

YANKS CUT THROUGH FANATICAL IWO JIMA JAPS

\$232 Millions State Appropriations Bill Is Passed By House

Record Speed For Record Bill Shown In Quick Approval

Raleigh, Feb. 20.—(AP)—The \$232,000,000 general appropriation bill...

In Prison Hospital



Lt. Sam C. Epps wears a bandage on his neck as he sits in a room at the state prison in Columbia, S. C.

...The 20-year-old officer from Richmond, Va. has been charged with murdering his wife...

Canadians Drive Germans From Goch

U.S. Seventh Takes Five Enemy Towns

Patton's Army Now Near Saarbruechen; New Blows Awaited

Paris, Feb. 20.—(AP)—The Canadian first army virtually cleared the ruins of Goch...

At the opposite flank, the American seventh army widened its recent front...

In between, Lt. Gen. George Patton's United States third army stormed into Germany...

The Boer river, like the Rhine and Meuse, was frozen...

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Senate Will Design Own Work Rules

Committee Drawing Voluntary Measure, Despite RDR Fica

Washington, Feb. 20.—(AP)—The Senate Military Committee...

Senator O'Mahoney, Wyoming Democrat, submitted a strongly supported amendment...

1. Require the army and navy and other Federal agencies to give advance notice...

2. Make independent investigations of hoarding and wastage of...

While House the George bill shivers...

Washington, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Some opponents began to fear today...

School Bills Referred To Small Group

Raleigh, Feb. 20.—(AP)—The joint committee on education...

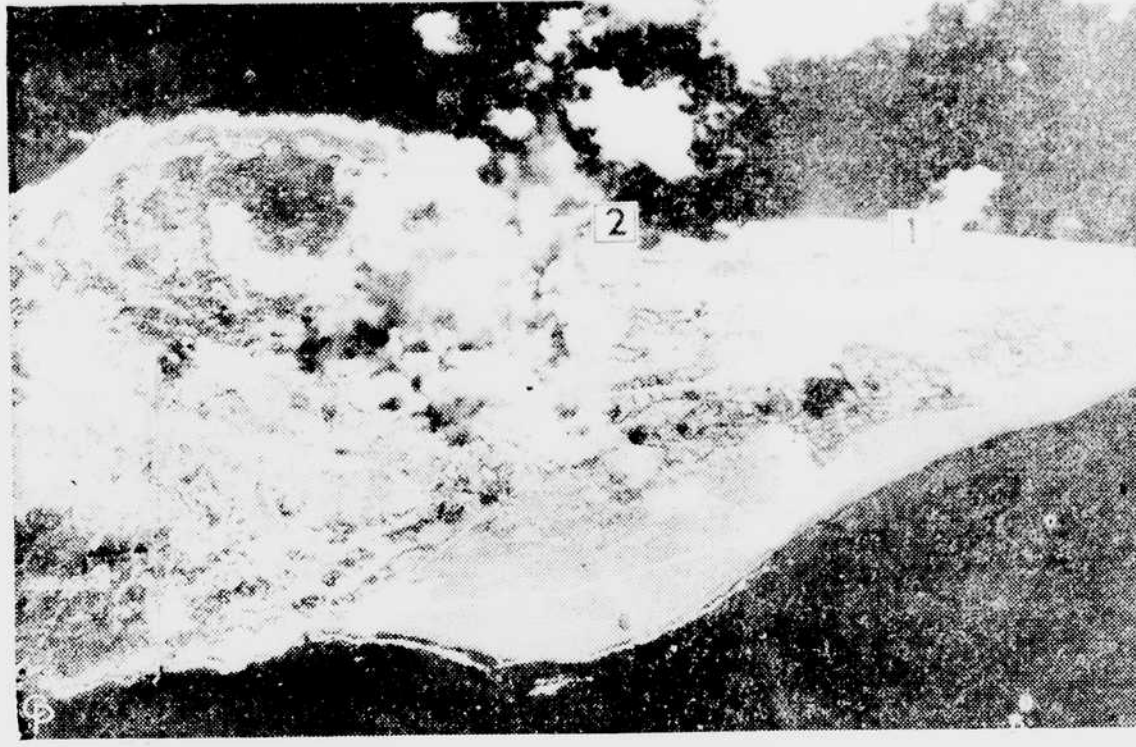
Named to the sub-committee were Representative Edwards...

