

Mr and Mrs R. Cook held a large reception after the ceremony at their beautiful residence, "Overdale." The hall was prettily decorated with evergreens, while in the dining-room delicious tea was beautifully laid out. In the centre of the table rose the handsome four-tiered cake, with a pretty wedding bell of white flowers, suspended above it, white ribbons falling from it to the table. The many handsome presents were arranged for inspection in the drawing-room. During the afternoon sweet music was rendered by a string band stationed in the quiet summer-house just off the verandah.

The bride's travelling dress was a smartly-cut brown cloth costume, the skirt trimmed with stitched bands, brown picture hat with crushed roses, the whole costume being finished with brown, sable furs with stole ends. The happy couple left for Wanganui amidst the good wishes of their friends. Mrs Richard Cook received her guests in a very handsome black mervelieux trimmed with black silk passementerie, toque of white chiffon with brown and tangerine-trimming, rich brown feathered marabout. Mrs Bert Cook (Wellington) was much admired in a very handsome black shirred voile, trimmed with bands of black silk Maltese lace, white picture hat, relieved with black, lovely white feather stole; Mrs. George Neil, handsome black accordion-pleated skirt; black silk blouse with silk yoke, white felt hat, trimmed with roses, white feather stole; Mrs. Ferguson, sister of the bridegroom, pretty dove-coloured voile with shirred full bodice, finished with cream lace, black picture hat; Mrs. Healey, black accordion pleated skirt, scarlet blouse; with lace yoke, picture hat trimmed with feathers and scarlet roses; Mrs. Noonan, long black silk coat, black bonnet en suite; Mrs. Walter Williams, dainty cream voile over glace, profusely trimmed with bands of satin ribbon and chiffon, hat trimmed with chiffon roses; Mrs. Curtis, green tailor-made costume with black hat and ostrich plumes; Miss Curtis, cream serge costume, trimmed with cream velvet; scarlet hat; Mrs. Teed, brown tweed costume, hat en suite; Miss Teed, pretty pale blue costume, trimmed with cream lace, transparent yoke, black picture hat; Mrs. S. Teed, navy blue and white costume, hat to correspond; Mrs. Pascoe, brown cloth costume, trimmed with tangerine and cream, toque en suite; Mrs. Percy Webster, pretty dark green tweed costume, relieved with white, white and peacock green toque; Miss M. Skinner, dark green spotted costume, pretty vieux-rose velvet hat; Miss L. Skinner, pretty lettuce-green tatisse, with cream lace yoke, brown felt mushroom hat; Miss Bedford, navy blue, cream fur coat, pale blue velvet hat; Mrs. McClelland, very handsome black silk with deep cream lace yoke, finished with net chieu, of claret-coloured silk, black and claret coloured hat; Mrs W. Spencer, cream and black-spotted tweed, hat trimmed with roses; Miss Nixon, dark navy blue costume, black hat; Mrs. Morgan, black cloth costume, cornflower-blue chiffon vest, black hat; Mrs. Mitchell, dainty grey costume, with cream silk and lace vest, white and grey hat; Mrs. Kemp, brown costume; Miss Kemp, pale blue costume, white-lace yoke, darker shade of velvet hat; Mrs. Evans, pale grey brocade, black seal jacket, toque to correspond; Miss B. Evans, grey tweed costume; pretty brown felt hat; Mrs.

