

New Destroyer Bears Name Of A Midway Hero

Widow Of Ensign Sponsors The Ellison; Husband, Torpedo 8

NEW YORK CITY, Mar. 19. (AP)—The U.S.S. Harold J. Ellison, a destroyer named in honor of an ensign who was killed in the

Battle of Midway in June, 1942, with twenty-eight of his thirty comrades of the Navy's famed Torpedo Squadron 8, was launched last week at the Bethlehem Steel Company's shipbuilding yard at Marietta Harbor, S. C.



PICTURED as he left the White House is Alberto Tarchiani, Italian Ambassador in the United States. The new envoy was described by President Roosevelt as "Democratic Italy's first ambassador to the United States after the dark fascist interval." (International)

GENEVA

By Mrs. M. E. Dooley

Lieut. Kenneth F. Harrison arrived in Geneva Monday on a 30-day leave from Lawson General Hospital Atlanta Ga. Lieut. Harrison was wounded May 2, 1944 while piloting a Liberator B-24 with 15th air force over Italy.

He was sent to the states by plane and landed in Miami in August, then to Rome Ga for a short time from there he was taken to Atlanta to the Lawson General Hospital late September where he has undergone a number of operations.

Lieut. Harrison is still in a room and a leg brace. He is getting ready to leave for home at the next time he comes home it will be his final trip from the hospital.

Mrs. E. H. Koster has as her guests two nurses, Mrs. M. and Mrs. J. Buchanan of Dayton, Ohio and Mrs. Pearl Roberts of Middletown, Ohio. Mrs. Koster's guests plan to spend some time with her.

Wednesday, Mar. 15 a number of friends surprised Mrs. Nellie Thomas on her birthday. A number of old fashioned games were enjoyed after which delicious refreshments of ice cream and a birthday cake were enjoyed by 23 persons.

On Tuesday, Mar. 13 Mrs. A. C. Allen entertained the Geneva Demonstration Club at her beautiful home. Mrs. Wilson, County Demonstration Agent, talked on clothing and demonstrated sewing machine attachments. The next regular meeting will be at the home of Mrs. C. A. Oldham April 10, 1945.

Mrs. Ed Putnam and daughter Mary and granddaughter, Barbara are visiting Mrs. Putnam's sister, Mrs. G. C. Le Fils. Mrs. Putnam's daughter's husband is with the 1st Army in Germany.

Thursday, the County Extension team will meet at the Geneva Community house with a covered dish luncheon at noon. Mrs. J. T. McLean, Jr. will conduct the business meeting.

Mrs. Ed Putnam of Ft. Wayne arrived at Guntersland and Manda.

Year of 1944 set More Financial Records Than Any Other In History

By HARVEY RUNNER

NEW YORK CITY, Mar. 19. (Special) The year 1944 set more economic records, on the high side than any year in the nation's history. While some of the accomplishments of 1944 were known at the year end, it is only in the last several days that enough statistical information has been compiled to give a clear view of just what happened. These facts and figures, collected by various government and business agencies show that 1944 was the nation's peak year.

Briefly, consumers received more dollars than in any previous year, spent more for goods and services than ever before and, at the same time, paid out more in taxes and put more away in savings than in any prior year.

Government expenditures likewise rose to new highs under the stimulus of war demands and the national debt grew sharply as Treasury receipts, even though the largest in history, were not large enough to meet increasing bills.

Corporate profits were a record, and the gross national product in 1944, the gross national product—the total value of goods and services flowing to government, to consumers, and for the purchase of gross capital formation to business—rose to a new peak of \$198,740,000,000 compared with \$187,000,000,000 in 1943.

The Department of Commerce explains that in current dollars this was more than twice the total production of 1939, the last full year unimpacted by rearmament and war.

INCOME PAYMENTS TO INDIVIDUALS—Such payments in 1944 aggregated \$159,777,000,000, a record flow that exceeded by an appreciable margin the previous peak of \$143,134,000,000 in 1941.

Government pay rolls, which include pay of the armed services and other employees, reached a peak of \$111,716,000,000 in 1944 up from \$101,791,000,000 in 1941.

CONSUMER EXPENDITURES—Consumers spent \$97,000,000,000 for goods and services in 1944, despite shortages of all kinds. This is a new high and compares with expenditures of \$89,700,000,000 in 1943. High-income consumers accounted for a part of the gain.

REAL ESTATE TRADE—Sales at retail prices in 1944 reached \$49,275,000,000, a 10 per cent jump over the previous peak of \$44,844,000,000 reported in 1943.

SAVINGS—Individuals had approximately \$39,000,000,000 left over at the end of 1944 after expenditures for goods and services and payments of all taxes, including income taxes. Based on Department of Commerce estimates since the volume of liquid assets, cash and United States government securities—held by individuals at close to \$150,000,000,000. Estimates based on Securities and Exchange Commission data indicate that cash holdings of individuals in 1944

was \$2,600,000, with average unemployment throughout the year at under 1,000,000 persons.

COST OF LIVING: Bureau of Labor statistics on the cost of living in large cities show a rise of 23 per cent between Jan. 15, 1944, and Jan. 15, 1945. The increase in living costs from Aug. 15, 1939, just before the outbreak of the European war, to Jan. 15, 1945, is placed at 28.9 per cent.

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AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION: Department of Agriculture figures show that the flow of commodities from the nation's farms was large enough to raise per capita civilian food consumption to the highest on record—39 per cent in excess of the 1935-39 average. This increase was effected despite the fact that military purchases aggregated more than 14 per cent of the 1944 food output and that lend-lease shipments and other exports accounted for an additional 7 per cent.

