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Fair and cool again tonight. Sunday increasing cloudiness and mild followed by showers and cooler in the west portion in the afternoon.

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German Hold on Baltics Cumbles

Russian Minesweepers Clearing Harbor Of Tallinn For Use By Red Fleet; Other Soviet Units Battle In Outer Defenses of Latvian Capital Of Riga.

By EDDY GILMORE Moscow, Sept. 23.—(AP)—Soviet minesweepers today started clearing a safe channel for the Red fleet to make its first combat cruise in the Baltic in three years following the capture of Tallinn, Estonian naval base and capital.

While Marshal Leonid A. Govorov's triumphant Leningrad army pushed without pause to clear remaining German pockets from Estonia's Baltic coast, other Soviet forces battled within the outer defenses of the Latvian capital of Riga in an effort to cut off land escape routes to the south. The pressure on Riga steadily increased.

In the Balkans Soviet artillery fire rained inside southeastern Hungary the spearheads of Marshal Radion Y. Malinovsky's Russian-Romanian troops thrust close to the Hungarian rail junctions of Bekesaba, 110 miles east of Budapest, and Saged, also on a trunk line leading to the Magyar capital.

Capturing Arad, a 12-way road and rail junction only 10 miles from the border, the Russians were pressing the battle of Hungary on a 50-mile front defended by steel and concrete frontier fortifications, with the heaviest pressure 20 miles north of Arad. Here the Russians were barely 40 miles from Oradea, on the major rail escape route of the German and Hungarian forces still deep in northern Transylvania.

Driving within 38 miles of Szeged, the Russians launched the campaign for the capture of Budapest, lying directly in front across flat country with few natural obstacles ahead of them.

The Russian war bulletin said Marshal Leonid A. Govorov's Leningrad army, in addition to taking Tallinn, captured 800 more towns yesterday, including the strategic rail junction of Tapa, 43 miles southeast of the Estonian capital. Airmen from the Baltic fleet blasted Nazi evacuation ships in the Tallinn harbor, sinking three loaded troop transports and damaging other vessels.

Gen Ivan Maslennikov's Third Baltic army captured 60 localities along the Estonian-Latvian frontier northwest and west of Valga, the war bulletin added.

In southern Poland the Russians captured 30 villages southeast of Sanok near the Czechoslovak border, extending the Red army front opposite Slovakia and northern

College Will Open Monday

Acting President Howard J. McGinnis has announced the opening of the East Carolina Teachers College for Monday, September 25. The freshmen will arrive on campus on Monday and register on Wednesday. Upperclassmen will arrive on Wednesday and register the following day. Classes will meet for the first time on Friday, September 29.

Today On The Home Front

By JAMES MARLOW (Editor's Note: This is the second of two stories on reconversion.) Washington, Sept. 23.—(AP)—The new Office of War Mobilization and Reconversion is to be set up under the bill passed by Congress this week—will be the guide through the home front jungle leading back to peace. The director of OWMR—when he is named—will be boss over the government agencies that have anything to do with changing this country over to a peacetime economy. But specifically he will be boss over these three agencies, all created by Congress for reconversion: 1. The Office of Contract Settlement. This agency will handle the cancellation of war contracts. 2. The Surplus Property Board which will have to dispose of more than 100 billion dollars worth of surplus war property. This three-man board, created by Congress, will succeed the War Relocation Authority, which was created by the President. 3. Retaining and Reemployment Administration. Its job is to coordinate all the efforts of government agencies which deal with retaining and reemployment. The director of OWMR also will be responsible for planning and for keeping Congress informed of reconversion progress. Congress laid down this rule for OWMR: any plan able to reconvert to peacetime work should be permitted to, whether or not other firms in the same field are still do-

FIXES POLICY FOR GERMANY

Eisenhower Announces Plan For Occupied Territory.

By JAMES F. KING London, Sept. 23.—(AP)—A strict policy in dealing with occupied Germany, including the death penalty for any German aiding the Nazis or deliberately misleading Allied troops, was decreed today by General Dwight D. Eisenhower.

As a first step, a ban was placed on the Nazi political and military organizations. All were ordered dissolved while "German laws involving discrimination on grounds of race, religion or political opinion are abrogated," said the edict, issued by supreme headquarters.

Meanwhile the British press expressed satisfaction with the progress made by the Allied War Crimes Commission in preparing cases against Hitler and other top-ranking Nazis.

The London news Chronicle and Daily Mail, declaring the number of Hitler, Goebbels, Goering and Himmler have not yet been placed on the list of 350 criminals already drafted, said the reason may be that the Allies have not decided how they would be tried—whether on a military or political basis.

