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CONGDON-FORGAN WEDDING CHARMING

Replete with Sentiment Are the Nuptials of Former Queen of Ak-Sar-Ben.

PINK COLOR PREDOMINATES

By MELLIFICIA, June 13.

Beautiful in the extreme and replete with family sentiment was the wedding last evening of Miss Elizabeth Congdon, a former Ak-Sar-Ben queen, and Mr. Robert Forgan of Chicago, in which the interest of a wide circle of the social-elect was evidenced. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents by Dean James A. Tancock of Trinity cathedral at 8:30 o'clock.

Pink was the predominating color in the decoration scheme, peonies and roses in baskets, vases and wall pockets, together with pink-shaded lights producing an effect of great beauty. The doorways were draped with smilax, while a woodland effect transformed the screened porch where the orchestra was hidden.

The arrangements for the wedding were in many instances a replica of the marriages of the bride's two sisers, Mrs. Arthur S. Rogers, and more recently Mrs. Herbert French. A feature of the wedding party was the attendance of matrons of honor, at the weddings of all of whom, with one exception, the bride of last night had served.

Entrance Impressive.

The entrance of the wedding party was most impressive. From a specially constructed loggia, through the sitting room into the parlor, where was an improvised altar, wide, white satin ribbons were stretched. Here the white rug was the same that had done service at the two former weddings in the Congdon family, while the white satin pillow on which the bridal couple knelt had also been used at the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. George Redick and Mr. and Mrs. Barton Millard, both matrons also being included in this wedding party.

Mrs. Barton Millard was the first to enter. Her gown was of pink taffeta and net, trimmed with sequins, the skirt made short and full and draped with four points over a net petticoat ornamented with sequins. The bodice, like all the other gowns, was cut square in front and pointed in back and was made rather tight with Poiret ruffle sleeves. A touch of blue was used in the girdle. Mrs. Millard carried an arm bouquet of pink snapdragons and blue larkspur.

Gown of the Queen.

Mrs. George Redick was the next to enter. Mrs. Redick was gowned in soft, pale green satin embroidered in silver, the bodice of silver lace with angel sleeves of the same lace, the skirt made with a double silver lace flounce and caught with a green and silver girdle to which a touch of lavender was added. Green and silver beads were used in the ornamentation. Mrs. Redick carried a shower bouquet of yellow Spanish iris and purple gladioli.

Mrs. Walter Roberts appeared next in an elaborate costume of orchid taffeta and silver. A bodice of orchid taffeta embroidered in silver, surmounted a short, full skirt, each of the five points of which was bound with silver ribbon. The overskirt of taffeta was draped over a petticoat of orchid net embroidered in silver. Mrs. Roberts' bouquet was of orchids, gladioli and swansonia.

Mrs. Denise Barkalow, who followed, wore an attractive apricot taffeta over cloth of silver. The bodice was a combination of apricot tulle and silver with angel sleeves and silver ribbon girdle. The pannier skirt of apricot taffeta almost hid the petticoat of silver. An arm bouquet of Mrs. Ward roses completed this costume.

Then came the sisters of the bride, Mrs. Arthur S. Rogers, Mrs. Herbert French of Louisville, Ky., and Miss Josephine Congdon, the maid of honor. Mrs. Rogers' gown was a combination of blue faille with white organdie embroidered in blue. The waist was of faille with butterfly sleeves of the white organdie embroidered with blue, and a girdle of faille was caught with pink roses. A garden bouquet of pink snapdragons and sweet peas with dark blue bachelor buttons and daisies was carried by Mrs. Rogers.

Simple and Charming.

Mrs. French appeared in a gown as simple and charming as its wearer. The bodice was a fichu of princess lace, the rest of the gown was of soft pink taffeta. The short skirt, worn over hoops, was caught at each side with a bunch of pale pink and blue rose buds and lavender velvet baby ribbon. The lavender ribbon extended to the bottom of the skirt and was continued all around the hem line with tiny garlands at intervals. A Watteau pleat extended from the shoulder line down the back. The fichu of lace formed the sleeves, the gown being worn off the shoulders Asparagus fern studded with Maryland roses, blue larkspur and purple pansies made up Mrs. French's bouquet.

Next to enter was Miss Josephine Congdon, in a gown of apple green taffeta and marquisette with garlands of deep pink roses. The tight bodice was of taffeta headed with three ruffles of marquisette worn off the shoulder and forming the sleeves. Panniers of taffeta were held in place by garlands of large deep pink rose buds, and were draped over a lower skirt of the marquisette ruffles bound with taffeta. She carried a sheaf of Killarney roses.

Just preceding the bride walked Master Edward Congdon Rogers, Nephew of the bride, dressed in a white serge knickerbocker suit with Windsor collar, white socks and pumps.

Bride's Gown.

