



MRS. R. N. BARBER, SR., will preside at the unveiling of a memorial marker honoring 125,000 North Carolina Confederate Veterans at Beech Gap Saturday, August 11.

## Beech Gap Marker To Commemorate Confederate Vets

One of the big features of the joint meeting of the State Literary and Historical Association and the Western North Carolina Historical Association to be held at Brevard August 10-12 will be the dedication of a bronze marker honoring the 125,000 Confederate veterans from North Carolina in the Confederate Memorial forest at Beech Gap.

Mrs. R. N. Barber, Sr., of Waynesville, announces that plans are complete for the dedication of the marker at 2:30 o'clock Saturday, August 4.

This memorial forest in the Pisgah National Forest has a tract of 125,000 trees, one for each man who served in the Confederate army. The plantings were made in 1942, in pursuance of a contract made with the National Forest Service and the North Carolina Division of the United Daughters of the Confederacy. Preliminary services were held in 1942, but the permanent monument of native granite, bearing a bronze plaque, could not be placed until the road leading to Beech Gap was constructed and opened to the public for travel a few months ago.

A number of officers of the State U.D.C. and south-wide officers of the organization will attend the event, plus members of the State Literary and Historical Association and the WNC Historical Association.

Mrs. Barber, who will preside, announces that among the speakers who will assist are Mrs. Inez St. Amant, U.D.C. State president, Dr. C. C. Crittenden of Raleigh, Clarence Griffin of Forest City, Ted Seely, Arthur Connell and others.

A committee consisting of Mrs. Barber, Mrs. Sadie Patton, Mrs. Ted Seely and Mrs. Arthur Connell has worked out the details of the program.

Special music will be rendered by the Waynesville high school band, under direction of Charles Isley.

Mrs. Barber has suggested that those not familiar with mountain roads should drive out the Pigeon Road to Wagon Road Gap and then to Beech Gap, which is all paved road. For others, who wish to make the trip ten miles shorter, by Lake Logan, H. C. Wilburn will be at the Baptist Church parking lot at 1:15 p.m. to lead the way.

Mrs. Barber also announced that those who have vacant seats in their cars as well as those who wish transportation to the marker, should contact Mrs. O. R. Martin in Waynesville at telephone GL 6-8313.

## Miss Dudley Completes Wedding Plans

Plans have been completed for the marriage of Miss Mary Anne Dudley, daughter of Mrs. O. C. Dudley of Canton, and the late Mr. Dudley, to Donald Owen Clemmons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bryan Clemmons of Greensboro.

The ceremony will be performed Saturday, August 11, at 5:30 p.m. in St. Andrew's Episcopal Church in Canton. The Rev. H. Roger Sherman, Jr., priest-in-charge, will officiate. Music will be presented by Harold Rusch of Chattanooga and a choir of ten voices.

Miss Dudley will be given in marriage by her brother, O. C. Dudley, II, of Manhattan Beach, California.

Miss Elinor Anne Wifington of Chattanooga, Tenn., cousin of the bride-elect, will be maid of honor. Mrs. Kemp C. Clendenin, Jr., of Houston, Texas, twin sister of the bridegroom-elect, will serve as matron of honor.

Mrs. George M. Smathers of Clyde, cousin of the bride-elect, will be bridesmaid.

Mr. Clemmons will serve as his son's best man. Ushers will be Bryan Clemmons, Jr. of Durham, Robert and Jack Clemmons of Greensboro, all brothers of the bridegroom-elect.

Following the ceremony, Miss Victoria Bell, aunt of the bride-elect, will entertain at a reception in the undercroft of the church.

A rehearsal party will be given by Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Mease Friday evening. On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Clemmons, parents of the bridegroom-elect, will honor the couple at a noon breakfast in the Waynesville Country Club.

## Methodist Circles Plan Meetings, Picnics

Circles of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church will meet Tuesday, August 7, with the exception of Circle 4, which will meet Wednesday, August 8.

The schedule is as follows: Circle 1 will meet in the home of Mrs. E. C. Wagenfeld at 10 a.m.

Circle 2 will meet in the home of Mrs. Harry Whisenand with Mrs. Anton Leisner as co-hostess at 10 a.m.

