

Nurse Graduates; Mrs. Dickey Honored; Yarbro To Los Angeles

Mrs. Vera Styers Manning, formerly of Kings Mountain, graduated June 2nd from Cherokee Area Vocational School of Practical Nursing in Gaffney, S. C. and received the "Scholastic Award."

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Styers of Kings Mountain and resides with her family in Blacksburg, S. C.

The "Scholastic Award" is the top honor awarded a graduating senior.



of Kings Mountain, announce the arrival of their second daughter, Jenifer Doreece, Wednesday, June 7th, Cleveland Memorial hospital, Shelby.

The baby weighed six pounds. She is granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Burton of Kings Mountain and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hardin of Spartanburg, S. C., formerly of Kings Mountain.

Other member of the Burton family is five-year-old Dawne. Mrs. Burton is the former Jackie Hardin of Kings Mountain.

IT'S A BOY

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. (Buddy) Mayes of Wilkesboro announce the arrival of their first child, a son, Sean Galloway Mayes, Thursday, June 8th, Forsyth County hospital, Winston-Salem.

The baby weighed six pounds, nine ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. Carl Mayes of Kings Mountain and Mrs. Blanche Landreth of North Wilkesboro.



Lisa Idelle Spencer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Spencer of Silver Springs, Fla., formerly of Kings Mountain, celebrated her third birthday May 21.

Lisa and her parents, her brothers, Rob and Kenny and her sister, Kelly, along with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crist of Silver Springs shared a birthday dinner and cake with all the trimmings.

Lisa's cake was pink and white and decorated with pink roses.

The Spencers visited Mr. and Mrs. Wes Riddle, grandparents of Lisa, at Pompano Beach, Fla. later in the week where Lisa celebrated her birthday again with cake and gifts. Other grandparents are Mrs. Bertie Hartsoe of Kings Mountain, R. W. Spencer of Virginia Beach, Va. and great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Riddle of Kings Mountain.



Mrs. Jim Dickey is pictured receiving a handsome silver tray as an "appreciation gift" from the 75 members of the faculty of Kings Mountain high school. Making the presentation is KMHS Principal Jake Atkinson. Faculty members were treated by Commissioner and Mrs. Dickey to a luncheon on the closing day of school at their home on Phifer road. The faculty took the occasion to surprise Mrs. Dickey, substitute teacher, with a gift.

CANSLER-LONDON ENGAGEMENT

Karen Elizabeth Cansler and Henry Adolphus London, II plan a family wedding at noon August 17 in Clemmons, N. C. Presbyterian church.

Their engagement has been announced by her mother, Mrs. Samuel W. Thrasher of Winston Salem. The bride-elect also is the daughter of the late Grady G. Cansler of Kings Mountain. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bryan London of Charlotte.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Winston Salem's James A. Gray Senior High and the University of North Carolina, where she also received a master's degree in special education in 1970. She is a teacher in the Pre-school Project for Developmentally Handicapped Children at the Frank Porter Graham Research Building in Chapel Hill.

The bridegroom-to-be is a graduate of Charlotte Country Day School and will graduate in August from UNC, where he is in the department of radio, television and motion pictures. He has completed a four year tour of Air Force duty.

IT'S A GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Burton of Shelby, formerly

Barbara Acquistapace Wins Her Degree; Parents Honor Her At San Jose Party

Miss Barbara A. Acquistapace of San Jose, California received her Bachelor of Arts degree from San Jose State University June 3. She graduated with a major in Social Science and a minor in English.

Miss Acquistapace is a niece of Mrs. Kate Arrowood of Kings Mountain and the late Mr. and Mrs. Wm. David Hardin of Cleveland County. Her mother was formerly Miss Selma Hardin of this county.

For a part time summer job, Miss Acquistapace is employed with the Pacific Telephone Company; but plans to attend graduate studies for secondary teaching credentials this fall.

Following Miss Acquistapace's graduation, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Acquistapace enter-

tained with a buffet dinner at their home on Camarillo Drive in her honor. The menu consisted of roast beef, macaroni, potatoes, jelly, puddings, saffron, and fresh fruit, cheese, chips and dips, ham served with french and rye breads and pink champagne, strawberry delight punch. A white cake was on the table with orange and yellow roses lined around the top of it. Floral decorations in the home were orange and yellow chrysanthemums.

