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ISSUED TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS

# **ALLIES INFLICT** HEAVY BLOWS ON THE ENEMY

SUMMARY OF THE WORLD WAR-EVENTS OF GREAT IM-PORTANCE THAT HAVE TRAN-SPIRED SINCE OUR LAST IS-SUE.

the German crown prince in the "battle for Paris."

East of the line running from Soisof their mighty strokes gainel several Rayorelles and Troesnes, vantage their advance. points in the center of the line leading to the forest of Villers Cottertts, extremely serious, has not assumed speaker's subject was "World Prob- H. Thompson, Arthur Lovelace, Will which seems to be the present ob- the critical aspect of the fighting late jective here of the enemy.

in their possession the village of ing round when overpowered and al- Allen to the following named gradu- ton mill or in the American Tobac-Vaurezis, lying to the West of Sois- ways maintaining a solid front. Et Breuil, Chaudun, Licy and Bour- approaching the valley of the Marne Louise Irvin. Emily Reid Morrison ments at different times against the of Chateau Thierry. A little to the toward Paris being at the village of Rochelle, Irene Elizabeth Smith, at large. enemy has reached the Marne. ,

Northern bank of the stream.

pation of the territory lying South of four years ago. the Rheims-Dormans road and there- The reserve forces at the com- exercises. The program was an in- thing he did or said. ed it.

from Soissons to Rheims, although sons. it had been bent back at various allies are opposing against the 45 they have launched savage assaults of some of the phases of the first the enemy is being not ony held smashed the German formations with children of the fifth grade. but driven back at points and on the the barrage fire. Along the Amerprogress is apparent evidence that a several spirited engagements, but no presented by three High School puturn in the battle is not far distant. where have the Germans succeeded plls.

There is considerable artilley ac- own against the foe. tivity by both sides of the northern sectors of the western front.

there has been only moderate artilever, are bustly engaged in recon- the Germans. noissance work and bombing attacks over the enemy lines

German airplanes again have de- ter. livered an attack on Paris. Several persons were injured by the bomb explosions.

FRIDAY

Slowly but surely, the plunge of the German crown prince's armies is being halted by the French and British armies. While the momentum of German masses has not yet spent itself, there has been a notable slackening in its advacea during the past day. The chief efforts of the Germans now seem to be devoted to the widening of the gap they have torn in the positions of the allies between Pinon and Brimont. This work seems to be progressing slowly against the desperate resistance of the allied forces.

The French having fallen back from the limits of the city of Solssons, have stood their ground against the attacks of the enemy and the German official statement fails to show material advances there during the day's fighting.

The French are here fighting on familiar ground which has been made historic by numerous battles, some WHICH CAMP?

America today is divided into two camps-Americans and Alien Hnemy. Those who are not for America

are against her—enemies all. Those who are idle, selfish or even indifferent are Aliens-alien to American interest.

Only the workers, "comrades in this great enterprise," bear the honored name-Americans.

of which are named among the decisive combats of history.

On the eastern end of the fighting line some of the forts before Rheims The strength of General Foch's re- are said to have fallen, which was to serves has been felt by the armies of be expected from the fact that they have been outflanked by the tide of lin Street school when Rev. I. M. invasion that has swept far to the south of the city.

The fighting has taken on the fasons to Chateau Thierry, where the miliar aspect of the first invasion of Germans Saturday in a continuation France in 1914, the advance of von Mackensen along the Dunajec and the fighting in Picardy in March. After additional villages and then attempt- breaking the French and British de- Rev. E. N. Johnson, following prayed to proceed further Westward. lensive positions, but not breaking by Dr. Craig and reading the Scrip- tice, who worked up the case against magnificent opposition was imposed the allied line, the Germans are ture lesson by Rev. Mr. Gerringer. Williamson, appeared in court as the by the newly strengthened lines, and, again moving their forces out in a with terrific smashes, the French fan-shaped figure, fighting hardest on Friday night with a fervent prayer W. Glidewell of Reidsville defended forces recaptured Longpont, Corcy the banks of the extreme front of by Rev. W. E. Abernethy. The an- Williamson.

