to Allied fleets and forces, but with no confirmation.
In one defiant gesture, some of the German cross-channel guns opened a sporadic fire on Dover during the afternoon.
Unconfirmed reports said Adolf Hitler was rushing to France to try his intuition against the Allied operation. Presumably Field Marshals Earl Gerd von Rundstedt and Erwin Rommel were directing the defenses from their headquarters in France.
German accounts through Sweden admitted that steady streams of Allied troops were continuing to land, particularly in the vicinity of Arromanches, about midway between Le Havre and Barfleur, and that the tanks were ashore at several places. They said there was especially bit-

ter fighting at the mouths of the Orne and Vire rivers.
The airborne troops' principal scenes of operations were placed by the Germans at Caen and Barfleur. The Germans said the American 82nd and 101st parachute divisions had landed on the Normandy peninsula, along with the American 28th and 100th airborne divisions. They said the British first and sixth airborne divisions were operating in the Seine Bay area. The Germans complained that at some points enemy parachutists were exploding on touch.
The tenor of their accounts lent support to Prime Minister Churchill's assertion that "there already has been attained" and "we hope to furnish the enemy with a succession of surprises during the course of the fighting."
If the Germans were correct about the locations, the Allied plan apparently was to seize the Cherbourg peninsula and make Normandy the initial beachhead for a drive up the Seine valley to Paris.
Warships of both the British and United States navies, including British and American battleships, hunted shells into the coastal defenses which the Germans have been building for four years. The Germans acknowledged that this fire was tremendous and that it had set the whole bay of the Seine area afire.
Great flotillas of minesweepers led the way to the beaches for the Allied ground troops, and the sweeping operation alone was described by SHAEF as "the largest in history."
The channel was rough and there was a shower of rain at dawn. At supreme headquarters it was stated that the condition of the sea had caused some great anxiety, but that the troops had gone ashore, even though many were seasick.
The landing forces had these fi-

nal words from Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower:
"You are about to embark on a great crusade. The eyes of the world are upon you and the hopes and prayers of all liberty-loving peoples go with you."
"We will accept nothing less than full victory."
Negro Peach Grower Is Having Success
Joe Daniels, Negro farmer of the Parrotts section, with 11 acres of peaches of different varieties, believes there is money in orcharding in Pitt county and is doing something about it. He has for several days been selling early peaches by the bushel here and has more orders than he can fill. The peaches are small but of excellent flavor. Daniels started his orchard in 1938 on a small scale. He has increased it and planted a dozen or more varieties of peaches which ripen from early June until mid-August. He cultivates the orchard, keeps the trees pruned, and now believes if he can get the help promised by Dennis Dupree, Negro farm agent, he will prune the trees back sufficiently to produce larger peaches and get better prices.
New Sugar Stamp
Raleigh, June 6—(AP)—Sugar stamp No. 32 in war ration book four will be good indefinitely after June 16 for five pounds, District OPA Director T. S. Johnson said today.
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Washington, June 6—(AP)—Thirteen chains of small loan companies in the south and west, involving 40 corporations and 75 individuals, and operating more than 400 offices, were charged today with conspiracy to violate the Sherman anti-trust act by agreeing to fix interest rates.
Attorney General Francis Biddle announced that a federal grand jury in San Antonio, Texas, has returned an indictment charging that the defendants conspired to maintain interest rates and charges ranging all the way from 6 1/2 to 1,000 per cent a year on loans of \$5 to \$50.
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Grain Market

Chicago, June 6—(AP)—After a faltering start followed by a period of indecision the grain market turned firm today on news of the invasion. The wheat market displayed a strong tone late in the trading. Scattered buying found only small offerings. A nervous rye market also was stronger, with some traders uncertain as to how the opening of a western front would affect demand. Oats moved upward with

wheat on light offerings. July wheat closed 1.52 1/4, oats 75 1/2, rye 1.09 1/4, barley 1.31.

New York Cotton

New York, June 6—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 95 cents to \$1.15 a bale lower.

Notes were 45 to 65 cents a bale lower, July 20.94, October 20.34, December 20.08.

Cotton futures closed 15 to 25 cents a bale higher.

Open	Last	Prv. Cl.
July	20.85	21.08
Aug	20.23	20.47
Dec	19.99	20.22
March	19.79	19.96
May	19.49	19.77

Middling spot 22.03, up 3.

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, June 6—(AP)—The stock market responded to the big invasion news today with an advance of peace-rated issues to peaks for the year or longer in the fastest dealing since last November.

Transfers ran to around 1,900,000 shares compared with 858,000 yesterday.

FINAL STOCKS

Allegheny	3 1/4
Al Chem and Dye	145 1/2
Allis Chal Mfg	37
Am Can	90 1/2
Am Car Pdy	34 1/2
Am Roll Mill	13 1/2
Am Smet and Ref	38
A T and T	160 1/2
Am Tob B	25 1/2
Anaconda	58
Arm III	12 1/2
A C L	39 1/2
Atl Ref	32
Aviat Corp	3 1/2
Baldwin	19 1/2
B and O	7 1/2
Barnsdall	16 1/2
Bendix Aviat	37 1/2
Beth Stl	58 1/2
Boeing Airpr	31 1/2
Borden	31 1/2
Budd Mig	29
Burl Mills	23
Bur Add Mach	13
Cannon Mills	45
Case J T	37 1/2
Caterpil Trac	48 1/2
Ches and O	48 1/2
Chrysler	88
Coca Cola	117 1/2
Coml Credit	38 1/2
Coml Solv	15 1/2
Consol Edis	21 1/2
Cons Can	33 1/2
Corn Prod	58 1/2
Curtiss Wright	4 1/2
Dough Air	47
Dow Chem	123 1/2
Dupont	151
Eastman Kod	168 1/2
Firestone	47 1/2
Gen Elec	36 1/2
Gen Foods	40 1/2
Gen Mot	61
Goodrich	49 1/2
Goodyear	46 1/2
Int Harvest	75 1/2
Int Tel Tel	14 1/2
Johns Man	94
Kennecott	30 1/2
Ligg and Myers B	79 1/2
Loews	63 1/2
Lorillard	18 1/2
Mont Ward	16 1/2
Nash Corp	21 1/2
Nat Biscuit	14 1/2
Nat Cash Reg	29 1/2
Nat Dist	35 1/2
N Y Cent	17 1/2
No Am Aviat	7 1/2
Packard	4 1/2
Param Pic	26 1/2
Pennyc J C	99 1/2
Penn RR	28 1/2
Pepsi Cola	50 1/2
Phillips Pet	44 1/2
Pullman	43 1/2
Pure Oil	16 1/2
Radio	9 1/2
Rem Rand	16 1/2
Repub Stl	17 1/2
Reynolds B	30 1/2
Seears	32
Sou Ry	23 1/2
Std Brands	14 1/2
Std Oil N J	56 1/2
Stewart Warner	14 1/2
Swift	40 1/2
Tex Co	47 1/2
Un Carbide	79 1/2
United Air	26 1/2
United Corp	14 1/2
United Drug	14 1/2
US Ind Chem	36 1/2
US Rubber	47 1/2
US Smet Ref	58 1/2
US Steel	52
Vanadium	19 1/2
Vick Chem	42 1/2
Va Caro Chem	4 1/2
Warner Pac	12 1/2
Western Union A	46 1/2
West El Mfg	100
Woolworth	38 1/2

LADY IN A WHIRL

By Esther Valck Georgons

Chapter 13

"Well, what's the matter with you? Cora demanded as she came abreast of the car and recognized it. She squinted into the interior, trying to see who the occupants were. "Who's that with you, Zeldia? I must say this is a nice way to greet a person who's been kidnapped and starved and frozen to death," she complained.

"Her teeth were already clicking with the cold, and now she began to hiccup."

Zeldia scrambled past Pete and out of the car. She ran to Cora, "Oh, Cora!" she exclaimed, "are you all right? What happened? We've been so worried!"

Somewhat mollified, Cora managed to dismount, although rather stiffly.

"It's a wonder one of you lunatics couldn't get out and help her," Zeldia snapped, turning on the men furiously.

But they were convulsed with laughter, and after a second Zeldia sat down on the running board and began to laugh too.

"I don't see anything funny," Cora said indignantly. Then, "Very well," she told Zeldia huffily, "very well. If you're not going to take me home I can walk, I guess!" And in spite of the fact that she was clad only in her underwear, she managed to give the impression of a frounce as she started off.

"Wait!" Zeldia gasped. "Wait a minute. I can't help it. You looked so funny." She tried to overcome her mirth. "Come on. Get in. We'll get you home right away."

Cora came back. "Come on, Rutabaga," she told the child. "Get off that animal."

Zeldia and Cora and Rutabaga got in the coupe; Manassas was headed for home by himself. Pete and O'Brien walked, glad of an opportunity to give full vent to their mirth without offending Cora.

"Now," demanded Zeldia as soon as they were moving, "what happened? I warned you about that—"

"Shucks!" said Cora. "I'm here am I not? Nobody's hurt. Although I am awfully hungry." She rummaged around in the door pocket and found some chocolates she had put there a few days before. She sighed with relief. "Ah," she said, "I was afraid Pete might have found them. Have one, Rutabaga."