LABOR FORCE: In 1944 the nation's labor force, including those in the armed services, reached a peak of 64,000,000 persons. The Department of Commerce observes that this represents a new high in man power utilization and compares with a labor force of 54,500,000 in 1940. The civilian labor force in 1944

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S-Sgt. Bryan Hurt Wins Posthumous Award, Citation

(Continued from Page One) who fight today for the proud freedom of this nation...

In a citation of honor, Gen. Arnold stated: "He lives to beat his country's arms. He died to save its honor. He was a soldier and he knew a soldier's duty."

30,000 Germans Fleeing Saarland Face Entrapment

(Continued from Page One) ed with German troops fleeing the closing jaws of the Third and Seventh Armies...

While tanks were overrunning most of the city of 20,000 people in the Saar's east bank...

Nazi Archer Captured. Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton's armor and tanks now were on the Nahr River...



SPEEDING TOWARD THEIR TARGETS, a formation of B-29 Superfortresses fly high above the clouds in the stratosphere...



WHILE NEW OVER-THE-RHINE DRIVES were being made around Rheinfelden, in the Hagen section...

Market Director Warns Egg Prices Are Going Higher

(Continued from Page One) Annual average from \$2.90 to \$3.50. Squash sold from \$3.50 to \$4.00...

The Babcock vegetable movement picked up considerably last week. Squash sold from \$3.50 to \$4.00...

John Quinn Comes By Baseball Ways From His Father

By JOHN B. KELLEY AP New Features BOSTON. If good were to mean anything, John Quinn, the city's youngest general manager...

Balloon Barrage In Berlin Hunted Down

By HENRY H. JAMISON AP New Features LONDON. When the barrage balloons that helped guard London through two blitzes were sent down recently for the last time...

Kathleen Morrison Is Well Posted On Sherlock Holmes

By CARLOS BONCE AP New Features WASHINGTON. Kathleen Morrison, 30, a Washington, D. C., resident...

Legal Notice

IN THE COURT OF THE COUNTY OF SANFORD, FLORIDA. IN RE: ESTATE OF JAMES M. WYNN, deceased.



YOU GET A close view of her spotty bathing suit as Jo Anne Sikke comes up from the surf at a St. Petersburg, Fla. beach.

New And Tighter Squeeze On Home Front Predicted

(Continued from Page One) Army demands for shoes which, if not made in this country...

This means, selective Service said, that more men 20 and older must be drafted for combat re-placements.

Advertisement for 'THE GREATEST THRILL OF YOUR MOVIE GOING DAYS' featuring 'DANGEROUS JOURNEY' and 'RITZ-FRI-SAT'.

Large advertisement for cars featuring a man pointing at a sign that says 'DON'T Drive with your Fingers Crossed'. Signs for Plymouth, Dodge, DeSoto, and Chrysler are visible.

Advertisement for MOPAR parts and services, including 'FOR TROUBLE-FREE SPRING AND SUMMER DRIVING' and 'FOR YOUR OWN SAFETY HAVE YOUR BRAKES CHECKED TODAY'.

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Advertisement for 'TAKK & CO. BRONCHIAL IRRITATIONS' with a 'Touchoon Drug Co.' logo.

Advertisement for 'Boyle Exterminating Co.' offering 'Termite and Pest Control'.

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BIBLE VERSE FOR TODAY

IF YOUR FRIENDS ARE IN NEED GIVE TO THEM, BUT ENFORCING THEIR PROMISES MAY EASY YOUR FUTURE. My son, if thou art become surety for thy neighbor, if thou hast stricken thy hands for a stranger, thou art snared with the words of thy mouth.—Prov. 6:1, 2.

President Roosevelt says the people of this country are in for some more "belt-tightening" before this war is over. Who does he mean "more belt-tightening?" We have yet to find the first person on the home front who has lost weight during this war. Most of them have grown fat. The only belt-tightening we have heard about is mental, confined largely to those who think they are having a terrible time because they have to work, or carry ration books around with them.

Restaurant owners are roundly condemned because of the unsanitary conditions which exist in some of their kitchens. These are only partly washed in water that is not hot enough to sterilize, because hands of the help are not properly washed and some of them do not have health cards. Much as we loath unsanitary conditions, we cannot find it in our hearts to blame the restaurant owner. It is hard to get help of any kind these days. It is dangerous to suggest that they wash the dishes cleanly they might quit.

Joe Fay, vice president of the International Union of Operating Engineers, and James Bova, vice president of the International Rod Carriers Union, have been convicted of conspiracy and the extortion of money from contractor who built New York City's Delaware water project, and now face prison sentences aggregating 18 years. These two men were first exposed by Westbrook Pegler when the Tampa Tribune says, "Pegler has been consistently attacking the records of Fay and Bova and he can now mark up two more victims of his constant crusade against racketeering labor bosses."

Rents in Sanford have gone up on the average somewhat less than 50 percent during the past year more than anywhere else in Florida. But rents paid by some individuals have gone up 100 or 200 percent. The man who used to pay \$50 a month rent and now pays \$10 has had an increase of only 50 percent, but the man who used to pay \$1.50 and now pays \$3.00 is paying 100 percent more. And the tough part about it is that there are many more people whose rents have gone up from \$1.50 to \$3.00 than there are who are now paying \$75.00 instead of \$50.

The Duke of Windsor has resigned his post as governor of the Bahamas after four years in which he vastly improved the islands and did more to raise the standard of living for the people there than had been done in the previous 100 years. It is too bad that prejudice against this man, trained to govern an empire, should have restricted his usefulness to several small islands. It is too bad, such as men of ability are needed in this old world, that he is expected to reside in the prime of life instead of being given an important assignment where he better than anyone else could accomplish.

