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McLean - Turnage Marriage Solemnized Wednesday Evening; Series of Prenuptial Affairs Held.

Of wide social interest is the marriage of Miss Serene Lee Turnage to Archibald Wilton McLean, of Lumberton, which was solemnized in a ceremony of impressive dignity and reverence at the Presbyterian church here Wednesday evening at eight o'clock.

Decorations of palms, ferns and calla lilies formed a background of traditional color and beauty for the cathedral candles in floor candelabra.

The nuptial music was under the direction of Dean and Mrs. Hugh Williamson, of the Conservatory of Flora MacDonald College, Red Springs. Miss Clara Louise Jones, accompanied by Miss Lena Stewart at the piano, sang "Devotion" by Schumann, and "Ich Liebe Dich" (I Love Thee) by Grieg.

Torrey, Kenneth and Hector McLean and Henry Jennings, of Lumberton, James Bernice Moore, of Andrews, S. C., and Bernice Benjamin Turnage were ushers.

The bridesmaids were Miss Caroline Sturphen, of Columbia, S. C., Miss Eloise Hendricks of Laurinburg, Miss Eva Mae Turnage and Miss Mary Elizabeth Smith. They were attired in chartruese net over taffeta in the same shade, modeled in the style of the Second Empire.

Misses Ruth and Mary Moore, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Cutler Moore, of Lumberton, were junior bridesmaids. Their frocks of dusty pink net reflected the Empire period and they wore Patou sweetheart hats.

The bride entered on the arm of her father, Theodore Carlyle Turnage, Sr., who gave her in marriage. They were met at the steps of the chancel by the bridegroom, attended by his father, Alexander Torrey McLean, as best man.

The bride, of stately grace and classic beauty, wore a wedding gown of antique ivory, fashioned along Empire lines and with a long court train. The sleeves were puffed to the elbow, from which point they were fitted to the wrist.

Mrs. Turnage, mother of the bride, was crowned in lace of the shades-of-roses shade, and wore a shoulder corsage of orchids. Mrs. McLean, mother of the bridegroom, wore a dress of hyacinth blue lace and chiffon.

Places were reserved in the church for the family servants. Immediately after the ceremony, the parents of the bride entertained at a reception, which was attended by four hundred guests, including scores of out-of-town friends.

The reception was held on the porch of the residence of the bride, Mrs. A. C. Monk, Sr., on the first floor. The entertainment was a most successful one.

Farmville Finals Held Friday Night

Diplomas Received By Thirty-four Seniors; Awards Are Made and Honor Roll Read.

Finals of the Farmville graded school, marking the close of one of the most successful years of its history and one recording the largest number of graduates—34—were concluded Friday evening with an address by C. W. Phillips, director of public relations of the Woman's College, University of North Carolina, and recording secretary of the State Congress of Parents and Teachers.

The Rev. D. A. Clarke offered the invocation. Frances Newton was salutatorian and Frances Bivens Smith, valedictorian. J. W. Holmes, chairman of the school board presented diplomas to the following graduates: Boys: Benjamin Franklin Bundy, Thomas Graham Clarke, John Cowan Darden, Robert Earl Fields, James Howard Harris, Douglas Rupert Jones, Francis Luther Joyner, Aderian Jacob Judy, Jennis Smith Leggett, Charles Aaron Moxing, Ben Lewis Rouse, Herbert Horton Rountree, James Ernest Satterfield, Julian Lloyd Smith, Tammy Tucker, Bernice Benjamin Turnage, Rom Langley Webber, Clarence William Wellons, Jr., Jack Yelverton, O. G. Spell, Jr.

Prizes were as follows: English medal, given by the Rev. and Mrs. D. A. Clarke, went to Frances Newton, who also won the Rotary medal for the best all-round student; Mathematics prize, given by Mrs. J. Y. Monk, was won by Dora Grace Currie; music awards, given by Mrs. Haywood and Mrs. Daisy H. Smith, teachers, went to Harry Davis, Margaret Tyson, Helen Rouse and Bobbie Smith. The P. T. A. prizes were won by Miss Russell Ward's room in the high school, both for attendance and for neatness. The latter prize was offered by Mrs. F. M. Davis, Sr. Miss Margaret Lewis' room won these prizes in the grammar school.

