

Carruth Taylor

Miss Margaret Jane Taylor and Mr. Richard Clyde Carruth exchanged wedding vows on Saturday, September 28, at seven o'clock in the evening, in the First Baptist Church, Winnsboro. The Rev. Terry Brooks performed the ceremony. 1974

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Betty Bennett Taylor, and the granddaughter of Mrs. W. P. Bennett of Winnsboro.

The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Faye B. Gosnell of Landrum and the late Clyde Elford Carruth.

Mrs. Carruth was graduated from Winnsboro High School and attended Limestone College in Gafncy.

Mr. Carruth is a graduate of Landrum High School, and also attended Limestone College.



Mrs. Richard Clyde Carruth

Crisp Thomas

Miss Laura Alice Thomas became the bride of Jonathan Gentry Crisp Saturday evening, July 13, at five o'clock in St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Ridgeway. 1974

The double-ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. John Rivers, St. David's Episcopal Church, Cullowhee, N. C., and the Rev. Edward B. Harris, priest-in-charge of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Ridgeway. Martin Muller, cousin of the bride of Winter Park, Florida, served as acolyte.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walton Thomas of Ridgeway, and the bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Carlene Greene Crisp and Otis Gentry Crisp of Cullowhee.

On the altar were vases of white snapdragons, gladioli, carnations, and fern. The altar cross was banked with the same flowers. Traces of smilax were used on the altar rail and in the chancel. Tall palms were used on each side of the altar.

Wedding music was presented by Mrs. John Vincent Nicholson, Jr., organist, of Winnsboro. Marcello's "Psalm 19" was used as the processional march and the recessional music was by Handel.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor-length wedding gown of ivory peau de soie fashioned with empire waistline accented with Alencon lace, scooped neckline and elbow-length sleeves edged with lace. The skirt, bordered with deep band of Alencon lace at the hemline, held a detachable chapel-length train enhanced with lace. Her veil of silk illusion embroidered with Alencon lace was worn man-atilla style. She carried a cascade of phalanopsis orchids and stephanotis.

Mrs. James Edward Parrish, Jr., sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a pale pink dress of silk jersey fashioned with long sleeves, empire waist, and square neckline. She carried a round bouquet of pink roses, stephanotis, purple statice, and camellia foliage. Carolina State University.



Mrs. Jonathan Gentry Crisp



Mrs. Alvin Ezell Taylor.

Miss Patsy Ruth Waters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Fincher Waters of Winnsboro, became the bride of Alvin Ezell Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Taylor of Winnsboro, at a candlelight ceremony held Saturday night in Gordon Memorial Methodist Church. The Rev. C. E. Peele officiated at the single ring service. 6 Jan 1951

The young, blonde bride, given in marriage by her father, chose white slipper satin, with long train for her wedding gown. A

Thomas-White Marriage Solemnized At Ridgeway 3/1942

An unusually interesting and lovely wedding was that of Miss Rosa Taft Thomas of Ridgeway and Mr. James Benjamin White of Sumter, which took place at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon in St. Stephen's Episcopal church at Ridgeway. The bride is the daughter of Mr. R. Charlton Thomas and the late Rosa Taft Thomas of Ridgeway, and the bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Hugh Walker White of Rock Hill and the late Mr. White, formerly of Charleston. The Rev. James L. Grant, rector of St. Stephen's, officiated in the presence of the two families.

Old St. Stephen's Church of English Gothic architecture, set among the pines, was decorated with smilax for the occasion. On the altar were white snapdragons and white cathedral candles. Mrs. Louis Nooe played the organ before the ceremony.

Mr. Hugh W. White of Charlotte, North Carolina, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. The bride was given in marriage by her father. She looked charming in a tailored suit of aqua gabardine with hat of matching felt and brown accessories. Her corsage was of orchids.

Immediately after the ceremony the bride and groom left for Florida.

Mrs. White was graduated from Converse College where she was a member of Epsilon Delta.

