



PAUSE TO REFRESH - Bridegroom Billy McNeill, on floor, takes a sip of liquid refreshment after being hauled back to the altar by the shotgun-wielding father, Wayne Manning. Bride, Jimmy Wood; flower girl, David Upchurch, and weeping mother - of - the bride (seated) Steve Plummer wait to get back to the ceremony in the womanless wedding staged at Hoke High last Friday to raise funds for stadium improvements.



DEARLY BELOVED - The lucky bridegroom, Billy McNeill, stands ready to exchange vows with his bride, Jimmy Wood, while the father of the bride, Wayne Manning, keeps watch in the womanless wedding presented by the Hoke High students to raise money for stadium improvements. The bride's mother, Steve Plummer, looks on.

Rockfish News

By Mrs. A. A. McInnis

The community extends sympathy to Mrs. W. C. Moseley in the death of her husband who passed away last Saturday and was buried at Cumberland Cemetery Sunday.

Timmy Strickland came home Tuesday of last week after a few days at Cape Fear Valley Hospital. He had a light case of Hepatitis and has been having to have bed rest for awhile.

Mrs. Julian Barnes, president of Rockfish Homemakers Club, Mrs. Douglas Monroe, secretary - treasurer and Mrs. Floyd Monroe attended the District Extension Homemakers meeting at Winston - Salem last Wednesday.

The Rev. Russell Fleming was installed as pastor of Galatia Church last Sunday p. m. at 5 o'clock. Elder Bill Harmon, chairman of the pulpit committee and one of the commission, introduced the other members of the commission who were the Rev. Cheves K. Ligon, the Rev. Leighton McKeithan of Fayetteville, the Rev. Louis C. LaMotte of Maxton, Dr. Roger Decker of Laurinburg, Honorable Robert W. Scott, Elder of Raleigh, Nathan Fleming of Mebane and Elder Malcolm Clark of Fayetteville. The Rev. Leighton McKeithan preached the installation sermon, Elder Nathan Fleming, brother of the new pastor, charged the pastor and Elder Robert W. Scott charged the congregation. A supper was served cafeteria style in the assembly hall following the installation. Chairs and tables were arranged in the Sunday School rooms where tea and coffee were served. It was a delightful occasion and there were many welcome guests, too numerous to mention. Among them were the Rev. Douglas Kelly, pastor of Raeford and Philippi Presbyterian Church and his parents Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kelly of Lumberton. The Rev. Russell Fleming's brother who delivered the charge to him said it was the first time he had been invited to tell his brother what to do but he did a good job and so did the Governor of North Carolina in charging the congregation and now both pastor and people are ready to work together for all the causes for which the church of Christ stands.

Guest of Mrs. N. J. Ritter last Sunday p. m. was Owen H. Willis of Dunn.

Jimmy Turner of Goldsboro visited his mother Mrs. Dewey Sessoms and his step father Mr. Sessoms Friday.

Wilson Sessoms of Glenn Burnie, Md. was met at Grannis Airport Sunday p. m. by Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Sessoms and spent Sunday night with them. He also visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Welch, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Chason and Mr. and Mrs. Carry Lee Quick for a short time this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Berry, O. G. and Cathy Berry and Frank Sujka were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Berry and daughter Denise of Fayetteville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Brock and daughter Mrs. James Culp visited Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Brown of Raleigh Sunday. They were joined at the home

of Mr. and Mrs. Brown by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Yeagan of Durham. Mrs. Culp went home with the Yeagans and is spending a few days with them this week.

Larry Chason was at home from school Monday with tonsillitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shockley left Sunday for a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shockley of Washington, D. C. the first of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Dees of Florence, S. C. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Dees a short time last Sunday.

Mrs. Hunter Forbis of Lumber Bridge visited her mother Mrs. S. N. McColl Sunday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Monroe Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Monroe and children Lynn and Chuck of Fayetteville.

Mrs. Will Monroe got home last Thursday after only a few days at Duke Hospital. Her illness was not considered too serious. She is doing okay and will be treated by a local physician.

