

NEED NEWS

H. V. Bell

Mr. Ann Grant visited her daughter in Asheville during the week end.

Mr. Tom Horn and little Ted, of our Chester, S. C., spent the night with relatives here recently.

The Home Store has five good sewing clerks. Miss Martha Walker, Mrs. Weaver and Mrs. John Ligon and old Man John.

One of our L.W.'s in The Best Case is a Methodist Sunday school and the other one is a Presbyterian Sunday school teacher. It's fine to have the law on the Lord's side.

The girl that counts at Wadesville is with care in the eye. I've called her a bear. I can't get it by medical science and the doctor says.

An old preacher lived at North. I think he left a blessing on the town and here.

See how I told you folk. I was not here to catch minnows. Now Mrs. Shepherd wants minnows to go at his book. Gosh its too cold to get to get in the water. I got a job with the Weather Bureau in Washington to measure the rainfall. It hasn't rained enough since I put the container out to wet the bottom of the bucket.

Just got a letter from H. V., Jr., to New Guinea. Said he was out in the jungle looking for a jaguar and killed a large deer that makes two for H. V.

I told you it pays to advertise. Mrs. Logan gave me a little Ad for a baby stroller. It hadn't more than gotten in the paper, then it was sold. Try again Johnnie.

I have been told so many times before the end of time one can't tell summer from winter, only by the falling of the leaves. Its not in the Bible—you must to see it somewhere else.

Now women have the opportunity to work and draw weekly pay checks. They once thought they couldn't do anything. Now they can do everything. I love good and beautiful women. My mother was a woman. She died a shouting Methodist. The angels came and got her away as God made Heaven. I like the Methodists. They dont care who knows they have religion and shout.

Honestly, I am not much on figures when it comes to war. I predict the present war will end just as abruptly as war No. 1 did and as for me the quicker the sooner.

When God spoke to man on the battle fronts of the World, you have caused enough sorrow, you have wrong the hearts of millions long enough, take in your tools, its enough, then there will be rejoicing on this earth like as hasn't been since that Holy night when the angels proclaimed the birth of the Holy Christ child in the lowly manger in Bethlehem. Peace on Earth, Good Will to Mankind, that was the grandest night that the sun rays ever kissed, the silent earth, a sweet good night: No man made planes in the star lit heavens, to mark that holy night and cause the angels to weep.

Merry Christmas to all those at home and to all our soldiers, boys and girls on land and sea.

Youngsters Learn American Principles

Under a project recently adopted by several New Jersey high schools youngsters between the ages of 15 and 21 are learning first hand the processes of free enterprise which have made America great. They are organized into "companies" of 11 or 12 member each, and elect their own personnel and officers, including such titles

as secretary, treasurer, sales manager, production manager, etc.

Like their elders, company members go out into the community and sell stock to raise capital. They devote three hours a week to shop work and attend weekly business meetings where they can vote them selves a small wage rate—say five cents an hour. And when money comes in they do as good management does—declare dividends for stockholders.

Thus the juniors are learning through the practical way just what industry is all about, so that when the time comes to enter the real show they'll know something of production problems from shops to front office.

And what do the youngsters manufacture? Well, they're not in the big lumber class yet but there's a darn good field in clothing, aprons, canvas shopping bags, match covers, house signs, and Kiwanis club plates.

The Argentine is producing 312 million bushels of wheat as compared with 225 millions last year, according to preliminary forecasts.

BUY WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

—JOB PRINTING — PHONE 167—

Flame Thrower Will Be Wood Killer

Crush the great "ey" when industry leads records into glowshades, adaptations of flame throwers will be killing weeds instead of Japs. From the pattern of this deadly war weapon there has been fashioned a wood killer which, when put into manufacturing production plants, will rid corn and cotton fields of unwanted vegetation.

The "flame cultivator," pulled by tractor, spouts a 2200 degree flame downward through four ejectors. The idea is that it kills the grass and weeds but does not get close enough to the crops to injure them.

Success of the operation will depend upon the operator's skill. Two men can operate it—for instance, a farmer and his son, returned from using the "real thing" in battle.

About 1,000,000 cases of cut glass have been made available to civilian consumers from the Government set-aside reserves during the past month.

War-time developments in insect control will be highly useful after the war, especially in food production and sanitation, entomologists say.

FOR THAT LIGHT LUNCH

Try our Heinz Boston Baked Beans, or Heinz's Chicken Noodle or Vegetable Soup, or our Delicious Toasted Sandwiches with hot Coffee or Chocolate.

KINGS MOUNTAIN DRUG COMPANY

The Rexall Store

BELK'S

Gifts

For Ladies And Men

Give Lingerie This CHRISTMAS



Tailored Slips

Lovely tailored slips in fine rayon crepes and rayon satins. Bias cut styles. Colors: White, Tealrose. Sizes 32 to 40.

\$2.98

LACE TRIMMED SLIPS

Lovely lace trimmed slips. The always Welcome Gift. Made of fine quality crepes and satins. Bias cut styles in Tealrose. Sizes 32 to 40.

\$2.98 & \$3.95

—QUILTED—

HOUSECOATS

COLORS:

- White
- Pink
- Raspberry
- Blue

For warmth and beauty give a practical gift this year. A robe that will be loved for years. These house coats are well tailored and Budget Priced. Just the item for chilly mornings.

\$7.95 and \$9.95



PANTIES

Just received for holiday selling, large selection of fine quality ladies' panties. In fine quality rayons. Colors: Tea Rose, White. All wanted sizes.

39c to 79c



LOVELY PAJAMAS

"For Her Christmas"

—COTTON—

Give practical cotton pajamas for beauty and long wear this Christmas. These lovely pajamas are well tailored and fast colors. Plain and belted models. Colors: Stripes, Solids, Prints

\$2.48

"For Her Christmas"

—RAYON—

Lovely rayon pajamas in tailored and lace trim styles. Colors: Cream, Blue, Tea, Rose and Floral Prints. Full cut. Well tailored. "Give The Sleeping"

\$3.95

GIFTS FOR MEN IN OR OUT OF SERVICE

For the men folks at home—and for the boys in service—a multitude of gifts that will ring the Christmas bell! Quality furnishings, jewelry and gift novelties priced to fit all budgets.

SHIRTS	\$1.00 to \$2.25
TIES	40c to \$1.00
SOCKS	15c to 30c
PAJAMAS	\$1.95 to \$4.95
BATHROBES	\$2.95 to \$6.95
LEATHER BELTS	50c to \$1.00



HATS	\$1.45 to \$4.95
HANDKERCHIEFS	10c to 25c
SEWING KITS	\$1.00
DUFFLE BAGS	\$2.95
WRITING KITS	50c to \$1.00
TOILET KITS	\$3.00

MANY OTHER GIFTS FOR MEN

BELK'S Department Store

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