"But, Cora—"

"Now don't 'but Cora' me. What's all the fuss?" She devoured another chocolate. "Really I think it's all rather romantic," she added smugly, licking her fingers.

"You don't look romantic," Zeldia remarked dryly, as they reached the cottage.

"Come on, Rutabaga," Cora said making a streak for the kitchen.

"There's chicken in the refrigerator. And tomorrow you shall have a steak—if there's any in the village."

By the time the men arrived at the cottage, Cora was presiding over the stove for Rutabaga, clad in one of Eglantine's aprons, was seated in state at the kitchen table, gnawing away on a chicken leg. She attended strictly to the process of eating for many minutes, but finally, "This is good," she said. "You needn't bother about the steak. I'll have more of this instead."

As she ate she regarded Zeldia steadily. "You're nice," she said gravely at last. "I don't see why Pop didn't bring you up to the house instead of her." She indicated Cora with the chicken bone.

Pete and O'Brien, grinning, demanded scrambled eggs.

"I'll go it," Cora offered. And she did.

"Anyway," Pete declared as he cleared his plate finally, "I'd always bet on you, Cora. I told Zeldia not to worry."

"Me, too," agreed O'Brien. "And how! But just the same I think I ought to arrest the old bird."

"Certainly not," Cora was indignant. "Of course, his actions were—well, rash, you might say, but I'm sure his intentions were not bad. I really think it was sort of romantic. Imagine—" She became mellow now that she was no longer hungry—"just imagine a woman of my age being able to inspire those sort of feelings in a man."

"Feelings?" contributed Rutabaga. "I guess all Pop feels now is itchy."

Pete and O'Brien guffawed and Cora frowned out of the room.

When O'Brien left it was decided that he would return the next morning and take Rutabaga back

arms and joyously danced down Broadway.

American Red Cross officials reported that their offices were flooded with telephone calls from prospective blood donors.

Major race tracks suspended their programs, but generally sports events went on as scheduled.

Virginia Civilian Defense officials sent over the civilian air raid warning system a summons to 3 p. m. prayer, meetings in all cities and most towns.

Lord and Taylor, New York specialty shop, closed for the day and its 3,000 employees were given the day off to pray and hope for victory.

In Raleigh, Harvey Roseman, district director of the Office of Defense Transportation, urged people not to make non-essential trips, and said if they were stranded, it would be their own fault.

He recalled a statement a few weeks ago by Col. J. M. Johnson, head of ODT, that east coast transportation facilities would be used extensively for carrying wounded servicemen arriving from Europe.

"The ODT is going to see to it that necessary equipment is available at Atlantic ports for properly handling the wounded aboard hospital ships," Roseman said. "If necessary, drastic steps will be taken to put an end to unnecessary travel."

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Death Toll Reaches Five

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Invasion . . .

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flow of materials of war. Plant officials announced uniformly and proudly that the announcement came without a slackening of output.

New York a public prayer observance, to be held at 5:30 p. m. at the Madison Square Eternal Light, World War I memorial, was announced, ceremonies which will be repeated in communities in all parts of the country.

Some cities, such as Albuquerque, N. M., announced 12-day and 11-hour with sirens and whistles, summoning men and women to their places of worship.

At the United States veterans hospital in New York, 1,800 men still hospitalized 25 years after World War I were given the news by nurses. Patients, in pajamas and bathrobes, walking on crutches and canes, gathered on the hospital lawns and bowed in silent prayer.

Newspapers issued extras and radio broadcasting companies pushed all scheduled programs aside. The New York Daily News threw out its regular editorials and printed morning news and women to their prayers, previously made public by church leaders, were prominently displayed in all newspapers.

The New York Stock Exchange halted its activities for a two minute prayer period.

Emergency orders for augmented personnel went out from the nation's telephone companies.

As American service men accepted the news in their stride a light note was struck by a group of French sailors in New York who linked

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women Marines and serious injury to three others.

The Fifth Naval District Relations office announced the names of the victims last night.

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION
North Carolina—Pitt County
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-vs-
Lena Belle Johnston.

The defendant, Lena Belle Johnston, will take notice that an action titled as above, has been commenced by James R. Johnston in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, for the purpose of obtaining an absolute divorce from her on the grounds of a two-year

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ALLIES INVADE FRANCE



(By WES GALLAGHER)

Supreme Headquarters, Allied Expeditionary Force, June 6.—(AP)—Allied forces landed in northern France today in history's greatest overseas operation, designed to destroy the power of Hitler's Germany and wrest enslaved Europe from the Nazis.

The German radio said the landings were made from Le Havre to Cherbourg, along the north coast of Normandy and the south side of the Bay of the Seine.

Allied headquarters did not specify the locations, but left no doubt whatever that the landings were on a gigantic scale.

Ring in their ears, the American, British and Canadian forces who made the landings had these words from their supreme commander General Dwight D. Eisenhower:

"You are about to embark on a great crusade. The eyes of the world are upon you and the hopes and prayers of all liberty-loving peoples go with you"

"We will accept nothing less than full victory."

The German radio filled the air with invasion flashes for three hours before the formal Allied announcement came at 7:32 a. m., Greenwich mean time (3:32 a. m., Eastern War Time).

It acknowledged deep penetrations of the Cherbourg peninsula by Allied parachute and glider troops in great strength.

The assault was supported by gigantic bombardments from Allied warships and planes, which the Germans admitted set the coastal areas ablaze.

A senior officer at supreme headquarters said rough water caused "awful anxiety" for the seaborne troops but that the landings were made successfully, although some soldiers were undoubtedly seasick.

The sun broke through heavy clouds periodically this morning after a daybreak shower. The wind had blown fairly hard during the night but moderated somewhat with the dawn. The weather outlook remained somewhat unsettled.

Supreme headquarters' first communique was this single sentence:

"Under the command of General Eisenhower, Allied naval forces supported by strong air forces began landing Allied armies this morning on the northern coast of France."

It was announced moments later that Britain's Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery, hero of the Eighth army victories in North Africa, Sicily and Italy, was in charge of the assault.

A senior officer at headquarters said the times of the landings varied to take advantage of the various tide stages at different beaches. Except for the airborne troops, the first landing times varied from 6 a. m. to 8:25 a. m., British double summer time (midnight to 2:25 a. m. EWT).

Although the Germans almost immediately announced that the grand assault had started, Eisenhower delayed the announcement in order to make absolutely certain the landings had taken hold before saying anything.

The Allied forces had been ready for days, but were awaiting the best moment from the weather standpoint.

"We have been months and years waiting for this," said senior officer giving correspondents the story at headquarters.

"Geography made it evident to the Germans as well as us that the shortest way to Europe was across the channel.

"I don't know how much tactical surprise we achieved. It is too early to tell."

First reports from across the channel, however, indicated that the Allies definitely controlled the air over the scene of operations.

The Allied officer commented that landing against the fixed defenses of western Europe was a task quite different from that in the Mediterranean and sketched briefly the German defensive plan of under water barriers and shore guns.

He said the Germans had possibly 1,750 fighter planes and 500 bombers to oppose the Allies.

If the landings were in the places listed by the Germans, the Allied aim apparently was to pinch off the Cherbourg peninsula and the good ports of Cherbourg and Le Havre, make Normandy their first main beachhead and drive up the Seine valley to Paris.

Eisenhower himself wished godspeed to the parachutists who were the first to land on the enemy-held soil of France.

For three hours previous to the Allied announcement the German radio had been pouring forth a series of flashes reporting that the Allies were landing between Le Havre and Cherbourg along the south side of the bay of the Seine and along the north coast of Normandy.

This would be across the channel and almost due south of such British ports as Hastings, Brighton, Portsmouth and Bournemouth. The Germans also said parachutists had descended in Normandy and were being engaged by Nazi shock troops.

The landings had been in progress several hours before the Allied communique was issued.

Allied soldiers leaped onto the shores which the Germans have spent nearly four years in fortifying, while Allied planes and ships hurled into those defenses barrages which the Nazis admitted were terrific.

The fleet included several battleships, which the Germans said set the whole Seine Bay area ablaze with their fire.

Supreme Headquarters, Allied Expeditionary Force, June 6.—(AP) United States battleships are supporting the Allied landings in France and U. S. coast guard units also are participating in the operations, it was announced today.

American marines likewise are in the fighting, manning secondary guns aboard the big ships.

Allied Headquarters, Naples, June 6.—(AP)—The battle to destroy the German enemy in Italy "continues without pause" and troops of the Fifth army have advanced some five miles beyond the Tiber, Allied headquarters announced today.

OPEN FIGHT ON CEILINGS

Controversy Centering Around Textile Amendment

Washington, June 5.—(AP) Wrapped in cotton and controversy, a bill to continue price controls for another 18 months headed today for what may be a week of bitter Senate debate.

Most of the scrapping centers around the cotton amendment by Senator Bankhead (D-Ala.) to require new cotton textile price ceilings based upon a cotton parity price and taking into consideration the manufacturing cost plus a reasonable profit.