F. Russell, dark navy blue and white costume, hat en suite; Mrs. Rennell, black brocade, trimmed with silk passementerie, finished with ruffled chiffon, black and pink bonnet; Mrs. Fraser, dark tweed costume, very pretty brown bonnet; Miss Fraser, navy blue costume, with full skirt, pale and dark blue muslin hat; Miss Rennell, navy blue and white costume, pretty toque of white felt picture hat; Mrs. Penn, charming costume of grey tweed, finished with a pointed collar of starched cream cloth, pretty hat of grey velvet, relieved with a tangerine-coloured rose; Mrs. Home, brown voile costume, full-skirt, bodice trimmed with blue; Miss Foote, pretty cream serge costume trimmed with a narrow gold and pearl passementerie, scarlet hat; Mrs. Fitzherbert, cream voile costume trimmed with lace and narrow ruche of ribbon, brown and pink hat; Mrs. Morrison, dark brown costume, tangerine in hat; Miss Baker, dark navy blue costume trimmed with white, black-hat; Mrs. Garner, pretty brown costume, hat relieved with tangerine; Miss George, pretty cream cloth costume trimmed with bands of wide insertion, scarlet hat; Mrs. Hanna, black and white costume, toque en suite; Miss Hanna, cream cloth costume trimmed with Paris coloured medallions, black with yoke of cream silk and insertion, toque to correspond; Mrs W. Newman, grey costume, black hat; Mrs. Tribe, black, scarlet in bonnet; Miss Tribe, wallflower-coloured zibeline, hat en suite; Mrs Stanley Smith, vieux rose costume, trimmed with cream silk, black picture hat; Misses E. and V. Rennell, striking navy blue and cream costumes, very pretty hats; Mrs. Ellis, black; Miss Ellis, navy blue costume, pretty scarlet turban velvet toque; Miss I. Ellis, dark navy blue; Mrs. Cottier, black; Miss Cottier, black and white; Mrs T. Mills, brown costume, trimmed with a lighter shade, hat to match; Mrs Ab. Goldwater, black silk, toque to correspond; Miss Goldwater, cream voile and lace; Mrs MacDiarmid, black; Miss MacDiarmid, Lincoln green costume, relieved with pale blue; Miss W. George, brown stitched costume, felt hat to correspond; Mrs S. Cottier, navy blue costume, black fur coat, hat trimmed with scarlet; Mrs Hall, navy blue costume, cream silk vest, hat to match; Miss Hall, grey tweed with ruby velvet belt, grey and ruby-velvet hat; Miss Cunningham, smart navy blue and cream costume, toque en suite; Mrs Henry Weston, black; Mrs J. Honeyfield looked handsome in a coralloff-blue costume, banded with black stitched silk, black picture hat; Mrs. Mose, brown costume, trimmed with cream silk; Mrs. Brown, white and black spotted silk blouse, black skirt, scarlet hat; Mrs Goldwater, pretty pale heliotrope brocaded silk blouse, trimmed with black, black silk-silk, toque to correspond; her friend wore a handsome black silk with cream necked silk yoke, black hat; Mrs Quilliam, black; Miss Quilliam, navy blue and white costume, white felt hat, trimmed with blue; Mrs Colson, navy blue costume, trimmed with cream silk and narrow Oriental trimming, navy and pale blue hat, grey feather boa; Mrs E. M. Smith, black brocade, brown sequined and silk bonnet; Mrs J. Avery, black brocade; Miss A. Hempton, navy and pale blue costume, hat en suite; Miss Brown, dark navy costume, black hat. Amongst the numerous presents were: Mr. Mrs and Miss Kemp, picture; Mr and Mrs W. Coker, set of hand-painted jugs; Misses S. and R. Williams (Wanganui), silver afternoon teapoons; Mr and Mrs D. K. Morrison, cream and sugar basin; Mr and Mrs Gibbons, silver-mounted epergne; Miss Brown, Dresden china cream jug and sugar basin; Mrs Hempton, shell shaped sugar bowl; Rev. Mr and Mrs Evans, Dresden china cream jug and sugar basin; Mr E. Snowball, handsome silver bread board and knife; Mr and Mrs A. L. Cooke, silver teapot; Mr and Mrs Hall, handsome rose bowl; Mr and Mrs W. Newman, silver-mounted pepper pot; Mr and Mrs W. Spencer, silver and gold salt collars; Mr and Mrs Macfarlane (Wanganui), handsome silver cake dish; Mr and Mrs F. Foote, fancy china flower bowls; Mr and Mrs Blennerhassett (Wanganui), silver afternoon teapoons; Mr. Banister, fancy toilet set; Mr A. Collins (Wanganui), handsome bronze ornaments; Mr and Mrs W. Penn, picture; Miss Baker, pair of silver specimen glasses; Mr and Mrs Harrison (Patea), pictures; Mr and Mrs Teed, set of pictures; Mr and Mrs Collins, set of framed photos; Mr and Mrs McAllum, pictures; Mr and Mrs T. Avery, sugar

