



ALL SISTERS AND brothers but one, the wedding party lined up outside St. Alban's for photographs of the happy occasion. Left to right: Jim McNabb, Gordon Morris, friend Myles Sprowl of Toronto, Alan

and Trudy McNabb, John and Sherry McNabb, Barbara and Brenda McNabb, Nancy Morris.—(Photo by Bill Stuckey)

FIRST CONGRATULATIONS for two couples were received as they left St. Alban's. On the left are groom John McNabb, bridesmaid Nancy Morris, bride Sherry Morris McNabb, bridesmaids twins Barbara and

Brenda McNabb, mother of the bride Mrs. Harold Morris, bride Trudy Morris McNabb and groom Alan McNabb.—(Photo by Bill Stuckey)

Two sisters, two brothers marry in unique ceremony at St. Alban's

In a charming double ring, double wedding ceremony, two sisters married two brothers on Saturday afternoon, August 29.

The two sisters, who came down the aisle on either arm of their father, were Sherry Elizabeth Morris and Trudy Christina Morris. The two grooms were John Alexander McNabb and Alan Bruce McNabb.

The brides' parents are Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morris of 132 Elmore Dr.; he is pharmacist at Vanguard Pharmacy in Guelph. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. James A. McNabb of 47 Cobblehill Rd. Both families are well-known and a large crowd waited outside the church to see the wedding party. St. Alban's was filled with friends and relatives.

Three students
Sherry has been with the Bank of Montreal staff in Acton for the past five years, and John is entering his final year in printing management at Ryerson Polytechnical Institute, Toronto. They are living at 17 Main St. S. Both Trudy and Alan are returning to Queens University, Kingston, where he is in third year commerce, and she in third year biochemistry.

White decorations
The church was decorated with white flowers on the altar, at each window and marking the pews, with white swags and large balls studded with daisies hanging over the choir stalls. Rev. Harry Dawson performed his first double wedding. Mrs. Frank Oakes played the organ, and during the signing of the register played at the request

of the couples a special organ arrangement of the theme from Romeo and Juliet.

Antique pin
Both in traditional white, the sisters had chosen different styles of gown for their marriage. Sherry wore organdy with bands of embroidered lace and a full chapel train. At the high, ruffled neckline she wore a pin that had belonged to her great grandmother. She is the fourth generation bride to wear this antique pin.

Features pink
Trudy's organdy gown featured bands of pale pink satin and lace on the bodice, bell sleeves, skirt and train. Her shoes were pale pink. Around her throat she wore a pale pink satin ribbon with a gold pin, circled with pearls, the gift of the groom. She wore one of her late grandmother's pins in four-leaf clover design on her garter.

Clusters of white roses held their shoulder length veils.

Carried nosegays
They carried similar nosegays, Sherry's of yellow sweetheart roses with stephanotis and Trudy's of pink roses and stephanotis.

Sherry and Trudy acted as each other's maids of honor, while each groom acted as groomsman for the other.

Sisters attendants
Three sisters of brides and grooms were their bridesmaids, the grooms' twin sisters Brenda and Barbara McNabb and the brides' sister Nancy Morris. Nancy wore pink chiffon trimmed with velvet-ribbon braid while the twins wore pale yellow, Stephanotis blossoms were

pinned in their hair and they carried summery willow baskets of pink and yellow snapdragons. Ushers were Gordon Morris, brother of the brides, Jim McNabb, brother of the grooms, both from Acton, and Myles Sprowl, a friend from Toronto.

Marquee in garden
A pink striped marquee was set up in the garden at the home of the bride's parents for the reception and buffet supper. Mrs. Morris received guests wearing a beige organdy dress embroidered with Swiss lace flowers, a white garden hat and white accessories with white stephanotis pinned to her purse.

The groom's mother assisted wearing full-skirted mauve chiffon, white accessories and white roses.

Guests were welcomed from Pakistan, Florida, Detroit, Quebec, Ottawa, Toronto, Sudbury, Hamilton, Welland, Guelph, Rockwood and Acton, among them many school friends of the couples.

Grandparents present
Special guests were the brides' paternal grandmother, Mrs. Lettie Morris, Hamilton; the grooms' paternal grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Douglas McNabb, Rockwood; and the brides' maternal grandfather, 89-year-old Fred Babbidge of Hamilton. The two grandfathers proposed toasts to the couple, Mr. Babbidge standing by his wheel chair, due to a recently broken hip.

After the bouquets and garters were thrown the couples left separately for their honeymoon trips. Mr. and Mrs. Alan McNabb were off on a motor trip as far as Quebec City, returning to their

apartment in Kingston. Mr. and Mrs. John McNabb went to Niagara Falls and then on to Virginia Beach before returning to Acton.

