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#### Rebuttal On Reshuffle

We ran across an editorial in Saturday Durham Morning Herald which spoke in a praising vein of the Navy's reshuffle and came out with the statement that "it appears that the Navy Department is getting a long jump on the Army in getting its own house in or der." Also in the same editorial were the words, "If the consolidation of the national defense forces does come, and there are many reasons why it should, the Navy will be in better shape to assume its new role in the over-all picture.'

We wonder about that long jump the Navy is getting on the Army in setting its house in order. From the abominable mess the Navy has made of its point system, it seems to us the Army's house was so far ahead of the Navy's in order that it will take many jumps for the Navy to catch up. At least the Army was ready for the end of the war and had some reasonable system for releasing men when the time came. At least the Army has some detailed discharge forms which tell why a man is being released and give a record of his ser-

We wonder if the peace time Navy will be in a better position to assume its new role under a consolidated defense force than the Army. It will take a lot of reshuffling to get rid of all the Navy gold braids who have rolled to the waves of their swivel chairs in Washington throughout the war and have no idea of how enlisted men and officers who have served for two years through many battles feel as they float around in the Pacific wondering if more merit for their active duty than onehalf point a month won't soon be given.

#### BY THE EDITOR

A LETTER FROM MY KID BROTHER who has been in the Navy for a little over a year, came the other day, and since a letter from him is an event hapening only once in every eight months, I must make mention of the fact. Living down, or living up, to the name of Bob White for nineteen years, that brother of mine has devoted his life to driv ing first grandmother, later teachers and finally Navy officers to the paper-doll-cutting stage. He spent his one year at Carolina tak ing sub-freshman Enblish, which he never passed, and in telling physical education teach ers how to coach basketball, baseball or football teams. Mother always tried to make him read something besides the funnies, but she never got to first base with that project. Daddy always tried to put the idea across that he didn't know everything about everything, but Daddy never got very far either. Bob joined the Navy just before his eighteenth birthday and since that time he has made an appearance at captain's mast every week but one, and that was the week he had a leave at home.

He has been rapidly promoted from an apprentice seaman to the high standing of seaman, first class, in only nineteen months A small minesweeper, operating up and down the coast from Baltimore to Charleston, with Norfolk as primary base, has been blessed with his presence as a radar operator. He's been telling the captain over and over that he'd like to go somewhere else and see something different, and at last his wish has been granted. Here's what he had to say about the new site of duty:

"You knew we were expecting to leave Norfolk, didn't you? Well, (the comma there amazed me; he must have dearned something from those three repeats of his college English course) we left, but not for Miami but just thirty miles north of Norfolk to Yorktown. You know, where Cornwallis surrendered to Washington. Frankly I can't blame him for surrendering. I would surrender too in order to get out of a place like this. There isn't even a movie in Yorktown. Of course Gus has a joint here, but he sells only the cheapest type of beer.'

I really think Bob was out-doing himself with this letter. He made the statement, "Now that you're ruining a paper by editing it, I guess you'll be checking this letter for grammar, spelling, punctuation, etc. Let me save you the trouble by grading it myself. F." I ght give him an A if I based the grade on provement. Well can I remember the year he was a senior in high school and still spelled women "wemon", secret "secrete" and

murdered every easy word in the Webster dictionary.

More extracts from the letter:

"I was in Washington last week end on a 8. Sammie and I only had \$15 between us; that's why we hitch-hiked. We met a couple of girls there and there's a chance we may return for another engagement. You don't suppose Truman will be angry with me if he discovers I was there and didn't stop in to see him, do you?

"Maybe I'll see you soon. I'm due for another leave sometime before Christmas, and I promise that Betty and I will be down, or Nancy and I. If Betty and Nancy should compare letters between now and then, I'll come down and we'll have dinner together-just we two."

MUSIC TO THE EARS of all the dogs, horses, pigs and people within a mile of the Terrace View Supper Club Friday night was my piano rendition of "Pistol Packing Mama". Yes, sir! I can still play the piano like nobody's business in spite of the face that my music teacher told me for ten years I'd never learn C scale. I was waiting for one of those thick steaks that the Terrace View does up to perfection, and since it was only 5:30, the supper crowd hadn't come in. As a matter of fact, I had the whole place to myself. The band stand and the piano there looked inviting; so I tiptoed over and flexed my fingers awhile to see if rigor mortis had them. In less than five minutes I had exhausted my entire repertoire of "Tea For Two", "Chopsticks"
"Mama Sent Me To The Spring" and Chloe" Then I remembered a few bars of "Pistol Packing Mama" and started in on them with a loud bang. It was about this time that a stream of people came in, and I was pounding away with such vim that I didn't hear them. The Terrace View lost several customers that night, but I had a heck of a lot of fun.

