

Considerable cloudiness and continued warm tonight. Tuesday clearing and cooler preceded by showers in east portion during forenoon.

Nazis Put Up Fierce Battle To Defend Berlin

Reserves Being Shifted From Eastern Front; Third Army Infantry Within Eight Miles Of Czechoslovakia; German Counterattack Wipes Out One Elbe River Bridgehead

By JAMES M. LONG Paris, April 16.—(AP)—Third army infantry advanced to within eight miles of Czechoslovakia today and virtually bisected Germany, whose western front already has been split into northern and southern commands.

Germans in the eastern segment of the severed Ruhr death pocket surrendered this morning to the American First army of Lt. Gen. Courtney H. Hodges. Hundreds gave up without a struggle, joining the 143,349 already captured in the great industrial sector.

The Germans rushed troops and tanks from the eastern front and Berlin to oppose the grave threat to their ruined capital, 45 miles from the Ninth army elements north of Magdeburg. Three Nazi divisions stamped out the original Elbe river bridgehead at Magdeburg, but another east bank salient at Barby was deepened four miles to within 53 miles of Berlin on the open Brandenburg plain.

Some 3,000 Germans were surrendered by their commander in the eastern segment of the severed Ruhr pocket. Correspondent Don Whitehead said there was "the strongest possibility that both sections of the Ruhr pocket will be liquidated today." Already 146,349 German prisoners have been counted from the Ruhr and hundreds more were being taken from the great industrial region.

The British opened an assault on Bremen and moved to within two and a half miles of that port. The U. S. Third army besieged the big seaport center of Hamburg from the same distance, while the First army tightened its grip of Leipzig and cleared the northern third of Halle, and fought within two miles of Dessau, 52 miles southwest of Berlin.

Canadians and Poles reached the North Sea within 100 miles of Bremen. (Continued on page four)

Postpone Second Trial Of Meadows

Judge J. Paul Frizzelle has designated June 4 as the opening date of the second trial of Dr. Leon R. Meadows, former president of East Carolina Teachers College, charged with embezzlement and false pretense. The case was originally set to begin April 30, but when the defense raised objection to that date, counsel for both state and defense agreed to leave the matter to Judge Frizzelle.

The first trial of the case, lasting eight weeks, resulted in failure of the jury to agree and the court ordered a mistrial.

Meadows was originally indicted by the Grand Jury for mishandling special college and student funds amounting to more than \$18,000.

Today On The Home Front

By JAMES MARLOW

Editor's Note: This is the second of two stories on how public opinion will have a chance to express itself at the San Francisco Conference.

Washington, April 16.—(AP)—This country is making its part in the San Francisco Conference the most democratic thing of its kind ever done.

The delegates of the United Nations meet there April 25 to form a world league designed to prevent future wars.

But the American delegates will have a direct pipeline to the American people to learn what they think about each step taken.

They'll learn on a day-by-day basis. This is one of the smartest things the State Department has ever worked out. And this is why: The Department is inviting 42 top national organizations—representing perhaps more than 150 affiliated organizations and millions of Americans—to send representatives to the conference.

These representatives—called consultants—will be in constant touch with their organizations. Those organizations will let them know what they think of each move made in San Francisco.

Every other day—at least, that's according to present plans—the American delegates will meet with these consultants and find out what they and their organizations think. They'll discuss what has been done, what is to be done. The consultants will say what they think about all that.

This doesn't mean that the A-

Eden Arrives For Funeral



Anthony Eden, British foreign minister (right) talks with Air Vice Marshal R. P. Wilcock, Canadian Air Force, upon his arrival by plane in Washington from London for the funeral of the late President Roosevelt. (AP Wirephoto)

Truman Expected To Make Many Changes

NEW ACCORD WITH RUSSIA

Polish Settlement Appears More Favorable

By FLORA LEWIS

Washington, April 16.—(AP)—Signs mounted today that big three relations, which dipped sharply less than two months after Yalta, are returning to a basis of firm cooperation looking toward San Francisco. Marshal Stalin's quick accession to President Truman's request that Soviet Foreign Commissar Molotov head the Russian delegation to the United Nations meeting marked the first step in the direction of a possible smoother Allied relationship.

Diplomats were hopeful that Stalin's cooperative attitude toward Truman would mean a break in the two-year old Polish dispute which was coming to a head when President Roosevelt died.

One indication that an agreement on this subject may be approaching was given in London yesterday by former Polish Premier Stanislaw Mikolajczyk, a storm center in the Yalta-established Moscow commission. (Continued on Page Six)

Byrnes May Succeed Stettinius As Secretary Of State

By ERNEST VACCARO

Washington, April 16.—(AP)—Drastic changes in administration of the home front war program may grow out of President Truman's past differences with the Army over some production and supply phases. As chairman of the Senate's War Investigating Committee, Mr. Truman's controversies with the services of supply, headed by Gen. Brehon B. Somervell, operating under Undersecretary Robert P. Patterson, were sharp and sometimes bitter.

However, they concerned only such issues as production, construction and manpower utilization, in which Mr. Truman contended the military usurped civilian functions.

They had nothing to do with military strategy and the fighting itself, which the committee chairman always recognized as under "superb leadership."

Mr. Truman entered into his high office last week determined to give that leadership all-out support.

During his three and one-half years as committee chairman, he never once inquired into questions of strategy. His duties, as he saw them, were to investigate "waste and extravagance" in the munition camp construction, and other programs backing up the fighting men. His committee's pressure finally resulted in placing over-all control in civilian hands in the War Production Board.

A still greater degree of concentrating construction and war surplus disposal activities under civilian direction would carry out his oft-expressed theories on this subject. (Continued on page six)

To Continue Column New York April 16.—(AP)—United Feature Syndicate announced today that Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt will resume writing her column "My Day" beginning with tomorrow's release.

The column has not appeared since the death of President Roosevelt.

Conley Is Named To State Board

Raleigh, April 16.—(AP)—A tenure law to safeguard school teachers, principals and other employees against dismissal without jury excuse, was one measure called for by Dr. Ralph McDonald, as he retired from the presidency of the North Carolina Education Association Saturday.

New members of the board of directors include D. H. Conley of Greenville, and Hugh Bean of Marion.

Among other of McDonald's recommendations were a sound and adequate salary schedule for teachers, and ten months employment for them; reduction of the teacher load; raising the compulsory attendance age to 18; an adequate program of vocational education for all high schools, and a health program which will provide full medical and dental care for all children.

Reds Begin Offensives For Berlin

Berlin Reports All-Out Russian Drives Along Oder River Front; Spearheads Within 24 Miles Of German Capital

By RICHARD KASISCHKE London, April 16.—(AP)—The German high command announced today that the Russians had launched their long awaited large scale offensive from the east side of the German waist at Berlin.

Earlier Berlin broadcasts had made similar announcements, but this was the first confirmation by the formal communique, which usually proves more accurate than the German news services. The high command declared the big Soviet steamroller swung into action along a 60-mile front from the mouth of the Neisse southeast of Berlin to the Oderbruch, a low plain on the west bank of the Oder northeast of Berlin.

"Bitter fighting is in progress on the entire front," said Berlin's war bulletin.

German broadcasts indicated that the Russian assault was being mounted on an even broader front, and reported that a new bridgehead across the Oder had been forged in the first hours of the offensive in the Schwedt area, 30 miles south of Stettin and 44 miles northeast of Berlin.

Schwedt is 105 miles from Seebau, where American forces now stand on the Elbe. However Russian and American forces were even closer to a junction north of Berlin, German broadcasts indicated. The Russians were reported attacking close to Wriezen, 24 miles northeast of Berlin and 91 miles from the American Ninth army on the Elbe at Tangermunde.

The Germans said strong Soviet tank forces had made breaches in attacks toward the Seelow heights. Seelow is 27 miles east of Berlin and 11 miles west of Kuestrin. Southeast of Berlin, a Transohrean broadcast said, the Russians lashed out in the Buerstenberg area on the Oder toward Beeskow, 24 miles from the capital and 87 miles from American force attacking in the Dessau area.

The Germans reported several. (Continued on Page Six)

Officers Seek Escaped Nazis

Charlotte, April 16.—(AP)—Federal state and county authorities today were on the lookout for four German prisoners of war who escaped over the week-end from two camps, one in this state and one in Virginia.

Edward Scheidt, of Charlotte special investigator of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, announced that two prisoners escaped from Camp Butler and listed them as Rudolph Streinz, 22, and Gerd Roemke, 22.

The other two prisoners who escaped from Camp Catawba in Virginia, were listed as Walter Schuetz, 23, and Gerd Schliesstedt, 23.

Roosevelt Laid To Rest As World Pays Tribute

By HOWARD FLIEGER

Roosevelt Estate, Hyde Park, N. Y., April 16.—(AP)—Franklin Delano Roosevelt, world traveler in search of lasting peace, slept today in the spot on earth he loved above all others—the garden of his family home in the peaceful Hudson Valley.

In burial rites majestic in their simplicity, the fourth-term Chief Executive was laid to rest Sunday behind the hemlock hedge which borders the century old garden.

His modest-mannered successor, President Truman, joined other high government dignitaries in the ceremony—then sped back to Washington to shoulder in earnest the crushing task which fell his lot Thursday when a cerebral hemorrhage killed President Roosevelt.

With President Truman went Mrs. Roosevelt, back to the White House to terminate the First-Family housekeeping she began March 4, 1933.

Simple neighbors of Hyde Park mingled with Cabinet officers, Supreme Court justices, congressional and military leaders and foreign executives to pay homage to the late President.

Among the funeral guests were Prime Minister MacKenzie King of Canada—who placed his own floral offering at the green-carpeted graveside—and Alfred Clay, son of a farmer on the Roosevelt estate and boyhood playmate of the late President.

The Presidential train—in a funeral role for the first time since the death of Warren G. Harding—rolled into the Roosevelt estate for the last time at 8:40 a. m. Sunday.

The booming thunder of a 21-gun Presidential salute started the burial services a few minutes before 10 a. m. The guns were fired at 15-second intervals.

