

Women's Activities and Sandhills Social Events

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MRS. HARVEY B. JOHNSON

MISS AUDREY WEST BROWN SPEAKS VOWS WITH MR. JOHNSON IN CHURCH RITES

Miss Audrey West Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee Brown of Southern Pines, became the bride of Harvey B. Johnson of Burlington, son of Mrs. Vera V. Johnson of Elizabethton, Tenn., in a double-ring ceremony at the Church of Wide Fellowship in Southern Pines at 3 p. m. Saturday, June 16. The pastor, Dr. Wofford C. Timmons, officiated.

Mrs. L. D. McDonald, organist, and Roger Gibbs, both of Southern Pines, presented a program of nuptial music, Mr. Gibbs singing "O Perfect Love," "Entreat Me Not to Leave Thee," and "The Lord's Prayer."

Decorations were baskets of white gladioli and gypsophila, and baskets of woodwardia, magnolia, and springer fern, interspersed with candelabra holding white tapers.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor-length gown of white hand-clipped rosepoint lace and tulle. The lace bodice was fashioned with round neck and long sleeves. Her fingertip veil of illusion was attached to a rosepoint lace bonnet outlined with seed pearls, and she carried a cascade bouquet of white rosebuds and beaded maidenhair centered with a pure white orchid.

Mrs. Harry Lee Brown, Jr., of Mount Pleasant, Mich., sister-in-law of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a ballerina length gown of embroidered white nylon over pink taffeta, made with fitted bodice and full skirt and trimmed with pink satin. Her long mitts were pink, and her horsehair bandeau was of matching color. Her cascade bouquet was of frenched carnations.

Miss Josephine Shelton of Randleman, bridesmaid, was wearing a ballerina length blue nylon chiffon dress with very full skirt and tight fitting cummerbund effect at the waist. Straps formed a deep V in the back of the bodice, ending with a bow. She wore matching mitts and blue horsehair bandeau. Her cascade bouquet was of pink frenched carnations.

The bridegroom had Gilmer Reynolds of Burlington as best man. Ushers were Dr. Harry Lee Brown, Jr., of Mount Pleasant, Mich., brother of the bride, and Ralph Cody of Burlington.

Mrs. Brown, mother of the bride, wore a street length dress of tissue linen and lace with matching hat trimmed with pearls and sequins. Her corsage was a lavender orchid. The bridegroom's mother wore pink linen and a purple orchid corsage.

A reception in the church parlor followed the ceremony. The table held a centerpiece of white carnations, pompons, snapdragons and gypsophila, and baskets of greenery were used elsewhere.

Serving were Miss Mamie McDaniel and Mrs. Ralph Magri, aunt and cousin of the bride, both from Lynchburg, Va.

For travel the bride wore an aqua colored summer suit with white accessories and the orchid from her bridal bouquet.

The couple will reside at 702 Orchard Drive in Graham.

Mrs. Johnson graduated from Southern Pines High School, attended Queens College in Charlotte, and received a B. S. degree in business administration from the University of North Carolina, where she was a member of Alpha Gamma Delta social sorority. For some time she has been office manager of the Sandhill Office Supply Co. in Southern Pines.

Mr. Johnson served in the U. S. Army about three years, was graduated from East Tennessee State, Johnson City, Tenn., with a B. S. degree in industrial arts, and is an engineer with Western Electric Co., Inc., in Burlington, where he has been working for the past five years.

Allens And Garvins Called To Wilston By Death of W. F. Garvin

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Allen and children were called to Wilston, S. C., by the sudden death of Mrs. Allen's father, W. F. Garvin, on June 10. They attended the funeral, which was held on the 11th at Mt. Beulah Baptist Church, and remained with relatives for a few days. Attending, also, were Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Garvin and son, Lee, of Manly, Mr. Garvin being a son of the deceased.

USAFAGOS Group Enjoys Beach Outing

Maj. and Mrs. Allan W. Shaw, Jr., accompanied by their children, Alan III and Amy, escorted the USAFAGOS bus, carrying a group of Air Ground Operations School students and their wives, to Myrtle Beach, S. C., Saturday on a day's outing. There were 25 in the party. They took a picnic lunch and enjoyed a day at the beach.