Mr. White was graduated from The Citadel where he was a member of Blue Dragons. After college he worked for two years in Columbia, and is now associated with the United States Engineers at Shaw Field in Sumter, where they will make their home.

Smith-Tennant

Charlotte, N. C.—Of interest to the many friends and relatives in the Carolinas was the marriage of Miss Frances Eleanor Smith of Charlotte and Sgt. Woodrow W. Tennant of Great Falls, S. C. 774

The ceremony took place in York, S. C., at 7 o'clock Saturday afternoon, June 19, at the home of the Rev. Leslie W. Edwards, former pastor of the bride.

The bride wore an Alice blue street frock with white accessories and a corsage of white gardenias.

Mrs. C. G. Ayers of Concord, N. C., was her sister's matron of honor and only attendant. Mr. Ayers was the bridegroom's best man.

for the past two years. He is now stationed in Fort Knox, Ky.

billowing veil of lace-edged net was held in place by a seed-pearl tiara, and the seed-pearl motif was repeated on the collar, bodice, and tiny epaulets of her gown. She carried white roses centered by an orchid. 186

Mrs. Helen W. Miller of Newberry, S. C., eldest of the bride's seven sisters, wore rose taffeta for her role of matron of honor, and the four bridesmaids, the Misses Jean Waters and Doris Christie of Winnsboro, Miss Patricia Long of Monroe, N. C., and Miss Celestine Waters of Rock Hill, S. C., were gowned in identical dresses of Winter green, with matching mitts. Their bouquets were of pink carnations and roses and they wore pearl necklaces, gifts of the bride. Four-year-old flower girl, Margaret Ann Isenhower of this town, niece of the bride, wore a miniature frock of the same design as the bridesmaids, in blue. She carried a basket of rose petals.

Ezell Taylor was best man for his son, and ushers included Billy Kelly, Revonne Hunt, Herman Price and Paul Bazemore.

Both the bride and bridegroom are graduates of Mt. Zion Institute. They will make their home in Winnsboro, where Mr. Taylor is employed by A. E. Davis and Company.

Lever-Taylor 1949

Crooked Run Baptist Church near Winnsboro was the scene of a lovely wedding at three o'clock on Sunday afternoon, June nineteenth, when Miss Kitty Jay Lever, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lever of Blythewood, became the bride of Thomas L. Taylor of Winnsboro.

The vows were spoken amid a setting of beautiful palms, baskets of white gladioli, Shasta daisies, feverfew and ferns, with candelabra holding white tapers completing the decorations.

Rev. Paul Becker officiated, using the double ring ceremony.

Miss Adelaide Brooks, church organist, and Chris Leitner, vocalist, furnished the nuptial music.

Usher groomsmen were Vasco A. Taylor and Richard Beckham, and Archie L. Taylor was the bridegroom's best man.

Miss Julia Ann Eargle of Blythewood was the maid of honor. She wore a dress of pink linen with pink accessories, and carried a Colonial bouquet of pink carnations and gypsophelia.

The bride entered with her father, by whom she was given

Muller-Thomas

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Muller of Blythewood announce the marriage of their daughter, Laura Alice to Robert Walton Thomas of Ridgeway, on November 28, 1941, at 5 o'clock, in St. Mark's Lutheran church. The impressive ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Glenn L. Barger.

The chancel of the church was simply decorated with white candles and chrysanthemums.

Prior to the ceremony, Hoyo Eargle of Columbia played "Ah Sweet Mystery of Life" and "Because."

The couple entered to the traditional wedding march. "I Love You Truly" was softly played during the ceremony.

The bride was attired in a costume suit of gold wool, with which she wore brown accessories. Her corsage was of Talisman roses.

Mrs. Thomas is a graduate of the school of commerce of the University of South Carolina, class of 1941. She is a member of the Jenkinsville high school faculty.

Mr. Thomas is the son of R. Charlton Thomas and the late Rosa Taft Thomas. He is a graduate of the University of the South, Sewanee, Tenn. He is a member of Sigma Nu fraternity.

After their short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Thomas will make their home in Ridgeway, where the former is associated in the mercantile business with his father.