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Sam Lawson, Asbury community, is constructing a new barn on his farm.

T. F. Calloway, King, is growing a nice flock of capons. J. W. Mickey and Ira Mickey have also some fine capons.

R. R. Mills, Walnut Cove, has a heavy growth of red clover on ordinary soil where wood ashes were applied. Mr. Mills stated that he had ruined an old poor worn out farm with wood ashes, red clover, and straw used to fill gullies. Other farmers might follow the same practice. If ashes are not available, use lime—1 ton and 300 pounds of phosphate per acre.

A new milk route was started in the county by J. F. Brown, Field Representative of Coble Dairies. This route will start in the Hillsection of Sandy Ridge, serving the Asburn-Brown Mountain and Danbury communities. If you have milk for sale get in touch with the nearest milk route hauler, county agent's office in Danbury or Milk Plant in Walnut Cove. Milk prices have advanced recently to around 20 cents per gallon. It is suggested that farmers save their young milk cows and heifers. We expect milk prices to go still higher. It is hoped farmers will be in position to take advantage of these high prices. Feed prices may go up also. Silage feed is better than hay for milk cows.

Cary L. Carroll, Mountain View community, states that improved seed grain should be secured by farmers each third year. Last year he sowed certified seed wheat. It produced 22 bushels per acre against 14 bushels per acre grown of ordinary seed.

B. P. Bailey has almost completed a four-story poultry house. He expects to put 1500 pullets in the large modern henery.

John L. Christian, Pinnacle community, is sowing some improved barley seed. He also grows certified wheat and oats.

Wednesday night, October 1 at 7:30 a picture show will be held at Dillard School on poultry production, and chick brooding. Scenes taken on poultry farms in Stokes county will be shown. Farmers are urged to attend this free show.

W. O. Dobson is busy treating his peach trees with P. C. Benzene for borers. Use 1-4 ounce around a 3-year old tree, 1 ounce for a six-year old tree. He has a large orchard in the Brown Mountain of the county.

Don't forget to see the calves and pigs that will be on exhibit at Walnut Cove Saturday, October 4. The animals will be shown by Stokes county 4-H club members and will be on exhibit from 10 a. m. until evening. We have arranged to have several valuable prizes

Child Contest To Close Oct. 13

(Contributed)

Don't forget to vote for the "most attractive child" under five years of age of Danbury.

All boxes are sealed, and have the name and picture of the child on them. These boxes are not to be opened until Monday night, October 13, at 8 o'clock where an open meeting will be held in the Methodist Church where all votes will be counted.

A piece of silver will be presented to "Miss or Mr. Attractive Child" and also a gift given to their sponsor.

The boxes holding the votes are placed in all business establishments of Danbury and are being cared for by the owner—so hurry and vote your choice and help a worthy cause.

This project is being sponsored by the "Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church and the proceeds are turned over to the Society's treasurer, Mrs. A. J. Ellington, and will be used to buy some new furnishings for the church.

Mr. DALLAS C. KIRBY, Pres.
Mrs. Wm. McCANLESS, Sec.
Mrs. A. J. ELLINGTON, Treas.

Rothrock Reunion Sunday, Sept. 28

The annual Rothrock Reunion will be held at the home of E. A. Rothrock, Sunday, Sept. 28, near Walnut Cove.

Rev. J. H. Bredall, of Winston-Salem, will be the speaker.

A band and quartette will be included on the program.

All relatives and friends are invited to attend with basket lunches for the picnic dinner which will be on the lawn.

Dick Sales of Winston-Salem was in town Monday.

for those persons showing the best animals. A dairy calf will be given to the boy showing the best pig. Dairy utensils will be awarded to the persons showing the best dairy heifers.

Let's don't let our people down—they are interested in farming, so let's give them our heartiest cooperation by coming out and seeing the animals they exhibit—they deserve that much.

If there are any questions pertaining to our pig and calf show, please contact the County Agent's office.

Along with the 4-H pig and calf show we might mention that we will begin holding 4-H club meetings in the schools next week. We hope that we can make this our biggest and best 4-H club year.

THIS WEEK IN DEFENSE

The President asked Congress for nearly six billion dollars more for lend-lease materials. Lend-Lease Administrator Stettinius was given power to approve aid requests; this with other changes is expected to cut from 30 to 15 days the period between receipt of a request and actual authorization for assistance.

