

Wedding Bells.

WITHNELL—MORGAN.

St Patrick's Church, Irishtown, presented a most animated appearance on May 19, the occasion being the marriage of Annie Matilda (Tillie), second daughter of Mr and Mrs W. Morgan, of Bardon, to Mr Horace Withnell, of Northam. The bride and bridegroom being so well-known and popular throughout the district the little church was crowded with friends and well-wishers. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a very sweet and becoming semi-directoire gown of white chiffon voile over glace. The bodice, beautifully braided, crossed over a yoke of embroidered net, fastened with jewelled buckles. The long tulle veil was kept in position by a small spray of orange blossom. She also carried a lovely bouquet, composed of white bouvardia, erica, roses and fern trailers, tied with chiffon streamers. The bridesmaid, Miss May Morgan, wore a white Sicilian costume, empire effect, and richly trimmed and adorned with countless small buttons, hat of white felt with ostrich plumes. Both the bride and her maid wore gold brooches, the gift of the bridegroom. The Rev Fr. Walsh performed the marriage ceremony, and the church was beautifully decorated by Mr Ben McManus, the altar and a large wedding bell being most artistic. Mr Geo Smith presided at the organ. After the ceremony Mr and Mrs Morgan entertained the guests at Bardon, Mrs Morgan receiving in a handsome gown of black satin, with a pretty bonnet of lace and violets. Among the invited guests were Mrs Henry Leeder in a lovely gown of black chiffon glace, pale pink Merry Widow hat swathed in black tulle, black feather stole. Mrs W. G. Withnell saxe blue taffeta, cream lace bands, white crinoline straw hat wreathed in roses. Mrs A. Loton, green and white striped chiffon muslin, green silk finishing hat to match. Mrs Meares, black brocade with net, bonnet adorned with osprey and roses. Mrs S. F. Parker, navy cloth coat and skirt, tulle of violets. Mrs Grant Meares, pretty grey striped glace silk with cream lace yoke and hat. Mrs J. G. Dempster, grey tweed, saxe blue hat. Miss Inez Morgan looked very nice in apple green silk, cream hat with autumn leaves. Miss

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The presents were as follows: Bride to bridegroom, gold sleeve links; bridegroom to bride, gold brooch; bridegroom to bridesmaid, gold brooch; father of bride, cheque; mother of bride, sewing machine; brothers and sisters of bride—May, travelling bag; Inez, sil. jewel case; Amy, handbag; Rachel and Marjorie, work basket; Bertie, sil. hatpin stand and set furs; furs; Douglas, writing case; Mr and Mrs A. Loton, cheque; Mr and Mrs W. G. Withnell, ser. rings in case; Mr and Mrs Herb. Withnell, cheque; Rev Fr. Walsh, prayer book; Rev Mother, Northam, table centre; Community, St Joseph's Convent, cushion; Rev. Mother, Highgate Hill, picture; Hon. George Throssell, dressing case; Mr H. F. Throssell, carvers in case; Mr and Mrs R. G. M. Meares, centre piece; Mr and Mrs W. J. Stewart dressing case; choir and friends St Joseph's Church, Northam, afternoon cups and saucers, tea spoons in case; Miss B. Morrell, tray cloth; Mrs Allington, salad bowl; Miss Allington, bread stand; Mrs J. H. Gregory, salad bowl; Mr John French, butter dish; Mrs J. Lockyer, d'oyley; Mrs Fraser, cake d'oyleys; Miss L. Fraser, pincushion and hatpin holder; Miss A. Fraser, handkerchiefs; Mr and Mrs D. Morrell, bis. barrel; Mrs Viveash, liqueur bottles; Mr and Mrs J. G. Dempster, breakfast cruets; Mr and Mrs Henry Leeder, sil. hot water jug; Mr H. W. Hancock, sil. cake stand; Mr and Mrs McBride (Kookymie), eiderdown quilt; Mr and Mrs S. F. Parker, ser. rings; employees H. & H. Withnell, to bridegroom, dressing case; Mr and Mrs R. J. Stewart, sil. cruet stand; children from Stockallen, charm Australia.