

News Blackout Shrouds Action On German Front

Berlin Claims Sky Troops In Arnhem Are Wiped Out; Americans Drive Forward On Southern Front; German Resistance Stiffens Along Entire Line.

By JAMES M. LONG
London, Sept. 26.—(AP)—Silence marked the ninth day of the most dramatic battles of the invasion—the north bank stand of isolated British "Red Devils" who fought to keep a foothold across the Dutch Rhine.

General Eisenhower's headquarters, imposing a security dimout of news from middle Holland, called the situation fluid. The British press declared it critical, and the German International Information Bureau, a propaganda agency, said the British paratroopers had been wiped out.

Nothing, was disclosed at supreme headquarters to indicate whether this was true or false.

Allied air commanders, in an attempt to stop the flow of enemy troops and materiel to the Moselle and Dutch fronts, flung 1,100 Fortresses and Liberators against two vital German freight yards. With almost 3,500 tons of bombs those heavy bombers blasted the yards at Osnabruck, through which the enemy has been funneling supplies to his forces in Holland, the very large yards at Hamm and unspecified military targets at Bremen.

The latest information at supreme headquarters on the Arnhem troops was more than 24 hours old. This was that the British were holding on, desperately thinly supplied by night across the quarter-mile-wide Rhine.

There was no attempt to minimize the hazard of their position—nor any indication that they were not at least in strength to hold out yet a while longer.

Even the Germans gave divided accounts of what had happened.

Almost an hour after first German reports that the bulk of the troops had laid down their arms, the Berlin commentator Ludwig Sartorius indicated they were still fighting. He said Lt. Gen. Sir Miles Dempsey's column from the south had thus far failed to reach "the remnants of the British first airborne division in the area of Arnhem."

Certainly there was nothing in the fierce British effort to build up a broader supply lifeline to the north that would indicate any lessened urgency to pushing power up to the Rhine.

In a swift advance northeast of Eindhoven the tommyes drove through Durne and Helmond and on 15 miles north to Oplo and Mill, forging a second supply line parallel to the first, and reaching from Eindhoven almost to Nijmegen.

This provided a buffer against German attacks from the east against the main supply road, but it was still subject to hard German pressure from the west.

A broadcast by the International Information Bureau, declared 1,400 British wounded had surrendered. (Continued on page four)

Third Polio Case In County Reported

The Pitt County Health Department reports its third case of polio today. This last case is a nine year old colored girl, Rte. 3, Ayden, and lives in the St. John's district. This is a mild case and the patient is doing well.

The WAR TODAY

AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEWS

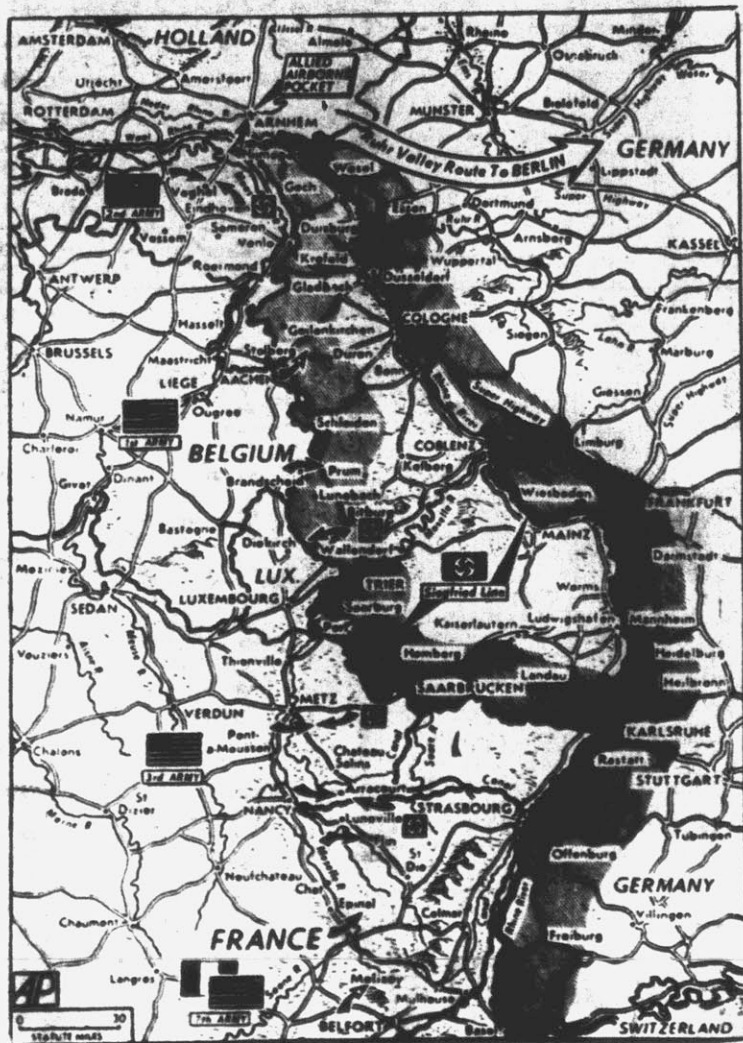
By J. M. ROBERTS, Jr.
(Substituting for Dewitt Mackenzie)
General Eisenhower's call for action by organized cells among Hitler's enslaved foreign labor indicates his confidence that Allied armies will soon be in Germany in force, and gives the first official intimation that we expect any real help from inside.

There is a vastly different situation among the millions of foreigners in the Reich, however, as compared with the French maquis which enabled thousands of soldiers to devote their energies to the main effort.

By every report, Germany has kept a tight hand on her imported labor. These men and women from all over Europe have been confined only to a slightly less degree than prisoners of war. They have had little opportunity to learn the country, or even to meet privately.

Out of the 8 to 12 millions, of course, there are a great number, even though a small percentage, who have nursed the fires of vengeance, sabotaged the German war effort, and organized for V-hour. They are closely watched, and may be able to do little until Allied armies are so near that industry would be disrupted anyway, but in the aggregate the effect may be considerable.

Allies Drive To Relieve Division



Arrows locate Allied and German attacks on the western front where heaviest fighting was raging around Arnhem in Holland. British troops driving to relieve pocketed Allied airborne troops at Arnhem reached the Neder Rhine river. (AP Wirephoto).

Marines Outflank Jap Positions On Peleliu

CRACKS DOWN ON ARGENTINA

U.S. Ships Cease Calling At Argentine Ports.

Washington, Sept. 26.—(AP)—In a new crackdown on Argentina, the United States government has ordered American flag ships to stop calling at Argentine ports on their homeward voyages. The order is reported to become effective Oct. 1. The move apparently was designed virtually to cut off imports from Argentina to the United States. In this connection, it was reported that recent purchases of Argentine corn for feed purposes either had been delivered to the United States or were en route.

The action was taken by the War Shipping Administration under a directive issued by the State Department. The department, pursuing a policy of secrecy on Argentine affairs, at the moment declined to give any immediate official comment on the report obtained from authoritative sources. (Continued on page six)

Japanese Death Toll On Island Now Placed Above 8,000; No Report On Fleet Activity.

By CHARLES H. MCMURTRY
U. S. Pacific Fleet Headquarters, Pearl Harbor, Sept. 26.—(AP)—Marines bypassed strong Japanese hill positions on Peleliu and advanced to within a mile of the island's northern tip yesterday as the enemy death toll for the Palau campaign rose to 8,283.

Adm. Chester W. Nimitz announced last night the Americans had progressed more than a mile along Peleliu's west coast, after slanting past Japanese positions in the Umurogo hills which the marines had failed to crack in days of bitter fighting.

Abrupt silence cloaked movements of the U. S. Third fleet whose carrier planes smashed objectives in the Philippines last week. American confirmation was still lacking of Japanese-reported attacks on Manila and the central Philippines. Friday and Saturday (U. S. time).

Southwest Pacific bombers continued to patrol the southern Philippines. (Continued on page six)

Clothing Drive For War Relief

The various churches, parishes and synagogues of this country have agreed to collect 15,000,000 pounds of good used clothing for the war stricken peoples of Europe. It is reliably reported that more than 20,000,000 men, women and children have been made homeless by the war, many of these as civilians have lost all their property including most of their clothing. Clothing standards have declined even more than the dietary levels. During the winter of 1943-44 cold caused as much suffering and as many deaths as hunger. The winter of 1944-45 will be even worse unless help is forthcoming from America.

The problem is acute in France, Italy, Holland, Greece, Belgium, Poland. One report is: "Four years of war and winter have completely exhausted the pre-war stock of clothes. In consequence, thousands of children, both in town and country, are unable to leave their homes in winter—homes in which there is little or no coal or fuel—do not even leave their beds, as more often than not they have no clothes to put on their little bodies, nor even a blanket to cover themselves."

Dr. H. G. Haney announces that Eighth Street Christian church will collect all good used clothing possible next Sunday afternoon and Monday at the church. Shoes and evening dresses are not desired, but any good clothing, new or used, woolen or cotton, will be acceptable. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Corbett are serving as co-chairmen of this collection.

TO INSIST ON NO ESCAPE FOR AXIS LEADERS

Churchill Says German War Criminals Must Not Be Given Haven In Neutral Countries.

By JOHN F. CHESTER
London, Sept. 26.—(AP)—Prime Minister Churchill reiterated today that the British government insists German war criminals find no haven in neutral territories.

Some neutrals already have unsatisfactory statements on the matter, Churchill told Commons, but he has not "noticed any particular pronouncement" from Spain in this connection. His statement—about Spain was in reply to a direct question.

Cheered from all quarters of Commons as he resumed his seat following the Quebec conference, Churchill planned a full-day statement Thursday. A two-day debate starting then may disclose Britain's attitude on what to do with Germany after the war—a question which already has brought divided opinion in President Roosevelt's cabinet.

Weather-tanned and apparently fit, Churchill was asked about a statement that present machinery might leave Hitler himself untouched if he managed to escape to a neutral country. As to whether neutrals had been properly warned, he asserted caustically:

"The governments are resolved to do their utmost to prevent Nazi criminals finding a refuge in neutral territories from the consequences of their crimes. It is not our intention to allow the escape of these men to be effected without exerting almost every resource which a civilized power can contemplate."

In answer to the first peace question directed at him, Churchill confined himself to the Dumbarton Oaks conference, saying no commitments had been reached there as yet on postwar plans.

The conference, representing the United States, Britain, Russia and China, he said, is working agreement "upon a set of proposals for the establishment of an organization to maintain peace and security and further social and economic cooperation among peace-loving nations."

"If, as we greatly hope," he said, "we succeed in framing such joint proposals they would be communi- (Continued on page four)

New Method For Cashing Bonds

Washington, Sept. 26.—(AP)—Treasury Secretary Morgenthau today announced new facilities to make it more convenient for the public to cash war bonds. They were ready to function, but at the same time he expressed the hope that owners would not cash bonds except in cases of absolute necessity.