Miss Acquistapace, only child of her parents, was dressed for the party in a hostess gown which featured a black knit bodice and a printed skirt. Her costume jewelry was a gold mesh necklace and earrings to match.

Mrs. Acquistapace, mother of the honoree, was dressed in a summer print shift of navy and red flowers. The guest list numbered fifteen; including Dr. Eichhorn, an instructor of history at San Jose State University. Barbara received a number of gifts.

Easleys On Trip To Beech Mountain; Couple To Make Home In Newberry, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ward Easley Jr., who were wed Friday, are on a wedding trip to Beech Mountain after which they will be at home in Newberry, South Carolina.

Miss Anne Hoke Finger became Mr. Easley's bride Friday evening in an 8 p. m. candlelight wedding at Saint Matthews Evangelical Lutheran church with the bridegroom's father, Rev. Charles Easley of Albemarle, hearing the exchange of pledges.

The church was lighted by candles. Each member of the congregation held a lighted taper and all members of the wedding party processed bearing a lighted taper to stand before the altar with the bride and bridegroom. After the benediction all members of the wedding party, including the minister who with his wife led other worshippers from the sanctuary to the fellowship hall where a reception was hosted by the bride's parents.

White flowers in silver altar vases and white candles illuminated the altar.

Mrs. L. E. Hinnant presented a program of nuptial music prior to and during the ceremony.

Included in the service of marriage was choir, congregational and wedding party participation in worship. Members of the congregation joined in singing the processional hymn, in reading the responsive selection, Psalm 67; in singing the three verses of prayer hymn, "O Perfect Love" before and after the exchange of vows; in praying the Lord's Prayer and in singing the recessional hymn, "Come With Us, O Blessed Je-

Mrs. Hinnant played "Lord Jesus Christ Be Present Now" by Walther; "Joyful Joyful We Adore Thee" by Eliaasser; "Alleluia Maestoso" by Handel; "Bach's 'Come, Holy Spirit, God and Love'; "St. Anthony Chorale" by Brahms; Young's "Love Divine, All Love Excelling"; "Spirit of the Descend Upon By Heart" by Atkinson; Alcazalis' "Psalm XLIX" and "Arieles" by Handel.

Daniel Miller Finger escorted his daughter to the altar and gave her in marriage. The bride's wedding gown was a formal design of ivory peau de sole fashioned with scooped neckline, fitted bodice enhanced with silk rose and streamers in back, and long sleeves edged with ruffles at the wrist. A wide ruffle accented the A-line skirt from the waist and extended across the Chapel train. Her full length veil of English net and Alencon lace was worn mantilla style. She carried a white Bible topped with gardenias. The Bible was presented to her when she was confirmed in the church.

Miss Sarah Virginia Finger attended her cousin as maid of honor and bridesmaids included Miss Irene Louise Easley of Albemarle, sister of the bridegroom; Miss Carolyn Faye Finger, cousin of the bride; Miss Lynn Elizabeth Bridges and Miss Nancy Elizabeth Wessinger of Lexington, S. C., college room-mate of the bride, and Miss Laura Ann Hudson, Fenelope Ruth Easley of Albemarle, sister of the bridegroom, was junior bridesmaid.

All the attendants wore sleeveless formal gowns of ivory peau

NEWCOMERS

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Scott Powers and daughter, Lisa Anne, have moved here from Boone and are residing at 211 West Mountain street. Mr. Powers is the grandson of Mrs. W. K. Crook and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Powers of Charlotte.

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SOCIAL CALENDAR

Thursday:
7:30 - Rehearsal for the Deaton - Montgomery wedding in Grover's First Baptist church.
8:00 - Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Montgomery are entertaining in the fellowship hall of Grover's First Baptist church at an after-rehearsal party honoring their son and his bride-to-be, Miss Debbie Deaton and Chip Montgomery.

Friday:
9:45 a. m. - Senior Citizens club members are meeting at the Woman's club to go to Cherryville Road Day Lily Gardens.
8:00 - The wedding of Miss Deborah Lynn Deaton and John Luther Montgomery in Grover's First Baptist church, reception following in the church fellowship hall.

