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WASHINGTON COUNTY FIRE INCURENCE COMPANY	
ON DECEMBER WASHINGTON, PA.	0.00
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WM. P. RODGES, Commissioner of Insura	ince.

228 Reclassified During The Past Week By Board

There were 228 men reclassified during the past week by the local Irait board. Six were placed in class 1-A as follows: Clayton Oliver Haynes, Ervin Lee Haney, Buford Edgar Mull, Walker Glenn Chambers, James Owen Frankini, and Walter Felix Woodard

Placed in class 4-r were: Paul Ewart and Burnette D. Craw-

Placed in class 4-A were; B. H. Strickland, Carl W. Cook, Erastus Grasty, Raymond K. Pearson, Finis Stroud, Noble J. Gibson, Cling Wyatt, Roy F. Sherrill, Charlie . Fie. Louie B. Nichols, Theodore Raby, Franklin T. Rogers, Marcus E. Davis, Gilmer Cagle, Ed Nichols, Sam W. Killian, Ben J. Parrish, James R. Gibbs, James W. Fisher, William R. Burton, Browdy M. Messer, Fred J. Price, Truman N.

Herman E. Lowe, Jacob F Moose, Samuel S. Potts, Celovis Boone, Oscar Shuler, Henry A. Price, Norman Mitchell, Charles Noland, John R. Stovall, Ralph Sisk, Ernest J. Clevenger, Woodow W. Downs, Herbert C. Price, Charles T. Painter, Glen V. Rogers, tobert L. Davis, Charlie Carver, Johnny D. Moore William R. Conird, Herbert H. Braren

William Conner, Edward W Moody, Columbus A. Rich, Grady W. Overman, Thadus B. Messer Hugh L. Noland, Frank M. Leatherwood, Weldon H. Wright, Claude Pressley, Richard A. Shechan, Jesse G. Mauck, Lloyd C. Green, Eulas O. Caroway, Davis Moore, Frank Brown, Vaughn T. Shepard, Mack V. Miller, John A. Messer, Amos L. Haney, Roy H. Stephens, Albert W. Harris, Frank Cochran, Marshall W. Hannab, Amos H. Myers, Boone Davis, Virgle Summey, Walter F. Williams, Herman H. Setzer, Harry L. Liner, Jr., Hughes F. Morris, Julius C. Riggins, Robert L. Ewart.

Dewey A. Scruggs, James G. Norris, James E. Moore, Walker bern Messer, Frank Messer, Lawson V. Haney, Hugh A. Phillips, Frank Burnette, Zimery Hoglen, Grady A. Downs, James B. Neal, Louie Clark, Willie D. Sherrill, leveland G. Parks, Howard R. Wood, Claud H. Caldwell, Erman Inman, George H. Arthur, Robert G. Davis, James L. Frady, leophus Lindsey, Charlie L. Rich, John S. Webb, Francis M. Davis,

Millard S. Haney, Alexander W. Avera, Herman Z. Duckett, Russell J. Warren, Clarence Thompson, Johnnie Green, Robert D. Robinson, James E. Dalton, Thomas H. Rich, Joe T. Gaddy, Clyde H. West, James F. Moore, Ira Mc-Clure, Dock Hunnicutt, Lawrence J. Franklin, Joe C. Howell, James D. Burgess, Isom Sutton, Floyd E. Fisher, George W. Troutman, Clyde L. Fisher, Donald E. Hall. Mark M. Ferguson, Carl J. Henry, William A. Withers, Robert R. Smathers, Thomas E. Lenoir, Charles Queen, Ed H. Davis, Jack Felmet, Jarvis A. Messer, Robert V. McElroy, Ned W. Crawford, Luther Lee Jr., Wiley Williams.