President Roosevelt has labeled the amendment inflationary, and Stabilization Director Fred M. Vinson said in a statement yesterday that "it will not add a red cent to what the cotton grower is now getting and it will cost consumers hundreds of millions of dollars. Vinson said cotton mills would get a loss of \$25,000 to \$30,000 in a midnight blaze believed to have been set Sunday night by a spark from a passing freight train at the A. B. Houtz and Sons Mills on West Church street, extended.

Heavy Fire Damage At Elizabeth City

Elizabeth City, June 5.—(AP)—A veneer factory, a barrel mill, and a basket factory burned with a loss estimated at from \$25,000 to \$30,000 in a midnight blaze believed to have been set Sunday night by a spark from a passing freight train at the A. B. Houtz and Sons Mills on West Church street, extended.

Three trucks from the Elizabeth City fire department, and a crash truck from the Coast Guard Air Station answered the general alarm that was sounded at midnight.

The fire was the fourth big blaze in Elizabeth City this year, and the second mill fire. Two months ago Foreman-Derrickson Veneer Company burned with a loss of more than \$500,000.

Three Die In Fire At Cherry Point

Norfolk, Va., June 5.—(AP)—Naval officers today were continuing their investigation into the fire which took the lives of three persons Saturday afternoon at the Marine Corps Air Station, Cherry Point, N. C.

Names of the dead were withheld pending notification of next of kin. The fire, which began in an unknown manner, swept through a training building, the navy announced.

CALL TO PRAYER!

A special call to prayer over the Fire sirens will be sounded at 9 o'clock this morning as a call to prayer of the people of this community in behalf of our men on the invasion front and for success of the venture.

The churches of the city will remain open throughout the day in order that those who desire to do so may drop in for prayer. At 11 o'clock this morning special prayer services will be held in the churches.

ENEMY BASES GET POUNDING

Bombers Continue Blasting Of French Invasion Zone

London, June 5.—(AP)—American bomber formations were over Paris at noon today, the German radio at the French capital asserted. Berlin reported that Russian planes were over Hungary last night.

The German radio soon after noon warned that single enemy planes were over the lower Danube suggesting that Italy-based bombers were on the prowl. The Nazis asserted that Germany itself was free from enemy planes.

Preceded by Thunderbolt fighter bombers which divebombed flank defenses, a small force of U. S. medium Marauders attacked the northern France invasion zone in mid-morning.

At Last!

New York, June 5.—(AP)—Pope Pius XII was "out on the balcony of the window of the Vatican this morning looking on St. Peter's square," Godfrey Talbot, British radio correspondent in Italy, reported today.

"Crowds of people gathered in front of St. Peter's beneath the Vatican walls—you'd think that it was London with British soldiers passing through on victory day."

"The whole scene is absolutely beyond belief. People are shouting: 'We've been waiting for you so long—thank God you've come at last!'" CBS recorded the broadcast.

Allies Continue To Pursue Nazis After Liberation Of Rome

TO CONTROL MANPOWER

Area Setup To Begin Functioning On July 1

Manpower priorities, employment ceilings, and controlled referrals will be inaugurated in North Carolina on July 1, according to an announcement made by P. B. Pollock, area manpower director of the War Manpower Commission. Mr. Pollock, who has supervision of eleven United States Employment Service offices operating in the northeastern area of the state will initiate the program in this area. The area is composed of the following counties: Jones, Onslow, Craven, Carteret, Pamlico, Lenoir, Greene, Pitt, Beaufort, Hyde, Washington, Martin, Bertie, Tyrrell, Chowan, Perquimans, Pasquotank, Gates, Dare, Currituck, and Camden. Parent offices are located in New Bern, Kinston, Greenville, Washington and Elizabeth City, while outposts which are established in New River, Camp Lejeune (Naval Hospital), Cherry Point, Edenton, Plymouth and Williamston.

All essential and "other than essential" establishments in the area will be assigned employment ceilings by a manpower priorities committee. This committee will also set requirements for replacement schedules. The committee is to be composed of the state manpower director as chairman and representatives of the following governmental agencies: War Production Board, War and Navy Departments, Maritime Commission, Selective Service, War Food Administration, Office of Price Administration, Office of Defense Transportation, and Aircraft Resources Control office. Advisory members of the committee will be selected from the Civil Control Administration.

A floating bridge in the Kawartha Lakes district of Ontario is a mile and a quarter long, and is said to be the longest floating bridge in the world.

SLIGHT GAINS IN BURMA AREA

Air Superiority Important Factor In Drive

Southeast Asia Command Headquarters, Kandy, Ceylon, June 5.—(AP)—Chinese and American forces have gained 200 more yards in their drive in the southeastern section of Myitkyina in continuing severe fighting in that beleaguered Japanese base in North Burma, it was announced today.

A communique from Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten's headquarters also announced that on the extreme western end of the North Burma front the Japanese are withdrawing from the town of Mamsum.

British air-borne Chindits were declared to be continuing their attack from the south on Myitkyina from the neighboring village of Waingmaw and Allied levies have raided Nsozup, north of the key Japanese base.

Forty miles to the west at Kamau the Japanese garrison "is now more closely invested," the war bulletin said, explaining that Allied troops have reached positions four and a half miles east and six and a half miles southeast of the town. Chinese troops thrusting down the retreat routes north of Rome.

Italian Populace Overjoyed As Victorious Armies Enter City After Nine Months Of Struggle; Capital Found Intact; All Quiet At The Vatican

By NOLAND NORGAARD Allied Headquarters, Naples, June 5.—(AP)—The powerful Fifth army thundered across the Tiber toward northern Italian horizons in pursuit of the 10th and 14th armies today with hardly a look at captured Rome, ancient seat of western civilization fallen a prize to Allied troops after nine months of sacrifice.

Last ditch German rearguards died within the shadow of the Roman forum and in the streets of the government quarter in bitter clashes as Italian partisans bareheaded and wearing hammer and sickle insignia fought hand to hand with Fascists and Nazis in a brief battle for liberation.

With the major parts of the two German armies already declared by Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark to have been destroyed, 500 heavy American bombers joined a mighty attack on the city.

Naples, June 5.—(AP)—King Vittorio Emanuele has signed a decree giving up his powers and turned it over to the Italian government, it was reported tonight.

the retreat routes north of Rome. By mid-afternoon, fighter-bombers had destroyed and damaged at least 300 vehicles among the German columns fleeing northward.

Lightnings raked airfields and other targets in the Po valley, and the Mediterranean Allied air forces announced that both major rail lines into France already were temporarily blocked by Sunday attacks.

The Italian populace cheered American and Allied infantry and tank teams as they threaded the city's streets, rushed to kiss the bearded and grimy liberators and with shrill cries warned of ambushes ahead.

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Court Gives Ruling On Insurance Status

Washington, June 5.—(AP)—Overruling a decision that has stood for 75 years, the supreme court held today that insurance is business in interstate commerce, and is subject to the Sherman anti-trust act.

Justice Black wrote the court's 4-3 decision. Chief Justice Stone wrote a dissenting opinion in which Justice Frankfurter concurred. Justice Jackson also wrote an opinion in which he dissented in part. Justice Roberts and Reed took no part in the case.

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Strength FOR THE DAY By EARL L. DOUGLAS PRAYER IN THESE DAYS

Trouble frequently drives people to their knees. Millions of people are praying today who probably would not be doing so were it not that the clouds of war are dark and lowering above us.

We may well ask ourselves whether or not our prayers can reach across continents and oceans to help our loved ones.

We do not have the right to believe that every anxious parent or wife who prays for the preservation of a boy in the armed service can be absolutely sure that that boy's life will be spared.

If a life is held within the loving hands of God it is safe, no matter what the physical issue of events may be.

WASHINGTON IN WARTIME By JACK STINNETT

Omaha, Neb.—Friends of former Senator George W. Norris here are confident that if President Roosevelt runs for a fourth term, the senator will actively participate in the campaign.

Without campaigning in 1942 and after his voluntary retirement had been freely predicted and not always denied, Norris received nearly 100,000 votes to Republican Senator Kenneth Wherry's 126,000 and \$5,000 for other candidates.

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Many believe, however, that regardless of his influence in the state, Norris' approval of a fourth term would be of importance nationally.

His declaration for continuance of Roosevelt in office would at least provide the Democratic National Committee with some potent campaign ammunition in a number of sections of the country where the public power and irrigation projects have won friends.

Long Ago And Far Away



in particular as unnecessary travel just when the National Association of Credit Men had 1,300 out-of-town members in here for an annual session.

The Chamber of Commerce hastened to proclaim that not only was the Credit Men's gathering here "most essential," but so were 19 of the other 21 conventions.

I'm not picking on Omaha or the Credit Men, but in what reportorial traveling I've done, conventions as usual seem to be the rule rather than the exception in this third year of total war.

To Control . . .

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Service Commission and the Railroad Retirement Board. The committee will recommend referral of all male workers to establishments in the area on the basis of the urgency of the production.

Establishments will be classified according to the following, stated the area director: (1) Those engaged in essential production or services of highest urgency in which lack of manpower is impeding production or causing lags, or those needing workers for new or stepped-up contracts.

