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Miss Florence Oliver Is Married In Mount Olive

MOUNT OLIVE—The marriage of Miss Florence Elizabeth Oliver, of Mount Olive, and the Reverend Robert Elmo Early, of Highlands, N. C., was solemnized in the Methodist Church in Mount Olive Saturday evening, April 23, at 7 o'clock. The Rev. Carl H. King, of Salisbury, Executive Secretary of the Board of Education of the Western North Carolina Methodist Conference, performed the double-ring ceremony, with the Rev. Alfred L. Chaplin, pastor of the church, assisting in the service.

Altar decorations were of growing palms and ferns and within the chancel rail were floor baskets of white snapdragons and white gladioli and standards of cathedral candles. A central arrangement of flowers was flanked by candles in silver candelabra and in each window was a group of candles twined at the base with smilax.

Before the ceremony Mrs. Paul Patten, organist, played Schumann's "Traumerei," Wagner's "To An Evening Star," McDowell's "To A Wild Rose," "Liebestraum," by Liszt, and Schubert's "Serenade." Paul Patten sang "Dedication," by Franz and Mrs. M. S. Porter sang "With This Ring," by Sacco. As a prayer during the ceremony, Mrs. Porter sang Dunlap's "Wedding

Prayer" and as a benediction she and Mr. Patten sang "O Perfect Love." The traditional marches were used.

During the program of instrumental music, Tom Cox, the bride's cousin, and Carl King, Jr., of Salisbury, lighted the candles.

Ushers were J. C. Stabler, E. C. Casey, the Rev. Horace McSwain, of Bryson City, and the Rev. Douglas Corbier, of Charlotte.

Mrs. John Marion Johnson, of Mount Olive, attended her sister as matron of honor. Her gown of ice-blue satin was made with fitted bodice and off-the-shoulder bertha which extended into cap sleeves, and full skirt of marquisette with satin yoke and draped bow. She carried a shower bouquet of pink roses and pink carnations and wore matching flowers in her hair.

Mrs. Charles Council, of Mount Olive, bridesmaid, and Eleanor Early, young daughter of the bridegroom, junior bridesmaid, wore gowns identical in color and style to that of the matron of honor, and carried yellow roses and yellow carnations. Richard Early, small son of the bridegroom, was ring-bearer. John M. Johnson, of Mount Olive, attended the bridegroom as best man.

The bride was given in marriage by her uncle, Headley M. Cox. Her gown was of white duchess satin styled with scalloped throat-line and low, scalloped waistline, full skirt with court train, and long, pointed sleeves. Her full-length veil of Venetian point lace was suspended from a coronet formed by the border of the lace, and she carried an heirloom Bible topped with a white orchid showered with Stephanotis and lilies-of-the-valley.

After a reception given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Johnson, the couple left by automobile to spend their honeymoon at Lake Junaluska in the mountains of Western North Carolina.

Mrs. Early is the daughter of the late Albert Hicks Oliver and Lucy English Oliver, of Mount Olive. She is a graduate of Greensboro College and holds a master's degree from Drew University, Madison, N. J. Before her marriage she had been for several years Director of Children's Work for the Board of Education of the Western North Carolina Methodist Conference.

Mr. Early is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Early, of Ames, Iowa, and is a graduate of the Iowa State College and of the Yale Divinity School. He is a member of the Western North Carolina Methodist Conference and now stationed at Highlands, where the couple will be at home after May 10.

Mary Davis Has Birthday Party

Miss Mary Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Frank Davis, celebrated her fourteenth birthday anniversary on Friday evening with a wieners roast given at the City Park.

Those present were Miss Rose Marie Leatherwood, Miss Nancy Kerley, Miss Betty Ann Howell, Miss Glenda Berry, Miss Dora Lee Matney, Miss Julia Ann Calhoun, Miss Johnny Sue Dillard, Miss Julia Ann Stovall, Miss Vivian Gilliland, Wilburn Davis, Aaron Gibson, Charlton Davis, Bobby Joe McClure, David Felmet, Jr., Charles Bridges, Joe Howell, Jr., and Kenneth Styles.

Recent Bride



Mrs. Robert Elmo Early is the former Miss Florence Elizabeth Oliver of Mount Olive, director of Children's Work for the Board of Education of the Western North Carolina Methodist Conference. Her marriage took place on April 23, in Mount Olive.

