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First Army Clamps Death Grip Around Aachen Today

Twin Drives Cut German Escape Corridor To Mile And A Half Width; Third Army Forges Ahead In Metz Area; Seventh Drives To Within Eight Miles Of Belfort.

By JAMES M. LONG
London, Oct. 9—(AP)—The U. S. First Army clamped a death grip on Aachen today in a twin drive which left an escape corridor only a mile and a half wide north of that ancient coronation place of Teutonic kings.

Despite desperate German counterattacks, three of them up Cruden Hill overlooking the city from the northeast, Lt. Gen. Courtney H. Hodges' men cut the last major road out of Aachen, the Adolph Hitler highway running to Julich and Cologne, and severed most of the secondary roads.

Driving south from the Ubach breakthrough zone in the Siegfried Line, Hodges' fighting Americans overran Bardenburg and reached the edge of Wurselen, through which runs the only secondary road remaining for an estimated Aachen garrison of 1,500 SS Guards.

Already American cleanup squads were moving through the outskirts of the ancient cross road city, cleaning out Germans who clung to their positions house by house in obedience to orders to stand and die.

On the southern fronts, the Seventh Army had moved up to within eight miles of Belfort in the mountain gap fringing Switzerland and were shelling Belfort's outskirts. Lt. Gen. George S. Patton's shock troops across the Third Army cut their way through 300 yards of underground tunnel in Fort Driant at Metz, burning down five steel bulkheads in the advance.

Tied to the north, the Canadian Army cut an amphibious spearhead two miles across the fog-wreathed waters of a Scheide River inlet and landed at the rear of a die-hard garrison of 5,000 men holding a pocket south of the Estuary.

The landing, just east of the village of Hoofdplaat, 33 miles west of Antwerp, was described at supreme headquarters as in "some strength" and was declared to have been carried out successfully.

It was hoped the operation would be of aid to Canadians holding a bridgehead across the Leopold Canal, 10 to 15 miles to the south-east. This bridgehead had been subject to heavy pressure for three (Continued on page two)

USO Group Will Meet In Tarboro

The Eastern North Carolina USO area council will meet in Tarboro Thursday, October 12, to discuss USO operating problems and report on latest developments in local recreation facilities, Chester D. Snell, USO Regional director, said today.

USO Council chairman and five representatives from each of the following towns will attend: Kinston, Goldsboro, Smithfield, Wilson, Rocky Mount, Greenville, New Bern, Williamston, Washington, Farmville, Tarboro and Plymouth.

The WAR TODAY

AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEWS

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press War Analyst

We can't complain about this being a blue Monday, what with the continued success of the American First Army in the Aachen battle and the great Russian advance in Lithuania.

Taking it on the whole (and knocking wood discreetly, just in case) things look very good for the Allies. We really are getting ahead with the job.

The most important news from the western front is that fair fighting weather, upon which may depend whether the Allies are able to force Hitler's surrender this year, smiled on the invading forces for a change at the week-end. As a result British and Yankee warplanes swarmed over the Reich in one of the heaviest aerial assaults of the war. For the first time, too, we find the Germans labeling the Aachen show as a major assault.

Indications are that this Nazi estimate is correct. If it is, it means that things are going well enough in the Aachen sector to warrant General Eisenhower in regarding it as offering chances for a clean breakthrough of the Siegfried and Rhenish defenses. Certainly he is putting a lot of power into his punch at this strategic gateway which, though tough, will pay big dividends if it can be cracked without undue delay.

The question of weather can't be overemphasized at this critical juncture when speed is essential. It overshadows all our operations. For instance, we are utterly dependent on good visibility for efficient bombing.

Soviet Forces Drive Closer To Budapest

Cardinals Win

Sportsman's Park, St. Louis, Oct. 9.—The St. Louis Cardinals won their fourth game and the 1944 World Series from the St. Louis Browns here today by a score of three to one.

The Browns led off with today's scoring with one run in the second inning, but the Cardinals came back in the fourth to score three runs and maintained that lead throughout the contest.

BLAST REICH AGAIN TODAY

Air Armada Smashes At Nazi War Industries.

By HENRY B. JAMESON
London, Oct. 9—(AP)—Another great Armada of 2,000 American planes, resuming the battering of Germany after the hardest blows to the war over the week-end, soared deep into the Reich today and attacked military objectives in the Schweinfurt, Coblenz and Mainz areas.

The three-sided raid was carried out by approximately 1,100 Fortresses and Liberators, escorted by 900 fighters of both the Eighth and Ninth airforces.

The bombers encountered very bad weather over the targets and bombing was done through heavy clouds.

Schweinfurt is the home of several vital Nazi war industries, including a large aircraft assembly plant, and it was in this vicinity that many of the greatest air battles of the war were fought. Coblenz and Mainz are key communications centers on the Rhine.

Bad weather curtailed other air activities today, but RAF Mosquitos and Beaufighters that attacked a German convoy off the Norwegian coast reported the sinking of (Continued on page six)

Several Robberies Reported To Police

A number of robberies have been reported to authorities here during the past several days. Robbers broke through a window at Mrs. Williams' store, Fleming Street and Pamlico Avenue, last night and carried away a quantity of fruit. The Eureka Laundry, on Clark Street, reported that several 220-volt electric irons and a quantity of clothing had been stolen from the place.

Roy Lofton of Ayden reported the theft of his black 1939 Chevrolet coach in Ayden last Friday. A shotgun and some shells were in the car, authorities said.

Robbers failed in their efforts to break in to the Community Rest Room, 111 West Fourth Street, during the week-end.

employment of our all-important air power, not only for fighting and bombing but as the eyes of the armies.

Then too, autumn rains and the awful mud which bedevils that part of western Europe are a great impediment to the transport of supplies and to the mobility of tanks and heavy guns. The same thing is true of course, on the Russian front. I've waded through the mud of western Europe, Poland and the Balkans and can label it as one of the worst enemies of attacking armies.

If Jupiter Pluvius is good to us for say the rest of October and early November, the Allies may be able to break through the Hitlerian frontier defenses into the heart of Germany, where fighting could be continued during the winter with far less difficulty. Should there be an early fall deluge in this year of weird climatic conditions, it might hold the Allies up until spring. In any event it would cause delay.

The ancient and famous city of Aachen for Aix-la-Chapelle, as the French have it, is reported to be all but surrounded by First Army forces, and it's unofficially said that fighting is raging through the streets. The closing of the gap on the eastern side of Aachen will put the Yanks astride the Nazi rail communications with the great Rhenish city of Cologne.

The plight of the fine old town of Aachen, which came through the last war without even hearing a gun fired in anger, well illustrates the point that the Germans, who (Continued on Page Four)

Berlin Says Reds Within 5 Miles Of Hungarian Capital; New Successes On Baltic Front.

London, Oct. 9—(AP)—Russian troops in Hungary were fighting within 56 miles of Budapest, the capital, Col. Ernst Von Hammer, German news agency military commentator, said today in a broadcast heard in London.

He reported the Red army had crossed the Tisza river and made one attempt to take the city of Szolnok, southeast of Budapest on the famous Orient Express route.

The German communique, broadcast earlier, also reported the Russians had forced a crossing of the Tisza.

The Russians were "being held in bridgehead positions," the communique said.

In northern Hungary, where the Russians had crossed the Koros river, another obstacle to the advance on the Hungarian capital, the Russians were said to have reached "the area of Debrecen," 135 miles east of Budapest.

The Russians, according to Moscow communique, were within 72 miles of Budapest farther south.

(Another version of the communique, as recorded in New York said German and Hungarian troops were defending their bridgehead positions on the Tisza, apparently meaning that the Russians had not yet crossed the river but had driven the Germans back to narrow positions east of it.)

(The Nazi Transocean agency, in a broadcast to the European press reported by the PCC, said Russian army formations had crossed the Tisza in southern Hungary at two points "on a stretch between Szeged and Sentes," 100 to 110 miles southeast of Budapest.

To the north of the Tisza bridgehead, the broadcast said, Russian troops cut two roads to Budapest from the Debrecen area.)

Moscow, Oct. 9—(AP)—A power (Continued on Page Four)

Delay Decision On Leaf Holiday

Raleigh, Oct. 9—(AP)—The question of a tobacco sales holiday on the Eastern, Old and Middle Belt markets in North Carolina will depend upon the congestion of the markets this week.

Governor Broughton has agreed to postpone a decision on declaring a holiday until it is known whether a four day per week schedule will relieve the situation.

Commencing this week, markets will be closed Monday, Saturday and Sunday. If congestion is reported on the markets by the middle of this week, Governor Broughton will talk with Governor Colgate Darden or Virginia in connection with the holiday proposal.

Representatives from the three belts in the state were in Raleigh Saturday and discussed the problems confronting the tobacco warehousemen and farmers. The Governor suggested that tobacco farmers curtail their grading operations substantially during this week's "trial period" which is an attempt to relieve congestion in the redrying plants and on the markets to ease the labor shortage.

Meadows Case Set For November 13

Governor Broughton has officially notified Clerk J. Frank Harrington that he has ordered a special two-week term of criminal court to be held in Greenville, beginning on Monday, November 13, to hear the cases against Dr. Leon R. Meadows, former president of East Carolina Teachers' College.

Judge Albion Dunn, chief of counsel for Meadows, had sought to have the cases continued until after Christmas to permit a special audit of the college books by an auditor employed by the former college president. Fifth Judicial District Solicitor Dave M. Clark, who had agreed to one postponement, declined to agree to postponement after November 13. At a conference of counsel for both sides in the governor's office last Thursday Clark stated that the State had made a complete audit of the college books and the availability of this record made postponement unnecessary.

John G. Dawson of Kinston and Clay Carter of Washington will be associated with Judge Dunn as defense counsel. J. Henry Harrell was appointed by Governor Broughton to assist Solicitor Clark in the prosecution. It is understood that defense counsel will appear before resident Judge J. Paul Frizzelle of Snow Hill shortly and ask for further postponement of the case.

FDR Assails 'Reckless Words'



President Roosevelt sits at the microphones in the White House just before making his second campaign speech in which he declared that "reckless words" have been dragged in to the race "to mislead and weaken the morale" of the armed forces and their families at home. (AP Wirephoto).

American Battleships Bombard Marcus Island

American Airmen Continue To Rain Destruction On Jap Shipping; Japs Claim Damage To B-29 Base.

By CHARLES H. MCMURTRY
U. S. Pacific Fleet Headquarters, Pearl Harbor, Oct. 9—(AP)—Heavy surface units of Adm. William F. Halsey's Third fleet bombarded tiny Marcus Island, important Japanese outpost only 1135 miles east of Tokyo.

The ships' big guns inflicted considerable damage and the greater part of the coast defense batteries were silenced, Adm. Chester W. Nimitz reported in a brief surprise communique at 2 a. m.

The gunfire was "deliberate and destructive." Buildings were hit and fires started. Surprisingly there was no mention of participation by carrier planes, either by Admiral Nimitz or by radio Tokyo which earlier had hinted that battleships with their 16 inch guns joined in the bombardment.

More surprising still, Admiral Nimitz communique did not mention any aerial opposition. Nor did radio Tokyo. But Marcus, which should be the Japanese most important observation post in that area of the Pacific, undoubtedly is feeling deeply her severe plane losses under repeated crushing aerial defeats in the central and west Pacific.

