

37 MEN TO LEAVE FOR ARMY CAMP

Bond Sales Please Chairman 3rd. War Loan

Eight Accepted For Navy, One For Marines

Twenty-Six Leaving Next Week For Army; 8 For Navy; 2 For Coast Guard; 1 Marine.

Following is a list of draftees accepted for the Army, Navy, Coast Guards and Marines. They will leave some time next week with the majority leaving Monday morning, September 20th, for Ft. Jackson, S. C., where they will receive their basic training.

- L. H. Black
Lucius Anderson Jenkins
J. D. Sisk
Hollis Andrew Burgess
Lewis Bernard High
Glenn Austin Huffstetler
Alexander Benjamin Goldberg
Hugh Edwin Harrelson
James Windol Kendrick
Joe Osbin Payne
Paul Bunyan Bryant
Arthur Stevenson Cook, Jr.
Robert Samuel Brymer
Jimmy Friday
James Alexander Wooten
William Theodore Roberts
Haskell Plato Davis
George Dewey Haffner, Jr.
Robert Burlin Wooten
David Luther Stroupe
Carl Eugene Dixon
Lawrence Frederick Holland
Paul Pennington Flowers
Ralph Daniel Smith
Rufus Jackson Moss
Charles Molah Cloninger.

Gets Discharge

Pvt. Luther W. Neill was inducted into the service at Camp Croft, S. C., and soon transferred to Ft. Bragg and from there to Camp Lee, Va. where he took his basic training. He was then transferred to Camp Marshall, Leadia, Pa., and went from there to Camp Kelma, N. J. Later he was transferred to New York and sailed for North Africa. After serving in North Africa he returned to the states and was stationed at Camp Croft S. C., and back to Camp Lee, Va., where he received his honorable discharge and was returned home.



Navy Wants 17 Year Old Boy for Training

All boys that are now 17 years old and have as much as a tenth grade education or the equivalent now have the opportunity to continue his education in one of the Navy's 55 trade schools.

The boys that are eligible have the opportunity to take up Machinist, Diesel Mechanic, Electrician, Fire-Controlman, Aviation Machinist, Aviation Metal-Smith, Ordnance, Radar, Carpenter, Welder, Gunner, Quartermaster, Medicine, Engineering and many other trades that can be used after his release from the Navy. Upon completion of one of these courses with a satisfactory grade, all graduates are made THIRD CLASS PETTY OFFICERS in their particular trade.

The qualifications are, be at least 17 years of age, have finished the 10th (or have the equivalent education), be able to furnish some proof of date and place of birth have full consent of your parents to enlist prior to applying to the Navy Recruiter, and be of good mental and physical condition.

All boys interested are urged to see H. S. Lee, the Navy Recruiter, who will be located in the Post Office building every day at Gastonia, N. C.

LAST RITES HELD FOR J. P. HOFFMAN

DALLAS—A large group of relatives and friends gathered at Holy Communion Lutheran Church Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock to attend the last rites for J. Puet Hoffman who dropped dead near his home Saturday morning following a heart attack. Rev. J. J. Bickley, pastor, was in charge of the services and interment was in the adjoining cemetery.

JAMES R. CAMPBELL AT CAMP DAVIS

Pfc. James R. Campbell of Cherryville is attending the Antiaircraft Artillery School, at Camp Davis. Before entering the service, Pfc. Campbell was employed by Putnam Hardware Company.

PRAYER MEETING SATURDAY NIGHT

There will be prayer meeting Saturday night, September 18th, at 8 o'clock at my home, Rev. Arthur Blackmon, and Rev. Clyde Reep will conduct the services. The public is cordially invited. J. W. Shuford.

A troupe of entertainers is being organized in Mexico to tour American and Australian soldier sailor and marine camps in the South Pacific.

Christmas Packages To Men In Service

The American Legion, Tryon Post 100 is sponsoring a movement to furnish every enlisted man and woman, both foreign and home service in Cherryville township a Christmas package.

In order that no one will be overlooked they are asking that all who have a son, daughter, father or brother in service to write the correct name and address on a slip of paper and turn it in at the Eagle Office, Howell's Ready-to-Wear, Goldiner's Department Store, Nuway Store or N. B. Boyles store or at the Schools by September 30th. Don't fail to get these names and addresses in as this is no small job and the American Legions are to be congratulated on their efforts.

Help make Christmas a happy one for our boys.

Just fill in the form below and send it over to the above mentioned places of business:

Name _____ Address _____

RAMOTH CARPENTER AND CARROLL DELLINGER AT MAXWELL FIELD

MAXWELL FIELD, Ala., Sept. 8.—Two youths from Cherryville, N. C., have reported to the Army Air Forces Pre-Flight School for Pilots at Maxwell Field, Alabama, to begin the third phase of their training as Pilots in the U. S. Army Air Forces' expanding program.

