

Few Nazis Still Fight In Prague

Agreement For The "Cease Fire" Order Reached Tonight After Germans Had Defied Unconditional Surrender And Continued Burning And Pillaging Capital.

London, May 8.—(AP)—The Czech-controlled radio announced tonight that a "cease fire" order had been issued in Prague and its vicinity upon agreement between the Czech and German commanders.

London, May 8.—(AP)—Marshal Stalin announced in an order of the day tonight the capture of the big Czechoslovak rail junction of Olmütz.

The announcement was made over the Moscow radio at 6:45 p. m. (12:45 p. m. EWT). At that hour there had been no announcement from Moscow of the German surrender.

The Soviet monitor who received the broadcast had told correspondents about 6:40 p. m. that an "important announcement" was due from Moscow at 6:45.

The captured city of 66,440 is the seventh largest in Czechoslovakia and 128 miles east southeast of embattled Prague.

By ROMNEY WHEELER London, May 8.—(AP)—A handful of Nazi holdouts in Prague and some parts of the shrunken Moravia-Bohemia pocket fought on today as the rest of the world celebrated the end of the European war.

Czech broadcasts from the embattled capital said the still were shooting, burning and looting in Prague at noon in defiance of the signing of an unconditional surrender by their commander.

The patriots, now in control of 11 Prague transmitters, broadcast this noon report:

"Some German formations, disobeying the cease fire order, are shelling and setting fire to houses, shooting civilians and looting. Parts of Prague are in flames and firemen are prevented by German gunfire from approaching the burning buildings. In some places in the center of the city German tank formations are attacking Czechoslovak formations."

German broadcasts said that continued resistance in the southern pocket was designed to permit army remnants to retreat westward.

Gen. Patton's U. S. Third army had driven northeast from captured Pilsen to the outskirts of the capital and three Russian formations were driving toward the same goal from the east, northeast, north and southeast.

The patriot broadcast said Nazi Gen. Ferdinand von Schoerner, commander in Bohemia and Moravia, signed unconditional surrender terms at 1:30 a. m. (battlefront time) and that units were to "cease fire" as soon as they received word of the capitulation.

Earlier the partisans said U. S. staff officers had made contact with them, bringing a message on the unconditional surrender of all German armies. The Czechs said advance American tank units were four miles from Prague.

As for the other German pockets. (Continued on Page Six)

Weather Forecast Extended forecast for period ending 7:00 p. m. May 12: Temperatures will average near normal and precipitation moderate to locally heavy with showers late Friday or Friday night. Cool at beginning of period followed by rising trend becoming cooler again by Saturday.

The WAR TODAY AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEWS

By DEWITT MACKENZIE Associated Press War Analyst V-E day means many things to many people but to the victorious Allies it must be in its essence just a pause on the way to complete our task of crushing the forces of evil which Hitler let loose when he started out to enslave the world. We still have two herculean tasks to perform. One is to do to Nazism's Japanese ally what we've done to the Reich. The other is to impose on the Germans a punishment which will be just but which will be so stern that mankind never will forget it. In particular the war guilty—who run into thousands—should be given the limit of the law and without waste of time. We want no long drawn out public trials, but such expeditious justice as military courts would give. We should be allowing our passions to rule our minds if we placed the brand on the brow of every German. But we mustn't allow ourselves to be swayed by the soft-voiced words of repentance which now are being poured out by the surrendering Boche officials. It's only a matter of days since their

BOYD WINS FOR MAYOR

Three New Aldermen Also Named In City Election

By CHESTER WALSH In yesterday's primary election J. H. (Jack) Boyd, well known farmer and businessman, was elected mayor of Greenville for two years, defeating W. J. (Dick) Bundy and Luther A. Bishop in a spirited three-cornered race. Boyd received 713 ballots, Bundy 585, and Bishop 66.

The new mayor will take office June 30. He succeeds Mayor Bruce Suger, who was elected by the Board of Aldermen about three years ago to fill the unexpired term of Jack Spain when he resigned to become secretary to Congressman Herbert C. Bonner. At the regular election two years ago Suger was elected mayor without opposition.

Mayor-elect Boyd today expressed appreciation of his election by the citizens and pledged his best efforts to the administration of the city's business in cooperation with the Board of Aldermen and other city officials. The new mayor is experienced in administration of municipal affairs. He served four terms on the Board of Aldermen and was credited with outstanding work. He takes an active interest in church, school and community affairs in general.

There were only two contests in the aldermanic race yesterday. N. C. Brooks was elected without opposition in the first ward. "Clink" Bowen defeated Heber Tripp in the second ward. Rufus V. Keel and W. H. (Bill) Smith were re-elected without opposition in the third and fourth wards, respectively, and Noah G. Raynor defeated J. E. Dees in the fifth ward.

The four aldermen whose terms do not expire until next year are L. M. Buchanan, J. A. Watson, Bertie Bostic and Dr. M. B. Massey.

Judge Jimmy Roberts and Solicitor E. H. Bloom had no opposition for judge and solicitor of City Recorder's Court and were re-elected. The Committee on Elections canvassed yesterday's ballots at the City Hall at noon today. The balloting was as follows: For mayor: Boyd, 713; Bundy, 585; Bishop, 66. For aldermen: First ward, Brooks 230; Second, Bowen, 345; Tripp, 127; Third, Keel, 56; Fourth, Smith, 54; Fifth, Raynor 191; Dees, 112.

Judge City Recorder's Court, Roberts, 337; solicitor, Bloom, 832.

Five Perish In Dwelling Fire

Orangeburg, S. C., May 8.—(AP)—The five charred bodies, huddled together, of two married sisters, their brother and two young children of one of the women were recovered today from the ruins of a tragic midnight fire here.

The victims were Mrs. Mary Lathrop Nelms, 21, and her two children, Danny, 2, and Timothy, 1; her sister, Mrs. Susan Lathrop Newell, 20; and the women's brother, Ray Lathrop, 17. The house was the residence of the Lathrops' parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Lathrop. Their father was in Miami, Fla., and Mrs. Lathrop was away from home at work at the time of the fire. Husbands of the two dead women are in the armed services.

New Yorkers Celebrate Germany's Surrender



Paper showers down from office buildings in the Times Square area in New York City as New Yorkers cheer news of Germany's unconditional surrender. (AP Wirephoto)

ORDERS END OF THE WAR

Admiral Doenitz Declares Nazism Is Dead

London, May 8.—(AP)—Grand Admiral Karl Doenitz, Germany's current fuhrer announced today that all German arms would be silent by 11 p. m. (6 p. m. Eastern War Time) tonight. Hitler's successor as fuhrer of the German people said in an address over the German-controlled Flensburg radio that the Germans would lay down all their arms in accordance with the unconditional surrender terms he had ordered. In slow, deliberate terms he told the Germans that the Nazi party had been severed from the German state and that "the party has left the scene of its activities."

Doenitz, addressing the German people, said he ordered the high command to surrender unconditionally the night of May 6-7 on all fronts. "On May 8 at 11 p. m. the arms will be silent," he said. The German leader said that "German soldiers of countless battles now are treading the bitter path to captivity and thereby are making the last sacrifice for the life of our women and children and for the future of our nation."

"With the occupation of Germany," Doenitz said, "the power has been transferred to the occupying authorities. It is up to them to confirm me in my function and the government I have appointed, or decide whether to appoint a different one."

"Should I be required to help our Fatherland, I will remain at my post. Duty keeps me on my difficult post for the sake of Germany. I will not remain one hour more than can be reconciled with the dignity of the Reich." Doenitz explained why he ordered surrender. "When I took over from the fuhrer" (Continued on page four)

Hugh Horton Will Speak Bar Meeting

Hugh Horton, prominent Wilmington attorney, will be guest speaker at the Pitt County Bar Association's monthly supper meeting at Nelson Hopkins restaurant, on the Falkland highway Wednesday night at 6:30. Judge J. W. H. Roberts, president, will preside. Judge Luther Hamilton of Morehead City, presiding over Superior Court here, and others will be special guests.

Hitler's Body (?)

With the British Second Army, May 8.—(AP)—Col. Anatoly Filagin, war correspondent of Tass, official Soviet news agency, has said a Russian general had identified that the body of a man identified as Adolf Hitler had been found in the ruins of Berlin. The Russian general was not named. During a meeting two days ago between Marshal Sir Bernard L. Montgomery and Marshal Konstantin Rokossovsky and the Second White Russian army Russian officers asked Filagin, who is attached to the British Second Army as a war correspondent, whether the British believed Hitler was dead or alive. Filagin said he replied there was a mixed opinion, but that the Russian general, whose identity he did not disclose, stated that the Russians had found in Berlin the bullet-torn and battered body of a man identified as Hitler.

Meeting Of Big Three Expected At Early Date

Plans Must Be Made For Restoring Civil Order And Real Peace To War Torn Europe

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER Associated Press Diplomatic News Editor San Francisco, May 8.—(AP)—A meeting of President Truman, Prime Minister Churchill and Premier Stalin is expected by United Nations diplomats to be arranged soon after V-E Day. It is believed that only a gathering of the Big Three can solve some of the urgent problems now arising from the total defeat of Germany and lay the basic plans for restoring civil order and real peace to Europe. These are regarded as problems linked closely to the job being rushed forward by the United Nations Conference, of creating a permanent organization to maintain peace and security throughout the world. The immediate impact of the ending of the European war is to reinforce demands of Secretary Stettinius, Foreign Minister Eden, Russian Commissar Molotov and other leaders that the conference lose no time in finishing its task. This is now considered a little less than half done with two or three weeks of work ahead. Unanimous agreement among the big powers on the changes they want in the Dumbarton Oaks Security proposals stands as the main achievement to date. Meanwhile the dawn of V-E Day found ranking diplomats of the big powers agreed that they should take separate but parallel measures to make sure that Germany will be denied the resources and industrial development necessary to plunge the world into another war. One possible step understood to have received some consideration from high officials is a treaty among the victor nations specifically pledging them to stand ready to take up arms against Germany. The proposed United Nations

charter as the Big-Four powers have agreed to change it would permit such a treaty to work independently of the Inner Security Council of the world organization. The process of completely wrecking Germany's war-making industries, which is expected to be undertaken without delay by Allied occupation armies, will release a considerable amount of machinery which may be taken by the European Allies as reparations. Russia and French demands for German labor to rebuild devastated cities also are yet to be worked into formal agreements. The subject was brought up but not settled at Yalta. American authorities now consider the job of restoring peace far ahead of what it was at the close of the last war.