Vice Adm. Marc A. Mitscher's carrier forces operating with Adm.

Raymond A. Spruance's Fifth fleet destroyed more than 1,200 enemy airplanes in the Marianas operations and the Philippines sea battle. The Halsey-Mitscher carrier force destroyed more than 1,100 in repeated thrusts on the Philippines, Bonins and Palau.

Tokyo admittedly is preparing for a fight-to-the-death defense of the homeland and thus is forced to base a majority of its planes in Japan, Formosa and China. Admiral Halsey's force has demonstrated such force that Japan fears he may strike at the homeland as he did in April, 1942, when he took Maj. Gen. James Doolittle's bombers to within a few hundred miles of Tokyo.

Marcus formerly was one of the Japanese most important naval air bases from which he sent long range planes searching east, north and south. It presumably still was an important observation post, her farthest east except for Wake.

The fact that Halsey's long range units were able to slip only five to 15 miles offshore apparently undetected and then fire salvo after salvo without any aerial opposition might mean that Japan has virtually abandoned little Marcus which is so isolated it might be difficult to defend.

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Campaign Turning To International Affairs

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
The political campaign took a further turn down international avenues today, following Gov. Thomas E. Dewey's protest against "secrecy" in some European postwar planning and Interior Secretary Ickes' speech against "isolationism" and Rabble Rousers, who are supporting Mr. Dewey.

Further political discussion of foreign affairs may spring from publication, at noon, Eastern War Time, today, of a statement on accomplishments in the Washington talks on an international security organization.

Dewey, the Republican presidential nominee, told a Pulaski Day gathering in New York that Poland should be re-established "upon a basis which will be permanent." Then he said:

"We would like to know more about the plans for that consummation. We would like to know more about the results of the private deliberations of those who now discuss Poland's future in secrecy." Senator Wagner (D-N.Y.) told a Pulaski Day dinner that "The complete restoration and protection" of Poland "has always been the aim and intent of the administration of Franklin Roosevelt."

Postwar Security Plans Revealed By Hull Today

Churchill In Moscow To Talk With Stalin

Impasse Over Polish Situation Believed To Have Been Moving Factor For Conference.

Moscow, Oct. 9—(AP)—Prime Minister Churchill and Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden arrived in Moscow today for conferences with Marshal Joseph Stalin and Foreign Commissar Vyacheslav Molotov.

In London it was announced that W. Averell Harriman, U. S. ambassador, would represent the United States in the conference, which Deputy Prime Minister Clement Attlee described as a sequel to the meeting at Quebec between President Roosevelt and Churchill.

Attlee told Commons:

"Marshall Stalin, who was unable to accept the invitation to go to Quebec, welcomed this opportunity of meeting the Prime Minister and the Foreign Secretary so soon afterwards."

Attlee added the meeting "had the fullest approval of the U. S. government."

London dispatches said it was believed there that a wide-open Anglo-Soviet rift over Poland's future was a major motivating factor in the Churchill-Eden trip.

Their departure came only a few days after an impasse had been reached in British-backed efforts to effect a reconciliation between the Polish exiled government of Prime Minister Stanislaw Mikolajczyk on one hand, and Russia and the Soviet-sponsored Polish National Liberation Committee on the other.

The seriousness of the Polish dispute, the situation was underscored by Churchill in his address to Commons Sept. 28 when he made it clear Britain would support Mikolajczyk but cautioned the members against "violent words" which might endanger the task of carrying out "our special responsibility towards Poland."

He said at the time that "it would be affection to pretend that the attitude of the British government, and I believe of the United States government, towards Poland is identical with that of the Soviet Union," and expressed hope a solution would be found "on which to (Continued on page six)

To Observe Fire Prevention Week

In line with the objectives of Fire Prevention Week, October 8-14, as set forth by President Roosevelt in his Proclamation which are the reduction of losses in lives and property due to preventable fires, Greenville's fire prevention committee, of which John G. Fleming, chairman, has worked out a program of observance to attain this end. The program consists of radio broadcasts tonight, Wednesday and Thursday nights, intended to call attention to the citizens of the community the most common causes of preventable fires and methods for their prevention. The programs on Wednesday and Thursday night will be presented by students of the Greenville High School.

On Tuesday night, October 10, at 7:45, the City Fire Department will give a demonstration of the use of fire fighting equipment and rescue methods at the Minges Fire Tower. This demonstration will be both interesting and instructive and all citizens who can are invited to be present.

The City Schools, both white and negro are cooperating in home inspection by students, to locate fire hazards and remove or remedy them, and will conduct fire drills during the week under supervision of the Fire Department. The department will make a close inspection of all business buildings in cooperation with the city owners, and will make recommendations for the correction of such fire hazards as may be found.

Ministers of the City have been asked to remind their hearers of fire prevention week, and the various clubs and organizations are expected to devote part of their programs to this important subject. Insurance agencies will also cooperate in giving publicity to the observance and merchants have been asked to lend their cooperation not only in cleaning up fire breeding spots but in publicizing known methods of fire prevention.

According to information from the National Fire Prevention Association, fire losses in the United States, if not immediately checked, will reach the staggering total of 10,000 lives and 400 million dollars in property during 1944, which is the largest loss since 1932. Already losses are approximately 15 per cent above 1943 and with the most hazardous months of the year yet to come. Inspect, detect and remove all fire hazards, should be the watchword this week, urged Chairman Fleming.

Willkie Dead



WENDELL L. WILLKIE

Wendell L. Willkie, 1940 Republican presidential candidate, and prominent world figure died in a New York hospital early Sunday morning.

HOLD WILLKIE RITES TUESDAY

Funeral services for Wendell L. Willkie, 1940 Republican presidential candidate, will be held at 2 P. M. today until 3 P. M. tomorrow.

The man who polled 22,333,801 votes for President in 1940, when he was the Republican candidate, died at 2:20 A. M. yesterday at Lenox Hill Hospital, which he entered Sept. 6 for a rest and physical checkup.

He contracted a streptococcal throat infection last Wednesday which affected the heart muscles. Death resulted from coronary thrombosis.

The public will be permitted to view the body at the church from 2 P. M. until midnight.

His family said the body of the 52-year-old former Public Utility executive would be sent to Rushville, Ind., where burial will be in the family plot. The date of burial will be determined by the return of Mr. Willkie's son, Lieut. (j.g.) Philip Willkie, USNR, now on convoy duty in the Atlantic.

Mr. Willkie died quietly in his sleep after he had suffered three heart attacks. With him was his wife, who also had been ill with a sore throat. Dr. Alexander Ghiselin, a throat specialist, Dr. Benjamin (Continued on Page Four)

But the VA does more. In that first year the veteran doesn't pay the full 4 per cent on the full \$4,000. He only pays interest on half of it, or \$80. The VA pays the other half.

But this holds true only for that first year. After that the veteran has to pay the full 4 per cent interest on the total loan.

The big covering loan was passed by Congress early last summer. Since that time the VA experts have been drawing up regulations covering such loans.

Those regulations will soon be published. The problem was to try to pay down regulations which will fit in with the 48 states varying laws on loans. And when the regulations are finished perhaps not all the (Continued on Page Four)

Dumbarton Oaks Conferences Agree To Maintain Peace By Force If Necessary; Three Separate Councils Would Direct International Activities.

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
Washington, Oct. 9—(AP)—A detailed but incomplete plan for maintaining peace by force was presented to the world today by the United States, Britain, China and Russia, and President Roosevelt asserted the task of designing the future security of the world "has been well begun."

The organization of the world to preserve peace and security, Mr. Roosevelt said in a statement, represents "a major objective for which this war is being fought, and as such, it inspires the highest hopes of the millions of fathers and mothers whose sons and daughters are engaged in the terrible struggle and suffering of war."

The security organization calls for converting the war-born United Nations into a permanent peace organization backed by powerful armed forces, including special air detachments capable of lightning blows against any future aggressors.

Announcement of its tentative details came as United Nations diplomats foresaw the possibility of an early four-power meeting "at the highest level" to tighten war-end relations and to complete the security organization's blueprint.

As drawn now, it would consist of a general assembly of all "peace-loving states," a security council of 11 nations which would have final authority on all use of force; an economic and social council to work out the world's economic ills, and an international court of justice.

The general assembly, the security council, and the economic and social council each would have a president but the greatest prestige obviously would attach to the presidency of the security council, whose members would include permanent members "the big four" and, in due course, France.

Forces to back up the decisions of the council, when peaceful methods failed, would be made available "on its call" by member nations of (Continued on Page Four)

Spaniards Seek To Depose Franco

Paris, Oct. 9—(AP)—The National Spanish Union composed of anti-Franco Spaniards in France said today it plans to hold a congress in Paris on October 15 or shortly thereafter to inaugurate a campaign to have Generalissimo Francisco Franco deposed and a "constitutional regime" established.

Its announcement coincided with reports of disorders in Spain which members of the union said indicated the opposition of the bulk of the Spanish population to Franco.

The congress likely will have a formal request to the United States and Britain to withdraw their recognition of the Franco government, it was reported.

Union members say that the attitude of the United States and especially Britain, is the only substantial remaining bulwark keeping Franco in power.

Today On The Home Front

By JAMES MARLOW

Loans To Veterans

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

Washington, Oct. 9—(AP)—The government will help war veterans—to buy a home, farm or business—by guaranteeing part of the loans they need for a start. The Veterans Administration (VA) does the guaranteeing.

There are two chief benefits to the program:

1. The interest charged the veterans can't be more than 4 per cent. The VA won't guarantee a loan with a higher interest rate.

2. For the first year the veterans will have to pay only part of the total interest.

The important point should be remembered: When they get the loan it will be as a business transaction like any other business deal. Any veteran can get the VA's guarantee on part of the loan—provided it's a sound deal—if he has served in the armed forces between Sept. 16, 1940, and the war's end and was honorably discharged.

This is how the program works: The VA will guarantee—up to 50 per cent or up to \$2,000—any approved loan obtained by a veteran from a private or government source to buy or operate a farm, home or business.

The veteran wants to buy or build a \$4,000 home. He goes to a lending

institution—like a bank or insurance company—and tells his story. The bank finds this particular veteran a reliable person and says: "Okay. We'll let you have the \$4,000. What kind of security can you give us?"

The veteran says: "You can take a first mortgage on the house." That satisfies the bank. The VA is called. When it, too, is satisfied it says:

"Okay. We'll guarantee this \$4,000 loan up to \$2,000. That's the highest we can go on a guarantee."

It's because of this guarantee—the bank's risk is lending \$4,000 is cut in half since the government backs \$2,000 of it—that the interest rates can be brought down to 4 per cent.

But the VA does more. In that first year the veteran doesn't pay the full 4 per cent on the full \$4,000. He only pays interest on half of it, or \$80. The VA pays the other half.

Social and Personal

Social Calendar

MONDAY
6:30 p. m.—Rotary Club.
7:00 p. m.—Lions' Club.

8:00 p. m.—Circle No. 5 of the Presbyterian Church meets with Mrs. T. M. Dennis.

8:00 p. m.—The Wesleyan Service Guild meets with Mrs. J. C. Galloway.

8:00 p. m.—Coleman Circle of Memorial Baptist Church meets with Mrs. H. J. Simpson.