These aviation cadets are receiving nine weeks of intensive physical, military and academic instruction at Maxwell Field, preparatory to beginning their flight training at one of many primary flying schools located in the Army Air Forces Eastern Flying Training Command.

These men are Aviation Cadets Ramoth M. Carpenter, P.O. Box 94; and David C. Dellinger, Box 253.

Landings Force Italy's Surrender



When Allied forces swept across to the mainland of Italy from Sicily in the areas shown on the above map they gave a demonstration of such terrific power that Italy's unconditional surrender was quick in coming. General Dwight Eisenhower announced the surrender and it was under his command that the combined United Nation's armies forced the issue.

FAMINE SPECTRE OVER ROME AND NORTHERN PART OF ITALY

Diminishing Food Supplies Cause Grave Problem; Italians Ordered To Give Nazis Firearms Or Be Shot.

BERN, Switzerland, Sept. 15.—The speaker of famine hangs over Rome and the Nazi occupied cities of northern Italy, dispatches from the Italian frontier said today.

A Swiss telegraphic agency dispatch from Chiasso reported that Nazi parachute troops had taken up positions in St. Peter's Square and added that the fate of Pope Pius XII and that of other high church prelates who had taken refuge in Vatican City is at present unknown.

The Rome radio last night appealed to food producers and farmers in the vicinity of the Italian capital to bring food to Rome, promising that it would be used solely to feed civilians. All Rome schools have been closed indefinitely, it was said.

Diminishing food supplies were reported in the north where the Germans have requisitioned all available supplies.

German General Stein, who signed the proclamation, declared that saboteurs and franc-tireurs would be punished severely, the dispatches added.

TO SING AT SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH



E. F. DRUM and TURBYFILL QUARTET of Drum's Funeral Home

Left to right, Standing: Gaither Lawing, 1st tenor; Preston Turbyfill, 2nd tenor; Roy Turbyfill, baritone; Nolan Jordan, bass; Seated left to right: Ralph Dellinger, acc. Elliott F. Drum, soloist. Will sing at the Homecoming at three o'clock at the Second Baptist Church the fourth Sunday, September 26th. In addition to the above quartet, the Davis Trio of Gastonia and other singers will also be present with several selected numbers. Sunday School at 10:00 A. M., Preaching at 11:00 A. M. The afternoon will be filled with a good program of singing and probably speakers. Rev. W. Luther Hawkins is the pastor.

Double Parking Must Stop Here

According to Mr. Marse Bean, the new chief of police here says the double parking situation will continue to be strictly enforced. The chief will tag an cars on main street who leaves their motor vehicles double parked.

The police department is anxious, of course, to continue their old and known custom of courteous attention to all matters of the city and they wish that all car drivers continue to deal with them in a like manner. They are guardians of the law and there are certain fixed rules in parking that are shown laws and no one can feel offended, should police officers continue to go about their business of upholding the parking laws of Cherryville, let's co-operate.

Persons receiving red tags for violating the traffic laws of Cherryville are asked to report to the police station from 8 until 1 o'clock in the mornings and from 6 to 7 o'clock in the evenings.

The chief of police urges all the merchants of the town to co-operate with the parking situation by parking at the rear of store or use the various parking lots in town.

OPA Promises New Price Reductions

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—General Manager Chester Bowles of the Office of Price Administration today announced a sweeping price reduction program designed to lower the cost of living to consumers by 2.3 per cent and effect substantial savings in retail prices of potatoes, yard, apples, oranges, and other products.

The roll back would be accomplished through a \$100,000,000 government program of transportation subsidies, government crop purchase and resale, and in the case of peanut butter and probably lard, rollback subsidies within the financial limits set by congress.

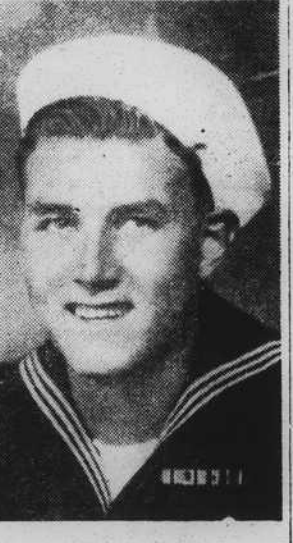
MEMBER OF ITALY'S FAMILY IS IN SWITZERLAND

A Swiss telegraphic dispatch from Chiasso on the Swiss-Italian border said today that the Duke of Pistoia, a member of the Italian Royal family suite, had entered Switzerland near Locarno last Sunday.

