

LATE NEWS IN BRIEF

SURRY EXCEEDS QUOTA BY \$2,233,425

Japs Claim Carrier Plane Attack Ends Figures Incomplete, Seventh Drive Over Top By 256 Per Cent

NATIONAL

WASHINGTON, July 10 — Final figures in the seventh war loan showed tonight that America piled up the fabulous, all-time record amount of \$26,313,000,000, nearly double the \$14,000,000,000 quota. Henry Morgenthau, Jr., announced the final results in what he called his "valedictory" speech as secretary of the treasury. The E-Bond goal of \$4,000,000,000 was narrowly missed. Sales of E bonds totalled \$3,976,000,000. But this was above any other drive. The previous E bond record was \$3,187,000,000 in the fourth war loan early in 1944. Sales to individuals were \$8,681,000,000, compared with a quota of \$7,000,000,000. Morgenthau, speaking over the radio, thanked all war bond workers for their co-operation throughout seven bond drives.

WASHINGTON, July 10 — Japan's vague peace feelers were brushed aside today by acting Secretary of State Grew with a sharp reminder that the United States is interested only in the enemy's unconditional surrender. Grew told of four specific indirect approaches on behalf of the Japanese but said that the United States government never has received a real peace offer from the Japanese government "either through official or unofficial channels." The Japanese, Grew said in a statement, are using peace feelers as the Germans did, to stir up trouble in the allied countries and particularly to try to arouse debate on the terms to be applied to Japan.

WASHINGTON, July 10 — Senate leaders made it plain today they think the American delegate to the united nations should have the right to commit United States troops against a potential aggressor. This position was taken in the senate foreign relations committee by Chairman Connally, Democrat, Texas; Senator Vandenberg, Republican, Michigan, and Minority Leader White, Republican, Maine. The development in the united nations charter hearing was precipitated by Senator Millikin, Republican, Colorado. Millikin wanted to know whether it would violate the charter to reserve the use of troops to either Congress or the President, when the security council of the united nations decided force is needed to keep peace. Sensing a move to write in a reservation, Connally declared that such an idea would violate "the spirit of the charter."

ABOARD CRUISER, in Mid-Atlantic with President Truman, July 10 — President Truman is en route today to Europe for his first "big three" meeting which may shape the course of world affairs for generations. He is traveling in a battle-tested warship. The vessel is part of a two-cruiser task force, under the command of Rear Adm. Allan R. McCann. The presidential party, which includes James F. Byrnes, secretary of state, and Fleet Adm. William D. Leahy, the President's chief of staff, will fly from the port of debarkation to the Berlin area in the big C-54 luxury liner in which Truman traveled to the united nations conference at San Francisco.

INTERNATIONAL

MANILA, July 11 — Australian troops today moved toward 200-foot-high Mount Batochampar where Japanese forces have massed for a determined stand after completely losing both Balikpapan harbor and the Pandansari Mill refineries.

BERLIN, July 10 — American, British and Russian army leaders, working smoothly together to settle troublesome points of dispute, set up an inter-allied governing authority for Berlin today and reached a friendly agreement on temporary feeding and fueling of the German capital. During the week-end the food and fuel situation was in dispute. American and British occupation forces had not taken over their zones of Berlin because of that and the general situation looked bad for allied co-operation in administering together a city of 2,750,000 thoroughly beaten and discouraged people.

Jittery Radio Warns Fleet Is Still Near

Guam July 11. — Tokyo said the U. S. Third Fleet broke off its carrier strike on Japan today after a terrific aerial bombardment in conjunction with American Army planes that wrecked at least 173 Japanese aircraft and 32 ships between dawn and dusk yesterday.

As the fleet withdrew, U. S. Army raiders from Okinawa picked up the preinvasion air assault on the battered Japanese homeland. Tokyo said a flight of about 150 American Mustang and Thunderbolt fighters lashed the Japanese suicide plane bases on eastern and southern Kyushu for about two hours this morning. The fighter foray carried the preinvasion bombing of Japan into its 36th straight day.

Jittery Japanese spokesmen said the American battle fleet that battered the Tokyo area with upwards of 1,000 planes yesterday had pulled back out of range during the night. "It is apparent that the enemy task force has withdrawn after the raid in fear of our special attacks," the Domei News Agency said.

In the same broadcast, however, Domei warned that the American carriers, battleships, cruiser and lesser craft of the raiding fleet were still hovering off the coast of Japan in position to resume the assault at any time.