Showers for brides
There were several showers for the brides, some for both and some for one.

Mrs. Jim Graham, Acton, held a miscellaneous shower at her home for both brides-to-be. Dr. and Mrs. Carl Taylor, Hamilton, presented each couple with a marble pedestal table at a dinner party.

At Queens, Linda Dick and Charlotte Reinhold held a surprise shower for Trudy and presented a set of Denbyware. Mrs. Jan Riddell held a personal shower for Trudy.

Miss Sandi Sinclair and Miss Barbara Symon held a miscellaneous shower for Sherry, and a vacuum cleaner was presented by the bank staff.

The Morris' held a wine and cheese party when the gifts were shown, while a stag was held for the grooms.

Chapter plans

At their first meeting of the season last week, members of Lakeside chapter of the I.O.D.E. decided to again have a booth at the fall fair where they will sell individual servings of baking Friday evening. They decided not to enter competition as a group this year.

Plans were also made for a tour of the University of Guelph October 13.

Vice-regent Pat Frizzell presided for the meeting which included correspondence, thank you notes, discussion of the semi-annual meeting of the order and the problem of the need of more silverware.

Wynne Brady, Bob Watson wed

Winnifred Joan Brady and Robert Lewis Watson were married in a double-ring ceremony in St. John Chrysostom church, Newmarket, Saturday afternoon, September 5. Rev. Fogash performed the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Brady, Newmarket, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Watson, Acton. Both the bride and groom are working in branches of the Bank of Montreal in Toronto.

The bride wore a white satin princess line gown trimmed with lace. A flowered headdress held her lace veil and train. She carried a cascade bouquet of red roses and stephanotis.

Four attendants
Matron of honor was Mrs. Shirley Stephenson, Scarborough, a friend of the bride, and the bridesmaids were two sisters Barbara and Margaret Brady of Newmarket and Anne Watson, Acton, sister of the groom. The matron of honor wore pink lace and the bridesmaids blue linen. The long gowns were trimmed with satin ribbon at the Empire waists. Flower head-dresses held short matching veils.

They carried nosegays of shasta daisies and pink carnations with matching ribbon.

Made gowns
The bridal gown and attendants' gowns were made by the bride's sister-in-law, Mrs. Donald Brady, Newmarket.

Groomsman was Mike Milton, Waterloo, a friend, and the ushers were David Watson, Toronto, brother of the groom; Gary Hope, Orillia, and Chris Frappe, Newmarket, friends of the groom. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Soloist Peter Kelly, Toronto, a friend, sang O Perfect Love and I'll Walk Beside You.

Reception at hall
The reception followed at

Newmarket Legion hall where the dinner tables were decorated with white, pink and blue flowers. Guests were present from Acton, Newmarket, Toronto, St. Lambert P.Q., Halifax, N.S., White Plains, N.Y., Kitchener and Orillia.

Three grandmothers
Among the guests were three grandmothers of the couple, Mrs. R. P. Watson of Acton, Mrs. L. M. Fulton of Halifax and Mrs. Brady of Newmarket.

The bride's mother chose a rose shantung suit, beige accessories and white carnations. The groom's mother wore a pink and silver brocade dress and coat ensemble with white accessories and white carnations.

The couple left on a trip to Montreal and the Ottawa Valley, the bride wearing a scarlet linen

coat dress with black accessories and a white gardenia corsage. They are returning September 20 and will live in Toronto.

Showers held
There were several showers held before the wedding, one of them in Acton at the home of Mrs. Arthur Faulkner on August 14.

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NOTE—Doll buggies, tricycles & bicycles to be judged and start from the Presbyterian Church.

11 a.m. to 6 p.m. —Judging of Livestock & Horse Show

2.00 p.m.—Old Tyme Fiddlers' Contest

2.30 p.m.—Baby Show in the Arena

- Junior Showmanship Classes
- Musical Chairs on Ponies
- Potato Race

—ALMAR STABLES MUSICAL RIDE
—COMMERCIAL DISPLAYS
—HALL EXHIBIT
—KING SHOWS RIDES AND CONCESSIONS

FAIR NIGHT DANCE

- THE SHAYNES DANCE BAND
- DANCING IN THE ARENA — 8.30 p.m. TO MIDNIGHT
- ADMISSION \$1.25 PER PERSON



FOUR HANDS ON two knives cut the wedding cake after the McNabb-Morris wedding. Left to right John McNabb, Sherry Morris McNabb, Trudy Morris

McNabb and Alan McNabb. The reception was in the garden at the brides' home on Elmore Dr.—(Photo by Bill Stuckey)

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