8:00 p. m.—Misses Edna Munford and Jane Harrison will entertain at bridge at the home of Miss Harrison, honoring Miss Peggy West, bride-elect.

TUESDAY
4:00 p. m.—Mrs. F. P. Brooks will be hostess to the Literature Department of the Woman's Club. Mrs. Paul Ricks, assisting hostess. Miss McGee will have charge of the program.
7:30 p. m.—Withla Council degree of Pochontas meets.

WEDNESDAY
3:30 p. m.—Training School P. T. A. meets.
3:30 p. m.—P. T. A. of Third Street School meets.

THURSDAY
8:00 p. m.—Frances Willard and Mrs. Frederick Sauve will entertain at bridge at the home of Miss Willard, 405 Holly street, honoring Miss Peggy West, bride-elect.

FRIDAY
9:15 p. m.—Rehearsal of Hicks-West wedding at Eighth Street Christian Church.

6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club.
10:00 p. m.—Mrs. W. J. Hudson, III, of Raleigh, and Mrs. E. L. Bradshaw of Winston, will entertain the Hicks-West wedding party, families, and out-of-town guests at a cake cutting at the Proctor Hotel.

SATURDAY
5:30 p. m.—Hicks-West wedding will be solemnized in the Eighth Street Christian Church.
6:00 p. m.—Reception at the home of Mrs. R. D. West for the Hicks-West wedding party, families, and out-of-town guests.

Engagement Announced.
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Annis of Atlanta, Ga., announce the engagement of their daughter, Jean, to Captain A. T. Humbles of Greenville, N. C.
Captain Humbles is stationed at the army air base at Kingman, Arizona.
The wedding will take place the first of November.

Miss Holliday Honored.
Mrs. R. V. Keel was hostess on Thursday night at her home on Dickinson avenue at five tables of bridge, complimenting Miss Mattie Lawrence Holliday, bride-elect.
The home was beautifully decorated with fall flowers. As the guests arrived, each was presented a corsage of white tuberoses.
During the game, Coca-Colas were served and after several progressions the hostess served an ice course, assisted by Mrs. J. D. Wilson and Mrs. Lizzie Crandall, mother of Mrs. Keel.
High score and second high prizes were won by Mrs. Lyman Bask and Mrs. Bryan Gibbs, respectively. Mrs. Gibbs was also winner of the floating prize.
The hostess presented the honoree with a gift of crystal compotes in her pattern.

Third Street P. T. A.
The P. T. A. of the Third Street School meets on Wednesday afternoon at 3:30. All parents are urged to be present.

Masonic Notice.
Special communication of Greenville Lodge No. 284 A F and A M, Tuesday night at 7:30. Work in the Fellowcraft degree. All Fellows, crafts and Master Masons cordially invited.
N. G. Raynor, Master.
J. S. Willard, Secy.

Training School P. T. A.
The P. T. A. of the Training School will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3:30. A full attendance is desired.

Bethel Man Suffers Stroke.
W. J. Manning, well known resident of Bethel and retired farmer, who suffered a stroke of paralysis on his home Sunday, is seriously ill, his physician stated today.

Card of Thanks.
We wish to thank our friends for their kindness and sympathy shown during the sickness and death of our beloved wife and mother.
Mr. Jesse S. Smith and Children.

SKIN IRRITATIONS OF EXTERNAL CAUSE
Acne, pimples, eczema, factory dermatitis, simple ringworm, tetter, salt rheum, bumps, (blackheads), and ugly broken-out skin. Millions relieve itching, burning and soreness of these miseries with simple home treatment. Goes to work at once. Aids healing, works the antiseptic way. Use Black and White Ointment only as directed. 10c, 25c, 50c sizes. 25 years' success, money-back guarantee. Vital in cleaning is good soap. Enjoy famous Black and White Skin Soap daily.

Mrs. Kenneth Brim of Greensboro, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Overton.

Platoon Sergeant and Mrs. Gordon Runquist left Sunday for Annapolis, Minn., to visit Sgt. Runquist's parents.

Miss Virginia Morgan of Newport News, Va., who spent the week-end here with Miss Edna Jordan, left this afternoon for home.

Mrs. Howard Mims, dramatic teacher at the high school, and Miss J. H. Rose, speech teacher, attended the annual meeting of the North Carolina Dramatic Association in Chapel Hill on Saturday.

Mr. N. O. Warren has returned from Richmond, where he has been a patient in the hospital unit of the Medical College of Virginia.

Sgt. David Proctor of Greensboro, spent the week-end here with his wife.

Miss Christine Weston returned to her home in Norfolk today after spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Morris.

Mrs. W. E. Lee and family have returned from New York to resume their residence in Greenville. Chief Petty Officer Lee is here on a 20-day sick leave subject to be recalled to New York for medical discharge.

Mr. B. S. Warren left yesterday for Richmond to attend the hospital of the Medical College of Virginia for treatment.

MAJOR THOMAS M. COLES ADDRESSES WOMAN CLUB

Major Thomas M. Coles, executive officer of Squadron 913, stationed at the local Marine Corps Air Field, addressed the Greenville Woman's Club at its first meeting of the 1944-45 club year on Friday afternoon, October 6, at the clubhouse.

The guest speaker was presented by Mrs. Pink James, who was in charge of the War Service and Ship-and-Boat Committee program for the afternoon.
Major Coles, who has two Japanese aircraft shot down in action to his credit, spoke in a delightfully informal manner on the subject, "Why We Should Buy Bonds" and told of some of the things for which the money spent for bonds is used, in addition to giving much first-hand information about where our bond dollars go and about the Pacific war in general. Major Coles related many interesting and humorous personal experiences and concluded with words of gratitude for the warm welcome which Greenville people have given the marines who have been based here and for the splendid spirit of friendly cooperation which they have shown to these men in their midst in every way.
Major Coles, who is a youthful-looking major and very charming, said that he considered it a privilege to have been given the opportunity to speak to the Woman's Club of Greenville.

The business session of the club, which was presided over by the new president, Mrs. C. O. Hilton, was featured by the distribution of the excellently gotten-up new year-books, for which much credit is due Mrs. H. S. Ragdale, program chairman, and by an impassioned appeal by Mrs. Hilton to get out the women vote in November, not only as the duty of the Woman's Club, as the responsibility of individual citizens, but as the duty of women at voting time is compelling and should be roused by whatever means that may lie within our power for the common good of all. So let's get out the vote on November 7th.
At the close of business, a social hour was enjoyed, which had been planned by the hostess committee headed by Mrs. D. H. Conley, chairman. During this hour Mrs. A. M. Moseley presided at the punch bowl and cookies and salted nuts were passed by members of the committee.

In addition to Major Coles, guests of the afternoon were Mrs. Coles and Mrs. S. H. Roberts.
Mrs. H. L. Andrews, membership chairman, presented the following list of new members: Mesdames Cadmus Capehart, R. H. Grinder, James J. Brooks, Wendell Smiley, Nannie Evans, R. E. Hardaway and Misses Nell Matheson and Frances Alex.—Reported.

Speaks At Vesper Service.
Miss Mary Lee Ernest, Baptist student secretary here in Greenville, was guest speaker at last night's regular Sunday evening vesper service at East Carolina Teachers College. The keynote of Miss Ernest's talk was the "Kingdom of Right Relationships."

She said that we are going to have to live with others—students, faculty, and people all over the world; therefore, we want a definite part in building right relationships with them. First of all, we must have the right relationships with God. If we have this, we can build all our other needed relationships on it.
Miss Ernest read and explained the parable of the Pharisee and the Publican. She said we should not only bring our sins to God and count on his everlasting love, but we should bring our goodness to God also.

Lesson Cars Leave Scott's.
Members of the American Legion who are going to the supper meeting at Scott's Tuesday night are to meet at Scott's dry cleaning plant. Cars will leave there at 7 o'clock.



ANGAUR ISLAND R. R.—T-4 John Ball (left) of Jersey City, N. J., and Pvt. Jim Morris of Beverly Hills, Calif., look over wreck of narrow gauge Jap engine on Angaur island.

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR
October 9, 1904

Grapes are nearly all gone. Cotton gets a little push-up today. A popular question: Is it taking? Feels like summer is coming back. The man, who came here from Greene county last week with a case of smallpox and was placed in the quarantine station, made his escape Sunday night.

NEWS ABOUT SERVICEMEN

At Miami Beach
Sgt. Ernest J. Cassick, whose wife, Mrs. Frances Allen Cassick, lives in Greenville, has returned from overseas service and is now at the Miami Beach Redisturbance Station. Sgt. Cassick served 25 months as a gunner in heavy field artillery in the Mediterranean. Before entering the service he was employed as a coal miner.

Roger Taylor At Miami Beach.
Master Sgt. Roger P. Taylor of Greenville has arrived at the Army Air Forces Redisturbance Station in Miami Beach after completing a tour of duty overseas. He was a chief clerk in the Caribbean area with an aviation signal corps detachment for 28 months. The son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Taylor, 301 East Eighth street, Greenville, he entered the army in January, 1942.

Arrives in France.
Pvt. G. A. Taylor, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Taylor of this city, has arrived safely in France. His address is: Pvt. G. A. Taylor, Jr., 34675186, Co. B, 119th Medical Bn., APO 44, care Postmaster, New York.

Visiting in Winterville.
William Riley Cox and Bonny Crouch of Harrisonburg, Va., gunner's mates second class, United States Navy, are guests of Register of Deeds Roy T. Cox and Mrs. Cox in Winterville. They will return to their ship next Wednesday.

Card of Thanks.
We are deeply appreciative for the many kind thoughts and deeds bestowed upon us by our many friends during this hour of grief.
D. W. Richardson, and Thomason Family.

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Training School P. T. A.
The P. T. A. of the Training School will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3:30. A full attendance is desired.

Bethel Man Suffers Stroke.
W. J. Manning, well known resident of Bethel and retired farmer, who suffered a stroke of paralysis on his home Sunday, is seriously ill, his physician stated today.

Card of Thanks.
We wish to thank our friends for their kindness and sympathy shown during the sickness and death of our beloved wife and mother.
Mr. Jesse S. Smith and Children.

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pioneering, camper and nature study.

The Green Bar Council of Troop 30 held its first monthly meeting last Thursday evening immediately following the troop meeting. The junior leaders of the troop, with Scoutmaster Drum and Assistant Scoutmaster Darden as advisers, formulated plans for future meetings and activities of the troop.

Commissioner Young requests that all troops turn in their troop meeting score sheets by Saturday of this week so that results may be tabulated and scores ready for announcement by the next Court of Honor.

Troop 33 is still holding tightly to its lead in the contest. Attendance has been holding up remarkably well, and the troop is nearly 100 per cent uniformed. And watch those patrols start functioning right soon.

Troop 36 scouts are hard at work on Morse code under the leadership of Scouts Jimmy Ward and Frank Diener.

The Greenville district scoutmaster's round table will meet Friday night at 8 o'clock at the office of A. B. Stallworth, 312 Evans street. Plans for the patrol leaders' conference will be discussed. Commissioner Young will preside.

Kiwanis Delegates Carry Good Report

President Dick Bundy, Vice President J. M. Barrett and Ed E. Rawl will leave tomorrow afternoon for Greenville, S. C., to attend the annual Carolina Kiwanis district convention at Poinsettia Hotel. Don H. Conley, lieutenant-governor of the seventh division, which includes Greenville, Goldsboro, Jacksonville and Wilson, will make his annual report.

