

WEATHER

Partly cloudy and not quite so cold tonight. Sunday, increasing cloudiness with little change in temperature.

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RUSSIAN OFFENSIVE ROLLS AHEAD

Third Army Gains Three Miles On 20 Mile Front

Allied Armies Holding Initiative Along Entire Western Front For First Time In Weeks; German Offensive On Alsation Front Dwindles Out.

Supreme Headquarters Allied Expeditionary Force, Paris, Jan. 27.—(AP)—U. S. Third Army troops striking on a 20-mile front in Luxembourg and Belgium gained up to three miles today along the west bank of the Roer River inside Germany within 25 miles of Dusseldorf.

Allied troops held the initiative all along the winding Western front, and the German offensive in Alsace had dwindled out.

American 90th division patrols reach the Our River at a point 4 1/2 miles northeast of Clerveaux in northern Luxembourg, a front dispatch said. They met no resistance. Troops of the 17th airborne division punched forward three miles at a point seven miles below St. Vith.

They and three other divisions were astride or across the "skyline drive" highway running north to St. Vith on a 1,500-foot ridge overlooking the Our and the Germans' Siegfried Line guarding the Reich. The 26th division drove ahead 2 1/2 miles above Wiltz, and the 80th and 5th divisions advanced from a half to one mile. The Third Army bagged 591 prisoners yesterday.

The U. S. Ninth and British Second Armies held the Roer River bank from Roermond to Mook in 19 miles southeast of Aachen, and had widened the only breach in the Siegfried Line to 35 miles.

Russia's great offensives were being felt increasingly on the snow-bound Western front, as witnessed by the Nazi withdrawal to the Roer River and the halt to German attacks in Alsace.

For the second straight day pilots reported a steady flow of heavy rail traffic east and northeast from the whole Ruhr region. This possibility was linked with the mounting menace to Germany in the East. The Ruhr train movements might reflect a last-minute shift of hoarded military materiel reserves eastward.

Allied planes battered again Friday at Nazi rail and road transport, and RAF tactical air force planes alone in 150 sorties destroyed 13 locomotives and damaged 18.

No Change In Oil Rationing

Washington, Jan. 27.—(AP)—Fuel oil rations will remain unchanged at 10 gallons per unit in the southern area during the remainder of the heating season, OPA announced today.

The two remaining periods, 4 and 5, have been combined. The area affected includes North and South Carolina, Georgia and that part of Florida east of the Apalachicola river.

Tom Pendergast Dead

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 27.—(AP)—Thomas J. Pendergast, 72, former powerful Democratic boss of Kansas City and Missouri who served a year in federal prison for income tax evasion, died last night of heart disease.

The WAR TODAY AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEWS

By DEWITT MACKENZIE Associated Press War Analyst All Allied peoples have taken to measuring progress against the Germans in terms of the distance our armies are from Berlin—an understandable calculation although not very sound militarily, because it isn't the mileage that counts but the obstacles between you and your goal. However, brushing aside technicalities, what may we expect to find inside Germany when the enemy finally says he's had enough? We start with the circumstance that the Reich, which has been one of the world's great powers, will have no government to which the United Nations can assign the task of administering under Allied control the highly complicated affairs of some 80,000,000 people. Since one of our chief aims is the utter destruction of the Nazi regime, we are hardly likely to entrust affairs to its officials. This presents a situation unique in our time. When the Allies defeated Germany in the last war, there was a government ready to administer the affairs of the country. Naturally another government will follow the Hitler regime in its course. But the early days of the

Superforts Strike New Blows At Japs

Publisher Slain



Arthur Kasherman (top) vice crusader and publisher of the "Tuble Press," and "expose" tabloid, was shot to death in gangland fashion by an assailant who fired from an automobile on a street in Minneapolis, Minn. His companion, Miss Pearl Van Wald (bottom), witnessed the shooting. She said the black eye she is wearing resulted from a man slugging her two days earlier. (AP Wirephoto.)

LITTLE ACTION ITALIAN FRONT

Nazis Preparing Defenses Below Bologna

Rome, Jan. 27.—(AP)—Action along the Italian front was limited to patrolling again today as driving rains turned the deep snow to slush. Allied headquarters announced today.

During the last 24 hours there were only spasmodic patrol clashes reported in both the Fifth army sector below Bologna and the Eighth army front above the Bologna-Rimini highway. German prisoners of war captured by the Fifth army confirmed recent reports that the Nazis were constructing defenses rapidly in the area.

Relief From Cold Wave Is Promised

By The Associated Press The crest of a cold wave which swept over the northeastern section of the United States this week today apparently was on the ebb with rising temperatures forecast. A moderate gain to readings in the low 20's was forecast for Boston but strong winds were expected to offset it. Definite relief was predicted before Monday. Maximum temperatures between 20 and 25 degrees were in prospect for New York City. Kane, Pa., with a low of 19 below zero and Ticonderoga, N. Y., with minus 18 were among the coldest spots yesterday. Pittsburgh and Philadelphia had 7 above. Fuel shortages added to discomfort with 2,100 no-heat complaints being made to the New York City Health Department for a 24-hour period yesterday. Subs Sink Cruiser Washington, Jan. 27.—(AP)—U. S. submarines have sunk 21 more enemy vessels, including a light cruiser, in far eastern waters, the navy announced today.

One Group Smashes At Tokyo Industrial Area While Another Hits Indo-China.

Washington, Jan. 27.—(AP)—American Superforts executed another one-two punch at Japan today, blasting at military installations in enemy-held Indo-China and raking industrial targets on the home island of Honshu with explosives.

Results of the twin attacks were not immediately made known, but will be disclosed when operational reports are received.

Gen. H. H. Arnold, commander of the 20th Airforce, announced in Washington that bombers of Maj. Gen. Curtis E. LeMay's 21st command had struck the Japanese home island on a daylight mission, hitting industrial areas.

The Japanese themselves said the target was Tokyo. Radio Tokyo said some 70 B-29's were over the capital for an hour in the early afternoon and that fires started by the raiders were brought under control at dusk.

B-29's of Brig. Gen. Roger M. Ramsey's 20th bomber command, which attacked Indo-China targets, possibly were gunning for new Japanese shipping concentrations intended to reinforce Luzon.

A brief war bulletin issued at the Washington headquarters did not specify objectives or the size of the air fleet.

