

TRYON

The Lanier Club will have its first meeting next Thursday, Nov. 21.

Mr. Geo. H. Holmes attended to business matters in Asheville, Monday.

Nelson Jackson came up from Columbia and spent Sunday with parents in Tryon.

Mrs. R. G. Rankin, of Gastonia, N. C., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Reid, on Melrose avenue.

What has become of the Tryon Board of Trade? Seems to us that the time for the annual meeting is past due.

Rev. H. Norwood Bowne and family came down from Biltmore, Monday, and spent a few days with Tryon friends.

Mrs. J. B. Reid and daughter, Miss Beatrice, were in Spartanburg, Monday, where they went to help celebrate the victory.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered after the sermon at the Congregational church, Sabbath morning.

Mrs. E. B. Moore, on her way from Asheville to her new home in Atlanta, Ga., stopped off here and visited relatives, the McFees.

Mrs. Chas. Cobb, of Hendersonville, spent Sunday in Tryon as the guest of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Cobb.

Mrs. Lubeck has returned from a business trip to Chicago. It is no longer Capt. Lubeck, but Major Lubeck, if you please. Congratulations, Major.

Mrs. Henry Rankin, of Gastonia, N. C., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Reid. Mr. Rankin is in the naval aviation corps, and Mrs. Rankin will spend some time in Tryon with Mr. and Mrs. Reid her parents.

Rev. C. W. Riggs, of Oberlin, Ohio, will speak at the Congregational church on Tuesday, Nov. 19th, at 4 p. m., on the topic, "Turkey as I Knew It." Mr. Riggs was born in Constantinople, and spent his earlier years in Turkey.

Services at the Congregational church Sunday, will be held as follows: 10 a. m., Sunday school; public worship at 11 a. m. The first quarter hour will be devoted to a victory praise service—patriotic music. The pastor will preach. Everybody come.

We wish to request our correspondents not to send any more poetry for publication. We have a cart load, more or less, lying around now, and no room for it. It is very troublesome to set, and unless of very high order is seldom read. We need the space for matters of more importance.

The second from Tryon to make the supreme sacrifice is Levi James Butler, who fell in the attack on the Hindenberg line. His father, Mr. James Butler, received the tidings in a letter of sympathy from a relative also in the service. Further notice will be given when the Government's official report is received.

Mr. Bush is in receipt of a letter from Sgt. Ralph S. Jackson, from "Somewhere in France," stating that he is in excellent health, and getting along fine. Also that his friend Oliver is still with him. He says he would like to glance at a copy of the NEWS, and that a letter from anybody in Polk county would be acceptable. We trust that it won't be long before Ralph is back in Tryon. His address is Sgt. Ralph S. Jackson, Battery B, 316th F. A., A. E. F.

The telegraph operators were granted their demands, Wednesday, and the strike averted. If the contentions of the operators were right they had a just grievance. They claim that every other kind of railroad employee has had an advance in salary, but that the station agents and operators have had no increase in salary for eight years. Such being the case they were deserving an increase.

John Early, the poor unfortunate leper who gained so much notoriety because of the prominence given the case by the Asheville newspapers, has again disappeared. He is supposed to have left Tryon about last Saturday. As he has often expressed a desire to gain admittance to the leper's colony in Louisiana, it may be that he has gone there. As the national or state governments refused to have anything to do with the case, it is supposed that he did the best thing, and that was to take the matter in his own hands and go where he intended going in the first place. We suppose the Asheville papers will now give column after column of reshaped stuff about this case.

Messrs. B. L. Ballenger, A. H. Hill and B. F. Copeland attended the War Savings meeting at Hendersonville Tuesday. This meeting was first scheduled for Asheville, but owing to flu condition was changed to Hendersonville. It seemed for awhile as though there might not be any meeting at Hendersonville, as flu conditions at that place are bad, and no permit had been secured to hold the meeting. However the matter was overcome, and plans for the future of the War Savings cause were outlined to those present.

One more of Polk county's christian young men has given his life for the cause of home and humanity. Ziba, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Wilson, of Cooper Gap township, was killed in battle, on Sept. 29th. It is earnestly to be hoped that no more of our boys have been called upon to give the supreme sacrifice. War, cruel war, is now over, and soon we may expect to see those who have escaped death come home. May Mr. and Mrs. Wilson look at their son's death as did Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt, when they said: "We have not lost a son; we have given one."

