



Worton

Marriage of Miss I.M. Newman and Mr. J. Butler

The marriage took place at the Parish Church on Wednesday of Miss Isabel Mercy Newman, third daughter of Mr. James J. Newman, of Worton House, and Mr. John Butler, third son of Mr. D.W. Butler of Rowdefield. Considerable local interest was felt in the wedding, both the parties being well-known and highly respected. The bride's dress was of Oriental satin, trimmed with Honiton point lace (her own work). She also wore the lace veil worn by her mother at her wedding, and orange blossoms. Her ornament consisted of a gold bracelet the gift of the bridegroom. She carried a handsome shower bouquet, mainly composed of white lilies of the valley. There were four bridesmaids – Miss Alice and Miss Nellie Newman (sisters of the bride) and Miss Alice and Miss Kate Butler (sisters of the bridegroom). They were attired in dresses of eau de nil cashmere with marabou fur stoles, and white satin bonnets trimmed with marabou fur. They carried shower bouquets of white flowers. The Misses Butler also wore gold lockets with engraved monograms, and the Misses Newman gold watches with monograms. There were two pages – Master Newman Oram and Master Wilfred Nosworthy (nephews of the bride and bridegroom respectively). They were dressed in satin suits with eau de nil satin reverses and cuffs, and white felt three-cornered hats, with large pom-poms. They both also wore gold neck pins, the gifts of the bride. The bride entered the church in the company of her father, who gave her away. The bridegroom was attended by his brother (Mr. D.W. Butler, of Wilsford), who officiated as best man. The officiating clergy were the Rev. W.G. Newman (brother of the bride) and the Rev. A. Isherwood. After the ceremony a reception was given at Worton House, which was attended by about 70 guests, and the newly-married pair subsequently left for London (where the honeymoon will be spent), travelling by the 5.22 train from Devizes. The bride's travelling dress consisted of a white silk blouse, dark red cloth costume, and a large black beaver picture hat with ostrich feather and black chiffon strings. Mr. and Mrs. Butler will eventually take up their residence at Wilsford. The list of presents is as follows:-

Bride to bridegroom, diamond pin; bridegroom to bride, gold bracelet; Mr. James J. Newman, cheque; Mrs. James J. Newman, household linen; Mr. and Mrs. James J. Newman, silver table spoons; Mr. R.H. Newman, cheque; Mr. W. White (Whitley), bank note; Mr. and Mrs. Nosworthy, cheque; uncle Dick and uncle Henry, carvers and steel in case; Nell and Alice, silver tea pot and silver-mounted prayer book; Mr. and Mrs. Butler, clock in marble case; Mr. and Mrs. Hooper, hanging lamp; Mr. George Gee, dinner service and egg stand and spoons; Mr. D.W. Butler, jun., portmanteau; Miss Thomas, fern pot; Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Newman, jun., silver table spoons; Mary Carter, basin; Mr. and Mrs. Beard, coffee pot; Elsie, cake knife; Mrs. A. Durnford, jam spoon; Miss E. Hibberd, kerchiefs; Mrs. S. Ellis, cruet; Maggie Few, pin tray; the Rev. Keating, salad bowl; Mr. and Mrs. Dore, punch bowl; Mr. and Mrs. W. Lewis, silver photo frame; Mr. Pearse (Trowbridge), tea tray; Mr. and Mrs. Few (Devizes), cake knife; Mr. Ernest Butler, two pairs of nutcrackers; Mr. Joe Butler, sugar bowl; Messrs. H. and A. Dew, silver cream jug; Rolt, silver vase; Miss Chinnock, knife rests; aunt Sarah and uncle James, copper kettle; Mr. and Mrs. William Pearce, cake stand; Mr. and Mrs. A. Flocks, ink stand; Mr. and Mrs. Ford., silver cream jug; Mr. and Mrs. Hutton, silver photo frame; Mr. and Mrs. F. Flocks, silver table spoons; Miss Buckland, Worcester vases; Mr. and Mrs. C. Tucker, silver serviette rings; the Rev. A.R. Isherwood, serviette rings; R. and L. Robins, salt cellars; Mr. W. Butler, ink stand; Mr. and Mrs. Nuth, lamp; Mr. and Mrs. Butler, lamp; Miss Weeks, vases; Mr. and Mrs. Bath, bowl, Miss Ayres, bowl; Mr. and Mrs. Butler and family, fruit bowl; Mr. and Mrs. Tayler, butter dish; Mr. and Miss Lewis (Rowde), muffin dish; Mr. W. Haine, military brushes; Mr. and Mrs. Williams, salt cellars; Mr. Nunn, silver serviette rings; Mr. and Mrs. Tyler, cruet; Mr. Woodward, clock; Mr. and Mrs. Haine (Sevenhampton), silver-mounted bread board; Mr. and Mrs. R. Butler, coal vase; Katie and Gladys, silver photo frame; employees at Wilsford Farm, ink stand and butter knife; Misses Hobbs, dessert service and jam dish; Messrs. W. and W. Rose, silver cream and sugar service; Mr. Mrs. and Miss Sanson, flower pots and pin cushion; Mr. and Mrs. Moore (Malmesbury), silver table spoons; Mr. Biggs (Devizes), nut crackers; Miss Hattie Hibberd, bread fork; Mr. and Mrs. H. Pepler, jam dish; Mr. Walter Newman, silver salt and mustard spoons; Mr. and Mrs. Bathard and family, silver tea spoons and sugar tongs; the Rev. W.G. Newman and Mrs. Newman, tea service; Miss House, water jug; Misses Welsh, toast rack; Mrs. Gee and family, toast rack; Mr. Blackmore, thermometer; Mrs. Bodmin, sugar basin and jug; Mrs. Smith, jam dish; Miss Bishop, crumb brush and tray; Newman Oram, silver button hook; Dorothy Oram, silver photo frame and glass cloths; Mr. and Mrs. W.G. Oram, silver ladles; Mr. Alfred Hallett, crumb scoop; Mr. and Mrs. Waylen, silver mustard pot and spoon; Misses G. and A. Tayler, butter dish; Mr. F. Bush, silver tea spoons; Mr. Mrs. and Miss Butcher (Reading), silver photo frame; Mr. and Mrs. W. Haine and family, biscuit box.

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The marriage of Mr. John Butler to Miss Newman was the object of much interest in Wilsford, as Mr. John Butler has been a resident there for the last ten years. The church bells were rung at intervals during the day. The Vicar presented him with a handsome salad bowl of oak and silver, and the employees on the farm gave him an oak inkstand and a silver butter knife. The happy pair are spending their honeymoon in London. They will return to their residence, Wilsford House, on January 11th. We wish them every happiness in their newly-married life. (Details of the wedding appear in our Worton news).

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School Children's Treat

The children attending the Sunday School received their prizes from Miss Amy Butler and the Vicar on January 6th. On the same day the children belonging to the choir had their annual treat at the Vicarage.

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