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lacking in the elements of "common

The second thing which is noticeable to outsiders is the high salaries paid by labor unions. A stipend of \$18,00 a year for a mere vice-president is—well, Henry

Wallace would be glad to get it. On top of a \$20,000 salary, Murray for awhile there was dragging down a

Czechs, Give New Courage

If all the United Nations (save Russiai have failed to realize that our war is a real war, and not a gentleman's game to be played with gloves, the case of Reinhard Heydrich's revenge gives them a chance to come awake. In Czechoslovakia today there goes on a terrible man-hunt in which bundreds will die. Not alone are Heydrich's [two assaliants being sought. The Nazis will have revenge upon the 15,000 hostages alterady in concentration camps.

already in concentration camps.

Britain may not be able to halt the sweep of the German scythe, but it could bring Berlin to pause and make it wonder where it had seen such doines before. For every Czech innocent shot in the new murder wave, for example, London might announce that the RAF, the big hammer, would pound an open German town.

German town.

There would be no frightening of the Nazis, perhaps, but they would know, finally, that they faced an enemy capable of meeting them on the common ground of terrorism, unafraid to strike at any exposed spot. And for the United Nations, that would be a starting point. To now, every case of brutality in Europe, over England, in the Indics, has gone unanswered by Britath and Americans and the starting points.

gone unanswered by Britain and Amer-

ica. At least they have not answered in kind. We have flinched from the

in aind. We have tinened from the use of every besthal weapon against the enemy, perhaps too long. Unless we can bring ourselves to heet the enemy on a common ground, we may lose a war. And retallation against the Naxis for the murder of hostages would have a maryelously heartening effect in all the occupied countries.

Italian Style

With Communiques

If Only Wars Were Won

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Eye For Eye

The RAF Might Save Czechs, Give New Courage

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German town

Dur Chicks

They Outstrip Us By Two to One

By Two to One

Hungry Tar Heels are given to looking to the wistful eve of the breakfast gevery morning without thought, withst processed appreciation. It should be be, friends. We are being outdone, dare seriously outnumbered Consider at there are some three and a half lillow and another about the war. Quite grower, we have been dead to be a some three and a half lillow and another about the war. Quite crowd, you say?

To poultry men, 'lls a paltry figure, are state, during April, had seven milm laying hens—and they produced 118 lillon eggs in the month. They are two our one, but their pace is even faster an the odds would indicate. When hele Sam asked the hens of the state r a thirteen per cent increase over it, he was making small talk. To date, e ladies of the barnyard are 21 per nt. over a year ago. Their patriotism is been touched.

In while the nation breaks all kinds production records, the chicken citi-ury has not been idle. American hens d six billion eggs in April, we note, the greatest figure ever recorded, the hour of need, they responded in way to shame us all.

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the hour of need, they responded in way to shame us all.
We find one fault with it all: With labor trouble in the henyards, and assembly lines racing as never be-e, the retail price enjoys a luxurious , unencumbered by a ceiling. When e, unencumbered by a ceiling. When cluckers finish their job, it's out of the hands.

ord Ho-Hesse Sumter's Son Fails

4s Newest Traitor

de Neuest Traitor tegularly now, Americans who follow abort wave may hear their Berlin paganda in the soft drawling Palticese of Robert Best, the Sumiter Rose of Robert Best, the Bumter belittle Bouth Carolina town of his thick knows but faintly of Best, and est less. For twenty years he has Buropean, and a strange one, since 1023 American tourists and corpondents have seen him as a lonely upant of the corner table in Vienna's fe Louere, where he made his headarters as a United Press reporter, and the same the same than the lime he left Sumter, passed rough Columbia's School of Journalia and entered Europe on a fellowship, has not-been home. Not even for a eation.

He succumbed first to the lure of the enna of Strauss and the Danube, and ten the German blood pot boiled over, became more a Nazi than an Amerian. Correspondents who knew Robert st say he didn't Join Dr. Goebbels' cadeasting legion for money. He had the, but was unconcerned. Today he helping Lord Haw-Haw, Kaltenbach, landler, Ward and other ex-English, -Americans attack the United Nations because he is a Jew-hater.