Effective Oct. 2, more than 10,000 banks will be equipped to redeem immediately series E war bonds and series A, B, C and D savings bonds.

The banks will make payment upon satisfactory identification of the applicant owner. Heretofore, payments were handled by check through the Federal Reserve Banks, or upon direct application to the Treasury, a procedure involving considerable delay.

Dewey Takes Off Gloves In Reply To Roosevelt

By JACK BELL
Enroute with Dewey, Sept. 26.—(AP)—Confident he had given the Republicans a new battle cry with an assertion the American people will vote in November to "restore integrity to the White House," Gov. Thomas E. Dewey traveled across Oklahoma today for his last two scheduled stops at Sapulpa and Tulsa on a western campaign swing.

In a bitter, caustic reply to President Roosevelt's Saturday night speech ridiculing and mocking Republican attacks on the New Deal, the GOP standard bearer told a shouting, overflow crowd of nearly 10,000 persons in Oklahoma City's civic auditorium last night.

"I say the time has come to put a stop to everything that is summed up in that phrase, 'The Indispensable Man.'"

The GOP nominee's special train carried him to Sapulpa, where after a welcoming celebration on the high school steps for Mrs. Dewey, the New York governor and his wife planned a brief visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orla Hutt. Next stop was Tulsa for a series of conferences, after which the Special was to leave for Albany, N. Y.

But all of this was anti-climax to Dewey's punching comeback in reply to what he described as the President's "speech of mudslinging, ridicule and wise cracks," which the New York governor contended "plumbed the depth of demagoguery by dragging into this campaign the names of Hitler and Goebbels x x x." Disclaiming any intent to use

Superfortresses Blast Manchuria Again Today

Americans Pass Damaged Factory In Holland



American troops ride past a section of the Zinkwit-Fabrik (zinc factory) at Maastricht, Holland, which was damaged by American air bombings. Photo by Peter J. Carroll, Associated Press staff photographer with the war-time still photo pool. (AP Wirephoto).

Soviets Squeeze Germans Against Estonian Coast

NEW GAINS ON ITALIAN FRONT

British Cross Rubicon; Nazi Losses Heavy.

By NOLAN NORGAAARD
Rome, Sept. 26.—(AP)—The Eighth army has hammered across the historical Rubicon and the Allied commander in the Mediterranean expressed hope today the crossing "will lead, as with a famous commander in the past, to a decisive victory" for Allied forces in Italy.

Crossing of the little stream came after German counterattacks slowed advances both of the Fifth and Eighth armies.

The Eighth army captured coastal Bordonchia, six miles north of Rimini. The Rubicon was crossed further inland, several bridgeheads being won.

Below Bologna the Fifth army was driving down several valleys running in a northeasterly direction after breaking the Gothic line.

Gen. Sir Henry Maitland Wilson, Allied Mediterranean commander, congratulated Gen. Sir Harold Alexander, ground commander in Italy, on destruction of the Gothic line and expressed the hope the Rubicon crossing would lead to destruction of this month. (Continued on page four)

Reds Seize Escape Port Of Haapsalu And Organize As- sault On Two Stra- tegic Islands.

By DANIEL DE LUCE
Moscow, Sept. 26.—(AP)—Russia's powerful northern armies hammered the final small pocket of German resistance in Estonia today and began organizing an assault on two key islands guarding the Baltic sea approaches to Riga, the besieged capital of Latvia.

The islands—Ristina and Oesel—dominate the entrance to the Gulf of Riga, to the southeast, and the Gulf of Finland, to the northeast. Lying some six miles off Estonia's west coast, they could be bypassed indefinitely by the Russians, but as long as enemy garrisons remain there they will have a certain nuisance value.

On the west coast of the Estonian mainland, Marshal Leonid A. Govorov's Leningrad army has now captured all important ports except Virtsu. A communique last night announced the fall of Haapsalu, Estonia's third port, 63 miles southwest of Tallinn. The Soviet forces also hold Parnu on the southwest coast.

There were several indications that the Soviet Baltic fleet was joining in the battle to reduce the Estonian islands.

(Heisinki dispatches last night re- (Continued on page six)

Notice To Subscribers

Attention of our subscribers is again called to the necessity of keeping their subscriptions on a PAID-IN-ADVANCE basis. Because of the manpower shortage it became necessary some time ago for us to discontinue our collectors and have all subscriptions paid direct to the office, either by mail or in person.

We realize that our rural subscribers have been unusually busy for the past several weeks getting in their crops, and we have refrained from dropping them from our lists during this emergency. It is necessary, however, that all subscribers, both rural and city, be paid up by the end of this month, as we will revise our lists on October 1.

Rural subscribers can ascertain their expiration dates from the label on their paper, and if the date is prior to 10-1-44 it is necessary that you renew during this month to avert being dropped from the list. Card notices of expiration dates have been mailed to our city subscribers and it is likewise necessary that they renew before the end of this month.

We have a number of service men on our list whose subscriptions were sent by friends or relatives, but in some instances we do not have the name of the person who sent the paper. We hesitate to send expiration notices to these service men, and certainly we do not want to stop their papers, so if you have been subscribing for a service man's paper please check our office for expiration date of same.

Dewey quoted Senator Harry S. Truman, the Democratic Vice Presidential nominee, and Mayor Frank Kelly of Chicago to the effect the nation must re-elect the President in order to attain its own "salvation" and to assure "the very future of the peace and prosperity of the world." Dewey said he had heard no Presidential repudiation of either statement. Then he added: "Let's get this straight. The man (Continued on page four)

POSTWAR PLAN BEING STUDIED

**Most WPB Controls
To End When Ger-
many Falls.**

By STERLING F. GREEN
Washington, Sept. 26.—(AP)—A detailed plan for dropping of industrial controls on V-Day in Europe is due to be completed and started on the rounds for government approval late this week.

War Production Board sources who revealed this today said it was for removal of about 500 of the 700 WPB orders and schedules now in force.

Those remaining to protect the continued flow of supplies for the war against Japan will cover textiles, chemicals, forest products and some other war items expected to be scarce even after 40 percent of contracts are cancelled.

It thus appears that WPB's "V-E" preparations will be all but finished by the time Chairman Donald M. Nelson winds up conversations here in connection with his economic mission to China, from (Continued on page five)

Weather Forecast
Extended forecast covering period from 8:30 p. m. tonight to 8:30 p. m. Saturday.
Georgia, North and South Carolina: Normal temperatures until cooler about Saturday. Rain Friday, beginning in west portion late Thursday.

Today On The Home Front

By JAMES MARLOW

DEMORILIZATION—AND WHAT YOU CAN EXPECT

Editor's Note: This is the second in a series on veterans' benefits, ranging from demobilization to jobs and pensions.)

Washington, Sept. 26.—(AP)—Who gets out of the Army when Germany quits? There's no simple answer. Discharges will be given soldiers on an individual basis and not by companies or regiments or units of any kind.

And each man released will have to meet certain standards. Those standards—which are really credit ratings—give him a priority for consideration when troops are being discharged. Here are the credits:

1. Service credit—based upon the total number of months of army service since Sept. 16, 1940.

2. Overseas credit—based upon the number of months served overseas.

3. Combat credit—the number of kind of medals he has received for his soldiering.

4. Parenthood credit—which gives credit for each dependent child under 18 years up to a limit of three children.

The Army says this credit system is the result of opinions expressed by the soldiers themselves because: Thousands of them were inter-

**Tokyo Says Industrial
Center Of Anshan
And Two Other Cities
Targets Of B-29s;
Few Details Available
To War De-
partment Today.**

By JOHN GROVER
A B-29 Superfortress Base in West China, Sept. 26.—(AP)—A heavy force of American super-bombers raided industrial installations at Anshan in Manchuria by daylight today, with the object of cleaning up "anything overlooked" on two previous raids on that key city.

The raiding squadron today was second in size only to that which made a mass attack September 8. The primary targets were steel and chemical plants integrated in the vast manufacturing center of Japan's Manchuria.

Basic steel and coke production installations were heavily hit on the previous attacks.

Destruction previously inflicted on basic raw materials plants is believed to have caused a sharp drop in the output of the Anshan area.

Today's bombing was expected to knock Anshan out as a functioning arsenal for many months. Details must await the questioning of returning crewmen.

Pilots reported that interceptors arose at several points in occupied China while the Superfortresses were enroute to their target, but failed to interfere with the mission.

Washington, Sept. 26.—(AP)—U. S. Superfortresses attacked Manchuria again today, the War Department announced. The Tokyo radio said Anshan, a big industrial city, and two other towns were the targets.

FCC monitors reported that atmospheric interference garbled Tokyo's broadcast identification of the raided towns aside from Anshan, but the names sounded like Andan, which is just south of Anshan, and Dairen, a port city.

"War results achieved by our forces are being presently investigated," FCC said.

The War Department here said further details would be released as soon as information became available.

A Tokyo domestic broadcast said some 70 American planes had raided Anshan for about an hour and that a small number struck at Dairen, in the Kwantung peninsula. This broadcast, which conceded only negligible damage, said two of (Continued on page four)

Announce Change In 'A' Coupons

Washington, Sept. 26.—(AP)—The Office of Price Administration today moved to eliminate the existing differential between the east coast and the rest of the country in validity dates for "A" gasoline ration coupons.

Renewal "A" books for the east coast will be issued earlier than planned and the "A-13" coupons will be validated November 9.

On that date the same coupons already will have been valid for some weeks in the rest of the country.

Because the "A-13" stamp will be usable November 9, the day after the "A-11" coupons expire, the "A-12" coupons never will become valid on the east coast.

OPA said that this will have the additional advantage of making valueless a large number of counterfeit "A-12" coupons which the agency said have been printed.

Today On The Home Front

viewed here and abroad to learn how they thought discharges should be granted.

But the value of the point credits will not be announced until after the European war ends.

But even if a man had all four credits—and the highest possible number of points for each credit—it is no guarantee he would be discharged after the war with Germany.

The Army will first consider whether that individual soldier is still needed for the continuing war against Japan because of some special ability or for some other reason. If so, he would be kept in the Army.

Here's what will happen after Germany goes down: some troops will be kept in Europe as an occupation army; some—from Europe and the United States—will be sent (Continued on page four)

RATION GUIDE

Meats—Red A5 through O5 now valid.

Foods—Blue A5 through L5 now valid. Blue tokens (not coupons) expire October 1. Use them now.

Shoes—Airplane stamps 1 and 2 (Book 2) good indefinitely.

Sugar—Stamps 30, 31, 32 and 33 (Book 4) good indefinitely.

Gasoline—A-11 coupons expire on November 8.

Social and Personal

Miss Sarah Anne Moss of Stokes has returned to E. C. T. C. to complete her studies.