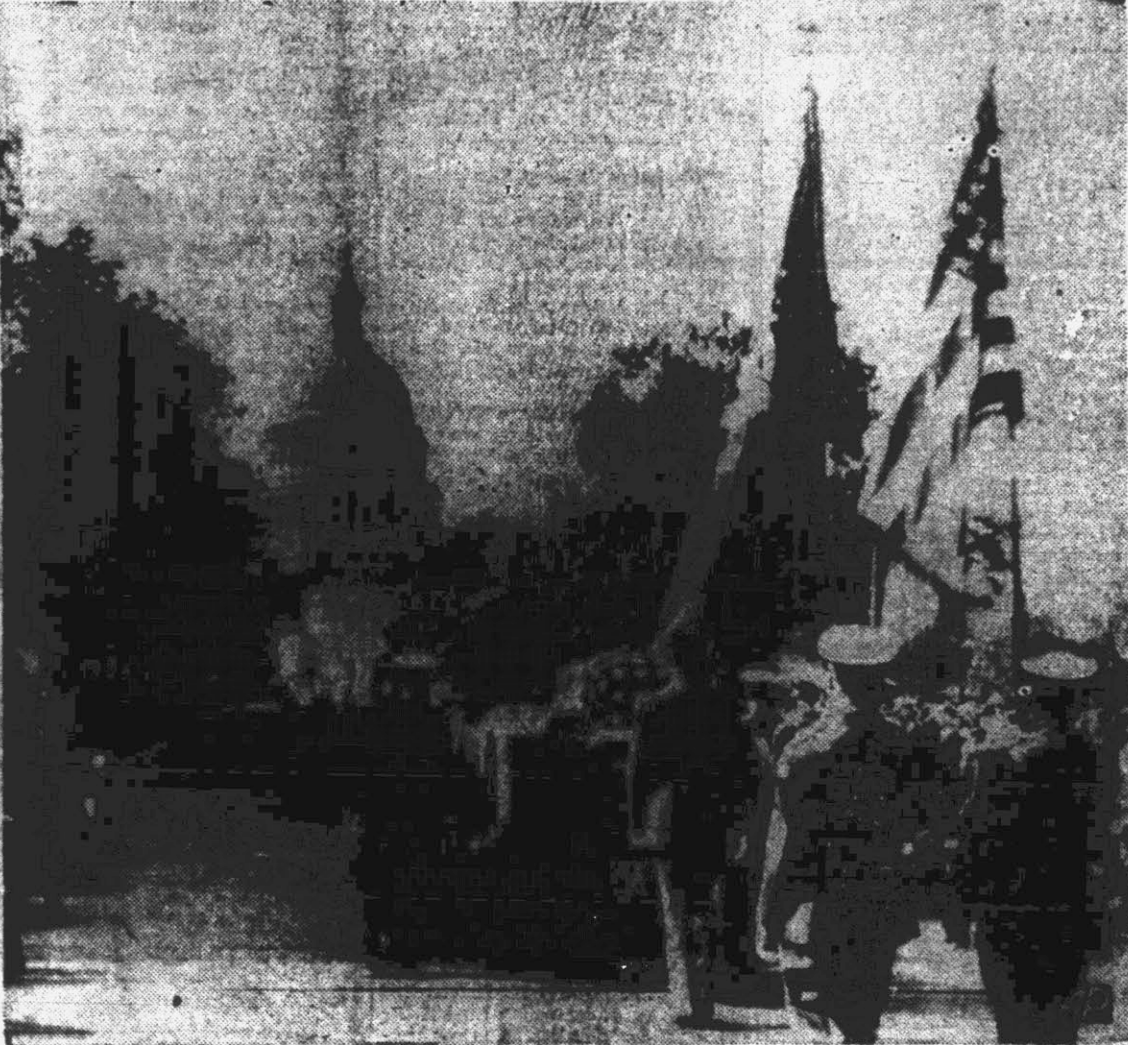
At 10:02 a. m. a Marine captain snapped "Present Arms" to the military guard of honor down the valley came the muffled roll of drums. The body of President Roosevelt began the short, slow journey to the final resting place by casket.

A military band broke into the brisk strains of "Hail to the Chief," then turned to the somber, mournful chords of a Chopin funeral dirge. Formal-clad cadets from West Point, 35 miles away, marched into the garden and stood at attention before the grave—banked by floral condolences from all over the world.

At 10:36 a. m. ten body bearers from the armed forces lifted the flag-draped casket from a gun casket and carried it inside the garden to the graveside.

Truman Pledges Effort For Victory And Peace

Funeral Cortege Starts For White House



The flag-covered coffin of President Roosevelt starts along Delaware avenue toward the capitol (dome in background) enroute to the White House from the Union Station after arrival of the funeral train from Warm Springs, Ga. Whites horses draw the caisson which is followed by the President's personal flag beside the Stars and Stripes. (AP Wirephoto)

General Allied Offensive Opened On Italian Front

YANKS GAIN ON OKINAWA

Another Island Seized; Advances On Luzon

By LIEF ERICKSON

Guam, April 16.—(AP)—A noticeable decrease in Japanese artillery fire along the long-stalemated "Little Siegfried line" on southern Okinawa was reported today as the campaign only 325 miles south of Japan itself went into its third week.

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Clark And Alexander Declare Nazis Will Be Wiped Out

By LYNN HEINZELING

Rome, April 16.—(AP)—Gen. Mark W. Clark announced today that the "spring offensive in the Mediterranean theater has begun," with the U. S. Fifth and the British Eighth armies engaged in operations along the entire Italian battlefield.

The British Eighth Army struck on the eastern end of the front a week ago and the U. S. Fifth jumped into the fight today along the central and western sectors.

The Fifth's attack was preceded yesterday by 1,333 heavy bombers of the U. S. 15th Air Force which blasted German targets south of Bologna. At places the carpet of bombs fell within five and a half miles of Fifth Army lines.

The experience of the Eighth Army in its week-old offensive indicates the Fifth will face bitter and bloody fighting in its effort to break out of the mountains south of Bologna and into the broad Po Valley.

The Germans have chosen to fight for Northern Italy despite military disasters which are ripping the Reich apart.

Field Marshal Sir Harold Alexander, Allied commander in chief in the Mediterranean, in a special order of the day declared: "German forces now are very (Continued on page six)

NEW AIR BLOWS AGAINST NAZIS

More Than 3,500 Bombers In Today's Raids

By HENRY B. JAMESON

London, April 16.—(AP)—More than 3,500 Allied warplanes scoured Germany from Berlin to Regensburg in Bavaria today, hitting at least 15 rail yards and bridges along routes through which the Nazis are straining to get supplies into Southern Germany.

Some 750 U. S. Eighth Air Force heavy bombers hit the Regensburg area, striking at rail junctions, bridges, and airfields in front of (Continued on Page Six)

President Declares Grand Strategy Of War Will Remain Unchanged And Unhindered; Urges Support Of Congress And People In Behalf Of Lasting Peace And Better World

By JACK BELL

Washington, April 15.—(AP)—President Truman promised today that the grand strategy of the war will remain "unchanged and unhindered" by his accession to the presidency.

Making his first address to a joint session of Congress, the new President declared that this nation, along with its allies, must shoulder the "grave responsibility" of making secure future peace.

To accomplish this objective, Mr. Truman said, the United States must join in punishing those guilty for bringing on the war.

"Lasting peace can never be secured if we permit our dangerous opponents to plot future wars with impunity at any mountain retreat—however distant," the President said, in apparent allusion to reports that Hitler may attempt to seek a refuge in the Bavarian mountains of Germany.

"The armies of liberation today are bringing to an end Hitler's ghastly threat to dominate the world," President Truman said. "Tokyo rocks under the weight of our bombs."

"The grand strategy of a United Nations war has been determined—due in no small measure to the wisdom of our departed commander-in-chief. We are now carrying out our part of that strategy under the able direction of Admiral Leahy, General Marshall, Admiral King, General Arnold, General Eisenhower, Admiral Nimitz and General MacArthur."

"I want the entire world to know that this direction must and will remain unchanged and unhindered."

Speaking only one day after the (Continued on Page Four)

Twenty Killed In Plane Crash

Morgantown, W. Va., April 16.—(AP)—Pointing skyward, there remained today only a battered tail-piece and some scattered fragments of a storm-blast Pennsylvania Central Airlines transport which crashed into a nearby mountain, carrying to an explosive death its 30 occupants.

A 2,200-foot ridge in Cooper's Rock State park, about 10 miles east of here, searchers found the bodies, most of them charred and mangled, almost beyond recognition, strewn over a 1,000-yard stretch of black underbrush.

Spotted first by planes, the scope of the tragedy was reached by rescuers on foot yesterday afternoon, almost a full day after the big silver plane left Pittsburgh and plunged earthward about a half hour's flying time later en route to Birmingham, Ala.

The WAR TODAY AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEWS

By DEWITT MACKENZIE Associated Press War Analyst

V-E Day is still on the wing and the signs are that it's going to take some gunning to bring it down.

The overall picture in Europe is that of a Germany virtually slashed in halves, but with two great areas of Nazi resistance developing for a last stand. One of these will be along the northern coast, stretching into Denmark, and the forces defending Berlin will figure on retreating towards the sea when the Allied pressure against the capital becomes too strong. The other will be centered in Hitler's Alpine fortress about Berchtesgaden.

The Hitlerite leaders give every indication of determination to fight just as long as there are soldiers left who are willing to do battle—and die.

I was in Washington during the past fateful week-end of national emotion, and came away with a positive conviction which I should like to record here. It is that all elements of government are standing outside politics as solidly as the rock of Gibraltar in their determination to carry our global war through to unconditional surrender and to establish a just and enduring peace.

This unalterable determination is a fact which it is well to emphasize. It is, of course, what you and I would expect, but there are those among our enemies who will try to glean a grain of hope for an easier peace as the result of our loss. They should know at once that America marches on to the fulfillment of her objectives.

One notes with satisfaction that Japan's new premier, Admiral Bur-

on Suzuki, sees the writing on the wall. Dornel, the official Japanese news agency, quotes him as admitting that he "does not expect America's war effort against Japan to change because of Mr. Roosevelt's death."

