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LITTLE MEN OF CHINA

In the motion picture "Thirty Seconds Over Tokyo" Chinese villagers are shown carrying the injured crew of an American bomber to Free China and safety after a crash landing on the Chinese coast.

The efforts of the Chinese along this line are well known, but the terrible price these little people of China pay as a result of their courage and generosity rarely is stressed.

This fact makes "Thirty Seconds Over Tokyo" a heartbreaking picture for any one who knows China and knows the story of the aftermath of the first American raid on Japan's capital.

In dispatches from China there is not much written about these little people—the friendly and honest and generous peasants and market-town people who make up the bulk of China's population.

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every week; only because of the heat we get tin cans. "That's a good idea. Where do you get them?"

"We get them from the Nut Shop on the corner." "I didn't know they sold cans."

"You never know. They got so much mail to handle. Once he didn't get any for a long time and when finally it caught up with him there were twenty-two boxes and ninety letters.

"Do you hear from him often?" "Well, the letters come in bunches, too. But he writes every day. And such letters. I tell his mother he's getting to be an author.

"That is something to look forward to." "Yes, but she don't much. She says she don't dare to look forward. Her hair has turned grey since he went.

"I hope yours do, too." —KLB

Sand Box

Being Filled Weekly BY WALLACE IRWIN

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future world wars, a world organization shall be formed.

"(COMMENT ONE: The Proposals realize this point.) "TWO, that this world organization shall in the beginning consist of the United Nations and such neutral countries as may be admitted by them.

"(COMMENT TWO: The proposals realize this point.) "THREE, that the Axis powers, their allies and their sympathizers, shall have the status of territories on probation until the world organization shall admit them to membership.

"(COMMENT THREE: The Proposals are not entirely clear on this point. It seems, for instance, to be an open question whether Spain under Franco will be considered eligible.)

"FOUR, that no member nation may at any time or for any reason, secede from the world organization.

"(COMMENT FOUR: The Proposals are directly opposed to this point, since they not only make no mention of secession, but even provide for suspension or expulsion of a member nation.)

"(COMMENT FIVE: The Proposals do not touch this point explicitly, but tacitly they support it. Their provisions amount to this, that no nation will be permitted to fight a war if the Security Council votes against it.

"SIX, that the authority of the world organization shall be made effective and irresistible by the establishment of an international police force.

"(COMMENT SIX: The Proposals do not realize this point. They provide that units of the armed forces of the member nations are to be placed at the disposal of the Security Council upon demand, but no penalty is provided for any nation which might choose to ignore such a demand.

"SEVEN, that a primary goal of the world organization shall be the gradual abolition of economic and political imperialism throughout the world.

"(COMMENT SEVEN: The Proposals touch this point only tangentially, by way of the arrangements for the Economic and Social Council and in the description of certain functions and powers of the General Assembly.

"EIGHT, that it shall be the first duty of the world organization not merely to destroy the military power of the Germans and Japanese, but to formulate and carry into execution whatever measures may be deemed necessary to prevent them from preparing for a third world war of conquest.

"(COMMENT EIGHT: The Proposals do not touch this point. They leave the problem of postwar treatment of the Germans and the Japanese to other agencies."

The leaflet adds, "On the whole the (Dumbarton Oaks) Proposals may be regarded by the optimist as a hopeful step, and a long one, to the goal of the Pledge, or by the pessimist as a hash of cynical compromises from which no good can come."

If you want to sign the Pledge for Peace, or to make comments which you think may strengthen it, write to The Pledge for Peace Committee, 122 East 42nd Street, New York 17, N. Y.

CIVILIANS AT WAR The Government needs and asks its citizens in this 171st week of the war to: 1. Take advantage of mild days by conserving fuel.

Local Legislation

Following is a digest of all local legislation introduced or acted upon by the General Assembly during the week ending March 10 affecting Moore County or any of its towns.

HB 272—Introduced by Currie, February 7 (Veterans' service officer): Mar. 5, received by Senate and sent to Counties, Cities & Towns; Mar. 6, reported favorably by Senate Committee; Mar. 7, passed 2nd & 3rd readings in Senate; Mar. 8, ratified.

HB 528—Introduced by Currie, February 22 (Robbins extension): Mar. 6, reported favorably by Senate Committee on Counties, Cities & Towns; Mar. 7, passed 2nd reading in Senate; Mar. 8, passed 3rd reading in Senate; Mar. 9, ratified.

HB 744—Introduced by Currie, March 6: "To amend Chapter 330 of the Session Laws of 1943 relating to the compensation of the clerk of the Superior Court and the register of deeds of Moore County."

HB 745—Introduced by Currie, March 6: "To amend Chapter 658 of the Session Laws of 1943 relative to holding a special election on the question of the further operation of liquor stores at Southern Pines and Pinehurst in Moore County."

HB 746—Introduced by Currie, March 6: "To amend Chapter 33 of the Private Laws of the Extra Session of 1924 relating to the name of the Randolph and Cumberland Railway Company, and to the issuance of bonds by the Town of Carthage."

HB 774—Introduced by Currie, March 7: "To authorize the governing authority of the Town of Aberdeen, Moore County, to adjust delinquent taxes."

HB 864—Introduced by Currie, March 7: "To amend H. B. 275 of the Session of the General Assembly of 1945 to the end that the provisions of said bill shall be applicable to the Town of Aberdeen in Moore County."

purchase of the railroad to "within two years from the first day of February, 1945." To Finance, Mar. 7, reported favorably by House Committee; Mar. 8, passed 2nd reading in House; Mar. 9, passed 3rd reading in House; Mar. 10, received by Senate and sent to Finance.

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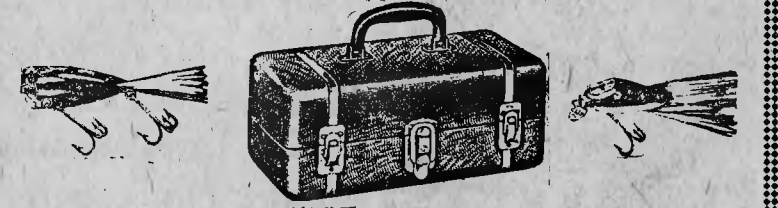
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Check up on what you need—then come on over and fill in from our ample supply of all kinds of fishing aids.



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PINEBLUFF

After completing a three weeks' furlough at his home here, Cpl. Cadwallader Benedict left for a redistribution center at Miami, Fla.

Miss Mary Deland returned to her home in New York Saturday after spending a two weeks' vacation here.

William Sharpe of Raleigh was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Suttonfield Thursday.

Mrs. Everett Ussery and children were weekend guests in Cordova.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gaston of

Large advertisement for VILLAGE INN featuring Marie Trotter and Kay McQuade. Includes text: "Dine and Dance AT THE VILLAGE INN Music Corporation of America Presenting Marie Trotter and Kay McQuade Harp and Piano Accordion Playing Music For Dancing Nightly Dinner Served From 6 P. M. Dancing After 9 P. M. COUPLES ONLY Ladies and Gentlemen Regardless of Rank For Reservation Phone 6632 or 8122 Cover Charge 50c Per Person"

Advertisement for Government House Rum. Includes text: "Government House Rum 4/5 Quart \$3.50 Retail WHITE OR GOLD LABEL 86 Proof Imported by W. A. Taylor & Company New York City"

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