His first broadcasts show he has notheg to say except the old things Goebils has been preaching on antil-semitin, and that one passion of his led him forget Hitter the criminal. As a progandist, he is only medicere. As a altor, he appears to be only lazy, withtegularly now, Americans who follow

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Labor's Mouse

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the UNIW's constitution Murray had fortied his sile,900-a-year vice-presidency
of accepting the \$20,000-a-year presimey of the Steel Workers.

On the other hand, Murray had deared his intention to force the Mine
orker's compensation, and there is a
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An Airport Nears End By Dick Young

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It's Still Nanzisan

By Paul Mallon



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Bubbles

-By Herblock



Letters to the Editor:

When Newspapers Disagree

(The editors of Tur News are in receipt of a copy of the following letter addressed to Dr. William Hartison Williams, pastor of the Pritchard Memorial Baptist Oluvels, Charlotte.)

Perhaps you have seen however in Lumberton, The Charlotte News being the judge. I have no reude and low and despicable we are in Lumberton, The Charlotte News being the judge. I have no reude and low and tespicable we are in Lumberton, The Charlotte News being the judge. I have no reude and in mistaken had passed to the passed of the control of the passed of the section knows me, and perhaps half of the 500,000 Baptists in North Carolina know me and my work here for the inst 4d years. I have no fears about my reputing the passed of the control of the c

Sincerely,

C. H. DURHAM,

Emeritus First Baptist
ch of Lumberton.

Church of Lumberton.
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Dr. G. W. Durden,
Dr. A. B. Wood,
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follows:

A LESSON IN "AMENITIES"
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and a violation of "the amenities"
the above smartaleck comment
takes the cake. It is based on a
gurbled report which bares no relation to the real facts.

isters was an attack on the Catho-lic organization is a perversion of facts.

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The protest bore no remote resemblance to an attack on any organization. Miss Mary Frances
Redmond had not been placed in

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The News didn't know, as it should have known, before builting the charge of the control of the control of the charge of the cha

fairness.

There could be no more execrable exhibition of "bad taste" and disregard of "the amenities" than The News shows in the above-

TODAY'S BIBLE THOUGHT

A single coal of fire soon goes out: Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together.—
Hebrews 10:25;

Side Glances



"Maybe slacks are all the rage, but it certainly doesn't look to me as if they save much material?"

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(Note: Nothing in the foregoing
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It'll Never Happen
(The Richmond Times-Dispatch)
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"I have a suspicion that much of our present trouble arises out of mon recognizing the nation and the national several services of the property of the nation personal development. We host of America's atandard of living, as expressed in gadgets, rather than her quality of living, as expressed in gadgets, rather than her quality of living, as expressed in sufficient to respect projectly rather than personality. There will be less war when a man laying or repairing a sewer in order to garden will who purchases, for \$500,000, a seat on order to gain property."

Help For The Silent

By Dorothy Thompson

WASHINOZOR

If we neglect the political and revolutionary side of this war, it will take to three times as long to win it. We are neglecting that side. We are leiting down those whose cathacterion is about

down those whose collaboration is so-solutely essential to success. I mean the "Blient People"—the seething populations of the occupied

of the populied areas.

On Wednesday an unidentified assellant, in Prague wounded Reinhard Hoydrich, Hitler's chief gunnan and executioner in Geochoslovakia. The circumstances of the attack are obscure; a bome exploded, killing the driver of Heydrich's car, wrecking the car, and wounding the Lord High Executioner of the Nazi terror.

Whe site 10.

who did it? No one knows. It might have been a German, of course, a Gestape man. There are wheels within wheels in the Gestape. Trained by the notorious Canaris, who was an organizer of the infamous underground Reich, wehr, and collaborator with Ludenderff intelligence efficer. Colond wehr, and collaborator with Luden-dorff's intelligence officer, Colonel Nicolal, Heydrich, for years a spy, is Hitler's leading bloodhound.

HOSTAGE-SHOOTING OUTSIDE THE PALE

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OUTSIDE THE PALE

The shooting of hostages is absolutely forbidden by international law. It is not war; it is murder. If an act is committed against the occupation authorities, ten, twenty, fifty persons, against whom there is not a shade of suspicion, are taken out and shot. These hostages are collected in advance for this purpose. How are they collected? The Gespan rounds up personalities of social or political influence in various circles—amongst workers, middle class people or upper class people. The question in the mind of the Gestapo is only: Whose arrest will intimidate the largest circle of people?