In this the Mikado's first minister of state is smarter than is Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, who to Washington Special Agent Nippon stabled us in the back, whose wretched thinking leads him to believe the American home-front will weaken. Murosu, whose shifty mind enabled him to talk peace in our capital while preparing to knife us, should be in Washington now to see the grim determination in evidence there.

The capture of Franz von Papen, Hitler's right-hand man in diplomatic dexterity, by American troops is one of the war's great coups. Von Papen is among the dozen most dangerous men in the world—and I doubt if that gives him high enough rating.

This arrogant Prussian aristocrat is the essence of the militarism which the Allies have sworn to wipe out in Europe. He is one of the shrewdest schemers of our time and has been responsible for many of Hitler's most profitable ventures. (Continued on page four)

NATION GUIDE Meals—Book Four Red Stamps 75 and 25, 25 through 75 Book Back Four Red Stamps 25 through 75 Sugar—Book Four Red Stamps 25 through 75 Shoes—Book Four Red Stamps 25 through 75 Gasoline—15-A Coupons valid on June 21.

Social and Personal

Miss Ethel Louise Cayton of Washington, D. C. is visiting her sister, Mrs. Paul Brown.

Mrs. Earl Daniels of Charleston, S. C. is visiting friends and relatives in Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Collins, Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Collins, Jr. attended a reception given Friday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Margaret T. Britt in Clinton, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. Britt. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Collins, Jr. were in the receiving line.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Pittman and little son of Richmond, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pittman.

Major and Mrs. W. K. Whichard and two sons of Fort Monroe, Va., and Mrs. E. F. Gupion and daughter of Norfolk, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Whichard, in Stokes.

Mr. Paul Bissette spent today in Greenville.

Mrs. John Lynch of Erwin spent the week-end with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Bulls returned to Asheboro today after spending the week-end with Mrs. W. B. Cozart. Mrs. T. F. Bulls, Jr., and little daughter, Jane Cozart, accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. J. D. Simpson of Athens, Ga., is spending a few days here on business.

Engagement Announced. Mr. and Mrs. David Edward Jones announce the engagement of their daughter Margaret Graves.

Robert Joseph Roper, Sergeant, United States Marine Corps.

The wedding will take place in early summer.

Birth Announcement. Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Worthington of Ayden announce the birth of a daughter, Laura Elizabeth, on Monday, March 26, 1945, Memorial General Hospital, Kinston.

Mrs. Worthington is the former Miss Mildred E. Porter of Simpson.

Volunteer Workers Needed. Volunteer workers are needed for sugar registration. Please call 2582 tonight.

West Greenville F. T. A. The West Greenville F. T. A. will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 in the school auditorium. Miss Alice Strawn will be guest speaker.

Return From Trip. J. Frank Brooks, field representative for the War Manpower Commission, has returned to Greenville after an extensive business trip through the northeastern district.

Birth Announcement. Mr. and Mrs. Jake Ellis, Jr. announce the birth of a son, Bobbie Kevin, on Thursday, April 12, 1945. Mrs. Ellis is the former Miss Rosa Lee Andrews of Greenville, R. 4.

Class Meeting Postponed. The April meeting of the Junior Philathes Class has been postponed from Thursday, April 19, to Thursday night, April 26.

Legion Meets Tuesday Night. Pitt County Post No. 39, American Legion, will have a supper meeting at Third street school hut tomorrow night at 7 o'clock.

Wiggs Secretary and Treasurer of the Free Will Baptist State Mission Board. will speak at the church here tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. People of Greenville and the county will be anxious to hear him tell of his tour of the Baptist mission field in Cuba. Mr. Wiggs is well known in the state. He is pastor of the Ayden and Reedy Branch Free Will Baptist churches. Members of the Woman's Auxiliary are urged to attend, and the public is invited.

Chapter Meeting. Greenville Chapter No. 50 Royal Arch Masons will hold a short convocation Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of accepting petitions. All Royal Arch Masons are urged to be present on time as the meeting should not require more than 30 minutes.

Attend Funeral. Mrs. Allie Whitehurst and family went to New Bern today to attend the funeral of Rev. J. A. Caunders. Rev. Saunders was a brother-in-law of Mrs. Whitehurst.

ECTC Vesper Services. Rev. Hayes Clark, minister of Meadowbrook and Hollywood Presbyterian churches, spoke at the college YWCA vesper last night on "Making Religion Attractive." He said that religion isn't attractive to many people. Seventy-two percent of the population of Pitt county are connected with no church or Sunday school.

He asked: "What are we doing to make religion attractive; how would the world seem if everyone's religion were like ours? What are we doing to make religion attractive on the ECTC campus?"

Friday night vesper was in charge of the "Freshman Y" of which Sara McKenzie of Orrum is advisor.

Joan Meador of Merry Hill read the poem "The Land of Beginning Again" and said that we have a land of beginning again with the coming of each new day. She urged that as we begin each new day we take Christ with us.

Social Calendar

MONDAY

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

8:00 p. m.—Dr. Phaff speaks on "The Price of Peace" at the AAUW meeting in High School.

8:00 p. m.—Mrs. Clarence Barnhill and Mrs. Paul Dupree will entertain at a miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Leah Mildred Ross, bride-elect.

TUESDAY

3:30 p. m.—Mrs. D. M. Clark will be hostess to the Athenium Club.

3:30 p. m.—The Round Table meets with Mrs. Charles Horne.

8:00 p. m.—Chapter 149 of the Eastern Star meets.

8:00 p. m.—Mrs. Graham Miller and Mrs. Carey Joyner will be hostess at a kitchen shower in compliment to Miss Leah Mildred Ross, bride-elect.

8:00 p. m.—St. Mary's Auxiliary meets.

8:00 p. m.—The Fireside Club of the Christian Church meets with Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Conley.

WEDNESDAY

2:30 p. m.—Girl Scout Camp Committee

3:30 p. m.—West Greenville P. T. A. meets.

THURSDAY

10:00 a. m.—Council Training Day.

12:30 p. m.—Luncheon at Proctor Hotel.

FRIDAY

10:00 a. m.—Leaders' Training Day.

12:30 p. m.—Luncheon at Proctor Hotel.

8:00 p. m.—Miss Jane Tucker and Miss Annie Mae Cannon will entertain at a floating shower at the home of Miss Tucker, in honor of Miss Leah Mildred Ross, bride-elect.

Celebrates Birthday.

Little Miss Ann Hamric entertained about thirty guests on Thursday afternoon in celebration of her seventh birthday.

Pink flowers were used to decorate the home on Evans street. After the little friends had been greeted by their hostess and her mother, Mrs. Mabel Glenn Hamric, they were invited into the garden for a marble hunt and numerous other games. Suzanne Kramer and Tighman Keel won the prizes for finding the largest number of marbles.

As the children entered the dining room they were each given a paper hat and a bag of candy. The table was centered with a beautiful bowl of pink flowers and pink candles. After the hostess had cut the first slice of her birthday cake, ice cream, cake and assorted candies were served.

Mrs. E. S. Hamric, Mrs. Hinton Best, Mrs. Herman Norris and Mrs. Frambough of Rocky Mount, assisted in serving.

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR

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Annual Report

The Presbyterian Church reports the following contributions for the year ending March 31, 1905: Foreign missions \$18.67; general assembly's home missions, \$4.09; home missions in presbytery and synod, \$81.95; education 20th century fund, \$24.50; publications, \$1.00; presbytery, \$8.00; pastor's salary, \$350.00; congregational expenses, \$149.71. These figures show a decided gain from last year. The membership is 46.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our many friends for their kind expressions of sympathy shown us during the hours of our great sorrow and loss. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. James and Family.

Christian Science Service.

"Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?" was the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Christian Science churches and societies on Sunday, April 15.

The golden text was from Jeremiah 17:14, "Heal me, O Lord, and I shall be healed; save me, and I shall be saved; for thou art my praise."

Among the citations which comprised the lesson-sermon were the following from the Bible: "And when he called unto him his twelve disciples, he gave them power against unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to heal all manner of sickness, and all manner of disease. These twelve Jesus sent forth, and commanded them, saying, And as ye go, preach, saying, The kingdom of heaven is at hand. Heal the sick, cleanse the lepers, raise the dead, cast out devils: freely ye have received, freely give." (Matt. 10: 1, 5, 7, 8.)

The lesson-sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Jesus established in the Christian era the precedent for all Christianity, theology, and healing. Our Master said to every follower: 'Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature; Heal the sick! Love thy neighbor as thyself.' It was this theology of Jesus which healed the sick and the sinning. It is his theology in this book and the spiritual meaning of this theology, which heals the sick and causes the wicked to forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thought."

National Honor Society Meets.

Presided over by its outgoing president, Miss Mamie E. Jenkins, the Greenville chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma, national honor society for women teachers, met Saturday afternoon, April 16, in the parlors of Ragdale Hall, and in one session held two of its four annual meetings—first, a business meeting closing the past two years' work, and second, an information program on the status of education in North Carolina at present and on Delta Kappa Gamma's nationwide study of selection of teachers.

In the business meeting the following officers were elected: President, Miss Audrey Dempsey; first vice-president, Mrs. Luther Herring; second vice-president, Miss Dora Coates; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Clem Garner; recording secretary, Miss Christine Johnston;

treasurer, Miss Elizabeth Hyman, and parliamentarian, Miss Ethel Perry, primary teacher in Plymouth, N. C. These officers respectively succeeded Miss Jenkins, Miss Alice Strawn, Miss Ella Bonner, Miss Agnes Fullilove, Miss Elizabeth Walker, Miss Elizabeth Hyman, and Miss Annie Perkins.

Reports by various committees showed that valuable educational work had been accomplished by the chapter, and the report by its president stressed its service in its having been the "mother chapter" for organizing two new chapters in Eastern North Carolina. Miss Jenkins also gave interesting "highlights" on the state meeting of officials and delegates recently held in Greensboro, from which she brought a most gratifying record on the growth of this educational society in its ten years in North Carolina and its fifteen years in the nation.

