



MRS. BILL MARTIN

Miss Midyette And Mr. Martin Marry

Miss Mary Midyette of Durham and Bill Martin of Durham exchanged wedding vows on Saturday, May 1, in Mount Auburn Christian Church on Route 1, Manson. The Rev. Albert Gminder officiated at the ceremony.

Mrs. Martin is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Garland E. Midyette of Kimball's Point. Mr. Martin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martin of Raleigh. The bride was given in marriage by her father and wore a formal gown of acetate with appliques of lace design and a chapel-length train. Her fingertip veil of nylon tulle fell from a headpiece of lace.

Miss Laura Griffon of Zebulon was maid of honor. Miss Mary Buxton Gainey, niece of the bride was junior bridesmaid. Lisa Knisfel, niece of the groom, served as flower girl. The attendants wore formal length gowns of mint green and yellow respectively featuring an empire waist and scoop neckline. They wore flower headbands and the flower girl carried a basket of rose petals.

Best man was the groom's father. Ushers were Gene Midyette, brother of the bride, Cliff Brown, Jim Martin and Hank Martin, brothers of the groom.

Mrs. W. T. Brinkley of Durham, cousin of the bride, rendered the music. Mrs. Allen Kimball directed the wedding.

Mrs. Martin is a graduate of Needham Broughton High School and Chowan College. She is a nurse at Duke Hospital.

Mr. Martin is a graduate of Needham Broughton High School. He is training as a technician with the open-heart surgery team at Duke Hospital. The couple will reside in Durham.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Midyette entertained the wedding party and guests at their home with a pig picking. Tables were placed on the lawn fronting Kerr Lake. Music was furnished by cousins of the bride. The wedding cake was served by the bride's sister.

Hecht Wins Scout Honor

Eagle Scout Michael Paul Hecht was tapped out recently to undergo the Ordeal of the Order of the Arrow in the scouting program. The Ordeal was held at Camp Sam Hatcher in Newport, March 19 and 20. Young Hecht was among 55 candidates receiving honors at the camp during ceremonies on Saturday, March 20. The Order of the Arrow is an exclusive organization within the scouting program in which the candidates are elected by fellow members of their individual troop.

Michael is the 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Hecht of Newport and the grandson of Mrs. Ida B. Hecht and the late C. R. Hecht of Ridgeway. He was awarded his Eagle Badge in November and has been in the scouting program for five years with perfect attendance for three years.

He received the Bronze Palm recently at a Court of Honor, has achieved the Arrow of Light Award and earned 29 Merit Badges and eight skill awards. He is an eighth grade student at Newport Elementary School and a member of St. Paul Lutheran Church in Havelock. He has been accepted to serve as a staff member at Boy Scout Camp Herbert R. Bonner in Chocowinity from June 7 through August 1.



HECHT

Acteens Pay Visit To Home Mrs. Rowe

The Acteens of Sandy Creek Baptist Church and their leaders, Mrs. Becky Rowe and Mrs. J. Luke Gupton of Louisburg, made a special visit to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Edwards in the Cokesbury Community on Wednesday night. The girls brought a sunshine gift box and fruit basket. They sang songs to the Edwards family. Mr. Edwards has been an invalid for several years.

The girls were Misses Debrah Gupton, Brenda Aycock, Tammy Dickerson, Karen Hunter, Donna Elam and Maxine Benton. Mrs. Mollie Paschall served the group cake and Cokes. Miss Donna Paschall and Mrs. Carl P. Holtzman were also with the group.



MRS. THOMAS PAGE PERKINSON, JR.

Mr. Perkinson Weds Miss Manning

Marked by reverence and dignity, a three o'clock ceremony was performed Sunday afternoon, May 2, in Bethel Baptist Church, Bethel, uniting in marriage Miss Debra Jean Manning and Thomas Page Perkinson, Jr. The Reverend Curtis Tyler heard the exchange of vows.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Earl Manning of Bethel, the bride is a graduate of Peace College and of East Carolina University where she earned the B.S. degree in home economics.

The groom is the son of Mrs. Thomas Page Perkinson of Wise and the late Mr. Perkinson. The groom holds a degree in textile technology from North Carolina State University where he was a member and former commander of Sigma Nu Fraternity. He presently is employed with Harriet-Henderson yarns, Inc.

Mrs. Susan Cassidy, organist, and Miss Katherine Finklea, soloist, both of Greenville, rendered a program of nuptial music.

Mr. Manning gave his daughter in marriage. She wore a formal white gown of Maracaine knit with high neck featuring embroidered lace trim. The bodice was highlighted by a V-shaped yoke of English net with rows of pearls radiating from the neckline. Ruffled lace surrounded the yoke and extended over the sheer back. The long knit sleeves ended with cuffs of lace with pearl accents. The empire waist topped a softly gathered skirt bordered with lace and complemented by a chapel-length train edged in matching lace. Her elbow length veil with lace border was attached to a Camelot cap trimmed in matching lace and sewn with pearl beading. White orchids, ivy and Sweetheart roses formed her bouquet.

