

## Superfortresses Blast Jap Aircraft Factory

### Japanese Homeland Islands Among Three Targets Of Giant B-29's Today; Tokyo Says 70 Or More Superfortresses Struck Over Kyushu; Jap Fighter Resistance Smashed.

Washington, Nov. 21—(AP)—The Omura aircraft factory on the southernmost Japanese home island of Kyushu was blasted for the third time today by B-29 Superfortresses. Adverse weather diverted part of the mission, operating in large force, resulting in two other strikes—one at the docks of Nanking and the other at Shanghai against military storages and trans-shipment facilities.

A 20th Air Force communique said 20 attacking Japanese planes were destroyed together with 18 probably destroyed and 19 damaged in the course of the operation. It was the first time that a B-29 mission had encountered fighter plane opposition in strength. There was little antiaircraft opposition, however.

It is too early to determine whether our task force suffered any losses, the communique said.

The Tokyo radio said today that 70 or more Superfortresses struck two waves at the Nagasaki and Omura areas of Kyushu and that "fierce air duels" resulted. An Imperial communique issued later claimed 14 B-29's were "definitely" shot down and 11 others "probably."

The smash at Omura was accomplished through a heavy cloud understudy by means of periscope instruments. The results were not observed.

At Shanghai the observed results were termed fair to good. The Nanking attack resulted in two direct hits on warehouses and near misses off a cargo vessel.

The daylight mission continued the strategic reduction of the large Omura works which was begun on Oct. 25 and resumed on Nov. 11, the communique said.

The drone of the sky dreadnaughts is a sound which has not been heard eight times since last June 15 by workers of Kyushu Island.

Other strikes have been made on industrial targets of Yawata and Nagasaki on the island. The Omura plant is a modern installation including about 75 buildings adjacent to the Omura naval station.

Constructed during the present war, the plant includes repair and training facilities and is on the east coast of Omura Bay, 12 miles northeast of Nagasaki.

Gen. H. H. Arnold, commanding (Continued on page four)

Weather Forecast  
Extended forecast covering the period from 7:30 p. m. tonight to 7:30 p. m. Saturday.

Mildly fair weather Wednesday through Saturday. No rain indicated. Temperatures slightly below normal.



### LAUNCH BOND DRIVE TODAY

Salespeople To Aid In Sixth War Loan Drive.

By CHESTER WALSH  
The Sixth War Loan Drive got away with a rousing start here this morning with a meeting at the Pitt Theater at which a war picture was shown which would stir the patriotism and generosity of anybody to buy war bonds and do their part on the home front to back up the boys who are out on the battlefronts, in the air and on the high seas. More than 300 attended the meeting. Stores and other business places in Greenville did not open until 10 o'clock to permit employers and employees to attend the war bond rally.

### NEW RED DRIVE AGAINST NAZIS

### Berlin Reports Russian Offensive In Latvia.

London, Nov. 21—(AP)—Red army troops eluded in today on northern escape routes for enemy troops rolled back to the outskirts of Minsk, Hungary's fifth city, as the Germans declared the Russians had opened their winter offensive far to the north against Latvia.

Nazi pockets in western Latvia. Late front reports said a German withdrawal from Minsk appeared imminent. Nazi escape routes to the east and west of Minsk, 83 miles northeast of besieged Budapest, already were cut.

One Red army column had battled to the outskirts of Eger, 22 miles southwest of Minsk, Russian front dispatches said.

Another Soviet armored unit which had rolled through Dlogov, within 20 miles west of Minsk and within 20 miles of the old Czechoslovak frontier, veered north to grapple with the present war.

Communications between Minsk and the rail hub of Lozong on the Slovak border.

Units of Marshal Rodion Y. Malinovsky's Second Ukrainian army plunged into the southern outskirts of Minsk with the capture of Csaba and Strima, less than one (Continued on Page Four)

## Typhoon Slows Action In Campaign For Leyte

### American Carrier-Based Planes Rain More Destruction On Japs In Manila Area.

By MURLIN SPENCER  
General MacArthur's Headquarters, Philippines, Nov. 21—(AP)—The battle of Leyte ground nearly to a typhoon-soaked stop today while Manila recovered from its fourth major American air raid of the month.

On Leyte, the typhoon took precedence over efforts of both sides on the swaying Lamon battle line. General MacArthur's communique noted that the 32nd division was making some progress near Lamon, reported that the enemy was continuing desperate efforts to break a road block south of the town.

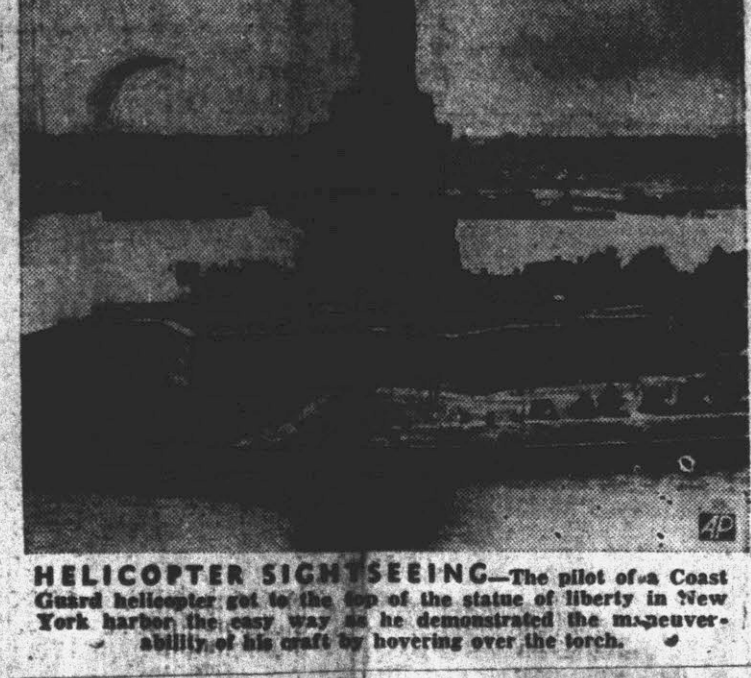
Added, significantly, "All traffic, air, ground and sea is fraught with great difficulties and hazards; and battle conditions are becoming static."

Only in the air was there spectacular activity. There, 33 enemy fighters and dive bombers raided American positions, losing seven aircraft to air patrols and ground fire.

American aircraft countered with attacks on Japanese communications lines, supply areas and waterfront targets near Ormoc.

Vice Adm. John S. McCain's carrier planes hit Manila again Saturday, damaged airfields, set blazing flaring on three merchant ships and destroyed 118 Japanese planes. Most of these were on the ground. Only 10 enemy planes were shot down in the Manila area and another eight near the fleet carriers.

Adm. Chester W. Nimitz announced the raids at Pearl Harbor last night. The announcement made no (Continued on page six)



### HELICOPTER SIGHT SEEN

The pilot of a Coast Guard helicopter, set to the top of the statue of liberty in New York harbor, the way he demonstrated the maneuverability of his craft by hovering over the torch.

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## Allied Armies Smashing Nazi Western Defenses

### CONFERENCE IS DELAYED

Meeting Of 'Big Three' May Be Early Next Year.

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER  
Washington, Nov. 21—(AP)—Plans for an early meeting of Roosevelt, Churchill and Stalin appear to have hit a snag. Despite hopes freely expressed here and in London, the best prospect now is for a parley early in 1945.

The whole schedule of post-war conferences and world peace organization evidently is having to be revised in consequence. It may have to be over two or three months into the future, which probably would mean the United Nations gathering on the Dumbarton Oaks security plan next spring rather than in the winter.

However, the schedule is in a state of uncertainty at the moment. Should it be found that the problems left over from Dumbarton Oaks—such as the "veto voting issue"—can be settled without a big-three meeting, the full dress conference could be held earlier.

Exactly what has happened to the projected big-three meeting before the end of this year is not certain. But presumably the war in which the European war is having to be fought full-scale into the winter and the probability now that it will last into next spring has had a lot to do with it.

All three leaders, as President Roosevelt told reporters a few days ago, wanted to have the conference. And Mr. Roosevelt emphasized his desire for it by saying he thought it took priority over his invitation to visit Paris. Prime Minister Churchill told Parliament it was "high time" the trio should get together again.

