

Following Alleghany

Men with the Colors



This column is devoted to news of men serving their country. Such news is solicited from parents and friends of these men. "Revenge Pearl Harbor."

Pfc. Jimmy Atwood, of the Marine Aviation Detachment, Naval Air Technical Training Center, of Norman, Oklahoma, has recently been promoted to his present rank. He enlisted at Columbia, S. C., went from there to San Diego, Calif., and then joined aviation. He was transferred to his present station to take a six-months' course of training, two of which have been completed.

A-S Benjamin Caudill, Jr., who entered the Navy September 28, 1943, writes his mother, Mrs. A. R. Richardson, that the Navy is fine. He is stationed at Bainbridge, Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Joines, of Sparta, have received news that their son, Oder Joines, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant. He is in the British West Indies, and has been for more than a year. He enlisted two years ago, and is a postal clerk in the service.

Orvil Gene Murray (Buster), son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Murray, was admitted to the hospital at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, recently, according to a message received by his family this week. The message stated that he was not seriously injured.

Private Murray has been in the Pacific theater for the past 18 months.

Cpl. Harvey Murray, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Murray, is home on furlough. He is now stationed at Camp Butner, N. C.

Galax, R-1 News

Guests of Mrs. Rosa Blevins, Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Cochran, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blevins, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Blevins and daughters, Virginia, Bonnie Rose and Nellie Shaw.

Pvt. Talmadge Poe, who is stationed in Texas, was called here recently on account of the death of his brother, Glen Poe.

Mrs. Cora Poe, Mrs. Luther Smith, Mrs. Recie Blevins and daughter, Miss Nannie Blevins, were visiting Mrs. Ruth Reeves, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Waddell and children spent a while, Saturday night with Mrs. Rosa Blevins.

Pvt. Robert B. Sturgill, accompanied by his wife and son, Larry, of Ellicott City, Md., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Sturgill, Piney Creek. Private Sturgill is stationed in Atlanta, Ga.

Pfc. Roy Douglas is spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kemp Douglas.

Pfc. Fred Crouse, grandson of Mrs. Mary Crouse writes from somewhere in North Africa that he is well, and writes that he hopes to see his family soon.

Pfc. Jesse Mc Poe, who is serving overseas, arrived Saturday to spend a furlough with his father, W. E. Poe. Those visiting him, Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reeves and children, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Burham, Mr. and Mrs. Bays Poe and son, Mrs. Gwyn Reeves and children, Mrs. A. A. Jennings, Mrs. Flora Lundy, Misses Eva and Louise Martin; Nell and Nannie Blevins, Anna Lundy, Virginia and Edna Smith, Norene Burcham and Irene Reeves, Ose Poe, Will Martin, Woodroe Reeves, Clinton Burcham and Johnnie Anders.

Lt. (jg) John H. Estep, who has been stationed in Norfolk, Va., for some time, has written relatives that he has been transferred to another base of operations, which was not announced. Lt. Estep was formerly a teacher in Sparta school.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy shown to us during the illness and death of our dear husband and father; also for the beautiful flowers. Mrs. J. W. Mooney and Children.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Wagoner Celebrate Golden Wedding

Last Sunday, October 10, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Wagoner celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home on Route 2, Mouth of Wilson, Va.

All of their nine children were present except Mrs. Hayden Goodman, of West Jefferson, who was unable to attend. The children brought lunch along, and at noon, dinner was served picnic style from a table arranged on the lawn.

Mr. and Mrs. Wagoner received several nice and useful gifts, along with many congratulations and best wishes.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Edwards and daughter, Irene, of Sparta; I. W. Wagoner, Ennice; Mrs. Davis Osborne and children, Stratford; Mrs. Clyde Goodman and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ruffy, Catawba; Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Billings and children, Winston-Salem; Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Wagoner and children, Galax; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Wagoner and son, David Lee, High Point; Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wagoner, Asheville; and Mr. and Mrs. H. Lyons, of Bel Air, Md.

Stratford News

(Mrs. Thelma Mabe) (Staff Correspondent)

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Petty were Mr. and Mrs. Posie Irwin and a friend of Winston-Salem, Mr. Brantley Fender and daughters, Claribel and Betty Jean.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Richardson at Furches, Sunday, were: Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Richardson, Mrs. J. G. Joines and Mrs. S. Jane Sanders.

Mrs. G. B. Church visited relatives at Laurel Springs, Sunday. Miss Madge Fender, Scottville, was a week end guest of Miss Beulah Estep, here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sturgill and daughter, Geraldine, of Crumpler, visited relatives here, Sunday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Richardson, Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Douglas and family, of Sparta, Mrs. L. C. Joines and son, Alva.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Atwood and sons, Bobby and Don, and J. B. Atwood, were visiting relatives at Twin Oaks, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Blevins and daughter, Ruth, of Galax, visited Mrs. Blevins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Mabe, Sunday.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Joines, Sunday, were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Choate, Mrs. Joe Choate, Elmer Joines and daughter, Mona Faye.

