Carolina Clinches Top Spot In Southern Loop

NEW YORK, Feb. 13. - (AP) Branch Rickey, the city boy who few thousand words to say in de- ish motive, he said, but it reachhis pair of jacks, or openers.

The Brooklyn Dodger president turned on a flow of choice oratory club had about 21 men on the real white Picture of the Carolina emerged with one vivid impression had a debt of \$175,000.

"If 16 major league clubs were said.

doing you'd really see baseball our Mr. Rickey finally got tired of Virginia Tech is the runn

total reached 51, but counter entertainment and the depression, seemed on its death bed.

elagorate allegory, comparing the If somebody comes up with a Carolina, and N. C. State at Daminors to a very sick man who better plan to help the minors op- vidso had been given up as lost. A new erate, Mr. Rickey is willing to lis doctor in the person of major ten. Meanwhile, he thinks it would league aid fed the patient pills be silly to kill the goose that under the theory that it couldn't laying the golden minor leaguedo any harm and might do some eggs.

ed position in the loop's annual championship tournament. good, and the patient not only re-- covered but begat 43 children.

The farm system was originated made good on the farms, has a through necessity and with a selffew thousand words to say in ed a point where the minors were lar scheduled with a loop recbaseball. And those words are just appealing to the majors for help. ord of nine triumphs against the Tracing the origin of the plan, single loss to Duke.

at his press conference the other club had about 21 men on the "e- White Phantoms' percentage no day, lulling his listeners into a serve list, was in last place, play- matter what the outcome of the day, lulling his listeners into a ed in a ramshackle old park and remaining games. These, however, will play an important part in "I can see yet John McGraw determining which clubs will be sitting in the grandstand with me invited to the tournament to be Until a better plan is ready to and making out my batting order, played at Raleigh, next week.

be substituted, Mr. Rickey will showing me where four players he fight for the farm system until the bitter end.

Showing me where four players he would give me for one player would give me for one player would fit into the lineup," he would fit into the lineup," he would fit into the lineup, but the remaining six positive and making out my patting order, but week.

Duke, which like North Carolina has annexed a berth in the tourney, but the remaining six positive and making out my patting order, because of the players have been at Maleigh, next week. ney, but the remaining six posi-

doing you'd really see baseball our national game, and there would be 100 leagues operating," he said.

The farm system, he declared, was responsible for building the number of minor leagues from a low of 11 in the 1930's to their relationship figure at the time of the conceived the idea of activity of the conceived the idea of activi spectable figure at the time of so he conceived the idea of acpears Harbor. In the lush '20s the quiring clubs to take care of the set of the spectable figure at the time of so he conceived the idea of account playing intercollegiate basing the set of t

He is convinced reorganization Clemson plays at Davidson on making it impossible for club owners to operate successfully, cut the of minor leagues isn't possible Wednesday in the first conference figure until minor league baseball if the money is to come from logo to William and Mary and North cal people. Major clubs are will- Carolina State to Davidson on Fri-Mr. Rickey then illustrated, with ing to, and can afford to, take day. Saturday's games are Virgestures, how major clubs had their losses in exchange for the ginia Tech at W. & M., Maryland come to the rescue. He used an chance to develop young players. at V. M. I., Clemson at South

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is	North Carolina	9	1	437	32
ue.	Virginia Tech	3	1	160	10
	Duke	4	2	263	22
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	South Carolina				
- 4	William and Mary	1	. 1	80	10
1 8	Richmond				
	Davidson	1	3	157	17
	North Carolina State	1	4	161	24
	Citadel	0	1	43	4
. 3	Clemson				
ce	VMI	0	4	95	17
he	77				

From Unbeaten Ranks Among Southeastern Conference NEW YORK, Feb. 13-(P)-Iowa teams Kentucky has won 13 and ran up against the No. 13 jinx lost one; Georgia Tech 11 and and was dropped from the ranks of the nation's unbeaten basket-

ball teams by Ohio State in the lated.

