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WE'RE EITHER TOO HIGH OR TOO LOW

BECAUSE we thought there was the makings of history in them, we had stashed in the attic the copies of Life for those grim weeks in December, 1944, and January, 1945, when Hitler's armies were making their last desperate bid to smash the Western Allies' invasion.

Those words might just as well have been written about the United States press and people—all of 1950 and 1951. Our love of high drama, our proneness to see everything in blacks and whites, our elaborate network of high-speed communications...

YOU CAN VOLUNTEER—YOUR BLOOD

MECKLENBURGERS have a great deal in common with Texans—we like to brag. We'll brag of our accomplishments at any time and at any place, and with no prompting. We like to let the world know we can do things bigger and better than anyone else. There's never any thought that Mecklenburgers can fall at any job put before us.

Infinitely more to the men who needed the 272 pints which did not reach the fighting front. Only 272 more volunteers would have enabled the local center to report proudly: "Quota met." But the volunteers it seems, just didn't seem like volunteering.

A, B, C, D, E, F, GEE!

JOHN BLANK of the DMB went over to the NSRB to check its files on the IDA and was told that what he wanted was actually at either the DTA or the CDA or, perhaps, even at the DPA.

ODM—Office of Defense Mobilization. DMB—Defense Mobilization Board. NPA—National Production Administration. DPA—Defense Production Administration. ESA—Economic Stabilization Agency. NSRB—National Security Resources Board. IDA—Interior Defense Agencies. OPM—Office of Production Management. OCA—Office of Requirements and Controls. WSB—Wage Stabilization Board. DPS—Director of Price Stabilization. DTA—Defense Transport Administration. CDA—Civil Defense Agency.

From The Greensboro Daily News

NATURAL GAS ARGUMENT

WHILE The Daily News is sympathetic to the appeal of various cities and towns in all parts of North Carolina for natural gas and the advantages which it is expected to bring and promises to aid in every reasonable effort to secure them, we fail to see the wisdom in the haste of the growing attack upon the FCC's decision awarding Piedmont Natural Gas Corp. the right to distribute natural gas to eight cities in the Piedmont Carolinas.

given due consideration. Already the Trilites in neighboring Rockingham County have natural gas because such an arrangement could be worked out immediately with the source of supply at hand; nobody has contended that this arrangement should be made on a case-by-case basis on a statewide basis. And all, when any part of North Carolina goes forward, all of the state does.

People's Platform

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THOMAS EISENHOWER... 'Mind If I Make A Suggestion?'

GOP Rally To Show Taft's Grip On Republican Party

WASHINGTON (U.P.)—The GOP is going into Taft week. Taft week begins with the Lincoln Day Dinner in the afternoon and the annual convention closes not only a number of Republican Governors, Senators and Representatives but also the Ohio and his Pennsylvanians and other professional politicians.

Cattle Vs. People

Editors, The News: I read The Charlotte News daily and always enjoy your editorials even though at times we may see things from a different angle, but that, of course, is what has made America great and it would be an awful monotonous world if everybody agreed with you.

Mr. Walker Lippmann (1-26) "This resolution (U.S. to brand Mao's regime "aggressor") will be interpreted throughout Asia and certainly also in most of Western Europe as the preliminary to an American commitment to see the destruction of the Red Chinese government and the re-establishment of Chiang's government."

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Drew Pearson's Merry-Go-Round

IT'S still an official secret but the United States will soon be independent of the rest of the world when it comes to opium.

S. Establishes Opium Independence

Note—Word of the new U.S. opium supply will bring howls of anguish to the international opium monopoly which has been making prices to American purchasers.

Eisenhower Restores Faith In This Nation And Abroad

By JOSEPH & STEWART ALSOP

WASHINGTON (U.P.)—The striking feature of Truman's final report is perhaps the most important attached to Eisenhower's report on his journey.