Officer Homer Smith returned to Knoxville, Tenn., on Sunday, after spending a few days with his family, here.

Mrs. Virginia Richardson, teacher at Stratford school, announces that there will be a box supper at the school house Saturday night, October 23, at eight o'clock. Proceeds will be used for the benefit of the school. Further particulars will be announced next week.

Visitors at J. E. Irwin's, Sunday, were: Misses Carrie, Dorothy and Wilma, Burchett, and Mrs. Emmett Hines and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Halsey had as guests, Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Halsey and family, Mrs. Johnnie Toliver, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Anderson and children, and Miss Cleo Pruitt.

There will be a Holiness preaching service at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Anderson, Saturday night at eight o'clock, with the Rev. Mr. Steve Anderson, of Wilkes county, doing the preaching. Everybody is invited.

Misses Dorothy and Mary Lee Richardson, of Furches, spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Richardson.

W. M. S. HOLDS AN INTERESTING MEETING

The Baptist Woman's Missionary Society met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. A. O. Joines, with the theme, "The Written Bible."

The program chairman, Mrs. W. O. Hooper, discussed "The Missionary Word", Mrs. Ben G. Reeves, "The Bible Translations", Mrs. T. R. Burgess, "Bible Distribution", Mrs. R. L. Hickerson, "Witnesses Use of the Word", Mrs. C. A. Reeves, "Today's Demand for the Bible."

The scripture was read by Mrs. A. O. Joines; in the absence of the president, Mrs. Burgess presided, and Mrs. Hickerson read the secretary's minutes.

At the business session, the Wilkesboro District meeting was announced to be held at Lenoir, on September 28th.

Mrs. Glenn Richardson and Mrs. Joines, hostesses, served refreshments to the members and three visitors present.

Wolf Branch News

Miss Annie Marie Joines spent Saturday night with Miss Wilma Crouse.

Mr. Quincy Tedder, of Detroit, Mich. Mrs. Ruth Moore and daughter, of Kentucky, are visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Shore visited relatives here, Sunday.

Among those who visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Crouse, Sunday, were: Mr. and Mrs. Bert Holloway, Mrs. Tom Joines, of Galax, Va., Misses Ruth and Leora Crouse and Myrtle Evans.

Mrs. Dallas Fender, who is employed at Roanoke, Va., is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Kyle Nichols.

Misses Ruth and Edith Crouse spent Saturday night with Misses Madge and Mabel Wyatt.

Pine Swamp News

Ruth Evans Correspondent

Elder W. Q. Higgins was the dinner guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Holloway, Mr. and Mrs. Cary Brown and sons, Dwight and Keith, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lem Caudill in Winston-Salem, Sunday.

Miss Annie Marie Joines spent Saturday night with Miss Wilma Crouse.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Crouse Sunday were Elders Walter Evans and A. C. Wooten, Misses Ruth Evans, Virginia and Dorothy Wagoner and Bert Holloway.

Misses Ruth and Edith Crouse spent Saturday night with Misses Madge and Mabel Wyatt.

"Aunt" Nancy Jane Holloway shows no improvement from a recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Platt Waddell and daughter, Lou Reid, visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Waddell, Sunday.

Mrs. Paul Andrews, who has been very ill for the past two weeks, is improving slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. Clate Davis spent one night last week with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wagoner.

Mrs. Sadie Billings spent Sunday evening with Misses Leora and Ruth Crouse.

Miss Myrtle Evans spent Sunday evening with Miss Doris Billings.

Topia News

Mrs. Lucy Bell, of Crumpler, spent last Thursday night with Mrs. Lillie Williams and Mrs. Mattie Phipps. Mrs. Phipps is improving from an illness.

Miss Lorene Moxley spent Saturday night with, Miss Irene Blevins.

Miss Mary Fields, of West Jefferson, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Hallie Douglas, of Mt. Zion, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar E. Moxley.

Mrs. Della Ward, Crumpler, and Mrs. Reba Bartley and two children, Piney Creek, were dinner guests of Mrs. Myrtle Toliver, Sunday. In the afternoon, Mrs. Ward and Mrs. Bartley visited Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Pugh.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the good people of this community for their noble assistance during a recent sickness of my husband, J. R. McLeod. May God bless you all. Mrs. J. R. McLeod, Stratford, N. C.