The Versailles conference was held a year after the 1918 armistice. This time the enemy's unconditional surrender means there is no armistice period, and the fact that the San Francisco conference is already underway means that a world league can start functioning in about a year.

A meeting of the 14-nation Executive Committee was scheduled for 10:30 a. m. (Pacific War Time) to be followed by a Steering Committee session of all 48 delegations chiefs at 3:30 p. m. The chief problem confronting them was a decision on how the conference should arrive at its decisions. A compromise for making simple decisions by majority vote and others by two-thirds was expected.

The big powers have set up machinery for keeping a firm grasp on conference progress by making sure of their own unity on all future issues. The Big-Four became the Big-Five yesterday when Foreign Minister Bidault of France joined the almost daily sessions in Stettinius. (Continued on Page Four)

Delayed Report Reveals Nazi Surrender Details

The following dispatch from Reims supplements the dispatch by Edward Kennedy, issued yesterday, which gave the first account of the German surrender. It is believed it is based on Kennedy's original dispatch. It is known that Kennedy wrote 1,500 words at Reims which were passed by field censor and wrote more of his story after returning to Paris. Only some 300 words of Kennedy's dispatch were transmitted from Paris yesterday before his communications were broken. We have no information that any other Associated Press correspondent was at Reims.

Hitler's Body (?)

By The Associated Press Reims, France, May 7.—(Delayed)—(AP)—Through an iron faced Prussian general, speaking after he had finished signing the unconditional surrender of the Nazis, Germans pleaded today for mercy for the German people. On the wall behind his back was a huge chart tabulating Allied casualties. He was Col. Gen. Gustaf Jodl, chief of staff of the German army. He was standing in a room of a red school house in Reims, where Gen. Eisenhower had his advanced headquarters. On a big wooden table in front of him lay four identical documents to which he had just affixed his signature. There was one each for the United States, Britain, France and Russia. Each bore the words first written by President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill at Casablanca: "Unconditional surrender."

Allied Leaders Hail Victory Over Nazis

SUSPENSION OF AP IS SCORED

Described As Attack On Freedom Of Press

By The Associated Press Suspension of the Associated Press' European filing privileges as a consequence of Edward Kennedy's news story of Germany's surrender was described by the American Press and its leaders as a challenge to a Free Press.

SHAEF lifted the suspension of AP staff privileges on the continent after the AP's protest was supported by a mounting tide of editorial comment, appeals to President Truman, and statements from the nation's press. The suspension lasted nearly seven hours.

Supreme Allied headquarters however, retained the ban as it applied to Kennedy.

Many of the statements termed the suspension "unprecedented" and a "disgrace to the American concept of a free press," condemned official action in withholding confirmation of the surrender and praised Kennedy's exclusive story.

"I can see no justification for suspending the Associated Press," Josephus Daniels, publisher of the News and Observer, Raleigh, N. C., and World War One Navy Secretary, wired President Truman.

Roy W. Howard, president of the Scripps-Howard newspapers, also urged the President to intercede in lifting the ban.

"The Associated Press has a well-earned reputation for public-spirited journalistic service," Howard said. "It and all of its member newspapers should not be subjected, as was the United Press and its clients, in 1918, to the unfair inferences which are sure to result unless this suspension is immediately withdrawn."

Editorially, the Syracuse, N. Y., Post Standard said: "The most important news story of modern times was mangled yesterday by the worst combination of international red tape and of government stupidity that the present generation has ever seen."

The Hartford, Conn., Courant said: "Thanks rather than censure are due the Associated Press for not making the world wait longer for the joyful tidings that the final chapter of Nazi frightfulness had been written."

The Columbia, S. C., State said "such action is in direct contradiction of the principle of a free press."

To Receive Citations Chapel Hill, May 8.—Paul B. Bissett of Wilson and Thomas R. Hood of Dunn, two prominent North Carolina pharmacists, this week will receive the American Druggist Magazine citation for outstanding community service.

John Clark Heads Local Democrats

The Pitt County Democratic Executive Committee at a supper meeting at Red Oak Church last night unanimously elected John G. Clark of Greenville, chairman. He succeeds Dr. Paul E. Jones of Farmville, who recently resigned to accept the appointment of a place on the Pitt County School Board to fill the unexpired term of John C. Thomas of Farmville, who retired after about a quarter of a century of service for the schools.

Last night's meeting was well attended and unanimously featured the committee's deliberations. Vice-Chairman Mrs. B. Leon Tyson presided. Women of the church served supper.

Clark, who was appointed district highway commissioner four years ago, was recently reappointed by Governor Gregg Cherry.

The Executive Committee last night passed a resolution thanking Dr. Jones for his faithful service.

Tobacco Growers Ask Higher Price

Washington, May 8.—(AP)—A two-cent-a-pound increase in leaf prices will be sought by representatives of tobacco growers and warehousemen from five Southern states who arrived here yesterday. The proposed raise would be from 39 to 41 cents for untied flue-cured tobacco and 43 1/2 to 45 1/2 cents a pound for tied. H. L. Wingate, head of the Georgia Farm Bureau Federation, said. Former Governor J. M. Broughton of North Carolina said he and other representatives of the Tobacco Warehousemen's Association for the flue-cured areas of the five states are consulting with War Food Administration on grading and with Commodity Credit Corporation and the OPA on ceilings. Others here for the tobacco conferences include Everett D. Matthews of Winston-Salem, N. C., and Wesley Singletary of Lake City, S. C.

Signs For U. S.



Lt. Gen. Walter Bedell Smith (above), chief of staff to General Eisenhower, signed surrender papers for the Allied chief in which Germany formally capitulated. (AP Wirephoto)

COST OF WAR IN EUROPE HEAVY

American Casualties Were 732,270 To April 1.

Washington, May 8.—(AP)—The fight to bring Germany to her knees cost the U. S. army 732,270 casualties, including 230,000 dead, up to about April 1, the War Department reported today.

In addition to those killed, 467,408 were wounded and 72,374 are missing. This toll includes the campaigns in the Mediterranean area, North Africa, on the continent, in the Middle East, and the Caribbean sector.

The department said that the figures do not include all the men taken prisoner by the Germans although many of the missing were taken prisoner. Neither do the figures take into account the prisoners liberated by the Allied armies.

In a tabulation released last Thursday, American losses in all theaters since Pearl Harbor exceeded 850,000.

A week earlier, the army reported (Continued on Page Six)

Brownout Order Cancelled Today

After today's formal announcement by President Truman that the war in Europe was over, War Production Board has lifted the brownout. With this revocation of the order, restrictions on the use of electric power for advertising, promotional, decorative, ornamental and sign lighting are eliminated all over the country.

The Merchants Association makes the above announcement after having it verified by Mr. Martin Swartz, Supt. of Greenville Utilities Commission.

Coal is still a vital commodity, you are urged to use your lights conservatively.

Pope To Speak Vatican City, May 8.—(AP)—Pope Pius XII will speak over the Vatican radio at noon tomorrow Rome time (6 a. m. Eastern War Time).

Today On The Home Front

By JAMES MARLOW San Francisco, May 8.—(AP)—There's a word you'll hear lots a-bout from now on. It is trusteeship. The United Nations have taken territory from the Axis. For instance: The island of Saipan in the Pacific. We took it from Japan at the cost of American lives. What do we do with it? Hold it or give it back to the Japanese? American feeling now is to hold it. If we kept it and fortified it, so close to the Japanese homeland, we'd always have a pistol pointed at their heads if they ever got tough again. But in what way do we hold it? To understand it let's go back to what happened after the First World War. The Allies in that war seized territory from Germany and Turkey. If they just kept it, the history books would say the war had been fought to grab territory. So under the League of Nations a mandate system was created. Big victor nations, like Britain and France, were to hold territory until it was considered capable of be-

Truman And Churchill Issue Statements; Stalin Silent; Truman Sets Aside Next Sunday As Day Of Thanksgiving But Reminds Of Fight Still Ahead

By The Associated Press President Truman and Prime Minister Churchill today proclaimed complete victory in Europe. Hostilities formally cease at 6:01 p. m. EWT, tonight. Supreme headquarters announced.

Shattered Germany's unconditional surrender "will be ratified and confirmed at Berlin" today, Churchill said.

Both leaders summoned their nations to a battle to the finish against Japan. Churchill reminded that "Japan, with all her treachery and greed, remains unsubdued," and Truman asserted that "When the last Japanese division has surrendered unconditionally, only then will our fighting job be done."

There was no immediate proclamation from Premier Marshal Stalin.

Supreme Allied headquarters in a special communique said "Allied Expeditionary Forces have been ordered to cease offensive operations, but will maintain their present position until the surrender becomes effective."

Germany's unconditional capitulation to the Western Allies and Russia was signed at 2:41 a. m. EWT, Time Monday (6:41 p. m. EWT, Sunday) this communique announced.

Supreme headquarters announced the Germans agreed to: Order all resistance halted; Yield all ships and aircraft unscuttled and undamaged; Ensure compliance with all further orders from the Allied Supreme Commander and the Soviet High Command.

The surrender document specified that nothing it contained limited or restricted any terms which might later be imposed on the Reich.

"In the event of the German high command or any of the forces under their control failing to act in accordance with this act of surrender," it warned, "the Supreme commander x x x and the Soviet high command will take such punitive or other action as they deem appropriate."

"Thus was effected the uncompro-mising dictate of unconditional surrender laid down by Churchill and the late President Roosevelt at Casablanca.

"Today," said Churchill, "this agreement will be ratified and confirmed at Berlin, where Air Chief Marshal (Sir Arthur) Tedder, Deputy Supreme commander of the Allied Expeditionary Force, and Gen. (Jean De Latre De) Tassigny will sign on behalf of Gen. Eisenhower. Gen. Zhukov (First White Russian Army commander) will sign on behalf of the Soviet high command. The German representatives will be Field Marshal Keitel, chief of the high command, and commanders in chief of the German army, navy, and air forces."

Allied radio order-d all German and German-controlled ships into the nearest ports; Grand Admiral Karl Doenitz told the German people that all arms would be laid down at 11 p. m. German time (6 p. m. EWT).

Mr. Truman's radio address included a brief introductory to the victory proclamation, and in addition he issued a separate statement to his news conference dealing especially with the Japanese.

Truman Text This is a solemn but a glorious (Continued on page four)

RATION GUIDE Meals—Book Four red stamps 18 and 25, and A3 through U2. Foods—Book Four blue stamps 113 through 22 and A1 through 61. Sugar—Stamps 35 and 36. Shoes—Airplane stamps 1, 2 and 3 in Book Three. Gasoline—19-A coupon.

