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# ALLIED AIR-FLEETS OPEN BATTLE OF ITALY

BLASTING MACHINE-Mortars such as one shown here proved valuable weapons in

blasting the Axis forces out of hills of Sicily, where mountainous regions provided hiding

BLESSED SLEEP-Folks who complain about war-time inconveniences might consider

Captain O. Paul Herzig, of Bristol, R. I., who gets his first sleep in 36 hours. He's bedded

down in a sleep trench near Castle di Tusa, Sicily. Picture was taken after American forces

captured town. Trench is at front-line command post.

places. Here, American soldiers are pulling mortar cart toward front lines.

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#### FDR AIDS WLB.

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coal mine dispute.

Warren brought a very in- Dr. W. P. Lee, city health offitalk to Lions today at cer for Cisco, again urges that citnday luncheon, on the izens clean their premises and se-"Good Will." The sub- cure at once the required garbage well handled and ap- cans-one for dry and one for wet from an unusual angle, garbage—so that flies will find no at goodwill was ordinari- filth in which to wallow, and ed in most inventories as mosquitoes will find no place in

"In this hot weather. Droel Looney, former be disastrous to be sick from any nd member of the Lions serious cause, and for that added a guest as he was pass- reason, Ciscoans should see to it gh to his new post in that there is no local cause for He was made tail- any disease breeding filth," the

ade things lively by as- The health officer again stated nes promiscously. He that he had always found Ciscoans hort talk, saying that he cooperative and still believed that number of old faces and health regulations would receive mber of new ones since recognition and obedience withn that capacity while out any penalties assessed.

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in countries where vic- Cross Plains, DeLeon and other rmies are being landed, communities along the line, reans are welcomed with cently visited Dallas for a confernthusiasm and warmth of ence with railroad attorneys. Another preliminary conference is scheduled to be held this week.

The railroad in its petition dewere listed, but perhaps clares that it annually loses more than all these riches, that than \$18,000 on the line which ill spread by missionaries was built in 1911. About 3 trains

### ner Americans, together weekly have been running recent-SURPRISE IN asset we have, Mr. Warmentioned that George agton, the first millionaire country, did much to build AT EAST CISCO HALTS JAPS

Cisco Baptist Sunday school, has planes and canceled enemy plans Washington, though a postponed its monthly business and for a counter-offensive in New an, worked constantly for social meeting which was to be Guinea was revealed today. of his people. He never held Thursday evening, August At least 120 planes were deof pay for what he did. 19, until a later date, it was an- stroyed. Fifty more were dam-

od will should be a part Dennis, pastor, said that it was planes in the air, died under the assets of every individual one of the best ever held at his Allied bombs and bullets rained counts them to see where church, bringing a visible result onto four airdromes in the Wewak nds. Nothing can so en- of 35 additions to the church, area on New Guinea's northeast or give him greater joy eleven coming for baptism. The coast. The Savior said: Peace baptismal service will be conduct- It was the biggest Allied air ash, Good will toward men," ed next Sunday, following the sault in this area to date. Fleets evening sermon, the minister of Liberators, Flying Fortresses

SHINGTON, Aug. 18. — ist and singer, and all felt that it and countless thousands of bullets ent Roosevelt has author- was good to have these men in the into the planes parked wing-toinduction of war industry city," Pastor Dennis said. He exs and imposition of strong pressed the hope that the spirit of for flight. ons against unions or emfailing to comply with church for many years to come. ground and three were shot down.

#### SOLDIER VISITOR.

itrant unions or cancella- Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. in the Wewak area 340 miles co today enroute from Quantico. of the family of Gordon Davis. of government contracts and Adams, formerly worked as line- northwest of Salamaua. A com- Va., to Kearney Mesa, Santiago, government contracts and type operator for the Cross Plains munique said they appeared to be Calif., where the lieutenant will the first real test of Junior's type operator for the Cross Plains munique said they appeared to be Calif., where the lieutenant will the first real test of Junior's assembled for a "decisive air be stationed." Review. He was enroute to camp assembled for a "decisive air be stationed. WLB's hand in the still-un- with his wife and parents of Cross | my's) ground forces disposed in rines, aviation branch, and has he tells when he wrecks the fami- the greater battle of the northeast- theater.

