

Miss Grace Mehnert Weds N. B. Boney, Jr. In Candlelight Ceremony

Miss Grace Lea Mehnert, daughter of Mr. Leander P. Mehnert and the late Mrs. Emily J. Mehnert of Chicago, Illinois, became the bride of Norwood Bruce Boney, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Bruce Boney, Sr., of Kenansville, N. C., in a candlelight ceremony in the

Bethany Evangelical Church at Chicago, Illinois, on Friday evening, June 10, 1949, at 7 o'clock. The Rev. John Stranger officiated using the double ring ceremony.

Wedding music was presented by the regular church organist and Miss Charity Mithigan, vocalist. The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a gown of white silk organza. The groom wore a tuxedo with a white boutonniere. The bride carried a spray of lilies of the valley centered with a white orchid.

Mrs. Edward J. Hill, Jr., of Warrenton, Florida, was matron of honor. She wore a gown of blue marquisette over taffeta with white mitts. Miss Janet Boney, of Kenansville, N. C., sister of the bridegroom, was bridesmaid. Her gown was of yellow marquisette with white mitts. The two attendants carried sprays of shasta daisies and wore identical flowers in their hair. James Albert Jerritt, of Richmond, Va., formerly of Kenansville, N. C., attended Mr. Boney as best man.

Ushers were Colin Gordon and Gene De Roin of Chicago, Illinois. Mrs. Mehnert, stepmother of the bride, wore an aqua crepe dress with an orchid corsage. The bridegroom's mother, wore a gown of powder blue, trimmed with lace. She also wore an orchid corsage.

Immediately following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Mehnert entertained at a lovely reception at the Georgian Hotel in Evanston, Illinois, after which the bride and groom left for their wedding trip. For travel, Mrs. Boney wore a summer suit of green with white accents.

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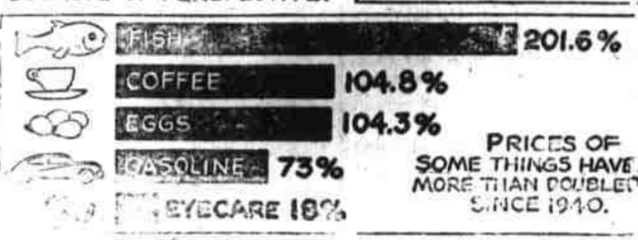
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OPTICAL ILLUSION... THE SPHENODON, AN ALMOST EXTINCT REPTILE OF NEW ZEALAND, HAS A FAIRLY WELL DEVELOPED THIRD EYE. THIS ORGAN, HOWEVER DEGENERATES RAPIDLY AS THE CREATURE MATURES.



Local Agent Named By Farm Bureau

Appointment of Herman B. Fussell, Box 67, Rose Hill, as an agent for the Farm Bureau insurance companies, was announced today by Bowman Doss, agency vice president of the three firms. He is joining the agency force of more than 2500 men and women serving more than a million policyholders in twelve eastern states and District of Columbia.

BIBLE SPEAKS. International Union Sunday School Lessons. BY DR. KENNETH FOREMAN.

He Lives On. Lesson for June 26, 1949.

WHAT IS JESUS, after all? A name in a book? A picture on the walls of churches? More than that! A historical character? Founder of a great religion? More than that! He is the one and only Person who can be everywhere. He would be important if he had only lived; he is far more so because he lives on. But where does he live, and how?

Christians would often feel lonely and discouraged, if it were not for one thing. They know Jesus prays for them. In long-ago times the High Priest of Israel used to pass beyond his people's sight into the silent Holy of Holies, and when he did, the people knew that in that sacred place he was bearing on his heart the whole people, the people whom he served. So the writer to the Hebrews, in the New Testament, pictures Jesus as the perfect High Priest, who has passed beyond our sight, beyond the beautiful blue veil of heaven, into the very presence of God, where he lives, now to intercede for his people who are ever on his heart.

Jesus lives on today in the life of prayer which we believe is still his. No matter what comes to the Christian, he can remember that One is praying for him who is stronger than all the world of evil. "Greater is he that is for us than he that is against us," said John the Apostle.

In His Book. LUKE tells us that Jesus had to show some of his friends his own picture in the Old Testament. His portrait is not very plain there, but in the New Testament it is very plain indeed. The Bible leads up to Christ, he is its crowning figure. The Bible is, so to speak, a frame for his picture. Many a person, in remote regions of the world, has become Christian just by reading about Christ in some stray copy of the New Testament. The reader begins by reading about Jesus—then the pages come alive, and he meets Jesus, face to face. Jesus lives on, wherever the Bible goes.