In the second "meeting" Miss Eva Keeler, chairman of the program committee, presented four speakers who briefly discussed the grave needs of education in the present national crisis. Dr. Lucille Turner emphasized the situation by such startling facts as those reported by the research director of the National Education Association: that since Pearl Harbor 250,000 teachers or 31 per cent of the public school instruction staff, have left the profession; that the available supply of rural teachers is 80 per cent below normal; that enrollment in liberal arts colleges is half that before the war; and that enrollments in teachers colleges is barely one-third as great as before Pearl Harbor.

Miss Agnes Fullilove made equally clear the serious shortage of teachers in North Carolina, the tendency of recent graduates not to become teachers, and the fact that the new legislative salary schedules are still too low to prevent constant loss of teachers. Speaking on the need for federal aid, Miss Ruth Modlin

brought out the high rank of North Carolina in requirements for teacher-training, and yet the low rank in salaries for teachers, the national average being \$1,625 and the state average being \$1,120.

Miss Evelyn Caldwell, scheduled to speak on Delta Kappa Gamma's national study for "Better Selection for Better Teachers," asked for her talk to be omitted so that all might attend the memorial services for the late President.

The new officers were then formally installed, and a vote of thanks was given Miss Jenkins for her term of enthusiastic and efficient service.

The meetings began with a delightful luncheon which was provided by various members who brought salads and sandwiches and which was attractively served by the social committee, of which Miss Alice Strawn was chairman.

NEWS ABOUT SERVICEMEN

Spends Week-end Here
Henry Andrews, Jr., seaman first class, who is stationed at Virginia Beach, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Andrews.

On Leave
Lt. (jg) W. A. Sugg, who has been in New York for the past six weeks, is spending this week here with his family. Mrs. Sugg and children will return to Washington, D. C., with him at the expiration of his leave.

In France
Pvt. George D. Tetterton, son of Mrs. Margaret Tetterton of Bethel, Route 3, has arrived in France.

Promoted
Port Pierce, Fla., April 16—Wiley

Brown, son of Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Brown of Parkton, N. C., and graduate of the East Carolina Teachers College, Greenville, has been promoted from ensign to junior grade lieutenant in the Naval Reserve, according to word today from Capt. C. Gulbranson, commanding officer of the U. S. Naval Amphibious Training base here, where young Brown is stationed in the attack boat training program.

Born in Bethel, N. C., Lt. (jg) Brown graduated from Moyock High School, class of 1939, then attended East Carolina Teachers College, Greenville, for four years. Before called to active duty in the Naval Reserve in December, 1943, he was employed as water safety instructor at the municipal swimming pool, Greenville.

Lt. (jg) Brown is married to Nellie M. Brown, who makes her home in Youngsville, N. C.

Third Street School News

Memorial to Our President
It was a great shock to our country and to the other countries of the world to learn that our President was dead.

Friday morning as a memorial to our beloved President the children and teachers of Third Street School raised the American flag at half-mast. This was followed by a brief and impressive program. At 12 o'clock noon several children returned to the flag pole and raised the flag all the way up to show that we as a nation will fight for that which our great chief died.—By Pat Simpson.

Dr. Bradshaw's Visit
Tuesday, March 27, Dr. Bradshaw.

of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church, came to visit Third Street School. The third grade said Bible verses in alphabetical order. Then Miss Lyerly introduced Dr. Bradshaw. The theme of his talk was, "Do you own your face?" He said that you would have to have an honest, unselfish, and Christ-like heart to have a good face. Everyone enjoyed his talk.—By J. B. Butts.

Fourth Graders Win Souvenirs
Wednesday was the end of a very interesting contest. The grades of Third Street School have been racing to see what grade could get the most stamp money. The prize was different kinds of German equipment.

The fourth grade won the prize by collecting the following amounts for stamps and bonds: March 27, \$48.25; March 14, \$34.55; March 27, \$19.45; March 28, \$33.65. The grand total collected by the fourth grade was \$136. The school is pleased to let this grade keep the German equipment. The fourth grade, like many other grades in America, is helping to speed victory. Buy more and more stamps and bonds to beat the Axis.—By Mitchell Saleed.

Playground Equipment
The City Recreation Committee is going to make a gift to the children of Greenville. The gift is a make-believe castle tower. It is nine feet and nine inches tall, and is about 15 feet around. So the children of Greenville will have a lot of fun climbing the tower. By Ed Hill.

Save Paper For Scouts
The U. S. government has asked all Boy Scouts to collect paper. For that reason, every Sunday the Boy Scouts will have trucks to go all

over town and collect. So bundle up all your extra paper and have it in front of your house every Sunday before 9 o'clock.—By Mitchell Saleed and Bobby Williams.

Seventh Grader Takes Trip
Bobby Williams of the seventh grade took a trip to Asheville, N. C., by way of Charlotte. He told the class that he saw Grandfather Mountain and Chimney Rock, both of which are located in the Blue Ridge mountains. It was interesting to hear him tell how people had crops planted on the steep slopes of the mountains.—By Billy Ray Holbert.

WE KNOW

"The President died a few hours ago."
The lines in the newspaper ready. It had to be written that way in the news. But in our hearts, he'll never be dead.

He strove to help the polio victims. And all those in misery and strife. For, altho he wasn't "over there," 'Twas for his country he gave his life.

Yes, it's just another story in the chapter of life. For people die every day. But God creates only very few men. The rest of us come from common clay.

"The President died a few hours ago."

The radio announcer said. But we at home will surely know in our hearts he'll never be dead. By a 14-year-old High School Girl.

NOTICE

Our Restaurant Will Be CLOSED

Every Wednesday

All Day

Beginning

Wednesday, April 18th

Until Further Notice

Olde Towne Inn
Gentry Galloway, Manager

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Perforations are news this spring and they make headlines in these smart sandals.

The wedgie heel and platform sole are added to make it the perfect shoe

for work or play. Sizes 4-9 up to

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Smooth and comfy as a spring and just as new. They are specially

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IMPORTANT FACTS

of vital interest to every user of

COAL

The supply of coal during the next 12 months will not be adequate to provide you with as much as you normally burn. Therefore, the Solid Fuels Administration for War has issued instructions prohibiting us from delivering coal to any consumer unless the consumer files with his dealer a—

CONSUMER DECLARATION

Your coal dealer is now supplied with the necessary form for filing this Declaration. The Declaration requires you to state, among other things, the number of rooms to be heated, your normal coal requirements, and the amount of coal you are ordering.

Place Your Declaration and Order Now

Only unless you place your Declaration and your order for coal with your dealer is he required to deliver any coal to you.

If you place your order and your Consumer Declaration with your dealer before May 15, you are entitled to get, before October 1, 30 per cent of your normal annual requirements if you are ready, willing, and able to take delivery of any usable solid fuel on terms agreeable to you and the dealer.

Generally a dealer is prohibited from delivering, and the consumer is prohibited from receiving, during the period April 1, 1946, to March 31, 1946, more than 80 per cent of the consumer's normal annual requirements.

Generally a dealer is prohibited from delivering, and the consumer is prohibited from receiving, before September 1, 1945, more than 50 per cent of the consumer's normal annual requirements.

Your coal dealer recognizes the probabilities of unforeseen difficulties arising in carrying out these regulations. He, therefore, asks you to learn the facts—how they apply to you and how they apply to him. Your co-operation is essential.

PENALTIES FOR MISREPRESENTATION

Any person making a false statement or representation in or on the back of this Consumer Declaration is subject to criminal prosecution and upon conviction is subject to a fine of not more than \$10,000 or 10 years' imprisonment, or both.

YOU MUST GO TO THE OFFICE OF YOUR COAL DEALER TO FILL OUT YOUR DECLARATION

The farmers who use coal for curing tobacco must secure in addition to the "consumer declaration" an application "form" from the "AAA." It is imperative that these forms be secured and filed with your local coal dealer immediately. These "forms" must be in your coal dealer's possession before he can order your coal for curing tobacco.

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Second Marriage

By EVELYN MURRAY CAMPBELL

Chapter 23

It was long after that that the whistles sounded again, this time differently and as if the earth itself mushroomed illumination, it glowed light again. She could see faces now, all around her, blinking astonishment and chagrin and sometimes a sorry grin. They were ashamed of their consternation and tossed it off, calling to each other:

"Officers stood at intersections turning people back after a look at their registration slips or passing them on accordingly. Cynthia was turned back. She belonged in Santa Monica, not in the valley. But now she did not even want to go there. The fever was gone from her, the sick desire to be with him and cling to his strength. She was beaten by forces that showed her to herself as small and unavailing.

There was a car before the house and another in the drive and the porch light was on. She parked without looking at them and went up the three white steps to the door. Carey opened it. He put his arms around her.

"Something has happened to Edris," she said.

Edris had tried to kill herself as she had said that she would.

When Cynthia did not return, when the telephone and radio went off, when the whistles and black out followed, Edris went to Maud's room and found a box of sleeping powders on a bathroom shelf and swallowed a handful. Then she laid down on Maud's bed to die.

It was pitiful and tragic and in the end rather ridiculous because the tablets were harmless soda and bromide and merely called for an emetic. But that was not the point. The little white face on the pillow was what it meant to Cynthia.

"If Carey hadn't come—" moaned Maud. "If he hadn't been here right after I found her—"

The doctor picked up his bag. Carey's treatment had been rather strenuous but Edris would have survived without it, his eyes and smile said.

"You came," Cynthia said. "And I thought you wouldn't."

"Of course," Carey said. "you needed me, didn't you?"

A SLIGHT CASE OF Theft

By RUFUS NEED

Chapter 24

The one person Christopher Humbert did not want to see after the Draft Board turned him down for the third and last time, was the Duchess. But when he walked into the library of his apartment just before dinner that evening she was waiting for him. She had probably been sitting there all afternoon with her knitting, deeply concerned over the report he would bring back from the Board.

Christopher saw her white head turn eagerly toward the door as he entered the room. Her nimble fingers never dropped a stitch as her keen old eyes instantly read the Board's final action in the white freidity of her nephew's face, and the smoldering rebellion in his dark eyes.

"Well, Duchess, you were right," he announced grimly. Then he turned abruptly away from her and walked across the room to an open window. "My knee threw me again. I rate 4-F and this time I know it's final."