Iowa Cagers Toppled

ferences have crowned their collegiate circles and moved on champions but it's still a wide to Colgate for preflight training. Boston A. A.'s farned Hunter event open battle in the Big 10, with lowa Pre-Flight was upset in the three weeks to go. Idle Purdue week's big surprise by Doane, 51-day was awarded the John J. grabbed the lea while the others 38. St. Mary's Pre-Flight won an- Hallahan Memorial Trophy with wrestled but Northwestern, Ohio, other one. Iowa and Wisconsin all are with-

the Hawkeyes lost two to Ohio. ma is able to reverse an earlier 27-26. score and force a playoff for the crown in their meeting Feb. 28. Rice and Arkansas are tied for the Southwest Conference title

destined to finish that way as they do not meet again. North Carolina ended its season preme in the Eastern. Final East- night, 44-41. ern loop games played yesterday left Penn in second place. Captain Aud Brudnely of the Indians Colorado College made it four in of Columbia, the Billings two-mile

tormentors.

ference, Washington with 10 in nine, Muhlenberg with a 16 and ful Joe Nowicki, the University straight in the league and Cali- 8 mark, St. John's of Brooklyn of Rochester Marine trainee, with fornia have clinched the respective division crown on the Pacific 13 and 3. It was the Griffins who The others v Coast, and Dartmouth reigns su- belted Miami off the top shelf last Hallahan deliberations were high-

Klepper Answers Salary Demands By Ball Player

Princeton's Mike Shinkarik.

SEATTLE, Feb. 13 .- (A)-Spencer Harris, outfielder with the Portland Coast League baseball club, wanted a raise in pay.

To his unsigned contract, he pinsports editor's column which avenge a decision dropped to the town jinx took flight. Dodds took absence ballots but if they first long and secure the won't strike because he is getting town jinx took flight. Dodds took absence ballots but if they first long and absence between the long and absence between t read, "This is a ball player's North Carolinians two weeks ago year and it won't be easy to sign the 1944 thletes." Contract and clipping were mail-

ed back to Portland general manager Bill Klepper. Klepper returned the contract

for Harris' signature, with the following paragraph clipped from minor league baseball rules: . . . Any player not reporting

by the first day of the season is subject to suspension and a fine

Marianna High Courteers to train by sion score. Win Tilt By 144-16 Count

MARIANNA, Ark., Feb. 12.-(AP) MARIANNA, Ara., reb. and only poor Raider marketing.

—Marianna High School's basket-ship kept the winners' score down. ball team was in a scoring mood The North Carolinians garnered last night when it licked its ancient rival, Helena, Ark. The score stanza. 144 to 16.

Grid star Bill McElduff scored 64 point, George Mahan 51.



main event of a weekend that Great Lakes and the Olathe found Miami (O) bowing for the Clippers boast 19-game win streaks first time to Canisius and the and the Norfolk Naval Training Army Cadets swinging merrily Station has added the scalp of along to their tenth straight tri- North Carolina to its long list. Camp Grant tlumped Northwest-Four of the seven major con- ern as Otto Graham bowed out of door mile in Boston's track his- LAWMAKER OFFERS

Oklahoma's Aggies bumped into in a half game of the top although trouble with the Navy air boys van Award as the nation's out again. Hank Iha's boys have bow-Iowa State remains undefeated ed three times, twice to the Norin the Big Six and probably will man Zoomers and yesterday to one of the eight-man Hallahan

> Gonzaga as that -trong West Coast ance, competitive spirit and sportsfive whose win -treak was snap- manship. ped in mid-season by Whitman,

addition to Army, and Dartmouth 4.F athlete won the Lapham "1000" well in front in the Southern Con- are Navy which has lost only one in easy fashion from the power-

unofficially won the scoring champ- a row over Denver and Colorado winner, with 4 and Claude Young ionship despite a strong finish by Mines turned the same trick at the expense of Greeley State.

