

### YANKS TRAP JAPS ON NEW GUINEA

#### MacArthur Watches Allies Capture Air Field and Cut Off Jap Garrison From Supplies

American paratroops cut off all possible land supply lines of some twenty thousand Jap troops in the Lae and Salamaua area of New Guinea with the capture of an enemy airfield in the Markham valley. Allied headquarters announced today. The airstrip was seized Monday when hundreds of airborne American soldiers and an Australian artillery unit complete with machine guns, mortars, ammunition, rubber assault boats and radio landed near the field.

An Australian force flown into an Allied advance base, marched five days to rendezvous near the occupied airfield with the American paratroopers who had landed Sunday morning while General Douglas MacArthur looked on from a flying fortress.

A headquarters statement disclosed that the enemy airfield had not been used by the Japanese for many months and was overgrown with grass four to six feet high. The field can easily be placed in operating condition.

Capture of the airfield effectively

helped close the trap on the defenders of Lae and Salamaua.

As soon as the paratroops landed, the Australian ground force started to cross the nearby Markham river bridge. Other Aussies floated down the river in assault boats to the site of the field.

### Reds Recapture Donets Basin Area; Drive Made Toward Ukraine Capital

The Red army in the Donets basin has practically completed the recapture of the rich mining area while Russian forces advancing in the general direction of Kiev, capital city of the Ukraine, jumped forward after capturing the rail junction of Konotop and now are threatening Bakhmach.

The Soviet air force, softening the way for the advancing ground troops pounded the enemy front line and near rear bases where the retreating Germans were concentrating their forces in order to stem the advance of the Russian troops.

Heavy rains, miles of minefields, demolished bridges and roads and river crossings, in addition to the German tanks, planes and infantry, were unable to curb the Red army's Donets basin avalanche, which is now pounding at the last two exits from the industrial district, Krasnoarmeyskoye and Stalino.

### MANY MUST FILE INCOME TAX BY MIDDLE OF SEPT

#### About 56 Million Must File Preliminary Tax Returns by the Middle of the Month; Some Pertinent Facts About the Operation of New Tax Law.

That new fangled tax declaration is due soon.

About 15 million taxpayers must file by September 15th an estimate of their income and victory taxes on 1943 income, or be liable to a penalty of 10 per cent on their tax.

The purpose is to get tax collecting more completely on a pay-as-you-go basis. The government's idea is:

1. To allow the Treasury to "catch up" with wage earners whose income may fall in higher surtax brackets than is covered by the withholding levy.

2. To obtain quarterly payments on 1943 income from merchants, doctors, lawyers and others who receive income which is not subject to withholding.

The A in the ABCs of this business is to find out whether you must file a declaration. You must file if you are:

1. Single, and expect to receive in 1943 or received in 1942 an income of more than \$2,700 in wages subject to a withholding levy. Or income of more than \$100 from other sources, provided total income is \$500 or more.

2. Married and expect to receive in 1943 or received in 1942 an income of more than \$3,500 in withholding wages. Or income of more than \$100 from other sources, provided your total income exceeds \$624 or the aggregate income of you and your spouse amounts to \$1,200 or more for either 1942 or 1943.

3. Single or married, and were required to file an income tax return for 1942 and your wages subject to withholding for 1943 are expected to be less than wages for 1942.

#### Army Exemptions

Persons in the military services, however, get a special exclusion from taxation of \$1,500 in service pay. Therefore a single person in the armed forces would have to receive \$2,000 in service pay and a married person more than \$2,124 to get into the declaration class.

Moreover, military personnel in foreign countries and on the seas get declaration deferrals.

The safest way to make out a tax declaration is with expert help at a local office of a collector of internal revenue. Here's how to fill out the form:

Obtain a computation form which is provided by the revenue bureau along with the declaration blank. There are two kinds of computation forms, a simplified form and an alternative form similar to the long return used for March 15 reports.

#### Estimating Table

The short form has a tax estimating table which simplifies work and it automatically provides for liberal deduction. However, if deductions such as interest, taxes and heavy medical expenses, run as high as 10 per cent of gross income, use of the alternative form probably is advisable.

Let's say you use the simplified form. You are married, have two dependent children, and an estimated total 1943 income of \$3,600 in salary. List this income on the first line of the computation form. On the next line put total deductions \$2,120. That includes \$1,340 for married and \$390 for each child. The deduction if single is \$560.

