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WAR NEWS

By D. SCOTT POOLE

Thursday, April 2.—Japanese made a terrific assault upon the American-Philippine defenders of Bataan Peninsula, and these thrusts increased in intensity and the defenders' lines were penetrated and driven back, but savage counter attacks restored the American lines with heavy loss to the invaders.

British bombers raided German occupied France, doing effective damage to Motor Plants near Paris. Chairman Thurman, Senate investigating committee, still believes the Standard Oil Co. of N. J. guilty of treason.

Friday, April 3.—Japanese threaten Burma oil fields. The East Indies are a rich part of the world, and those heathens have them, or nearly all.

Saturday.—Reports come of the destroying of two warships and a tanker, (in February). The British and Germans wage a terrific aerial warfare. Allies suffer new reverses in Burma front. The Bataan American mop up Japanese forces.

Sunday.—MacArthur asks prayers of American people to aid him. India stands firm against English persuasion.

French.—Vichy discloses large air force.

U. S. Submarines damage four Jap ships.

Monday.—Americans again report defeat for Japs on Bataan peninsula.

Germans and Russians report massing large forces for spring drive. Russians report successes on all fronts.

Allies defeat Japanese in aerial battles on Ceylon. The Japanese losses on all fronts are very heavy.

Tuesday.—A savage battle is raging on Bataan peninsula. The Japs have made gains. They have reinforcements in large numbers, but their casualties are numerous.

The Russians claim to have downed 407 German planes in the past 8 days. They report victories daily. Allied air forces hit Japanese bases again with heavy blows. Americans destroy 4 Jap ships off coast of India.

British report destructive bombing of German France, and Germany News of that a German submarine sank an American freighter off the east coast of United States on which eighty thousand bags of sugar was lost a few days ago.

Wednesday.—The battle on Bataan Peninsula is terrific. The Japs gained ground—driven in the line of the defenders, but the battle still rages.

It came over the radio this morning that an American bomber had shot down four Japanese bombers, and one of them had set the American airplane on fire, but he shot one plane down after his plane had been set on fire, then baled out to safety. The war begins description, but we thank God we are Americans.

A Million Drunks!

Americans like facts and here are two which should be of importance to every one who ever took a drink. There are at least 200,000 chronic alcoholics in the United States today, plus one million or more persons who are in danger of becoming chronic alcoholics, according to Dr. Lawrence Kolb, assistant surgeon general of the United States Public Health Service.

Of 10 persons who drink, even "socially", three will become drunkards and the seven will show the "effects" in their bodies some time, according to the late, famed Dr. Charles Mayo.

Surest, fool-proof test to determine whether you are an alcoholic, according to the Keeley Institute, is to ask yourself: "Can I take it or leave it alone?" The catch is that you not only have to be honest in your answer but then you have to prove it by "leaving it alone." The drinker who says he never gets drunk, who says "I could quit tomorrow if I wanted to" but whose nerves go to pieces when not anesthetized by alcohol, is an alcoholic and a medical case.

Alcoholism, growing by leaps and bounds since repeal according to the nation's mental hospitals, is just one of the effects of beer, wine and spirits which causes the W.C.T.U. and other religious and temperance groups to say: "Stop these effects by turning off the faucet of the liquor supply."

Relegalization has made liquor easily accessible to all Americans with every form of high-pressure merchandising being used to increase consumption—in other words to make more non-drinkers into drinkers.

The reverse could also be true, social workers say, and all the human and economic costs of liquor be reduced by making it more difficult to secure.

YOUTH'S OPINION
Drinking doesn't help your personality, that's what students of a Tulsa, Okla., high school discovered in a recent survey, according to the Tulsa World.

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Future Farmers Have Annual Father And Son Banquet

The Vocational Agricultural Department of Hoke County High School held its sixth annual father-son banquet with 112 present on Friday night, April 3rd. Approximately 35 fathers attended with their sons.

Zane Grey Norton, President of the Future Farmers, presided at the banquet and gave the word of welcome to which Mr. R. J. Hasty gave a response.

The food for this years banquet was mostly brought from home by the boys, and served by the Home Economics girls under the direction Miss Huldah Hall, Home Economics teacher.