William L. White, end of the late Kansas editor William Allan White, writes his conclusions on Russia after a six weeks' visit there. "Report on the Russian side of the Russian war, that he likes the Russians but not their system. All want the same things as Americans; they don't have them because competition, and Russia are mediocre." "The way to understand Russia," concludes Mr. White, "is not to memorize the long words economists use. It is to go some place where they don't have any. . . . A lot of boys have been where they don't have civilization, or much of it, in the last few years. We hope they will return home with a better appreciation than they ever had before of the American way of life."

Illiteracy

Illiteracy in the United States is becoming the starting point, according to the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, which points out that an entirely false impression to the contrary has been created by the large numbers of men rejected for military service because they did not meet the relatively high standards of education or intelligence required in modern warfare. Comparing the education status of white persons between the ages of 26 and 29 in the years 1920 and 1940, the Metropolitan shows that only two-thirds of one per cent at these ages in 1940 had never attended school, as against 4 per cent in the same age group in 1920.

If the basis is broadened to include those of this age who had not attained at least four years schooling, it is found that the ratio among white males declined from 8.8 per cent in 1920 to 2.2 per cent in 1940, while among white females it dropped from 8.0 per cent to 1.7 per cent.

"In short," says the company, "whether we consider illiteracy in the restricted or in the broader sense, we find that the improvement in the last 20 years has exceeded 75 per cent.

"In a large and indeed dominant section of the population, the gains have been even more spectacular. In that part of the country lying outside of the Southern States, less than 1 per cent of the white population aged 25-29 in 1940 had failed to attend school at all or to complete four years of schooling. In the generation 20 years earlier, the corresponding ratio was about 8 per cent. The decline in this wide area, therefore, was 87 per cent since the first World War.

In the South, also, important gains have been made. The proportion with schooling at all has declined about 60 per cent since 1920 while the proportion with less than 4 years of school attendance has been reduced 50 per cent during this interval.

"Certainly," comments the Metropolitan, "while there are areas in which education is still deficient and above which we cannot be complacent, there is little in the overall record to cause great concern or self-reproach. On the contrary, a gain of 75 per cent against illiteracy in less than one generation is a very considerable achievement."

Postwar Relief

Not all of the employment and relief problems after this war are going to center around returned veterans. This was demonstrated recently by the action of the Cleveland City Council which approved a relief division appropriation three times the size of its present one. Commissioner Frank G. Jones explained that the money would be needed after the war ends.

There are, he said, in that manufacturing center, thousands of what relief agencies term "partial employables." These are men and women who can do very little real work, for physical reasons, and in normal times can't compete in the labor market. Today they are all working, and earning enough to keep themselves off relief rolls. As a result Cleveland has a case load of only 780 families. But the minute the men and women who can do a full day's work return to their jobs, the city expects a jump to about 8,000 cases, most of these "partial employables."

It is wise to foresee the need. Some communities may escape it. But other districts which will be faced with a similar condition might do well to consider their answers to this problem now, in making their own postwar plans.

Muddy Writers

Something will have to be done about people who use long words just for the sake of using them. Ivor Brown, editor of The London Observer, says that some commentators are capable of sentences like this: "In the opinion of authoritative circles at the high levels, it is considered that the situation is showing an increasing tendency to deteriorate." Meaning "Those who know say that things will get worse."

The next translation of the Bible, Mr. Brown fears, will discard the phrase "heal the sick," and substitute something like "rehabilitate those who are suffering from psychophysical maladjustment."

Nearly every office has some one who would write like this if not restrained. Contrast such muddy writing with the words of Field Marshal Montgomery: "I am never anxious when I fight my battles. If I am anxious, I don't fight them. I wait until I am ready."

SANFORD FORUM

Mr. Roland Dean
Sanford Herald
Sanford, Florida
Dear Sir:

Not long ago you carried a paragraph on Henry Wallace discussing his fitness for the Secretary of Commerce position, in which you asked the question: "Would you entrust your money to Mr. Wallace?" I have carefully considered your question, and cannot find any answer but wholehearted "Yes." Where would you look to find a man universally considered more honest or of higher personal integrity? As for his qualifications . . . as an administrator he ran his 100,000 employee Department of Agriculture so well as to establish a mark for future Secretaries to aim at . . . as a businessman he built up his own business into millions of dollars volume and his private income into triple that he received as a cabinet member. Yes, he could handle my money for me. But definitely!

But to handle the government money? There another factor other than honesty and ability must be considered. After all, I might want my private money loaned to man like Ford, or DuPont, or General Motors, where whooping and returns are the only factors. However, I would like my government's money loaned

to businessmen who would use it for the people's benefit as well as their own . . . with the goals of fuller employment, improved standards of living and the public welfare as added factors for consideration. Henry Wallace would have been the right man for the job but there are a few selfish interests who wield considerable influence. Enough to convince millions of little people that Wallace is a "dreamer," or a "crackpot."

Well, they said that about a lot of others. Wallace has the company of Jesus, Moses, Amos, Pasteur, Edison, Columbus and a host more. If the people knew who were their friends, would their enemies ever get into public office?

Sincerely,
Frank J. Shames

Appendicitis
By W. V. Bittig
Teuchton Drug Co.

ALMOST QUITTING TIME



ANTI-RACE DISCRIMINATION

WASHINGTON, Mar. 14 (Special).—The new Senate Committee on Labor will hold hearings on a bill to set up a permanent Federal Fair Employment Practices Commission. Such a commission already exists, but does not have statutory authority. It was set up by an executive order of President Roosevelt as a wartime agency. The present proposal in Congress is to make the commission permanent.

In this proposal hearings have already been held in the House. As a result of the House hearings, a bill has been written. It is H. R. 2242. What is here written is based on the language of the bill and testimony at the hearing held by the House committee.