bowl; Mr Sommersville (Timaru), silver-mounted photo frame; Mr C. E. Iwerson (Auckland), silver serviette rings; Mr F. Roberts (Wellington), silver cake forks; Mr and Mrs. F. Bellinger, silver tea spoons; Mr. and Mrs. Finlayson (Auckland), handsome silver toilet mirror; Mr and Mrs. R. Collins (Wanganui), breakfast cuet; Mrs. Johnson, silver-mounted scent bottle; Mr and Mrs. W. Williams (Wanganui), jewel case; Mr and Mrs. A. Goldwater, set of silver-mounted carvers; Mr. Salmon (Wellington), felt rug; Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Buttle, silver sugar bowl; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Weston, pair of cut glass and silver specimen glasses; Mr. H. Ford, water jug; Mr. and Mrs. C. Cottier, silver scent bottle; Miss I. Goldwater, handsome point lace case; Dr. and Mrs. McClelland, silver jewel case; Mr. J. Williams (Wanganui), silver serviette rings; Mr. and Mrs. G. Bayly, silver specimen glasses; Mr. and Mrs. J. Goldwater, mother of pearl and silver jam spoon; Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Morgan, silver salt spoon; Mr. and Mrs. J. Honeyfield, silver candle stick; Kirk picnic party, handsome pearl and silver butter-dish; Mr. and Mrs. Cottier, silver entree dishes; Mr. and Mrs. C. Rennell, handsome claret jug; Misses E. and V. Rennell, pair of pictures; Mr. and Mrs. W. Saxton, bronze flower stand; Mr. and Mrs. Honeyfield (Patea), silver flower bowl; Mr. and Mrs. Smith, silver salt cellars; Colonel Mrs., and Miss Ellis, silver jam dish; Mrs. and Miss Hanna, silver-mounted puff-pot; Miss A. Cunningham, silver fruit knife and fork; Mr. and Mrs. Garner, set of silver fruit knives; Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Russell, silver bread fork; Mr. J. C. Scott (Timaru), silver backed clothes brush; Mr. E. Bayly, silver honey-pot; Mrs. Cottier, pair of Dresden china ornaments; Miss A. Avery, pair of silver specimen glasses; Mr. and Mrs. MacDiarmid, silver teapoons; Mr. and Mrs. Ab. Goldwater, silver butter-cooler; Mr. and Mrs. Tisch, silver and pearl knife rests; Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Collins (Wellington), silver sugar bowl; Mrs. and Miss Frazer, silver and cut glass epergne; Mr. and Mrs. J. Avery, Dresden ornaments; Mr. and Mrs. W. Crengle (Auckland), clock; Mr. J. C. George, biscuit barrel; Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Cottier, silver butter dish; Mr. and Mrs. C. Carter, cheese stand; Miss D. Healy, ornament; Mrs. Noonan, breakfast tea set; Mr. and Mrs. S. Teed, cut glass knife rests; Miss Teed, silver salt cellars; Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Gray, set of carvers; Mr. and Mrs. Cummings (Wanganui), silver sugar-scuttle; Misses B. and C. Cummings (Wanganui), tray cloth; Mrs. Pascoe, table centre; Misses O. and V. Williams (Wanganui), elder down quilt; Mrs. Heldt, velvet mats; Mrs. Colson, pair of feather pillows; Sisters of the Minstrelty, hand-painted picture; Mrs. G. Browne, counterpane; Mrs. Healy, afternoon tea set; Mr. and Mrs. R. Cook (Wellington), silver-mounted carvers; Miss M. Roberts (Wellington), point lace cloth; Mr. W. Williams (Wanganui), drawn thread bed-spread; Mr. and Mrs. G. Cook, pair of fancy shippers; Master L. Cook, writing table; Mrs. Curtis (Wanganui), cream bowl; Miss Curtis (Wanganui), silver honey jar; Hon. Mr. and Mrs. Mills (Wellington), handsome Wedgwood jug; Mr. L. Williams (Wanganui), complete kitchen furnishings; Miss Garrett (Auckland), picture; Mr. and Mrs. G. Neil, wicker table; Mr. and Mrs. Quilliam, silver sugar scuttle; Mr. and Mrs. Gilbertson (Auckland), silver-backed mirror; Miss M. Duder (Auckland), fancy toilet set; Dr. and Mrs. Horne, silver cream jug; Mr. and Mrs. Forman, oak and silver butter dish; Mr. and Mrs. W. Bennett, silver jam dish; Mr. K. Kirby, and Miss I. Ellis, silver and china honey pot; Mr. S. Clarke, drawing-room screen; Mr. and Mrs. Quilliam, silver sugar scuttle; the bride's mother, household linen; bride's father, a piano;

PARRY—WARD.
At All Saints' Church, Palmerston North, on May 24, Mr. Frank Walter Parry, of Bromsgrove, England, and Miss Elsie Bessie Ward, youngest daughter of the late Judge Ward, were married. The Rev. C. C. Harper performed the ceremony. The bride, who was given away by her brother Mr. A. W. Ward, was dressed in a pretty white silk tuck, with yoke and fichu of white tucked chiffon and a white tulle veil. She carried a shower bouquet of white chrysanthemums and asparagus fern, the gift of Mrs. Mellop. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Ward, who wore a pretty cream frock, trimmed with cream panes, and a black velvet hat, and carried a bouquet of yellow chrysanthemums. Mr. J. L. Adams, of Penbrooke, Wales, acted as best man. Mrs. Ward, the mother of the bride, wore a rich black silk, and black and white bonnet; Mrs. Holmes (sister of the bride), white glove, black velvet hat with black feathers, and black and white stole; Mrs. Bathrop, of Silverhoe (another sister of the bride), a pale blue embroidered voile, black hat, with black and white tips; Mrs. Arthur Ward, grey tweed coat and skirt, white felt hat with black velvet trimming. After the ceremony the guests were entertained by Mrs. Holmes, Park-road, friends of the bride being present from Wanganui, Rangitikei, and Dannevirke. The bride's travelling dress was a blue tailor-made coat and skirt, and scarlet hat. The bridegroom's present to the bride was a gold muff chain, and to the bridesmaid a gold and greenstone pendant. The happy couple left Palmerston by the mail train for Wellington, en route to Sydney. At the latter city they join the Ormuz, and proceed to England, where they will take up their residence.

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MARSHALL—GOSMAN.

News has reached Wellington of the marriage of Miss Florence Temple Christians Gosman to Mr. David Marshall, of Oylein. The ceremony was performed at St. Andrew's Church, Colombo, by the Rev. A. Dunn, and Miss Gosman came out from England last October, and spent six months in the colony. They were most of the time in Wellington, where they have relations. Before leaving New Zealand they visited other places of interest. Mrs. Gosman's lump is at Eltham, Kent, England, where she has now returned.

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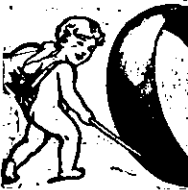
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