Mr. Roosevelt told Congress that of the original seven billion appropriated six months ago, all but \$720,000,000 is "now moving through the successive stages of allocation, obligation, production and delivery."

He said \$246,400,000 in materials and \$78,170,000 in services has been given the anti-Axis nations.

The Defense Supplies Corporation, an RFC subsidiary, contracted with Amtorg Trading Corporation, a U. S. corporation owned by Russia, for the purchase of \$100,000,000 of magnesia, chromite, asbestos and platinum. The supplies agency arranged to pay Amtorg half of the amount in advance so Russia could use the money to buy war materials here. Treasury Secretary Morgenthau similarly advanced the Soviet Union \$10,000,000 on future gold deliveries to the United States.

Navy Protecting Ships

Navy Secretary Knox told the American Legion convention the Navy is using all methods, including convoys, to protect vessels of all flags carrying aid to Britain. He said the Navy has orders to capture or destroy, by every means at their disposal, Axis-controlled submarines or surface raiders in the waters between the U. S. and Iceland.

Neutrality Act Interpretation

The State Department announced that as a result of an interpretation by the Attorney General that the "United Kingdom" is only England, Wales, Scotland and North Ireland, American ships may henceforth carry war supplies and passengers to parts of the British Empire not designated by the President to be in combat areas. Under this interpretation American ships are still barred from going to France, Poland, India, the United Kingdom, Australia, Canada, New Zealand and the Union of South Africa.

Navy Expansion Progress

The Navy reported it has contracted for 2,831 ships, including 332 fighting vessels—every ship authorized under the seven billion dollar program to create "the greatest array of fighting ships under one flag the world has ever seen": 32 battleships, 18 aircraft carriers, 91 cruisers, 364 destroyers, and 186 submarines, a total fighting fleet of 691 ships.

Ships

The Navy announced development of a 1,900-ton cargo vessel, the Sea Otter, so "light in weight,

Forrest Chapel, and Pine Hall Churches To Be Dedicated

Pine Hall and Forrest Chapel Methodist Churches, on the Danbury charge, will be dedicated Sunday, Sept. 28th, by Rev. L. B. Hayes, Dist. Supt. of the Greensboro District, and Dr. Ormand, of Duke University.

Pine Hall will be dedicated at 11 a. m. Forrest Chapel at 3 p. m. (e. s. t.)

A large crowd is expected. Dinner will be served at Pine Hall church and all former pastors and members of the charge, and elsewhere, are invited to be present.

J. L. LOVE, Pastor

Defense Bond Sales Show Increase

Washington, D. C.—Sale of \$4,453,748 in Defense Savings Stamps during August showed an increase of 30 per cent. over sales for July, the Treasury Department has announced.

Total sales for the four months since the Defense Savings Program started on May 1 last were:

May	\$3,475,070
June	2,802,345
July	3,288,283
August	4,453,748

Oxford Orphanage To Give Concert At Walnut Cove

Announcement is made that the Oxford Orphanage Singing Class will give a concert in the Walnut Cove High School auditorium Monday, Sept. 29, at 7:30 p. m.

The public is urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Barr of King were visitors at the courthouse Monday.

simple in construction, relatively cheap in both original cost and upkeep... (it) will challenge the submarine and provide a new bridge to the free nations of the world. The vessel is so small it can be built in inland yards in two months. It will carry an anti-aircraft battery, be manned by only a few men, make 12 knots, and be capable of a 5,000 mile voyage.

The Maritime Commission took over ships of the Alcoa line after striking sailors refused to arbitrate their dispute. The ships will be operated by the Commission on their regular runs. The Commission announced that on September 1, 104 ships had been completed of a total 788 being built for all purposes under the Commission's auspices. The announcement said 14 ships will be launched September 27 in joint ceremonies on the Atlantic, Pacific and Gulf coasts.

Production

OPM Director Kundsén, speaking on the radio, said "I would like to see every American decide to give... an extra hour or an extra half hour or even an extra fifteen minutes to his job from now on... If we get the work we (Continued on back page)

ATTEND YDC CONVENTION

The following delegates from here attended the YDC Convention in Winston-Salem:

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ellington, Sheriff J. J. Taylor, Ed Taylor, Miss Grace Taylor, R. J. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smith, Emorie Pepper, Leonard van Noppen, Mrs. Doris Beck, Lois Martin and Mary M. Gerner.

