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NEWSY TIDINGS FROM OUR BOYS

The "News" Will Be Glad To Mention Any Items of Interest You May Send About Your Soldier Lad

The Justica, on which Lieut. Norman Crouch sailed across safely, was sunk on her way back to America.

Mrs. Wm. Biggs received a card from "her boy," Private Albert Winchester, last Friday announcing his safe arrival in England.

Private Charles Price, son of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Price, near St. Paul's has been transferred from a camp in Georgia to Anniston, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Hirons received an interesting letter from their son, Norman, who is in France, states that he is improving from a recent attack of sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Gill received two letters this week from their son, Charles Lee, who is with the American Army in France. Both letters state that he is getting along fine and enjoying the best of health and that the French people seemed to make a good bit over the American soldiers.

Wilbur Ross Hubbard is at Camp Jackson with the Yale Artillery Corps.

Private Walter Hickman, of Camp Meade, is enjoying a ten day furlough at his home near Massey.

Letters were received last week from France by relatives of Leon Hicks and Colin Duyer.

Mrs. Ida M. Blyman received two letters last week from her son Private Wm. F. Blyman who is attached to the 60 Infantry American Expeditionary Forces France, dated June 25th and July 1st in which he states that they had been in one shrapnel and gas bombardment and had been attacked by the Germans twice and each time were ready for them and all stuck to their posts.

A. L. Sparks received on Monday a very welcome and interesting letter from his son, Corporal Irving Sparks, now in France. The letter is dated July 4, and Irving writes that it was cold as a November day in Maryland. Excerpts from the letter read as follows:

"The town in which I am now located is all decorated with flags and a French band came in this morning. Met Coach Kibler on the street, the other day. It was the first time either of us have seen anybody from home. He has been in some heavy fighting, has lost one finger and bears a wound in the leg, otherwise is all right and is looking fine. He is now first lieutenant in the regular army and has been recommended for captains commission. His company has been twice cited for bravery. * * * If it were not so cold I would go swimming today in the Marne."

Letters were received by "home folks" Tuesday from L. B. Russell, Jr., Wm. Frazier Russell, Jr., and other members of the 29th Division, formerly at Camp McClellan.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Crouch received a letter on Monday from their son, Lieut. Norman S. Crouch, who is in the aviation service in France. Norman writes that he is driving a plane having a speed of 200 miles an hour and can mount 10,000 feet in 8 minutes. He is hoping soon to fly across the Rhine and bomb Berlin.

In a letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stafford, of Chestertown, Olin B. Stafford with the Headquarters Ambulance section of the 29th Division, now "somewhere in Europe," writes of his trip across. "First time I have had a chance to write. Arrived all O. K. and in the best of health. Had a fine trip over the seas and then a few hundred miles on a train. We were very lucky and had a very large ship to cross on, I was surprised that we got over here so quick.

William Sachs, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Sachs, who is now stationed at San Deigo, California, has been promoted.

Sergt. Julian Carter, Private Frederick Ford, Olin B. Stafford and other Kent county boys with the 29th Division formerly encamped at Camp McClellan, Alabama, now "Overseas," have sent to relatives at home souvenirs of their landing in England in the form of a facsimile autograph greeting from King George.

Private Granville Ashley has written his aunt, Mrs. Wm. Durding, a most interesting letter describing his trip to Camp Forrest, Lytle, Ga. "We were shot at near Johnson City but luckily the ball hit the door of the caboose. Stopped at Chattonooga on Wednesday morning and arrived at Camp Forrest at 10. Aunt Annie, they may have all but give home, sweet home. Tell mother not to worry as the Lord knows best and I shall be home sometime. Private Ashley's address is Co. 9, Engineer's Prov. Ret. Bu., Barrack 1411, Camp Forrest, Lytle, Ga.

On August 2nd Mrs Thomas Rich received a letter from her son, Private Bernard Rich dated "Somewhere in France," June 28th. He wrote "I wish I could speak French. These people are fine and it seems funny that they want so much to talk with us and we cannot understand them." The address is Private Bernard Rich, 29th Div., Co. "A" 112 M. G. Battalion, A. E. F.

Corporal Earle Duyer, now at Camp Merritt visited his mother, Mrs. Jesse Duyer on Sunday. Earle was the first Kent county boy to enlist, having joined the regular army nearly two years ago, and has spent the past eighteen months on the Mexican border. He has won distinction as a sharpshooter. His regiment expects to embark very shortly.