From what they said it was clear that Stalin had expressed similar views although he confined his latest public statements to the necessity for Anglo-Soviet collaboration to make a lasting peace.

But Stalin is tied to the eastern front in a way that Churchill and Roosevelt are not tied down in the west. In the broadest sense of the word he literally does command the Red army. With Germany bent upon suicidal resistance, the Red army has finally come up to the time for another winter offensive.

Officials here say that at such a time it is highly unlikely that Stalin would leave Russia. It seems equally unlikely, despite recent speculation there, that Roosevelt would agree to make the long and arduous journey to Moscow, especially when the niceties of diplomacy and politics might be better served by selecting a more central gathering place.

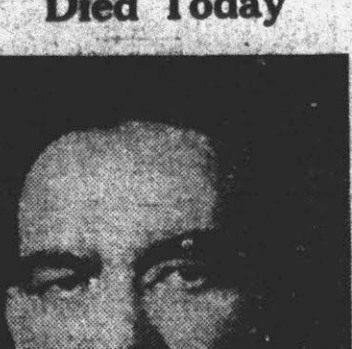
### Fighters Down 52 Nazi Planes

London, Nov. 21—(AP)—A record fleet of more than 1,000 American fighter bombers destroyed at least 52 German planes today while the 1,250 heavy bombers they were escorting plumed 4,000 tons of explosives onto three zealously guarded synthetic oil plants.

An Eighth Air Force spokesman said the score of the swirling battles over Hamburg, Hamburg and Merseburg might approach the 208 destroyed on Nov. 2. Then, as today, the Germans came up to defend the huge Luena synthetic refinery at Merseburg, 100 miles southwest of Berlin.

The mighty fleet was well guarded today and it struck in fine weather over a Gen. Eisenhower promised Germany a winter of remorseless bombardment from the air.

The 1,100 fighter craft made up the most powerful escort ever dispatched with the bombers and most flew from British bases. The Eighth Air Force announcement said.



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NORMAN OLLEN WARREN

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Funeral Of Well Known Business Man Tomorrow.

Norman O. Warren, 51, widely known local business man and former cashier of Guaranty Bank and Trust Company, died at his home, 433 West Fourth street, at 7:40 this morning following six weeks of critical illness. Funeral services will be conducted at the home at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon followed by interment in Cherry Hill cemetery. The services will be conducted by Dr. Robert S. Boyd and Rev. Haynes Clark, Presbyterian ministers of this city. The family requests that no flowers be sent.

Norman Ollen Warren, a native of Edgecombe county, was born near Penny Hill September 28, 1893, the son of Olen Warren Jr. and Mrs. Susie Wilson Warren. The family moved to Greenville in 1904 and after attending the local schools, he accepted a position with Guaranty Bank and Trust Company in 1908.

In 1916 he became cashier of the institution which position he held until 1919 when he resigned to enter the real estate and insurance business. Later he was active in organizing the Greenville Oil and Fertilizer Company and was its president and general manager. He remained in that position until his health forced his resignation in 1936. Since that time he has been president of the Land and Investment Company, and has been looking after his farming interests. He (Continued on Page Four)

Post Office Holiday  
The local Post Office will be closed Thursday, November 23rd in observance of Thanksgiving Day. There will be no Rural or City deliveries or window service. However there will be the usual collection from the corner mail boxes through the city and mail will also be a delivery of parcel post to the residential sections of the city. Special Delivery mail will be delivered as usual.

## Today On The Home Front

By JAMES MARLOW

Washington, Nov. 21—(AP)—Are you dizzy from the turmoil over wages, prices and the cost of living? Here's an explanation.

Prices and wages raced upward after Jan. 1, 1941. By the spring of 1942 living costs had risen at least 15 per cent.

The government knew this from its cost-of-living index. Published monthly by the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS).

The government cracked down. OPA was to sit on prices. The War Labor Board (WLB) was to sit on wages.

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## The WAR TODAY

AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEWS

By DEWITT MACKENZIE  
(Associated Press War Analyst)

We are taking our text today from the Eisenhower communique which says that Allied troops on the Cologne plain east of captured Gelsenkirchen "are meeting fierce enemy resistance."

With cities, towns and hamlets falling like tenpins in various sectors, and Allied forces making sensational advances, we are in danger of slipping into the over-optimistic class again. Mind you, optimism is warranted, for things are going well, but we shall be smart to stick with facts—a plague on 'em.

The Gellenkirchen-Aachen sector, opposite Cologne and Germany's all-important Ruhr industrial center, is the crucial zone of the moment along the erupting 400-mile battlefront. General Ike is employing great striking power there in an effort to break through to the Rhine, and naturally that's where the Nazis have concentrated all the strength they can spare from their depleted forces.

Of course, this doesn't necessarily mean the Allies won't achieve a breakthrough at some other point or points. However, it's the most promising route into Hitlerdom and such is being exploited.

Now in order to meet the terrific pressure on this strategic sector the Nazis have been compelled to withdraw troops and equipment from other sectors which are less vital. They just haven't the soldiers to send many of the forces which they do have are scrapings of their manpower and are being sacrificed as cannon fodder.

This shifting of German troops is exactly what Eisenhower figured on, and his army commanders are taking advantage of his successful tactics. Thus we see spectacular Allied gains at points which we had

come to regard as inland Gibraltar, and in fact would be if held in full strength. The Nazis have been forced to fall back at numerous places, abandoning powerful positions—and that's the point I want to make. Some of the sensational Allied gains have been due in part to the fact that the enemy was retreating to fresh defenses.

That in no way detracts from the magnificent work done by the pursuing Allies, for it has taken bloody fighting and superb leadership to oust the Germans from these strongholds and drive them north to retreat. However, we should recognize that he who runs away lives to fight another day, and the Nazis who are retreating still must be dealt with further back. Let's not get into the frame of mind of some folk back at the time of the German retreat from Normandy, when wishful thinkers were saying the war would be over in three weeks.

The Allied armies on the right flank have been marking up sensational gains. General Patton's success in banking and capturing Metz—one of the world's strongest fortresses for over 2,000 years—has been followed by the French capture of Belfort, another stronghold, and a drive clear to the Rhine at Kembs. This has had the effect of flanking the German line and compelling them to rush back towards the Rhine to keep from being cut off.

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## British Advance On Italian Front

By LYNN HEINZELING  
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## Says All-Out Effort Is Necessary For Victory

By EDWARD KENNEDY  
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**Social and Personal**

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**Porter-Mills.**  
The wedding of Miss Elsie Mae Mills of Greenville and Washington, D. C., and Chief Petty Officer Genery Stanchil Porter, USN, of Chicago, was solemnized Saturday afternoon, November 18, at 3 o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents. Elder J. B. Roberts officiated at the ceremony. The ceremony was performed before an improvised altar with seven-branched candelabra holding burning tapers. Tall standards of chrysanthemums were also used. The ceremony was performed in the presence of the immediate families and a few close friends.

Mrs. Hobbie Deal of Ayden, attended her sister as matron of honor. She wore an off-white wool dress with black accessories. Mrs. Mills, mother of the bride, wore a dress of black crepe with black accessories.

Harold Mills, nephew of the bride, lighted the candles. The bride and bridegroom entered together. She wore an ice blue wool dress with brown accessories, and a string of pearls, a family heirloom.

Following the wedding, the bridal couple left for a short wedding trip. After December 1st, Porter will return to Washington and Chief Petty Officer Porter will return to San Diego, Calif.

Mrs. Porter is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jethro H. Mills of Greenville. She attended Greenville High School and graduated from East Carolina Teachers College. She attended George Washington University in Washington.

At present she is a laboratory technician at Sibley Memorial Hospital, Washington, D. C.

Chief Petty Officer Porter is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Porter of Chicago. He attended Grimesland High School and North Carolina State College, Raleigh. He enlisted in the Navy four years ago and served as chief torpedoman aboard his ship. He has served in the South Pacific for the greater part of the war.

**TV Sponsor 'Stunt Night'**  
The senior class of Grifton High School will sponsor "stunt night" November 22 at 8 o'clock. A small admission will be charged. The public is cordially invited.

**To Debate Tonight.**  
The men of the Eighth Street Christian Church and their friends will meet tonight at 8 o'clock for fun and fellowship and a debate. Judge J. W. E. Roberts and Rev. Hartwell Campbell will debate the issue of universal military training. Mr. J. Knott Proctor is president of the men's class at the church and L. B. Fleming is chairman of the board of officers.

