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LOCATION OF TROOPS GIVEN

War Department Names Location Of Combat Divisions On November 7, Including Arkansans.

(By The Associated Press.)

Washington, Nov. 27.—The location of thirty-five combat divisions and six depot divisions of the American army in France on November 7 was announced by the war department.

The list of combat divisions includes the 30th division, including Tennessee troops, at Querrieu.

Thirty-eighth division, including Kentucky troops, at Lemans.

Forty-second division, including the Rainbow troops, at Maisonneille and St. Dizier.

Eighty-second division, including Tennessee troops, at Florent.

Eighty-seventh division, including Arkansas and Mississippi troops, at Rons.

Thirty-ninth depot division, including Arkansas and Mississippi troops, at St. Florent.

Ninety-second combat division, negroes of the national army, at Marbach and St. Dizier.

BUSY SESSION OF CHANCERY COURT HELD THIS WEEK.

Chancery court for Jackson county convened here Tuesday, and at the time the Independent was put to press Wednesday, the term was still in busy session.

Following were the proceedings:

Roy Kemp vs. Clara Kemp, divorce, granted.

Dollie Bivins vs. Homer Bivins, G. A. Hillhouse appointed attorney for non-resident defendant.

Francis P. Wozencraft vs. Ira D. Best et al, decree for plaintiff.

Adler-Goldman Commission Company vs. Lots E-8-9, Block 33 Daugherty's addition to Newport, confirmation of title.

Sallie Ward vs. Robert Ward, dropped from docket until personal service can be had on defendant.

C. W. Newberry vs. Mrs. Daisy Brewer et al commissioners' deed to C. W. Newberry, approved and admitted to record.

Gussie Greenhaw for herself as the next friend of Ora, Ethel and Frank Greenhaw minors vs. Chas. P. Greenhaw et al, report of commissioners.

C. W. Newberry vs. Mrs. Daisy Brewer et al, commissioners' deed to Alfie and Lucretia Wood by their mother and next friend, Barbara Wood vs. J. C. McClarty, commissioners' sale, deed admitted to record.

Irma E. Shoffner vs. D. L. Shoff-

ner, receiver's report filed.

E. M. Edgar vs. Hattie Edgar, answer filed.

W. E. Jones et al vs. J. T. Payne et al, motion to quash summons, overruled, demurrer filed.

Homer Sconyers vs. Robert L. Sconyers, answer filed.

Beatrice Francis vs. J. B. Francis, divorce granted.

J. F. Rorex vs. G. M. Dudley et al filed proof of publication and warning orders.

Will Stewart vs. Alice L. Stewart, divorce granted.

Mary Bonner vs. Guy Bonner, divorce granted.

Dewey Ray Parrott by his brother and next friend, Jesse L. Parrott, ex-parte, disability of minority removed.

E. R. McGuire vs. W. D. Gray, confirmation of title.

Lee Peel vs. Alberta Peel, divorce, granted.

Rittie Hoskins vs. Tom Hoskins, divorce, granted.

Rosie Scott vs. T. A. Scott, divorce granted.

Charlie Adams vs. Setouchus Adams, divorce granted.

Kenneth Cole by his next friend, W. J. Cole vs. ex-parte, disabilities of minority removed.

Mae Shell by her next friend Ben S. Brann, disability of minority removed.

Teddy R. Shell by his next friend, Ben S. Brann, ex-parte disability of minority removed.

W. E. Jones et al vs. J. T. Payne et al, demurrer overruled, answer filed.

BUY WAR SAVINGS STAMPS AND HELP BRING BOYS HOME.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found an advertisement which appeals to the people of Jackson county to buy War Savings Stamps. The government is in greater need of money now than ever before. The soldiers, your soldiers, must come back home, and it costs money. There are many other governmental activities that require money. You can best exercise your patriotism by purchasing stamps. Buy them and hold them, for there can be no better investment.

MOVEMENT FOR GIVE-A-BUSHEL

Pledges Must Be Redeemed By Next Saturday—County Is Way Behind Its Quota, Says Chairman.

Those who have pledged to the Give-a-Bushel movement must redeem their pledges by Saturday, according to Chairman Geo. M. Sink, who has spent much time and thought in behalf of the work. In some sections of the county he has met with splendid success, while in others there has been little or no response. At the Chamber of Commerce smoker last night the members present pledged \$122, or 122 bushels.

