

## The Giddings Star

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ton, a former teacher of the bride, played the traditional wedding music.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a ballerina length gown of Chantilly lace over tulle and satin. It was designed with a standing collar and long tapering sleeves. Her fingertip veil of illusion was held by a small cap trimmed with tiny ruffles of tulle. Her only ornament was Pearl ear rings. She carried a bouquet of lillies of the valley centered with an orchid.

The bride was attended by Mrs. Marvin Lorenz as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Misses Lena Miertschin, Erna Miertschin, Eleanor Teinert and Joyce Noack.

The bridesmaids were dressed in Cortillon blue lace over taffeta—all wore matching blue ear rings while the matron of honor was dressed in melon rose lace over taffeta wearing rhinestone ear rings and necklace. The bridesmaids carried arm bouquets of yellow chrysanthemums with matching ribbons, while the matron of honor carried bronze chrysanthemums with matching ribbon.

Serving the groom as best man was Marvin Lorenz. Edward Toepper, Elmer Zoch, Elwood Walther and Franklin Zoch were groomsmen. Ushers were J. C. Kaiser and John Miertschin.

The bride's mother wore a dark grey dress with black accessories and a pink carnation corsage. The bridegroom's mother wore a navy blue suit with navy accessories. Her corsage was of pink carnations.

Following the ceremony, a reception with barbecue and all the trimmings was held at Roltsch at La Grange. Decorations were small white bells with blue and white satin streamers. The bride's table was adorned with a beautifully decorated three-tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom.

### Miertschin - Zoch Nuptials Solemnized

In an impressive double-ring ceremony attended by relatives and close friends, Miss Clara Miertschin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Miertschin of Rt. 4 La Grange, was married to Royce W. Zoch, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Zoch of Fort Worth, in the Zion Lutheran Church at La Grange on Saturday evening, Nov. 5 at 3:30 p. m.

Dr. Oliver H. Harms, pastor of Trinity Lutheran Church of Houston read the ceremony before the altar, arranged with white chrysanthemums and glass.

Mr. Aug. G. F. Lange of Hous-

Mrs. Edward Kaiser presided at the bridal book, assisted by Miss Vivian Wagner.

For going-away, the bride selected a navy blue suit, with navy and light blue accessories. Her corsage was an orchid.

The newlyweds will be at home at 3121 College Street, Fort Worth, Texas, where the bridegroom is employed by the Stanolind Oil and Gas Company.

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