The new order issued by Paul V. McNutt, chairman of the War Manpower Commission, allows the referral of male workers to establishments on the basis of relative urgency in the war effort.

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placement will grow more costly and difficult as Allied pressure increases.

The summary said that "overwhelming superiority" and lack of any enemy challenge in the Bay of Bengal or the Indian ocean "have been powerful factors" in favor of the Allies.

Yesterday's headquarters communique made no mention of fighting for the Japanese base of Myittha in northern Burma, where the Japanese garrison is being slowly wiped out by Allied forces.

Other measure, up for action in the house today, would extend the statute of limitations for action on holding court martials to fix the responsibility for the Pearl Harbor disaster.

Unless it is approved finally by midweek Wednesday, the already extended period will end at that time. The senate measure calls for a six-month extension; the house proposal for 12 months.

Contending for attention in the house are bills appropriating an estimated \$48,000,000,000 for the army for the fiscal year starting July 1 and blueprinting procedure by which terminated war contracts shall be settled.

Sharing interest with legislation is the scheduled appearance Tuesday before a special committee of Sewell Avery, head of the Montgomery Ward Company and storm center of the controversy that grew out of the government's seizure of the company's big Chicago plant.

Enemy Bases . . .

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day. Pilots reported moderate flak and no fighter opposition.

Rocket-carrying Typhoons of the British second tactical air force struck radio-location installations in northern France for the second successive day.

Among pilots returning from the French coast was Lt. J. E. Benson, of Raleigh, who said: "We ran into moderate flak over Guernsey, one of the best defended islands in the world. Those boys are pretty good there. The flak over the target was medium. Our fighter bombers found four holes in the seven-thirty overcast and dropped a pretty good concentration of bombs on the target. We found no German fighters but I think the Nazis have plenty of planes handy for the invasion."

British enjoyed another raid free night last night, the German air force evidently hushing every available plane for the day of the Allied invasion.

The operation today came after approximately 1,200 American heavy bombers from Britain and Italy hit defense and communication targets in Nazi-occupied Europe yesterday.

Flying approximately 2,000 sorties the Mediterranean Allied air force yesterday destroyed and damaged at least 1,200 enemy vehicles in front of the advancing Fifth and Eighth armies.

Strong formations of heavy bombers under fighter escort raked northern Italian rail yards and enemy communications lines along the French-Italian border.

Eleven Allied aircraft were missing and two enemy planes were downed during these missions. Last night Mediterranean Allied air force bombers attacked objectives in northern Italy.

BIDDLE SCORES WARD ACTION IN LABOR CASE

Says Defiance Of Company Would Cut Under National Determination To Settle Labor Disputes Peacefully And Finally During Wartime

Boston, June 5—(AP)—Attorney General Francis Biddle declared today that Montgomery Ward's "defiance of the government cut under the whole national determination to settle labor disputes peacefully and finally during the war."

In an address prepared for the International Ladies' Garment Workers Union convention, Biddle said: "If Ward's could defy the government successfully, an excuse would be given to either side, when it didn't happen to like the board's (the War Labor Board) settlement, to ignore it."

"The Ward incident was the only instance in which the government had been resisted, where a company resisted the taking of possession of a plant to enforce an order of the War Labor Board."

And Ward's attitude was not new. It was based on an assertion that Ward was not bound by the no-strike, no-lock-out agreement. It would not submit differences with employees to the machinery for peaceful settlement to which the rest of industry was submitting, and on which depended an uninterrupted flow of production and successful prosecution of the war.

"As far back as December 8, 1942, Ward's expressed this view, to which it apparently still adheres, in a statement in the newspapers, referring to the no-strike agreement; 'Ward's was not a party to this agreement. Ward's had no voice in the selection of those who, as representatives of industry, attended the conference in December, 1941, which formulated this agreement. Ward's has never ratified the results of that conference.'"

The conference referred to was called by the President and brought together representatives of industry and labor. It was agreed there should be no strikes or lockouts, that all disputes should be settled by peaceful means and that the President should appoint an appropriate board to handle disputes.

The issue runs deep," Biddle asserted, "and the times are charged with strikes threaten the authority of the War Labor Board and challenges the leadership of strong men through the land."

"Those strikes cannot be controlled if the philosophy expressed in Ward's advertisement has its way. A part of industry and a part of labor cannot be permitted to indulge in private economic feuds while the great majority conform to the needs of the nation at war."

"I do not believe that Ward's attitude is representative of the great majority of employers. But I wish that some of them had seized the opportunity to disavow such a point of view. I hope, too, that whenever there are unauthorized strikes the leaders of labor will speak out as eloquently and 'passionately' as I do."

Nelson To Attend Textile Conference

Charlotte, June 5—(AP)—Current needs of the textile industry will be considered at a conference here Thursday to be attended by Donald M. Nelson, chairman of the War Production Board, and governors of several southern states.

Governor Broughton will be host of the visiting governors. Among those who have accepted Nelson's invitation to the meeting are Governor Olin D. Johnston of South Carolina, Governor Tom Bailey of Mississippi, Governor Chauncey Sparks of Alabama and Governor Prentice Cooper of Tennessee.

Harry G. Thornton of Atlanta, WPB regional director, expressed hope that governors of Texas, Florida, Virginia and Georgia also would attend.

Youth Rally Opens Four-Day Session

The Christian Youth Rally began last night at the Eighth Street Christian Church with a youth movement meeting. Mayor Bruce Sugg welcomed the delegates to the Christian Youth Council, delivered the principal address. He discussed the part Christ should play at the coming peace conference.

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Following this inspiring talk, Helen Fiver, secretary of the council, presented the speaker with an identification bracelet as a token of appreciation for his work on the council.

The afternoon discussion, "Just For the Fun of It," was led by Miss Sallie May Davis, well-known welfare worker of Pitt county. This discussion dealt with juvenile delinquency.

A picnic supper was planned for 8 o'clock tonight at Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church for all registered delegates.

Rev. J. D. Williams of Tarboro, will lead the evening worship tonight. The public is invited to attend this service.

Trenton Man Is Missing In Action

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Mallard of Trenton, N. C., received word on Friday that their son, Lieut. Walter W. Mallard, 22, pilot of a bomber, has been missing in action over Germany since May 19.

Lieut. Mallard was graduated from East Carolina Teachers College in March, 1943. He was a fine student and very popular. He received his first flying training at Greenville air port. In December, 1943 he received his wings and has been in England since April.

Lt. Mallard was a nephew of Mr. John R. Barker of this city.

Warren Heads Veterans

Asheville, June 5—(AP)—J. Frank Warren of Graham is the commander of the North Carolina Department of Veterans of Foreign Wars.

He was elected yesterday at the closing session of the annual encampment here. E. G. Kittles of Charlotte was named senior vice commander; J. H. Barrington of Lumberton, junior vice commander; A. C. Ingram of High Point, adjutant-quartermaster; Sam E. Whitaker, of Greensboro, chief of staff; and Frank Kemp of Roanoke Rapids, legislative officer.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE State of North Carolina County of Pitt Having qualified as administrator of the estate of H. G. Baker, deceased, late of the County of Pitt North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at the Proctor Hotel Barber Shop on or before the 7th day of June, 1944, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This is the 5th day of June, 1944. G. A. BROWN, Administrator of H. G. Baker. June 5-1tw-6wk.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in the deed of trust from Mary Ella Howard to Bryan Grimes, Trustee, registered in Book M-23, page 83 of the records of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, the undersigned Trustee will sell for cash to the highest bidder before the court house door of Pitt County on

Friday, June 23, 1944 at twelve o'clock noon the following described real estate: A certain tract of land lying and being in Chitwood Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, and more fully described as follows:

Situate, lying and being in the village of Grimesland and at the Southeast intersection of Bryan Street and River Street; Beginning at the Southeast corner of Bryan and River Streets; running thence Southerly with River Street 94 feet to the line of Henry Green; thence Eastwardly with the line of Henry Green 92 feet to the corner of Lot No. 6; thence with the Western line of Lot No. 6, 64 feet to Bryan Street; thence with the Southern line of Bryan Street, 92 feet to the beginning and designated as Lot No. 12 (twelve) in Block 22 on the map of Grimesland made in 1916.

Terms of sale, cash. This May 18, 1944. BRYAN GRIMES, Trustee. May 29-June 5-12-19.

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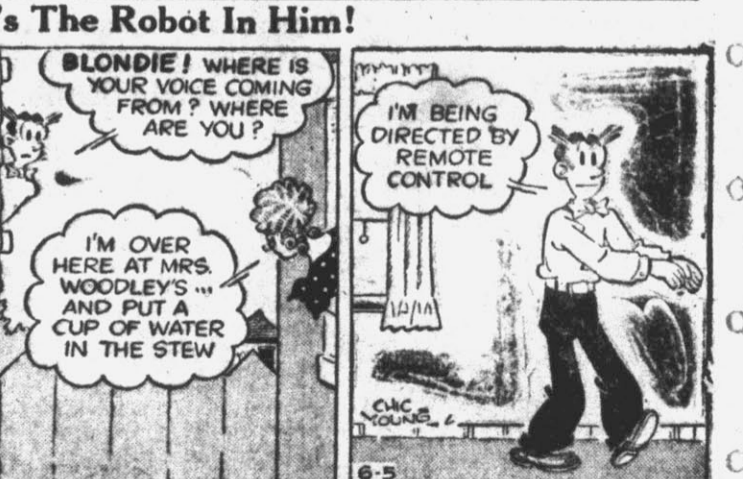
THIMBLE THEATRE — Starring Popeye "Peppermint, Wintergreen or Cinnamon?"