Fort Jackson Hoopsters Down Fort Bragg, 45-27

FT. JACKSON, S. C., Feb. 13 .-&-The Fort Jackson Red Raiders disappointed his hometown admircaptured their 35th basketball vic- ers with his erratic performances. tory in 39 starts here today by defeating the Fort Bragg, N. C. Re- once he left the mark with Hulse and members of congress, would combs and bullets come his way, chinery. at Raleigh, that cost them a service tournament championship. Horace (Bones) McKinney, lan-

ky Fort Bragg forward who topother to go the full distance, Dodds that the States pass legislation to day. ped his team's individual scoring other to go the full distance, Bods-send their own absentee ballots back." with 10 points, and Hugh Hampton, hefty Bragg center, were off team scored but three points in the first 10 minutes of play.

previous Hunter mile mark of 4:10 eral ballot.

Cedric Loftis, former Duke star and cooped up the Raiders to only two points for the remainder of the half while Bragg hit the hoop to trail by a close 20-22 intermis-

The Fort Bragg quintet went to pieces as Loftis left the game on fouls midway of the final period

\$25,000 WAR BOND

GREENSBORO, Feb. 13-(A) in unidentified corporal in one of the training wings of the AAF training command's Basic Trainng Center No. 10 bought a \$25,-

RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 13-(P)-The University of North Carolina basketball team has clinched the top spot in the Southern Conference standings for the 1944 season and has earned the first seed-

Whipping Duke's Blue Devils, the pre-season favorites, two all other family opposition. North Carolina has wound up its regu-

ing below the .500 mark.

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ñ	Davidson	1	3	157	171
	North Carolina State	1	4	161	240
0	Citadel	0	1	43	47
3	Clemson	0	1	37	66
9	VMI	0	4	95	178
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HALLAHAN AWARD

By BILL KING

BOSTON, Feb. 13-(A)-As a re ward for running the fastest in tory-a 4:09.5 performance in the

Dodds, recipient of the Sullastanding amateur athlete in 1943, was the first selection of all but continue that way unless Oklaho- the Hutchinson Naval Air Station, board, which annually designates the B.A.A. meet's outstanding com-Revenge was the theme song for petitor on the basis of perform-

Runner-up to Dodds, who totaled with two weeks to go and appear turned around and twice beat their 38 out of a possible 40 points in the balloting, was Johnny Fulton, Among the Eastern leaders, in the Stanford junior, with 23, That

> The others who figured in the jumper Bill Vessie of Dartmouth, In the Rocky Mountain area with 5 votes, Ensign Cllie Hunter of Illinois, and Court Ellis of Bos-

ton English High with one each. Although Dodds' latest triumph over his arch-rival, Bill Hulse, holder of the American 4:06 record, appeared easily gained, it probably was the most satisfactory one of his career. In four

that Hulse was unable to make the Federal ballot. any challenge. When he finished, 2. The House-passed "States daisies. Plenty of times fellows ton record, set in 1940, by a fifth to men and women in uniform. of a second. He also erased the That bill does not include a Fed-

guard, pulled his team together Joost And Orengo Won't Play Ball This Season

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.-(AP) SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.—(4) burned. Total bill, \$7,674.98, the Wades figured. Boston Braves, and Joe Orengo, Detroit Tiger infielder, will not play big league baseball in 1944, is legislation which would authorthe Chronicle said today.

Both are working in a defense Oct. 11 as General Pulaski's meplant and have been classified 2-A morial day. by their draft boards. Both have

to Detroit in the same year.

"LEAPING' TORPEDO

During World War I, a torpedo including a requirement that dishfired at a German U-boat jumped washers be so disposed of as not 000 War Bond to push his wing out of the water just as it was to create a nuisance; and well into the lead among units about to strike, slid across the Eliminate pay discrir at the post. His wing bought \$54,- deck of the submarine, and drop- against the teacher of music at the ped harmlessly on the other side. United States Military Academy.