The English, Mathematics and Rotary medals were presented by Irvin Morgan, Jr., president of the Farmville Rotary Club; the P. T. A. prizes by Mrs. D. R. Morgan, president, and the seventh grade certificates were presented by Dr. P. E. Jones, member of the school board. The honor roll for the year was read by Supt. Moore. The baccalaureate sermon was preached by the Rev. Leland Cooke of Kingston on the Sunday preceding and the senior play, "George In A Jam," was presented Thursday evening.

Juniors: Mary Thorne Tyson, Blanche Bryan, Grace Humble. Sophomores: William Pollard, Pauline Farmer, Elizabeth Moore. Freshmen: Alton Thomas, Dorothy Lewis, Bobby Rouse. Honor Roll—Eighteen Month.

First Grade—Ruth Moore, Mary F. Allen, Fannie Quinn, Elsie May Lorrain Butts, Hele Thomas, Marie Robinson, Carl King. Second Grade—Dora Mae Barrett, Faye Corbett, Cedric Davis, Neal Howard, Betsy Jones, Billy Louie Johnson, Jean Johnson, Lois Kemp, Coralie McConnell, Ann Moore, Bob Morgan, Mary Alice Morgan, Charles Parker, Mary Ann Rouse, Vivian Scott, Joyce Tyson, Allie Walston, Margaret Wainright, Betty Rose Wilkerson, Eli Godley, Charlie Manney, Delphis Wainright.

Third Grade—James Claude Johnson, Lois Manney, James Albeit Tyson, Billy Bottom, Bruce Darden, Starling Green, Dan Morgan, Harry Rouse, Maynard Thomas, Eylli Barrett, Ora Lee Plaster, Frances Jones, Margaret Justice, Betsy Morris, Dora Spright Trueshan, Maxine Warren, Bobi Willford. Fourth Grade—L. D. Brunton, Harry Davis, Mariea Hester, Milton Williamson, Margaret Mann, Fann Dean Johnson, James Kemp, James Lee Moore, Mary Ann Smith, Leah Thorne, Jane Turnage, Chlo Elizabeth Wainright, Margie Beth Johnson, Olivia Robertson.

Naval Expansion Proposal Scores Senate Approval

Senators Vote 56 to 28 To Put United States At Head of Naval Powers; Super-Dreadnaughts Provided In Measure

Washington, May 3.—The Senate today approved President Roosevelt's \$1,157,000,000 naval expansion program, placing the United States in the van of the greatest international scramble for sea power in the world history. The vote was 56 to 28. The measure empowers this government to surpass the rearmament programs of other nations with construction of the most powerful warships ever floated. It precludes, however, the possibility of the United States precipitating a race of super-warships by limiting the size of future battlehips to treaty specifications of 35,000 tons unless it is determined that foreign powers are building in excess of treaty restrictions.

In the latter event, the United States will be authorized to construct super-dreadnaughts of 45,000 tons, armed with deadly 18-inch guns. Such vessels have never before been contemplated. The authority to build them is regarded as a direct warning to the rest of the world that the United States will more than match their naval might if the lid is blown off the present building race.

Both Houses Win—Loss. The bill as agreed upon provides that corporations earning more than \$25,000 pay a tax of sixteen and one-half per cent on their undistributed profits. The House bill provided for sixteen per cent, plus four per cent. The Senate bill had a flat rate of eighteen per cent.

The new bill divides capital gains into short-term, (those involving assets held less than eighteen months) to be taxed as ordinary income, and long-term gains, to be taxed as twenty per cent. If the assets are held less than two years and fifteen per cent. If they are held longer than two years. The House bill contained the present system of taxing a percentage of gains on a graduated basis according to the length of time the assets were held. The Senate bill provided for a flat rate of fifteen per cent, on gains on assets held more than eighteen months.

New Rates For Two Years. The new law will stand only for the calendar years 1933 and 1934. Corporations earning less than \$25,000 will be entirely exempt from the principle of the undistributed profits tax. They will pay twelve and one-half per cent on the first \$5,000 of profits, fourteen per cent on the next \$15,000, and sixteen per cent on the next \$5,000.

