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TRYON, N. C. FRIDAY. OCTOBER 1944 27.



Lloyd A. Edwards, a resident of Tryon, has been chosen by the Navy to serve aboard an LSM (Landing Ship Medium), the Speed Carrier of Attack that has been especially developed for duty.

Now stationed at the Amphibious Training Base in Little Creek, Virginia, Edwards is going through the rigorous training program to prepare for duty as Coxswain on the swift new invasion

vessel.

The amphibious ship on which the Tryon bluejacket will serve has been designed with a shallow draft that enables it to negotiate the coral reefs of the Pacific Islands. It can cross the ocean its cargo of tanks and machines and discharge them directly onto enemy-held shores over its landing ramp bow.

Edwards worked for a local

manufacturing concern before he joined the Navy in June of this

He graduated from Stearns High School in 1941, and is the son of E. H. Edwards of Tryon.

Fort Monmouth, N. J.—Lt. Elliott F. Metcalf of Paris Road, New Hartford, N. Y., arrived at Fort Monmouth this week from Drew Field, Fla., to resume his duties as aide-de-camp to Brig. Gen. S. H. Sherrill, who recently ____Continued on Back Page____

SALUDA NEWS NOTES

The Saluda Book club met with Mrs. Roy Baisden, hostess, on Tuesday afternoon. The subject of the occasion being poetry. Miss Elizabeth S. Thomas was invited to read some of her poems but she being unable to be present, Mrs. Dan Pace read selections from Miss Thomas' latest book, "Mists of Day Break". Miss Thomas is associated with Saluda. Her family having resided here for several years, and her first book "A Star Shines", was published here by the Excelsior printers. J. W. Heatherly, also a Saluda poet, one of his present poems was read by Mrs. Pace. Mr. Heatherly's son, Philip, navigator of the U. S. Army Air Corps, being present, kindly answered questions about his impressions of the countries in which he had been stationed to the convergent of the slab. to the enjoyment of the club.

Fayte Thompson, who has been seriously ill at his home, is improving.

Brinkers Thompson is on the street again.

G. L. Thompson is in Saluda on a visit to his father, who is quite ill. He is stationed at the Charleston Navy Yard.

Bud Seay is at home on a short furlough. Also H. D. McCallister, both of the Army.

Nelson Pace, young son of Mrs. Etta Pace, who was seriously injured by an automobile several weeks ago is now at home, after having been in the Biltmore hospital under the care of a bone specialist. He is doing as well as could be expected.

H. W. Ammons, Jr., spent last

week-end with his sister, Mrs. Bill

Pace, in Hendersonville.