

Are You A Very Close Observer? Solve These

The following 37 questions were asked members of the Rotary Club here last week by chairman of the program committee, W. Curtis Russ. Some members answered half the questions, while others did not score such a high grade. Most of the questions are based upon local observation and facts that have been much publicized here in Waynesville.

Check your score and then compare your answers with those given elsewhere in this newspaper.

1. How many large columns are there in front of the court house?
2. Name the three members of the local Selective Service Board?
 - 1.
 - 2.
 - 3.
3. What is the present tax rate of Haywood County?
4. Is a hyphen used in spelling Coca Cola?
5. Name the three Aldermen of Waynesville, 1.
6. Who is chairman of the board of trustees of the Haywood County Hospital?
7. Name the mayors of the following Haywood towns: Waynesville, Hazelwood, Canton, Clyde.
8. State within \$250,000 the assets of the First National Bank?
9. What is the color of your auto license tag? Background Letters?
10. Name the three members of the local rationing board:
 - 1.
 - 2.
 - 3.
11. In which building was the lightest red brick used? The Toggery or Reeves Noland's REA Building across the street.
12. What is the official name of the Tapestry Mill at Hazelwood. The one managed by Ben Colkitt?
13. The Lions Club is a wide-awake civic club here. Who is

- President of it? _____
14. What is the present tax rate for the town of Waynesville? _____
 15. Is the Waynesville Post Office a first, second, third, or fourth class office at present? _____
 16. Name the Haywood County Board of Commissioners: 1. _____
 17. What is the tallest building in Waynesville? _____
 18. In what year were the telephone and power lines on Main Street removed? _____
 19. Which is of higher rank in the Army—Liutenant General or Major General? _____
 20. In the Navy, which rank is higher—Captain or Commander? _____
 21. What is the official 1940 population of Waynesville? _____
 22. Who is head of the local district of the Methodist Church? _____
 23. Name the Home Demonstration Agent in Haywood. _____
 24. Name the chairman of the Haywood Unit of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration. _____
 25. What are the two markers on the Courthouse lawn? _____
 26. Who was Haywood's representative in the Legislature last year? _____
 27. What is the assessed property valuation in Haywood? _____
 28. What is the number of the highway from here to Asheville? _____
 29. What is Haywood's most valuable cash crop? _____
 30. On what date did Armistice day come in 1918? _____
 31. If you were offered a choice of two bills, which would you take—the one with Hamilton's picture on the face or the one with Lincoln's? _____
 32. Name Haywood's largest taxpayer. _____
 33. What changes have been made in the sign across Main Street at the Bank in the past year? _____
 34. Name the chairman heading all Civilian Defense Work in this county. _____
 35. What was the number of the last Ration Book issued? _____
 36. Who succeeded Rev. H. G. Hammett as head of the Haywood Red Cross Chapter? _____
 37. Who is chairman of the local school board? _____

In North Africa



LT. ELMER F. S. STAHLMAN, U. S. Army Air Corps, son of Mrs. J. M. Caldwell, and stepson of J. M. Caldwell, of Mt. Sterling, who is now serving in North Africa. He entered the service as a volunteer in October, 1942, and was inducted at Nashville, Tenn. From there he was sent to Victorville, Calif., and then to Carlsbad, New Mexico. From the latter he was transferred to Tucson, Ariz., and then to Mitchell Field.

Lt. Stahlman is a graduate of Western Carolina Teachers College and at the time he volunteered was teaching in the high school at Andrews. He is serving as a navigator in the Air Force.

2nd Lieut. McElroy Has Commission as Navigator

2nd Lieut. Paul W. McElroy, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. W. McElroy, has been awarded silver navigation wings and commission in the 1944 graduating class at the Army Air Force Training Command at Selman Field, Monroe, La.

The graduates completed an 18-week course, and will soon join their combat bound comrades for duties in all theatres of war.

Pvt. Ernest B. Messer Arrives In England

Private Ernest B. Messer, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Messer, of Waynesville, route 2, has arrived safely in England, according to information received by his parents.

Pvt. Messer entered the service on Jan. 22, 1943 and was inducted at Camp Croft. From Croft he was transferred to Camp Young, Calif., and from the latter to Camp Coxcomb. From Coxcomb he was sent to Camp Maxey, Tex. Pvt. Messer is a graduate of the Fines Creek high school and before entering the service was engaged in farming in this county.

Pvt. Edith Wilson VAC Visits Parents

Private Edith Wilson, who is serving in the Woman's Army Corps, has returned to her post after spending a several days furlough with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Max Wilson at their home in Hazelwood.