Mrs. Halsey And Mrs. Dickert Are Club Hostesses

The USAFAGOS Officers' Wives Club held a dessert bridge and canasta party at the Highland Pines Inn Wednesday, with Mrs. F. P. Halsey and Mrs. Robert Dickert as hostesses. The table centerpiece, a lavender chrysanthemum potted plant, was won as a door prize by Mrs. Ogden Fox.

Mrs. Jess Gifford won first prize in bridge, Mrs. George Elvey placed second, and the canasta prize went to Mrs. Dickert.

Miss Nancy Boyd Is Engaged To Wed Noel N. Sokoloff

Mrs. James Boyd has announced the engagement of her daughter, Nancy, to Noel N. Sokoloff of New York.

Mr. Sokoloff is the son of the noted director Dr. Nikolai Sokoloff of La Jolla, California, founder of the Cleveland Symphony Orchestra and head of the Federal Music Project during the Roosevelt administration. His mother is Mrs. Lyda Sokoloff of New York.

Miss Boyd, a graduate of Kadcliffe College, is a graduate student at Columbia University and teaches at the Brooklyn Friends School. Her father is the late James Boyd, author of Drums, Marching On, Long Hunt, and other novels. Her maternal grandfather was Daniel S. Lamont, Secretary of War under President Grover Cleveland.

Mr. Sokoloff, a composer, studied music at Columbia University and the Mannes College of Music in New York, where he is now a member of the Theory and Composition Faculty.

The wedding will take place in the late summer.

Mrs. Mills, Baptist Church Organist, Is Honored At Dinner

Last Thursday was the time for the regular Church Night supper at the First Baptist Church, but the event was turned into something very special—a testimonial dinner honoring Mrs. C. R. Mills, who has been church organist since 1942 and active in many phases of the church's program.

The dining room was attractively decorated with a variety of white flowers and candles. Mrs. Mills was presented an orchid corsage.

"Covered dishes" were brought by the church members and the dinner was served buffet style.

L. T. Hall, chairman of the board of deacons, presided over the after-dinner program, which consisted mainly of tributes to Mrs. Mills' loyal service as organist and her work in the Sunday School and Women's Missionary Union. Tributes were paid by Mr. Hall; by Sam Richardson, a long-time and one of the best loved members; by Mrs. Jack Davenport, president of the WMU; by W. E. Kivette, a past superintendent of the Sunday School who has been associated with Mrs. Mills in church work for a long period; and by the pastor, the Rev. David Hoke Coon who, in behalf of the church, presented Mrs. Mills a silver coffee service.

Mrs. Mills responded in a gracious speech of appreciation. The group lingered for a few moments of fellowship during which Mr. and Mrs. Mills were greeted by many friends. Invitations had been issued to members of Mrs. Mills' family, and a number of them were present for the happy occasion. Her son Russell of Southern Pines with his wife and her mother, Mrs. G. L. Neubauer of Salina, Kan., were there, also two daughters with members of their families, Mr. and Mrs. Myrton Stewart and Bobby and Mr. and Mrs. Reid Flinchum and daughter, Mrs. Ralph Long, all of Carthage. The other sons and daughter, Eutice Mills of Pinebluff, Mrs. L. C. Spillman of Winston-Salem, and Ray Mills of Charleston, W. Va., were unable to be here.

A special surprise for Mrs. Mills was the presence of her sisters, Mrs. H. O. Kelly, Mrs. G. W. Farrar and Mrs. R. G. Beck with, all of Apex, also a friend, Mrs. Kit Sears, and son Gene Sears, of Apex.

Circle 1 of the WMU served as hostesses at the dinner, and they, assisted by Mr. Coon and Mrs. David Gamble, were in charge of preliminary arrangements.

