

STATESVILLE NEWS

BY GEORGE F. DALTON
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A wholesome, unusual and enjoyable gathering of over 350 soldiers, wives, sweethearts and mothers took place at the Morningside school Thursday, February 20th, sponsored by the various clubs and churches of the city. The soldiers of World War I and II were invited to a program and dinner. Mrs. C. W. Nesby was chairman and mistress of ceremonies. On program were: Rev. J. W. Cronin who gave the invocation; Reading, Mrs. Mable Brien of the Social Air Club, Mr. T. V. Manning spoke for the NAACP. He made an appeal for members into the organization, telling the many advantages and the help that has been carried in helping soldiers, civilians and organizations. Two solos were given by Mrs. Eliza Harrison, "The Lord's Prayer" and "I Love Life" of the Swanks Club. Mr. Joe Bryant, president of the Safety Club, welcomed the vets in behalf of the club. Mr. A. D. Rutherford, principal of Morningside, made an appeal to the vets to take advantage of the many openings offered by the government. He said that the government offered great advantage for farm work under the supervision of a Farm Demonstration of the district. He asked each vet to take these advantages as they are given serious thought and consideration. "We could not expect the soldier to adjust himself to the changes as he did before entering service." A recitation was given by Mrs. Viola Long. An appeal was made by Mr. H. H. Harrison for the American Legion. Rev. J. W. Hayer, president of Ministerial Alliance, told the part the church played in time of war and peace. He asked that each soldier give his way to some church. Major Robert McDowell, major in command in garrison, said that "every soldier that wore and wears the service uniform deserves a distinguished medal." He told that the men who did the work of non-commissioned soldiers was due credit for the winning of the peace. He further stated that "the soldier doesn't know what to do, what to think and which way to turn and it is best for the civilian and love ones not to strongly impress him to go the way they feel that it is best; the best thing to do is let him go the way he wants." Music was furnished by Mr. O. M. Pharr. The following were presented for recognition and as sponsors of the affair, the American Legion, Swank Club, the monthly Scout Court of Honor, the monthly Morningside school with Troop Nos. 5 and 11 of Morningside and Unity Schools and Troop 8 of Mooresville, under the supervision of the Field Executive, J. A. Adams. The following ad-

Winston-Salem Teachers' College recently spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Moss. Edward S. Houston of Florida, honorably discharged, was here recently visiting Mrs. Agnes Bratton and friends. The Morningside "Off Beats" under the supervision of Mrs. M. W. Denton, has organized so that they will be able to play for various occasions. The members of the band are: J. Howard, L. Bonwick, drummer; Walter and Alex Pickens and J. Smith. The funeral of Mrs. Sally Moore was held at the First Baptist church last night with Rev. J. W. Cronin officiating. She leaves several grand children and other relatives. Mrs. Betha Landis, sister of Mr. T. V. Manning of Greensboro, was recently here visiting relatives and friends.

ROCKY MOUNT, N. C.

BY CHARLES STANLEY

The basketball teams of the Rocky Mount High school defeated Mary Potter in Oxford Friday night, March 11. It was the first time Oxford girls had been defeated by the Rockies in five years. That is why we citizens of Rocky Mount are very proud of the girls' coach, Miss Cason. This is her first year with the faculty as an English teacher. She is a native of Hackensack, N. J. The high school's first cheer club, under the direction of Miss Lyles, was guest of the BTU of the Mount Zion Baptist Church, March 10 at 8:30 p. m.

We citizens of Rocky Mount are looking forward to the Branch Tournament on March 11 and 12 in the high school auditorium. We will know the schools that are taking part in the tournament next week. Rocky Mount was honored on March 11th by that famous band leader of Hollywood, Count Basie, and many other Hollywood stars at the Cobb-E-F shall Warehouse. The dance was attended by a crowd of 1,500. Singer Anne Moore did "Sweet Embraceable You" nicely.

The Nashville High School selected the Rocky Mount girls Monday night, March 4, 1942. The boys lost to the Rocky Mount team, 26-21. Boxcar shortages present the most serious of all obstacles to the relief of farm feed shortages.

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NEWS OF SANFORD

MEYER-McALLISTER VOWS SPOKEN

Miss Blanche Meyer became the bride of Freddie McAllister on Saturday evening, February 18th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Worthy of Wilmington. Rev. H. Robbins of the First Methodist Church officiated. The vows were spoken under a arch beautifully decorated with ferns in paper. On each side of which was a candle. The bride, wearing a white tulle and a shawl of white lace, was escorted by Mr. Charles McAllister, brother of the groom, was best man. The ring ceremony was held. The bride wore a white tulle and a shawl of white lace.

A reception followed the ceremony at which time over a hundred friends and relatives dropped in to wish the couple happiness. Both Mr. and Mrs. McAllister are natives of New York. The groom is just returning from over two years of service in Europe.

Miss Nettie Horton and family of

409 Ramsey Street, Sanford, entertained in their home at a surprise party Friday evening, March 1, honoring the birthday of her daughter, Mrs. Alma Horton McNeil. The evening was spent in game and enjoying a delicious repast of cake and ice cream. Those enjoying this evening of pleasure were Mrs. Alma Horton McNeil, honoree; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. McLeod, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Burr, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bayliss, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Sellers, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Horton, Mrs. Mabel M. Turner, Mrs. Lewis M. Smith, Mrs. M. G. Thompson, Mrs. Nina L. Marsh, Miss M. Ernestine McKay, Miss Hazel Monroe, Miss Willie B. Newton, Miss Nettie R. Horton, Mr.

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MEYER-McALLISTER IN RAPE POSITION
WASHINGTON, D. C. — Clemency for Samuel Hill, formerly a sergeant in the 3rd Infantry Division, was asked of the War Department by NAACP Lawyers last week. Hill was convicted of raping a native woman on a Pacific island and sentenced to life imprisonment. NAACP Lawyers contend the evidence does not sustain the conviction. Hill was never indicted but by the complaint and the second a full of conflicting testimony. They called the conviction a "mass manslaughter of justice."

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This the 26th day of February, 1946
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