Mr. W. F. Little has resigned as cashier of the Peoples Bank & Trust Co., to accept a position as department manager with the State Trust Co., of Plainfield, N. J. Together with his family he will leave for his new post of duty within a few days. Mr. Little has a host of friends in Polk county who rejoice with him in his good fortune in securing the position he has. He is an affable and accomodating personage, and by these traits has placed the Peoples Bank & Trust Co., in the enviable position it now occupies. It is the newest of four bank in Polk county, but in resources is a very close second. NEWS readers will remember him best by his connection with this paper, being the immediate predecessor of the present management. His good wife has a host of friends in Tryon who hate very much to lose her.

—W. S. S.—  
Report of the Condition of the BANK OF TRYON at Tryon, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, November 1st, 1918.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$88,089.82
Overdrafts	1,464.98
United States Bonds and Liberty Bonds	3,800.00
All other stocks, bonds and mortgages	3,000.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	4,920.50
Due from National banks	2,116.92
Gold coin	225.00
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency	728.97
National Bank notes and other U. S. notes	5,487.00
Total	\$109,833.19
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$10,000.00
Surplus fund	10,000.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	1,992.02
Deposits subject to check	62,091.79
Time certificates of deposit	513.00
Savings deposits	24,082.85
Cashier's checks outstanding	311.49
Due to National banks	842.04
Total	\$109,833.19

State of North Carolina, Polk County, November 13, 1918. I, J. B. Hester, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. B. HESTER, Cashier.  
Correct—Attest:  
B. L. Ballenger,  
W. T. Lindsey,  
J. B. Hester, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of Nov. 1918.  
Geo. A. Gash, Notary Public.

—W. S. S.—  
NOTICE OF LAND SALE.

Notice is hereby given that the undesignated by virtue of the powers contained in a certain mortgage dated 9th March, 1915, executed by Sanford Liles and wife Queen Liles to E. D. Ezell will sell at the court house door at Columbus, N. C., on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1918 at 2 o'clock P. M., the following real estate, to-wit: A tract of ten acres of land described as follows:

Part of Pat. No. 1013, on the waters of Mill Creek, beginning on a black gum, Head's corner, and running thence south 80 east 65 1-3 poles to a stone in Mose Shields' line Barnett's corner; thence with Shields line south 46 w 18 poles to a sourwood his corner; thence with his line south 6 1/2 west 24 poles to a stone, his corner; thence with his line south 49 1/2 west 19 1/2 poles to a stake, his corner; thence with his line south 26 west 9 2-3 poles to a stake, Head's corner; thence with Head's line north 68 1/2 poles to a stake in Cantrell's line; thence with his line north 30 east 23 1/2 poles to a spanish oak, his corner; thence with his line north 10 east 31 1/2 poles to the beginning, containing 10 acres.

Sale will be made to satisfy the aforesaid mortgage.  
Terms: Cash on day of sale.  
E. D. Ezell, Mortgagee.  
M. Georgion, Assignee.

The NEWS is \$2 per year

**Somebody's Dollars Will Do It—  
I Wonder if They'll Be Yours**

By Bruce Barton

I WILL tell you what will happen some night this winter in France. Some night when its cold and dark. There will be a rustling through the front line trench, where our boys stand guard. And a heavy laden Secretary will make his way along.

In his hands will be great steaming pots: in his pocket chocolate and cigarettes.

From one man to another he will go, passing a cup full of hot coffee to hands that tremble with the cold; bringing the comfort of a bit of sweet and a smoke.

Men will hail him cheerily, slapping him on the back; and when he has gone things will be a little easier in that trench because he has passed that way.

How much will it cost to make that trip, do you suppose? Counting the pittance that the Secretary is paid, and the cost of the chocolate and the cigarettes and all?

Five dollars? Twenty-five dollars? I do not know.

But whether it is five dollars or twenty-five, I'd like to think that it is my five or twenty-five—wouldn't you? That some night when it's cold and lonesome, my money and yours might send a Secretary out along that front line trench. Let's make up our minds that we are going to pay for a score of those trips. A score of the nights this winter shall be our nights

—nights when the boys greet joyously the chocolate and cigarettes that our money provided; and are happier because our representative has passed.

United War Work Campaign For the Boys in the Service

**SERVICE THAT WINS THE SOLDIER HEART**

Fred Lockley, Y. M. C. A., Tells of the Gratitude of the Boys at the Front.

"One of the discoveries men are making over here," Fred Lockley, of the Y. M. C. A. and of Portland, Oregon, writes from London, "is that more pleasure can be had out of giving than getting. Many a man who has spent money freely in the old days to buy pleasure is finding that he gets more pleasure over here by the spending of one's self in the service of others."

