

## Cota-Joyner 1948

Characterized by dignity and charm, the wedding of Miss Ruth Cota and James Joyner was solemnized at the First Methodist church on Saturday evening at eight o'clock, with the Rev. T. C. Cannon, the bride's pastor, officiating.

The church was impressively decorated in effective bridal white and green, offset by brass containers holding lovely white chrysanthemums to compliment the brass rail surrounding the choir loft of the church. A single brass jardiniere of chrysanthemums arranged centrally in the background was illuminated by seven-branched candelabra which cast a soft glow over the altar draped in white. Magnolia leaves and ivy contrasted.

A program of pre-nuptial music was rendered by Mrs. G. McMaster Ketchin, organist, and Miss Elizabeth Stevenson of Ridgeway and Mrs. J. A. Wolfe of Spartanburg, as soloists. The traditional wedding marches were used.

Usher-groomsmen were Coke Whitworth of Woodward, Charlie Shirley of Blackstock, Jim Lewis of Spartanburg, Doug Arnette of Winnsboro and Paul Leitner of Duke university, Durham, N. C.

The candles were lighted by Lewis and Mitchell Cota, brothers of the bride.

Miss Estelle Banks, of Winnsboro, cousin of the bride, was the maid of honor. Mrs. Young G. Lewis, Jr., of Chester, served as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Misses Tweedie Ann Lewis of Spartanburg, Julia Graham of Darlington, Ruth Branham of

Woodward and Mrs. Hugh James Leitner of Winnsboro.

The attendants were gowned in identical dresses of rose satin, made with an off-shoulder effect, fitted bodice and full skirts. They wore mitts to match and carried arm bouquets of cream chrysanthemums tied with Nile green satin ribbons.

Sarah Wallace Brice and Sallie Woods, of Pacolet were the flower girls and were dressed similarly to the honor attendants. They carried white crocheted baskets, laced with Nile green ribbons, from which they scattered white rose petals.

Little Bobby Joyner, brother of the bridegroom, was the ring bearer, and carried the rings on a white satin pillow.

The petite, brunette bride entered with her father, Clifton Cota, who gave her in marriage. She wore a wedding gown of white satin, made drop shoulder with a yoke of embroidered lace and fitted bodice. The sleeves ended in Calla Lily points at the wrists. Her skirt formed a long train over which cascaded a bridal veil of illusion. She carried an arm bouquet of gardenias tied with white satin ribbon.

E. D. Joyner of Winnsboro, was his son's best man.

Mrs. Cota, mother of the bride, was dressed in aqua crepe and wore a corsage of gardenias. Mrs. Joyner, the mother of the groom, wore a dress of black crepe studded with green sequins. Her corsage was red rose-buds centered with tuberoses.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The triple window in the front living room was decorated with a brass jardiniere holding yellow and bronze chrysanthemums, and this formed the setting where Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McMaster greeted the guests as they entered.

The bride's arrangement of white chrysanthemums mixed with gypsophilia flanked on either end by candlesticks holding white tapers. The buffet held a floral creation of white dahlias enhanced by magnolia leaves.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McDonald introduced the guests to the receiving line—formed in the left living room—which consisted of the parents of the bride and groom and the wedding party.

Mrs. R. M. Brice showed the guests into the gift room which was presided over by Mr. and Mrs. Roy Robinson and Mrs. Tommy Tolbert.

Receiving at the dining room door were Mr. and Mrs. Y. G. Lewis, Sr., of Chester. Miss Lola Jennings and R. M. Brice showed the guests to the side porch where punch was served by Misses Nelle Wylie and Marian McMaster and Paul Leitner. Mr. and Mrs. Walker Leitner bade the guests good-bye.

Serving punch and individual bride's cakes in the dining room were Misses Mary Carlisle McDonald, Mary McMaster, Barbara Wylie, Jennette Norman, Kathleen Lewis and Betty Poston. Yellow and white mints were passed.

Mrs. Joyner, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Cota of Winnsboro, wore a grey gabardine suit with black accessories for a going away outfit. A gardenia corsage completed her costume.

A native of Winnsboro, Mrs. Joyner attended the local schools and has been employed by the Colonial Drug store. Mr. Joyner, son of E. D. Joyner of Winnsboro and Mrs. Joyner of Pacolet, attended the Spartanburg schools, and served with the U. S. navy during the war.

The young couple will make their home in Pacolet.

## COTA-HUNTER WEDDING SOLEMNIZED FEB. 1st 1960

Mrs. Clifton Cota announces the marriage of her son, Clifton Louis Cota and Miss Lola Hunger of Miami, Fla., at the Homestead Air Force Base Chapel on February 1.

The ceremony was performed by the Chaplain, Captain A. D. Air.