Mrs. William Barefoot was taken back to Cape Fear Valley Hospital to have her burn dressed last week and the doctors thought she was recuperating satisfactorily.

Mrs. Ethel D. Gibson, Mrs. W. H. Schell and Mrs. Virginia Bounds attended funeral services for their last aunt Mrs. T. P. Bryd at Mt. Gilead last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Baker of Cameron who came for the installation service at Galatia Sunday evening spent the night with Mrs. Floyd Monroe. Mrs. Baker stayed for a longer visit with her sister Mrs. Monroe this week when Mr. Baker returned home Monday.

Ronald Monroe spent a long weekend with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Monroe. He returned to Wingate College Sunday.

Judy Gillis student at Appalachian University at Boone, spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Gillis and her grandmother Mrs. M. D. Gillis, Sr.

Guests of Mrs. A. A. McInnis and Thomas McInnis last Sunday p. m. were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Posey and sons Anthony and Mark of Raeford, Danny McInnis of Lexington and Miss Gary Clark of Richmond, Va. and Mr. and Mrs. Angus C. McInnis of Wagram.

Mr. and Mrs. William Barefoot's Saturday guests were Mr. and Mrs. L. Coleman of Fayetteville. All of their children and grandchildren visited them Sunday except James Allen Barefoot who is at the Naval Base, Great Lakes, Ill. Other Saturday guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee, Mrs. Marshall Newton and Mrs. Walter Brock and Miss Alma Capps who came Sunday evening and brought Mrs. Barefoot flowers from the church and a plate from the church supper. Mr. and Mrs. Mack Capps of Sanford spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Barefoot.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McColl and children Linda, Diane, Tom Jr., Kimberly and Kevin were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Butch Posey last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. June Rogers and sons Craig and Keith were Sunday dinner guests of Maj. and Mrs. James Attaway and sons Jimmy and Robert.

Mrs. Henry Fowler and daughters Carol and Kathy and Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Tanner visited Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Powers of St. Pauls Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeno Allen of Red Springs on their way home.

Relatives here received a message Tuesday a. m. of the death of James A. Smith of Maxton who passed away Monday night.

A large number of boys and girls from the Rockfish 4-H Club received awards at Raeford last Friday night. Among them were Mark Heath who won first place in "Tree Identification", Marilyn Barnes won in "Foods and Nutrition", Unit 3, Paul Barnes, "Personal Appearance", boys No. 2, Kenneth Barnes, "Bicycle Safety", No. 1 and he was also Jr. Health King.

Others from the Rockfish 4-H Club who received awards on an achievement night were Theresa McCraney, Jennie Monroe, Barbara Jones, Robert Attaway, Julie Turner, Lawrence Charles and David Willis and there may have been others.

The Rockfish Senior 4-H Club completed their project of painting mailboxes in the Rockfish Community. After finishing painting Saturday, they enjoyed pizza at Jane Barne's home. The club would like to thank those people who had us to paint their mailboxes.

Mrs. A. W. Wood was admitted to Highsmith-Raney Memorial Hospital Tuesday a. m. for X-Rays and tests to determine the cause of her illness.

The Philippi Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mattlock Monday night with 12 present. The demonstration on clothing was given by Mrs. Harold Monroe. Just as the club meeting was over, the Mattlock's daughter and her husband Mr. and Mrs. Frank House of Oregon arrived to spend a week or more with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Mattlock and her brother Michael.

Mrs. R. W. Posey, Mrs. J. D. Mattlock and Mrs. James Attaway were among those who attended the District Extension Homemakers Club meeting at Winston - Salem from the Philippi Club. They went to Old Salem and also visited Mrs. Posey's sister Mrs. T.R. Stamey of Winston - Salem.

Gilbert M. Ray, who recently came home from Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., started to work at Tex Elastic Mill in Raeford Wednesday.

Lacy Koonce and son Lacy III of Lumberton visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Herman Koonce last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McPherson and children Tom, Jr., Davis and Elizabeth spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Parker. Mrs. McPherson and her father D. K. Parker visited John Parker at Moore Memorial Hospital Sunday p. m.