The bill prohibits, and penalizes, discrimination in employment "because of race, color, national origin, or ancestry." The bill applies to all employers of more than five persons and to labor unions. (The bill applies also to some other groups.)

Terms of Bill Cited
As to labor unions, the prohibition is that they must not deny full membership rights, or other wise "discriminate."

As to employers, the prohibition is that they must not "refuse to hire," or "discharge," or "discriminate" in "compensation" or in other terms or conditions of employment.

For enforcing these and other prohibitions, the proposed permanent Fair Employment Practices Commission is empowered to order any one whom the commission deems guilty of discrimination to "cease and desist" from this order of the commission, not obeyed, the commission has authority to apply to a United States court. The court is empowered to require the defendant employer or labor union to obey. If the defendant does not obey, the court is empowered to punish his disobedience as contempt of court. In addition, any person who "shall wilfully resist . . . or interfere with" any member or agent of the commission, is punishable by fine up to \$5,000.

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NOTHING BUT TROUBLE

Douglas MacArthur Played Baseball At West Point

By FRANK ECK
AP Newfeature Sports Writer
WEST POINT, N. Y., (AP)—Douglas MacArthur was one of the most studious men ever to receive a second lieutenant's commission at the U. S. Military Academy. But the present five-star general now commanding the armies in the Southwest Pacific usually found time for baseball.

He played in the first Army Navy baseball game in 1901. He played for field and base of the Army's first run while but long second in the Junior League. It was center field in 1902. He was center field in 1903. He was center field in 1904. He was center field in 1905. He was center field in 1906. He was center field in 1907. He was center field in 1908. He was center field in 1909. He was center field in 1910. He was center field in 1911. He was center field in 1912. He was center field in 1913. He was center field in 1914. He was center field in 1915. He was center field in 1916. He was center field in 1917. He was center field in 1918. He was center field in 1919. He was center field in 1920. He was center field in 1921. He was center field in 1922. He was center field in 1923. He was center field in 1924. He was center field in 1925. He was center field in 1926. He was center field in 1927. He was center field in 1928. He was center field in 1929. He was center field in 1930. He was center field in 1931. He was center field in 1932. He was center field in 1933. He was center field in 1934. He was center field in 1935. He was center field in 1936. He was center field in 1937. He was center field in 1938. He was center field in 1939. He was center field in 1940. He was center field in 1941. He was center field in 1942. He was center field in 1943. He was center field in 1944. He was center field in 1945.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur was stationed in the Philippines soon after his graduation. He later participated in the Philippine expedition. Dressed as a young man speeded behind the Mexican lines.

In France in World War I he was in the staff of the famous "Black Horse" cavalry brigade. There is a photograph of him in the staff of the Cavalry Brigade at Meuse. In later years his only sports discrimination was as a president of the 1928 American Olympic Committee. He went to Holland with selection by high school and high school athletes as Johnny Weisskopf person. I am sure that his examination is a credit to the Army chief of staff.

MacArthur was promoted to the rank of full general in 1930. He was promoted to the rank of lieutenant general in 1937. He was promoted to the rank of major general in 1943. He was promoted to the rank of lieutenant general in 1944. He was promoted to the rank of major general in 1945.

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Social And Personal Activities

Social Calendar

TUESDAY
The R. W. Ware Bible Church, of the First Methodist Church, which was scheduled to meet at the home of Mrs. Clarence Wynn, will meet in the Church Annex following the Quarterly Conference, which all members are urged to attend.

WEDNESDAY
The Service Wives' Club will hold its regular meeting in the library of the USO at 8:00 P. M. Final plans for a picnic at Sando Springs will be made and all members are urged to attend.

THURSDAY
The "Luce Department" of the Sanford Woman's Club will have a luncheon-meeting at 12:30 P. M.

FRIDAY
The Red Cross Benefit Concert, sponsored by the Woman's Club, will be presented at 8:15 P. M. Tickets are on sale at Kader's Jewelry Store for a nominal sum.

The regular meeting of the Seminole Hebrew Lodge Number 43 will hold a meeting in the I.O.O.F. Hall at 8:00 P. M. All members and visiting members are urged to attend.

Nancy Rountree Is Honored With Party

Celebrating her ninth birthday, Nancy Rountree was honored with a party, given by her mother, Mrs. A. D. Rountree, Monday afternoon at the "Brownie" hut.

The honoree was seated in the birthday chair while her friends sang "Happy Birthday" to her, after which she opened her gifts. Paper hats and candy favors of pink and green were presented to the children and Janice Kinlaw and Betty Hampp won prizes in a "guessing" contest.

Refreshments of ice cream and cup cakes, frosted in green with pink lighted candles were served by Mrs. Rountree, assisted by Miss Mabel Chapman, Miss Mary Ellen Iverson, Mrs. Ellen Drugger and Miss Barbara McNabb.

Invited to be with Nancy were Janice Reel, Shirley Laska, An Raborn, Doris Jones, Dora Brownson, Marjorie June King, Violet Spivey, Jeannette Cleveland, Carole David, Betty Hampp, Helen Alexander, Janice Kinlaw, Jeanne Lane Miller, Louise McAlexander, Betty Jo Sparkman, Carol Jean Shuppitt, Sylvia Hays and Dick Rountree.

Personals

Mrs. James Crapps left this morning for Salt Lake City, Utah where she will be the guest of Mrs. Paul Witzner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Swanson have moved from 1112 Oak Avenue to their new home on West First Street.

Lt. Larry Moses, Mrs. Moses and their son, Jerry of Valdosta, Ga. spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. A. Whitton.

