



Mrs. Nathaniel B. Bender Jr., the former Miss Diane Findley, was married Saturday, June 25, in First Presbyterian church here. She is a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Dwight Findley, Old Stage road. The bride's handsome wedding gown was of white imported organdy designed with close-fitting bodice and very full bell skirt. Her short veil was held by a circlet of white eyelet embroidery and she carried rosebuds. (Brainerd Photo)



Nathaniel B. Bender Jr., is shown here with his bride of a few minutes admiring the look of the new wedding ring on her left hand. Pictured with the newly wedded couple are the bride's mother (center) and the bridegroom's parents, wearing happy smiles. The reception which followed the wedding was at the home of the bride's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Findley, on Old Stage road, with 300 guests attending. Later the couple left by air for San Francisco and Hawaii for a honeymoon stay of two weeks and after the middle of July will be at home in Seattle. The bridegroom, who attended the University of Washington in Seattle, is on the staff of an advertising firm in that city. (Brainerd Photo)



Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Earl Middleton (Maureen Rice) were married June 19 in Fairmont Presbyterian church, Eugene, and are now at home in Dubuque, Ia., where the bridegroom will enter a Presbyterian seminary to study for the ministry. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph William Rice, 707 South Holly street.

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Wedding Bells Ring

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Brides and bridegrooms have provided the most important social news of June, with late June bringing several large church weddings.

Saturday, June 25, saw the wedding of Miss Diane Findley to Nathaniel B. Bender Jr., at First Presbyterian church, and also the wedding of Miss Mary Elizabeth Segessenman and Chester Henry Pfluke Jr., at Sacred Heart Catholic church.

Earlier in the month Miss Maureen Eve Rice became the bride of Randolph Earl Middleton in a ceremony held in Eugene, and another large Medford wedding was that of Venita Deloris Gardner to Dick Ray Jack in First Methodist church.



Mr. and Mrs. Dick Ray Jack are shown following their wedding June 17 at First Methodist church, Medford. The bride is the former Venita Deloris Gardner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur L. Gardner, 323 South Peach street. The bride and bridegroom traveled to Canada for their wedding trip and will live in this city.



Sacred Heart Catholic church was the setting for the wedding of Mary Elizabeth Segessenman and Chester Henry Pfluke Jr., on Saturday, June 25. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Segessenman, Shady Cove. The bride's wedding gown was of lace and she carried a bridal prayer book with an orchid and stephanotis. She had chosen pastel colors for her five attendants, who wore gowns of pink and blue lace, and the flower girl's frock was of yellow. The reception which followed the ceremony was at Rogue Valley Country club.



Mr. and Mrs. Chester Henry Pfluke Jr. (Mary Elizabeth Segessenman) are shown leaving Sacred Heart Catholic church in the traditional shower of rice. The bride was married in the church which she has attended since childhood, and she also was formerly a student at St. Mary's school in Medford, attending the University of Oregon after graduation. Mr. and Mrs. Pfluke traveled into Nevada for their wedding trip, and will make their home in Berkeley, Calif. (Landis-Shangle Photos)