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NEWS IN SERVICE

SOME WHO AWARD

WITH THE 15TH AIR FORCE IN ITALY. — Technician Fifth Grade Oliver M. Seim, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Seim, Kings Mountain, N. C., now serving with a Signal Co. in Italy, has been awarded the Motor Vehicle Driving Bar for the Motor Vehicle Badge in recognition of his proficiency.

The award was made at a ceremony held at his home here by Lt. Col. Charles P. Yates of Buckley, Ill.

Corporal Seim, is a driver for his outfit, which is attached to 12th Air Force, building and maintaining telephone communications. He has been overseas 30 months serving in England, Africa, Southern France and Italy. He attended Tryon High school Tryon, N. C., and before entering the service he was employed by his father.

MEMBER NEWS

By Mrs. Jennie G. Costner

The credit union meeting of the Agricultural Club had 25 members at its meeting on Monday night, April 9, 1942. The meeting was considered a success as 22 members agreed to take shares and support the union. A total of \$51.25 has been raised by the membership towards shares when the union is permanently organized. A "Credit Union" is an organization financed by the members and also from which members may obtain loans through policies established by the Agricultural Department of the State of North Carolina.

A credit Union should have a membership of approximately from 50 to 100 people to operate efficiently. The next meeting will be held Monday night, April 23, at 8:30 p. m., at the school. All interested people are invited. Rev. T. H. Grier is the temporary president.

The members of Adams Chapel A. M. E. Zion church had as its honored guest for the second Sunday in April the Rev. G. F. Hall, financial secretary of the A. M. E. Zion church. The pastor and members were glad to have him. Dr. Hall delivered a great message. He is a great preacher and his message enthusiastically delivered. Dr. Hall and Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Johnson were dinner guests at Mrs.

James V. Fisher's on Sunday. At 2:00 p. m. Sunday the Rev. A. C. Duffin, pastor of Pleasant Ridge A. M. E. Zion church, presided at a wonderful service at Adams Chapel church. A rally was had for the completion of the church. The amount of \$250.00 was raised. Mr. Duffin was the afternoon visitor. Col. Jacob Burris of Camp Hobbs, N. C., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Rena Burris. Col. Burris and his mother visited relatives in Winston-Salem last week.

Mr. Hazel Brown of A. and T. college spent the week end at home visiting his mother, Mrs. Ina V. Conner.

A short service was conducted by members and friends of the Mt. Zion Baptist church Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock to pay tribute to the late President, Franklin Delano Roosevelt. Rev. D. A. Costner presided.

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