

Stokes' Bond Quota \$100,000

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NEWS LAWSONVILLE

MRS. E. G. LAWSON

A large crowd attended the P. T. A. at Lawsonville school Thursday night. A short program was presented, as follows:

Song—"Work For the Night Is Coming"; devotional—Mrs. Herbert Ray; piano solo—Betty Jo Lawson; duet—Shirley Smith, Betty Jo Lawson; picture, "Soldiers of the Soil"—Mr. Whitaker; talk on the Fourth War Loan by Mr. Thomas. He also discussed the Infantile Paralysis Drive.

The Association voted to join the National P. T. A.

The room having the most parents present was Mrs. Sam Lawson's second grade. The meeting adjourned to meet the second Thursday night in February.

Pfc. Ross Lawson of Fort Jackson, South Carolina spent Sunday here with his parents. He was accompanied to the bus station Sunday night by his mother and Annie Mae, Glenn and Betty Jo Lawson.

Pfc. Russell Stevens spent a week on furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ham Stevens. He returned to his camp in Oregon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Tuttle and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Neal.

FRANCISCO NEWS

Francisco.—The basketball season open here with Francisco losing the first game to Westfield.

Sergeant Lem Bennett has been discharged from the army on account of a bad knee and is now at home.

Will George is constructing a new tenant house and Elmer Stewart and John Martin are also preparing to build.

Among those on the sick list this week are Mrs. W. F. Collins, Mrs. J. Y. Cox, Levi Goins and Tommie George.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Simmons on January 22, a son, James Ronnie. Bernie, who is in the army, is at home from camp in Texas on a furlough.

Stokes County's Finest Tobacco Sale In Season Just Passed

E. A. Sizemore of Germanton, Route 1 here today called the Reporter's attention to the probably best sale of tobacco made in Stokes during the season recently closed. E. A. declares that Jess Sizemore sold 1100 pounds for \$1100.00, which is a clean \$1 per pound.

DEATHS

Funeral services for D. H. Rominger, aged 73, of Walnut Cove, Route 1, were held Wednesday afternoon from Stokesburg Methodist Church in Walnut Cove.

Colonel Gordon, prominent citizen and farmer of King, died last week.

Spencer Tuttle, aged 39, died at King Wednesday of a heart attack. Son of Seaton and Mrs. Nannie Burrows Tuttle. His wife was the former Miss Trilby Love. Burial at King Baptist Church graveyard.

John Richard Bullington, aged 44, died on Pinnacle, Route 2 today. Survivors, his mother, three children, six brothers, five sisters. Funeral Saturday at Pilot View Methodist Church.

Mrs. Mary Emma Jones, aged 73, wife of J. D. Jones of Westfield, Route 1, passed away Wednesday night. Surviving husband, 8 children, funeral at home Friday afternoon. Elders Brown, Vaden and Tuttle.

BOND RALLY AT SCHOOLS MON, 24

A bond rally will be held at each school of the county Monday night, January 24, and everyone, especially all committeemen, is urged to attend the meeting nearest them.

County-Wide Teachers Meeting To Be At Walnut Cove

A county-wide teachers meeting will be held at the Walnut Cove high school on next Wednesday evening at 7:30. Fred W. Green, secretary N. C. Education Association, will be the principal speaker.

The Marry-Go-Round

HAPPY MARRIAGE

Jerry Baker, 62, and Mrs. Lou Bennett, 66 were married today at the court house. Squire Campbell officiated.

The Reporter joins the many friends of this happy couple in wishing them longer life and much felicity.

Miss Melba Frances Oakley of Sandy Ridge was wedded to Lt. Daniel M. Gann of the U. S. army on January 15. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Oakley.

(An Editorial)

Opening Of the Fourth War Bond Drive—Stokes Quota \$100,000

The campaign for the sale of Fourteen Thousand Million Dollars in War Bonds has opened.

The quota set for Stokes county is \$100,000.

The county campaign opened here today when 100 leading Stokes county men and women met in the court house and pledged their efforts to raise our quota.

Chairman C. E. Davis of the war bond committee had called the meeting.

There was spontaneous and enthusiastic response.

Present at the meeting were the principals of the county's schools, whose organization is the nucleus around which the successful campaign starts and which cannot fail to succeed.

Chairman Davis, Superintendent of Schools J. C. Carson, Paul Fulton, W. F. Marshall, N. F. Christian, Tom Preston, Miss Grace Taylor, many others — men and women—too numerous to be mentioned in this editorial, spoke and assured that Stokes will do her part to back the attack.