Attend Conference Of NCEA Leaders

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Farrior and Miss Martha Pat Archbell attended the North Carolina Education Association Leaders Conference at Blue Ridge Assembly, Black Mountain, Jun 17th to 20th. This was a statewide annual meeting devoted to planning.

Mr. Farrior represented the Moore County Unit at the meeting and Mrs. Farrior and Miss Archbell were official delegates from the Southern Pines City Unit. Mrs. Farrior teaches a unit of the fifth grade and Miss Archbell the seventh.

»§« June Brides »§«



MRS. D. PIERRE G. CAMERON, Jr.

MISS MACKIE, LOCAL TEACHER, IS WED TO MR. CAMERON IN NEW YORK SATURDAY

The marriage of Miss Katherine Ida MacKie to D. Pierre G. Cameron, Jr., took place Saturday afternoon in the Chapel of St. Cornelius the Centurian at Governors Island, New York, N. Y. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Roswell O. Moore of Syracuse, N. Y., cousin of the bridegroom.

The bride is the daughter of Col. and Mrs. Robb Steere MacKie of Alderbrook Acres, West Eaton, N. Y. The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. D. Pierre G. Cameron of Coconut Grove, Fla.

The bride, escorted by her father, wore a gown of Swiss embroidered organza and an heirloom illusion veil.

Miss Cornelia Wickham Taylor

of Williamstown, Mass., cousin of the bride, was maid of honor. The other attendants were Mrs. William Nichols Scott of Short Hills, N. J., Miss Sarah Naylor of New York, and Miss Marianne McManus of Washington, D. C. Mrs. Cameron graduated from Emma Willard School in Troy, N. Y., and Vassar College, class of 1955. She has been teaching in Southern Pines.

The bridegroom graduated from Gunnery School, Washington, Conn., and Yale University, class of 1955. He is now attending the School of Law at Duke University. He is a member of the Yale Club, New York City, and of Phi Delta Phi legal fraternity.

After a trip to Nantucket the couple will make their home in Durham.



MRS. THOMAS DRAKE NICKERSON

TRIP TO BERMUDA FOLLOWS WEDDING OF MISS JANE CUSHMAN AND MR. NICKERSON

Gilford Community Church in Gilford, N. H., was the scene at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon, June 16, of the wedding of Miss Jane Cushman and Thomas Drake Nickerson. The Rev. William Theodore Knapp of Hartford, Conn., officiated. A reception at "Cushholm," Governor's Island, Gilford, followed.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miner Cushman of Gilford and 190 North Valley Road, Southern Pines. The bridegroom's parents are Prof. and Mrs. Clarence Bentley Nickerson of Belmont, Mass.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a gown of white silk fashioned with a low, scoop neckline, and three-quarter length sleeves. Motifs of lace embellished with tiny pearls trimmed the fitted bodice and the bouffant skirt which terminated in a circular train. Her fingertip veil of tulle was caught to a circlet of flowers and tiny pearlized orange blossom buds. She carried a bouquet of Eucharis lilies and stephanotis.

Attending the bride as maid of honor was Miss Martha Colvin Knapp of Hartford, Conn., who was attired in a ballet length gown of white eyelet, fashioned along princess lines and worn over lavender taffeta. Bridesmaids were Miss Sally Cushman, sister of the bride; Miss Cynthia

Clarridge of Nashua, N. H., Miss Josie Jamison of Greensburg, Pa., and Miss Maureen Lindsay of Grand Island, Neb. Their dresses were like that of the honor attendant.

Mr. Nickerson was attended by Robert M. Cushman, Jr., of Southern Pines, brother of the bride, as best man. Peter J. Weiller of New Canaan, Conn., was head usher and serving with him were Crayton W. Bedford of Middlebury, Vt., W. Norton Reusswig of Ho-Ho-Kus, N. J., and R. Markham Ball of Wilmington, Del.

Mrs. Cushman chose for her daughter's wedding a light green linen dress and matching accessories. Mrs. Nickerson, the bridegroom's mother, wore dusty pink linen with matching accessories. After the reception the couple left for a wedding trip to Bermuda, the bride wearing a navy blue silk shantung sheath ensemble with white accessories. Upon their return they will be at home in Belmont, Mass.