Earlier enemy broadcasts said the carrier raids could be expected to continue for "several days." Domei said yesterday's bombing lasted for 12 hours, from 5 a. m. to 5 p. m. (Tokyo time) and estimated that as many as 1,200 Yank fighters, dive bombers and torpedo bombers took part in the attack.

It added the usual claim that "almost no damage" was inflicted in the target area and that 26 American planes were shot down.

TRAPHILL MAN STAGES BLITZ

William Holbrook Leads Local Police Merry Chase After Arrest Here

FACES THREE COUNTS

William Holbrook, of Traphill, was put in jail here Tuesday to meditate upon the error of his way after having aroused a disturbance in a local cafe here that resulted in his arrest, his escape, his re-arrest and practically all the charges police could think of to place against him.

According to local police, Holbrook, "mean drunk," drove up in his car Tuesday afternoon, parked it on Main street, and entered a local cafe where he called for beer. The waitress, noting his well oiled condition, refused to sell it to him, whereupon he was said to have grabbed her by the throat, and to have taken on all comers who came to her rescue.

When Policeman T. B. Sams was summoned, he arrested Holbrook after a struggle in which he sustained an injured hand, and led him off to the local hoosegow with a handcuff on one of his wrists. However, as he was unlocking the jail door, Holbrook broke loose and ran, and proceeded to lead practically all Elkin police a merry chase for quite sometime. Later, however, he was seen and recaptured by Policeman Ruffin Haynes near the home of George Chatham on North Bridge street, and placed safely in jail.

Officer Sams said that he was charged with operating an automobile while intoxicated, assault on a female, and affray.

YADKIN YOUTHS TAKEN SUNDAY

Are Said To Have Admitted Theft of Two Trailer Tires And Wheel

TWO ARE UNDER BOND

Troy Vestal, 16, of Arlington; Bill Ashley, 18, of the Knobs section of Yadkin county, and R. E. Garner, 15, of Winston-Salem, were arrested Sunday afternoon by Yadkin Deputies W. E. Wishon, of Yadkinville, and Fred Vestal, of Jonesville, on a charge of having stolen two trailer tires and a wheel from the trailer of Roy Newman early Sunday morning.



NURSES' AIDE CLASS GRADUATES HERE—Pictured above is the third Red Cross Nurses' Aide class to be graduated at Hugh Chatham Memorial Hospital here. This photo, made at graduation exercises held at the Gilvin Roth YMCA, pictures from left to right: Mrs. Jennie D. Hanks, Mrs. Olivia Royall, Mrs. Louise R. Bryan, Mrs. Elizabeth H. Harris, Mrs. Ruth J. Martin, Mrs. Effie Hanks, Mrs. Ruth Poston, Mrs. Bessie Gilliam and Mrs. Carolyn C. Roth. One member of the class, Mrs. Virginia S. Lewis, was not present when the picture was made. —Photo by Redmon.

Hospital Makes Appeal For More Blood Plasma

Weaver States Are Down To Only 7 Pints

Although blood plasma is urgently needed at Hugh Chatham Hospital at all times, the blood bank there was down to only seven pints as of Tuesday, Dr. C. C. Weaver, superintendent, announced in an appeal for blood donors.

Oftimes blood plasma, when readily available, spells the difference between life and death for a patient, it was said. But with the supply of plasma so dangerously low, the situation has become critical.

At least 100 pints of plasma should be on hand at all times. Dr. Weaver said, and he issued an appeal for donors to contribute their blood, pointing out that in many instances patients are too sick to wait the necessary time required for a donor-to-patient transfusion, which is oftentimes delayed by the difficulty in finding the right type of blood, or else the patient does not have the money to pay for this type of transfusion wherein the donor might make a charge for his blood.

"Who knows?" it was said, "but that the pint of blood given for the hospital blood bank might be instrumental in saving the life of a friend or even a member of the donor's immediate family."

Everyone wishing to give blood to the local blood bank may make necessary arrangements by contacting hospital officials.

CHATHAM WINS SAFETY AWARD

Is Second Certificate of Safety Achievement To Come To Local Plant

RECORD OUTSTANDING

For reducing lost time accidents more than 40 per cent for the first six months of 1945 over the corresponding period of 1944, the Chatham Manufacturing Company will receive another Certificate of Safety Achievement from the United States Department of Labor, it was learned Wednesday.