The Greenville club is winding up one of its most progressive years. The membership has increased. The club's activities, especially work with underprivileged children and war projects touch a large part of the community life.

To Hold Clinic At Winterville

The local Health Officer wishes to again call attention to the fact that a free Tuberculosis Clinic will be held in Dr. D. L. Moore's office in Winterville on Friday, October 20th, 2 to 4 o'clock.

The clinic will be conducted by Dr. Moore. Patients both white and colored from any part of Pitt County are eligible to attend this clinic.

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Mrs. Nicie McRoy Died At Simpson

Mrs. Nicie Adams McRoy, age 73, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Andrew Coghill this morning after two months' critical illness.

Funeral services will be held at the home of Mrs. Coghill Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock by the Rev. J. C. Griffin, Free Will Baptist minister of New Bern. Burial will be in the Dixon family cemetery near Chocowinity.

Mrs. McRoy was born and reared near Chocowinity and spent her entire life in Pitt and Beaufort counties.

Surviving are five daughters, Mrs. Ben Buck of near Galloway's Cross Roads, Mrs. Major Adams of near Black Jack, Mrs. Ed Davenport of near Greenville, Mrs. Lillian Evans of Galloway's Cross Roads, and Mrs. Andrew Coghill of near Simpson; two sons, William McRoy of Simpson and George McRoy of Greenville; six sisters, Mrs. Mary Riles, Mrs. W. M. McRoy, Mrs. Lewis Boyd and Mrs. Joe Hales of near Chocowinity, Mrs. Norwood Adams of near Greenville and Mrs. Frank Sutton of Galloway's Cross Roads; 30 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Ruritan Club Will Meet In Winterville

By CHESTER WALSH
The Winterville Ruritan Club, composed of about 40 representative businessmen and farmers, will hold its monthly supper meeting at the Community Building Tuesday night at 7 o'clock. President Nelson Hunsucker will preside. A special program will be presented. The Winterville club cooperated with a group of Pactolus men recently in organizing a Ruritan Club at Pactolus with J. Paul Davenport, Sr., as president.

The Winterville club's activities have resulted in improved telephone service, improved dirt roads and the organizing and operation of the Winterville cannery, a wartime project which has resulted in a sound business institution. The cannery preserves vegetables, fruits and meats. It now occupies a modern building and has up-to-date equipment. The Ruritan Club and the Winterville Woman's Club are working in harmonious cooperation for improvement of the community.

First Army . . .

(Continued from page one)
days since the waterway was crossed in the wake of a flamethrower attack. The bridgehead has further reduced today, however, and was described as split and driven back to the dikes of the canal itself.
The Germans here were fighting with their backs to the Schelde

and the flooded Walcheren, and Zuid Beveland Islands north of the river where 11,000 to 15,000 Germans were all but cut off by a 1,500-yard Canadian push north of Antwerp. This latter advance to Calmpout just outside Kortever put the Canadians virtually astride the dike escape road out of the islands.

Hodges' Doughboys, fighting six miles inside Germany north of Aachen, battered their way across the main Aachen-Gladbach road at two places and to within 17 1/2 miles of Jülich where the main road from Aachen forks to Cologne, 23 miles to the east, and to Dusseldorf, 26 miles to the northeast.

First Army units which advanced from southeast of Aachen were within a few hundred yards of crossing the main Aachen-Cologne highway and put under fire this last escape road in a narrow four-mile corridor.

Bulwinkle Predicts Boom In Aviation

Gastonia, Oct. 9.—(AP)—Rep. A. L. Bulwinkle, chairman of the house subcommittee on Civil Aviation, said today he looked for a great postwar aviation future for North Carolina.

He said establishment of local service and feeder lines looms in the immediate post-war future, augmenting the present service of the large through airlines. Bulwinkle said he expects to see legislation passed in the next congress for federal aid in construction of civil airports.

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Hometown Girl

by J. C. FLEMING and LOIS EBY (AP Features)

Chapter 18

Thorny's car was at the curb the next morning when Susan arrived at the office. It was nine-thirty when Susan, hands loaded with letters and checks, knocked on the door to his private office.

"Come in," Thorny called. He was gathering papers from the top of his desk and stuffing them into his brief case.

Susan said, "These checks for the men at the factory—will you have time to sign them before you go to court?"

"Sure. And you better run them out before noon. I'll leave my car for you." As he talked, Thorny was saffing through the checks. He whistled softly to himself. "Those fellows from Detroit—the machinery installers—they'll be through this week?"

Susan nodded.

"I hope so," Thorny said, "for Julie's sake. She can't stand much more expense."

After the checks were signed and Thorny was ready to leave for court, Susan said, "Do you remember the name of the night watchman at the old Scarbrough factory?"

"Lord no, I don't recall the name. It was so long ago."

Briefly, Susan told the story of the cigarette butts. Thorny listened intently and after she had finished he said, "You know, I always did think there was something fishy about that watchman. The next day, after the fire, when the investigation was started he had left town. Of course, there never was any real evidence against Scarbrough so the case was never really pushed. As I recall, at the time of the fire, it was accepted as an unavoidable accident and the investigation didn't amount to much. It was a few scandal-mongers after the fire that started the tale about Scarbrough. Spite work I always figured. But the stories grew like weeds in a swamp until every critter in town accepted them for the truth."

Thorny pulled a large gold watch from his pocket and frowned. "By grab!" he said. "Here I am chatting like a jay bird and Judge Fucker waiting in court for me. He took up his brief case and sailed out the door."

After he had gone Susan sat down at his desk. She noticed the slight tremor in her hands and felt excitement pouring through her like an electric shock. It was like a jigsaw puzzle, this Scarbrough affair. Could it be the pieces were beginning to fall into a definite pattern? This night watchman must have had a good reason for leaving town so suddenly. Could he have been guilty? Or maybe he knew too much and didn't want to talk. He must have a good reason after all those years, for coming back to Midvale. Maybe Erich could make something

tangible out of it. A starting point. Something to work on.

Susan gathered up the checks, repaired her make-up hurriedly and left for the factory. When she swung Thorny's car off the highway at the edge of town and started up the freshly made dirt road she felt a little surge of pride go through her. Nestling there in the dazzling sunlight the sprawling buildings of the factory looked like a Christmas package with their new coat of white paint. She parked the car and went up the newly-made steps to a little cubicle marked "Office."

Miss White, a middle-aged woman, looked up and smiled. Susan handed her the checks.

"Thorny asked me to bring these out," she said. "He'll be tied up in court all day."

"I'm glad you did," Miss White said. "The electrical men will finish tonight." Then she added quickly, "Mr. Erich is in the laboratory—if you want to see him before you leave."

Susan didn't know how Miss White felt about her and Erich. Right now it didn't seem to matter although she could feel the flush of color on her face as she said, "Yes. I would like to see him just for a moment."

Susan knocked and Erich opened the door of his new laboratory. A little breathlessly she told him what Thorny had recalled about the night watchman at the old factory. Concern etched Erich's face. "Off hand I would say this fellow might be the key to our problem," he said slowly. "You say Thorny couldn't remember his name? Mother couldn't either, but that's no problem. We can find out."

"How?"

"Down at the newspaper office. All we have to do is look up the week of June 10, 1923."

"Simple," Susan cried. "Why couldn't my lame brain have thought of that? I'll drop in when I get back to town and see if I can get it."

Susan's eyes were taking in the neat, new laboratory, with its white work tables, rows of glistening glass vials filled with vari-colored substances.

"What's all that stuff?" she asked.

Erich smiled. "Just a few of the things that go to make up a product as mundane as paint."

"I don't see how you remember them all?"

"You would if you lived with them for four years in college," Erich laughed.

Erich took Susan by the arm and led her over to the window. Pointing he said, "See those sheets of steel out there in the sun? The ones painted grey?"

"Yes."

"Those have been out in the weather now day and night for a month. They're samples of the new



ROBOT BOMB FACTORY IN CAVE—U. S. soldiers inspect one of the many machine shops of an underground robot bomb factory captured north of Metz, France.

navy paint. It's what we call a weather test. To date they don't show a sign of deterioration under a microscope."

Susan looked up into Erich's face proudly. "I know it's going to be just what the Navy wants."

Erich smiled down at her and kissed her briefly. "Darling," he said, "you'll make the kind of wife a chemical dreamer needs."

Susan left then and headed back toward town. She parked Thorny's car in front of the office and walked briskly toward the newspaper office.

Chapter 19

Mr. Foster, editor of the Midvale Courier, brought Susan the bound volume of copies including the date she had requested.

Susan tried to keep the excitement out of her voice as she thanked him. She examined the paper, now yellow for age. The screaming headlines shocked her. "Factory Burns. Corby Perished in Flames!"

Avidly her eyes devoured every word of the article. It was the paper that had gone to press two days after the accident occurred. She read it over several times, getting every detail firmly fixed in her mind.

The rest of the day she had worked like an automaton. Without thought or feeling. There was only one thing in her mind and that was her meeting with Erich at 8:30 that night.

She could hardly wait to tell Erich what the old newspaper had revealed.

Swung low in the sky was a crescent moon. The path wound clearly before her. She hurried along. The silver mist of light showed Erich in sharp detail sitting on the edge of the overturned rowboat waiting. He rose to meet her, kissed her.

"What about the paper? Did you see it?"

"Yes. Sit down. I'll tell you all about it. I read it over so many times I know it almost word for word."

They sat down on the old rowboat. Erich put his arm around her. "Begin," he said. "From the beginning I want every word."

"Well, the old watchman's name was Kelso Bachman. He made his rounds of the plant every hour. He claimed the fire must have started from some kind of an explosion because of the rapidity with which it burned. He said that everything was

all right when he passed the laboratory door at nine o'clock that night. He claimed that he saw father through the door working at a table. At a table. At 9:30 Bachman had gone back to check the front office when he heard Jim Lockhart yell and came running to see the south end of the factory in flames."

"I remember" mother said Jim Lockhart worked at the factory," Erich said.

"Yes. He was factory superintendent. He'd come back that night to check a shipment of paint that was being sent the next morning."

"What did he have to say about the fire?"

"He was in the shipping room when he heard the crackle of flames. He rushed out, but by the time he reached the lab it was an inferno," Susan said.

"What about Bachman?"

"When he talked to the insurance investigator the next day he was very little help. Alibied he was in the front office when the fire started. Thorny said he left town the next day. Seemed scared. People talked some and then forgot him."

Erich thoughtfully lighted a cigarette. "If he wasn't guilty of anything I can't see why he'd have run away. Of course, he might have slipped up on making his rounds, gone to sleep or something, and by the time he did get there the place was in flames. Probably figured if that came out in the investigation he'd lose his job."

"Either that or he knew something he didn't want to tell," Susan said.

"I still can't see why the town jumped to the conclusion that my grandfather was responsible for your father's death."

"I think it was a matter of unfortunate coincidence," Susan said. "No matter how my father had met his death so soon after being accosted in public by your grandfather people would have linked the two up and made it look like murder."

"I suppose," Erich said, "but after all a man wouldn't burn down his factory to get rid of one employee. There are so many simpler ways. Chances are he would just fire him and that would be that. If he did want to do away with him entirely he wouldn't use any such method as clumsy and expensive as burning his own factory."