It was from Camranh Bay, some 1,000 miles from Luzon on the Indo-China coast, that the Japanese two weeks ago apparently attempted to slip a convoy to relieve their beleaguered forces in the Philippines. Carrier planes of Admiral William F. Halsey's Third fleet smashed this force, sinking 25 Japanese warships and damaging 13 others.

The nearest Asiatic Japanese fleet base from which the enemy can try to bolster his Luzon forces, Camranh Bay is one of Japan's key naval bastions. Saigon, 200 miles southwest of Camranh Bay, was this former French protectorate's chief command post before the war.

Today's strikes were the 45th and 46th major missions by B-29's of the 20th and 21st bomber command. From Mariana nests Superforts launched three other attacks this week—against Nagoya in the Japanese homeland Tuesday and against Iwo Jima Wednesday and Thursday.

Cherry Supports Civil Air Patrol

Raleigh, Jan. 27.—(AP)—Governor Cherry today urged young men and women of North Carolina to avail themselves of the advantage of civil air patrol training.

His statement was issued in connection with the launching of a state-wide recruiting campaign for 2,000 cadets and 1,000 senior members of the North Carolina CAP wing.

"The civil air patrol offers a wonderful opportunity for young men and women to obtain preliminary training in aviation that will benefit them both in war and in peace," said Governor Cherry.

Pay Envelopes Have Big Leaks

Let me explain: Readers are continually asking the reason for the deductions on their pay envelopes. One came in to me this morning from a single person getting \$30 per week with four pay envelope deductions.

One per cent or social security; 1 per cent or unemployment insurance collected from employees; only a few states but from employees in all; 13 7-10 per cent for income taxes; 16 2-3 per cent for U. S. Savings Bond purchases.

All of these took about ten dollars out of his pay envelope. The last item was partly voluntary and this bond purchase can be redeemed at any time but the other three are compulsory and make big leaks in all pay envelopes.

Of the three compulsory deductions to your pay, the income tax money you can kiss good-by. That is your contribution to the war and surely it is very small compared to what our boys in the service are paying in blood and sweat. The social security payment is to give you a pension when you get too old to work, plus 1/2 worker's benefit for wife when she is 65 years of age; while the unemployment insurance is to give you from two to thirty dollars a week, depending upon the state.

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Yanks Fight Their Way Southward On Luzon



American infantrymen, accompanied by a Sherman tank, fight their way southward toward Manila on Luzon island in the Philippines. The Yanks are now meeting greater Jap opposition after capturing Clark Field, less than 50 airline miles from Manila. (AP Wirephoto from U. S. Coast Guard.)

Japs Offering Greater Opposition Above Manila

Artillery In Hills Opens Attack On Yank-Captured Clark Field To Prevent Use Of Airstrips.

General MacArthur's Headquarters, Luzon, Jan. 27.—(AP)—American Sixth Army spearhead down the central Luzon plain dug into its first appreciable resistance Friday. Japanese artillery opened up on Yank-captured Clark airfield as American ground forces encountered resistance south of the Bataan river.

Clark field, largest airbase in the Philippines and a major prize of the war, was captured early Thursday by units of the 14th army corps who chased an enemy garrison of perhaps 5,000 into the nearby hills.

Hillside cave positions west and north of the huge airbase, excellent artillery sites, could delay American use of the airfield's 17 landing strips.

The sixth army, which had been opposed only on its left flank as it drove cautiously down the broad plain toward Manila, came up against the stiff resistance near the main Manila highway.

There the 14th corps, whose advance units are at least five miles beyond Clark field at Angeles, about 40 miles north of Manila, found the first indication that Lt. Gen. Tomoyuki Yamashita's Japanese defenders may make a stand before the Yanks reach the Commonwealth capital.

MacArthur said his men were clearing the hills southwest of Bataan and had captured many artillery pieces and machineguns.

There was no word of further progress southward from Angeles or from Magalang, on a parallel highway to the east. Fortieth and 37th division forces on these two roads were pressing toward San Fernando, central of Pampanga province, some 15 miles south. At San Fernando the swamps on the gateway to Manila. Another branch forks off to historic Bataan peninsula to the west.

What few gains MacArthur listed in his communique occurred on the bitterly-contested left flank.

Units of the first corps took high ground northeast of strongly-defended Rosario on the road to the Philippine summer capital at mountainous Baguio, and other Yanks took the town of Cauringan in a drive north from Sison aimed at cutting in behind Rosario.

San Manuel, in foothills 15 miles southeast, was captured after two days of fighting, and the infantry destroyed 10 tanks in sharp engagements east and north of the town.

American aircraft pounded the Bataan peninsula and Subic Bay to the north, wrecking coastal defenses and causing explosions in supply areas. They ranged over the China Sea to bomb shipping and shore installations on southwestern Formosa with good results. One freighter was sunk there and ten damaged. Large fires were started.

Uncle Sam's Postwar Plans Babson Discusses Social Security

Babson Park, Mass., Jan. 26.—We hear much from Washington about "the need for more manpower," and hear even more from labor about the "need for higher wages." Perhaps both are needed; but government officials and labor leaders are making a big mistake to do so much. Why? Here is my answer: So h talk is driving employers to install more and more labor saving machines and processes which may add chaos to confusion after the war. Pay Envelopes Have Big Leaks Let me explain: Readers are continually asking the reason for the deductions on their pay envelopes. One came in to me this morning from a single person getting \$30 per week with four pay envelope deductions. One per cent or social security; 1 per cent or unemployment insurance collected from employees; only a few states but from employees in all; 13 7-10 per cent for income taxes; 16 2-3 per cent for U. S. Savings Bond purchases. All of these took about ten dollars out of his pay envelope. The last item was partly voluntary and this bond purchase can be redeemed at any time but the other three are compulsory and make big leaks in all pay envelopes. Of the three compulsory deductions to your pay, the income tax money you can kiss good-by. That is your contribution to the war and surely it is very small compared to what our boys in the service are paying in blood and sweat. The social security payment is to give you a pension when you get too old to work, plus 1/2 worker's benefit for wife when she is 65 years of age; while the unemployment insurance is to give you from two to thirty dollars a week, depending upon the state.

German Radio Reports Russians Have Reached Odra On Road To Berlin

WARD SEIZURE WAS ILLEGAL

Decision Handed Down By Federal Court Today.

