returned in short order. Wrong color he said.

My deer I would climb the highest mountain for you, Ah yes, my deer, I would lose sleep, go hungry, freeze, be quite as a mouse, if I don't meet you at the expected place today I will be looking for you tomorrow, ah yes my deer, I see you now, steady - aim - fire - and that's exactly what Robert Head, John Kimzey and Bert Neal did. Nice going fellows.

We lost a couple of fine fellows to the Navy. Bobby Dishman and Boyd Oliver. Wishing you the best of luck in the world.

Bob Pierce is driving a new Buick. Shor is pretty Bob.

Queen Banning (the 30 miles per gal man) said he asked Bob his gas mileage and Bob told him he only figured gas yardage now.

Now getting back to Xmas, your reporters have a nice surprise for you. We have the names of TV owners in the machine room—ten that we know of, and we thought maybe we would split the 4 shifts up and go to their houses during the holidays. We will draw names to see who goes where. There will only be about 15 to each house. Our next move is to get the TV owners to OK this—enough foolishness.

The Machine Room wishes everyone a very, very, Merry Christmas.



John Kimzey (Machine Room) brought in the first buck from the hunts in the Pisgah District of the Pisgah National Forest. The buck, weighing 135 pounds, was brought down with a Winchester, Model 94, 30-30.





By Raleigh Waldrop and Holland Corn

With Thanksgiving over everybody seems to be looking forward to Christmas. We all, who worked at Ecusta on that day, enjoyed the dinner of Turkey and all the trimmings.

Celia Boyd has been out sick for the past several days. Part of the time she has been under treatment at Transylvania Community Hospital. Celia, hurry back to work, we all miss you.

Troy Zachary, who has been out several weeks suffering from injuries received in an auto accident, is reported to be very much improved.

Richard Sheppard and "Jake" Hossis have been among the lucky ones to get a deer this season.

Berlon Wood has traded his Ford for a 48 Chevrolet. Paul Chandler and Robert Fox have traded

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Barbara Wilkie

Barbara Wilkie, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Howard Wilkie of Skyland and a junior at Valley Springs High School, was the winner of an essay contest conducted by the Asheville Real Estate Board.

Barbara read her essay at a meeting of the board in the George Vanderbilt Hotel. Her essay will be entered in a nationwide contest sponsored by the National Association of Real Estate Boards, and the winner will be awarded a trip to Washington in January.