Miss Elsie Hagan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hagan, has graduated with honors from the University of Delaware, receiving the A.B. degree. During her college career she has been a member of the Psi Chi society and the Baptist Student Union. She has also done some tutoring. Miss Hagan plans to enter the field of elementary teaching.

Mr. and Mrs. Hagan are both graduates of the University of Delaware and are now teaching in the same school.

Audrey Jane Harris To Wed To G. Magge

Audrey Jane Harris will be married to G. Magge on March 16th at the home of Mrs. Paul Witzner. The bride is a graduate of Huntington High School and of Marshall College, Huntington, W. Va. She was a member of College Theta, Kappa Delta Phi, National Honor Society, Phi Kappa Phi Fraternity, and was the Art staff of the college yearbook. For three years she taught Art in the public schools of Chilochoe, Ohio. At present she is an Artist-III Instructor with the Ohio Strip Production Section at AFTAC, Volcano. She is a niece of Mrs. J. E. Spurling of this city.

The groom, G. Magge, graduated from Huntington High School and also attended Marshall College in Huntington, W. Va. He has been employed in the office of the W. P. C. K. K. K. Co. and has been a member of the Civil Air Corps. He is a graduate of the University of Delaware and is now employed with the Owens-Illinois Glass Company, Huntington, W. Va. At present he is stationed at Fort Meade, Del.

No definite wedding plans are being announced.



WIFE OF G. MAGGE... (The caption is partially obscured and difficult to read.)

MISS McCALL HONORED

Miss Doris McCall of Sanford, was in the list of honor students for the second half of the year to quarter at Tennessee College for Women at Murfreesboro according to a release from the school Friday.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Saturday
Miss Mary Sphibon
Lita Hutchinson
Walter Bud

USO Club Entertains With Birthday Party

Celebrating St. Patrick's Day and the birthday of the USO Club, members of the local USO Club entertained at a party Friday evening at the USO Club.

Highlight of the evening was a party and singing contest, in which Mrs. H. J. Smith, who was also master of ceremonies for the hour show, presided over the singing.

At the conclusion of the party, dancing and music were furnished by the USO Club.

Refreshments were served by the members of the club, and the evening was a most enjoyable one.

Circle Three Plans To Visit "Shut Ins"

The Circle Three Baptist Church made plans to visit the "shut ins" at the home of Mrs. W. P. Hanson, Park Avenue.

Mrs. E. M. Carson, church chair woman, presided over the meeting.

The party was held at the home of Mrs. W. P. Hanson, Park Avenue.

Refreshments were served by the members of the club, and the evening was a most enjoyable one.

Red Cross Concert To Be Given Friday

A concert for the benefit of the Red Cross will be given Friday evening at the USO Club.

The concert will be given by the members of the local Red Cross chapter.

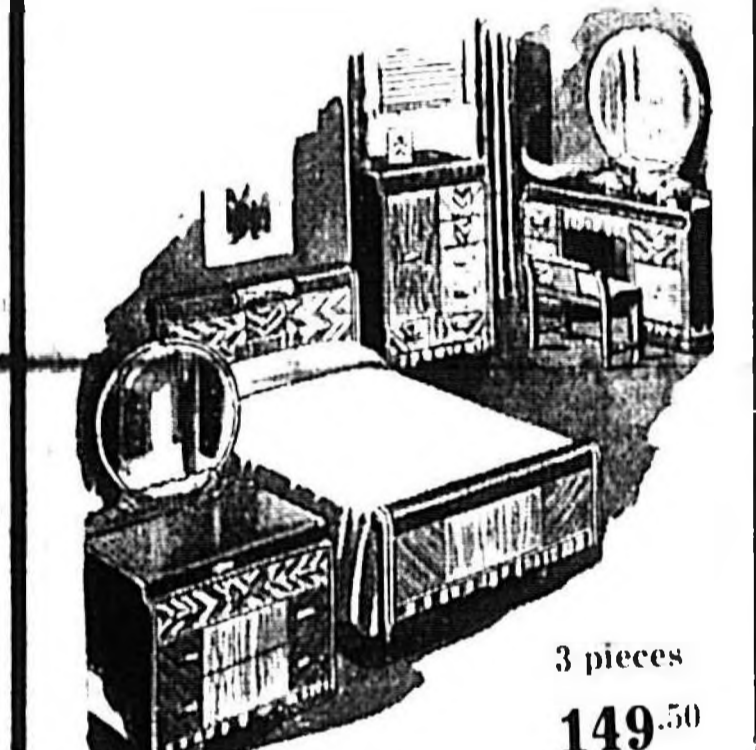
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Mrs. John Cullum Is Hostess To Circle

Mrs. John Cullum was hostess to the Circle Three Baptist Church on Friday evening at her home on Maple Street.

The party was held at the home of Mrs. John Cullum, Maple Street.

Refreshments were served by the members of the club, and the evening was a most enjoyable one.

Mrs. Wacker Honors Guests At Luncheon

Mrs. Wacker honored her guests at a luncheon held at her home on Friday.

The luncheon was held at the home of Mrs. Wacker, Park Avenue.

Refreshments were served by the members of the club, and the evening was a most enjoyable one.

Baptist Co-eds Have Chicken Pilau Supper

The Co-Ed Class of the First Baptist Church enjoyed a chicken pilau supper Friday evening at the church annex.

The supper was held at the church annex, Park Avenue.

Refreshments were served by the members of the club, and the evening was a most enjoyable one.

Methodist W. S. C. S. Has Program Meeting

Mrs. E. A. Lonsberg, secretary of the W. S. C. S., presented the program at the meeting of the W. S. C. S. held Monday afternoon.

The meeting was held at the church annex, Park Avenue.