MAN OF HOUR



East.

SMOKING RABAUL

(Continued from Page One) tween Buka island and the north AT HOME ASSAILED question of whether the country top of Bougainville island.

Great stores of equipment left PF PA by retreating Japs near Borgen are doing. If they don't get a be conclusive for the simple rea-Bay, east of invaded Cape Glou-

The bombing of Rabaul, following a 174-ton pasting the day be- dier adopted the attitude of some publicans who are out front in this Britain stronghold. Six barges in the harbor were

planes and probably five others, penalty. Two of the raiding aircraft were downed and others were damaged. harsh in my opinion, but you must test between himself and the rest five sons, C. W., A. G., W. W.,

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under the victory tax "which I doubt they would do, and coupled with certain family, mediwe did, when the slackers at home sorts of things quickly and close Blanton, Castle Hayne, Mrs. C. M. cal and insurance exemption, has saw the shadow of Nazi Germany rapidly the inevitable hiatus of ad-Wilson, Rocky Point, and Miss created a Pandora's box of com- coming over our homes, they plications."

have the exact amount of an in-called upon, for a bare living. dividual salaried person's tax with- And, if in that time you mentioned held each pay day, it will not be strike' to them, they would tar necessary at the end of the year and feather you. for the taxpayer to make a return, Disney said.

ous opposition," he added.

COMPROMISE VOTE BILL UP AGAIN when those of back get home.

right State absentee ballots." Senator Connally (D-Tex) one of "state and national ballots" in ting now. connection with the compromiseseeking conference.

The Senate conferees will meet right to strike for a fair wage. Tuesday to arrange a join meet- But in time of war that right ing with the House committeemen. should be forfeited by the civilian previous B.A.A. meets, Dodds They will go into the conference as well as the soldier. Now, if a

Until last night he never had cas bill under which Federal baller, but it is necessary now. If won a major race in Boston but lots for president, vice president you put him over here, and a few and two other rivals, Dodds' home- be used generally among the men he'll work to dig a hole, and he town jinx took flight. Dodds took overleas. Into the work of the lead after the first lap and absentee ballots but if they fail only \$1.66 2-3 a day. He won't tral to the whole problem of how Memorial Hospital at 2:30 p. m. the lead after the first lap and to receive them would be given strike, because he knows if he maintained such a terrific pace to receive them would be given strike, because he knows if he Republican party is to make

MENU IN SENATE WILL BE VARIED

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Another burning issue on the Senate calendar of pending bills ize the President to proclaim last

Still other pending bills would: Authorize each regiment of the Joost was sold by Cincinnati to U. S. Army to carry Civil War Boston last season and Orengo pattle streamers - including Conwent from the New York Giants federate ones-with its regimental colors:

> District of Columbia restaurants, Eliminate pay discrimination

Establish a sanitary code for

VIEWS OF G. O. P. **CANDIDATES VARY**

(Continued from Page One) nation's military high command

if they are elected. On the labor front, Bricker has called for enactment of a law prohibiting wartime strikes with the declaration: "The time has come to support

the millions of workers who want to work and quit coddling selfish or leaders for the sake of the votes which they said they can leliver in an election." Willkie put his views this way:

"There should be no irrepressible conflict between business and labor. Both are essential parts of American life and economy. No man should be elected president who hates either." There seems, also, to be some difference of opinion on the ques-

tion of government participation in immensity of the issues involved the economic life of the country after the war ends, although the three potential candidates gave and less appetite for harum-scarexpression to their views in discussing different subjects. Discussing government

ng, Bricker said:

"If we pursue aeficit financing in the post war period we shall inevitably reach the point where, barring wholesale inflation, private enterprise will be unable to keep labor fully employed, making it necessary for the government to borrow more and more in the attempt to relieve unemployment."