Social and Personal

Mrs. E. F. Tucker spent the weekend with friends and relatives in Oxford.

Mrs. Ralph D. Bailey and daughter, Sharon, left yesterday to join her husband, Aviation Cadet Ralph D. Bailey at Victoria, Texas.

Mrs. Lula Mae Fletcher underwent a serious operation this morning in the hospital of the Medical College of Virginia.

Miss Martha Tyson is in Pitt General Hospital for treatment.

Judge and Mrs. Albion Dunn, Miss Ann Dunn, Billy Dunn and Mrs. Fred Smart spent Sunday in Willington with Dr. and Mrs. John Biggs.

Attention U. D. C. Members. The George B. Singletary Chapter, U. D. C. will meet at the high school on Thursday, May 10, at 11:30 and with the high school and glee club march to the court house square where memorial exercises will be held at 11:45 in memory of our Confederate heroes.

Wells-Fennegan. Fairmont, May 8.—Miss Ann Reeves Fennegan of Fairmont and Edward Brantley Wells of Greenville were married on May 4 in the First Baptist Church of Fairmont, Va., with Dr. H. F. Jones of Appomattox, Va., cousin of the bridegroom, officiating, using the double ring ceremony.

Miss Sarah Floyd was organist, and Miss Mary Nell Hardin of Coker College, Hartsville, S. C., sang. The bride, given in marriage by her uncle, Dr. Robert Lide Reeves of Latta, S. C., wore an ivory brocade faille gown fashioned along the lines of that worn by Gainsborough Blue Lady. The long sleeves ended in pearl adorned points over the wrists. Seed pearls were also used on the closely fitted bodice which ended in a train. The full length veil of chiffon was worn with a Juliet cap edged with a cord of pearls. She carried a white Bible with a white orchid and held a handkerchief, an heirloom in the family.

Mrs. Percy Raymond Masten, III, of Greenville, sister of the bridegroom, was matron of honor. She wore a dress of robin's egg blue brocade faille. She carried a bouquet of cerise gladioli and white baby's-breath.

Miss Faith Fennegan, sister of the bride, was junior bridesmaid. Her gown was identical to that of the matron of honor, being fashioned of gold brocade. She carried a bouquet of white gladioli mixed with blue baby's-breath.

The bridegroom had his father as his best man. Ushers were Percy E. Wells, Jr., brother of the groom, John Warner Wells, cousin of the groom, both of Greenville; Van Beach of Fairmont and J. N. Walker of Orrum.

The mother of the bride, wore a two-piece dinner dress of lilac jersey, studded with jet, and corsage of purple orchids. The mother of the bridegroom wore a gown of aqua crepe trimmed with gold sequins and corsage of orchids.

Immediately after the wedding, Mrs. Fennegan entertained at a reception at the Hotel Fairmont. In the receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. Percy Edward Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brantley Wells, Mrs. Percy Raymond Masten, Miss Faith Fennegan, Miss Mary Nell Hardin, Miss Sarah Floyd, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Lide Reeves and Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Fennegan of Laurinburg.

Those assisting in receiving were: Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Collins, Mrs. Jimmy Wiggins, Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Floyd, Miss Caroline Reeves of Coker College, Mrs. A. Mortimer McNear of Hartsville, S. C., Mrs. Van Beach, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Teague, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Floyd, Mr. and Mrs. James Reeves of Coker, Mrs. S. C. Mrs. W. N. Hubbard of Winston-Salem, and Mrs. John Wells of Calypso.

Miss Annie Reeves of Hartsville presided at the dining table. Serving were Mrs. E. C. Huffines, Miss Elaine Rhem of Georgetown, S. C., Miss Jane Grantham, Mrs. David Britt and Miss Daphne Martin. Miss Virginia Floyd rendered a musical program and goodbyes were said to Mrs. M. D. MacRae and Miss Ophelia Floyd.

Later in the evening the couple left for a two weeks' wedding trip, after which they will be at home in Fairmont. For traveling the bride wore a violet heater wool suit with brown hat and accessories and used for a shoulder bouquet the orchid lifted from her prayer book. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. S. Edgar Fennegan and the late Mr. Fennegan of Fairmont. She was magna cum laude graduate of 1944 at Coker College. She was winner of the Howard Lee Jones scholarship each year at Coker.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy E. Wells of Greenville. He is a graduate of Greenville High School and attended East Carolina Teachers College. He is connected with the Person-Garret Tobacco Company in Fairmont.

Immediately following the rehearsal on Thursday night, May 3, for the Wells-Fennegan wedding, members of the wedding party, relatives out-of-town guests and Miss Ida Sims Chambliss were entertained at a cake cutting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Huffines. The three-tiered wedding cake topped with miniature bride and groom, centered in a dining table. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Wayland Floyd.

Social Calendar

TUESDAY
8:00 p. m.—Business Women's Circle of Immanuel Baptist Church meets with Miss Margaret Sammon.
8:00 p. m.—Witha Council 3:00 p. m. of Pocahontas meets.

WEDNESDAY
3:30 p. m.—P. T. A. of Third Street School meets.
3:30 p. m.—Training School P. T. A. meets.
7:30 p. m.—B Natural Music Club, pupils of Mrs. W. R. Freedland, will meet in Sheppard Memorial Library.

6:00 p. m.—Junior Woman's Club meets in the high school cafeteria.

FRIDAY
8:00 p. m.—Greenville chapter ECTC Alumni Association meets in alumni office.

Mayo-Ross.
The Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church of Greenville was the setting of one of the most beautiful weddings of the season May 4, when Miss Leah Mildred Ross, daughter of Mrs. Alfred Kennedy, Jr., and the late Ledyard E. Ross, became the bride of Hiram John Mayo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley S. Mayo, Sr., of Mesic, in a ceremony performed by the Rev. William Howard of Bethel.

The church had been tastefully decorated in ferns, calla lilies, white snapdragons and white cathedral candles.

Mrs. G. B. W. Hadley was organist, using "Romance" by Rubenstein; "Evening Star," by Wagner, and "Ave Maria," by Schubert, as the prelude; and "Oh Promise Me" during the ceremony. Miss Josephie Gibson of Greenville, soloist, sang "Through the Years," by Youmans, and "The Lord's Prayer," by J. L. Gurganus, Jr., of Bethel, sang "I Love You Truly," by Bond, and "Because," by de-Hardelot. Traditional Bridal Chorus from Lohengrin and Wagner were used for the processional and Mendelssohn's Wedding March for the recessional.

The bride, given in marriage by her step-father, Mr. Alfred F. Kennedy, wore a wedding gown of white slipper satin trimmed with chintilly lace, made basque effect, buttoned down the back and a high neck which was filled in with lace to form a V-neck. The long sleeves ended in points of lace over her hands. The full gathered skirt, extended into a train over which her full length, imported illusion veil fell from a coronet of seed pearls. Her only ornament was a string of pearls, a gift of the bridegroom. The bride's bouquet was of stephanotis, bride's roses and lilies of the valley centered with an orchid and showered narrow satin ribbon of double white sweetpeas.

Mrs. Alfred F. Kennedy, Jr., mother of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a blue gown with taffeta bodice and a full net skirt over taffeta, elbow length gauntlets and a ruffled net halo with a shoulder length veil. She carried an arm bouquet of mixed spring flowers.

The maid of honor, Miss Annie Mae Cannon of Greenville, wore a gown of pink taffeta and net, elbow length gauntlets and a ruffled net halo with a shoulder length veil fashioned the same as the matron of honor. She carried an arm bouquet of mixed spring flowers.

The bridesmaids, Alva Rowland of Greenville, Myra Boye of Edenton, Marquette Ward of Edenton, Jane Tucker, Kathleen Whichard, Helen Kemp and Jane Rogers, all of Greenville, Alma Simmons of Clinton and Greenville, Mrs. J. W. Dupree of Raleigh, and Jerry Mayo of Black Creek and Mesic, entered in pairs and wore pastel shades of net and taffeta gowns designed identical to those of the maid of honor, elbow length gauntlets, ruffled net halos, and carried arm bouquets of mixed spring flowers.

Junior bridesmaids were Trudy Alice Jones of Cash Corner, Gail Barnhill of Stokes, Pauline Dupree of Tarboro, and Neel Dupree of Greenville. They wore gowns identical to the senior bridesmaids, and carried like flowers.

fred F. Kennedy Jr., and the late Ledyard E. Ross. She is a graduate of Greenville High School and at present is a senior at ECTC. The numerous courtesies shown her was attested of her popularity.

Mr. Mayo is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley S. Mayo, Sr., of Mesic. He is a graduate of Hobucken High School and holds an A. B. degree from ECTC. He is a member of the Phi Sigma Pi Fraternity and also the American Legion. He is a young man of sterling worth and good business ability. He has recently received his honorable discharge from the Navy.

Following the ceremony a reception was given at the home of the bride's parents.

Mrs. Chauncey Dupree of Greenville greeted guests at the door and Mrs. T. C. May of Bailey, introduced to the receiving line composed of the bride party and parents of the bridegroom. Receiving in the gift room was Mrs. J. L. Gurganus, Jr., of Bethel, Mrs. Carey Joyner of Greenville directed guests to the register, which was presided over by Mrs. L. M. Ernest and Mrs. R. D. Whichard, Sr., both of Greenville. Mrs. Dwight H. Edwards of Greenville invited guests to the dining room where the bride's table was decorated with an arrangement of white roses, feverfew, gladioli and phlox, flanked by white tapers.

Goodbyes were said by Mrs. Stanley Hathaway of Greenville, and Mrs. William Stallings. Immediately after the reception the bridal couple left for unannounced points.

The bride wore an aqua tulle gown with white accessories. Her shoulder corsage was an orchid taken from her bridal bouquet.

Mrs. Mayo was complimented with a number of pre-nuptial parties. On April 16, Mrs. Paul E. Dupree of Tarboro and Mrs. Clarence Barnhill entertained at a miscellaneous shower. The hostesses presented china in the bride-elect's chosen pattern.

On Tuesday evening, April 17, Mrs. Carey Joyner of Greenville and Mrs. Graham Miller entertained at a kitchen shower. The gift of the hostesses was crystal.

On April 20 Misses Jane Tucker and Annie Mae Cannon of Greenville, bridesmaids, entertained with a floating shower. The hostesses presented Miss Ross with china in her chosen pattern.

On Wednesday evening Mrs. Robert Whichard, Jr., and Miss Kathleen Whichard, the latter a bridesmaid, entertained at a personal shower. The hostesses presented the bride-elect gifts of perfume and lingerie.