Mortons, Claytons Hold Reunion Sunday, 21st

(Contributed)

The annual Cayton-Morton reunion was held Sunday, September 21 at the home of J. H. Morton, the old Morton homestead, six miles north of Danbury.

The day was perfect and a large well behaved crowd of between four and five hundred were present. Some were present from quite a distance, including Mr. and Mrs. Odell Black and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Leake and family from Wilmington, N. C. and Mrs. Moir Reid and family from Candor, N. C. Many were present from the adjoining counties of Rockingham, Forsyth, Guilford and Montgomery, while others were present from the state of Virginia, Kentucky and Delaware.

If anyone left hungry it was not for the lack of food because at noon a seventy foot table was loaded to the limit with good eats, and the entire crowd was welcome.

Another thing that made the day more enjoyable was the music furnished by the Mayodan Swing-ettes, composed of Furman Holt, Lesper Nelson and John Myers.

Officers were elected for next year's reunion, and everyone will be looking forward to the grand occasion, which will be held at the same place.

W. S. O. C. S. To Meet

A Zone meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church will be held at Pine Hall Friday, Oct. 10th at 10 o'clock.

All members are urged to attend. Notify Mrs. Tom Preston by Oct. 9th if you expect to be there.

J. J. Brown of Norfolk, Va. was here last weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cofer.

Navy Recruits Granted Leave

The following two men, who enlisted in the naval service at the Raleigh Recruiting Station, have successfully graduated from Mechanical Training Schools at the Naval Training Station, Norfolk, Virginia, and were granted leave of absence:

Robert Lee King, of Danbury, N. C., graduated from machinists' school.

Calvin Thomas Hicks, of 714 Duke Street, Durham, N. C., graduated from Metalworkers School.

Riley Gray, Tobaccoville Citizen, Dies Sunday

Pilot Mountain.—Riley Gray Smith, aged 76, of Tobaccoville, Route 1, died yesterday afternoon at a Winston-Salem hospital after an illness of ten days. He spent his entire life in Stokes county.

The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock (e. s. t.) at King Baptist Church. Rev. Mr. Blackmore, the pastor, conducted the services. Burial was in the church graveyard.

Surviving are the widow and seven children, Luther, Dubert, Robert, Carl, Ruby and Clemmie Smith, of Tabaccoville, Route 1, and Reab Smith, of Rural Hall.

Death of Mrs. Zettie Lawson

Mrs. Zettie Lawson, wife of Everett Lawson, died yesterday at a Winston-Salem hospital after an illness of four months. She was born in Stokes county and spent her entire life in the county.

Surviving are the husband, Everett Lawson of Walnut Cove, Route 1; six daughters, Lois, Pearl, Grace, Rachel, Lennie Lawson of Walnut Cove, Route 1, and Grace Lawson of Madison; her mother, Mrs. Rena Smith of Danbury; two brothers, Lemly Smith of Danbury, Route 1, and Coy Smith of Pilot Mountain and two sisters, Mrs. Mollie Flinchum of Danbury and Mrs. Margie Fagg Danbury.

The funeral was held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock (e. s. t.) at Piney Grove Primitive Baptist Church. Elders W. J. Brown and J. A. Fagg conducted the services. Burial was in the Hard Bank Church Cemetery.

Mrs. Dora B. Goode Passes Saturday

Mrs. Dora Bell Goode aged 52, wife of J. P. Goode, died Saturday morning at the home, Belews Creek, Route 1, after an illness of one week.

Mrs. Goode was born in Stokes county, May 20, 1889.

Surviving are the husband; eight daughters, Rosa Viola, Hazel and Paula Goode of Belews Creek, Route 1; Mrs. Edgar Mabe of Stoneville, Route 1; Mrs. Jack Tolbert of Stoneville Route 1; Mrs. J. H. Riggs of Walnut Cove and Mrs. Vernon Preston of Walkertown; four sons, Floyd and Beverly Goode of the home; J. H. Goode of High Point and Carl Goode of the Panama Canal Zone; two brothers, John Caudle of Belews Creek and Ernest Caudle of Walkertown.

The funeral was held at the home Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. G. H. Veasley conducted the services. Burial was in Belews Creek Church Cemetery.

Rev. James M. Love, who has been ill since Monday, is slightly improved, his friends will be happy to learn.