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## King Young Man Is Navy Casualty

Parents Notified By War Department — Many Births — Other News Of King.

Tom Petree: "Have you ever realized any of your childhood hopes?"

King Booster: "Yes, I've seen King grow into the best town in the county."

King, Feb. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Spainhower have received a telegram from the War Department at Washington that their son, Thamer, who is in the Navy, has been seriously hurt. Particulars have not been learned at this writing.

Rheuben Kirby is confined to his home in the Mount Pleasant section by illness we regret to note.

C. S. Newsum is having his home on Main Street repainted and a new roof put on. Mr. Newsum has been on the sick list for several days but is much improved.

The new home being erected by Dewey Long in Walnut Hills is nearing completion.

Greer Bullen of Francisco and Mrs. Hobert Petree of Tobaccoville underwent tonsil removal operations here last week.

Mrs. Lelah Newsum is preparing to have a new home erected on Dan River street near the home of Dr. R. S. Helsabeck.

Mrs. L. K. Pulliam is recovering from a recent illness at her home on Main Street.

Following is the stork's report for last week: Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Hamlin, a daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sizemore, a daughter;

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Smith, a son; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chapman, a daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Foy Smith, a daughter; and last but not least, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hayden, twins, a son and a daughter.

Harvey G. Spainhower of High Point, formerly of King, was a visitor here over the weekend. Mr. Spainhower is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Martin Spainhower.

Ernest Caudle of Abingdon, Va., formerly of King, has purchased the service station of Fount Moser located at Timmons Cross Roads.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Gentry announce the marriage of their daughter, Annie Kate to Claude Tranwich of Valdese. After a short honeymoon they will be at home in Valdese.

Judging from the King guano and hardware dealers, farmers are preparing for a bumper crop this year. Dealers say their business is the best in their history.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Powel Cain who reside near here was laid to rest at Westfield Friday.

Mack Caudle who is on the reserve list of the Coast Guard has received notice from the War Department to hold himself in readiness to report for duty within seventy two hours after being notified.

L. J. Handy who is the handy travelling salesman of the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company was here Friday calling on the King merchants.

## Applications Now Being Placed For Crop Loans

Farmers and stockmen of Stokes county are now placing their applications for production credit loans with Joseph B. Martin in the room adjoining Dr. Moorefield's office in Danbury. By reason of increased prices in products the farmers buy and by reason of the uncertainty of fertilizer and other products, farmers are encouraged to make arrangements about their farm financing early.

The association makes loans to responsible farmers and stockmen for general agricultural purposes, including the purchase of fertilizer and seeds. The cost of a loan is very reasonable. Interest is not deducted and the interest rate is only 4 1-2 percent. Interest is paid for the actual time the farmers use the money. In addition to the interest, members pay a small loan service fee. This fee does not include recording fee. Loan service fees on loans of \$200 or less have been reduced. The loan service fee for a \$100 loan is \$1.50; for \$200, \$2.50; for \$50, \$1.00. Farmers who place their applications for production credit loans do not pay any fees at the time of not pay any fees at the time the loan is closed the loan service fee is deducted from the check; if the loan is not made, there are no charges for the services rendered.

During the past year, 170 members in Stokes county borrowed \$37,570.00 from their association. The association loaned \$168,000 to its members in the territory served.

Farmers and stockmen who can use borrowed money profitably should see Joseph B. Martin at Danbury or L. E. Francis at the office of the association in Winston-Salem, which is located

## Ex-Mayor Hall, Former Stokes Citizen, Passes At Reidsville

Elijah Franklin Hall, Sr., aged 85, former mayor of Reidsville and a prominent citizen there for nearly half a century, died Saturday.

Mr. Hall was born in Stokes county near Lawsonville, April 8, 1856. He spent his early life in Wentworth in the mercantile business, moving to Reidsville in 1883. For many years he was engaged in the furniture business.

## Death Of Mrs. Harriet Turner

Mrs. Harriet Page Turner, aged 90, died Friday night at the home of a son, T. O. Page, Walnut Cove, Route, 1.

Rev. Melvin Manuel and Rev. J. F. Manuel conducted the services. Burial was at Bethel graveyard.

Mrs. Turner was married twice. Surviving are two sons, T. O. and C. C. Page, both of Walnut Cove, Route 1; four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

## Pinnacle At Staley For West Honors

Pinnacle High's brilliant basketball team, bidding for state class C honors, move into the finals of the west by meeting a strong defending champion of Stanley High in a contest at Pinnacle Saturday night at 8 o'clock.

The game, being played at Pinnacle, is expected to attract one of the largest crowds to witness a cage game in that community in many years.

Will Woods of the Sandy Ridge section was in town a short while Monday.

in the Wachovia Bank building, Trade street branch, just across from the postoffice.

## War Movement In High Gear

### Loftis Child Lacerated By Maddog — Now Taking Treatment

Little Bobbie, 9-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Loftis, was bitten and severely lacerated by a maddog Sunday evening. The dog was killed and its head taken to the State Chemist at Raleigh who found the animal was in the last stages of hydrophobia.

The Pasteur treatment is being given the child.

Mr. Loftis, who is superintendent of the County Home, had just returned with his family from a visit to relatives in Virginia, when the dog, long a pet in the family, attacked the boy, tearing loose one of his ears before it could be beaten off.

NEW DRAFT REGISTERS OVER 200,000 IN STATE — STOKES ENLISTS 1135—SEVENTY-FIVE MEN EXAMINED MONDAY.

North Carolina registered over 200,000 men in the new draft Monday.

More than 500,000 had been registered in the former two drafts.

The figures for the Stokes enlistment Monday stand at 1135, as reported to State headquarters.

Seventy-five men in two Greyhound buses left here at 7:00 o'clock Monday for medical examination at Greensboro.

