aft Board classifies 106 ring Past Week

ging the past week the draft serving the Waynesville area ntry reclassified 106 men, class 1-A were: Hilliard han. Odell Rogers, Jack and Carl Nelson Valen-

class 1-A (H) were and and John L. Janes. class 2-A was Charles Placed in class 2-A (H) S. Ward. Continued Harvey W. Coleman Richard Messer.

and Paul A. Massey.

Bruce M. Ramsey, Smith Charles E. Mc-

Junior Clyde Clarke, ward Hall. ohr M. Davis.

m class 4-F were:

Cpl Edgar Boring Completes Course

Cpl. Edgar Boring, son of Mr.

against the enemy in France. At the headquarters of Air Ser- linois, Urbana, Ill. vice Command where he is stationed he attended a series of lectures given by veterans of the command which included instructions on chemical warfare defense

lips. Roy Samuel Conard, David

Homer M. Ratibone, Kenneth class 2-B (H) were William Smathers, Williard Daniel Waldrop, Coot William Raines, class 2-B were: Paul Painter, Verlin Gunter, Henry Finest J. Mooney Stevenson Miller, Albert Wood, J. Continued in C. Burrell, Sid Gibson, Johnnie F) was John H. Messer. Green, Andrew Jackson Stepp, Bill class 4-A were: Floyd Williams. Lloyd Marcus Arringthe Arrives Arrington, and ton, Ison Sutton, Ernest Kenneth Arrives In India Davis, Claude Medford Phillips, 1-C were: Roy Carl DeWeese, Ben James Parrish, Scott Cagle, Jack Silas James, Jack we. Gerald M. Best, Wyatt, Alfred William Fowler. Glenn Phillips, John R. Cox.

Sam Gaddis, Ted Hampton, Jesse Junior Scruggs, Carl Henry Jackson Edwards, and James Stanley, Naman Williams, Willie Placed in 2-C was Albert Wright, Howell Jackson Bryson, William Cashions Gordon, in class 2-A (F) were Charles Cordell Rich, Beaman Caldwell and Joe Moore. Greenwood. James Earl Ross. 4-F were: Clar- James Robert Moody, Charlie Gib-Harry Melvin Sheehan, son, Oscar Hill Sharp, James Ed-

Hall, James Woodrow Gunter, D. L. Caldwell, Leroy Dal-Hardy Smith, Ransom ton, Jarvis Homer Caldwell, Arlo lark Joe Hill, Ralph Colvin man Wayne Silvers, William Wil-William Hosea Cook, Frank liams. Weldon Hughes Henry. Trull, Harmon Nevell Seay, Jacob Dillard Moose, Nolan Jeffer-Rudisal, Marion son Reagan, James Earl Dalton, Wood, John Harden Phil- and Clement Henry Gibbs.

Bluejacket W. L. Allen Receives New Rating

Bluejacket William L. Allen, for and Mrs. G. H. Boring of Hazel- merly of Waynesville, recently rewood, has recently completed an ceived recognition for qualification orientation course designed to of a petty officer rate of signalman bridge the gap between training third class in the graduation exerin the states and combat soldiering cises at the Naval Training school (Signals) at the University of Il-

> He was sent to the specialty school at the University on the basis of his recruit training aptitude test scores, and successfully completed a course in receiving and sending International code by blinker, searchlight and semaphore. He also received instruction in the use of the pelorus and navigator's range finder, as well as instruction in the fundamentals of weather tides, light and sound, optics and electricity. He is now awaiting further duty orders.

Pfc. BillQueen

Pfc. Bill Queen, son of Mrs. Hester Queen, has arrived safely in India, according to information received by his mother. He entered the service two years ago and was inducted at Fort Bragg. At the time he volunteered in the service he was employed by L. H. Bramlett.

His brother, Pfc. Phil Queen, who has recently spent several days furlough with his mother here, has returned to his post at Camp Van Colman Edwards, John Alwyn Dorn, Miss. He entered the service Shelby, Estes Mery Myers, Garland in January, 1942, and was inducted at Fort Jackson

John Edgar Rath- Caldwell, James Allen Banks, Nor- and pertinent tips on staying healthy in a combat zone. His next station will be one from which American fighting planes cover the Allied liberation of Occupied

In England



of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Sheehan. of Dellwood, has arrived in England, according to information received by his parents and his wife. Mrs. Fannie Sheehan. Pfc. Sheehan entered the service in January of 1942 and has received his training at the following camps in order named: Fort McClellan, Ala.; Fort Bragg, Fort Benning, Ga.; Camp Mackall, Camp Forrest, Tenn.; and then to embarkation port.

