



"ENEMY" LANDING PARTY—U. S. "assault" troops in "Exercise Portrez" communicate with landing craft by means of walkie-talkie while they struggle through the water.

pletion, Manufacturing, Business, Population, Housing and Agriculture, will provide the greatest mass of new facts about markets and business obtainable. After a decade of great change and dislocation, these Census products will serve many useful purposes, among which will be the provision of solid foundations of fact upon which business, government, and agriculture may build sound and productive policies.

**HOSTESS TO ROOK CLUB**

Miss Ruby White was hostess to her rook club Friday evening at her home on Church Street. Those playing were Mesdames C. T. Skinner, D. F. Reed, J. E. Morris, Carlton Cannon, G. R. Tucker, J. H. Towe, Archie Lane, Harry Hollowell, Crafton Matthews, Charles Whedbee, Miss Mary

Sumner and Miss Mildred Reed. The high score prize went to Mrs. Skinner, second high to Mrs. Towe and floating prize was awarded Mrs. Reed. A sweet course was served.

**Almost!**

A Swedish farmer who wanted to make his permanent home in this country appeared for his naturalization papers.

"Are you satisfied with the general conditions of this country?" he was asked.

"Yah, sure," answered the hopeful one. "And does this government of ours suit you?"

"Well, yah, mostly," stammered the man, "only I lak see more rain."

**FOR SALE — 5-GAITED SADDLE** horse. Lady broke. Apply Mayor Leroy Haskett, Edenton, N. C. It

**Too Late To Classify**

**FOR SALE—SIX ROOM MODERN** house, large lot, located close to business district. See or call Lawrence Towe. Phone 3641 or 2106, Hertford, N. C. apr7

**FOR SALE—MODERN HOME IN** Woodland Circle. Has four rooms and bath house. No. 18, reasonably priced. Phone 2554, Hertford, N. C. apr14

**FOR**

**COUNTY COMMISSIONER**

I wish to announce that I am a candidate for the office of County Commissioner for Hertford Township, subject to the decision of the voters in the Democratic primary on May 27, 1950. Your vote and support will be greatly appreciated. may26

George Powell

**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION**  
Having qualified as Executrix of the estate of Pattie E. Mardre, deceased, late of Perquimans County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at 109 N. Harvie St., Richmond, Va. on or before the 25th day of March, 1951 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 25th day of March, 1950.  
Harriet Mardre Wainwright,  
Executrix of Pattie E. Mardre.  
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**CARD OF THANKS**

I want to thank everyone for the flowers, cards, candies and other gifts while I was in the hospital.  
JESSIE COX

**Census to Count Gains in Housing**

On April 1, some 140,000 Census takers will begin a canvass of about 45 million American dwelling units occupied by more than 150 million persons. This survey will show that there are approximately 20 million more persons in the United States than in 1940, and estimates point to an increase of around 8 million dwelling units over the 37,325,470 reported to the Bureau of the Census, U. S. Department of Commerce, in 1940.

People with purchasing power constitute our consumer markets and in this sense the American market has expanded more rapidly in the past 10 years than in any comparable period in the nation's history. For consumer durable goods, the family is considered the buying unit, since these goods are used by all members of the household. The combination of war and post-war prosperity during the last decade has seen marriage records soar to new heights, increasing the nation's families by more than 6 million. Business men throughout the country will find this population growth a tremendous new and largely unanticipated market.

The 1950 Census of Housing goes much farther than merely counting and reporting on types, structural character, condition, ownership, value, mortgage status, rent, bath facilities, water supply and toilets. Information also will be collected by the Census takers on household facilities and equipment, such as heating, equipment, heating fuel used, electric lighting, type of refrigeration, kitchen sink, type of fuel for cooking, radio and television.