There are also two "cushions" for corporations having debt or impaired capital. Corporations with a loss in one year can carry it over to offset profits shown in the next year in calculating the undistributed profits tax. In addition, earnings used for the retirement of debts, created prior to January 1st, 1933, will be exempt from the undistributed profits tax.

While the agreement continues the principle of the undistributed profits tax, it is far removed from the provisions of the present law. Formerly, the income of a corporation paid a normal tax, graduated from eight to fifteen per cent, plus a super-tax ranging from seven to twenty-seven per cent on undistributed earnings.

A lively political issue. Undoubtedly the undistributed profits tax will be an issue in future political campaigns. President Roosevelt has been outspoken in favor of the principle of the tax. He contends that without it there will be a disparity between the taxation of individual proprietors and partnerships on the one hand and of corporations on the other.

The argument advanced by the President for the undistributed profits tax is as follows: Individual proprietors and partners are taxable at the usual normal tax and surtax rates upon the entire income profits of their businesses, whether taken out of the business or left in it. Corporations, however, being legal entities, can withhold the distribution of profits and thus the shareholders who really own the business are not required to pay any personal income tax on their part of the withheld profit.

How Taxes Work. By illustration: If three men operated a business as partners and it made \$75,000 profit, each of the three partners would have to report \$25,000 income and pay personal taxes on that amount. If the same three men owned all of the stock in a corporation which made \$75,000 in profit, they could pay \$50,000 in dividends, making each individual liable for personal income tax on the \$10,000 dividend. If the corporation retained \$25,000 of their profits without distributing it as dividends, the individual partners would escape payment of taxes and the entire \$75,000 would be theirs.

Next Sunday Is Mothers Day

In observance of Mother's Day, which falls on Sunday next, May 6, Mrs. Roy Skinner submits this poem. Are You Thinking of Mother? Do you remember the old home and the loved ones so fair? Do you remember your mother with her all-very hair? Do you remember the days when you were small, your mother was ready to answer your call? If you were sleepy and wanted a nap, you called for mother and climbed on her lap. If you were sick and needed care, it was your mother, who was always there. She looked after your medicine, saw it was right, your mother watched over you by day and by night. It was a mother's love that kept her awake. She never would murmur though her cares were great. Have you forgotten your mother? Are you giving her a thought? Has a letter been written or a present been bought? Have you asked about her health? If there's a thing you can do, are you sending a message to your mother so true? Better take up your pen and drop her a line. Why not do it now, there is no better time. Can you remember when your mother taught you the little prayer, say now in the little book you were tucked away with care? Don't you think your mother loved you, that she never can forget, don't you know the days of your childhood lit up with her yet? Do you think her love was lessened when from you she had to part? Do you think those days of parting caused an aching in her heart? Do you think she would rather think of your mother while she is young, than when she is old and bent? Do you think she would rather think of your mother while she is young, than when she is old and bent? Do you think she would rather think of your mother while she is young, than when she is old and bent?

More Than 5,000 Farmers and Farm Women Expected to Attend Annual Event

Raleigh, May 3.—Approximately 5,000 farm men and women, representing every section of the State, are expected to gather in Raleigh Tuesday, May 10, for the combined annual meeting of members of the North Carolina Cotton Growers Cooperative Association and patrons of the Farmers Cooperative Exchange, M. G. Mann, general manager of the two organizations, announced here today.



(Hugo S. Sims, Washington Correspondent.)

Hoey To Speak At "Co-op" Day Raleigh, May 10

The conflict between the House and the Senate on the \$5,300,000,000 revenue revision bill was settled as all such disagreements have to be settled in legislative bodies—by compromise. The Undistributed Profits Tax is retained in modified form, thus upholding the House, and the present system of taxing long-term capital gains as ordinary income is abolished in favor of the principle advocated by the Senate.

The event, which is held annually and is known as "Co-Op Day," will be held in the City Auditorium and will get underway at 10 o'clock with an address of welcome by Governor Clyde R. Hoey.

S. D. Sanders, Cooperative Bank Commissioner of the Farm Credit Administration, Washington, D. C., will deliver the principal address. Mr. Sanders, whose work as Cooperative Bank Commissioner keeps him in close contact with farm cooperatives all over the nation, will discuss cooperative principles in general. Mr. Sanders has a firm grasp of the practical as well as the theoretical side of cooperation, having built up, as general manager, a strong egg producers cooperative on the Pacific Coast.