A comparative study of the company's lost time accident records shows a decrease of 63.1 per cent in the total number during the first six months of this year as compared with the same period in 1944, the best six months' record that has been made since the Safety Program was put into operation throughout the plant.

Twenty departments of the plant are recognized as "100 per cent safe departments" for the first six months of this year, and the following departments appear on the Chatham Safety Honor Roll: Binding, Burling, Card Room, Commissary, Dye House, Electrical, Napping, Office, Outside Force, Packing, Picker Room, Power Plant, Printing, Receiving, Shipping, Warp Room, Waste Room, Wet Finishing, and Wool Room.

C. J. Hyslop, director of safety, said that while no figures are available at this time, it is safe to assume that the reduction of 63.1 per cent will be among the highest in plants throughout the country.

It is expected the Safety Certificate will be presented to the company within the next few weeks.

Sephia Egg And Potato-Tomato Vines Newest

A sephia brown egg with a white stripe around the middle, plus a potato vine with small potatoes growing on the root end and small tomato-like somethings or other growing on the top of the vine, are the high spots of this week's Freak Department.

The egg was brought in by Mrs. Jack Royall, of near Thurmond, who said it was produced by a Barred Rock hen belonging to her daughter, Mrs. Lella Wilmouth, also of near Thurmond, and that the hen, after laying it, went about for several days speaking to absolutely nobody.

The combination potato-tomato vine was sent by a Tribune reader who lives on Route 7, Winston-Salem, but who asked that her name not be used. Both the egg and the potato-tomato vine are on the Freak Editor's desk in case anyone doesn't believe it.

JAYCEES HEAR TOWN OFFICIAL

Mayor Garland Johnson Is Speaker At Meeting Held Monday Night

WELCOME TWO MEMBERS

Mayor Garland Johnson was guest speaker at the meeting of the Elkin Junior Chamber of Commerce Monday evening, giving a financial report and an outline of the present administration.

P. O. S. of A. Is To Meet At Y July 16

There is to be a meeting of Washington Camp No. 36, Patriotic Order Sons of America, Monday evening, July 16, at 8:00 o'clock at the Gilvin Roth YMCA here for the purpose of reorganizing the P. O. S. of A. in Elkin, it has been announced by D. W. McCulloch, state secretary, of Lexington.

New Nurses' Aide Class Is To Start

Miss Roxie Bowen, chairman of the Red Cross Nurses' aide, announces the beginning of a new class this week. Fifteen persons enrolled at the first meeting on Tuesday, and anyone else wishing to train for a Nurses' aide may still join this class by enrolling at the Friday meeting. Classes will meet each Tuesday and Friday afternoons from one to four o'clock with Mrs. S. M. Beale again instructing the class.

CHATHAM FAIR BEGINS OCT. 4

To Stage "Chatham Revue of 1945" In Place of Annual Amateur Show

The Fifth Annual Chatham Employees' Fair will get under way in the YMCA gymnasium October 4, it has been announced. This year, instead of winding up the fair with an amateur show as in the past, the final night will feature the Chatham Revue of 1945.

C. J. Hyslop, who will direct the program, has announced that it will consist of a variety program arranged in five or six acts, featuring the best talent among Chatham employees and their families.

All participants in the show will be entered on a non-competitive basis, and no prizes will be offered for the best act.

COMMITTEE IS NAMED BY FSA

Plays Important Part Of Program Carried On Within Yadkin County

SHOWS BETTER METHODS

Hubert W. Cartner, Yadkin County FSA Supervisor announces the appointment of Sidney W. Vestal and Claude H. Hobson as members of the FSA Committee. Mr. Vestal replaces Charles H. Hutchens whose term expired June 30, 1945 and Mr. Hobson replaces Grady W. Miller. This vacancy being caused by Mr. Miller's resignation. Bloom C. Shore who has been serving on the Committee will continue to serve for another year.

The FSA Committee plays a very important part in the FSA Program that is carried on within a county. All applications are certified by the committee and in the case of loans to purchase farms, the farms and the loans are certified by the committee.

The committee also gives advice to FSA borrowers and assists whenever possible in teaching them better methods of farming. Mr. Cartner states that (Continued on page 8, 1st sec.)

Eclipse Here If Any, Wasn't So Very Hot

Some said they saw it and some said they didn't. Maybe it was all in the viewpoint. Anyway, the solar eclipse of the sun Monday morning, when the moon went sailing 'twixt it and the earth, didn't prove very exciting in these parts.

