

# THE CHARLOTTE NEWS

ESTABLISHED 1888

Indefinite

Deferments

Granted To

Calls For Younger

WASHINGTON — (AP)—Selective Service today an-bounced a policy of indefi-nite deferments for men who have reached their 30th birth-day and who are engaged in "useful" work.

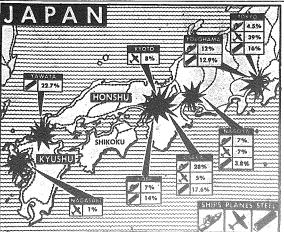
At the same time it predicted a heavier call of younger men to military service.

Ma) Gen Lewis B. Hershey, draft director, said at a news con-

Men To Increase

# DRAFT DEFERS MEN OF 30 AND OVE YANKS GRIND TOWARD OKINAWA VICTORY

Test For America



HIGH PRIORITY TARGETS OF B-298 - As strikingly demonstrated by

Long-Range Attacks

# Jap Balloons Reach West Part Of North America

on the western part of North America during the last several months, the Ar Navy reported today. Some of the balleons are known to have landed or dropped explosives in Jocalities but there has been no damage to property, the soint statement said.

Truman Reports

# Allies Will Help In War On Japan

Hitler Had A Swell Racket In Stamps

Postage Plutocrat

WEATHER

# American Leaders Say Japs About To Collapse

## Nip Resistance At Breaking Point

By Associated Press

## Fight Toward Shuri From Three Sides by James Lindslay

### Dislike 'Boss'

## Prisoners Go On Sit-Down Strike

British General Election

Probable This Summer

## Hit From Philippines

## Hard Air Strikes Made On Formosa

Fight For Administration by a war-weary Older Men





**Doughton Opens Tariff** 

CERTIFICATION POLICY

### Necklemburg (asualties

British Get Pipe Material LONDON up Pipe emoking ctoom were cheered today by the rival from southern France of its country's first consequinces briar in five years

# Allied Troops March

## Trieste Occupation Dispute At An End

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