"I agree with you," Susan said. "But there is definitely a chapter to

eight and hide in a clump of bushes until a little after midnight. Lord knows I only hope they have at least one more meeting. If they do I'll catch them red-handed."

Susan moved closer, felt Erich's arm tighten around her shoulders. "Do be careful, darling," she whispered. "If anything should happen to you—"

"There's only one thing going to happen to me," Erich said grimly. "I'm going to find out who's at the bottom of this thing if I have to perch out here in the bushes for the rest of my life."

To Be Continued

NOTICE

North Carolina—Pitt County. In the Superior Court Pauline Taylor Shulson

George D. Shulson

The defendant above named will 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 thirty days from the 30th day of September, 1944, or within twenty 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 30th day of Sept., 1944.

J. F. HARRINGTON, Clerk Superior Court Pitt County.

J. B. James, Atty.

Sept. 30-11w-4wk.

NOTICE OF SALE OF CITY LOTS

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain purchase money deed of trust executed by O. L. Jones to W. H. Woolard, Trustee, for the use and benefit of C. T. Munford, which said instrument appears of record in Book M-15 at page 250 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, default having been made in the payment of the debt therein secured, and the owner of the debt having called upon said trustee to foreclose said trust, the undersigned trustee will on Saturday, the

14th day of October, 1944 at 12:00 o'clock, M. the following described lots: Lots Nos. 24, 25 and 26 in Block "K" as shown on plat of property formerly owned by J. A. Lang and known as a part of the Lang Property as surveyed and plotted by W. B. Fluharty, C. E., according to Map of record in Map Book No. 1 at page 207 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County.

This 13th day of Sept., 1944.

W. H. WOOLARD, Trustee.

Harding & Lee, Attys.

Sept. 15-11w-4wk.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE

Having qualified as administrators of the estate of Mrs. Margaret Highsmith, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to

notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to the undersigned, on or before the 12th day of September, 1945, or this notice will be placed in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This the 12th day of September, 1944.

B. A. HIGHSMITH
W. B. HIGHSMITH
Administrators of the Estate of Mrs. Margaret Highsmith
J. W. H. Roberts, Attorney
Sept. 12-1 wk-6wks.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

State of North Carolina County of Pitt.

In the Superior Court No. 1251

The Town of Bethel

vs.

Ruth James and husband, Joe James, Drew Garis and husband, Henry Garis, H. L. Andrews and wife, Eula Andrews, W. E. Andrews and wife, Lucille Andrews, J. Herman Andrews and wife, Elizabeth Andrews, C. D. Andrews, Annie Andrews, County of Pitt.

Under authority vested in the undersigned Commissioner by virtue of that certain order entered in the above entitled cause on the 15th day of May, 1944, and order of resale dated September 27, 1944, the undersigned commissioner will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the court house door in Greenville, N. C., on Monday, 16th day of October, 1944 at twelve o'clock noon the following described real estate, subject to confirmation by the Court:

Beginning at the west corner of the W. A. James lot (now Worsley) and runs northward with the wall of said lot 70 yards; thence westward about 35 yards to the road (now Tarboro Street); thence eastward with the road (now Tarboro

Street) to the beginning, containing one-half of an acre, more or less. Being the same lot conveyed to John H. Andrews in 1904 of record in the Pitt County Registry. This 27th day of Sept., 1944.

M. K. BLOUNT, Commissioner. Oct. 2-11w-2wk.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Having qualified as Administrator of the Estate of Amos Mills, deceased, late of the County of Pitt, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before October 6, 1945, or this notice will be placed in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 7th day of October, 1944.

J. H. HARRELL, Administrator of the Estate of Amos Mills, deceased.

Oct. 9-11w-6wk.

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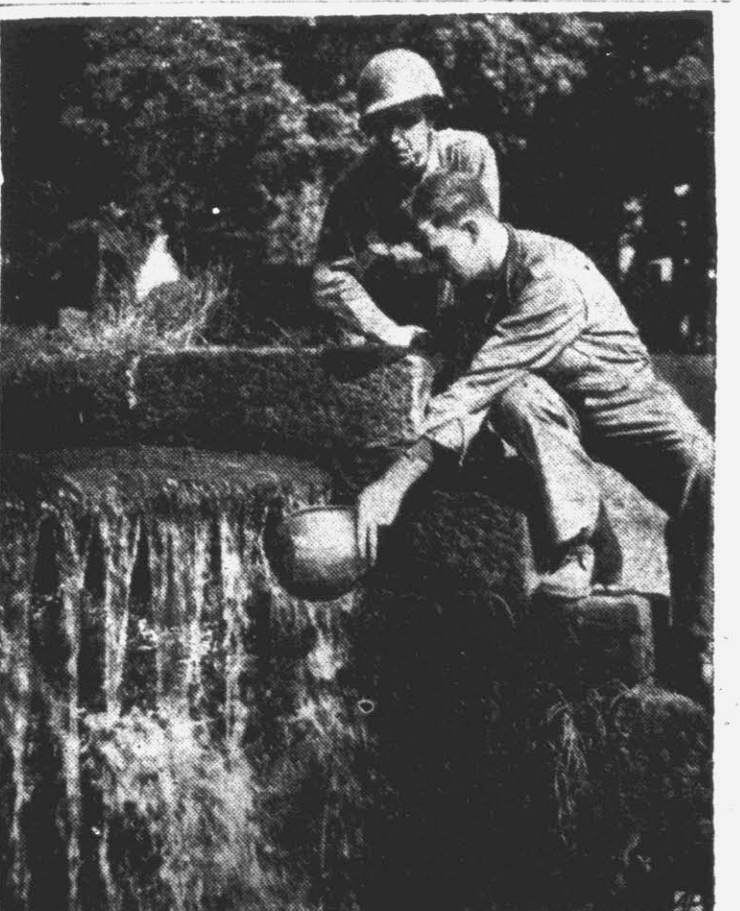
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GI'S SAMPLE SPRING—S/Sgt. George Kerrigan (right) of Brooklyn fills his helmet with water during a visit to the French spa sulphur bath resort of Luxeuil in company with Pvt. Michael Dileo of Avenel, N. J.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Recipe for a Perfect Marriage

Dee and Jane Cuppers celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary last Saturday. Having so many friends, it seemed like half the town stopped in that evening to pay their respects.

Little Ida Moffat brought a home-made poem to read, called Love Enduring. Bert Childers fiddled "Silver Threads Among the Gold." Will Dudley made a speech and proposed a toast.

And as I watched that toast—Dee with his glass of beer, Jane with her buttermilk—I thought to myself: There's a recipe for

happy marriage. Two folks with different tastes—no doubt an honest fault or two—who through the years have learned to live in tolerance and understanding.

From where I sit, Dee and Jane are a mighty good example to young married people of today—an example of how moderation, tolerance and understanding can build lasting happiness and solid homes.

Joe Marsh

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Her lifesaving body, with the telephone headpiece still attached to her ears, was found some days later ten miles down the canyon. All the world's heroes are not men, and all the deeds of heroism do not take place on the field of battle. Sometimes people are swept into heroic acts by the excitement of the occasion. One such person was the woman who quickly warned the inhabitants of a desert valley while an avalanche of water swept toward her telephone exchange was unusu- ally brave, because her act of heroism was done without any fanfare and without the least sensation- alism. She settled matters with her soul and with God and went ahead. Her courage was the real thing.

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AMERICA IN WARTIME

By JACK STINNETT

Washington—Many who heard "Assistant President" James F. Byrnes make that speech at the National Press Club the other day feel he intended it as his swan song.

At one place he pointed out that when the President signed the Reconversion and Demobilization bill and set up its board of three and named them and the director, his job would be gone.

He said quite simply that after that there would be nothing for him to do, so he would do nothing. Unless the President can press Byrnes into service again, the little South Carolinian will terminate a government relationship that started back in 1911, when he first was elected to Congress. It was interrupted only once from 1925 to 1930, when he practiced law in South Carolina before being elected to the Senate. Then came that brief interval on the U. S. Supreme Court before the President called him down to straighten out the mess on the home front.

Byrnes started out as director of the Office of Economic Stabilization with an office in the new east wing of the White House, a secretary and two telephones. Few people outside the government or close to it can appreciate what a job he has done of welding the then sprawling home front into something that family resembles a solid line.

It's worth noting in passing that two men who have taken thankless jobs in the wartime upper brackets, stepped down out of the peace and security of lifetime jobs. Byrnes passed up his treasured seat on the Supreme Court and Judge Fred M. Vinson, who followed Byrnes as director of OES, was associate of the District of Columbia Appeals Court. It's considered certain that Judge Vinson will stay on either as a member of the new board or as director. He and Byrnes have made a good team. Byrnes is the conciliator and coordinator; the trouble-shooter; Vinson the severe, hard-hitting fighter. His fight to hold farm prices down, to prevent a break-through of the wage ceilings, to put over a tough tax bill, and to hold down the price of oil are only a few of the major battles in which he has stepped all over the toes of pressure groups and special interests. He hasn't gained many friends but he has added a lot of stature.

Byrnes' farewell address, if it was

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that, was one of his better ones. It was a "carry on" speech in which he warned there could be no relaxation of wage and price controls until the war is over on all fronts. Although he admitted that the "Hold-the-Line" order of 1943 hasn't been maintained without some denting, he expressed concern only over the prospects that it might be worse before the war is over. The next big scrap of course will be organized labor's fight to break the Little Steel wage formula. Neither Vinson nor Byrnes has been willing to comment on that until other agencies have acted.

Today On The ...

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states' laws will be in harmony with them. Adjustments will have to be made in these cases later.

Because the regulations have not been completed, no veteran has yet been able to obtain a loan although the law covering the loan has been on the books for months.

So far the VA has received thousands of inquiries about the program but not applications for loans. The reason: not even the application forms have been completed for distribution yet.

When the regulations are finished they will be sent to all lending institutions, veterans organizations and all of the VA's 53 regional offices.

The War Today ...

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have waged war against many countries but never before in modern times have experienced it at home themselves, certainly are learning what it means now. They're having a terrible lesson, due to Hitler's decision to sacrifice everything to save his own skin—a lesson which is bound to produce bitterness among them but which also is likely to create a healthy respect for peace.

Quite apart from the terrible aerial bombardment which the Reich is enduring the Nazi troops ruthlessly

are destroying towns as they retreat—a scorched earth policy to deprive the invaders of defenses or resources. If the war continues in this fashion, Germany will be a land of devastation. Perhaps this will provide a salutary example for the world, at that.

American Battle ...

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A coral triangle only one and one-half miles at its widest and longest. Marcus has been hit three times previously, each by carriers. Each time the Japanese offered stiff aerial opposition. The first strike was by U. S. S. Enterprise planes in March, 1942, the second by a carrier task force in August 1943 and the last by another carrier group in May 1944. Each time Marcus' triangular airfield was neutralized and each time large fires were started, necessitating extensive rebuilding.

The German Transoceanic news agency said that over the week-end about 1,000 American planes raided Koror, administrative center of Japanese mandated islands situated in the heart of Palau.

In the conquest of nine southern Palau islands, Marines and soldiers have killed 12,233 Japanese and captured 225 since they first landed September 15.

