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AT ST. AGNES CHURCH — Saturday Afternoon Wedding Here Unites Miss Phillips And Meech

Miss Patricia Louisa Phillips, daughter of Mrs. Louis Brian Phillips and the late Mr. Phillips, of Franklin, became the bride of Frank Richardson Meech, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. G. Meech, of Columbia, S. C., Saturday, June 20, at four o'clock in the St. Agnes Episcopal Church.

The Rev. Ralph K. Webster, chaplain of Christ School, Arden, and the Rev. John W. Tucker, rector of St. Agnes, officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

The wedding music was presented by Mrs. H. W. Cabe, organist, and Mrs. Charles Gidney, soloist. Mrs. Gidney sang "O Perfect Love" and "The Lord's Prayer".

The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother-in-law, Roy M. Biddle, Jr., wore a dress of imported chantilly lace and net over taffeta. The fitted bodice was fashioned with a portrait neckline and the long lace sleeves ended in calla lily points over the hands. The skirt featured a deep scalloped tunic of lace over the

buffant skirt of net, which fell in a chapel train. Her fingertip veil of imported illusion was attached to a tier of seed pearls and sequins. She carried a bouquet of white roses, centered with a white orchid.

Mrs. Roy M. Biddle, Jr., sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a street-length sheath dress of blue lace over taffeta, fashioned with a sweetheart neckline and a bouffant overskirt of blue net. Her headdress was a leaf bandeau of matching net, with a half-veil attached. She carried a bouquet of pink roses.

Bridesmaids were Miss Lasell Light, of Asheville, Miss Leah Sutton, of Sylva, and Miss Carolyn Bryson, of Franklin. Their dresses were identical to the one worn by the matron of honor, and they carried bouquets of pink carnations.

Flowergirls were Betsy Jenkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Jenkins, and Carol Porter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Porter, of Salisbury. They wore floor-length dresses of white organza, embroidered and scalloped in blue, styled with a bolero and a wide blue sash. They carried lace baskets with white and blue streamers, and scattered petals of pink carnations.

Mr. Meech served as his son's best man. The groomsmen were Michael Mungo, brother-in-law of the bridegroom, of Columbia, S. C., David Harris and David McCullough, of Christ School, Arden, and Richard Jones, of Franklin. Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held at



Mrs. Frank Richardson Meech

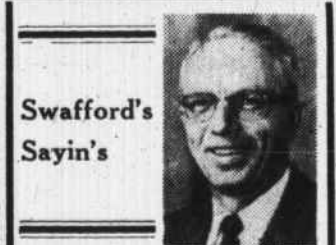
the church rectory. Those assisting in serving were Mrs. John Tucker, Mrs. Charles Ledbetter, Mrs. Robert Moore, Mrs. Harry Corbin, Mrs. Grady Corbin, and Ms. Roger Seay. Mrs. John Hewlett kept the bride's book.

The couple left by car for a Southern wedding trip. For traveling, the bride chose a mint green silk sheath dress with mint green and white accessories, and the orchid corsage detached from her bridal bouquet.

Mrs. Meech is a graduate of Franklin High School and Western Carolina College, Cullowhee. For the past year, she has been a member of the faculty of the Clyde A. Erwin High School in Buncombe County. Mr. Meech is a graduate of Christ School and Clemson College, Clemson, S. C. For the past three years, he has been a member of the Christ School faculty. The couple will make their home on the campus of Christ School.