He spoke Christopher was aware of a feeling of strangeness in this room he had known since prep-school days. Its dark pine panels seemed to harbor the end of something he had lost and the beginning of something else which would change his whole existence. He watched an airplane carrier used for training pilots lay a long wavering smoke trail along the horizon

erica. What do any of us, our little ways, our wills or wants count beside that? That's important. That's pushed everything off the stage. It holds the spotlight. A bomber." He gave her a side-wise grin from a cheek dark with a night's beard.

"We can't run away from it as you tried to do, or escape, like poor little Edris. We've got to strip down to our shorts and face it, with or without music."

"I can do it," Cynthia said. "Give me a chance to try."

"It means giving up a lot. It means going far on a little—the Indian's handful of corn." He was making it as hard as he could pressing her ruthlessly. "You'll forget what luxury is if you follow me Cynthia."

"We didn't have luxury at the lake," she said steadily. "We loved that. I don't want anything better."

"That was make believe, this is real," he didn't spare her. "You've cherished the wrong gods, Cynthia, and they've nearly tricked you. Can you turn the trick the other way?"

"I can and I will, Carey."

It was strange how clear and simple it was with him by her side. The night had unfolded the picture in its deceiving colors. She hadn't been willing to give up anything. The house, her way of living, possessions, Vera, subsidized to keep her at heel. The neurotic child and her fanatical worship built upon ideals to a point of dangerous hysteria. Even poor Maud with no independence of her own but chained to Cynthia's wheel, duty bound, to Cynthia's home and children. And she would have done this to Carey, too, if he had let her.

The struggle need never have been a struggle at all. They were hers as they had always been but on terms that would have to be remade.

"Find us a little house, Carey close to your work. I'll be your way and it'll be the way I love. Ned and Anne will take over this place and the income will keep the children in school somewhere—where no bombs can ever come. Ned can take over the office, too. I don't want it anymore. Get a little house near enough for you to come home to lunch."

"I'll have to be darn close," he laughed and kissed her and his cheek was rough. "They'll have to stop making cars if they make planes enough." Then he wasn't laughing any more. He held her face between his hands and looked at though he could never see enough of it.

"You're going to be my wife, Cynthia. That's the only way it could ever be but I thought you'd never. And some day when this is all over we'll go back to the lake and sleep under the tarp with embers at our feet. Promise me, Cynthia."

She promised. And in the eternal hopefulness of the heart it seemed that this must come to pass. It was something worth waiting and working and wishing for.

THE END

answered, with a faint smile. "Men are needed at the home front."

"That is a matter I am not prepared to discuss with anyone now, Aunt Genevieve," he spoke deliberately, using the name he seldom called her except when he was aroused or angry. He was through with that kind of moralizing from people who never would see active service, and he resented her attempt to dominate a situation which he felt was strictly his own concern and did not affect his aunt in any way. In every crisis of his life, since the day a wrecked automobile had killed both his parents, her decisions had been a guiding factor in everything he had done. But that family dominance was over at last. He walked quickly back across the library, and was in the doorway when he heard her voice again.

"Christopher, wait a minute. There is something I must say to you." There was a compelling authority in the vibrant old voice that demanded attention. Christopher hesitated, then slowly turned around and waited. The habit of years was strong.

"Perhaps it takes more courage to stay home and do the work you have to do than it does to go out and fight, and be a hero—"

"God knows, I never expected to be anything but a hard working private in the ranks—an aviation cadet. He stopped abruptly, then he added hastily. "I'd rather not talk about it. But there is one thing I am going to do and that is get away from this place. If I have to take a desk job, it won't be in this God-forsaken town."

Again he started back into the hall—and again the strident voice from the library followed him.

"Christopher, will you have the courtesy to stay long enough to hear what I have to say. It's important. Your grandfather founded and developed the largest department store in this community. Your father helped to make it a great national institution. Now wait, please—don't interrupt me. I'm going to finish what I have to say. You've been working four years at Humbert's haven't you?"

"I have. Four dead-end, interminable years. In that time I have been shunted around 12 different departments by bored executives who finally would use my Gulliver's travels by snapping me down in furs, where, for my sins, I happen to be wasting my time at the present moment. That is the beginning and I hope the end of my connection with Humbert's—"

To Be Continued

Information About Coal For Farmers

The Solid Fuels Administrator has issued SPAW Order No. 23 which provides that any dealer requiring an additional supply of bituminous coal for use in a brooder, hatchery or for tobacco curing for new users may obtain the additional coal if a separate order is filed with his shipper on or before May 15, 1945.

Mr. J. V. Taylor, chairman of the Pitt County AAA Committee announced that these separate orders must be accompanied by a written certification signed by a member of the Pitt County AAA Committee stating (1) the name and address of the consumer, (2) the use to which the coal will be put (brooder, hatchery or for tobacco curing), (3) the amount and size of coal required and (4) the name of the retail dealer from whom the coal will be purchased.

Mr. Taylor urged that all farmers who have been unable to secure bituminous coal for use in a brooder, hatchery or for tobacco curing to contact the County AAA Committee and secure a certification to be filed with their order for coal from their regular dealer.

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Topics listed for discussion include: "The Service Man Comes Home," "United Nations Programs for USO," "Planning for the Future in Your Community," "Memorials That Live," and "Area Council Possibilities."

The Greenville USO Committee, and members of the Greenville Chamber of Commerce will serve as hosts for the supper which follows the meeting.

Maynard Fletcher Speaks Methodists

By WYATT BROWN

"Our leaders need these three great principles—faith, hope, love—responsibilities of our great nation," said Dr. Maynard Fletcher of Washington, in his sermon yesterday morning as guest preacher at Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church. His sermon was an exhortation to re-incarnate those three principles in the lives of men and the church in this time when faith in God "is almost blotted out."

Preceding the service K. W. Cobb, chairman of the board of stewards made an announcement about the illness of the pastor, Rev. Robert W. Bradshaw is not seriously ill, but has been advised to rest for the next three weeks. During that period Miss Lorraine Weaver, church secretary, will be in the church office every day but Monday. There will be services each Sunday but no prayer meeting on Wednesday night of this week.

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Hundreds of millions of pounds of such serviceable apparel and materials now lie forgotten in the attics, closets and trunks of American homes.

Don't forget to have all your collection ready to be picked up by the trucks next Sunday, April 22, between the hours of 2 and 6 p. m.

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G. Frank Dail Died At Home In Ayden

G. Frank Dail, 69, retired merchant, died at his home in Ayden early today. He suffered a stroke of paralysis about a year ago.

Funeral services will be announced later.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Fannie Wingo Dail, a son, Hubert Dail, of Jacksonville, Fla., five daughters, Mrs. M. C. Moyer, Mrs. C. W. Elks and Mrs. Ray Cox of Ayden, and Mrs. B. F. Moore of Greenville and Mrs. C. K. Dunn, Jr. of Portsmouth, Va., and five grandchildren.

Cases Tried Today In Recorder's Court

In Police Court today Judge Roberts disposed of the following cases:

Drunks: Jim Everett and George Buck, each paid costs; Roy Cannon paid \$20, and Johnny Mills, \$15.

Fornication and adultery: Charles Hawkins and Ella Ricks, Negroes 60 days in jail, suspended on payment of \$25 and they are not to see each other for a year.

Non-support: W. S. Corbett, failure to support children, found guilty, given 90 days, suspended provided he pay into the court now \$100 and \$15 each week until November 24, 1945. Corbett gave notice of appeal to Superior Court. Bond was set at \$100.

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Criminal Superior Court In Session

By CHESTER WALSH

Judge Walter Bone of Nashville is presiding over a two-weeks criminal term of Superior Court here. An unusually heavy docket confronts the Nash county jurist.

The grand jury, J. Hicks Corey, foreman, was in session. A true bill was returned during the forenoon against Robert E. Phillips, charging seduction and complicity in an alleged abortion.

A large part of the forenoon was spent in selecting petty jurors.

A jury found Louis Sutton guilty of speeding and Judge Bone imposed a \$10 fine.

A jury was deliberating early this afternoon on the case of Paul Langley, charged with simple assault.

There was no indication today that Solicitor Dave M. Clark will call during this term the cases against Rhoderick Davenport, involving charges of violating the state banking laws and false pretense in connection with operating a money lending and borrowing syndicate here. The grand jury indicted Davenport last August.

Farmers Need Rain For Transplanting

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- Smith's Esso Service Winterville, N. C.
- V. C. Carson's Esso Station Harding & Fifth Sts.
- Craft's Esso Station Ayden, N. C.
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- Hill's Esso Station Winterville, N. C.

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Strength FOR THE DAY

By EARL L. DOUGLAS

GOD'S PROTECTING HAND

In the year 1745 John Wesley found himself the center of a perfect hurricane of excitement and hatred. The people of Cornwall were determined to make an end of this fearless preacher.

Wesley was a short man of slight build. Deserted in a village by all his friends except a young servant girl, he quietly locked the doors of his house and with "poor Kitty," as he called her, retired to an inner room, awaiting the action of the mob.

They broke down the front door and at last the partition of the room in which stood Wesley and the trembling creature at his side. As the partition fell, Wesley stepped forth and said quietly, "Here I am, which one of you has anything to say against me?" They were so dumbfounded by the quiet courage of the little man that they made way for him and his companion as they walked out to the street. Then, with the howling mob about him, Wesley began to preach; and so earnest was his discourse that the very leaders of the mob which had attacked him gathered around about him and shouted, "Not a man shall touch him; let him speak!"

Wesley later entered in his journal, "I never saw before the hand of God so plainly shown as here."

Wesley had no protection but the spiritual protection which came as the result of his prayers. It was said of this brave little saint that he feared God but that he feared nothing else in the whole world.

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AMERICA IN WARTIME

By JACK STINNETT

Washington—Your Capital in Wartime. Yet there is a glint of key personality in Washington and immediately the kibitzers cut loose with speculations. Although they often are wrong in their conclusions, about four times out of five they are right in that it does mean something.