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS. Southwest Pacific, Aug. 18. — A massive Allied air blow that the hearts of his coun- The Reapers class of the East wrecked a Japanese fleet of 225

aged. In addition, 1500 Japanese that the fight for liberty In speaking of the recent revival fliers and ground force men, who held at this church, Rev. Russell never had a chance to get the

> and A-20 attack planes about "Many words of commendation equal to the enemy's grounded have come regarding the evangel- forces rained down 10,000 bombs

Labor Board orders, it was The minister urges that all be The Allied force lost three planes led today. The White House present tonight at the prayer in exacting the enormous toll that meeting service at 8:45 o'clock. In exacting the enormous toll that boosted enemy air losses in the week to at least 225 and probably many more.



SHE LOCKS 'EM IN-Red-headed sheriff is equipped with gun, badge and keys to jail, ready to lock in any malefactors. She's Mrs. Myra Westray, of Clinton, Ill., replacing her husband, Kenneth Westray, called to service and now with Army.

LOONEY'S VISIT CISCO. 2 of this year. He has the rank

ooking to the future prosperity of Cisco, at the chamber of commerce meeting last night, when

discussed was the airport, and the trend toward an investigation as

co intended to expand its airport service to meet demands after body expressed its intentions of \_\_\_\_ investigating these requirements the Cisco field modern in every ed the Calabrian coast) way possible.

A. B. O'Flaherty, L. A. Warren, ern Italy. Nick Miller, E. P. Crawford and Jimmy Allen.

# SAULS ROPING Italian mainland. GOOD CROWD

the calf and goat roping contests at the Jim Sauls pens Sunday afternoon when participants tried loose at given signals.

no time and are marked zero. tried to intercept.

21 seconds was declared the win-Dick Louis, 0; Silas Hill, 40; were battered. Charles Boyd, 0.

Event 2-Burl Hittson, 16, win-29; Silas Hill, 0; Charles Boyd, 0. Messina. Event 3-Burl Hittson, 17, winner, Leo Huff, 21: David Whitten, 0; Silas Hill, 0; Stoker, 0; Dick anti-aircraft guns. Louis, 0; Charley Hageman, 0; Charley Boyd, 0. Event 4—Oran Warren, 16, Win-

0; David Whitten, 19; E. J. Free-McGraw, 21; Alton Faulks, 28; Dick Louis, 0.

Event 5-Leo. Huff, 16, winner. Burl Hittson, 0; David Whitten, 0; bombers. Jack Strickland, 19; Howard Mc-Graw, 0; Stoker, 33; E. J. Freeman, 0; Alton Faulks, 0; Silas ALLIED HEADS of a week's intensive preparation by the best Army, Navy and air Hill, 0; Oran Warren, 26; Clay McGraw, 0; Charley Boyd, 0.

Event 6-Howard McGraw, 19, winner. Jac kStrickland, 0; E. Freeman, 0; Clay McGraw, 0; Joe Coles, 21: Dick Louis, 0; Alton Faulks, 0; Charles Hageman, 0; Jim Sauls, 0; Johnnie Trigg, 31.

#### REDS BREAK THROUGH.

troops have won a bitter battle believed by many to be the chart British foreign secretary. Harry southeast of Kharkev, breaking of a body blow against Axis oc- Hopkins, Mr. Roosevelt's No. 1 ad-German defenses, and materially cupied Europe.

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of checked-off dues Red Army hammering the Ukrain- at bleak Wolfe's Cove and driving the American Government and tary journal Red Star reported to- del where he and Churchill will Lubin preceded the presidential raged for several days in the for- plans drawn up by their "pick- sitting in on some of the "spade ested area below Kharkov ended and-shovel boys"-the staff chiefs work" conferences that have been Review. He was enroute to camp assembled for a decisive air be stationed.

