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PROMINENT LOCAL COUPLE WED IN NATION'S CAPITAL

Marriage Was Surprise To Their Numerous Friends Here

The following announcement will be read with interest by the numerous friends here of the young couple:

Mr. James Robert Robertson announces the marriage of his niece Miss Sylvia Samuels-Upton

to Mr. N. Cortez Green on Thursday, October the eighteenth nineteen hundred and twenty three Washington, D. C.

At Home after November first Williamston, N. C.

They were married in Washington, D. C., with only a few immediate relatives of the bride present. Mr. Green left Sunday for a visit to his aunt, Mrs. R. P. Hawes for a few days and Mr. Green left Wednesday afternoon joining her in Washington and they were married Thursday.

The marriage is a surprise to many friends here who expected it to marry later in the fall. Mrs. Green is the second daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Fred Samuels-Upton and a niece of Mr. J. E. Robertson, with whom she has made her home since the death of her parents. She graduated from the high school here and took a secretarial course in Richmond and since that time she has been with the Peoples Bank. She is one of the sweetest and finest young women of the town and commands the love and respect of a host of intimate friends.

Mr. Green, who is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Green, after completing the Williamston High school course finished in bookkeeping and accounting at Poughkeepsie, and since that time has been engaged as bookkeeper for the Harrison Wholesale company. He is a young man of ability and is held in the highest esteem by all who know him.

They left Washington yesterday for New York, where they will visit Mrs. Green's grandmother, Mrs. L. B. Samuels for several days before their return to Williamston.

HORSE SENSE

"If you work for a man, in heaven's name work for him. If he pays wages that supply you your bread and butter, work for him, speak well of him, think well of him, stand by him, and stand by the institution he represents. I think if I worked for a man, I would work for him. I would not work for him part of his time, but all of his time. I would give an undivided service or none. If put to a pinch, an ounce of loyalty is worth a pound of cleverness. If you must vilify, condemn and eternally disparage, why—resign your position, and when you are outside, damn to your heart's content. But, I pray you, so long as you are a part of an institution, do not condemn it. Not that you will injure the institution—not that—but when you disparage the concern of which you are a part, you disparage yourself."

By using high grade Texaco gasoline and Texaco motor oil, you will show your "horse sense." There are no other oils in our judgment that will take the place of them.

Run it with Texaco gasoline, and save it with Texaco motor oil—adv.

Mr. F. T. Baynor of Bellhaven was in town Thursday in the interest of the Standard Oil company.

CALLWELL EVANGELISTIC PARTY BEGAN SERVICES AT ROBERSONVILLE SUNDAY

Campaign Will Continue Through Next Week. Tent Has Been Greatly Enlarged

The Caldwell Evangelistic party of Dillon, S. C., on last Sunday, began a meeting at Robersonville, and good attendances have been enjoyed at each meeting since the opening.

It will be remembered that Rev. Mr. Caldwell and his party were at Hamilton in May, and their many friends are glad of another opportunity to hear them. The Caldwell Evangelistic party did much good in the Hamilton section when they conducted a two week service there last spring, and their presence was felt in all sections of the county. We hope for the same success at Robersonville that they enjoyed at Hamilton.

With the additional experience Mr. Caldwell is getting in the evangelistic field as he conducts campaigns he is greatly improving as an evangelist, and though when he first began the work a few years ago he was a conscientious and commanded the undivided attention of the largest audiences, he continues to improve as his experience increases.

In cooperation with Mr. Caldwell straight-from-the-shoulder sermons he carries with him a corps of singers who are very efficient in their line which adds much to the attractiveness of his meetings, and those who enjoy good singing will do well to attend his meetings at Robersonville, which will continue on through next week.

The Caldwell party have enlarged their tent and made other improvements since their meeting at Hamilton, and adequate accommodations for larger audiences than ever before are now available.

SERIAL OF MOTHER DEFERRED A MONTH

SAVANNAH, Oct. 17.—Mrs. O. J. Edge, 74, died this morning, but will not be buried for a month. She lies in Floranopolis, Brazil, who has advised she will attend the funeral. The body will be held until she arrives. This will be the middle of November.

Thirty six states now have a tax on gasoline to provide for road building. This income if applied on the principle of "paying as you go," or doing away with issues of bonds, would make it possible to abolish the registration tax in almost every state. Interest payment on bonds amount to more than the original road costs.

