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Doing Its Part

that in the first week of the period ling on that account. Folks at who maintained indefinitely, but buying liking a manner that will not must be, find may be; it any rate it pleasing, not even a little, to wante

this cash it supposes to have, either

Mexico's Status Unless all signs fail, Mexico may

the Axis countries. Its governmen and people already are started in ships by German submarines, and reports of additional sinkings are only acting fuel to the flame.

Mexico all along has supported the program of hemisphere detense and solidarity. Its contribution has not gone beyond breaking of diplomatic relations. Some of the Latin countries have already done that and more, even to an open declaration of hostilities. At least two, though, Argentine and Chile, have hardly even ad hered to the hemisphere solidarity accord, and that is the fly in the ointment at the present time.

Mexico is bristling; and justifiably so, because two or three of her ships have been sunk. One can but won der if even this amount of affrontery would jar the other two into action. Because of their halfhearted, or maybe more than that, pro-Axis sympathies and leanings, German and Italian submarines may go out of their way to avoid offending these two recalcitrants. It would be good There is the chance, however, that

policy for the Germans.

yould be cheering to the cause of he democracies. But Mexico could offer little in the way of offensive warfare, such as furnishing of a army, building of airplanes, tanks guns or ships. Its principal help ulness would be in turning the cole houlder to Axis machinations and : east endeavoring to rid its own terain of undesirable and dangerou liens, and there probably are denty of them in Mexico.

Western Hemisphere solidarity carried to its logical and finest conclusion, would encompass a progran that would kick out all unnaturalized and many naturalized and menacing Germans and Japanese. There apan and are not going to risk their news published herein, but would be a tremendous sate

Manpower Reservoir

Approaching registration on June of youths from 18 to 20 years o

the duration. The tact make-up But there will be no should and it is hoped that it shall disturbers of the peace of the world

Over-Optimism

Whatever our expectations may b hard struggle. That is exactly wha ertain as to that.

Without hope humanity would be ost in an abyss of despair. But there s hope, and there is likewise the crivilege of expectation. There is also in old adage that is packed to the orim with wisdom, in the admoniion never to under-estimate the nemy's strength. In other words, ai ways the best policy is to desist from ver-optimism.

Best authorities say the German war machine is capable of at leas one more terrific wallop. That wal op might prove effective and migh succeed. And if it did, it would be just too bad. The United Nation then would actually be in for a long long struggle. So that whatever hope and however much optimism may exist, this possibility should never be ignored. To do so could be fata All of us believe that victory will

n the end be ours. The tide ha been running in our direction of late all this might change overnight. The A declaration of war by Mexico war has not been won yet, and there

vill be many more dark days before ultimately is. Let us have condence, by all means, but let us fight hy completely of over-optimism.

What Do You Know About North Carolina?

By FRED H. MAY

When was North Carolina land fored at the rate of 500 acres for pounds of sugar?

Who was the Orange county re resentative expelled in 1769, later intended to hang in Permisylvania and pardoned by President Wash-

How many days was Congress Yeates, of Murfreesboro, al-ed to serve in 1881?

4. When was a secret ballot first a part of a political campaign North Carolina? 5. Who was the former North Car man who served as governor

6. How did a North Carolinian earn definitely in 1898, that the Spanish fleet was anchored in the Santiago harbor?

ANSWERS.

In 1664 promoters of a schemlonize the lower Cape Fear area advertised such an of The proposed colony failed and efforts of the promoters were sterred to the area now Charles South Carolina.

Herman Husband, born ryland, and moved to North Car. bout 1750. He settled in the ep River section of Orange coun ow Randolph. He was an i ken man of the agitator type, and ame the leader of the Regulators

1769 Orange county sent him t ssembly, and he was expelled belling Judge Maurice Moore 1770 he was reelected, but di appear to take his seat. By thi

time the Regulator movement had

ned headway, and led to the had of Alamance on May 16, 1771 irs before the Battle Husbands rode off and disapd. Sometime later he settled. stern Pennsylvania where he be-e involved in the Whisky Re-lien during President Washing est administration, and wa ded and sentenced to hang. H adoned by President Wash edway was dedicated to hi

ofigressman Jesse Johnso served only 33 days of th began March 4, 1879. Hi dy been elected and ha full terms. When he was lection in 1878 he was op Joseph John Martin, ii was given the cer nte ted Martin's electro ed him to be inscated of 29, 1881. On the same da Yeates was resent. muleted the term which end March 3, 1881. He declined t andidate to succeed himself resumed the practice of lay ington, D. C., where he dien ber 5, 1892.