7:30 - Rehearsal for the Curlee-Black wedding in Thomasboro Presbyterian church in Charlotte.

9:00 - Rehearsal dinner at Holiday Inn West, Charlotte, honoring Miss Patricia Leigh Curlee and Tommy Black. Hosts: Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard Black and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jackson, sister and brother-in-law of the bridegroom-to-be.

Saturday:
3:00 - The wedding of Miss Janice Marjorie MacGill and Charles Cooper Padgett in St. Andrews United Methodist church of Charlotte, reception following in the church fellowship hall.
4:00 - The wedding of Miss Patricia Leigh Curlee and Thomas Hilliard Black II in Charlotte's Thomasboro Presbyterian church, reception following in the church fellowship hall.

Pressleys Wed In Ceremony At Gaffney
Miss Cammie Jane Liney of Shelby and Beaufort Plato Pressley of Kings Mountain were married Thursday, June 1st, in a double-ring ceremony in Gaffney, South Carolina.

Magistrate W. R. Douglas officiated at the ceremony. A reception followed at the home of the bridegroom's parents at 418 Belvedere Circle.

The bride is a graduate of Crest high school of Boiling Springs. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Liney Sr. of Mt. Sina. Church Road in Shelby.

The bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Plato Pressley of Kings Mountain, is a graduate of Kings Mountain high school.

Both the bride and bridegroom are employed by Fiber Industries at Earl.

After a wedding trip to Charlotte the couple are at home with the bridegroom's parents at 418 Belvedere Circle.

COMINGS AND GOINGS

Robert Edward Yarbro of Boiling Springs departs from Charlotte by plane this morning for Los Angeles, California where he will visit Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Peck and son, Dustin, for the next two months.

He will attend summer school while in Los Angeles, after which the Pecks and their house-guest will take a month's sightseeing tour, returning to North Carolina.

Yarbro is the son of Mrs. Ann Yarbro of Boiling Springs and Alvin E. Yarbro, Jr. of Kings Mountain.

Jimmy Payseur, son of Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Payseur, spent last week at the Alabama C.F.O. Camp held at Camp Sumatanga, near Gallant, Ala. Also attending this inter-denominational camp were his aunt, Mrs. Jack Ledford, and her daughter, Amanda Ledford of Charlotte; his aunt, Mrs. George Antonich and her children, Elizabeth and Gregory, of Daytona Beach, Fla. and his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Prince and their children, Debbie, Jesse and Becky, of Gainesville, Ga.

Miss Mary Beth Ledford of Charlotte visited last week with her grandparents, Mrs. I. W. Ledford and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Prince and other relatives.

Boyce Memorial ARP Church Setting For Bolin-Phifer Nuptials Saturday
Boyce Memorial Associate Reformed Presbyterian church was the setting Saturday evening for the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bolin and Miss Mary Peeler Phifer.

Rev. Harold Threatt heard the couple exchange vows of the double-ring ceremony.

Mrs. E. T. Bailey was organist, Mrs. David Mellon was pianist and Phil Perrin was vocal soloist for the program of traditional music.

An arch of candles was entwined with baby English ivy and centered with a large arrangement of white glads, white mums, gypsophylla and greenery against a background of palms at the front of the sanctuary.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bolin. Her wedding gown was a traditional floor-length model of imported silk organdie and Venice lace. The gown had a high neckline and empire waist with lantern sleeves and a controlled A-line skirt. Bands of lace trimmed the dress, framing a yoke, and outlined the detachable train. A matching lace headpiece held her veil of double tiers of illusion and she carried a cascade of white French carnations, gypsophylla and white Marguerite daisies showered with satin streamers, lace and English Ivy and centered with a white orchid.

Mrs. Ronald Bolin sister-in-law of the bride, was matron of honor and Miss Joy Dyer was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Paulette Phifer and Miss Jean Phifer, sisters of the bridegroom; Miss Patricia Swofford of Shelby and Miss Mary Peeler of Shelby.

All the attendants wore long dresses of polyester crepe, the two honor attendants in yellow and the bridesmaids in mint green. The gowns were designed along empire lines and the high rise waistslines were trimmed in lace. The two honor attendants carried one large yellow snowball mums and the bridesmaids carried single large mint green snowball mums.