Eisenhower's statement, which amplified a broadcast to the German people September 18, ordered Nazi administrative officers to remain at their posts until all funds, records, equipment and property are surrendered.

At the same time it outlined steps for the installations of orderly government by the Allied military government. These were listed as the main objectives of the AMG in Germany: To promote the safety and health of the occupying troops, to eliminate Nazism, to maintain public order, to establish sufficient civil government in a form suitable to support military operations, to apprehend war criminals, and to control transfers of certain property in Germany.

Aldermen Approved Post-War Highway

The Board of Aldermen last night approved and passed the plans of the State Highway Department for post-war building of belt line highways around Greenville to divert through traffic into clearer channels. There are some minor changes to be made in the plans, it was stated.

Greeks Move On Athens London, Sept. 23.—(AP)—A broadcast by the Toulouse radio today quoted Ankara reports as saying Greek partisans were marching toward Athens. Cairo dispatches yesterday reported the Germans were evacuating lower Greece.

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U. S. Vehicles Pass Burned German Houses



Yank vehicles drive past the smoldering ruins of houses in a German village near Aachen, fired during American penetration of the Nazi homeland. Peter J. Carroll, Associated Press photographer, the war still picture pool, made this original picture. (AP Wirephoto).

Bicycles

Washington, Sept. 23.—(AP)—The Office of Price Administration, which rations things because they are scarce, today abandoned bicycle rationing for the same reason. There are not enough bicycles on hand or scheduled for production to make rationing worth the trouble, Administrator Chester Bowles said. The order means that any bicycles now in stock may be sold without ration certificates or priority.

Falkland Man Is Killed In Action

Pfc. Ephraim F. Watson, 31, son of Mrs. Ida Watson of Falkland, N. C., was killed in action in France August 25th according to a message received from the Secretary of War Wednesday. Pfc. Watson was the only son of Mrs. Watson serving in the armed forces. Surviving are two brothers and five sisters, all of whom are residents of Pitt County.

Pfc. Watson volunteered for the Army in Feb. 1941. While in the States he was stationed at Fort Bragg, Fort Benning, Ga.; Camp Blanding, Fla.; and Camp Edwards, Mass. where he was transferred overseas in April, 1943. Pfc. Watson saw action in North Africa and Sicily, participated in the invasion of Italy and had only been in France a few weeks. He had a Good Conduct Medal, Ribbon for Service Before Pearl Harbor, and a Ribbon for the European Theater of War. Before leaving the States he was awarded a Certificate of Proficiency after passing the required examination as "First Cook."

Mayor Proclaims Religious Week

WHEREAS, The foundations of our city are the character and spiritual integrity of all its citizens, from the youngest to the oldest; WHEREAS, There are many within our boundaries who have had little or no training in these primary foundations of democratic life; WHEREAS, America in this hour of destiny must have an abundant reserve of spiritual resources both to win the war and to effect a righteous and lasting peace;

WHEREAS, Our community must do its share in deepening the religious faith of our people and strengthening our national morale; NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. B. Sugg, Mayor of the City of Greenville hereby set aside the period beginning Sunday, September 24, and continuing through Sunday, October 1, as the Fourteenth Annual Religious Education Week and call upon our people to join in its observance in their own homes, in the churches and in other places, engaging in the worship of God and in learning and teaching others. His way for men and for nations.

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Bloody Struggle For Possession Of Peleliu

Jap Broadcasts Indicate Growing Alarm Over Possible Invasion Of The Philippines.

U. S. Pacific Fleet Headquarters, Pearl Harbor, Sept. 23.—(AP)—Tokyo radio betrayed Japan's growing alarm over implications of the first American carrier blast at Manila, filling the airways with "invasion" speculation—even reporting the Philippines' puppet government had declared war on the United States. Navy headquarters here left the enemy to his confusion. The Marines have all Peleliu's east coast under their control and hold the island's prized airfield. South of Peleliu, U. S. 81st Division Army troops firmly holding Angaur Island went after enemy remnants in caves. North of Peleliu Korfor, another island in the Palau, was shelled Thursday by an American heavy cruiser.

Paying The National Debt

PAYING THE NATIONAL DEBT doubling 1939 prices we can double 1939 wages and double 1939 profits. This, however, would work only to the advantage of the holders of certain real estate and common stocks which might, likewise, double in price. Otherwise, it would be only a shot in the arm, like the temporary stimulant from a strong cup of coffee or a drink of whiskey. Yet, it is the easy way and Congress may ultimately adopt it. The real solution lies with considering the national income other than in material terms such as dollars. The great opportunity today lies not with merely utilizing more land, employing more labor, and loaning more dollars. Shortening the working day to "spread labor" is no different from killing little pigs and plowing up cotton. I am delighted to have Thomas E. Dewey talk about "new frontiers"; but he apparently ignores the frontiers with the greatest opportunities of all, namely, the intellectual and spiritual.