In spite of the great number of changes place here recently, one of the little published has caused a great deal of inner circle comment. That is the appointment of Maj. Gen. Lucius D. Clay, lately chief adviser on production to former War Mobilizer James F. Byrnes.

Among civilians, the appointment came as something of a surprise. Leon Henderson and Undersecretary of War Robert Patterson had been prominently mentioned War Department officers just grumped.

Gen. Clay is an old friend and long-time associate of Gen. Dwight Eisenhower, who now is presumed to represent us on the three or four-nation council that will provide the interim government for defeated Germany. It's no secret among his associates here that Gen. Clay has long been chafing from desk work and a desire to get closer to the heart of action. He has two sons in combat service, while Dad has been fighting the battle of the Potomac. Best guess here now is that Gen. Eisenhower himself picked Clay.

But that isn't the real point. Gen. Clay is one of the best, but also one of the "toughest" engineers in the army. Not since he moved in as Byrnes' aide has he relaxed his insistence on all-out production for the military forces, giving whatever was left to the home front.

Just when the opposition was gaining sentiment for conversion to civilian production, the Germans started their big counter-offensive. Gen. Clay could have said "I told you so." He didn't, but that ended the argument.

With the end almost in sight, maybe reconversion experts again will get back in the saddle and the "tough guys" like Clay and Col. Ralph W. Olmstead, former director of office of supply for the Command Food Administrator for occupied Germany, will be shifted to handle the tough problems of administration.



Within Sight Of Port

Edward R. Stettinius won't have to go much farther before he becomes known as our most traveled secretary of state. An army plane and crew are assigned to him now, and the boys aren't getting much rest these days.

On innovation that Secretary Wallace already is making in the Commerce department is an office to work on postwar civilian world travel. Officials are positive in the prediction that when peace comes America will travel abroad as it never has before.

Today On The ...

(Continued from page one) on, for the first time in history American delegates will know what their countrymen think and feel about the decisions made or about to be made on the subject of no more wars.

The organizations invited to send consultants include: The AFL, the CIO, National Association of Manufacturers, the U. S. Chamber of Commerce, National League of Women Voters, American Farm Bureau Federation, the Farmers' Union, National Council of Farmers' Cooperatives, the National Grange, the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, American Jewish Conference, Kiwanis, Lions, Rotary and educational and religious organizations.

The War Today ...

(Continued From Page One) He moves by razor-edge craft where he can, but is utterly without conscience or principle and throughout a lifetime of plotting has resorted often to violence to achieve his end.

This is the second war in which Von Papen has plotted against the United States. Many of you will remember that back in the last conflict before the United States came in, he was German military attaché in Washington and under protec-

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS 1. Decay 2. Emit light and heat 3. Nobleman 4. Contamination 5. Busy 6. Misdeed 7. Public vehicle 8. On the ocean 9. Skating arena 10. Geometrical 11. Meditate 12. Resound 13. Outlasts 14. Strong winds 15. Sighting remark 16. Alack 17. Smoking away 18. King Arthur's lance

DOWN 19. Oscillate 20. And not least 21. Covering with light moisture 22. Volcano 23. Piercing pain 24. Vision seen in sleep 25. Deep gorge 26. Son of Adam 27. Arabian garment 28. Air-light 29. Tipster 30. Lucian plant 31. Artificial language 32. Body of a ship 33. Propels with oars 34. Antique 35. Diminutive ending 36. Writing table 37. Born

Grid for crossword puzzle with numbers 1-37.

Solution Of Saturday's Puzzle

Grid for Saturday's crossword puzzle solution.

Roosevelt ...

(Continued from page one) banked flowers. Rifles raised they fired three quick volleys into the blue sky. The body bearers carefully folded the flag which draped the President's casket and presented it to Mrs. Roosevelt. She, in turn, handed it to Elliott.

The service was over at 10:50 a. m., less than an hour after the opening salute. Soon the garden was deserted, and workmen lifted spades and the rich Hudson Valley soil began thudding on the Presidential burial vault.

Suddenly through a gateway in the hedge came Mrs. Roosevelt, quiet and alone. She stepped across the lawn and looked a long minute into her husband's grave.

(By The Associated Press) Memorial services were held around the world for Franklin D. Roosevelt as his body was laid to rest Sunday in the garden of his Hyde Park home.

Americans in all parts of the country met to honor their late President in church services and public gatherings. In all except enemy lands leaders and the common people gathered to pray for the man they had come to regard as their stalwart friend in the fight against a tyrannical and evil foe.

Millions of Britons at their regular church services joined in prayer for the dead American leader.

Truman Pledges ...

(Continued from page one) burial of Franklin D. Roosevelt. President Truman paid high tribute to his predecessor. "Tragic fate has thrust upon us grave responsibilities," he said. "We must carry on."

Our devoted leader never looked backward. He looked forward and moved forward. That is what he would want us to do. "That is what America will do."

Mr. Truman went to the Capitol after two early morning conferences on international affairs. The first was with Secretary of State Stettinius; the second with Stettinius, British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden, and Lord Halifax, the British ambassador.

Long before the President arrived at the Capitol, police and secret service men placed a careful guard about the building. Only holders of special cards of admission were allowed in the House gallery where the joint session was held.

Speaking from the rostrum where he heard President Roosevelt on March 1 describe the accomplishment of the Yalta conference, Mr. Truman said that American policy remains "unconditional surrender."

Declaring that the nation is "deeply conscious" that much hard fighting remains, the President said: "Having to pay such a heavy price to make complete victory certain, America will never become a party to any plan for partial victory. We will not traffic with the breakers of the peace on the terms of the peace."

Noting that within an hour after he took office last Thursday he had announced that the San Francisco United Nations conference would proceed on schedule, Mr. Truman said the nation must face the prob-

Nazis To Put Up ...

(Continued from page one) den, pocketing perhaps 200,000 Germans. The First and Ninth army formed another trap in the Harz mountains or 350 square miles.

Third army troops were 75 miles or so from Russian lines southeast of Berlin and the enemy said that a junction was imminent. The German communique said Americans had broken into the western section of Chemnitz but were driven out.

The American Seventh army sent five divisions against Nuernberg, crashing to within eight miles of that Nazi citadel and within 160 miles of Hitler's mountain residence of Berchtesgaden, nerve center of the German national rebirth. The

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Encourages Cancer Control Program

The Pitt County Health Department has expressed interest in the local Cancer Control campaign, sponsored by the Greenville Woman's Club, represented by Mrs. C. C. Hilton, president.

It is said that 160,000 persons in this country die annually from cancer. It is also estimated that the great majority of these deaths could have been prevented if the patient had consulted a physician early.

Chronic sores about the tongue, mouth, or lips, painless lumps in the breast, bleeding or discharge from any natural opening of the body, change in the size or color of a wart or mole, all these may be early signs of cancer.

The approved methods are surgery, x-ray, and radium. It is the hope of the American Cancer Society that cancer clinics may be made available to all the people but if this is to be done, it is essential that the citizens at large contribute of their means to this control program.

Remember that early modern treatment will either prevent or cure nearly all cases of cancer. Consult your doctor when the first symptoms appear, the health officer advises.

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ESPECIALLY IN BED

THIS IS BETTER—AH—

BLONDIE — By Chic Young

DAGWOOD... WAKE UP! DID YOU PUT OUT THE MILK BOTTLES?

OH, GOLLY, I CAN'T REMEMBER! I'LL HAVE TO GO DOWN-STAIRS AND LOOK

NOW I'M WIDE AWAKE

HE SHOULD'VE STOOD IN BED!

KERRY DRAKE

IF ZELLA WOULDN'T BUY ANY OF THESE ITEMS ON THE MEMO BOARD SANDY, SHE MUST HAVE MEANT TO TELL US SOMETHING! DO THE FIRST LETTERS OF ANY THING TO YOU?

BELORST... HMM... HMM...

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Hog Market
Raleigh, April 16-(AP)-(NCDA)-Hog markets steady with tops of 14.55 Clinton and Rocky Mount and 14.85 at Richmond.

Poultry and Eggs
Raleigh, April 16-(AP)-(NCDA)-Egg and poultry markets steady to firm.
Raleigh-U. S. grade A large 36; hens, all weights, 27.
Washington-U. S. grade A large 39 1/2; broilers and fryers 33.9.

Grain Market
Chicago, April 16-(AP)-Buying orders accumulated during the two day recess and a heavy milling demand for wheat futures boosted grain prices sharply at times today. Profit cashing appeared on all the bulges but the pressure was not severe and rallies were frequent.
At the finish wheat was 1/4 to 1 1/2 higher than last Friday's close. May \$1.75 1/2. Corn was up 1/2 to 1/4 May \$1.15-\$1.15 1/2. Oats were off 1/4 to 1/2, May 66c. Rye was 1/4 to 2 1/2 higher. May \$1.32-\$1.33 1/2. Barley was off 1/4 to 1/2, May \$1.09 1/2.

New York Cotton
New York, April 16-(AP)-Cotton futures opened unchanged to 20 cents a bale lower.
Noon prices were 20 to 55 cents a bale higher. May 22.44, July 22.29, and October 21.90.
Futures closed unchanged to 65 cents a bale higher.
May 22.38 Open Last Piv Cl
July 22.24 22.40 22.40
Oct. 21.82 21.95 21.88
Dec. 21.73 21.86 21.75
March 21.61 21.78 21.65
Middling spot 22.75, unchanged.

N. Y. Stock Market
New York, April 16-(AP)-Stocks swung forward today in one of the broadest and most active markets of the past several years.
Low-quoted utilities were all over the ticker tape following the opening in blocks running to 40,000 shares. Private industrial and rail then joined the bulge and gains of as much as 3 or more points were widespread near the close. The first our's turnover of 770,000 shares was the largest since May 10, 1943. Volume for the full session was about 2,500,000 shares. New highs of from 1 to 7 years were numerous.