Motion pictures were shown to the boys as part of the program. The room was decorated in the National F. F. A. colors: Blue and Gold.

Whole Wheat Demonstration

Miss Sallie Brooks, assistant extension nutritionist and L. L. McLendon of Raleigh will give a demonstration on the use of whole wheat at the Raeford curb market on Saturday morning, April 11th. Whole grain wheat is an economical source of energy, minerals and vitamins. It is especially valuable as a source of vitamin B, which is needed for good appetite, good digestion and good, steady nerves. It is also a good source of iron, phosphorous riboflavin and nicotinic acid, all of which is needed for good nutrition.

Miss Brooks and Mr. McLendon will give a demonstration using a small hand mill to grind the wheat into flour. Whole wheat products will be exhibited.

The Curb Market is located in the town hall and is open from 8:30 until eleven o'clock on Saturdays. The public is cordially invited to visit the market on Saturdays to see the demonstration.

JOSEPHINE HALL,
Home Agent.

Baptist Church Notes

Sunday School 9:45.
Morning worship 8:00. Subject: "God Needs You." Text: John 20:21.
Mid-week service of prayer and praise 8:00 Wednesday evening.
J. E. REAMY, Pastor.

Dairy Farmers Plan Now For Next Winter

If normal rainfall occurs this summer, dairy farmers of North Carolina will produce the extra 79 million pounds of milk asked of them in the "Food-for-Freedom" program, says F. R. Farnham, Extension dairyman of N. C. State College. He predicts that a better feeding program, a pasture improvement program based on applications of lime and phosphate, and an increased number of milk cows will enable the milk goals to be met.

"However," he added, "if we are to follow through with a continued increase of dairy production, it is of the utmost importance that farmers plan now to grow those crops that will furnish feed for cows next winter. The dairy herd must be adequately fed after the fall frosts kill the grass in pastures."

Farnham says that every farmer who plans to milk five or more cows will need an acre or more of good silage corn. Each cow will need at least three tons of silage to carry her through next winter, when the feed ration includes, also, a good quality of legume hay and a liberal grain ration.

"Silage is a cheap source of succulent roughage," the Extension dairyman said. "A yield of from 10 to 12 tons of silage corn per acre is quite common in this state. There is probably no other crop that will produce more digestible nutrients than an acre of corn yielding 10 or more tons of silage per acre."

Farnham reports that milk production is being increased rapidly all over the state, especially in the Piedmont and Western North Carolina. He says that milk receipts at the Shelby receiving station of one of the large dairy manufacturing plants showed an increase of 68 per cent in one week, over the corresponding period of 1941.

Facts About The Occupational Registration

To be conducted by Selective Service System and U. S. Employment Service.

WHAT IS IT
Every man between 20 and 44 years of age who registered for Selective Service on February 16 will receive an "Occupational Questionnaire" from his local Selective Service Board.

The questionnaires will be mailed to registrants about April 1, and must be filled out and returned to the Selective Service Boards within ten days after they are received.

WHAT IT ASKS
Each questionnaire is in two identical parts—one for the Selective Service System and one for the United States Employment Service. It asks for information about the registrant's present job, his education, and also asks him to indicate the kind of work for which he considers himself best fitted, whether or not he is presently employed at such work. In addition, the questionnaire contains a list of 228 different occupations which are important to the war industries. Registrants are to check any of these in which they have had training or experience and indicate those for which they are best fitted.

Applicants who need help in filling out their questionnaire are told to ask for such assistance from their employer, their labor union, from any office of the United States Employment Service, or from a member of the Selective Service Local Advisory Board for registrants. No fee is to be charged for this service.

USE OF INFORMATION
The U. S. Employment offices will determine which men are already qualified or can be quickly trained for work in essential war industries. Those men will then be asked to come to the local employment office for a fact-finding interview.

Workers possessing skills important to war production, but who are not working in war industry or in essential civilian activities, but who are willing to be trained and transferred to such work, will be given an opportunity to do so.

PURPOSE
The purpose of the occupational registration is to provide the Government with a complete occupational inventory of its manpower, in order:

1. To avoid the induction into the armed forces of men who are more urgently needed in war production.
2. To replace workers who are now deferred from military service on occupational grounds whenever possible, with vocational trainees or other qualified persons, who, because of age, sex, or other reasons are not eligible for military service, and
3. To speed up war production by promoting the transfer of workers from nonessential to essential work.

