

## Carolinians On Puerto Rico

AATF HQ, Puerto Rico, May 31.—Fond recollections of the Old North State were brought to the Tarheels now in service with the Antilles Air Task Force during a recent "48-Gun Salute" radio broadcast from San Juan.

The program featuring North Carolina was one in a weekly series of Air Corps programs which derives its name from the military custom of firing one gun for each state in the Union on Independence Day.

Soldier talent was recruited from the West Indies bases to present humorous skits and sing such favorite tunes as "Hark the Sound of Tarheel Voices."

Nostalgic memories of familiar scenes and events were awakened as the airmen an imaginary trip from Cape Hatteras to the Blue Ridge mountains. At the same time tribute was paid to the present war production of the state and the notable contributions of the past and present to the common good.

Appearing on the program were T-Sgt. William H. Warren, of Dunn; PFC Hugh Corrine, of Raleigh; Cpl. Robert Page of Mount Olive, and Cpl. Bill Raglan of Winston-Salem.

These Tarheels and other members of the AATF are stationed at bases dotting palm-fringed islands or hewn from the green maze of tropical jungle along the crescent-shaped string extending from the western tip of Cuba to the sweltering equatorial belt of South America.

Planes fly daily missions over this life line of the three Americas in constant search for Axis submarines. Their balliwick covers an area about fifty times the size of the state of North Carolina.

During their imaginary fur-lough back home the soldiers visited Kitty Hawk, where the Wright brothers 40 years ago started the Air Corps without realizing it; Roanoke Island, birthplace of Virginia Dare, and took in the entire state from Currituck to Southport along the coast and westward to the mountains.

Other localities mentioned were Forsyth county and the rest of the tobacco country, Reidsville, Durham, Winston-Salem, Rocky Mount, Mount Airy, Morgantown, North Wilkesboro, Greensboro and Chapel Hill and Majestic Mount Mitchell.

School songs were played as the soldiers returned to the campuses and recordings by Kay Kyser and Skinnay Ennis, also natives of the state, lived the program. Pete McKnight, former radio editor of the Charlotte News and now city editor of the San Juan World Journal, described the state's war production record and contributions of her fighting men.

Other towns mentioned during the broadcast included Salisbury, Wilmington, Boone, High Point, Kannapolis, Albemarle, Gastonia, Whiteville, Kernersville, Hamlet, Kinston, Silver Hill, Newbern, Pinehurst, Goldsboro and Fayetteville.

Transcriptions of the broadcast are expected to be sent to other army bases throughout the world for rebroadcast.

### FUNERAL RITES FOR BABY

On June the fourth the Death Angel came in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otha Gilliam and took away their darling little baby girl, Maggie Pearl, to go live with the Great Creator who gave it. She was with us only four months, yet she filled a place of joy and pleasure in our hearts which has been taken. Every thing that physicians, relatives and friends could do was done in the three days of her illness.

Our grief is hard to bear; but our loss is her gain. Today she is a beautiful little Angel in Heaven, where there will be no more sickness, and no heart-aches and sorrow for her to ever experience. Heaven has been made brighter by her going. If it had been our will we would have kept her; but God in His infinite wisdom knew best and was ready to claim her as his own.

She leaves her father and mother, one sister and one brother. Also her paternal grand parents and maternal grandmothers.

The funeral was conducted at the home of Mr. S. K. Gilliam by Rev. Rex Campbell. The body was placed in the cemetery at Saints Delight. The floral tribute was very pretty.

The bereaved family has the sympathy of the entire community.

—A FRIEND.

### ST. MATTHIAS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

We will begin a Mission meeting in our church Sunday evening, June 13th, 8:30. We want this to be a good spiritual meeting, and extend to all our friends a cordial invitation to attend. Our mission will continue for one week each evening at 8:30. We have a good strong preacher who will give you the gospel. We also have a good singer. Come out and help us.

George C. Pollard, Missionary.

Use of wool felt has saved approximately 500,000 pounds of rubber in six months in the manufacture of washers, gaskets, and similar items.

## RATION CALENDAR

**Blue Stamps**  
(For canned, frozen and certain dehydrated foods).  
Blue stamps K, L, M are good until July 7.

**Coffee**  
Stamp No. 24 good for one pound of coffee through June.

**Gasoline**  
"A" book coupons No. 5 good for three gallons each and must last till July 21 in North Carolina.

**Red Stamps**  
(For meat products, canned fish, most edible oils and cheeses).  
Red stamp J and K remain valid through June.

Red stamp L became valid June 6 and is good through June 30.

**Shoes**  
No. 17 stamp in War Ration Book One good for one pair until June 15.

**Sugar**  
Stamp No. 13, good for five pounds, is good through Aug. 15.

Stamps No. 15 and 16 in War Ration Book One are valid for 5 pounds of sugar each, for use in home canning. They are good through Oct. 31.

Housewives may apply at local boards for supplementary sugar rations for home canning, if essential.