Leap From Windows To Save Themselves

PLYMOUTH, Oct. 17.—Miss Edith Peel, daughter of L. A. Peel, with her guest, Miss Beulah Harris, was caught in an up stairs room yesterday morning when fire destroyed the family residence and had to leap from a second story window to save themselves.

They were awakened by the colored cook, who first discovered the blaze. The darkey broke her leg in leaping from the window while Miss Peel sprained her ankle. Miss Harris jumped from the porch and suffered no serious injury. Other members of the family were down stairs and escaped without injury. Firemen did good work in preventing the blaze from spreading, but were unable to save the residence.

COME TO WILLIAMSTON TODAY

DEATH RATE FROM TUBERCULOSIS CUT HALF IN 10 YEARS

Why Not Finish the Job In Ten More Years? Is Now Urged

"No tuberculosis in North Carolina in 1933," is to be the battle-slogan in the fight against tuberculosis for the next ten years. A program with such an ambitious objective sounds well nigh impossible of attainment. As a matter of fact, to the skeptical it sounds absurd; but ten years ago no one thought of faithfully working with the methods then known for the cure and prevention of tuberculosis that the number of deaths in the State could be cut in half. But this is what has been done. Ten years ago, in 1913, there were 4,500 deaths from tuberculosis; in 1922 this number had been reduced to 2,209.

So gratifying have been the results of earnest efforts in the past in reducing the number of deaths from tuberculosis that health workers, particularly those in the tuberculosis fields, are encouraged to set out to finish the job. Not that any one worker or group of workers think that by their own efforts such a job can be accomplished in ten or a dozen years, but they do believe that with the full cooperation and support on the part of the state, counties, and every city, town and individual, results even more remarkable than those already accomplished can be brought about. Funds for the work throughout the State (and nation) are obtained through the sale of Tuberculosis Christmas Seals.

Mr. Luke Lamb is chairman of the Christmas Seal sale for Williamston and will shortly announce her committee of co-workers.

TOM GREEN MAKES INTERESTING TALK ON BETTER SOILS

People Interested In Results of Improving the Soil

LENOIR, N. C., Oct. 18.—Three years ago, Tom Green, a farmer in this county bought what I consider one of the poorest farms in King Creek township," report D. W. Rogers, county agent for Caldwell county. "It contains 150 acres of land which was badly gullied and washed. T. A. Andrews, the man from whom Mr. Green made his purchase, declared that he could no longer make a living on the place, sold out and went to Virginia. The land had never grown any grasses or legumes of any kind. Immediately after getting possession, Mr. Green came to my office and said that he wanted me to help him improve his farm.

"The first thing we found necessary was to properly terrace the cultivated land. We then limed, fertilized and planted about four acres of soybeans. Mr. Green harvested 12 bushels of beans per acre with a Little Giant bean harvester and after putting the vines, leaves and pods back to the soil, he sowed the field to wheat and red clover. The results were very satisfactory. Mr. Green now has around 50 acres of his farm in grasses, beans, peas, and clovers, and says that by the use of lime, fertilizers, beans, peas, clovers, grasses and his bean harvester, he is going to improve the entire farm.

"After renovating the old orchard he now has a nice home orchard. He has 7 cows from which he receives a \$50 cream check per month. He has two brood sows from which he sells around \$300.00 worth of pigs."

COTTON CO-OPS. CONTINUE WITH BIG DELIVERIES

Better Service Rendered By Grading Department This Year

Monday was the biggest day in the history of the North Carolina Cotton Growers Cooperative association with total receipts of 4,750 bales of cotton. Reports from every section of the cotton counties indicate renewed confidence in the association and determination on the part of the membership to deliver their cotton.

The clerical force of the accounting department is busily engaged in making checks for the members for the final distribution on account of a short staple of the 1922 crop. While it will take several days to complete this work, the checks are being put out as rapidly as possible, particularly all members of the association will understand, that every check must be written, examined, received and signed—this takes a lot of time.

Last season the classing department was compelled to work in poorly lighted and ill fitted room for classing cotton, situated over a steam boiler. This year the department has the third floor of the Wright building, with properly constructed skylights, giving the association practically the best classing and grading rooms in the south. In addition, the classing department "B", located at the corner of College and Fourth streets in Charlotte and on a premises behind the classing department, are being mailed promptly from all warehouses and classing points. In order that the cotton may be classed according to grade.

