Officers Elected By

With a charter men



By Bobby Sloan.

This may be a trivial matter to you, but to us it is of primary importance—little red bugs which have their ambition, making life miserable. When you have to go for a day without a bath, and that bath when it comes, nothing more than what you can do with about four inches of water in a slow moving creek. Whew!

1-1 1-1 1-1 Although this is not common knowledge one of the main purposes of this Tennessee maneuver is to train the soldiers of the Second Army (and the 30th Division, attached temporarily to the Second Army, of course) in tactics of tank defense. It is a long jump from learning the theory of tank defense, to actually applying it on the field so for the most part, these weeks on the field in Tennessee are going to be spent teaching the soldiers this important phase of modern war-

To date, we have done little more than basic groundwork. The first | believe the 120th Infantry is going battle was nothing more than a to come through with flying colors. short field exercise similar to To show you how high we stand what we had been experiencing at in the estimation of our superiors. Fort Jackson. This was to get the on Monday, June the 9, the 120th men acclimatized to the terrain Infantry was given the all-impor-

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the kinks out after the long ride. The next exercises was a defense against infantry attack. This time the BLUES were very much outnumbered, but an orderly retreat was made, so that everyone concerned was satisfied.

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Now we are beginning a new phase of the month's war games We are learning defense against simulated tank defense. This begins, as do all new tactical phases, with a tactical map exercise for officers. After this exercise is completed, then the soldiers go to the field to put into practice what the officers direct. This time the mechanized enemy is simulated Finally will come the third phase, defense against actual tanks, which will take place as soon as the mechanized divsion arrives in Tennessee. This division comes from Fort Benning, and got to Camp Forrest Tuesday.

1-1 1-1 1-1 This will be the final test, and I



spectroscope he built before American Institute of Science of the New York Electrical Society New York, Still in high school, he has won several awards and profes-sional recognition in astronomy.

tant job of acting as rear guard for the division in the retreat. This was a very important maneuver. Simulated tanks were used against us, and altogether, the retreat was about twenty miles long, back to the Manchester, Tenn, area where we started our drive from a week ago.

1-1 1-1 1-1 will be going through battles against tanks. Can we stop them? Remember, most of us have never seen a tank. Against their defense, we have anti-tank guns, and are supported by light artillerymost of it .75 caliber size, I'll let you know all about it next week. 1-1 1-1 1-1

"In a quiet country churchyard, stands a maple on a hill. . . ." So the song goes, and so also went this Sunday morning. We, of course, had our own service here in the regimental bivouac area-we came in from the field for the week-end and were stationed at a small village named Beech Grove, Tenn. Unfortunately, just as we were finishing the first hymn, the rain came down in sudden downpour, so the service was concluded with a prayer. All of our services of course have to be out in the open. 1-1 1-1 1-1

The regimental church service is at nine o'clock on Sunday morning, however, and by eleven o'clock the sun had come back out so a group of us decided to attend a little church we had seen up the road about a mile and a half. You

Haywood Baptist Haywood Young People
Haywood County Methodist
young people held their June meeting in the Fines Creek Methodist
church Monday evening. The Rev.
Joe Shackford welcomed the group
and was followed by Longs Chemi

the A-1 groups.

from the W. M. S. of Canton First

Church, under the supervision of

Mrs. W. D. Briggs, state execu-

tive secretary, of Raleigh, will

give "Echoes from the State Meet-

ing" at Greensboro, and Mrs. H.

K. Masteller will give "Echoes

from the Southwide Meeting," in

Birmingham, Mrs. L. E. Joeckel,

of Hendersonville, divisional super-

intendent of stewardship, will make a short talk on Steward-

ship, and Mrs. J. R. Morgan, of

Waynesville-Asheville divisional

superintendent, will give the Rel-

ative Standing of Haywood in the

Lunch will be served at 12:15

and the afternoon program will

open with a devotional, after

which there will be an open con-

ference conducted by the state

worker, Mrs. W. D. Briggs; a re-

port of Young People's Work giv-

en by the leader, Mrs. H. K. Mas-

teller, and the election of officers.

Mrs. E. C. Horton, of Canton,

man's Missionary Union of the Haywood Baptist Association will and was followed by Longs Chapel young people who gave the worship program. Long's church won the be held at Barbersville church, Friday, June 13th, The program attendance banner. The feature of the evening was will open at 9.30 a. m., with a devotional by Rev. H. G. Hammett the election of officers for the new year. Leaders selected by the of Waynesville, followed by greetgroup are: President, Sue Cooke, ings from Mrs. H. J. Hoglan, of First church, Canton; vice president, Dick Bradley, Waynesville Barbersville, and response by Mrs. John Blalock, of Hazelwood. The Methodist church; secretary, Lou Bell Boyd, Shady Grove church, Jonathan Creek; treasurer, Mary Finger, Dellwood Methodist church. theme will be "Our Continuing Task-Making His Will Known. Carl Ratcliff, of Waynesville, Mrs. Don Cogdill, of Clyde, and Mrs. M. T. Brooks, of Canton, will give

would have been surprised to see the congregation. No announcement or invitation had been extended to the soldiers, but still there were twice as many there in uniform as there were civilian members of the congregation, and I imagine this was the case in all the churches in the vicinity. When you take into consideration the fact that there are already almost eighty thousand men on the field, then it is not so surprising that of this group you would have so many go to church. Many of them (and could I say us?) hoped just by chance that we would be invited to a home-cooked Sunday dinner. Who can blame us for hoping. The people are so kind that many soldiers were invited By the time you read this, we into the homes today for a meal. I was not that fortunate.