Trudi Bolin, flower girl, was gowned in mint green polyester crepe like that of the bridesmaids. She carried a basket of green flower petals.

The bridegroom's father was best man.

Ushers were Ronald Bolin of Shelby, Tommy Tindall, Rocky Carroll, Dale Russell and M. D. Phifer Jr., cousin of the bridegroom.

The bride's mother was gowned in an orchid floor-length lace and polyester crepe dress.

The bridegroom's mother chose a formal length gown of mesh polyester crepe. Each of the mothers wore an orchid at her shoulder.

The bride's grandmothers, Mrs. Frank C. Ware, chose a long aqua gown with a white shoul-

der corsage of pale yellow carnations.

Miss Patricia Leigh Curlee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Robert Curlee of Charlotte, has completed plans for her marriage to Thomas Hilliard Black II, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard Black of Kings Mountain, announces they today.

The wedding will take place Saturday afternoon, June 17th, at 4 p. m. in Thomasboro Presbyterian church in Charlotte with Rev. Leonard H. Bullock officiating at the double-ring ceremony.

Miss Jean Miller of Charlotte will be organist and B. S. Peeler of Kings Mountain will be soloist for the program of nuptial music.

The bride-elect will be given in marriage by her father. Best man for Mr. Black will be his father.

Mrs. Carol Miller of Charlotte and Mrs. Harold Jackson of Parlin, New Jersey, sister of the bridegroom-to-be, will be matrons-of-honor. Bridesmaids will include Miss Sarah Lindsay of Lexington, Miss Greta Campbell and Mrs. Tonnie Ware, both of Charlotte; Mrs. Tawana Thorp of Cherryville and Mrs. Brenda Willis of Gastonia.

Ashlie and Alida Jackson, twin nieces of the bridegroom-to-be and daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jackson of Parlin, N. J., will be flower girls.

Groomsman will include Harold Jackson of Parlin, N. J., brother-in-law of the bridegroom-elect; Jim Dobbins of Lexington; Barry Brewer of Charlotte; Joe Saunders of Hudson; Tommie Ware of Charlotte; Russell Garmon of Forest City; Ralph Barrow of Silver City and Jim Cloninger of Greensboro.

The bride-elect's parents will entertain after the ceremony at a reception in the church fellowship hall.

The bridegroom-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard Black and his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jackson, will entertain Friday evening at an after-rehearsal dinner at Holiday Inn West, Charlotte. Guests will be members of the two families and wedding party.

El Bethel Youth Had Steak Supper
Members of the Young Married and Young Adult Sunday school class of El Bethel Methodist church gathered for a steak supper Saturday night at El Bethel church.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cash entertained the steaks and all the trimmings were served to a large group of young people.

Mrs. Leonard Gamble is the class teacher.

Miss Edna Champion, Ralph Harrison Pledge Vows In Candlelight Wedding

A candlelight wedding Saturday evening at 7:30 in Macedonia Baptist church united Miss Edna Mae Champion and John Ralph Harrison in marriage.

The couple pledged vows of the double-ring ceremony before the Rev. L. D. Scruggs, minister of the church.

The altar of the church was arranged with palms and greenery and lighted by cathedral candles in wrought-iron candelabra. Mrs. Wayne Ashe was organist for the program of nuptial music. James Robert Champion escorted his daughter to the altar and gave her in marriage. The bride's wedding gown, made by her mother, was a formal design of Chantilly lace and white peau de sole with bell sleeves of lace and lace bodice featuring a high neckline and empire waistline. A detachable Chapel length train enhanced the skirt. She wore a waist-length mantilla of Chantilly lace and carried a white Bible topped with a Royal Bouquet orchid showered with stephanotis.

Mrs. Emmett Greene attended her sister as matron of honor and only attendant. Her formal-length dress, also made by her mother, was of mint green polyester crepe and featured a round neckline with bell sleeves, and a sheath skirt enhanced by white lace and mint green trim. Lace and mint green trim highlighted the high rise waistline. She wore a bow headpiece with illusion veil attached and carried a nosegay of yellow Shastas.

The bridegroom's father was best man.

