

GREENWOOD NEWS

Grace Young, Reporter

Miss Mary Elizabeth Merrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Merrick of Whitesville, became the bride of J. Clifford Good, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Good of Greenwood, Saturday in the Christian and Missionary Alliance Church Chapel in Whitesville. The Rev. Robert Wood performed the double-ring ceremony at 2 p. m. before the altar decorated with palms and candles.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a floor-length gown of white velvet, styled with a bateau neckline and bell sleeves edged with fur and seed pearls. The elbow length veil was caught to a headpiece of velvet petals. She carried a white Bible topped with a red rose.

Miss Anne Merrick of Whitesville was Maid of Honor for her sister. Miss Jane Merrick, another sister, was bridesmaid. They wore purple velvet gowns similar to the bride's, with matching headpieces. They each carried a long stemmed white rose.

Willard Good of Rochester was best man for his brother. John Merrick of Whitesville and Phillip Good of Greenwood, brothers of the bride and groom, were ushers.

Wedding music was played by Miss Ruth Wood and Misses Carol and Diane Good, sisters of the bridegroom.

A reception was held at the Whitesville Fire Hall for about 75 guests. The couple will live at Troy, N. Y.

The bride attended Whitesville Central School. The bridegroom was graduated from Canisteo Central School and State University and Technical College at Alfred. He is a Herdsman.

Guests attended from Rochester, Greenwood, Jasper and Westville, N. Y. and Lancaster, Westfield, Mohnton, Mt. Joy, New Holland, Ephrata and Litzitz, Pa.

Cafeteria Menus at Greenwood Central School for the week of February 8 - 12 are:

MONDAY — Hamburg with Roll, Buttered Corn, Cherry Cobler, choc or white Milk.

TUESDAY — Baked Chicken, Potato Salad, Prunes, Rolls, Pineapple, choc or white Milk.

WEDNESDAY — Hot Dog with Roll, Baked Beans, Waldorf Salad, Raisin Square, choc or white Milk.

THURSDAY — Pizza, Tossed Salad, Banana, choc or white Milk.

FRIDAY — Macaroni & Cheese, Stewed Tomatoes, Egg Salad Sandwich, Peaches, choc or white Milk.

A game scheduled Friday, February 12 at Bradford Central School and another game Friday February 19 at Troupsburg Central School. Friday night the Basketball teams went to Campbell Central School, losing by a score of 71 - 57. Bill O'Hargan was high scorer with 24 points and Harley Holt netted 14 points. Greenwood Javees won by a score of 63-50.

Coach Brownson reports his 7th and 8th Grade boys played Basketball at Andover Central School Saturday morning with Andover's 7th and 8th Grade boys, winning over Andover 58 - 34.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Muller report plans for a Boy Scout and Girl Scout combined dinner to be held at Greenwood Central School Thursday night, February 25.

Mr. and Mrs. James Murphy and sons, Mike and Billy, spent Sunday at Dunkirk with their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Wallie Glacier and new grandson.

Mrs. Marian Dixon is the elected Worthy Matron of Greenwood Chapter No. 874, Order of Eastern Star. Hayden Cook installed the Slate of Officers on January 18th assisted by Mrs. Janet Jackson as Marshall for the Installation. Officers are:

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Aid — Bernice Osmin
Ruth — Elaine Allen
Martha — Janet Jackson
Flower — Louise Nye

The Official Visitation of the District Officers to Greenwood Chapter No. 874 Order of Eastern Star will be March 15 in the Chapter Room of the Masonic Hall.

Marian Dixon, Matron and Hayden Cook, Patron of Greenwood Chapter OES, attended an Orientation Meeting and Dinner of District Officers at Howard, Monday night at 6:30.

Mrs. Florence Brownell entered the Bethesda Hospital Wednesday, Friday afternoon Mrs. Alvin Teribury, Mrs. William McDonough, Mrs. Frank Cook and Mrs. Max Hoyt called on her.

Mrs. George Angello returned home from the St. James Mercy Hospital, Saturday.

Franz Teribury went to Canisteo Wednesday to spend some time with his sister, Mrs. Luella Woodward.