Chicago, Jan. 17.—(AP)—Army seizure of Montgomery Ward and Company properties on order of President Roosevelt was declared illegal today by Federal Judge Philip L. Sullivan, who said "it is with considerable reluctance that I have arrived at the conclusions in this case."

Ruling on a case which the government said affected the nation's entire wartime labor dispute settlement machinery, Judge Sullivan asserted:

"Our nation is engaged in a global war and it is imperative that we contribute everything we have to insure its speedy and successful conclusion.

Selfishness, arrogance, intolerance of the rights of others, self interest and unwillingness should during this emergency be all subordinated for the common good.

"The peacetime privilege of engaging in prolonged labor disputes should be voluntarily suspended for the duration. A tribunal has been established to accomplish peaceful settlement of labor disputes during the emergency.

"In declaring the army seizure of 16 properties of the huge mail order concern on Dec. 23 was illegal, Judge Sullivan asserted:

"I am of the opinion that the President was without authority, either under Section 3 of the War Labor Disputes Act, or under the war powers conferred upon him by the Constitution as commander in chief of the army and navy to take possession of the plants and facilities of Montgomery Ward and Company."

The decision in the case which the government said affected the nation's entire wartime labor dispute settlement machinery dismissed the government petition for a judgment to uphold legality of the seizure and for an injunction to restrain Ward's officials from interfering with army operations.

Judge Sullivan's opinion in the case which developed out of Ward's refusal to obey War Labor Board directives in a long standing labor dispute said that if the disputants are not willing to obey the recommendations of the War Labor Board, then Congress alone is the only branch of the government which can compel them to do so.

"It is the duty of Congress to enact the laws, and the duty of the courts to interpret them," he said. Present in court for the reading of the opinion were Maj. Gen. Joseph W. Bivort, military manager at Ward's; Clement D. Ryan, president of Montgomery Ward and Company and Samuel Wolchok, international president of the principal union involved, the CIO United Retail Wholesale and Department Store Employees of America.

Sewell L. Avery, chairman of the board of Ward's, for whom the decision was handed down, was not present. (Continued on Page Two)

Give Public Dance At Armory Tonight

The "March of Dimes" dance at the armory tonight from 8 to midnight is sponsored by the Women's Auxiliary of the American Legion. Everybody is invited. Clyde Lanning's orchestra will provide the music. Tonight's dance is one of a series of events to be held in the county for the benefit of the infantile paralysis campaign. June H. Rose said today that reports coming from "March of Dimes" workers in the county schools show that the people are contributing from two to four times as much money as last year. In the meantime the campaign for funds continues. "Every dime you give will help some unfortunate infantile paralysis sufferer to regain his or her health," Rose said.

Today On The Home Front

By JAMES MARLOW

Washington, Jan. 27.—(AP)—Please no smart cracks just because Selective Service (SS) says Washington had the second highest draft-rejection rate for mental diseases.

You can't prove anything until after the war about the list which was headed by Vermont, and Washington, D. C., second, New Hampshire third and Wyoming last.

This is being written with a complete third hand. You can agree or disagree. Maybe you think Washington has a monopoly on mental cases, that the highstrung and the crackpots flock here.

But this is the explanation, given by one of the most prominent psychiatrists in the capital, for Washington's being second on the list: It had more psychiatrists working with the draft boards than many states. For that reason many more borderline mental cases were detected and ruled out.

The phrase "mental disease" is unfortunate although that's the one SS uses. It covers lots of things and doesn't mean a man is feeble-minded. Washington wasn't second on the list for feeble-minded. Under the heading of mental dis-

case come alcoholics, drug addicts, and men who had a nervous breakdown sometime in their lives. Mental disease includes men who are considered emotionally unstable. Such a combination would be reason enough for a draft board psychiatrist to reject a man, to say he doesn't belong in the army. Why? He might crack up under army strain. That same man, however, might be a good government clerk. He might continue to function usefully the rest of his life if left in a civilian job. But the full story won't be known until after the war when the government publishes figures, state by state, on the men who were accepted for military and afterward (Continued on page two)

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Strength FOR THE DAY By EARL L. DOUGLAS

SCIENCE AND RELIGION NOT IN CONFLICT

The statement is sometimes made that Thomas A. Edison was an atheist, or at least an agnostic.

Nothing could be further from the truth. Although Edison did not subscribe to any formal or orthodox creed, he had the deepest possible reverence for a supreme intelligence and, as his family said in a statement made at the time of his death, "in his whole life the ideal of earnest loving service to his fellow men was predominant."

Speaking one day to George Parsons Lathrop, Edison said, "To me it seems that every atom is possessed by a certain amount of primitive intelligence. Look at the thousand ways in which atoms of hydrogen combine with those of other elements to form the most diverse substances. Do you mean to say that they do this without intelligence?"

"Where does this intelligence come from?" asked Lathrop. "From some power greater than ourselves," replied Edison. "Do you believe then in an intelligent creator—a personal God?" "Certainly! The existence of such a God can, to my mind, almost be proved by chemistry."

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AMERICA IN WARTIME By JACK STINNETT

Washington — Southern chivalry still may pay off somewhere, but not in Washington press gallery politics. If there's any doubt about it, ask the members of the Senate, Ralph Smith's opponent here for the Atlantic States.

Smith was running for membership on the standing committee of capital correspondents. His opponent was that little Yankee lady, Elizabeth May Craig, who represents a number of papers in Maine. Smith isn't still fighting the war between the States, and he is a southern gentleman.

When he went to vote, he figuratively tipped his hat and gallantly cast his ballot for his opponent (something no politician ever does, gentleman or not). When the ballots were counted, May Craig had won. The vote was 189 to 108.

Buried way down in the President's budget message was recommendation for a drastic cut in personnel and money for the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Friends of the FBI are all bristled up and ready to make a fight for it. Opponents are likewise. The point is simply that the Budget Bureau (and the President) seem to feel that as soon as war nears the end, the FBI can dispense with about 1,500 employees and something over \$15,000,000 (about a third of its total war-time budget).

This year, the FBI had nearly 50 million dollars to work with. Inside story is that it concedes it can make some reductions if War, Navy and other agencies take over some of the investigation duties now on FBI's shoulders. Cutting it back to anything like its ten million dollar peacetime budget, however, probably would leave FBI poorly equipped to combat that postwar crime wave which Department of Justice officials and FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover are certain will come if proper precautions aren't taken. When next year's appropriations are made, keep your eye on the FBI.