The 1950 data gathered by Census tracts will include information for families and family income in addition to statistics previously reported. Moreover, business statistics, particularly those relating to retail trade, can also be made available for combinations of tracts in those cities where agreement is reached on the combinations to be made. For the first time, it should be possible on a relatively large scale to correlate for small areas within metropolitan areas statistics on total population, family income, and retail stores and sales classified by broad kinds of business groups. The same type of detail also will be available regarding the shifting importance of downtown shopping areas, secondary shopping areas, and outlying suburban areas.

For the first time in census history, statistics will be presented for approximately 2,000 unincorporated places. These places, representing population agglomerations of a thousand or more persons will identify an important market of approximately 4 million persons. Unincorporated places having 2,500 or more inhabitants will also be classified as urban. The gigantic task of tabulating and publishing information obtained in the Censuses of Population, Housing, and Agriculture will begin as soon as reports are sent to the Census Bureau by its field offices. Data of interest to those businesses concerned with housing and home equipment will be tabulated and published for areas as small as census tracts. It is anticipated by the Census Bureau that final publication of the housing statistics will have been completed by mid-year of 1951. Some of the data will, however, be available earlier in 1951.

In publishing the Census of Housing bulletins, the Census Bureau has adopted a new procedure designed to simplify the use of the statistics. It is planned to publish a volume for each state, whereas in 1940, similar information was published by subject. The many requests received each year by the Census Bureau or new information indicate that business executives have been using Census data in an increasingly important way. The five major Census enterprises now in various stages of completion.

Due to the tremendous last-minute interest being shown in Colonial's \$40,000 Cash Scholarship Contest the final date of the contest has been extended until MIDNIGHT, SUNDAY, APRIL 2—two additional days!

This means that the thousands who planned to send in additional letters and those who have not yet entered will have the benefit of the coming week-end to complete their entries. Get FREE entry blanks at any Colonial Store this Friday or Saturday and mail them in before midnight Sunday, April 2. Take advantage of this extra time! You can still win a CASH SCHOLARSHIP for yourself or the child of your choice!

**Favorites Thru The Years!**

Nationally advertised familiar brands, tried-and-true . . . Faithful names of proven quality . . . You'll find them all—Del Monte, Libby, Stokely, Heinz, Armour, Swift and many others lining the shelves of your friendly Colonial Store and priced to save you money.

For variety . . . for savings . . . for well-known brands . . . always shop at your friendly Colonial Store.

**Old Friends**  
FOODS YOU KNOW—BRANDS YOU TRUST!!



Remember!  
DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES HAS BEEN EXTENDED UNTIL MIDNIGHT APRIL 2nd!



- SUCCOTASH** SUPERFINE TRIPLE 2 17-Oz. Cans 29¢
- PORK & BEANS** VAN CAMP'S 2 16-Oz. Cans 23¢
- P'APPLE KETCHUP** LIBBY, DEL MONTE OR DOLE SLICED No. 2 Can 30¢
- ORANGE JUICE** HEINZ TOMATO 14-Oz. Bottle 25¢
- HOT ROLL MIX** C S SWEET 46-Oz. Can 39¢
- MOLASSES** KING PO-T-RIX 2 1/2-Lb. 33¢
- SYRUP** LUSCIOUS KING BRAND 2 1/2-Lb. Can 31¢
- CRISCO** SHORTENING—SPRY, SNOWDRIFT OR EXPERT GOLD CHIFFON 1-Lb. Can 31¢
- CAKE MIX** CHEF BOY-AR-DEE MEAT BALLS AND SOUTHERN GOLD COLORED 14-Oz. 27¢
- SPAGHETTI** 15 1/2-Oz. 21¢
- MARGARINE** RED HILL CREAMERY 1-Lb. 39¢
- PEANUT BUTTER** GORTON'S SALT MACARONI 8-Oz. 23¢
- FILLETS** 12-Oz. 28¢
- HONEY** SIoux BEE PURE 1-Lb. Jar 31¢
- CORN** NIBLET'S WHOLE KERNEL GOLD MEDAL 2 12-Oz. 31¢
- BISQUICK** CHINESE MAID CROW BRAND 2 1/2-Lb. 45¢
- NOODLES** CHINESE MAID 5-Oz. 19¢
- BEAN SPROUTS** CHINESE MAID CHICKEN GORTON'S READY-TO-FRY No. 2 10¢
- CHOP SUEY** No. 2 39¢
- CODFISH CAKES** 10-Oz. 21¢
- CRACKERS** SUNSHINE KRAFT 1-Lb. 25¢