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Faculty Meeting Monday Morning

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Woolard Attending Bankers Convention

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Heavy Fighting Continues Along The Western Front

Allies Face Gigantic Task To Defeat Nazis

Germans Fighting Desperately To Protect Homeland Making Recent Gains Of Allies Costly.

By WES GALLAGHER With the U. S. Third Army in France, Sept. 23.—(AP)—More and more it is becoming clear that the Allies have a gigantic task ahead of them if they are to finish the war this year.

The mad flight of the Germans and the sweeping gains of the Allies of the past summer have halted at the German border. There is no hiding the fact that for the last two or three weeks the rains have been small and won at high cost.

There is no doubt who is winning the war. The Germans are being beaten in every battle but they are fighting with the tenacious fury of trapped tigers.

What the Russians did the Germans and Hitler's followers now are trying to do to the Allies. Every house and every natural obstacle has been turned into a trap for any harvest of death it may yield.

German soldiers know the war is lost but they have been convinced by Hitler that there is no hope for them in unconditional surrender—that they will be wiped out by the infuriated peoples of Europe anyway and that they might as well go down fighting in the hope of making the cost of victory so high the Allies will be willing to compromise.

The spectacular airborne landing in Holland will speed the Allied advance in the west but the full fruits of this are not yet apparent and such a huge operation is not possible on every front.

The German ability to wage war has been dreadfully crippled by heavy casualties on this and the eastern front coupled with air blows, but falling back into Germany has given them advantages of easy supply with stocks close at hand, of fighting in friendly country and the psychological spur of fighting for hearth and home.

These same factors enabled the Russians to hold the Germans in 1941 and military men feel it would be stupid to rate the Germans any less courageous under the (Continued on page two)

Davenport Provides Bond; Is Released

Roderick Davenport provided \$15,000 bond and was released from the Pitt county jail after spending nearly a month in confinement. He is indicted in Greven and Pitt counties on a number of counts charging conspiracy to defraud the public, violating the usury laws and issuing worthless checks. Judge R. Hunt Parker approved the bond, which was furnished by the National Surety Company. Robert Wilson Boyles and A. E. Wharton, Davenport's employees, are still in jail here in default of \$7,500 bond each.

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British Armor And U. S. Paratroopers Advance Six Miles Against Bitter Nazi Fighting Below Arnhem; Patton's Forces Repel Counterattack Near Metz.

By JAMES M. LONG London, Sept. 23.—(AP)—British armor bolstered by American paratroopers slashed through a six-mile German barrier of blood and steel to the southern bank of the Rhine branch opposite Arnhem today, and roared out with artillery support for an isolated British airborne division holding on grimly north of the river.

But 25 to 30 miles south, German armor cut the "rescue road" from Eindhoven to Nijmegen last night, and swirling see-saw battle raged along the relief route up which the British Second army had pushed.

The breakthrough slicing to the Rhine below Arnhem was made in a six-mile drive by one of Britain's finest tank regiments supported by U. S. airborne troops fighting as infantry.

It already had linked up with another airborne force dropped at Eindhoven last two days ago below the upper arm of the Rhine.

The drive vastly eased a situation which last night was described as critical.

Juncture of the British ground drive and the Sky soldiers over the river would open the Ruhr road to Berlin, but it was not disclosed who now holds the strategic Arnhem bridge. Fierce German attacks beat upon the pocketed British.

One German counterblow cut the Eindhoven-Nijmegen road near Veghel, and the outcome of a pitched battle there was not yet known.

The enemy command was hurrying every bit of fanatical SS fighting power it had in the north to attempt both to break the British Second army supply stream across Holland and to hold the Arnhem foothold.

Germans fought and died in their tracks by the hundreds. Even now the road from Nijmegen 10 miles north to Eindhoven was not entirely free from counterattacks.

While critical and perhaps decisive battles raged over Dutch soil, three American armies were fighting heavily against Germans making a back-to-the-Rhine stand. Nazi resistance was ferocious and desperate.

U. S. First army men nonetheless captured the town of Stolberg six miles beyond Aachen after a bitter house-to-house struggle. Doughboys mopped up little villages nearby, but were unable to advance farther east toward the Rhine city of Cologne.

28 miles from the most advanced elements. There was no news of any further advances in the Prüm or Trier wedges, where German resistance had stiffened appreciably. Supreme headquarters said Americans were forced to give up some ground east of Dietrich, 23 miles northwest of Trier, but declared the Americans had not been forced back across the (Continued on page two)

Patrolman Arrests Negro With Whiskey

State Highway Patrolman Young last night arrested Jesse Moore, Negro tenant farmer of the Grifton section, and charged him with transporting illegal liquor. The officer apprehended him between Grifton and Maple Cypress. He confiscated Moore's car and six gallons of moonshine whiskey. Moore paid \$10 for the six gallons, the officer said. Moore will be tried in County Court on October 3. His bond was fixed at \$300.