FINAL STOCKS
Alchem and Dye 3 1/2
Sells Chel Mfg 161
Am Can 98 1/2
Am Car Fdy 46 1/2

Am Roll Mill	18 1/2
Am Smelt and Ref	47
A T and T	163 3/4
Am Tob B	73 1/2
Anacosta	32 1/2
Arm III	8
A C L	70 1/2
AH Ref	35
Aviat Corp	6 1/2
Baldwin	29 1/2
B and O	16 1/2
Barnadall	22 1/2
Bendix Aviat	53 1/2
Beth Steel	76 1/2
Boeing Airpl	18 1/2
Borden	36 1/2
Budd Mfg	11 1/2
Burl Mills	22
Bur Add Mach	14 1/2
Case J I	40
Caterpil Trac	52 1/2
Ches and O	50 1/2
Chrysler	104 1/2
Coca Cola	135
Coml Credit	44 1/2
Coml Solv	17 1/2
Consol Edis	28 1/2
Consol Can	43 1/2
Corn Prod	63 1/2
Curt Wright	5 1/2
Doug Airc	71
Dow Chem	136 1/2
Dupont	167
Eastman Kod	178
Firestone	62
Gen Elec	43 1/2
Gen Foods	42 1/2
Gen Mot	62 1/2
Goodrich	60 1/2
Goodyear	56 1/2
Int Harvest	82 1/2
Int Tel and Tel	116 1/2
Johns Man	38 1/2
Kennecott	86
Ligg and Myers B	78
Loews	23 1/2
Lorillard	62
Mont Ward	18
Nash Kelly	24 1/2
Nat Bisc	39 1/2
Nat Cash Reg	39 1/2
Nat Dist	24 1/2
N Y Cent	10
No Am Aviat	6 1/2
Packard	29 1/2
Param Pic	110
Penney J C	37 1/2
Penn RR	32 1/2
Pepsi Cola	52 1/2
Phillips Pet	32 1/2
Pullman	20 1/2
Pure Oil	11 1/2
Radio	26 1/2
Rem Rand	23 1/2
Repub Stl	34 1/2
Reynolds B	107
Sears	42 1/2
Sou Ry	32
Std Brands	60 1/2
Std Oil N J	32 1/2
Stewart War	54 1/2
Swift	87
Tex Co	29 1/2
Un Carbide	2
Unit Aircraft	18 1/2
Unit Corp	47 1/2
Unit Drug	60 1/2
US Ind Chem	67 1/2
US Rubber	26 1/2
US Smelt and Ref	49
US Steel	4
Vanadium	14 1/2
Vick Chem	47 1/2
Va Caro Chem	136 1/2
Warner Pic	45
West Union A	
West El and Mfg	
Woolworth	

the most interest, than ever before and will require our utmost effort in the way of organization and personal solicitation of the people in each community.

"The over-all campaign officially opens on May 14 and continues through June 30, but all sales of E, F, G and Treasury Savings Notes count from April 9 to July 7. This gives a month's additional sale of E Bonds to assist in making our E Bond quota.

"We will receive pro rata credit of E Bonds sold to men in the service, as heretofore.

"It is expected that the efforts put forth during the initial phase of the program from now until May 14 will increase sales to employees under the payroll quota plan.

"This may not be a particularly good time for the drive in Pitt County, so we will just have to say: 'Now is as good a time as any,' and do our best.

"Seventh War Loan material may be obtained in limited amounts here or may be ordered by bank cashiers from Greensboro.

"If you can put your Township over, we can together can put the County over. Let's do it". Chairman Waldrop stated.

Indians Capture Jap Supply Base

Calcutta, April 16-(AP)-The city of Taungup, last Japanese supply base in Arakan on the west coast of Burma, has been captured by the 15th Indian corps, a southeast Asia command communique announced today.
Taungup lies 125 miles southeast of British-held Akyab and 62 miles west of Prome, on the Irrawaddy river. High ground south of Taungup was occupied by the Indians.

Horse Racing May Be Resumed Soon

Baltimore, April 16-(AP)-A government announcement setting May 10 as the date on which horse racing may be resumed is expected by horsemen before the end of this week, the Baltimore Evening Sun said today.

The Evening Sun, which attributed its report to "an authoritative source," said that none of the turf's leaders wants to be quoted on the matter but that the order was expected from Fred Vinson, director of war mobilization and reconversion.

The newspaper said that if the report proves correct, Maryland probably will have a spring season of 13 to 15 days at Pimlico and that the Preakness will be run either during that meeting or later, as circumstances permit.

COLORED NEWS

Card of Thanks
We wish to thank our friends for their kindness during the recent illness and death of our wife and mother, Alabama Norcott.
Wiley P. Norcott and Children.

Labor will unquestionably be the limiting factor in farm production this year, we are feeling it very serious now and yet the tightest squeeze is to come. Let us face and do everything we can to help in this shortage. Work closer together with your neighbor. Swap labor and abandon acres that do not yield well.

With existing manpower shortage we need to be reminded to keep farm machinery in good working condition. Promote farm safety. Do away with all fire hazards such as trash and debris piled in corners, under the house and in barns. Repair broken floors and check

all boards with nails sticking up. Serious injury may result from neglected repairs. Blue mold will cause a set back in planting tobacco, wise farmers will do all they can to combat this disease by fumigating their beds when it appears.

In 1945 several hundred baby chicks died from coccidiosis, if a start is made in time this can be prevented by keeping chicks in dry places, and not allowing the chicks to become chilled. Start baby chicks playing on litter about one inch deep, at two weeks old add a little more; continue to add more litter until a depth of 4 or 5 inches is attained. Set tomatoes as soon as possible. If the plants are not quite large enough try to get as many as a half dozen from someone who has plants to sell and set them out in order to have a few early tomatoes. Plant as many vegetables in your garden as possible.

Don't wait another day to store your meat. Dust well with borax and put in a bag free from holes. The pasture next in order. Sow pastures to provide summer grazing. Look out not to plow work stock to hard. Stop and water them once in a while and let them catch a breath.

Let us do all we can to stay well, keeping healthy will help the doctor. Pray more, talk less, smile more and attend church more. Stop complaining. Be ready to do every waiting duty as though it were waiting our coming.-Dennis Dupree Negro County Agent.

At 12:00 o'clock noon on Monday, May 7, 1945 the following described real estate: A one-seventh undivided interest in that tract of land located in Pitt County Drainage District No. 2 and known as Tract No. 81 and more particularly described as the one-seventh undivided interest acquired by the late J. C. Taylor by inheritance from his father, in and to that tract of land known as the "Jerry Taylor Swamp Land," said tract of land containing in the whole approximately 100 acres.

A deposit of 10 per cent in cash will be required of the highest bidder, pending confirmation of the sale by the court.

Dated April 2, 1945.
SAM B. UNDERWOOD, Jr.,
Commissioner.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

The annual meeting of stockholders of Home Building and Loan Association will be held on Tuesday night, May 1, at eight o'clock in the office of the association.
J. J. WHITE,
Secretary-Treasurer.
Apr. 16-20-23-27.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE

Having qualified as executors of the estate of Mrs. Carrie Mangum (C. W.) Wilson, deceased, late of Greenville, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased, to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 14th day

of April, 1946, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.
This the 14th day of April, 1945.
T. B. WELDON, MRS. LUCY CAMP WELDON, (Warren County), No. N. C., Executors of the estate of Mrs. C. W. Wilson.
Apr. 16-17w-6wk.

NOTICE OF SALE

In the Superior Court of North Carolina-Pitt County.
Under and by reason of the power and authority vested in the undersigned commissioner by, and pursuant to the terms of, that certain judgment of the Pitt County Superior Court in the action entitled "Pitt County Drainage District No. 2 versus T. F. Taylor, et als" and for the purpose of satisfying the same, the undersigned commissioner will offer at public auction for sale to the highest bidder for cash and will sell at public auction to the highest bidder before the courthouse door in the City of Greenville.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

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tate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at his office in Greenville, N. C., on or before the 9th day of April, 1946, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.
This the 7th day of April, 1945.
F. M. WOOTEN, Jr.,
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Apr. 9-16-23-30-May 7-14.

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Our Farm Folks

By VERONA LEE JOYNER, H.D.A. and RUTH DIEZELLE, Ass't. H.D.A.

Spring Federation Meeting
Mrs. Estelle T. Smith, assistant to the State Home Demonstration agent was the guest speaker at the fifth annual spring Federation meeting of the Pitt County Federation of Home Demonstration Clubs. Mrs. Smith's topic was "The Women's Program Today and Tomorrow." She said, "Our homes are the foundation of democracy. Women must begin and make a better world. There should not be a child that is poorly fed, poorly housed or poorly clothed. It is up to the women to see that their children have that and a happy and satisfying life. Women must carry sunshine." In closing Mrs. Smith asked the women what they were going to do for the boys when they return. She said, "Women, it is up to you to help the returned service men and their families make adjustments. You must be a good neighbor."

Mrs. W. R. Bullock, president of the Bethel Club led the devotional which was as follows: Opening song, "Faith of Our Fathers," by the women's solo, "Sunrise" by Mrs. W. W. Ward of Bethel; scripture and timely remarks by Mrs. Bullock which was closed by the Lord's Prayer sung by Mrs. Ola Tucker of the Red Banks Club.

Mrs. Wilbur Worthington, president of the Cannon's Club, welcomed the members to the meeting to which Mrs. Ichabod Allen, president of Seven Pines Club, responded.

At the roll call of the clubs the Seven Pines Club was awarded the attendance prize for having 100 per cent of the members present.

Mrs. Herman Baker, Pitt County Community Service leader of the clubs, gave a report of the war work of the Pitt County clubs during February and March. She then presented Mrs. J. T. Little, chairman of the Fair Deal Camp and Hospital Council of Red Cross of the district, who thanked the women for the fine cooperation they had given in doing Red Cross work this year.

Miss Verona Lee Joyner, Pitt County Home Agent, presented plans for the national clothing drive.

Two hundred and twenty-five women attended this meeting. Mrs. Laurie Ellis, president; Mrs. Amos Evans, secretary; Mrs. J. Paul Davern, organist.

The club members were entertained at an informal tea given in the USO at Greenville. The presidents of the clubs were hostesses.

Guests were greeted by Mesdames J. E. Wilkerson, Bell Arthur club; B. C. Tyson, Chibod club; W. R. Bullock, Bethel club; and W. R. Bullock, Farmville club. Presiding at the punch bowl was Mrs. R. B. meeting.

