

### Tom Thumb Wedding To Be Presented At Lawndale

The Lawndale Woman's Society of Christian Service will present a "Tom Thumb Wedding" at Piedmont high school Friday night, May 11th, at 8:15 p.m.

Fifty children of the Lawndale Sunday School will take part in the wedding. Little Miss Phyllis Richards, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Richards is the bride. Donald Brackett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Brackett is the groom and Foy Brackett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Burt Brackett is the minister.

Piedmont glee club under the direction of Mrs. Hudson Hartgrove, will also sing several numbers on the program.

A small admission will be charged. The public is cordially invited to attend.

### If Today Is Your Birthday

By STELLA

THURSDAY, MAY 10—Born today, your versatility and charm will go a long way toward paving your pathway to success. You are interested in a number of subjects and seem to know how to do things better than average. Your judgment is good and you have a discriminating mind. Consequently, you are one of those few persons who may scatter their interests widely and still become proficient in more than one career. You are fond of travel; have a real sense for news and would make a fine foreign correspondent. You enjoy life's luxuries and yet you know how to have a good time without them! In other words, you are able to take life as it comes and enjoy all phases, taking the bitter with the same good nature that you take the sweet. While you are rather emotional and at times even moody and dependent, you have learned to shake off these depressions and look on the bright side of life. This can help you carve out the success which should be yours. You are enough of an individualist so that you are happiest when working on your own rather than for other people. Hence it would be wise if you selected a career in which you can be your own boss most of the time. Although you are more interested in ideas than in muscle work, you can settle down to back-breaking labor if a job needs to be done. You always finish any job you begin, despite any obstacles.

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### MEMORIAL AT MOUNT SINAI

No Dinner On Grounds Sunday; Pfc. Weaver In From Overseas

MT. SINAI.—There will be no dinner spread at Mt. Sinai church this year at Memorial which will be held Sunday morning, May 20. Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hamrick and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Mamie McKinney of Oak Grove. Mr. and Mrs. Miller Ellis and family of near Shelby visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ellis Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Weaver and children of Bolling Springs visited Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Clary Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Price and daughter, Velma, of Bolling Springs visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Weaver Sunday. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ledbetter of Fontana Dam near Asheville. Mrs. Jack Putnam, Mrs. L. R. Putnam and Miss Della Weaver visited Mrs. Crete Putnam at the home of her mother, Mrs. Boo Borders of near Earl.

### HOME FROM OVERSEAS

Pfc. Elijah Weaver, who has just returned from almost two years of overseas service, visited his brothers Ralph and E. G. for two or three days last week.

Miss Margaret Putnam of Charlotte spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Putnam.

Miss Mary Ann Putnam entertained a group of her friends with a birthday party Saturday night at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Putnam.

Miss Betty Terry of Charlotte visited Miss Margaret Putnam on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hamrick of Cliffside spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Weaver.

Mrs. Dorcas Dameron of Gastonia spent the week end with her brother, Ralph Weaver and Mrs. Weaver.

### Belwood Exercises To Begin May 27

The commencement exercises of Belwood High school will be presented on the following dates: baccalaureate sermon, May 27 to be delivered by Dr. W. A. Ayers. The class night program, "The Enchanted Garden" on May 29, and final exercises on May 30.

The valedictorian of the class is Juanita Ramsey and salutatorian, Betty Lee Peeler.

A lap table saves effort in preparing vegetables for cooking and canning.



GETS BRONZE CLUSTER — Pfc. Lloyd E. Kiser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kiser, of Ella Mill, who was awarded the Purple Heart medal for wounds received in action in France on July 31, 1944, has been awarded the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster for being wounded in action in Germany on April 14. Pfc. Kiser has been serving in the Army since February, 1943.

### Edward Haupt Is New Mayor Of Newton

NEWTON—Edward Haupt, druggist and former mayor of Newton for several terms, was elected mayor over his opponent, the present mayor, Heath C. Gabriel, in the annual municipal election Monday by a vote of 22 to 38.

Aldermen running on the Haupt ticket were also elected by substantial majorities. New aldermen elected are John Huss, John Carpenter and G. V. Moser. Defeated for aldermen were H. W. McInafey and Rom Dellinger, who were seeking re-election, and Ralph Jones.

Two school board members were unopposed, M. L. Adair for re-election, and B. G. Wagoner, who replaces Dr. M. R. Barringer. Dr. Barringer was not a candidate.

### Postpone State Fire School At Charlotte

CHARLOTTE—Because of wartime conditions the annual session of the North Carolina Fire College and Drill school which was scheduled for the last three days in May at Palmer Fire school in Charlotte is being postponed indefinitely.

Notice of the postponement was received yesterday by Charlotte Fire Chief W. Hendrix Palmer from State Fire Marshal Sherwood Brockwell, director of the school.

Permission to proceed with plans for the school was denied by the Office of Defense Transportation, Chief Palmer was informed.

### WMS MEETS AT COSTNER HOME

PLEASANT GROVE.—The Pleasant Grove W. M. S. met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Sherman Costner with Mrs. Jeff Elliott as joint hostess. Fifteen members and two visitors attended. "Consecrating the Centennial to Christ" was the topic for discussion and was led by Mrs. Costner with several members assisting. Mrs. Stonewall Williams and Mrs. Onley Wright sang a duet "Whispering Hope."