Dr. Clyde A. Erwin, State superintendent of public instruction...

Wallace May Yet Get Last Laugh, His Opponents Fear

Washington, Feb. 20.—(AP)—While House the George bill shivers...

WHERE YANKS ARE REPORTED LANDING ON IWO JIMA



WHILE OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUE from Admiral Nimitz tell of terrific sea and air attacks on Iwo Jima...

Airfield In South Taken By Assault

Marines Drive Path Clear Across Island And Hurl Foe Back

U. S. Pacific Fleet Headquarters, Guam, Feb. 20.—(AP)—American Marines seized the southern airfield...

Veteran Marines mowed a path clear across the island, extending in an irregular wedge...

Newly captured territory reaches from the northern slope of Surabachi...

Last night a battalion of Japanese attacked in full strength...

American night fighters broke up several Japanese air attempts...

Territory captured by the veteran Fifth Marine Corps in two days of fighting represents about one-quarter of the nine-mile-square island.

The light is the toughest we've run across in 1945 years...

Landsberg reported thousands more Marines were pouring ashore...

Available on the situation in Guben, from which Russian tank spearheads were withdrawn yesterday...

Moscow dispatches said the 2nd army, despite Nazi counter attack...

A Russian push farther north had carried within 47 miles of Danzig...

Affairs Are Easier, Says Mr. Churchill

First Statement In Commons Following Return From Crimea

London, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Prime Minister Churchill declared in his first public reference...

Churchill returned to London yesterday after stopovers at Athens and Cairo.

Churchill said he could hold out "no hope of special time being found in the present state of public business."

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Nuernberg's Rail Yards Are Blasted

London, Feb. 20.—(AP)—The rail yard and locomotive repair shops at Nuernberg...

The bombers were escorted on the long haul by about 700 Mustangs and Thunderbolts...

Counting today's operations, the Allies have hit Germany with more than 1,200 heavy bombers every 24 hours since last Tuesday.

FDR Sees Churchill And Kings Of East In Egypt

Washington, Feb. 20.—(AP)—President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill have conferred anew on strategy for crushing Japan...

The latest Roosevelt-Churchill meeting took place in Alexandria, Egypt...

Abroad a U. S. man-o'-war in Lake in the Suez Canal...

American Fire Crumbling Old Manila Walled City

Stassen Will Go To Conference, But Calls It Political

Washington, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Commander Harold E. Stassen said today he considers his appointment by President Roosevelt...

Stassen a number of Admiral William F. Halsey's staff, said he would be granted leave from the navy to attend the conference...

Curfew Rule At Midnight Is Ordered

(By The Associated Press)

A midnight curfew decreed by War Mobilization Director James F. Byrnes will go into effect Monday...

Byrnes' request, having the effect of an order, and backed by the disciplinary powers of four war agencies...

Unofficially, it was thought the ODT could act against offenders by preventing delivery of supplies...

U. S. Forces Prepare For Final Assaults On Remaining Japs

Manila, Feb. 20.—(AP)—American heavy bombers tore holes in the thick outer walls of Manila's Intramuros today...

By next week a considerable portion of the outer wall had been breached...

The 37th Division and elements of the first cavalry were moving for a final assault...

WEATHER FOR NORTH CAROLINA

Cloudy and cool, rain tonight and Wednesday.

Russians Cut Deep Holes In German Eastern Lines

London, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Russian troops have penetrated several deep breaches in the German line...

It indicated Marshal Ivan Konev had resumed his push toward these two cities...

Transocean made no mention of Nazi counter attacks when the Germans last night said had rewon...