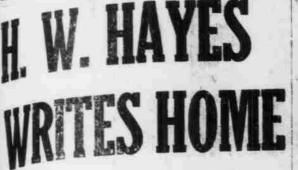
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(Tuesday)



SON OF A. G. HAYES WITH ARMY OF OCCUPATION

Extracts From Letters Show He Is Well and As Happy As One Could Be Away From Home and America; Mr. Hayes Was Formerly A Student Here.

We are indeed favored to be allowto reprint extracts from the letters Wagoner Harry Wilber Hayes, son Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hayes, who is ow with the army of occupation at oblenz, Germany.

cometime, later going to A. & E. at of the American forces. Raleigh from which place he volunteered at the age of 19.

1918, he was instructed in a French selool, coming from this he was assigned duty close to the front and was with American forces at Chateau-Thierry, the Argonne-Meuse offensive, and is now with the army of occupa-

Extracts from letters follow:



Now serving with the Army of Occupation at Coblenz, Germany, after

After arriving in France early in as well as ever and geiting on fine. Write often, WILBUR

> Coblenz, Germany, Jan. 28, 1919. Dear Frank,

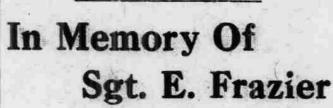
Received your letter and card of the third.* * * * What kind of shells do you want me to bring you? a hundred and fifty-five or some of the This brave young soldier was born olina. There are a number of probteenth. Was very glad to get a let- will send you a helmet and a German age. ter from you so quick after being in belt with the famous "Gott mit uns," Earnest was always a good boy, and Call on the County Agent or the Germany. I did not expect to get any on it. I have two belts and can get as was exceedingly popular among his woman agent, ast he case may be, or Mamam I have been up to three differmail for a good while. We having been many as I want. I am sending you mates at home and in the army. His write to the Agricultural Extension noving about thirty miles at a time some German money which is a one kindly cheerful disposition and the Service at Raleigh for aid in the diffor the last three weeks. We have mark bill. It is worth about fifteen fact that he always contributed to the erent perplexing problems which will topped two or three days at several and a half cents in our money. They enjoyment of those around him won arise on the farm this year. owns. The next move will be to Co- have as small as twenty-five phen- for him the sibroquet "Goodtimes," by lence, a big town on the Rhine. It is nings in bills which is only about four which he was known at home and in THE GREAT GREEN COUNTRY OF bout thirty-five miles from here. We cents. Chocolate and soap is very the army. olate weighing about an ounce and 3 and Mrs. James E. Frazier, of Warren The Warren boys will get home be- half and it cost three marks and a Plains. He inlisted in the Warren are I do because they are now at St. half. While I bought a pound of choc- Guards before the beginning of the Vazaire waiting to go. They were not olate at the commissary for four war, and when the war came went in the American front but were with marks. It is snowing here now and with company into the army. He cold here because this place is well on the Mexican Border, and at Camp surrounded by mountains and is much Sevier; and finally with the Expeditdon't have any idea when I will start gallant service in France. for home butwill be glad when the A letter from one of his comrades, time comes to leave here.* * * * I am recently published in the Warren learning to speak German a little now Record, marks him as one of the brav

Miss Annie B. King This Is No Time **Accidently Killed** For Slowing Up.

WARRENTON, N. C. TUESDAY, MARCH 4, 1919

The following account brings regret genial disposition made many friends: here at 3:40 this afternoon. unable to talk of the accident or give year.

any reasons for it. well and also they are colder. I am Raleigh. She is survived by her father and mother and three brothers, one



Raleigh, N. C., Mar. 1.-Because the here where Miss King has often visited war is practically over, many people and where her warm personality and think that they can let down on the high standard of proficiency attained Louisburg, March 2 .- Miss Annie ont he farms last yer, and the year Belle King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. previous. This is a mistake. Simply James W. King, and a popular Louis- because things were "not going" last burg girl, was instantly killed in an year is no reason why they should be automobile accident two miles south of left to themselves this year. The presest condition of the cotton market and Miss King was riding with Mr. James the vital need for planting other J. Wells, of Wilson, in a large 12 cyl- crops this year is a real problem that inder. No one was near at time of the needs the best of thought. The fact accident, but eye witnesses at a dis- that many other states are going into tant state that Mr. Wells appeared to the business of growing tobacco, and lose control of the car. He was pain- that the trusts have on hand a bountifully but not seriously hurt, and in a ful supply, should warn farmers that nervous ondition. Last night he was too much tobacco can be grown this

Marren Kernrd

of whom is in France.

surplus cash, then the farmers of Oklahoma. North Carolina will not be "hit so hard" this fall.

