

National existence. The Apostle Paul said, on one occasion, "I was not disobedient to the Heavenly vision." Disobedience is one reason for loss of vision. If the Axis powers ever had any vision of brotherhood, love of God, or Christianity, then they have certainly lost it - and the result, we are now all witness to.

Let us pray that as "Old Glory" waves over North Africa that the spirit behind the stars and stripes will cause all peoples to catch the vision of Christianity, so that peace might come to all the earth once more. We trust that our armies of young men, right like the First Martyr, Stephen, if and when, they are called upon to die, can lift up their eyes to Heaven and find the vision, beautiful and clear.

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HOME ON FURLOUGH

Pvt. Andy Pritchard, formerly of Camp Pickett, Va., has been transferred to Camp Sutton, at Morroc, N.C. Andy is thrilled to be so near home and has spent several week-ends recently with his family. "Bardy" Hunt, and Homer Lingerfel went to Camp Sutton for one week-end with Andy - dontcha' know they had a big time.

Pvt. Herschel Hord, who received his basic training at Fort Sill, Okla., has been transferred to Fort Jackson, S.C., and has spent a recent week-end with his Wife, and other members of his family. Inez is wearing a big grin these days, since Herschel has gotten closer home.

Capt. Fred Falls of Philadelphia, Pa., spent a weeks furlough with Mrs. Falls, Dickie, and Jean. One didn't see "Doc" anywhere while on his visit, without those two little boys, close by - it was plain to see, they thought their Dad, was TOPS.

Pvt. J.D. Cook of New Orleans, La., spent a brief time here recently with his relatives. Every one was glad to see him.

Pfc. Jimmy Osborne, who finished his course for Link Trainer Instructors, on April 3rd, at Chanute Field, Ill, has now been assigned to the Air Base, at Orlando, Fla. Recently, Jimmy spent a coupla' days with his family, He had a grand time, running around, seeing all his friends, and playing Boogie-Woogie Music on the piano.

Pvt. Robert Pearson of New Orleans, La., was called home, during the month, due to the death of his infant son. We extend our sympathy to Robert and his Wife, in their great loss.

Clemmie Self, who is in the Navy, and Hugh Self, in the Army, were called home to attend the funeral of their Mother, Mrs. Pink Self. The Staff of the Hoover Rail extends their sympathy to these fine boys and all the members of their family.

Mrs. Ruth Mauncy Patterson, was recently given a Medical Discharge from the WAVES. Ruth is the sorta' girl, who doesn't believe too much in the word, "QUIT." She has now joined the Coast Guard Police and is on duty, patrolling the Shipyards at Baltimore.

Pvt. Griffin Johnson has been given an Honorable Discharge from the Army, as he is over 38 years of age.

Pvt. Kenneth McIntire, who was stationed at Camp Blanding, Fla., has been given a Medical Discharge from the Army. He is now working in the Dye House.