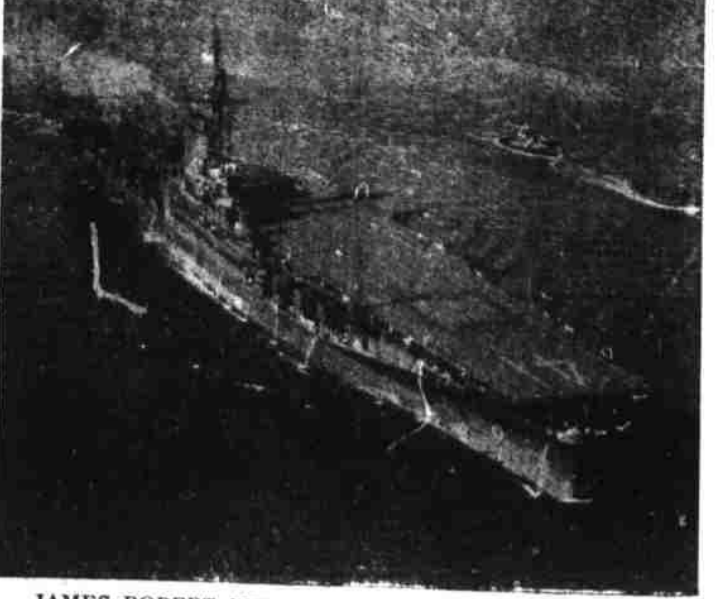


Men Placed Class I-A By Draft Board

Following men were placed I-A in the Canton area during the past week, subject to call under new service: Melvin J. Jack Brookshire, Donald Wade L. Burnette, John and William E. Mease. Those who have registered in the Canton board during the past week are: Ralph R. Lloyd G. Parker, James John Edwin Cogdill, Wets. Clarence M. Sharp, R. McAninch, Louis C. Charles A. Stepp, Wade A. Joe C. McCreary, Marion and Arthur J. Roberts.

Waynesville Man on New Carrier



JAMES ROBERT FIE, seaman, second class, USNR, of Waynesville, has been assigned duty aboard the USS Midway, first of the Navy's new super carriers. The Midway is named for the famed Battle of Midway, in which American forces turned back a Japanese fleet in one of the decisive engagements of World War II. She is the third vessel to bear this name.

Welcome Home

The Following Haywood Men Have Received Honorable Discharges From Military Service, According To Records Received Here.



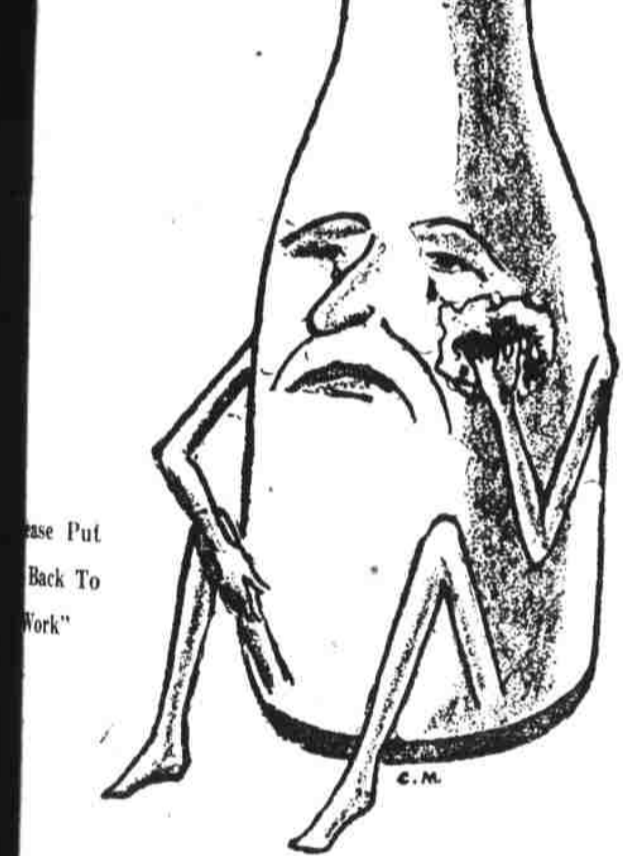
Carl D. Mooney

Carl D. Mooney, husband of Mrs. Erous E. Mooney, of P.D. No. 1, is en route according to information received from the 70th Infantry Division headquarters in Germany, attached to the 695th Artillery Battalion, serving 19 months in the theatre. The battalion took part in the winter campaign with the 1st Army in North Alsace. It later moved to the Saar Sector and the important industrial Saarbrücken, providing a link into the Rhineland. The battalion took part in the Rhineland and Central European campaigns. Mooney is entitled to wear the Good Conduct Medal, Bronze Star, battle stars, for campaigns in Normandy, Southern France, the Bulge, Rhineland and Central Europe, and the European Theater.

Marriage Licenses

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Library Notes



MARGARET JOHNSTON County Librarian

Jim Gasque's "Bass Fishing" is one book the fishermen in this section will want to read. The author has in recent years operated a fisherman's guide service for the Asheville Chamber of Commerce, designed new bass lures, built ideal fly-rods, and in every other conceivable way proved himself an expert in this field. There is a chapter entitled "No-account Lakes," describing his experience several years ago at Lake Junaluska, and of how he found some really big bass there.