**POULTRY SUPPLIES**

At our store we fill your poultry needs efficiently and quickly. Everything from pre-sexed chicks to scientifically mixed feed. Top quality brands at down to earth prices!

Yes, you are making a wise choice when you trade with us.

**Chicks . . . \$11.95 per 100**

We have some started chicks. Will have colored Easter Chicks all next week, also Bunny Rabbits and Baby Ducklings.

All Orders Appreciated, Large or Small  
REMEMBER—WE SELL T. W. WOOD & SON  
LAWN AND GARDEN SEEDS AND  
VIGORO FERTILIZERS

**HALSEY FEED & SEED STORE**  
"THE POOR BOY'S STORE"  
PHONE 273 EDENTON, N. C.

**Stringless GREEN BEANS**  
2 LBS. 25c

DOE TO DAILY MARKET CHANGES PRODUCE PRICES GOOD THRU APRIL 1

**TOMATOES** 2 Cts. 29c  
**POTATOES** 5 Lbs. 29c  
**SQUASH** 2 Lbs. 29c  
**BROCCOLI** 1/2 Lb. 29c  
**APPLES** 3 Lbs. 29c  
**ORANGES** 5 Mesh 47c  
**SALAD** 3 Lbs. 23c

**Guaranteed Meats**  
CLUB, T-BONE OR PORTERHOUSE  
**STEAKS**

COLONIAL PRIDE 1/2 Lb. 89c | WINNER QUALITY 1/2 Lb. 85c

NATURALLY TENDER SIRLOIN Colonial Pride 1/2 Lb. 89c | Winner Quality 1/2 Lb. 85c  
NATURALLY TENDER ROUND Colonial Pride 1/2 Lb. 89c | Winner Quality 1/2 Lb. 85c  
NATURALLY TENDER SQUARE CUT OSGOOD 1/2 Lb. 49c  
**ROAST** 1/2 Lb. 49c  
CORKRAN HILLS ORANGE BRAND SLICED  
**BACON** 1/2 Lb. 39c  
SWIFT'S COUNTRY STYLE PORK  
**SAUSAGE** 1/2 Lb. 35c

**WIDE ORANGE POTATO CHIPS** 1 1/2-Oz. Pkg. 10c  
**CANDIES** 7-Oz. 21c  
**MODERN** 2 Pkg. 65c  
**EGG DYE** Pkg. 15c  
**STA-FLO** Bottle 22c  
**BLU-White** 2 Pkg. 19c  
**SOAP** 3 Reg. 22c

**MILD TOILET SOAP LUX SOAP 2** Bath 21c  
**SAFETY SOAP** 2 Bath 21c  
**VEL** 12-Oz. Pkg. 26c  
**OCTAGON GRANULATED SOAP** Lgs. 28c  
**FLOODS OF SUDS SUPER SUDS** Lgs. 26c  
**OCTAGON 2** Bars 11c  
**SOAP** 3 Reg. 23c

Plate or Brisket STEWING  
**BEEF**  
1/2 Lb. 29c

**Green Giant PEAS**  
2 17-Oz. Cans 39¢

**Ocean-Fresh Seafood**  
LARGE CROAKERS, 1/2 lb. 35c  
BUCK SHAD, 1/2 lb. 33c  
KING MACKEREL, 1/2 lb. 39c  
N. C. HERRING, 2 lbs. 19c

**EASTER FEATURES**  
Family Chicks only 5¢

STILL TIME—BUT HURRY! CONTEST CLOSES MIDNIGHT APRIL 2nd!