It hasn't been learned hereabouts just how much of the sun was obscured by the moon as seen from Elkin. Some say so much, and others say not so much. As for the Tribune's official observer, he isn't saying at all because, due to formations of clouds, he didn't see anything.

The eclipse was total along a 25-mile band angling north-eastward from Cascade, Idaho, through Montana and up into Canada, and the show there was short and sweet, with no more than 3 seconds of totality. But hereabouts it didn't even get a little darker insofar as could be noticed, and there hasn't been a single report of any chickens going back to roost.

E-Bond Quota Is Only Goal That Is Not Reached

Although final figures are not in, reports of the Federal Reserve Bank on Surry county War Bond sales in the Seventh War Loan Drive up to Monday show that Surry has exceeded its over-all quota of \$1,432,000 by 256 per cent. J. F. Yokley, of Mount Airy, Surry chairman, announced Wednesday.

Bonds sold now amount to \$3,665,426.50, or \$2,233,425.50 more than the assigned quota.

Individual Bond sales, which include E-Bonds and other series other than industrial types, now total \$1,630,856.50, or more in themselves than the entire over-all quota.

Only on E-Bonds has the county failed to reach its quota of \$756,000 sales now standing at \$622,338, or 83 or 1/3 per cent. However, Mr. Yokley said, when final figures are in he hopes that this figure will be larger.

All in all, Mr. Yokley told The Tribune, he thinks that Surry county citizens have done a remarkable job in their support of the Seventh War Loan drive, and he expressed his thanks, as Seventh War Loan Chairman for the county, to all workers in the campaign and to all who have purchased Bonds.

Complete and official figures will be received for publication next week, and these figures, swelled by last minute purchases, will make the impressive Surry county figures listed above, even larger.

KICK OF HORSE PROVES FATAL

Funeral Services For Rev. W. T. Crissman Held Saturday At Double Creek

WAS HURT ON JULY 4TH

Funeral services for Rev. William T. Crissman, 71, widely known Baptist minister, of Siloam, route 1, who died last Thursday night of injuries received when he was kicked by a horse the day before, were conducted at 3:00 p. m. Saturday afternoon at Double Creek Church, near Copeland. Rev. Scales Draughn and Rev. David Day officiated. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Rev. Crissman had been a minister for more than 25 years and had served Baptist churches in Surry, Stokes, Yadkin and Forsyth counties. At the time of his death he was pastor of Friendship Church in Yadkin county, New Bethel in Forsyth, and Slate Mountain, near Mount Airy, in this county.

He was married about 45 years ago to Miss Lillie Wood, who survives. Other survivors include a son, Clifford Crissman, of Siloam; two daughters, Mrs. Phyllo Baudgess, of Siloam, and Miss Ossie Crissman, of the home; two brothers, Burlie Crissman of East Bend, and George Crissman, of Vass; and one sister, Mrs. Nannie Whitaker, of Pilot Mountain.

CLUB TO HEAR GUEST SPEAKER

Dr. M. B. Stokes, Father of Methodist Minister, Will Address Kivansians

ENJOY QUIZ PROGRAM

Dr. M. B. Stokes, father of Dr. J. Lem Stokes, II, pastor of the Elkin Methodist Church, will be guest speaker at this evening's meeting (Thursday), of the Elkin Kiwanis Club, which will be held at the Gilvin Roth YMCA at 6:30 o'clock.

Walker Bible Class To Hear Dr. Stokes

Dr. M. B. Stokes, now on furlough from his work in Cuba, and visiting in the home of his son, Dr. J. Lem Stokes, II, will speak to the Walker Bible Class at the first Baptist church Sunday at 10:00 a. m. Visitors and members of the class are urged to be present.

Age Doesn't Mean A Thing To This Lady

Mrs. Susan Shuman, 88, of St. Louis, Mo., has completed her 27th trip from St. Louis to visit relatives at Pleasant Hill.

Reece Re-elected Association Head

J. Thad Reece, for the past several years moderator of the Yadkin Baptist Association, was unanimously re-elected as head of the association for another year at its annual session at Island Ford Baptist Church last week.

Extension Given C-3 Slaughterers

An extension of the registration date for class 3 slaughterers has been granted by OPA from June 30 to October 14. This was done because farmers do not slaughter livestock during summer months.