

Marriage of Miss Elizabeth Pratt

On Thursday last, Miss Pratt, only daughter of James Pratt, Esq., an old and highly respected inhabitant of this town, was married to Charles Albert Tanner, Esq., of Yatesbury, on which occasion the town presented an animated and joyous appearance. In addition to a large assemblage of friends of the happy pair, and of the leading inhabitants, numbers of the poor were attracted to the church, which was filled in every part. After the ceremony, which was most impressively performed by the Vicar, the Rev. T. H. Ripley, the happy party returned to the residence of J. Pratt, Esq., where they partook of a sumptuous breakfast, supplied by Mr. Forte, of Milsom Street, Bath. At two o'clock the bride and bridegroom took their departure, amidst the hearty congratulations of their friends and of the inhabitants generally, for Leamington, en route for Scotland. The church bells sent forth merry peals during the day, and in the evening the town was paraded by the drum and fife band of the rifle corps.

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On the 25th ult., at Wootton Bassett, Wilts, by the Rev. Thomas Hyde Ripley, Charles A. Tanner, Esq., youngest son of the late John Tanner, Esq., of Yatesbury, in the same county, to Elizabeth, only daughter of James Pratt, Esq., of Wootten Bassett.

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