



LEAVES + FURLOUGHS



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 Lt. Joe Wagner
 Cpl. John Pittman
 Bennie D. Brown, RMI/C
 Pvt. Chas. A. Green
 Capt. David Gatling
 T/4 Sgt. Johnny Rawls
 Major Leonard Raby
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 Lt. "Benny" Trueblood
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 Sgt. David Sugg
 Pfc. Tom P. Bardin

THIS & THAT

Many thanks to that mother Mrs. Norman Jones, who came in to give us \$1.00 for paper for boys.

Harvey James, Jr., is bound to have an ace in the hole-gave us \$10.00. Said that he wanted to help send you guys the news and to send his very best wishes. (Harvey is running an up-to-date grocery up at the depot, and taking a hand in everything worth while.) A good citizen, says HFN.

We are grateful to Mrs. Pearl G. Mawborn, of Kinston mother of Harvey, for contribution. Harvey is with 21st Tank Bn. of 7th Army. Virgil, Jr., has sailed from "Frisco", April 5th. Thanks to this former Tarboro mother, for her generosity and fine letter.

From Germany James E. Pilley sends us several hundred million German marks-about a million for each staff member-he says. Sgt. Bud Massar in France says Main St. scene on HFN possibly catches him about A.B.C. Store or poolroom. Pfc. David Hyde sends interesting "Special Order of the Day" issued 4/16 by Field Marshall and to 34th "Red Bull" Inf. Div. also field paper. J. R. Brown S1/c, on U.S.S. Rio Grande sends us photo in Pacific over 19 mos. Says he received package from home with coca cola enclosed. Pfc. Robt. L. Moore in Assam praises HFN and says good luck to all. From Germany Cpl. W. E. Edwards says Tarboro Airport Okey. Pays fine tribute to Wm. Hudson. Capt. Ed Martin, twice wounded in Europe, has been awarded Bronz Star, Oak Leaf Cluster and Purple Heart. Ed with 1st Army in Germany. Mother of Joseph F. Jones shows us another Citation won by him in assisting rescue of 278 boys overboard. This rescue affected at night, swimming in black Pacific water. Joe with USS Edmonds. D.E. Frank Carlisle writes from Waukiki Beach. Conrad Logan goes in washing with him. Frank also sees Adm. Ed. Roberson. Pos working in radar outfit and likes it.

Sgt. Jessie Kent in Europe, likes HFN, buddies like jokes-was at the bulge, the Rhur and what have you & thanks for HFN. M. L. Daughtrie S1/C on USS Hornett in Pac.-says he & bro love HFN. Says Hornet has over 500 Jap planes to credit- bombs have hit close-comments on Brown's girl pictures. Pvt. Horace Tillery, convalescent at Macclesfield, writes of horrors of Japs and Germans, was with both theatres-was wounded at Normandy-operated on 3 times- in line - for med. discharge. We go all out for Capt. Bill Raby & his fine letter of 4/18 deep in heart of Germany, pays glowing tribute to publication, says