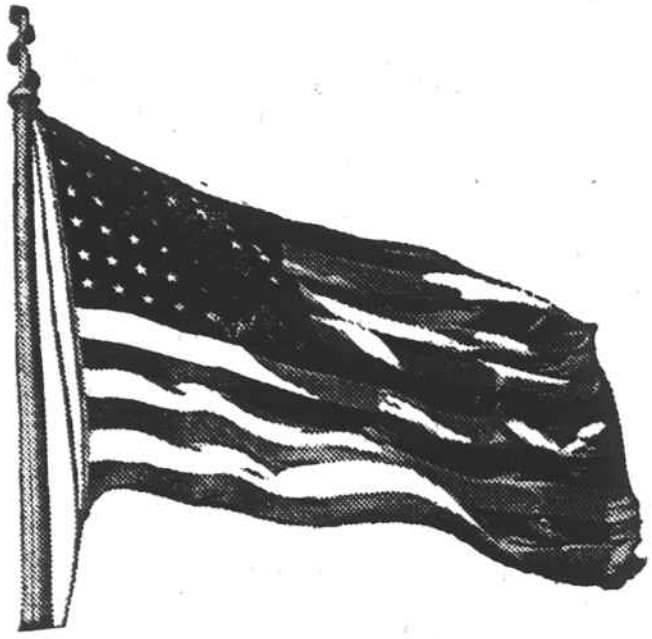
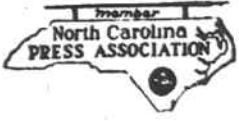


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After a rationing of sugar, victory will be sweet.

America is going to begin getting up early in the morning on February 9, when we change to war time. Maybe we will catch some worms.

The people of the Land of the Rising Sun have no idea how much Americans enjoy a beautiful sunset.

Yes, Mabel, they are called doughboys because they get \$21 a month, which puts them in the dough.

Words beginning with Mac are unlucky for the Japanese. For instance, there are MacArthur and Macassar.

Midway Island, attacked on December 7, still holds out against the Japanese. Some day, when the war is over, that will be another epic chapter in the history of America, one that will swell the pride of every school boy in his country, when he reads it.

Wounded American soldiers aver that the hospital ship carrying them and nurses to an Australian port was bombed nine times in one day by Japanese planes that came over "like swarms of flies". Oh, well, when the war is over the people trying to smooth over the feelings of people will be telling us that the atrocity stories were not true this time, either. All the while we knew that those told in World War No. 1 were true.

We note that the press associations invariably spell it Macassar, but the National Geographic Society, and all atlases we have consulted give it Makassar, while Webster's unabridged dictionary has it either way, with the preference on the mak way of spelling. Also, we note that radio commentators pronounce it Macassar with the accent on the last syllable; but Webster's says it is pronounced Mak-as-sar, with the accent where we would naturally put it, on the middle syllable. So, we are going to spell it with the k instead of the c, and pronounce it just like we did in the first place. You can take your choice.

## WHERE IS THE NAVY?

The Japanese and the "wise guys" in this country have now received the answer to their question: "Where is the navy?" We don't know which has been worrying the most about it; but striking with fury in the Strait of Makassar, and then at the Japanese bases in the Pacific, at both of which places great havoc was wrought on Jap ships, planes, and bases, the Asiatic Fleet and the Pacific Fleet have let the world know that the American navy is definitely on the job in the Pacific and the waters surrounding the Indies.

This is but a taste of what the Japanese can expect, when the Americans really get in action, when sufficient materials, ships and machines have been assembled to blast the "Rising Sun" out of the heavens, so that the Forty-eight Stars may shine the brighter.

Navy, army, marines, airforce, coordinated in a mighty effort, and supplied with the necessary munitions, will brook no denial when they begin knocking at the gates of Tokyo. It appears that there is no longer room in the skies for both the "Rising Sun" and for the "Stars of Liberty".

## A WAR OF MINDS

This war as perhaps no other is being fought out in the minds of the peoples of the world. Never before was straight thinking more important than now. Never before were so many different elements trying to confuse the minds of men and women. This kind of warfare, successfully waged, had more to do with the collapse of France than did the mechanized armies of the Nazis.

For this reason it is imperative that the people

of this country retain and hold fast to a firm faith in themselves, in their government, and in their allies.

It is equally imperative that our allies have a firm faith in us, in the integrity of our intentions, and in our ability to win. Faith generates faith, just as distrust generates distrust.

Each of us should first have his own thinking clear, and keep ever before us the fact that we are fighting for our very right to exist, for every one of the liberties that are ours. That being true, we must and will fight through to final victory, regardless of the cost. For there is no price too great to pay for liberty. We must never waver in our conviction that America is strong enough to assemble all the materials that are necessary, to manufacture all the ships and planes, and guns and munitions that will be required, to train all the men that will be needed to blast those who would encompass our undoing from the seas and the air and the earth. That conviction held by the people of America will generate confidence in us among the peoples of Asia and Africa, Europe and the Indies. It will offset the effect of the temporary Japanese victories in the orient; and after all, the greatest danger that has arisen by reason of those temporary victories is in the loss of prestige in the oriental mind.

