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America Can Be Licked:

That's not a slogan thought up by this hysterical alarmist. It's a quote from Adm. William M. Standley, new ambassador to Russia. makes him an hysterical alarmist, too, which ought to make him a useful man to the gov't. New York had to have the war dumped on the doorstep before it realized the shooting had started. The burning of the Normandie woke the New Yorkers up. They let out the usual yell for scalps, but that was better than no yelling at all. They began to wonder what was going on. Well, what was? Lethargy's another of our crimes, Admiral Standley warns. Have a look at the country away from the coasts and you'll agree. The big idea there is, "The bombers can't reach us." To them, the only part of the U.S.A. at war is the part in danger of invasion. What makes those ostriches think the Nazis or Japs will hug the beaches? They love to travel.

The fault-finders who keep hollering that we don't know enough about Pearl Harbor don't even listen when you mention what the navy did later at the Gilbert and Marshall is-lands, Macassar strait and Java. That isn't the kind of news they like to monger.

Man About New York:

The United States did not create the pioneer spirit; the pioneer spirit created the United States That spirit has never failed our people. It was in the gun-pits at Gettysburg, it was in the trenches in France, and it is in the foxholes of

-Buy Defense Bonds-

The world picture is black today, but it was black in 1778, when Philadelphia and New York were in the hands of an enemy. It was blacker still when the capital was burned

There were only 5,000,000 Americans then. But they taught Europe that though it could invade American territory it could never invade the American Spirit; that their artillery could crack an American fort, but never the unity of the Republic. The American people have won every war because they have continued to fight the enemy, not to question their own leadership. Five million Americans stood off the world because deep defeat could not divide them.

That tradition is worth more than all the gold in Fort Knox. Our schools can truthfully teach that there were no hoarders at Valley Forge-and the captain of the U. S. S. Constitution never had to ration Loyalty.

Today the tides of Manila Bay are ebbing and flowing, but not the patriotism of the surrounded Americans. Tokyo hopes they will soon run out of ammunition. Because even Tokyo admits that MacArthur's men will never run out of courage. -Buy Defense Bonds-

The stiletto mob didn't waste a second hopping on the R.A.F. when the Nazzy ships slid through Dover strait. All right, it was a blow that hurt. Hitler got his ships home. But who tied them up for months? Who fought off The R.A.F. . . the invasion of England, and changed Germany's whole plan of the war? The Huns are on the Russian front today, taking a bloody beating, because the R.A.F. sent them there. But one setback is supposed to rub out all their glories. The toughest outfit of the war, with a record full of glory, is being crucifled for losing one skirmish. The idea is not being promoted here, however, that everybody has to shut up. Blunders must not be excused, or inefficiency and plundering concealed. The chief thing is to notice who's doing the loudest yelling, and check back on his record. Lots of the mouthpieces aren't speaking in America's interest. You don't have to be slant-eyed to be a good Jap, or to have an accent to deliver a message from Berlin. Sure, America can be licked. But fevvensakes, don't let's lick ourselves.

This little anecdote about a prime minister and a reporter tells more about the stupid, short-sighted thinking that was almost fatal to democracies than all the intellectual essays ever written . . . Stanley Bald-win told a reporter: "I want it to be said of me that I never sent a single Englishman to die on a foreign battlefield" . . . "But, Prime you see you are piling up trouble are on leave they can go there and that will kill a million Englishmen write letters, read, and arrange- the W.M.U. now in session will be from his hips down. Florence Yeo- hospitals. in the next war?" in the next war?" . . . "That," ments will be made to furnish them given. The local church wome said Baldwin calmly, "is a problem with hot coffee if they desire will serve a 25c plate luncheon. "That," for my successor.

-Buy Defense Bonds-Book publishers are cutting one-

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# **BEAUFORT USO** COMMITTEE **FUNCTIONS**

#### Many Service Men Entertained

The Beaufort USO hospitality committee of which Mrs. R. K. Davis is chairman has been functioning very well for several months and has secured home entertainment for hundreds of Service Men during that time. There is need, however, for more people to take service men into their homes for weekend lodging.

Any persons in Beaufort or nearby communities who wish to have weekend guests should get in touch with one of the following committee members: Mrs. M. L. Davis, Mrs. I. N. Moore, Mrs. Tom Gibbs, Mrs. James Potter III, Mrs. J. G. Allen, Mrs. U. E. Swann, Mrs. C. G. Holland, Mrs. W. Y. Stewart, or Mrs. Bayard Taylor.

A list of those who have already given hospitality is printed below. If your name does not appear, call Mrs. Jas. Rumley and you will be given recognition later.