Admiral Nimitz announced last night that ground troops advancing behind Corsair planes dropping 1,000 pound bombs made small gains against the only remaining pocket of Japanese on Peleliu, largest of the conquered islands.

Bombers patrolling sea lanes south of the Philippines sank or damaged 25 Japanese coastal vessels and small craft, hit seaplanes at Zamboanga, and landed again at the vital Balikpapan oil center of Borneo.

Tokyo claimed a surprise Japanese raid on the Superfortresses at Chengtu, destroyed 47 American planes, including 12 B-29s. Tokyo said the attack was made through adverse weather which curtailed U. S. air operations.

Chinese troops prepared for a last ditch defense of the city, last remaining U. S. air center in south-

east China at Kwelin.

Despite the loss of six advanced bases in recent months, Gen. Joseph Stilwell reported the 14th U. S. air force sank 163,000 tons of enemy shipping, killed 4,000 Japanese and destroyed 42 planes last month at a cost of three Yank aircraft.

He indicated the Ledo and Burma roads would soon be joined to supply China through the back door despite the enemy's progress toward cutting China in two and blockading the coast to the U. S. fleet. Chinese reported some successes against Japanese invasion forces in the vicinity of Poochow on the central coast, which Tokyo reported had been captured.

Southeast Asia headquarters announced the Japanese had been driven from another village on the Arakan front of southwest Burma.

Soviet Forces ...

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ful new Russian offensive, surging 62 miles through the wavering German Baltic front, appeared today to have virtually cut off at least 15 German divisions north of the port city of Memel, while Soviet columns invading Hungary from Romania were reported within 72 miles of Budapest.

The Baltic breakthrough on a 175-mile front of Siauliai in Lithuania, a Soviet commune state, enveloped over 2,000 populated places in four days and carried to within 25 miles of Memel, presaging a quick capitulation of that port and a thrust southward on the German soil of East Prussia.

The Russians destroyed the backbone of a force of more than 800 German tanks and 200 self-propelled guns and captured large numbers of prisoners, with the German dead and wounded mounting to several thousands, Pravda reported.

It appeared that the Nazis—with this significant loss—may have considerable difficulty in holding a line along the Niemen river, which is the natural northern defense line of East Prussia and where a great major battle seems to be shaping up.

However, the entire East Prussian front has been fortified and re-fortified by the Germans, while recently troops of all ages and classes have been moved there with instructions to "protect the gates to Berlin."

Gen. Ivan Bagramian, commander of the First Baltic army, who led the assault along with Gen. Ivan Cherniakhovsky's Third White Russian army, was saluted by 20 salvos of 224 guns in Moscow for the overwhelming triumphs.

A tremendous concentration of Russian artillery blasted the narrow strip on the Baltic coast still connecting the German Baltic positions with East Prussia. One wing of the First Baltic army battled into Memel's perimeter defenses, while another pushed northward within 40 miles of the Latvian port of Leipsa.

Most of the Russian guns, tanks and planes from all the Baltic zone were massed under Bagramian for the all-out offensive, which struck toward the sea with the impact of an avalanche. His main advances followed the Siauliai-Memel railway. His average gains were better than 60 miles.

The Germans' apparent catastrophe was exploited by the Soviet splitting the German line Bagramian appeared to have laid bare the coastal approaches to East Prussia and poised a threat to the large East Prussian city of Tilsit.

Postwar Security ...

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the organization. The air force detachments, however, would be "held immediately available" for action. It was said on high authority that the means by which the United States would "furnish its share of forces remain to be decided, but the administrative branch is expected to press for a blanket authorization to obviate the necessity of asking congressional authority each time

forces were to be used. In his statement, Mr. Roosevelt said "aggressors like Hitler and the Japanese warlords organize for years for the day when they can launch their evil strength against weaker nations devoted to their peaceful pursuits."

"This time," he continued, "we have been determined first to defeat the enemy, assume that he shall never again be in position to plunge the world into war and then to so organize the peace-loving nations that they may, through unity of desire, unity of will, and unity of strength, be in position to assure that no other would-be aggressor or conqueror shall ever get started."

The security plan, which also provides detailed proposals for peaceful settlement of disputes, is tentative because it has not been formally accepted by any of the governments involved. Drawn up at the Dumbarton Oaks conference which ended Saturday, it was issued in textual form here by secretary of State Hull who described it as an "effort to make permanent a victory purchased at so heavy a cost in blood, in tragic suffering and in treasure."

Soborly Hull warned in an accompanying statement that the road to establishment of the proposed organization "will be long... and difficult," adding that "much work remains to be done before a set of completed proposals can be laid down for a full-dress United Nations conference to bring the organization into being."

The blueprint calls for this machinery:

1. A general international organization to be known as "The United Nations." Each of the agencies proposed would be part of this organization.

2. General Assembly. All members of the organization would belong to the assembly, each having one vote. The assembly would debate broad problems of peace and security, control of armaments, and the like. It could admit or expel members and make recommendations for action to the Security Council by two-thirds vote. It would meet at least once a year.

3. Security Council. The United States, Britain, Russia and China "and, in due course, France," would compose permanently five of the 11 members. The assembly would elect the other six for two-year terms. By a system of voting still undecided the council would have power to order the use of force, economic measures, political isolation or any other steps considered necessary to put down an aggressor state. First, however, it would try peaceful means such as negotiation and arbitration. It could recommend to the assembly the suspension or expulsion of any member nation found violating the principles of peace and security.

4. An International Court of Justice. Details of this still are to be worked out; it could be a continuation of the "Permanent Court of International Justice" still in existence at The Hague, Holland.

5. Economic and Social Council. It would consist of 18 member nations, none permanent, holding three-year terms. Its purpose would be to promote international economic stability and humanitarian activities designed to remove the causes of war. Linked with it would be such already established organizations as the International Labor office, founded by the old League of Nations.

In addition to these large units, the plan proposes creation of a "military staff committee" which in effect would be a high command for the organization. To be made up of the military leaders of the big powers, it could act temporarily as the staff chiefs of other nations which were contributing forces for a specific operation.

One of the questions not decided

at Dumbarton Oaks is how to dispose of the old League of Nations at Geneva. Another is the Headquarters city of the proposed new organization. All the big countries, including the United States, and most of the small ones are expected to bid for it.

The plan drawn up at Dumbarton Oaks, which could serve as a charter for the organization by changing a few words, does not define either a "peace-loving state" nor what constitutes aggression.

If deals in considerable detail, however, with means for providing and using force and other measures against an aggressor once the Security Council determines that a threat to peace exists.

"The security Council," it says, "should be empowered to determine what diplomatic, economic, or other measures not involving the use of armed force should be employed to give effect to its decisions, and to call upon members of the organization to apply such measures."

"Such measures may include complete or partial interruption of rail, sea, air, postal, telegraphic, radio and other means of diplomatic communication and the severance of diplomatic and economic relations."

"Should the Security Council consider such measures to be inadequate, it should be empowered to take such action by air, naval or land forces as may be necessary to maintain or restore international peace and security."

Hold Willkie ...

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min Salzer, his personal physician, and Lamoyne Jones, his secretary.

Thousands of messages of sympathy deluged the family. President Roosevelt said: "The nation will long remember Wendell Willkie as a forthright American. Earnest, honest, whole-souled, he also had tremendous courage. This courage which was his dominating trait prompted him more than once to stand alone and to challenge the wisdom of counsels taken by powerful interests within his own party. In this hour of grave crisis the country loses a great citizen through his untimely death."

Governor Thomas E. Dewey, Republican presidential nominee, commented: "His death will be mourned throughout the world. A forceful and courageous man, he made a notable contribution to the political and philosophical discussions of these critical times. His passing is a loss not only to the Republican party but to all of us Americans of both parties who shared his faith in representative government and his earnest hopes for world peace."

Mr. Willkie's death left without a definite answer one of the most questions of the 1944 presidential campaign—which candidate, if either, he intended to endorse. Only a few days before he was hospitalized Mr. Willkie said in an interview with an Associated Press reporter that he had not yet made up his mind whom he would support in the presidential campaign.

A one-time Democrat, the plain spoken Hoosier captured the Republican nomination at Philadelphia in 1940 to the accompaniment of stamping galleries shouting "We want Willkie!"

Although he polled the largest popular vote ever given a Republican candidate, Mr. Willkie was defeated by President Roosevelt.

Mr. Willkie went to England in 1941 and after the United States entered the war he made a 31,000-mile tour of the Middle East, Russia and China as a special representative of President Roosevelt.

When he returned he wrote about his travels in a book, "One World."



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which sold 1,500,000 copies. He became an avowed candidate for the 1944 Republican nomination but when unable to obtain a single delegate in the April Wisconsin primaries he withdrew from the race.

One-Day Reprieve For Negro Killer

Raleigh, Oct. 8 (AP)—Acting Pardons Commissioner William Dunn announced today a one-day reprieve had been granted James Taylor, negro, who was scheduled to

die Friday for murder in connection with the slaying May 30 of Constable John Taylor of Wake Forest. Dunn said Governor Broughton granted the reprieve which automatically fixes the next death date for November 3, to allow time for further study of the case.

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Hog Market
Raleigh, Oct. 9—(AP)—(NCDA)—Hog markets steady with tops of 14.40 at Clinton, 14.55 at Rocky Mount and 14.65 at Richmond.

Poultry and Eggs
Raleigh, Oct. 9—(AP)—(NCDA)—Egg and poultry markets steady to firm.
Raleigh—U. S. grade AA large (clean white) 54; hens, all weights, 25.
Washington—U. S. grade A large 52 to 53; broilers and fryers 29 to 31.

Grain Market
Chicago, Oct. 9—(AP)—Grain futures markets were weak from the start today, wheat and rye ran into stop-loss selling and the lack of demand was conspicuous in all pits. Opening wheat prices were more than a cent below the previous close and at times were off more than two cents. Market analysts said some of the liquidation apparently stemmed from the belief that recent reaction to government price support measures had been too bullish.

At the close wheat was 1 1/2, to 2 1/2, lower than Saturday's finish. December \$1.63 1/2. Corn was off 1 to 1 1/2, December \$1.11 1/2. Oats were 1/2 to 3/4 lower, December \$1.05 1/2. Barley was off 1 1/2, to 1, December \$1.02 1/2.

New York Cotton
New York, Oct. 9—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 10 to 20 cents a bale lower.

Noon prices were 20 to 55 cents a bale lower. Oct. 22.00, Dec. 21.85, March 21.80.
Futures closed 5 to 20 cents a bale lower.

N. Y. Stock Market
New York, Oct. 9—(AP)—While assorted specialties continued to register new year highs, stock market leaders generally slipped to lower levels today after four successive rising sessions.
Turnover of around 600,000 shares was one of the smallest for a full stretch in past months.

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Dow Chem	126
Dupont	155
Firestone	50 1/2
Gen Elec	37 1/2
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Gen Mot	19 1/2
Goodrich	51 1/2
Goodyear	48 1/2
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Pepsi Cola	45 1/2
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Pure Oil	10 1/2
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Rem Rand	33 1/2
Repub Stl	33 1/2
Reynolds B	109 1/2
Sears	25 1/2
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Std Brands	29 1/2
Std Oil N J	55
Stewart Warner	15 1/2
Swift	30
Tex Co	45
Union Carbide	80 1/2
United Corp	15 1/2
United Drug	39
US Ind Chem	59
US Rubber	53 1/2
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Colored News
Card of Thanks
Gratefully acknowledging and thanking you for your kind expression of sympathy, the use of your cars and the lovely floral designs.
The Family of Le Roy Atkinson.