Mrs. Cota is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Westly Hunger of Miami, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Cota are visiting his mother and other relatives in Winnsboro this week, enroute to a new assignment in the Air Force at Cape Cod, Mass.

## Wed in Columbia Feb. 2, 1974

The First Presbyterian Church, Columbia, was the setting for the Saturday, February 2, wedding of Mrs. Jane Preston and Marvin L. Collins. The Reverend Hugh McClure officiated.

The bride was formerly secretary to the Vice Provost for Regional Campuses at the University of South Carolina.

The bridegroom is an executive with Phillips Petroleum Company in Bartlesville, Oklahoma.

Following a wedding trip to Bermuda, the couple will reside in Bartlesville.

Mr. Collins is the son of Mrs. W. C. Collins of Winnsboro.

## Cotton-Jastrzemski

North Tonawanda, N. Y. — A beautiful ceremony took place at the O.L.C. Saturday morning, November 20th, at 9 o'clock when Miss Alfreda Jastrzemski, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jastrzemski of 144 Ironton street became the bride of Corporal James Lee Cotton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lee Cotton of Winnsboro, South Carolina.

The double-ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Henry Wozniak. The altar of the church was decorated with fall flowers and the pews were marked with big bows of white satin.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was lovely in a white satin gown, with a sweetheart neckline inserted with lace, a scalloped waistline, buttoned down the back of the dress, with a long train and full length pointed sleeves. She wore a long veil completed with an orange blossom tiara and carried a bouquet of white roses, lilies of the valley and an orchid with a white satin ribbon and streamers.

Miss Klaudia Jastrzemski, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a dusty rose taffeta gown trimmed with lace, with a short train and blue accessories. She carried a bouquet of pink roses and pompons with a blue satin ribbon.

The bridesmaids were the Misses Genevieve Oszyewski, Helen Galewski, cousin of the bride, and Ida Pacione. They wore blue taffeta gowns like the maid of honor's. They also carried pink roses and pompons tied with pink satin ribbons.

The best man was Cpl. John Di Bella. The ushers were Pyl. Homer Gastelum, Cpl. Steve Dobrosky, and Cpl. James Dawson. All are stationed at Camp Bell, Niagara Falls.

The bride's mother wore a black crepe dress with aqua neckline and a corsage of roses and pompons.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at Dom Polski Hall. Tables were set for 75 families.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. I. Galewski of Chelsea, Mass.

Cpl. and Mrs. Cotton left for their honeymoon to South Carolina where they will visit his parents.

Mrs. Cotton will reside at 144 Ironton street and Cpl. Cotton will return to Camp Bell where he is stationed.

## Miss Wilkins and H. C. Craft, Jr. Wed in Arkansas

On Saturday evening, November 4, at 8:00 p.m., the marriage of Miss Mattie Ruth Wilkins and Herbert C. Craft, Jr., was solemnized in the Bayou Meto Baptist Church of Jacksonville, Arkansas. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Wilkins of North Little Rock, Arkansas, and the bridegroom is the son of Mrs. T. E. Watson of Winnsboro and the late Mr. Herbert C. Craft.

The candlelight ceremony was performed by Rev. Eugene Irby. Mrs. Eugene Irby, pianist, and Miss Susie Sessions, soloist, presented the nuptial music. The bride had as her matron of honor Mrs. Barbara Curtis, and Mr. Eric Uttu served as the bridegroom's best man. Mr. Kenneth Franklin and Mr. David Davidson were ushers.

Following the wedding, a reception was given in the church.

The couple will make their home at 521 1/2 Willow Street, North Little Rock, Arkansas, the bridegroom being stationed at the Little Rock Air Force Base in Jacksonville, Arkansas.

Attending the wedding from Winnsboro was the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. T. E. Watson.

## McLendon-Crawford

Saturday evening at eight o'clock Miss Vivian McLendon, of Winnsboro, and Mr. James W. Crawford, also of Winnsboro, were married at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Charles Harris, with Rev. Harris officiating. Mrs. Crawford is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. McLendon of the Winnsboro Mills, and Mr. Crawford is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crawford.

After a short trip to the mountains of North Carolina, Mr. and Mrs. Crawford will make their home for the present with the former's parents on Congress Street

## Crawford Jeter

Miss Mary Helen Crawford and Arthur Earle Jeter of Union and Columbia were married Sunday, December 7th, at the home of her sisters, the Misses Crawford, on Duncan street, Columbia. The Rev. F. Ray Riddle officiated, with only the members of the immediate families witnessing the ceremony.

Mrs. Jeter is the youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Crawford, who were both natives of Fairfield county, and until a few years ago had made their home in the Strother section of the county. Mrs. Jeter was a graduate of Mount Zion in Winnsboro and of Chicora College, and had taught in Union county.