But, we must not be too confident. We must not hide from ourselves the very present dangers to which we are exposed, the magnitude of the task that lies before us, or the cost that victory may entail. We must not expect too much too quick. The only way to make shorter this war is through the mobilization of all the resources of this country in preparation for a long and a hard war.

## THE YANKS ARE COMING

Nearly a billion and a half leaflets, prepared in America, telling of the determined purpose of this country to win this war and drive Hitlerism back into the hell from which it sprang, have been scattered over parts of occupied France by the Royal Air Force. Most of these have been dropped in Brittany and Normandy.

Those are the seacoast provinces of France that saw the first doughboys who came back in 1917. They saw thousands upon thousands of those American soldiers as the tide of doughboys grew. American soldiers were quartered in their villages, in their towns, in their lovely countryside. They know the doughboys. They know that the armies of the Kaiser were hurled back soon after those Americans got into action. They know what kind of people we are. They know that we were the heralds of victory, nearly a quarter of a century ago. They are being told by leaflets rained from skies, that the Yanks are coming back.

For weary months and years, the Britons and the Normans have been held in the clutch of the despised huns. They have been helpless and afraid, yet cherishing the hope of liberty. Now, they think they can see the first rays of the sunrise. The Yanks are coming back.

We can see old men, little children, peasant women, look toward the heavens and watch the leaflets come fluttering down to earth, to be surreptitiously gathered up and concealed, and then, in the dead hours of the night, taken from hiding places and passed from hand to hand, as eager eyes read: "The Yanks are coming back". From mouth to mouth the message is carried throughout the oppressed land. Hope again rides high within the weary hearts. Their friends of a quarter of a century ago are coming back.

The Stars and Stripes will again lead the vanguard of the Sons of Liberty in the fight against those who would trample under iron feet the precious freedoms of mankind.

Tales are told to the younger people by the men and women who knew us, back in '17, '18, and '19 of the friendly young men from America who sang and laughed and fought and fraternized with the Britons and Normans. Shining eyes reveal hopes revived. The day of deliverance is coming. The day of the wrath of God against those who desecrate His image and abuse His little children is drawing on apace. From across the seas the message comes.

"The Yanks are coming, the Yanks are Coming", "Mademoiselle from Armentiers", "Madelon, Madelon, Madelon". "The Yanks are Coming. Let Marseilles again mark the time of marching feet toward Paris. Let Liberty, Equality, Fraternity again become the shibboleth of Frenchmen. Revive the drooping fleur de lis. Let the tri-color again take the gentle breeze. The day of wrath is coming, such a day as has not been since the streets of Paris belched forth a mighty blast that blew the Bastille and all symbols of oppression from the soil of France; such a day as France has not seen since Dr. Guillotine cleaned the streets with blood. Traitors, beware! You who sold the soul of France call upon the mountains to hide you! You, pawns of the Beast of Berlin, look to your own safety and that of your own firesides!

The day of liberation is at hand. "The Yanks are coming back!"

There is no reason for minimizing the gravity of the situation of America and her allies in the orient. Despite heroic efforts of MacArthur and his valiant men, despite the striking power of the American and Dutch navies in the Strait of Makassar, the Japanese drive moves on. Singapore is in peril. Rangoon is in imminent danger, and the East Indies positions become more perilous day by day.

## OUR DEMOCRACY — by Mat



THEIRS TO BUILD, OURS TO PRESERVE.



OUR SYSTEM GIVES US ALL A BREAK... WE HAVE THE WORLD'S MOST WIDESPREAD, BIGGEST INDIVIDUAL OWNERSHIP OF WEALTH,—AS SHOWN BY SAVINGS, MOTORS, LIFE INSURANCE, HOMES.  
WE HAVE LIBERTY... WE WILL PRESERVE IT.

## DEFERMENT IS ON . . .

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beyond his control.

4. It should be noted that the classification of married men will be considered under three separate rules:

(a) A registrant who married before September 16, 1940, and claims dependency is required only to prove that a condition of dependency exists under the definition of "dependent" as defined in Section 622.32;

(b) A registrant who married

between September 16, 1940, and December 8, 1941, must not only prove that a condition of dependency exists but also that such status was not voluntarily acquired at a time when his selection was imminent or primarily for the purpose of providing him was a basis for deferment;

(c) A registrant who married on or after December 8, 1941, must not only prove that a condition of dependency exists but also that such status was acquired under circumstances be-

yond his control.  
5. Section 622.31-b instructs the local board to determine all questions of Class III-A deferments with sympathetic regard for the registrant and his dependents and cautions the local board in doubtful cases to be mindful of injuries which may be expected to result from separating a father from his children or a husband from his wife, and announces the policy that "the maintenance of the family as a unit is of importance to the national well-being."

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express to our friends our appreciation of their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of our son and brother, Pat Rogers, and for the lovely flowers.  
MRS. FANNIE ROGERS  
AND FAMILY.

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