

The Giddings Star
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Simmang-Robertson Nuptials Solemnized Saturday

Of interest to friends in this section of the State was the marriage of Miss Aileen Simmang, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Simmang, and Captain George Burgess Robertson of Gonzales and Camp Bowie at Brownwood which took place at the First Methodist church here Saturday May 17 at 10 o'clock. Rev. Ed McCleskey officiated.

Tall floor baskets filled with madonna lilies stood at each side of the altar against a background of smilax and Queen Anne's lace, which was lighted by white tapers in floor candelabra. Mrs. Marvin Folkes wearing navy and white with pink corsage, played appropriate selections as the guests gathered, and the wedding marches. Mrs. Leo H. Frede of La-Grange sang "At Dawning", accompanied by Mrs. Folkes who played Schubert's Serenade softly during the ceremony.

The bride wore a Schiaparelli model of golden brown bengaline trimmed in white. Her hat by Lilly Dache was in white. Her corsage was of pure white orchids. She carried a handkerchief of hand made lace used by her mother and sister at their weddings.

Lieutenant Osborne Appelt of Randolph Field, San Antonio, served his uncle as best man. Mrs. Milton York was matron of honor to her sister and wore powder blue with blue accessories and corsage of pink carnations and white jasmines.

The bride's mother wore rose lace with matching hat and corsage.

The bride's parents entertained with an informal wedding breakfast for the family and wedding party after the ceremony. The table was laid in lace over satin centered with the three-tiered wedding cake on a reflector, decorated in white rosebuds and valley lilies, topped with wedding bells and surrounded by lace fern and white madonna lilies. White tapers burned in silver candleholders.

Assisting were Mesdames E. M. Collier, Ira Dippel, R. B. Burns, and Milton York. The bride cut the first slice of the wedding cake with the groom's sword.

House decorations were of madonna lilies and Queen Anne's lace.

The bride wore a black wool tulle with white pique blouse and white accessories for travel.

The couple will live in Brownwood after a short wedding trip to Dallas and other points in north Texas and Oklahoma.

The bride was a member of the graduating class of the 1926 Giddings high school graduating class and had taught a number of years in the school of this part of the State, having attended Southwest Texas State Teachers College, Sull Ross College at Alpine, and University of Mexico. The groom is a graduate of A & M College.

Out-of-town guests included Mrs. Polly Appelt, Miss Corinne Renschel, Mr. Bragg Robertson, Miss Suzanne Robertson of Gonzales; Mrs. W. H. Dunning, Miss Elizabeth Dunning of Austin; Lieutenant Osborne Appelt, Randolph Field, San Antonio, Lieutenants Arthur Simmang and J. C. Tracy of Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Isensee, Corpus Christi; Miss Josephine Simmang, San Antonio; Mrs. Herman Earlywine, Charles Henry Earlywine, Houston.