Thursday evening, April 26, Mrs. C. L. Dupree and Mrs. L. M. Ernest of Greenville were hostesses at a bridge honoring Miss Ross. The bride received crystal candleholders and a cake plate in her chosen pattern.

On April 30 Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gurganus entertained at a dinner party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gurganus, Sr., in Bethel. China was presented the honoree.

On May 2 Mesdames Stanley Hathaway, John Duckman and Dwight H. Edwards of Greenville entertained at a tea at the home of the latter. The hostesses presented china and silver to Miss Ross.

Thursday evening Miss Ross entertained her senior bridesmaids at a dinner party at the Olde Towne Inn. At the same hour Mr. Mayo entertained his ushers at a dinner at Respass.

Immediately following the rehearsal Thursday evening, May 3, Mesdames T. C. May of Bailey, J. W. Dupree of Raleigh and W. W. Stallings, Jr., of Tarboro entertained at a cake cutting at the Third Street School in Greenville. The three-tiered wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom, centered the table. The hostesses were assisted by Mrs. Alfred Kennedy, mother of the bride, Mrs. Clarence Barnhill of Stokes, Mrs. W. W. Stallings, Jr. of Crisp and Mrs. M. G. Miller of Richmond, Va. Music was furnished by R. D. Whichard during the night and dancing was enjoyed by all.

NEWS ABOUT SERVICEMEN

Promoted
15th AAF. Staff Sgt. James T. Lang of 304 Belcher St., Farmville, N. C., whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland O. Lang, reside at the same address, was recently promoted from the grade of staff sergeant. Sgt. Lang is an aerial gunner with a B-24 Liberator heavy bombardment group of the 15th Air Force.

Since his arrival in Italy, Sgt. Lang has been awarded the Air Medal as well as the Distinguished United Badge and the European-African-Middle East campaign ribbon.

In Belgium
Pvt. Charlie T. Wells, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Wells of Winterville, has arrived in Belgium. He is a paratrooper and received his training at Fort Benning, Ga. His wife and son live in Greenville.

Back To Duty
Pfc. Dallas F. House, whose wife, Mrs. Ruth House and son, Carey, live at 112-1/2 Howard St., Phoebus, Va., has returned to duty as a supply clerk with a quartermaster unit of the 13th AAF, the jungle air force, in the Philippines after a rest leave to Australia. He entered the AAF in Jan., 1941, and has been overseas since Nov., 1942. He wears battle stars for participation in Guadalcanal and northern Solomons campaigns. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. House of Phoebus, and formerly lived in Greenville.

Brothers Meet in Germany
Staff Sgt. Lyman McRoy and Pfc. Woodrow McRoy, sons of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McRoy of Chicago, met somewhere in Germany on April 25, according to a letter received by their parents on May 7, and stayed together a day and night. This was the first time they had met since leaving home.

On Furlough
Sgt. Ernest L. Willard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Willard, Sr., 901 Lawrence St., Greenville, is spending a 19-day furlough with his parents.

St. Willard is stationed at the Mobile Air Technical Service Command headquarters at Brooklyn Field, Alabama.

Promoted
Richard Pratt Gaskins of Winterville, has been advanced to radio-man second class. He is the son of Mrs. Jennie Abbott Gaskins. He enlisted in the Navy July 6, 1942, and after training at radio school was transferred to a destroyer in the Atlantic fleet. He participated in the shelling of Anzio and in the invasion of southern France.

On Furlough
Pvt. Jesse D. Roberts, Greenville Negro soldier who said he had been overseas three years, is in Greenville spending a 21-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts, 1116 Greene street.

Promoted
Luther Curtis Joyner, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Joyner, 418 West Eleventh St., Greenville, has been promoted to private first class. He is now in France. His address is: Pfc. Luther Curtis Joyner, 44012599, 362nd Inf., Co. F, 3rd Plat., APO 454, care Postmaster, New York.

Wounded in Action.
Cpl. Joseph L. McLawhorn of Winterville is in an army hospital in Italy. He was wounded in the foot about four months ago but recovered and returned to action. Recently he received a head wound while in action.

Cpl. McLawhorn is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Lester McLawhorn of Wilmington and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Forbes of Farmville. He has been overseas for 32 months and participated in the campaigns in North Africa, Sicily and Italy.

Awarded Purple Heart
Pfc. Paul W. Harris has been awarded the Purple Heart for wounds received in action in Italy. He recently received the Combat Infantry's Badge. His wife is the former Miss Edna Earl Vincent of Winterville. Pfc. Harris is the son of Mr. David S. Harris, Sr., Route 1, Greenville. His address is: Pfc. Paul W. Harris, 34969798, Co. B, 87th Mt. Infantry, APO 345, care Postmaster, New York.

Masonic Notice.
There will be a special communication of Greenville Lodge No. 24, A. F. and A. M., Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock for work in the Entered Apprentice degree. All Master Masons, Entered Apprentices and Fellowcrafts are invited to attend. James W. Brewer, W.M. Nash Joyner, Secy.

Junior Club To Meet.
The Junior Woman's Club will meet tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the high school cafeteria.

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A SLIGHT CASE OF Theft

By RUFUS NEED

Chapter 18

"Telephone for Dickenson," she said finally. "This lock is broken. He'll have to go down with you to the cashier's office. You can't go alone with this money in a box that can't be locked."

Suddenly Brenda straightened up and said slowly, "I don't understand why we are having so much trouble with our cash boxes. One was stolen the day I came into the office. Now this new lock has been mpered with. It worked all right yesterday. I'll have to get more plainclothesmen on the floor for this sale."

"Dickenson isn't here," Irene walked as she slammed down the telephone receiver.

"And here I am, my little Cucum-ber!" A hearty voice interrupted her. "When you stop going 'round and 'round like a cement mixer, I'll take you down where you can get rid of that dough and meet the date."

"It's been waiting for you—I saw him just a minute ago—"

"What! You saw Joe!" Irene's voice rose to a new sharp high note and then cracked—"Oh, Dickenson you're crazy—"

"Sure I saw him—a tall guy with hair and freckles—was standing outside the cashier's office and when he heard Jones tell me to report on the fifth floor—furs, he stepped up and asked me if I knew you and when was you coming down—"

"Oh—oh, oh—" Irene croaked in an anguished voice. "He won't wait. He never does—oh, come on—let's go—"

Dickenson, one of the store detectives, was a big man with a booming voice and shoulders like a prize fighter. He started behind Irene around the end of her counter just as Bill Hanson came running up, waving a check.

"Hi, Irene! Have you locked the box yet? Here's another check. Sorry old girl!"

"I'm not taking any more checks from you or anyone else tonight," Irene sputtered. "And I'm not sticking around this joint any longer either. You keep that check till morning or turn it in yourself. I'm my way."

She started toward the elevators, Dickenson following her.

"Here, here, wait a minute," Bill exclaimed, catching Dickenson's arm. "You're just the man I want to see."

"Yeah? What's cooking?"

"Plenty. I got a girl in my office we caught shop-lifting in dress goods about an hour ago. Come on in and see her. I can't make her talk. You know how careful you've to be with dames like this," Dickenson grinned at Irene.

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time of day for the cashiers going down to deposit their money with the main cashier in the sub-basement—forty feet below street level. No outsiders were allowed on this elevator so Irene waved toward the center shaft when a man started to follow her. An elevator door slid open in response to her ring. As she stepped toward the opened door, the operator switched off the dome-light and flashed a signal to the starter on the ground floor that she was taking the cashier down from the fifth.

Then things happened fast. To Be Continued

Our Farm Folks

Executive Meeting

Miss Ruth Current, State Home Demonstration agent, was the guest speaker at the executive meeting of the Federation of Home Demonstration Clubs of the 15th district that was held at Swan Quarter on April 27th. Mrs. Edison Davenport, president of the North Carolina Federation of Home Demonstration Clubs brought greetings to those present.

The Club women from Pitt county who attended this meeting were: Mrs. Laurie Ellis, president; Mrs. Lonnie Stocks, vice president; Mrs. Amos Evans secretary and treasurer of the Pitt County Federation of Home Demonstration Clubs. Mrs. Ellis and Mrs. Stocks took part on the program for the day. Miss Verona Lee Joyner, home agent and Miss Ruth Ruzzell, assistant home agent also attended this meeting.

The Hyde county club members were hostesses to a luncheon at 1 p. m. and a tea at 4 p. m. The luncheon was given for those attending the meeting and the tea was in honor of Miss Ruth Current, Mrs. Edison Davenport and Mrs. T. G. Whedbee, retiring district president.

Poultry Specialist

Mr. T. T. Brown, Extension Poultry specialist, was the guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Sweet Grove Home Demonstration club that met at the home of Mrs. Julius Ross, on Thursday, April 26. In this discussion, Mr. Brown urged all farm families to make plans to grow at least enough poultry meat and eggs to supply their own needs during the meat short and poultry tion is critically short and of which the supply can be increased in less than four to five months. Mr. Brown also discussed the diseases most common among poultry flocks and ways to combat them.

The health leader, Mrs. D. N. Nobles, Jr. gave a report on cancer, its symptoms, etc., after which each member made a contribution to the Cancer Control fund. A total of \$6 was contributed. Mrs. Arthur Barnhill, home beautification leader, gave the club members several suggestions on how to make their home and surroundings more attractive.

Twenty-five club members attended this meeting. Mrs. J. B. Congleton and Miss Cordelia Perkins, of the Stokes Home Demonstration

Rotary Club Hears Report On Cleanup

By WYATT BROWN

A report on "clean-up week and rat control" was made last night to the Greenville Rotary Club by County Sanitarian H. A. Hendrix. He reported that clean-up week achieved more among the homes of the colored people than among the white and that four-fifths of the town had been covered with rat poison. President Joe Moyer presided.

It seems the clean-up was for the purpose of improving the looks of the city, to improve healthful conditions and to help in pest control—rats, flies and mosquitoes. The scarcity of standard, metal, tight covered garbage cans found caused some surprise. "Around some stores, and in some sections where white people lived, I found little evidence of cooperation. Under the leader-

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J. H. [Jack] Boyd

Lions Enjoy Talk On Recent Victory

At the Lions Club's supper meeting Monday night Rev. A. Hartwell Campbell, pastor of Immanuel Baptist Church, made an interesting talk about the Allied victory in Europe. He said the tragic sacrifices to win the victory are worth the price if we can win a permanent peace. The popular minister stressed the point that celebration of the victory over Germany should be a time for meditation, prayer and thanksgiving and a pledge to ourselves to carry on at our various posts to win a victory over Japan and peace for the world. President O. E. Dowd presided.