Our foreign correspondents returning from Germany and Italy, after being interned there since America's entrance into the war, estimate that 400-200 persons have been alain in cold blood in Europe, under the Nazl occupation. Now, for the wounding of Heydrich, the Germans threaten, unless the assailant is immediately caught, to make a ways execution of immost hostages.

assailant is immediately caught, to make assailant is immediately caught, to make a mass execution of innocent hostages. They threaten also that if anyone having information regarding the possible assailant withholds it, his entire family will be executed. I point out that the shooting of families is also an outrage unheard of in European history.

SHALL WE FAIL OUR ALLIES?

But the question I raise is: Why do ,, not Britain and America do something about this?

bout this?

These people are our allies. Torfured, oppressed, starved, humiliated for years, they await in prayer
and terror the day of their liberation. They fight under odds greater than those endured by any soldier.
Every day, by short wave, we pray
to them not to give in. But that
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admonition creates a responsionity. When it looked as though the Germans were going to use gas against the Russians, Winston Churchill immediately threatened reprisals. Wisely. Reprisal is the only weapon we have in war, and the menace of retallation was sufficient to create enormous unrest in Germany. Germany.

Our political function in this war, is, in the words of Wall Whitman, to "cheer up alaves and horrity despots." Of course, the man who would cheer up slaves must be stronger than the slave holder. But Churchill said in his last speech that an far an air power is concerned "the boot is now on the other leg." If it is, we can take reprisals. They should not be taken without warning. But the German people, in an ullimatum addressed directly to them, and not to any government, should be warned 24 hours a day, everything else being excluded from the air,

claims," is Italy's precept.

It was so after Tarento in November, 1940. According to Rome, a great naval user of the tailan port of Tarento and the Buttan port of Tarento, and the Buttan post of Tarento, and the Parket Scholars of Tarento, and the case of Tarento, and the Parket Scholars of Tarento Tarento, and Tarento

If all went into this war under the name, by common consent, of Jackal. She is likely to come out of it as the hyen at whom everybody laughs.
What she has lacked in during and ferocity, she has sought to make up by bombast and bluff. In that latter respect she follows the maxim of the late Confederate General Nathan Bedford Forrest, modifying it to her own needs. "Git that fustest with the mostest claims." Is Italy's preept.

had been fought.

Two or three days more and the news was out. An inferior British force had pounced upon a superior Italian force off Tarento, Twelve Italian war vessels, including three battleships, had been sunk or badly crippled, and the rest had fled frantically. British losses were neglected.

It was so again last week. Rome claimed that an Italian submarine operating in South American waters had forpedoed and sunk a U.S. battleship of the North Carolina class. No. it was a battleship of the Marphand class. Well, anyhow, it was a battleship of the Marphand class. Well, anyhow, it was a U.S. battleship, and she had been torpedoed, and she had been sunk, of a certainty, because sufvivors from her had been picked up by an Argentine vessel.

This week came the facts. It wasn't a U.S. ship that had been sunk; it was a British ship. It wasn't a battleship; it was a freighter. Ah, well; it was a famous victory while it lasted.

A watch dropped in a St. Joe packing plant in January turns up in London in a box of pork. At meat prices, the con-sumer will resent these cheap adulter-ants.

Editors, THE NEWS:

Visitim' Around

should be warried 24 hours a day, every-thing else being excluded from the air, that if another hostage is shot in Europe, a small undefended German village will be bombed, and that for every repetition of such outrages, an-other will be bombed.

Yeh, and Be Sure Not To Miss the Swiss Bell-Ringers (Twenty Years Ago, Morganton News-Herald)

atorganism rews-iterator to begin to plan now for Chautauqua week, which beginsi June 23rd. It is just a month off. Keep the date in mind and make your plans accordingly.

Hercules
(Center View Item,
Monroe Journal)
Miller Smith failed to pass the physical examination at Fort Bragg last week
and has returned to Radford, Va., where
he has comployment with the Hercules
powder plant.

Agonies Of Agriculture (Rockdale item,

Shelby Star)
Charles Peeler had the misibrtune to get a pitch fork stuck through his toe Monday.