BLONDIE — By Chic Young



DAN DUNN — SECRET OPERATIVE 48



Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS 1. Before 2. Restaurants 3. Tennis stroke 12. Write 13. Over 14. Constipation 15. Cereal seed 16. Sarcere 17. Entangle 18. Device for stopping the motion of a wheel 19. Fries 20. Feline animals 21. Nothing 22. Bar's paper multiplier 23. Berry 24. Slack 25. Conjunction 26. Disposal 27. Salutation 27. River 28. Cause 29. Australian bird 42. Rocks 44. Estate 46. Amphib 47. Highway 48. Proceeding night 49. Surrender 50. Neekness 52. Malicious 54. Mixture, fed to swine 57. Fur-bearing animal 58. Land measure 59. Test 61. Anger 62. Term of respect 63. Town in Maine 64. Long narrow inlet 67. Ovals 68. Talks basically 69. Flash

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Solution Of Saturday's Puzzle

Grid for crossword puzzle solution with numbers 1-69.

- DOWN 1. Epic poem 2. Harvest 3. Fencer 4. Ship's pad 5. Arabian garment 6. Abandon 7. Smooth 8. European fish 9. Thin plates or layers 10. Spoken 11. Baseball 12. Implements 13. By way of 14. Apply 15. Mutual 16. drinker 17. Fragrance 18. Ornaments employed 19. Stump 20. Sarcere 21. Type squares 22. Sarcere 23. Drinking glasses 24. Spoken 25. Spoken 26. Spoken 27. Spoken 28. Spoken 29. Spoken 30. Spoken 31. Spoken 32. Spoken 33. Spoken 34. Spoken 35. Spoken 36. Spoken 37. Spoken 38. Spoken 39. Spoken 40. Spoken 41. Spoken 42. Spoken 43. Spoken 44. Spoken 45. Spoken 46. Spoken 47. Spoken 48. Spoken 49. Spoken 50. Spoken 51. Spoken 52. Spoken 53. Spoken 54. Spoken 55. Spoken 56. Spoken 57. Spoken 58. Spoken 59. Spoken 60. Spoken 61. Spoken 62. Spoken 63. Spoken 64. Spoken 65. Spoken 66. Spoken 67. Spoken 68. Spoken 69. Spoken

Social and Personal

Pfc. Carrie M. Holliday, who is stationed at Camp Kilmer, N. J., is spending some time at her home here.

Mrs. Elmo Joyner and daughter of Norfolk, are visiting her mother, Pfc. Carrie M. Holliday.

Sgt. Jeter J. Cox of the army, stationed at Blytheville, Ark., is spending a 14-day furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Cox.

Master Preston Cannon, Jr., who underwent a tonsilectomy at Pitt General Hospital several days ago, is recuperating at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Cannon.

Mrs. H. B. Mayo, Mrs. Leslie Jones, Mrs. James Brewer, Miss Margaret Joyce Clark and A. O. Clark, Jr., spent Sunday in Durham with their parents, Mr. Amos Clark, who is a patient in Duke Hospital, and Mrs. Clark, who is staying in Durham.

Misses Margaret Johnston and Elizabeth Bridgers left today for LaGrange to visit Mrs. Eugene Gray.

Lt. Cary Warren, who has been spending a few days leave at his home here, left yesterday for Camp Campbell, Ky.

Sgt. Jimmy Carr, of the Army Air Corps, stationed at Miroc Field, Calif., is spending a 15-day leave here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Carr.

Collins-Taylor. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lawrence Taylor request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Ruby Murphy.

Mr. John Arthur Collins, Jr., on Friday afternoon, June the ninth at half after five o'clock Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church Greenville, North Carolina.

No invitations mailed in Greenville.

Cool Weather For June. Visitors at the beaches over the week-end shivered when the temperature went well down into the 60s and those who stayed at home wondered if hail had fallen somewhere to send the temperature down to such a low level after several hot days. The sky was overcast by low hanging clouds Sunday and today, with the sun breaking through often enough to drown the hopes of farmers of the section that copious rain would fall and benefit the crops.

Arrives in North Africa. Word has been received by Mrs. Lewis Hedgepeth that her brother, Sgt. Ben D. Sutton, has arrived safely in North Africa. His address is 3445612, 91st Sig. Co., A. P. O. 91, care Postmaster, New York.

Alumni Tea. On Saturday afternoon from four until six o'clock in the parlor and dining room of the new classroom building the Greenville chapter of East Carolina Teachers College was hosted at a tea for the alumni, graduates and friends, faculty and staff of the college.

Guests were greeted at the front door by Miss Ruth Modlin, new president; Mrs. Chester Walsh, retiring president; Mrs. D. M. Willford, new vice-president; Mrs. M. M. Ayacu, secretary and reporter; and Miss Grace Smith, treasurer.

Miss Emma L. Hooper received the guests at the living room door and introduced them to the receiving line composed of Mrs. Clem Gardner, Dr. H. J. McGinnis, Mrs. H. J. McGinnis, Mrs. J. C. Holland, Mrs. E. M. Bennett, Mrs. J. L. Marcom, Mrs. J. W. Coot and Mrs. A. E. Brown.

At the dining room door Dr. A. D. Frank greeted the guests. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cummings were at the side door in the living room. Between the two doors in the living room were Dr. R. J. Slay, Miss Annie L. Morton and Miss Ola Ross.

Seated at the dining room table were Mrs. A. E. Smith and Mrs. E. E. Rawl who served lime ice punch while several of the members of the Alumni Sons and Daughters Club assisted in serving a variety of cookies from the tea table in the dining room. The members of the club serving were Hilda Moore, Vivian Yelverton, Martha Jefferson, Pearl Arnold and Elizabeth Bridgers.

The lobby, living room and dining room were beautifully decorated with mixed spring flowers.

Miss Mamie Jenkins presided at the registration book.

Other members aiding in the entertainment of the guests included Miss Ella Moore, Mrs. Robert Way, Mrs. Graham Olive, Miss Kate W. Lewis, Miss Elizabeth Austin, Miss Mary Greene, Mrs. Elizabeth Savage, Miss Katherine Holtzclaw, Miss Marguerite Austin, Miss Dorothy Fessall and Miss Mamie Jenkins.

Miss Ruth White and Mrs. Mildred Owens bade the guests goodbye.

Mr. Nan Worthington Died Grifton Today. Mrs. Nan Worthington, 63, died at the home of Joe Summerell in Grifton Monday morning at 2 o'clock after a week's illness.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete pending word from her son in the Pacific war zone.

Mrs. Worthington spent most of her life in the Grifton community. She was a member of the Christian church.

Surviving are a son, Opl. Silas S. Worthington of the United States army, now stationed in the Pacific war zone; and a brother, Johnnie Skinner of Grifton.

Until the German invasion in 1940, Norway had remained at peace for 120 years.

Social Calendar

MONDAY
3:00 p. m.—Circle No. 2 of the Christian Church meets with Mrs. T. I. Moore.

3:30 p. m.—Circles of Memorial Baptist W. M. U. meet.

3:30 p. m.—The Matrons of the Christian Church meet with Mrs. David Evans.

4:00 p. m.—Claude Wilson Circle of the Immanuel Baptist Church meets with Mrs. Gilbert Feele.

6:30 p. m.—Rotary Club.

7:00 p. m.—Lions' Club.

8:00 p. m.—The Guild of the Christian Church meets with Mrs. Jesse Laughinghouse.

TUESDAY
10:30 a. m.—Mrs. Z. V. Murphy will entertain at bridge luncheon, honoring Miss Ruby Taylor, bride-elect.

8:00 p. m.—Mrs. Fred DeMaist will be hostess at bridge in honor of Miss Ruby Taylor, bride-elect, and Mrs. P. R. Masten, III, a recent bride.

8:00 p. m.—Circle No. 2 of the Christian Church meets with Mrs. Lee H. Moore.

8:00 p. m.—Chapter 149 of the Eastern Star meets.

WEDNESDAY
4:00 p. m.—Circle No. 1 of the Christian Church meets with Mrs. W. H. Woolard.

6:30 p. m.—Mrs. L. B. Garris Mrs. C. H. Edwards will entertain at a spaghetti supper, at the home of Mrs. Edwards, in compliment to Miss Ruby Taylor.

7:30 p. m.—Members of the German Club will entertain at a picnic supper and dance at the Country Club. Officers of Squadron 344 and their wives will be guests.

THURSDAY
6:00 p. m.—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Collins will entertain the Collins-Taylor wedding party at dinner.

8:30 p. m.—Rehearsal for the Collins-Taylor wedding in Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church.

9:30 p. m.—Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Sugg and Mrs. W. L. Batchelor will entertain the Collins-Taylor wedding party at a cake cutting, at the Sugg home.