Following this first occupational registration the same questionnaire will also be mailed to those men who registered for Selective Service during 1940 and 1941 (except those already inducted into the armed forces) and later to those men from 18 to 20 and from 45 through 64 who are still to be registered. Eventually the Government will have information on the occupational skills of the entire male population between 18 and 64 years of age—approximately 40 million men.

This AMAZING AMERICA

ONCE-A-YEAR MOONBOW
THE CURIOUS PHENOMENON OF A MOONBOW CAN BE SEEN DURING ONE WEEK OF EACH LUNAR YEAR... AT FULL MOON ONLY... BELOW THE CASCADES OF CUMBERLAND FALLS, KY.

GOAL OF THE 49ERS
THE GOAL OF AMERICA'S GREATEST MIGRATION WAS A SMALL ABANDONED STOCKADE! DISCOVERY OF GOLD CAUSED THOUSANDS TO RUSH TO SUTTER'S FORT, IN WHAT IS NOW SACRAMENTO, CALIF.

MID-WEEK TRAVEL HELPS AMERICA BY SAVING EXTRA WEEK-END SEAT-SPACE FOR SOLDIERS AND WAR WORKERS.

High School Graduates Entering Navy V-1 May Get Degrees

Maxton, April 2.—Presbyterian Junior College has just received notification from the Bureau of Navigation of the Navy Department, that in the Navy's V-1 program, high school graduates who enter college as freshmen are eligible for enlistment in the U. S. Naval Reserve. Under the V-1 program, a student who enrolls in the new set-up and does satisfactory work will be allowed to remain in college until he receives his B. A. or B. S. degree.

At the end of the first two years of college, the student may enter the V-5 program, whereby he will get further training and be subject to call as a naval aviation cadet. Or he may be transferred to the V-7 program, and after finishing college and receiving his degree, may enter a naval officers training school and train as an Ensign in the Navy. This program makes it possible for a student to complete his college education before he enters military service.

Hoke High Defeats Hamlet Monday

Raeford high school team defeated Hamlet Monday at Hamlet by the score of 5 to 4. Cole allowed only 6 hits while Raeford collected 9. Ken McNeill connected for a home run and Cole was the highest batter for Raeford, getting 2 hits for 5 times at bat. Cole struck out 5 men.

Batteries for Raeford: Cole and Yarborough.
Batteries for Hamlet: Porter and Davis.

Raeford has won three out of five games so far, defeating Rockingham, Lumberton and Hamlet. Laurinburg and Hamlet cost Raeford her two defeats.

Cole has the highest batting average for Raeford, with .389; Howell is next with .348.

Raeford is playing Laurinburg today in the local park at 3:30. Friday, the high school will be host to the 7th grade all day and in the afternoon the school is turning out for the game in the local park with Lumberton at 1:30. Next Tuesday Rockingham will play the high school here.

Teachers Hurt In Accident Near Red Springs Monday

Miss Huldah Hall, of Roxboro, and Miss Rebecca Doub, of Aberdeen, members of the Raeford school faculty, and Miss Jean Bowers, of Sanford, were returning from Charlotte, S. C. Sunday where they had been to see the gardens, when they had an accident near Red Springs. Miss Hall, who was driving, suffered a slight concussion and other small injuries. She was taken to Highsmith hospital but is expected home one day this week. Miss Doub sustained only a sprained wrist and a few bruises and was able to start teaching again Tuesday. Miss Bowers was not hurt. Miss Hall's car was forced from the road by another car. When she tried to cut back on the road, she lost control of the car, which went across the road and then turned over.

Chlorine.

Necessary amounts of chlorine for water purification will be provided throughout the Nation despite the general chlorine shortage, according to the War Production Board.

Says Lead Workers Should Drink Plenty of Milk

Chicago, April 9.—Results of recent research in the prevention of lead poisoning indicate the importance of consuming adequate quantities of milk, according to the editorial in a recent issue of the Journal of the American Medical Association. "The deposition of lead in the bones appears to take place in inverse ratio to that of calcium," states the article.