Subtracting the \$2,120 from \$3,600 leaves \$1,480. The table shows the tax on \$1,480 is \$252.

Next, estimate what you owe in victory tax for the year. Subtract \$624 (the amount of yearly wages exempt from Victory tax) from \$3,600. That leaves \$2,976 subject to tax. You take 3 per cent of the latter amount, \$89.28. That's your estimated Victory tax. Added to \$252 income tax, it makes a total estimate 1943 tax of \$341.28.

Now take your declaration form. On the first line put down \$341.28. Next estimate total income and Victory tax which will be deducted from your wages. First there is the matter of Victory tax deducted from January 1 to July 1 before the new withholding levy went into effect.

#### Computing Tax

If you can't get the total figure from your employer, compute it this way: Your income in this case for the half year was \$1,800. Subtract \$312 (half the full year victory tax exemption of \$624) and that leaves \$1,488. Victory tax deductions on \$1,488 at the rate of 5 per cent amount to \$74.40.

Then estimate combined income and Victory tax withholding from

your salary between July 1 and December 31. Best way to do that is to multiply the amount deducted from each paycheck by the number of pay checks you expect to receive the last six months of the year. In our sample case the tax withholding is \$28.80 on monthly pay of \$300. The total withholding tax for six months is \$172.80. Add that to the \$74.70 Victory tax withheld in the first six months and you get an estimated withholding for the entire year of \$247.50.

Next on the declaration form you subtract the \$247.50 from the \$341.28 your total estimated tax for 1943. That leaves \$93.78. But you can subtract the payments made last March and June on your 1942 income tax.

Say your total tax in 1942 was \$163.40 and your March and June payments amounted to half of that, or \$81.70. Subtract the \$81.70 from \$93.78, and you have \$12.08. That's the unpaid balance of estimated tax.

You are required to pay half, or \$6.04 with your Sept. 15 declaration and the other half on Dec. 15th when you make a similar declaration.

If your 1942 wages were as large as those in 1943, however, chances are your taxes will be overpaid and the government tentatively will owe you money. You will not get a refund until you make your annual return for 1943 next March and then it will depend upon whether that final return shows you to be overpaid.

#### MASONIC MEETING

There will be a communication of Snow Lodge No. 363, A. F. & A. M. Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Work in the second degree.

LEE STOUT, W. M. J. E. CLAY, Secy.

#### NORMA LEE ATKINS

Norma Lee Atkins, three months old, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lee Atkins of the Vilas community, died at the home on September 6. Funeral services were held at Oak Grove church September 7th, with Rev. J. C. Campe in charge of the services. Reins-Sturdivant were in charge of the arrangements.

#### SELLS FEED STORE

Mr. D. P. Wyke has sold his feed store business to Mr. Chas. Pritchard the new owner renting the Wyke building on main street in which he will continue to operate.

#### CORN TOPPING

A few farmers in this county are still pulling corn tops. This is a practice that should be discouraged because when the corn is topped the ears do not mature as well. It is the opinion of a number of agricultural agents that corn that is topped will yield 20% less corn than where the corn is cut and shocked. This practice is being called to the attention of the farmers in order to help increase the feed supply for this winter.

### Stony Fork Baptist Association Meets 15th

The 1943 session of the Stony Fork Association will be held with the Boone's Fork Baptist Church on September 14th and 15th.

### Watch Repairing

Your watch needs the very best attention, if it is to give you the dependable service you should expect from a modern timepiece. Drop by our store, and let us check up on your watch and put it in first class condition. We use only the best materials and our workmanship is guaranteed.

### WALKER'S Jewelry Store

### FALL CLOTHING VALUES

We have just received a large lot of Men's and Boys' Odd Coats and Pants, all wool; Men's and Boys' Lumberjacks, Men's Army Shoes; Women's and Children's Coats; Women's Boys' and Children's Oxfords. Trade with us regularly and save money on each purchase.

### ECONOMY STORE

Earl Cook Rock Building, Depot St., Boone, N. C.

### SHOULD WE SAY . . . WE DARE YOU TO SEE IT . . . AND WALK HOME ALONE AFTER DARK!

Appalachian Theatre Tuesday Sept. 14th

## GORILLA GIRL!

FLESH OF RAPTUREOUS BEAUTY... TRANSFORMED TO RAGING BEAST!

The boiling fury of a jungle giant... enslaved in the ravishing body of a woman. Stranger than the weirdest horror! Stronger than the Wildest Terror!