Among the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Everette of Belvoir, were Mrs. J. A. Bobbitt and son, Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Everette of Tarboro, Miss Helen Dunn of Pountain, Mrs. J. L. Everette of Greenville, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Everette, Roger Herman, Joseph and Leslie Everette, Jr., of Pinetops.

Mrs. Frances Dickerson and Miss Doris Wells of Winterville, are visiting their brother, Pvt. Charlie T. Wells, Jr. who is in the army at Camp Wheeler, Ga.

Miss Evelyn Scheller has returned to Boston to resume her studies at the Katharine Gibbs School.

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. J. A. Joyner, Jr., arrived in Greenville Saturday morning from Lawton, Okla. Staff Joyner is stationed at Fort Sill, Okla.

Miss Charissa Edwards left today to resume her studies at Peabody Institute, Baltimore, Md. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Davenport and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Davenport.

Mrs. Clarence L. Twiford of Elizabeth City, Mrs. Maude Baynor Foy and Mrs. Matt Stroud of Kingston, and Mrs. J. W. Parker of Farmville, are visiting Mrs. P. E. Wells on Seventh street.

Miss Eleanor James left yesterday for Winston-Salem where she will enter Salem Academy.

Sammy Worthington, small son of Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Worthington, is recuperating from an operation for appendicitis in Pitt General Hospital yesterday.

Mrs. Ernest W. Wells of Norfolk, is spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Wells on Seventh street.

Miss Bess Love has returned from Fawn Grove, Pa.

Bland-Dail.
Mr. and Mrs. John I. Allen of Bethel, N. C. announce the marriage of their daughter Mrs. Lennie Dail to Mr. Glenn Bland on Wednesday, September twenty-ninth, at the home of Mrs. W. C. Glass, 1201 Cotanche street, Greenville, N. C.

Engagement Announced.
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Daniels announce the engagement of their daughter Lucille to Sergeant Burial Edward La Reau. Sgt. La Reau, who is from Martinton, Illinois, is serving with the United States Army in France.

German Club To Meet.
The German Club will hold a business meeting Thursday morning at 11 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. G. Glass.

Fidelis Class Meets Tonight.
The Fidelis Class of the Memorial Baptist Church will meet tonight at 8 o'clock with Miss Allie Harden at the home of Mrs. E. T. Burnett, 620 Cotanche street.

Returns Home.
Friends of Pfc. Louis H. Elks will be glad to know that he is out of the hospital at Camp Campbell, Ky., and home again after a year and nine months in the service. He is the son of Mrs. W. Harvey Elks.

Junior Woman's Club To Meet.
The Junior Woman's Club will meet tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. G. M. Lamm, 905 West Fourth street, with Mrs. Melvin Whitford assisting hostess.

Judge Frizzelle in City.
Judge J. Paul Frizzelle of Snow Hill, resident judge of Superior Court for the Sixth Judicial District, who had been in ill health and for a time confined to his home, was in Greenville yesterday as a witness in Superior Court. He is rapidly regaining his health and looked better than before his illness. The Greene county jurist is popular here. He will resume his duties on the bench about the first of November, he said yesterday.

NEWCOMERS AND REMOVALS

Rev. N. J. Medford, wife and daughter have moved from Fayetteville and are living at 1303 Eade St. Rev. Medford is pastor of Pentecostal Holiness church. Rev. J. G. Spivey, who was formerly pastor of this church has moved to Tarboro, N. C.

T-Sgt. and Mrs. W. B. Wheatley have moved to 400 East 8th street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Williams have moved to 526 W. 5th street from 319 W. 2nd street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hill have moved to 1117 West 4th street.

Rev. Hayes Clark and family have moved to 312 W. 2nd street from Chestnut Street Extension.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lassiter have moved to Chestnut Street Extension from 1805 Dickinson avenue.

Social Calendar

TUESDAY
8:00 p. m.—Withla Council degree of Pocahontas meets.

THURSDAY
11:00 a. m.—German Club meets at the home of Mrs. W. G. Glass.

7:00 p. m.—Business and Professional Women's Club meets at the Episcopal Parish House.

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

FRIDAY
6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club.

Spry-Smith.
Mr. and Mrs. Willie Clinton Smith announce the marriage of their daughter Jessie Faye to

Frank Elliott Spry, Staff Sergeant, United States Marine Corps, on Saturday, the twenty-third of September, one thousand nine hundred and forty-four, at Immanuel Baptist Church, Greenville, North Carolina.

Miss Faye Smith of this city, and Staff Sergeant Frank Elliott Spry, of Rochester, N. Y., and Cherry Point, were married at nine o'clock Saturday evening, September 23, in the Immanuel Baptist Church.

The Reverend Hartwell Campbell, pastor of the church, performed the ring ceremony.

The church was artistically decorated with ferns and palms interspersed with white gladioli. On either side of the altar were seven-branched candelabra holding tall white tapers.

The ushers were C. M. Respass of Rocky Mount, and Bonnie Smith of Greenville, brother of the bride. Nuptial music was rendered by Mrs. H. C. Haynes, pianist, and Mrs. Ola Tucker, soloist.

The bride and groom entered the church together to the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March. The bride was attired in a lovely suit of Australian green with matching accessories. She wore a shoulder corsage of orchids.

Mrs. Smith, mother of the bride, wore a navy crepe dress with matching accessories. Her flowers were pink roses.

Mrs. Spry is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Smith of this city. She is a graduate of the Ayden High School. Before her marriage, Mrs. Spry held a position with Bell-Tyler Company.

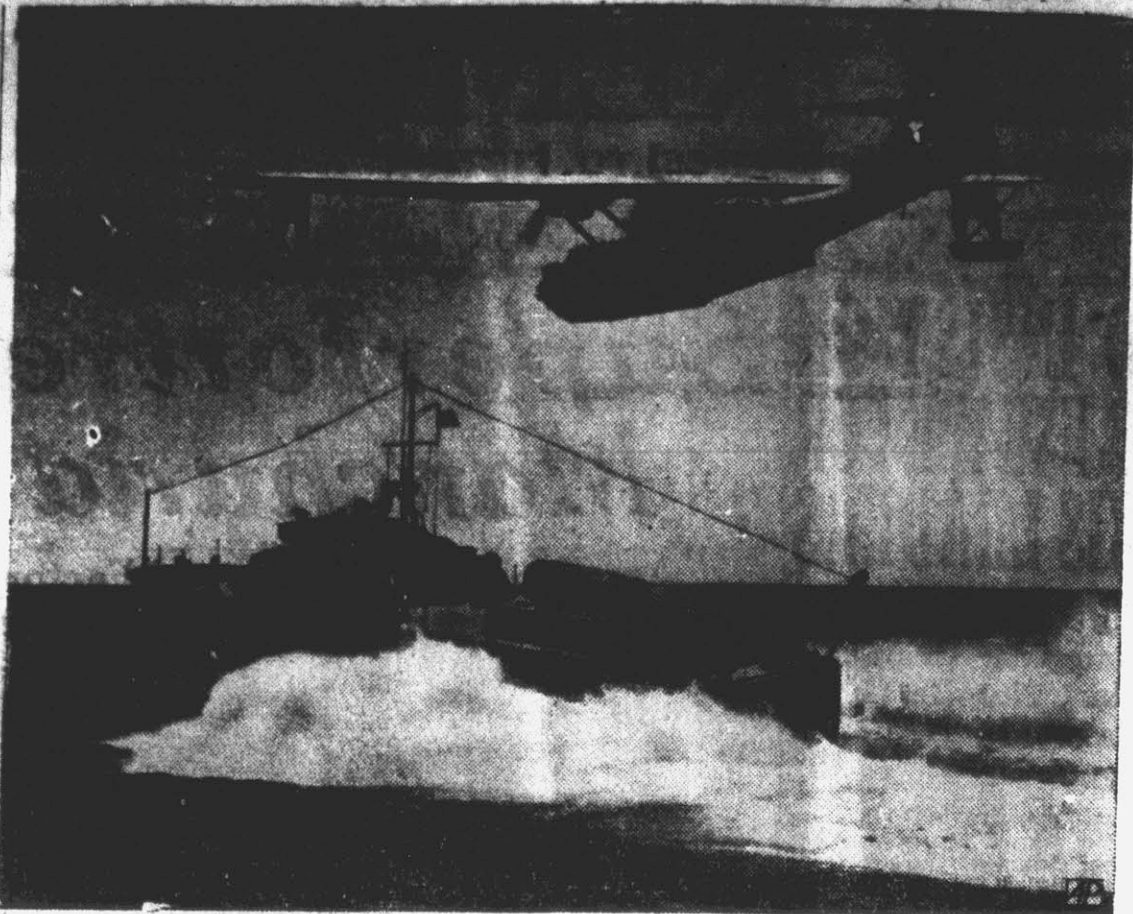
The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Earl Spry of Rochester, N. Y. He received his education in the Edison Technical High School and Rochester Business Institute of Rochester, N. Y. For the past three years he has been serving in the United States Marine Corps, during which time he served nine months in the Pacific area. Before entering the service he was employed by Eastman Kodak Company of Rochester.

Immediately after the ceremony the couple left for a trip to New York. After their return they will make their home in New Bern.

Eastern Star Meeting.
There will be a special called meeting of Kinston chapter No. 53, Ayden chapter No. 52 and Greenville chapter No. 149 Order of the Eastern Star tonight at 8 o'clock for the official visit of the worthy grand matron, Mrs. Blanche C. Twiford of Elizabeth City, Mrs. J. W. Parker of Farmville, past grand matron, Mrs. Maude Baynor Foy of Kinston, district deputy grand matron, and other grand officers will be present. A dinner in their honor will be held prior to the meeting at 6:30 at the Proctor Hotel and members from the three chapters will attend.

Birth Announcement.
Mr. and Mrs. George Talmage Ross of New Bern, announce the birth of a daughter, Priscilla Bruce, on Wednesday, September 20, 1944. Mrs. Ross is at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. W. Tetterton, Bethel, Route 3.

Attending School For Court Clerks.
Miss Ada Jones, desk sergeant at the police department and clerk of City Recorder's Court, is in Chapel Hill, attending an Institute of Government for court clerks and others. The school is also sponsored by the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Miss Jones is the only woman recorder's court clerk in the eastern part of the state, it is understood.



COAST GUARD RESCUE TEAM.—An outgrowth of the war is this Coast Guard air-sea rescue unit—a plane and a cutter—which also will operate in peacetime.

Forty Years Ago Today

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The cotton market has taken a tumble due to enormous receipts. Nearly all the buildings formerly used as barnyards are occupied with other businesses.

It looks like a good-sized army to see all the children on the graded school campus.

With tobacco bringing high prices and cotton keeping above ten cents, there ought to be good times ahead.

The colleges hardly get opened before the football announcements become the most prominent information emanating from the institutions. The colleges need reputation in other directions.

There is a feeling in the air that this is a Democratic year.

Japanese Persimmons.