**Note**  
Loose stamps (except accompanying mail orders and the one-point red stamps used for change) are worthless.

### GEORGE PARRISH DEAD

Mr. George W. Parrish, one of Franklin County's oldest citizens, died at his home at Centerville, on June 3, 1943, at 1:30 p. m. He was born August 8, 1864 and was almost 79 years old. He had lived in Franklin County all of his life.

Mr. Parrish was an active member of Sarepta Methodist Church at Centerville, and until failing health prevented, was a regular attendant upon the services there.

He was married in March, 1892, to Miss Willie Gupion, affectionately known as "Miss Pidgeon" who died six years ago. To this union were two children, Floyd and Ruth. These, with two grandchildren, Elizabeth and Mildred, survive.

The funeral was held from the church Friday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. by a former pastor, Rev. Wm. Towe, of Rocky Mount, assisted by Rev. J. R. Edwards of the Baptist Church. The interment was in the church cemetery.

Active pallbearers were Messrs. Horace Thompson, N. H. Griffin, M. M. Person, Johnnie Neal, Eulis Andrews and Norman Pleasants.

The many beautiful flowers bespoke the love and esteem of his fellowmen. Our love and sympathy go out to Miss Ruth and Floyd in their sorrow but we commend them to the care of One who gives us strength in our time of need.

—A FRIEND.

### THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to those who assisted us during the illness and death of our baby. Their kindnesses will always be tenderly remembered.

Mr. and Mrs. Otha Gilliam.

### THANKS

I wish to express my many thanks and appreciation to the people of White Level community, who so kindly helped me in any way during my recent illness at home and in the hospital. You and your kind deeds will be long and tenderly remembered. May God help you, and I pray that some day you may be rewarded.

MRS. ANNIE MURPHY.

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These are some of the accomplishments of the electric light and power industry and of the electrical manufacturers who build the equipment used to generate, distribute, and utilize electricity—working together with the teamwork so typically American.

### How We Helped

**POWER GENERATION:** More than one half of all the electric power generated by electric light and power companies in the U. S. is produced by generators manufactured by General Electric.

And such has been the improvement in the efficiencies of turbine-driven generators that if the electric power used in 1942 had been produced with the machines of 1924, it would have required more than a million extra cars of coal and one hundred and forty thousand men just to mine and haul this extra coal.

**POWER DISTRIBUTION:** To have ample power available wherever new war plants have sprung up requires large and highly efficient transforming and switching equipment and the solution of highly intricate engineering problems. General Electric has had a hand, and a head, in the development and manufacture of much of this equipment.

**POWER UTILIZATION.** Building machines, lamps, and appliances that put electricity to work more efficiently in factories and homes is one of our most important jobs. The United States has more of these electrical helpers than any other nation. In 1942, the average home used twice as much electricity as in 1930, and in those 12 years the average price per kilowatt-hour decreased 40%.

This is only a small part of the story of America's electrical industry. When the full story becomes history with the passing of the years, it will reveal a group of men who, with a determination which now seems providential, kept on—co-operatively developing new and better equipment, increasing generating capacity, lowering costs, expanding service, planning always to be ready for the demands of the future. It will be a story of remarkable vision and courage—for it all had to be planned, and the work started, years ahead of the need.

The next time you meet a man from your electric service company, be he the local manager, or meter reader, or spurred lineman carrying out his assignment in rain, sleet, or heavy winds, give him a word of encouragement—for he is the man who is making it unnecessary for you to stand in line for electric power. General Electric Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

## GENERAL ELECTRIC

### FUNERAL

Funeral services for Mr. J. M. Moore were conducted from the Ebenezer Methodist Church by the Rev. E. D. Dodd. Interment followed in the church cemetery on Friday afternoon.

Songs were rendered by Mr. Blair Tucker, Mr. John Weaver, Mrs. H. G. Perry, Mrs. R. L. Eagles and Mrs. Mills, all of Louisville.

Active pall bearers were his nephews: Mr. Bob Moore, of Franklinton, Joseph Phelps, Harold Phelps, Robert Lee Shearon, Plyler Shearon, David Moore and Graham Moore, all of Louisville.

The floral tribute was especially large and beautiful speaking for many friends. Floral bearers were his nieces and special friends, Mrs. John Glasgow, Mrs. Gee Catlette, Mrs. J. R. Phelps, Misses Alice and Rachel Phelps, Mrs. Sam Jeffreys, Mrs. David Moore, Miss Jaunetia Pearce, of Youngsville, Mrs. Moss.

### AT CAMP DAVIS

Camp Davis, June 3.—Lt. Henry E. Pearce, Jr., of Franklinton, is at present attending the Anti-aircraft Artillery School, Camp Davis, North Carolina. His local address is 206 N. Main St.

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Stamp No. 24 ..... 15¢  
BREAD, Our Pride 15¢  
2 18-oz. Loaves ..... 23¢  
CERTO, Fruit Pectin 23¢  
8 oz. Bottle ..... 23¢  
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