North Carolina needs to use fertilizer more intelligently. Lands need more lime. Livestock in the shape of pure bred pigs, blooded dairy cows, pure bred beef cattle, sheep, and draft horses can all be raised in North Car-

LOVE.

earth, my sweet,

dering feet-

love!

dear,

clear,

rest-

blest!

we earn,

we burn,

blown,

love

ing dove,

my soul,

den goal,

sweet,

With life gone out in the flame!

Our glory and gift and gleam;

And love forever as life goes by,

MICKIE SAYS

SET UP SOME OP THIS

BUH-LEEVE ME! IF WE'D

COPY JEST LIKE IT COMES

IN, WITHOUT MAKIN' NO

CORRECTIONS NER NUTHIN'

SOME OF THE INTELLECTUAL

LIGHTS AROUN' THIS HERE

NECK O' THE WOODS'D LOSE

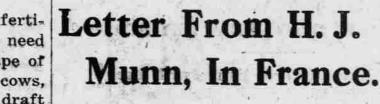
-By the Benztown Bard.



(Friday)

CHARLES A. C. MCLAURINE

There is still need for food, however. Cadet Lieut. Charles Alston Cook Miss King is widely known through- The farm family will need food all the McLaurine, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Mr. Hayes was a student here for serving in some of the biggest battles out North Carolina, being prominently year around. Allt he families in the McLaurine, of Oklahoma, and Grand- the average of \$30.32 bringing into connected in this State and Virginia, towns and cities, and in other coun- son of the late Judge Charles Alston circulation here \$810,837.35. and a graduate of St. Mary's School at tries, will need food. If all the food Cook, formerly of this place. 'Lieut. used on the farm is produced there, McLaurine died of pneumonia follow- period show 3,893,849 pounds averagand the cotton and tobacco grown for ing Influenza recently at his home in ing \$34.78 and bringing into circula-



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The Sest Advertising

SELL 3, 893, 849 POUNDS WEED

MARKETS SELL OVER MIL-LION MORE THAN IN 1917-18

Price Averages Almost 35 Cents and Market Brought Over Million and Quarter Dollars Into **Circulation Here; Best Year of** Market's History.

The Warrenton Tobacco Market closed here last Friday after the most successful year in its history both as to the amount of tobacco sold and the average which it made.

Last year the market handled 2,-682,275 pounds of the Golden Weed at

The final reports for the 1918-19 tion for the financial good of Warrenand this this section \$1,354,998.90. The market thus showing an increase over 1917-18 of 1,211,574 pounds.

The period following the Christmas holidays saw tobacco at its highest, but during the entire season, except possibly the last few days of the market, prices were exceptionally

Moureal, Germany. Dec. 12, 1918. My dear Mama,

ort I am sure.

so long before all of us will be home.

Write often, With love,

WILBUR.

Coblenz, Germany, Jan. 5, 1919. My dear Mama,

I got the Christmas ox you sent just in time for New lear's. Every thing was in good contion. The cake was certainly fine; my way the fellow and I had to nearfight over the last slice. He got a ox at the same time I did so we cerainly did eat for a while. It snowed ere a little Christmas night, but it melted quickly on account of the rain. got a letter from Bedford Tate yeserday. He was still in France when wrote, but I expect he is on his way ome by now. Says he was wounded and was guarding German prisoners then he wrote. I saw in the Warren lecord of Clifton Hayes' death I was urprised when I saw it. I did not now that he was in the army. I on't have any idea when we will start r home but it would suit me to start leave today.

> With love to all, WILBUR.

Coblenz, Germany, Jan. 19, 1919.

han. I also had some ice cream for French or the Russian revolution." was good but it was about half ice. of the Interior, say s: wernment turned over to the allied of these men, thus mitigating the evils practicable date. overnment. The weather has been of tenantry; and bring into cltivation here for the last three weeks: 1,500,000 acres of at present unproducthe transming. We are getting deficiency in the rate of growth of cul- sunshine everwhere.

again when you can.

Your brother, WILBUR.