Heber Tripp, who specializes in horticulture to some extent, is displaying some unusually large Japanese persimmons, grown on his place at the foot of Woodlawn avenue near the river. The fruit is good to eat, he said. Samples of the giant persimmons are in the Reflector window.

Dr. Holler's Father Dead.

Dr. E. C. Holler has received a message from Hardin, Mo., conveying the news of the death of his father, Mr. M. P. Holler.

Killed in Action

Corporal John D. Monroe, nephew of M. J. McLeod of this city, and son of Mrs. Bess Monroe of Lumberton, who was previously reported missing, was killed in action June 23, as reported by the International German Red Cross.

Our Farm Folks

VERONA LEE JOYNER, II, D. A. RUTH BIZZELL, Assist. Home Demonstration Agent

Club Members Entertain

The members of the Littlefield Home Demonstration Club and the 4-H Club entertained the members of their families at a picnic supper given on Wednesday evening, September 20, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Garris. All kinds of delicious picnic dishes were served to more than fifty people out on the spacious lawn.

Immediately following the supper hour Mr. Winchester, Assistant Farm Agent showed an educational film, "Our Garden." Then the group enjoyed playing games and singing songs together for a short while before going home.

County Council To Meet

The fall meeting of the Council of the Pitt County Federation of Home Demonstration Clubs will meet on Wednesday, October 11. The Executive Board has postponed the meeting two weeks in order that more of the Club officers can plan to attend. This will be important meeting as it will be the last Council Meeting before Achievement Day which will be held in November.

York Rite Masons Are Active Here

Greenville Chapter No. 50, Royal Arch Masons and Bethlehem Commandery No. 29, Knights Templar of this city are now busily at work on their fall class. Up to this time several applications have been secured and the outlook is good for a nice class. The degrees in the chapter will begin during the second week in October and the Commandery degree will be given during the last week in October. All degrees are scheduled to be completed not later than November 1 in order that Sir Knights desiring to do so may take the Shrine at the Goldsboro ceremonial November 9.

All Master Masons now residing within the fifth masonic district, or those residing nearer to Greenville than to Washington, New Bern, Kinston, Goldsboro, Wilson or Rocky Mount are eligible to petition the Greenville York Rite Bodies.

York Rite Masonry was established in Greenville many years prior to the organization of the present Masonic Bodies. The present bodies date back to December 9, 1868, when Greenville Lodge No. 284 was chartered, followed by the chartering of Greenville No. 50, Royal Arch chapter which was chartered May 26, 1886 and Bethlehem Commandery No. 29, Knights Templar was chartered May 11, 1922, and the chartering of Hiram Council No. 18 of Royal and Select Masters in May 1943. All of these Masonic Bodies are very active and have a large membership.

All Master Masons who are interested in their personal Masonic welfare, the good of masonry in general and more particularly the good of masonry in the fifth masonic district are invited to join the local chapter, council and commandery.

The arabian peninsula is half as large as all Europe.

Bus Line In City Fills Public Need

"Public patronage of the passenger buses operated over certain of the city's streets, and to the old NYA center on the suburbs and the Marine airfield across the river, is demonstrating that the transportation facility is a public necessity," Mayor Bruce Sugg said today. "Paul J. Ricks, owner of the Ricks Bus Line, is doing a good job of smoothing out schedule adjustments to provide for the comfort and convenience of the local traveling public and he will succeed, I believe," the mayor added.

The cross-town bus schedules from early morning until late at night are a great convenience to those going to their work and places of business. The buses are being used by shoppers, particularly those at grocery stores. The first week's operation was a success, and improvements will be made from time to time, Ricks said.

Mrs. Mary Edwards Died This Morning

Mrs. Mary Williams Edwards, 80, wife of Nash Edwards of near Ham's Cross Roads, died at her home at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning after a long illness.

Funeral services will be held at the Black Jack Free Will Baptist Church at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon by the Rev. J. C. Griffin, the pastor. Burial will be in the church yard.

Mrs. Edwards was born and reared in the Vanceboro community. She spent most of her married life in the Black Jack community. She was a member of Black Jack Free Will Baptist Church.

Surviving are her husband, a son, Zeno Edwards of Greenville, and a daughter, Mrs. N. B. Boyd of Grimesland, a sister, Mrs. Henry Partridge of Scotland Neck, and 13 grandchildren.



Scouting in Greenville got off to an excellent start during the past week. All Troops assembled with an exceptionally gratifying record of attendance and got right down to the practical business of formulating their Fall Programs.

Troop 36 has just released its new roster of Junior Leaders. Jack Whitchard, Senior Patrol Leader; Frank Delmer, Scribe; Patrol Leaders, Tommy Delmer, Jimmy Ward, Frank Delmer, and Richard Scribner. Other Troop and Patrol officers will be announced shortly.

And, speaking of Troop 36, you should just hear that outfit sing. We never thought Eastern Carolina Scouts could be much in the way of singing until we heard that bunch of Stalworth's. They just about tore the roof off the library with a group of new songs. You'd better watch out for a Singing Troop. They usually go places.

Troop 33, with Scoutmaster Guy Evans and Assistant Scoutmaster Royce Hunsucker, held their first meeting Wednesday evening in the Rotary building. Following a formal opening ceremony, the roll was checked and plans were discussed for bringing all Patrols up to full strength. Troop 33 holds the lead in the Inter-Troop contest, and will embark on an ambitious recruiting and advancement program to maintain that lead.

Troop 36 held its first meeting of the Fall season Thursday evening at the Methodist Church with a splendid turnout of Scouts. Scoutmaster Bill Drum has some excellent material on hand, and the Troop should show real progress in all phases of Scouting.

The Troop Leader's Council of Troop 36 met Thursday evening at the home of Scoutmaster Stallworth. The Council is composed of all the Junior Leaders in the Troop and meets monthly to develop a

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complete program of activities based on actual Troop needs. This is ideal Scouting procedure and the plan might well be adopted by all Troops in the area.

Cubmaster Wendell Smiley of Pack 9 has just returned from a well-earned vacation in the western part of the State. Mr. Smiley plans to get together with all Den Mothers in the Pack at an early date, at which time full plans for Den and Pack programs will be worked out.

Today there are nearly 1,500,000 Scouts in the United States, backed by nearly 400,000 adult leaders. These boys are in 54,332 Troops, Packs and other units, 10,430 churches of different denominations sponsor Troops. The remaining 34,642 units are directed by clubs and organizations of thirty different types.

Rotary Club Hears Red Cross Officials

Mrs. Walter F. Taylor, Executive Secretary of the Pitt County Chapter of the American Red Cross, told the Rotary Club last night of the expanded activities of the Red Cross due to the war. She stated that the Red Cross had ten trained volunteer office workers who assisted with the program of the home welfare of service men. The local Red Cross Chapter is acting director of home service for the Marine Air Port in Greenville. The Red Cross assists in emergencies, contacting in case of sickness and death of soldiers and also furnish assistance in securing allotments and etc. in the case of discharged soldiers.

Mr. C. W. Willard discussed the First Aid Program during the last few years, stating that there were 70 qualified first aid instructors in the county and that 2900 first aid certificates have been issued since the war started.

Mr. Herbert Waldrop presented Col. W. M. Green, who had just returned from 30 months service in

the South Pacific. Col. Green discussed his experiences in the South Pacific, and paid high tribute to the services being rendered by the Red Cross in the battle areas. He emphasized that the war was not yet won, especially in the Pacific, and stated that while the soldiers on the battle front wanted the people at home to have everything possible, it was still important that the people on the home front cooperate in ending this war as quickly as possible.

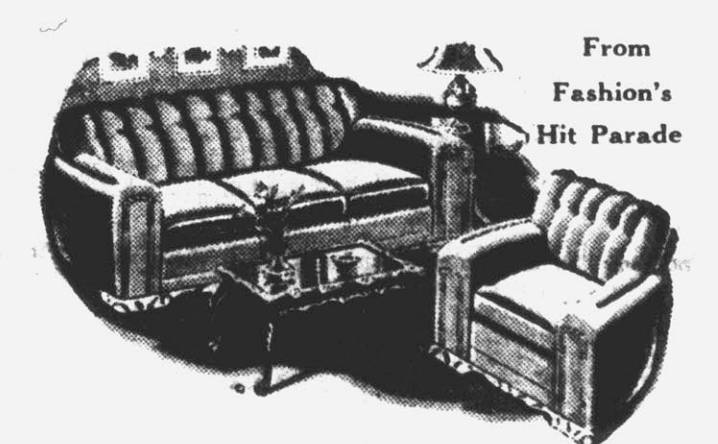
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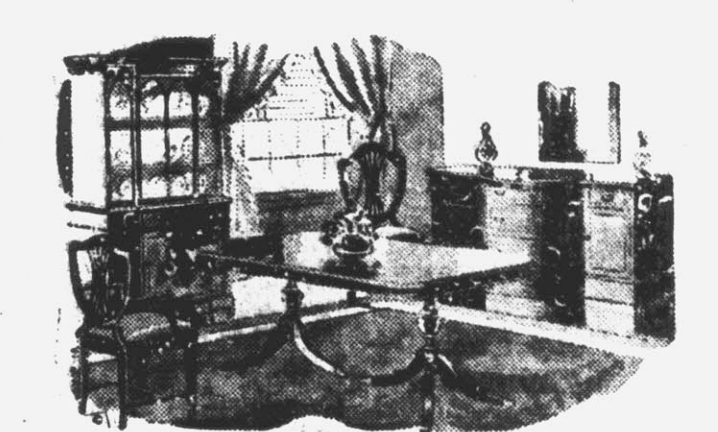
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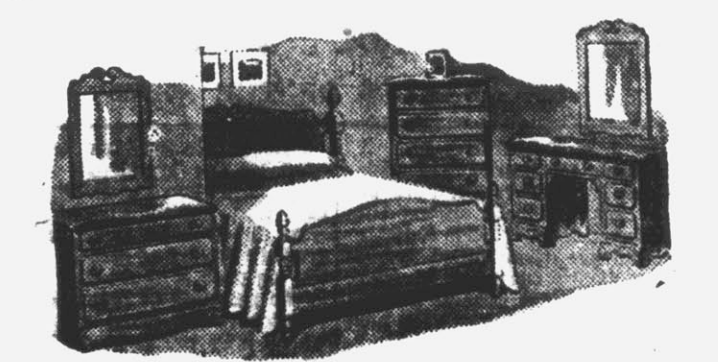
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Hometown Girl

by J. C. FLEMING and LOIS EBY

Chapter 6
Susan stayed at home with Aunt Sarah for two days, then went back to the office. They were two days straight hell. Everyone in Midvale dropped in to sympathize with Aunt Sarah and Susan felt certain that Aunt Sarah's attitude had convinced them her friendship with Erich le Favre had been a flagrant fair.