Circle 3 will meet in the home of Mrs. Grover Davis with Mrs. O. R. Martin as co-hostess at 3:30 p.m.

Circle 4 will meet Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. for a family picnic at the home of Mrs. W. R. Ratcliffe. Circles 5, 6, and 7 will hold family picnics at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday. Circle 5 will meet at the home of Mrs. Charles Way, Circle 6 at the home of Mrs. W. L. Turner, and Circle 7 at the home of Mrs. Lawrence Leatherwood with Mrs. Ben Price as co-hostess.

The Wesleyan Guild will meet Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. T. L. Gwyn.

## Highlands Garden Club Will Sponsor Tours

The Highlands Garden Club Tours are scheduled for Friday and Saturday, August 10 and 11. There will be two tours and both will include a trip up Whiteside Mountain.

The tours will leave the Highlands Methodist Church at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. on both days. Transportation will be furnished.

Tickets at \$2.00 are on sale at all Highlands hotels. Reservations may be made by calling Highlands 2433.

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MRS. CHARLES HAROLD METCALFE, JR. was married Saturday evening in the First Methodist Church. She is the former Miss Mary Lyda Crouser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Charles Crouser of Waynesville. (Photo by H. B. Norton).

## Metcalfe-Crouser Vows Solemnized Saturday Night

Miss Mary Lyda Crouser of Waynesville and Charles Harold Metcalfe, Jr. of Forest City were married in a double ring ceremony in the First Methodist Church Saturday evening, August 4, at 8 p.m. The Rev. Earl H. Brendall, pastor of the church, pronounced the vows.

Music was presented by Charles Isley, vocalist, and Mrs. Harry H. Baughman, organist.

The altar was decorated with standards of white gladioli, lilies, and delphinium, and seven-branched candelabra in a setting of palms and ferns.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Charles Crouser of Waynesville. The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harold Metcalfe of Forest City.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of Dupione imported silk fashioned on princess lines. Alenon lace ornamented with iridescent sequins and seed pearls outlined the portrait neck-line and the long fitted sleeves ended in calla points. The full skirt extended in a chapel train. Her two-tiered formal veil of French illusion fell from a Juliet cap of lace and seed pearls and she carried a cascade bouquet of white album lilies.

Mrs. Wayne Mitchell of La Grange, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Her princess-style gown of mauve crystallette was fashioned with bateau neckline and floor-length skirt with backless fullness featuring an old-fashioned bow. She wore a bandeau of matching crystallette covered with miniature flowers and carried a cascade bouquet of white asters.

Bridesmaids were Mrs. Jess Crouser, Jr., sister-in-law of the bride, Mrs. John William Gray, Jr. of Greensboro, college roommate of the bride, and Miss Rachel Metcalfe of Forest City, sister of the bridegroom. Their dresses of horizon blue crystallette and net were similar in styling to that of the honor attendant and they carried identical bouquets of white asters.

Honorary bridesmaids were Mrs. Joseph Howell of Raleigh, Miss Irene Wilson, Miss Margaret Nolan, Miss Billie Frances Kitchen, Mrs. Allen Boone, and Mrs. David Nolan, all of Waynesville, and Miss Aileen Williams of Arden.

Mr. Metcalfe attended his son as best man. Ushers were Thomas Hicks, cousin of the bridegroom, and Cecil Horne, both of Forest City. Wilburn Davis, and Jess Charles Crouser, Jr., brother of the bride, both of Waynesville.

The mother of the bride wore a floor-length gown of blue crepe and a corsage of gardenias. The bridegroom's mother wore a waist-length gown of dusty rose lace with a gardenia corsage.

Following the ceremony the parents of the bride entertained with a reception in their home on Academy Street.

Assisting were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ray, Mrs. Roy Martin, Mrs. Ruth Beatty, Mrs. William Hannah, Mrs. Joseph Beverage, Miss Rufina Bright, Miss Edna Bright, Mrs. Robert Miller, Miss Louise Francis, and the honorary bridesmaids.

The bride's table was covered with a white linen cloth and was centered with a silver bowl of white gladioli flanked by silver candelabra holding white tapers.

For a wedding trip to Nags Head the bride wore a sheath dress of navy silk with matching accessories

and a white orchid corsage. Mrs. Metcalfe was graduated from Woman's College of the University of North Carolina, Greensboro, with an AB degree in Primary Education. She will become a member of the faculty of the Durham City Schools this fall.