Mr. Jeter is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert Arthur Jeter, but is now employed in Columbia, where the couple will make their home.

## Crawford-Milholen

Outstanding in loveliness and simplicity was the marriage of Miss Annie Frances Crawford to William Grady Milholen Thursday morning, August 8th at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Crawford. The Rev. G. G. Mayes, former pastor of the bride, officiated, using the ring ceremony in the presence of a few relatives and intimate friends.

The candles were lighted by David Crawford, brother of the bride. The bride and groom entered the ceremony room together and took their places in front of the improvised altar banked with ivy, ferns, white asters, gladioli and Queen Anne's lace. A beautiful mirror reflected the ceremony.

Following the wedding ceremony an informal reception was held.

The bride wore a lovely costume of sheer Alice Blue, with white accessories. Her corsage was of pink roses and lilies of the valley.

Mrs. Milholen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Crawford and a young lady of striking personality. She was graduated from Mt. Zion institute. For several years she has been the manager of "The Colonial" in Winnsboro.

Mr. Milholen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Milholen of Coolee, N. C. He received his education at Duke university. He holds a position in the standards department of the United States Rubber company located at present in New Bedford, Mass. where he and his bride will reside after a wedding trip.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Milholen and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hoover of Coolee, N. C.

Prior to the marriage on Thursday, a number of delightful affairs were given for the bride. On Tuesday evening she was entertained at a miscellaneous shower at the home of Misses Ruth and Sara Mason. After interesting contests the bride received many lovely and useful gifts. Delightful refreshments of punch, cake and mints were served by the hostesses.

## Crawford-Stewart

Miss Willie Mae Crawford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Crawford and Staff Sergeant R. W. Stewart of Cumberland, Md., were married on Friday, May 14th, at Vincennes, Ind., by the Rev. Thomas L. Bush. 1943

The bride was becomingly attired in a blue wool suit with navy and white accessories, and wore a corsage of sweet peas.

Mrs. Stewart is making her home in Vincennes, while Sergeant Stewart is stationed at George Field at Lawrenceville, Ill.

## Anderson-Crawford

Apalachicola, May 14.—Marked by distinctive beauty and charm, the wedding of Miss Norma Marie Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Allen Anderson of Estill, S. C., and Edward Mobley Crawford, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. David Aiken Crawford of Winnsboro, S. C. was solemnized at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, in the First Methodist church. The Rev. W. O. McMullen, pastor, performed the ceremony, in the presence of a large gathering of friends and relatives.

Decorations in the church were confined to the chancel. Bamboo fronds and maidenhair fern formed a background of luxuriant green for baskets of white gladioli and shasta daisies. Asparagus fern outlined the windows at either side of the pipe organ and Southern smilax entwined the chancel rail. The pews reserved for relatives of the young couple were marked with tulle bows centered with shasta daisies.

Preceding the entrance of the wedding party Mrs. Alton Sloan Ham at the organ played a program of bridal music consisting of the following numbers: "Oh Promise Me" (DeKoven), "Because" (de Hardelot) and "To The Evening Star" (Tannhauser). During the ceremony "Traumerei" (Schumann) was played. Mrs. John Marshall, Jr., sang "At Dawning" (Cadman). Mrs. Ham used the "Bridal Chorus" from "Lohengrin" as the processional march and the bridal party left the church to the strains of the "Wedding March" from "Midsummer Night's Dream" (Mendelssohn).

The bride was given in marriage by her father and had as her only attendant, Mrs. Homer L. Oliver, as matron of honor.

Ernest Crawford of Winnsboro, S. C., served as his brother's best man and groomsmen were Charles F. Marks and John Barmore of this city, Wilbur H. Marshall of Miccosukee, brother-in-law of the bride, and Bill Galt, Jr., of Port St. Joe.

The bride's wedding gown was of hyacinth blue silk crepe, the yoke of which was fashioned of lace of the same shade. The fitted jacket was trimmed with inserts of the lace. Her poke-shaped hat of pink novelty straw with pink velvet streamers, was framed with dainty pink and white blossoms and with this ensemble she wore pink slippers. She carried a bouquet of pink roses.

Leaving by motor immediately after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Crawford will tour the southern part of the state. Mrs. Crawford traveled in a sheer crepe suit of navy blue, trimmed in white silk pique. Her off the face hat of blue milan was finished with a veil and her accessories were of navy.

The bride is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson. She was born in Port Barre, La., and was graduated from the Louisiana State Normal in Natchitoches, La. She also attended the Florida State College for Women in Tallahassee and Duke University in Durham, N. C. For the last five years she has been a member of the faculty of Chapman High School in this city.

Mr. Crawford, a native of Winnsboro, S. C., is connected with the United States Army Engineers, with his headquarters in Panama City.