Success in raising hogs is to weed out scrub pigs and reduce feed waste. Success also in raising hogs is to watch the appearance of approaching diseases and try to prevent its spread to neighboring farms. Sanitary conditions must also be improved among hogs, don't think because he is a hog he doesn't need a clean warm house for winter or a pall of clean drinking water and a good place to eat.

Also see that the cow has a warm house for winter and a good grazing place in the pasture. The increased production in milk and butter is due to the treatment of the cow. Plenty of fresh cool water and shade in summer, and a good home and plenty of feed in winter with plenty of water that is not so cold.

It is very needful that each farmer plant some kind of trees this fall, a few shade trees and an apple tree or two. Makes no difference if you are a tenant, and are going to move, leave the trees for the ones who come after you.

Don't be in too big a hurry to cut down old fruit trees and shade trees. Every tree that does not bear fruit may need pruning and spraying but not cutting down. Now is the time to plant onions and cabbage, sow rape and seven-top turnips—Dennis Dupree, Negro County Agent.

HEAVY DOCKET IN CITY COURT

Judge Convicts Man And Woman Of Prostitution; Other Cases.

By CHESTER WALSH
In Police Court today Judge Roberts convicted a man and woman of using a room in the Greenville Hotel for prostitution and imposed heavy sentences. He gave O. J. Bell of Norfolk, Va., six months on the roads and Belle H. Loes of Raleigh, six months in the women's division of State prison.

Bell filed notice of appeal to Superior Court but had not perfected the appeal this afternoon. The woman will serve her time. She admitted on the witness stand that she had been arrested in Raleigh under the May Act and was out on bond.

Bell and the woman were also convicted on a charge of public drunkenness and each was given 30 days in jail or pay \$15.

Mayor Bruce Sugg and Police Chief Herbert Wooten have ordered the police to beat down on itinerant lawbreakers who come here from other cities. At a conference here some weeks ago with high Marine officers, city authorities pledged full support to enforcing the laws governing the morals of the city. The purpose is to prevent the migration here of women of ill repute and the men who "pimp" for them from settling in Greenville.

Other cases disposed of are as follows:
Alexander Lovett, M. L. Bartlett and Theodore Smith, all colored, were tried on a charge of larceny and receiving stolen goods. It was testified that Lovett, an employee of the Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company on duty at night, took five 100-pound bags of sugar from the plant and placed them in Bartlett's car. Lovett had told police that Bartlett, who runs a store on West Fifth street, agreed to pay him \$5 a bag. No money had been passed, it was testified.

Judge Roberts not prossed the charge against Theodore Smith. He convicted Lovett and Bartlett of larceny and receiving. He gave Bartlett 18 months on the roads and suspended judgment on payment of \$250 fine, costs deducted and placed him on probation for two years. The court gave Lovett a year on the roads and suspended judgment on payment of \$150, costs deducted, and placed him on probation for two years. The sugar was recovered. Both men paid the fines and were released.

Drunks: Robert Dail, costs; Cleveland Barfield, asked for a jury trial; Adrian Johnson, \$15; Coolidge Henderson, colored, 30 days or costs; Lamb Tyson, colored, costs; Ivey Lee Smith, costs; Milton Randolph, colored, \$15; Willie J. Daniel, colored, costs; Henry Neville, costs.

Vagrancy: Windsor Taft, continued until December 1, when defendant must prove that he had worked six days a week.

Assault on female: Clifton Taylor, costs.

Profane language: Clyde Willis, colored, \$15.

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the firm of Moore and Randolph has sold its business and good will to Robert H. Salisbury, Jr., who will hereafter operate and conduct the floral business of Moore and Randolph. Moore and Randolph will make settlement of all outstanding obligations to and including September 2, 1944, and all persons indebted to the firm of Moore and Randolph will please make settlement with Mrs. Cammie P. Moore.

or Mrs. J. H. Randolph. Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Randolph will not be responsible for any obligations incurred after September 2, 1944.

This the 4th day of Sept., 1944.
MRS. CAMMIE P. MOORE,
MRS. J. H. RANDOLPH,
ROBERT H. SALISBURY, Jr.
Sept. 4-11w-4wk.

EXECUTRIX' NOTICE
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 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.

This September 21, 1944
MARY SMITH, Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Ivey Smith, deceased.
Albion Dunn, Atty.
Sept. 22-11w-6wk.

NOTICE OF SALE OF SCHOOL SITE
Under and by virtue of the authority contained in section 5470 (a) of the North Carolina Statutes and pursuant to a resolution of the Pitt County Board of Education, the undersigned will offer for sale and sell for cash at public auction before the court house door in Pitt County, Greenville, North Carolina, on Monday, the
23rd day of October, 1944
at 12 o'clock noon
the following lands:

Beginning at a ditch on the Sutton road and running southeast with the road 109-1-2 yards, thence at right angles with the road 94 yards to the line between W. H. Arnold and Snodie Dixon, thence with this line to the beginning, containing 1 acre.

This the 20th day of Sept., 1944.
PITT COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION.
By W. H. Woolard, Chm.
Sept. 21-11w-4wk.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS
North Carolina—Pitt County
In the Superior Court
Virginia Dare Weatherington
vs.
John Lewis Weatherington

The defendant, John Lewis Weatherington, will hereby take notice that a civil action entitled as above has been instituted in the Superior Court of Pitt County by the plaintiff, Virginia Dare Weatherington, his wife, for the purpose of obtaining a divorce, a vinculo, upon the grounds of two years' separation; and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to be and appear before Hon. J. P. Harrington, Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County at his office in the court house in Greenville, N. C., on the 30th day of September, 1944, or within twenty days thereafter, and either answer or demur to the complaint which has been filed in this office, or the relief therein demanded will be granted.

Witness my hand this the 30th day of August, 1944.
E. F. TUCKER, Asst. Clerk
Superior Court Pitt County.
Harding & Lee, Attys.
Aug. 31-11w-4wk.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC RENTING
On Saturday, the 21st day of October, 1944, and at 12 o'clock.

noon, the undersigned Guardian will rent at public renting before the Court House door in Greenville, N. C., for the year 1945, the following described tract of land:

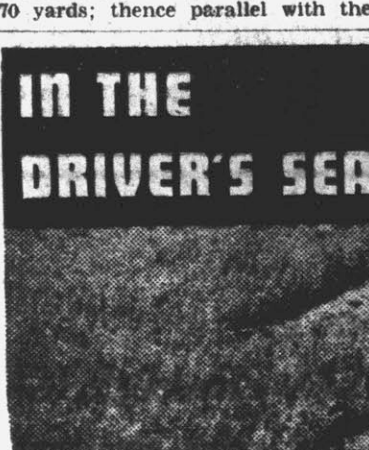
What is known as the John F. Crawford or Novella Crawford tract of land, lying and being in Beaver Dam Township, Pitt County, N. C., and adjoining the lands of Mrs. Jennie Nichols and others and containing 87 acres, more or less, and of which there are 38 acres of cleared land or about that much. The tobacco allotment for said farm for the year 1944 has been 9.5 acres, and the cotton allotment — acres.

Mrs. Novella Crawford will continue to live in the house in which she is now living, for and during the year 1945 and have the use of the yard and garden.

The renting will be for cash.
This the 20th day of Sept., 1944.
GUARANTY BANK & TRUST COMPANY, Guardian of Mrs. Novella Crawford.
By Joseph S. Moye, Trust Officer.
Julius Brown, Atty.
Sept. 21-28-Oct. 5-12.

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Beginning at a point in the Canton road at the line between W. S. Mills and Guilford Williams, and thence at right angles with the road 70 yards; thence parallel with the



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LOCAL FLIERS RAID MANILA

J. D. Bridgers and Warren Parrish See Action In Pacific.

(On September 20 and 21 carrier pilots of the U. S. Third fleet attacked Manila and dropped the first American bombs that have fallen there since the Japanese captured the city 30 months ago. The Americans damaged harbor installations, destroyed 244 planes, sank 35 ships and damaged or sank another 27. An AP war correspondent, aboard a carrier, interviewed returning pilots.)

By MORRIS LANDSBERG

Aboard U. S. Carrier off Luzon, Philippines, Sept. 22—(Delayed)—(AP)—The weather over Manila was beautiful. Japanese set hundreds of smudge pots burning trying to blackout the city from American eyes. Huge columns of black smoke arose from Manila Bay. Many ships set in the water, like ducks too paralyzed to fly from the blasts of a hunter's shotgun. But the ack-ack was bad, and there were Japanese fighters in the air.

Almost three dozen Japanese ships were at the bottom of the sea. Planes were burning on Nichols and Clark fields, and 244 enemy craft had been destroyed.

That was the picture returning pilots brought today to this carrier force that struck at Manila. There is no doubt it was one of the greatest air victories of the Pacific war.

More than 1,500 sorties were made. Lt. (JG) Walter Fontaine of New Orleans described his attack:

"The first thing that struck my eye was Manila Bay—it's very big, you know—and Corregidor sitting out there like a big rock.

"The harbor was full of ships and, coming in, we could see the torpedo planes making their attacks.

"The Japanese had started smudge pots to haze-over the city. But I saw a lot of good hits made on Nichols field.

"I think we surprised them."

Lt. John D. Bridgers, Greenville, N. C., said he and his divebomber division were headed for Nichols field but when we saw another group had the hangar area "fairly well smashed," we hit an ammunition dump. The explosion gave his plane "quite a jolt," he said, and when he looked back smoke was several thousand feet high.

"Throughout both days, the ack-ack fire was intense," said Lt. Commander James Rigg of Norfolk, Va., a fighter pilot.

Lt. Bridgers is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Bridgers of this city. He is now on his second tour of duty in the Pacific. He is holder of the Air Medal, Distinguished Flying Cross and a presidential Unit Citation. Lt. (JG) Warren Parrish, son of Mrs. Hazel Parrish, now of Richmond but formerly of this city, who flies wing position in Lt. Bridgers' dive bombing division also took part in the Manila raids.

Larger Cotton Crop
Washington, Oct. 9—(AP)—The Agriculture Department today forecast this year's cotton crop at 11,953,000 bales of 500 pounds gross weight, compared with a forecast of 11,483,000 bales a month ago, 11,427,000 bales produced last year, and an average production of 12,455,000 bales in the ten years 1933-42.

MORE UPSETS ON GRIDIRON

Duke and Carolina Lose; Wake Forest Wins From Maryland.

By HAROLD CLAASSEN

New York, Oct. 9—(AP)—Baseball hasn't forsaken the limelight yet but already the football picture for this third war-time season has been clarified to the extent of determining the haves and have-nots.

Although service teams have thrown some mighty blocks in the two grid campaigns since Pearl Harbor the coming season may be their best.

Already North Carolina Pre-Flight has polished off the U. S. Naval Academy squad and Duke, each a leader in its district and the Middles a distinct candidate for national honors. Randolph Field crushed Rice and Texas on successive Saturdays with a combined scoring total of 101 points to 6.

