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WAKELON'S NEW HEAD AND — WAKELON

Now that the selection of a Superintendent of Wakelon High School has been made, it is time for patrons and others to decide on what they propose to do to make this, under unusually hard difficulties; the best year in the history of the school.

To know something of the life and work of the new head of the school, we have gone to some trouble to learn the chief matters of interest connected with his public life, especially as they may relate to our school.

Mr. B. K. Miller, who now becomes leader in educational affairs in our community, was born at Fairview, Buncombe County, North Carolina. He graduated from Wake Forest College in the class of 1923. Later he took post-graduate work at Wake Forest and the University at Chapel Hill. He taught in Dare and Johnston counties and later became head of the High School at Pikeville in Wayne County. Irby D. Gill, and also Mrs. Gill, were co-teachers with Prof. Miller in Johnston county, near Benson. They speak graciously of him as a teacher and man. Mr. Miller has been head of the school at Pikeville 12 years.

Mrs. Miller is also a teacher of experience. She is from the Newton Grove community in Johnston county. Her maiden name was Miss Kitzie McLamb. She is a graduate of Elon College. She became Mrs. Miller in 1926. The Millers have one child, Kitzie Ruth, seven years old. Mrs. Miller will have charge of Public School music in Wakelon, succeeding that most excellent teacher and community worker, Mrs. R. D. Massey. We understand she is well qualified through training and ability for the work.

Prof. Miller will follow one of the most magnetic and enthusiastic school men in the state. Few men have the gifts of teaching that are found in Mr. Moser. Whatever Wakelon is today or may be in the future, much of it is due to the work of him who is a natural born teacher. From recommendations and interviews, our school board believes they have secured a worthy and capable successor to the retiring superintendent. He has already been in the community making contacts and a survey of things and arranging for the year's work. Several vacancies in the school are being filled just as rapidly as possible with due regard to ability and other qualifications. Mr. Miler hopes to be able to announce his full faculty within a short time. He expects to arrive sometime before school opens to get everything in readiness for the opening. He himself will make public announcement of final plans for next school year soon.

Wakelon's history and work stand now among the best schools of North Carolina. Its teachers, graduates, and work stand out till the school's reputation is known far and wide. To an unusual degree do the people put the school before personal interests. Regardless of local criticism and conflict the patrons almost to a man have stood by the school. When Mr. Miller takes up the work he will find a united community, ready to support him and the school in every way and matter that will make Wakelon a better school, filling its mission ever more successfully.

The Wakefield-Zebulon people are to be congratulated on their loyalty to their high school and all its interests. And, we believe, they are to be congratulated on getting a worthy and competent successor to a man who will be hard to follow and excel as a teacher and leader in school and community affairs. And we should all remember that the future of Wakelon's continued success will, in the future as in the past, most largely fall on the patrons - the fathers and mothers - of the hundreds of children who shall enter its doors from year to year.

Americans Asleep At the Switch

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With them it is "win or die." They violate classic rules of warfare. The commanders are, apparently, completely callous when it comes to shedding the blood of their compatriots. These Axis hordes can be compared in many respects to the brutal hordes of Ghengis Khan. To stop them, to defeat them, will require a comparable fanaticism, held in a very differ-

ent cause, on the part of all the United Nations.

From the U. S. point of view, the Jap landings in the Aleutians cannot be passed off casually, as some optimists have tried to do. It is true that a few rock islands, shrouded in fog, off the tip of Alaska, aren't important in themselves. It is also true that Aleutian and Alaskan outposts could be used for devastating raids on the U. S. proper. General Billy Mitchell once said, in effect, that whoever controls Alaska would win the next war. There is no reason to suppose that the Japs

Ellington-Horton

On Friday afternoon, July 10, Miss Dorothy Horton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Horton, became the bride of Edwin Ellington, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Ellington of Graham. The vows were spoken at 5 o'clock at the Zebulon Baptist Church and the Rev. G. J. Griffin officiated.

Gladioli and lilies against a background of pine and ferns were used at the altar. Cathedral candles burned in seven-branches candelabra.

A program of nuptial music was rendered by Mrs. G. J. Griffin, organist, and Mrs. L. M. Massey and Mark Osborne of Wake Forest, vocalists.

The bride entered with her father, by whom she was given in marriage. Her gown was of white marquisette with lace panels and her veil was fingertip length. She carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses and stephanotis. Her only ornament was the engagement bracelet of her maternal grandmother.

Miss Loraine Bridgers of Zebulon was the bride's maid of honor and only attendant. She wore pink marquisette and carried a colonial bouquet of pink roses and blue delphinium.

The bridegroom was attended by his brother-in-law, Conrad Hopkins of Whitakers, as best man. Ushers were Needham Horton of Elkton, Md., brother of the bride; Norris Hales, Billy Moore of Selma, and Robert Edd Horton.