Talking of the Republican administration of New York's government, · Dewey said:

relying upon ourselves."

STRIKES AND LAXNESS ful answer given in measured

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few dollars more per day, then son that Mr. Willkie is unable to cester on the northern coast of ment to end this conflict soon, and ty will be in the hands of the the soldiers do not get the equip- say whether the control of his par-New Britain were destroyed by save the lives of thousands of post-New Deal Republicans, who American boys. "What would happen if the sol- the pre-New Deal old guard Re-

fore, was carried out by Solomons civilians—'Hurrah for me, and to Congress. air force bombers of all categories nell with the rest!' If our com- Yet this is the crucial question with a strong fighter escort. Vu- mander-in-chief ordered us to as to whether the Republican parnapore, Tobera and Vunakanau make an attack tomorrow, and we ty can be trusted with power. Mr. airdromes were punished in a con-refused, that would be classed as Willkie cannot answer the quescentrated noontime assault which a rebellion, and we would be tion today because the answer deleft numerous fires at the New court-martialled and shot. Yet pends upon the outcome of the

the same commander-in-chief has campaign which he is now making ordered no more striking, and he among the rank and file of his is refused. That should be classed party We knocked down three enemy the same, and carry the same

"Perhaps you think I am too me, if it becomes a personal consame priorities as the other.

system of dual exemptions diers to strike for more money, would do as we are doing-Work-If the proposal is adopted to ing twenty-four hours a day, if gress, his personal position will be

"But we won't do that, for we see what has to be done. We are "But that would run into vigor- not in the Pacific for our health. We have a job to do, and get the had no leadership of Congress hell back home. If people like John L. Lewis keep on holding us here, it's going to be hell to pay when those of us who do come governors and some of the newer

'We on the battle-front are not soing to fail the home front, and of the party and of imposing a of the issue to consider—all the for God's sake, why is the home way from Federal ballots to out- front failing us now, This is no picnic over here, and there are housands in the service who would of the Senate conferees and a gladly trade places with the strik-"States Rights" supporter, spoke ers for the same pay we are get-

"In peace time it is part of our Democracy to be able to have the man won't work, put him in the 1. The Senate-prosed Green-Lu- army. That may sound like Hitstops, he will soon be pushing up itself fit to govern. Why? To be able to go

> AIR ALERT IN LONDON LONDON, Feb. 13—(R)—London the nomination will find it hard to the Rev. Earnest Richards officiatexperienced its third successive air be elected, and dangerously diffi- ing. Burial will follow in the alert tonight and British anti-air- cult to be a good President if he is cemetery which is in Pender councraft guns about the capital fired elected. Or they can be friendly ty,

THE GUMPS

ed about 10 p.m.

TODAY and TOMORROW

ducted and is concluded.

swept along by rabble-rousing.

mean to shape the future, or of

Mr. Willkie's campaign cannot

have a running fight with Con-

out if the Republican candidate

even before he was inaugurated.

post-New Deal Republicans, the

members of Congress, are not cer-

tain of establishing their control

they are to take power. That rea-

son is the conflict between Mr.

Willkie and Governor Dewey. This

conflict divides the post-New Deal

Republicans into rather evenly

matched factions, and gives to the

old guard Republicans the balance

of power The old guard are trad-

ing upon this situation. In so far

as they can keep Willkie and Dew-

either to make the nominee of the

convention beholden to them, be

on as in 1940, to the party ma-

The resolution of the Willkie-

painfully difficult.