Pvt. Wilson volunteered in the service in Jan., 1943, and received her basic training at Fort Des Moines. From the latter she was transferred to Fort Oglethorpe, Ga. and then to her present post at Fort Myer, Va. Her duties at present are driving a staff car in Washington, D. C.

Prior to entering the service she held a position in New York City. Pvt. Wilson has a sister, who is also serving in the WAC's, Pfc. Sylvia Wilson, who is stationed at Fort Dix, where she is serving in the personnel department. She received her basic training at Daytona Beach, Fla. Prior to entering the service she was employed by the Welco Shoe Corporation.

Pfc. Hawkins Completes Course In Texas

Pfc. Robert M. Hawkins, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Hawkins, of Clyde, route 1, has completed an intensive course in airplane mechanics at Sheppard Field, near Wichita Falls, Texas, one of the largest and finest schools of the AAF Western Technical Training Command. The field trains men for the overalled crews which work in all weather and under all conditions to keep American planes in the air. These specialist technicians already are making a name for themselves at U. S. air bases all over the world.

Before entering the school, he was trained at one of the basic training centers of the AAF Technical Training Command, Gulfport Field, Gulfport, Mississippi.

Hugh Constance, U S. Navy, Has Shore Leave

Hugh Constance, petty officer third class, U. S. Navy, son of Mrs. Laura Constance, recently spent a 24-hour leave here with his mother.

He entered the service on Dec. 7, 1942 and took his boat training at Bainbridge, Md., and from there was sent to Norfolk, Va., and later to Providence, R. I., after which he was assigned to a destroyer.

Young Constance is a graduate of the local high school and took a prominent part in the athletic program of the school.

TRANSACTIONS IN Real Estate

- (As Reported to Attorney Noon Of This Week)
- Beaverdam Township**
J. P. Jones, et ux to J. L. Stafford, et ux.
Lois Kezziah to S. F. Eckenrod, et ux.
Mrs. Alley Hall Cole to Mrs. Annetta Cole Price.
Hugh Jenkins, et ux to Juanita Rogers.
J. D. Mackey, et ux to Lon N. Goodson.
T. R. Robinson, et ux to C. M. Smathers.
D. B. Parker, et ux to G. E. Roland, et ux.
- Cecil Township**
Carl Nelson, et ux to Emery S. Slack, et ux.
- Clyde Township**
W. O. Roberson, Jr., to W. F. Roberson and Hoyt B. Roberson.
Evelyn T. Osborne to W. O. Roberson, Jr.
- East Fork Township**
Grover C. Sanford, et ux to Lawrence M. Smathers, et ux.
- Ivy Hill Township**
W. S. Mauldin, et ux to Adolphus Gentry, et ux.
Pink Carpenter to A. T. Ward.
- Waynesville Township**
J. N. Tate, et ux to Minnie Mashburn.
E. Ehslich Smith to Mildred B. Smith.
Hugh J. Sloan, Jr., et ux to J. W. Riverton.

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Capt. E. L. Withers, Jr. Has Arrived In Africa

Captain Ernest L. Withers, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Withers, has arrived safely in North Africa, according to information received by his parents.

Capt. Withers, who is serving with the U. S. Air Forces, volunteered in the service and was inducted in Sept., 1941, at Charlotte and sent to Keesler Field for his basic training. From Keesler Field he was transferred to Officers Training School at Miami Beach.

From Miami Beach he was sent back to Keesler Field, then Harrisburg, Pa., and from there to Tucson, Ariz. Prior to being sent overseas he was later stationed at Orlando, Fla., McCook, Neb., and Charleston Air Base.

Pfc. Robert D. Lowe Now In England

Private First Class Robert D. Lowe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Lowe, of Clyde, route 1, is now serving with the armed forces in England, according to information received by his parents.

Pfc. Lowe was inducted in the service on Jan. 14, 1943 at Fort Jackson and from there was sent to a camp in California, later to Texas, prior to being sent overseas.

Before he entered the service, Pfc. Lowe was employed by the Dayton Rubber Manufacturing Company at their local plant.

Miss Lura Mae Rogers, of Clyde, route 1, daughter of J. H. Rogers, is now employed at the Dayton Rubber Manufacturing Company at their local plant.

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Most of your friends away?

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The price situation has not yet been settled by OPA and won't be until the Congress settles the subsidy question.

However, we feel that prices paid growers will be satisfactory.

Make your plans and let us

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