This movement originated in Arkansas and has extended to other states. The bushels are donated by individuals. If one hasn't a bushel of some product he or she may give \$1, which is equivalent to a bushel, or as many dollars as one chooses to give.

This fund is being raised to support wounded and disabled soldiers and sailors and their families after they return home from France, very plainly an enterprise which one should be eager to support.

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Casualty List

The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the American Expeditionary Forces:

Killed in action 358
Died of wounds 72
Died of airplane accident 1
Died of disease 134
Wounded severely 74
Wounded (degree undetermined) 177
Wounded slightly 204
Missing in action 170

Total 1,500

Among the Arkansans listed in the casualties are the following:

Killed in action, Dee Bennett, Lantry; Clifford Gray, Hot Springs; Robert Lafferty, Lead Hill; Jesse O. Hutchinson, Buckner.

Died of disease, Alvin N. Haddock, Sharp; Will Branton, Burg; John U. Walker, Jacinto; Charles H. Tip-ton, Montana.

Wounded severely, Tom Davis, Conway; Jesse M. Churchman.

Died of disease, Captain Howard T. Smith, De Queen; Robert N. Bunch, Advance; James Crawford, Center Point; Leon H. Robertson, Crawfordsville; Dr. P. Harper, Malvern.

Missing in action, Ben Rawson, Hot Springs; William Rigley, How; Claude White, Patmos; Taylor Johnson, Clarksville; Joe Sullivan, Berkeley; Archie L. Brown, Harrisburg.

BE SURE TO COME.

The C. W. B. M. meets with Mrs. Ben H. White Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. We are sure the following program will be an interesting as well as an inspiring one:

Scripture Lesson, Gal. 5-16-26.

Review of the Book Hosea, Mrs. T. S. Stephens.

The Child and Labor, Mrs. O. M. Bowen.

Women At Work Outside the Home, Mrs. B. H. White.

Duty of the Church in Behalf of Industrial Workers, Mrs. C. Briden-thal.

Welfare of Women and Children in Factories, Mrs. J. F. Parish.

Mrs. L. A. Threlkeld, Leader.

POSTOFFICE HOURS THANKSGIVING DAY, NOV. 27.

General Delivery and registry business, 8:00 a. m. to 12 M. and 5 to 6 p. m.

The usual morning city delivery service and collection only, in afternoon.

No rural delivery service.

Geo. R. Hays, P. M.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Thanksgiving Day will be observed at St. Paul's church with the following services:

Holy Communion, 7:30.

Thanksgiving Service and Sermon, 10 a. m.

Special Prayer Service, 4:30 p. m.

Rev. A. E. Lyman-Wheaton, Rector.

NOTICE TO ELKS.

There will be an important meeting of the Elks lodge tonight. You are asked to attend.

Jas. H. Johnston, Sec.

Additional Loc ls

Mrs. Florence Gilliam and Mrs. Ada Scates, of Batesville, were guests of Mrs. George L. Robinson last night, the former leaving this morning for Batesville where she will spend the winter with Mrs. George Terry, and the latter went to Weldon. Both were returning from Conway, where Mrs. Scates visited her son at Hendrix College.

A Thanksgiving service will be held at the Baptist church at 10 a. m. Thursday. This is the time for Newport to redeem herself. May every true and appreciative patriot avail himself with this opportunity of rendering thanks unto Almighty God for His wonderful blessings.

Mrs. Harry L. Williams, left yesterday afternoon for her home in Jonesboro after spending several days here with her mother and sister, Mrs. R. W. Bandy and Mrs. Granville Jones, who have both been very ill with influenza, but are able to sit up part of the time now and are getting better slowly.

Will pay the highest market price for all kinds of furs: mink, coon, opossum, skunk and all other furs. Highest price for beef hides, old iron, 50c per 100 lbs.; old rags, \$1.50 per 100 lbs.; brass, copper, lead, zinc, Babat, old auto tires, old rubber boots

and shoes, also tin foil, 40c per lb. —T. F. Milligan, Tuckerman, Ark., at R. H. Hunter's Store. 33w4t

D. S. Merrell representing the American Steel Wire Company, has been here for a day or two looking after trade. Mr. Merrell has just recently been honorably discharged from the army service, where he was called for service several months ago, but was stricken down with rheumatism and was in army hospital for eight months.