A full and detailed report on the last year's operation of both the Cotton Association and the FCX will be presented to the assembled members by Mr. Mann and the meeting will then be thrown open for a general discussion from the floor.

One of the highlights of the day will be the induction into office of the directors for the coming year. The directors of the Cotton Association have already been nominated and will be voted on by postcard ballot prior to May 10th, while the directors of FCX will have been elected in a series of district meetings.

We hope to have every county in the State represented at the annual meeting. Mr. Mann said as he issued a blanket invitation for all cooperative members to be present and learn more about their farmer-owned and farmer-controlled cooperatives, the Cotton Association and the FCX.

Pitt TB Clinic Is Scheduled

Dr. N. Thomas Ennett, Pitt County Health Officer announced today the annual State Tuberculosis Clinic will begin in Pitt County on Monday, May 9. This Clinic is conducted by the State Extension Department of the State Sanatorium, the local Health Department co-operating. The schedule for these clinics is as follows:

Monday, May 9th. Farmville City Hall, second floor. Tuesday, May 10. Farmville, City Hall, second floor. Wednesday, May 11. Bethel, Tax office, next to Postoffice. Thursday, May 12. Grimesland, Dr. C. H. Spiggie's office. Friday, May 13. Ayden, City Hall, second floor. May 16th through May 20, Greenville Health Department offices 215 West Third Street. Hours: 9 to 12 and 1 to 4, except Mondays—Mondays 10 to 12 and 1 to 4.

It is desired that all patients be referred by the family physician in order that report may be made to him. Both white and colored people are eligible to the clinic. There is no charge for the physical or fluoroscopic examination or the tuberculin test, there is a charge for X-ray where the patient is able to pay for it, but there is no charge for X-ray if the physician or the Welfare officer recommends that no charge be made. In these cases the charge will be paid out of the Tuberculosis Seal Sale fund.

The early symptoms of Tuberculosis are loss of weight, loss of appetite, being too easily fatigued, chronic hacking cough with or without expectoration and some temperature in the afternoon. Spitting of blood should always be looked upon as a sign of tuberculosis until proven otherwise. The patient should take these early signs seriously and not think they will escape the person who is subject to tuberculosis.

Dr. Ennett expressed the hope that all persons who had been living in the house with a case of tuberculosis or who had one in the family would take this opportunity to have a physical examination.

List Pitt Jurors To Serve Three Weeks Civil Court

Monday, May 16, at Ayden High School 4:30 P. M.

Greenville, N. C., May 5.—Jurors lists for three weeks of Pitt Superior court, all civil, to be held here during this month were released today. The first session will begin Monday, May 9, to be followed by the weeks of May 23 and May 30. The three lists follow:

Week of May 9th Dan Whitley, Bethel township; J. H. Burney, Swift Creek; Robert Lee Smith, Farmville; W. F. Carroway, Farmville; G. N. Edwards, Winterville; J. M. Wooten, Falkland; Drew Allen, Farmville; Geo. Lane, Jr., Farmville; J. F. Parker, Falkland; K. P. Jolly, Ayden; D. M. Nichols, Greenville; Ernest Brown, Greenville; Sam Hardee, Swift Creek; J. D. Patchelor, Bethel; J. G. Clark, Greenville; E. L. Beaman, Farmville; Charlie Foster, Belvoir; Reuben Whitehurst, Bethel; J. L. Brown, Bethel; W. E. Small, Greenville; John W. Stocks, Greenville; R. W. Vainwright, Beaver Dam; C. E. Langston, Winterville; J. Sam Fleming, Greenville; C. A. Crandall, Carolina; Moses Tyson, Beaver Dam; Jesse P. Wilson, Chococ; C. G. Moore, Farmville; J. W. Tetterton, Bethel; Fred Broadwall, Winterville; C. E. Pittman, Farmville; W. J. Fullford, Farmville; Frank Windom, Belvoir; Robert James, Carolina; W. S. Brown, Bethel; J. T. Everett, Belvoir.

