

Churchill In Fight Talk To World

London, July 14.—Great Britain, "a great nation with a will power" the equal of Germany's, is ready for a long war and waiting for the day, even if it should not come until 1942, when she can take the offensive herself.

So Prime Minister Churchill informed the world last night in a "fight talk" picturing Britain as armed more powerfully on land, at sea and in the air than at any time in her history.

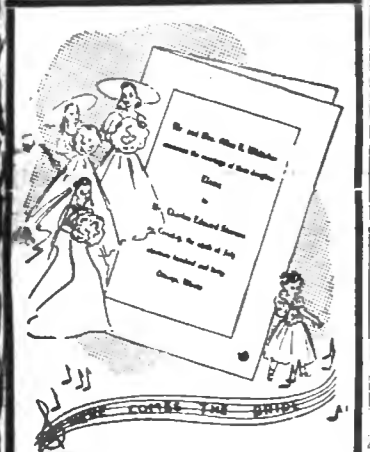
Churchill spoke of the strength of the British Army, "a million and a half men under arms," of the Home Guard, "more than a million" volunteers ready to destroy "parachutists, air-borne invaders and any traitors that may be found in our midst."

Of the Royal Air Force and Fighter Command, which have "shot down more than five to one" of German planes attacking convoys and Britain herself, and finally of the Royal Navy, ready

NOTICE OF SALE
NORTH CAROLINA,
WILKES COUNTY.

Under and by virtue of power contained in Section 2621 (37) Michie, Motor Vehicle Laws, Article VIII, Section 78, sub-section (c) of the North Carolina Code, The Wilkes Motor Company will offer for sale at Public Auction to the highest bidder for cash on the 12th day of August, 1940, 10:00 o'clock at its place of business at Chicklet, North Carolina, One Austin Roadster, Motor Number M18017, Serial Number 88, 3876H, and Model 1931. The said Motor Company having performed certain labor and made certain repairs on said car under and by agreement of the owner W. M. Pardue in the amount of Fifteen (\$15.00), this work being performed on April 3, 1940, and more than Thirty (30) days having elapsed since said labor and material was furnished an demand having been made for payment and payment refused; the above property will be offered for sale to satisfy the Lien of the Wilkes Motor Company as set forth above.

This the 9th day of July, 1940
M. B. McNEIL, trading and d.b.a. Wilkes Motor Company.
8-1-4t. (t)



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to protect any part of the empire "with over a thousand, armed ships under the white ensign patrolling the seas."

Then, looking beyond the "impending assault, which we await undismayed," he asked:

"Why do I dwell on this?"

"Not, surely, to induce any slackening of effort or vigilance. On the contrary, these must be redoubled and we must prepare not only for the summer but for the winter, not only for 1941 but for 1942, when the war will, I trust, take a different form from the defensive in which it has hitherto been bound."

Score Issued

Even as he spoke Britain issued a new tally of that "defensive" war.

In the air she claimed five Nazi dive-bombers and two escorting fighter planes brought down during an attack on a ship convoy in the Dover Straits yesterday. One R. A. F. plane was lost then.

R. A. F. raiders Saturday night struck at 14 airdromes and other military objectives in Germany, Holland and Belgium and downed one Nazi defending plane.

The loss of one R. A. F. plane was acknowledged for Saturday's action.

A "few enemy aircraft" dropped bombs in Southeast and Southwest England last night with "slight injury" to one person, the Government announced.

Destroyer Lost

In the war at sea the Admiralty announced loss of the 1,350-ton destroyer Escort with two of her seamen. The Escort, second surface warship lost by the British in the Mediterranean, was torpedoed by a submarine and sank while being towed to port.

The sinking of a submarine of the 4,180-ton anti-aircraft cruiser Calypso in the Mediterranean was announced June 15.

Not all of Churchill's speech was devoted to the future. He began by explaining again the necessity of British naval action to immobilize the French fleet, saying "that the transference of these ships to Hitler would have endangered the security both of Great Britain and the United States."

Sees France Freed

Then, recalling that July 14 is "the national festival of France," he predicted:

"Some of us will live to see a fourteenth of July when a liberated France will once again stand forward as the champion of the freedom and rights of man."

Stating that "the peoples of Europe will not be ruled for long by the Nazi Gestapo," Churchill then turned to Hitler's plan for an invasion of Britain.

He declared that, on the evidence of plans for Nazi conquest of Poland, Norway, Denmark, the low countries and France, there undoubtedly was such a plan for Britain.

Claims New Strength

But he claimed the new strength Britain gained during the last month meant such a plan "must have had to be entirely recast."

The Prime Minister said there "will be no placid lying down of the people in submission," but that "every village, every town and every city" would be defended and that "We would rather see London laid in ruins and ashes than that it should be tamely and abjectly enslaved."

As to the date of the German attack, he said:

"Perhaps it will come tonight. Perhaps it will come next week. Perhaps it will never come."

To which the German radio replied last night:

"We wonder if Mr. Churchill was counting buttons on his waistcoat when he said that. The answer is: Not this week, neither next and certainly not never, but very definitely some time."

