



Mrs. Chico Fair

Couple Exchange Vows

Miss Deborah Yvonne Wilson and Chico Domingo Fair were married at 1:30 p.m. Saturday in East Winston First Baptist Church. The Rev. William Saxe Epps and Dr. David R. Hedgley officiated.

Mrs. Fair is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Ulysses Wilson of Kentucky Ave. She attended Winston-Salem State University and Winslam College. She is a kindergarten teacher at Union Baptist Child Development Center.

The bridegroom attended Forsyth Technical Institute and works at Schlitz Brewery. Fair lived with his grandmother, Mrs. Coria Fair of Third Street. He is the son of Mrs. Jessie Fair Davis of Third Street.

Honor attendants were Mrs. Jerry Cooper, the bride's sister and Mrs. William Watkins. Attendants were Miss Jennifer Dillard, Miss Bernette Edmond, Miss Katrina Galloway, Miss Ritchie T. Graham, Miss Ann Carol Hanes, Mrs. Edward Joyner, Jr., Miss Anneice Pearson, Mrs. Pamela B. Towler, Miss Deborah Williams and Miss Linda C. Ledbetter. Child attendants were Little Miss Frenchie L. Wilson, Toshia C. Penn, and Mario Falls.

Donald E. Duncan was best man. Ushers were Charles N. Duncan of Washington, D.C., Charlie Armstrong, Jerry Cooper, George B. Evans, Jerry L. Hanes, Fredrick Norman Hunt, William Puryear, Joseph D. Raines, Daniel Webster, Derrick O. Fair, the bridegroom's brother and Amos Ulysses Wilson II, brother of the bride.

A reception was held

immediately following the wedding in the lower auditorium of the church. A private reception hosted by the groom's parents was held at the Les Arbres Club.

The couple will live on Antietam Drive.

PRE-NUPTIAL FETES

An After-Rehearsal Dinner hosted by the bride's sister, Mrs. Jerry Cooper, was held in the lower auditorium of the East Winston First Baptist Church on Friday evening.

Miss Deborah Yvonne Wilson and her mother, Mrs. A. Ulysses Wilson, were entertained at a Brunch in the home of Miss Ritchie T. Graham, bridesmaid. Additional hostesses were Mrs. Pamela B. Towler, bridesmaid, her mother, Mrs. William McGee and Mrs. Dorothy C. Graham, mother of Miss Graham.

Decorations were a centerpiece of fresh island fruits and the house was decorated throughout with fresh yellow and white wild flowers.

Miss Wilson was presented a corsage of white and yellow daisies and the bride's mother was presented a corsage of yellow mums.

Other guests were members of the bridal party.

A miscellaneous shower was given for Miss Deborah Yvonne Wilson in the home of Mrs. Edward Joyner Jr., bridesmaid and hostess. Mrs. Joyner also designed and made the wedding attire of all attendants and the bride's gown.

Youngsters Play Steel Drums

by Gwen Dixon
Staff Reporter

The Carribean Rhythm Band came to Winston-Salem last Friday and performed the Martin Luther King Recreation Center. The instruments were steel drums and the sound was nothing less than fantastic. The band is comprised of 15 to 25 high school students. Their leader is Jim Boyce from Trinidad.

The Trinidadian has toured 46 states in the country. He has been playing the steel drums for 20 years. "I received a standing ovation in Las Vegas in 1972," the musician said. He conveyed that he has appeared on the Mike Douglas Show and played with Liberace and Sergio Frank.

"I love the Carolinas and want to make a cultural contribution," he said. Boyce eagerly talks about the roots of the steel band which he says goes back to Africa. "During the ritual dances, bamboo was used to get different sounds and consequently it developed rhythmic patterns and different notes," he remarked. He demonstrated the different notes on the steel drum which he says represents all the notes in an orchestra.

Many will agree with Boyce that the black American gave blues and jazz to the world. "Out of black people's frustration came the blues and the blues gave way to jazz," he said.

Boyce expressed pride in his band. He said the youngsters have a deeper cultural unification to each other and Africa. "They have a greater sense of unity and motivation," he added.

In talking with some of the members Vanwessa Hood said

"it has taught me how to communicate through different types of music. Riccro Buggs said "it has taught me togetherness, getting along and staying together." Sandra White added "it has taught me a greater appreciation for music."

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