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Tips to the Old Home Town

(Ed. Note: We asked Bill Wray who has lived in Florida for the past three years and who is now back on his first visit in that time, to write a little piece for us about "What's New in Burnsville", "Tips for the Old Hometown", or anything along these lines he'd like to say. The following gives Bill's ideas on the subject):

"First of all, it's grand to be back. We didn't realize how eager we were for a glimpse of the mountains, the good mountain air and the wonderful summer climate until we actually got back. And Burnsville still remains one of the most attractive small towns we know.

"But it could be more attractive and that's one of the topics I'll get around to later.

"First of all, I was much impressed with the actual growth in new buildings, beautiful new homes in all parts of Burnsville, and new businesses that have been started since we left. Among these new business establishments, I was interested in the hosiery manufacturing plant—something that I've hoped for fifteen years would be started here. I hope that it will expand beyond its present limits and become the great business asset which I believe possible.

"There are other business operations also, especially several small ones operated

by individuals. So many of the firms that were here three years ago have expanded, too, and I feel that this expansion will continue. It is especially gratifying to see many new homes, and these homes are so attractive. Even the less expensive kind reflect an interest in making these new homes attractive as well as convenient.

"In addition to these material changes I have been highly pleased to see a greater spirit of cooperation among the citizens of the town, and to see that the younger business men are taking a part in the activities of the town. The recently reorganized Men's Club has been responsible for a number of worthwhile projects, and these have been carried through because the members have cooperated.

"There are still a number of things I'd like to see done however. First of all, is the appearance of the town! Since the Square is the center of interest it should be kept clean and attractive at all times. A power mower would make this possible without too much outlay.

"Then there should certainly be some time and thought given to the recreational needs of both citizens of the county and the visitors who are just beginning to find out what an ideal spot this is for a vacation.

DECORATION

There will be a Decoration at the Wilson family cemetery at Concord, N. C. on next Sunday, August 25 at 3 o'clock.

All those who have relatives there are asked to come on Saturday afternoon before and help to clean the grounds.

"Another thing which I think would be fine is a closer cooperation and greater interest between the town and county. After all, what helps the county helps the town and vice versa.

"Let me give a few examples of this. One of the most interesting developments in our county is that at Cat Tail Creek where approximately 45 families have summer homes. The group has recently incorporated and plan several community developments. Anything that the county or town can do to help this community will prove of mutual benefit to all.

"Several other things that might be mentioned are the small air field at Celu which, though inadequate, is a beginning and could grow into facilities for regular air service; the community hospital building now under construction at Celu Community, and the Cooperative Market which serves this section though located at Spruce Pine.

"The last thing I'd like to mention is this: Don't rely on the old saying about the World beating a path to your door! If you could visit us in Florida and see how the people there work for the things they wish to bring into their towns you'd all get a few pointers.

"Plan now and work for new industries, better conditions, better facilities, a better market for what you raise and to develop all the possibilities here. It's a good town and county but it has to be sold to folks outside".

HOW ABOUT IT?

For the past several years—while I lived in Burnsville—with the help donated by other citizens, I kept the Burnsville cemetery in fairly good condition. I had occasion to visit the town a few days ago and paid a visit to the cemetery. If you do not believe what I say when I tell you that this hallowed spot is in a deplorable condition, will you kindly take a walk up that way and have a look?

When I left Burnsville I turned the cemetery job over to G. L. Hensley who tells me that he is getting but little co-operation. I am writing this with the hope that it will inspire those interested that they may

ATTEND 4-H SHORT COURSE

The following members of 4-H Clubs in the county attended the Short Course held at N. C. State college last week: Peggy Jean Huskins and Aaron Wilson of Burnsville; May Higgins and Earl Ray of Bald Creek; Sherrill Miller of Bee Log; Patricia Piercy and Edward Bailey of Clearmont; Louise Huffman and Wayne Silver of Micaville.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Wilson of Detroit are here for a vacation visit with relatives in the county.

get in touch with Mr. Hensley and see that the necessary and needed work may be done at once.
J. M. LYON.

ATTEND WEDDING

A number of out of town guests attended the Hobson-Cartwright wedding held here on August 10.

The guest list included: Mr. and Mrs. George C. Cartwright, parents of the groom, Dr. A. Y. Cartwright, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Cartwright, Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Cartwright, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Riddle, Mrs. C. B. Ratchford, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Love, Dan C. Riddle, David Ratchford, Misses George Ann Robertson, Elizabeth McCorkle and Naomi Ferguson, all of York, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. George H. Hart of Lawndale, N.C.; Lt. George C. Adicks of Columbia, S. C.; George H. Hart, Jr., of Sewanee, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Harshaw of McConnellsville, S. C.; Perry Cartwright and Mrs. D. L. Pitcher, Jr. of New York; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hobson, Misses Melvina and Claris Hobson of Blackey, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Sneed, Jr., and son of Piedmont, S. C.; Mrs. George Roberts of Topeka, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lyon, J. M. Lyon of Blowing Rock, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Hall, Miss Virginia Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Hall, Rev. and Mrs. A. R. Craig, Miss Mary Ann Craig of Spruce Pine, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. William Ross and Sam Maloney of Davidson, N. C.; Misses Annelle McCall of Florence, S. C., Rebecca Nickles of Char-

MICAVILLE NEWS

Floyd Duncan and Leo Craig are here from Los Angeles, Cal. visiting his sisters, Mrs. Claude and Mrs. Carl Chrisawn, and other relatives.

Howard Smith and family have been home for a week from Henderson and have moved down there where he is employed.

Wake Johnson and family of Union Grover, N. C. are visiting Mrs. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Chrisawn.