I would like to mention some thing which is very close to my heart, and that is something which I had to come to the army to learn. That is, that it is the people who appear on the outside to have so little, who in reality have so much in the way both of human kindness and a hospitality which is rich beyond description. As a soldier, if I were asking a favor, wanted a drink of water, or something of that nature, and had the chance either of going to a big house in some city, or to a small white cottage on a hill far from a city, I would chose the cottage every time. There is no way of adequately describing the wonderful warmth of human friendship you find in the small house, with people who from the outside appear to live in poverty. They are generally most kind, and it makes you want to do something in return. If soldiers ever are called on to give sacrifices and endure the hardships of war, it will not be in defense of an idea or a philosophy developed by some newthought leader; it will be to defend the rights and liberties of people like the MacDowells and Farmers, who in their simple ways have shown so many of us how democracy really should work: not through the spouting of some idealistic demagoguge, but through the simple acts of kindness performed by the Smiths and the Joneses, after all the backbone of America. That after all, is the only thing worth living for, and

That's all for this week, folks.

ONLY SINGLE PLANT "What is the plural of gladiolus is it gladiolas or gladioli?" "I'm sorry, but I can't tell you. You see I've never had more than

one come up."

NOTICE OF BOND ORDINANCE Be it ordained by the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Waynes-

ville, as follows: 1. Bonds of the town shall be issued to the maximum aggregate principal amount of \$153,000 for the purpose of refunding, by way of exchange, the following valid outstanding bonded indebtedness

of the town, namely: \$24,00 5 \% water bonds dated July 1, 1927, due \$1000 on July 1, in each of the years 1941 to 1964 inclusive.

\$76,000 6% water bonds dated July 1, 1926, due July 1, \$2000 in each of the years 1941 to 1953 inclusive, \$3000 in each of the years 1954 to 1958 inclusive and \$5000 in each of the years 1959 to 1965 inclusive

\$6000 5% water bonds dated September 1, 1915, due September 1, 1945.

\$20,000 5% water and sewer bonds dated April 1, 1911, due April 1, 1941.

\$24,000 51/2 % water bonds dated August 1, 1922, due \$2000 on August 1, in each of the years 1940 to 1951 inclusive. \$3,000 5% water works bonds

dated April 1, 1911, due April 1, 1941. 2. A statement of the debt of the town has been filed with the Clerk and is open to public inspec-

3. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage and shall not be submitted to the voters.

The foregoing ordinance passed on the 15th day of May, 1941, and was first published on the 12th day of June, 1941.

Any action or proceeding in questioning the validity of said ordinace must be commenced with-in thirty days after its first pub-

HEDWICK A. LOVE

Champion Gives Service Emblems To Employees

Reuben B. Robertson, executive vice president of the Champion Paper and Fibre Company, enter-The annual meeting of the Wotained more than 300 employees who have between 15 and 20 years of unbroken service with the company, with an informal twilight barbecue and recreational program, at his lodge, Sit 'n Whittle, at Lake Logan, Saturday evening. Service emblems were awarded

The assistant superintendent, Mrs. | superintendent of the association, will preside. Mrs. Carey Smathers is secretary and treasurer, and the chairman of standing committees are: Mission Study, Mrs. reports of the activities in the Same Jones, Waynesville; person-al Service, Mrs. R. T. Messer; stewardship, Mrs. W. B. Sprinkle; literature, Mrs. J. H. Haynes; W. three groups. There will be a roll-call of the Women's Missionary Societies and the junior organizations, and awards given to M. U. training school and Marga-ret Fund, Mrs. J. F. Moody. At 11 o'clock there will be given a playlet, "The Clinic of a Missionary Specialist," by a group

Canton Baptist C Will Be Dedicated

more than 60 persons, i dependent Missionary church in West Canton ed to be dedicated at r vices Sunday, June 15.

The Rev. L. B. Co. Asheville, will deliver the message. Singing will h

Members of all de are invited to attend the

during the program. y employes are represent group than appear on of either the Old Time the more recently orga ior Old Timers' club, or ficials said Tuesday.

More than 600 pour pork and lamb were bar the occasion. A specia of entertainment was ar Dwight Thompson, offi-Champion Paper and P pany.

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