**Birth Announcement.**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hice announce the birth of a son, J. D., Jr., in Pitt General Hospital on Saturday, November 18, 1946.

Mrs. Hice is the former Miss Margaret Harris of this city.

**Social Calendar**

**TUESDAY**  
7:30 p. m.—Chapter 149 of the Eastern Star meets.

8:00 p. m.—St. Mary's Auxiliary of Episcopal Church meets in the Parish House.

**THURSDAY**  
10:30 a. m.—Union Thanksgiving services in the First Presbyterian Church.

8:00 p. m.—Christian Youth Council Thanksgiving services in the Episcopal Church.

**FRIDAY**  
4:00-5:00 p. m.—Mrs. E. C. Davenport and Miss Clarissa Edwards will entertain at tea in honor of Miss Dorothy Davenport, bride-elect.

6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club meets at Rotary building.

8:00 p. m.—Rehearsal for Dail-Davenport wedding in Bethany Baptist Church, Ayden, N. C.

9:00 p. m.—Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Davenport will entertain at a cake cutting, honoring the Dail-Davenport wedding party.

**SATURDAY**  
1:00 p. m.—Mrs. Leon L. Moore will entertain the Dail-Davenport wedding party and out-of-town guests at luncheon.

5:00 p. m.—The wedding of Miss Dorothy Davenport and Jack Dail, U. S. Army, will take place at Bethany Baptist Church, Ayden, N. C.

6:00 p. m.—Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Davenport will entertain at a reception, honoring the Dail-Davenport wedding party.

**Entertains For Officers.**  
On Friday evening at her home on the New Bern highway, Mrs. Uran Cox, worthy matron of Greenville Chapter No. 149 O. E. S., delightfully entertained the officers of the chapter. In a colorful setting of fall flowers the hostess served a delicious three-course dinner. Covers were laid for eighteen. Guests found their places by very attractive place cards denoting their stations.

During the social hour quiz games, contests and bingo brought much fun, and paid off with surprise prizes.

Mrs. Louise W. Wells, grand Electa of the Grant Chapter of North Carolina, was a special guest.

**Memorial Baptist T. E. L. Class.**  
The T. E. L. Class of the Memorial Baptist Church will meet Thursday night at 8 o'clock with Mrs. Betty Clark and Mrs. A. W. Hodnett on Biltmore street.

**AMERICAN RED CROSS**  
The Red Cross knitting room will be closed Thursday and Friday for the Thanksgiving holidays.

We are going to try and ship a box of army garments this week. If you have anything finished please turn it in as soon as possible.

**Thanksgiving Service.**  
A Thanksgiving service for the young people of Greenville will be held November 23 at 8 o'clock in the Presbyterian Church, the service being sponsored by the Christian Youth Movement.

The program will center around a talk by Kay VanNortwick on the things Americans have to be thankful for.

The Christian Youth Choir will render special Thanksgiving numbers and immediately following the service there will be a short installation service of the new Christian Youth Council officers.

All young people and adults are welcome and urged to attend.

**Stokes Book Club Meets.**  
The Stokes Book Club met with Mrs. George Roebuck in Stokes recently and enjoyed an interesting talk by Mrs. John I. Gray on "Denmark."

**Salvation Army Meeting.**  
The Salvation Army advisory board will have a supper meeting at the Olde Towne Inn this evening at 6:30. This will be a farewell meeting of Adpt. Elizabeth Speers who has resigned her post as head of the local Salvation Army post and is retiring. She will go to Baltimore next week to visit her sister. Miss Speers plans to be married during the Christmas holidays.

**Forty Years Ago Today**  
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Tuesday, Nov. 22, 1904

We don't feel like letting the subject drop, therefore remark again, that Greenville ought to have a building and loan association.

The turkey is in a good way to lose prestige as the chief dish at Thanksgiving dinner. If he gets to strutting around for much higher prices a substitute will take his place on the bill of fare.

Miss Mary Higgs returned this morning from Kinston.

**NEWS ABOUT SERVICEMEN**  
**Missing Soldier Returns**  
Pfc. Joseph V. Kittrell was reported missing in action September 23, but his mother, Mrs. Retha Kittrell of Winterville, received a letter from the War Department stating that he had returned back to his company on November 4.

**Lt. Tucker On Visit**  
First Lt. Claude Wayland Tucker, U. S. Army Ferrying Command, who has been on both Atlantic and Pacific duty, came yesterday to spend an 11-day furlough with his parents, Assistant Clerk of Superior Court and Mrs. Edwin F. Tucker, at their home, 525 Greene street. Lt. Tucker's wife came with him. Before marriage she was Miss Gay Dupree, formerly of Greenville.

**Back From Combat Area**  
First Lt. Lycurgus B. Ward, U. S. Army, stationed with General Pat-

ton's army in France, who was seriously wounded in battle last August, has arrived in New York. He will be sent to a recuperation center in the East. His wife, the former Miss African Morton, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Otis Morton, of Greenville, is living with her parents. They have a son, Lycurgus B. Ward, Jr.,

are progressively well and the play ought to be a success. The admission will be a war bond, as everyone is urged to turn in their stamps for a bond.

**BELL ARTHUR NEWS**  
Mrs. Mack G. Smith who underwent an operation for appendicitis at Park View Hospital about ten days ago, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. R. E. Willoughby is improving after having been confined to her home since last Monday.

Mrs. Alice White is visiting her granddaughter, Mrs. O. C. Collins, Jr., in Nashville.

Miss Beulah Rasberry of A. C. C., was at home for the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Childress spent

the week-end in Raleigh. Mr. Mack G. Smith spent Saturday night and Sunday in Rocky Mount.

Sympathy is extended Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Nichols who lost their six-year-old son Saturday.

Circle No. one of the Missionary Society met Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Austin Briley, with Mrs. I. U. Joyner assisting hostess.

Circle No. two men at the same hour with Mrs. Earl Flake and Mrs. P. S. Rasberry at the home of the former.

Capt. and Mrs. J. W. Perry of Wilson, spent several days recently with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nichols.

If you lack a clothesline, hangers hung from the shower rod can be used to hold drying clothes.

**Greenville High School News**  
By RUTH TAYLOR

Tomorrow afternoon after the Thanksgiving program all students will return to their home rooms to get Greenlights, which will be distributed during sixth period.

Mrs. Womble's two General Science classes visited the city water plant last Friday afternoon to learn about the purification of the water we drink. The trip, on the whole, was very informative.

Mrs. Trip's first and second period classes journeyed to Kinston today to visit the Caswell Training school. Since these classes have been studying the nervous system and various physical and mental diseases, they are making the trip to see examples of what they have been studying.

The first soccer practice is scheduled for next Monday. The practices were supposed to start a week ago, but the field has been too wet.

Soccer is the second of the five major sports being offered by the physical education department this year. The others are tennis, volleyball, basketball and softball.

"The Home Front," a patriotic play, will be presented in the High School auditorium on November 28 at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Mims, director of the play, states that the rehearsals

**Thanksgiving Dinner**  
**ROAST TURKEY**  
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**Thanksgiving Dinner Menu**  
"Greenville's Leading Restaurant"  
Cream of Celery Soup  
Lettuce and Tomato Salad  
Hot Apple Cider  
Roast Young Turkey  
with Oyster Dressing and Cranberry Sauce  
Asparagus Tips — Green Garden Peas  
Candied Yams—Creamed Potatoes—Cold Slaw  
Pumpkin Pie  
Hot Biscuits and Rolls with Butter  
Hot Coffee or Tea  
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**THOUSANDS OF AMERICANS ARE STILL IN JAP PRISONS**  
*What Will YOU Do About it?*  
  
**6 WAR LOAN**  
REMEMBER CORREGIDOR? Remember the pictures of grinning Japanese soldiers guarding American prisoners? We're out to wipe the grins off their faces. We're out to liberate thousands of American soldiers and civilians still in Jap prisons. That day can come only with final victory. We're out to finish the job the Japs started. The 6th War Loan Drive is part of the great national effort to win quick victory in the Pacific. The cost of victory comes high. It costs billions of dollars a month to fight Japan! But we know you'll do your full share, as you have in all the other war loan drives. Your full share is at least one extra \$100 War Bond. Buy more if you possibly can. War Bonds are your best insurance of a safe, independent future.  
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# STRAIGHT TALK

## ABOUT THE

# SIXTH WAR LOAN DRIVE

**A**S WE MOVE closer to victory, it wouldn't be surprising if you were saying to yourself—"What's the big idea of asking for all this additional money now? Isn't the war almost over?"