The situation, while apparently N. G. Newman of Elon College. The in March. The allies are resisting handled in splendid style. The Germans, however, still have the enemy's attacks stubbornly, giv-

sons, and further South of Saconin The wave of the advance is now esches, the last named directly West the nearest approach to that avenue Southwest of Chateau Thierry the Pesseilly, which lies at the extreme Catherine Waycaster. Mary Rucker now seems to be the intention of the wards the west, and they may be lar.

by outflank the cathedral city and mand of Gen. Foch are now coming teresting and original one, being pre- Due to the fact that Williamson bring about its capitulation. In the into action on ground chosen for the sented as a living movie with an all fighting in the immediate vicinity of combat by that master strategist, and star cast—entitled, "Just School children wholly dependent upon him Rheims the enemy won Fort de La is it possible that a blow of tremen- Days." The movie consisted of three the judge made the bond for \$500 work. Pompelle but his tenure of the posi- dous proportions may be struck reels, each of which was full of in- which Williamson hoped to raise by Mrs. F. C. Sharp and babies retion was short lived, for the French somewhere along the front of the terest. The first reel was as fol- tomorrow. troops in a counter attack reconquer- German wave, or on its western lows: side, which seems to be open to an Taken all in all the seventh day of attack which might crumple up the Primary; (b) Grammar; (c). High it was against his will to make a bond the new battle found the allied line German armies to the east of Sois-

slaughts Just how many men the gathered to retake the village, and and gave a short scene characteristic in Germany.—Greensboro Record. German divisions that are now ac- at the Americans, but the latter, years in school. tively engaged on the Soissons- with rifle and machine gun fire have The British is the regions of Ar- in penetrating the American lines.

the French near Dickebusch lake, to the rising senior class. lery activity along the whole front, south of Ypres, who improved their The Italian and allied aviators, how- positions as the result of an attack on given by Martha Ratcliffe in a very

> The fighting on the Italian front class song they adjourned. has not been of an unusual charac-

SATURDAY

Plunging southward, with its momentum still unspent, the Germans, German war machine has driven its wedge into the allied lines along the front until its apex has reached the Marne river south of Fere-En-Tar denois. The desperate efforts of the French and British to stem the tide for \$30 to be used toward purchasing to slow down the rate of speed of the German advance; the defenders of the heights north of the Marne seem to have been swept aside in the rush of the enemy toward the road to

Aisde from the movement of the German armies southward, two other significant incidents of the tremendous battle have occurred One is that the Germans have extended their attack, to the northwest, along the Ailette river, from which the French have Kallen back for some distance. The other is that the battle has extended to the east of Rheims

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## CLOSING EXERCISES OF CITY GRADED SCHOOLS

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM OF SCHOOL BRIEF BUT WELL TIM. ED-ANNUAL ADDRESS FRIDAY BACCALAUREATE SERMON DE. LIVERED SUNDAY.

The Reidsville Graded School formally closed a most successful ses-

baccalaureate sermon on "John Mark, next term of Federal court. emphasizing three periods of the minister delivered an unusually fine on the stand to defend himself. discourse. He was presented by nual address was delivered by Dr.

School.

Grammar school days followed Rheims front has not become appar- moved down the advancing Teutons This period of school life was shown plicity was solemnized today at the ent, but the fact that on the west while the American artillery has in a very interesting way by the home of D. M. Hines, of Pelham

Reel II. Senior Class as They Are.

The class was called to order by The allied positions in the Flan- the class president, Sara Irvin. Im- ber of years in newpaper work and all of their equipment. lers sector have been subjected to portant business was transacted. The was a member of the North Carolina As the expected great battle has bombardments, but the only infantry Last Will and Testament was read by legislature in 1917. He entered the not broken in the Italian theater, fighting there has been initiated by Gorrell McMichael-much was given

> The statistics of the class were 80th field artillery at Waco, Texas. interesting way. After singing their

The last scene was one of the most before going to Waco. unique features of the program. Reel III. Senior Clas as They Will Be-A Prophecy.

As Nina Rochelle read the prophecy-the future of each member of the Davis of Hopewell .- Pelham Cor. class was seen through a screen upon the stage.

The last feature of the program was the presentation of the class gift to the school. This gift was a check curtains for the chapel. Supt. J. H. Allen accepted the gift with a few very appropriate remarks.

This was one of the most unique given here, and the large audience was very appreciative.

W.S.S.never more than 3-4 pound. Your grocer will inform you how you can buy enough sugar for canning and preserving this season. -W.S.S.-

The next draft of selective service men will be 300,000. The men will be called June 24 and the movement to camp will take place during the last five days of June.