FRIDAY
1:00 p. m.—Mrs. E. D. Britt and Mrs. Wade Britt of Ayden will entertain at luncheon honoring the Collins-Taylor wedding party.

5:30 p. m.—The marriage of Miss Ruby Taylor and John Collins, Jr., will take place in Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church.

6:00 p. m.—Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Taylor will entertain at a reception, honoring the Collins-Taylor wedding party.

6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club.

German Club Picnic. Members of the German Club will entertain at a picnic supper and dance at the Country Club Wednesday night, June 7, at 7:30. Officers of Squadron 344 and their wives will be their guests.

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR
June 5, 1904

It was a quiet election today with plenty of voting.

The temperature was playing around 96 Sunday.

Greenville might observe the 4th of July and have a big crowd in town.

J. I. Smith left Sunday for King's Mountain.

A little past noon today a dwelling house, kitchen and smokehouse on the farm of Mrs. Nana Brown, about four miles from town, were destroyed by fire.

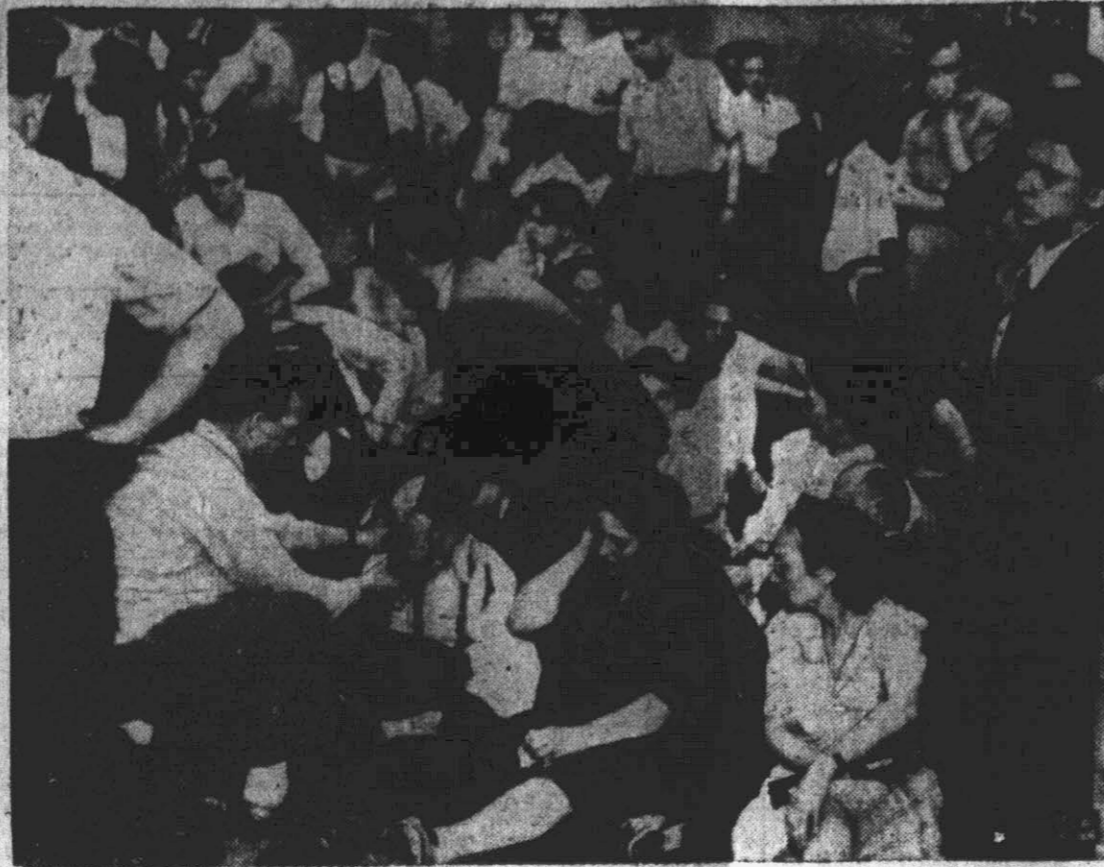
Mrs. Della P. Smith Died At Vanceboro
Mrs. Della P. Smith, 65, died suddenly at her home near Vanceboro at 3 o'clock Sunday night.

Funeral services will be held at the home at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Burial will be in the family cemetery nearby.

Mrs. Smith was born in Pitt county, the daughter of the late William and Addie Willis Kirkman. She spent most of her life in Craven county. She was a member of Timothy Christian church at Gardner's Cross Roads.

Surviving are her husband, Abner A. Smith, three sons, Howard Smith of Norfolk, Va.; Edward Smith of Norfolk, and Roosevelt Smith of near Vanceboro; four daughters, Mrs. J. C. Coward of Vanceboro, Mrs. J. P. Hamm of near Vanceboro, Mrs. L. J. Duth of Norfolk, and Mrs. C. W. Foy of near Vanceboro; two sisters, Mrs. John Reel of Vanceboro, and Mrs. Jacob Barrow of Greenville; a brother, George Kirkman of Cherry Point; 21 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Gas Victims Treated After Truck Accident



Pedestrians in Brooklyn receive treatment after they were overcome by chlorine gas released when a tank of the gas fell from a truck and broke open in the street. At least 150 persons were taken to Brooklyn hospital and several hundred others were affected, in stores and homes as the fumes permeated the area. (AP Wirephoto).

Navy Needs Women To Help Win War

Backed by civic and fraternal organizations throughout the state as a movement worthy of the consideration of every eligible young woman, a campaign for enlistments in the Women's Naval Reserve has been launched in North Carolina.

Reason for the campaign, it was explained by Lt. Cmdr. C. B. Neely of Raleigh, officer in charge of recruiting and induction for North Carolina, is the urgent need for men in combat duty, one more of whom can be released for such duty with every WAVE enlistment.

"But there is a critical need for more young women to take over the tasks ashore so that qualified men may be sent to sea."

The majority of WAVES now in service are working in the same fields they followed in civil life. Thousands have found new work and new skills they will be able to use after the war.

Recruiter H. S. Lee of the New Bern station, will be in Greenville each Monday and Tuesday to interview young women interested in applying for enlistment in the WAVES.

Mrs. Minnie Spruill Died Near Vanceboro

Mrs. Minnie Spruill, 53, died at her home near Vanceboro at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon after two hours of illness.

Funeral services were conducted at the home at 3:30 o'clock Monday afternoon by the Rev. E. B. Spencer, Free Will Baptist minister of Ayden, assisted by the Rev. Duff Toler, Free Will Baptist minister of Chocowinity. Burial was in the Spruill family cemetery nearby.

Mrs. Spruill spent all her life in Craven county. She was a member of the Fort Barnwell Missionary Baptist church.

Surviving are her husband, William A. Spruill; a daughter, Mrs. William Nobles of near Vanceboro; a brother, Esel Croom of Vanceboro; and a sister, Miss Rebecca Croom of Tarboro.

New Sugar Stamp.

Raleigh, June 5.—Sugar Stamp 22 in War Edition Book Four will become good indefinitely on June 16 for five pounds of sugar. Theodore S. Johnson, district director of the Raleigh Office of Price Administration, announced today.

Subs Sink 16 Jap Ships. Washington, June 5.—(AP)—United States submarines have destroyed 16 more of Japan's dwindling fleet of merchant ships, the navy reported today, bringing the total of enemy ships sunk by American submarines to 589.

Mrs. Lucy Culipher Died Early Sunday

Mrs. Lucy Culipher, 61, died at her home near Williamston at 4:35 Sunday morning after several years of illness.

Funeral services were conducted at the home at 10 o'clock this afternoon by the Rev. H. B. Huxley, Methodist minister of Williamston, assisted by the Rev. Thomas House, Methodist minister of Robersonville. Burial was in the Culipher family cemetery nearby.

Mrs. Culipher, daughter of the late Kitchen and Louvenia Simpson, was born and reared in Bertie county. She married Herbert A. Culipher in 1901, and moved to Martin county in 1904. She was a member of the Vernon Methodist Church near Everett.

Surviving are her husband; six sons, Johnny S. Culipher of Jamesville, W. T. Culipher of Norfolk, J. R. Culipher of Washington, D. C., Herbert, Jr., and Clifton Culipher of the home, and Pfc. Ervin C. Culipher of the army, now serving overseas; three daughters, Mrs. Nettie Rodgers of Williamston, Mrs. Virgie Cowan of Washington, N. C., and Mrs. Ruth Boone of Lenoir; 26 grandchildren and one great-grandchild; one brother, G. B. Simpson, an done half-brother, J. T. Thompson, both of Elizabeth City.

UNC Commencement Exercises Today

Chapel Hill, June 5.—(AP)—Today was alumni and graduation day at the University of North Carolina's commencement.

Events included the last meeting of the senior class; a reception for the graduates, their guests and alumni; an alumni luncheon and a business meeting of the Alumni Association; a presentation by the Carolina Playmakers, and a meeting of Alumni of the Liberty school.

The day's activity will be climaxed by graduation exercises at 7 p. m. in Kenan stadium.

