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MRS. THOMAS WHITE COTHRAN

**Miss Mary Francis Hord Is
 Bride Of Thomas W. Cothran**

Miss Mary Francis Hord became the bride of Thomas White Cothran in an impressive ceremony last night at 8:30 in the Boyce Memorial Associate Reformed Presbyterian church in Kings Mountain. Dr. William Moore Boyce of Charlotte, officiated using the double ring ceremony.

The vows were spoken before a background of southern smilax palms ferns and white gladioli, snapdragons and sweetpeas interspersed with branched candelabra holding cathedral tapes. The pews of special guests

were marked with candles and sprays of calla-lilies.

Mrs. John Gamble, organist, presented a program of wedding music preceding the ceremony. Selections played were "Arioso" by Handel; "Ava Maria," by Schubert; "Evening Star" by Wagner; "I Love You Truly" by Carrie Jacobs Bond; and "O Perfect Love" by Barnby. Mrs. James Harris, sister of the bride, sang "Because" by D'Hardelot and "Sweetest Story Ever Told" by St. Jits. The wedding march from Lohengrin by Wagner was used for the professional and luring the ceremony "To A Wild Rose" by MacDowell was played. Mendelssohn's Wedding March was used for the recessional.

The bridegroom had as his best man, Fred Van Wageningen of Shelby. Ushers were John L. McGill of Kings Mountain, W. E. Bushow of Greenville, S. C., and W. A. Arey, W. H. Brown, J. L. Suttle and David White all of Shelby.

Miss Isabel Anthony, niece of the bride, of Winston-Salem was maid of honor. She wore a dress of ice blue chiffon fashioned with a tucked bodice, long full sleeves, sweetheart neckline and full skirt. Her head-dress was of ice blue flowers with a short back veil. She carried an arm bouquet of red roses tied with ice blue ribbon. She wore pearls, gift of the bride.

Mrs. W. H. Brown of Shelby, sister of the groom and matron of honor wore blue chiffon, similar head-dress and carried red roses tied with ice blue ribbon. Mrs. Carlyle Isley of Burlington, Mrs. John T. Young of Clinton, S. C., Mrs. Charles Thomason of Kings Mountain, Miss Rachel Spencer of Gastonia, Miss Julia Renfro of Mooresboro and Miss Kate Whitworth of Waco were the bridesmaids. They wore identical dresses of blue chiffon fashioned like those of the maid and matron of honor with identical head-dresses and carried bouquet of red roses tied with matching ribbon.

BRIDE GIVEN BY BROTHER
 The lovely bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, James

Edwin Hord of Miami, Fla., wore a wedding gown of white marquisette fashioned with a fitted bodice trimmed with ruffles of embroidered marquisette, long full sleeves, a high yolk trimmed with embroidered marquisette bertha giving an off-the-shoulder effect and a full skirt which extended into a long train.

The veil of bridal illusion flowed from a cap of net trimmed with orange blossoms. Her only ornament was a gift of the bridegroom. She carried a bouquet of stephanotis, swainsonia and white roses centered with a white orchid and showered with satin streamers caught with sweetpeas.

Billy Craft, of Gaffney, S. C., nephew of the bride and Billy Brown, nephew of the groom were train bearers. Jimmie Hord, Jr., of Miami, Fla., George Harris of Kings Mountain, both nephews of the bride, were junior ushers and lighted the candles. Bobby Hord, also of Miami and nephew of the bride, was ring bearer.

Mrs. Cothran, mother of the bridegroom, wore a rose lace and net gown and a shoulder corsage of purple orchids. Mrs. Luther Anthony, sister of the bride, wore a pink lace gown with shoulder corsage of purple orchids.

RECEPTION AT HOME

Immediately after the wedding, the bride's family entertained at their home at 100 South Piedmont avenue. Vases of white gladioli, carnations, snapdragons and feverfew were used in the living room, dining room and music room.

Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Boyce greeted guests on the porch. Mr. and Mrs. John L. McGill greeted guests at the door. Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Anthony introduced guests to those in the receiving line which included the members of the bridal party and the mother of the groom, Mrs. T. W. Cothran of Greenwood, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Monk directed guests to the dining room. From there, guests were directed by Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Harris to the register where Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kennedy of Shelby presided. Mr. and Mrs. David White of Shelby invited guests up-stairs to the gift room.

Gladioli, snapdragons and feverfew decorated the gift room where Mr. and Mrs. Jay Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. John Gamble received. From the gift room the guests were directed to the music room by Mr. and Mrs. Will Arey of Shelby where a second receiving line composed of the family of the groom was introduced by Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Spencer of Gastonia. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Van Wageningen directed the guests to the side porch where Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson of Cherryville received.

Punch was served on the terrace from a table which held a frozen punch bowl in which a wreath of madonna lilies had been set. Mrs. Roberta Barbour and Miss Martha Frances McGill presided at the punch bowl.