Gay L. Bradshaw, Harrison S. Green, Johnnie F. Patton, Oliver Hicks, Troy Cagle, Cosby J. Frady. Edward Jenkins, Ernest Shuler, Trantham, Ernest Greene, Ray E. Miller, Lyda Parton, James E. Norris, Frank D. Ferguson, Jr., Jarvis H. Caldwell Earle R. Scruggs, John D. Mitchell, Carl Ledford, Jr., Walter L. Ledford, Glenn A. Setzer, Carson W. Swanger

William L. Russell, Norman L. premises, to wit: Gentry, Richard L. Love, Kyle

Rogers, William H. Melton, Monroe L. Smith, Graham R. Beasley, Elmer B. Jenkins, Ralph H. Turley, Edward E. Messer, Mack Grooms, Zeb V. Woody, Farmer T. Rogers, istry. Nelson Parks, Monroe A. Noland, Brown and John W. Davis

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THROUGH AN OUTER GATE guarding precincts of the Imperial Palace in Tokyo, strolling American soldiers look toward the Japanese Diet building, of which the dome is visible. The caption says they were about to tread on "sacred" palace ground of the Emperor.

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Sgt. Fred H. Messer In Occupation Duty In Europe

Sgt. Fred H. Messer, of Hazelwood, now with the Third Army Switch cracking this line between occupational forces stationed in the Saar and Mosell rivers. The Czechoslovakia, has been awarded division captured Saarvurg and four bronze battle stars for participation in the campaigns of North- Seventh Armies to the Rhine, capern France, Ardennes, the Rhineland and Central Europe. Sgt. Messer entered the service transferred to the 15th Army and

in April, 1942, and was assigned assisted in reducing the Ruhr Gillette, Perry W. Hughes, Wil- to the Field Artillery training cen- pocket. The 390th Battalion is a ter at Fort Bragg, until he was medium 155-Howitzer field artiltransferred to the 9th Infantry lery softening up the division's ad-Division at Camp Phillips, Kan. During the ocmbat life of the division, he served as chief of section with Battery A 390th Field Artil- DONNED CIVIES SINCE V-J DAY lery Battalion.

Since V-E Day Sgt. Messer has been able to travel throughout discharged since V-J Day accord-Europe, visiting the Riviera in ing to an announcement by the France, among many other places, army. And since May 12th through He is now attending a unit school Sept. 14th, a total of 1,576,000 provided by the army educational have been returned to the United His division landed on the con-

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONERS' SALE

NORTH CAROLINA HAYWOOD COUNTY IN SUPERIOR COURT HAYWOOD COUNTY

CENIE CLARK, Widow of D. II CLARK, Deceased, A. R. CLARK and wife, MARY CLARK, L. C. CLARK, Incompetent, WANDA CLARK, General Guardian of CLARK, Incompetent, WANDA CLARK, Individually, HASSIE JONES and husband. J. P. JONES, CHAS. C. SMATH-ERS, Trustee, R. C. GOSSETT, Trustee, HUGH MONTIETH Administrator, D. B. N. of BRADY BROOM, Deceased, and

TOWN OF CANTON, a munici

pal corporation.

Under, by virtue of and pursu ant to a judgment signed and entered in the above entitled cause Lloyd Bradley, Jack H. Snyder., of action in the Superior Court of Clarence T. Taylor, Joseph J. At. Haywood County, North Carolina kins, Gordon L. Wyatt, Joe D. dated August 31, 1945, the under-Smart, Wilburn R. Belt, William signed Commissioners will, on A. Wyatt, Bryan Smith, Vinson A. Tuesday, October 2nd, 1945, at Henry, James A. Banks, Cash B. 11:00 o'clock A. M. at the court Medford, James V. Oliver, Sam house door in the Town of Way Fitzgerald, John E. Rathbone, nesville, Haywood County, North Mitchell H. Caldwell. Taft W. Carolina, sell to the highest bidder Green, Henry Starks, Jack Frady, for eash at public out-ery subject Homer H. Sisk, Arrington H. Ruff, to the confirmation of the Court Willard P. Best, James Williams, the following described lands and

