

The Giddings Star

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MRS. JOE TRUSSELL
The former Lillie Hentschel

Miss Lillie Hentschel and Joe Trussell
Exchange Marriage Vows Sunday, Jan. 8

A wedding of interest to a large circle of friends was solemnized Sunday, Jan. 8 at 4 p. m. at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Giddings when Miss Lillie Hentschel became the bride of Joe Trussell in a formal double-ring ceremony performed by the Rev. Max Studtmann before an altar which held arrangements of white gladioli.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. H. G. Hentschel of Giddings. She is a graduate of Giddings High School and has been employed by the LCRA. She was Lee County Fair Queen in 1953.

The groom is the son of Mrs. R. H. Trussell of Austin. He is a native of Burnet. A graduate of Austin High School he attended the University of Texas, and served in the armed forces.

Mrs. Emmett Hannes served as organist, and soloists were Mrs. Milton Schroeder who sang "The Lord's Prayer", and Mrs. Kenneth Gould who sang "The Lord is My Shepherd."

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Walter Hentschel, chose a gown of white lace and nylon net over taffeta fashioned with a portrait neckline filled with net ruffles. The long sleeved, lace bodice had a natural waistline and the lace at the top of the skirt formed a design which was edged with tiny net ruffles. Net ruffles covered the circular skirt which was floor length. Her short veil of illusion was held with a crown of lace and white satin, encrusted with pearls and lilies of the valley. She carried a bouquet of white rose buds and lilies of the valley encircled with net and satin ribbons.

Miss Doris Schulze attended

the bride as maid of honor and bridesmaids were Miss Dorothy Weiss and Miss Elvie Jean Mutschink. Trudy Trussell served as flower girl. All attendants were gowned alike in turquoise rayon faille styled with portrait necklines and shirred elongated waists which formed circular skirts. They wore short boleros, picture hats and matching gloves.

William Oertli of Pasadena was best man and groomsmen were Kyle Spence and Richard T. Boswell. Serving as ushers were L. W. Weiss and Elwood Jaeger. Jimmy Williamson nephew of the bride was ring bearer.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held in the GHS gym where a barbecue supper with all the trimmings was served to approximately 250 guests.

The wedding cake was a one tier confection in the form of two huge wedding bells and decorated with sugared roses with two large sugared wedding bells. The bride's table was laid with a lace cloth, and held candelabra, the wedding cake, and the bride's bouquet.

Mrs. Jackie Ludwig presided at the bride's book. Other members of the house party were Mrs. Kyle Spence, and Misses Elder Bess Pebles, and Dorothy Ann McKeown of Giddings. Also Miss Bernell Klein of Houston and Miss Frieda Killan of Austin.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Hentschel wore a charcoal faille suit with black accessories. Mrs. Trussell, mother of the groom chose a pink lace dress. Both had pink rosebud corsages.

For going away the bride wore a grey wool suit with black accessories and white rosebud corsage.

After a wedding trip to Galveston the couple now resides in Austin where both are employed.