

## THE TAFT-HOOVER WEDDINGS.

Celebrated October 6th at Elm City—A  
Pretty Church Wedding.

At high noon last Wednesday, October 6th, Miss Mary Alice Hoover, of Elm City, was married to Mr. Allen Taft, of Greenville, at the Methodist church, the Rev. Dr. Hall, Presiding Elder of Wilson district, performing the ceremony.

Both of the young couple are very popular. Miss Hoover is an accomplished young lady and the daughter of Rev. J. T. B. Hoover, Secretary of the Farmers State Alliance, while Mr. Taft is a member of the firm of Ricks & Taft one of Greenville's most successful business houses.

The church had been prettily decorated for the occasion by friends of the contracting parties. Exactly at 12 o'clock Mrs. R. S. Wells, organist, played Mendelsohn's beautiful Wedding March. At the first note the ushers, Dr. Moore and Prof. Hayes, walked up the aisle of the church followed by the attendants, after which came the groom with his best man, then the bride's maid of honor followed by the bride leaning upon the arm of her father. At the altar the father gave way to the groom with the young couple standing before the minister.

The scene was indeed a pretty picture. The altar was banked with potted flowers and rich shrubbery, while around the circular edge were studded numerous wax candles and in the centre of it all was placed a beautiful statuesque lamp, which shed its soft light upon the principal participants in the scene. Heavy drapery had been hung over the window lights to darken the interior and the effect and coloring were exquisite.

All available space in the little church was occupied by friends and relatives of the young couple to witness the ceremony that was to make them man and wife. While the minister solemnly spoke the words of the beautiful marriage rite, faintly and softly could be heard the sweet strains of music which seem to add to the impressiveness of the occasion.

The benediction pronounced the bridal party departed from the church to more stirring music, the attendants leaving the altar in couples as follows: Mr. J. A. Rick with Miss Jennie Rowland, groomsman and maid of honor, Mr. J. G. Moye with Miss Grimmer, Mr. Harlan Hoover with Miss Sadie Dixon, Mr. J. L. Taft with Miss Annie May Kearney, Mr. J. W. Higgs with Miss Kate Mercer, J. G. Griffin with Miss Minnie Barnes.

At the home of the bride's father a sumptuous dinner was in waiting, and all the invited guests partook of the bounteous spread, while congratulations and best wishes were being heaped upon the happy pair. The presents were many, rich and appropriate.

All agreed that it was one of the prettiest weddings that had ever taken place in this quiet little village.

Mr. and Mrs. Taft left that evening for Greenville, their future home, amid the best wishes and God speed of their numerous friends.

THE CAUCASIAN extends to them the very best wishes and hopes that all their "dreams of love" may be realized, and that God's richest blessings may crown their future path in life.

Dr. Six Had Eleven Wives

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 5—Dr. Wm. Six pleaded guilty this afternoon in Circuit Court to the

The dispenser net profit of \$ profit is divided general court fund.

The following names were appointed: Aurora, Milton McNe Maultsby; Florence, W. John D. Hunt Newell, J. F. William A. P. Baber; Speed

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