

## SOCIAL ACTIVITIES and COMINGS AND GOINGS

### KNOXVILLE GIRL BECOMES BRIDE OF R. HOYT LEDFORD

Miss Viola Mae Headrick, of Knoxville, Tenn., only daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James G. Headrick, became the bride of R. Hoyt Leford, son of Mrs. R. M. Leford and the late Mr. Leford, of Franklin, in a ceremony solemnized last Thursday, at the Franklin Baptist church. The Rev. Charles E. Parker, pastor, officiated, using the ring ceremony, in the presence of relatives and a few close friends.

The church was decorated with an arrangement of pink and white mountain laurel, while three-branched candelabra held tapers which were lighted by M/Sgt. K. R. Helton, of Clemson, S. C., brother-in-law of the bridegroom.

A program of wedding music was presented by the pianist, Mrs. K. R. Helton, sister of the bridegroom, who played "Schubert's Serenade", and "Evening Star." Miss Nora Moody sang "O Promise Me" and "I Love You Truly." The traditional wedding marches were used and "To a Wild Rose" was rendered softly during the ceremony.

The couple entered the church together. The bride wore an aqua afternoon dress of alpaca sheer, with white suede gloves, and a bride's hat of white imported lace. Her corsage was of pink carnations tied with pink and white ribbon. The bride's only ornament was a single strand of pearls.

Mrs. Leford, mother of the bridegroom, wore an aqua suit with white accessories. Her corsage was of pink rosebuds.

Mrs. Leford, who is the niece

### MISS FANNIE POTTS WEDS S. SGT. CARL EVANS

Mrs. John T. Potts, of Franklin, has announced the marriage of her daughter, Miss Fannie Potts, to S. Sgt. Carl Evans, of Prentiss, now in the army, stationed at Fort Bragg, in a ceremony performed May 31, in Clayton, Ga. R. C. Green, ordinary, officiated.

The bride was attired in a suit of turquoise blue, with which she wore white accessories. Her shoulder corsage was of pink rosebuds.

Mrs. Evans, daughter of Mrs. Potts and of the late Mr. Potts, has been employed as nurse at the Angel clinic for the past year.

S. Sgt. Evans is the son of Mrs. Mae Evans and the late Charlie Evans, of the Prentiss section of Macon county. He has served in the armed forces for the past 19 months, including duty in England, France and Germany.

of Mrs. Mayford Joslin, of Knoxville, is a graduate of Everts High school, Everts, Ky., and attended the Knoxville School of Beauty Culture. She was formally employed by the Tennessee Eastman corporation at Oak Ridge.

Mr. Leford, who received his education at the Franklin High school, recently was discharged from the armed forces, after 41 months in service. He will return to his former position with the Nantahala Power and Light company here.

After a short wedding trip through Western North Carolina and South Carolina, the couple will reside in Franklin.

### MISS FRANCES WALDROOP WEDS CHARLES WALKER

Miss Frances Waldroop, of Franklin, Route 1, and Murphy, became the bride of Charles Walker in a ceremony on Sunday afternoon, May 12, at 4 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Reece, in Andrews, uncle and aunt of the bride.

The vows were spoken before the fireplace in the living room, which was banked with mountain greenery, floor baskets of white gladioli, white iris, and seven-branched candelabra holding white candles. White roses were used as further decorations.

The Rev. C. C. Washam, pastor of the Andrews Methodist church, officiated, using the double ring ceremony.

The bride descended the stairway to the strains of the bridal chorus from "Lohengrin", and was met by the bridegroom. Miss Willie McKinney served as maid of honor, while William Walker acted as best man to his brother.

The bride was attired in a white silk suit with black accessories. Her corsage was of white roses and gardenias.

Miss McKinney wore a two-piece suit of black and white checked taffeta and her corsage was of red roses.

Following the ceremony, an informal reception was held. The table was overlaid with an imported cut-work linen cloth and centered with a three-tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom. White candles and white roses completed the table decorations.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker left on a short wedding trip, after which they will be at home at Andrews.

Mrs. Walker received her education in the Franklin schools and is a graduate of Asheville Beauty academy, and has been in charge of Candler's Beauty shop in Murphy for the past seven years.

Mr. Walker received his education in Andrews school and attended North Carolina State college, Raleigh, and Emory university, Atlanta, Ga. He spent 44 months in the armed forces and was held as a German prisoner for nine months.