## CAPTIVE WILD WOMAN

with EVELYN ANKERS, JOHN CARRADINE, MILBURN STONE, LLOYD CORRIGAN, MARTHA MACVICAR, VINCE BARNETT and introducing a Sensation in Savagery!

## ACQUANETTA

as the Gorilla Girl!

### APPALACHIAN THEATRE

presents

## HILLBILLY JAMBOREE

ON THE STAGE--ON THE AIR

EACH SATURDAY NIGHT 8:00 to 8:30 P. M.

featuring

### "GRANDPAPPY" WEBER

HILARIOUS COMEDIAN OF RADIO . . . STAR OF STATION W.S.B. ATLANTA, GA.

You are Guaranteed Laughs

When you Sit through a performance by this laughable "Hillbilly" Comedian, "Pappy" Knows all the Answers.

HARD THOMAS and his HILLBILLYS  
Ham and Sam  
GREEN RIVER BOYS — WEE WILLIE  
"DOC" WATSON — GRANMA CHURCH  
and a host of guest stars.

ON THE SCREEN

NEW CHANGE OF PICTURES

If you see the Show on Saturday, you will not have to see the same picture, if you see the barn dance on Saturday night. A COMPLETE NEW WESTERN STARTS at 7:00 P. M. ON SATURDAY NIGHTS.

### APPALACHIAN THEATRE

THURSDAY

## "HUGH-HOO"

I'm with the BUMSTEADS NOW!

No wonder it's the funniest of all the "Blondies"!

## IT'S A GREAT LIFE WITH BLONDIE AND THE BUMSTEADS

Based upon the comic strip created by CHIC YOUNG

PERNY ANTHON LARK SINGLETON-LANE SIMMS BOON HERBERT

Brightest Screen Play by Cecilia Lee and Karen De Wolf-Produced and Directed by FRANK STRAYER

Columbia Pictures

BARGAIN DAY FRIDAY  
9c and 15c All Day

BEST NEWS OF 1943

### Something GORGEOUS glides onto the screen!

Stars Girls! Music Laughs!

## Silver Skates

FEATURING PATRICIA BAKER MORISON BELITA TRICK AND TRACK IRENE DARE DANNY SHAW EUGENE TURNER TED TIO RITO

ADDED ENJOYMENT All For 9c and 15c

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NEW CARTOON  
LATEST WAR NEWS

### APPALACHIAN THEATRE

SATURDAY  
Open at 11:00 a. m.

## DON "RED" BARRY

IN

## "Outlaws Of Pine Ridge"

2 Cartoons Serial

SATURDAY NIGHT  
Starts at 7:00 P. M.

## TIM HOLT in "Red River Robin Hood"

Also

ON STAGE—ON AIR  
"Hillbilly Jamboree"

20 PEOPLE  
8 BIG ACTS

Featuring  
"GRANPAPPY" WEBER  
Star of WSB, Atlanta, Georgia

GUARANTEED—A LAUGH A MINUTE

You'll Get One of Those Old "Belly" Laughs

OWL SHOW SATURDAY NITE  
10:30 P. M.

ACTION!  
ROMANCE!  
THRILLS!

## TONIGHT WE RAID CALAIS

20c

WE USE THIS SMALL SPACE TO GIVE A BIG WELCOME BACK TO

## A.S.T.C. Students

WELCOME HOME KIDS! To All New Students—Welcome to Boone and WHEN YOU CRAVE GOOD ENTERTAINMENT YOU'LL FIND IT RIGHT HERE

### APPALACHIAN THEATRE

MONDAY ONLY

## Their NEWEST FUN!

BUD ABBOTT LOU COSTELLO  
DARREN RAYMOND  
"It Ain't Hay"

Stars McDONALD Cecil KELLEYWAY Eugene PALLETTE Percy O'CONNOR Richard LARK  
Lighted NOBLE and His Orchestra

TUESDAY

## BORN OF HORROR—TO LIVE IN TERROR!

Gorilla Girl!

## CAPTIVE WILD WOMAN

WEDNESDAY

John CARROLL HAYWARD  
FREDDY MARTIN  
COUNT BASIE  
RAY MARKINLEY  
"MOM"

## HIT PARADE of 1943

SAIL PATRICK-EVE ARDEN  
A REPUBLIC PICTURE

COMING THURSDAY  
CHARLES BOYER JOAN FONTAINE  
ALAN SMITH  
"The CONSTANT NYMPH"

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