WITNESSES TESTIFIED HOW CONTEMPT FOR COUNTRY IN TRIAL WHICH WAS HELD IN GREENSBORO FRIDAY.

Dan Williamson, forty-five years of age, of Reidsville, was held under a sion last week, graduating a class of \$500 bond by United States Commissioner, D. H. Collins, this afternoon The commencement exercises came for violating the espionage act by to an end Sunday night at the Frank- making seditious utterances against the government His case will be Mercer of Thomasville preached the heard by Judge James E. Boyd at the

Williamson, a man of rugged complexion, but poorly clad, though a missionary's life. The scholarly man of good intelligence, did not go

Mr. Frederick C. Handy, the special agent of the department of jus-The graduating exercises began on prosecuting attorney, while Mr. P.

The witnesses appearing for the government were J. B. Rhodes, B. lems," and his earnest speech was Martin, and John Cochran and each of the men, who had either worked Diplomas were presented by Supt with the defendant at the Edna cotates: Clyde Chance, Lou Jones Hairs- co factory in Reidsville swore that ton, Helen Hinton Hubbard, Sara he had made very damaging state. Long's hospital unit. Martha Anderson Ratiliffe, Nina Mae government and the Democratic party

One witness swore that Williamson apex of the German wedge and is Stokes, Ruth Wyatt Teachy, Samuel stated that "if the German literature Nowhere has there been any at- about seven miles from the river. King Carter, Joe Fels, Elijah Frank was taken out of the schools in Am- Sharp, on Piedmont street, tempt by the invaders to cross the In 1914 the Germans advanced over Hall, Wm. Shepard Hester, Elmer erica the school system would not be river and at all points East of Cha- a front extending from Kraisne, just Morton Knight, Vernon Lewis Link worth anything." Others stated that ton, D. C., is spending several days teau Thierry they are hugging the east of Soissons, to Vauquois, a lit- James Gorrell McMichael, Jasper he had declared "we would be much tle west of Verdun. After having Tony Roberts, Helen McNeill Tur- better off under German rule than Having failed in all their efforts to reached the Marne, the Teutons ner, Knox Kent Lively, Jr., Florence we are at present," and that the conquer Rheims by direct assault, it turned the force of their advance to- Wilson, Maybud Wilson, Mary Zig. President had tried to make some laws, but that he would not obey Germans further to widen their occu- expected to repeat their tactics of On Thursday evening a large audi- them, but that he dared the governence witnessed the senior class day ment to try to arrest him for any-

I. Senior Class as They Were. (a) the defendant and the spectators that relatives. less than \$5,000 in a case like this, Mary Stokes, the class historian but for the sake of his family, and on a visit to the former's brother, The Americans who captured Can- gave a very interesting sketch of the for them alone was he allowing this Mr. R. M. Collie. points, not so hard pressed as on tigny have beaten off attack after class since entering school. In the man to go back to Reidsville, as he previous days and seemingly more attack by the Germans. Large Ger- primary division four children from believed a man who was not true to capable of resisting the enemy's on- man forces are said to have been the second grade came upon the stage his country should either be in fail or

## Wedding At Pelham

when his youngest daughter, Susie The reel closed with a scene that Byrum, was married to Lieut. I. P. southern end of the salient he has ican held positions in the Toul and told of the last years in school—High Davis, of Manchese, N. C. Rev. E. prominence of the two families, this event is of state-wide interest.

biege with accessories to match.

The happy pair motored to Danville taking train No. 25 for New Orleans tures. where they will spead several days

The out-of two guests were Rev. and Mrs. E. Glenn, of Burlington, Miss Nellie Hines, of Statesville; Sam

YOU KNOW you are going to the class day programs that has been Chautauqua. Why not buy a Season young daughter of Mr. W. L. Price, Use as little sugar as possible, Ticket and thereby afternoon at the bride's home on Arhelp the Guarantors lift their \$1,-500 pledge?

### 00000000000000000 WEDNESDAY REGISTRA-TION DAY IN REIDSVILLE Men under 21 years old since O

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> CITY LOCAL NEWS IN A CONDENSED FORM

last June 5 must register.

Don't fail to be on hand.