Letter from E. Bonwill Dukes at Paris Island, S. C., August 3, 1918: Editors of Kent News. Sirs: We arrived here on June 24th. Had a very nice trip down. At Washington we met about 140 fellows from the northern States. I have often heard, that the people of the South were more hospitable than those of the North, but they surely can't be more than the people of the North if they are all like the fellows that come down with us. Because they acted as though we were all brothers. The people all the way down were very nice to us, at one town while we were stopped, there came a man running over and said that he wanted all the marines to come over and get watermellons. All of us went, and he gave each two, and insisted that we take more. So you can bet that we had a feast. The trip took us from 7.25 p.m. Monday when we left Baltimore until 5.30 p. m., Tuesday, when we landed at the receiving station. From there we went to the quarantine [illegible] There we stayed two days [illegible] for the M[illegible] pect the to[illegible] the [illegible]

Sergt. Arthur Guy Empey in Vitagraph's master production, "Over the Top."

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two weeks. Then to the rifle range, where it takes two weeks. Then our course of training is finished here on the Island. We are then sent further north to finish our training for "Overseas." We have had to work awfully hard. That is due to the fact, that we have in six weeks, what used to take from three to four months. We also have to study very hard, but there isn't a fellow here but will be a much better man after his training. I feel better already.

Raymond Tucker Spalding in looking over the Sunday Sun recognized his long-lost brother whom he had not seen for a number of years. It is a fine picture entitled "We are proud of Albert Spalding, fighting fiddler, and F. H. LaGuardia, flying congressman, both over there," Raymond cut the picture out and has framed it.

Lieut. Norman S. Crouch has been made superintendent of an aviation field in France.

CHURCH NOTES

Christ M. P. Church, Rev. J. L. Ward, pastor, Sunday services: Sunday school, Fred. G. Usilton, supt., 10 a. m.; sermon, subject "The Words of My Mouth," 11 a. m; short evening service, 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday, 8 p. m. Everybody welcome.

Services for Sunday, August 11, at Wesley Chapel: 9.30 a. m., Sunday school, Elwood Burgess, supt.; 10.30 a. m., preaching by Rev. W. M. Strayer, of Oxford; 8 p. m., open air service. Kesley Chapel, Broad Neck: Sunday school at 2.30 p. m., preaching at 3.30 p. m.

Regular services at Chestertown M. E. Church tomorrow. Rev. A. P. Prettyman will preach in the morning.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

MILLINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Merritt and daughter, Miss Doris, of Philadelphia, were guests last Sunday of relatives in town

Mrs. Frank Corkran and son, Blair, of Lutherville, Md., spent the past two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Kate Benson.

Misses Myrtle and Margaret Wolfe and their mother, of Collingswood, N. J., visited Mrs. John G. Moore this week.

Services tomorrow, August 11, at Asbury M. E. Church, will be as follows: 10 a. m., Sunday school, subject "Christian Helpfulness;" 11 a. m., and 8.30 p. m., preaching by the pastor, Rev. D. J. Moore; 8 p. m., song service. Friday, 8.30 p. m., prayer meeting.

Miss Helen Price, who has been employed as a trained nurse at Salisbury for several weeks, has returned home.

F. C. Numbers and daughter, Miss Mary, is spending sometime at Snow Hill and Ocean City.

Capt. J. Paul Jacobs has been ordered to Fortress Monroe, Va., as instructor in French methods of Artillery and left for that place on Friday of last week.

Rolph Price, of the Maryland Naval Base, returned last Wednesday to Norfolk, Va., after spending a month with relatives in and near town, and assisting his brother, Paul C. Price on his farm.

Services tomorrow, August 11, at Trinity M. E. Church, South, will be as follows: 2 p. m., Sunday school, subject "Christian Helpfulness;" 3 p. m. and 8.30 p. m., preaching by the pastor, Rev. E. G. Coe; 8 p. m., Epworth League. Wednesday, 8.30 p. m., prayer meeting.

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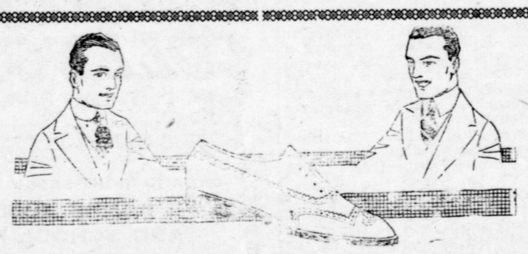

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