Civilian Leaders Find Army Life Is Hard, But Like It

C.M.T.C. Trainees Take To Soldiering And The Army Grub

Fort Monmouth, Ga., July 15.—Uncle Sam's Army offered a surprising appeal to business and professional leaders from eight states as they entered with enthusiasm this week the strenuous phase of their 30-day volunteer training at a special C. M. T. C. here.

"Everybody came here to get training because they felt it was their duty as patriotic citizens," said Adolph Shelby Ochs, general manager of the Chattanooga Times, a sergeant-trainee. "They expected a tough time. But they are taking to it like ducks to water, and have been eating their heads off at a five mess. Agreeably surprised, they're really enjoying it. If they have it next year, applications will exceed the quota."

The Citizen-soldiers—newspaper editors, corporation presidents, lawyers, officials, brokers, engineers, merchants, school teachers, business executives—will be on duty until August 6, when they will be mustered out of the Army. Meanwhile, they're arising at 5:45 a. m., breakfasting at 6:30, drilling from 7:30 to 11:30, taking to the drill field and lecture halls again from 1 to 4, taking turns at writing on tables and "policing" the barracks, and turning in early. "Taps" sounds at 11 p. m.

Trainee non-commissioned officers completing their tour under assignments they earned by display of qualities of leadership are:

First sergeants, William W. Faw, Gainesville, Ga., hotel operator and James G. Lusk, Greenville, Miss., broker; sergeants, Reuben D. Kellis, Hixson, Tenn. lawyer, Harry Hampton, Columbia, S. C. newspaperman, Washington C. Brockman, Columbia, S. C. school principal, Adolph Ochs, Chattanooga Times general manager, Hoyt S. Brown, Rome, Ga. clothing manufacturer, Elton P. McClure, Memphis lawyer, B. O. Baker, Tampa poultryman, Van C. Smathers, Manning, S. C. PWA engineer; Corporals, Joseph Brown, Atlanta printing executive, Charles Hughes, University of Florida instructor, Russell Grove, Marietta, Ga. lawyer, James T. Hane, Gaffney, S. C. state health sanitary engineer, J. Y. Elliott, Cleveland, Tenn. Mayor, James D. McCullough, Greenville, S. C. lawyer, J. J. Cowan, Maryville, Tenn. merchant, Fred T. Komp, Hattiesburg, Miss. machine shop manager, Ralph F. Taylor, New Orleans cotton exporter, Jules C. Lazard, New Orleans broker, Henry M. Renner, Cedartown, Ga. city manager, C. G. Milner, Rome, Ga. automobile dealer.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
Having qualified as administrator of the estate of J. B. Foster, late of Wilkes county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned, whose address is North Wilkesboro, N. C., duly verified, on or before the 9th day of July, 1941, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their right to recover. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 9th day of July, 1940.
JOHN FOSTER, Administrator of the estate of J. B. Foster, dec'd.
8-15-4t (t)

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
Having qualified as Administrator of the Estate of A. G. Whittington, deceased, late of Wilkes County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Reddies River on or before the 15th day of June, 1941, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 15th day of June, 1940.
WILLIE H. WHITTINGTON, Administrator of the Estate of A. G. Whittington, Dec. 7-25-4t (t)

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE
Having qualified as administratrix of the Estate of W. T. Nichols, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against the decedent to exhibit the same to the undersigned administratrix on or before the 25th day of June, 1941, an insignificant trifle costing a penny or a threshing machine, the firm delivers the goods on one just the same as the other. No order is too small; no order is too large.

Has become headquarters as a paint store, carries a complete line of house wares and a large assortment of shelf hardware. 1941, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their right to recover. All persons indebted to the estate will make immediate settlement.

This the 25th day of June, A. D. 1940.
MRS. W. T. NICHOLS, Administratrix of the Estate of W. T. Nichols, deceased, Wilkesboro, Route No. 1, N. C.
8-1-4t (t)

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BRIGHTER
With a decrease in the pig crop and increased lard buying by the British, the hog situation is looking brighter for American growers as prices have already started advancing slightly.

COTTON
A total of 24,588,000 acres in the United States was planted to cotton and in anticipation at the end of June, according to a late report on the size of this year's crop.

LONELY ISLAND SAID TO HAVE TO STAY THERE
Fascinating illustrated article revealing the sad plight of forsaken girls of a South Seas Island, whose male population has dwindled and where gentlemen visitors are actually carried away for romance. Don't miss this feature in the July 28th issue of The American Weekly, the big magazine distributed with the Baltimore American, On Sale at All Newsstands.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND
North Carolina,
Wilkes County.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Deed of Trust executed on the 1st day of November, 1935, and recorded in Book 169, Page 534, in the Register of Deeds office of Wilkes County, North Carolina, and the undersigned Parks G. Hampton having been substituted as a trustee in said deed of trust. See substitution of trustee recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Wilkes County, North Carolina, on the 1st day of July, 1940, which instrument substituted Parks G. Hampton in the place and stead of R. W. Winston, Jr. and J. Cranberry Tucker, Co-Trustees, and giving and granting to the said Parks G. Hampton all of the powers and authority of the original trustees; and