Government officials are having their manpower pains too. The story is being told about the ceremonial chief who spotted a lively waitress at his breakfast nook. In an expansive mood one morning, he said: "How would you like to go to work for the government at \$1,620 a year?"

The girl withered him with one look and then explained: "I quit a \$2,000-a-year government job to go to work here. Now I get around \$90 a week and I don't have to worry about paying income taxes on my pay."



The War Today ...

(Continued From Page One) There also are large numbers of prisoners of war interned in the Reich.

So one could go on piling up the grief until there was a list as long as your arm. The sum total is that the Allied military government will have a mountain to move, and that will take not only faith but mighty hard and expert work. So far as one can see now, there will have to be Allied military governments in every sizeable town of Germany, and they'll have to be responsible for everything, pending the establishing of a brand new German regime.

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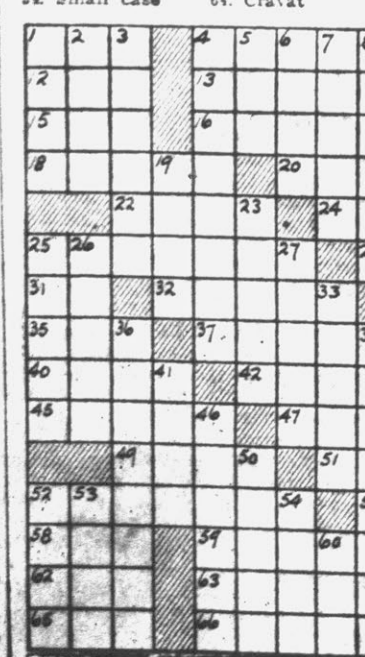
(Continued From Page One) enough money" to meet all requirements, it probably, nevertheless, should be increased immediately after the war to 2 per cent. This would be according to the advice of expert insurance statistical actuaries. The fact that the states now have a reserve of five billion dollars for unemployment, etc., is no reason why we should suspend payments to the federal fund. Unless our school committees now wake up to prevent postwar unemployment, state unemployment funds may be insufficient to take care of you during the next depression!

Today On The ...

(Continued from page one) cracked up. So, it comes down to this: maybe the Washington psychiatrists did an excellent job of weeding out the emotionally unstable before they got into the army. If so, post-war figures may show few Washingtonians went to pieces in the army. And maybe states, where psychiatrists were fewer and mental tests less strenuous and borderline cases slipped by, will show up as having produced the greatest number of settlement of labor disputes peaceful.

Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS 1. Head covering 2. Temporary cross timber in shipbuilding 3. Limb of an animal 4. South American insect 5. Fortune 16. Scene of action 17. Yellow ochre 18. T.V. 19. Answer 20. A.T.P. 21. Radio wires 23. Form of tobacco 31. Musical note 32. Company of men 34. Small case 35. Killer whale 37. Swiss song 39. Sea eagle 40. Stearing apparatus 42. Head 44. Football position 45. Country in Iowa 47. Sorrow 49. Stalk 51. Sliding look 52. Having two feet 55. Submerged chains of rocks 58. Work 59. Excuse 61. Former President's nickname 62. 2000 pounds 63. Weight 64. Cravat



Ward Seizure ...

(Continued from page one) cision represented a legal victory, was in Chandler, Ariz. Judge Sullivan's decision, however, was in the nature of a first round in the legal controversy because Atty. Gen. Francis Biddle said previously that the government would appeal if it lost. "It is with considerable reluctance that I have arrived at the conclusions in this case," Judge Sullivan said in his opinion. "Our nation is engaged in a global war, and it is imperative that we contribute everything we have to insure its speedy and successful conclusion.

Wallace Fate ...

(Continued from page one) pending, bill and nomination must lay over a day after the Committee formally reports. In a two hour session behind closed doors, the Committee members voted 14 to 5 against a motion to report Wallace's nomination favorably. Six Democrats joined with eight Republicans to rebuff the man who had presided over the Senate for the last four years. Five Democrats voted for the motion.

Russian ...

(Continued From Page One) Schneidmuhl," said Transoceans, a Nazi agency. The Germans said this spearhead reached the northern bank of the Netze. The German high command also said the Russians made "several major penetrations" of German lines in the upper (southern) Silesian industrial area south of the Vistula river. Meanwhile, in the north, a force of perhaps 200,000 Nazis was trapped in East Prussia and faced destruction. Marshal Konstantin K. Rokossovsky's brilliant drive to the Danzig bay area split the Junkers province, breeding ground of German militarism, while Zhukov's right wing advanced beyond the Bromberg canal and widened the breach between East Prussia and the rest of Germany. Moscow reported that the Russian winter offensive thus far has cost the Germans 381,000 killed and captured. Fresh Redarmy troops were said to have been hurled into the great drive through central Poland on both sides of Poznan. The Nazis, Moscow indicated, were carrying out a major shift of troops to the eastern front. A Moscow dispatch said the Germans were throwing armored reserves into their sagging front southwest of Poznan. This dispatch placed the Russians 100 miles east of Berlin. Moscow advices reported the enemy at all costs was attempting to stabilize the perilous sector where further Soviet gains might shatter the defensive capabilities of the Reich. There are at least three known belts of fortifications between Poznan and Brandenburg, the dispatch said, but the Russians were attacking with a huge weight of tanks, artillery and infantry. One German report said the situation was "beginning to consolidate," but one of Moscow's broadcasts declared that the eastern wall of fortifications "has broken down under its rubble like the Wehrmacht's best divisions."

Solution Of Yesterday's Puzzle FAR ANITA HAW ORE SEROW ARA PIPE TARA SIN SALAD QUIETED AVID STRESS RECEDES ION ODES BARNAS AH TAD MAGOG CRY AM DARES SHAD BAT SINCERE OMELET NOON PETERED TRIAL ERI IRON ELMO RID ASWIM LIP ATE LENTO ERE

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miles northwest of besieged Breslau, where the Germans claimed to have knocked out 24 tanks. Soviet forces striking up through northern Silesia beyond Breslau were only 143 miles from Berlin. The Germans told of fierce battles with a number of infantry and tank divisions.

Little Action ...

