

Two Hundred Tysons-Mays Met Friday In Annual Reunion

J. M. Broughton As Guest Speaker and Dr. J. Y. Joyner Honored Member Featured Program Presided Over By C. A. Tyson; Dr. L. M. Carr A New Officer

Coming from all parts of the State, more than two hundred descendants of the Tysons and Mays, pioneer families of this section, gathered in the handsome Major Benjamin May Chapter House, Friday, for one of the most successful of the annual reunions held by the two families...

The 1938 Tuberculosis Christmas Seal

The Christmas Seal for 1938 is not only attractive in its various colors, but it is beautifully significant. It shows a mother and her two children gazing at a lighted candle in the window - an impressive maritime custom of old that has an appropriate message for today.

Thousands of men, women and children who have tuberculosis today are totally in the dark as to the ways and means of a cure. The Christmas Seal, like the candle in the window, has lighted the way for millions, and it still beckons the way for millions more.

1939 Tobacco Quotas Announced By States

Washington, Nov. 30. - The agricultural adjustment administration announced today apportionment of the national flue cured tobacco marketing quotas for 1939 marketing year among the six producing states.

The new state allotments, slightly greater than the quotas in effect this year: Virginia, 70,483,000; North Carolina, 498,964,000; South Carolina, 87,713,000; Georgia, 81,449,000; Florida, 12,995,000; and Alabama, 426,000. A total of 7,850,000 pounds was reserved for farms on which tobacco will be grown as a new crop and for any adjustment in individual quotas.

FARMVILLE GIRL HONORED BY MUSIC STUDY CLUB

Durham, Nov. 30. - Miss Helen Willis of Farmville, has been named a member of the Music Study Club at Woman's College of Duke University where she is a member of the sophomore class. This organization meets monthly to discuss some subject of musical interest and each year a limited number of superlatives are invited to join the group.

LOCAL MEN PRESENT PROGRAM

On Wednesday, November 25, the day before Thanksgiving, two of Farmville's prominent young men presented a program to the school children during chapel exercises. Superintendent J. H. Moore introduced Eli Joyner, Jr., to the audience and Mr. Joyner proceeded to tell the history of the celebration of the national holiday. He started by telling the story of the Pilgrims and their hardships and traced the holiday through the period of the Revolution and Civil war down to the present time.

Proposal

Consideration is being given to the making out of a plan whereby flue-cured tobacco in excess of the 1938 marketing quotas might be stored, and loans made available on the storage of excess of growers who did not occupy their 1938 acreage allotments.

Haber

A new type of bean harrow found especially useful for small farms, as shown a great deal of promise in California.

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He made the statement in defining his "hands off" attitude toward the Democratic majority primary here next February. Asked if he would take a hand in the selection of a candidate, he said:

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Mayor Edward J. Kelly was requested by a group of business men, club women and labor leaders last week to seek renomination. Some observers expected State Attorney Thomas J. Courrier, member of a Democratic faction frequently at odds with the Kelly organization, to oppose him.

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At a luncheon meeting, Farley urged them to "do everything possible to bring about victory in 1940." He said "strong opposition" would make the contest "interesting" and added:

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"It may be time to take stock at home, and put the organization in order for the next campaign."

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AAA Officer Tells Why Quotas Needed

In the referendum on cotton and flue-cured tobacco quotas for 1939, scheduled for December 10, producers of North Carolina will have a chance to decide for themselves whether or not they want to keep the supply of cotton and tobacco at a more reasonable level and then to keep excessive supplies that ruin prices from piling up in the future, says E. Y. Floyd, AAA executive officer at State College.

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Quotas also protect the farmers who plant within their acreage allotments from having their efforts defeated by those who overplant.

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In this connection the AAA officers pointed out that with quotas in effect this year, the national cotton allotment was not overplanted. The national allotment was about 27,600,000 acres and producers actually grew about 26,450,000 acres.

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Separate ballot boxes for cotton and tobacco quota votes will be provided at community polling places for the December 10 referenda. Any farmer who produced flue-cured tobacco in 1938 and cotton producers of a staple of 1.1-3 inches or less are eligible to vote.

Improvement

J. A. Shanklin, extension cotton specialist at State College, says that upland cotton ginned to November 1 was longer in staple, on the average, than cotton ginned to the same date last year. The grade remained about the same.

Prizes Announced for Yuletide Decorations

Plans for holiday decorations are being rapidly carried forward by the Farmville Chamber of Commerce and Merchants Association and the town authorities through a joint committee composed of Eli Joyner, Jr., Albert C. Holmes, S. A. Garris and Commissioner J. W. Joyner.

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The merchants and Town Fathers did a wonderful job in unifying last year to give Farmville a suitable atmosphere for the Yuletide celebration and present plans call for even better illumination and decorations this season.

Work of First 6 Months Reported By Secretary Willis

At the first meeting on Tuesday evening since the organization of the Farmville Chamber of Commerce and Merchants Association in July, the board of directors and secretary, Wesley R. Willis, reviewed the accomplishments and future plans of the group.

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T. E. Joyner gave a detailed report of the Farmville Advertising Agency's work in advertising the local tobacco market, expenditures of which were handled by Marvin Lindsay as chairman, and Gerald Debnam as sales supervisor.

BOOKMOBILE TO VISIT HERE WHILE IN COUNTY

The W.P.A. Bookmobile will be in Pitt County during the month of December and January. The Bookmobile is a truck loaded with books, which is a traveling library.

SCHOOL TEAMS PRACTICE FOR COURT SEASON

Now that the football season is over the boys and girls of Farmville High School are giving their full attention to the coming basketball season. Last Monday Coach Harrell held an organization meeting and a large group of boys reported and expressed their desire to participate in the sport.

WHO KNOWS?

- 1. What is the population of the United States?
2. What is the production of whiskey in the U. S.?
3. How many individuals pay income taxes?
4. How do German investments here compare with U. S. investments in Germany?
5. How much money is paid out in Christmas Club?
6. In how many States did Republicans make gains in voting strength?
7. How many radium are in the world?
8. Have other nations any legal right to protest German mistreatment of Jews?
9. How many have been executed during the past year?

Well, the football season will soon be over and the boys and girls will be giving their full attention to the winter league which will open around the state to talk basketball and...