By WALTER LIPPMANN In his speech at Twin Falls on | supporter of the other. This would Tuesday evening Mr. Willkie made unite all the elements of the party a beginning at showing how the which, if combined, make it capa national elections could evoke the ble of government-which if dividbetter rather than the worse as- ed, means that the pre-New Deal pects of our public life. Mr. Willkie old guard Republicans will remain that the monastery be spared, did this by remembering that the dominant. Republicans, who are asking the

To treat the problem this way calls for more than ordinary dispeople to place them in power, must persuade millions of voters interestedness and magnanimity of mind. But the next President will that the Republican party is fit to need those qualities, and the first govern Very many of the professional politicians seem not to realcandidate who displays them will at once rise high in public esteem. ize this-that with their men at the front and with their jobs and Nor would it be bad politics for a candidate to display in the Retheir livelihood enmeshed with the publican convention the same atwar, there are now countless tributes of greatness which Hamil-American families who will take a very sober and a very searching ton displayed in the disputed election of 1800 For he would put interest in how this war is conhimself on a level where his rival must either ascend to it also, or In the coming months the fury sink way below it. of the battles will mount, and the

All this rests on the assumption, which is, I believe, sound, that will become increasingly evident. there would be plenty of room in These people will then have less a new administration for both Willkie and Dewey, and that it must um party politics, and for the silly seem more important to them assumption that because a man personally than in reality it matsays he is against the New Deal, ters to the nation which is the first and is down on Roosevelt, and is man and which the second. for free enterrise, he is therefore If Willkie were the President, he retreat for men forsaking the and for that reason alone entitled would need more than anything world for a communal life of pray and qualified to govern the coun-

try. Too many American citizens else the thing which Dewey is in er, meditation, and work have now seen how difficult, how high degree, a systematic, thorcomplicated and how momentous ough, cool, and young administra- men drew away from the world a thing this whole war is. They tor who by his orderly grasp of to become hermits. The Benedict will have to be persuaded that the concrete matters, and his excel- idea was that such life on a comrisks of changing horses are less lent judgment of men, is on top of munal basis was better, and this than the advantages. And one of his specific job, and not all hot colony of religious men became the first ways of persuading them and bothered under it. The im- the first order of Benedictines is to do what Mr. Willkie did at mense problems of the demobiliza-Twin Falls-to treat them as ra- tion, in the fullest sense of the tional men who have to be per- word, will call for these qualities. LAKE PEIPUS COAST The spirit of the remedies applied by the Republican administration of New York State was suaded by a frank discussion of the very serious problems of would need to be more than an administration of New York State was tration of New York State was to bring the people back to the midst-of war, and not as a rabble wilkie has so abundantly and so practice of self government, of to be manipulated by tricks and bravely-the capacity to touch men's hearts and share their hopes. Perhaps he has this capac-Mr. Willkie's speech is a powerity. For he is a young man who has ceratinly grown and is surely growing, not only in mind but in character, and so one will hold it can afford a change of adminisagainst him that it took him a tration. But the answer could not long time to understand the war.

Obituaries

LORD ORMATHWAITE

LONDON, Feb. 13-(P)-Captain Reginald Walsh, Lord Ormathwaite, 75, died today. He became a baron four months ago upon the death of his brother George. He was British consul in New York from 1908 to 1911.

MRS. J. P. WELLS

Mrs. J. P. Wells of Watha, 65. died Friday at 11:45 a. m. in her be fully successful, it seems to home after a short illness. She is survived by her husband;

consider, this is war, and every of the field. He might win, but his order is given for the betterment of the military situation, either on the independent voters unconters, Mrs. Mary Rivenbark and the home front or the fighting vinced if they saw that he had Miss Lucy Wells, Watha; Mrs. L. TAX SUGGESTION front. Since both are of the same beaten but had not won over the T. Lanier, Burgaw, Mrs. Ruby Fuimportance, one should have the main Republican organization. The quay, Wilmington, Mrs. W. G. next President needs a disciplined Ludwig, Carolina Beach, Miss Es-"If it were possible for the sol. majority in Congress behind him, telle Wells. Portsmouth, Va.: one ministration, and if he also has to Dosha Wells, Watha.

