



MARY ELSIE BRACKETT back from a two weeks' stay with ROBIE, who is in St. Albans Hospital, New York --- MARGARET PRICE gets VANGIE NORMAN to call for her mail. Her two boys, ADAM & BLAIR, in Germany send her all kinds of souvenirs, the last a German bayonet sent by ADAM - VANGIE said she didn't mind the bayonet, but they had better not send a German body and expect her to deliver it --- LITTLE BOBBIE SUDDERATH coming to the store on his tricycle --- MR. JOHN EAKER back from a three weeks' stay in Virginia --- "STICK" ELLIOTT and FITZ ROLLINS talking farming --- You could easily tell that MAURICE BOWMAN, SAM JEFFRIES and EMITT NORMAN weren't talking over their Sunday School lesson, by how quickly they stopped talking when REV. ISELY approached them --- SUMMIE EAKER counting up MILDRED'S "points" to see how much longer

she will be away --- EMA WHISNANT giving us postal cards in place of change when we mail packages --- J.B. BRACKETT getting our curiosity aroused, posting hand bills --- PAULINE JOHNSTON SUDDERATH enjoying the sunshine --- JERRY CALDWELL says, "When bigger fish are caught," that he and MR. TOM RICHARD will catch them --- FORREST ELLIS, Photographer from Shelby, taking pictures that the Hoover Rail staff thinks you boys will like to see on your magazine --- JESSE DIXON sending "The Rail-Splitter" a paper printed by his division in Germany --- The SUNSHINE CLASS entertaining the mothers with a banquet on Mother's Day --- The "Hat Raising" in honor of ROY GOLD'S baby --- YATES LEE rejoicing over winning a checker game --- The SCOUTS all thrilled over their former Scoutmate, J.F. CLINE, (Now in the Navy) expected home on leave --- MRS. LAWRENCE TOWERY out in her garden --- HELEN WALKER hunting for a coca-cola --- MARY BLANTON getting off her daily letter to her husband, JIM --- RUTH WILLIAMS with a pail of strawberries that she had persuaded "LIB" LEE that she didn't need --- MRS. IRA WEAVER off for High Point to spend Mother's Day with her Moms --- PIEDMONT GLEE CLUB'S program of beautiful songs at Sunday School, on Mother's Day --- MRS. SHUF RAMSAUR, JR., mailing pictures of their month old son to STAFF SGT. RAMSAUR in Germany --- Souvenirs pouring in for the display window --- Little PHYLLIS RICHARDS and DONALD BRACKETT making a darling bride and groom in the TOM THUMB WEDDING and his kiss after the ceremony would do credit to VAN JOHNSON --- MINNIE ANNA FORNEY home for Mother's Day week-end --- MR. and MRS. ARTHUR SPROUSE (the former Gazzie Osborne) of Gastonia spending Sunday with the OSBORNES --- JOHN FRANCIS CARPENTER with a grand tan after a fishing trip in Florida --- Crowds on their way to Piedmont registering for canning sugar --- BOY SCOUT CAMPAIGN for building funds underway --- have you contributed? --- ROSEMOND CANIPE and VIVIAN PEELER learning new dance steps --- MELBA LAUGHLIN and MABEL CLONINGER dashing to catch the bus --- CHARLES FORNEY, JR., riding by with his boys --- MR. & MRS. P.P. RICHARD "huffing and puffing" as they took turn about mowing their lawn --- EDITH RICHARD looking sporty in a new outfit --- MRS. T.B. RICHARD happy over a visit from her children on Mother's Day --- LOY PRITCHARD walking by in the rain --- ANNIE SUE HOYLE coming to work in a new frock which she had made all by herself --- REV. ISLEY, his MOTHER, and MRS. ERNEST BRACKETT, off to Shelby to attend District Missionary meeting at Central Methodist Church --- CPL. SHANNON H. BLANTON has been discharged from the 30TH Co. N.C. State Guard and promoted to S' Sgt. of the 1ST. Batallion Staggs, 2nd Regiment, N.C.S.G. --- TOD CALDWELL escorting MR. TOMAS BESOSA of Havana, Cuba, around the village --- BETTY EAKER WILSON'S friends are all glad that her husband PVT. JACK WILSON is improved after his illness --- MRS. KATHERINE LEE, MRS. TALPHY WARLICK and MRS. MABEL BLANTON hunting shower gifts for MRS. MARY CLONINGER WILLIS and also birthday gifts for MRS. MAGGIE WEASE --- MRS. JENNY LOU WALLACE and MRS. DOROTHY LEE, very attractive in new outfits --- MRS. PAULINE CARPENTER staring out the window - Penny for your thoughts, Polly --- Little DIANE JAMES selecting her own sweater in the Company Store --- The WOMAN'S CLUB elated over securing 106 subscriptions to Holland's Magazine, Mrs. Tom Abernethy being chairman of this drive --- Made a nice sum for their treasury.