

IMPRESSIVE RING CEREMONY AT CLARK WYCHE NUPTIALS

Wedding Solemnized At First Presbyterian Church Last Saturday Evening

RARE BEAUTY

Of rare beauty and charm was the wedding of Miss Mary Traynham Wyche and Mr. David Crockett Clark which was solemnized on Saturday evening at the First Presbyterian church.

As the bridal party assembled a delightful musical program was rendered, Mrs. Hall Birdsong presided at the piano and a vested choir composed of Mrs. Heath Lee, Miss Mary Dean Laney, Mrs. B. Frank Harris, Miss Evelyn Brown, Mr. Howard Pruden, Mr. Frank Hawley, Mr. J. T. Clark, brother of groom, and Mr. Wm. Manning. Mrs. Heath Lee sang "All For You", Mr. J. T. Clark, "Because", Mrs. W. A. China and Mr. Floyd Wood rendered as a violin duet "Sunshine of Your Smile". The entire choir beautifully sang Litz's—Liebestraum.

At the strains of Lohengrins Wedding March the bridal party entered the church. First to enter was Rev. Hugh Bradley, pastor of the bride, who performed the ceremony, the impressive ring ceremony being used. The ushers, Mr. Ned Manning, Mr. Ellis Crew, Mr. Robert Thorn and Mr. Plummer Clark entered and took their places on either side of the altar. Following the ushers the special attendants of the bride entered and occupied the first seats in the ribbons, these were Mrs. Alexander Dunlap, of Washington, D. C., Mrs. Jurman Boyd, of Erwin, N. C., Mrs. Page Taylor, Ashland, Va., Mrs. Yancey Robertson, Oxford, N. C., Miss Carrie Faulconer, Tappahannock, Va., Miss Hart Sheridan, Greenwood, S. C., Mrs. Pendleton Grizzard, Mrs. Cooper Grizzard, Miss Florienne Holt and Miss Margie Cannon, all dressed in evening dresses of pastel shades and wore shoulder corsages of rose buds and sweetpeas. The groomsmen followed the special attendants in the following order: Mr. Marcus Allen, Mr. Winfield Crew, Mr. Frank Wyche and Mr. Edward Patterson.

The bride's maids entered the church from the center and side aisles. First to enter: Miss Harriett Pope with Miss Martha Craddock, followed by Miss Dora Clark and Miss Lovard Priddy. They were dressed in Princess style blue silk net dresses over taffeta, with capes and trains of ruffles of self material, carrying small ruffled muffs to which were attached old fashioned nosegays, with these they wore net turbans to match. The groom and his best man, Mr. T. N. Clark, of Fayetteville, N. C., brother of the groom, entered from the pastor's study. Miss Crichton Harris, Junior Maid of Honor, wearing pink, and Miss Mary wearing green, entered and took Temple Meacham, maid of honor their places at the altar. Little Gladys Lee and Ella Dean Lee preceded the bride, wearing pink dresses, exact copies of the maids of honor, and carried pink silk muffs from which they scattered rose pedals. The bride, a beautiful brunette, was never more alluring, dressed in a gorgeous ivory duchess satin dress, made princess style with court train, long sleeves ending with glove point on hand, and a deep yoke of old Point D'Aiguille duchess lace, her veil was of imported rose point lace worn cap fashion and fastened



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with a coronet of orange blossoms. She carried an arm bouquet of col-lillies. During the ceremony Mrs. Birdsong softly played Audautina in D flat. The bridal party left the church to the strains of Mendelssohns Wedding March.

Mrs. Clark is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wyche, and has lived in Roanoke Rapids all her life with the exception of two years in Florida. She is a graduate of Converse College, and has taken special courses at the University of California. She has traveled extensively and her charming personality has won for her a host of friends wherever she has been. She has for the last few years been instructor in athletics at the Roanoke Rapids high school.

Since the announcement of her wedding she has been extensively entertained and the many lovely wedding gifts attest the popularity in which she is held.

Mr. Clark is the son of Mrs. S. T. Clark, of Airlee, N. C., and is a young man of sterling qualities. He holds a responsible position with Mr. Willie Long.

Immediately following the wedding, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wyche, to which about a hundred and fifty guests were invited.

The bride and groom left by motor for an extensive wedding trip and will be at home to their friends about July 1st.

A TALE OF THE SEA

Sailors' yarns are generally amusing and interesting, even if many of them are not gospel truth. We just ran across an old one from the log of Henry Hudson's ship when that famed explorer was trying to find the long-sought "northwest passage to China" in 1608. For vivid imagination it is hard to beat.

It tells of sighting a "mermaid" in the following record, dated June 15, in latitude 75 degrees 7 minutes north:

"One of our company looking over board saw a mermaid and, calling up some of the company to see her, one more came up and by that time she was come close to the ship's side, looking earnestly on the men. A little after, a sea came up and over-turned her; from the waist upwards her back and breasts were lyke a woman's, her body being as big as one of us; her skin was very whyte, and her hair hanging down behind being of colour blacke; in her going downe, they saw her tayle, which was lyke the tayle of a porposse and speckled lyke a macrell. Their names that saw her were Thomas Hitler and Robert Rayner."

Like many other myths and superstitions this yarn was for a long time believed by thousands. Stories equally foolish are believed to this day.

Ask That Parents Immunize Children Against Diptheria

In 1922, diptheria caused 508 deaths out of 8,138 cases, and in 1932 it was the cause of 150 deaths from 1,895 cases, the State Board of Health advises in its plea to parents to have their children immunized and thus help to eradicate this disease from which 75 per cent of the deaths are of children under five years of age. Most

of the deaths occur in early fall, and a campaign is being waged this summer to get parents to have children between ages of six and nine months immunized before the fall. The advise is to take the child to the health department or family physician as early as possible. "Take no chances; you might lose", is the warning.

After convicting a man in Pontiac, Mich., of stealing apples, the jurors ate several pies introduced as evidence.

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