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# AIRPORT MUST BE MODERN IF USEFUL---CC CENTERS WHILE ALLIED GUNS POUND COAST AND NEAR CITIES

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, North Africa, Aug. 18.—Althe usual program was augmented lied planes have opened the battle of Italy with heavy raids by the slicing of several nice on railroad and highway lifelines into the southern provinces after destroying or damaging 306 evacuation boats in the One of the principal matters final round of the Sicilian campaign, it was announced today.

All resistance on Sicily has ended, Gen. Dwight D. Eisento the specifications for a modern hower's communique said, and American and British forces have joined hands in Messina, whose capture yesterday of-It was brought out that if Cis- ficially wound up the conquest of the island.

The Sicilian campaign, which lasted slightly over five the war it must meet certain re- weeks, was completed ahead of the time-table laid down by quirements as to size, etc. The Allied commanders, it was announced.

(An Italian communique said the last Axis rear guard and to take steps toward making units have abandoned the northeast coast of Sicily and reach-

American and Allied bombers and fighter-bombers rang-N. Cluck, Wm. Reagan, R. L. ed up the Italian peninsula almost to Naples blasting and Ponsler, J. D. Lauderdale, Com strafing bridges and other railway and highway objectives H. S. Drumwright, Mayor Edward Lee, P. R. Warwick, A. E. Mc-Neely, C. E. Hickman, J. R. Dean,

> Light bombers of the tactical air force rounded out their offensive on Axis evacuation boats in Messina Strait yesterday with a series of attacks on disembarkation points on the

An official tally for the almost continuous assault on CONT'ST DRAWS evacuation craft from Aug. 5 to 17 showed 34 destroyed, 47 knocked out of action by direct hits and 225 damaged severely by near or partial misses. The craft included every type vessel from medium-sized supply ships to barges.

> Allied artillery mounted in and around Messina bombarded Axis positions across Messina Strait. Axis guns on the mainland were shelling Allied positions in northeastern

Prisoners captured in the final swift advances of the their skill in roping the wild American Seventh and British Army into Messina still were Brahma calves and some equally being counted. There has been no total announced for the clusive goats that were turned Sicilian campaign since that of 130,000 last week.

Flying Fortresses which penetrated to the Istres Le Tube There were six events with the and Salon airfields near Marseille, France, yesterday caused man making the lowest time in great damage among parked planes, it was announced. Only the winner of that event. Those failing to make their catch made among 150 grounded planes at one field. Six enemy fighters

In the first event Leo Huff with Mitchell and Marauder bombers, aided by Lightnings, ner. Other entrants were Burl bombed and strafed railroad lines and highway intersections Hittsen, 27; E. L. Freeman, 0; across the toe of the Italian boot, setting several railway cars Stoker, 0; David Whitten, 39; and many trucks afire. The Battipaglia yards south of Naples

Fighter-Bombers destroyed nine small enemy evacuation ner. Leo Huff, 19; David Whit- craft last night and other places scored five direct hits on as ten, 20; Stoker. 0; E. J. Freeman, many clumsy pontoon barges trying to cross the Straits of

Eight planes out of a force that attacked the Bizerte area 0; E. J. Freeman, 0; Oran Warren, of Tunisia last night were shot down by Allied fighters and

Nine Allied planes were missing from all operations.

Raids by light and fighter-bombers on the Italian coast ner. Leo Huff, 25; Burl Hittson, were concentrated from Reggio Calabria, which also was man, 21; Charley Boyd, 23; Jack under fire from light and heavy artillery on Sicily, to Palmi, Strickland, 0; Stoker, 24; Howard about 20 miles northward on the main railroad line.

The communications center of Castrovillari, up the foot of the boot northward from the Straits, was hit by medium

# PONDER NEXT brains of both countries. Their indorsement probably means ac-

and Prime Minister Churchill to- Secretary of State Cordell Hull day a detailed plan of the next joins the conference later in the MOSCOW, Aug. 18.- Russian big military operation which was week along with Anthony Eden,

day. A crucial struggle that had give their approval to the war party and presumably has been

brains of both countries. Their tion in the near future.

