



MR. AND MRS. ROBERT O. SIM

Harrington Church Scene Of Wedding

HARRINGTON — Decorated with yellow and bronze 'mums, Knox Presbyterian Church was the scene of the marriage of Carmine Lee Lupton and Robert Oliver Sim.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester F. Lupton, RR 1, St. Paul's and the bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Norman O. Sim, RR 5, Embro.

The double-ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Samuel Kerr. Alan Low, RR 2, Stratford, was organist and accompanied soloist Karen Smith, RR 4, Stratford who sang "The Lord's Prayer" and "O Perfect Love."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor length gown of white sata-peau fashioned with a scoop neckline and lily point sleeves. Italian silk embroidered flowers trimmed the bodice and front panel of the semi-controlled skirt which featured a carriage back enhanced with a butterfly bow and chapel train. A tiara of seed pearls held her veil of silk illusion with scalloped edging of Italian corded embroidery and she carried a cascade arrangement of gardenias, stephanotis and myrtle.

Mrs. Vernon Steinacker, RR

2, Stratford was matron of honor for her sister with Eileen Sim and Sandra Lupton as bridesmaids.

The attendants were identically gowned in ballerina length creations of yellow nylon organza over taffeta made with scooped necklines, elbow length sleeves and semi bell skirts featuring back fullness. They wore mohair and seed pearl tiaras and bronze shoes and carried baskets of bronze poms and yellow sweetheart roses.

Melvyn Sim performed the duties of best man and ushers were Vernon Steinacker and Robert Howe.

A wedding dinner was served in the church parlor. Assisting were Helen Lupton, RR 2, Embro; Ilona Metz and Margaret Low, RR 2, Stratford; Elaine Hutchison, RR 2, St. Marys and Donna Howe, RR 5, Embro.

A reception followed at the home of the bride's parents where Mrs. Lupton received guests wearing an azure blue velvet suit with matching hat, metallic gray accessories and a corsage of yellow sweetheart roses.

The bridegroom's mother chose a grotta blue embossed brocade sheath dress with matching jacket and hat, black

accessories and a corsage of yellow roses.

For a honeymoon in Michigan, Northern Ontario and Ottawa, the bride travelled in a navy crepe dress with navy and red accessories and a corsage of white gardenias. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Sim will reside at RR 5, Embro.

Guests attended the wedding from Port Credit, Napanee, Kitchener, St. Marys, Mitchell and Embro.

Prior to her wedding the bride was honored at several pre-nuptial events. Mrs. Lupton was hostess at a trousseau tea honoring her daughter. The bridegroom's mother assisted in the receiving line.

The tea room featured yellow and white decorations with an arrangement of bronze and yellow 'mums on the tea table flanked by yellow tapers. Mrs. Alex M. McKay and Mrs. Robert A. Low poured tea. Mrs. Earl Gilmour invited guests to the tea room and guests were served by Ilona Metz, Margaret Ann Low, Helen Lupton and Helen McKay.

Gifts and trousseau were displayed by Mrs. Vernon Steinacker, Mrs. William McIntosh, Eileen Sim and Sandra Lupton. The guest book was in charge of Elaine Howe and John Lupton and supplies were conveyed by Mrs. Burns Innes and Mrs. E. D. McKay.

The bride was also honored at a dinner party and shower at Eastwood attended by staff members of the Bank of Nova Scotia in Stratford. Members of the bank staff also presented her with a wool blanket.



MR. AND MRS. G. B. VANDEZANDE

Couple To Live In Michigan Following Woodstock Wedding

Ferns and baskets of early fall flowers decorated First Christian Reformed Church when marriage vows were repeated by Anne C. J. Balkema and George B. Vandezande.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Balkema, RR 5, Embro and the bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Vandezande, Woodstock.

Rev. J. B. Vos performed the double-ring ceremony. John Bergman as organist played traditional wedding music and accompanied soloist Teena Bergman who sang "The Lord's Prayer" and "O Perfect Love".

Entering the church on the arm of her father, the bride was lovely in a floor length wedding gown of white peau de soie. The fitted bodice with seed pearl embroidery featured lily point sleeves and a scooped neckline and the bouffant skirt cascades gracefully from the empire waistline in soft unpressed pleating. A crown of seed pearls and crystals held her veil of imported illusion and she carried a cascade of red roses.

Emmy Balkema of Embro was maid of honor for her sister with Anne Visbeck and Mrs. Teena Bergman as bridesmaids. The maid of honor was gowned in a gold peau de creation with matching accessories. She carried a bouquet of orange deli-

roses. The bridesmaids wore blue peau de soie gowns and carried arrangements of yellow roses.

Connie Vanderspek was first girl wearing a gold peau de soie gown. She carried a basket of orange ice roses. Little Vanderspek was ring bearer. Harry Vandezande of Kitchener performed the duties of best man and guests were ushered by Hank and Ben Vandezande.

For a reception at Mel Restaurant, the bride's mother received guests wearing a blue brocade dress with matching accessories and a corsage of yellow roses.

The bridegroom's mother chose a beige ensemble with brown accessories and a corsage of yellow roses.

For a wedding trip to Northern and Eastern Ontario, the bride travelled in a navy blue suit with a corsage of yellow roses. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Vandezande will reside in Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Guests attended the wedding from Woodstock, Kitchener, Toronto, London, Drayton, Pickering, Stratford, Brantford, Kalamazoo and Grand Rapids. (Photo by ball)