The Marquis de Polignac (above), the former Nina Crosby of New York, said in Paris that she welcomed arrest as a way to clear her name of rumors that she was a collaborator. She is being held in Drancy Stockade which holds more than 5,000 prisoners. (AP Wirephoto).

NEW GAINS ON ITALIAN FRONT

Allies Push Forward At Both Ends Of Line.

Rome, Sept. 23.—(AP)—A breach in the Nazis' Gothic Line in Italy has been widened by the capture of Monte Citerna, Allied headquarters said today.

Capture of Monte Citerna and Monte Tronale, both west of captured Futa Pass, the Allied headquarters communique said.

High ground north of Frenzuela has been occupied. While American infantrymen hammered at the strategic pass toward Bologna, Eighth Army troops on the Adriatic coast began a drive northwest from captured Rimini toward the same prize objective.

Other Eighth Army units plunged north toward Ravenna, 35 miles up the Adriatic coast from Rimini and 45 miles east of Bologna.

Fifth army columns spearing northward along the mountain roads were meeting an enemy which Allied headquarters declared was becoming disorganized to a limited extent.

Futa pass is approximately 29 airline miles below Bologna.

British and Brazilian forces with the Fifth Army continued to make gains "against varied resistance," said an Allied headquarters report.

The Brazilians, operating on the left flank of the Fifth Army near the Ligurian coast, were last reported smashing forward from Pietrasanta in the direction of La Spezia, 23 airline miles distant.

Eighth army forces, which have (Continued on page two)

The WAR TODAY

AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEWS

By J. M. ROBERTS, Jr. (Substituting for DEWITT MacKENZIE) It is hardly proper to refer to the impending "rescue" of the British Airborne troops at Arnhem. You don't rescue men who deliberately assigned to a difficult post, stand and slug regardless of odds. You don't rescue men who laugh and curse the enemy's surrender suggestions. Nor, strictly speaking, is the advancing British Second Army a "relief" column. It may have that effect on the encircled Airborne troops. But technically the whole operation is part of an offensive, deliberately planned so that General Breton's Air Army could help clear the way for the main armies in their advance across the Holland water barriers. The Second Army is heading for the capture of Arnhem and the invasion of the German Ruhr. It's not a "relief" job. There is a difference between the Air Army which deliberately put itself in the German circle and an army which has walked into a trap. Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, a week, every day longer than the last, ever man a target for Ger-

Social and Personal

Gene Johnson of the Merchant Marine, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Johnson.

Mrs. T. H. Tate of Wilmington, will arrive Monday morning to visit Mr. and Mrs. Lucy Moyer for a few days.

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

Wesley Philathea Class. The Wesley Philathea Class of the Methodist Church will have its regular monthly business meeting Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. V. P. Scoville.

American Legion Auxiliary. The American Legion Auxiliary will meet on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of Mrs. H. C. Sugg.

Ada Cherry Class To Meet. The Ada Cherry Class of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church will meet Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Edward Ricks.

T. E. L. Class Meeting. The T. E. L. Class of the Memorial Baptist Church held its September business and social meeting Thursday night.

Mrs. Hardaway opened the meeting with prayer. After the report of the treasurer it was decided to buy another war bond.

'Minute Women' To Meet. A meeting of "Minute Women of Tobacco Land" will be held Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.

Presbyterian Women To Meet. Group No. 3 of the Woman's Auxiliary of "Bemarle" Presbytery will hold its annual fall conference in the Presbyterian Church in Washington.

Methodist Young People to Meet. The young people of Jarvis Memorial Methodist church will meet at the church auditorium Sunday morning at 9:45.

Birth Announcement. Cpl. and Mrs. Thomas J. Morris announce the birth of a son, Bernard Jefferson, on Friday, September 22, 1944.

F. W. B. Auxiliary To Meet. The Woman's Auxiliary of the Free Will Baptist Church will meet at the church Monday night at 8 o'clock.

Social Calendar

MONDAY

4:00 p. m. - The American Legion Auxiliary will meet at the home of Mrs. H. C. Sugg.

6:30 p. m. - Rotary Club.

7:00 p. m. - Lions Club.

8:00 p. m. - Woman's Auxiliary of the Free Will Baptist Church meets at the church.

8:00 p. m. - Wesley Philathea Class of the Methodist Church meets with Mrs. V. P. Scoville.