Miss Olga Shindler, director of

Two New 4-H Clubs

Fifteen boys and girls of the Red Oak Community met at the Red Oak Community Club house on Monday night, April 23, for the purpose of organizing a 4-H club in this community. The officers for the club were elected as follows: president, Jane Tyson; vice president, Edna Mills; secretary and treasurer, Charles Manning; song leader, Elhelene Joyner; reporter, Joe Allen; Mrs. Raymond Tyson, Miss Audrey Allen, and Mrs. Penner Allen were selected as 4-H adult leaders.

Following the business meeting the group enjoyed an hour of fun led by the extension agents in charge.

At the organization meeting of the Winterville 4-H Community club on Thursday night, April 27 the following were elected officers of the club: M. T. Spier, president; Peggy McGlohon, vice president; Patsy McGlohon, secretary and treasurer; Leah McGlohon, song leader; J. B. Edwards, reporter; Mrs. J. T. Gaylord and Mrs. Laurie Ellis were chosen as adult leaders.

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music at the high school, presented the school quartet, Amos Leggett, C. J. Cannon Dick Fyfe and Kenneth Dail, in several appreciated songs.

Past President Godfrey P. Oakley inducted into membership Rev. Hayes Clark. The club's original member of the Tyro Club, presented Lion Charles Whedbee a lapel button and certificate as the second member of the Greenville club in this exclusive organization of Lionism. John Blackman reported on the club's participation in the recent united national clothing drive.

Billy Hodges, chairman of the Softball Committee, asked the players to come out in the afternoons for practice. George Wilkerson won the attendance prize, given by Tyson Bilbro.

Guests of the club were Lion Frank White, formerly of Edenton; Junior Lion Lewis Evans, C. A. Guest and members of the newly organized Lions Club at Ayden, as follows: President Bill Newsome, Vice President "Boy" Hembry, Secretary-Treasurer Clay Stroud, Tail Twister Mark Dixon and T. G. man Chaucey.



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By EARL L. DOUGLAS

THE LIFE WE CARRY WITH US

A gardener who had migrated to this country from Europe used to sit on his wheelbarrow a great deal and mutter to himself about the injustice of this new land. "They call this a free country," he would say. "Yet think how hard a man has to work here and how little he gets, and how he is beset around by people who have plenty and who spread themselves."

He found life here in America the same as it had been in Europe before he went to life in the same way. He wanted to live easily, without working. He envied those of better fortune than himself. He resented any kind of discipline. No doubt he had left his native land feeling that no man could succeed there because of old entrenched injustices. He came to an America which existed only in his mind. He painted it not as it was but as he wished it to be, his self-indulgent tastes being as they were. But here in America he found that in spite of its great opportunities, living involves the same problems as it does anywhere else, because opportunities are without value unless they are grasped by a resolute spirit.

When men have found a new land in America, it was necessary they brought to this land hearts which were ready to take advantage of new opportunities. Wherever we carry a self-indulgent life, we shall find living to be hard. Geography makes no difference in matters of this sort.

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AMERICA IN WARTIME

By JACK STINNETT

Washington—"Men, the President wants to see you."

Those who follow the trend of things in the national capital already are predicting this phrase will be the firebell which will bring White House news and radio correspondents running to the door of President Truman's office much more often than the twice-weekly press conferences President Roosevelt held for more than 12 years.

In his first three weeks in office, President Truman had only one formal press conference. He had good reasons. In the first place, he announced that because of the pressure of business in taking over the job, there would be only one formal press conference a week for a while. When time for the second one rolled around he cancelled it, making it clear that he did not wish to interfere with news from the opening days of the United Nations Conference in San Francisco.

Yet on three occasions, when the President had had something to say, he has notified the news and radio men in advance and when sent one of his press relations staff or executive assistants to announce. "Men, the President wants to see you now."

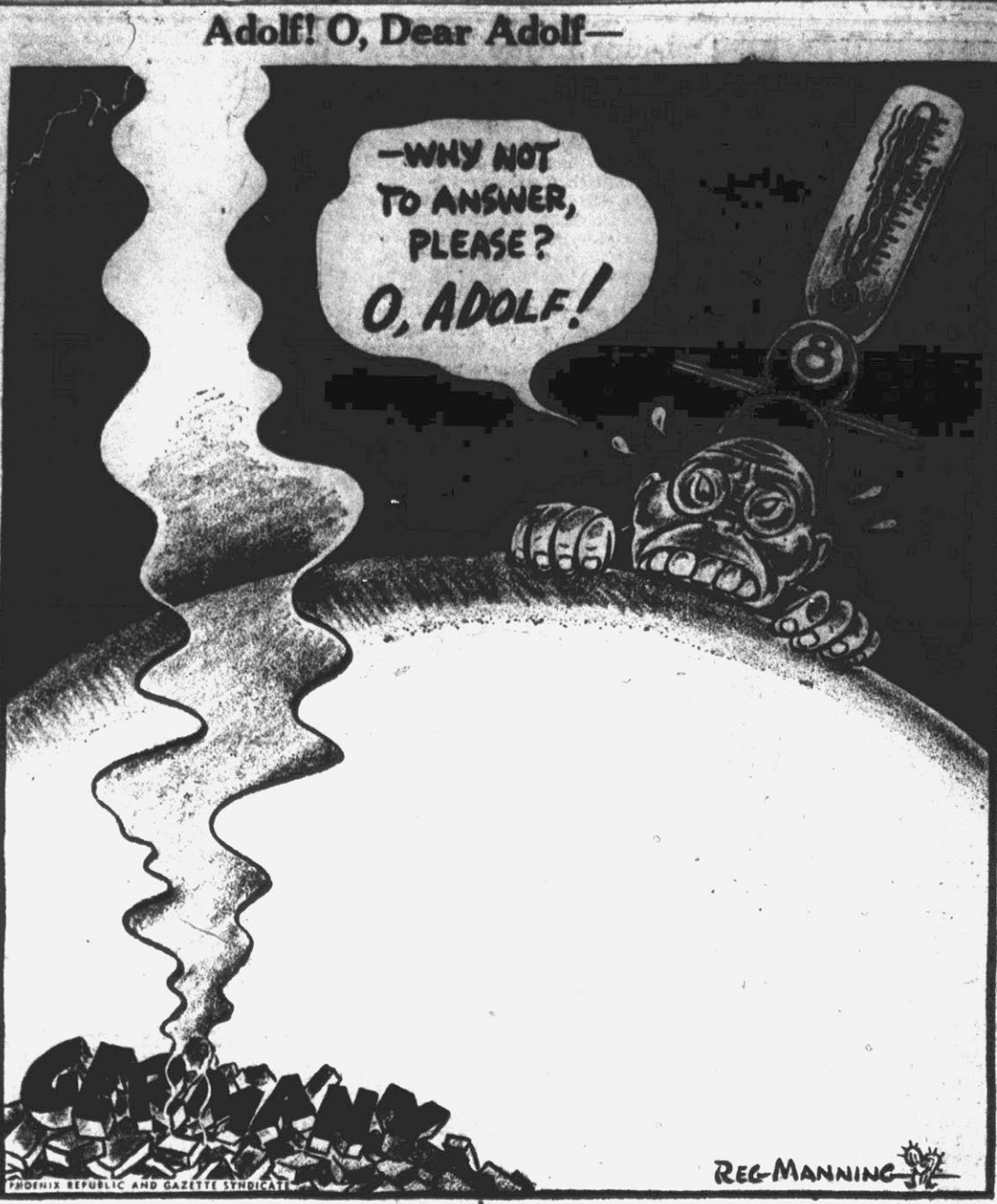
If there is any word in advance, it is President Truman's word, and it is clear that President Truman kept as close a radio and press touch with the people as Roosevelt did, it can be dismissed now. But it already is being freely predicted that the President's press and radio conference may never be quite the same again.

The reaction of the boys covering the White House now is "Let's hope not."

Roosevelt was a master of the press conference long before he came to the White House. He raised it to a level of contact with the public that no President before him had ever dreamed of. In the early days of his administration and in other times of stress, he used it as a sounding board and launching base for trial balloons.

Through the men and the few women who saw him twice a week, he kept intimate contact with the people. For the most part, he enjoyed it. Even when he had little news to impart, he enjoyed sparring with the correspondents and dishing out digs that often were as sharp as those of the opposition papers they represented.

It is too early yet to say positively what President Truman's



overall press policy will be. It probably won't be determined until his new press secretary, the veteran St. Louis Post Dispatch correspondent, Charles Ross, takes over after the San Francisco conference.

Some things, however, are clear already. President Truman never will indulge in double talk. His "yes" and "no" answers are as clean as a rifle shot. When he doesn't want to, or can't discuss a matter, he says so and that settles it. Correspondents here have their fingers crossed and are hoping that no one will ever be able to convince him there's a better way of dealing with the folks who write and broadcast the news.

Delayed Report . . .

(Continued From Page One)
Jodi entered first, followed by Gen. Admiral Hans Georg Friedeburg and then by Col. Poleck, a supply expert.

Poleck glanced once at the Allied officers and then studied the floor. Friedeburg looked out the windows. Only Jodi, his bald head gleaming beneath naked electric light bulbs, looked the American and British commanders in the face.

Again there was a moment of heavy silence.
Then Eisenhower spoke. He was brief and terse as always.
His voice was cold and stern. His steel blue eyes were hard.

In a few clipped sentences, he made it plain that Germany was a defeated nation and that henceforth orders to the German people would come from the Allies. He said they would be obeyed.

Then the Germans filed out. It was over.

Nazi Germany has ceased to exist. The war had ended.

The signatures of the document of surrender climaxed two days of negotiations in the Cathedral city, scene of many dramatic events in European history. Possibly what was born here today will be known as the "Peace of Reims."

The doom of the Third Reich was sealed in the war room of the Allied supreme command's advanced headquarters in the big brick Ecole Professionnelle, which in peacetime was

a co-educational industrial school. The signatories sat at a wooden table 20 feet long, and 10 feet wide, with its top painted black. The war room itself was L-shaped, about 30 feet long and 30 wide on the outer sides of the "L."

