



Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wease of Lawndale announce the birth of a daughter on Monday, April 23rd. Mrs. Wease is the former Miss Mamie Luckadoo.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gold of Lawndale, Route 2, announce the birth of a son, James Monroe, on Thursday, May 3rd. Mrs. Gold is the former Miss Mildred Lattimore.

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Lieutenant Adam Hart and Mrs. Hart of Lawndale announce the birth of a daughter, Virginia Lee, on Saturday, May 5th. Mrs. Hart is the former Miss Margaret Johnson of California. Lt. Hart is stationed in Italy.

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SOLDIER'S LAMENT

"GI" William - son of John Post, head of the composing room of a publishing firm in Cincinnati, broke into rhyme in a letter to his family from an Army camp. He wrote:

"Sitting on my GI bed, my GI hat upon my head, my GI pants, my GI shoes, everything free, nothing to lose; GI razor, GI comb - but GI wish that I were home. They issue everything we need - paper to write on, books to read. They issue food to make us grow - but GI want a long furlough.

"Everything free, nothing to buy; your belt, your shirt, your GI tie. You eat your food from GI plate, and spend your funds at a GI rate. It's GI this, and GI that: GI haircut, GI hat. Everything is Government issue - but GI sure would like to kiss you."

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