No sir, it is not! Not by a long shot. Of course, for many months now you've heard mostly about the war with Germany, where our greatest effort is concentrated. That's why many people have the idea that the war's practically over.

But make no mistake about it—nothing could be farther from the truth! The Japanese war is a tremendous undertaking, and victory will come high. We'll have to fight every inch of the way.

### Everything Costs More—in the Pacific War

The European war is expensive, but almost everything in the Pacific war will cost more. Take transport costs, for instance: Because of the longer distances, the same amount of freight costs 25 per cent more when shipped to the South Pacific than to Europe. And it takes twice as many cargo ships in the Pacific to support a task force of a given size because turn-around time is twice as great!

### More Planes . . . Tanks . . . Ships . . . Oil

In addition, we shall need more of everything. More B-29 Superfortresses that cost \$600,000 each. More P-47 Thunderbolts that cost \$50,000 each. More M-4 Tanks, with bulldozer blades, that cost \$67,417 each. More amphibious tanks

—more aircraft carriers—more supply ships—more gasoline and oil than it took for the invasion of Europe!

### Care for the Sick and Wounded

And lest anyone forget, we shall need more battalion aid stations—more clearing stations—more evacuation hospitals—more convalescent hospitals—more hospital ships.

For many, many years the sick, wounded, and otherwise disabled veterans will require medical attention and care. That's the least Uncle Sam can do in appreciation of what they've done for us.

### Maintenance for Millions

Did you ever stop to think how much money it costs to maintain the 11 to 12 million men and women in our army and navy? Whether the men are actually fighting or not, they must be fed, housed, transported from one training center or battle area to another, cared for in a hundred and one different ways. That all costs money and will continue to until the last man demobilized is back in civilian clothes.

In addition, millions of dollars will be required for mustering-out pay, for various benefits and services voted by Congress to help the boys get started in civilian life.

These are reasons enough why patriotic Americans will want to buy heavily during the Sixth War Loan. But here are still more—

### Winning the Peace—for Your Country

If we're to win the peace as well as the war, the cost of living must be kept down and the purchasing power of money preserved. A reckless inflation that would necessarily be followed by the catastrophe of deflation—with its unemployment, bankruptcies, misery and heartache—must be prevented at all cost.

Let's make no mistake—a dangerous period lies ahead. The American people have nothing to fear, however, if they show in the future the same common sense they have shown in the past, and continue to put every penny over rock-bottom expenses into the purchase of more and more War Bonds.

### Winning the Peace—for Yourself

Want another important reason? Yourself! There isn't a better or safer investment in the world today than War Bonds. In helping your country, you are also helping yourself! Never in our entire history has it been so necessary to save as right now. We'll need money, individually, for education, repairs, replacements, retirement—and we'll need a lot of it.

As you can see there are many reasons, important reasons, why our Government must have the financial support of everyone, and have it for many months to come.

Let all Americans do their part—for their own sake, for their country's.



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## Strength FOR THE DAY

By EARL L. DOUGLAS

### IS FREEDOM OF CHOICE A BLESSING?

For some reason known only to himself, God has given us free will. He commands us to do certain things, but we do not have to obey. He gives us wise counsel but we do not have to follow his advice. He marks out pathways in which we may walk and gives us light that we may see, but we can walk in pathways of our own choosing if we so desire and turn out backs on the light.

Yes, we can do all these things, but we cannot do them with impunity. We can disobey God if we want to, but in the end we shall have to pay for this disobedience. We can buck the universe as much as we like, but in the end the universe proves a pretty substantial thing for us to beat our heads against. It is when we start to exercise our free will and turn a deaf ear to God's commands that trouble begins. That is the meaning of the Garden of Eden story. The pair in the garden had everything a newly created world could furnish, including free will. By the wrong use of free will, they destroyed every advantage which had been theirs and made necessary their expulsion into a world infested with briars and alive with the spirit of evil.

Freedom of will is one of life's greatest privileges, if we use it properly. But it can blow us and our happiness into fragments, if we misuse it.

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### To the People of this Community

GI Joe in his Pacific foxhole—maybe he is your brother, husband, sweetheart or friend—is listening in on you today.



He knows you have a date with the Victory Volunteer, a neighbor with a War Bond order in his or her hand. The two of you may talk it over at your work bench, in your home. Will GI Joe pick up phrases like "I can't afford it," "I bought Bonds in the other drives," "I've just got to have that new dress," "See me tomorrow," "I'm tired of lending," "What, another Bond drive?" "Why do they have to have more money?" "We'll lick Japan with one hand tied behind our back?"

GI Joe counts on you to have enough sense and knowledge of the facts about the Pacific war to back him up in his foxhole. Any way you look at it, your answer to the Victory Volunteer will be the most important words you have spoken since Pearl Harbor. The extra \$100 War Bond you buy today is a War Bond with the most power. It gives GI Joe the support he must have at a time when he needs it most. It tells Tokyo you're in the fight to the finish.

THE EDITOR.

### Brief Session Of Civil Court Today

In Superior Court today four divorce decrees were granted on the grounds of two years' separation. Some minor matters were heard and Judge Richard D. Dixon of Edenton adjourned court for the day. The civil session will be resumed tomorrow morning.

Divorces were granted to the following couples: Ben F. Bennett against Beulah Bennett, Martha J. Taylor against James C. Taylor, Ethel L. Smith against William A. Smith and Raymond Spell against Louise Spell.

A judgment was granted yesterday to Edwards and Nobles. In suit against Jack Eason on an account for \$232.69 and interest from October 18, 1938 to August 19, 1941, and for \$233.50 with interest until paid.

Everybody Helping  
Clinton, Nov. 21 (AP)—Every-  
body is helping to get the cotton  
picked in Sampson County.  
A crippled farmer is picking from  
a chair and harvests about 60  
pounds a day.

## Poison Beer And Ale Being Sold

Boston, Nov. 21—(AP)—Andrew W. Allison, chief chemist of the Food and Drug Bureau, said today that thousands of cases of beer and ale are being seized and destroyed as "unsafe" in various parts of the country.

Allison said that the beverages were manufactured by the Commonwealth Brewing Company of Springfield and were found to contain fluorine, a member of the chlorine family, which is "in itself poisonous, depending upon the amount used."

He added that samples of the beer were analyzed on a "tip" that it contained a harmful preservative. Assistant U. S. Attorney Alfred G. Malagodi filed eight suits in Federal Court to recover cases of beer and ale, Allison said.

Malagodi said that the action was in the form of libels against the beer itself and not against the company. He said that there was no immediate action contemplated against the company.

Allison said officials of the concern would be given a hearing in Federal Court and that federal suits also had been filed in other states to recover the beer and ale.

## Two Firemen Lose Lives In Flames

Fallston, N. C., Nov. 21—(AP)—Two volunteer fire fighters were killed and another injured in an \$80,000 fire and explosion of undetermined origin here this morning. The fire destroyed a large brick building with three fronts, which occupied almost an entire block in the downtown section.

The dead were Claude Ross, 31, and Deputy Sheriff Tom Swezey, 38, who were crushed beneath a wall which collapsed when the explosion occurred. A negro, M. C. Bukes, had both legs broken. Witnesses said they believed another man to have been trapped by the wreckage of the wall, but a search of the smoldering ruins had not yet revealed a body, and no one was reported missing. The fire was discovered around six a. m.

## Cigarettes Selling \$4 Pack In Paris

London, Nov. 21—(AP)—The halting of cigarette sales at all U. S. army post exchanges in Europe, except at air force combat stations led the army newspaper "Stars and Stripes" today to demand an answer from Washington "to the question which is in the mind of every GI smoker—where are the cigarettes?"

The army said a critical shortage and priorities for combat forces on the continent caused the ban on sales. Hospital patients and combat personnel will still be able to smoke their favorite brands from the states.

British cigarettes cost about 50 cents for a package of 20. British tinnies are rationed 45 English cigarettes a week.