Also seated with the signatories were Maj. Gen. Sir Frederick E. Morgan, SHAEF deputy chief of staff; Capt. Harry E. Butcher, Eisenhower's naval aide; Admiral Sir Harry Burroughs, commander of Allied naval forces; Lt. Ivan Cherieff of the Red army; Lt. Gen. Carl A. Spaatz, commander of the United States strategic air forces in Europe; Air Marshal Sir James M. Robb, chief of the SHEAF air staff; Maj. Gen. H. R. Bull, assistant chief of staff; and Col. Ivan Zenko, vitch of the Red army.

Correspondents were ushered into the war room upon receiving word of the agreement upon final terms. Most of the Allied officers entered the room at 2:29 a. m. Lt. Gen. Bedell Smith followed five minutes later. The strain of the climactic months of the war was evident in his serious countenance.

There was another wait of five minutes. Then Jodi, in a grey-green uniform and silver trim of a Wehrmacht officer, strode in with the olive-clad Friedeburg.
Everyone's visage—all or enemy—was rigid. Not a trace of a smile appeared on any face.

"There are four copies," Gen. Smith remarked dryly, "to be signed."
Gen. Jodi was the first to put his name on the quadruplicate document at 2:41 a. m. Copies were passed across to be signed, by Generals Ivan Susloparov of the Red army, Smith of SHEAF and Francois Sevez of France in that order.

The terms of the naval agreement which were signed by Admiral Burroughs and the terms of the land and air disarmament were signed by Smith and presented to the Germans to be carried out.

It was 2:45 a. m. The ink of the signatures still was damp. Then Jodi spoke, beseeching "generosity" of the Allied conquerors.
Chairs scraped and the Germans rose stiffly to stand at attention. The Allies got to their feet and bowed formally and the Germans walked out of the room at 2:47 a.

Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS**
1. Playing card
 2. Jewish month
 3. Pagan god
 4. Pain
 5. Part of leather
 6. New star
 7. Set forth in
 8. Chills
 9. Crime
 10. Government
 11. Surge
 12. Progression
 13. Part in suit
 14. Lawyers
 15. Tails
 16. Part of hand
 17. Not involving
 18. Mingle
 19. Run away
 20. Axial prefix
 21. Insect
 22. Postpone
 23. Indian of Florida
 24. Exclamation
 25. Woods
 26. Favorite
 27. Public con-
 28. Failure to win
 29. Number
 30. Ancient trees
 31. Light
 32. Phylax
 33. Hummingbirds
 34. Handbag
 35. Part of hand
 36. Cast eyes
 37. Mingle
 38. Run away
 39. Dishes
 40. Insect

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Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle.

1. Star in Draco
2. Quote
3. Coming forth
4. Feminine hair
5. Bowlers
6. Monkey
7. Trade
8. First
9. Teaching
10. Basic cham-
11. her
12. Final
13. Planet
14. Moving sud-
15. denly
16. Avow
17. State whose capital is Boise
18. Poison
19. Metal-bearing rocks
20. Sea eagles
21. Pieces to slit
22. Buildings of sun-dried brick
23. Department in France
24. Non-trivial animals
25. Delicate skill
26. Minority
27. Not pro-
28. Professional
29. Ventrally
30. Old Indian tribe
31. One of two equal parts - egg-shaped
32. Joy
33. Medley
34. Nearest
35. Bell

AP Newsfeatures 5-8

Meeting Of . . .

(Continued from page one)
The first reported action of the Five was to set up a subcommittee of world organization experts to study and report on all amendments put forward by the smaller nation delegation.
Many of the smaller nations have proposed changes in the Security Council which would limit the authority of the five powers that would hold permanent five of its eleven seats. But Molotov made it clear at a news conference yesterday that the big nations look for no such amendments to go through.

Orders End . . .

(Continued from page four)
"I took it as my first task to save the life of the German people."
"We bow before the sacrifices of our nation, of its fighting army, of all men, women and children," he said.
Doenitz declared he did not know whether he would continue at his post and added:
"It was impossible to carry on this struggle. A very difficult path lies before us."
"We must walk it dignified, disciplined and courageous. We must work hard."
Doenitz warned the German people that "The power is with the occupying authorities," and he urged them to walk the "difficult path united in the hope that our children in Europe may one day have a free and secure existence."

In his own small office, the Allied commander with his deputy, Air Chief Marshal Sir Arthur Tedder, beside him, received the beaten enemy. He stood behind his desk. The Germans faced him.
Even the cares of the leader of millions of Allied fighting men for many months could not hide Eisenhower's look of rugged good health and concentrated energy.
His face was stern as he made it plain to the envoys of Grand Admiral Doenitz that the Germans must obey Allied orders.
On their departure, Eisenhower summoned all Allied officers who had participated in the ceremony of surrender.
His mouth broke into a big victory smile. His eyes, a moment before stern and cold, sparkled with joy.

Allied Leaders . . .

(Continued from page one)
I only wish that Franklin D. Roosevelt had lived to witness this day. General Eisenhower informs me that the forces of Germany have surrendered to the United Nations. The flags of freedom fly over all Europe.
For this victory, we join in offering our thanks to the Providence which has guided and sustained us through the dark days of adversity.
Our rejoicing is sobered and subdued by a supreme consciousness of the terrible price we have paid to rid the world of Hitler and his evil band. Let us not forget, my fellow Americans, the sorrow and the heartbreak which today abide in the homes of so many of our neighbors—neighbors whose most price-

less possession has been rendered as a sacrifice to redeem our liberty.
We can repay the debt which we owe to our God, to our dead and to our children, only by work — by ceaseless devotion to the responsibilities which lie ahead of us. If I could give you a single watchword for the coming months, that word is Work, work, work.
We must work to finish the war. Our victory is but half-won. The West is free, but the East is still in bondage to the treacherous tyranny of the Japanese. When the last Japanese division has surrendered unconditionally, then only will our fighting job be done.
We must work to bind up the wounds of a suffering world — build an abiding peace, a peace rooted in justice and in law. We can build such a peace only by hard, toilsome, painstaking work — by understanding and working with our allies in peace as we have in war.
The job ahead is no less important, no less urgent, no less difficult than the task which now happily is done.
I call upon every American to stick to his post until the last battle is won. Until that day, let no man abandon his post or slacken his efforts.
And now, I want to read to you my formal proclamation of this occasion:
By the President of the United States of America.
A proclamation:
The Allied armies, through sacrifice and devotion and with God's help, have won from Germany a final and unconditional surrender. The Western world has been freed of the evil forces which for five years and longer have imprisoned the bodies and broken the lives of millions upon millions of freemen men. They have violated their churches, destroyed their homes, corrupted their children, and murdered their loved ones. Our armies of liberation have restored freedom to these suffering peoples, whose spirit and will the oppressors could never enslave.
Much remains to be done. The victory won in the West must now be won in the East. The whole world must be cleansed of the evil from which half the world has been freed. United, the peace loving nations have demonstrated in the West that their arms are stronger by far than the might of dictators or the tyranny of military cliques that once called us soft and weak. The power of our peoples to defend themselves against all enemies will be proved in the Pacific as it has been proved in Europe.
For the triumph of spirit and of arms which we have won, and for its promise to peoples everywhere who join us in the love of freedom, it is fitting that we, as a nation, give thanks to Almighty God, who has strengthened us and given us

the victory.
Now, therefore, I, Harry S. Truman, President of the United States of America, do hereby appoint Sunday, May 18, 1945, to be a day of prayer.
I call upon the people of the United States, whatever their faith, to unite in offering joyful thanks to God for the victory we have won and to pray that He will support us to the end of our present struggle and guide us into the way of peace.
I also call upon my countrymen to dedicate this day of prayer to the memory of those who have given their lives to make possible our victory.
In witness whereof, I have here-

unto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States of America to be affixed.
Done at the city of Washington this eighth day of May, in the year of our Lord 1945, and of the Independence of the United States of America the 108th.
Harry S. Truman.
Victory Furloughs
London, May 8—(AP)—Brig. Gen. E. P. Koenig, commanding the U. S. army's United Kingdom base, announced today that all American troops in the United Kingdom will get "victory furloughs" during the months of May, June, July or August.

THANKS . . .

To all my friends who so loyally cast their votes for me in Monday's Primary.

To those who did not support me, I have no malice, and still consider them my friends.

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FOR SALE - RIDING CULTIVATOR and flat top cabinet oil cook stove, in good condition. On Emily Jane Hardee farm, six miles from Greenville, near Boyd's Station, on Washington highway. James Sutton, 7-2t.

WANTED, IMMEDIATELY—Colored maids. Will pay good wages, room and board. Apply Morehead Villa, Morehead City, N. C. 3-6t.

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LOST-LADIES YELLOW GOLD Eight wrist watch last Friday afternoon between Home Furniture Store and J. Hicks Corey's real estate office on Dickinson Ave. Finder please return to F. M. Buck, Keel Supply Co., Greenville, N. C., and receive reward. 7-3t.

FOR SALE - ONE ORGAN, ONE Singer sewing machine, both in good condition. I repair all makes of sewing machines. If your machine is out of order, just drop me a card. E. J. Dall, 1315 Washington St., Greenville. Tue-Sat-Mon. 4-1t.

COLORED FOLKS-WE HAVE a good 5-room cottage in Riverdale on Fourth Street, at right price, with reasonable payment down and balance like rent. Also a few lots left. See us, 312 Evans St., or phone 2401. Stallworth or Tripp. 4-1t.

FOR SALE-USED FURNITURE, practically new, in excellent condition. Phone 2966. 7-3t.

JUST RECEIVED SHIPMENT OF hames, plow castings of all kinds and cultivator parts. Boyette sprayer parts. Also tobacco truck repair parts. Blount-Harvey. Mar 27-Tue-Thu-Sat-1t

WANTED-BY RELIABLE RENT-er, house or three or more room apartment, in or near this city. W. J. Mischael, care J. D. Aman. 7-3t.

WE HAVE GARDEN SEEDS, DAH-lia roots and gladiola bulbs. White's Store. 21-1 mo.

WE HAVE ROTENONE DUST, Paris Green, Arsenate of Lead, Calcium Arsenate and other insecticides. Also Bee Brand and Black Flag powders. J. A. Watson, Seed and Hardware. 25-1t.

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ALL MAHOGANY DREXEL corner cabinet, \$89.50, at Quinn Miller & Stroud. 8-2t.

NOTICE - THE WEST GREEN-ville Beauty Shop will be open each Wednesday afternoon and closed Saturday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock. 8-4t.

LOST-ELGIN WRIST WATCH, leather marine corps band, lost on West 4th street between Evans street and Dickinson Ave. Finder please return to 400 East 8th St. or to Marine Base. Reward. Sgt. Frank J. Marra. 8-3t.