Out-of-town guests here for the wedding included: Mr. and Mrs. F. M. G. Meech, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Mungo and son, Stuart, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Donovan, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Stier and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Allen, Jr., of Columbia, S. C.; the Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Webster, Mr. and Mrs. David Harris, Jr., Carroll W. Mason, Mr. and Mrs. George S. Hand, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Paysoux, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stockinger, Mrs. Lucy Scott Root, and Henry R. Southland, of Arden; Mrs. Ross L. Benson, of Birmingham, Ala.; Kenneth Youngblood, of Fletcher; Mr. and Mrs. John B. Garland, of Atlanta, Ga.; Mrs. Harold Wetherill, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Coffeen, and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Mathews, of Miami, Fla.; Mrs. Nancy Page, of Asheville; Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Porter and family of Salisbury; and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sutton, of Sylva.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. G. Meech, parents of the bridegroom, entertained with a buffet supper at Panorama Court last Friday night, following the wedding rehearsal. Guests included members of the wedding party and close



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Miss Phillips and her sister, Mrs. Roy M. Biddle, Jr., were hostesses at a "brunch" Saturday morning at the home of Mrs. Biddle. Guests included Miss Phillips' bridesmaids, Miss Lasell Light, Miss Leah Sutton, and Miss Carolyn Bryson, her mother, Mrs. L. B. Phillips, Mrs. John W. Tucker, and Mrs. Charles Ledbetter.

MISS HOOKER HONORED AT SHOWER TUESDAY

Miss Judith Ann Hooker, bride-elect of Robert Reid Womack, was guest of honor at a linen shower Tuesday night at Kelly's Inn.

Hostesses were Misses Harvey Linda Bryant, Dwain Horsley, and Margaret Ann Standley.

NEWS about PEOPLE

Mrs. Bob Cochran and two children, Gary and Karen, have returned to their home in Clawson, Mich., after a visit with Mrs. Cochran's sister, Mrs. Grady Corbin.

Mrs. James L. Young, of Portland, Ore., has returned home after a brief visit with her mother, Mrs. C. T. Blaine. She also attended the wedding of her niece, Miss Martha Ann Stockton, to Dr. John McNeely DuBose, while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Perry and three children left last week end to return to their home in Kingston after a visit of some time with Mrs. Perry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stockton.

Mrs. W. R. Penland and daughter, Mrs. E. M. Burdick, and her daughter, Heather, are spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cabe and other relatives.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cabe were Mrs. Grady Garner and daughter, Miss Virginia Garner, of Andrews, and Mrs. Paul Cunningham, of Hayesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Bradley have returned to their home in Claremont, Calif., after a month's visit with relatives and friends here.

Miss Lassie Kelly is attending court in Murphy this week. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waldrop and children, Freddie, Patsy, Jane, and Joe, left last Saturday to return to their home in Sarasota, Fla., after a visit with their parents, Mrs. Zeb Conley and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Waldrop.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Bryson and daughter, Miss Beverly Bryson, and son, Bruce, of Orlando, Fla., spent several days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Goodlow Bowman and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bulgin and family returned home last week from a trip to the west coast, where they visited their son, Randolph, in San Diego, Calif. They returned home by way of Minot, N. D., where they visited Mrs. Bulgin's sister, Mrs. Paul R.

MISS CORBIN FETED AT TWO SHOWERS

Miss Mildred Corbin, bride-elect of James Williamson, was honored with a personal shower Tuesday night of last week at State Memorial Building.

The hostesses, Mrs. Melvin Penland and Mrs. Grady Corbin, used a green and white motif throughout, with flower arrangements of white glads and green carnations, and lime sherbert punch and party cakes.

Miss Corbin was presented a corsage of red carnations by the hostesses.

A miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Corbin was given Friday night at the home of Mrs. Bill Bryson, with Mrs. Jay Houston, Mrs. Frank Dean, Mrs. Stanley Penland, and Mrs. Grace Tatham serving as co-hostesses.

Mrs. Tatham kept the bride's book, and Mrs. Dean and Mrs. Houston served punch and cake to approximately 20 guests calling during the evening.

The bride's table was centered with a pastel arrangement of delphinium, double larkspur and baby's breath, and mixed summer flowers were used throughout the rest of the house.

MISS KING ENTERTAINS JUNIOR GARDEN GROUP

Miss Rose King entertained the members of the Junior Garden Club at her home in Wayah Valley Tuesday of last week.