The bride wae queenly in a lovely gown of ivory satin trimmed with old rose point lact that had been worn by her mother and sisters on their wedding days. The bodice was of rose point lace with long shirred sleeves of nt edged with the same lace and a girdle of white satin. The skirt fell in long, graceful folds, while the long court train was caught to the gown with a cape of point lace. The veil was a long white tulle one falling to the end of the court train and was caught to the back of the hair with an upstanding frill of the point lace held in place with orange blossoms worn at Mrs. French's wedding also. The bridal bouquet was a shower of lilies of the valley, swansonia and sweet peas.

Mrs. Congdon wore orchid faille combined with Georgette crepe in the same shade, embroidered in silver. The bodice was square cut with three-quarter sleeves of Georgette crepe and girdle of cloth of silver.

The Men Folks.

Mr. David R. Forgan of Chicago was the best man. The ushers were Arthur S. Rogers, Mr. Harry McCleod of Minneapolis and Mr. Philip Ryder of Chicago. Mr. Herbert French of Louisville was unable to come.

Following the ceremony, there was a reception between the hours of 9 and 11. The dining room was decorated in the pink, while the table held a mound of syringa or mock orange blossoms and a large wedding cake on a standard.

Assisting at the reception were:

Mesdames—	Mesdames—
Frederick H. Davis	John C. French
Nathan Merriam	W. F. Gurley
W. H. McHugh	Ben Gallagher
Lucien Stephens	John Melhop
Ellis Bierbower	of Council Bluffs
Arthur Keeline	John Madden
Harry McLeod	Louis Clarke
of Milwaukee	
Misses—	Misses—
Mary Burkley	Elizabeth Davis
Mellora Davis	Elizabeth Reed
Eleanor Mackay	Blanch Deuel
Marion Howe	Frances Nash
Mildred Butler	

The young couple left at midnight for Lake Geneva. The bride's go-away gown was a blue and black invisible check suit with which a small black tocque was worn. After August 1, they will be at home at 3545 West Adams street, Chicago.

A cablegram of congratulations from the mother of the bridegroom, who lives in St. Andrews, Scotland, was received on the wedding day.

At the Country Club.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wheeler entertained ten guests at the Country club Sunday, complimentary to their guest, Mr. James of Alameda, Cal. W. H. Wheeler had ten guests, O. T. Eastman, eight; R. C. Howe, four; Mrs. Eva Wallace, four; Miss Gertrude Metz, six; J. T. Stewart, seven, and E. A. Benson, five.

Mrs. Thomas Latham Davis entertained six guests at luncheon today at the club.

On Saturday evening, W. Farnam Smith will give a dinner for twenty-four guests.

At Happy Hollow Club.

Happy Hollow club will be a popular resort on Thursday. Omaha and Major Isaac Sadler chapters, Daughters of the American Revolution, give a luncheon for fifty.

Other reservations for that day have been made by Julius Kessler, who will entertain a party of twelve; Mrs. S. B. Doyle, ten, and Mrs. Chester Nieman, five guests.

Mrs. P. B. Height gave a luncheon at Happy Hollow today in honor of Miss Jennie Harte, a bride of Thursday. Baskets of peonies were used in the table decorations and covers were placed for sixteen guests.

At the Field Club.

The Field club was most popular with its members for Sunday evening supper. Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Brando enetrtained eight guests, while parties of four were entertained by E. P. Smith, T. P. Redmond, G. T. Wilson, R. H. Manley, J. H. Mithen and G. W. Laier. Others entertaining at the club last evening were J. W. Hughes, Paul Wernher, C. E. Hutchinson, C. C. Rosewater, R. H. Beauchamp, Dr. H. L. Arnold, H. S. Mann, H. J. McCarthy, F. S. Pollard, E. Boure, F. P. Loomis, C. W. Calkins, Ed Slater, J. C. Blanchard, J. B. Redfield and C. S. Montgomery.

Between 400 and 500 Elks will enjoy a dance at the club Tuesday evening. Mrs. C. B. Brown has reservations for twenty guests on Wednesday.

Eastern Star Kensington.

Adah chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, will hold its kensington Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. V. Miller, instead of Mrs. P. J. Farrell, as previously announced. Mrs. J. W. Parsley will assist the hostess.

Celebrate Wedding Anniversary.

In honor of the fiftieth wedding anniversary of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Dagget, Mrs. Minnie Wisner, Mrs. C. R. Kennedy and Mrs. Clyde Moore entertained at dinner Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Wisner. Those present were:

Messrs. and Mesdames—	
Daniel Daggett,	C. R. Kennedy,
Harry Northcutt,	Clyde Moore.
Misses—	Misses—
Clara Wisner,	Irene Wisner.
Messrs.—	Messrs.—
Gerald M. Drew,	Wilbur Daggett.
Mrs. Emily Drew.	

Mrs. Edward James of Alameda, Cal., who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wheeler, plans to leave on Tuesday.

Entertains at Bridal Shower.

