

SOCIETY

Miss Clara Lee Watts Is Bride Of Frank Huffman, Jr.

Miss Clara Lee Watts, daughter of Mrs. Finley C. Watts, of Purlear, and the late Rev. Mr. Watts, and Frank Huffman, Jr., son of Mrs. Frank Huffman, of Drexel, and the late Mr. Huffman, were united in marriage on Thursday, June the first, at the New Hope Baptist church at Purlear. Rev. Victor Watts, brother of the bride, heard the vows at eight o'clock using the double ring ceremony. Pines, white gladioli and white candles decorated the church.

Miss Lois Scroggs, pianist, and Miss Martha Lue Frazier, soloist, rendered a program of wedding music. Prior to the ceremony, Miss Scroggs played "Romance" (Rubenstein), and Schubert's Serenade. Miss Frazier sang "Ave Maria", "O Promise Me", and for the benediction, "The Lord's Prayer". As the vows were spoken Miss Scroggs sounded muted notes of "Clair de Lune" (Debussy), and the traditional wedding marches were used for the processional and recessional.

The bride, given in marriage by her uncle, J. L. Watts, wore a wedding gown of Japanese embroidered silk fashioned with a marquisette yoke, long sleeves and a train. Her veil of illusion was finger-tip length, and she carried a bouquet of white roses centered with a lavender orchid.

Mrs. W. H. Crews, of Lake Wales, Florida, matron of honor for her sister, was gowned in a pink lace dress over taffeta made with yoke of marquisette and net skirt. She wore pink lace gloves and for her flowers had a nosegay of blue asters.

Wilburn Berry, of Drexel, brother-in-law of the groom, served as best man. The ushers were Earl Franklin, brother-in-law of groom;

Officers Of North Wilkesboro Woman's Club Installed



The picture shows new and retiring officers of the North Wilkesboro Woman's Club. New officers were installed in the May meeting by Mrs. Edd Anderson of West Jefferson, state president. Reading left to right are: front row—Mrs. Ivey Moore, retiring president; Mrs. R. T. McNeil, new president; Mrs. Doris Brown, state radio chairman; back row — Mrs. Jack Swofford, corresponding secretary; Mrs. W. A. Hardister, retiring recording secretary; Mrs. C. Don Coffey, Jr., first vice-president; Mrs. C. B. Eller, second vice-president, and Miss Ruth Colvard, treasurer. (Photo by Lane's Studio.)

Clifton Garrison, Roy Rector, all of Drexel, and Earl Watts, brother of bride.

There was no reception but immediately after the ceremony the bridal party received guests in the vestibule of the church.

Mrs. Watts, mother of the bride, wearing a navy blue crepe dress, had a corsage of gardenias, and the groom's mother, Mrs. Huffman, dressed in black chiffon, also had a corsage of gardenias.

For a wedding trip to Gatlinburg, Tenn., the bride changed to a pink unlined suit, white batiste blouse, with which she used navy and white accessories. She pinned at her shoulder the orchid from her bouquet.

The couple will make their home at 1231 Park Street, Bowling Green, Kentucky, where the groom is a senior at the Bowling Green Business University. Before entering the University he served three years with the Fifth

Air Forces, part of the time being over seas duty.

The bride, a graduate of Mars Hill Junior College, has been employed for the past six years with the Northwestern Bank in North Wilkesboro.

Miss Nellie Gabriel Honored Twice

Mrs. Isaac Eller, Jr., and Mrs. Charles Day, Jr., included guests for five tables of cards when they entertained Thursday evening for Miss Nellie Gabriel at the Eller home in Finley Park. Miss Gabriel, who is to be married on June, the tenth, to R. H. Dillard, received from her hostesses a lovely corsage and a gift.

In the game of bridge high and low score prizes went to Mrs. Charles Sink, Jr., and Miss Helen Phillips, and in canasta Miss Ruby Kilby was the winner. The ices, in wedding molds, and the cake served at the beginning of play

carried a color note of green and white, while the place cards were attached to miniature bouquets of mixed sweet peas.

Another delightful courtesy for Miss Gabriel took place on Wednesday evening following the First Methodist church choir rehearsal, when the choir members assembled at the home of the pastor and his wife, Rev and Mrs. Russell L. Young, for an informal hour. Miss Gabriel, a member of the choir, received from the group a platter in her china. Around twenty were present and during the hour enjoyed tempting refreshments.

Dr. And Mrs. Hayes Entertain Club

Dr. and Mrs. William C. Hayes were hosts to the members of their monthly dinner-bridge club at their home in Wilkesboro Thursday evening. The group assembled at the Wilkes Hotel for dinner at seven o'clock, later go-

ing to the home of Dr. and Mrs. Hayes for their game of cards. Top score awards in bridge went to Miss Elizabeth McNeill and Charles O. McNeill, and in setback to Lloyd Phillips. Mrs. Robert Gambill received the bingo award. Bridge was played at three tables and setback at one table.

Miss Elizabeth McNeill, bride-elect and guest of Mrs. Lawrence Miller at the dinner, received from Mrs. Miller a corsage of white roses, and from Dr. and Mrs. Hayes a bridal gift.

Little Mountain Grange In Meeting

Little Mountain Grange met May 25 with a large crowd present. Mrs. T. W. Ferguson, county deputy, was present. Seven new members were taken in and one was re-instated. H. M. Willis, of Elkin, made a splendid talk on "Soil Conservation."

A committee composed of Dwight Barker, Marie Cockerham and Marvin Lee Cockerham was appointed to see about painting mail boxes in the community. Every member is asked to attend the next meeting to be held on June 22.

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