

ADDITIONAL SOCIETY NOTES

Goodwin--Kennedy Wedding Highlights Social Season

BY WILLIAM A. TUCK
(Staff Correspondence)

Durham — The high spot of the year's social activities in Durham and North Carolina was the wedding of Miss Margaret Catherine Kennedy of Durham to Lewis M. Goodwin of New York at the White Rock Baptist church Friday night, June 20. The solemn vows were spoken at 8 p. m. before Rev. Miles Mark Fisher, pastor of White Rock, as an estimated crowd of guests from this and other cities looked on.

The platform and baptistry were decorated with sprays of fern, palms, lilies and tall candleabra. Several pews were adorned with handsome bouquets of lilies and greenery.

While the guests gathered, Prof. Russell Houston rendered a program of nuptial music on the organ, and immediately before the wedding procession began, Prof. I. B. Oglesby sang, "Calm As The Night" and "Passing By." As the organ pealed forth the first strains of Lohengrin's wedding march Rev. Fisher entered from his study and took his place in front of the altar. The procession began with the entrance of the ushers and bridesmaids who used both main aisles. Following the ushers and bridesmaids came the maid of honor, Miss Charlotte Kennedy, sister of the bride, who was followed by flower girls and the ring bearer.

The maid of honor wore a dress of pink starched organdy with a bouffant skirt inset with pink lace. Her coronet was made of pastel summer flowers with blue as the predominant color. Her arm bouquet was of blue delphinium mixed with pink flowers.

After the groom and best man had entered from the study, the lovely bride entered on the arm of her father who gave her in marriage. She wore a gown of white satin made with a close fitting bodice and long sleeves tapering into a point over her hands. The skirt of the wedding gown was of satin applique tulle terminating in a train. Her veil of tulle was embroidered with clusters of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of white roses centered with white butterfly orchids.

The bridesmaids were Misses Vivian Merick, Cynthia Pearson and Constance Merick of Durham, and Miss Louise Gailard of Birmingham, Alabama. They wore identical dresses of heavenly blue marquisette with full skirts and long sleeves, both appliqueed with lace. Their coronets were of pastel summer flowers with pink as the predominant color. Their arm bouquets were pink roses mixed with blue flowers.

Flowers girls were Ethel Marie Stewart and Mary Carroll Davis. The groom's best man was J. Emmet Melver of Seattle, Washington. B. H. Spaulding, Joseph

Sansom, Royal A. Spaulding and Wm. J. Kennedy III were ushers; Ralph Fraizer was ringbearer while Wilfred Kennedy and Clinton Shearin were the train-bearers.

The nearest kin of the groom attending the wedding was his charming sister, Mrs. Mary Davis of New York.

A delightful reception followed the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents on Fayetteville Street. For this, the home was decorated with lilies, gladioli and roses. As the evening grew older the bride changed to navy blue and white "going away" costume and lifted the white orchids from her bouquet for a shoulder corsage. Then the newly wed couple left for a brief wedding trip, after which they will reside in Washington where Mr. Goodwin is employed in the U. S. Department of Customs.

Approximately one half of all accidents at highway-railroad grade crossings in 1940 took place in the four months period October-January.

Bride, Groom and Parents



Shown above are Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kennedy, parents of the bride, with the newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Goodwin. The picture was taken in the Kennedy home during the reception.

N. C. Morticians Meet In High Point

BY L. V. PASSEL

High Point — The Fourteenth Annual Session, Colored Funeral Directors and Morticians Association of North Carolina elected the effluent, energetic and proporous Robert L. Shepard, of the Oxford and Henderson Funeral Home as its President for the year of 1941-42.

The convention in session in High Point, enjoyed one of its best annual meetings in years. Harmony was enjoyed throughout the session of the convention. Many fine expressions were made by its members and all attending were highly entertained and helped.

One of the high lights of the convention was the lecture of the convention was the lecture of Renouard Kelsey, Noble and Kelsey Funeral Home of Salisbury, North Carolina.

Under the guidance of president Shepard the association is expected to make great strides during his administration. His

experience and training fits him as one able to direct the affairs of the association in the highest manner.

Louis Haselip, very successful mortician of High Point, North Carolina, and chairman of the host committee of the association saw to it that all attending the convention were well located and highly entertained during their visit to his city.

The convention will meet in Kinston, North Carolina next

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Allen of East Orange, New Jersey, were visitors in the city during Smith's commencement attending the graduation exercises of their son Paul Lawrence Allen. While here they were guests of Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Gordon.

Dr. Bluford Gordon and son, Bluford, Jr. went to Lancaster, South Carolina Sunday where Dr. Gordon preached at Mount Zion A.M.E. Zion Church.

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Miss Rennie Chavis Honored On Her Fourteenth Birthday

Miss Rennie Chavis entertained a host of friends at her home Monday night, June 23, with a birthday party. The candles were blown and a course of refreshments was served consisting of lemonade, candy, peanuts, ice cream and cake. Those enjoying the hospitality of Miss Chavis were: Misses Ethel and Doris Crushaw, Bessie Heck, Louise and Edna Alston, Pearl Blake, Pauline Williams, Naomi Cross, Bernice and Jistine Richardson, Jessie Martin, Irene Harris, Annie Rogers, Martha Green and Ernestine Chavis. Messrs James Hunter, Fonte and Elma, Frank and Freeman Eatman, Marshall and Holbert Revels, Bennie Patterson, Raymond Pettiford, Monroe and LeRoy Heck, Charles and Horace Bridges and LeRoy Goldston.

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