INCOME TAX MEN have been at large in this county during the past week, and I'm sure a lot of people have been as worried as Walt in the Skeezix comic strip about what the men could want with them. I saw one at Ogden's Furniture Store in Chapel Hill Friday, and poor Mr. Ogden had been sweating it out with him for three hours. If one ever comes looking for me, I'm out of town, have been out of town for the last six months and don't expect to return for six more.

#### THE NEWS In 1924

dinner.

Hillsboro-Hon. S. M. Gattis was among Litany, 11:00 a. m. the North Carolina delegates in attendance at the democratic convention in New York

... The road force that is building the hard surface highway leading out from Hillsboro to Durham began at the Eno bridge this week to pour concrete . . . The crack Hillsboro nine won its 7th straight game this season when Burlington went down in defeat 15-7 . . Mrs. W. A. Nichols celebrated her 81st birthday July 26 with a barbecue and picnic

Chapel Hill-The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Bank of Chapel Hill was held last Friday, Jan. 4. Frances P. Venable was called to the chair and Clyde Eubanks was requested to act as secretary of the meeting

. . . Dr. Frederick H. Koch delivered two lectures in New York last week by invitation of the Columbia Institute of Arts and Science ... Mr. J. S. Henninger of Statesville has purchased an interest in the Andrews Cash Store Co. and the firm name in the future will be Andrews-Henninger Co. Mr. Henninger comes here to educate his children and is highly spoken of in the community from which he hails . . . Messrs. R. L. Strowd, Bruce Strowd, E. P. Cates and others from this section attended the Billy Sunday meeting in Charlotte this week . . . Master George, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton E. Hogan, is quite ill with pneumonia . . . Miss Mary Cobb, daughter of Prof. and Mrs. Collier Cobb, spent the week end with her aunt, Miss Penelope Cobb, in Greensboro.

Mebane-The work of clearing away the debris of the fire which destroyed the building of the White Furniture Company last Dec. 21 has begun . . . No clue has yet been found to the murderer of J. F. Trollinger who was found at his store in the suburbs of Mebane with his skull crushed in by being struck by a heavy window weight.

Efland-The body of J. H. Murry who dis appeared Friday morning and for whom a search was made throughout that night, was found Saturday morning in Eno River near the old Demack Mill place . . . Mr. Whitt Lloyd of the Bethel section is visiting relatives here this week.

Elm Grove-Joseph Blackwood, aged 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Blackwood, was drowned at Lake View when he stepped off into deep water . . . H, F. Lucas and family delightfullly entertained about 40 of their friends on August 7, it being his daughter's, Miss Callie's, 16th birthday on the previous day and his 38th birthday on the night of the party.

Now that sufficient rubber is coming back for girdles and other foundation garments, the battle of the bulge will be resumed.

-Elkin Tribune

### OUR DEMOCRACY-

For now the corn-house filled, the harvest home, The invited neighbors to the husking come."

THE HUSKING BEE MARKED THE END OF A SEASON'S WORK- WITH THE HARVEST IN, THERE WAS TIME AND SPIRIT FOR RELAXATION AND MERRIMENT, BASED ON SOLID SATISFACTION IN THE JOB ACCOMPLISHED AND IN THE PROVISIONS STORED UP FOR THE FUTURE.

IT IS TRADITIONAL IN AMERICA THAT HARD WORK AND THRIFT BRING SATISFACTION IN THE "HARVEST SUCH AS PROVISION FOR THE FAMILY'S CURRENT LIVING AND SECURITY FOR THE FUTURE THROUGH VICTORY BONDS, LIFE INSURANCE AND SAVINGS

#### **Church and Lodge** Directory

Hillsboro Episcopal Church R. C. Masterton, Pastor First Sunday, Holy Communion

Second Sunday, Holy Communion, 8:00 a. m. Morning service Third Sunday, Holy Communion

11:00 a. m. Fourth Sunday, Holy Communon, 8:00 a. m. Morning service and

Fifth Sunday, Morning service

Saints Days, Holy Communion,

Hillsboro Methodist Rev. Samuel F. Nicks, Pastor First and Second Sunday at 11

Third Sunday at 7:30 p. m: Sunday School every Sunday at 9:45 a.m.