(Continued From Page One) Appennines, particularly before Bologna. Fattaling was exceptionally active on the Fifth army's right flank southeast of Bologna. The Americans slashed at a German roadblock north of Monte Fano and knocked out a machine gun. A South African patrol pushed into the town of Fondazzo, about 20 miles southwest of Bologna in the highway 64 area, and found it unoccupied save for civilians who were unperturbed by the constant crossfire of artillery. One American patrol probed deep into enemy territory north of Pianosciano on the Florence-Modena road. It did not come under enemy fire until it was making its way back to its own lines. A naval communique reported that Allied warships have been bombarding enemy positions near the Franco-Italian frontier off the southern coast of France for the past nine days. The U. S. destroyer Benson, the British destroyer Look-out and the French destroyer Trombe scored direct hits on enemy supply dumps and occupied buildings.

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Maj. Frank Longino To Conduct Service

Maj. Frank Longino of Salvation Army Divisional headquarters in Charlotte will conduct the worship service at the Salvation Army Citadel on Dickinson Avenue tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. The public is invited. Maj. Longino has been in the Salvation Army 25 years. He is an interesting speaker and a talented musician. He is director of young people's activities for the army in this State. Maj. W. H. Stanley, who came her from Elizabeth City to be commander of the Greenville Salvation Army post, is doing good work. He expressed appreciation for the cooperation of the people here.



WOOL — Actress Nina Foch models a dusty pink sweater of wool designed for evening wear. Short hand-crocheted gloves and black sequin earrings complete the ensemble.

Thermometer Freezes Binghamton, N. Y., Jan. 26—(AP)—It was so cold here yesterday that the gadget used to record temperatures froze. Weatherman Thomas E. Reed said oil in the weather station's thermograph congealed and stopped the movement at 3 below zero.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF GUARANTY BANK & TRUST COMPANY

of Greenville, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business on December 30, 1944.

ASSETS table with columns for item and amount. Total Assets: \$30,942,739.66

LIABILITIES table with columns for item and amount. Total Liabilities: \$29,977,998.52

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS table with columns for item and amount. Total Capital Accounts: \$664,741.14

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS \$30,942,739.66 This bank's capital consists of first preferred stock with total par value of \$160,000.00, total retrievable value \$160,000.00; and common stock with total par value of \$300,000.00.

MEMORANDA

Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value): U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities \$ 3,950,955.29 Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bill rediscounted and securities included under repurchase agreement) 861,113.42

TOTAL \$ 4,812,068.71 Secured and preferred liabilities: Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law \$ 4,514,117.47 Deposits preferred under provisions of law but not secured by pledge of assets 148,136.97

TOTAL \$ 4,662,254.44 Subordinated obligations: On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was \$ 4,129,815.17 Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to \$19,798,644.29

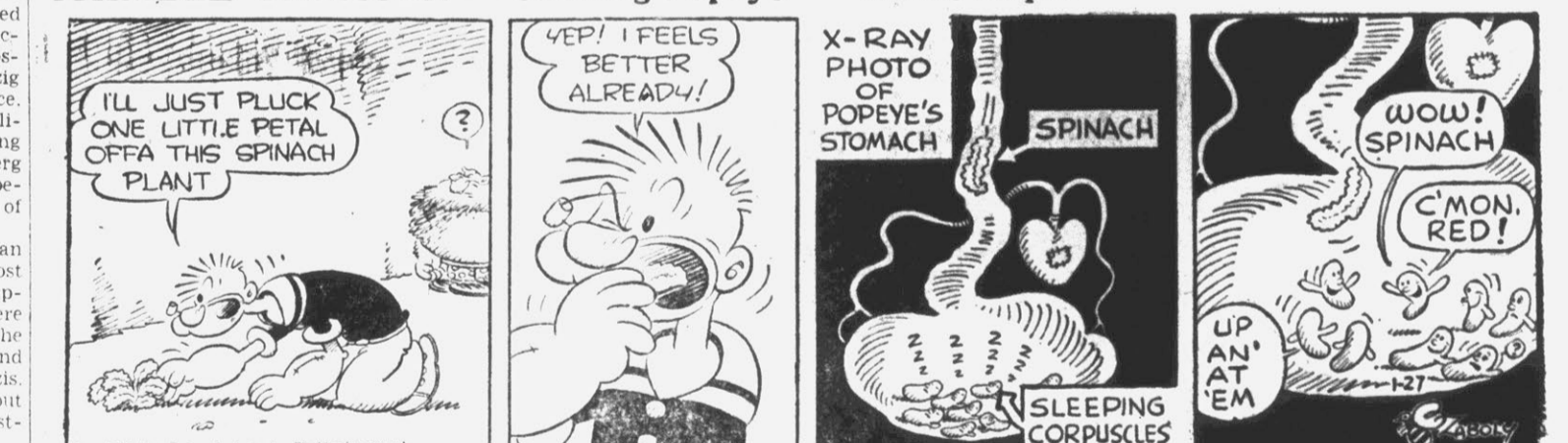
I, J. H. WALDROP, Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. H. WALDROP, Cashier. Correct—Attest: W. H. WOOLARD, E. G. FLANAGAN, J. H. BLOUNT, Directors.

State of North Carolina—County of Pitt (ss): Sworn to and subscribed before me this 22nd day of January, 1945, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank. EVELYN B. SMAW, Notary Public. My commission expires June 7, 1945.

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Social and Personal

George Koutrotillas of the Navy stationed in Norfolk, and Mrs. Koutrotillas have been spending several days here visiting his sister, Mrs. Chris Kares.

Lt. Comm. and Mrs. W. A. Van-Nortwick are home for a short visit. Mr. and Mrs. John W. Allred are spending the week-end with Pvt. Arnie L. Foskey at Camp Croft, S. C.

Henry T. Foskey is sick in Pitt General Hospital.

Enlists in Navy. Wallace R. Roberson, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Roberson of Stokes, has been given a rating of seaman first class in the Navy, after passing the radio technician examination. He was a student at State College.

Plano Recital. Mrs. W. H. Tolson will present the following piano pupils in recital Monday night, Jan. 29, at 7:30 at Sheppard Memorial Library: Dolly Best, Stuart Savage, Frank Brooks, Johnny Carrington, Ann Ruffin, Betty Lois McGowan, Gail Barnhill, Ozzie Uzie, Lennie Rose, Carmen Dunn, Dupree Barnhill, Jane Tucker, Ann Sullivan, Nancy Proctor, Al Averette, Peggy Martin, Marty Hadley, Johnny Aman, Reid Sellers, Dan Reid, Margaret Padgett, Barbara Jean Bullard, Sarah Wooten and Margaret Fleming.

