

Duplin County Society

Miss Gayle Wells Becomes Bride In Rose Hill Rites

ROSE HILL.—The Baptist Church here was the scene of the 7:00 wedding Saturday of Miss Gayle Wells and Benjamin Wright Powell, Jr., with the Rev. Luther James Matthews, uncle of the bride, and the Rev. J. V. Case officiating for the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Stokes Wells of Rose Hill, and Mr. Powell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Powell of Whiteville.

Mrs. Elwyn Murray, organist and Mrs. Lloyd Collier, vocalist, presented the wedding music.

The bride given in marriage by her father wore an ivory satin gown. The Chantilly lace bodice featured a stand-up collar and long sleeves. The Chantilly lace overskirt was over a satin skirt, which extended into a cathedral-length train. Her two-tiered veil of French illusion was attached to an ivory lace Elizabethan cap trimmed with pearls. She carried an ivory satin muff to which white orchids were attached.

Miss Carolyn Wells, maid of honor sister of the bride, wore a gown of coral red velvet and nylon net over matching taffeta. The fitted bodice of velvet was strapless with a detachable velvet bertha fastened with rhinestone buttons and forming a portrait neckline. The bouffant skirt was of nylon net. She carried a matching velvet muff with green cymbidium orchids.

The bridesmaids were Miss Annie Davis Wells, Rose Hill, cousin of the bride; Miss Tommy Hardwick and Mrs. John A. McNeill, sister of the bridegroom, of Whiteville and Mrs. William Cook of Raleigh. They wore gowns and carried muffs and flowers like those of the maid of honor.

Honorary attendants were Miss Martha Grey Murray, Newport News, Va.; Mrs. Jim Sandlin, Beaufort; Mrs. John W. Mallard, Raleigh; Miss Peggy Waller, Charlotte; Miss Anna Rae Johnson, Rose Hill; Miss Geraldine Johnson, Clinton; Mrs. Keith Blake Chaddourn and Mrs. Bill Dickens, Whiteville.

John A. McNeill was best man. Ushering were Harold B. Wells, Rose Hill; John Harrelson, Bobby Smith and Wallace Dickens of Whiteville.

The mother of the bride wore a dress of aqua crepe trimmed with rhinestones, and wore an orchid corsage. The mother of the bridegroom wore a gold crepe dress with an orchid corsage.

Following the ceremony the



West-Harding Vows Spoken

On November 1st, at 8:30 p. m. in the U. S. Naval Station Chapel

bride's parents entertained at a reception at their home.

For traveling the bride wore a costume suit of brown wool with a cutaway jacket. She used accessories of white wine and brown suede. She wore a mink scarf, and

Wahlewa, Oahu, Territory of Hawaii, Miss Janet Anne Harding became the bride of Joseph A. West. Chaplain Robert A. Deel, U. S. Navy officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride given in marriage by Doctor Gerald Lee Hodgson wore a ballerina length dress of Chantilly lace and nylon net over white satin, her finger tip veil of illusion was of nylon net. She carried a white Bible topped with white orchids and white satin streamers.

Mrs. Dorothy Billings, matron of honor wore a ballerina length dress of rust lace with a bolero and ivory picture hat and carried white orchids.

Wedding music was furnished by the chapel organist.

Best man was Mr. Casimir Billingske and usher was Mr. Carl V. Lawson.

Mrs. West is the daughter of Mr. Claude A. Harding and the late Mrs. Harding of Portland, Oregon.

Mrs. West is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. West of Warsaw.

Following the wedding ceremony Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Villier entertained at a reception at their home for the bridal party and guests.

After a tour of the islands, Mr. and Mrs. West will be at home at 34 E. Walker St. Wahlewa, Oahu, Territory of Hawaii.

an orchid corsage.

Mrs. Powell, was graduated from Meredith College with an A.B. degree in home economics and for the past several years has been employed as the Assistant Home Demonstration Agent of Columbus County.

Mr. Powell attended the University of North Carolina and is now in partnership with his father in Whiteville.

After a wedding trip the couple will make their home at Lake Waccamaw.

Out of town guests who attended the Powell-Wells wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. Ben W. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. John A. McNeill, Mrs. Rena Frink, Mrs. Clayton Baldwin, Mrs. J. C. Batten, Mrs. S. B. Worrell, Mrs. C. D. Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Fussell, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Memory, Gilbert Rushing, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dickens, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Davis, Miss Mary Lou Britt.

Guests were Miss Gayle Wells, honoree, Mrs. W. S. Wells, mother of the honoree, Carolyn Wells, Mrs. Clifford Johnson, Miss Anna Rae Johnson, Mrs. Billy Murray, Mrs. Effie Murray, Mrs. Thomas Townsend, Mrs. Winford Rouse, Mrs. Helen Rouse, Mrs. Charles Teachey, Mrs. Leon Sykes, Mrs. Alma Wells and Ann Davis.

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Tomato-Cheese Macaroni
1 can tomato soup
1-2 cup milk
2 Cups shredded cheese
1-2 c. chopped olives or celery
4 c. cooked macaroni (2c uncooked)
2 T. Buttered bread crumbs
Heat soup, milk, and 1-2 c. cheese over low heat. When cheese melts, add olives or celery. Blend sauce with macaroni; pour into buttered 2 qt. casserole. Top with remaining cheese and buttered bread crumbs. Bake 20 minutes in a hot oven (400 degrees F.). Garnish with additional slices of olive at serving time if desired.

Mrs. Earl Thigpen Honors Bride-Elect

Mrs. Earl Thigpen of Beaufort entertained at her home recently in honor of Miss Lorraine Quinn, bride elect with a miscellaneous shower. Upon arrival the honoree was presented a corsage of white mums.

The home ensuite was decorated in the bridal motif. Mrs. Richard Williams led a number of games and prizes were given Mrs. Erwin Lanier, Mrs. Marion Quinn, Mrs. George Whaley, Mrs. Adelle Edwards, Miss Dorothy Edwards and Mrs. Elwood Quinn.

Assisting Mrs. Thigpen were Mesdames T. R. and Marion Quinn with serving chicken salad on lettuce, pickles, crackers, cake, nuts and iced drinks to the 40 guests.

Miss Quinn received many lovely gifts.

Cake Cutoff For Wedding Party

On Friday evening following the Wells-Powell rehearsal party a cake cutting was given in the recreation room of the Baptist Church by Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wells. The green and white bridal motif was carried out in the decoration and refreshments. The guests were served punch as they entered the room.

On one end of the bridal table was a three tiered brides cake, on the opposite end was an arrangement of candles in crystal holders, also crystal containers of salted nuts and mints.

After the bride elect and bridegroom cut the first slice of cake, Mrs. W. S. Wells, mother of the bride-elect served the cake with white block ice cream which was centered with a green wedding bell.

Luncheon Honoring Bride Elect

On December 17, Miss Ruth Murray, Mrs. E. G. Murray and Mrs. Katie Murray entertained Miss Gayle Wells, bride elect in the Brown Room at Lake Tut.

The luncheon table was covered with a Chinese cutwork cloth. A bride doll standing on a reflector in the center of the table was encircled by tiny nosegays of pink pom-poms. Pink and white satin ribbon streamed from the dolls hands to wedding bells placed at intervals on each end of the table. The bride chair was marked by a white satin bow. The guest places were marked with place cards with wedding bells on them.

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