But the Roosevelt - Churchill conference will go much beyond the next military move of the Al-QUEBEC, Que., Aug. 18.—The Anglo-American high command submitted to President Roosevelt fields of international politics. viser, came here with the Presi-

They had before them the fruits the Prime Minister are staying.

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#### GUTS AND GUMPTION.

Puerto Rico has been in a bad way because of shipping troubles. Its sugar has piled an and likewise its coconuts. Business and pontion, authorities have wrangled over its methods of growing and marketing, its economic and sociological troubles, while the cross have gone bad because they could not be shipped and

One man declared the his way to begin a thing is to begin, the only way to get things done is to do them. He bought a three-masted schooner of 30 tons, launched in 1858. She can carry 240 000 reconuts suspound and other merchandise inbound to Puerto Rice. Somehow the schooner has escaped submarines perhaps because she did not look important and chough to waste torpedoes on.

Then this man. Peter Paul took over an idle coconut shredding plant and began to process coconuts. The work and payrol, began to bein the population a little. The schooner moved a fraction of the crop. The idea began to work, so the firm of Peter Paul Inc. gathered up six more ancient vessels which hobbody else wanted and began doing a general merchandise shipping business in the Cariobean. The little fleet sails hither and you a fruit plant has been added in Honduras and the company.

Private enterprise will works which it doesn't stop at beautiful words about to Constitution does not pause at rights but goes on to responsibilities. The private enterprise which built this country cans for guts, gumption, being a horse for work and not afraid to take a gambler's chance.

#### CONFERENCES.

Conferences between Roosevelt and Churchill are becoming frequenties, use to be regarded as routine. But they are still news when rold and they make greater news afterward. For out of every conference comes some great new move, not immediately but with a clear connection. Will this one be the furerunner of invasion of Europe. Only time will tell, but the time begins to look short.

Stalin still holds oft it im personal presence at these meetings but a British and an American representative were conferring with him at the time. It is evident that he keeps and is being kept in alose touch with all British-American developments. Talk if serious differences may be discounted.



of Irving Berger, then The Pathe Army, in New York, were Mr. Berger, the Army, and Major General Irving J. Philipson, executive director of Army Emergency Relief.



ON THROUGH SICILY—Natives of Sicilian town of Pollina watch curiously as first American Army vehicles roll through their town after its capture by Allies. Yanks found them friendly folks, in picturesque town built high on mountain peak. Note narrow, cobble-stoned streets.

#### FILMS FOR SCHOOLS.

FILMS FOR SCHOOLS. Versity of Texas visual education

JSTIN. Aug 18—Movies for expert believes.

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000 lantern slides were given educational agencies.