Nurses Club Has Meeting At The Retreat

The Haywood County Nurses Club met Monday night at The Retreat with Mrs. J. R. McCracken as hostess. Mrs. Robert Osborne, president, presided and plans were made for carrying out the work of the group during the coming year.

The following standing committees were named: Nominating, Mrs. Albert Abel, Mrs. Howard Bryson and Mrs. Jack Rogers; Membership and Credentials, Mrs. Richard Rogers, Miss Mary Jo Green, and Mrs. Jeanette Helms; Meetings, Mrs. Mary Reeves, Mrs. Edward Fuller, Mrs. Lem Leopold, and Mrs. Wilson Fisher; Program, Mrs. Roger Walker, Mrs. J. R. McCracken, Mrs. Ellen Freeman, and Mrs. Phyllis Caldwell.

Courtesy, Mrs. Rufus Ratcliffe, Mrs. Walter Crawford, and Mrs. W. W. Willett; Public Relations and Legislation, Mrs. Howard Bryson, Mrs. Howard Clapp, and Mrs. Finney Timbes; Constitution and By-Laws, Mrs. Lem Leopold, Mrs. Rufus Ratcliffe, and Mrs. Howard Clapp.

The constitution of the organization was revised and reports were given on the district meeting held recently in Asheville.

Following adjournment the hostesses served refreshments.

Long's Chapel Society To Meet

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of Long's Chapel Methodist church will meet Tuesday, May 3, at the home of Mrs. Sam Rathbone, at 2 p. m. Mrs. Marvin Rhinehart will be co-hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Kimball have as their guests the former's mother and sister, Mrs. Natalie Kimball of Newton Highlands, Mass., and Mrs. Robert McMillan of Chestnut Hill, Mass.

U.D.C. Schedules District Meeting In Canton

Around 15 members of the Haywood Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy are making plans to attend the meeting of district one, North Carolina Division, United Daughters of the Confederacy to be held in Canton on Saturday. The meeting and luncheon will be held in the First Presbyterian church with the Mary Curtis Lee Chapter as hostess.

The principal address will be given by Mrs. Quentin Gregory, North Carolina Division president, and Mrs. Dan Tompkins of Sylva, district director will preside.

District officers in addition to Mrs. Tompkins include, Mrs. Henry W. Love of Asheville, vice-director, and Mrs. Walter L. Jones of Sylva, secretary. Miss Pauline Slaughter is president of the hostess chapter.

Chapters in the district include the Asheville Chapter and Fanny Patton Chapter, Asheville; Transylvania Chapter, Brevard; Mary Curtis Lee, Canton; Margaret Davis Hayes, Hendersonville; Old Fort Chapter, Old Fort; B. H. Cathey Chapter, Sylva; and Haywood Chapter, Waynesville.

Pages for the meeting will be Mitze Smathers and Edith Carolyn Hutchins.

Among those attending the meeting will be, Mrs. Sam Queen, president of the Haywood Chapter, Mrs. C. F. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. John Queen, Mrs. James R. Boyd, Mrs. W. A. Hyatt, Miss Nancy Hyatt, Mrs. Lee Bramlett, Mrs. George Platt, Mrs. Thad Chafin, Miss Margaret Johnston, Mrs. Grover C. Davis, Mrs. R. H. Blackwell and Mrs. Floyd Rippetoe.

Mrs. Paul Bryson Is Hostess For Woman's Society

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of Elizabeth Chapel Methodist church held its April meeting at the home of Mrs. Paul Bryson.

The program was under the leadership of Mrs. Mark Galloway, who discussed the work of various churches in Latin America. She also introduced Miss Ruth Gerber, guest speaker, who led the devotional.

During the business session the following officers were elected to serve for the coming year: Mrs. Hugh Ratcliffe, president; Mrs. Joe Turner, vice-president; Mrs. Reeves Noland, promotion secretary; Mrs. Carl Jones, recording secretary; Mrs. Way Ratcliffe, treasurer; Mrs. James Medford secretary of Mission Education and Service; Mrs. Mark Galloway, secretary of Christian Social Relations and Local Church Activities; Mrs. Roy Davis, secretary of Student Work; Mrs. Carter Camp, secretary of Children's Work; Mrs. Theodore Raby, secretary of Spiritual Life; Mrs. Paul Bryson, secretary of Literature and Publications; Mrs. Floyd Davis, secretary of Supply; Mrs. Hilliard Jones, secretary of Status of Women; and Mrs. Ward Kirkpatrick, secretary of Student Work.

After the meeting refreshments were served by the hostess.