The hostesses served refreshments. Mrs. John Cornwell returned home Saturday from the Shelby hospital, where she had been for three weeks and is doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Stonewall Williams spent several days last week with relatives in the Sandy Plains and New Hope communities.

Mrs. Ray Wright and daughter recently spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cooke of Hickory.

Mrs. Bruner Bess and Malinda spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bridges of Shelby.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cooke and Barbara Ann of Hickory spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Turner. Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. John Lall and family.

### ON FURLOUGH

Pfc. Talmadge Queen of Fort Jackson, Columbia, S. C., is spending a furlough with his wife, the former Miss Alma Turner.

Sherrill Queen of the U. S. Navy, is spending a furlough here with Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Bowers and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Costner and children of Gastonia and Petty Officer 3/c Brainard and Mrs. Costner and son spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Hoyle Costner. Petty Officer 3/c and Mrs. Costner and Harold Dean left this week for Pensacola, Fla.

Misses Mildred and Lula Belle Harmon of Shelby and Cadet Allen Harmon of Grace Hospital, Morganton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Furman Wright and Ada Pearl on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Costner and children spent the week end with Mrs. Ed Bridges and children of Shelby.

Mr. and Mrs. Furman Bingham and Peggy and Mrs. Charlie McSwain spent Sunday with Mrs. W. K. Chapman of Charlotte and Alvin Chapman, who is in a Charlotte hospital.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Onley Wright were Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Spangler and children of Double Shoals and Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hamrick have painted their house.

### 4-H CLUB PROGRAM

Several members of the 4-H club presented a program at Sunday school Sunday. Miss Dorothy Elliott led the program and those participating were Scott Hamrick, Betty Hoyle, Lillian Spangler, Donald Wright, Herman Mellon, Louise Strickland, Ella Gordon and Catherine Williams, Ruth Hoyle, Juanita and Marshall Ann Hendrick and Max Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Courtney and Brenda and Mrs. V. A. Costner of Suttle St., Shelby, visited Mr. and Mrs. Plato Costner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Humphries spent Sunday with his daughter and family of Kings Mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Stringfellow and daughters moved Monday to one of Thurman Ledford's houses near Carl McSwain's filling station.

### News Mention Of Rock Springs

ROCK SPRINGS. — S/Sgt. and Mrs. Hoyt Jones have announced the birth of a daughter, Mary Elizabeth, in the Gaffney hospital last week. Both Sgt. and Mrs. Jones were formerly of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carroll and daughter of Cherokee Falls, S. C., visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Ross Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wylie and family spent Sunday in Shelby visiting Cpl. and Mrs. Madison Wylie, and Mrs. Ella Wylie.

Miss Nancy Jones was the Wednesday dinner guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Jones in Shelby.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ross and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Keigh Moss in Gaffney Saturday.

Miss Elaine Calahan of Charleston, S. C., spent the week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Wylie.

### Ten N. C. Counties In Poultry 'Set-Aside'

WASHINGTON, May 10—(AP)—Ten North Carolina counties will be included in the poultry "set-aside" order, beginning May 14, the War Food administration announced yesterday.

Under this order the government buys all poultry from authorized processors in the areas.

The counties are Guilford, Randolph, Moore, Lee, Chatham, Alamance, Orange, Lurham, Granville and Wake.

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### CICERO FALLS IS LIBERATED

Open House And Picnic Lunch At Bethware School May 11

EL BETHEL - BETHWARE — News has been received here by Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Falls that their son, Cicero Falls has been liberated from a German prison camp near Berlin and that he is well.

Pvt. Boyce Eaker who was recently inducted into the U. S. Marines, is at the present stationed at Paris Island, S. C.

### OPEN HOUSE

On Friday, May 11, Bethware school will hold open house. All citizens of the community are invited to visit the school from one to 2:30 p.m. Then at 7:30 p.m. a picnic lunch will be served in the school lunch room. The building will be open for inspection from the picnic hour until 9:00 p.m.

Tuesday night at 8:30 p.m. members of El Bethel church met for a prayer service conducted by Z. F. Cranford in honor of V-E day.

### ATTEND MEMORIAL

Among those attending memorial services at Pleasant Hill Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Harmon and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Herndon and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Anthony of this community.

### WOUNDED MAN RETURNS

Pfc. Howell Cash, who has been serving in Germany and suffered a wounded hand is now at home on a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Cash of this community.

Mrs. Hill Lowery spent the week end at Pleasant Hill with Mr. and Mrs. Lowery.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bridges have

named their new daughter Janice Ann.

The Women's Society of Christian Science will meet Wednesday night of this week at the home of Mrs. Z. F. Cranford.

Pfc. Wilbur M. Eaker returned to his post at Texasiana, Texas, Wednesday, after spending several days here with his wife and children.

The Mary Martha group of El Bethel church met Saturday afternoon at El Bethel church. Mrs. Grady King had charge of the program.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bell were Mr. and Mrs. Garland Borders of Shelby, Mrs. Clyde Fessley and son, and Haskell Bell of Charlotte.

### HOLDS FIRST MEETING

The newly organized society of the Wesley Guild will hold its

first meeting Thursday night at 8:30 p.m. at the El Bethel club house.

Mrs. Z. F. Cranford spent Monday in Charlotte where she visited her sister who has been very ill in a hospital there.

Pvt. Frank Black of Fort Jackson, S. C., spent Sunday here with his wife and parents.

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*To Mother with Love*

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