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\$685.50 has been officially reported in the Red Cross War Fund drive. The goal is \$4,000. We have \$3,364.50 still to go.

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Lions Conduct Blind Survey To Help Handicapped People

Eye Clinic Will Be Held Next Month

H. E. Singletary, chairman of the Hillsboro Lions club blind committee, revealed plans this week for conducting a survey in Orange County to determine the number of people handicapped by blindness or defective eyesight.

Major James Edney Now At Miami Beach

Miami Beach, Fla.—Maj. James S. Edney, 25, of San Antonio, Tex., formerly of Chapel Hill, has arrived at Army Air Forces Redistribution Station No. 2 in Miami Beach for reassignment processing after completing a tour of duty outside the continental United States.

Memorial For Jesse Nichols

Efland, Mar. 8.—Memorial services were held for Sgt. Jesse William Nichols at the Efland Methodist church at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon where he was a member.

Dedication Service At Mt. Zion Church

A dedication service was recently held at Mt. Zion church for those in the armed forces from Mt. Zion and surrounding community. The service was under the direction of the Missionary Society.

Ferguson Replaces Southerland Here

Clyde V. Ferguson of Graham has recently begun work in Orange County with the Neuse River Soil Conservation district, replacing O. P. (Duke) Southerland, who recently accepted another position in the eastern part of the state.

New Subscribers To The News

Here is a list of the members who have joined The News family during the past week, either by renewal or new subscription.

- Hillsboro: H. J. Walker, Mrs. R. B. Hayes, Joe N. Howard, W. W. Walker, H. S. Cates, Mrs. R. C. Masterton, J. J. Hyder, Mrs. Vera Roberts, M. C. Burt, A. L. Stanback.

Grange Group Offers Essay Prize Of \$1.00

St. Mary's Grange met in regular session at 8 p. m., Thursday, March 1. Weather and roads being good, there was a record-breaking number of 30 officers and members present.

The News Makes Amends

In an article appearing in The NEWS last week about an incident at the Hillsboro high school the student involved was referred to as "coming of fighting stock, anyhow on her mother's side," and the following statement was made about the teacher's family:

Commissioners Are In Favor Of Bonus For County Workers

Hear Home Agent's Narrative Report

The county commissioners met last Monday morning in the county accountant's office at Hillsboro and approved war bonuses for county officials and employees as set up by the state legislature.

Orange Students ON College Campuses

Betsy Anne Bowman, attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred O. Bowman, was born on July 10, 1925, in Chapel Hill. She was educated in the Chapel Hill grammar and high schools, and in 1942, she attended Sweet Briar College in Virginia.

Eno Goes Over Donation Goal

Mrs. G. C. Truesdale, heading the Red Cross War Fund drive in the Eno community, reported funds collected by the fifth day of the drive exceeding her self-set goal of \$100.

Chapel Hill

Cpl. Charles Pullen of Ontario, Calif., is here for a 15-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. J. E. Pullen.

New Bethel

Cpl. Irving R. Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Robinson of Rt. 2, Timberlake, entered the army Feb. 1, 1943. He has been overseas since last August and is now serving in Belgium.

William Armfield With Ferry Group

Moble, Ala.—William A. Armfield, of Route 3, Hillsboro, is a member of Ferry Crew No. 5 stationed at Chickasaw, Ala.

Stephen D. Woods With M.P.'s In France

Pvt. Stephen D. Woods, of Rt. 1, Chapel Hill, is with the 795th MP Battalion in a communications zone base section in France doing everything from picking up AWOL pigeons to nabbing black market operators and pilferers and chasing escaped prisoners.

Art Cures Archie's Blues

By W. H. Hipps, Jr. A yellow two-story house sits on a hill on West Franklin Street in Chapel Hill. The number-plate on it reads "309." Just in front of the house, a modest little sign (so modest you're likely to overlook it if you are not careful) sticks its wooden head out of the ground and quietly proclaims this house to be the home of "Daniels Art Gallery."

hands coming everywhere from Canada to South America and all over the United States, bears mute witness that this "show" is popular.

ment of the art department and am looking forward to seeing Chapel Hill the home of a great Southeastern Art Center." As for surrealism and modern art, Daniels says, "Although I've done a little work in surrealism and in portraits, I don't particularly care for this modern art. I admire the Old Masters."

Births

Barbara Jeanne Parker Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parker of Route 2, Hillsboro, announce the birth of a daughter, Barbara Jeanne, at Watts hospital Tuesday morning. Mr. Parker has recently accepted a position with the navy at Pearl Harbor.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Garland Miller has returned to her home after spending some time in Duke hospital. Miss Trynia McBroom of Roxboro spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. McBroom of Timberlake, Rt. 2.

CARRBORO

M. M. S. MEETS The W. M. U. of the Baptist church met Tuesday evening of last week at the home of Mrs. Lula Johnson. The program on "God at Work on Home Mission Field," was in charge of Mrs. K. B. Cole, with Mrs. W. H. Poole and Mrs. Winslow Williams giving discussions.