New Sharon Church First Sunday, 11 a.m. Third Sunday, 11 a.m. Fifth Sunday, 11 a.m.

Palmer Grove Church Second Sunday, 7:30 p.m. Fourth Sunday, 3 p.m.

Union Grove Church Second Sunday, 3 p.m. Fourth Sunday, 11 a.m. Sunday School every Sunday morning.

Hillsboro First Baptist Rev. W. W. Abernethy, Pastor Sunday School every Sunday, 2:45. H. E. Singletary, Supt. Worship every Sunday morning, 11 o'clock; every Sunday night ex-

cept first Sunday nights, 8:00. Prayer service every Wednesday night, 8:00.

West Hillsboro Baptist Rev. E. D. Young, Pastor Sunday School, 10 a.m. N. R swainey, superintendent. Preaching services each Sunday Morning worship, 11 a.m. Children's worship, 4 p.m. Evening service, 7:30 p.m. Prayer meeting Wednesday :30 p.m.

Boys Club meets every Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at the church for boys 11 and older.

Eno Methodist Church Rev. Walton Spitzkiet, Pastor Morning services-11:00 A.M. each Sunday. Evening services-8:00 P.M. each Sunday. MYF meets at 7:00 P.M. each Sunday. Missionary Society meets every third Sunday night at 7:00. Sunday School superintendent Evelyn Kennedy.

Free Will Baptist Church Rev. W. D. Taylor, Pastor Sunday School Superintenden Herbert Tucker.

10 a.m. Sunday School. 11 a.m. Sunday Morning Service. 7:45 p.m. Sunday Evening Serv-

7:45 p.m.—Every Wednesday Week-Day Prayer Meeting. Hillsboro Presbyterian Church

Rev. S. W. DuBose, Pastor

Worship: First, third and fifth Sundays at 11 a.m.

Sunday School every Sunday, 10 a.m. Junior League every Sunday at 3:45 p.m.

Evening worship service on second and fourth Sundays at 7:30 p.m., through winter, and 8 p.m. through summer.

Worship: Second and fourth Sundays at 11 a.m.

New Hope Presbyterian Church Evening worship. 7:30 p.m. Sunday School each Sunday at

Chestnut Ridge Methodist Church Services every second Sunday at 11 a.m., and every fourth Sunday at 3 p.m.

Mars Hill Baptist Church Two and one-half miles north of Hillsboro on Highway No. 57

Rev. W. T. Smith, Pastor Lone Mincey, Sunday School Superintendent Sunday School each Sunday at

10 a.m. Preaching, second and fourth Sundays at 11 a.m. The public is cordially invited

to attend any or all of these services. Young people's meeting every Sunday evening at 7:00.

Everyone is invited to attend any or all of these services. A warm welcome awaits you. Baptist Tabernacle Two miles south of Hillsboro

on the Orange Grove Road. Rev. S. E. Elmore, Pastor. Sunday school at 10 a.m. Morning worship at 11 o"clock. Services in the afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The public is invited.

CHAPEL HILL CHURCHES Services at the churches of Chapel Hill for Sunday are scheduled as follows:

Baptist-11 a.m. morning worship; 7:30 p.m. student vespers; p.m. evening worship. Catholic-6:15 a.m. Gerrard Hall;

10 a.m. Hill Hall.

Christian Science - 10:45 a.m. and worship; 6:30 Canterbury Club; 8 p.m. organ recital.

Friends-11 a.m. Graham Menorial.

p.m. Hillel House. Luther an-11 a.m. Graham Me-

Jewish-ro a.m.; Friday, 7:30

Methodist-11 a.m.; 6 p.m. Wesey Foundation.

Presbyterian-11 a.m. morning orship. Congregational - Christian - 1 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.

Gerrard Hall. Pre-Flight - 10 a.m. Memorial Hall. Open to the public.

Episcopal-8 a.m. Holy Communion; 11 a.m. Holy Communion

Hillsboro Masonic Lodge Eagle Lodge No. 19 A.F. & A.M. eets second and fourth Fridays er through March at 7:36 p.m. April through September at

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# by Mat Writer For WDNC Thrilled By Work

BY ELSIE CUSHMAN

"Just what does a writer for a adio station have to do?"