8:00 p. m. - Ada Cherry Class of the Methodist Church meets with Mrs. Edward Ricks, 1500 Dickinson avenue.

TUESDAY

8:00 p. m. - Withla Council degree of Pochontas meets.

WEDNESDAY

8:00 p. m. - Meeting of "Minute Women in Tobacco Land" at Sheppard Memorial Library.

To Reside in Winterville. Mrs. J. D. McLawhorn, Jr., daughter of Register of Deeds and Mrs. Roy T. Cox of Winterville, is now making her home with her parents.

Greiner-Evans. Mrs. Nannie Evans announces the marriage of her daughter Mattie Mae to Mr. John Wachstetter Greiner.

The marriage of Miss Mattie Evans to John Wachstetter Greiner was solemnized Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The home was beautifully decorated with palms, ferns, white gladioli and asters.

As the guests gathered, a program of nuptial music was rendered by Miss Nannie Rowlette.

The bride and groom entered together to the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March.

Dr. H. G. Haney, pastor of Eighth Street Christian Church, officiated, using the double ring ceremony.

The bride was lovely in her wedding Cymonette suit of dawn blue trimmed with jewel buttons.

Mrs. Evans, mother of the bride, wore black crepe with a corsage of red roses.

Mrs. Greiner is the daughter of Mrs. Nannie Evans and the late William J. Evans.

Mr. Greiner is the son of Mrs. Philip R. Greiner and the late Mr. Greiner of Mount Joy, Pennsylvania.

Engaged



Miss Annie Laura Wilkerson of Burlington, whose engagement to Staff Sergeant James L. Whitefield, United States Army, son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Whitefield, Greenville, is announced today by her parents.

Greiner of Mount Joy, Pennsylvania. He is a graduate of Williamson Trade School and the University of Pennsylvania in Architecture.

Among the pre-nuptial parties given in honor of the bride-elect was one on Wednesday evening.

The dining room table, covered with a handsome hand-made imported linen cloth, was centered with a beautiful silver bowl of white carnations interspersed with fern.

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Forty Years Ago Today

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It feels like fall will be early. Now and then an overcast is seen. Frost was not many degrees off this morning.

The James grape crop is very short this season. The secretary of state has issued a charter for a bank at Bethel.

Unless there is a hustling in the next few days, the gate ordinance that goes into effect October 1 will catch some gates hanging on the wrong side.

Youth Council Meets. The council of the Christian Youth Movement met Monday night at 7:30 at the Methodist Church.

Plans were then made for the movement meeting which will be held Sunday night, October 1, at 7:30, in the Immanuel Baptist Church.

The council is making special plans for this to be family night and all young people are urged to bring their parents.

The group decided that the old members would remain on the council and that the churches would elect enough representatives to bring their representation to the council.

The council will meet Monday night at 7:30 in the Methodist Church and all members are urged to be present.

NEWS ABOUT SERVICEMEN

Louis Dupree Discharged. Louis Dupree, USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Dupree of this city, has been given an honorable discharge from the service.

Returns From Overseas. Staff Sgt. Homer C. Gooding, 25, of Grifton, has returned from service overseas and is now being processed at the Army Air Forces redistribution station at Miami Beach, Fla.

Sgt. Gooding, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Gooding of Route 2, Grifton, was a gunner in the European theater for nine months and flew on 35 missions.

Next Sunday is Rally Day and Communion Sunday - world wide Communion Sunday for all Christians.

At 4:15 p. m., Sunday school will be conducted in the yard at Cliff Whitehurst's home, 4-1-2 miles west on the Falkland highway.

On Monday night this church is expecting Miss Agnes Lapsley, of Bluefield, W. Va., for an interview as our director of religious education and student worker for this winter.

The pastor had announced to speak at this service on "Christian Leadership" and the volunteer choir under the direction of Mrs. Paul Davenport will sing Gluck-Holler's anthem, "Saviour Like a Shepherd Lead Us."

Sunday school begins at 9:45 for all departments and the church is deeply gratified that so many were back in their regular places at the opening service last Sunday.

The staff of officers and teachers is about complete now, affording genuine Christian training for all the classes in all departments.

Sunday, October 8, will be observed by the Eighth Street Church School as the day of promotion and also Rally Day.

STAR-ROARIOUS COMEDY BILLED AT PITT



Margaret O'Brien, Charles Laughton, Robert Young scare up laughs in the best of spires in "Canterville Ghost," opening Sunday at the Pitt Theatre.

on 35 missions. He was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Medal with four oak leaf clusters. His wife, Mrs. Margaret S. Gooding, resides at Elizabeth City, N. C.

Presbyterian Announcements. Promotion Day will be held at this church Sunday morning, with exercises in the main sanctuary at 9:45 a. m.