Wake Forest Awards Fifty-Six Diplomas

Wake Forest, June 5.—(AP)—Wake Forest College's 110th commencement ended today with an address by Dr. Gerald W. Johnson of Baltimore, and presentation of diplomas to 56 students by John A. Oates of Fayetteville, president of the board of trustees.

Also on today's program were the alumni luncheon, an oratorical contest, an art exhibit, an organ recital and reception.

The baccalaureate sermon was preached yesterday by Dr. George D. Heaton, pastor of the Myers Park Baptist Church of Charlotte.

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Duce Asks Italians To Resist Liberators

London, June 5.—(AP)—The fallen Duce, Benito Mussolini, appealed to the people of Rome today to "make life as hard as possible" for Allied troops which captured his former Fascist capital yesterday.

Mussolini's message was read by an announcer in a broadcast on the same wave length as the Rome radio at 7:19 a. m. (1:19 a. m. eastern war time) and recorded by the Associated Press.

"With the help of the treachery of the monarchy," said Mussolini who now heads a puppet Fascist organization under German protection in northern Italy, "the Anglo-Americans were able to land in Italy. German troops have courageously contested every step of their advance, but have now given up Rome."

"It is a great sorrow for us, and I do not want to resort to propaganda now.

"Italians. Do not morally surrender to the invader. With all means at your disposal, make life as hard as possible for him. Our will is not broken. We shall continue to fight and to work at the side of the Tripartite powers, and especially Germany."

Chinch Bug Infests Pitt County Farms

The County Agent's Office is receiving quite a few reports of chinch bug infestation on corn and has made a rather extensive survey of the county to determine the extent of the chinch bug. The chinch bug has been found in the small grains in all sections of the county but principally in the Bethel, Winterville, and Ayden sections where grain has been cut, and has moved into the corn fields and is doing extensive damage to young corn.

The County Agent's Office is putting on demonstrations in the control of chinch bugs where they are reported, using a material devised by the United States Department of Agriculture for preventing the movement of chinch bugs in the corn. This material is called Dinitro and is used as a barrier to prevent chinch bugs from moving from small grain into corn. Demonstrations have been put out on the farms of Mr. J. R. Carroll, the Spight farms near Winterville and will be put out on the farm of W. T. Page on the Farmville highway and B. M. Lewis near Farmville. Other demonstrations will be placed on the farms who report chinch bug infestation as soon as the limited supply of material lasts.

Farmers of the county should inspect their corn and small grain to determine the presence of chinch bugs and report to the County Agent's Office if they desire assistance. We will put out demonstrations wherever practical as long as the material lasts. Wherever there is sufficient labor and it is practical a standard nicotine spray will kill chinch bugs. This spray is made by using three teaspoonfuls of 40 per cent nicotine sulphate, one one-inch block of laundry soap and one gallon of water. Dissolve soap in water and add nicotine. Stir well and apply when temperatures are above 70 degrees F. for best results. Lethane sprayer may be substituted for soap. This would have to be repeated every day or so for ten days or two weeks. The County Agent's Office recommends that where ever chinch bugs are present that the corn be sided dressed very heavily with the Nitrate fertilizer in order to grow the corn quickly to a size where it will not be damaged too severely.

Deputy State Treasurer Dies. Raleigh, June 5.—(AP)—Deputy State Treasurer Henry R. Williamson died here last night after an illness of several weeks.

Treasurer Charles M. Johnson appointed L. B. Parker, principal auditor who has been with the treasury office for the last 22 years, to succeed Williamson.

More Women Than Men Washington, June 5.—(AP)—Women's votes, for the first time, could outnumber the men's votes in the presidential election next fall.

There are nearly 600,000 more potential women voters—citizens of 21 and over—than men of voting age, the Census Bureau says.

Asks Court To Set Aside Rate Order

Raleigh, June 5.—(AP)—The State Utilities Commission asked the Federal court today to set aside an Interstate Commerce Commission order allowing intrastate railroad passenger fares to be increased from 1.85 cents a mile to 2.2.

The Utilities Commission last fall declined to allow the railroads to increase their rates and the roads took the matter before the ICC which a month ago granted the roads' petition.

The petitioners cited a number of alleged errors in the ICC findings, and among them said:

"The said commission (ICC) erred as a matter of law in basing its findings as to the reasonableness of the intrastate fares upon the fact that the railroads have expended large sums of money in providing air-conditioned de luxe coaches, and Diesel locomotives for streamlined trains. Whereas the uncontradicted evidence shows that the North Carolina intrastate coach travelers are practically excluded from the use of the expensive, de luxe, comfortable reserved seats on fast streamlined trains."

Cases Tried Today In Recorder's Court
Judge J. W. H. Roberts tried the following cases in Police Court this morning:

George W. Jordan, dog at large, pay \$3 on costs and confine dog or dispose of it.

Leroy Best, colored, driving without driver's license, judgment continued to June 9.

John Smith, colored, assaulting a female, Delzora Langley, colored, and drunk and disorderly, judgment continued on payment of \$25 and costs. Smith "sassed" the judge and was given 10 days in jail for contempt of court. Delzora Langley colored, drunk and disorderly conduct, 30 days in jail, suspended on payment of costs.

John Greene, colored, drunk and disorderly conduct and assault on a female, 30 days in jail, suspended on payment of costs.

Dalton Creech, drunk, 30 days or \$15 fine.

Adrian Johnson drunk, 30 days or \$15.

Airman Rescued. Santa Cruz De Tenerife, June 4.—(Delayed)—(AP)—A lone American airman, who said the bomber in which he was a crewman had been forced down at sea 10 days ago by engine trouble, was rescued from a life raft off the Canary islands by Spanish fishermen today.

Spanish Naval vessels were dispatched to search for other members of the plane's crew.

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to know that they have just received additional Daniel Green Red Sandals. Sizes 3 to 9. 26-1t

LOST, SATURDAY - ONE BLACK
open-end Morocco case, with gas station, only two coupons of No. A-10 used, and other valuable papers. Five dollars reward if returned to Reflector office. Jesse Speight. 3-2t

SAVE MONEY BY BUYING YOUR
starter mash, laying mash and starter grain from Keel Supply Co.

SPLIT TOBACCO STICKS, WHILE
they last at \$20.00 per M at woods, or \$25.00 delivered. Wood at \$10.00 and \$12.50. Address W. J. Bullock, phone 255-1, Ayden, N. C. 30-6t

WANTED - TO CLEAN YOUR
rugs. Since you cannot replace them, let us give them the best treatment possible - a thorough cleaning. All shapes and sizes. Prices reasonable. Eureka Laundry. 3-7t

FOR RENT - A LARGE, NICE BED-
room, convenient to bath, with cold and hot water. Two blocks from the business section of the city. Phone 2687. 2-3t

FIRST CLASS MECHANIC WANTED
to immediately to keep up fleet of trucks. Top salary guaranteed. McCotter Trucking Company, phone 146, Washington, N. C. 3-2t

YOUNG LADY DESIRES RIDE
after June 15 going West toward California, or points in direct route. Will share expenses. Phone 2032. 3-3t

PLENTY OF FRESHLY DRESSED
hens and fryers. Dial 2125-2126. Akew's Market. 1-3od-1t

FOR SALE - ABOUT JUNE 1st
- Porto Rico potato plants, the very finest chemically treated, beads will draw 250 to 300 thousand per week. Prices will be very reasonable. L. C. Hardy, Maury, N. C. 1-7t

WANTED IMMEDIATELY - GIRLS
between the ages of 17 to 24 years to be trained for telephone operators at Jacksonville, N. C. Starting salary will average \$55.75 monthly. Girls will live in a dormitory under the supervision of an experienced hostess. No charge for room rent. Meals \$6 per week. Please apply to local telephone office for more information. 1-1t

A GOOD INVESTMENT - 8-ROOM
two-story house on Dickinson Ave. Lot 66 ft. frontage, 200 feet deep. \$5,000.00. For appointment call Hadley, Stallworth, Tripp, Dial 2401. 1-1t

RABBITS FOR SALE - CHINCHIL-
la and New Zealand Whites. Linwood Stoneham, 1104 West Third St., city. 2-3t

WE HAVE GENUINE PURE RUB-
ber pre-war water hose and hose nozzles in stock. J. A. Watson, Seed and Hardware. 2-1t

FUEL OIL - KEROSENE
ECONOMY OIL CO.
Esso Products
TOMMY CABAWAN
Dial 2888 Greenville, N. C.

FOR RENT - FURNISHED BED
room and kitchen. 204 Washington St. 5-3t

JUST RECEIVED A BIG
shipment of Kitchen Cabinets in black and white.
Shelburne
783 Dickinson Ave. Dial 4010

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

IF YOU WANT EXTRA CHOICE
Hay, we have it. Keel Supply Co.

FOR RENT - TWO FURNISHED
bedrooms with private bath. Call 3613-2. 5-3t

WANTED - SMALL CASH REGIS-
ter in good condition. H. L. Hardee. 210 Broadway Ave. 5-3t

WANTED AT ONCE - 1940 OR '41
model automobile, must be in good condition and reasonably priced. Dial 4397 after 7 p. m. 5-1t

Grain Market
Chicago, June 5. (AP) - Wheat futures rallied in late trading today to regain some of the losses suffered in an early break and rye was about steady after heavy liquidation at the opening had depressed prices a cent or more. Oats continued weak, result of continued favorable crop weather.