Mr. Metcalfe received his AB degree in Political Science from the University of North Carolina and is now attending the School of Theology at Duke University.

The couple will be at home in the University Apartments in Durham.

On Friday evening following the wedding rehearsal Mr. and Mrs. Metcalfe parents of the bridegroom, entertained in the dining room of the church.

Arrangements of white flowers, greenery, and candles were used in decorating and Mrs. H. O. Champion and Mrs. Roy Robinson assisted in serving.

About sixty guests were included.

## Miss Mary Elizabeth Moore Weds James R. Hamilton

The marriage of Miss Mary Elizabeth Moore of Lake Junaluska, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Leland Moore of Waynesboro, Georgia, and James Robert Hamilton, also of Lake Junaluska, son of the late Rev. and Mrs. Guy Hamilton, was solemnized Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in Memorial Chapel at Lake Junaluska.

The bride's father performed the double ring ceremony and wedding music was presented by William Belcher of Lake Junaluska, organist, and Gerald Strickland of Waycross, Ga., vocalist.

The altar was decorated with floor baskets of lilies and white chrysanthemums with accents of yellow.

Given in marriage by her brother, Tom S. Moore of Claxton, Georgia, the bride wore an heirloom model of white French batiste over taffeta, featuring a fitted bodice, cap sleeves, and floor-length full skirt banded with hand clipped lace falling into a deep point to the hemline in back. Her veil of illusion was attached to a pearl tiara and she carried a nosegay of daisies and white orchids.

Mrs. Tom Moore of Claxton, Georgia, was matron of honor and the bride's only attendant. She wore a waist-length dress of yellow French batiste over taffeta and carried a nosegay of garden flowers.

Paul Anderson of Lookout Mountain, Tenn., was best man. Ushers were the Rev. Larry Barden of Boone and the Rev. John McElhenny of Lancaster, Pa.

Mrs. Moore, mother of the bride, wore a dress of blue lace over taffeta and rose accessories.

Following the ceremony the bridal party received on the chapel lawn after which the couple left for a wedding trip. For traveling the bride wore a blue linen dress with matching jacket lined with rose print.

Mrs. Hamilton is a graduate of Douglas, Georgia, High School and LaGrange College, LaGrange, Ga. Last year she taught French and Civics in the Bethel High School.

Mr. Hamilton was graduated from High Point College and is employed for the summer as sound technician at Lake Junaluska. The couple will make their home at Lake Junaluska until September 15 when they will move to Baltimore, Md.

Members of the wedding party

## Stag Breakfast Is Given For J. R. Hamilton

The Rev. J. W. Fowler, Jr., and his son, Jim Fowler, III, were hosts at a stag breakfast Sunday morning in the Lake Junaluska Cafeteria, honoring James R. Hamilton, whose marriage to Miss Mary Elizabeth Moore took place Sunday afternoon.

The guests, in addition to the bridegroom-elect, were Dr. Leland Moore of Waynesboro, Georgia, Paul O. Anderson of Lookout Mountain, Tenn., Dr. Haywood Moore of Brunswick, Ga., Thomas Moore of Claxton, Ga., Larry Barden, John McElhenny, Jim Puckett, John Ellington, Gerald Strickland, William Belcher, George Joyner, Louis Jones, M. H. Gaddis, E. A. McElroy, Wallace Martin, Glenn Draper, and Charles Moore.

## Baptist Circles Schedule Meets

Circles of the First Baptist Church have scheduled their August meetings for tomorrow as follows:

The Annie Armstrong Circle will meet at 10 a.m. with Mrs. Mary Hall.

The Lottie Moon Circle will meet at 10 a.m. with Mrs. Herbert Singletary.

The Ann Judson Circle will meet at 3:30 p.m. with Mrs. T. W. Bridges.

The Pearl Johnston Circle will meet at 7:30 p.m. for a picnic with Mrs. Dave Russell.

The Eliza Yates Circle will meet at 7:30 p.m. with Mrs. W. H. Burgin.

The Fannie E. Heck Circle will meet at 6:30 p.m. for a covered dish supper at the home of Mrs. Harry Sullivan.