Week of May 23rd E. G. Ward, Bethel; W. A. Dunn, Belvoir; F. L. Whitehurst, Greenville; H. H. May, Winterville; Joe Jones, Falkland; Oliver Onell, Beaver Dam; Hubert Gay, Fountain; J. B. Bell, Belvoir; J. H. Brooks, Chococ; Dennis Brey, Bethel; J. R. Holton, Ayden; J. B. Eagles, Fountain; John E. Wilkerson, Beaver Dam; J. W. Joyner, Beaver Dam; J. H. S. Hodges, Ayden; J. H. Burney, Chococ; Charlie Rollins, Bethel; J. L. Ross, Jr., Carolina; J. Arthur Elks, Greenville; David Martin, Carolina; Arthur Savage, Winterville; Marcus Little, Pacolus; C. A. Mussetwhite, Greenville; Solomon Scott, Belvoir; J. H. Boyd, Greenville; J. F. Warren, Carolina; B. K. Whitehurst, Bethel; Blaney Sumrell, Ayden; J. P. Dawson, Ayden; Sauls Haddock, Swift Creek; L. P. Dudley, Greenville; R. L. Fulford, Beaver Dam; J. R. Little, Fountain; Foust Johnson, Ayden; Rodgers Smith, Greenville; Joseph Moore, Farmville.

Week of May 30th A. R. Barrett, Greenville; J. L. Ross, Pacolus; Arthur Williams, Swift Creek; J. B. Bullock, Belvoir; V. C. Fleming, Greenville; F. E. Dickerson, Beaver Dam; W. L. Nelson, Carolina; B. L. Bateman, Beaver Dam; Harold Staton, Bethel; H. C. Smith, Greenville; J. L. Brown, Falkland; J. Turner Owens, Farmville; J. L. Savage, Greenville; E. R. Dudley, Greenville; Jos. D. Whitehurst, Carolina; S. Z. Kattrell, Farmville; J. E. Humble, Ayden; J. L. Spelght, Greenville; C. D. Clark, Belvoir; Roy Mayo, Belvoir; J. E. Strickland, Beaver Dam; Jodie Williams, Chococ; E. Andrews, Bethel; A. W. Flake, Greenville; Robt. J. Whitehurst, Bethel; Willie Bell, Beaver Dam; J. H. Collins, Ayden; A. L. Hathaway, Falkland; W. H. Bullock, Ayden; C. M. Tugwell, Farmville; E. R. Sermans, Farmville; R. A. Parker, Farmville; D. J. Spain, Belvoir; H. B. Mayo, Fountain; C. V. Whitehurst, Carolina; Ed Lee Hinson, Farmville.

President Approves Farmville Project Washington, D. C., May 4. — The W. P. A. has notified Representative Lindsey C. Warren that the President has approved a small sewerage project for the town of Farmville amounting to \$4,000. It must now be approved by the Comptroller General.

Bundy Appointed To Masonic Post

Greenville.—W. J. Bundy, Greenville attorney and prominent in Masonic circles, was appointed Junior Grand Steward, first line office leading to Grand Master, this week. Mr. Bundy was selected for the office by the new elected Grand Master, Harry T. Peterson, of Wilmington, at the concluding session of the Grand Lodge of Masons of North Carolina, held in Raleigh.

Another Masonic office was awarded Mr. Bundy recently when he was named Outer Guard of Sudan Temple.

Precinct Meeting Set For Saturday

W. E. Hooks, chairman of the Pitt County Democratic Executive Committee, has called a precinct meeting to be held in the Farmville City Hall on Saturday, May 7, at 2:30 o'clock. Dr. P. E. Jones is precinct chairman. All Democrats are urged to be present and take part in the Primary, which is for the purpose of selecting delegates to the County Convention in Greenville on May 24, and to elect an executive committee of five members for the next two years. At the County Convention, to be held in the County House in Greenville at 11:00 o'clock Saturday morning, May 14, the delegates to the State Convention will be elected. The State Convention will be held in Raleigh on Thursday, May 19 at 11:00 o'clock.

HD FOR OLYMPICS

Cairo, Egypt.—London, Helsinki, Athens, Budapest and Lausanne were the five bidders for the 1944 Olympic Games. Surprised at the choice of a bid from Rome, officials pointed out that the Italian city could enter its bid only three hours before the U. O. C. meeting in London next week.

Ralph Harbour, Jr., 4-H club member, was one of the speakers at the County Convention.