

B. HARRIS HOST AT STAG DINNER

Franklinton.—G. B. Harris was host Friday evening to a stag dinner party at his home. Roast goose was the main dish. Mrs. Harris, assisted by Miss Minnie Harris, served a three-course dinner to C. L. McGhee, A. E. Hen-

derson, D. C. Hicks, H. C. Kearney, J. O. Green, A. B. Allen and R. D. Collins. The Ladies' Missionary Society of the Baptist Church held the December meeting at the home of Mrs. H. H. Utley Monday, with Mrs. Utley and Mrs. G. B. Harris as hostesses. Mrs. W. A. Shearon was chairman of the program.

Taking part was Mrs. Shearon, Miss Annie Wester and Miss Claire Kearney. Mrs. W. L. McGhee, Mrs. John F. Gonella, Mrs. G. B. Harris. Mrs. J. W. Daniel was presented a potted plant, a gift from the society she has been a member of for 45 years, in honor of her 50th wedding anniversary that she and Mr. Daniel were to celebrate the next day. The hostesses served apple sauce cake and coffee.

Battery "B" News

(By Pvt. R. C. Johnson and Corp. Willard Perry.)

Battery B along with the rest of the units of the First Army stationed at Fort Jackson will get a holiday Christmas, which will last for ten days. The holiday will start the 21st of this month, and all of the boys of Battery B will arrive in Louisburg and surrounding communities sometime that day, except about fifteen who have volunteered to stay here to establish a garrison. Following the announcement of the holiday to the boys, Captain Green said that he did not want to be bothered about boys returning to the Fort during this period, and finished up by saying that he was sure that Corp. Darrell Perry would not be guilty of doing this. I suppose some peculiar things happen in the Army, but whoever heard of a Pvt. having a Corp. for a secretary, well Corp. Seymour was Pvt. Willard Perry's until Willard, better known to us as "Red," was made a Corp. Both of them have recently acquired a new nickname of A. K. For a definition of what A. K. means, you will just have to ask them.

During a cold snap not so long ago our top Sgt., Sidney F. Holmes received a very nice comfort from "POLYANNA", and the postmark was Zebulon, N. C. He says he does not know such a person. Information along these lines will be appreciated.

Pvt. Buster Collins seems to be having a little trouble with his mail lately due to an unopened letter, but maybe things will straighten out by Christmas. Those who have been writing the boys should write as often as possible, for you should see them run to mail call, and the smile on their face when handed a letter or postcard, but it is a different story for those who do not get any.

The old Christmas spirit seems to have descended on all the boys in the past few days, especially a Corp., who is reported to have purchased a piece of sparkling jewelry, which most likely will be a Christmas gift. Here is something that appeared in the Louisburg High School paper last month in the "Can You Imagine" column, can you imagine (what junior girl lost a brother and a sweetheart to the army). As to a hint of who the sweetheart was, well he was usually seen behind the steering wheel of a 1940 Buick.

LUCKY OR UNLUCKY

The following item was sent in from Pilot School: "Friday The Thirteenth" — weird isn't it? I overheard some one say on the street the other day. To people who are superstitiously inclined, the thirteenth falling on Friday is very lucky indeed. May I give you a hint as to how to spend the 13th of December so that it will become your lucky day or night, maybe. There will be a bar-b-que supper with all the trimmings, and plenty of it, from 5:00 until 7:30 o'clock in the lunch room at Pilot School. There will be oyster stew for those who don't prefer bar-b-que. Beside these delectable dishes, there will be sandwiches, candy, popcorn and ice cream. At the supper a fruit cake will be given to the person holding the lucky number. The fruit cake will weigh seven pounds and was baked by Miss Pernel, our lunch-room supervisor. This really is a good cook, can't imagine why some young man hasn't made her change her name to Mrs. So and So, but then, maybe she has promised to.

Bingo games will be played throughout the evening to provide entertainment for the people. The Williams Brothers' Band and the Brantley Brothers will offer string music.

Three plays will be presented for your entertainment after the supper by the different grades. One play, "Christmas Pageant" will portray the birth of Christ. The other two are very jolly plays portraying the true spirit of Christmas.

So you see folks, if you can come and enjoy our supper, music, and plays at Pilot School, December 13th, you will spend a very lucky night. So don't forget to come between 5:00 and 8:00 o'clock. We'll be looking for you.

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