The bride's mother wore navy with white accessories and a shoulder corsage of sweetheart roses. The bride-groom's mother also wore navy and her flowers were golden charm roses and blue delphinium.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Ellington left for a wedding trip of unannounced destination. After August 1, they will be at home in Wendell where Mr. Ellington is a member of the high school faculty.

Weathers-Jordon

On Saturday afternoon Mr. Loomis Harper Weathers of Wendell and Miss Marcelle Jordon of Bailey were married by Rev. Theo. Davis at his home in Zebulon.

Cake Cutting

(Held Over)

The Joyner - Scarboro wedding party was entertained by Mrs. W. D. Privette at a cake cutting following the rehearsal. Mixed flowers were used in decorating. Mrs. Proctor Scarboro, sister-in-law of the bride, presided over the punch bowl, and Misses Pauline Scarboro of Rolesville, Mary Catherine Robertson of Wake Forest, Mrs. Ellis Beddingfield of Raleigh, and Mrs. D. M. Lloyd of Zebulon, sister of the bride, served cake, punch and mints. Thirty guests were present.

On Wednesday evening, Mrs. B. C. Scarboro, mother of the bride-elect, and Mrs. D. M. Lloyd, sister, entertained Miss Scarboro at a shower. An ice course was served to the sixty guests. Good-byes were said by Mrs. Lloyd.

raided Dutch Harbor and seized remote Aitu and Kiska just for the sake of what military men call a diversion. The Jap commanders have shown all along, that everything they do is part of a carefully-prepared plan, and that everything has a bearing on their grand strategy. It will be hard to drive the Japs out of their Aleutian footholds. The Axis is seeking to encircle this country now, and it has made gigantic progress. That circle must be broken.—I. N. R.

Society

Mrs. C. S. Chamblee is spending some time at Carolina Beach with her daughter, Mrs. J. Preston Smith.

Lunice Horton of Las Crucis, N. Mex., is expected to spend some time with relatives in this community. Mr. Horton was reared in the Wakefield neighborhood, and is a brother to Mrs. C. S. Chamblee.

Aviation Cadet Ferd Davis of Gunter Field, Alabama, is at home on furlough before entering the U. S. Air Force Navigation School at New Orleans, Louisiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Brantley of Verona and Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Lively of Wilson spent last weekend with the B. W. Brantleys.

Mrs. Lawrence Tracy of Greenville is visiting her brother and sister-in-law, the William Bunns, in Baltimore.

Julian Bailey, son of Dr. Hubert Bailey, formerly of Wakefield, visited his aunt, Mrs. Eger Massey of Middlesex, recently. Young Mr. Bailey was enroute to West Point where he will enroll in the Military Academy, having won the opportunity by both competitive grades and electoral appointment.

Mrs. R. H. Bridgers and children are spending this week at White Lake. Mr. Bridgers went down with them Sunday, but returned that day and will be here most of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bunn of Baltimore, formerly of Zebulon, announce the birth of a daughter on Thursday, July 9. Weight eight pounds. Mrs. Bunn was before marriage Miss Melba Pearce.

Bride-Elect Honored

Mesdames R. H. Bridgers of Zebulon and E. I. Bridgers of Wendell received at the home of the latter on Saturday evening honoring Miss Dorothy Horton, bride-elect.

Mixed summer flowers were used throughout the home in decoration.

Mrs. A. O. Bridgers greeted callers and presented them to the receiving line where the hostesses and honoree stood Mesdames Earl Horton, G. J. Griffin and L. M. Massey.

Mrs. Clifton Faison received in the diningroom where Mrs. J. T. Wooton poured punch. Misses Ruth Massey, Ruth Britt, Lottie Richardson and Mesdames W. Wooton and Ferd Davis served cakes, nuts and mints.

Mrs. Marshall Henry directed to the bride's book where Miss Sarah Britt presided.

A musical program was given by Mrs. Knott, formerly Miss Susie Hester.

Goodbyes were said to Mrs. J. J. Whitlock.

Miss Evelyn Lassiter of Raleigh spent the week-end here with Miss Margaret Bunn.

Mrs. Henry Lee Bissette and Mrs. Joseph Massey of Newport News came last Wednesday to visit their parents, the Clifton Hortons, and to attend the marriage of their cousin, Miss Dorothy Horton.

FOR RENT

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Saturday, July 18—

THREE MESQUITEERS

"Westward, Ho"

Sunday and Monday, July 19-20—

Ida Lupino

Claude Rains

"Moontide"

Tuesday, July 21—

Humphrey Bogart

Irene Manning

"The Big Shot"

Wednesday, July 22—

Anna May Wong

Noel Madison

"Bombs Over Burma"

Thursday and Friday, July 23-24—

Geo. Montgomery

Maureen O'Hara

"Ten Gentlemen from West Point"

Coming: "Sergeant York" — "My Favorite Blonde" — "True to the Army"