Each morning at 8:30 she was at her desk, each evening at 5 starting back to fix Aunt Sarah's appetizer, then to her complaints, her barbed criticism of the town's latest fashions on the Scarbroughs. Time stretched ahead of Susan without meaning, the essence of life drained from it.

Like a sleepwalker Susan expertly carried out her duties, smoothing over Thorny's outbursts, re-checking his contracts, even listening to committees with fresh ideas for stopping the factory. Sometimes the townspeople refused to talk before her, but more and more often, because of the very detachment of her attitude, they brought their ideas to her.

Tom Merrill called her up to his office one afternoon and ordered her to step on his scales. She was shocked as he at the weight she had lost.

It was almost noon of a particularly intense and sultry day when Susan turned from the last of her morning dictation to answer the phone. She picked up her notebook and pencil along with the receiver.

His voice came over the wire pleasant, impersonal. "This is Erich le Favre, Susan?"

It was so unexpected. An electric shock quivered through Susan, her head felt like a balloon suddenly shot full of helium. She heard her voice saying, "Yes."

"Will you tell Thorny the machine is crated and will be shipped on the 19th if the building can be ready by then?"

"I'll tell him when he comes in," Susan said. "He'll call you back. Are you in Detroit?"

"No. Just got home. I'll drop in at closing time and we'll go out to the lake for a steak, un?"

"I'm sorry. I'm busy tonight," Susan said as though she were talking from a great distance. Her voice sounded cold and final.

"No. Wait a minute—you're not closing the books before—!"

"Was there anything else you wanted to tell Thorny?"

His voice was nettled. "There is such a thing as being too efficient. But that's how you want it—"

"That's how," Susan heard the click of his receiver before she hung up. It was over. Finished.

Thorny came in and dropped heavily into his creaking swivel chair and ran his hand through his hair. "Ran into some trouble with the contractor this morning."

"You think the town's at the bottom of it?" Susan asked.

Now how in hell am I going to be here and in Detroit too?"

"Can't you go in for interviews tomorrow or the next day?"

"Case comes up in a week. This contractor trouble may take that long." He dug the point of his pen into his blotter. "Don't s'pose you'd feel up to those interviews now?"

"In Detroit?"

"You could do 'em as well as I could. Usually drag more details out than I do. But of course if you don't feel so good—"

"I feel fine!" Susan was surprised at the eagerness in her voice, the sudden feeling of light relief that went through her at the thought of several days away from Midvale on business. Only after she got back to her own desk did the thought come to her that Thorny's relief had been too effusive. She knew suddenly the trip was a deliberate set-up between Thorny and Merrill. Automatically she started into Thorny's office to refuse—then stopped. Maybe Merrill was right. Maybe she did need some days away from Midvale—and Erich le Favre!

To Be Continued

Lions Hear History At Weekly Meeting

The Lions Club returned to the high school cafeteria last night for its weekly meeting and enjoyed an entertaining program and an hour of fellowship. President O. E. Dowd presided. Ashley Leggett, immediate past president of the Washington Lions club was guest speaker. He presented an interesting and informative program on Lion's education. The program was a question and answer affair concerning Lionism. Lionism was founded in 1917 by Melvin Jones, who is now secretary general of Lions International. The Lions Club is the largest civic organization in the world consisting of 4,600 clubs. These clubs completed over 50,000 projects last year. Net increase in membership last year was 55,055, a gain of more than 10,000 over the preceding year. In spite of the fact that there are over 25,000 Lions serving in the armed forces and over 20,000 inactive on account of being in war jobs. Havana, Cuba, has the largest club in International. Columbus, Ohio, ranks first in membership in the United States, with Raleigh leading for the southeastern United States. An outline of the organizational work was given.

Howard Sumrell was formally inducted into the club by immediate past President Godfrey P. Oakley. Visiting Lions were Dan Cratch, president of the Washington club; Lions Langley and Broome, president and secretary, respectively, of the Aurora club. Ed Ricks had as his guest J. B. Joyner of the Army Air Force.

Visiting Lion Langley of Aurora won the attendance prize given by George Brown.

Old Religious Custom Resumed

By ELIZABETH FAJBER NOE
Bath, Sept. 25.—The annual day of prayer has been reestablished at Bath, after a lapse of almost two centuries. September 22, 1711 was the day of the great Indian uprising and massacre of the white settlers at Bath and elsewhere along the coast of North Carolina. By legislative enactment this day was set apart as a day of fasting and prayer by the people of the colony, and was so observed for 40 years thereafter. At that time the date was September 11, but a subsequent change in the calendar, when Great Britain and her colonies adopted the Gregorian system of computing time, the calendar was pushed forward eleven days.

Three or four years ago the custom was renewed by St. Thomas church, the state's oldest religious edifice. Since the first free school in North Carolina was set up at Bath in 1720 and the first public library in the state was opened here about 1700, it was most fitting to have at the first memorial service, members of the school faculty, the librarian and about a hundred students from the history classes of the Bath school. This year the same procedure was followed. The service was conducted by Rev. Alex C. D. Noe, Vicar of the Parish, and members of the school faculty and more than a hundred students took part in the worship.

Restoration work at Bath, which was delayed so as not to interfere with the war effort, has been started again and will go forward as rapidly as possible without using critical material or labor needed elsewhere.

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Featured in Clyde Howey's Circus is "Minnie" a chimpanzee that will be remembered as seen in past Tarzan motion pictures. Minnie acted the part of Cheeta's wife. Cheeta, as the close apian pal of Johnnie Weissmuller.

Minnie's performance that will be seen at the Pitt County Fair consists of riding a bicycle, eating with a knife and fork, roller skating and smoking cigarettes and cigars. In fact Minnie can do almost everything a human being can do except talk.

Thirty various monkeys from different parts of the world are included in the cast of the circus with Mrs. Clyde Howey, day animal trainer directing them in their various acts. Mrs. Howey at every performance offers suggestions to the boys and girls, suggestions on the training and handling of their own domestic pets.

The Monkey Circus is but one of the twenty midway attractions coming with the J. C. Weer Shows with a personnel of more than 450 people to operate the many shows and riding devices.

Gift For Hospital
Winston-Salem, N. C., Sept. 26.—(AP)—A gift of \$100,000 has been received by the North Carolina Baptist Hospital for the construction of an out-patient department. Governor J. M. Broughton announced last night at commencement exercises for the Bowman Gray School of Medicine of Wake Forest College.

The Governor said the anonymous donor was a former resident of Winston-Salem who now lives in New York.

Thomas A. Morgan, president of the Sperry Company of New York, and a native of Vance County, was the principal speaker at the finals.

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REVERTING TO TYPE

I went through an old garden recently, and one who understood flowers better than I do explained that the flowers which were struggling to get above the growth of weeds were so wretched looking because they had reverted to type. And their reversion, I was told, had been due to the fact that they had not been cultivated. Flowers of rare hue, unusual size, and great abundance soon revert to the commonplace if nothing is done to cultivate their distinction.

It can be said with equal certainty that human life, if left to itself, reverts and becomes not only commonplace but also evil and without significance. We cannot let up a single day if we want our moral character to be strong and to have about it any mark of distinction. The mind also quickly reverts, if we give it nothing to do. We quickly lose the power to think deeply if we avoid problems or have no opportunity to come in contact with stimulating people or to read good books. Our personalities become drab and uninteresting if for any reason we cannot avail ourselves of contact with circumstances which make life interesting. And by the same token, the moral character deteriorates and reverts to an inferior type unless we are alert every minute of the day to keep it strong, wholesome, and sensitive to every good impulse.

It takes cultivation to make a good garden, and it takes a similar care to produce an attractive personality and a sound moral character.

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AMERICA IN WARTIME

By JACK STINNETT

Washington — There's one question that's going to get bigger in the months to come. It is, "How are farm prices going to be maintained as supplies are released and demand drops off? It's the same old story that plagued us after World War I and both Capitol Hill and the administrative branch are starting to hammer their heads in an effort to solve the problem.

Office of War Mobilization Director James F. Byrnes first warned the dilemma when he warned Congress that it would probably take two billion dollars to support farm prices in 1945 at present parity levels. Byrnes isn't a pessimist. He has been informed that about six million tons of food (unprocessed wheat excluded) will be released when the war in Europe is over. He estimates that at least two million tons of food will have to be dumped on local markets, which leaves a generous allowance for continued military consumption and disposals through UNRRA to blighted Europe.

There already is talk here that farm incomes are likely to decline four or five billion dollars next year. While that still will be several billions above the 1939 level and more than three times the depression low, it has farm state Congressmen and farm vote-minded government officials worried more than almost any other phase of the postwar program.

According to Department of Agriculture experts the problem is simply this: Congress has told the farmers that it will maintain prices at 90 per cent of parity through 1947 (parity is the selling price that will produce the buying power of the farm dollar in the "normal" years 1910-14).

In order to meet war needs, farm production has been stepped up almost 35 per cent above prewar production levels. Because of food stockpiles, the end of the war in Europe will see the present demand disappear almost overnight. An end of rationing may help on some commodities but this will be more than offset by sale of surpluses in this country.

What will the answer be? Hardly an Agriculture department official or an operator in the farm lobby line doesn't have some pet solution.

Generally, these include dumping farm products abroad at less than production prices, with some re-

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strictions to assure that they won't resold competitively to the United States; another broad program of plowing under all farm products that are overproduced; expansion of the school lunch and charity feeding programs; and concentration on conversion of surplus farm products to industrial uses, such as in the manufacture of plastics.

The non-agricultural members of Congress gripe that almost any solution is going to hit the taxpayer right in his wallet. These and others fear that any effort to solve it by dumping on other nations will endanger foreign relations at a time when they need most to be preserved.

Congress has tossed the whole problem in the lap of Secretary of Agriculture Claude Wickard. They have just extended him an invitation to come in and tell them what can be done about it.

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to the Pacific for the war against Japan.

All of this will involve shifting troops and supplies, reorganization of some units, and a reduction in the total size of the Army. In that process some troops will be considered surplus on the basis of the credit system outlined above.

Those considered surplus will be sent to surplus pools in this country. Into those pools also will go soldiers from other war theaters, such as the Pacific.

Two things should be remembered:

1. A tremendous amount of shipping will be used in transportation troops from the European theater to the Pacific theater. So this will somewhat delay getting troops back from the war in Europe.

2. Troops in the Pacific area will be sent back to the Pacific. They will be rated also according to the credit system, once the German war is over, but with this understanding:

Pacific area troops will not be

sent home, no matter what their discharge credit rating, until replacements have been sent in to take their places. So, their discharge may be delayed.

And this should be remembered: Troops in this country, who have never served abroad at all, will figure in the discharge system.

For instance: Their length of service and the number of children dependent upon them may be a large factor in their discharge.

But from the various pools of surplus men these soldier-about-to-be-discharge men will be sent to what the Army calls "separation centers."

It is from these centers, always closest to their homes, that the men will be sent home.