Refreshments were served by the members of the club, and the evening was a most enjoyable one.

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Adjustments To Civilian Practice After War Troubles Army Doctors

By Dr. Alan Gregg
Director of the Medical Sciences of the Rockefeller Foundation

The main question now troubling thousands of doctors in military service is "How can I prepare myself to practice medicine in civilian life?" The older men are worrying about brushing up and catching up. They know that at present they are not keeping abreast of progress. The younger men whose medical course was accelerated and whose internship was cut down are even more concerned by the realization that they have forgotten much and

missed more of all that goes to make a good doctor.

With an American medical school graduating five to six thousand doctors a year, and most of these graduates entering the service, there will be certainly fifteen thousand and probably twenty-five thousand doctors seeking post-graduate training during the first two post war years. Eighty per cent of the graduates of the last five years are asking for it—as shown by a large survey conducted by the American Medical Association.

They want internships and re-



An artist's model of the statue being erected to the memory of Dr. Albert A. Murphy, who for 47 years served as president of the University of Florida. Paul Manship, noted New York Sculptor is creating the statue. Climate of the drive for \$20,000 to erect the memorial will be completed May 1 in the University Auditorium. Dr. James Milton, Metro politan Opera Star and an alumnus of the University

Many Civilians Still Sail Atlantic Ocean

By THOMAS A. BOYNTON
AP Newfeatures Writer

NEW YORK — Want to sail to Europe? Approximately 12,000 paying passengers a year have since the United States entered the war. In peacetime, the figure was over 400,000 annually.

Portuguese and Spanish lines have maintained over 200,000 tons of passenger-cargo shipping on the Atlantic run. These are not luxury liners, but the accommodations are reported "comfortable." Some boats carry four, some 12, some 400 passengers. The trip takes 12 to 14 days.

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There are one or two months of waiting while investigation goes on, passports and visas are issued and bookings are made.

The bulk of people who ask to go across aren't eligible, according to A. P. St. Thomas, New York agent of the Portuguese Steamship Lines.

He explained that in New York alone, an average of 25 would call every day. Most want to go to England or France to see a relative in the service. The answer always is the same: "No!"

For those who can get booking, the trip is considered safe. Germany and the Allies allow safe conduct.

Need For Good Horses In America Is Emphasized By Remount Service

AP Newfeatures

WASHINGTON — While the horse has ceased to be of primary importance in a number of fields, this fact makes it imperative that the existing horse population of the United States must be of as high quality as possible.

It is well to point out, therefore, that the horse is a product of nature, unlike many requirements needed during emergencies. It cannot be produced hurriedly. It requires five years to produce an adequately matured horse.

While the government cannot undertake to embark upon a program of wholesale horse production in order to assure an adequate reserve of good horses, it has provided a plan by which the quality of American horses can be consistently improved. This is the Army Horse Breeding Program instituted by Congress and administered by the Remount Service, Quartermaster Corps.

Essentially, the plan is as follows:

The Remount Service acquires thoroughbred stallions of the type suitable for producing foals of the kind desired for riding and other military purposes. The stallions are placed in the hands of civilian agents in horse-producing areas by contract or agreement to be charged with the training and maintenance of the stallions. The stallions are replaced every four years or so when the stallion's object file becomes of breeding age.

The Army has no claim or lien whatsoever on the colts produced from its stallions; however, it does offer the producer a potential market for his horses since such producers are obviously the best sources for horses for replacement.

With no precedents to follow, and no past experience to guide it, the Army's Horse Breeding Program started in 1937. It was inaugurated in 1939, and after a quarter century a number of concrete results are evident. At that time a considerable Army horse of one breed had a predominance of such characteristics:

terrible was an exception rather than the rule, now, military horses average at least one-half pure blood.

The program has brought about in this country the assembly of a large group of fine riding horse sires which compare favorably with any in the world; each must measure up to exacting standards as to size, conformation and breeding soundness. They are generally distributed in such a way as to make their services available to virtually all riding horse breeders.

Also, popular appreciation and knowledge of better horses has been fostered through the peacetime years by dissemination of information, the sponsorship of breeding classes, exhibition of breeding stock at horse shows and fairs, and by referring to high standards and requirements in making horse procurements for the Army.

An apparent result of the program's activities over the past year or so is attributed to a number of factors, the chief of which is the tight manpower situation. Remount personnel has been pared to a minimum while farm manpower shortages have caused stockmen to arrange for breeding only their top producers.

The following figures for mares bred to Army stallions are given for comparative purposes: in 1940, 17,175; in 1941, 17,983; in 1942, 18,258; and in 1943, 14,349. Figures for 1944 are not yet available.

Remount activities stem from the Office of the Quartermaster General in Washington where the Chief of Remount serves as an assistant to the Quartermaster General. It is his responsibility to direct and supervise the breeding program and procurement of animals for use of the Army. Operations in the field are conducted through the six Remount Area headquarters and horses

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schools, the kind that include first-aid teaching and guidance. Having been in Army pay they cannot afford to wait long after discharge. Like most returned soldiers seeking further education, they will be eager to work, critical of poor teaching and terribly in earnest.

Schools Lack Facilities

Our medical schools and their teaching hospitals, however, they are not in a position to do this. Left off the teaching material to meet the demand they expect from the doctors returning from the military service.

If the Army will allow teachers of medicine to return ahead of other doctors, an otherwise inevitable shortage of teachers will be prevented. But other steps must be taken. One of them is particularly the correcting of the inadequacy of clinical teaching material. I advise one of the most curious of the layman's misunderstandings of the practice of medicine. Even hospital trustees have been known to share this faulty notion.