In Paris supreme headquarters promised a report on the cigarette situation in the French capital and many other rear areas, where U. S. soldiers were also told they could get no cigarettes.

American cigarettes were selling on the Paris black market at \$4 per package.

## Allied Armies ...

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ever-increasing pressure until victory is won.

Six Allied armies were heaping on the pressure at quickening pace. The U. S. Seventh and Third armies, swarming eastward in the other blade of a French-American scissors, hit and broke Nazi resistance.

At the north end of the front, beyond Aachen, American and British armies had cut through fierce German opposition to within some three miles of the Roer river, the last natural defense barrier short of the Rhine near Cologne.

British troops in southeastern Holland were eliminating the Nazis from the west banks of the Meas before Venlo, a gate to the Ruhr.

In the battle area east and northeast of Aachen, the American First and Ninth armies and the British Second army pushed their lines slowly toward Cologne—approximately 26 miles beyond the American vanguards—and the Rhine against increasingly furious German resistance marked by tank-led counterattacks which slowed but failed to stop the Allied drive to crack the Reich's strongest defenses.

The Germans threw 20 to 30 tanks against American Ninth army units at Scheiden, seven miles southeast of captured Gelfenkirchen, but Lt. Gen. William H. Simpson's men repulsed this blow and advanced a mile and a half northeast capturing Aldenhoven on the road to Julich, three miles away. Julich is a bastion in the Roer River, a strong natural defense before the Rhine. Earlier the Ninth army breached a formidable 10-mile-long German antitank ditch.

## New Red Drive ...

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and two miles south and southeast of the city.

Berlin reports on the Latvian offensive said the Russians had thrown huge infantry, tank, plane and artillery forces against the Germans on a 30-mile front near Liepaja, one of the two Baltic escape ports left to the Nazis.

The German accounts said the Russians had ripped holes in the Axis lines in violent fighting entering its third day, but claimed counterattacks had nullified the Red Army gains.

The Russian midnight war bullet said that southwest of Jelgava, 97 miles east of Liepaja, the Germans were dislodged from some positions in hand-to-hand fighting. Berlin asserted fighting was particularly fierce near Priekule, 20 miles southeast of Liepaja.

## N. O. Warren ...

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has been a director of Guaranty Bank and Trust Company for a number of years.

Mr. Warren enjoyed a host of friends throughout this section. His favorite poem was Samuel Walter Foss' "House by the Side of the Road" and he followed its sentiment by being a "friend to man."

He was an Elder in the local Presbyterian church and active in the organization's work in this community.

On April 11, 1916 he married Miss Mary Shelburn, of this city, who survives him. Other survivors include his mother, Mrs. Susie W. Warren, of this city, two brothers, B. S. Warren, of this city and W. B. Warren, of Asheville, and four sisters, Mrs. H. L. Hodges and Mrs. E. T. Lloyd, of this city, Mrs. E. H. Smith, of Weldon and Mrs. George Sharpe, of Burlington.

## Superfortresses ...

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the 20th Air Force, earlier today made a brief announcement here of the new Superfortress strike.

The first report said merely that "a large task force of B-29 aircraft" attacked industrial targets on Kyushu, the mission being carried out from China bases by General Curtis E. LeMay's 20th bomber command.

(Tokyo radio reported 70 or 80 American Superfortresses struck in two waves at Nagasaki and Omura areas of western Kyushu island in southern Japan today.)

A Domei news agency report predicted that later Japanese radio accounts would report further "enormous losses" after an "investigation" of the air battle.

(Tokyo said low hanging clouds blanketed the area and prevented "accurate bombing attacks." As usual, Domei reported "damages suffered by our side were extremely light.")

On previous B-29 raids against Kyushu, the big aircraft center of Omura was the primary target. On October 25 Omura was hit hard and

then on November 11 the B-29's returned in a mission to destroy all the center's structures still left standing.

## O'Neal Speaker At Meeting Of Grange

Winston-Salem Nov. 21—(AP)—Edward A. O'Neal, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, told the National Grange today that farmers should organize their political resources "to make themselves heard in the halls of legislatures."

Referring to the CIO Political Action Committee, the Chicagoan said "if necessary we should pass the hat" for funds.

"We can not elect a President," he said, "but we can elect Senators and Congressmen."

"God help us," he said "if we let the corrupt city political machines gain control of this country. The more I see of the cities, the more I know the farmers have to take charge."

O'Neal advocated post-war price control, asserting that "farmers will have to pay a terrible price unless they are protected by price controls."

The Farm Bureau Federation chief, however, advocated unlimited production for farmers at lower prices, rather than controlled production at higher prices.

## Rotary Club Backs Sale Of War Bonds

By WYATT BROWN  
"Victory Comes High" a movie short produced by the United States Navy was exhibited last night at the weekly meeting of the Greenville Rotary Club. Following that was shown a movie short produced by the army. Both were presenting the idea of the great sacrifice and awfulness of war and the need of citizens' backing of the Sixth War Bond drive.

John Fleming presented the opportunity for Rotarians to contribute for boxes to be sent to Marines in the hospital at Camp Lejeune. Last Christmas the Rotarians sent 50 boxes. The total was not announced last night but every Rotarian contributed.

Colonel Phil Goodson, chairman of the National War Service Committee, announced the Rotarians' plan for helping in the Sixth War Bond drive. Major Jerry Vaden and Major Reade Perkins were each given one-half of the Rotary membership. Major Vaden chose the following for his captains: Carl Adams, Robert Darr, James Egan and Guy Evans. Major Perkins appointed the following captains: Dr. Alfred Schultz, Charles White, Foster Young, and Ollie VanNortwick. The winning battalion will be determined by how many members of each buy bonds, sell bonds and the total of bonds bought and sold.

Rotarians George W. Davis and Curtis Flanagan of Farmville were visiting Rotarians last night. Guests of the club were Judge Richard D. Dixon of Edenton and Lt. John Mc-

Laughlin of Rochester, N. Y., now stationed at the local Marine base.

## Discuss Gas And Oil Raleigh Meet

In accordance with the provisions of Section 119-26, Consolidated Statutes of 1943, notice is hereby given all parties that the North Carolina Gasoline and Oil Inspection Board will hold a public hearing in Raleigh, on November 30, 1944 at 9:30 A. M. in Room 119 of the Agriculture Building, on the corner of Edenton and Halifax streets.

All interested parties are invited to attend this hearing and present their views concerning any changes that should be made, on account of recent directives of the Petroleum Administration For War, in the specifications for the two grades of gasoline marketed in the State of North Carolina that were formally adopted by the Gasoline and Oil Inspection Board on December 10, 1943 or any other matters pertaining to petroleum products within the jurisdiction of said board.

## U. D. C. In Golden Jubilee Meeting

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 21—(AP)—United Daughters of the Confederacy gathered here today for the opening session of their four day golden jubilee convention.

Highlighting today's program was unveiling of a portrait of the late Mrs. Caroline Merrivether Goddett of Nashville, first president and founder of the organization.

The Tennessee Historical Commission will present the portrait to Gov. Prentice Cooper for placement in the state capitol.

## Today On The ...

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He said that as of now living costs have risen 30 per cent, 4.5 per cent higher than the 25.5 per cent shown in the index. The difference is due to some "hidden" factors like those mentioned by the AFL and CIO.

So—since 1942 when living costs and wages both were supposed to be pegged at no more than 15 per cent above Jan. 1, 1941—living costs have risen another 15 per cent.

But whatever happened to the CIO steelworkers demand—back in the winter of 1943—for a flat increase of 17 cents an hour?

After considering the case for a year, WLB has decided not to decide. Granting the increase would break the Little Steel Formula. If

that happened price controls might have to be eased.

WLB therefore is turning CIO case over to the President to decide.

WLB might try to pacify the CIO a little by granting some special increases to steelworkers—for so-called inequities that have arisen—but this wouldn't satisfy the AFL. It probably wouldn't satisfy the CIO, either.