Dewey ...

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who wants to be President for 16 years is indeed indispensable. He is indispensable to Harry Hopkins, to Madam Perkins, to Harold Ickes, to a host of other political job holders.

"He is indispensable to America's leading enemy of civil liberties—the mayor of Jersey City (Frank Hague). He is indispensable to the infamous machines, in Chicago—in the Bronx—and all others."

"He is indispensable to Sidney Hillman and the political action committee; to Earl Browder, the ex-convict and pardoned Communist leader."

Declaring that it was "the simple truth that Mr. Roosevelt's record is 'desperately bad,'" Dewey said it was no "falsification" that this nation was not prepared for war.

He quoted Gen. George C. Marshall, Army Chief of Staff, as saying in 1940 that the Army was "only 25 per cent ready for war." He also quoted a statement of Gen. H. H. Arnold, Chief of the Army Air Forces, on January 4 that "December 7, 1941 found the Army Air Forces equipped with plans but not with planes."

"Does my opponent still desire to use the words 'falsification' and 'Geebels,'" the Republican nomi-

nee taunted. "Does he still claim we were prepared?"

The New York governor quoted from statements by Senator Truman on the floor of the Senate that the responsibility for the then "shocking state of our defense program" must be placed on the White House. He added that Senator Alben Barkley of Kentucky, the majority leader, had said in his speech nominating Mr. Roosevelt for a fourth term that "When the treachery of Pearl Harbor came we were not ready."

He followed with quotations from statements of the President in 1935 and 1937 to the effect that there was no fear of American involvement in war, adding that when he, Dewey, had suggested in 1940 the creation of a two-ocean navy the President had commented that was "just plain dumb."

Dewey also took up Mr. Roosevelt's description as a "fantastic charge" the GOP nominee's statement the administration plans to keep men in the armed forces after the war to lessen unemployment.

The nominee quoted from a statement attributed by Stars and Stripes, Army publication, to Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, director of Selective Service, that "we can keep people in the army about as cheaply as we could create an agency for them when they are out. The speaker pointed out that Hershey still is in office."

The New York governor contended that in March, 1940, after Mr. Roosevelt had been in office seven years, the American Federation of Labor had reported that there were 10 million unemployed.

"Is that fraud or falsehood?" he demanded. "If so, let Mr. Roosevelt tell it to the American Federation of Labor."

By waging relentless warfare against our job making machinery," he continued, "my opponent succeeded in leading a depression going 11 long years, twice as long as any depression in a century."

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army advance, was hampered by rain and muddy roads.

"Although the vaunted Gothic line defense zone was smashed on a wide front by Fifth Army troops," it said, "the enemy is attempting to make up for this loss of prepared positions by reinforcing the critical central sector with seasoned troops."

"Desperate enemy efforts are being made to set up a new holding line along the forward slopes of high ground north of the Gothic defenses."

Civil Term Court Adjourned Noon

By CHESTER WALSH

In Superior Court yesterday Judge R. Hunt Parker of Roanoke Rapids ordered reinstated on the civil docket the suit of D. Woodrow Worthington against Clifton Phillips, Joe and John Sutton and others. The case involved rents for certain farm land. An order of court signed by Judge J. Paul Frizzelle of Snow Hill some months ago intended to eliminate one phase of the suit. Later it was discovered that the order non-suited the case.

At this term of court there was a hearing on the matter and Judge Frizzelle and some of the attorneys appeared as witnesses. Judge Parker yesterday ruled that there had been a misunderstanding among the attorneys and the court ordered the case restored to the civil docket as it was originally.

Late yesterday afternoon a compromise was reached in padlock proceedings against the Blue Moon Inn, five miles from New Bern. The court ordered Eddie McLeary, manager of the inn, to dispose of his stock of merchandise and close the place. The license to operate the place was in the name of Zylphia Wooten of Craven county.

The padlock proceedings were instituted by Acting Sheriff Frank Holton of Craven County and state highway patrolmen in New Bern some weeks ago. The officers testified that the place was disorderly and a meeting place for male and female characters of bad repute.

One divorce decree was granted to Dorothy Nisita from John Nisita, Jr., on the grounds of two years' separation.

A number of minor court orders and judgments were signed this morning and Judge Parker adjourned court for the term.

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Superfortresses ...

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The raiding planes were shot down and four were damaged. A short time afterward a Japanese English-language propaganda broadcast, heard by U. S. government monitors, said 13 planes were destroyed.

The Penhsu area of Manchuria also was identified as a target, but Tokyo said the main force of the attack was against Aachen.

Manchuria was last bombed by American planes on September 8, when a formation of superfortresses blasted important industrial targets identified by the Japanese as Anshan, Penhsu and Antung, whence comes much of Japan's steel, coal and aluminum. Tokyo said more than 100 planes participated in that foray.

Previously superfortresses (B-29's) had struck a heavy blow at Anshan's steel works on July 20.

To Insist On ...

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cated to the other governments of the United Nations concerned as a basis for discussion at a joint conference of all United Nations."

Churchill likewise took opportunity to praise "the heroism of the Polish home army and the population of Warsaw who, after five years of oppression, had yet fought for nearly two months to contribute all in their power to the expulsion of the Germans from the capital of Poland."

Richard Rapier Stokes, labor, cross questioned Hugh Dalton, president of the Board of Trade, on whether he had done anything to match the American decision "to switch over 40 per cent of total production to peace purposes" after Germany collapsed and whether his department would follow "the great enterprise being shown by Americans in sending travelers overseas now."

Dalton replied that he was seeking every opportunity to increase the production of civilian goods both for home and for export as the claims of war production allowed. Then he snapped back at Stokes' second question: "You have personally applied for facilities to travel abroad and they have been granted by my department."

News Blackout ...

(Continued From Page One)
and said that "this morning the last 600 British paratroopers west of Arnhem put down their arms."

Other German broadcasts declared the band of sky troops still was grimly holding out in a nine-day struggle at that gateway to the German Ruhrland.

Ten miles to the southeast, British and American forces fought through the forest approaches to

Kleve, northern bastion of the Siegfried line, in a double-headed invasion of the Reich from Holland.

(A wholly unconfirmed French broadcast said Kleve, eight miles inside Germany, had fallen.)

The Berlin radio also asserted that U. S. troops far to the south had launched a big push in the Elpinal-Remfont sector of France apparently in prelude to an offensive against Belfort, 30 miles to the southeast. Belfort's fortresses guard the mountain gap into southwestern Germany.

As for Holland, the enemy asserted the fierce German blows were intended to win time and delay the "final Allied assault on Germany" until winter, when defense conditions would be most favorable.

At just reports of three or four Nazi divisions were hammering at the pocketed "Red Devil" airborne soldiers fighting west of Arnhem—holding an Allied foot in the door to the German Ruhr, rich in war factories.

Amphibious trucks and assault boats of the British Second Army were ferrying a thin trickle of reinforcements and supplies across the upper Rhine to the airborne men, said the last announcements before Gen. Dwight Eisenhower imposed the news dimout.

This security step was designed to keep the Germans from obtaining useful information from Allied sources in the touch-and-go battle described officially as fluid. The Nazis pressed it as a crisis.

Accounts of troop dispositions were restricted and speculation on future developments were banned as the British restored their thin, thrice-cut lifeline to the Neder Rhine west of Arnhem from Eindhoven and stabbed ahead seven miles through Durne and Helmond in a supporting thrust to the northeast.

It was the first time since the invasion that a lid of security silence

had been applied in such a situation.

The whole German defense stiffened along the rest of the front from north of Aachen to the fort gap.

Above Aachen, German lines suddenly opened and the Nazis herded several thousand refugees out in no man's land and toward the American lines. These persons were described only as non-Germans. It was not clear why the enemy did this, unless it was to be rid of the burden of feeding them.

East of Aachen, U. S. First Army men met strong reaction to a push toward Duren on the road to Cologne. Extremely heavy rifle fire rained on this sector.

The sea-way tank fight for the Lorraine plane east of Nancy ended to the south. It was heavy, but American and French troops the Third and Seventh armies captured gains up to several miles. No Dieuze, six German tanks and infantry attacks were stopped yesterday.

Despite rain, the Third Army gained some ground northeast of southeast of Nancy.

Seventh army men took four miles northeast of Belfort, hurled the Germans from St. Ar four miles east of Remfont, and by passed Nazi strongpoints east of Lure in a drive carrying within 12 miles of Belfort from the west. This was the sector where the Nazis told of large-scale actions.

Canadian troops continued to knock out attack began yesterday against the 7,000 Germans held in Calais. They broke through defenses southwest of the town as pushed in deeper against bitter resistance.

A front dispatch said the Germans had won control of the northern end of the highway bridge Arnhem in Holland by power blows against the pocket of British soldiers.

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Baby Strollers with rubber tires. Home Furniture Store. 25-34

WANTED - INSIDE WORK
By middle-aged man. Would prefer clerking in grocery store. P. H. Spivey, 14 Jarvis St. 25-37

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27 Wed. 9:00 to 11:23
28 Thur. 1:30 to 3:53
29 Fri. 10:45 to 2:08

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WE CAN NOW FURNISH YOU
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WANTED, IMMEDIATELY - SET-
tled lady, preferably between the ages of 40 to 55, for hostess work in girls' dormitory at Jacksonville, N. C. Salary \$32.50 weekly, plus room and board. Must be familiar with planning meals, buying and supervision of maids. Job to last for indefinite period after end of war. If presently employed in essential work do not apply. If you can qualify, contact your local Telephone Office or call Tarboro, No. 9052, collect.

FOR SALE - 55-GALLON SYRUP
barrels. Carolina Dairy, Inc. 26-3t

FOR SALE - A DINING ROOM
suite and a Heatrola. Call 3569. 26-3t

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Hog Market
Raleigh, Sept. 26—(AP)—(NCDA)—Hog markets steady with tops of 14.65 at Richmond, 14.55 at Rocky Mount and 14.40 at Clinton.

Poultry and Eggs
Raleigh, Sept. 26—(AP)—(NCDA)—Egg and poultry markets steady to firm.
Raleigh—U. S. grade A large (clean white) 54; hens, all weights, 25.
Washington—U. S. grade A large (clean white) 50½; broilers and fryers, 29 to 30.

Grain Market
Chicago, Sept. 26—(AP)—A flurry of profit-taking swept grain futures pits on the Chicago Board of Trade today, depressing prices which yesterday had soared upward under the influence of a government announcement that the Commodity Credit Corporation would take over unredeemed loan wheat on May 1 at parity levels.
At the close wheat was 2½ to 2¾ lower, December \$1.59 to \$1.60½; corn was 2½ to 3½ lower, December \$1.12½; oats were 2½ to 3½ lower, December 61½ to 61¾; rye was 1½ to 2¼ lower, December \$1.03 to \$1.03½; barley was 2½ to 2¾ lower, December 92½.

