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War Aims Of The People

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

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the world.

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. And if every Britisher believes that the hard-pressed enemy should be struck now, so will every American. If our leaders have spoken the truth for the months of insistence that the striking power of the United Nations is at its peak, then there is actually not an hour to lose.

The disaster once threatening the German armies in the East is no longer a threat; everywhere Nazi troops retreat and pay the full price of defeat, and still the Red drives have not slowed. Hitler's Command must be frantic with the problems of averting total ruin in Russia, heavily burdened as it is in Africa. It builds fortifications with a forenzy all accord the Continent. frenzy all around the Continent. And waiting in Britain is a mighty army of defense spoiling to be at the task of

defense spoiling to be at the task or attack.

If, in the dark days, a British army was heroically rescued from Dunkirk beneath the umbrella of the gallant RAF, so might another, bigger, more powerful army, be set across the Channel again. If there is a price to be paid, it must be paid; tomorrow it will certainly be greater. If the enemy is now

If the military must answer that sup-plying the armies in Affrica is so stu-pendous a task that nothing more can be attempted, it might be answered with the cry that attack on the Continent, North, South or both, would quickly bring relief in Tunisia, and bring the New Order to the day of its end. There can be no doubt of the national emo-tion sweeping Britain, and as an expres-sion of the will of the common people, it cannot be set aside with a resture.

can be no couct of the national emotion sweeping Britain, and as an expression of the will of the common people. It cannot be set aside with a gesture. Those are not laymen addressing their chosen leaders; those are the men for whom the war is being fought, calling for the sacrifice of their own blood that victory might be bought soon.

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Rationing Gets Underfoot

Restrictions on Shoe Ownership Can Teach a Lesson Americans Have Missed

The sudden announcement of shoe rationing produced new evidence in support of a theory we've held in escrow for a number of years—that there's spmething wrong with the ancient law of supply and demand. Even the well-kept secret that there were to be but three pairs a year did not prevent mad runkes for shoes into stores where business-a-usual was slow and easy. No new high-heeled model'ever rated such a shde appetite as the spreading of the war to the leather industry.

The new method of control, except to the laddes who adore to wobble about to the laddes who adore to wobble about

to the ladies who adore to wobble about on leather stills, must seem eminently fair. We suspect the average adult hasn't been accustomed to buying three

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restriction on high heels will benefit the country. We fear, however, that a black market in spike heels is likely to spring up overnight. In this field of fashion, we suspect, patriolism may not exert its strongest appeal.

Shee rationing, of course, is only the beninning. All clothing is likely to be rationed soon, and the quicker it comes the better. Americans need no piecewal, hyterdeption to the faces of the meal introduction to the facts of life in war. The sooner they are given to understand that rationing is aimed at preventing shortage, and not put into effect to relieve it, the sooner we will be prepared for the hard days ahead.

Old Ways For The Young

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

City and County officials can scarcely on the Mecklenburg juvenile court and not put into effect the sweeping chances recommended. Dr. P. H. Gwynn Jr. and his special advisory committee. In 18 months of duty, Mave bared an outmoment of duty, Mave bared an outmoment of system with which the community attempts to meet ground with a month of duty. The community attempts to meet ground with a month of duty, Mave bared an outmoment of duty, Mave bared and some are already available. It would provide 'a service lawer' as a saystant to Judge and the duty of the community attempts. afford to accept the exhaustive report on the Mecklenburg juvenile court and not put into effect the sweeping changes recommended. Dr. P. H. Gwynn Jr. and his special advisory committee, in 18 months of duty, Anve bared an out-moded system with which the commodes system while which the com-munity attempts to meet growing prob-lems. And the recommendations, if ap-proved as expected, should banish the accumulated evils of many years of

accumulated evils of many years on neglect.

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. The 1146 cases handled by Judge Marion Redd last year tell the story, but only half of it. As many more were disposed of informally a total of over 2000 County youngsters suffering from sorial maindulation.

of the reasons for growing do-Some of the reasons for growing de-linquency may be traced directly to the inadequacy of the court system itself. The old Mint Street bastille, for exam-ple, is always overcrowded, and times have passed it by. Boys and girls wait whind its buars too long; State institu-

aiready available. It would provide "a young lawyer" as assistant to Judge Redd, that he might give his time to the pressing problems of Domestic Relations. It suggests also that two additional case workers be employed. The report shows that procedure under the present system is satisfactory. No longer do policemen appear to accuse the children.

Apparently considered as one of the Apparently considered as one of the leaser recommendations (it was near the end of the report is that the Court should enjoy fuller and better public relations, that the people of the County might understand its problems and the significance of its work. The committee has served well. Even if its recommendations are not accepted in full it will have rendered a great service to City and County. At least it has demonstrated that in the lives of its children, the community has a responsibility the community has a responsibility which is not being fairly met. Even if that is all, that will be a real conThat Certain Uncertainty

What Will Victory Mean?