"This," declares Milton Hult, president of the National Dairy Council, "makes clear the reason why some industrialists have found it is important to protect their workers by encouraging them to drink milk." Adequate quantities of milk and its products are the most reliable sources of calcium in the diet. Many industrialists, recognizing this fact, urge the regular use of milk at meal time and have milk served to employees during their morning and afternoon rest periods.

Lead poisoning is considered one of the chief hazards to the health of industrial workers. In plants where lead is used, even the dust is found to contain quantities of this metal. In mines and smelting plants, in the manufacture of paint pigments, storage batteries, tetraethyl lead for motor fuels, and spray materials to be used on fruits and vegetables, small amounts of lead are swallowed from time to time by the workers and accumulate in the body until lead poisoning may occur.

P. J. C. Students Elect Officers

Maxton, April 1.—The student body of Presbyterian Junior college elected today the class officers for 1922-43 as follows:

President, Fitzhugh T. Read, Jr., of Warrington.
Vice-president, Adam Lee Hunsucker, of Ellerbe.
Secretary-treasurer, Robert Moore McCoy, of r. 2, Charlotte.
As president of the student body Mr. Read is also president of the student council. Mr. Hunsucker and Mr. McCoy, as class officers, also become officers of the student council. These young men are outstanding in campus activities. Mr. Read and Mr. Hunsucker played basketball on the varsity team and both are now out for basketball. Mr. McCoy was a member of the varsity five.

Only Seven Cases Heard By Court

The docket of the county court listed only seven cases to be heard by Judge W. B. McQueen Tuesday.

Edward H. Stewart and Wilson Jacob Sells, truck operators, each paid costs for speeding and careless and reckless driving; Van Alford paid costs for using profane language in a negro cafe; John Wesley Brigran pleaded guilty to charges of assault with deadly weapon and paid costs, a six months road sentence was suspended on good behavior for six months; Fred Dudley pleaded guilty of illegal possession of liquor and paid costs; Lawrence Harrington and Lawrence Dudley each paid costs for drunkenness.

Tags, wedding invitations and announcements, school invitations, all kinds of business and social stationery—in fact almost everything that ANY job shop can do can be done in Raeford at the News-Journal office.

Income.
Cash income from farm marketings in the United States totaled \$887,000,000 in February as compared with \$632,000,000 in the same month a year ago.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE—Three nice gilt sows, bred. J. Luther Wood. 2tp

FOR SALE—Baby Chicks. Upchurch Milling and Storage Co.

FOR SALE—Cured Sweet Potatoes; \$1 per bushel. J. Luther Wood 2tp

FOR SALE—GIANT STRIATA Crotalaria seed for sale. Cleaned and scarified.—W. G. Buie Co., Wagram, N. C. 4tp

NICE YOUNG COW FOR SALE—Will freshen within 30 days. J. Luther Wood. 2tp

FOR SALE—REASONABLE — 1940 Special Deluxe Chevrolet Coach. Mechanically perfect in every respect. Clean upholstery, and good tires.—Inquire News-Journal office.

FOR SALE—1 PEN, DARK CORNISH games. 9 hens, 1 cockerel, \$15.00.—B. F. McGregor, Dandarrach. 1tc

FOR ITEMS advertised by J. Luther Wood, leave orders with Carter's Service Station or with Mr. Poole at McLaughlin Company. 2tp

FOR RENT—FURNISHED APARTMENT, three or four rooms. Very reasonable.—Mrs. Ed Bethune. 1tc

WANTED To Hire Trucks and labor for hauling pulp wood. See E. C. Stanton or W. H. Grover or write P. O. Box 181, Raeford, N. C. 2tp

FOR RENT—COMPLETELY FURNISHED, modern apartment. Living room, bath, kitchen, electrically equipped, and bedroom. Private entrance.—Mrs. A. K. Currie. 1tc

FOR SALE—10 Nice Pullets and one rooster for \$6. Choice of Barred Rocks; Buff Orpingtons or Hampshires for early layers. Fryers 2-3 lbs, 25c lb. J. Luther Wood 2tp

WANTED—To buy pulp wood—either on the stump or by the cord delivered to nearest railroad shipping point. See W. H. Grover and E. C. Stanton or write P. O. Box, 181, Raeford, N. C. 45-12c

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