Leonard Stroud and family were over from Marion Sunday.

Mrs. Arnold Wilson and family of Old Fort visited here Sunday.

"Aunt" Dina Brinkley is still very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Gillespie.

Claude Chrisawn and Hugh Sparks are working at the Drexel Furniture factory in Marion.

Jewel and Dixie Thomas left last week for Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. Dan Campbell is here from New York visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell.

leston, S. C., Virginia Jackson of Bluefield, W. Va., Helen Davis of New Orleans, Ruth McGrath and Mary Katherine Nye of Conway, S. C., Ruth Ewart of Cornelius, N. C., Nan Abell of Clover, S. C. and Lydia Munroe of Richmond Va.; William McLean of Montreat, N. C. and James Gunn of Bluefield, W. Va.

NOW, MORE THAN EVER BEFORE

THE ARMY HAS A GOOD JOB FOR YOU!

NON-COMMISSIONED GRADES NOW OFFERED TO FORMER ARMY OCCUPATIONAL SPECIALISTS

Good jobs in non-commissioned grades are being offered now by the Regular Army to qualified former servicemen!

Veterans discharged on or after May 12, 1945, who enlist or reenlist for 3 years may be enlisted in the non-commissioned grade for which qualified, provided this grade is not higher than that held at time of discharge, and provided that at least 6 months of former service was in one of 400 designated military occupational specialties in which enlistment is now desired.

Important, interesting jobs are open in hundreds of skills and trades in the Army, with splendid training and educational advantages! These are in addition to free food, housing, clothing, medical and dental care, low-cost insurance.

There's adventure, travel, education, a secure and profitable future in this vital, realistic profession. Get full details at your nearest Army Recruiting Station.

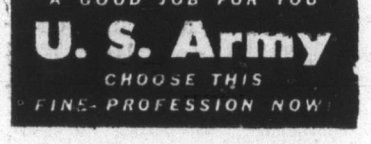
Highlights of Regular Army Enlistments

1. Enlistments for 1½, 2 or 3 years. (1-year enlistments permitted for men now in the Army with 6 or more months of service.)
2. Enlistment age from 18 to 34 years inclusive (17 with parents' consent) except for men now in the Army, who may reenlist at any age, and former service men depending on length of service.
3. A reenlistment bonus of \$50 for each year of active service since such bonus was last paid, or since last entry into service, provided reenlistment is within 3 months after last honorable discharge.
4. A furlough for men who reenlist within 20 days. Full details of other furlough privileges can be obtained from Recruiting Officers.
5. Mustering-out pay (based upon length of service) to all men who are discharged to reenlist.
6. Option to retire at half pay for the rest of your life after 20 years' service—increasing to three-quarters pay after 30 years' service. All previous active federal military service counts toward retirement.
7. GI Bill of Rights benefits assured for men who enlist on or before October 5, 1946.
8. Choice of branch of service and overseas theater (of those still open) on 3-year enlistments.

NEW PAY SCALE

In Addition to Clothing, Food, Lodging, Medical and Dental Care.	Starting Base Pay Per Month	MONTHLY RETIREMENT INCOME AFTER:	
		20 Years' Service	30 Years' Service
Master Sergeant or First Sergeant	\$165.00	\$107.25	\$185.63
Technical Sergeant	135.00	87.75	151.88
Staff Sergeant	115.00	74.75	129.38
Sergeant	100.00	65.00	112.50
Corporal	90.00	58.50	101.25
Private First Class	80.00	52.00	90.00
Private	75.00	48.75	84.38

Listen to "Warriors of Peace," "Voice of the Army," "Proudly We Hail," "Mark Warner's Army Show," "Sound Off," "Army Winner Sports Review," and "Spotlight Bands" on your radio.



Enlist now at your nearest Army Recruiting Station and "Make It a Million!"

ASHEVILLE, N. C.

MARION, N. C.

Mrs. Lee Gillespie underwent an operation at the Marion hospital last week.

Nearly 8,000 American Red Cross workers who have served satisfactorily with the armed forces outside the continental United States for six months or longer will receive special civilian awards from the War Department, Red Cross national headquarters has announced.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NORTH CAROLINA
YANCEY COUNTY

Having qualified as Administrator of the Estate of Mary E. Ray, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against the decedent to exhibit the same to the undersigned Administrator at the office of J. Frank Huskins, attorney, Burnsville, N. C., on or before the 22nd day of August, 1947, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

All persons owing the Estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 20th day of Aug. 1946.
CLATIE RAY, Administrator of the Estate of Mary E. Ray, deceased.
Aug. 22, 29, Sept. 5, 12, 19 26

MORE THAN HALF YOUR LIFE IS SPENT IN YOUR HOME

----ENJOY IT MORE!

DO YOU TAKE PRIDE IN THE APPEARANCE, COMFORT AND CONVENIENCE OF YOUR HOME? OR DO YOU ENDURE CONDITIONS THAT MAY BE IMPROVED SIMPLY AND AT LOW COST? REMEMBER, YOU SPEND MORE THAN HALF YOUR TIME IN YOUR HOME. YOU CAN ENJOY IT MORE BY MODERNIZING.

DON'T GET TOO DISCOURAGED

BECAUSE IT IS SO HARD TO GET MATERIALS, AND BECAUSE SO MANY SHORTAGES STILL EXIST. WE KNOW THAT THE UNCERTAINTY IS DISCOURAGING TO BUILDERS, AND THAT YOU MAY FEEL A HESITANCY IN CONTINUING TO CALL. BUT WE WISH TO KEEP IN TOUCH WITH YOU AND TO ASSIST YOU IN EVERY WAY POSSIBLE.

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