A SUGPY time ago in this column I pointed out that that one of our most distresting features in this war was the "American uncertainty," the doubt many minds whether, when the war was over, the United States would be counted on to participate of all our Allice hovers the recollection of the last war, when Wilson's peace was repudiated by Consens, so far the Atlantic Charter is merely a personal deristation of the Scaute a resolution which would remark the state of affairs. His resolution would remark the state of affairs, His resolution would remark the state of affairs, His resolution would remark the state of affairs. His resolution would remark the state of affairs, His resolution would remark the state of affairs, His resolution would remark the state of affairs, His resolution would remark to be state that they propose apportunity to choose the form of government under which they will live, and will contain the state of affairs and the state of a state of a possible reactionary reconstruction of maintain peace and security in the world, fourth, that they give live to the state of the world that they propose apportunity to choose the form of government to those who have been deprived of most proposed and the state of a possible reactionary reconstruction of maintain peace and security in the world, fourth, that they give live to the state of the world that the manual peace and security in the world, fourth, that they give live to the world that the world that the most of the state of the world that the world that the world that the world that the most of the world that the wo situation. It would remove the temptation to the residence of the Atlantic Charter is merely a personal declaration of the President of the Now, Senator Guy M. Giliciti of the senator of the Now, Senator Guy M. Giliciti of the Now M. Senator Guy M. Giliciti of the Now M. Senator Guy M. Giliciti of the Now M. Giliciti of

That Waiting-at-the-Maternity-Ward Feeling



Where'll He Jump?

Hitler In The Tran

By Samuel Grafton

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NEW YORK

HITLER'S NEXT MOVE: There must, be a lot of 14 figuring being done in Nazl headquarters these days, so important that there is probably a special Nazl censorship bureau to blot out the scribblings from the high commands tablecloths before they are sent to For there must be a next move. As big next move. Merely to sit tight would be to lose control of a deteriorating situation. Some effort must be made to assert mastery. What will that Nazl effort be?

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I will do make the bounce. What could be the most desperate, the most daring, and the most realistic political move for the Nazus to make?

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several new forms of anti-Soviet gas.

Where The Tall 'Uns Grow

Away Down East

BELLY ARTHUR
In Grather News & Wiews
WENT out to supper with Uncle
Walter Murphy the other
ment, and he was telling about, the
time a good hely accused him of
"My beautiful and, charming
lady, I told her," Uncle Walter
said, I want you to know that
there are three things that
have never faunk. One
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They used to tell a story, so it gots here along about former Governor Cloke R. Hoey being offered a drulk, a box of cigars, or a chew of tobacco. The Governor, who partons, of united blumber (well, what do you do to smell like a man?"

Unice Wester finally admitting the confessed, although a lot of the confessed, although a lot of that Eastern North Carollina is that Eastern North Carollina is

The Eastern climate does some-ching to you. Not so long ago, Mrs. Hopkins—I forgot her name now—had her huge great dane in the post office one day, and a col-ored fellow asked me what sort of forg that was." I told him. "A rat terries," I told him. "It was just as small as any other rat ter-ries when Mrs. Hopkins brought him to Jacksonville, but the climate hear pine needles brought him.

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

By Raymond Clapper

WASHINGTON THE proposal of Senator Gillette of Iowa could become something as significant and possibly as ominous as the famous round robin which a group of Republican Senators sent to the Paris Peace Conference in 1996. That round robin warned the conference that nothing promised by President Wilson could become binding until it was ratified by two-thirds of the Senator I was the unbreded warning of disaster to come.

Senator Gillette's resolution delicately raises the same issue. Per-

Senator Gillette's resolution delicately raises the same Issue. Per-haps it is well to do so and have the thing out in the open and decided. Senator Gillette proposes an early treaty negotiation to set the United Nation's war aims in a more legal and binding form. He proposes that a treaty be negotiated to incorporate the general prin-ciples of the Atlantic Charter, to which the United Nations have sub-erried by signature but not by formal treaty.

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The point has been raised by Senator Taft and others that the Manite Charter and the United Nations Declaration have no legal treaty force so far as the the Treatment of the Control of

Wilson and ejected by the Senate, even though an American judge sat on the court.

Support for Senator Gillette's proposal comes from some of those who have not been strong supporters of the President's program. Senator Wheeler said he belived it extremely important to have the Allied war aims put in concrete form at the earliest possible moment. Senator Danaher of Connecticut said it was about time to find out how far some of the other United Nations were stilling to go in possible of the Connecticut said it was about time to find out how far some of the other United Nations were stilling to go in possible of the Allies being able to agree on very much and would expect such regolations to prove the case of those who are cynical of anything coming out of the United Nations.

Yet Senator Austin, a strong Republican supporter of the President's According to the Connection—Convertion States and Wendell Willish have said it many times, and they are all for early action.

The Administration does not want to have its hand cored by anything like the Ciliette resoluted all for a white about, was alms and the United Nations, beyond the airy generalities that have served up to now.

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The pre-occupation now is with the military side of the war, and a gigantic job is being done. The policy side or pulitical side is in a state of confusion. Public discussion and opinion have no authoritative leadership now. Official prepaganda flounders unapported by a real lead from the Preident. The United Nations remains a powerful phrase that somebody thought up while sharing.

while shaving.

For instance, international aviation ought to be our dish but we don't yet have a policy as to what we want done, much less an understanding with other nations. Times who have urged a United Nationa was to be the product of the pr

A New World

Pipe Dream

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The Dudget message hints at the sidn of the World which was founded
by the Atlantic Tay Uncle Sam. Treedom from want for everybody, everwhere, is no longer a Utopian dream."

But it is still a pipe dream and will be until there can elapse
a long and dreaty process of framsforming the habits, customs, taboes
and prejudices of the earth's teening millions. If, for example, the
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presently he so changed as to go far toward providing the daily
quart of milk and ellminating want from that country.

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Visitin' Around

What'd They Sing, Hail, Hail, The Gang's All Here? (Valmead item, Lenoir 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 of Valmead, and a bunch came out to hear him.

Just la Time Faor
The Spring Catalogues
Orores Knob lene, North Wilkesboro Newsworld)
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wiles and family have moved from their
home on the mountain to the Mendows home near Potres Knob post

Miss Ruth Ficenor spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Eliamae Walsh