"A few months ago I went out with a fellow Y. M. C. A. secretary to hunt up out-of-the-way detachments of troops. A stable guard here, a machine gun company there, a platoon somewhere else. We carried our goods in an automobile. We had plenty of writing paper and envelopes for free distribution, and chocolate, cookies, chewing tobacco and smoking tobacco, cigarettes, razor blades, tooth paste and things of that kind for sale. American war service workers were busy everywhere. We found Salvation Army lassies making doughnuts for the boys and K. of C. secretaries giving help. Books furnished by the American Library Association were to be seen on all sides."

"Hearing firing at a distance, we drove down the road and found a score or so of men at machine gun practice. The officer gave the men half an hour recess to buy goods."

"At another place we came in sight of a lieutenant drilling a platoon. I said to the lieutenant: 'How soon before you dismiss the company? We have Y. M. C. A. goods for sale.'"

"He said: 'Right now. Sergeant, dismiss the company!'"

"And ten seconds later the company was in line waiting to buy goods from our traveling 'Y.' Grateful is no name for it. The men can't do enough to show their gratitude."

**Why You Should Give Twice What You Did Before**

The government has fixed the sum needed for the care of the men in the service at \$170,500,000.

Unless Americans give twice as much as ever before our soldiers, sailors and marines in 1919 may not enjoy their

- 8,600 recreation buildings
- 1,000 miles of movie films
- 100 stage stars
- 2,000 athletic directors
- 2,500 libraries supplying 3,000,000 books
- 85 hostess' houses
- 15,000 "Big Brother" secretaries
- Millions of dollars of home comforts

Give to maintain the morale that is winning the war now

**MERCY MUNITIONS NEEDED IN TRENCHES**

Lieut. Coningsby Dawson, Fighting Author, Makes Stirring Appeal for Y. W. C. A.

Lieut. Coningsby Dawson, who wrote "Carry On," says of the war work which the Y. W. C. A. is doing: "You at home cannot fight with your lives, but you can fight with your mercy. The Y. W. C. A. is offering you just this chance. It garrisons the women's support trenches, which lie behind the men's. It asks you to supply them with munitions of mercy that they may be passed on to us. We need such supplies badly. Give generously that we may the sooner defeat the Hun."

What Lieut. Dawson says of the Y. W. C. A. he might have said of all the national organizations which are coming together for the biggest financial campaign that organizations have ever headed. All the \$170,500,000 to be raised by the seven great national organizations the week of November 11 will be used to garrison and supply the support trenches behind the lines. They are the Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A., the National Catholic War Council, Jewish Welfare Board, American Library Association, War Camps Community Service and Salvation Army.

American girls in various uniforms mingle strangely with picturesque Britanny costumes in France. The American Y. W. C. A. has a hostess house in Britanny where the Signal Corps women live and a hut where the nurses spend their free time. Both these centers are fitted with many of the comforts and conveniences of home.

"At a tea given at the nurses' hut one Saturday afternoon," writes Miss Mabel Warner, of Salina, Kansas, Y. W. C. A. worker there, "there was an odd gathering—one admiral, a bishop, a Presbyterian minister, a Roman Catholic priest, a doctor, an ensign, one civilian and myself."

**First Victory Boy's Work.**

"Say, I'm wise to you, all right," a Western Union messenger boy whispered to one of the directors of the United War Work Campaign in the New York headquarters. The director's desk had only just been moved in and the work of the big drive had hardly begun.

"I'm onto your stunt," the boy went on as he swung a grimy fist over the desk; "you're goin' to give us fellows that ain't old enough to go to war a chance to earn an' give to back up a fighter an' help win the war." Listen; I'm in on this."

The crumpled \$5 bill he dropped on the desk made him the first of "a million boys behind a million fighters" who are to be lined up as Victory Boys during the week of the drive.

There will be a division of Victory Girls, too, and every boy and every girl enrolled will have to earn every dollar he or she gives to the war work fund.

**Think it Over!**

You live in this county—you believe in it—you love it—because it's your county. Are you willing for it to be listed as a SLACKER County? No! You are not. Then let's get right down to brass tacks and put it on the honor roll. Its quota in War Savings has not been reached; therefore we know you will pledge your full part to help remedy this condition.

There will be a wind-up war savings drive in this county during September.

Canvassers, acting under authority of the United States Government will call upon you. You must pledge to buy every single War Savings Stamp you can to help save your county—and your boys.

Any further information will be cheerfully given you by Mr. B. L. Ballenger, County Chairman of Polk County War Savings Association.

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"OVER THERE"  
want to know what is going on back home. Why not you  
Send them the NEWS?**