

LOCALS



Letterman, Myers Vows Exchanged

Miss Mary Ann Letterman of Greensboro and George Herbert Myers of Atlanta, Ga., were married on June 19th at 4:00 p. m., in the Green Mountain Presbyterian Church. The Rev. Bert Styles of Newdale officiated at the double ring ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clasen Letterman of Green Mountain. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Webb Myers of Candor, N. C.

Mr. Letterman gave his daughter in marriage. She wore a sheath of candlelight satin embroidered in sequins and pearls, with a floor length train. Her veil was attached to a cluster of orange blossoms and pearls. She carried a white orchid on a prayer book, with streamers of stephanotis.

Mrs. Royce Carroway of Newport News, Va., cousin of the bride, was matron of honor, and Mrs. Lester Davis of Fayetteville, Miss Sadie Myers and Miss Rebecca Myers, sisters of the bridegroom, were bridesmaids. They wore dresses of turquoise with matching bandeaux and carried pink roses. Katy Peterson, cousin of the bride, was flower girl.

John Walton Myers, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. Ushers were Jack Lee of

Atlanta, Johnny Harris of Candor, and Richard Beam of Shelby.

The bride's mother wore a blue silk sheath with blue accessories. The bridegroom's mother wore a deep pink shantung dress with white accessories.

A program of wedding music was rendered by John Bailey of Morganton, who sang "Whither Thou Goest", and "The Lord's Prayer". Sue Letterman of Boone accompanied him on the organ.

The bride's traveling costume was a rose colored silk dress with full length sleeveless coat.

The bride has a BS Degree from Appalachian State Teachers' College. She will be with DeKalb County Schools next year.

The groom also holds a BS from Appalachian. He is an auditor with Fulton Industries of Atlanta.

The young couple will reside at 1886 North Aken Drive, Atlanta, Georgia.

A cake cutting was held after rehearsal on Friday night in the church social hall. Assisting were Mrs. Bill Young, Mrs. Claude Peterson and Miss Lo Della Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Fox and daughters, Jane and Melissa, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Fox and sons, Randy and Russie of Winston-Salem, and Glen Fox of ASTC Boone, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Fox over the week-end.

Rev. and Mrs. Harold McDonald and children, Carol, Hal and Susan, are visiting relatives in Alabama this week. Rev. Robert Melvin of Mars Hill College will fill the pulpit at the First Baptist Church here while Rev. McDonald is on vacation.

Blankenship And Young Vows Made

Miss Jane Blankenship and Arliss Joé Young were united in marriage on June 19 in Groce Methodist Church by the Rev. Raymus Hilliard of Burnsville. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse B. Blankenship of Spindale and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Young of Burnsville.

Mrs. Young is a graduate of Western Carolina College and teaches at Lee H. Edwards High School. Mr. Young, a graduate of East Tennessee State University, is field auditor with the N. C. Department of Revenue. They will live at 141 Norwood Ave.

Mr. Blankenship gave his daughter in marriage. She wore a dress of lace and peau de sole with veil attached to a pearl coronet.

Miss Norma Blankenship, sister of the bride, was maid of honor and Miss Faye Crowe and Miss Melba Murphy of Spindale and Mrs. Norman Hensley of Kingsport, Tenn., were bridesmaids. They wore pink dresses with matching rosette beaddresses and carried nosegays. Danna Wortman and Marty Cundiff were child attendants. Candles were lit by Shelton Henson III.

Norman Hensley was best man and ushers were John O. Tilson and John Anderson of Mars Hill, Ray Beheler of Rutherfordton and Donald Coffin.

A reception in the church social hall followed the ceremony with Mrs. W. B. Martin, Mrs. Morris Hensley, Miss Laura Cline, Mrs. Dan B. Wortman and Mrs. Nelson Callahan of Goldsboro assisting.



MRS. ARLISS YOUNG ... the former Miss Jane Blankenship

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McIntosh of Rutherfordton, N. C., Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith and sons of Forest City and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Gross of Jefferson City, Tenn., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Monroe McIntosh during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Phoenix of Shelby visited his mother, Mrs. T. H. Phoenix last week. Lee is principal of schools in Cleveland County.