The bride had her sister, Miss Bonita Lynn Manning of Bethel, as her maid of honor. Her sleeveless gown of maize knit was styled with high neckline and modified natural waist. Over the gown she wore a bolero jacket of voile in floral patterns of blue, green, orange, white and maize. The jacket was fashioned with open maize lapel collar and long sleeves with ruffles at the wrists. She used as a headpiece a maize bow intertwined with baby's breath, and she carried a nosegay of yellow and white daisies.

Serving as bridesmaids were Miss Linda Carol Manning, sister of the bride, and Miss Ellen M. Heath, cousin of the bride, both of Bethel, and Mrs. Carolyn Johnson of Conetoe. Their gowns and headpieces were identical to those of the honor attendant and their flowers were smaller replicas of her bouquet.

Miss Toby Proctor of Durham, the bride's cousin, attended as flower girl. She wore a gown of maize knit with green trim, complemented by a headpiece matching those of the other attendants. Daisy petals filled her basket. Master Roby Ayers of Conetoe served as ring bearer.

The groom had John Lewis Hendrick of Henderson, his cousin, as best man. In the usher group were George E. Perkinson of Raleigh, John F. Perkinson of Henderson and Coleman Perkinson of Wise,

cousins of the groom; Hill Yancey of Henderson; and David Perry of Bethel.

Another cousin of the bride, Mrs. Lenwood Heath, directed the wedding.

Reception

The couple was honored at a reception in the fellowship hall of the church. Mr. and Mrs. J. Branch Bobbitt, Jr. registered visitors at a table holding a portrait of the bride.

Garlands of ivy, flowers and hanging baskets decorated the area, which was illuminated by candlelight from burning white tapers in candelabra. Wedding bells were suspended at intervals.

Covered with white linen, the refreshment table held a silver punch bowl and trays and crystal accessories. Mrs. Bill Whicheard of Bethel, Mrs. Roy C. James of Conetoe and Mrs. Billy Barnhill of Route 2, Robersonville, decorated the hall.

A five-tiered wedding cake iced in yellow and white centered the bride's table. This was served along with punch and other delicacies.

On their departure, guests spoke goodbyes to Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. James.

Later the couple left on a wedding trip to Myrtle Beach, S. C. They will be at home in Henderson after May 5.

Courtesies

An after rehearsal party on Saturday night in Holiday Inn, Greenville, honored Miss Debra Jean Manning and Thomas Page Perkinson, Jr. Host and hostesses for the affair were Mrs. Page Perkinson of Wise, mother of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. J. Branch Bobbitt, Jr. of Madison, brother-in-law and sister of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Hendrick of Norlina, his uncle and aunt, and John L. Hendrick of Henderson, the groom's cousin.

Hot and cold hors d'oeuvres were served to family and friends attending.

That same evening at the same location the pair was entertained at a pre-rehearsal dinner.

Entertaining at that occasion were Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bowers, Mr. and Mrs. James Dupree, Mr. and Mrs. C. X. James, Mrs. W. O. Manning, Lenwood Heath, Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Edmondson and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Keel, all of Bethel; Mrs. Horace Tetterton, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bunting and Mrs. Annie Manning.

Special Program To Be Held At Oine

The annual Womans-Mother's Day Service will be observed Sunday, May 9, at 4 p. m. at the Chapel Hill Baptist Church in the Oine community.

The speaker for the occasion will be Mrs. Maggie H. Davis of Henderson. She is retired from the public school system and a member and ardent worker in the Brookston Baptist Church in Henderson.

Chapel Hill will honor all "Golden Age Women" (70 plus) at this service. The public is invited.

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Zion 4-H Club Meets At King Home

The Zion 4-H Club held its regular meeting on April 29 at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Alice King. Gene Rooker, acting president, called the meeting to order and led all discussions. Robie Karbas led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag and

Cynthia King led the 4-H Pledge and gave the devotion. A study of "Our National Anthem" was given for the program by Tommie Craft. Four members are planning to give demonstrations on May 20 in the County Contest. They

are Tommie Craft, Robie Karbas, Cynthia King and Fran Rooker.

Refreshments were served by Gene and Fran Rooker.

Mary Pickford is 83 years old.

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**Annual Meeting of Members of
The Halifax Electric Membership Corporation
To Be Held Saturday
May 8, 1976**

Time: **12:45 P.M.**

Place: **Enfield High School Auditorium**

12:45 P.M. - Registration Opens

1:00 P.M. - Variety Show

**2:00 P.M. - Business Meeting Opens
Election of Directors
Drawing of Prizes**

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