Last season at this time the cotton of the association was reported at almost all concentration points, with over 250 car loads of cotton standing on side tracks in Charlotte at one time and embargoes were placed against the association by railroads at Fayetteville and elsewhere, and the association was forced to make shipments to Williamston, Norfolk and other points in a haphazard manner.

This year, the traffic manager reports that not a single dollar has been paid out on account of railroad storage or demurrage. He also reports that up to this time there has not been a single case of detention. There has been no "kick" from the railroads or warehouse and concentration and the large concentration points are ready for and are calling for more cotton, while last season at this time they were begging the traffic department to let up on the shipments.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Stone of New York are spending some time in Williamston.

The contest is being held at the N. C. State college, where the boys are the guests of the college for two days. Sleeping quarters have been provided at the college; boys can also receive their meals at the college dining hall.

GALE DID NOT STOP MAYTIME FESTIVAL PLAY

Crowds Brave Gale To Attend Performances of Sheesley Shows

The man who makes the weather is forced to come with something stronger than a mere 40 mile cold nor'easter to make Hammondites shut their fire places when they are on pleasure bent in a good cause. It takes a real blizzard to send them home! * * * This was demonstrated last night when hundreds braved the chill blasts on the midway at the Maytime festival of Canton Hammond, N. C. P. M. 1. O. F. at 150th and Calumet avenues. Happy throngs, bundled in heavy coats and mufflers, rode the caterpillar and the big Ferris wheel and the other rides of the Greater Sheesley Shows, and visited the shows, keeping the "barkers" busy and the "highlanders" cheerful, despite a gale which rocked the big tents, an unusual guy ropes to white like lightning on a vessel in a hard blow. * * * The Greater Sheesley Shows came here recommended as the best and most modern of outdoor attractions this season. Capt. John M. Sheesley is one of the prime movers in the Showmen's Legislative committee which has for its aim the classing of the tented midways of all desirable features and followers.

The moral welfare of showfolk and the public. The entire show is respectable, with fresh, bright paint and all canvases appears crisp and sparkling. Lake County (Ind.) Times, Hammond, May 9, 1923.

OAK CITY HIGH SCHOOL SENDS PUPILS TO FAIR

Represented in Judging Contest at Raleigh This Week

For the past three years much interest has been shown in the annual judging contest at the North Carolina State fair. The contest has given in size until now it is regarded as the largest contest of the kind in the south. The number of school teaching vocational agriculture has become necessary to limit the number of contestants from each school. This year over sixty five high schools are represented at the State fair.

At each school there is a preliminary contest to select teams for the contest. For the past 14 days the boys have been working hard preparing for the contest and interest has been shown in the preliminary contest as all the boys would like very much to make the trip. Each boy has been working hard for a place on the team.

The following boys have been selected to make the trip to Raleigh: For judging farm crops: Ernest Edmondson, Clyde Manning and George Haislip; for judging live stock: Ernest Etheridge, Wheeler Daniels and Norman Harrell.

The contest is being held at the N. C. State college, where the boys are the guests of the college for two days. Sleeping quarters have been provided at the college; boys can also receive their meals at the college dining hall.

A prize will be awarded the team making the highest score, and also to the individual boy making the highest score. The contest consists in placing animals and then giving rea-

BRILLIANT RECEPTION FOR THE NEW TEACHERS OF WILLIAMSTON SCHOOL

Home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Dunning Was the Scene of Very Enjoyable Affair

On last Friday evening from eight until eleven o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Dunning the local members of the faculty of the Williamston school entertained the out of town members of the faculty and Mrs. M. J. Davis, wife of Superintendent Davis, who is a recent bride, with a reception.

This was one of the most distinct events of the social life of the town and over a hundred people called to meet the teachers.

The tastiness of the home was enhanced by the profusion of fall flowers in crystal vases and bowls. In the living room red dahlias were used very artistically, and in the dining room pink dahlias and pink roses attractively arranged were a pretty background for the receiving line in the dining room which with ferns were used, a large bowl forming a centerpiece for the table.

