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Douglas-Wallace

In a ceremony marked by dignity and simplicity Miss Ethel Mjriam (Mickey) Douglas became the bride of Jesse Jefferson Wallace on Saturday evening, February first, at five-thirty o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Douglas, Jr., on Frazier street. Guests were an assembly of the immediate families and a few very close friends. The Rev. Russell M. Kerr, pastor of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, officiated, using the impressive double ring ceremony.

The reception hall, living and dining rooms, were attractively decorated, with a color motif of green and white predominating. Palms, ferns and floor baskets of white gladioli formed an improvised altar in the bay-window of the living room, encircled with tall candelabra, and on the mantel were crystal candleholders with a center decoration of snapdragons and fern. The candles were lighted by Thomas Lee and Joe Douglas, brothers of the bride.

Immediately preceding the ceremony a program of nuptial music was given by Mrs. G. McMaster Ketchin, pianist, and Miss Elizabeth Stevenson, soloist. Miss Stevenson sang "I Love You Truly," and "Always," and Lohengrin's "Wedding March" was used for the processional.

Mrs. Joe Douglas as matron of honor and John Beckham as the best man, preceded the bridal couple into the ceremony room. Mrs. Douglas was gowned in a blue dress with which she wore long lace mitts, accessories of black and a corsage of pink carnations.

Little Ann Lodge, niece of the bride, carried the rings on a silver tray. She wore a dress of pink net over taffeta, with pink flowers in her hair, and a corsage of pink rosebuds.

The bridal couple approached the altar together. The bride's stately beauty was accented by a becoming street-length dress of cameo-blue, a pink-feathered

hand-made hat, black accessories and a corsage of pink Radiance rosebuds.

Mrs. Douglas, mother of the bride, wore black velvet with a corsage of white roses. Mrs. Wallace, mother of the bride-groom, wore a dress of grey crepe and a corsage of pink carnations.

A reception for the guests followed immediately after the ceremony. The dining room table was covered with a lace cloth, centered with a silver bowl of white snapdragons, lilies and maidenhair fern, with silver candelabra on either side holding lighted tapers showered with satin ribbons from a miniature bouquet of snapdragons and fern.

The guests were greeted by Mr. and Mrs. Douglas. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Douglas, Sr., re-

ceived in the gift room, and Mrs. Ted Lodge and Mrs. J. J. Wallace assisted in entertaining in the dining room. Refreshments of green and white block ice cream and individual bride's cakes were served by Mrs. F. W. Anderson, sister of the bridegroom, Mrs. Leslie Douglas, Mrs. Osborne Wells and Miss Barbara Ann Douglas. Green and white mints in crystal, gold-etched bon-bon dishes which had been in the bride's family on the paternal side for five generations, were passed by little Betty Jo and Carolyn Douglas, nieces of the bride, and salted nuts were served by Pauline Dunlap.

The young couple left during the evening for a trip to Florida. For traveling, the bride added a top coat and a black hat to

her wedding ensemble. Upon their return they will be with the bride's parents for the present.

Mrs. Wallace is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Joseph Douglas, Jr., of Winnsboro. She graduated from Mount Zion Institute and from Draughton's Business College, Columbia, and is employed with the Fairfield Electric Cooperative, Inc.

Mr. Wallace, son of Mrs. Jesse J. Wallace and the late Mr. Wallace of Chester, received his education in the Chester schools. He served for three years with the U. S. Navy, overseas, and since his discharge has been connected with the Metz-Baker Welding Company of Columbia.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Lodge and Ann of Lamar, Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Gaskin of Camden, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hall of Charlotte, N. C., and T. J. Douglas, Sr., of Avon.

Rehearsal Party for Douglas-Wallace Guests

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Douglas entertained the members of the Douglas-Wallace wedding party

at their home on Friday evening, following the rehearsal.

Tall vases of Picardi gladioli and bowls of white narcissi were used in the living and dining rooms. An attractive centerpiece of pink carnations and maidenhair fern was used on the lace-covered dining table, flanked by lighted tapers in crystal holders.

Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies, punch and cashew nuts were served buffet style.

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