All Issuing Agents To Have Report Next Week

One Agent Reports Sales Of Series E Bonds \$6,650 And Series G Bonds, \$13,500.

In The Navy



DEAN JENKS

Dean Jenks, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Jenks who recently visited his parents on a short leave after being in the Sicilian invasion. Dean enlisted in the Navy last year and has been on the water practically ever since. He says he enjoys the Navy and while he did not talk much he could tell of many interesting events. Dean was wearing two bars.

Victory Festival Week In Charlotte

CHARLOTTE, Sept. 15.—This city's 26-acre Southern States Fair grounds, hailed as the South's finest but unused since the 1941 event, is being groomed for a gala October "Victory Festival Week" that will return to Charlotte many of the top flight entertainment features formerly seen at the annual exposition.

Profiting from an open week on the Eastern State Fairs Circuit, Veterans of Foreign Wars Officials here disclosed today they have scheduled a five days, six-nights festival for Oct. 11 to 16, with assurance that a colorful array of ranking fair attractions, moving southward from leading northern events, will be on hand for the celebration.

From rooking riding lectures to dancing Rosettes, from side show barkers to Terrell Jacobs and his famed wild animal circus a complete day and night program of stand-out features will be presented under arrangements made by the veterans' organization with George A. Hamid and Max Linderman, nationally known outdoor showmen.

Coupled with a huge grandstand musical revue, the World of Mirth Shows midway, a novel wartime thrill circus, races and other events, said, R. B. Hood, spokesman for the V. F. W., will be timely patriotic displays, demonstrations and benefit performances.

Hamid and Linderman, both widely known in North Carolina for the attractions they have supplied the State Fair at Raleigh and other events in the State said the entertainment to be shown here will come direct from such major northern fairs as the New Jersey State Fair, the Great Allentown, Pa., Exposition and others. The attractions will be moved intact to the South Carolina State Fair at Columbia following the Charlotte festival.

SERVICES AT FREE SAINTS TABERNACLE

There will be service at the Free Saints Tabernacle each Sunday at 11 o'clock. Every 1st and 3rd Sunday by the pastor, Rev. Durham Whisnant and every 2nd and 4th Sunday, by Rev. John Dellinger. Sunday School at 10 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to each of these services.

Chairman E. V. Moss, of the 3rd War Bond Drive is very much pleased with the sales of Bonds in Cherryville so far. However, there are nine issuing agents and none have turned in complete reports. The outlook is good. From one agent come the report of Series E Bonds, issuing since \$6,650 and Series G Bonds since \$13,500.

The committees which were mounted last week are hard at work completing their drive before turning in a complete report.

Gaston County's quota is \$5,12,000 and it is the aim of every citizen to go well over the quota.

Scrape up the money from every source you can, turn in all you can for bonds and stamps. Do without the necessities this month and Buy Bonds, Buy Bonds and More Bonds. Italy has surrendered—let's all help finish the Job Back the Attack with War Bonds.

WACO SURPASSES QUOTA BY MARGIN OF \$1,400

In a campaign, ending with a community rally last Wednesday evening, the boys and girls of Waco High School surpassed their quota of \$1,000 by selling \$2,400 worth of bonds and stamps. The drive was sponsored jointly by the Future Homemakers, the Home Economics Club, and the Future Farmers of America, the boys' agricultural organization.

At the end of the community rally, the Victory King and Queen were crowned. Faye Sperting, a popular member of the Future Homemakers, was crowned Queen and Paul Carpenter was crowned King to represent the Future Farmers.

A fine spirit of loyalty and patriotism was manifested by the community in backing up the boys and girls in their effort to do their share in the Third War Loan Drive.

FRANK McMURRAY DIES IN LINCOLN COUNTY

Funeral services for Frank McMurray, who died at his home near Lincolnton Tuesday afternoon, were conducted this afternoon at 2 o'clock from Palm Tree Methodist church near Lawndale with the pastor of the church in charge.

Mr. McMurray who was 76 years of age died about 2:15 on Tuesday afternoon following a two month illness which confined him to his bed. His condition had been critical for the past several days.

Surviving are his widow, who is an invalid, and two sons. Two daughters having preceded him to the grave. One brother of Cleveland county also survives.

EDWARD R. NEWTON AT MAXWELL FIELD

MAXWELL FIELD, Ala.—Edward R. Newton, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Newton, of Route 1, Cross, N. C., is now enrolled as an aviation cadet in the Army Air Forces Pre-Flight School for Pilots at this field, located on the outskirts of Montgomery, the capital of Alabama.

Here the new class of cadets is receiving nine weeks of intensive military, physical and academic training preparatory to beginning their actual flight instruction at one of the many primary flying schools in the Army Air Forces Eastern Flying Training Command.

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