Hospitality Committee-Mrs. M. L. Davis, Mrs. Minnie Garner, Mrs. Gerald Hill, Mrs. Monroe Gillikin, Mrs. F. R. Bell, Mrs. Otis Jefferson, Mrs. R. G. Sanders, Mrs. J. O. Barbour, Mrs. W. L. Woodard, Mrs. Jethro Quidley, Mrs. C. G. Holland, Mrs. John Brooks, Mrs. E. C. McConnell, Beaufort Inn, Mrs. S. E. Taylor, Mrs. D. M. DeNoyer, Mrs. H. F. Prytherch, Mrs. R. K. Davis, Mrs.

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#### Strange Sight



A sight very few people ever expected to see around Los Angeles is this-a danger sign near an unexploded shell or bomb, which was fired during an early morning air raid alarm and blackout. The army later discovered an unexploded antiaircraft shell buried in the yard of a private home. Keeping away traffic and the curious are Motorcycle Officer B. H. McClean and Lieut. E. D. Dillard, U. S. army.

#### Large Army Plane Sighted Near Here qualities second.

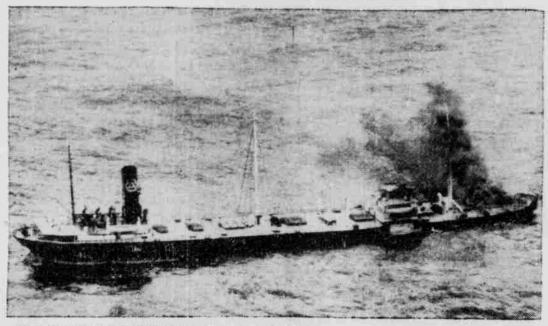
Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Wright who live about four miles from Beaufort on the old New Bern road reported that they saw a large army plane last Thursday afternoon apparently in trouble. The plane seemed to be losing altitude, and place of queen will be designated they stated that they could smell burning oil as if the plane's mo tors were running hot.

Headed toward Morehead City the plane changed its course in the direction of Wilmington. It is believed here that the plane is the one Langley Field, Va., has reported missing, and that it might have fallen in the ocean or at some inaccessible point on the coast.

#### American Legion Hut Is Being Repaired

as a club house and recreation censame. Any one having an extra piece of furniture, such as chairs,

### A FAMILIAR SCENE ALONG ATLANTIC COAST



THE 6.776-TON TANKER Gulftrade of the Gulf Oil Corporation was torpedoed early Tuesday morning three and one-half miles off the New Jersey coast by a submarine, which is about 60 miles south of New York City. Eighteen men of the crew were missing, and other survivors said they believed they were in two life boats which capsized as they were being launched. Among those rescued included Windell Malposs and Jesse B. Farrow, both of Wilmington, N. C. The Gulftrade, whose home port was Philadelphia, was the 76th ship reported attacked by submarines in North American waters. The tanker pictured above is the Cities Service Denver which caught fire from an explosion and sank with a loss of 21 of her crew, 85 miles south of Cape Lookout last March. A tanker which has been torpedoed would resemble the onethat is pictured above.

# C OF C BANQUET **MONDAY NIGHT**

#### New Officers To Be Elected

o'clock at the Inlet Inn for parking. the annual election banquet. Besides electing new officers for the organization the members will discuss the place of the Chamber in na-

Wives of the members are requested to attend the dinner.
Mrs. W. I. Loftin, secretary of

the Chamber, will take the opportunity of the meeting to organize one or more classes to receive Red Cross First Aid instruction. Mrs. Loftin has just completed the In-

The price of the dinner will be Mrs. Pearson at the Inn for their reservations not later than Saturday of this week.

### Election Of GSO Queen To Feature

The major activity of the USO all-county formal dance starting made for themselves so far. at 7:30 on Saturday night. During the evening all service men and GSO girls on the dance floor will be given an opportunity to vote for the Queen of the GSO.

The qualifications for the honor of being chosen queen are leadership, service and loyalty to the program and principles of the organization. And while the contest will not be primarily to determine ly consider these first and other

take place during the Open House program to be held in the USO building Sunday afternoon. The seven girls who receive the next highest number of votes for the coronation ceremony on Sunday.