In His People. CHURCHES may argue among themselves about what Jesus meant by this or that. But there cannot be any argument about one thing. When Jesus left his friends behind, he gave them orders to go tell the world about him. "Make disciples of all nations... Ye shall be my witnesses." A shut-mouthed Christian isn't much of a Christian. A shut-mouthed church is a poor sort of church. (Is it really a church at all?) We do not believe that Jesus expected his followers all to become preachers. Indeed, we should remember that all the first Christians were laymen. But they got results. One hundred twenty people grew to be three thousand, five thousand, in a few weeks.

What is the reason that 120 Christians today don't win 3,000 converts? One reason is that you would probably find those 120 Christians complaining that their church is "vacant" they don't have a pastor. The early Christians might have thought that very funny. How can a church be vacant with 120 people in it? Christ lives in his church.

Into All the World. CHRISTIANITY is the only religion that can stand transplanting into any climate. There is no other religion that can number its people from the Arctic to the equator, and from east to west around the world. But this is not an accident. It would not have happened by itself. Jesus himself in Galilee walked wherever he went, and in all his grown-up life he did not walk farther from his birthplace than you could drive in an afternoon.

But he walks on every shore. Where ship and camel and plane carry the missionary, there goes Christ; where the skywaves carry his message, there is he. Wherever Christians go, Christ sees in them and with them. He lives everywhere today where Christians live, he walks on Christians' feet. Beside the four Gospels in print, there is the Gospel According to You. Does Jesus live in and through you?

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Faison Boy Receives Degree; Iowa State

Special To The Times. William M. Lewis, son of M. C. Lewis, Faison, was among more than 1,100 graduates who received degrees and certificates at the 75th annual commencement of Iowa State College Friday.

William was awarded the degree of doctor of philosophy in economic zoology. Dr. Charles E. Friley, president of the college, delivered the commencement address and presented the degrees and certificates at ceremonies held in the college Armory at 7:15 p.m. The president was host to seniors and alumni and members of their families and to friends of the college at a reception at 3 p.m. Friday.

Friday's group was the largest number ever to graduate from Iowa State College. Since July 1, 1948 a total of more than 2,000 have received degrees and certificates at exercises concluding the summer, fall, winter, and spring quarters.

Want Appointment To West Point?

The office of Senator Frank P. Graham has received numerous applications for available appointments to the United States Military Academy and the United States Naval Academy. Although the Senator wishes that he could appoint each of the young men, he has only one appointment available to West Point and one to Annapolis. In fairness to all he has decided to make this appointment based on a competitive examination.

A candidate for appointment to West Point must be at least 17 years of age at time of admission, and not more than 22, except that those who have had one year of military service in the present war, may be appointed up to the age of 24 years.

A candidate, who on April 1, 1950 is not less than 17 year of age or more than 21 is eligible to take the exam for Annapolis, except for persons having one year of military service in the present war the age requirement is 17 to 23.

These examination will be conducted by the U. S. Civil Service Commission on July 11, 1949, at various Post Offices in North Carolina convenient to applicants. Any qualified young man who desires to compete is asked to advise Senator Frank P. Graham, Room 345, Senate Office Bldg., Washington, D. C. on or before June 24, 1949, in order that necessary arrangements for the examination may be made.

FHA Representative Visits Duplin

Mr. Dennis H. Sutton, State Field Representative of Farmers Home Administration spent two days in Duplin County recently reviewing and considering for approval farm development loans for farmers who had made application for loans with which to develop their farm. In some cases this was the building of a new dwelling on the farm; in others it was for funds to clear additional land while in other cases funds were to be used to drain and develop pastures.

Mr. Marion C. Holland, County Supervisor for FHA at Warsaw, states that this type of loan is made at a rate of 4% interest and is repayable over a period of time up to forty years.

State College Answers Timely Farm Questions

Q. What precautions should be followed for safety during a thunderstorm?

A. Remain indoors unless it is necessary to go out. If there is any choice of shelter, choose in the following order: (1) large metal frame building; (2) dwelling or other building which is protected against lightning; (3) large unprotected building; (4) small unprotected building. If you must go out of doors, keep away from isolated trees, wire fences, hilltops and wide open spaces, and small sheds and shelters in exposed positions. Try to get under a tree, a cave, a depression in the ground, a deep valley or canyon, or the vicinity of a steep cliff.

Q. Please give suggestions for proper chimney construction.

A. Walls should be of brick or stone. Thickness should be four inches for brick; four inches for reinforced concrete; six inches for hollow tile; and 12 inches for stone. All chimneys except reinforced concrete should be lined with fire clay not less 3/4 of an inch thick. Mortar used in setting flue bricks and in all masonry above roof should be one part cement and three parts clean sand. Ten per cent of masonry foundation that is strong enough to carry all weight without cracking.



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