

CHINESE CLAIM NEW VICTORIES

Japanese Advances Are Halted In Southern China, Inner Mongolia

HONGKONG, March 25.—(AP)—Chinese reported successes today on the front as far separated as the northern China and Inner Mongolia.

Book Highlights

Maurois' "The Art of Living" (Harcourt, \$2.50) is a book to be read in one great gusty gulp.

Choice of a career must not be left to chance. "What sort of a man I fitted for? What are my natural abilities?"—the beginner must ask himself these questions.

Home Building Co-Op Formed At Chapel Hill

CHAPEL HILL, March 25.—(AP)—General University of North Carolina service employees have launched a cooperative housing plan on a basis of exchange of labor.

RAYMOND SMITH, night manager for the Chatham Manufacturing company, got an joy bath tub for other ill effects as his automobile tumbled into the waters of a creek.

Off To Drive Ambulances For France



Captain John Hasey, of Bridgewater, Mass., first wounded American to return from Finland, wishes luck to four American Volunteer Ambulance Corpsmen as they recently sailed from New York for France.

Behind The Scenes In Washington

WASHINGTON, March 25.—Both the European war and Sumner Welles' peace mission look vastly different behind the scenes than they do from a distance.

WASHED OUT KANSAS CITY—Mrs. J. D. Black heard the splash of rain, but it wasn't raining.

PEACE HAS BECOME PRIME OBJECTIVE Welles' confidential reports to the President and the state department are, of course, kept strictly secret.

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FLASHES OF LIFE

(By The Associated Press) FRENCH LICK, Ind.—Chipmunks delayed the start of the French Lick Springs hotel's Easter egg hunt.

HELPING HAND PITTSBURGH—Fight Promoter Jake Mintz put up \$1,000 bail for a youth charged with attempting to rob him.

PEACEFUL PORTLAND, Ore.—J. J. Hague, liquor administrator, reported to the state liquor commission "the policing problem is getting easier every year" at Portland Pacific Coast league ball games.

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NORTH WILKESBORO—Township meetings will be held today, tomorrow and Wednesday to give Wilkes county farmers an opportunity to sign for the 1940 farm program.

In Hollywood

NEA Service Staff Correspondent HOLLYWOOD, March 25.—Mr. Eddie Cantor, the comedian who does so much serious talking about Americanism and democracy, is heading for Broadway with a couple of new scripts in his pocket and the old zeal in his heart.

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RALEIGH BRIEFS

Star-News Bureau Sir Walter Hotel By HENRY AVERILL

RALEIGH, March 25.—Along with many others your reporter has been more or less accepting as a fact the assertion that "ninety per cent of the state senators are for Lieutenant Governor W. P. Horton" in the current gubernatorial campaign.

A close analysis of the senate roster completely demolishes any such claim. The lieutenant governor without any question has a majority of the senate for him, but at the very top figure he hasn't more than two-thirds of the 48 democratic members of the upper house.

In view of the fact they haven't all taken public stands, it would obviously be unfair to name names, but your reporter after making a careful and completely objective survey would divide the senate thus:

Horton 2, Broughton 6, Maxwell 6, Grady 1, Gravelly 1, Pritchard 1, McNeill 1, Doubtful 11, Eliminated 1.

Edgar Bain of Wayne is the "eliminated." He resigned about a year ago to become the state beer czar.

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Irony Of War

By MILTON BRONNER NEA Service Staff Correspondent

LONDON, March 25.—By a strange irony of fate, Great Britain in her endeavor to prevent goods, money or German men from reaching Naziland, finds herself against the United States, Japan and Italy, all of whom were her allies or associates in the last world war.

The same irony this time finds the United States a neutral anxious to remain neutral, while Japan and Italy are neutrals joined by an anti-Comintern pact with Germany.

There is further irony in the fact the three great neutrals, when associated with Britain in the last war, approved of the things they are now kicking about.

U. S. USED EMBARGO IN CIVIL WAR The United States has never liked interference with her sea-born traffic, particularly when in neutral vessels, bound for neutral ports.

The last world war at once presented problems of dispute. The American government found itself busy writing notes of protest to both sides in the war.

Theoretically Germany had as much access to American munitions as Britain and France. Actually it was not so because of allied command of the seas.

To German insistence that, therefore, America should place an embargo on munitions sales, the American government replied that it could not change the rules to the advantage of one belligerent and disadvantage of another while a war was in progress.

The American government then asked both sides to respect the 1907 Declaration of London, which laid down rules of blockade and contraband, but which Britain had not ratified.

At that time 209 Americans had lost their lives, due to German submarines.

In April, 1917, America came into the war against Germany. American destroyers immediately helped the allies tighten the blockade.

In the last war the allies took to examining mails from America shipped to destinations in Europe.

During the current war, America has protested about the search of mail, especially on the American Clipper airplane service.

Japan adopted a far more belligerent attitude than the United States. The Japanese kick centered on the incident when a British man of war took 21 German seamen off the steamer Asama Maru.

Bain lived at Fort Mill with his son, Ed Bain. Adkins said the elder Bain occasionally would go to the cabin, however, for brief periods.

GOLDSBORO, March 25.—(AP)—City Policeman Harry Morris said today that H. B. Parks, negro, was being held in connection with an accident late Saturday night which brought death to McCoy Sullivan, 34, and Gordon Fendt, 38, of Goldsboro.

Morris said Sullivan and Fendt were changing a tire on their car when another struck them.

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California Anti-Third Termers Launch Drive

LOS ANGELES, March 25.—(AP)—The name of Lieut.-Gov. Ellis E. Patterson, who bolted a Roosevelt third-term "harmony" ticket, heads a new slate of aspiring delegates to the democratic national convention.

Although Patterson technically thus becomes a candidate for president, sponsors said the slate is one pledged to "principles, not personalities" and that the individual whose platform adheres closest to their own would receive support.

Already in the field are the Roosevelt group, headed by Gov. Culbert L. Olson and ex-U. S. Senator William Gibbs McAdoo; another pledged to Vice-President John N. Garner and a "Ham and Eggs" ticket headed by Willis Allen.

Carolina News Shorts

ARCHAEOLOGIST DURHAM—Dr. W. K. Boiespring, archaeologist of Duke University, will speak to the American Oriental society Wednesday in New York concerning the scientific exploration of Palestine during the nineteenth century by a Swiss physician, Titus Tobler.

S. S. RALLY CLINTON—A Sunday school convention will be held March 26 at the Ebenezer Baptist church here.

GOP CONVENTION ASHEBORO—The Randolph county republican convention will be held April 6 at the county courthouse here.

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DRESSING	Ann Page SALAD	Pt. Jar		15c
BUTTER	Sunnyfield 1/4-lb. Prints	1b.		31 1/2c
FLOUR	Sunnyfield For Pancakes	20-oz. Pkg.		5c
SYRUP	Rajah Blended	2	12-oz. Bottles	25c
LAMB LEGS	Swift's Premium	1b.		21c
Lamb Shoulders	Swift's Premium	1b.		11 1/2c
LAMB CHOPS	Swift's Premium	1b.		29c
HAMS	Armour's Star	1b.		17c
FISH FILLETS	Haddock, Cod & Flounder	1b.		12 1/2c
ORANGES	Juicy Florida	2	Doz.	29c
CARROTS	Large Bunches	2	For	7c
CABBAGE	New Green	2	Lbs.	5c
ONIONS	Fresh Spring	2	Bunches	9c
SPINACH	Fresh Native	4	Lbs.	19c

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