

# **NEWS OF OUR**

MILLER, of Boone, has completed the course of physical conditioning and ground school work at the U. S. and ground school work at the U.S. navy pre-flight school at Athens, Ga. He has been selected to continue in the pilot program, and has been ordered to the naval air station, Memphis, Tenn, to begin progressive flight training preparatory to joining a combat unit.

PVT. DANIEL W. HOLLERS, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arl Hollers, of Vilas, visited his parents for a few days enroute to Fort Meade, Md. He took his basic training at Camp Blanding.

SGT. LEVERNE S. FOX, instructor in the parachute school at Fort Benning, Ga., is spending a 12-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Fox, in Boone. Sgt Fox returned to the States last August, after spending 26 months overseas, where he took part in the invasion of North Africa, Sicily and Italy.

PFC. JOHN W. LOOKABILL, son of Mr. Reece Lookabill, of Boone Route 2, has been admitted to Moore General Hospital, Swannanoa, N. C.,

PVT. PAUL B. ARNETT, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Arnett, of Sugar Grove, who was trained at North Camp Hood, Texas, is now in Italy. He has been in the army for eight months.

ERNEST C. LEWIS, seaman first class, who has been on sea duty with the armed guard for the past two years, is spending a few days at the home of a sister, Mrs. Rob Rivers.

JIM RIVERS, chief warrant boat-swain, and Mrs. Rivers of Washington, D. C., are spending a few days at the home of Mr. Rivers' brother, Rob Rivers, and Mrs. Rivers. Jim returned last week from the Pacific area, where he has been engaged for the past 15 months, and where he participated in a number of naval actions. He expects to be stationed on the west coast for the time be-

AVIATION CADET BAXTER D. Pacific theatre for the past 18½ MLLER. of Boone, has completed months, recently spent 29 days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James and ground school work at the U.S. Coffey, of Shulls Mills. He has been in the past 18½ months, recently spent 29 days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James are spent at the school at Athers in the past 18½ months, recently spent at the school was a spent at the school at Athers and the sc in the navy for three years, has engaged in eight battles, and served in the Atlantic before going to the

SGT. ARVILLE E. BROWN left
Tuesday for Terre Haute, Ind., after
spending 10 days with his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brown, of
Boone Route 2. Sgt. Brown returned last November from 33 months
spent on active duty in India and
Burma.

PVT. BEELER T. COFFEY, JR., who has been serving overseas in Germany since December 1, 1944, is now in a hospital in England.

PFC. JOHN D. MILLER, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Miller, of Todd, is now in Germany with the Ninth army. He has been in combat in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany. Pfc. Miller entered service in September, 1943, and went overseas in September, 1944. He was a student at Appalachian College before going into service.

Lt. Farthing Returns to Duty
Mrs. Martha H. Farthing, of Sherwood and Greensboro, has been notified that her husband, Lt. Edwin H. Glenn Farthing, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Farthing, of Valle Crucis, has returned to his unit on the Euhas returned to his unit on the European western front. Lt. Farthing was wounded in action on Nov. 17, and since that time has been recuperating in England. He has been in service since August, 1943. He took his officers' training at Fort Benning, Ga., and also completed a three months' course in motor work while he was stationed there. Lt. Farthing was stationed at Camp Carson, Colo., just prior to going overseas some five months ago.

Cpl. Winebarger at Miami Beach
Miami Beach, Fla., March 10—
Cpl. Arlie M. Winebarger, son of
Mr. and Mrs. William Winebarger, of Boone, has returned from service outside the continental United States and is now being processed STANLEY DEAN COFFEY, sea-through the army ground and serv-man first class, who has been in the

where his next assignment will be

determined.

Cpl. Winebarger served 37 months as a truck driver in the Southwest Pacific theatre of operations. While there he was awarded the Asiatic-Pacific campaign ribbon with two battle stars and the combat infantry

Blowing Rock Infantryman
Promoted in Italy
With the Fifth Army, Italy—Cpl.
Charlie Cook, son of Mrs. Laura
Cook, Route 1, Blowing Rock, has
been promoted to sergeant on the
Fifth army front in Italy. He is a
radio operator with the 91st "Powder River" division.

Arrives in France
Mr. and Mrs. Copley Harmon
have received word that their son,
Pvt. Conley Harmon, Jr., has arrived
safely in France. He received
his have training of Corp. Bland his basic training at Camp Bland-

Cpl. Hagaman Receives Second
Overseas Stripe
At a 12th AAF Base in Italy—Cpl.
James D. Hagaman, son of Mr. and
Mrs. Fred C. Hagaman, of Vilas R.F.
D., has received his second overseas stripe after completing more than 12 months overseas with a troop carrier group of the 12th Air

Cpl. Hagaman is a communica-tions specialist. The work of his group includes the flying of ammugroup includes the flying of ammu-nition, arms, food and personnel up to the front lines, the air evacua-tion of the wounded, and during in-vasions, the towing of glider carry-ing airborne infantry, and the drop-ping of paratroopers behind enemy lines.

For distinguished service performed in the India-Burma theatre, his group has been awarded the distinguished unit citation. His group has also given outstanding performances in the invasions of North Africa, Sicily, Italy and Southern

France.
Before joining the AAF, Cpl.
Hagaman worked for the Green Park
hotel, Blowing Rock.

Local Soldier Awarded Combat

Decoration

With the Fifth Army, Italy—Sgt.
Bynum H. Harrison, son of Mrs.
Lelia Mae Harrison, Route 1, Blowing Rock, squad leader, has been cited by the 361st Infantry Regiment of the 91st "Powder River" division and awarded the combat infantry-man badge for actual participation against the enemy on the Fifth Army front in northern Italy. Standards for the badge are high.

The decoration is awarded to the in-fantry soldier who has proved his fighting ability in combat.

The handsome badge consists of

a silver riffle set against a back-ground of infantry blue, enclosed in a silver wreath.

Receives Gunner's Wings
Panama City, Fla.—Pfc. Henry C.
Folk, of Boone, has received his aerial gunner's wings from the army forces flexible gunnery school at Tyndall Field, the largest school of its kind in the army air forces trainits kind in the army air forces train-

upon his graduation, the soldier is qualified to take his place as a member of the combat crew of an AAF bomber.
Pfc. Clay is the son of H. Clay

Folk, of Boone.

PVT. KENNETH DOTSON has returned to the hospital in Springfield, Mo., after spending a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Dotson, of Shulls Mills. Pvt. Dotson has been in the army for four years and overseas two and a half years, having seen action in Africa, Sicily, France, Belgium and Germany, where he was wounded. He was among the first to go over-

PVT. ROBERT C. HORTON has safely somewhere in France his wife, who resides at Vilas, has

Boone, N. C.

WEDNESDAY



Also SHORT SUBJECTS

THURSDAY



Also SHORT SUBJECTS & NEWS

FRIDAY

9c — Bargain Day — 20c James Cagney

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Also "DESERT HAWK" No 11 and NEWS

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San Antonio Kid

Also

"BLACK ARROW" No. 8 and COMEDY

MONDAY

• The Thin Man Goes Home

was LUCILE WATSON GLORIA DeHAVEN ANNE REVERE HELEN VINSON HARRY DAVENPORT **EDWARD BROPH** - M-G-M PICTUR

Also SHORT SUBJECT

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY



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