TIME-Wednesday, June 5. O

PLACE Office of he Local

Mr. P. W. Glidewell spent Saturday in Washington. Mrs. W. F. Burton is a guest of

relatives in Danville. Mr. Elwood Amos is here from Wake Forest College.

Miss Ansnabel Blair of Greensboro probably reach \$5,500.00. is visiting relatives here.

Route 1, was in the city Sunday. from V. M. I., Lexington, Va. Mr. R. P. Richardson spent a few

days in Washington last week. Mr. J. B. Faulkner visited relatives at South Boston, Va., last week.

Mr. S. O. Norman has returned from a visit to relatives in Greens. be given the employees of the Edna

Leaksville.

Grande Theatre Tuesday." visiting her brother, Dr. F. C.

on a visit to his people here.

Mr. Holt Burton, who is now in a military training camp at Camp Meade, is visiting relatives have.

T. S. Turner of Route 1 has return- every individual who contributed. ed from the V. P. I. at Blacksburg, Va., to spend the summer vacation.

Miss Effle Bangle of the Graded is a man with a wife and five small School faculty will spend the summer Following is a list of contributors so

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Collie of near Danville spent the week-end here Mr. and Mrs. Nat Blanks and Mr.

and Mrs. Willard Anderson of HalifaxCounty, Va., were guests of 'Sbuire W. L. Gardner the past few days.

spending a few days here with his son, Columbia, for duty with the base hospital. Yearly renewals to the Red Cross

with Mr. Eugene Irvin.

up their trench raiding operations tors has been of remarkable intensi- Testament; (c) Song; (d) Statistics. lovely in her going-away gown of night and will not be opened again Heffinger, Edna Carter, Rose Criss. The groom was engaged for a num. prietors have disposed of practically Smith, W A Pritchett, R. L. Carter,

> The last and the best of the Fox officers' training camp at Fort Ogle- Tuasday, featuring Theda Bata in D. McColom, Mrs. C. N. Blum, L. thorpe and is now stationed with the 'D. t Barry." This is a 7 reel masterplece playing one of the sweetest. love stories ever put in motion pic-

> marriage to Miss Clara Beth Balling- roll, G. R. Wright, ' E. Dabbs, T. er at the home of the bride in Sen- W. Butlet, J. M. Koberts, C. R. Hines, of Winston-Salem, and Sam eca, S. C., Sunday. It was a quiet Baker, D. E. Purce J. S. Rogers. and relatives being present.

> > joyed by the audience The musical Butler, W. A. Moore, J. W. Hudson, numbers, solos, duets, trios and B. W. Graves, J. I. Butler, J. W. quartettes, were faultlessly render. Butler, W. B. Griffin, R. H. Warf. ed. The exercises were a credit to Miss Mollie Malloy, Miss Luda Mosboth teacher and pupils.

> > Miss Ollie Price, the attractive Sr., was united in marriage Saturday lington street to Mr. Ed Morris. The wedding was a quiet home affair, French, Dr. J. W. Watkins, J. R. only a few relatives and close friends being present. The ceremony was Burton, W. C. Waynick, Mrs. J. F. performed by Rev. E. N. Johnson. Watlington, The American Tobacco The newly weds left at once for a Co., W. M. Staples, J. W. Livinvisit to the groom's parents in Margood, T. J. Penn Buffalo, N. Y. tinsville, Va., after which they will return to Reidsville where they will nake their home.

## GOES NEARLY 100 PER CENT "OVER THE TOP"

REIDSVILLE MADE UNUSUALY FINE SHOWING IN THE RED CROSS DRIVE-REPORTS FROM FROM SEVERAL NEARBY COM-MUNITIES.

It will be gratifying to the people of Reidsville and those sections of the county contributing to the Red Cross War Fund to know that the amount already deposited in the bank to the credit of Wm. G. Mc-Adoo, Treasurer, is \$5,076.72 and with the uncollected pedges will

We wish especially to mention the Mr. John G. Sharp of Madison following neighborhoods and the amounts given by them. Monroeton Mr. Robt. Hairston, Jr., is at home and Iron Works, \$180.88; Bethlehem \$108.50; Ruffin, \$138.08; Carmel, \$33.00; Thompsonville and McIver, \$64.15. The employees in every manufacturing plant in town were especially generous and credit should Cotton Mills, The Cigarette Factory, Mr. Spott Dyer of Winston-Salem North State Smoking Tobacco Facspent Sunday with his parents in tory, Paper Box Factory, The A. T. Co., Robt. Harris & Bro., and the Mr. C. W. Covington of Reidsville Reidsville Tob. Bag Co. Later these has gone to Atlanta to join Dr. amounts will be published in full.

