

# Herald Personals

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Mr. and Mrs. David Hamrick and daughters, Norman Kay and Brenda Gayle returned Monday from a visit to Hamlet, Chadbourne and White Lake.

Mrs. F. M. Biggerstaff and children of Burlington spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Barnes and family.

Mrs. Bill Carroll and children who have been visiting relatives in Kings Mountain during the summer are going next week to Covington, Va. where they will live.

Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Kiser of C. Cero, Ill., have been visiting relatives here.

Little David Pinnix underwent a tonsil operation in Memorial hospital in Gastonia Tuesday.

James Ratterree and James Amos, students at the UNC, are expected home Friday to visit their parent for a few days.

Mrs. W. I. Mauney, Eddie Mauney, Billie Kennedy and Mrs. A. J. Turner and son of Charlotte visited Mrs. W. A. Burnett in Hartford, Mich., before returning home, they visited Canada.

Robert F. (Buck) Dilling of Atlanta, Ga., and Jack Simonton of Birmingham, Ala., spent Friday night at the home of Mrs. W. S. Dilling.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Styers and Bruce Styers of Washington, D. C., and Miss Delores White of Elizabeth, Pa., visited relatives here last week end.

Friends will be happy to know that Miss Pearl Hicks is able to be up and expects to return to work next week following an operation she underwent some weeks ago.

Miss Joan Gayle Cohen of Hamlet has returned to her home after an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. Neville Hughes.

Mrs. Elma Stewart, Mrs. Will Byrd, Mrs. F. E. Finger, J. W. M. M. W. L. Plonk and Martin Harmon were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. J. C. Plonk at her home in Hickory.

James B. Herndon, 22, who recently completed navy boot training at Bainbridge, Md., is now stationed at the naval training station, Newport, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lovell, Mrs. M. L. Harmon and Miss Nancy Plonk were Sunday dinner guests of Misses Laura and Lillian Plonk in Asheville.

Mrs. Nevette Hughes spent several days last week in Hamlet visiting her sister, Mrs. Roy Cadieu.

Miss Margaret Ratterree left Sunday, Aug. 25, for Asheville where she has been elected as one of the teachers in David Millard Jr. high school.

Miss Peggy Ann Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard Black, spent several days in Charlotte last week visiting her aunt, Mrs. R. D. Hoyle.

Mrs. J. C. Patrick is visiting Mrs. Hays Blackmer at Crescent Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. George Peeler and family are spending this week visiting their relatives and friends in Raleigh. They are expected to return to their home here on Saturday.

Otto Hohn returned to this city on Friday after several days spent in Washington, New York City and Jackson, Mich., on business.

Mrs. Alpha Hamrick, of Charlotte, was the guest last week of her brother, B. T. Wilson and Mrs. Wilson.

J. R. Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Wilson, is visiting his parents here this week following his recent discharge from the marine corps. He saw service in the Pacific theatre.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ben Wilson, and family of Charlotte, were guests of their parents Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Wilson, here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tiller of Gastonia and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Bira of Shelby had dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crawford on Friday night.

O. W. Myers and son, Earl, left Wednesday to go to Myrtle Beach for a few days.

## Miss Anne Blair Crapps Is Bride Of James K. Willis, Jr.

Hickory, Aug. 26.—On Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the First Baptist church Miss Anne Blair Crapps became the bride of James Kirby Willis, Jr., in a double-ring ceremony performed by Rev. R. Snolan Benfield pastor of the church.

White ivy-covered trellises stood behind the altar, where the exchange of vows was made. Burning candles in tall seven branched candelabra, baskets of white gladioli and palms completed the decorations. Special pews were marked with gladioli tied with white satin ribbon.

A program of organ music was rendered before the ceremony by Mrs. V. L. Good who played "Cher de Luce," "Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life," "Ave Maria," "Indian Love Call," and "Lobosango." During the ceremony she played "O, Perfect Love."