The misunderstanding is that when you are busy in a hospital, and you cannot be demonstrated at a clinic or used for teaching, you are rather generously compensated. It is not so. It is more and well being in the advantage of students or the professional zeal of your doctor, and the nothing else is involved. That is false.

There is another side to it, of immense importance to you as the patient. It is this: When you are used for teaching purposes or even for a clinical demonstration, the story of your illness is more accurately and more fully recorded. Your physical examinations are done more carefully, the laboratory work is more generously ordered and more cautiously scrutinized and your treatment watched more closely.

To be used for teaching purposes has some of the advantages of an early consultation. It is of very great protection and value to the patient. So few people realize that to ask to be used for teaching is the most self-interested bit of self-interest with which they could protect themselves in sickness.

Interns Need Guidance

Though there are many, civilian hospitals having no interns or residents, the great majority of hospitals provide internships and often residencies as well but

without adequate supervision or guidance. No returning doctor wants the kind of internship that teaches him nothing but something he already knows—that he has lost his full competence in civilian medicine as a sacrifice to military need. Perhaps it is just as well to note that in justice to his patients no hospital can afford to ignore the need of returning doctors for teaching.

An unexpected result of the war may be this: that the needs of our returning doctors for further education will stimulate the American people into realizing that the best care is likely to be in the hospital that gives clearest attention to teaching, and that in self-protection we must help to provide for doctors the opportunity to learn as well as to practice medicine.

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SEE CHICK! HE CAN SIGHT IN FRONT OF THE CAR!

THESE THE DOOR BELL I RANGED THE NET!

WHERE IS HE?

IN THE KITCHEN OH, IT'S AWFUL! HE JUST LIES THERE!

STAND BACK! GIVE THE DOG AIR!

PETE! IF ANY THING HAPPENS TO HIM, I'LL NEVER SPEAK TO YOU AGAIN. SO HELP ME!

HONEST! HE (WISHED) IN FRONT OF MY LAIR SO QUICK I DIDN'T HAVE TIME TO STOP OR NOTHING!

HOW IS HE DOING?

BAD NEWS! HE'S UNUSUAL!

WILL HE PULL THROUGH?

CANT TELL YET! BUT WHILE THERE'S LIFE, THERE'S HOPE!

THE DOG IS CONSCIOUS!

WILL HE LIVE? HE'S JUST GOTTA!

FUNNY! HE DOESN'T TAKE AN INTEREST IN ANY THING!

HE WON'T EVEN EAT!

WAIT! I MADE SOME SOUP FOR THE POOR THING!

HE MISSES HIS MASTER! HE'S URJIVING HIMSELF TO DEATH!

ISN'T THERE ANYTHING WE CAN DO?

POOR DOG! HE JUST LIES THERE!

LOOK!

HE'S TRYING TO RAISE HIS HEAD!

HE HEARS SOMETHING!

THE MAILMAN'S WHISTLE!

HE ALWAYS WENT FOR THE MAIL!

HEY! HE'S WAGGING HIS TAIL! I'LL BET THERE IS A LETTER FROM PIDGE!

YIP! THERE IS A LETTER FROM PIDGE!

SWELL! HOPE HE CAN GET HOME!

HE KNOWS WHO IT'S FROM! LOOK AT HIM WAS HIS TAIL!

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Last Of Nazis Being Driven Across Rhine

3rd And 7th Armies Join To Launch Offensive Gaining Half Dozen Cities

Four columns of the U. S. Third Army closed in today on bomb-wrecked Ludwigshafen-Mannheim, two of them from positions six miles away, and disorganized German remnants were lashed by air fleets as they fled from the Saarland and Palatinate lost to an American drive which cost the Nazis 80,000 or more casualties.

Half a dozen industrial centers and scores of smaller towns have fallen to the offensive of the reunited U. S. Third and Seventh armies. The Seventh, bursting through the Wissembourg gap to the Palatinate was obliterating the last Nazi wedge west of the Rhine. The Allies now hold all the middle Rhine's west bank and 25 miles of east bank.

With three Allied armies awaiting the signal for a push across the lower Rhine, part of the fleet of 1,000 U. S. bombers and 700 fighters battered airfields in northwest Germany. Others aimed the Russians by attacking a tank plant at Plauen near the Czechoslovak border.

The first White Russian army, holding virtually the entire east bank of the Oder River from the Baltic to the Neisse River, made its gains at the edge of Sattin, Berlin's light rail station. Berlin's light rail station is a city of 135,000 population and the capital and economic center of the industrial state.

Under the unrelenting assault (Continued on Page Two)

Romance Launched With Ship



A LOVE STORY as well as a ship was launched when the U. S. S. Harold J. Ellison, 2200-ton destroyer, slid down the ways at Staten Island, N. Y., shipyard. It was then that Tom Hays, head of Broadway star (shown at right) declared his love for the young Mr. Hays, Jr. (center) sole survivor of the Tampa Spanish Legion platoon which turned the tide in the Battle of Midway. The ship was lost and here Mrs. Faye Ellison (shown at left) christened the ship "International."

Stirring Scenes American Legion On Iwo Jima Told Stresses Need Of By Lieut. Bishop Service Officer

Local Man Says Japs Can Shoot And Have Good Equipment

First Lieut. George Donald (Buddy) Bishop Jr. landed on Iwo Jima with the only complete artillery battalion of Marines to go ashore on D Day, according to reports received recently by his parents.

Writing of the stirring scenes he witnessed, Lieut. Bishop said, "One of the most heart-breaking things I've seen here was on D plus three when the Marines secured Mount Suribachi, the volcano on the southern tip and the main objective of the landing on top." He mentioned the fact that it was a relief not to have to "worry about our rear area."

