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War Aims Of The People

British and Americans Believe Victory Can Be Won By Striking Hitler Now, Not Later

It was almost as if Winston Churchill faced the seasons back home to England, and may be that is the reason for a great cry from his people and their spokesmen for a new kind of war. ... This deep voice of the people is not to be answered by talk of military expediency; this is not a call for new tactics or new strategy, but one for a new way of thinking about our war.

Rationing Gets Underfoot

Restrictions on Shoe Ownership Can Teach a Lesson Americans Have Missed

The sudden announcement of shoe rationing, predicated on new evidence in support of a theory we held in essence for a number of years—that there's something wrong with the ancient law of supply and demand. ... Shoe rationing, of course, is only the beginning. All clothing is likely to be rationed soon, and the quicker it is the better.

Old Ways For The Young

Committee Found County Juvenile Court System Outmoded to the Point of Danger

City and County officials can scarcely afford to accept the exhaustive report on the Mecklenburg juvenile court and not put into effect the sweeping changes recommended. ... Mecklenburg's rate of juvenile delinquency is up, and still climbing. There has been a marked increase in cases involving Negroes, and in the past year young white girls have passed more often through the court.

That Certain Uncertainty

What Will Victory Mean?

A SHORT time ago in this column I pointed out that one of the most distressing features in this war was the "American uncertainty," the doubt in many minds whether, when the war was over, the United States would be counted on to participate in the reconstruction of the world. ... The Senator suggests that such a treaty might be entitled "The United Nations post-war charter."

Side Glances



"Spring is just around the corner, dear—and then we won't have to call on these people every few days to get warm!"

Still No Plans

Peace Party

THE proposal of Senator Gillette of Iowa could become something as significant and possibly as ominous as the famous robin which in 1938 that found robin warned the conference that nothing promised by President Wilson could be binding until it was ratified by two-thirds of the Senate. ... The point has been raised by Senator Taft and others that the Atlantic Charter and the United Nations Declaration are no legal treaty force so far as the United States is concerned.

That Waiting-at-the-Maternity-Ward Feeling



Those Navy Dept. Communiques

Where'll He Jump?

Hitler In The Trap

HITLER'S NEXT MOVE: There must be a lot of figuring being done in Nazi headquarters these days, so important that there is probably a special staff to study the German forces should be stormed, weak, strong or invincible. ... Perhaps an actual abdication by Hitler, and the setting up of a German government, one which might even publicly abandon Nazi ideology, on the face-saving plea of emergency mobilization against the Bolshevik peril.

Where The Tall Uns Grow

Away Down East

By BILLY ARTHUR
In Onslow News & Views
I WENT out to supper with Uncle Walter and his wife the other night, and he was telling about the time a good lady accused him of being a drunk. ... They used to tell a story, so it goes here now, about former Governor Clyde R. Hooper, who once drank a box of cigars, or a chest of tobacco.

A New World

Pipe Dream

THE budget message hints at the grand new world which was founded by the Atlantic Charter, and which is to be paid for by Uncle Sam. ... But it is still a pipe dream and will be until there can elapse a long and dreary process of transforming the habits, customs, labors and prejudices of the earth's teeming millions. ... The alternative is for Uncle Sam to do the eliminating of war, riots, and this appears to be exactly what is intended by some who seem to regard the present war as only a mere episode in a longer and holier crusade than any ever waged against the Infidel.

Visitin' Around

What'd They Sing, Hail, Hail, The Gang's All Here? (Valmied Item, Leonie News-Topic)
A very forceful sermon was delivered Sunday at 2 o'clock in the afternoon at the Ellis Chapel by the Rev. Walter Pritchard Valmied, and a bunch came out to hear him.
Just in Time For The Spring Catalogues (Doris Knob Item, North Wilkesboro Newsweek)
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wiles and family have moved from their home on the mountain to the Meadows house near Pores Knob post office.
Never Mind—We Know What They Talked About (Summit Items, North Wilkesboro Newsweek)
Miss Ruth Flenor spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Elizabeth Walsh.