## Stokes Men Are Summoned Jurors In Fertilizer Case

A number of Stokes citizens have been summoned in a venire of 150 men from which to select a jury in the big fertilizer case to begin at Winston federal court March 16.

Stokes citizens summoned are the following:

Guy Eggleston, Gattis Young, Ralph Mills, George D. Richardson, T. G. New, William A. Pet-

ree, J. William Moorefield, J. Moir Hawkins, Alphonso Nunn, Hassell Ashburn, H. G. Johnson, J. A. Bowman, Garland Blackwell, Odell Simmons, W. B. Lane, N. F. Christian.

The case is against 64 fertilizer companies, 36 individuals and two national associations who are charged with violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

## Mrs. Rankin Gives Report And Thanks For Paralysis Fund

I wish to thank all the chairmen in the different sections of Stokes county for their splendid cooperation and fine work rendered in the infantile paralysis drive and to thank the people who so generously donated to this worthy cause. Also to extend thanks to the members of the Junior Order for the use of their hall. A million thanks to all of you.

Following is a report which is slightly incomplete of the chairmen of the various precincts of the county:

Wilson's Store — Mrs. Travis Tuttle, \$30.30; Pine Hall—Mrs. S. R. Gibson, \$31.50; Reynolds—Toler Haynes, \$10.00; Lawsonville—Mrs. P. H. Robertson, .90; Mrs. S. Kallam, \$6.50; Walnut Cove—Mrs. C. J. Helsabeck, \$72.30; Pinnacle — Mrs. Odell Neal and Miss Sue White, \$53.00; Dillard—R. M. Hunt, \$9.75; Hartman — C. R. Flinchum, \$1.65; Danbury—Miss Marjorie Pepper and Miss Luna Taylor, \$25.90; King—Mrs. Harold Parker and Mrs. G. E. Stone, \$23.15; Mizpah—Mrs. Paul Lewis, \$18.75; Boyles — Dillard Hall, \$10.00; Frans — Mr. Sam Moir, \$4.45; Germantown — Mrs. Mabel Hill, \$15.00; Mrs. J. A. Neal, bowling,

## Martin Brown Tried For Assault On Willie Baker

Before Justice of the Peace P. C. Campbell, Mart Brown was tried Tuesday night for an assault on Willie Baker. Brown submitted and paid \$19.50.

Brown had been cited before the local draft board charged with disloyal and seditious talk. Baker was a witness against him. Afterwards Brown called out Baker and beat him up.

### ATTEND WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard van Noppen, Misses Luna Taylor and Bessie Joyce and L. F. Brumfield attended the wedding of E. S. Stokes and Miss Ruth Stonestreet at Denton Saturday afternoon.

### ANOTHER DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wall announce the birth of a 7-pound baby girl, Feb. 15th, at the Baptist Hospital, Winston - Salem. The infant is named Sarah King Wall.

Mrs. R. A. Ellington of Madison is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ellington.

\$3.50; Eddie Taylor from sale of popcorn, \$2.65.

MRS. EDGAR RANKIN, Chairman.

## STOKES FARM PAYMENTS UP

The Stokes county Agricultural Conservation Association has received \$46,000 in agricultural Conservation and parity payments earned by Stokes farmers in 1941, through co-operation with the agricultural conservation program.

This is approximately 25 per cent. of the \$180,000 earned in the past year and covers 950 out of the county total of 3,800 producers for an average payment per person receiving checks of about \$48 which is an increase in excess of \$22 over that of 1940.

The increase was brought about

by the increased participation by Stokes producers in seeding more legumes and by the use of 6,000 tons of ground limestone and 200 tons of 20 per cent. superphosphate which cost them in excess of \$20,000.

A further increase in payment was noted by the fact that deductions from payments in 1941 for association expenses was reduced 11.8 per cent. in 1940. Also included in the checks was a tobacco parity payment in 1941 which was not paid by the AAA in 1940.

## Mrs. Cleveland Manuel Passes At Walnut Cove

Mrs. Dorothy Craddock Manuel, aged 20, wife of Cleveland Manuel, Walnut Cove, Route 2, died at her home Tuesday following an illness of three months.

The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Wilson Baptist Church with Rev. Russell Ward in charge. Burial

was in the church cemetery.

Survivors include the husband; one son, C. W. Manuel; the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Craddock, Walnut Cove; three sisters, Mrs. Daniel Bullins, Miss Rachel Craddock and Miss Vermell Craddock, all of Walnut Cove, Route 2; and three brothers, J. W. Craddock, Roy Craddock and Merlin Craddock, all of Walnut Cove, Route 2.

## Washington Day Dinner Feb. 21st

PROMINENT STOKES DEMOCRATS TO ATTEND — SENATOR BROWN OF MICH. TO SPEAK.

Winston-Salem, Feb. 17. — Stokes County Democrats, headed by Chairman Ralph J. Scott, are expected to take part on February 21 in Winston-Salem in what party leaders today described as "the greatest demonstration of political loyalty and harmony" in generations of Democratic Party history in north-western North Carolina.

The Washington Day Dinner, honoring the great first president who laid the foundation of American democracy, will bring to Winston-Salem in addition to delegations from 15 counties, a num-

ber of outstanding national party leaders.

Senator Prentiss M. Brown of Michigan will make the principal address. Also taking part in the program will be Richard J. Reynolds, treasurer of the Democratic National Committee and mayor of Winston-Salem, members of the North Carolina official delegation in Washington, and State leaders.

Characterizing Senator Brown as "one of the Democratic party's most stalwart warriors and capable speakers", State Senator Gordon Gray, who is Washington Day Dinner chairman for this area, said that all who attend and hear his address are certain to be challenged by vital issues of the day.