We also wish to thank the colored Everybody is saying, 'I just can't people who have responded genermiss seeing Theda Bara at the ously both in town and country. We have endeavored to publish the name Miss Cora J. Sharp of Madison is of every contributor and if any are left out the correction will be promptly made.

> In behalf of the Red Cross War Fund Committee, the team captains and those making the campaign in the county and especially in behalf of the soldiers and the destitute to e redler this great humanitaries goes. I wish to thank each and

ROBT. HAIRSTON, Chairman Red Cross War Fund Committee

in Washington in special Government far reported to us whose names have not been printed:

F. A. Jones, J. M. Cobb, W. J. turned from Leaksville yesterday Cobb. Charlie Delancy, Ernest Par-Judge Collins took occasion to tell where they spent the week-end with tigrew, A. D. Millner, C. A. Os borne, Jona Robertson, John H) kins, Mat Madkins, George Orria Columbus Penn, Harry Walker, Garland Stewart, Malloy Smith. Harry Martin, Charlie Smither, John Danaridge, Basiey Wall, Arthur Daniel George Ware, Willie Gilliam, John Costner, Willie Williamson, Clymer, Percy Gilliam, Elbert Hooper, Lee Chatman, Eddie Hopkins, First Lieut. Paul W. Fetzer, after Billie McDonald, George Glenn, im Griffith, Ed Powell, Mrs. Walke parents, left Sunday for Camp Jack- Mrs. Brincefield, Miss Bertle Jasnady, Miss Mary Sartin, Salia I hacker, Buster Scales, Ulas Hood, fom Watlington, Charlie Jones, Estes are now due. Those who subscribed Millner, Eacie Hagood, Preston Wilbeen unable to make but slight new Luneville sectors there have been School days. This part was well C. Glenn officiated. Because of the a year ago are requested to call at mainson, John Smither, D. P. Sartin, Citizens Bank and leave their dues J W. Madkins, Jim Benton, Wooley Smith, John Harrison C. H. Carter, ras. Lens and Bethune are keeping The fighting in the air on those sec- (a) Class Meeting; (b) Last Will and by her strong personality. She was Reidsville closed at midnight Friday T. J Tasici, Mable was Reidsville closed at midnight Friday T. J. Tasici, Mable was Reidsville c The pool and billiard rooms of William Cummins, R. B. Craddock, during the present war. The pro- Dora Cries, Joe Heffinger D. C. Mrs. J. C. Turner, B. W. Delapp, H.

P. Smothers, L. A. Chandler, Miss productions at the Grande Tieatre W. I. Bartee, J. W. Bartee, Mrs. J. Mamie bartee, Miss Bessie Bartee, N. Blum, H. C. Wilson Mrs. Fannie Setliffe, Mary Richardson, J. D. Pearman, Will Mostar, H. B. Garrison, High Hudson. John Brad-Mr. Williamson Mills, a former sher, Ed butler, Miss Fannie Rogers, Reidsville young man, was united in Henry Sm'th, Tom Jones, R. A. Jarhome wedding, only a few friends T. O taner, J. N. Lvings, Ed Ash, J. R. Shreve, J. M. Hopkins, T. F. The annual music recital vy Mrs. Rankin, J. M. H. Moore, J. M. H. R. M. B. Ellington's class at the Moore, Jr., J. M. Lemons, D. T. Lawsonville avenue school auditori. Small, R. H. Shreve, J. W. Jones, um Saturday evening was much en. T. H. Smothers, Robt. Brown, J. W. ley, Thos. S. Malloy, C. M. Southard, J. E. Nance, G. W. Apple, C. W. Butler, W. T. Carter, Jr., E. J. Elmore, Tom Butler, Rubert Butler, Clarence Richardson, Mrs. W. A. Johnson, W. S. Neal, Mrs. Z W. Griffin, Mrs. J. R. Lewis, J. R.

> Export Leaf Tobacco Co., Richmond (Continued on Page 6)

Sharp, Mrs. Sallie Jones, W.