The dining room table was covered with a handsome maderia cloth centered by an epergne filled with white gladioli and white sweetpeas, flanked by silver candelabra holding white tapers. An ice course in bridal moulds and accessories was served. Misses Dorothy Allen, Carolyn Allen, Ann Spencer, Emelyn Gillespie, Mary Evelyn Goforth and Leone Patterson assisted in serving in the dining room.

Goodbyes were said by Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hambricht.

BRIDE AND GROOM

After a wedding trip to the mountains of Western North Carolina and Tennessee, the couple will make their home in Shelby. For traveling, the bride wore a rose and black silk printed dress with shirred font skirt and a black linen fitted jacket with blending accessories. Her shoulder bouquet was of white orchids.

Mrs. Cothran is the attractive and talented daughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. Jacob George Hord, of Kings Mountain. She was graduated from Kings Mountain high school and received her Bachelor of Arts degree from Erskine college, Due West, S. C., where she majored in English and Dramatics. For the past three years she has been a member of the faculty of Cherryville city schools.

The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Thomas White Cothran and the late Mr. Cothran of Greenwood, S. C. He was graduated from high school in Greenwood and received his Bachelor of Science degree from Georgia Tech in architecture. Before entering the army in 1941 he was a practicing architect in Greenwood. Mr. Cothran, who held the rank of major at the time of his discharge in March, spent over two years in the European Theater of War. He is now a member of the architectural firm Van Wageningen and Cothran in Shelby.

CAKE-CUTTING

Following the rehearsal of the wedding on Tuesday night, Mr. and Mrs. John L. McGill entertained the wedding party and a few friends at their attractive home on Gold street. Guests were greeted on the terrace by Mr. and Mrs. Leroy McGill of Gastonia who directed them to the punch bowl which was placed on a table on the side terrace. Small brightly colored umbrellas shaded the lights which hung in a nearby tree. Punch was served by Miss Janet McGill and Miss Beaula Adams of York, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gamble directed

guests through the den to the dining room. Pompos, chrysanthemums, pink roses and yellow blossoms were used in the den.

The dining room, which was in candle-light was decorated entirely in white and green. The dining table graced with a white linen embroidered cloth was centered with a cake in three tiers with white roses and green leaves circling it to the top where a miniature bride and groom were placed under an arch of dainty flowers. Satin ribbon streamers attached to luck charms in the cake ran to the edge of the table and ended in small bouquets of white pompos. White tapers in crystal candelabra were placed near either end of the oblong table. The buffet was centered with an exquisite arrangement of white chrysanthemums and each child received a favor, graduated candelabra holding white tapers.

The cake was cut by the bride and groom and Mrs. Bill Brown, sister of the groom, completed cutting and serving the cake to the 60 guests. Others serving in the dining room, were Misses Martha Frances McGill, Leone Patterson, Doris Phifer and Ava Ware. Ice cream in wedding bell moulds, green and white mints and salted nuts were served.

The bride was lovely in a gown of white and green dotted swiss with high shirred neckline and full skirt with matching mitts. She wore a purple orchid in her hair.

Attendants Of Cothran-Hord Wedding Honored

Mrs. Thomas W. Cothran nee Miss Mary Frances Hord, entertained her wedding attendants at a pretty breakfast on Wednesday morning at 11:30 at Jolly's in Gastonia.

The beautifully appointed table in the private dining room was centered with a two-tiered bowl of shasta daisies and sweetpeas. Each place marker was a gift from the bride

containing pearls and carbons. A three course breakfast was served to eight attendants, organist, vocalist and Mrs. Thomas W. Cothran, mother of the groom and the bride.

Bride Of Yesterday Honored At Parties

Mrs. C. F. Thomason and Mrs. C. F. Thomason, Jr., entertained at a lovely party on Wednesday night of last week complimenting Mrs. Thomas W. Cothran, bride of yesterday (Wednesday). The bride-elect was dressed in a frock of light blue jersey and wore pink accessories. The rooms of the home were attractively decorated with bowls of roses, larkspur and snapdragons in various colors.

Bridge was in play at five tables and when scores were added Mrs. Charles Williams was awarded prize for high and Mrs. L. P. Stowe received low prize. The hostesses gave the honored crystal in her bridal pattern.

A delicious salad course with fruit punch was served at the conclusion of play.

Then on Saturday afternoon, Mrs.

M. A. Ware and her daughter, Mrs. E. T. LeGrand, Jr., of Shelby, entertained at bridge at the Ware home here, paying lovely compliments to yesterday's bride. Lovely mixed flowers were arranged throughout the attractive home. In the living room, the colors, white and green were used entirely, where Mrs. Cothran's chair, was marked with a bouquet of magnolia blossoms tied with white satin ribbon.

Bridge was played at eight tables and after the games the hostesses gave the honor guest four wine glasses in her ruby crystal. The honored was winner of high score prize and prize for low score went to Mrs. John McGill.

Mrs. Ware and Mrs. LeGrand served a dessert course at the beginning of the party.

Birth Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver A. Quayle, III, of Alexandria, Va., announce the birth of a son, Oliver A. Quayle, IV, on Wednesday, May 29th. Mrs. Quayle is the former Miss Jacque Line Rawles.

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