At 11 a. m., Rev. Robert S. Boyd, pastor, will preach on "The Christian Home," opening the week of "The United Religious Education Advance" to be observed this week by all denominations.

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The whole membership of the church is urged to be present Sunday, October 1, as on that day the significant "World Wide Communion" Sunday is to be observed.

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USO NOTES AND NOTICES

Sunday was something of a banner day at the USO Club. About noon time a big white birthday cake was cut, and all the men who happened to be in at that time were invited to "come and have a piece"

an invitation which was almost unanimously accepted. The story back of that cake is a heart-warming one.

Mrs. John Burgess, over in Ayden, has a son in service overseas. And Sunday was his birthday. It was not possible for Mrs. Burgess to celebrate the occasion by sending a cake to him, but she could celebrate it by making a cake that other women's sons could enjoy.

So that is what she did. And that is why, on Sunday noon, a number of men at the USO Club enjoyed slices of home-made cake.

Their comments, when they heard the story back of that birthday cake, would undoubtedly have made the heart of the woman who made it a little less lonely in the absence, on his birthday, of her own son.

At 5:30 on Sunday afternoon members of the Red Banks Home Demonstration Club served a fried chicken supper to around 150 at the club, and in addition to the obvious enjoyment of the good food, there were some appreciative comments and remarks.

"This is the Southern hospitality we have heard about" - that have invariably been made when other clubs have now and then made this same most desirable contribution to the Sunday night program at the club.

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Other than to business houses having regular accounts with us, no want ads will be charged. Send or bring cash with order. To prevent errors, want ads will not be taken over the telephone.

WE HAVE IN STOCK FOR QUICK BUYERS—1 Boss Oil Cook Range, 3-burner built-in oven. Also 1 Quick Meal 5-burner built-in Oil Cook Range. Quinn-Miller & Stroud. 22-24

MR. FARMER—WE CAN FILL your orders on Sheet Tin, Roll Tin and 45-55 and 90 lb. Roofing. Blount-Harvey. 19-eod-14

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Guaranteed Selling Time 2 hours, 22 minutes

AUGUST

Date	Hours
25 Mon.	9:00 to 11:23
26 Tues.	10:45 to 2:08
27 Wed.	9:00 to 11:23
28 Thur.	1:30 to 3:53

HELP WANTED—YOUNG MAN with high school education, to help around cotton ginney: do the weighing, make out tickets, help the ginners. All inside work. Prefer someone that likes work around machinery. Pitt Gin Company, Farmville, N. C., or W. G. Ward, 300 W. Third St., Greenville, N. C. 22-24

WE CONVINCED, ASK THE owner of a Cole's Hot Blast Heater or Circulator. None better. Quinn-Miller & Stroud. 22-24

FOR QUICK SALE—SIX-ROOM house in the heart of Greenville, on Evans Street, just four blocks from Fire Point. Good neighborhood, newly painted inside and out. Lot 62 ft. by 124 ft. Can get possession at once and move in right away—only \$4,500.00. See Jake Hadley, Real Estate and Life Insurance (office over J. C. Penney Store), Dial 2784. 22-24

WAITRESSES WANTED—WE need two white waitresses. Pleasant working conditions. Apply in person at Kares Restaurant, 429 Evans St., Greenville. 22-24

YOU'LL LIKE THESE NEW Dish Cabinets, Kitchen Cabinets and attractive Breakfast Room Suits at Quinn-Miller & Stroud's. 22-24

SEED HEADQUARTERS—WE have it. Abruzzi Rye, Crimson Clover, Rye Grass, Winter Vetch, A. W. Peas, Seed Wheat full grain and Victorgrain Oats, Sunrise and Irdell Barley, Pasture Mixture, Lawn Mixture, Dallas Grass, Ky. Blue Grass, Orchard Grass, White Dutch Clover, a one stop seed house. Dall's Hatchery, Phone 3271, Ayden, N. C. 1-14

TYPEWRITERS ADDING MACHINES TAFF OFFICE EQUIPMENT CO. Guaranteed Repair Service—Supplies 119 E. 5th St. Dial 2374

PEARS FOR SALE—J. F. ARTHUR, 14th St. Dial 2865. 25-124

FOR SALE—LATE MODEL GAS Water Heater. Excellent condition. Apply Williams' Grocery and Market, Farmville, N. C., Phone 2341. 21-31

JUST RECEIVED NEW SHIPMENT 9x15 and 12x15 Wool Bags. Be sure to see our new Three Bags. Quinn-Miller & Stroud. 22-24

FOR SALE—ONE JERSEY COW and calf, 10 days old. Jack Jones, Winterville, Route 1. 21-31