Mrs. Bernice Osmin and Mrs. Daisy Teribury went to the Bethesda Hospital, Wednesday afternoon for volunteer work in the Snack Bar during a Clinic.

The WSCS of the United Methodist Church is holding their February meeting at the Church this week Thursday. The Pancake Supper is on the third Thursday, Feb. 18, with Clarence and Freda Stephens, Chairmen. It is for the benefit of the Carpet Fund in the Sanctuary. Serving begins at five o'clock until all are served.

The Rev. Gerald Wolter officiated at the funeral of Mrs. Addie Fox at the Crandall-Crandall

Funeral Home in Canisteo, Tuesday afternoon. She was the wife of Charles Fox on the Rock Creek Road and died Saturday after a long illness. She had lived in town over 15 years and was a member of the Greenwood Methodist Church.

Mrs. M. P. Wheeler received word last week of the death of her great niece, Mrs. Allen Hemker of Wellsboro, Pa., whose funeral was Friday.

Saturday, February 6 was Junior High and Vocal Auditions at Canisteo Central School with some tryouts from Greenwood Central School attending.

Thomas Cozman recently bought the Herman Wallace property from Mrs. Grace Wallace. Mr. and Mrs. Jan Sluyter and baby live in the house.

Tax Rules On Dependent Children

A \$625 exemption may be taken for a baby born anytime during the year as long as certain tests are met, John E. Foley, District Director, Internal Revenue Service, Buffalo, said today.

One of the basic requirements for claiming a child as a dependent is that the taxpayer provide more than half the child's support for the entire year. If a child is born, or dies, during the year this support test has to be met for the months the child was alive.

Another test for dependency is that the child must either be related to the taxpayer or be a member of the taxpayer's household.

The child must also be a citizen or resident of the United States to be claimed as a dependent. The exceptions to this rule are for a child who is a resident of Canada, Mexico, Panama or the Canal Zone.

Mr. Foley said the requirement that a person cannot have income of \$625 or more a year and be claimed as a dependent by another taxpayer does not apply to a child who is either under 19 at the end of the year or a full-time student for some part of five months of the year.

When the child is under 19 or is a full-time student his exemption could be claimed on different tax

returns. The child would claim his own exemption on the return he was required to file; his parents would still be entitled to claim his exemption on their return.

The child is considered a full-time student if he is enrolled at an educational institution that has a regular faculty and curriculum and has a body of students in attendance. Also, a child is considered a student if he is in a full-time on-farm training course that is under the supervision of an agent of a state or one of its political subdivisions.

Insurance Payments Received For Living Expenses Are Tax Free

Insurance payments covering living expenses incurred by the taxpayer when his home is damaged by fire, storm, or other casualty may be tax free, John E. Foley, District Director, Internal Revenue Service, Buffalo, announces. The exclusion is available when the taxpayer must find temporary living quarters while his home is being repaired.

People who have been denied access to their homes by governmental authority because of a threat of such a casualty are also entitled to the exclusion, Mr. Foley

said. The exclusion is limited to the excess of actual living expenses for the taxpayer and members of his household over normal living expenses, Mr. Foley said.

Personal Tax Exemption is Now \$625

The Tax Reform Act of 1969 raised personal and dependency exemption deduction for federal income tax from \$600 to \$625 for 1970, John E. Foley, District Director, Internal Revenue Service, Buffalo, has announced.

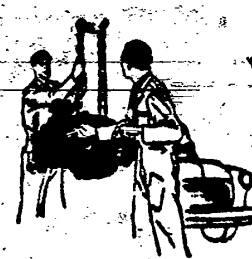
The extra exemption for taxpayers 65 or over or for those who are blind is also \$625.

The increase in dependency exemptions was accompanied by a change in the income test for claiming dependents. Previously a person had to have income of less than \$600 to qualify as a dependent. That amount has now been raised to \$625 for 1970.

The gross income test, however, does not apply to children under 19 or to full-time students, but parents still must furnish over half of the child's support and meet the other dependency requirements to claim him as a dependent, Mr. Foley said.

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