Miss Harriet Ellen Phoenix of Waynesville, N. C. was the guest of Miss Hattie Phoenix last week-end.

Mrs. Edd Marshbanks of Michigan is the house guest of Miss Ida Phoenix of Bakersville.

Mrs. Minnie Bell Edwards has returned home after spending a week with her son, Ellis Edwards and Mrs. Edwards of Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. James D. Edwards and children of Columbus Station, Ohio are spending this week with Mrs. Minnie Bell Edwards. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Edwards of Charlotte and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Edwards of Spruce Pine also visited Mrs. Edwards last week-end.

Major and Mrs. N. B. Laughrun of Rosser Air Force Base, La. visited Mr. and Mrs. Ike Laughrun and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Laughrun here last week. Major Laughrun has been transferred to the Air University at Maxwell Air Force Base, Alabama.

Mrs. W. L. Bennett and Mrs. Hattie Peterson returned to their homes here Sunday after a week's visit with their brother, Back Byrd, and Mrs. Byrd in Marion. Mrs. E. L. Briggs went to Marion for Mrs. Bennett and Mrs. Peterson and Mrs. L. E. Briggs accompanied her.

Miss Lillian Presnell and Mrs. Haskel Presnell of Thomasville, Ga. visited relatives here last week. Miss Presnell returned to Thomasville Monday and Mrs. Presnell will visit with her daughter, Mrs. Tommy Gibbs, and family at Newdale this week and return to Thomasville next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Smith are vacationing at Carolina Beach. They are accompanied by Mrs. Smith's niece, Patte Holcombe.

The Misses Jessamine and Co Inna Gant of Burlington, N. C., have returned to Burnsville to spend the summer in their cottage here.

Miss Betty Cooper has returned home from the Yancey Hospital after her stay there for mononeuclosis.

Miss Ramona Penland is at home again after her brief stay in the Yancey Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Chaffin of Cleveland, Tenn. were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Roberts last week-end. Forester Chaffin represented the Tennessee Supervisors Office in the Tennessee Rhododendron Festival held on Roan Mountain last week-end.

Col. and Mrs. Sam J. Huskins, Jr. and sons, Gary and Kirk, are here from Macon, Ga. to spend two weeks vacation with Col. Huskins' mother and sister, Mrs. Sam J. Huskins and Peggy.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Randolph and young daughter of Newport News, Va. were guests of relatives here last week-end.

BYRD CREEK NEWS

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Mr. and Mrs. Glen Maddox and children of Columbus, Mich., arrived here at Byrd Creek last Friday morning where they will spend several days visiting with Mrs. Maddox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Hughes. They will also visit with Mrs. Maddox's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Barnett, and a brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Hughes.

Mrs. Stewart Jones and children of Pennsylvania are here at this writing visiting with her mother, Mrs. Dela Hopson. They will also visit with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hopson, also of Byrd Creek.

Jack Norman of Newland was here last week buying boxwoods. Mr. Norman was accompanied by another man.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hughes and daughter Connie of Pennsylvania started back home last Thursday morning, June 17th, after spending about six days here visiting with his parents, and a brother and sister.

Here we would like to thank all of the readers who sent us postcards for the drawing which took place at noon on Saturday, June 19th. Names of those sending us cards are as follows: Mrs. Julia Edwards of Burnsville; Maggie Hensley, Burnsville; Mrs. Essie Campbell of Dearborn, Mich.; Mrs. Barbara B. Stiles of Philadelphia, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fellaux of Baltimore, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bryant, of Glenwillard, Pa.; and Mrs. C. E. Pate of Burnsville.

The winner of the drawing was Mrs. Essie Campbell, 2305 Outer Drive, Dearborn, Michigan. Congratulations to Mrs. Campbell. A dazzling ornament will be mailed to Mrs. Campbell as a gift of winning.

Luther Peterson spent the night of June 12th here visiting relatives.

Dave Horton of the Bailey Settlement area was here last week on business. John Horton, Dave's son, was also here too, on business.

Mrs. Ephlee Peterson of Pigeon Creek was here last week visiting with Mrs. Willie Barnett.