New York Cotton
New York, Sept. 26—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 40 cents a bale lower to 15 cents higher.
Noon prices were 40 to 75 cents a bale lower. Oct. 21.93, Dec. 21.95, March 21.99.
Futures closed 75 to 85 cents a bale lower.
Open Last
Oct. 22.02 21.98
Nov. 21.99 21.86
Dec. 21.90 21.81
Jan. 21.91 21.79
Feb. 21.81 21.63
March 21.81 21.50
Middling spot 22.35, off 21

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, Sept. 26—(AP)—Monday's searing commodities backed down today and stock market leaders, which had followed the farm staple rise on a more conservative basis, generally lost forward steam although assorted favorites managed to contest the current with some success.
Near the close, declines of fractions to around a point were widely distributed. Transfers were in the vicinity of 600,000 shares.

FINAL STOCKS

Allegany	24
Al Chem and Dye	151
Allegheny Mfg	36½
Am Can	69
Am Car Fdy	39½
Am Well Mill	14½
Am Smelt and Ref	38½
A T and T	102½
Am Tob B	72½
Anaconda	27½
A J L	37½
Atl Ref	26½
Aviat Corp	4½
Baldwin	23½
B and O	8½
Barnsdall	15½
Bendix Aviat	44
Beth Stl	61½
Boeing Airpl	14½
Borden	32½
Budd Mfg	31
Burl Mill	14½
Bur Add Mach	48½
Cannon Mills	36½
Case J I	49½
Caterpil Trac	45½
Ches and O	32
Chrysler	136½
Coca Cola	41½
Coml Credit	15½
Coml Solv	24½
Consolid Edis	40½
Corn Can	58½
Corn Prod	5½
Curtiss Wright	64½
Dow Chem	123
Dupont	152
Eastman Kod	167½
Firestone	49½
Gen Elec	37½
Gen Foods	42½
Gen Mot	62½
Goodrich	50½
Goodyear	47½
Int Harvst	80
Int Tel and Tel	17½
Kennecott	33½
Lag Myers B	80
Lucas	64½
Lorillard	31
Mart Ward	19½
North East	16½
Nat Discnt	22½
Nat Cash Reg	22½
Nat Dist	35½
N Y Cent	18½
No Am Aviat	9½
Packard	5½
Parson Pic	26½
Penn F R	196½
Penn P R	29
Pepsi Cola	42½
Phillips Pet	43½
Pullman	48
Pure Oil	15½
Radio	10½
Rem Rand	20½
Repub Stl	16½
Reynolds B	32½
Sou Ry	98
Std Brnds	25
Std Oil N J	29½

Postwar Plan . . .
(Continued from Page One)
Nelson, whose future role in the government is still to be specified, has not yet visited his office at WPB, now occupied by Acting Chairman J. A. King.
Little difficulty was predicted by WPB officials in getting approval for Krug's reconversion blueprint from the army, navy, manpower and other agencies concerned, for they said it conforms to the sweeping pattern of relaxation endorsed unanimously by WPB members a few weeks ago.
As now scheduled, the V-E Day program will be made public by Krug as soon as the other agencies give final clearance and will go into effect automatically upon the cessation of fighting in Europe.
The biggest problem encountered in the matter of paperwork required by the V-E preparations is said to be the liquidation of the Controlled Materials Plan. This is the machinery by which WPB parcels out of the various military and civilian claimants the country's supply of steel, copper, and aluminum.
CMP will be liquidated at the end of the quarter in which V-E Day occurs, but some method is sought for replacing the CMP allotments with priority certificates for those manufacturers who remain in war work after Germany's collapse.

Increased Revenues
Washington, Sept. 26—(AP)—Internal revenue receipts for August were \$1,077,639,926 above receipts for the same month last year. Last month's receipts, which nearly doubled those in August, 1943, totaled \$2,750,375,420.
Principal increased items were withholding taxes which rose \$819,383,492 and what the internal revenue bureau terms "unjust enrichment"—including excess profits—which showed an increase of \$898,924,552.
Missing Plane Located
Mexico City, Sept. 26—(AP)—Pan American Airways' Havana Clipper, missing with 23 passengers since it was caught in a storm Saturday, has been found in a mountainous region midway between Vera Cruz and Mexico City.
The inaccessibility of the area prevented an immediate definite report on casualties. The latest word last night said two were killed and ten injured.

BASEBALL

STANDINGS			
National League			
	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	102	46	.688
Pittsburgh	88	60	.595
Cincinnati	84	63	.571
Chicago	71	75	.486
New York	65	82	.442
Boston	61	87	.412
Brooklyn	60	88	.405
Philadelphia	58	90	.397
American League			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	84	64	.568
St. Louis	83	64	.565
New York	81	67	.547
Boston	74	73	.503
Cleveland	70	77	.478
Chicago	69	79	.466
Philadelphia	68	80	.459
Washington	61	96	.386

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

National League
St. Louis 3, Brooklyn 1.
New York 3, Cincinnati 2.
Pittsburgh 13-4, Boston 8-5.
Chicago 7, Philadelphia 6.

American League
St. Louis 3, Boston 0.
New York 2-5, Chicago 1-4.
Philadelphia 2, Detroit 1.
Others, night.

Would Curb Spending
Washington, Sept. 26—(AP)—Constitutional prohibitions against the government living beyond its income in peacetime were advocated today by Senator Johnson (D-Col) to "put an end to fears of catastrophic inflation."
Johnson also proposed adoption of a constitutional amendment giving the President power to veto individual items in annual appropriation bills.

Colored News
In finishing up the work for September let us not forget to spread lime on our land, ditch wet land, pick all the cotton you can, clean and oil machinery before storing, move pullets into a clean laying house, grow cotton stalks up, remove fire hazards, prepare for seedling small grain, and make rat proof the barn. We realize that some grains, grasses and vegetables must be started in the fall if best returns are to be expected in the future, we also know that fall is a splendid time to plant flowers of many kinds. The month of September is a good month to plant in a seed bed, clove pink pansy, sweet williams, and verbenas.
Back to school days are here again. It is hoped that parents will do all they can to cooperate with the teachers to get the children in school.
Dennis Dupree,
Negro County Agent.

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Earmark REA Funds
Denver, Sept. 26—(AP)—President Roosevelt and the Budget Bureau have recommended the earmarking of \$585,000,000 for loan purposes to rural electrification associations over a three-year postwar period, William J. Neal of St. Louis, deputy administrator for the REA administration, told a conference of REA officials yesterday.

More Polio Reported
Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 26—(AP)—Bringing the year's total of infantile paralysis cases to 742, three additional cases of the disease were reported to the State Board of Health Monday.
Over the week-end period Guilford, Harnett and Montgomery counties reported one case each. The epidemic now is past its peak, the State Board said.

take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, for the purpose of securing an absolute divorce; and the defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County in his office in Greenville, North Carolina, within 30 days from the 26th day of Sept., 1944, or within 20 days thereafter, and answer or demur to the complaint filed in this action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.
This the 26th day of Sept., 1944.
J. F. HARRINGTON, Clerk
Superior Court of Pitt County.
J. B. James, Atty.
Sept. 26-1tw-4wk.

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Judge Parker Discusses Change Wrought By War

Says Issues Must Be Met Through Mutual Understanding.

By CHESTER WALSH

During a lull in Superior Court this morning Judge R. Hunt Parker passed along some interesting reminiscences in connection with the changes the war is effecting on people. He said hundreds of civil cases are accumulating on court dockets over the State because so many witnesses are in the armed forces.

"There is very little doing in civil matters while the war goes on

Looking over the situation, I believe the lawyers have been hit harder by lack of business than any other profession. This is all the more striking when contrasted with the overburdened medical profession," he said.

"We will see a difference when the war is over and the men come back. In contrast to the present lack of activity in civil cases in courts there will be an avalanche of civil business and whatever time we are losing now must be picked up then. We will see a difference in the boys who return from war. They will have changed and matured and their outlook on life will be different—better, we hope. The

youngsters have seen life in all of its phases from a worldwide standpoint, and we must be prepared to meet them on new and higher ground. Two, three or four years of war make a big difference in the life of young men from 18 to 25. It will be futile for us to plan to restore things as they were. Everything will be different. For one thing, I believe the men will come back with a deeper religious inclination. If they feel that they even the best of life and is willing and ready to be regimented into a blind group to be supported, cared for and herded under a system which destroys the last vestige of manly aspiration and noble ambition. The countries of Europe will be born again under new forms of government.

Commenting on Fascism, Nazism, Communism and Socialism, the Halifax jurist said they all mean the same thing and he analyzed it thusly: "When a man leans toward either of these 'isms' he admits that he has lost confidence in himself to make the best of life and is willing and ready to be regimented into a blind group to be supported, cared for and herded under a system which destroys the last vestige of manly aspiration and noble ambition. The countries of Europe will be born again under new forms of government. I have been deeply impressed by the splendid attitude of the American Legion concerning the welfare of the men in the armed forces. The Legion's gesture of welcome into its membership will prove to be an influential factor in the lives of the men who come back from war. The American Legion's record of outstanding personal service in this Nation ranks with the patriotic services of the founders of this country," Judge Parker said.

Soviets Squeeze . . .

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ported heavy gunfire from the Finnish Gulf and belief was expressed in that capital that the Red fleet had moved in strength into the Baltic Sea.

The Russian communiqué announced the fall of 80 communities in the area east of Riga, carrying Russian forces to within 40 miles of the Latvian capital from that direction. Other Red army columns were within 65 miles of Riga on the north, 56 miles on the northeast, and last were reported only six miles on the south. The German hold open a narrow coastal escape and supply corridor.

The battle of Warsaw, now in its 56th day, brought no fresh news from Russian official sources, but Polish sources just back from the Vistula front line declared the Germans were being shoved back steadily.

German-Hungarian reinforcements appeared to have parried temporarily the Red Army's invasion thrust to southeastern Hungary. No Russian advance has been mentioned there in the past 48 hours.

The Moscow communiqué announced advances in southern Poland, including capture of Bereh Gorne, three miles from the Czechoslovakian frontier.

The Russian fleet, which was bottled up during the siege of Leningrad and the Finnish war at Neva, was reported ready to fight for supremacy of the Baltic Sea, long dominated by Germany.

Well aware that the capture of Riga would give the Red fleet its best base for operations into the Baltic, the Germans clung tenaciously to every yard of territory in the great city of 393,000. There was no indication of evacuation. Rather there was indication that a battle such as Sevastopol in the Crimea might be duplicated.

With Estonia virtually captured, Russian land forces exerted strong pressure on Riga from the north-east with fresh artillery, troops and tanks.

Officers of the naval section of the United States military mission to Moscow, who recently visited the Baltic fleet, said they were impressed with its power and that the fleet was fit, ready and eager for open battle. Considerable numbers of American-made small craft and equipment are used by the Baltic fleet. The Americans were impressed also by the naval air arm operating in the north against the Germans, their warships, merchantmen and transports.

