

LOCALS

Mrs. Walter Hunt and son, Neal, of Thomasville, were here Monday and Tuesday.

Winifred Hall returned Monday from a visit with Mrs. Walter Hunt in Thomasville.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Christian, of Miami, Fla., were here Tuesday to see the S. P. Christians.

Lt. and Mrs. Wesley Hayden of Macon, Ga., are expected to arrive soon for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Petree.

Mrs. H. M. Joyce, Jr., of Baltimore, is at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. William Joyce, Virginia Joyce, and N. E. Wall have returned to Morehead City after a week's visit at their respective homes.

Angela Taylor has returned from an extended visit in New York and other northern points.

Miss Christine Anderson, superintendent of the Stokes Welfare Department, and Mrs. Nellie P. Sisk delivered a patient to the State Orthopaedic Hospital at Gastonia Tuesday.

S. B. Brandon, agriculture teacher of King High School, was here Wednesday.

Mrs. John M. Tuttle and daughter, Elizabeth, of Walnut Cove, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Dellinger Sunday afternoon.

Ed E. Smith of Francisco was in town Tuesday. Mr. Smith has two daughters in war work.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Moorefield and son Pvt. Boyd Moorefield of near Sandy Ridge were here Monday.

M. O. Stevens was here Monday from Route 1.

Little Miss Nancy Kate Taylor is visiting Mrs. E. D. Gentry at Walnut Cove this week.

Mick East of Flatshoal was in town this week lounging on the shady courthouse lawn.

W. R. James was a business visitor here Wednesday morning from Winton-Salem.

Edwin M. Taylor left recently for Lumberton where he will be on the tobacco market for next several weeks.

Sarah Morris of Lawsonville visited Angela Taylor Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Petree of Altus, Okla., are en route here to visit their father, N. O. Petree.

R. L. Smith, county accountant, and County Commissioners Howard L. Gibson, J. A. Joyce and Harvey G. Johnson attended the convention of County Commissioners and Accountants held at Raleigh this week.

First Lt. and Mrs. Frank Burton of Greensboro are here for a few days' visit.

COVE PERSONALS

Walnut Cove. — Mrs. Donnell Van Noppen, of Morganton, Mrs. L. P. Tyree of Winston-Salem, Mrs. Al Ellington and Mrs. Edwin Taylor of Danbury, and Miss Virginia Fulton, Mrs. Edwin Green, Mrs. Paul Fulton, Mrs. Anne Carter, Mrs. A. S. Lawrence, Jr., were guests of Mrs. Sallie F. Pepper at a luncheon Saturday.

Miss Virginia Fulton has accepted a position in the Tax Department of the Sheriff's Office at Danbury.

Miss Charlotte Matthews spent the week-end at her home at Stoneville. Mrs. Bill Bailey was her dinner guest Sunday.

Bill Bailey left Sunday morning for a week of merchandise buying in New York and Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson of Hillsboro visited Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Davis the week-end.

Mrs. Nat Young and son, Bob, of Reidsville, are visiting John Hutcherson.

Mrs. Elizabeth Heath visited at Vade Mecum Friday.

Mrs. John Carter and children of Tennessee are visiting Mrs. Carter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Turner.

Dr. J. T. McRae of the Bowman Gray School of Medicine, Winston-Salem, was guest speaker at the Walnut Cove Baptist Church Sunday morning in the absence of Rev. C. E. Parker.

The Walnut Cove Methodist Church held its annual picnic at Crystal Lake Friday afternoon.

Lt. and Mrs. Fred Pepper announce the birth of a daughter Sunday morning, August 8, at the Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem.

J. Frank Dunlap is a patient at the Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem.

Mrs. George Neal is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Covington, at Winston-Salem.

Bobby Heath has returned from Sylva where he has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stedman Mitchell.

Miss Martha James of Old Town visited Miss Carol Bray the past week-end.

Help beat the battle of inflation! Buy War Bonds regularly.

J. L. CHRISTIAN'S NARROW ESCAPE

Prominent Pinnacle, Stokes County Farmer, Is Caught Under Overturned Tractor — Was Seriously Injured, But Is Now Recovering — Mr. Christian Probably Owes His Life To His Faithful Dog

Last Friday morning, John L. Christian, prominent citizen of the county and farmer of Pinnacle, narrowly escaped fatal injury when the tractor he was driving overturned. He was caught under the machine and was unable to extricate himself while he sustained several broken ribs and a badly smashed arm, as well as other painful bruises.

He was helplessly pinned for about 45 minutes, until help came and lifted off the heavy tractor.

It is said that Mr. Christian's dog, a faithful Collie, which usually followed him to the field and was just behind the machine when it overturned, probably saved his master's life. Mr. Christian's cries for help were unheard, but two colored men at a barn in another field were visited by the dog which acted so strangely that they, knowing the dog had been with Mr. Christian, suspected something was the matter and went to investigate, when they found the overturned machine and its driver. Mr. Christian at that time was almost unconscious from the pain and mental anguish.

He was carried home and a physician quickly summoned.

It is learned that the injured man was not fatally hurt. At last reports he was improving.

But you may be sure that John Christian will always be grateful to that faithful Collie, which probably saved his life.

U. S. S. North Carolina Sailor, and Stokes Boy, Likes News From Home

Excerpts of a letter received by the Reporter from S. C. 2C Carlis Wain Lawrence, of near Madison, who is seeing action in the Pacific aboard the battleship North Carolina:

The Danbury Reporter, Danbury, N. C.