NOTICE-I HAVE A GOOD STOCK of all copper radiator cores for most all makes of cars and trucks. Can get one for any make of car, truck or tractor. Quick service on vulcanizing and recapping. Phone 3580; Jimmie House Auto Shop, 202 East Fifth St. 20-12t.

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NEW WATER SETS AND punch bowls and punch bowl sets. Quinn-Miller & Stroud. 8-2t.

WE WILL GLADLY GIVE YOU the ceiling prices all cash, for clean used cars. We buy and sell used cars. New cars are coming soon. High prices won't last much longer. See or call us today. Brown-Wood, 635 Dickinson Ave., Day Phone 2882, Night Phone 2803. Apr. 17-1mo.

FOR SALE-500 YARDS OF TO-bacco plant beds. Ready for pulling. Willie Williams farm, near Cox's Mill on 43 highway. 7-3t.

ATTENTION, FARMERS - WE have peanut weeders, tobacco sprayers, fertilizer sowers. Also parts for tobacco sprayers, transplanters, cultivators and most all kinds of plows. Blount-Harvey. Mar. 31-Tue-Thu-Sat-1t

FOR SALE OR RENT-INV-alid chair and two hospital beds. Quinn-Miller & Stroud. 8-2t.

600 ACRES OF TIMBER, PINE, gum and cypress, approximately 1,500,000 feet, on Highway 43, near Shelmerdine, will be sold at court house door on Monday, May 21, at 12:00 noon. L. W. Gaskins and J. H. Gaskins. Someone will be at the farm each Monday to show you the timber. 19-eod-15t.

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FOR SALE - 50 BARRELS OF white corn. A. T. Weatherington, Greenville, R. 5. 7-2t.

JUST RECEIVED TWO NEW 9x12 Axminster wool rugs. Also two wool hall runner rugs, 3x9. Quinn-Miller & Stroud. 8-2t.

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ATTENTION VICTORY GARDEN-ers—we have garden plows, hoes and rakes of all kinds, dusters and Rotenone for your garden. Also a shipment of coco door mats. Blount-Harvey. Mar. 27-Tue-Thu-Sat-1t

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SERVICE MEN WANT IT NOW- we buy your used car at ceiling price and pay cash. Service men are asking us daily for clean used cars. If you are not using that extra car now, we need it. See or call for an appraisal. Brown-Wood, Dial 2882 day phone, night phone 2803. We buy and sell. Apr. 17-1mo.

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MR. FARMER - WE HAVE HY-brid seed corn. Truck's Favorite and Silver King seed corn, watermelon and cantaloupe seed. Also all kinds of garden seed. Blount-Harvey. Mar. 31-Tue-Thu-Sat-1t

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BABY CHICKS - WHITE AND Barred Rocks, \$10.00 per 100, \$2.50 per tray of 132 eggs. Bring eggs on Mondays and Thursdays. Place orders early. Roebuck's Hatchery, Stokes, N. C. Jan. 16-1 mo.

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FOR RENT-TWO ROOM FURN-ished apartment. Dial 3614-3.

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WILL ALL PERSONS WHO RE-ceived air mail stickers for Cancer Control Drive, please send in contributions or return stickers. Mrs. C. C. Hilton. 8-1t.

FOR SALE-14 BARRELS OF good corn, 30 pecks No. 1 shelled peanuts. See me at once. Walter Latham, Bethel, N. C. Phone 79. 8-3t.

Hog Market
Raleigh, May 8—(AP)—(NCDA)—Hog markets steady with tops of 14.55 at Clinton and Rocky Mount and 14.85 at Richmond.

Poultry and Eggs
Raleigh, May 8—(AP)—(NCDA)—Egg and poultry markets steady to very firm.
Raleigh—U. S. grade AA large 40; hens, all weights, 27 1/2. Corn was 1/2 to 3/4 lower. May \$1.15 1/2-3/4. Oats were 1/4 lower to 1/2 higher. May 66. Rye was 1/2 to 1 1/4 lower. May \$1.38 1/2-3/4. Barley was unchanged. May 97 1/2.

Grain Market
Chicago, May 8—(AP)—Grain futures were unevenly lower in today's trade, which closed at 12 noon central war time on order of the executive committee of the board of trade. Rye opened as much as 4 cents lower than yesterday's close, while other grains held relatively steady.

New York Cotton
New York, May 8—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 10 cents a bale lower to 10 cents higher.
Noon prices were 15 to 55 cents a bale lower. May 22.89, July 22.75, October 22.26.
Futures closed 25 to 60 cents a bale lower.

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N. Y. Stock Market

STOCK LEAD. M
New York, May 8—(AP)—The European victory continued as a buoying influence for selected peace-benefitted stocks today although many market leaders, faced with possible company frustration troubles, remained in the losing ranks.
Dealings later dwindled and, while gains of a point or so were fairly well distributed near the close, minus marks were plentiful. Transfers were in the neighborhood of 1,500,000 shares.

FINAL STOCKS

Allegheny	34 1/2
Al Chem and Dye	162 1/2
Allis Chalmers	49 1/2
Am Can	48
Am Car Pdy	44 1/2
Am Roll Mill	19
Am Smelt and Ref	49 1/2
A T and T	165 1/2
Am Tob B	76
Amconda	34 1/2
Arm II	81 1/2
A C L	67 1/2
Atl Ref	34 1/2
Aviat Corp	6 1/2
Baldwin	28 1/2
B and O	17 1/2
Barnsdall	22 1/2
Bendix Aviat	51 1/2
Boeing Airpl	18 1/2
Borden	37 1/2
Budd Mfg	13 1/2
Burl Mills	23 1/2
Bur Add Mach	16 1/2
Cannon Mills	50
Case J I	44 1/2
Caterpillar Trac	59 1/2
Ches and O	51 1/2
Chrysler	114
Coml Credit	44 1/2
Coml Solv	16 1/2
Consol Edis	30
Consol Can	47 1/2
Corn Prod	67 1/2
Curt Wright	5 1/2
Doug Airc	169 1/2
Dupont	109 1/2
Eastman Kod	179 1/2
Firestone	62 1/2
Gen Elec	43 1/2
Gen Foods	42 1/2
Gen Mot	70 1/2
Goodrich	59 1/2
Int Tel and Tel	30
Johns Man	116
Kennecott	38 1/2
Ligg and Myers B	90
Loews	79
Lorillard	23
Mont Ward	60 1/2
Nash Kely	22
Nat Biscuit	25 1/2
Nat Cash Reg	35
Nat Dist	42 1/2
N Y Cent	26 1/2
No Am Aviat	9 1/2
Packard	6 1/2
Param Pic	31
Penney J C	117
Penn RR	38 1/2
Peppi Cola	23 1/2
Phillips Pet	53 1/2
Pullman	53 1/2
Pure Oil	53 1/2
Radio	12 1/2
Rem Rand	27 1/2
Repuo Stl	22 1/2
Reynolds B	34 1/2
Sears	107 1/2
Sou Ry	45 1/2
Std Brands	35 1/2
Std Oil N J	21 1/2
Stewart Warner	23 1/2
Swift	53
Tex Co	74 1/2
Un Carbide	32 1/2
Unit Aircraft	29 1/2
Unit Corp	1 1/2
Unit Drug	19 1/2
US Ind Chem	47 1/2
US Rubber	59 1/2
US Smelt and Ref	66 1/2
US Steel	68
Vanadium	24 1/2

Vick Chem 50 1/2
Va Caro Chem 4 1/2
Warner Pic 14 1/2
Western Un A 45 1/2

COLORED NEWS

Day Camp at Meadowbrook School
The Girl Scouts and Brownies attended day camp Saturday at Meadowbrook school over the river.
After hiking over with their leaders, they took part in the following activities: games and plays, arts and crafts, story telling, health and safety songs and exercises, followed by cooking hamburgers on a stick and eating lunches.

Miss Rainwater from the college read a very interesting story and recited a poem.
Mrs. J. T. Uzile was directress of the camp. She taught a song and games.

The leaders present were Mrs. Annie Armstrong, Mrs. N. W. Cherry, Mrs. Chapman Terry, Mrs. D. R. Daniels, Miss L. L. Graye, Miss S. T. Sautler and Mrs. L. R. Taylor.
Mrs. Walters, a committee member visited the camp.
Everyone enjoyed the day out which lasted from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Ninety persons were in attendance. Mrs. Fannie Jackson is principal of the school.

Usher Board Club
The Mt. Cal. P.W.B. Usher Board club met Sunday, May 6, at the home of Miss Irene Wooten, 511 Davis St., with 21 members present.
Devotional exercise was held as planned after which the president called the club to order by announcing the business side of the meeting followed by reports from the officers of the club.
Now appointed secretary of club, Esther Mae Porteur, stated she feels proud to report that the officers and members are making progress in their part of the club programs. Mrs. Flossie Hine was appointed assistant secretary.

The president, Willie Joyner, presented to the club the outlined program for the 3rd Sunday in June which will be composed of ten queens in a contest at the church. Every one was pleased with the suggestion and set forth to help carry the program out as planned.
Closing son: "Till We Meet Again." Club Pledge: "May the Lord Watch Between." Prayer: "That God Will Guide Us All." Wonderful, heavenly Father, Thou who are light and in whom there is no dark-

ness at all, show Thyself to us in all Thy marvelous light that Thou mayest guide us all now and all the days of our lives. Amen.
—Reporter, Esther Mae Porteur

NOTICE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
North Carolina—Pitt County
In the Superior Court
Louise T. Davis
-vs-
Robert Lynn Davis
The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced against him in the Superior Court of Pitt County for an absolute divorce on the grounds of two years' separation and for custody of her infant daughter. The defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear and answer or demur to the complaint which has been filed in the Superior Court on or before the 7th day of June, 1945, or within twenty days thereafter, or the relief prayed for in the complaint will be granted.
This the 7th day of May, 1945.
E. F. TUCKER,
Asst. Clerk Superior Court.
Albion Dunn, Atty.
May 8-1tw-4wk.

NOTICE OF SALE
Under and by virtue of the powers of sale contained in that certain deed of trust from Johnnie Taft, Jr., and wife, Vinette Taft, of record in Book Y-23, page 201, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, the undersigned will offer for sale, and sell to the highest bidder, for cash, before the Court House door in Greenville, between the hours of 12:00 o'clock noon, and 1:00 o'clock p. m., on Monday, June 4, 1945, the following lands:

Situated, lying and being in Chiloc Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, lying in the Town of Simpson (Chiloc) and being Lot No. 88 in the Tucker and Edwards Sub-division as shown by survey and map of record in Book of Maps No. 1 at page 94 in Pitt County Registry, and being one of the lots conveyed to Henry Brown by Tucker and Edwards by deed of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book U-12, page 518.