Red Star said the Germans had shifted three divisions west of Ruvie and Valmiera, which lie northeast of Riga, hoping to "gain time for concentration of their troops at Riga."

Meeting Cancelled

Durham, N. C., Sept. 26—(AP)—Cancellation of a meeting in eastern North Carolina for volunteers of the 40 & 8, honorary American Legion Society, scheduled for Thursday, was announced last night by Durham volunteer 1167.

Marine Killed

Kinston N. C., Sept. 26—(AP)—2nd Lt. Leroy L. Wilderman, 24, was killed last Friday when his training plane crashed north of LaGrange, the Marine Air Facility here announced today.

He was the son of Mrs. I. T. Wilderman of St. Louis, Mo.

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Nazi Casualties

Supreme Headquarters Allied Expeditionary Force, Sept. 26—(AP)—German casualties on the western front — in killed, wounded and captured, or troops hopelessly cut off were estimated tonight at close to 1,000,000 since D-day.

The estimate included at least 100,000 killed, well over 200,000 badly wounded, more than 500,000 captured and the rest sealed off in the channel islands, the last holdout ports of France and in various pockets along the coast and the Bay of Biscay.

The million casualties were well over twice the German force now believed to be lined up along the West Wall for the homeland stand.

Marines Outflank . . .

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lippines, and one of them contributed one of their air's most unusual feats. A lone Catalina flying boat destroyed a seaplane tender and two destroyer escorts in Davao Gulf with four bombs in a single bombing run. The vessels exploded so violently that the attacking plane was tossed 300 feet.

Other southwest planes sank a 10,000-ton Japanese tanker and damaged a 3,000-ton freighter in Dutch Celebes, while airdromes on that island and Ceram were hit with 12 tons of bombs.

Adm. Nimitz announced a total of 7,313 Japanese were killed on Peleliu through Sunday and an estimated 975 on Angaur, six miles southward, where the 81st army division continued mopping up operations.

Elements of the 81st have reinforced the Peleliu marines, but apparently they have not yet seen action in the main battle zone.

The new Japanese death toll showed that only 293 dead had been counted on Peleliu during the last three days. That figure illustrated the stalemate induced by stubborn enemy defense from the Umorbrogl's concrete-lined caves.

London, Sept. 26—(AP)—The Tokyo radio said today Japanese reinforcements were landed on the island of Peleliu in the Palau group on the night of September 23 and succeeded in joining the garrison without meeting any strong resistance.

The broadcast was heard by the Associated Press. There was no confirmation of the claim.

The Japanese also asserted that American losses in the Peleliu attack had reached 12,400 men by September 23 and as a result the strength of the assault had declined. This claim likewise was unsupported by any American figures on losses.

ERWIN SPEAKS AT COLLEGE

Addressed General Faculty Meeting Here Yesterday.

The total program on a college campus must be carefully balanced, declared Dr. Clyde A. Erwin, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, in a speech yesterday before the first general faculty meeting of East Carolina Teachers College.

The great need today, Dr. Erwin explained, is for balanced teachers. While students have always been unpredictable, present-day students deserve more sympathy because they are victims of very difficult conditions. These students have been less well prepared because of the acute teacher shortage. Many come from homes emotionally upset because of the war. The duties and responsibilities of students must be emphasized, he declared, in order to strengthen our democracy. The faculty of a college determines the kind and quality of teacher which the state will receive. The administration and the faculty share this solemn responsibility.

Acting President Howard J. McGinnis opened the meeting with an appeal for greater consideration of the function of the college as a whole. "The work of each department and of each teacher is important of itself, but its importance is accentuated by its relationship to the work of other departments, the other instructors and the college as a whole."

"There is always a scarcity of well trained, superior teachers. At this moment the scarcity is appalling and there is no relief in sight. A superintendent of schools recently told me he still needed eleven teachers to make up his normal staff of twenty-four. If this college grad-

uated four hundred teachers each year, even with those supplied by other colleges of the state, that number would still fall far short of the demand."

Dr. Erwin also emphasized the great need for teachers in North Carolina. One reason for this is the comparatively low salaries of teachers. Dr. Erwin stated that he was presenting to the state legislature at the next session a plan for a higher teachers' salary scale as one means of attracting more young people into the teaching profession.

Dr. McGinnis explained that the Faculty Advisory Council, the Budget Committee of the Board of Trustees, members of the Alumni Association, and Mr. Deyton, the assistant director of the budget, have studied together the future needs of the college. As a result, it has been decided to request at the next session of the legislature a Student Union Building, a Health and Physical Education Building, and two new dormitories.

Following the two opening talks, the heads of each department presented their objectives and plans for the next three years.

Cracks Down . . .

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No south bound calls of American flagships have been made at Argentine ports for more than two years. The new order forbids calls on northbound voyages of ships returning home from other Latin countries.

It is not understood to forbid however, the calling at Argentine ports of any Argentine-owned ships which may be under American charter at this time.

Despite the fact that for nine months the United States government has refused to recognize the present regime in Argentina and Secretary of State Hull has assailed the country as headquarters for fascist operations in this hemisphere, a considerable commerce has existed between Argentina and the United States and an even greater flow of trade has occurred between Argentina and Great Britain. Bri-

tain is the main Allied purchaser of Argentine meat, one of the country's chief export products.

United States exports to Argentina have been carried in Argentine or other foreign ships, while exports from that country to the United States have moved largely in United States vessels.

Apparently today's move fell short of a real embargo on exports from Argentina since there appeared to be no provision in the order that non-American ships could not carry Argentine products to this country.

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Having this day qualified as Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Ivey Smith, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against his estate to present them to me or my attorney on or

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before the 23rd day of September 1945, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate settlement.

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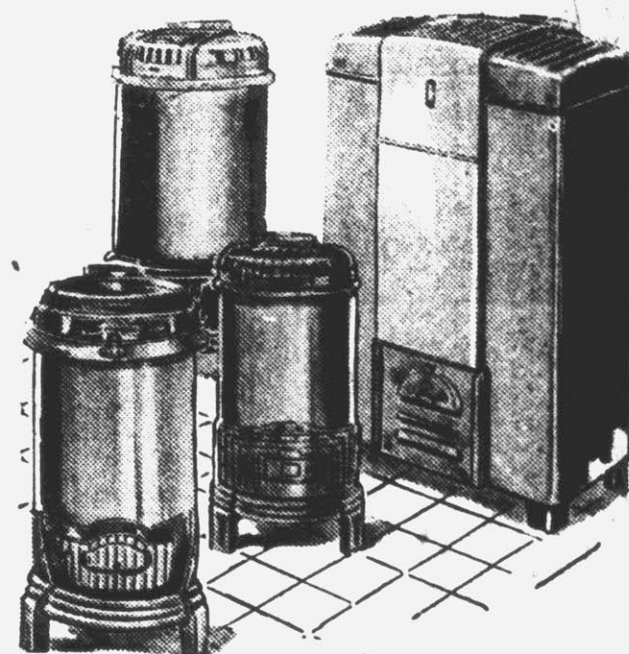
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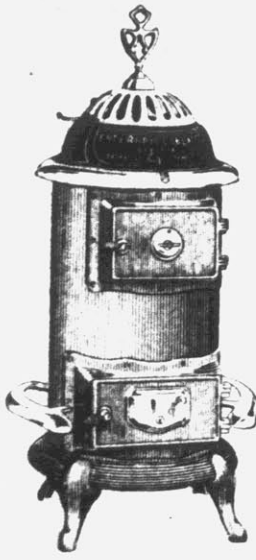
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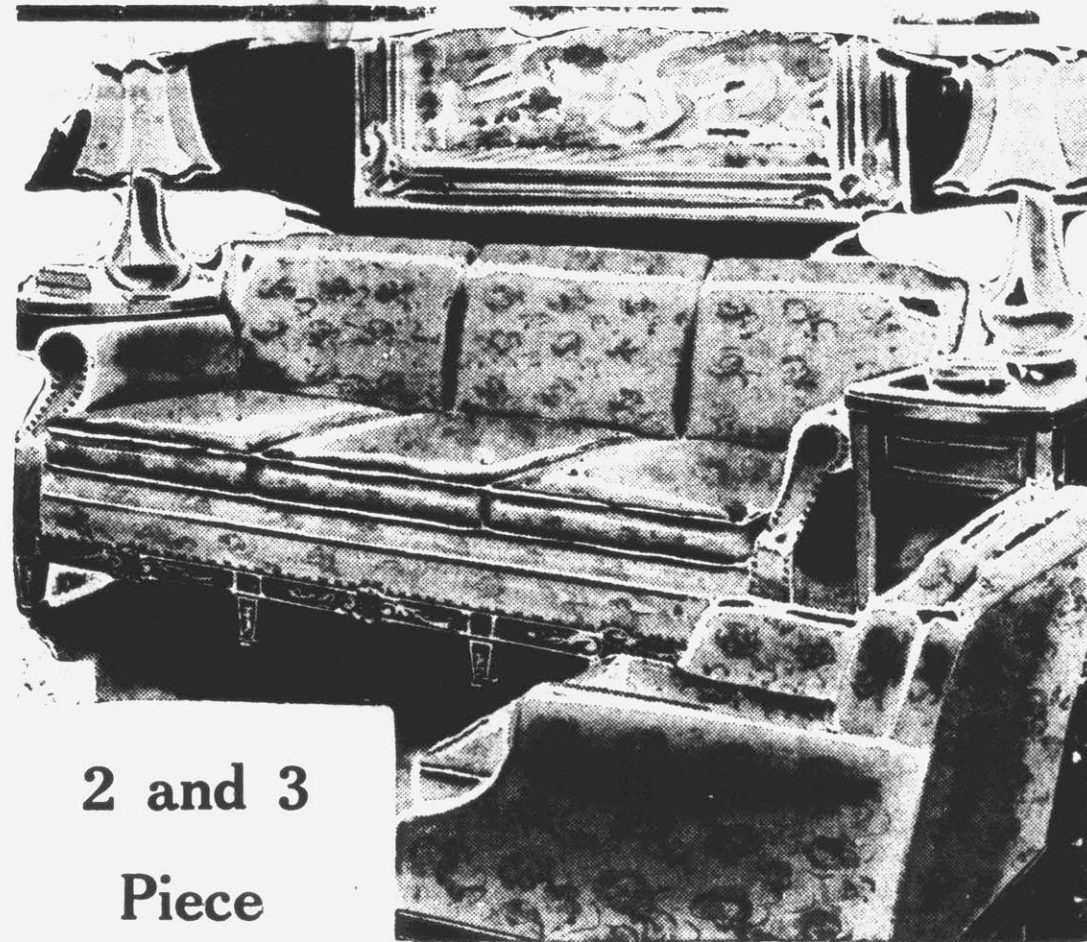
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