As a part of the activities for the meeting, Miss King instructed the group on making corsages, and presented members with complete kits for making their own.

Following the program, Miss King served ice cream, cookies, and punch during the social hour.



MISS DAYTON IS ENGAGED

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Dayton, of Franklin, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Nancy Dayton, to Albert Clinton McDowell, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Albert M. McDowell, of Newnan, Ga. The wedding is planned for August 22 at the Cartoogechaye Baptist Church.

MRS. AUBRY HOUSE HONORED AT SHOWER

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Mt. Zion Methodist Church Friday afternoon held a miscellaneous shower honoring Mrs. Aubry House, the former Miss Anna Setser.

The shower was held at the Cartoogechaye Community Building, and arrangements of mixed flowers were used as decorations.

Mrs. Wayne Harrison, sister of the honoree, kept the bride's book.

MRS. JOHNSTON FETED AT PARTY

Mrs. T. J. Johnston was honored Monday with a birthday luncheon at the home of Mrs. Carl Slagle.

The guest list included Mrs. W. W. Sloan, Sr., Mrs. Emma Hendrix, Mrs. R. L. Pattillo, and Mrs. Anna Barr.



MISS MANN WEDS NAVAL OFFICER

Dr. and Mrs. Cecil William Mann, of New Orleans, La., and Franklin, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Jennifer Olive Mann, to Lieutenant (j.g.) Burton Robert Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Webb Evans, of Harvey, Ill. The marriage was solemnized June 13 in the Cartoogechaye Methodist Church before a gathering of relatives and friends of both families. Following a reception at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Mann, the young couple left for a wedding trip to Franklin.

Kemper, and Mr. Kemper, from Minot, they were accompanied home by two of their nephews, Freddie and George Kemper, who will remain for most of the summer.

Miss Laura M. Jones left Monday with her brother, Dr. Paul Jones, for a visit at his home in Wakefield, R. I.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Jones last week end were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and

Mrs. Gint Chamberlain, and family, of Cincinnati, Ohio, and their daughter, Miss Lillian Jones, of Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. O. N. Martin and four children, of Aiken, S. C., returned home last week end after a visit of several days with Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Troup Callahan.

Sheriff J. Harry Thomas and daughter, Miss Joan Thomas, attended the wedding of Mr. Thomas' son, Charles, to Miss Nancy Josephine Smith, in High Point last week end. From there, they went to California, Md., for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Roger Chandler and family.

MISS THOMAS FETES FATHER'S BIRTHDAY

Miss Joan Thomas was hostess at a surprise birthday dinner for her father, Sheriff J. Harry Thomas, Thursday night of last week.

Guests included Miss Frances Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Thomas, and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Gear.

MRS. TAYLOR GUEST AT BIRTHDAY EVENT

Mrs. Elsie Taylor was guest of honor at a birthday dinner held last Sunday at the home of Sheriff J. Harry Thomas.

Relatives and friends who attended included Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gobble and two children, Dale and Reginald, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Atkins and sons, Richard and Charles, of Salisbury; Mr. and Mrs. John Culver and children, Ann, George, and Sherry, and Mrs. Hildred Culver and son, James of Brevard; B. F. Waldrop, Miss Ruth Waldrop, and Sid Percy, of Andrews; Mrs. Mack Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Gear, and Sid Carter, of Franklin.

SUNDAY WAS SPECIAL AT CRAWFORD HOME

Sunday was a special day at the home of Mrs. Gilmer Crawford, when she and all her brothers and sisters were together for the first time in nine years.

Those from out-of-town for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Reese and son, Bobby, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hunnicutt, of Asheville; Mrs. Marion Perce, of Albuquerque, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hunnicutt and three sons, of Gainesville, Ga.; and Mr. and Mrs. George Hunnicutt and two children, of Athens, Ga.

Mrs. Crawford's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crawford, and two children, of Raleigh, were also there.

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