Mrs. Mary Shewbridge, who has been with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lovette for some time, went

back to Florida last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McCraney and daughters Carolyn and Theresa attended the Expo at the Coliseum in Fayetteville Sunday p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Bundy of Rt. 3, Fayetteville were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bundy Sunday night.

Buddy Wright of Ft. Jackson, S. C. spent the past weekend at home.

The folks of Galatia Community thought the Honorable Robert W. Scott came to their beloved country church to take part in the installation of the Rev. Russell Fleming until, as Chub Seawell says, they "saw in the paper" where he came to Fayetteville to perform that mission.

Rose Cites Farm Needs In Talk Before Kiwanis

Democratic Congressional candidate Charles G. Rose of Fayetteville told Raeford Kiwanians last Thursday that as congressman he would work to see that the farmer receives just and deserving profit for his labor.

"Agriculture is still the backbone of the economy of southeastern North Carolina and must not neglect the farmer," he said.

"At no time in history has farming been such a marginal operation," Rose said. "A great many people are aware of this, but very little is being done about it."

Rose said he would seek a position on the House Agriculture Committee. He cited problems now facing the

farmer such as higher production costs, shrinking labor supply, high property taxes and high interest rates.

"When you add to these problems an uncertainty about the continuation of existing government farm programs there are burdens on the agricultural economy that the farmer cannot stand at this time," he said.

Basic farm legislation such as acreage allotments and price supports were only extended to 1970 and will soon expire, he pointed out. Already eliminated are advanced feed grain payments and the seven per cent investment credit as an income tax deduction, he said. In addition, the administration is considering a fee system for tobacco and cotton graders Rose told the Kiwanis members.

"The farmer wants to stand on his own two feet in the market place. He wants to be able to bargain effectively to receive a fair return for his labor. However, until some way is found to give the farmer this new strength in the market place we must not see the federal government turn its back on him. We must keep all of our existing programs strong," Rose said.

He also said as Congressman

he would maintain two offices in the district

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I wish to thank all my friends and relatives for their sympathy and kindness to me during the recent illness and death of my husband, William C. Moseley.

Mrs. Alma Moseley 45C

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Coming Next "BEN-HUR"



CAMPAIGN LEADERS - Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crumpler will head the 1970 Cancer fund drive in Hoke County.

Crumplers Lead Cancer Drive

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crumpler will lead Hoke County in the 1970 educational and fund-raising Crusade of the American Cancer Society starting April 1.

"We're out to tell people that it's what they don't know about cancer that can hurt. We mean to instruct them in personal ways of protecting themselves against cancer."

The emphasis is on action in the 1970 Crusade, which is under the national

Deer Killed When Struck By Two Cars

A deer was struck by two cars and killed Sunday night near the Sanatorium at McCain.

A car driven by Susan Styres Daniels of Raeford struck a deer as it darted across the road and knocked it into the path of an oncoming car driven by Danny Edmond Davis of Thomasville.

There were no injuries and no charges were made. Highway Patrolman E. W. Coen, who investigated the accident, said. He estimated damages to be \$150 to the Daniel car and \$75 to the Davis car.

chairmanship of Fess Parker, familiar to millions of film and TV viewers as the hero of Daniel Boone and other adventure stories.

"We'll be marshaling the efforts of volunteers in Hoke County to bring home the message - 'Fight cancer with a checkup and a check.' We bring to the post an energetic commitment to the fight against cancer. We have a triple aim this April.

First, we want to encourage every member of the county to have a regular health checkup, including cancer tests. Examples of these tests are the Pap test for early detection of uterine cancer, and the procto, an examination for a common cancer, cancer of the bowel.

Second, we hope to teach people protective measures against cancer. By that we mean personal action, for example the use of caution in the sun to avoid skin cancer. Another example is quite famous - an end to cigarette smoking to prevent most lung cancer.

Third, we must raise the money to support vital ACS programs of research, education and service to cancer patients. We look to the laboratories for the final solution to the cancer problem. Today there are 1.5 million Americans alive and cured of cancer. What tomorrow may bring depends on the imagination and expertise of scientists and the support of us all."

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