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## LOIS BAUMAN IS WED TO RICHARD J. COOK

Announcement was made today by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bauman of Pleasant Mills, of the marriage of their eldest daughter, Lois, to Richard J. Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Cook, of route 5. The couple was married on Saturday evening at eight o'clock in the Baptist parsonage, the Rev. Robert H. Hammond officiating. The bride wore a navy blue street-length dress with white accessories and a corsage of pink roses. Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Bryan were the couple's only attendants. The new Mrs. Cook graduated from Pleasant Mills high school, while the groom attended Western high school. They are now residing in Pleasant Mills.

## W. C. T. U. CONVENTION TO BE HELD FRIDAY

The Adams County W. C. T. U. convention will be held at the Evangelical and Reformed church in Berne Friday, with Mrs. Roy Dempsey of Marion as the guest speaker.

The following program has been planned:

10 a. m.  
Singspiration.  
W. C. T. U. pledge.  
Devotions, Mrs. Olin Krehbiel.  
Annual reports.  
Election of officers.  
Noon prayer.  
1:30 p. m.  
Song service.  
Devotions, Mrs. Philip Carper.  
Special music.  
Address, Mrs. Dempsey.  
Offering.  
Closing prayer.  
A carry-in dinner will be served at the noon hour, and those attending are asked to bring their own table service.

## JOLLY HOUSEWIFE CLUB IN MEETING

The Jolly Housewife Home Economics club of St. Mary's township met Tuesday evening at the Pleasant Mills school, with thirty-four members and one guest present.

The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. Carl Frey, leading the group in the creed and club song, "The More We Get Together." Mrs. Amos Stauffer gave the devotion, after which "Juanita," the song of the month, was sung. Roll call was answered with "give a bright saying of your child."

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## Coming Events

Society items for day's publication must be phoned in by 11 a. m. (Saturday 9:30 a. m.)  
Phone 1000-1001  
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Thursday  
Rainbow girls, Masonic hall, 6:45 p. m.  
Heidelberg class of Zion Evangelical and Reformed church, church, 8 p. m.

Ladies Aid society of Trinity Evangelical U. B. church, church, 7:30 p. m.

Monroe Methodist W. S. C. S., church annex, 7:30 p. m.

W. F. M. S. of Nazareth church, Mrs. George Anspaugh, 7:30 p. m.

Ladies Aid society of First Christian church, Mrs. Eural Rose, 7:30 p. m.

W. M. A. of Nuttman Avenue U. B. church, Mrs. Gladys Raver, 8 p. m.

Ladies Aid society of Union Chapel, church, all day.

Ever Ready class of Methodist church, Mrs. Noah Bixler, 7:30 p. m.

Pleasant Grove Missionary society, Mrs. Rosie Fox, 1 p. m.

Pleasant Dale Ladies Aid society, church basement, all day.

Aeolian choir, Decatur high school, 7:30 p. m.

Women's Home and Foreign Missionary society of First Presbyterian church, Mrs. H. L. Koonitz, 2:30 p. m., spiritual life meditation, 2 p. m.

Friday  
Work and Win class of Trinity Evangelical U. B. church, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown.

Wednesday  
Psi Iota Xi business, Elks home, 8 p. m.

and a discussion of the free movie to be given at the Pleasant Mills school on September 30, was held.

The Profit and Pleasure and Happy Homemakers clubs of Washington and Union Township and Blue Creek township members and families are invited.

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Mrs. Schneider was fed oxygen to keep her alive throughout six-hour delivery, which doctors described as "comparatively easy."

The infant is the first born to Mrs. Schneider and bookkeeper husband, Henry. (International)

the provincial seminar of the confraternity of Christian doctrine held yesterday at Our Lady of the Lake seminary at Lake Wawasee.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Marshall and Mrs. Jennie Smith of Paris, Ark., spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Runyon. Mrs. Smith is a sister of Mr. Runyon. On Sunday, a family reunion was held at the home of Mrs. Courtney Runyon at Montpelier.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hall of this city and Mr. and Mrs. Elco Elchhorn of Wells county have returned from a 17-day automobile trip

through the southwest. They traveled 6,500 miles and were in 14 states. At Alta Dena, Cal., they visited the Ed Boknecht family.

Senator Robert A. Taft, minority leader in the U. S. senate, will speak at Van Wert, O., during the week of Sept. 19, it has been announced. Exact time and place will be announced in a few days.

The state of Ohio now has a law requiring auctioneers to be licensed. It will effect some 2,000 men now engaged in that profession in the Buckeye state.

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