## Chest Colds

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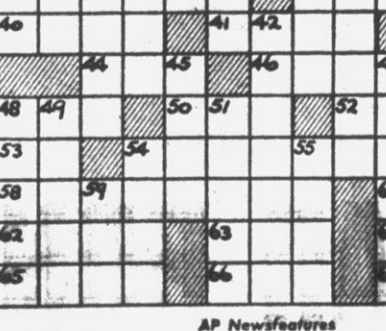
## Crossword Puzzle

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|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| ACROSS                      | 35. Process of doing something |
| 1. Genus of the maple tree  | 40. On the ocean               |
| 5. Gypsy                    | 41. Every                      |
| 8. City in Portugal         | 42. New Testament              |
| 12. Affection               | 43. Spelling of Noah           |
| 13. Anger                   | 44. Total                      |
| 14. Body of a church        | 46. Pin used in a certain game |
| 15. Dilated                 | 48. Existed                    |
| 16. Addressed               | 49. Indian mulberry            |
| 18. Four                    | 52. Frog                       |
| 19. Release from obligation | 53. Short for a man's name     |
| 2. Patron saint of sailors  | 54. Missions                   |
| 24. Bird in Africa          | 56. Hawaiian bird              |
| 25. Weak                    | 58. Laborious                  |
| 26. City in north           | 59. Goat                       |
| 28. Serpent                 | 62. Slaten fences              |
| 30. Gnome by Greek          | 64. abbr.                      |
| 31. Grows drowsy            | 65. Sheet of glass             |
| 33. Segments of curves      | 66. Dutch city                 |
| 36. Hired                   | 67. Drugs                      |

## Solution Of Yesterday's Puzzle

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| DOWN   | 5. Frees                                       |
| 1. Regiment                                    | 6. Meteor seeming to come from Orion           |
| 2. Comes closer together                       | 7. European                                    |
| 3. Preceding night                             | 8. Prose                                       |
| 4. Peak down                                   | 9. Diaphanous                                  |
| 10. Genus of this                              | 11. Immerse again                              |
| 11. Immerse again                              | 12. Decid plant                                |
| 12. Decid plant                                | 13. Pioneer                                    |
| 13. Pioneer                                    | 14. Wild animal                                |
| 14. Wild animal                                | 15. Rites fast to                              |
| 15. Rites fast to                              | 16. Ancient Irish capital                      |
| 16. Ancient Irish capital                      | 17. Held a session                             |
| 17. Held a session                             | 18. Bag  |
| 18. Bag  | 19. Place for winger storage of dormant plants |
| 19. Place for winger storage of dormant plants | 20. Old-time                                   |
| 20. Old-time                                   | 21. Greek letter                               |
| 21. Greek letter                               | 22. Young person                               |
| 22. Young person                               | 23. Alibi                                      |
| 23. Alibi                                      | 24. Sense of wrongdoing                        |
| 24. Sense of wrongdoing                        | 25. Planet                                     |
| 25. Planet                                     | 26. Hanging ornament                           |
| 26. Hanging ornament                           | 27. Route used to send Indian canoes           |
| 27. Route used to send Indian canoes           | 28. Hawaiian farewell                          |
| 28. Hawaiian farewell                          | 29. Poor old woman                             |
| 29. Poor old woman                             | 30. Otherwise                                  |
| 30. Otherwise                                  | 31. Glacial snow field                         |
| 31. Glacial snow field                         | 32. Metal-bearing rocks                        |
| 32. Metal-bearing rocks                        | 33. Masculine name                             |
| 33. Masculine name                             | 34. Before: prenx                              |

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We will be open as long as there is any tobacco to be sold.

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**WANTED - PECANS. CAN USE** what you have. Contact us. Dial's Hatchery, Avden, N. C. 1-mo.

**Grain Market** Chicago, Nov. 21-(AP)-Grain prices were irregular in the futures trade today, advancing during the early part of the session only to decline under the pressure of profit taking. Just before the close the

strength of corn caused other markets to rally slightly. At the close wheat was unchanged to 1/2 higher than yesterday's finish, December \$1.85 1/2. Corn was up 1/4 to 3/4, December \$1.10. Oats were up 1/4 to 1/2, December 65. Rye was 1/4 to 1/2 higher, December \$1.00 1/2. Barley was unchanged to 1/4 higher, December \$1.05.

**New York Cotton** New York, Nov. 21-(AP)-Cotton futures opened 15 to 25 cents a bale higher. Noon prices were unchanged to 15 cents a bale higher. Dec. 21.63, March 21.71, May 21.75. Futures closed 35 to 40 cents a bale lower. Open Last Prv. Cl. Dec. 21.55 21.52 21.60 March 21.73 21.63 21.70 May 21.76 21.64 21.72 July 21.58 21.47 21.55 Oct. 20.86 20.76 20.84 Middling spot 21.99, off 8.

**N. Y. Stock Market** New York, Nov. 21-(AP)-Rails, motors, steels and oils led another selective recovery excursion in today's stock market on a little more speed than has accompanied rising sessions of past weeks. Gains of fractions to more than a point, with an assortment of 1944 highs, were well distributed near the close although a number of minus signs persisted. Transfers ran to around 900,000 shares despite slowdowns after midday.

**FINAL STOCKS**

Allegheny	2 1/2
Al Chem and Dye	149
Allis Chal Mfg	37 1/2
Am Can	87 1/2
Am Car Fdy	38 3/4
Am Roll Mill	14 1/4
Am Smelt and Ref	39 3/4
A T and T	103 1/2
Am Tob B	65 1/2
Anacosta	27 1/2
Arm Hi	5 1/2
A C L	39 3/4
Atl Ref	26 1/2
Aviat Corp	4 1/2
Baldwin	24 1/2
B and O	8 1/2
Barnsdall	15 1/2
Hendrix Aviat	45 1/2
Beth Stl	62 1/2
Boeing Airpt	17 1/2
Borden	34 1/2
Budd Mfg	10 1/2
Carl Mills	39 3/4
Bar Add Mach	14
Caterpil Trac	47 1/2
Ches and O	47 1/2
Chrysler	30 1/2
Coca Cola	37 1/2
Comm Credit	38
Coml Solv	15 1/2
Consol Edis	24 1/2
Cont Can	39
Corn Prod	60 1/2
Curtiss Wright	6 1/2
Doug Airc	65
Dow Chem	123
Dupont	169 1/2
Eastman Kod	153
Firestone	51 1/2
Gen Elec	39 1/2
Gen Foods	42
Gen Mot	61 1/2
Goodrich	49 1/2
Goodyear	47
Int Harvest	78
Int Tel and Tel	78
Johns Man	96 1/2
Kennecott	35 1/2
Lig and Myers B	78 1/2
Loews	71 1/2
Lorillard	19
Mont Ward	52 1/2
Nash Kelv	15 1/2
Nat Biscuit	23 1/2
Nat Cash Reg	30 1/2
Nat Dist	35 1/2
N Y Cent	19 1/2
No Am Aviat	9
Packard	5 1/2
Parlin Pic	27 1/2
Penney J C	110
Penn RR	30
Pepsi Cola	64 1/2
Phillips Pet	49 1/2
Pullman	47 1/2
Pure Oil	15 1/2
Radio	10

**South In Line For Waterways Program** Washington, Nov. 21-(AP)-The South is in line for \$600,000,000 in postwar waterways, canals, harbors, dams and what-not. They're stored up in two big grab bags—a billion-dollar flood control bill, under scrutiny today of the Senate floor, and a half-billion dollar river and harbors bill, waiting for its turn. If the flood control proposal comes through intact, \$370,715,400 will go to harness rivers in the southern states from Virginia to Texas. The South's \$261,615,080 share of the rivers and harbors bill includes the two most costly projects—the \$66,000,000 Tennessee-Tombigbee and \$60,000,000 Alabama-Coosa waterways.

**Many Legislators Were There Before** Raleigh, Nov. 21-(AP)-Of the 170 legislators to take their seats in January, 112 have had previous legislative experience. Ninety-one of them are in the house and 21 in the senate. The house will be composed of 106 Democrats and 14 Republicans, and the senate of 47 Democrats and three Republicans.

**Governor Declines To Stay Executions** Raleigh, Nov. 21-(AP)-Governor Broughton today refused to intervene in the scheduled execution Friday of George Brooks, 20, and James W. Buchanan, 20, negroes convicted in Mecklenburg county of raping a white woman after they escaped from a prison gang. Brooks, serving four years for housebreaking, and Buchanan, 12 months for larceny, escaped the road gang on May 29 and committed the crime late the same day. The negroes were convicted in Mecklenburg County Superior Court in June. Their appeal to the State Supreme Court was never perfected.