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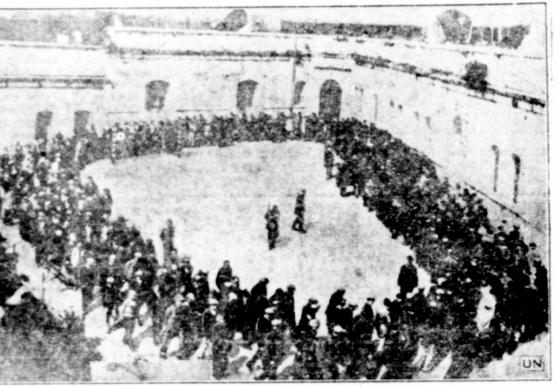
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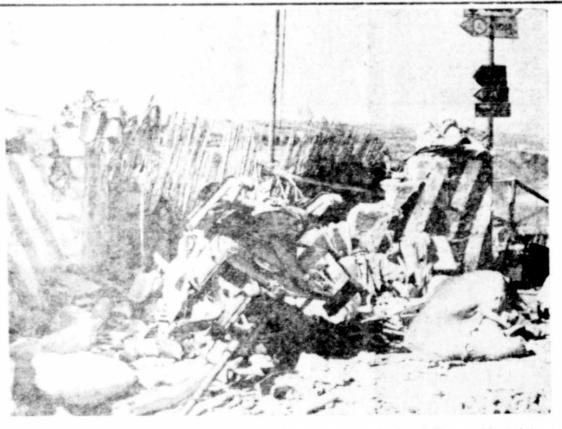
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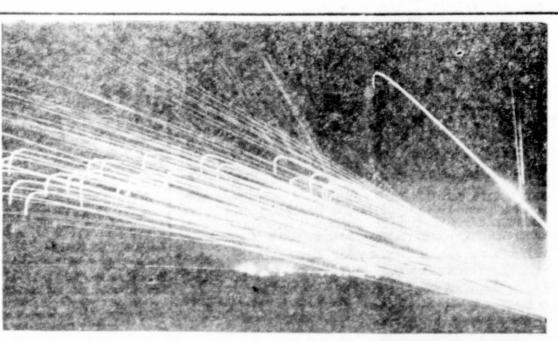
Concentration Camp at Huy



FIRST PHOTO of the German concentration camp at Huy, Belgium, recently smuggled out of Belgium and sent to the U.S. shows Belgium prisoners walking in the inner-court, their hands manacled behind their backs. Prisoners held are intellectuals and professors of Brussels University—men who opposed German orders and decrees. Once a day they are allowed to walk for 10 minutes in the court yard of the cump, which is situated in the Fortress of Huy and from which escape is practically impossible.



IT WON'T TALK NOW—Along with its fortified position, this Axis gun was blasted to a mass of rubble and scrap metal by pounding of British 8th Army near Catania, Sicily. Prisoners said unrelenting blasting drove them insane.



PATTERN IN THE SKY—Beautiful but Ceadly is this steady stream of live bullets and tracers flowing into black Mediterranean night from American Navy anti-aircraft guns. They were aimed at Axis aircraft during second day of Naval bombardment at Gela, Sicily. Under their cover Allied forces were making a landing.



CANSINO HUDDLE—Three of five dancing Cansinos get to gether in Hollywood. Mrs Equardo Cansino center, with son Sergt. Eduardo Cansino Jr., and daaghter actress Rita Hayworth, hold picture of souther-brether Pir Vernon Cansino.

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Cisco Lodge No. 556, A. F. & A. M., meets fourth Thursday, 8:00 p. m. W. W. FEWELL, W. M.; L. WILSON, Secretary.

Z Cisco Commandery, K. T., meets the third Thursday of each month at Masonic 8:00 p. m. R. L. PONSLER, L. D. WILSON, Recorder.

Cisco Chapter No. 190, R. & S. M., meets first Thursday evening of each month at 8:00. Visiting panions are cordially invited. JOE BRITAIN, H. P.; L. D. LSON, Secretary.

uture America will inevitably ng to the group that strive stantly to make gains while ers indifferently drift.

### SOCIAL and CLUBS

keys. Tuesday afternoon, group three which met in regular ard. Roy L. Taylor, 500 E, session at her home in Humbl

box, meat slicer, three show closed the meeting with prayer. Mrs. J. R. Wright, Mrs. C. F. until they were called in to par-Set of rotary elevator Swartz, Mrs. James Flournoy, take of the appetizing chicken Hogue, Mrs. A. J. Sanders and Those present were Mary Jo