The Sanford man, relating his first days of battle for supremacy of the island wrote, "We came ashore about 11 plus six or seven hours on D Day and it was that night and the following two days and nights that were the worst. The Japs did a thorough job of pasting us with mortar fire and artillery fire. We had no cover and were lucky not to have more."

"Don't let anyone tell you these Japs can't shoot or don't have good equipment," he wrote that night and the following two days of D Day. "There were several times I was digging with my hands and feet and nose."

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Lieut. Loyce Forgunson Is Instructor Now

LUBBOCK ARMY AIR FIELD, Lubbock, Texas, Mar. 21, (Special)—Lieut. Loyce E. Forgunson, son of Mrs. Hilda Forgunson of 309 W. Ninth Street, Sanford, and a veteran of many months of overseas combat duty, has completed an advanced course of instruction in instrument pilot training at this big Army Air Field school and has returned to his base station to train other fliers in the latest methods of "all weather instrument flying."

Lieut. Forgunson was on duty in the European Theater of Operations as a P-51 pilot until returning in November, 1944. He is a graduate of the Seminole High School. Upon completion of his training at AAF he returned to his base station at Spence Field, Ga.

S-Sgt. James F. Young Honorably Discharged

MIAMI BEACH, Mar. 21 (Special)—S/Sgt. James F. Young, son of Mrs. M. H. Young, and husband both of Sanford, Fla., who was honorably discharged, for reasons of physical disability, from the United States Army at AAF Regional and Convalescent Hospital, Miami District.

Serving as a gunner with the AAF, Sgt. Young participated in 20 combat missions in the European Theater of Operations, and was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Air Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters and the Purple Heart.

A former student of Seminole High School, Sgt. Young was employed by Homer Little and Co., prior to his enlistment in July, 1940.

Three Colored Boys Arrested For Theft

Three small negro boys from Sanford, two of them eight years of age and the other ten, were taken in custody by police in DeLand Monday after they had attempted to buy tickets for Philadelphia, and had displayed a huge roll of bills. The ticket agent, suspicious, notified the police.

Some time earlier, the Sanford police department had been notified by 1213 West Fugate Street that money totalling \$450, hidden in different places in his house had been stolen. He reported also that a window screen had also been torn open in his house. It was discovered by police that Siplin's grandson had been one of the youths seized in DeLand. Out of the \$450 which the boys had taken, \$317 was recovered, according to Police Chief Roy O. Williams. Siplin was taken to DeLand where he identified his grandson and the other two boys.

Cpl. Edward C. Daniels Wounded At St. Croix

WITH THE BETH CONValescent CENTER IN ENGLAND, Mar. 21, (Special)—Cpl. Edward C. Daniels, 21, of Sanford, has returned to his United States Army convalescent center from wounds received at St. Croix in France, Nov. 26, 1944.

While at this hospital he received expert medical care, followed by a period of convalescence. He has now been released for a return to duty.

Members of an infantry unit he served in the army in October, 1942. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Daniels live on Twentieth Street.

Japanese Fleet Is Crippled By Raid Of More Than 1,000 Carrier Planes

Arnold Haverlee Tells Rotarians Of Danish Press

Underground Activities Are Described At Inter-City Meet

The work of the underground press in the Nazi-occupied countries of Europe was explained to Rotarians Monday night by Arnold Haverlee, American-born Denmark-educated newspaper correspondent, now vacationing in Winter Park, who cautioned Americans to work harder and look less concluding with the statement that "The United States has been very fortunate not to have to fight this war within the United States."

The occasion was a joint meeting of the Sanford-New Smyrna Clubs at the Mayfair Hotel at which President Roy Holler welcomed the visiting delegation from the coast and President Nels J. Waters of the New Smyrna club, announced that the November time next was project of the Sanford Rotary Club would be the construction of a new highway from Sanford to New Smyrna.

"This project," he said, "which will eliminate the traffic jam and bring Sanford within much shorter distance of the world's safest beach has already been surveyed, approved by the state and county commissioners and the money allotted. All that remains to be done is to secure the necessary materials and labor and these will be secured as soon as the war is over."

Mr. Haverlee, who was introduced by G. W. Spencer, said (Continued on Page Two)

Pioneers Entertained At Lake Mary



A section of the more than 1,000 carriers which were used in the raid on the Japanese fleet in the Philippines. The raid was a major success for the U. S. Navy, crippling 17 warships, sinking or damaging 13 merchant vessels, and destroying 175 aircraft in a two-day foray. Admiral Chester Nimitz today announced the crippling damage, inflicted without loss of a single American warship.

Two Negro Boys Are Drowned As Rowboat Drifts

Bodies Are Found In Lake Monroe By Lee And Deputy Hickson

Two small negro boys were drowned late Tuesday afternoon in Lake Monroe when the rowboat in which they had been playing drifted into the lake. The boys, whose bodies were recovered by Deputy Sheriff Jack Hickson and City Patrolman J. J. Lee, were Henry Leslie, 11, of West Eleventh Street and Albert Brown, 11, of Eleventh Street.

Jim Willis, 430 Maple Street, Orlando, was motoring in Lake Shore Boulevard at 6:30 p. m. when he spotted a rowboat drifting in the lake. He stopped his car and went to the boat, where he found the bodies of the two boys. He called the police, who arrived at the scene at about 8:30 p. m. The bodies were recovered and taken to the morgue.

26 States And 9 Foreign Nations At Pioneer Night

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Radio Tokyo reported American carrier forces were within 60 miles of the homeland and would return for further attacks. A government spokesman said new fortifications are being built throughout Japan to repel an invasion.

The Japanese of the Philippines panicked. General MacArthur captured San Francisco, an important port north of Manila.

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State and County Taxes Payable By Apr. 1

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