Avery Burr Brown died Satur-One of the strongest reasons for day at 11:10 p. m. in the Veterans' not re-electing President Roosevelt Hospital at Fayetteville. is that he has lost so much of his

Funeral services will be held leadership of Congress. That rea- at the Baptist Church at 4 p. m. son would be more than canceled today, and the burial will follow in the Burgaw cemetery. He is survived by his wife, Mrs.

Janie Scott Bren, two daughters, Now there is a reason why the Jean and Sue Brown, two brothers. H. F. of Burgaw and Elmer N. of Reading, Pa., and one sister, Mrs. Roy C. Dixon of Laurin-

EUGENE HALL

discipline which is indspensable if Eugene Whitfield Hall, three and one half years, died in the James Walker Memorial Hospital Sunday Louisville t 12:30 p. m. as a result of burns.

He is survived by his parents,

Miami
Minn.-St. Paul
Mobile at 12:30 p. m. as a result of burns, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hall, two sisters, Mary Slocum and Sara Elizabeth and a brother, Homer, all of Watha.

Funeral services will be coney in conflict, they can still hope ducted by the Rev. T. L. Clark on Monday at 3 p. m. in the Hopehe Dewey, MacArthur, Bricker, a well Presbyterian Church. Interdark horse, or if Willkie over- ment will follow in the church whelms them, they can still hold cemetery.

WILLIAM H. ARMSTRONG William Howard Armstrong, six months. died at James Walker

Sunday following a short illness. The child is survived by his pa-Both Mr. Willkie and Governor rents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Armany challenge. When he limited and Governor lettis, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Arm20 yards ahead of Hulse, the only light the States over here work twenty hours per Dewey will be severely tested by strong and a sister, Carolyn Elizatheir behavior toward one another beth. during the next four months. They Funeral services will be held at can be bitter and irreconsilable li a. m. Tuesday at the grave,

> heavily as German planes dropped rivals, each taking the position Active pallbearers will be Lenincendiaries. The all clear sound- that if he cannot be the first, then wood Richards, Lee Tatum, Rayhe will be the second and the mon Justice and S. D. Justice.

rivals; if they are, the winner of Richards Family cemetery, with

Nazis Are Using Famed Monastery As A Fortress

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and up to now the Allies have complied with that request, but fortress.

Its buildings are big and play an important part in German defense of the hill, which is a dominating feature in the area. When the Allies capture it, they will dominate Highway No. 6 lead-

ing from Cassino. And when that time comes they may have to employ means other than those th have been using to knock the Ger mans out of it, he continued The officer added that Allied forces are not intentionally shelling the abbey now, but the Ger-

mans on their part have not ob.

served the Vatican request to avoid damage to it. The monastery is the oldest the world, established by St. Benedict in 529 A. D. in the ruins of the Roman temple of Apollo as a

Before that time, many

CLEARED BY REDS

(Continued from Page One) artery for hundreds of thousands of Germans fighting in the Dnieper Bend. Among the 800 localities seized

in the northern offensive were Gdov. Yushinskaya, Zamogilye and Yazby, all rail stations on the Narva-Pskov line paralleling the eastern shore of Lake Peipus, and Ostrovtsy, the southernmost point named on the lake and about 50 miles northwest of Pskov. The Germans also reported "vio-

lent fighting" near Narva, inside Estonia on the north side of Lake Peipus.

WEATHER

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(Eastern Standard Time) (By U. S. Weather Bureau) teorological data for the 24 hours g 7:30 p. m., yesterday: TEMPERATURE

1:30 a. m., 30; 7:30 a. m., 23: 1:30 p. m., 38; 7:30 p. m., 35. Maximum 42; minimum 22; mean 32; normal 42 HUMIDTY

1:30 a. m., 66: 7:30 a. m., 43; 1:30 p. m., 28; 7:30 p. m., 77. PRECIPITATON for the 24 hours ending 7:30 m., 0.00 inches. Total since the first of the month,

2.23 inches
TIDES FOR TODAY

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