"Lots," said Miss Catherine Faulconer, a Burlington girl who writes for station WDNC in Durham. Miss Faulconer is responsible to some several thousand people who expect good radio pro-

About her affiliations with WDNC, Miss Faulconer said it was experience plus pure luck that got old Liner, Pvt. "Buck" Liner, Mi her the job. She began radio work four years ago at the Burlington Bobby Liner, Misses Eva Faw a station. She was then only 17

writing commercials, and writing ers, Miss Annie Laurie Rogers out programs. Sometimes it takes a friend, Miss Gaynell Ward four or five hours to shape a fifteen minute program, Since WDNC DISCHARGEES is a small station, the staff is not highly departmentalized as those of larger stations. Therefore her awaiting his discharge from tob envolves not only writing, but also production and all beforehand preparations such as timing the program, checking the music or data, and conferences with the announcer.

"But it's worth it," she smiled When you hear your work actually coming over the air as you have written it and want it to go, it's somewhat the same sensation a newswriter has in seeing his by-line."

Asked about celebrities, she said she had interviewed Robert St John and met DeWitt Mackensie in the station at Burlington.

"But let me tell you," she said 'about the funniest experience I've had meeting people. When I was still in Burlington, I was down at the station on a hot afternoon. It was too warm to work in my of- Hughes Oakley, Mrs. Henry T fice, so I had moved the desk and typewriter out in the hall. There I Hal Tate in New York last we sat pecking away, with my hair disheveled, my skirt pulled up, and a coke down on the floor.

"Someone walked in and asked to see the program director. 'Don't know where he is,' I said. 'Any message?' I didn't believe it when the man told me he was Jimmy Scribner: You know, the man who writes and does all the characters on his program. He looked very ordinary, not at all as I had expected, but when he said, 'Jimmy Scribner', I really jumped up and found that program director.

him do his program on the air. With all those characters to do he light make the grippess in change didn't make any grimaces in changing his voice, and I've never seen anyone more poised in front of a mike.'

The people with whom she works are varied. The news editor and program director is a psychiatrist by profession. Another member of the staff was a radio teacher in a southern university who decided that he needed practical experience. One of the announcers was a writer for a network program on NBC. The whole staff is invaluable, down to the high school student who already has a couple of years experience.

"So you see," Miss Faulconer concluded, "that the work is interesting from any view point. hope to make radio writing my life's work, so I believe the experience I'm geting now will be the best thing that could have happened to me."

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as executor of the estate of William Henry Brown, deceased, late of Orange County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Mebane, N. C., Route 3, on or before the 3rd day of October, 1946, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make imediate payment.

This the 3rd day of October 1945.

George Brown, Executor of Estate of William Henry Brown. 10-11-6tp

### Cedar Grove

MRS. LINER AND MRS. ROGE GIVEN BIRTHDAY SUPPER A birthday supper was given Mrs. J. G. Rogers and Mrs. J. Liner by Mrs. Rogers at their he Tuesday night, September Those attending were Mr. and Mr. ses Jean, "Libby" and Nell Li Blanche McDade, Mrs. Ruth M Kee, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Roge As a writer she is responsible Misses "Lib," Polly and Mart for arranging program schedules, Rogers, Lawrence and Vernon Ro Greensboro were present also Woodrow McAdams, son of the

and Mrs. I. T. McAdams, is Army. He has served in car paigns in Germany and Fran Jack Finley has returned hor with a discharge from the Na Ray Copple is now at he with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

A. Copple. Ray received his d charge from the Army two wee Fred Compton has received a honerable discharge from the An my. He is the son of Mr. and Mr. Ralph Compton.

NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES Cpl. Clarence McCullock spending a furlough with his m

Katherine Long, a student Elon Colege spent the week e with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Co

Mr. and Mrs. Collins Poole, M and Herman, Tate visited M Misses Sadye Pittard and Nano Grey Warren spent the week en at their homes.

Miss Miriam Pope is now en ployed as cashier in Belk's Den Store in Durham.

A number of the young peor from the churches of this con munity attended the "Rally" Long's Chapel Christian church Sunday, September 30.

## Pfc. James Ward "It was interesting to watch Visiting Parents

Pfc. James R. Ward, son of M and Mrs. J. A. Ward of Efland is spending a thirty day leave wit his parents after spending for teen months in Italy. He wears three major batt

ribbons, the good conduct med and the Purple Heart for woun received October 26 near Rom Italy from enemy shell mortar.

He has one other brother Lest B. Ward, S 1-c, who is servi on the battleship USS Wiscons that was among one of the fir ships to enter Tokyo Bay, a is now sailing homeward to pa ticipate in the Navy Day ceremo Pfc. Ward will report to Ft. Bras October 2 for reassignment.



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