There will be no morning Thanksgiving service at the Christian church Thursday. We wish to see the Union service a great big union meeting. Let every one in town who feels grateful to Almighty God for His wonderful guidance and help repair to the Methodist church tomorrow afternoon and there let us join in united Thanksgiving.—C. Briden-thal.

The R. D. Brown Drug Company will be closed part of the day Thursday on account of Thanksgiving. The store will close at 11 a. m. and will open from 4 to 7 p. m.

On account of Thanksgiving holiday our store will be closed Thursday from 11 a. m. until 4 p. m., when it will be open until 7 p. m.—W. E. Bevins & Son. 1t

B. F. Rutledge and R. F. Hartsfield, two of the county's best farmers, residing a few miles east of Newport, came to town today and brought two mighty big turnips with them which they have placed on display at the First National Bank. Mr. Rutledge's turnip weighs four pounds and Mr. Hartsfield's three and three-quarters pounds. They are of the Purple Top variety.

Mrs. J. O. Powell received a message this morning from her husband at El Paso, saying he had just received a wire from the government notifying him that his brother, Murray Powell, was killed in the Argonne Woods, October 24. Murray Powell lived here for several months with his brother and made many friends who regret to learn of his death on the battlefields. He was 25 years old and a splendid young man.

A. F. McGuire of Fayetteville, N. C., and Mrs. Lovis Collier of Tupelo

Order Your Thanksgiving

Suit and Overcoat now. A complete line of pure wool fabrics to select from at the old price.

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were married in the parlors of the Claridge hotel a few days ago by Rev. W. C. Mitchell of the Baptist church. Mr. and Mrs. McGuire have been spending the time since their marriage at her home at Tupelo, but came here at noon today and are at the Claridge for a few days before leaving for Florida, where they will remain several weeks before going to his home in North Carolina.

Newport relatives this morning received a message announcing the death in Denver, Colo., of Dr. Gus McDonald, who died at 2:30 this morning from influenza and pneumonia. The body will be brought back to his old home at Little Rock for burial. The deceased was raised at Weldon and has many friends in this city who regret deeply to learn of his death. He is a son of E. S. McDonald of Little Rock, a brother of Earl and Ernest McDonald, also two sisters at Little Rock.

Mrs. T. J. Gregg entertained very

THANKSGIVING SPECIALS.

Extra fancy Baldwin Apples, per peck 65c
Cranberries, per quart 15c
Florida Oranges, per dozen 40c
Lemons, per dozen 35c
Oysters, Tangerines, Celery, Spinach, Lettuce, Parsnips, Cocoanuts, Honey, Fruit Cake, Figs, Golden Sunbeam, Spanish, Devil's Food, Raisin and Silver Slice Cake. Snetser's Grocery. 82d2t.

"Let Your Light So Shine That Others May See Your Good Work And Do Likewise"

Jackson County has "stood by" nobly, but it is behind on its War Savings quota \$120,000. Part of the pledges already made have not been paid, and some who should have assisted in this "Baby Liberty Bond" effort of the Government to finance the war have failed to do so.

Let us not have Jackson County lacking in any part of its duty. The boys have done their part. It takes as much money, and more to get them home to us as it did to get them ready and get them "over there" to fight for us. War Savings Stamps offer an easy and profitable investment. You do not give, you lend your money, and at a very good rate of interest. You can "get in the game" for a quarter, and you can go as high as \$1,000; (and you can add a few members of your family to the "Limit Club" and be giving them easy money.) On the 29th, every school director in the county is expected to close this campaign for War Savings in his district. He can't do this without the help of the people in his community. He ought to have it, and he will. The people are GRATEFUL and they have every right to be. Let us make this Thanksgiving one of high appreciation for the blessing of peace and the hope of the speedy return of our men and boys. Do your part in taking War Savings: Pay up lagging subscriptions—and take a few more.

No matter what we have done, patriotically, we most of us feel "peace is worth the price." Our men, with our help, have won for us a glorious place in history—but they "want to come home." Send them a Thanksgiving-home coming—good rousing expression of welcome we have in store for them. Every War Savings Stamp that you can buy, or induce others to buy, is just the thing it is going to take to "get them over here." Let's send them the money asked by the Government through War Savings. Do it now. Remember: "It's your money back—and your boy too—and last but not least

"It ain't the guns nor armament, nor funds that they can pay, but the close co-operation that makes them win the day; It ain't the individual, nor the army as a whole, but the everlasting team work of every bloomin' soul."

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