Dear Editor: I am getting the Reporter, although it is a month or more late, but I am very happy to hear from my own county, thanks to you.

Hello readers of Stokes county. I am out here for you and my country. Don't think for once that this ship and we sailors are lying down on our job.

I would like to hear from every one who knows me. I would like to see more news from my section of the county.

Thanks again to the Editor. Just keep my copy of the Reporter on its way out each week.

Sincerely yours, CARLIS W. LAWRENCE, S. C. 2/C, U. S. S. North Carolina C/o Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

Walnut Cove Negress Succumbs During Baptismal Service

Mary Hairston, aged about 40, died Sunday during a baptizing in which she was baptised shortly before her death. She was stricken at the water's edge and died before she could be carried to her home. She probably died of a heart attack.

County Agent Stokes Kills Rattler In Barn

Wednesday evening County Agent E. S. Stokes went to his barn in his back yard while attending to his chores when he heard the buzzing of a rattlesnake. It being too dark to see, he summoned his wife to bring a flashlight. The snake was discovered in a corner and was killed.

Mrs. Stokes had been in the barn a few minutes previously and had heard the rattling but failed to recognize the noise as that of a rattlesnake.

No Services At Presbyterian Church This Sunday, 15

Rev. Ralph L. Buchanon, pastor of the Danbury Presbyterian Church, has announced that he will not have services either morning or evening on Sunday. He is at Montreat with his wife who is recuperating from a recent illness.

Weed Being Primed At a Rapid Rate

Stokes farmers are extremely occupied saving their fast-ripening tobacco crop, and from reports the leaf is curing satisfactorily.

Reports also are that many farmers will have completed saving their crop by next week end.

Miss Addie Hicks and Miss Patsy Ore of Walnut Cove were guests of Miss Winona Bullins the past week-end.

Private Odell Duggins returned to his camp at Nashville, Tenn., last Friday.

STUART THEATRE Stuart, Virginia

Friday and Saturday, Aug. 13-14 "LAWLESS PLAINSMEN" Charles Starrett

Sunday and Monday, Aug. 15-16 "JOURNEY FOR MARGARET" Robt. Young — Loraine Day

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, August 17-18-19 "SPRINGTIME IN THE ROCKIES" Betty Grable — John Payne (In Technicolor) Also News

News of OUR BOYS

Seaman Second Class Dennis C. Mabe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lelah Mabe of Sandy Ridge, has recently been promoted to his present rating.

Corporal Warren H. Joyce of Pinnacle, son of Mrs. G. H. Joyce has notified his mother that he has arrived somewhere in England. He entered the army Jan. 16, 1943, and trained at Camp Claiborne, La.

Private First Class Moir L. Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bennett of Walnut Cove, Route 1, has been promoted to his present rating. He entered the army in November, 1941, and is now stationed somewhere in England.

Private First Class Millard E. Mabe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lelah Mabe of Sandy Ridge, has recently been promoted to his present rating. He entered the army November 17, 1942, and is stationed at Camp Adair, Oregon.

Private Edgar Mabe, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ed Mabe, of Danbury, Route 1, recently spent a furlough with his parents. He is stationed at Molden, Mo., and entered the army Nov. 20, 1942.

Private First Class Raymond M. Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Martin of Westfield, has been promoted to his present rating. He entered the army Dec. 23, 1942 and trained at Fort Sheridan, Ill.

Corporal James R. Beasley, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Beasley of King, has recently been promoted to his present rating. He entered the army May 30, 1942 and trained at Atlanta, Ga.

Private First Class Aiger W.

Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Martin of Westfield, has been promoted to his present rating. He entered the army December 19, 1942, and is now stationed at Camp Marey Tex.

Sergeant Willie L. Mabe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mabe of Westfield, has been promoted to his present rating. He entered the army March 3, 1942, and basically trained at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

Pfc. Paul Simmons, son of Mrs. S. Dallas Simmons of Westfield, has recently been promoted to his present rating. He entered the army on November 17, 1942.

Corporal Delmer G. George, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar George of Westfield, has been promoted to his present rating. He spent two years in Hawaii in a previous enlistment, re-entered the army in 1941 and is stationed at Fort Jackson, S. C.

Corporal Jack C. Simmons, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Dallas Simmons of Westfield, has been promoted to his present rating. He entered the army Jan. 7, 1941, and received his basic training at Fort Jackson, S. C.

Speaking of Snakes

This week the Reporter relates of several snakes having been killed, which should be sufficient to warn the populace that this is snake season. The reptiles migrate to lower lands during late summer months.

Seven-week-old pigs for sale at Tom Gray's, 6 miles west of Danbury on Route 1.

You Are Always Welcome To Visit the Nelson Funeral Home At Any Time PHONE 913

Advertisement for Camel cigarettes featuring a sailor and the text: 'IN THE NAVY they say: CAULK OFF for take a nap, SHOVE OFF for depart, PIG for torpedo plane, CAMEL for the favorite cigarette with men in the Navy. FIRST IN THE SERVICE The favorite cigarette with men in the Navy, Army, Marines, and Coast Guard is Camel. (Based on actual sales records.) CAMELS WIN WITH ME! THEY'VE GOT WHAT IT TAKES IN RICH FLAVOR AND EXTRA MILDNESS. Camel'

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