The partridges here in this area are just about all gone. This writer June 13th heard several partridges in the vicinity of Union Hill. These were the first I had heard since June 20, 1964, when I heard one singing in the town of Burnsville.

Wilbur Barnett was at Spruce Pine Saturday, June 12th, where he was on business. Mr. Barnett was accompanied by this reporter. We also were in the town of Burnsville twice the same day!

Mrs. Barbara B. Stiles of Philadelphia, Pa., was here at Dog Flat Hollow one day recently. Mrs. Stiles says she is a reader of this column. Mrs. Stiles was accompanied here by her son.

Mrs. Sena Ray, who has been in the Banner Elk Hospital for several months and recently was transferred to her son's home at Marion, N. C., is back here at this writing, visiting with her relatives and friends. Mrs. Ray underwent surgery while in the

hospital. Bobby Barnett of Pigeon Roost spent the night of June 17th in Johnson City visiting with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Creed Estep and family.

Mrs. Dorse Terrell of Bakersville was here last week-at the home of Mrs. Willie Barnett on business.

G. D. Barnett was at Asheville last Friday on business with the Social Security Administration.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Murphy, also of Lenoir, was here over the week-end visiting with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Dewey G. Hughes.

Rev. Burnie Arrowood and Eddie Lingerfelt of Erwin were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Asmie McCourry of the Dog Flat Hollow area Sunday, June 20th.

The weather situation here in this area is quite like autumn as to the temperature here the other day. A reading of 37 (thirty-seven) degrees was recorded here at the weather station last Saturday morning, June 19th. It was the coldest ever recorded for the time of the year. Approximately seven years ago, in the month of June, the temperature dropped considerably. Otherwise, we were not keeping a record of the temperatures at that time.

Luther Hughes of the upper section of Pigeon Roost was here at Byrd Creek two days last week. On one of Mr. Hughes' trips he had been in Rock Creek, there where he had picked several gallons of cherries. The cherry industry here in this area this year was really great. Evidently, after the heavy rains last week, the cherries most of all spoiled on the trees, and was merit enough for use.

Willie Barnett of Byrd Creek was in again in the Banner Elk Hospital at this writing. Mr. Barnett was taken to the hospital one day last week after his condition recently grew worse. Several friends and relatives from this area have been to the hospital to visit Mr. Barnett.

Several attended the decoration service held at the Union Hill Cemetery Sunday, June 13th.

(tax list continued)

PRICES CREEK TOWNSHIP		
Bill Arrowood, 5 A		10.30
Mrs. Ora Austin, 10 A		4.21
Bascombe Ayers, 40 A		21.04
B. S. Baker, 48 A		32.14
Lee Baker & Bill Shepherd, 25 Acres		11.65
Robert Lee Baker, 5 A		23.08
George Ball, 5 1/2 A		3.69
Charles C. Banks, 38 A		36.22
Robert Banks, 95 A		31.49
Hubert Banks, 175 A		180.83
W. B. Banks, 57 A		26.06
Frank & Juanita Black, 6 Acres		32.30
Etta Blankenship (Mrs. J. M.), 31 A		9.86
Clyde Chandler, 37 A		56.55
Ted Cole, c. W. H. Buckner, 24 Acres		10.72
E. A. Hensley, Est. c.		
Max Horton, 8 A		2.81
Lum Honeycutt, 19 A		47.80
Ruby Honeycutt, 14 A		23.72
Jess L. Laughrun, 2 1-4 A		54.03
Hugh McIntosh, 33 A		14.13
Mrs. W. L. McPeters 35 A		19.69
Lee O. Maney, 55 A		91.03
Coy Metcalf, 81 A		40.25
H. P. Norton, 70 A		46.45
Eugene Patton, 2 A		32.02
Glen Penland, 1/2 A		25.75
H. H. Penland, 16 1/2 A		37.55
Hubert Penland, 56 A		48.45
Wayne Penland, 8 A		29.28
Ralph Proffitt, 95 A		174.19
Keise Ray, Hrs. 62 A		38.22
Douglas Robinson, 30 A		39.96