Wagoner Harry W. Hayes, 4th Truck Co., 1st Corps Art Park A. P. O. 754 A. E. F. Germany.

Prediction And Also An Answer

Secretary Wilson, of the Department of Labor, says:

small arm cartridges. I have seen and in April 1896, united with the Baptist lems than now require careful, earnest handled so many shell that I would church at Warren Plains at the age of sttention. Don't let up, but keep up Received a letter not care if I never saw another one. fourteen and fell in battle Sept. 29th, the same spirit that helped to win the from you yesterday writter the fif- As soon as I can get some stamps I 1918, in the twenty-third year of his war and make a winning on the farm. Study the problems about the farm.

Than the stars and the moon above; There's something more for our wan-And

Love, in the land of the loved and There's something more than the coin so that I can talk to the Dutch girls a est of the brave. It would have been Than the crown of glory and fame; little.* * * * I am sorry Howard is a joy to his parents and loved ones if There's something more than the years home-sick. Tell him to come over and he could have returned to his native stay with me a while and then he will land and brought with him stories of The great green country of love, my be satisfied to stay any where in the his wonderful career in a foreign land. United States the rest of his life. I But a wise Providence ordered other- And the little winds over the ripples Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas Haithcock think I have grown a little taller since wise, and on Sunday the 29th of Sept. I left but I don't know how much I 1918, after having accomplished feats And the stars and the sea and the cooweigh because I haven't seen any of valor and daring that seemed well-In the great green country, love, of scales in agood while. Write to me nigh impossible, he fell in sight of the victory which he and his brave com-There's something more than our pride, rades won in the breaking of the Hindenburg Line. There's something more than the gol-

We cheirsh his memory, we deeply sympathize with his loved ones in their heart breaking sorrow: and as long as we live the name of Sergeant Earnest Frazier shall live in our memory; and his portrait shall hang in the Hall of Fame which we have erected in ourh eart for the brave and the

T. J. TAYLOR.

RURAL CARRIER EXAMINATION

"The present period of readjust-The United States Civil Service ment is the critical time. If we can I 'ss through it safely, we have before Commission has announced an examius from eight to ten years of industrial nation for the County of Warren, N. My dear Mama, Received a letter from activity equal to any wave of prosper- C., to be held at Manson on March 21, Vesterday written Dec. 29th. 1 ity we ever have had. But if there is 1919, to fill the position of rural carent to a moving picture show in town any serious unemployment there will rier at Manson and vacancies that may esterday, it was good but I could not be a preiod of industrial unrest which later occur on rural routes from other the story as it was in Ger- may lead us to a repetition of the post offices in the above-mentioned county. The examination will be open he first time since I was in Europe. Secretary Lane, of the Department only to male citizens who are actually domiciled in the territory of a post ofsent a hand painted insigna of our "If Congress will appropriate the fice in the county and who meet the giment home yesterday, please take relatively small sum which I have ask- other requirements set forth in Form ^{00d} care of it for me, if you get it. I ed for the construction of soldier set- No. 1977. This form and application ant to have it framed.* * * *We are tlements in every State in the Union, blanks may be obtained from the ofthauling amunition every now and I can offer jobs almost immediately to fice mentioned above or from the hen but the most of the time we are 100,000 of our returned fighting men. United States Civil Service Commis-America and the second of the time we are 100,000 of our returned inguing indus-sion at Washington, D. C. Applica-America aviator flying a German trial unrest predicted by Secretary tions should be forwarded to the Comane over Coblenz today. It was one Wilson; provide farm homes for 25,000 mission at Washington at the earliest It's the songs you sing and the st cold enough to have a little fire tive land, thus helping to make up the smiles you wear, that's a-making the dissue to wear instead of the tivated land as compared with the rate Good health is 100 per cent. efficienissue. I do not like them as well of growth of our population. There cy-not merely absence of sickness. the others because they will can be no surer insurance for the Na- If you want "pep," keep your syslave to be pressed too, often to look tion than to put its men upon the soil.' tem "hitting on all cylinders."

