

Miss Woody Weds *The Bride* Joe V. Longo *9/16/45*

The Gonzales Gardens social hall was a scene of rare beauty Saturday evening, when Miss Joyce Woody became the bride of Joe V. Longo, war department, United States army. The Rev. David Anderson of Tabernacle Baptist church officiated in the presence of a large assemblage of friends, using the double ring ceremony.

For the occasion the spacious hall was effectively decorated with pastel garden flowers in floor baskets, ivy, smilax and white candles in cathedral candelabra.

A program of wedding music was given prior to the ceremony. Miss Beverly Trevathan was at the piano. Miss Gwen Cochran and Robert Cochran sang as a duet, "I Love Thee, Dear," and Miss Cochran sang as a solo "Because," (d'Har-delot). "Bridal Chorus" from "Lo-hengrin" (Wagner) was used for the processional and Mendellohn's "Wedding March" for the recessional.

Junior ushers were Allen Wood, Sonny Luther, William Roberts and James Arcut.

The bridesmaids were Miss Marion Stone and Miss Sarah Daniels, wearing frocks in pastel shades of blue and rose and shoulder corsages of pink roses and valley lilies. They lighted the candles.

Usher-groomsmen were Robert Cochran and his brother, Ed Cochran, who has recently returned from the European theater of war.

The lovely junior bridesdaids were Nancy Dean, Rebecca Truluck, June Hendrix and Hulda Cochran, wearing costumes of net and taffeta and carrying nosegays of rosebuds.

Little Sylvia Shealey, daughter of Mrs. Margaret Shealy, was the dainty flower girl, carrying a small rose basket filled with pink rose petals.

The ringbearer, Sonny Aycock, was handsome in a tuck suit.

The bride and bridegroom entered together. The beautiful brunet bride was attired in an early fall suit of starlight blue with navy-blue accessories. She wore a corsage of Talisman roses and valley lilies.

Immediately after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Longo left for their wedding trip to Asheville, N. C. Upon their return to Columbia, the bridegroom will be employed at Fort Jackson.

Mrs. Longo is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Woody of Gonzales Gardens. Mr. Longo is the son of Mrs. Frances Longo of Syracuse, N. Y. He has seen service in