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OF IVAN ALSPAW IN RITES HERE

Eola Nell Tate became the bride of Dewey Ivan Alspaw, University of Texas student, in a semiformal ceremony Saturday evening in the First Presbyterian Church in Giddings.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Y. Tate of Giddings, is employed by the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company in Austin. She is a graduate of Giddings High School and Blinn Junior College in Brenham. * She was a member of Phi Rho. Pi, national junior college speech fraternity; Bachelorettes, girls' sorority; and Konza Club, literary organization. She was named sophomore favorite and also be-

longed to the Future Business leaders of America.

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Mr. Alspaw is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Alspaw of Lewisville, Ark., A graduate of Lewisville High School, he is a senior petroleum engineering student at the University of Texas.

He is a past vice president of the Campus Guild Coop, and is a member of the AFROTC and AIME, petroleum engineering society.

The Rev. Norman Dow officiated at the double ring ceremony before an altar decorated with white stock, gladioli and a background of greenery.

Max Wahrmund, organist, presented the nuptial music and accompanied the singers, Don Slocomb and Miss Patricia Slocomb. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a ballerinai length gown on white peau le soie, fashioned with a long torso. The collar of the matching bolero was trimmed with seed pearls.

Lace Cap

Her fingertip veil of illusion was attached to a lace cap. She carried a white orchid on a white prayer book, and her only jewelry were pearl earrings.

Miss Miriam Tate of Giddings attended her sister as maid of honor, and Miss Betty Jo Sabrsula of Austin was bridesmaid. Miss Tate wore a gown of yellow crystalline and a matching satin headband. Miss Sabrsula's gown and headband were in light blue. Both carried bouquets of light blue and yellow daisies.

Jerry Alspaw of Lewisville, Ark., was his brother's best man, and groomsman was Jimmy Royal, Arkadelphia, Ark. Ushers were Conrad Hopperstead of New Braunfels and Milton York Tate Jr. of Giddings.

Reception

A reception was held in the educational building of the church. The bride's table, laid with an imported Madeira cutwork cloth, was decorated with silver appointments and an arrangement of white stock and gladioli. The wedding cake was a white double ring.

Members of the house party were Miss Allyne Quade of Brenham; Miss Joyce Ann Gruetzner of Giddings; and Miss Dorothy Beran, Lyndell Tanecka and Marilyn Kasper, Mrs. J. D. Ludwick and Mrs. Milton Behrend, all of Austin.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Tate wore a Dior blue shantung dress with white accessories and a white rosebud corsage. The bridegroom's mother wore a navy blue suit with pink accessories and a pink rosebud corsage.

To Live in Austin

After the couple returns from a wedding trip to Houston, they will be at home at 2404 Sabine in Austin. For traveling, the bride wore a brown linen suit with white accessories and a white orchid corsage.

Out of town guests included Mrs. C. W. Tate, John Tate and Charles Tate of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tate of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Tate of Muleshoe; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tate, and Mr. and Mrs. Milton' York of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips and family of Huntsville.

Also Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Clyburn and family, Mrs. Lena Phillips, grandmother of the bride, of Conroe; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Koehn of Bellville; Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Key and Jim, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Eyhorn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gail Weaver and son, and Miss Marilyn Newman, all of Austin.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Hoppersteap of New Braunfels; Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Bouchier of Taylor; and Ensign and Mrs. John T. Hays of New Orleans.

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Mr. and Mrs. Boswell Newton and daughter, Eleanor of Rockdale, S. K. Bright and Misses Lillian and Zona Peek of Austin.