

REV. R. M. HOUGHTON WEDS; A SURPRISE

**Pastor of a Large New Haven
Church Marries Mrs. Caroline
Davis, a Widow.**

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NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 5.—The Rev. Roy M. Houghton, pastor of the Church of the Redeemer, one of the largest Congregational churches in Connecticut, and Mrs. Caroline Eisenhart Davis, widow of William Edward Davis, a broker, were married today. Their engagement had not been announced and the wedding was a complete surprise to a host of friends. Bride and bridegroom are about 40 years old. The ceremony was performed by Dr. Watson L. Phillips, pastor emeritus of the church, at the home of the bride. Only a few close friends were present.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Houghton started on their wedding trip. They plan to spend the Summer abroad.

Mrs. Houghton is a graduate of Elmira College and a member of the Association of University Women, the New Haven Country Club, the Town Club, the Garden Club, the Little Theatre Guild and the Paint and Clay Club. Mr. Houghton is a graduate of Olivet College in Michigan and the Yale Divinity School. During the World War he served with the 102d Infantry in France.

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