4 The populast party in 1892 was political party in North to make the secret ballot maign issue. It was included a ise in their platform of that

Archibald Yell, born in Norti olima in 1797, served only one in as governor of Arkansas, 1846 1844. He had settled in the Ar-Territory in 1832 when he cepted the appointment of judge e territory by President Jack-Prior to his election to the govship he had served two term ingressman from Arkansas. He igain elected to congress after id served his term as governor such 4, 1845. The next year he regood to offer his services during the exican War, and was killed at the lattle of Buena Vista February 22

6. Commander Victor Blue, U. S near Laurinburg in 186; detailed to penetrate behind the fleet was actually in th After penetrating a distance

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1,500 YEARS DOESN'T SEEM TO HAVE CONVINCED ANYBODY

IF THE MOUNTAIN WON'T

COME TO MOHAMMED,



ANSWERS TO TEN QUESTIONS

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- 1. Jonathan. True.
- 3. Grandson.
- 4. Representation of heavenly
- 5. No.
- Violinist
- 8. No.

10. Benjamin Harrison.

MICKY COCHRANE TO MANAGE TEAM

Washington, May 23.—(AP)-Lieuttenant Gordan (Micky) Cochrane of the Navy was given the job today of selecting and managing the all star service baseball team which will play the all star major league team in Cleveland July 7 for the benefit of the Army and Navy in her funds.

To Enact Wartime Measures

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en days, but next Thursday was st tentatively for the session and there were indications that the aroused public might insist on a meeting sta learlier, possibly next Montey of Tuesday.

Government sources indicated the had been enforced fully. The militar: activities also were kept a state

Nazis Shoot 10 Hostages

SALLY'S SALLIES

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les he located the fleet, and are not found within eight days for sturned to his post with the infor- lowing publication of the present ation. This information led to the notice, an equal number of person ittack by the United States Navy will be shot. In addition, a number and the distruction of the Spanish of persons closely associated with leet. Today scouting planes would the criminal circle will be transfer-

Air Warfare Intensified In Africa

empted to cross the coast west of Alexandra today was intercepted and of down into the sea.

The RAF declared there was little ctivity over Malta yesterday morning, with RAF fighters shooting down one Messerschmitt fighter. British fighters were reported miss-

Nipponese Advancing In Chekiang

(Continued from Page One) ing into neighboring Chekiang province were reported advancing rapidly on Kinhwa.

y to China's interior.

Chinese dispatches acknowledged now being solved. nat the invaders were attacking "Our ships are going through and fter a 15-mile advance in 24 hours A Tokyo broadcast said the Japanese had captured Iwu and advanced even miles farther south, flanking the year was devoted to the goddes

Kinhwa on the east. On other fronts in the far Pacific, is the origin of the word Easter. and fighting appeared dormant but allied warplanes kept up the relents attacks against Japanese bases n Burma and in the fringe of islands bove Australia.

General Douglas MacArthur adquarters reported that allied unbers knocked out two more ships of Japan's gathering invasion arm alien control measures would not adas north of Australia and destroybe announced publicly until they ed or crippled 13 more enemy planes. In Burma, RAF bombers struck anew at Japanese-held Akyab airdrome, potential base for an invasion of India, and attacked Japanese river craft nearbly.

Reds Admit Reverses In Ukraine

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the Kharkov front.

British dispatches "from the German frontier" reported that the Ger- tate of said deceased to exhibit then ans also were smashing heavily a drive apparently aimed at reray to the Cancasus oil fields. Soviet reports said the nazi parahate troops and plane-transported

intantry descending on the vast Kharkov battlefield were being riped out "as fast as they land." While the Germans painted an op- 12-9-16-23-30-6

vizing the initiative, the Russian declared they were still forcing the

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said they were continuing to hold out against powerful German-Rumanian forces on the Kerch peninsula, while the Germans were reported exerting new pressure on long-beseiged Sevastopol, key Black sea naval base. German warplanes were said to

have been pounding the base violently for the past 48 hours. Other European was develop-

In the Crimea, the Russians

Aerial warfare—vast squadrons the RAF swept across the English channel in daylight after British night raiders again blasted the Ger- FOR RENT: THREE ROOM UNFUR man U-boat nest at St. Nazaire, rrance.

Submarine menace - President Sinhwa is the provisional capi- Roosevelt, acknowledging that the of Chekiang province and a gate- shipping situation was serious, de-/clared that the axis U-boat peril was

u, 32 miles northeast of Kinhwa, will continue to go through in grawing numbers," he said

In Saxon times the fourth month of of Spring. Eostre, and this probably

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