Every man, woman and child is expected to do their part and their best.

Every dollar put in war bonds now will mean that much more money you will have to spend when the boys come home.

Any one needing their money sooner, can cash the bonds at their face value.

Those who have purchased heretofore in stunted quantities will be expected to show their patriotism by investing all that can be spared.

The investment is the most desirable in the money markets of the world. It bears exactly the same safety as the cash in your pocket.

In the years to come when the war is over, the bond buyers of Stokes will be prosperous and happy over their investment.

Now when the boys are doing their whole best and many of them making the supreme sacrifice on the battlefields of air, sea and land — **BACK THEM WITH YOUR MONEY.**

THEY ARE BACKING YOU WITH THEIR LIVES!

Buy now and buy to the limit of your ability.

Buy from postoffice, bank or other sales agency in your county so that your county can get credit for your buy.

The 100,000 must be raised—**IT WILL BE RAISED.**

KING NEWS

By E. P. NEWSUM

A woman purchasing war bonds told the clerk, "I've been saving this money to divorce my husband but I can stand him better than I can Hitler."

King, Jan. 20.—Debs Holder of the U. S. Navy, stationed at Bainbridge, Maryland, is spending a 9-day furlough with his family on North Depot Street.

Mr. and Mrs. David Calloway have returned to their home in Elkin after spending a few days with Mr. Calloway's father, Tisco Calloway.

The small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Barr incurred superficial burns when she fell against a hot stove in their home Wednesday.

E. E. Shore, banker of Rural Hall, was a business visitor here Friday. He was accompanied by his wife.

Regardless of the bad weather the stork has a nice report this week: to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Cole, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brice Fields, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Flippin, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Yarborough, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Silas Lewis, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Dodson, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. William Sapp, a son and to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Elliott, a son.

Believe it or not, once upon a time there was a man lived here who had a cousin who visited him twice a year and stayed 6 months at a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Marshall and small son, Wayne, have returned to their home at Wilkesboro where Mr. Marshall holds a position with the Coble Dairy.

Preston Taylor of the Antioch section, was among the throng of business visitors here Saturday.

Mrs. Earle Caudle is confined to her home on Depot Street by illness. Her friends will regret to learn.

And that's the news from here

C. H. Sheppard Has Heart Attack

Hobart Bullen and Stanley Mabe here this week from eastern Stokes, reported C. H. Sheppard seriously ill with a heart attack. Mr. Sheppard, who is around 80 years of age, is well known proprietor of Sheppard's roller mill on Snow Creek.

J. R. Voss Very Ill

J. R. Voss, well known Walnut Cove citizen, is reported seriously ill with a stroke or heart attack.

STOKES BOY ON BOUGAINVILLE

CHAS. BARR "WENT THROUGH IT" IN THE PACIFIC, AND HAD FINE LUCK

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Barr of King have received the following letter from their son Pfc. Chas. Barr, who is in the far Pacific and who was with the boys who fought on Bougainville:

January 13, 1943.

"Dear Dad:
"Hope this finds all getting along fine at home and work going nicely. This leaves everything rolling along pretty good with me. I'm pretty well satisfied with everything—we're getting good chow. We have a movie every night which are pretty good. We are getting pretty good PX supplies.

I received several papers from home but I still haven't gotten one with any news of our landing on Bougainville. Well, dad, it was a pretty tough landing and my outfit was the first to plant 'Old Glory' on Bougainville. I can't say much about our battles—had some pretty close, and I think the good Lord was pretty good to me through the campaign. Everything's pretty well secure now so don't worry. They gave us a check over and I had nothing wrong so as long as I'm in good health I'm willing to stay on and do my part to get rid of those little rats. The Japs may be good fighters, but we beat them at their own game.

"Give my love and regards to all.

"Your loving son,
"Charles."

THE INFANTILE PARALYSIS APPEAL

(Written for the Reporter)

The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis has begun its eleventh annual appeal for funds with which to carry on the people fight against infantile paralysis.

The dimes and dollars of all of us make possible the continuance of this vital effort to safeguard our national health. And national health means your health, your children's health and the health of your neighbors and their children.

Poliomyelitis—infantile paralysis—strikes individually, sectionally or nationally. But whichever the manner of its striking it always attacks without warning.

Despite a widespread popular impression that infantile paralysis (Continued on Editorial page)