Local purchases influenced the wheat market and fractional advance in July rye futures was attributed to commission house buying and short covering. There also was some short covering in the wheat pit, induced by the upturn in the cotton market.

New York Cotton
New York, June 5. (AP) - Cotton futures opened unchanged to 10 cents a bale higher.

Noon values were 5 to 20 cents a bale higher. July 20.84, October 20.28, December 20.04.

Futures closed, 75 to 85 cents a bale higher.

Month	Open	Last	Prv. Cl.
July	20.90	21.05	20.90
Oct.	20.26	20.43	20.25
Dec.	20.00	20.19	20.00
March	19.77	19.92	19.75
May	19.55	19.72	19.55

Middling spot, 22.00, up 16.

N. Y. Stock Market
New York, June 5. (AP) - Stock market customers cashed further profits today, the majority reasoning that the good news of Rome's fall had already been discounted and that fresh incentives would be necessary for a bullish revival.

Transfers were around 900,000 shares.

FINAL STOCKS

Allegheny	2 1/2
Al Chem and Dye	144 3/4
Allis Chal Mig	37 1/4
Am Can	89 1/2
Am Car Fdy	34 3/4
Am Roll Mill	13 1/2
Am Smelt and Ref	38
A T and T	160 3/4
Am Tob B	67
Anacosta	2 1/2
Arm Il	39 1/2
A C L	32
Atl Ref	32
Aviat Corp	3 3/4
Baldwin	19 3/4
B and O	7 3/4
Barnsdall	16
Bendix Aviat	37 1/2
Beth Stl	58
Boeing Airpl	12 1/2
Borden	31 1/2
Budd Mig	7 1/2
Burl Mills	29 1/2
Bur Add Mach	13
Case J I	37 1/2
Caterpil Trac	48 1/2
Ches and O	45 1/2
Chrysler	87 1/2
Coca Cola	117 1/2
Coml Credit	38
Contl Solv	15 1/2
Comwith and Sou	9 1/2
Consol Bdis	21 1/2
Cont Can	38 1/2
Corn Prod	5
Curtiss Wright	5
Doug Aire	48 1/2
Dupont	140 3/4
Firestone	47 1/2
Gen Elec	36
Gen Foods	42 1/2
Gen Mot	60
Goodrich	48 1/2
Goodyear	46
Int Harwest	74 1/2
Int Tel and Tel	74

BASEBALL

STANDINGS

National League

Team	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	29	14	.674
Pittsburgh	23	16	.590
Cincinnati	24	18	.571
New York	20	23	.465
Boston	21	25	.457
Brooklyn	19	23	.453
Philadelphia	17	22	.436
Chicago	13	25	.342

American League

Team	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	27	20	.574
New York	22	18	.550
Detroit	24	22	.522
Chicago	20	21	.488
Boston	21	22	.477
Philadelphia	21	22	.476
Cleveland	21	25	.457
Washington	20	24	.455

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

National League

Cincinnati 1-7, Boston 0-3.
St. Louis 4-0, Philadelphia 2-1.
Pittsburgh 9-7, New York 4-4.
Chicago 6-8, Brooklyn 5-8.

American League

Detroit 2-1, Boston 1-5.
New York 6-3, Cleveland 4-4.
Chicago 6-9, Washington 5-1.
Philadelphia 4-3, St. Louis 3-4.

Johns Man	94
Kennecott	50
Ligg and Myers B	75 1/2
Leeds	63
Lorillard	18 1/2
Mont Ward	46 1/2
Nash Kely	14
Nat Biscuit	21 1/2
Nat Cash Reg	29 1/2
Nat Dist	17 1/2
N Y Cent	7 1/2
No Am Aviat	4 1/2
Packard	27 1/2
Param Pic	100
Penn RR	29 1/2
Pepsi Cola	50 1/2
Phillips Pet	44 1/2
Pullman	15 1/2
Pure Oil	9 1/2
Radio	16 1/2
Rem Rand	17 1/2
Repub Stl	37 1/2
Reynolds B	30 1/2
Sears	91 1/2
Sou Ry	23 1/2
Std Brands	30 1/2
Std Oil N J	56 1/2
Stewart Warner	14
Swift	30 1/2
Tex Co	47 1/2
Un Carb	79 1/2
United Airc	26 1/2
United Corp	1 1/2
United Drug	15
US Ind Chem	37 1/2
US Rub	51 1/2
US Steel	51 1/2
Va Caro Chem	4 1/2
Warner Pic	12 1/2
Western Union A	46 1/2
West El and Mig	89 1/2
Woolworth	38 1/2

bayonets since last September. A Berlin broadcast said Baron von Weizsaecker, German ambassador to the Holy See, "has left his residence in Rome, Villa Bonaparte, and moved to Vatican City. Other diplomatic missions of the tripartite powers will move to Vatican City - namely those of Japan, Hungary, Slovakia, Romania and Finland."

(British correspondents in Madrid said the Pope spent Sunday in prayer and in consultation with papal officials during the hours of violent liberation of the city. The Swiss guard had been doubled about Vatican City to prevent an influx of refugees.)

(German broadcasts said Allied diplomatic representatives to the Holy See already had left the Vatican precincts for their old apartments in Rome.)

Although first reports from Rome were scanty concerning damage in the city, a number of demolitions were carried out by the Germans. Dispatches said the Fiat factory had been the scene of one such demolition, while reports also apparently were made to wreck gas, electric and water utilities.

Allied headquarters announced at noon the occupation of Rome by the Fifth army last night, and thus was realized one of the main objectives when Gen. Sir Harold Alexander started the huge Allied offensive May 11.

The other main objective, the destruction of the German 10th and 14th armies, remained to be carried out, and towards this objective the Fifth and Eighth armies pressed today.

The Allied entry into Rome received its crowning touch when a soldier stood with one of his comrades on the marble balcony overlooking the famous Palazzo Venezia where Mussolini used to harangue the Italian people and made a speech about the fallen dictator, NBC said.

A cheering crowd of Italian men, women and children stood below and although they didn't understand a word he said they laughed and cheered and waved flags.

Try Our Want Ads

Guilty Asheville, June 5 (AP) - Tom Fruta, who admitted on the witness stand in police court today he had been convicted in that court of "almost everything except theft of a Bible," was found guilty on a charge of larceny of a Bible and was given a 90-day sentence, suspended.

Negro Methodists To Meet. Greensboro, June 5. (AP) - The central jurisdictional conference of the Methodist Church will hold its

Allies Continue...


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Some of the Romans died in the city's closing hours of German domination - victims of machine-guns they tried to seize almost barehanded.

But despite the sporadic clashes, which took place even though the German high command had pretended until the last that Rome was an open city, the Italian capital with its store of cultural and religious treasures apparently came through unscathed for the most part.

Police officers said all was quiet at the Vatican, where the Pope has been a virtual prisoner of German

Highest Medal



Corporal James D. Slaton (above) of Gulfport, Miss., has been awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor for killing six enemy soldiers and knocking out three machine guns in fighting near Oliveto, Italy. He is in a rifle company of the 45th Infantry Division. His wife and four sons live near Laurel, Miss. (AP Wirephoto).

Colored News

Master Bobby Winston Bradley had a birthday party Sunday, June 4, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Bradley. The 25 guests were greeted at the door by his cousin, Eleanor Rodgers. Among the guests were Annie E. Jenkins and Beatress Jenkins of Bethel.

Try Our Want Ads

DRINK

DOUBLE COLA



The Movies Today

FITT - "Gung Ho." Randolph Scott, Grege McDonald.

STATE - "That Gang of Mine." Dead End Kids. News.

second quadrennial session at Bennett College here Thursday through Sunday.

Approximately 200 persons, including 126 delegates from the 19 Negro Methodist conferences, are expected.

Colored News

Four Indicted in Fraud Case. Washington, June 5. (AP) - The Department of Justice announced today that a federal grand jury in Detroit has handed down an indictment charging four persons, three of them former employees of the Ford Motor Company, with defrauding the government in the handling of subcontracts for machine tools used in the construction of B-24 bombers at the Ford plants.

STATE

TUESDAY

America's Little Sister
MARY LEE
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"NOBODY'S DARLING"
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Comedy - Novelty

When the War is Over
Will You
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BETTY HUTTON
DIANA LYNN


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BEFORE THIS WAR IS OVER, there may be only two kinds of people in America...

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If you want to be in the fortunate group who will still be riding to work in automobiles, join Gulf's "Anti-Breakdown" Club today. How do you do it? Just come in for Gulf's Protective Maintenance Plan!

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Gulf's Protective Maintenance Plan includes Gulfex Registered Lubrication which reaches up to 39 vital engine, body, and chassis points. Six different Gulfex Lubricants are used to reduce wear.
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It's important to change your oil regularly... and to give your car a really good motor oil like Gulfprime, "The World's Finest Motor Oil," or Gulfcube, an extra-quality oil that costs a few cents less.
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