To Hold Rally in Bethel. The Pitt-Beaufort-Martin county Sunday School Rally will be held Sunday afternoon, January 28, at 3 o'clock, in the Baptist Church at Bethel. Rev. E. C. Chamble, pastor of the Farmville Baptist Church, is district superintendent, and Miss Edna Whitley of Chocowinity, is secretary.

The theme of the rally will be "Finding People," and the principal speaker of the program will be Rev. Richard E. Hardaway, pastor of Memorial Baptist Church of Greenville. Rev. L. D. Holt will conduct the devotional program and the song service will be led by the Rev. A. Hartwell Campbell, with a special selection rendered by the Bethel choir. Fraternizing the meeting will be an open forum, which will be conducted by Miss Ethel Guest of Williamston, with the subject emphasizing the rally theme, "Finding People."

Presbyterian Announcements. The church school will meet at 9:45 a. m. Sunday. After the fine day on Training School just closed it is hoped that we shall all take on new life and renewed zeal for this great work. At the morning preaching service at 11 o'clock, the pastor, Dr. Boyd, will preach on the subject "Reaching Lost Souls for Christ and His Church." Texts: John 3:17, Luke 19:10 and John 20:21. These passages present to us the purpose and mission of the church, the commission of the Master, who came to save them. At 3 p. m. Sunday school will be held at "Twin Oaks," followed by a brief preaching service at 4 o'clock. The young people of the First Church meet for vespers at 6:30 p. m., under the leadership of Miss Lapsley. Dr. Boyd will preach at Meadowbrook Church, at 8 p. m. Regular weekly prayer service on Wednesday at 7:30 p. m., followed by choir rehearsal at 8:15. Members of the church are requested to bring their "self-denial tree-will offering" for foreign missions Sunday morning.

Eighth St. Christian Church. "Who Will Cast the First Stone?" the subject of the message at the Eighth Street Christian Church at the morning service tomorrow, Dr. H. G. Haney, pastor, announced today. The standards of Christianity are so high and the attainments of Christians are often so low that it is very easy to fall into the vicious habit of judging others. The question asked is personal, Would I cast the first stone? At this service Miss Josephine Gibson will sing, "The Lord's Prayer" by Malotte. The young people will observe the National Youth Week with a banquet and program on the evening of February 1 here at the church. They have secured as their speaker for the evening Miss Agnes Lapsley, youth worker and counsellor at the Presbyterian Church. The young people of the church are all invited to a banquet given by the church without charge and they are urgently requested to let us know by Sunday evening if it is possible for them to attend. The Matrons of the Woman's Council will serve the supper for them under the leadership of Mrs. Arthur Tripp, acting president of the Matrons.

The Sunday school received an excellent stimulus from the cooperative training institute this past week, twenty members of the teaching staff attending the classes. Dr. Haney will participate in a cooperative school held this coming week in Winston-Salem where some 30 churches will be participating and he will teach the course for adults entitled "The Effective Bible Class."

NEWCOMERS AND REMOVALS. Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Bill have moved to 115 Woodlawn Ave. from 204 Harding Street. Mr. and Mrs. J. Vance Perkins, who have recently returned to Greenville, are living at 204 Harding Street. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lewis, Jr., have moved to 203 Paris Ave. Mr. and Mrs. Fountain O'Neal are living on Watauga Street. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Pender have moved to 110 East 13th Street.

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR January 27, 1905. The State University is quite modest, only asks the legislature to appropriate \$50,000. All are glad the weather is moderating. We counted 19 bale of cotton in one lot that came in today. Robins are getting numerous and the hunters are out after them.

NEWS ABOUT SERVICEMEN

James Register to Harvard. Ensign James Register, USNR, who has been spending a furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Register, 1211 Cotanche street, will report to the commanding officer at Harvard University on February 1 for training in combat communications. Before entering the service Ensign Register was engaged in newspaper work in Greenville. He completed his V-12 training at the University of North Carolina last June and later attended Pre-Midshipman's school at Asbury Park, N. J. He graduated from Northwestern University, Chicago, on January 18. He has three brothers in the armed forces, two of them in the South Pacific and the other taking the V-12 course at the University of Tennessee.

CHURCHES

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL. Rev. John R. Bill, Rector. 9:45 a. m.—Holy Eucharist. 9:45 a. m.—Church School. 11:00 a. m.—Morning prayer and sermon. 6:30 p. m.—Girls' Friendly Society in Parish House. 8:00 p. m.—Girls' Friendly candle-light service. Public invited.

IMMANUEL BAPTIST. Rev. A. Hartwell Campbell, Minister. 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School; E. T. Stafford, Supt. 11:00 a. m.—Morning worship. The Adoration of God. Communion with God. Sermon: "Wishing For the Day." 7:30 p. m.—Vesper hour.

JARVIS MEMORIAL METHODIST. Rev. Robert W. Bradshaw, Pastor. 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School; J. H. Rose, Supt. 11:00 a. m.—Morning worship. Sermon: "Spring Song." Solo: "Come To Me"—E. O. Parkins, Jr. Offertory: "Traumerel." Sermon by the pastor. Postlude: "Largo." 2:30 p. m.—Junior Fellowship. 6:00 p. m.—Youth Fellowship. 7:30 p. m.—Evening worship. Prelude: "Gondeliera." Anthem: "The Lost Chord"—High School Glee Club. Sermon by the pastor. Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—Young People's Choir rehearsal. Thursday, 7:30 p. m.—Boy Scouts Troop 30. 8:00 p. m.—Choir rehearsal.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN. Rev. Robert S. Boyd, D.D., Pastor. 9:45 a. m.—Church School; Jesse R. Moye, Supt. 11:00 a. m.—Morning worship. Sermon: "Reaching Lost Souls for Christ and His Church." 6:30 p. m.—Y. P. vesper service. Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—Mid-week prayer service.

EIGHTH STREET CHRISTIAN. Dr. H. G. Haney, Pastor. 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School; J. P. Carr, Supt. 11:00 a. m.—Morning worship. Solo: "The Lord's Prayer"—Miss Josephine Gibson. Sermon: "Who Will Cast the First Stone?"

CALVARY LUTHERAN. 218 Pitt St.—Phone 4451. Rev. Erwin H. Goltermann, Pastor. Bible Study, 7:00 p. m. Service, 8:00 p. m.