REDS USING NAZI LABOR

German Manpower Must Help Rebuild Russia

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
Associated Press Diplomatic News Editor

Washington, April 16 — (AP) — Soviet policy declarations calling for transportation of Germans into Russia to help clean up and rebuild war-wrecked cities already have been put into effect in the Balkans. This became evident today from diplomatic information reaching Washington. It disclosed that:

1. About 70,000 men and women out of the half-million Germans in Romania—where they fought with and supported the Nazi armies—have been removed to the Soviet Union. Originally Moscow wanted to take virtually the entire half-million but American and Allied intervention against such a wholesale transfer caused Russia to reconsider.
2. An estimated 100,000 Germans

Starling, Red Banks club assisted by Mesdames Wilbur Worthington, Henry Pittman, Paikland club, Nelson Chapman, St. John Club. Fancy cookies, sandwiches, and nuts were served by Mesdames L. R. Jones, Ballard club; Willie Bell, Belvoir club; Harold Willis, Falk and club; Lester Garris, Littlefield club; Johnnie Overton, Pactolus club; Heber Sumrell, Pierce club and Roy Worthington, Sweet Gum Grove club. Goodbyes were said by Mesdames Ichabod Allen, Seven Pines club and Howard Barnhill, Sweet Gum Grove club.

Pressure Cooker Clinic
One hundred and one pressure cookers were checked in our office on Tuesday, April 10. If you are an owner of one of those cookers and it is still in my office, please come by and call for it at your earliest convenience.

New Club Organized
The women of the Seven Pines community met last week-end and organized a Home Demonstration Club. Officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. Ichabod Allen; vice president, Mrs. J. L. Rouse, and secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Bert T. Little. Fourteen ladies joined the club and were most enthusiastic over a Home Demonstration club for their community. The home agent gave the demonstration "Dishes From Our Pantry Shelf" at the punch bowl was Mrs. R. B. meeting.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF GUARANTY BANK AND TRUST COMPANY of Greenville, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business on March 30, 1945

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts	\$ 3,832,980.85
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	16,350,809.08
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	1,455,205.04
Other bonds, notes and debentures	43,123.48
Corporate stocks	17,500.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	10,216,540.08
Bank premises owned \$134,514.68, furniture and fixtures \$23,027.76	157,542.44
Other assets	15,450.23
TOTAL ASSETS	\$26,089,151.20

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$15,451,133.91
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	3,813,434.98
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	2,069,837.53
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	1,922,638.94
Deposits of banks	1,404,918.30
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	176,752.97
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$24,838,716.63
Other liabilities	212,319.09
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	\$25,051,035.72

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital	\$ 400,000.00
Surplus	350,000.00
Undivided profits	75,749.60
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	152,365.88
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$ 1,038,115.48

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS \$26,089,151.20
This bank's capital consists of first preferred stock with total par value of \$160,000.00, total retirable 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 \$ 3,798,892.78
Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills discounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement) 897,783.82

TOTAL \$4,696,676.61
Secured and preferred liabilities:
Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law \$ 3,588,607.90
Deposits preferred under provisions of law but not secured by pledge of assets 176,752.97

TOTAL \$ 3,765,360.87
On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was \$ 3,348,025.93
Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to \$14,002,002.94
T. 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. WALDRUP, Cashier.
Correct.—Attest:
W. H. WOOLARD,
JAS. T. LITTLE, Directors.
State of North Carolina, County of Pitt (ss):
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of April, 1945, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.
MARY WORTHINGTON (FRYAR), Notary Public.
My Commission Expires Nov. 18, 1946.

have been removed from Yugoslavia. Presumably they also were sent into Russia, but Marshal Tito handled the operation himself and refrained from reporting on it to his Western Allies. All that seems reasonably well established is that they have come from Yugoslavia.

3. In addition, still another 40,000 persons, who originally lived in Bessarabia, now Russia, have been sent back to that former Romanian province from Romania. They fled from Bessarabia before the Red Army, and the Russian explanation for returning them is that they are displaced peoples being put back into their homes. This explanation has been accepted here.

There have been some signs that able-bodied Germans were being moved out of Hungary, but little information has come through on that. Bulgaria had little German population to begin with, and the Russians ran into no problem there in that regard.

This problem of moving portions of enemy manpower into Russia is likely to be among the first diplomatic headaches besetting President Truman. It may be high on the agenda of any talks Mr. Truman have with Russian Foreign Commissar Molotov.

There is no doubt among diplomats here that Russia intends to use such manpower as she finds desirable.

The subject came up at Yalta but evidently without agreement. Nor is it generally known here how many Germans Russia would like to import.

Shortly after Yalta the issue was raised at a White House news conference. President Roosevelt said that after seeing the destruction of Crimean cities he thought it might be a good idea to use Germans to clean them up.

Some of Mr. Truman's advisers are known to be opposed to the Russian plan, but the belief among diplomats is that Moscow will not be swayed from its purpose by the Western Allies. The beginning already made in the Balkans may be taken as evidence that this is the case.

SUPERFORTS POUND TOKYO

Over 27 Square Miles of City Burned Out

By ELMONTE WAITE
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It was the second attack on Kawasaki, which was hit first April 3. Headquarters of the 21st bomber command has not yet announced whether there were any losses.

Memorial Service By Salvation Army
A war service meeting in memory of boys in the armed forces will be held at the Salvation Army Citadel, 1317 Dickinson avenue, Friday night at 7:30. Maj. W. H. Stanley, commander of the local post, will preside. The program will be presented by the Women's Home League in honor of boys in the armed services listed in the "Book of Remembrance." A special program of music will be presented.

Capt. and Mrs. Fred Boyette, in charge of the Kingston Salvation Army post, will attend. Mrs. Boyette, who before marriage was Miss Sadie Brewer, head of the Greenville past several years, will be the speaker. The young people's band from Kingston will play.

Two gold stars will be awarded mothers whose sons have died in the armed services.

Reds Begin . . .
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weeks ago that the Russians reached Seelow, but were driven back seven miles.

By German account the Russian offensive was being directed by Gen. Vasily Sokolovsky. The enemy said he had replaced Marshal Gregory Zhukov as commander of the First White Russian army.

Sokolovsky, victor at Smolensk, formerly was chief of staff of the First Ukrainian front.

This report on a change of commanders had not been confirmed by Moscow, nor had the report of the new offensive. Moscow dispatches said, however, that if the attack

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trol the central two-thirds of the Ryukyu island and were rapidly overrunning the northern tip, were blocked in the south for the ninth straight day yesterday but still were well ahead of schedule.

Aam. Chester W. Nimitz' communique today reporting no change in the lines was interpreted here as meaning field commanders were saving American lives by holding up an offensive until the way is well paved by artillery.

Marines were mopping up small enemy pockets in the northern end of the island—a job that could take weeks longer. The leathernecks were within 10 miles of the northern tip.

Doughboys invaded Keifu, a small island in the Kerama group off Okinawa's southwest coast, on Saturday. Resistance evidently was slight. Seven Kerama islands were seized by the 77th army division just prior to the invasion of Okinawa Easter Sunday.

No further air activity against the American invasion fleet was reported. In three days last week, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, more than 265 Japanese planes were destroyed in attacks—many of them suicidal—against U. S. shipping.

Truman Expected . . .
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As senator, Mr. Truman was outspoken in his condemnation of the Army's \$134,000,000 Canol Oil development in Canada. He called it a waste of both funds and manpower. Only recently, the Army agreed to close it down.

Mr. Truman also was sharp in his criticism of uniformed Army officers working in civilian agencies.

"Uniforms," he once told the Senate, "should be used to distinguish combatants on the field of battle."

Most of Mr. Truman's friends look for some change within the next couple of months in his Cabinet. Some of his closest advisors have urged a drastic revision.

He had told Cabinet members he wants them to remain on, but that would not mean he wants all of them indefinitely.

Associates on Capitol Hill are of the opinion that Secretary of State Stettinius may move out some time after the San Francisco United Na-

General Allied . . .
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grogy and only need one mighty punch to knock them out for good. The moment now has come for us to take the field for the last battle which will end the war in Europe. It will not be a walkover. The mortally wounded beast still will be very dangerous x x x but the end is quite certain x x x. You who have won every battle you have fought are going to win this one."

The 15th Air Force broke all previous records for number of aircraft employed and tonnage dropped in covering the mountains south of Bologna with a carpet of high explosive and fragmentation bombs.

Medium bombers joined in the great assault, attacking targets ahead of Fifth and Eighth Army troops. The U. S. Tenth Mountain Division seized Mount Pigna and Mount Sette Croci in an advance through wide fields of anti-personnel mines.

Mount Sette Croci a few thousand yards northwest of Vergato, German stronghold on Highway 94, was held by the enemy against heavy pressure for several months. To the east, the village of Casigno was taken.

Eighth Army troops, meanwhile,

New Air Blows . . .
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Hitler's mountain redoubt, while more than 850 U. S. Ninth Air Force medium bombers ripped similar targets in Central Germany and Czechoslovakia.

Berlin was bombed three times during the night.

Today's big fleet of American heavy bombers hit freight yards and rail bridges in Regensburg itself, bridges at Straubing, 24 miles to the southeast and freight yards at Landshut, 35 miles south of Regensburg, and Plattling, 32 miles to the southeast.

This morning 450 Flying Fortresses bombed German ground installations on the Gironde Estuary at Bordeaux for the third consecutive day.

The Fortresses, again flying without the aid of fighter cover, concentrated their bombs in the Pointe de Grave on the south side of the Estuary where the Nazis had several coastal guns guarding entrance to the port.

Berlin residents, expecting their city to be transformed into a battleground at any minute, were kept in air raid shelters for two hours last night as RAF Mosquitos made three attacks on the capital. The all clear did not sound until after midnight.

More than 1,300 American heavy bombers attacked German pockets of resistance around Bordeaux yesterday in support of the surprise land and sea assault to open the big French port.

They dropped more than 450,000 gallons of liquid fire on 450,000 installations in the form of a new fire bomb that resembles extra fuel tanks carried by fighter planes.

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