BUY MORE WAR BONDS FOR VICTORY

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Pie Supper Is Great Success

The sum of \$95.00 was raised at the pie supper at Wolfe Branch school Saturday night, October 9, Mrs. Johnny Dale Gambill, principal, announced today.

The cake for the prettiest girl was won by Miss Nova McBride and brought \$46.99. The can of pickles for the ugliest man went to Porter Collins and brought \$15.46.

The money will be used to buy chairs for the primary students and to buy paint for the house both inside and out, Mrs. Gambill stated.

"We appreciate very much the splendid cooperation of the parents and the people of the community in making the pie supper a success," Mrs. Gambill said.

MRS. J. H. HIGHSMITH SPOKE TO WOMEN

(Continued from Page 5) youth of the community.

At the close of the program, Mrs. Anderson spoke briefly on "Looking Ahead" and mentioned many of the changes that can be expected after peace comes. She ended by urging that all club women make the most of their opportunities to help build a better world in which to live.

Following the program, the group adjourned to the community building where a turkey dinner was served from beautifully appointed tables. Here, committee reports were heard.

After a report from the place committee, the group accepted the invitation from Morganton for next year.

The attendance prize, war stamps, was won by the Conover club with the Statesville Junior Service League, coming second.

During the meeting, expressions of regret over not being able to attend, from Mrs. Micou Browne, chairman of Juniors; Mrs. Charles Cowles, past district president; Mrs. Clarence Beasley, past chairman of districts, and others, were read.

Music for both the program and the luncheon was under the direction of Miss Lorene Perkins, of the West Jefferson high school, who used two separate groups of students in patriotic numbers that were well received.

Mrs. Levern Johnson was general chairman of arrangements for the meeting and the luncheon and had as her assistant, Mrs. Jennings Rader.

Miss Ila Osborne, of Raleigh, has been visiting relatives here for a few days.

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION IN THE SUPERIOR COURT BEFORE THE CLERK

NORTH CAROLINA ALLEGHANY COUNTY Z. L. Rutherford, Administrator of A. M. Rutherford, Deceased, Petitioner

VS. Roy Rutherford, et al, Respondents.

The respondents, Izetta Bottomley and husband, John Bottomley, Max J. Rutherford, R. C. Rutherford, Marie Rutherford, and Mickey Rutherford will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Alleghany County, North Carolina, to sell land to create assets to pay the debts of the estate of A. M. Rutherford; and further take notice that they are required to appear at the office of the Clerk of Superior Court of said County within 10 days after the 13th day of November, 1943 and answer or demur to the Petition in said action or the Petitioner will apply to the court for relief demanded in said Petition.

This October 13, 1943. S. O. GAMBILL, Clerk of the Superior Court of Alleghany County.

Demonstration Is Given At Club Sat.

Interesting Meeting Held At Blevins Cross Roads Near Ennice, Oct. 9

Mrs. Gwyn Truitt was hostess to the Blevins Cross Roads Home Demonstration club, October 9 at her home near Ennice.

The demonstration which was led by Miss Frances Capel, new home agent, was on canning meat. Other meat recipes were also discussed. Miss Anna Rowe was also a guest of the club, giving some useful and helpful suggestions. She urged that everyone try to increase their attendance at the club meeting. Mrs. Elizabeth Eastering gave a splendid talk on "Education" and Mrs. Truitt gave a talk on "War Work."

Delicious refreshments were served to 14 members and one visitor, Mrs. H. C. Evans.

The next meeting will be in the

home of Mrs. Eastering. It is requested by Miss Capel and the club that each member be present and each bring a new member. The club poet has written the following poem which is to be taken as an invitation to join:

"We ration our gas, our sugar and tea But with our club meeting, it's different, you see. No ration on that, then why stay away? So come out and be with us, just part of the day.

"Along with our work and Red Cross, too We can all do something, and that "all" means you. We are just plain neighbors in our neighborhood, We give a hearty welcome to you on club day.

"Now if you don't believe what I'm telling is true Come to Blevins Cross Roads club, 2nd Saturday at two!"

Auction Sale

I WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION ON Saturday, October 23

At my home place, six miles northeast of Sparta, on Route 2, the following:

- 17 head of sheep. 3 cows, milking (2 to freshen in the spring). 2 brood sows.

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AUCTION SALE

I will sell at auction, October 16, my household and kitchen furniture, consisting of: 1 kitchen range, 1 heater, kitchen cabinet, 1 old-time safe, 1 dining table, 2 small tables, 1 rocking chair, 1 dresser, 1 bedroom set and mattress.

Some wearing apparel and a lot of canned goods of all types, including canned meats and other things too numerous to mention.

Sale begins at 1:00 o'clock, fast time, at the home place on Bledsoe Creek, near Carl Douglas' home.

W. H. Shumake