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Mrs. Bayonne Glenn, director of the Ashland USO, announces the following local aid received at the clubhouse during the past week. Coffee, Mrs. G. W. Green; flowers, Mrs. E. F. Koble, Mrs. Helen Thomas, Mrs. W. D. Jackson, Mrs. J. Hess, Mrs. Rosemary Wilson; vase, Mrs. Saunders; cash, Mrs. Carlton Morse, William Angelini, Company H, 363rd Infantry; books and magazines, Yvonne Parker, Mrs. Evans, Mr. H. S. Hendricks; sugar, Mrs. Marie Kri-nock; fresh fruit, Miss Frances Aikens; cookies baked or contributed, Mrs. Fred Ingle, Mrs. Leah Stringer and Mrs. Gladys Wright, representing the Junior Civic League; Mrs. R. R. Lytle and Mrs. McGee, representing the First Methodist Church.

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**KANSANS TO PICNIC AT ASHLAND NEXT SUNDAY**

The Kansas Club from Camp White will hold a picnic at Upper Lithia Park in Ashland Sunday, starting at 1300. All military personnel and their families who come from the state of Kansas are invited.

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