In addition, there are the Iowa Seahawks, Great Lakes Bluejackets and the highly publicized Second Air Force Superbombers are willing and more than able to defend themselves on the gridiron.

In strictly collegiate circles the same hierarchy apparently will prevail. Notre Dame, last year's National Champion, subdued Tulane Saturday, 26 to 0, for its second straight victory and this Saturday takes on Dartmouth, 20 to 6 victim of Pennsylvania, at Boston. Tulsa has won two straight and stands beside the Irish as the potential best among the independents.

Purdue, which disposed of Illinois by 35 to 19, Ohio State, 34 to 0 victor over Iowa, and Wisconsin, which downed Marquette, 21 to 2; loom strongest in the Big Ten. Purdue, co-champion with Michigan a year ago, is host to Iowa Pre-Flight on Saturday while the Badgers and Buckeyes collide at Madison.

Penn., who takes on William & Mary next; Army and Navy have their usual places atop the Eastern heap. The Cadets used everyone on their roster while downing previously unbeaten Brown, 59 to 7, and Navy pushed aside Penn State, 55 to 14. This week Army engages Pitt and the Middles are hosts to Duke's twice-beaten but powerful eleven.

Georgia Tech, winner over North Carolina, and Tennessee rule in the southeast circuit while Duke and Wake Forest are tops in the southern loop. Tennessee already has defeated two conference foes and Saturday has Florida as its guest. Tech opposes Auburn, 7 to 0 victor of Fort Benning 4th Infantry team Saturday.

Texas and Rice, despite their drubbings by Randolph Field continue as Southwest conference favorites although both are busy with non-conference foes this week with the Longhorns entertaining Oklahoma and the Owls playing Tulane while Southern Methodist has the task of trying to stop the Flyers.

Washington rolls along as the outstanding team of the Pacific Northwest but there is little to choose among Southern California, California and UCLA in the lower tier. The Trojans, early favorites, have been tied by the others, the Bears earning a 6 to 6 deadlock Saturday.

This weekend Southern Cal visits St. Mary's Pre-Flight, St. Mary's College tangles with UCLA and California opposes College of the Pacific.

Refuse Review Insurance Case

Washington, Oct. 9—(AP)—The supreme court refused today to reconsider its decision that insurance is business in interstate commerce and is subject to the Sherman anti-trust act.

The Southeastern Underwriters Association in asking a rehearing of the case involving its activities told the high tribunal that the decision last June has brought about a situation where "hazards have been imposed upon the negotiation of every insurance contract and the very conduct of the insurance business has been rendered perilous."

The court decided the question by a 4 to 3 vote, Justices Roberts and Reed taking no part in the case. Attorneys-general for 41 states joined in the request for rehearing.

Construction Increase
Baltimore, Oct. 9—(AP)—September construction in the southern states rose more than 16 per cent above the August level and came within three per cent of equalling that in September, 1943, one of the years of abnormal activity because of the war, the manufacturers record said today.

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NAZIS PREPARE LEAVE ATHENS

British Reported Racing Toward Greek Capital.

Rome, Oct. 9—(AP)—German forces were reported preparing to evacuate Athens today as British troops racing virtually unopposed across the Peloponnese, neared the southern entrance to the Isthmus of Corinth, gateway to northern Greece.

Dispatches from the front yesterday said British troops were approaching the outskirts of Corinth, at the base of the narrow isthmus after seizing the port of Navplion, and it appeared possible they may already have entered the city.

Fall of Corinth would seal off the only overland escape route for any German troops remaining in the Peloponnese and would place the Allies only 45 miles from Athens.

It was believed unlikely, however, the Germans had left many troops in southern Greece.

Reports that the Nazis had begun evacuating Athens came from British fighter plane pilots operating from Greek bases, who said they had observed a considerable concentration in the port, including a number of ferry type craft and several large ships.

British commanders asserted the Germans were fleeing Greece "by land, sea and air," apparently exerting all efforts to withdraw before the onrushing Russian forces, bolstered by Bulgarian troops and Yugoslav guerrillas, cut off their escape routes.

Approximately 2,000 Greek puppet troops have been captured in the Allied drive, along with stores of antiquated equipment.

Allied planes continued to pound enemy airports around Athens and Salonika over the week-end, while British naval forces ranged along the Greek coast on the alert for any Nazis attempting to escape by sea.

Six Charged With Theft Of Gasoline

Charlotte, Oct. 9—(AP)—Six North Carolina men today faced charges of stealing and receiving gasoline intended for the paratroop base at Camp Mackall.

Edward Scheidt, special agent in charge of the Charlotte office of the FBI, said yesterday the following had been arrested: James Clifford Ensley, Gastonia, Jasper Carl Norwood, Charlotte, Daniel Jackson Morgan, Rockingham, Roger W. McManus, Charlotte, and William Jennings Kelly, Wadesboro.

SATISFIES 1



SERVES 2



DRINK DOUBLE COLA

Appeal For Aid In Search For Flier

Goldsboro, Oct. 9—(AP)—Seymour Johnston Field authorities today issued an appeal for civilian help in locating the 10th member of the crew of a B-24 army plane who parachuted to the ground near Seven Springs, N. C., during bad weather last Friday.

Nine of the fliers have been accounted for but no trace has been found of the tenth. The plane was from Chatham Field, Ga. Searching parties have been combing the area for three days. The Wayne county sheriff's office said there was high water in Bogue swamp and that if the flier had landed there he may have drowned.

President to Speak
Washington, Oct. 9—(AP)—President Roosevelt will make a brief address to the other American Republics on Columbus day, October 12.

Arrangements are being made to broadcast the speech, which will be delivered at 4 p. m. eastern war time, and which is expected to extend about ten minutes.

Blast Reich . . .

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two merchant ships and hits on several escort vessels. Despite murky weather that grounded many planes Sunday, a record number of 10,000 Allied planes pounded Germany and Hol-

SUMMONS

North Carolina—Pitt County.

In the Superior Court

Mary Belle Rice

John Rice

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Witness my hand this 5th day of October, 1944.

E. F. TUCKER, Asst. Clerk

Superior Court Pitt County.

Harding & Lee

Attys. for Plaintiff.

Oct. 5-11w-4wk.

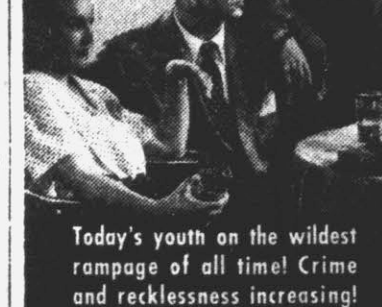
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land over the week-end.

While the heavy bombers, which had their biggest day of the war Saturday, were grounded Sunday American and British tactical fleets based on the continent flew more than 1,500 sorties in support of the ground armies.

Ninth airforce fighter-bombers, roaming the length of the western front, were credited with destroying 132 enemy guns opposing the American First and Third armies. Meanwhile, RAF fighter and medium bombers slashed at German troops, railways and barges in the Nijmegen and Tilburg areas of Holland.

The ninth also knocked out 43 locomotives, 104 freight cars, cut railroad tracks in 29 places, and destroyed three German planes parked on the ground.

While great damage was done to German oil plants, tank works, aircraft factories and railway centers, the most spectacular week-end raid was carried out by a force of 13 RAF Lancasters that smashed the Kembs dam across the lower Rhine with 12,000 pound delayed action "earthquake" bombs.

The Germans probably intended to dynamite the dam themselves as soon as they had crossed the rhine. The resultant floods already have made the river impassable for the Nazis caught on the wrong side.

For the fourth successive night winged bombs were launched on England from German bombers over the north sea. One was destroyed off the northeast coast of Scotland.

Churchill . . .

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rest a lasting structure of European and world peace."

The Moscow radio said Sir Alan Brooks, chief of Britain's general staff, and Lt. Gen. Sir Hastings Ismay, chief of staff to the British Minister of Defense, also were in Churchill's party.

In his speech to Commons 11 days

ago Churchill indicated that he considered a new meeting of himself, Stalin and President Roosevelt essential before peace plans are revealed.

Everything depends upon agreement of the three great powers, he said then, and "I do not think a satisfactory agreement will be reached...until there has been a further meeting of the three heads of the governments, assisted as may be necessary by their foreign secretaries."

The Prime Minister added that he earnestly hoped "it may be possible to bring about such a meeting before the end of the year."

The Movies Today

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STATE—"Bowery Blitzkrieg," with Dead End Kids. Also News.

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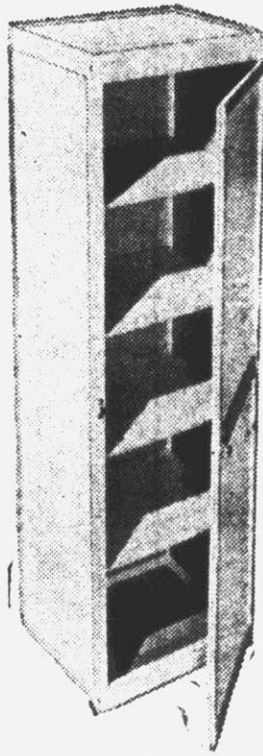


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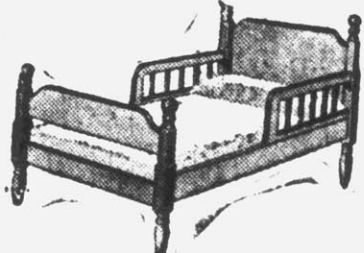
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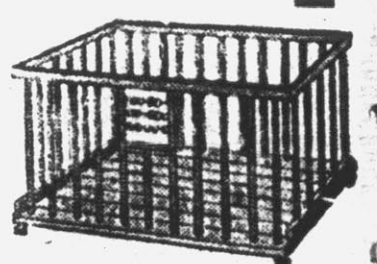


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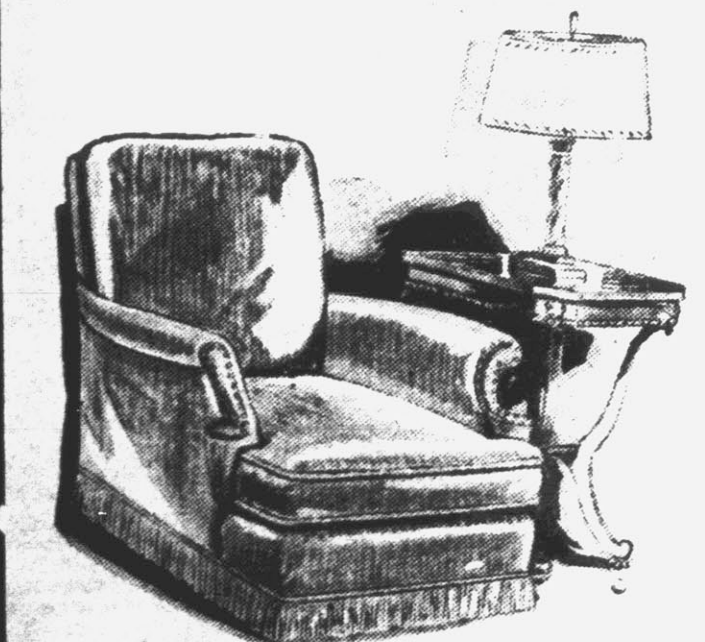


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