WANTED—COLORED WOMAN to do general housework. Good pay. 301 Eastern St. 22-31

COTTON FARMERS—WE ARE now prepared to gin your cotton at any time. Please bring it dry. Winterville Cotton Oil Co. 19-124

GET YOUR ABRUZZI RYE AND barley seeds, truck covers, electric fences, hog rations and other feeds from Keel Supply Co., Seeds, Feeds, Hardware. 29-14

WANTED—CARRIER BOY FOR News and Observer route. Apply in person, 513 Evans. 20-41

Ernest Willard INSURANCE ANY KIND—ANYWHERE 123 East Fifth Street

LARGE STOCK, ALL SIZES, PASSENGER and truck tires. Grade 1. Bring us your certificates. Sutton's Service Center. 18-14

COMPLETE LINE FRESH GENERAL batteries, new stock. Sutton's Service Center. 18-14

WE HAVE FRESH FISH EVERY day. Also a nice line of Groceries. Come to see us or call us. Dial 4026. C. B. Dennis, Mgr., Court View Fish Market. 11-1 mo.

Hooker & Buchanan INC. Mutual Insurance Next to Pitt Theatre Dial 2612

FOR SALE—ONE WHITE CROSSL Felt Mattress. Splendid condition. \$10. Dial 2108.

WANTED—GRAPES, ANY VARIETY. Must be ripe and clean. I can and will pay highest cash prices. S. E. Harrington Bonded Winery, No. 20, Grifton, North Carolina. Aug 30-1 mo.

EARLY POSSESSION AND A real good buy—6-room nice home on corner, garage, lawn and shrubbery, for only \$6,250.00. You will have to act early to get this. Call us at 2401. Tripp or Stallworth. 23-14

CALL US FOR YOUR LAWN SEED now. It is time to plant. Also have truck and trailer covers. J. A. Watson, Seed and Hardware. 29-14

STRAYED FROM MY FARM ON Fabland highway, one setter bird-blech, about 6 years old, white and tan spots, answers by the name of Lettie. \$25 reward for her return to C. H. McGowan at McGowan's Warehouse. Last seen near Catholic church or radio station. 9-12-14

TOMMY CARAWAN WHOLESALE DEALER Standard Oil Products Kerosene, Fuel Oil Exclusively For Prompt Service DIAL 2225 or 4428

LOST—ONE POINTER DOG—white and brown. One setter dog, white and tan. Collar on both. Name E. E. Forbes. Please notify for reward. 23-31

WANTED—COMBINATION MAN window dresser, show-card writer and advertising man. Salary \$75.00 per week. Write or wire Shapiro's Dept. Store, Inc., Newport News, Va. 23-124

WANTED—THREE COLORED men, experience not necessary, to work in laundry department. East Carolina Teachers College. 23-21

FOR SALE—ONE SIMMONS BEST panel—walnut colored iron bed. Dial 2108. 23-21

New York Cotton

New York, Sept. 23—(AP)—Futures closed 20 cents to \$1.15 a bale higher.

	Open	Last	Prv. Cl.
Oct.	21.47	21.47	21.43
Dec.	21.36	21.40	21.31
March	21.23	21.30	21.18
May	21.03	21.14	20.98
July	20.71	20.85	20.68

Middling spot 21.89, up 3.

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, Sept. 23—(AP)—Rising tendencies persisted for selected stocks, particularly locomotive manufacturing issues, in today's market although many leaders lacked progressive power.

The ticker tape loaded from the start and transfers of around 250,000 shares were among the slowest for the year to date.

FINAL STOCKS

Allegheny	2 1/2
Allis Chal Mfg	36 3/4
Am Can	89
Am Smelt and Fel	38 1/2
A T and T	161 3/4
Am Tob B	72 3/4
A C L	37 1/4
Atl Ref	28 3/4
Aviat Corp	5
Bendix Aviat	43 1/2
Beth Stl	61 3/4
Boeing Airpl	15
Borden	32 3/4
Budd Mfg	10 3/4
Bur Add Mach	14 3/4
Case J I	36
Ches and O	45 3/4
Chrysler	91 1/2
Coml Cre-Cdit	41 1/2
Coml Solv	15 3/4
Consol Edis	24 1/4
Cont Can	39 3/4
Curtiss Wright	5 1/2
Doug Airc	64 3/4
Dupont	151
Firestone	49
Gen Foods	42 3/4
Goodrich	51 1/2
Int Tel and Tel	18 1/4
Kennecott	32 3/4
Loews	63 3/4

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No functional periodic disturbances make you feel nervous, cranky, irritable, fidgety, tired and "draggled out" each such time.

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Large Crowd Sees Locals Romp To Victory In First Contest; Every Member Of Squad Took Part In Game.