## Missionary Will Address WMU At

will meet with the Marshallberg Harkers Island bridge. Baptist Church group on Thursday March 19 at 10:30 a. m. Mrs. George McNeil of Morehead City other improvements are being ern Baptist Church at Kweiteh, made in preparation for the use Honan, China, for 17 years, Mrs.

desks or tables, are asked to do- now wear the Navy "E" awarded ing. nate them to help furnish the for efficiency in naval ordnance

### AROUND TOWN -With-MACK CLARK

We saw something the other day that amused us but made us wonder why we hadn't thought about it ourself. It's an excellent way The Beaufort Chamber of Commerce will meet Monday night, March 16, at 7:30 to get a private parking space on Front street right in the middle of the restricted zone and yet avoid getting a ticket for overtime to get a private parking space on

tional defense preparations. wipe the mark off. This way you tale marks won't bother you or anyone else. (Of course your conscience might prick a little bit, but what is that compared to paying a two dollar fine in police court.

The people of the community service as adopted sons. Overnight lodging, dinners, small gifts and sixty-five cents, but as no tickets other favors have been given to should call either Mrs. Loftin or the majority of families around here. The people are sincere in desire to make life pleasant for the boys, for many families have sons who are away from Memorial Services home on the same mission as those who come to Beaufort.

We only hope that the few who USO Formal Dance insist on drunkenness and rowdyism on Saturday nights will not spoil the good impression that the lubhouse for this week will be the majority of Service Men have

#### LIBRARY HOURS

each week from 7 to 9 o'clock. the services.

# **GUESTS ATTEND** JAYCEE SUPPER

#### Capt. Walt Dunkle Tells Of Compass Club

The Beaufort Jaycees met void getting a ticket for overtime parking.

All you have to do is keep a little wet rag in your car, and every time the police make a chalk mark on the tire just take the rag and wipe the mark off. This way you can park for hours and those telltale marks won't bother you or and organization of the club or the club or the club and organization of the club and organization of the club or the c and organization of the club and told of several awards made recently to outstanding national figures. Foremost among those being enrolled in the Compass Club recently were President Roosevelt have sort of taken the boys of the and General McArthur. The President's award was made in recognition of the Warm Springs Infantile Paralysis work, and McArwill be sold all who plan to attend sailors, soldiers and marines by heroic defense of the Philippines.

Mayor Graydon Paul was an in-

# For Harkers Island War Casualty Sun.

Memorial services for Livengston Brooks, U. S. Coast Guard. Watertender Second Class, who was killed in action on Jan. 29, 1942, will be held at the Mormon Church on Harkers Island on Sunday, March 29.

Although two months have pass-The Carteret County Public Li- ed since the Brooks boy was re- team from the Naval Air Station brary will be open two nights a ported as a war casualty, no word at Pensacola, Fla., which is enterweek for the present, in addition has been received as to the recov- red in the National AAU tournato the daytime hours. These nights ery of the body. Friends of the ment at Denver, Colo., according will be Thursday and Friday of boy's parents are urged to attend to an announcement by that sta-

# the most beautiful or most popular girl, most of the men will probablish and other first and other first and other The girl elected Saturday night will be the center of formalities to Result Of Highway Crash Nos. For Registrants

# Island Injured

Five persons from Harkers Island were severely injured Marshallberg that occurred at eight o'clock Wednesday morning at The Carteret County W.M.U. the intersection of highway 70 and the road from the

crashed into a log truck driven by will present Mrs. Phil White of Vernon Lee Hancock and forced Hertford, N. C. Mrs. White and it off the road into the five foot The American Legion Hut on the late Mr. Phil White served on ditch alongside the highway. The Turner street is being ceiled and the foreign mission of the South- driver of the automobile and four ments will be made to furnish them given. The local church women man is also in the Morehead City hospital recovering from lacerations. Both were said to be in a Over 200,000 defense workers satisfactory condition this morn-

Dan Yeoman and Mrs. Dessie | highway from the side road.

Residents Of Harkers Guthrie are in the Potter's Emergas the Court of Honor to the Queen and will have places in the CRASH ON ROUTE 70 also in the Beaufort institution bepassenger, Clayton Guthrie Jr., is ed for military service. ing treated for a broken hip and in an automobile accident comfortable a night as could be ex-

Hancock, driver of the truck who came to Beaufort from Harlowe a short while ago, as well as three colored men riding on the The car, driven by Dan Yeoman, truck, were not injured. Their names are David Hodge, Joe Teel and LeRoy Belango.

Sheriff Holland and Deputy Murray Thomas left to investigate first two numbers will be drawn passengers all received injuries, the accident as soon as news was Vannie Styron is in a critical con- received. They were joined by White is a graduate of Chowan dition in the Morehead City hos- Corporal Clay of the State High-Minister," he was reminded, "don't ter for service men. When they College and is a splendid speaker. pital and is suffering from a back way Patrol and the officers saw Reports of the State meeting of injury that has paralyzed him to having the injured taken to

> automobile failed to make the required stop before entering the

#### To State Industrial Home Morehead City Girls MRS. DAVIS TELLS Sentenced For WOMAN'S CLUB OF Immorality

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and pineapples and of houses built

without window panes for a cli-

mate that knows no cold weather.

ilated by other races. The Japanese

sity. In telling of the schools on

the islands Mrs. Davis said that

private institutions were establish-

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He's Guard for Strong

Naval Cage Team

Potter.