Another book for the fisherman is "Fishing in the Carolinas" by Philip A. Murray, Jr. There is a long chapter on "Fly Fishing" and you will probably want to compare your technique with Mr. Murray.

For your son we suggest "Let's Go Fishing," by Lee Wulff. It's the boy's book on fresh-water fishing describing tackle, how to make it, the common baits and how to find them, the common fish and how to fish for them.

"Luck in All Weather," by Donald Hamilton Haines is his personal adventure in hunting and fishing. You and your son will enjoy this together.

Carol Grahl HA2/c, Now At Beauford, S. C.

Carol Grahl, HA 2/c, son of Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Grahl, who recently spent a short leave here with his parents, has reported to Beauford, S. C., where he is serving in the U. S. Naval Air Station dispensary.

Young Grahl volunteered in the service in January, 1945, and took his boot training at Bainbridge, Md., and after completion of his training was assigned to duty in the hospital there prior to his transfer a short time ago. His father is a veteran of World War I.

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACTS OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912, AND MARCH 3, 1933

Of the Waynesville Mountaineer published weekly at Waynesville, North Carolina for October 1, 1945, State of North Carolina, County of Haywood—ss.

Before me, a notary public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared W. C. Russ, who, having duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the managing-editor of the Waynesville Mountaineer, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, as amended by the Act of March 3, 1933, embodied in section 537, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse side of this form, to wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor and business managers are: Publishers, Waynesville Printing Company, W. C. Russ and M. T. Bridges, owners, of Waynesville, N. C.

2. That the owners are W. C. Russ and M. T. Bridges, a partnership, of Waynesville, N. C.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgages, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: None.

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W. C. RUSS, Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25th day of September, 1945. Sylla Davis, Notary Public. My commission expires Dec. 21, 1946.

FIRST FORMAL JAP SURRENDER



FIRST FORMAL SURRENDER of Japs on by-passed Pacific islands is pictured here as the Nipponese commander on Mili in the Marshalls, Capt Mansuori Shiga, affixes his signature to the official document. Loc' ag on (l. to r. from Shiga): Lt. E. R. Harris, New York City; Lt. Col. C. v. Burnett, Detroit; and Capt. H. B. Crow, Greenfield, Mich. This is an official U. S. Navy Radiophoto. (International Soundphoto)

Sgt. Geo. McCracken Arrives In States On 19th On Queen Elizabeth

T/Sgt. George McCracken, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. M. McCracken, of Waynesville, arrived from the European theater on the Queen Elizabeth on September 19 and is spending a brief furlough here with his parents, after which he will report to Fort Bragg, where he will eventually be discharged from the service.

Sgt. McCracken entered the army as a volunteer in November, 1940, enlisting in Miami, where he was in the contracting business at the time.

He served as a crew chief of a B-26 in the ground crew, and was attached to the 340th Bombardment group of the 9th Air Force. He was stationed in England, France and Belgium during the 22 months he served in the European theater.

Sgt. McCracken is entitled to wear the Pre-Pearl Harbor ribbon, Good Conduct, Bronze Star medal, and the European Theater ribbon. He plans to locate in Waynesville when he receives his discharge from the army.

QUITS HEALTH BOARD

RALEIGH—Robert T. Stimpson, director of the State Board of Health's Division of Vital Statistics since 1934, has resigned, effective October 1, to take up general medical practice in Winston-Salem.

Former Haywood Resident Dies At Home In Texas

News has been received in the county of the death of J. L. West, native of Haywood, who moved to Texas in 1902. His death occurred in McKinney, Texas, on Sunday, Sept. 15. He is survived by his widow, the former Miss Ellen Williams, of Canton and two children, Mrs. James Harris and Riley West, both of Texas.

Pfc. Frady Rathbone Home On Furlough

Private First Class Farady Rathbone, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Rathbone, of Fines Creek, is spending a 30-day furlough with his parents. He has recently arrived in the States from one year's service in the medical corps in the European theater. He was attached to the General U. S. Hospital in France.

Pfc. Rathbone entered the service in October, 1942, and was inducted at Camp Croft, from which he was sent to Camp Forrest, Tenn., and later to Camp Grant, Ill., before being sent overseas. When his furlough is completed he will report back to Fort Bragg.

Pfc. Rathbone is entitled to wear the Good Conduct medal, and the European Theater ribbon. At the time he entered the service he was engaged in farming in Haywood county.



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North Carolina Haywood County All persons will hereby take notice that the undersigned S. W. Underwood has this the 24th day of September, 1945, qualified as administrator of the estate of W. P. Underwood, deceased, and all persons who claim that the estate is indebted to them will present proper evidence thereof to the undersigned on or before the 24th day of September, 1946, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any right, if any, that they may have to recover. All persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment to the undersigned. This the 24th day of Sept., 1945. S. W. UNDERWOOD, Administrator of the estate of W. P. Underwood, deceased. No. 1465—Sept. 27-Nov. 1.

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