Mrs. Walker is a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Waldroop, of Franklin, Route 1, and a granddaughter of Mrs. Josie Waldroop, also of Franklin, Route 1.

### Personal Mention

Dwight Wilson, who is employed in Raleigh, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Wilson, at their home in East Franklin.

Mrs. Thad D. Bryson and two sons, of Bryson City, were visitors in Franklin Friday of the last week.

Fred W. Williams and family, of Norfolk, Va., are visiting relatives and friends in the Cullasaja community.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gibson, of Brevard, spent the week-end with Mr. Gibson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gibson, at their home, Franklin, Route 3. Mr. Gibson is county agent in Transylvania county having been employed in that capacity since his discharge from the armed forces.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradley and family, of Claremont, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Troy Bradley and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Cook, and Verlin Bradley, all of Winston-Salem, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bradley, at their home, Franklin, Route 3. This is the first time in several years that Mr. and Mrs. Bradley have had all their children, with their families, at home at one time.

Miss Catherine Long, who has been teaching at Kannapolis, has returned to her home in Franklin to be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Long.

Major and Mrs. William Neville Sloan, Jr., arrived Sunday for a week's visit with Major Sloan's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bob S. Sloan, and other relatives. Major Sloan is the son of W. N. Sloan, of Atlanta and Franklin, who also is spending this week here. Major Sloan, who served overseas, has just been graduated from the army's command and general staff school at Fort Leavenworth, Kans. From Franklin, he will go to Baltimore, his new station.

C. J. Mooney's mother, Mrs. Rebecca Hicks, and his sister, Mrs. Frank Gentry, with her husband and their three children, all of Erwin, Tenn., paid a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Mooney last week, during Mr. Mooney's illness. He has recovered, and is back at his duties at the Burrell Motor company.

Robert Steven Porter, of Humble, Texas, spent Thursday night of last week here, visiting his brother, T. W. Porter, and Mrs. Porter, and his sister, Mrs. Hattie Waldroop. Mr. and Mrs. Claud Reid, Mr. R. S. Porter's brother-in-law and sister-in-law, of Walhalla, S. C., came up to be with him here, since it was his first trip home

in a number of years.

Mrs. T. B. Shepherd, of Canton, formerly of Franklin, is spending two weeks visiting her daughter, Mrs. T. B. Higdon, of the Ellijay community.

Miss T. Sloan, of Atlanta, spent the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. J. S. Sloan, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Jones, Jr., and infant daughter, of St. Petersburg, Fla., arrived Monday for a few days' visit with Mr. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer A. Jones.

President Carl S. Slagle, of the Franklin Rotary club, and Mrs. Slagle left last Saturday for Atlantic City, N. J., to attend the annual convention of Rotary International. They are expected to return home this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Howard, of Charleston, S. C., have been spending several days with Mr. Howard's mother, Mrs. Callie Howard, at her home, Dillard, Ga., Route 1, and Mrs. Howard's mother, Mrs. Robert Ramsey, of Tellico, and Mrs. Howard's aunt, Miss Nettie Hurst, at her home, Franklin, Route 3.

Mrs. Ernest Johnson and daughter, Miss Winifred Johnson, of Daytona Beach, Fla., are spending several days with Mrs.

Johnson's father, W. P. Landrum, at his home at Cullasaja.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wellman, of Sarasota, Fla., have returned to their home at Cullasaja, where they plan to spend the summer months.

Miss Becky Hogan, room-mate of Miss Myra Slagle while at Woman's college at the University of North Carolina, Greensboro, has been visiting Miss Slagle at her home on Cartoogchaye. She has returned to her home in Burlington.

W. M. Swan has returned to his home on Bidwell street, after spending several days in Portland, Maine, with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Robert Cansler, of Brevard, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Myers, at their home, Franklin, Route 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Reece and John Gibson Murray, who have been visiting Mrs. Reece's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George C. Oblander, in Ballantine, Mont., have returned to their

homes in Franklin.

J. D. Porter has returned to his home in Emporia, Va., after a visit here to Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Higgins, of Harrison avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Brooks have returned from Columbia, Mo., where they attended the commencement exercises at Stephen's Junior college, of which their daughter, Miss Merrily Brooks, was graduated. Miss Brooks returned home with them.

Mrs. Wade P. Calloway, of Ibadah, Utah, is here for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Holbrooks, at their home, Franklin, Route 3, and other relatives and friends in Macon county.

Jewell Parrish has returned to his home in Detroit, Mich., after a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Parrish, at their home, Franklin, Route 3.

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