Robert Champion Jr. and Donald Champion, brothers of the bride, ushered with Jack Barrett and Howard Bridges.

Mrs. Robert Hallman kept the bride's book in the vestibule of the church where the bridal party formed a receiving line to greet wedding guests after the ceremony.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Champion wore a baby blue polyester lace dress with matching accessories and a white orchid shoulder corsage.

The bridegroom's mother chose pink polyester crepe with lace trim and an orchid shoulder corsage.

For a trip to Gatlinburg, Tennessee, the new Mrs. Harrison chose a beige and brown polyester dress with brown accessories and the orchid lifted from her bridal bouquet.

BRIDE AND BRIDEGROOM
Mr. and Mrs. James Robert Champion Sr. of Kings Mountain are parents of the bride. She is a graduate of Kings Mountain high school and for a number of years was manager of Grayson's Jewelry.

The bride-to-be wore an orchid Mr. and Mrs. William E. (Bill) Harrison of Kings Mountain. He was also educated in the Kings Mountain schools, completed a tour of service duty and owns and operates Harrison Machine Shop on York road.

The newlyweds have occupied their new home at 509 E. Lenwood Drive.

Brenda Faye Wray, Robert M. Peterson Pledge Vows In Buffalo Church Rites

Miss Brenda Faye Wray became the bride of Robert Melton Peterson Saturday evening in a 7 p. m. wedding in Shelby's Buffalo Baptist church.

Rev. Sam Snyder was assisted by Rev. Edwin Chriscoe of Kings Mountain in officiating at the double-ring ceremony.

Miss Shirley Stamey was organist and John M. Wallace was vocalist for the program of traditional music.

Ralph T. Wray escorted his sister to the altar and gave her in marriage. The bride's wedding gown was a legendary wedding gown of silk sheerganza veiled over peau de sole. The dress was fashioned with a high neckline, empire waist and long, fitted sleeves with controlled A-line skirt forming a Chapel train. Wide bands of hand-clipped Chantilly lace trimmed the waist, frilled the sleeves, at the wrists and extended in panels down the front of the skirt. A matching lace-trimmed clip held the full length double illusion veil and she carried an S shaped bouquet of white net, French carnations and yellow roses.

Mrs. J. C. Montgomery of Atlanta, Ga. attended her sister as matron of honor and bridesmaids were Mrs. Floyd Warlick of Lawndale, Miss Judy Wray of Shelby, sisters of the bride; Mrs. David Williams and Miss Jo Ann Lovelace, both of Cherryville. Amy Wray of Shelby, niece of the bride, was flower girl.

All the attendants wore yellow floor-length dresses with matching bandeaux and carried two yellow roses. The flower girl, who also wore yellow, carried a basket of yellow rose petals.

Jerry Peterson Jr., nephew of the bridegroom, was ringbearer.

The bridegroom's brother, Jerry Peterson, of Gastonia, was best man.

Ushers were Eddie Peterson of Kings Mountain, brother of the bridegroom; Roger Wray of Shelby, brother of the bride; David Williams of Cherryville and Richard Phillips of Ninety Six, S. C.

The bride's mother wore a mint green street-length dress with a shoulder corsage of pale yellow carnations.

Fifty guests called during the appointed hours including friends of Miss Hord from the North Carolina School for the Deaf where she is a teacher, and Kings Mountain and Shelby.

Mary Jo Hord, Bride-Elect Is Honored
Mrs. Yates Ellis Spake honored her grand-niece, Miss Mary Jo Hord, with a tea at her home on Riverside Drive in Morganton from 4 until 5:30 on Saturday, May 27.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Spake, the bride-elect, her mother, her three sisters, Barbara, Nancy and Anne, and her grandmother, Mrs. Bryon Keeter. Also receiving were the bridegroom-to-be's mother, Mrs. Marie Yow Whiteley and his sister, Miss Connie Whitley, both of Concord.

The tea table was covered by a white embroidered cloth. An arrangement of pink roses on one end of the table was graced by white swans holding sweetheart roses and leading to the punch bowl on the opposite end of the table where refreshments of cheese biscuits, sandwiches, peti fours, nuts and patty shells with chicken salad were served.

Mrs. Danny Lingerfelt and Mrs. Joe Accardi assisted in the dining room.

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