In a game in which every member of the entire squad was given an opportunity to get into action Coach "Snag" Clark's Greenville High School Phantoms swamped the Scotland Neck team in the season's opening football contest in Guy Smith stadium here last night. A record crowd was in attendance to cheer the home team to victory.

With no serious scoring threats from the visitors the Phantoms were on the offensive throughout most of the game but on two occasions the visitors lightened down and held downs right at the goal line.

Greenville won the toss and elected to kick. Scotland Neck received the kick on their own 10 yard line and returned it to the thirty. Three plays netted them a first down but four plays later they were forced to kick and the Phantoms took over on their own 20 yard line. Falling to gain on two line plays the Phantoms kicked to the 50 yard line where Scotland Neck fumbled and Greenville recovered the ball. Passes and line plays by the Gremlins carried them to Scotland Neck's 28 yard line. A run by Leggett netted 20 yards. Billy Harrington entered the game at this point and on the first play went around end for a touchdown. A pass to Leggett for the extra point was completed beyond the end zone and therefore ruled no good.

Greenville's second score came late in the second quarter when Futrelle passed from the 30 yard line to Leggett in the end zone. A pass from Futrelle to Fleming was completed for the extra point. At this juncture Coach Clark sent in his youngsters to take over from the first stringers and reserves and they held Scotland Neck until the period ended.

The third quarter netted the Phantoms another touchdown which was set up by a 27 yard pass by Futrelle from Scotland Neck's 45 yard line to Fleming on the 18. Perkins took the ball on the 18 and ran over for a touchdown. The extra point was made on a pass by Futrelle to Bachelor.

The fourth quarter gave every man on the team including the half-pint size reserves the opportunity to see action and netted the Phantoms three touchdowns. The first score was set up by a run by Perkins to the two yard line from which Futrelle passed to Bachelor. An attempted pass for the extra point failed. The second score of the quarter came when Williams intercepted a Scotland Neck pass on the 30 yard line and ran for a touchdown. A line play for the extra point failed. The third and final tally of the game came when Harrington took the ball on Greenville's own 30 yard line and ran it to Scotland Neck's nine and a half yard line. Carrying the ball on the next play Harrington reached the one and a half yard line and on the third play went over for a touchdown. An at-

tempt to kick goal for the extra point failed.

The starting line-up was composed of Dennis Fleming and Mac Bachelor, ends; Joe Lupton and Lewis Lawrence, tackles; Dick Fife and Jack Whichard, guards; Jimmie Williams, center; Amos Leggett, wing back; Francis Jordan, blocking back; Jimmie Futrelle, full back; Dave Perkins, tail back.

Reserves began to enter the game after the first few plays and before the end of the half, Coach Clark had seen all his first stringers in action. Despite the fact that the squad had received only two weeks of training the blocking, passing and running was good and showed

The Movies Today

PITT—"A Light of Adventure," Tom Conway, Jean Brooks.

STATE—"Call of the Rockies," Smiley Burnette, Sonny Carson.

promise for the coming contests. The Phantoms will meet a more formidable foe here next Friday night when the visitors will be Elizabeth City. Elizabeth City usually has a heavy, as well as good working team and that game should be a real test of the Phantoms' strength.

Starts SUNDAY

THE DARLING OF "LOST ANGEL"

—in a story about a spook who is really a SCREAM

MARGARET O'BRIEN

Last of the Cantervilles, who FRIGHTENED the ghost!

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SUNDAY-MONDAY

Daring Youth Defies The Nazis

They made my girl a HITLER BRIDE!

...I escaped to America from a Nazi labor battalion...yet the hand of the Gestapo reached out for me...on Main Street! You'll be shocked at my thrill-packed story!

THEY LIVE IN FEAR

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Cartoon • Novelty • Latest War News

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Romantic Adventure

"ALA BARA AND THE FORTHY THIEVES"

In Technicolor, starring **Maria Montez • John Hall • Turham Bey**

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY

Horror Star At His Chilling Best!

BELA LUGOSI in **"RETURN OF THE APE MAN"**

with **John Carradine • Frank Morgan**

FRIDAY-SATURDAY

Bob Steele - Hoot Gibson in **"SONORA STAGE COACH"**

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It's A Command To Laughter!

TUES.-WED.

SEE HERE, PRIVATE HARGROVE

More Joy—**"PLAIN DAFFY"** Melody Laff **Riot and Travel Novelty**

PITT

THUR.-FRI.

A Riot of Joy—**"Henry Aldrich's 'LITTLE SECRET'"** with **JIMMY LYDON**

SATURDAY

Weird—Mysterious! **"JUNGLE WOMAN"** with **J. Carrol Naish and Acquanetta**

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