Miss Anne Crapps, daughter of the bride, was soloist, her numbers being "Be Thou My Love," "You Truly," and "The Lord's Prayer." Organ music in benediction. Traditional wedding rituals were used.

Miss Anne Crapps, daughter of Columbia, S. C., attended her sister as maid of honor. She wore a white satin dress with full net overskirt, a sweetheart neckline, tight bodice and short puffed sleeves. She carried a nosegay of pink and white asters and delphinium and wore a large bouquet of flowers and blue net of cow-length mitts.

Bridesmaids were Misses Stella Hallman and Julia Rouse. Their dresses were pink taffeta with net overskirts, high necklines, beaded collars and puffed sleeves. Their flowers, bouquets and pews were identical to those of the maid of honor.

The bridegroom was attended as best man by his father, James Kirby Willis, Sr., of Kings Mountain. Ushers were Menzell Phifer, Garrison Goforth and Charles Williams of Kings Mountain, and Robert Crapps of Hickory, the bride's cousin.

The bride was given in marriage by her uncle, Maury S. Crapps. For her wedding she chose a dress of white satin with a long white satin with long white net skirt extending into a sweeping train. Made with a fitted bodice and high round neck, the dress featured wide ruffles at the yoke and below the waistline and long sleeves ending in calla points over the hands. Her two-tier veil of imported illusion, fell from a tiara of steel pearls.

She carried a white satin-covered basket topped with a white orchid tied with white satin streamers and lily's breath.

The bride's aunt, Mrs. Crapps, was dressed for the occasion in gray crepe with which she wore head accessories and a round orchid. Mrs. Willis, mother of the bridegroom, wore blue shadow crepe with black accessories and an orchid.

Mrs. Willis is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Crapps of Gastonia. She was graduated from the Shelby high school and has made her home in Hickory with Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Crapps for a number of years. She has held a position with the Highland Dry Cleaners here.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Willis, Sr., of Kings Mountain, the bridegroom is a graduate of Kings Mountain high school and was attending Lehigh Rhyne college when he entered Army service in 1943. He has 22 months of overseas duty and held the rank of staff sergeant when he was discharged in January. He is now a student at Lehigh Rhyne college.

The couple left after the ceremony for a wedding trip through the Shenandoah Valley to Washington, D. C. For traveling Mrs. Willis wore a black crepe dress with brown and smoke white accessories and the orchid which topped her prayer book.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis will be at home upon their return at 1541 Seventh avenue.

Those attending the wedding from Kings Mountain were Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Willis, Sr., Mrs. J. E. Lipford, Mr. and Mrs. Davis Littlejohn, James Littlejohn, Mrs. Joe Hoyd, Mr. and Mrs. George Hord and son, B. L. Moore, Dan Baum, Mrs. Dee Goforth, Mrs. Y. F. Thronburg, Miss Margaret Kenrick, Mrs. W. M. Moorhead, W. L. Smith, Ray Chapman, Roy Willis, L. H. Mackay and Mrs. L. C. Pinnix.

### Thomasson's Sister Dies; Rites Conducted

Funeral services for Mrs. Fannie Thomasson Meacham, sister of J. B. Thomasson of Kings Mountain, were held Tuesday afternoon at Z. A. Hoy's and Son funeral home in Charlotte, with Dr. John E. Roschro and Rev. Thomas M. Lewis of Avondale Presbyterian church in charge. Burial took place in West Lawn cemetery.

Mrs. Meacham was 60 years of age, succumbed at her home in Charlotte shortly after noon on Monday. She had been ill for several months.

She was a native of York county, S. C., and is survived, in addition to her brother here, by her husband J. B. Meacham, a daughter, Miss Virginia Meacham, Mrs. Louis B. and

Mr. and Mrs. James Bird of Columbia, S. C., arrived last night to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Hamlet Crawford.

Mrs. Dewey Falls is ill at the Memorial hospital in Charlotte.

Miss Saralee Harrill of Atlanta, Ga., and a friend of hers will spend the week end here with Mrs. Harrill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Harrill.

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