With A. E. F. France. Dec. 10, 1918. Dear Mother and Pa:

Just a few lines to let you hear from me. I am feeling good today and hope that these few lines will find you all the same. ent fronts: the Eastern front, the Western front, and the Verdum front: bur I am still living and hope to see you all soon. Mama I hope you all will its vales and hills and skies so

have a nice time Christmas. I wish I the thing that by many it is trifled could be with you all but don't think I with, but in reality it is a golden as-Can, but you all go on and have a good set to any life. It has been the secret will stay there until we leave for some scarce here. I bought a piece of choc- Earnest was the oldest son of Mr. There's something more than the time and don't worry abot me for I of the success of more than one line, will have mine when I get there. I When Napoleon was asked the secret hope that won't be long. Tell Pa I of his spledid victories he replied, "By hope I can help him make the next always being on time," Lord Nelson There's the great green country of crop. Say, Pa., I got your letter and said, "I owe all my success in life to was glad to here from you. Pa. I hope having been always a quarter of an the British. I hope that it won't be has been all day, but it is not very served in this country at Camp Glenn, The great green country of love, my you will get a good price for your crop hour before my time," and Gladstone, this time. Well mama we have just England's best statesman, left this had mail call and I got your letter and statement on record, "Believe me when warmer than it is in other places. I ionary Forces rendering faithful and Its balm and bloom and its peace and was glad to hear from you and to I tell you that thrift of time will reknow you was well. I am getting a pay you in after life with a usury of

> plenty to eat now. Well I must close for this time so dreams."

good bye from Your loving son, HERMAN J. MUNN.

HAITHCOCK-GOOCH

announce the marriage of their daughter Nina Mr. Hugh T. Gooch on Tuesday, February the twenty-fift nineteen hundred and nineteen Macon, North Carolina At Home But nothing more than the dream ! The dream of the good green land, my after March the fourth Gorman, North Carolina With the roses of rest beneath our feet

In the good green country of love, they **Pays Fine Tribute**

Ransom P. Frazier, was born April 7, the politeness of kings the duty of 1880, and died February 16th, 1919, in gentlemen, and the necessity of busithe 39th year of her age. In the sum- ness men," Washington when presimer of 1892 she made a profession of dent, had a secretary who was freqreligion and was baptized by Dr. W. R. uently late, and attempted to excuse Cullom into the fellowship of Warren himself on the ground that his watch Plains Baptist Church. On October was slow, "Well," said the president. 31st, 1895 she was united in marriage "you must get another watch or I must to William B. Overby of Macon, who find another Secretary." Business with their four sons survive her. She men justly will not put up with parenis also survived by her venerable fath- ennial tardiness. It is an inexcusable er, three brothers, and one sister. of a class of young girls, which be- a tardy person giving himself a large came famous in Warren Plains Sunday margin beyond the ordinary time to W. S. Terrell. It was a large class of ter to be too early than too late. bright young girls, all of whom pro- Benjamin Franklin, the common members of the church. Nearly all of who loses an hour in the morning may er side. All of them exemplified the overtake it by night."-Baltimore value of the faithful instrution they Southern Methodist. received in Sunday School,

good and this unquestionably has been a banner year for Golden Weed pro-

Punctuality a Big Asset In Life.

Punctuality seems to be such a litprofit beyound your most sanguine

We have af riend, gifted, capable, consecrated, whose prominent and seemingly only fault is this radical defect-he is always late, even at his meals, though he has a healthy appetite, late in retiring, late in getting up, late at business, late at every public function: he not infrequently arrives at one end of the railway station when the train is pulling out of the other, as he generally waits until the engine whistles before he grabs his grip and runs for the train. Now, this friend with his excellent equipment, his many opportunities for advancement, has never made in appreciable headway in life while many of his contemporaries, mediocre as compared with him, are climbing in the ladder of success. Unpunctuality is the rock upon which his craft is coostantly striking.

The person who is habitually late not To Mrs. Cverby. only wastes his own time, but the valuable moments of others-as long as they will put up with his tardiness. Susie Elizabeth Frazier, daughter of Louis XIV once said, "Punctuality is habit that is responsible for great dis-In her girlhood she was a member order and damage. It can be cured by School under the leadership of Capt. meet every engagement, for it is betfessed religion, and became active sense philosopher, quaintly says: "He that class have passed over to the oth- keep on a dog trot all day, and will not

THEIR REPUTATIONS FER BEIN' EDDICATED! A. 19 19 19 2. 1

Mrs. Overby was a good woman of If you need a doctor, select one in quiet demeanor. She left behind her whom you have confidence and then many friends, who highly esteemed her follow his advice. and who sympathize with her family Many people are sick because they in their great sorrow. T. J. TAYLOR. touch of a toothbrush.

are unacquainted with the personal