HAWAIIAN LIFE GRAND JURY REPORTS ON COUNTY PROPERTY

Superior Court Sends Two

The March term of Super-Mrs. Ernest Davis, wife of Lieutenant Commander Davis, USN spoke to the Davis week with the Beaufort this vis, USN, spoke to the Book Department of the Woman's Club which met at the home of Miss Mildred Jones on Tuesday afternoon, March 10. The subject of Mrs. Dapresiding has nearly finishvis' talk was Honolulu where

Outstanding action of the court on criminal cases dealt with chargtimes in the past years. Moving es of prostitution, public nuisance pictures of scenes and life on the Hiwaiian Islands were shown by Halcyon Smith of Morehead City. Mr. Geo. Eastman who projected Judgment in the case read that the the films in place of Mr. William court on investigation finding the nature of the charges warranted Mrs. Davis gave a description of it has committed the two girls to Honolulu as she knew it less than the State Home and Industrial a year ago. The picture gathered School for Women until such time by members of the club was one of as the authorities see fit to discharge them.

flowers, leis, blue waters, sunshine Alton B. Willis, facing a man-slaughter charge in connection with the death of J. C. Bost, kill-She also told of the Japanese living in the islands and characteriz- ed in an accident several weeks ed them as a race not easily assim- ago on the Morehead City-New Bern highway, failed to appear for trial on time and has been comthere have taken every advantage offered and have sent their chil- mitted to jail until bond is securdren to the government high ed. school and the Hawaiian Univer-

The report of the grand jury given by the foreman, J. A. Chaplain, stated that the property of the county was in good and clean condition as a whole. The Colored school in Morehead City and the White Oak school are in need of minor repairs.

Several road sentences were imposed: Mathon Jones, found guilty See COURT Page 8

#### Summer Schools Seek Term Here

Seaside Summer School units of WCUNC, Greensboro, will return to Beaufort during summer of 1942, if the students who will be in attendance can be assured of living quarters.

Miss Jean Brownlee, director of the School of Modern Dance, one of the three WCUNC units which have been coming to Beaufort each year, stated in a letter this week, that not only her group, but that also the art class under direction of Gregory Ivy, and the marine biology group under the direction of Dr. Shaftesbury, planned to return.

The matter of securing living quarters for the students has been Aviation Cadet Edward H. Potbrought to the attention of Mrs. ter Jr., son of Mrs. E. H. Potter W. I. Loftin of the Chamber of of 107 Marsh street, Beaufort, N. Commerce. She will make an of Commerce. She will make an ef-C., is a member of the basketball fort to see that quarters can be obtained for the students, and advise Miss Brownlee.

It is understood that the facilities of Community Center Building will be available for the art and dance students. The biology group have their own laboratory

# **Draft Board Prepares**

tion's public relations office.

Potter, a 6 foot one and one-half

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The Carteret County Selective Service Boad has made final preparations for the third National ency hospital being treated for Lottery or drawing at numbers bruises and lacerations. The fifth for drafting men already .eg'ster-

The registration cards of about 1,000 men in this county have lacerations caused by broken been shuffled and each one given glass. These victims of the crash a number. The list of numbers were reported as having passed as will be posted sometime Thursday at the city hall in Morehead city, at the court house in Beaufort, ++ and at the office of the Beaufort His

Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, national selective service director, announced to the press today that the actual drawing will take place in Washington at 6:15 p. m. on March 17. The famous goldfish bowl will again come into use. The by Secretary of War Stimson and Secretary of Navy Knox.

#### HARKERS IS. MAN FOUND

Ira Guthrie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carlyle Guthrie, of Harkers Island It is reported that Tillman Jar- has been found after being lost vis was an eye witness to the crash for two days. Guthrie was found and made the statement that the last Sunday in a small row boat about 30 miles from home and had been living on nothing but oysters during the two days.

#### karan karan da karan ka TIDE TABLE

Information as to the tide at Beaufort is given in this column. The figures are approximately correct and are based on tables furnished by the U. S. Geodetic Survey So meallowances must > made for variations in the wind and also with respecto the locality, that is wheti er near the inlet or at thhead of the estuaries.

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