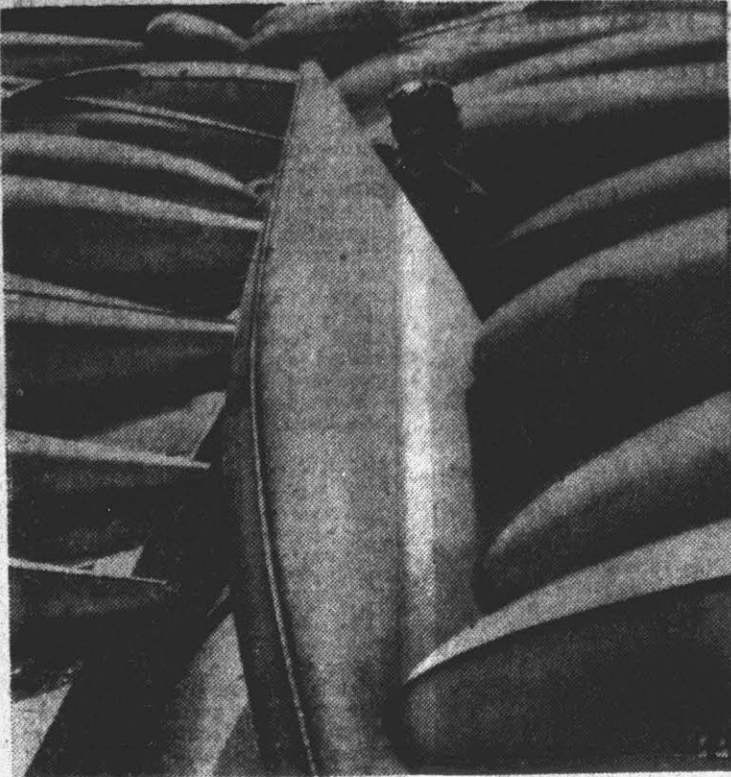
ST. PETER'S CATHOLIC. Rev. Charles J. Gable, Pastor. Holy Sacrifice of the Mass at 9:30 and 11 a. m. Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament, 5 p. m.

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST. S. B. Denny, Pastor. Services at 11:00 a. m., every fourth Sunday.

FREE WILL BAPTIST. Rev. J. C. Moye, Pastor. 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School. 11:00 a. m.—Morning worship every first Sunday. 6:30 p. m.—Young People meet. 7:30 p. m.—Evening worship. Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—Mid-week prayer service.

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS. Rev. N. J. Medford, Pastor. 10:00 a. m.—Sunday School; W. B. Peel, Supt. 11:00 a. m.—Morning worship. 7:00 p. m.—Youth service. 8:00 p. m.—Evening worship.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE. 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School. 11:00 a. m.—Lesson-sermon. Wednesday, 2-5 p. m.—Reading room open in the church. Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.—Testimony.



CANNED MILEAGE—Auxiliary fuel tanks like these, attached to wing and belly racks on P-38s, P-47s and P-51s, make it possible for Seventh AAF fighters in the Marianas area to escort bombers deep into Jap defenses.

meeting in the church. SALVATION ARMY. 10:00 a. m.—Sunday School. 11:00 a. m.—Holiness meeting. 6:00 p. m.—Y. P. meeting. 7:00 p. m.—Salvation meeting. Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.—Prayer meeting. Thursday, 7:30 p. m.—Women's Sewing Club.

CHURCH OF GOD. 10:00 a. m.—Sunday School. 11:00 a. m.—Morning worship. Services in charge of Mr. I. C. Morris. 6:30 p. m.—Young People. 7:30 p. m.—Evening worship.

Cherry Point Quint Wins From College

In one of the most exciting and spectacular basketball games that the college has seen in many years, the Cherry Point Marines (assembly and repair team) took a thriller from the ECTC five by the score of 37-33. Friday night, January 21.

The half-time score was 17-15 in favor of the Marines. All during the first half, point for point was matched by both teams. In the third quarter the Pirates gained a slight lead, however, and in the 4th quarter the Pirate five steadily gained on the Marine five. ECTC came to within two points of the visitors, then the visitors pulled away slightly. The final whistle blew before the Pirate five completed their last minute scoring spree.

Yanks AWOL. Paris, Jan. 27.—(AP)—Official figures published in the army newspaper Stars and Stripes show that more than 18,000 American soldiers are currently absent without leave in the European theater. Brig. Gen. P. B. Rogers, commanding general of the Seine section, indicated, however, that the majority probably are cases of brief absence, some soldiers using their own means to rejoin units after leave instead of going back through regular army channels.

Attack on England. London, Jan. 27.—(AP)—An Air Ministry of Home Security communication. During the 24 hours ended at dawn this morning there was enemy activity directed against southern England. Damage and casualties were caused.

Waste Paper Goes to War. From the day a soldier goes to war, he is dependent on paper. From his draft card to his honorable discharge, his records are kept on it. His rations are packed in it; his cartridges are wrapped in it; his shoes are lined with it; his letters are written on it. His barracks are built with paper wallboard, paper roofing, paper insulation. He shoots at paper targets, eats from paper plates, drinks from paper cups. His bottles are planned, his orders are issued, on paper. Literally, he lives, trains, travels and fights, with paper his indispensable ally. And, of course, his "honorable discharge" will be handed to him on a piece of paper—after a beating. As you can see, the more waste paper you use, the more you help the war effort.

Chapter 27 That night, absorbed in his thoughts, his memories, his dreams of the future he did not hear the footfall on the wide veranda. Not until there came a knock at the door was he aware that he had a visitor. He rose, puzzled, and glanced at the clock. Almost eleven. Who, in River Gap, would find business so urgent that he would venture out at this time of night on a dark and lonely road? He unfastened the door and swung it open. A man stood there in the shadows, out of reach of the flashlight and the lamplight. Hugh said, puzzled, "Well, what is it?" Dan Lacey stepped into the light, and said darkly, "Want to talk to you, Frather—but I wanted to be sure you were alone."

ASSEMBLY IN BRIEF SESSION. State Planning Board May Be Eliminated. Raleigh, Jan. 27.—(AP)—A bill authorizing the construction of a smallmouth bass fish hatchery in Graham county, to cost at least \$200,000, was introduced in the House today by Rep. Dr. J. H. Crawford of Graham.