**Trouble in Bolivia** La Paz, Bolivia, Nov. 21-(AP)-The government radio announced last night that two army officers and two civilians had been executed in the city of Oruro for an attempt to overthrow the Villarroel regime. The government declared the revolt had been stamped out. **NOTICE OF RENTAL OF REAL PROPERTY** In the matter of Amos Mills, Jr., Vivian Mills Patrick, James Mills, individually, and Archie Mae Mills and Robert Lee Mills, infants, the last two appearing by their next friend, James Mills; and J. H. Harrell, Administrator. Under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in that certain order entered by J. F. Harrington, Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, in the above entitled proceeding on November 20, 1944, I will at the Court House in Greenville, North Carolina, on December 12, 1944, at 12:00 noon, offer for rent for the year 1945, to the highest bidder, the cash the Amos Mills' homestead in Winterville Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of Jesse Smith on the South; A. W. Ange and Prince Smith on the East; Rina Worthington on the North; and the old New Berna-Greenville Highway on the West; said tract of land containing approximately 55 acres in cultivation with a tobacco allotment of 15 acres. The successful bidder will be required to deposit ten percent awaiting confirmation by the Court. This the 20th day of Nov. 1944. J. H. HARRELL, Administrator of Estate of Amos Mills. Nov. 21-1w-3wk.

**BACKACHE, LEG PAINS MAY BE DANGER SIGN Of Tired Kidneys** If backache and leg pains are making you miserable, don't just complain and do nothing about them. Nature may be warning you that your kidneys need attention. The kidneys are Nature's chief way of taking excess acids and poisonous waste out of the blood. They help most people pass about 3 pints a day. If the 15 miles of kidney tubes and filters don't work well, poisonous waste matter stays in the blood. This causes many ailing conditions: backaches, rheumatic pains, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headaches and dizziness. Frequent or scanty passages with smarting and burning sometimes shows there's something wrong with your kidneys or bladder. Don't wait! Ask your druggist for Doan's Pills, used successfully by millions for over 40 years. They give happy relief and will help the 15 miles of kidney tubes flush out poisonous waste from the blood. Get Doan's Pills.

**Plenty of dry pine wood, kindling wood and stove wood, cut to your requirements.** **We Deliver** **Dial 2789** **PITT COAL AND WOOD CO.**

**Bright Sayings of Children** "Ma says, it ain't ettakit to eat bread and gravy." "Well, me and pop believe in easin' up on the ettakit when the gravy's good and brown and the bread is..." **ALWAYS ASK FOR ALPHABET BREAD AT YOUR FAVORITE STORE BAKED IN GREENVILLE BY C&S BAKING CO.**

**WILSON'S WEEKLY Bulletin** By George Rector Food and Nutrition Consultant to Wilson & Co. **THANKSGIVING SUPPER... ACCENT ON GLAMOUR**

If ever food was truly "glamorous," it was back in the good old days at Rector's. Sooner or later, every wandering gourmet from here and abroad found his way to our famous Broadway establishment. It was, indeed, a rendezvous for celebrities of every nationality, and often to pay them honor, we named our very most special dishes after them. Chicken Tetraxini was named in honor of the famous Italian soprano, who was a frequent guest at Rector's. Today's recipe is an adaptation, using turkey.



**Turkey Tetraxini—as made at Rector's**

1/2 lb. spaghetti	3 cups cooked shredded turkey (8 oz.) can	the next 3 ingredients. Add shredded turkey to one half of the sauce and the cooked spaghetti and mushrooms to the remaining half. Add salt if necessary. Place spaghetti in a margarine baking dish, making a hole in the center and banking it around sides of dish. Pour turkey mixture in the center, sprinkle grated cheese over top and bake in a moderate oven, 375° F., until lightly browned—about 10 minutes. Serves 6.
6 tbsp. Wilson's Certified Margarine	1 (8 oz.) can sliced mushrooms	
6 tbsp. flour	3 tbsp. grated Parmesan cheese	
3 cups top milk		

Break spaghetti into small pieces and cook in a large amount of boiling, salted water (1 tsp. salt to 1 qt. water) until tender. Drain. Make a white sauce of

**FOR AN "ELEGANT" SUPPER** If you're having just a family dinner on Thanksgiving Day, this Turkey Tetraxini should inspire you to use your left-over turkey in a supper dish that really calls for having a few friends in to enjoy it with you. It may be baked in a large casserole if more convenient. **Make Your Own** Just use ice box dough for breadsticks. Take dough from refrigerator about three hours before serving time. When light (after about 1 1/4 hrs.), shape into small balls, cover and let rest 10 to 15 min. Then roll each ball with palm of hand to make long strip about 1/4 inch thick. Place on greased baking sheet, let rise until double in bulk, bake in hot oven, 400° F., for 10 min. Reduce heat and bake at 350° F. for 20 to 30 min. Insert yours for more "at home" suppers. George Rector **SIXTH WAR LOAN - NOV. 20 THRU DEC. 10** Buy at least one extra \$100 War Bond... more if you possibly can... and over here till it's over over there.



**Emily Post says** Upon the death of a friend you should go at once to the house, write "With Sympathy" on your card and leave it at the door. Or, you write a letter to the family. In either case you send flowers, addressed either to the funeral (name of the deceased) or to the nearest relative. The latter method is preferable, if the relative is a friend. But the former method is followed if the deceased alone was known to you. On the card accompanying the flowers, and addressed to one of the family, you write "With sympathy," or "With deepest sympathy," or "With heartfelt sympathy." Florist Telegraph Delivery Association **Greenville Florist Co.**

**EVERYBODY'S GOING PEPSI!**

**PEPSI-COLA** **PEPSI-COLA COMPANY, LONG ISLAND CITY, N. Y.** Franchised Bottlers: Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company of Greenville.

**"I'm THE FAMILY Treasurer!"** So I make sure a worthwhile part of the family income is put into War Bonds and in savings, so we'll have funds to take care of sickness or other emergency, or for the children's education. You are invited to buy your War Bonds here, and to open a savings account, insured to \$5,000. **Home Building & Loan Ass'n.** 403 Evans Street Estb. 1906 Authorized Capital \$5,000,000

**For goodness sake GIVE SOMETHING USEFUL** Christmas is just around the corner, you'll want to give her something that's useful. **LET US SUGGEST:** ● A Living Room Suite ● Bed Room Suite ● Odd Chairs ● Handy Table ● A Beautiful Lamp ● Pictures and Mirrors **NEW ARRIVALS** Lovely breakfast room suite in maple, chairs plain or upholstered, priced moderately, heavy porcelain. Coal heaters, the kind that spell economy. **BOSTIC-SUGG FURNITURE CO.** 118 E. 3rd St. Greenville, N. C.

Says All-Out...

said that the German leaders, with nothing to lose by continuing the war, had in the Gestapo a weapon powerful enough to compel the German people to fight on.

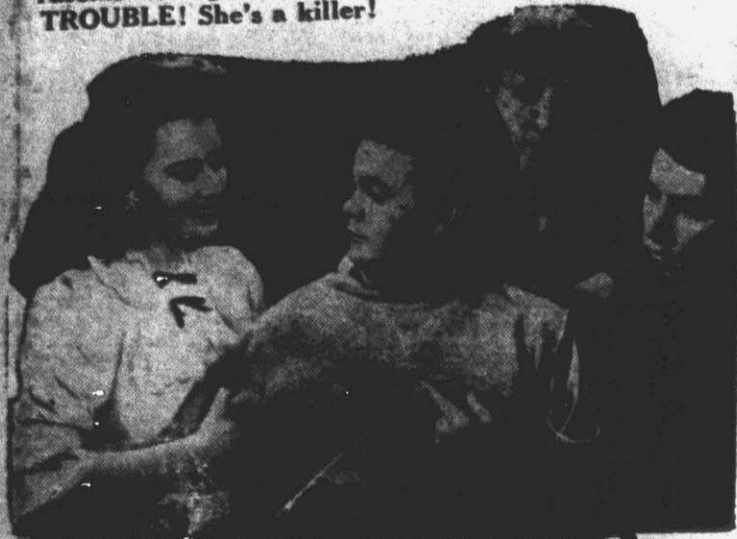


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LOVE IS BLOOMIN' ON THE BOWERY

Something new for your favorite rascals to fight about... GIRL TROUBLE! She's a killer!