Mrs. Nickerson attended Walnut Hill School in Natick, Mass., Wheaton College in Norton, and Katharine Gibbs School in Boston, Mass. The bridegroom attended Belmont Hill School, Amherst College in Amherst, Mass., and is now a student in Howard Business School. He is a member of Psi Upsilon fraternity.

MRS. JEWELL WEBB BECOMES BRIDE OF RICHARD JOHNSON IN AFTERNOON RITES

A double-ring ceremony at 5 p.m. Friday, June 15, united in marriage Mrs. Jewell Webb of Southern Pines, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Evander Blake of Jackson Springs, and Richard W. Johnson, son of Oscar Johnson and the late Mrs. Johnson of Aurelia, Iowa.

The vows were exchanged at Brownson Memorial Presbyterian Church before the pastor, Dr. Cheves K. Ligon. Mrs. Wilbur Currie, church organist, played nuptial music. The church was decorated with baskets of white flowers.

The couple entered together, unattended, the bride wearing a light blue silk dress, white hat and shoes and a white purple-throated orchid corsage.

The ceremony was followed by a reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin O. Johnson, brother and sister-in-law of the bridegroom, given by the Johnsons and two sisters, Miss Ethel Johnson and Mrs. R. W. Howard.

Floral arrangements of gladioli, chrysanthemums and carnations in living room and dining room carried out the bridal colors of green and white.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Johnson and the bride and groom received the guests, after which they were directed to the dining room for refreshments. The table was covered with a cutwork cloth and held a centerpiece of white chrysanthemums and snapdragons flanked by white candles in silver candelabra. The wedding cake was a work of art, done by R. W. Howard, brother-in-law of the groom. It was three tiered, frost-

ed in white, decorated with roses of a delicate pink and topped with a miniature bride and groom. After the newlyweds had cut the first slice, Miss Ethel Johnson served the cake and Mrs. C. D. May presided at the punch bowl. Fancy sandwiches, mints and nuts were served, also. Assisting the hostesses in entertaining were Mrs. George Thompson and Mrs. Hubert Cameron. Around 45 attended the reception.

After a wedding trip to the mountains, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson are now at home at 500 South Valley Road. Mr. Johnson is employed here by his brother, Melvin O. Johnson, a building contractor.

Tuesday Will Be Open House Day For Men At Civic Club

Beginning next Tuesday, June 26, open house will be held at the Civic Club from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. for men of the newly organized men's branch of the Civic Club each Tuesday throughout the year. Men members are invited to bring their friends and enjoy the facilities of the club on their special day each week.

Henson-Davidson Engagement Told

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Davidson of Carthage have announced the engagement of their daughter, Anna Belle, to James Lawrence Henson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Henson, also of Carthage. The wedding is planned for early fall.

Women Of Church Hold Monthly Meeting

Brownson Memorial Presbyterian Women of the Church held the June general meeting Monday night at the church, with Mrs. Harvey Horne, vice-president, presiding in the absence of Mrs. Heinitch. Mrs. Joe C. Thomas led the devotions.

Mrs. Harold McNeill gave a short talk on General Fund Agencies, then presented a discussion on "Family Devotionals" with Mrs. Tom White, Mrs. Joe Garzik, Mrs. Bill Bacon, Mrs. Elwood Blake, and Mrs. John Scott Newton taking part.

The Bodines Return After Trip Abroad

Mr. and Mrs. Walter P. Bodine have just returned to their home at 330 Country Club Road after two months abroad. They spent six weeks in Rome with their son, Maj. William B. Bodine, and his family.

Major Bodine is with the Army section of the Military Assistance Advisory Group.

Mrs. Jenkins' Mother Passes

Mrs. Daniel W. Jenkins was called home to Columbia, S. C., Sunday by the death of her mother, Mrs. M. G. Murphy. Her husband, Brig. Gen. Jenkins, flew down Tuesday to attend the funeral.