Whereas, default has been made in the payment of the note or bonds secured by said deed of trust and demand having been made upon the substitute trustee to sell the said property, therefore, the undersigned substitute trustee will on the 5th day of August, 1940, at 12:00 o'clock Noon, at the Courthouse door in Wilkesboro, Wilkes County, North Carolina, sell at public auction for cash to the last and highest bidder the following described real property, to-wit:

That certain piece of land situated in Edwards Township, Wilkes County, State of North Carolina, adjoining the lands of L. Adams and R. H. Pettyjohn on the North; C. L. Crator and Ellen Burcham on the West; Will Alexander on the South; Will Alexander, J. V. Johnson and L. Adams on the East, and bounded as follows:

BEGINNING at a rock in Will Alexander's line, in the Tucker and Trap-Hill Road, and runs East 12 chains to a rock, J. V. Johnson, Will Alexander, and T. M. Swain's corner; thence with J. V. Johnson's line North 5 chains to a stake, his corner; thence East 3.50 chains to a small white oak, his corner; thence North 75 degrees East 4 chains to a spanish oak, his corner; thence North 12.50 chains, crossing a branch to a rock, L. Adams, J. V. Johnson's and T. M. Swain's corner; thence with L. Adams' line North 87 degrees West 9 chains; thence North 6.50 chains to a rock, Adams corner; thence with Adams' line and R. H. Pettyjohn's line West 28 chains, twice crossing a branch to a white oak, C. L. Crator, R. H. Pettyjohn and T. M. Swain's corner; thence South with C. L. Crator's and Ellen Burcham's line 25.12 chains, crossing the Trap-Hill road to a rock, Will Alexander's, Ellen Burcham's and T. M. Swain's corner; thence with Will Alexander's line to and with the Tucker Road as follows: East 3 chains to a rock; N. 30 degrees E. 3 1/4 chains; N. 82 degrees East 2 chains; South 75 degrees East 2 1/2 chains; thence Southwardly with Tucker and Trap-Hill Road 6 chains to the beginning, containing 82 acres more or less.

This 2nd day of July, 1940.
PARKS G. HAMPTON,
7-25-4t(t) Substitute Trustee

NOTICE OF SALE
North Carolina,
Wilkes County.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT
W. A. Jones, J. C. Jones, et al
—vs—
S. H. Jones, Effie Jones, Robert Jones, et al.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain judgment or decree of His Honor C. C. Hayes, duly entered on the 17th day of June, 1940, in the above-entitled action; which judgment appoints the undersigned commissioner and directs the sale of the property hereinafter described, the undersigned commissioner will, therefore, offer for sale, for cash, at public auction to the highest bidder on Monday August 9, 1940, at 12:00 o'clock noon, at the courthouse door in Wilkesboro, N. C., the following described property, to-wit:

BEGINNING on a sycamore at the ford of Blady Ford Creek, F. H. McNeil's corner, running Northwestwardly course with the old Stony Fork road to the top of the hill, West of J. C. Marley; thence South 20 degrees East to a chestnut oak corner of the E. Lumber Company; thence East with the Elk Creek Lumber Company line to H. B. Walsh line; thence North with H. B. Walsh's line to the beginning, containing one hundred fifty (150) acres more or less.

Done this the 4th day of July, 1940.
CLARENCE JONES,
Commissioner.

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The people of the U. S. owe each other today more than \$250,000,000,000. Of these debts, \$178,000,000,000 are in private credit institutions.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
Having qualified as executor of the Estate of Carrie Parks, deceased, late of Wilkes County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the said estate to present them to the undersigned, duly verified on or before the 17th day of June, A. D. 1941, or this Notice will be pleaded in bar of their right to recover.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This the 17th day of June, A. D. 1940.
JOHN HICKERSON, Executor of the Estate of Carrie Parks, Deceased.
Beauregard River, N. C.
A. H. CASEY, Attorney.
P. O. Box 408, North Wilkesboro, N. C.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE
Under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in a Deed of Trust executed by Lonnie Bottomley and wife Ruby Jewel Williams Bottomley, et als., under date of October 9, 1939, which was given to secure the payment of the indebtedness therein mentioned, which Deed of Trust is recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Wilkes County in Book 189,

page 398; and Default having been made in the payment of said indebtedness, and demand having been made on me; I will, THEREFORE, on Monday, July 29, 1940, at the hour Ten (10:00) o'clock A. M., at the courthouse door in Wilkesboro, offer for sale for cash to the highest bidder, the lands described in said Deed of Trust, viz:

FIRST TRACT: Being Lots Nos. 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24 in Block No. 11, described and contained in a certain map made by Sherman Oldfelder, C. E., while map is registered in the Register of Deeds' office of Wilkes County in Book 97, page 571, reference to which is hereby made for further description:

See deed from Gordon Industrial Company, Inc., by J. G. Hackett, President, attached by J. A. Rousseau, Secretary, which deed is also executed by E. M. Land, Trustee, for the purpose of releasing the above described lots from a deed of trust executed by J. G. Hackett and J. A. Rousseau to E. M. Land, to Maggie Parsons, dated August 18, 1930, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Wilkes County in Book 15, page 376.

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