Former Waynesville Couple Visits Here

Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Trageser, former residents of Waynesville, returned to their Manhasset, Long Island home early this week after a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Grant at Cedandun on the old Howell Mill Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Trageser were neighbors of the artist and his wife, who is a writer, when they lived in Waynesville.

Mrs. Furman Robertson and son, Doug, of High Point, spent last week here as guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Helmick.

Mrs. M. J. Collins has returned to her home in Washington, D. C., after a visit to her mother, Mrs. J. F. Cabe.

Col. and Mrs. J. H. Howell returned to their home Tuesday after a visit to Virginia and Pennsylvania.

Classic Suit



Smart and useful.

By VERA WINSTON

A SVELTE SUIT of fine gabardine, cut on classic lines, but with softening touches, is a good choice for that important buy that has to do duty day after day. This one has a club collar that is convertible, and a single breasted closing. There is a row shaped incrusting at the neckline, one curved pocket at the hip, and seamline converges towards a narrow waist.

Bonner McClure of Richmond, Virginia, is here for a visit to his mother, Mrs. James R. McClure, who is seriously ill.

Methodist Circles Will Meet Tuesday

The Circles of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist church will meet Tuesday, May 3, as follows:

Circle No. 1 will meet at the home of Mrs. R. L. Young at 3:30 p. m.

Circle No. 2 will meet at the home of Mrs. W. A. Hyatt at 3:30 p. m. Miss Nancy Hyatt will be co-hostess.

Circle No. 4 will meet at the home of Mrs. Claude Rogers at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Carl Ratcliffe will be co-hostess.

Circle No. 5 will meet at the home of Miss Martha Stringfield at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Thomas Stringfield will be co-hostess.

R. M. Shaffner Is Speaker For Garden Club

R. M. Shaffner, district farm agent, was guest speaker for the April meeting of the Richland Garden Club, which was held Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Jonathan Woody.

Mr. Shaffner gave an illustrated talk on "Iris" showing colored slides, made in his own garden, of around 800 varieties.

Mrs. James Elwood, president, presided during a short business session and the members held a Plant Sale for the benefit of the club treasury.

Prior to the meeting supper was served by the hostesses who were Mrs. Woody, Mrs. Richard Barber, Jr. and Mrs. Aaron Prevost.

MISS ELWOOD AT C OF C OFFICE

Miss Mary Lu Elwood will serve as secretary of the Waynesville Chamber of Commerce during the absence of Mrs. Frank Knutti, who will leave tomorrow for a two weeks' visit to relatives in New York.

Centennial Cotton



The St. Louis Exposition of 1904 inspired this Hope Skillman stripe.

JEAN HYATT IS MAY QUEEN ATTENDANT

Miss Jean Hyatt, student at Peace Junior College in Raleigh, has been selected as senior representative for the May Court. Miss Hyatt is one of six young ladies who will attend the May Queen at the May Day exercises to be held next Wednesday.

Miss Yelton Honored at Hospital

Miss Yelton, of the hospital staff, was honored at a special evening at the hospital.

Various informal tests featured and prizes were given. The bridegroom's gifts in her silver from the hospital staff.

Attending the Yelton Mrs. W. P. Merritt Brown, Mrs. Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Virginia Hill, Mrs. Mrs. Ruth Green, Mrs. Mrs. Orlin, Mrs. Hattie Webb, Mrs. Mrs. Roseman, Pauline Smith, Miss Wilma Nelson, Mrs. Mrs. Juanita Fox and Miss Juanita.

Civic Music Tickets Available

Mrs. Thelma Amelia Marzette, members of the sale of membership tickets will be held at Town and County day afternoon.

Miss Yelton, of the hospital staff, was honored at a special evening at the hospital.

Advertisement for E. J. Lilius Jeweler, featuring a large image of a diamond ring and text describing the 1949 Silver Parade award and jewelry services.

Advertisement for 'Memo for Mama' Mother's Day Suggestions, listing stationery items like Montag's Stationery, Rust Craft Notes, and Brownie notes, available at The Book Store.

Advertisement for Town & Country Shop, announcing the arrival of imported pure Irish linen suits, pastels, and shantungs, located at 58 Main Street.

Large advertisement for Bradley's New Store, featuring Wellco Shoes and a variety of merchandise. The ad includes the slogan 'HUNDREDS OF OTHER POPULAR ITEMS AT EXCEPTIONALLY LOW PRICES' and 'FREE PARKING SPACE Shop Here and SAVE!'.