The guests were met at the door by Mrs. W. H. Harrell, one of the most loved members of the faculty and who has been on the faculty long. She introduced them to Mrs. Dunning, who presented them to the others in the receiving line. The others constituting the receiving line were: Supt. and Mrs. M. J. Davis, Miss Nina Hartsfield, Miss Gladys Benjamin, Miss Frances Thomas, Miss Mala Mitchell, Mrs. A. V. Joyner, Mrs. C. B. Haswell, Mrs. J. L. Wolf, Miss Margaret Manning and Pat Harris then invited the guests into the dining room where ice and coffee cakes were served by Misses Ellen Cowan, Josephine Eyles, Fattie Edmondson, Frances Hoyt, Laura Orleans, Mittie Brown, Myrtle Wynne and Sadie Perry. Misses Velma Harison and Corine Lee Peel passed pink and white mints.

During the latter part of the evening Miss Benjamin delighted those present with several solos. She has a sweet voice and her singing was greatly enjoyed. Miss Laura Orleans also sang in her attractive manner. This was the first reception of this kind that has occurred in Williamston in several years, and it was enjoyed by all those who attended, they having an opportunity to meet the members of their own school faculty socially.

SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. A. V. Joyner, pastor. Sunday school 9:45 a. m., J. C. Anderson, superintendent.

We have a splendid school—it can be made better if you will only help. Come and find your place in the activities of our church.

Sermon by the pastor 11 a. m. B. Y. P. U. meeting 6:45 p. m. Sermon by the pastor 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening 7:30.

We extend a cordial invitation to worship with us in all the services of this church.

sons for placing.

While this is the first time Oak City has entered the contest, they are confident of making a creditable showing. All the boys left Wednesday at noon so as to be ready Thursday morning for the contest.—P. T. Long, Agricultural Teacher, Oak City High School.

EVERY COUNTY IN THE STATE IS WEEVIL INFESTED

Last Free County Reports Presence of the Pests

RALEIGH, Oct. 18.—"It is useless for the cotton farmer of North Carolina to ever ask again, 'Is the weevil in my locality?' He is the pest is now in every locality where cotton is grown in North Carolina, insofar as we can possibly determine," says Prof. Franklin Sherman, in charge of insect work for the State college and Department of Agriculture.

Mr. Sherman states that when the scouting work of 1922 was finished he published an article showing that the state was virtually covered with the possible exception of Currituck county, and that several specimens had been secured from across the Virginia line; but not withstanding this fact, many farmers wrote in later and wanted to know if the weevil was present in their region.

"During this summer, we have received several specimens from Currituck which was the only county left with a possible doubt in our minds," says Prof. Sherman. We have also received specimens from Northampton, Warren and other counties on the Virginia border. In 1922, we found specimens in Caswell county where some folks say there is no cotton, and we found the weevil in Virginia, north of Caswell, some few miles east of Danville. During the past week a farmer from Caswell county brought some weevils to my office.

"The other day I was in the faraway mountainous county of Cherokee where I saw a row of cotton in a garden being grown to stuff mattresses and the like. Examining this cotton I secured over a dozen specimens of the weevil and the nearest cotton is over 20 miles away in Georgia. These weevils are now preserved in the State collection. Yes, we have some weevils today. We have them everywhere that cotton is grown."

YOUNG'S FRIVOLITIES PLEASE LARGE AUDIENCE AT THE STRAND THEATRE

The Strand Theatre was the scene Wednesday night of one of the best shows ever presented in Williamston, and the screen and stage held the undivided attention of the large audience from start to finish.

The manager, Mr. J. W. Watts, Jr., opened the show with a thrilling movie, entitled "Thelma," which was thrilling and full of interest from the beginning to the end, and was one of the many really good pictures Mr. Watts has booked for his theatre.

Following the picture part of the program for the night came Young's Frivolities, who presented "Oh, You Wildcat," a play originated in France by the boys of the 51st division, one of whom belongs to the troop and directs the play. The play presented scenes of army life in France, and was played by a troop of competent actors, who kept the audience at a high pitch all during the presentation first with a thrill and then with laughter through the entire show.

Williamston theatre goers appreciate the efforts of Mr. Watts to give Williamston high class shows, which he has been very successful in doing in the past, due to his knowledge of the theatrical world and study of the different attractions that are touring the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Lamb are in Raleigh this week.