Kiwanis Observes OPA Anniversary. The Kiwanis Club at its weekly supper meeting last night celebrated the third anniversary of the establishment of the War Price and Rationing boards. J. B. Kittrell, Pitt County chairman, spoke briefly and introduced W. A. Linehan, OPA district price executive of Raleigh, who gave an interesting history of the organization. He stressed the point that the success of the OPA has been largely due to the volunteer services of men and women in the local communities.

Both houses held short, perfunctory sessions today. Four senators and 14 representatives were present. The assembly will convene Monday night. Governor Cherry has been told that the State Planning Board will step out as a body if the executive concludes its job is complete. This it appeared that the responsibility for the fate of the board has been shifted to the governor from the committee of the General Assembly whose list on knotty problems has mounted steadily during the last two weeks.

The Budget Commission did not make provision for further support of the board in its recommended appropriations for the coming biennium. In its report to the Appropriations Committee, the Budget Commission said: "It is probable that by July 1, 1945, there may not be any reason to continue this board."

BONDS Keep Bombs Falling! The Budget Commission did not make provision for further support of the board in its recommended appropriations for the coming biennium.

Fight INFANTILE PARALYSIS. LONDON, JANUARY 27, 1945. KEEP AMERICA STRONG. A calendar grid for January 1945 with a call to action.

TAX NOTICE! Pursuant to Section 1403 of the Machinery Act of North Carolina, year 1944, a Penalty of 1% will be added to all unpaid taxes for 1944, after February 1, 1945. Also a penalty of 2% will be added for the month of March. After April 1st in addition to the 2% accumulated penalty will be added at one-half of 1% per month. H. L. Andrews Tax Collector Pitt County. J. O. Duval Tax Collector of Greenville.

where there's a sheer drop of a thousand feet. By the time you land, nobody in the world could doubt that you had met with a "catastrophic accident." "I'll see you dead in Hades before I'll sign anything," Hugh began angrily. Lacey shrugged, and turned to the door, his hand on the knob as he said over his shoulder, "Have it your own way. I'd have preferred it the other way, but the choice is yours." The door of the dining room opened and a girl's voice, sick and shocked until it was completely without expression, said quietly, "Wait a minute, Dad."

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New York Cotton

New York, Jan. 27.—(AP)—The cotton futures market reacted today to favorable war news and uncertainty over congressional farm price policy. Persistent commission house liquidation and hedging of cotton previously carried on an open basis depressed values as much as 85 cents a bale before the list recovered partially on mill buying and small replacement demand. The market again turned easy at the close on a flurry of liquidation.

Futures closed 40 to 85 cents a bale lower.

	Open	Last	Prv. Cl.
March	21.74	21.82	21.72
May	21.54	21.43	21.53
July	21.20	21.07	21.18
Oct.	20.51	20.38	20.52
Dec.	20.49	20.30	20.47

Middling spot 21.97, off 11.

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, Jan. 27.—(AP)—Paced by stels, rubbers and low-priced issues with good peacetime prospects, selected stocks continued their recovery drive in today's market.

Transfers were in the vicinity of 8,000,000 shares.

Better performers included U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, Goodyear, U. S. Rubber, Goodrich, Kennecott, Armour, Wilson & Co., American Radiator, Radio Corp., Sears Roebuck, Westinghouse and International Telephone. Among occasional losers were Chrysler, Great Northern, Boeing, American Smelting, Sperry and Union Carbide.

Trading in Montgomery Ward common was suspended temporarily on the floor of the stock exchange following word that a Chicago Federal Court had ruled that the recent seizure of this mall order property by the government was illegal. When dealings were resumed the stock sold on a 5,000-share block, up more than a point, and soon extended the advance.

FINAL STOCKS

Alleghany	27 1/2
Al Chem and Dye	161
Alus Chal Mfg	40 1/4
Am Can	91
Am Car Fdy	40 1/4
Am Roll Mill	16 1/2
Am Smelt and Ref	42 1/2
A T and T	161 1/2
Am Tob B	68
Anaconda	31 1/2
Arm Ill	8 1/2
A C L	50 1/2
Atl Ref	32 1/2
Aviat Corp	5 1/2
Baldwin	25 1/2
B & O	12 1/2
Barnsdall	19 1/2
Bendix Aviat	51 1/2
Beth Stl	70 1/2
Boeing Alrpl	18 1/2
Borden	34 1/2
Budd Mfg	11 1/2
Burl Mills	46
Bur Add Mach	14 1/2
Case J I	37
Caterpil Trac	48 1/2
Ches and O	51
Chrysler	94
Coca Cola	137 1/2
Coml Credit	40 1/2
Coml Solv	16 1/2
Consol Edis	25 1/2
Cont Can	40 1/2
Corr Prod	60 1/2
Quirtis Wright	5 1/2
Deug Alrc	70 1/2
Dew Chem	125
Dupont	160 1/2
Firestone	56 1/2
Gen Elec	39 1/2
Gen Foods	41 1/2
Gen Mot	64
Goodrich	55 1/2

Third Army ...
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wrecked or damaged 150 railway cars, and 26 road vehicles.

Snowdrifts hampered all six Allied armies in the West, and fog overhung the Alsace plain where the 79th division of the U. S. Seventh Army had rubbed out the last German bridgehead over the Moder River west of Haguenau.

Men of the First and Third armies floundered through snowdrifts as deep as seven to eight feet.

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Colored News

Winterville Colored P. T. A. The P. T. A. met Tuesday night, January 23, with 50 parents present. The first grade presented a program and served the group chicken salad sandwiches and cocoa. The first grade teachers are Mrs. M. F. Jones and Miss M. A. Williams.

Final exams were administered at the school Wednesday and Thursday, also exams for the 3rd and 7th grades throughout the Winterville District.

Teachers and students reported January 26 a total of \$52.60 on the Infantile Paralysis Campaign. Chairman, Mrs. Gardner. Miss Harris and the second grade presented a playlet in chapel Friday, January 26. "The Boy That Called the Wolf."

The Dramatic Club is now practicing on 4 one-act plays: "Why Teachers Go Nuts," "You Can't Fool Aunt Julia," "At the Stroke of Twelve," and "Dad Plans the Wedding."

Elizabeth Waller, a ninth grade student, is now in Duke Hospital. Mr. Amos Mills was a recent visitor on the campus.

Mabel Worthington and Karuther Knox attended the basketball game at the Ayden High School, Tuesday night.

—Vivian M. Mills

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