Miss Blanche Yousem, whose marriage to Julius Abrahamson will take place June 18, was the honor guest at a miscellaneous shower given by the groom's sister, Miss Anna Abrahamson, at their parent's home Sunday evening. The evening was spent in cards, at which Miss Mollie Harding was first prize winner. The table decorations were in pink and green. Sixteen guests were in attendance. They were:

Mesdames—	Mesdames—
Pauline Friedman of	Mollie Harding,
Council Bluffs,	Nettie Harding,
J. Friedman of	Singer,
Council Bluffs,	Abrahamson.
Bessie Harding,	
Misses—	Misses—
Marian Davis,	Blanche Ringle,
Jeanette Abrahamson,	Anna Crounse,
Anna Abrahamson,	Frances Seka,
Lena Lipsey,	Lillian Seka,
Florence Ringle,	Blanche Yousem.

For Flag Day Parade.

Members of the Jewish Ladies' Relief society are asked to meet at Twenty-seventh avenue and Farnam streets, Wednesday afternoon at 1:45 o'clock, to form for the Flag day parade. Mrs. Philip Sher is in charge in the absence of the president.

Seymour Lake Country Club.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Cheek and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Rose had supper together at the Seymour Lake Country club on Sunday.

Another party included:

Messrs and Mesdames	Philbin.
W. F. Bavinger.	C. H. Marling.
	George Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Mattson also entertained at the club.

A large number of reservations have been made for the dinner-dance Tuesday evening.

Neighborly Kensington.

The Neighborly kensington was entertained Friday at the home of Mrs. H. E. Newby. The afternoon was pleasantly spent by all. Prizes were won by Mrs. B. B. Anderson and Mrs. V. N. Swinnerton. A dainty luncheon was served. Those present were:

Mesdames—	Mesdames—
C. J. Ziebarth,	J. H. Purnell,
Fred Davis,	V. N. Swinnerton,
Frank Morrison,	B. W. Braasch,
Harry Philpott,	C. Delehoy,
B. B. Anderson,	H. L. Ryabe,
H. E. Newby,	F. Gewinner.

IOWA SUFFRAGISTS NOT DISCOURAGED

Reorganization of Forces to Be Effected at Bluffs Rally on Tuesday Afternoon.

TO CELEBRATE "NEAR-VICTORY"

Are the Iowa suffragists discouraged?

Not a bit!

Mrs. Leonard Everett, who headed the Council Bluffs campaign, called a farewell meeting of the suffrage women last week, but the votes- for- women enthusiasts refused to so easily succumb to defeat.

"We're not through! We're going to work harder than ever now for the next campaign. We almost won, and I believe we would have if the politicians were on the square with us! Let's reorganize for the next campaign!"

Exclamations of the above cailber were rampant, instead of expressions of discouragement, so reorganize is what they are going to do.

Omaha Suffragists Invited.

They have planned a big jollification for Tuerday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the public library, to which they have invited all the Omaha suffragists who helped during the campaign.

"At least we can celebrate, because we carried Council Bluffs and the Ninth district," quoth they.

Dr. Effie McCullom Jones, state vice president, will be present, and the reorganization will be effected.

There are deep, dark rumors that the returns of the Iowa election will be contested, but no one will confirm or deny the statement.

UNI GRADUATE MARRIES U. S. AMY RECRUIT SERGEANT

Miss Nell Phillips of Lincoln, a popular University of Nebraska graduate, and Charles Butler, sergeant in charge of the United States army recruiting station at Soutx City, were married at 10:30 o'clock Monday morning by Father Doud of Holy Family church. The marriage announcement comes as a great surprise to the friends of the two young people.

Miss Phillips is the daughter of Mrs. J. W. Phillips. Mr. Butler formerly lived in Omaha.

Miss Grace Poole and Dan J. Mara were the only attendants. After a wedding breakfast at the Hotel Fontenelle the young couple left for Sioux City.

KIMBALL POSTERS USED TO ADVERTISE BIRD MASQUE

The water color painting of the mythical faun, produced by T. R. Kimball as a poster advertisement for the bird masque at Childs Point, to be given next Saturday, is being reproduced in duplicates by the students of the art class at the high school. The class of Miss Lillian Rudersdorf in drawing at the high school has produced twenty-four duplicates, and they are being widely distributed for display in the woidows.

Banquet Tuesday At Cheyenne for Mohler and Ware

Former President Mohler and former General Manager Ware of the Union Pacific left for Cheyenne Monday afternoon, where this evening the Industrial club of Cheyenne will tender them a farewell banquet. It is expected that covers will be laid for 500 and that it will be one of the most important dinner functions ever held in the state. Business men and officials from all over Wyoming will be in attendance.

Gerrit Fort, passenger traffic manager, came in from Chicago Monday morning and here a special train was made up for Denver. It carried Mr. Fort, General Manager Jeffers and General Passenger Agent Basinger. At Denver this morning they will attend a family meeting of company officials and during the afternoon those in attendance will run up to Cheyenne to be present at the banquet tendered Messrs. Mohler and Ware.

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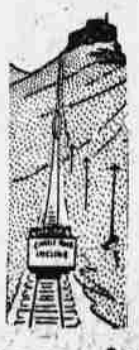

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