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INTERESTING WEDDING AT RYDE

A very pretty wedding was that of Mr. Wallace J. WEEKS, of Beaconsfield-avenue, Colchester, second son of Mr. Frank WEEKS of Newport, with Miss Alice J. WOODS, only daughter of Mr. Henry W. WOODS, of Barfield, Ryde, which was chorally celebrated at Holy Trinity Church, Ryde, on Thursday afternoon. Mr. A. Percy JAMES, the organist, played the "Bridal march" from Lohengrin and other music while the guest were assembling. The bride was met at the door by the Vicar (the Rev. W. M. CAMERON), who officiated, and the choir and the procession advanced up the church to the singing of the hymn "How welcome was the call." The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a dress of white soie de Chine with tucked fichu, a wreath which was worn by her mother at her wedding, and a lace veil lent by her aunt, Mrs. WHITE, of Kingswood, Herts. She carried a bouquet of stephanotis and white roses and was attended by five bridesmaids, the Misses Rosie and Katie WEEKS and Nina WOODS (cousins of the bride), and Miss Dorothy WOODS (niece of the bride). The Misses WEEKS wore dresses of pale green muslin and white chiffon, with hats tinted with green and feathers to match; the Misses WHITE and WOODS were attired in Heliotrope muslin. They carried shower bouquets of pink geraniums and white roses. The bride's little niece wore a dress of white silk, inserted with lace, and hat to match, and carried a basket of similar flowers. The bridesmaids presents from the bridegroom were gold necklets with pendant hearts. Mr. Percy WEEKS (brother of the bridegroom) was the best man. The hymns "Lead us, Heavenly Father, lead us" and "When the morning guilds the skies" were sung, the latter during the signing of the register. The introit was the Deus misereatur and this was also sung by the choir. Mr. JAMES played the usual "Wedding march" when the newly married couple quitted the vestry. Mr. and Mrs. H. W. WOODS held a reception subsequently and Mr. and Mrs. WEEKS left for Salisbury en route for South Devon, where the honeymoon will be spent, by the 4 o'clock boat. The bride's going away dress was of crushed strawberry frieze, with light travelling coat and black picture hat.

Among the 79 presents listed were:

Bride's mother, a piano and half-dozen silver teaspoons

Bride's father, a cheque.

Mr. and Mrs. F. WEEKS, table silver.

Mr. P. WEEKS, fish knives and forks.

Rev. W. M. CAMERON, two framed photos of Holy Trinity Church.

Miss C. FRAZER, two antimaccassars.

Mrs. OSBORNE, silver mounted glass scent bottle.

The staff at bank, Colchester, dining-room clock.

Mrs. CLAGUE, book of poems.

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NB: A complete list of the presents is available