Prior to entering the service Pfe Sheehan was employed by the New port News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company. He is a graduate of the Waynesville township high

Letters To The **Editor**

THEY HAVE PONE IT AGAIN

Who have? Why, Mayor Jack Way and his band of aldermen. And what have they done now? Before I answer this question. let's have a bit of history lesson.

From time to time since our present set of town fathers has been in office-now some 6 or 8 years-I have had something to say about their good deeds, of which there have been not a few. On my vacations at home I spend my time with my own people, with my friends; and to see them I walk all over the town. In these walks I get a pretty good idea of what our town fathers are doing for the town in the matter of public

Last summer I saw where some excellent work had been done, and I saw where Alderman Bramlet (in charge of our streets) had been going all over town hunting for broken places in the street paving that he might repair them. When I accused him of this, he said that he was guilty and added that the town had purchased a small concrete mixer and that he was going to repair all the broken sidewalks

Feeling that attention should be alled to these good works and that credit should be given where it is surely due, on my return to New ark I wrote a "piece to the paper" calling attention to these things; and either in this "piece" or an other I accused our town fathers of lying awake nights thinking up things to do to make Waynesville a better place to live in.

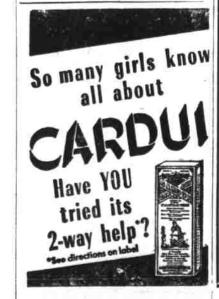
And now, here is what they hav done again.

1. They have again reduced our town tax rate-this time from 8 to 76 cents, or 12 cents on the hundred dellars. And this, as Mr. Churchill would say, is "Some Re duction."

2. And, as I write these lines they are putting down 2 miles of street pavement where it will do much good and make our town a better one. And, wonderful to say, they are paying for this in cash.

This tells in what fine condition these men have got our town finances. And all this at the climax of the greatest war in the world's history. What will they do when the war is over, when materials are abundant?-One thing I suggest is the flattening of Clyde Ray's corner to make it easier for trucks to swing off Gudger Street into South Main.

All this means progress with a capital P. And being 800 miles away, I am saying this with my pen in the home paper. But you. Mr. Citizen, are right in Waynesville; and I suggest that when you meet one of the men responsible for these good deeds you tell him word-of-mouth what you think



MARRIAGES

Thomas Harry to Lilian Osborne Bingham, both of Daytona Beach,

Insurance Doctor: "Any insanity in your family?"

Lady Applicant: "Well, no, only my husband imagines he is the head of the house.

of these things-and put your foot on the strong pedal. Credit to whom credit is due! E. W. GUDGER.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our kind friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness, expressions of sympathy and for the beautiful floral offerings at the loss of our beloved husband and daddy.

Mrs. Albert J. Maye and Martha

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Haywood County's Only Store Serving Every Family Need

A store that is devoted to giving you good merchandise - at the lowest possible -price-and having that merchandise when you want it-

Today We Are Especially Well Prepared To Meet Your –Needs For Children's School Wear–

Below is a photograph of our Pants Department on our second floor - The shelves

-are stacked with boy's school pants - the tables are men's-Remember - the above Pants Department is on our second floor and is in addition -to the pants shown on the main floor-

EQUALLY WELL PREPARED TO THE NEEDS OF CHILDREN AND GIRLS ON OUR MAIN FLOOR IN OTHER DEPARTMENTS-



With A Stock Like Ours



Ray's Department Store

"Merchandise For Every Family Need"

The comics say this way k



W HEN a comic strip artist wants to suggest the birth of a new idea, he draws an electric bulb glowing above his hero's head. Since that symbol comes from our business, maybe we can borrow it to do a little enlightening of our

For example, there's the old idea that companies like ours are all owned by a few wealthy people in Wall Street. Actually, of course, this company is largely owned by the same people it serves and run by your friends and neighbors.

6,000 of our stockholders live in the Carolinas. We have 8,000 altogether. Most

of them are housewives, larmers, merchants, doctors -folks like yourself.

Our biggest security-holders are eleven insurance companies who do business in the Carolinas. They invested your savings here because they can count on sound business management-and because cheap, dependable electricity is so basic to the American way of living.

So whether you own us directly through stock, or indirectly through your insurance company, you have a stake in this company. We welcome your ownership and your patronage. We try to be worthy of both

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