This the 1st day of May, 1945.
ARTHUR B. COREY, Trustee.
May 8-1tw-4wk.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
The undersigned having duly qualified as Administrator of the estate of John S. Brown, Jr., deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against the estate of said decedent, to present the same to the undersigned administrator at 1214 Macon Street, Kinston, N. C., on or before May 10, 1945, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlement with the administrator.
This 7th day of May, 1945.
WILLIAM HENRY MOORE,
Administrator of John S. Brown, Jr., deceased.
Sutton & Greene, Kinston, N. C.
Atty. for Administrator.
May 8-1tw-4wk.

THANKS! TO THE VOTERS OF GREENVILLE--

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PHANTOMS TO PLAY KINSTON

Game Will Be Played In Kinston Thursday

Coach Snag Clark's Greenville High Phantoms, after lying idle for over two weeks because of bad weather and other hindrances, resumed baseball practice yesterday in preparation for a meeting with the Kinston Red Devils in Kinston on Thursday night and a clash with the New Bern Bears back in Greenville on Friday.

The Phantoms didn't show their lack of practice in the session yesterday. With their hitting and fielding very much improved, the Greensies should be able to give the Red Devils a much better battle than they did in the two teams' last meeting.

Jimmy Futrell has been playing on first base in the absence of Bobby Clark and will start there Thursday night unless Clark returns.

Dave Perkins looked exceptionally good at short stop yesterday and will probably hold it down Thursday night. Thus ending a world of worries over that position for Coach Clark.

Bad Break
Los Angeles, May 8—(AP)—On perhaps the biggest news day of his career, Veteran Newsie Toney Lopez appeared on his downtown street corner with, of all things, laryngitis.
"With news like this, though," he whispered, "you don't need to hold."

Greenville People Thankful For Peace

By CHESTER WALSH
The people of Greenville, thrilled beyond expression other than by meditation, prayer and thanksgiving, by the good news yesterday that the German armies had unconditionally surrendered to the Allies, turned to the churches of the city in large numbers during the afternoon.

Informal but impressive religious services were held at the white and Negro churches by the pastors.

It was a solemn occasion—inspiring through the atmosphere of sincerity prevailing among the floating congregations. For some time to drop into various churches to offer prayer in thanksgiving for the dawn of peace. Some, who have loved ones in the combat areas, lingered long in the religious sanctuaries; others paused a short time in meditation.

Yesterday—Victory Day—was a time for reedication to the cause of completing the peace in Europe, defeating the Japanese in the Orient and winning the final and triumphant peace.

Commandery To Confer Degrees

Bethlehem Commandery Knights Templar will confer the illustrious Order of the Red Cross and the Knight of Malta at a special convocation tonight beginning at eight o'clock.

On Thursday night the Commandery will observe Ascension Day by conferring the Knights Templar degree in sublime form with music. All Knights Templar are invited and urged to be present at both the meetings. Knights with uniforms are requested to bring them.

Pitt County Boys Enlist In Navy

It was announced today by Chief G. W. Stewart, officer in charge of the New Bern Navy recruiting station, and recruiter for this area, that William R. Gladson, 114 Lang Street, and Curtis H. Nichols, Route 2, have enlisted in the Navy Reserve. Stewart visits the local post office in Greenville each Wednesday afternoon.

There is an urgent need for young men to serve in the hospital corps. Seventeen-year-old boys with two or more years of high school, with a particular liking for this type of work, may enlist as hospital apprentice second class. Boys who enlist in the hospital corps spend 10 to 12 weeks in "boot" training, and 16 weeks in training and instruction in the naval hospital at Bainbridge, Md.

One of the Navy's most important programs is the procurement of young men, enlistees and draftees alike, for radio technician training. Successful passing of the Eddy Aptitude Test qualifies an applicant for a full year of training in the field of Radar and radio. A knowledge of mathematics, physics, radio and electricity is the basic requirement for men who qualify. Interested young men are urged to contact the recruiter at the New Bern recruiting station, or visit the local post office.

Solomon Scott Died At Belvoir Home

Solomon Scott, 66, died at his home near Belvoir at 7:45 Monday night after two weeks' critical illness.

Funeral services will be held at the home Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock by the Rev. Edwin S. Coates, Presbyterian minister of Farmville. Burial will be in Greenwood Cemetery.

Mr. Scott was born and reared in Lucama. He had been living in the Belvoir community the past 30 years, and was prominent.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Louetta Scott; a daughter, Mrs. Ben Weaver of near Farmville; five sons, Glenn Scott of Greenville, Milton and Carl Scott of the home, Cpl. Elmo Scott of the Army, now in Germany, and Major Harold Scott of the Army, now stationed in Arizona; his stepmother, Mrs. B. A. Scott of Lucama; six grandchildren, six brothers, Andrew Scott of Atlanta, Ga., George Scott of Selma, Arnie Scott of Wilson, B. A. Scott of Henderson, Haywood Scott of Lucama, Bunch Scott of Rock Ridge, and five sisters, Mrs. J. F. Deans of Wilson, Mrs. Oscar Boyette of Princeton, Mrs. John W. Ellis of Kenly, Miss Minnie Scott of Lucama and Mrs. Lula Lamm of Rock Ridge.

"30 SECONDS OVER TOKYO" HERE THREE DAYS



Van Johnson and Phyllis Thaxter in scene from the exciting film "30 Seconds Over Tokyo" at the Pitt three days beginning Tuesday. Cast includes Spencer Tracy and Robert Walker.

NEW ATTACKS AGAINST JAPS

Planes Pound Homeland; New Gains On Okinawa

Washington, May 8—(AP)—Superfortresses continued their assault on Japanese airfields today (May 8 Japanese Time) with an attack on four enemy airdromes on the island of Kyushu.

The 20th Airforce headquarters said the -29's flew from the Marianas. Perhaps as many as 60 planes participated in the attack.

San Francisco, May 8—(AP)—A Japanese broadcast said about 70 two Jima-based American Mustang fighter planes strafed and bombed airfields on the oso Peninsula, south of Tokyo today. (Japanese Time).

The Demei report, beamed to the United States in English, said the attack began about 11:30 a. m. (10:20 p. m. Monday, Eastern War Time) and lasted about one hour. The Federal Communications Commission picked up the broadcast.

By ROBBIN COONS
Guam, May 8—(AP)—U. S. Doughboys and Marines killing Japanese at the rate of 1,000 a day, pressed relentlessly forward on the stubbornly-contested southern Okinawa front today. Flame throwing tanks were burning the way. In five weeks of fighting the

Yanks have killed 36,535 Japanese. Adm. Chester W. Nimitz reported today. American losses up to last Thursday were 2,337 killed, 11,432 wounded and 514 missing. At this ration 15 Japanese were killed for every American.

A few Japanese planes were over the Okinawa area yesterday but no damage was reported. American aircraft, however, ranged deep into Japanese home waters. Naval planes sank or damaged nine good-sized freighters and tankers off Korea and three coastal cargo ships south of Honshu.

Meanwhile three was general elated satisfaction here over news of victory in Europe. One soldier remarked: "Well, now it's Japan against the world." Another commented: "This has been a secondary war for a long time, but now we have the big show."

Cost Of War In ...

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that through March 31 it had suffered 514,865 casualties in Europe and 167,074 in the Mediterranean, including North Africa, Sicily and Italy.

In Europe the dead were listed at that time at 96,890, wounded at 330,505, missing 55,873 and prisoners 31,597.

For the Mediterranean the army reported 35,167 killed, 100,882 wounded, 11,094 missing and 19,931 prisoners. The navy does not list losses by theaters. Total army casualties in all theaters through April 21 were placed at 170,407 killed, 520,298 wounded, 82,964 missing and 77,110 prisoners—848,889 overall. The navy at that time reported 40,271 killed, 47,739 wounded, 10,123 missing and 4,250 prisoners, a total of 102,383.

Greenville's Quota For Cancer Control

Dr. J. L. Winstead, chairman of the cancer control fund drive here, reported today that the committee has collected Greenville's quota of \$1,000. He expressed appreciation for the good work done by Mrs. C. C. Hilton as chairman of the women's division.

Funds collected here and elsewhere in the nation are used for research in the field of cancer. Members of the canvassing committee are Jack Kilgo, Godfrey Oakley, Walter Harrington, Dick Stokes, F. G. Copeland and J. Hicks Corey.

Few Nazis Still ...

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this was their disposition as the Russians and the western allies began the final roundup:
Norway—German troops remained in their barracks, awaiting the Allied will, as British ships were reported steaming into Norwegian harbors.

Latvia—An estimated 300,000 Germans, Latvians and Russians of Quisling General Vlassov's army were pocketed by the Red army against the sea and on the Vistula estuary near Danzig, and were faced with the choice of surrender or annihilation.

Yugoslavia—The German radio at Flensburg said withdrawals from Yugoslavia continued as the Yugoslav radio announced the liberation of Ljubljana, capital of Federal Slovenia, 74 miles northeast of Zagreb.

Eastern Moravia and the adjacent areas—Fighting still was reported by the Germans as Russian armies began the mopup.

The French ports—Isolated German forces in Dunkerque, La Rochelle, St. Nazaire, Bordeaux and Lorient were expected to lay down their arms without further trouble.

The Channel islands—Germans cut off hopelessly for months were reported ready to give up under unconditional surrender terms.

The Eindhoven radio said Allied armies were expected to arrive in Rotterdam, Amsterdam and The Hague today. A considerable number of Dutch soldiers serving with the Canadians will be among the troops which take over the last areas from the Germans, the broadcast said.

False Alarm

New York, May 8—(AP)—Victory jubilation here touched off, strange rumors.

Police sent a launch to investigate one—that a German sub had surfaced in New York harbor flying a white flag.

It turned out to be a Navy ship, with the sailors' wash hung out to dry.

No More "Heil"

A communique issued by the German high command today and broadcast over the radio identifying itself as Flensburg announced that henceforth the greeting "Heil Hitler" would be banned within the German armed forces.

The broadcast communique was reported by the FCC.

Funeral of B. F. Craft

Funeral services for B. F. Craft, 78, who died at the home of his son, W. G. Craft, 100 West Second Street, about 12:30 today, will be held at W. G. Craft's home Wednesday afternoon at 3:30. Burial will be in the Craft family cemetery near Rountree's.

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