First Christian Council in the home of Mrs. G. M. Steph-

Winston. Miss Marie Winston, show. Lawn games were played

Deen of Wichita Falls; Jacqueline Ruppert, Helen Raye Edwards, Frances Ruth Halstead, Katy Lou Atkins, Pauline Lyon, Carolyn Crofts, Betty Dean Lennon and Betty Jo Thurman. George Deen,

of the Bible." The meeting was ter which the Bible lesson was

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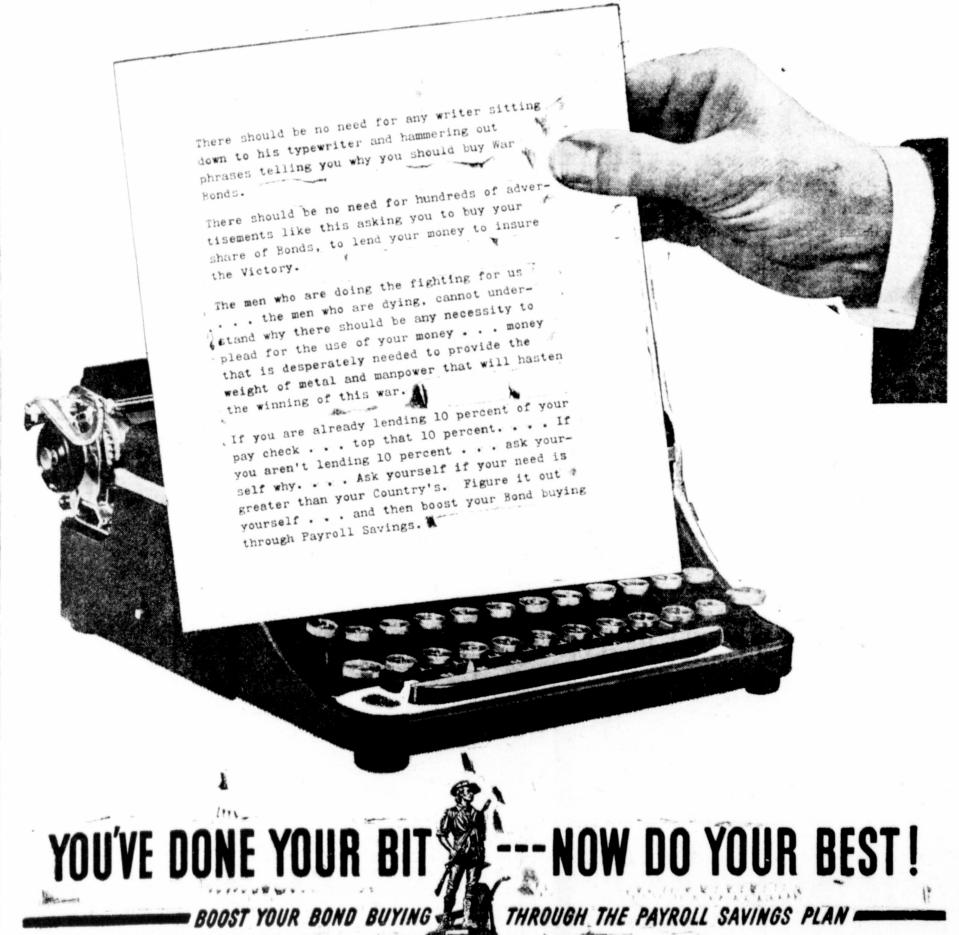
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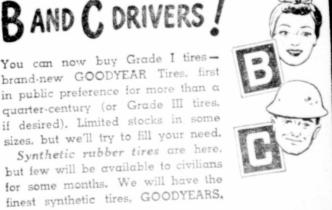
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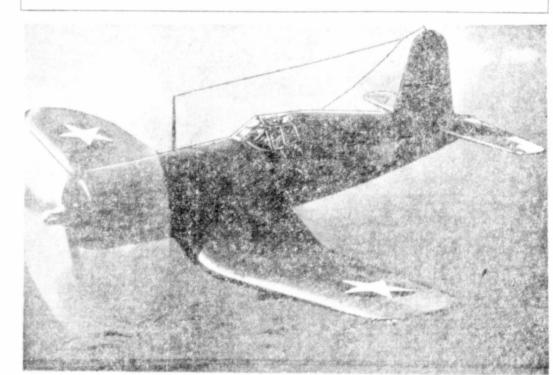


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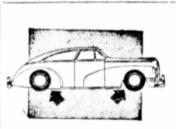
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