FIRST TRACT: Lying and be-Campbell, Woodrow Green, Cecil ing in Clyde Township, Haywood A. Mauney, Thomas H. Hightower, County, North Carolina, and de-Boyce J. Norris, Glenn B. Fergu- scribed as follows: BEING Lot No. son. Bruce Gates. Edgar Frady. 11 of Map No. 2 of the H. C Andrew J. Stepp. John L. Edwards. Medford Tract as per map and Herman E. Gibbs, Jack W. Hoxit, survey made by R. V. Justice, Au-Davis W. Brookshire, Cassius M. gust, 1923, said Map and Survey being recorded in Map Book "B Index or Page "M", Office of the Queen D. Kent, William P. Moody, Register of Deeds of Haywood County, North Carolina. Conveyed from H. C. Medford, et ux. to Sloan H. Erwin, Jack T. Nichols, D. H. Clark by deed dated Sep-Baxter Conard, William G. Rath- tember 4, 1923, recorded in Book bone, Marion Green, Willie Smith, 65, page 80, Haywood County Reg-

SECOND TRACT: Lying and Richard G. Mashburn, Rayford L. being in the Town of Canton. Haywood Count, North Carolina, and fully described as follows: BE-GINNING at a stake in the West margin of Street and runs N. 61° 30' W. 71 feet to a stake; thence S. 32° 30° W. 100 feet to a stake: From Too Much Stomach Acid thence S. 56° 10' E. 150 feet to a stake; thence N. 32° 30° E. 68 feet to South margin of Street; thence with Street about 100 feet to the BEGINNING. Being Lots Nos. 14 and 15 of the Mrs. Lelia Brooks Property as per map and survey made by J. C. Haynes

M. G. STAMEY T. A. CLARK Commissioners No. 1462-Sept. 6-13-20-27

Pfc. Hobert E. Hance En Route Home

Private First Class Robert E. Hance, son of Mrs. Anne Hance, of Balsam, who has been serving with the 70th Infantry in Germany, is en route home. He has served 24 months attached to the 30th Infantry Division.

The 70th Division is filled with high-point officers and men. most of whom will be discharged from the army on their return to the United States. The division is scheduled to be deactivated, after having served nine months in the

The majority of the division's high-point personnel fought with the veteran Third Infantry Division and wear the Croix de Guerre fourragere and Presidential Unit Citation won by the division.

Pfc. Hance holds the Purple Heart, with two clusters, Good Conduct Medal, four battle stars, Presidential Citation with cluster. Combat Infantryman badge, European Theatre ribbon, one bronze arrowhead, and Croix de Guerre Fourragere.



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Questions and Answers

about Newspaper Advertising

- Q. Do you know of any measure for the value of newspaper circulation to an advertiser such as the standards that a business man uses in huying merchandise?
- A. Yes. In the well-known standards that have been approved and adopted by advertisers—namely A.B.C. standards.
- Q. What is A. B. C. ?
- A. A.B.C. stands for Audit Bureau of Circulations, a cooperative association of 2000 advertisers, advertising agencies and publishers in the United States and Canada.
- Q. What is the Bureau's work?
- A. To audit the circulation of newspapers and periodicals so that advertisers can buy space on the basis of definite standards and verified facts and figures.
- Q. How does A.B. C. accomplish this?
- A. The Bureau has a large staff of experienced auditors. These men visit the publisher members annually and make audits of their circulation records. This informa-

tion is then published in A.B.C. reports for the use and protection of advertisers.

- Q. What do these reports show?
- A. A.B.C. reports tell how much circulation a newspaper has, where this circulation is, how it was obtained, how much people paid for it, and many other verified facts that advertisers should know when they buy advertising.
- Q. Are all publications eligible for A. B. C. mem-
- A. No. Only those with paid circulation. This is important to advertisers because it is the best proof of interest and purchasing power on the part of the readers.
- Q. Is this newspaper a member of the Audit Bureau of Circulations?
- A. Yes. We are proud of our circulation and we want our advertisers to know just what they get for their money when they advertise in our columns. The audited information in our A.B.C. report gives them the complete facts.

The Waynesville Mountaineer



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