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THE EAST SIDE KIDS "BLOCK BUSTERS"

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Phantoms To Play Final Game Here Friday Night

Friday night at 8 o'clock in Guy Smith stadium the fighting Green Phantoms conclude their 1944 football season by meeting the once defeated Elizabeth City Yellow Jackets.

In all probability this contest should turn out to be one of the best games of the season. The Phantoms trounced the New Bern Bears last Friday, thereby making their record up to date four victories and four defeats.

The Phantoms were beaten by the Jackets 7-6 in a previous contest in Elizabeth City.

Coach Clark's Greensies have suffered quite a number of injuries this season but the team as a whole should be in better condition for this game than they have been for any other game this year.

Six seniors will be playing their final game for GHS. They are Amos Leggett, Dennis Fleming, "Cotton" Jordan, Charles Rice, Lawrence Posey and Ralph Parkerson.

The probable starting line-up will be Batchelor and Fleming, ends; Lupton and Rice, tackles; Dall and Clark, guards; Williams, center; Perkins, tailback; Futrelle, fullback; Jordan, blockingback; Leggett, wingback.

A huge crowd is expected to be present to boost the Phantoms to a victory in their final game.

Dr. Potts Speaks At A.A.U.W. Meet

Dr. W. A. Pott of Pitt General Hospital staff, speaking last night at an open meeting of the A. A. U. W. in the New Classroom building of the college, referred to the difficulty commonly felt in understanding what is happening in the relations between the United States and China, and then devoted his time to giving a background for understanding and interpretation of news that comes from the Far East. Dr. Pott was introduced by Miss Agnes Pulliove, of the program committee.

Preceding the program a brief business meeting of the executive committee was held in the reception room of the building. From this meeting, the president, Mrs. Ethel R. Waters, brought to the group, before the program, matters of business needing the attention of the whole group.

The speaker took the historical approach to his subject. Picking out highlights of history in the Far East in the past fifty years, Dr. Pott, who has spent many years in China, said that China has been a nation in the family of nations which has always "been on the spot." She has not been a nation of any military

strength, and yet has had to build an army to defend herself.

The decision, in 1911, of this nation to become a republic meant the setting up of the Republican government in eighteen provinces ruled by bandit-like military leaders and the result was civil war. While a central government was struggling into being, Russia and Japan took advantage of the chaos - Russia, to initiate a Communist movement and Japan, to carry out political, territorial and trade designs on her neighbor - while the rest of the world tried in more friendly ways to help China get straightened out.

The speaker then showed how Japan has obviously been carrying out her plan of dominating Manchuria, Mongolia, China proper, and the United States. When she saw, after Guadalcanal, he said, that she had lost, she began a campaign to ally China with her in a war of the yellow race against the white.

Our real difficulty is, declared Dr. Pott, to decide which of the three governments now in China to support - the Russia-dominated one in the northwest, the weak democratic one at Chungking, or the Japanese puppet one at Nanking. The Chinese are likely not to become friendly with the Japanese, he said, but did not seem so sure about the Chinese attitude toward Russia. Though corruption weakens the central government, he believes, this country should hesitate to encourage a coalition between it and the stronger one dominated by Russia.

The talk, followed by an open forum in which Dr. Pott answered many pertinent questions as to the attitude of the various nations and leaders in the Far East.

Mayor Proclaims Seal Anniversary

Mayor B. B. Sugg yesterday urged all residents of Greenville to join the campaign to preserve health standards on the home front by supporting the Christmas Seal Sale of the Pitt County Tuberculosis Association which is being sponsored this year by the Junior Woman's Club of Greenville. The sale, which marks the fortieth anniversary of the first Christmas Seal, will open Monday and continue through Christmas.

The Mayor's proclamation follows:

Whereas, 1944 is the fortieth anniversary of the founding of the National Tuberculosis Association, and

Whereas Christmas 1944 is the fortieth anniversary of the sale of the first Christmas Seal to support a health program; and

Whereas, tuberculosis is one of the most dangerous enemies of mankind, killing one person every nine minutes and causing the death of more men and women between the ages of 15 and 45 than any other disease, even, though the death rate has been cut 75 per cent in the last 40 years, and

Whereas, our country needs a united, healthy people to bring the war to a speedy and victorious conclusion, but the danger of a rise in the incidence of tuberculosis is particularly great in time of war, and

Whereas, the Pitt County Tuberculosis Association, one of 2,500 affiliates of the national organization, is waging an intelligent and effective battle against this disease in our community,

Therefore, I, the Mayor of Greenville, do urge the people of Greenville to observe the fortieth anniversary of the first Christmas Seal Sale by supporting the 1944 Seal drive, opening Monday, Nov. 27, in order that our community may continue to benefit from the health program of the Pitt County Tuberculosis Association.

Don't scrub or rub clothes too vigorously, else you will wear holes in the garment.

THANKSGIVING EVE Late Show Beg. 11 p. m.

Advertisement for Bette Davis in 'Mr. Skeffington' at the Pitt Theatre. Includes showtimes and cast members like Claude Rains and Walter Abel.

Civil Service Now For Town Of Ayden

The director of the Fourth United States Civil Service Region announced the establishment of a Board of United States Civil Service Examiners in the post office at Ayden, N. C., to serve as a source of public information concerning the announcements of examinations for federal civil service positions and their requirements, applications, and other pertinent civil service matters.

Designated as secretary of the board is Mrs. Pauline C. Taylor. She urges the people of this area to avail themselves of the opportunity of obtaining applications for positions and making inquiries regarding Civil Service information by contacting the office of the board of United States Civil Service examiners in the post office.

Immature green tomatoes that show no signs of turning color are good for cooking and preserving.

The Movies Today

PITT—Maria Montez, Jon Hall in Technicolor, "Gypsy Wildcat." STATE—Tom Keene in "Arizona Roundup." Cartoon and Novelty.

PITT TODAY-WED. In Technicolor! "GYPSY WILDCAT" with Maria Montez, Jon Hall, Leo Carrillo

Large advertisement for Taft Furniture Company featuring 'Thanksgiving Values' in bedroom furniture. Includes images of bedroom suites and pricing information like '\$69.50'.

Advertisement for 'Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs' musical production. Includes showtimes (5 to 5:15 P.M. Wednesday Afternoon) and station information (WGTC Greenville).

Advertisement for William Penn Blended Whiskey. Features a bottle image and pricing: Pint \$1.85, Fifth \$3.00. Gooderham & Worts Limited, Peoria, Illinois.

Advertisement for Esso motor oil featuring a squirrel character. Text: 'HE KNOWS WINTER'S COMING!... A RED SQUIRREL STORES AWAY 1/2 BUSHEL OF NUTS FOR WINTER. INSTINCT PROTECTS HIM AGAINST COLD WEATHER!' Includes Esso logo and 'Standard Oil Company of New Jersey'.

Advertisement for Lions Club event. Title: 'Lions Club Enjoys Presence Lionesses'. Mentions a banquet at the High School cafeteria.

Advertisement for radio program '10-24 Time Martha Mears and Sons of the Pioneers'. Includes station information: WGTC MON. 1:00 P.M. WED. 1 P.M. FRI.

Advertisement for Esso motor oil featuring a man in a cap. Text: 'HELP'S SHORT THESE DAYS - SO IF YOU PHONE BEFORE YOU COME, I'LL HELP A LOT.' Includes Esso logo and 'Standard Oil Company of New Jersey'.

Advertisement for Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs movie. Includes cartoon characters and showtimes: Pitt - Thur.-Fri.

Advertisement for Pitt Coal and Wood Co. Title: 'Plenty of dry pine wood, kindling wood and stove wood, cut to your requirements.' Includes phone number Dial 2789.

Advertisement for F. A. Edmundson and Company Tax Experts. Title: 'NOTICE'. Includes text: 'All taxpayers who were required to file an estimate, or an amended estimate as the case may be, of their income tax of last year on or before December 15th, will under the new law be required to file their estimates, or amended estimates for the year 1944, on or before January 15, 1945.'

Large advertisement for Home Furniture Store. Features images of bedroom suites and text: 'Bedroom Suites • Maple • Walnut Decorated • Mahogany \$89.50 up'. Includes store address: 'Corner Eighth Street and Dickinson Avenue'.