The Business Women's Circle will meet at 8 p.m. with Miss Bernice Harrell.

## The F. Y. McCrackens Entertain Family Guests

Mr. and Mrs. F. Y. McCracken have had a number of family guests recently. Among the visitors were Miss Sally McCracken of the Baptist Orphanage, Thomasville, a sister of Mr. McCracken; Mrs. Dwight Moore, a niece of Mrs. McCracken, and her husband of Monroe; Mrs. E. J. Miller, sister of Mrs. McCracken of Jefferson, S. C.; Ben J. Miller of Columbia, S. C., nephew of Mrs. McCracken, and Mrs. Miller; J. C. Parker, brother of Mrs. McCracken, and Mrs. Parker of Knoxville; Mrs. Woodson Young, niece of Mrs. McCracken, Mr. Young and their two daughters of Knoxville; and Mrs. Ernest Palmer, and Mrs. O. K. Capps, all of Knoxville.

## Mrs. Campbell Honors Niece

Mrs. Roy Campbell honored her niece, Sara Jo Thomas, with a supper party Friday evening in celebration of her tenth birthday.

A pink and green motif was used in the appointments. Supper was served on the lawn after which games were played. Mrs. Campbell was assisted by the mother and grandmother of the youthful honor guest, Mrs. James R. Thomas, Sr.

The guests included Mary Love Stringfield, Margaret Moore, Vickie Sue Page, Karen Smathers, Beth Hyatt, Harriet Matthews, Patty Blackwell, Glenda Timmes, and Patricia Thomas.

Cdr. and Mrs. David Merrill and four children of Norfolk, Va., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. McCarroll. Cdr. Merrill is a nephew of Mr. McCarroll.

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MR. AND MRS. THOMAS LEE CORZINE were married Friday evening in the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Delaney Smathers in Canton. The bride is the former Miss Clarene Edna Reeves. (Photo by Charles Hawkins).

## Clarene Reeves Is Bride Of Thomas Corzine

Miss Clarene Edna Reeves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Letcher Reeves of Canton, became the bride of Thomas Lee Corzine, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Corzine, also of Canton, Friday evening at 7 o'clock in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Delaney Smathers, on Pisgah Drive, Canton.

The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. George C. Starr, Jr., pastor of the Central Methodist Church of Clyde.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a powder blue, princess style dress of embossed nylon over taffeta. Her white lace hat was trimmed with rhinestones, and her white prayer book was topped with a white orchid and showered with streamers.

She wore a pearl necklace and earrings, a gift of her maternal grandmother.

Miss Bobbie Deane Brank of Canton was maid of honor. She wore a street length dress of yellow voile over taffeta, designed with a tucked bodice trimmed with lace and a full skirt of pleats. Her corsage was of bronze carnations.

Bruce L. Corzine served as his brother's best man.

A small reception was held immediately following the ceremony. Mrs. Robert Talley of Gastonia and Mrs. Paul E. Smathers of Greenville, Miss., aunts of the bride, assisted in serving.

The bride's mother wore a powder blue lace dress, white accessories, and a corsage of pink carnations.

The mother of the bridegroom wore a dress of navy blue eyelet, white accessories, and a white carnation corsage.

After the reception the couple left for a wedding trip. For traveling the bride wore a summer cotton dress in tones of brown, white accessories, and the orchid from her prayer book.

Mrs. Corzine was graduated from Canton High School, and attended Western Carolina College, Mr. Corzine, also a graduate of Canton High School, served two years in the U. S. Navy. He is a member of the junior class of Western Carolina College.

After September 15, the couple will make their home at Cullowee.

## HDC Schedule

Tuesday, August 7, 10:00 a.m. — Beaverdam — Robinson Camp at Crabtree.

Wednesday, August 8, 10:00 a.m. — White Oak — entertain Fines Creek — Mrs. A. L. Bramlette.

Wednesday, August 8, 7:30 p.m. — Francis Cove — Mrs. Grady Siske.

## Births

New arrivals at the Haywood County Hospital include:

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Burnett of Canton on August 2.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sheehan of Waynesville, Route 1, on August 2.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Gibson of Waynesville on August 3.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lowe of Clyde on August 4.

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sutton of Waynesville, Route 2, on August 4.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coward of Candler on August 6.

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