

SOCIETY

COWANS-HESS WEDDING SOLEMNIZED SATURDAY

The wedding of Miss Marlene Cowans to Joseph R. Hess was solemnized Saturday at 11 a.m. in the St. Mary's Catholic church.

Miss Cowans is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cowans, 729 Patterson, and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hess, 325 North Fifth St.

The Rt. Rev. Msgr. Simeon M. Schmitt received the vows of the double-ring ceremony in the presence of the members of the couple's immediate families.

Miss Rita Hess of Fort Wayne attended the bride as matron of honor and Paul Hess, brother of the groom, served as best man.

JUNIOR ARTS DEPARTMENT ENTERTAINS WOMAN'S CLUB

Monday evening the Junior Arts department presented a very enjoyable program entitled, "The Maids of the Minstrel," to the Decatur Woman's club. The overture was played by Cheryl Bollenbacher, Colleen Kelly as interlocutor, Karen Andrews as Miss Jones, Anita Zintsmaster as Miss Bones, Katy Smith as Miss Lilly and Becky Mauler as Miss Little kept the show moving at a lively pace. The chorus sang, "Another Opening, Another Show," "Alabama Jubilee," "Swanee," and "The Booms" a Daisy." "Side by Side" was sung by Kathy Hill, Colleen Kelly and Martha and Mary Kahle. Katy Smith, Alyce Lankenau and Anita Zintsmaster sang, "Put on a Happy Face." The song, "It Might as Well be Spring" was sung by Katy Smith. "Bye, Bye Blackbird" and "With a Song in My Heart" were played on the flute by Margaret Kocher. She was accompanied by Cheryl Bollenbacher on the piano. Accordion selections were presented by Flo-tula Doxastaki. A skit entitled, "The Infancy of Television," was presented by the following cast: Fanny, Terry Hain; Mandy, Sarah Sutton; Peggy Lee, Martha Kahle; lecturer, Mary Schurter; Sally Sloop, Jane Burke; Mrs. Curtin, Ann Daniels; Jane Weston, Cheryl Bollenbacher, and Debbie Drake, Ann Schurter.

The program closed with the chorus singing, "It's a Grand Night for Singing." "On the Sunny Side of the Street," and "There's no Business like Show Business."

The program was directed by Mrs. Jerold Lobisiger and her assistant, Mrs. Hubert Feasel.

Mrs. Leo Curtin, assisted by the members of the Junior Arts department, served a tea to the members and guests. A brief business meeting preceded the program. Mrs. Floyd Reed showed a film about the March of Dimes.

EVANGELINE CIRCLE HAS MEETING FOR JANUARY

The Evangeline circle of the Zion United Church of Christ met at the church recently for its January meeting, with 16 members present.

The lesson, taken from the book, "Dear Mr. Brown," by Harry Emerson Fosdick was presented by Phyllis Eichenberger, and was followed by discussion among the members. Roll call was answered with each member's new year resolution. There were 27 social calls and 20 sick calls made during the month. It was approved to reimburse the Rev. Feller for the

bill for printing the new program books. The secretary was asked to write a letter to one of the trustees concerning the repair of a broken light switch and a sharp piece of metal on the sandbox in the nursery.

The members were asked to return the reading packet each month and to report to the secretary on how much they have read. Phyllis Eichenberger volunteered to make a report on the books that the church possesses which are on the guild's reading list.

Mrs. William Feller requested the donation of 12 dozen cookies for open house and three members offered to contribute them. The presider handed out the new program books for the year and a silent auction was held.

The remainder of the evening was spent making favors for the hospital and was followed with delicious refreshments, served by the hostesses, Jean Koons and Karen Heller.

DECATOR PASTORS HONOR REV. FELLER AND WIFE

Tuesday evening the pastors of the Decatur churches and their wives met at the Community Center for a dinner meeting, honoring the Rev. and Mrs. William Feller. The occasion was in recognition of Rev. Feller's rounding out 20 years of service with the United Church of Christ in Decatur.

The honored couple were guests of the ministerial association and were presented with a beautiful philodendron plant.

Having a part in the program, were Revs. Gerald Gerig, Huston Beaver and Kenneth Angle. Solos by Mrs. Charles Hill and a duet by Rev. and Mrs. Gerig were included in the program. Attending the dinner were, in addition to the above, Mrs. Huston Beaver, Mrs. Kenneth Angie, Rev. Charles Hill, Rev. Richard Ludwig, Mrs. Fanny Terry Hain and the following pastors and their wives: Robert McQuaid, A. C. Underwood, F. P. Miller, Elbert Smith, Robert Crabtree and Wilmot Watson.

CHURCHES EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE HAS MEETING

The executive committee of the Associated Churches of Decatur met Sunday at the Zion United Church of Christ. The Rev. Gerald I. Gerig, president, presided. Barbara Bowman, secretary, read the minutes of the last meeting.

Cliff Hoverman, chairman of the United Christian Youth of the Decatur area, gave a heart-warming report of the meeting held with the youth representatives of the churches of the Decatur area.

Hoverman stated that February 3, at 8:45 p.m., at the E. U. B. Trinity church, South Ninth St., there will be a sing-spiration for all the youth of Decatur. Walter Henkel and Darrell Gerig will be the directors.

James Borchers, chairman of the united church men, gave his report to the growing attendance of the men's prayer group meeting at 6:30 a.m., the first and third Saturday morning of the month, at the Country Charm restaurant for a fellowship and prayer period. Borchers extended his welcome to anyone who wishes to join the group in fellowship and prayer.

Earl Fuhrman, chairman of the finance committee, gave the financial report for the year ending 1962. Fuhrman also presented the Rev. Gerald Gerig, president, proposed budget for the year 1963, thanked all the chairmen for their reports. There were several other items of business discussed. The meeting adjourned with a closing prayer by the Rev. Gerald I. Gerig.

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING FOR RACHEL CIRCLE

The Rachel circle of the Decatur Evangelical United Brethren church held an organizational meeting recently at the home of

Mr. and Mrs. John Chilcote, route 6, Decatur, will celebrate their 62nd wedding anniversary Sunday, with their six children, 24 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Open house will be observed from 2 to 5 p.m. for relatives, friends and neighbors of the couple.

There will be a meeting of the Sunny Circle home demonstration club Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the Preble Recreation center. The hostesses will be Mrs. Marvin Conrad and Mrs. Milton Kruetz.

The Pythian Sisters Needle club will meet after Temple Monday, 7:30 p.m. in the Moose home. Hostesses will be Mrs. Charles Beineke, Mrs. Robert Gault and Mrs. Delton Passwater.

The Jolly Housewives home demonstration club will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in

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Club Schedule

Telephone 3-2121
Society Editor

Calendar items for each day's publication must be phoned in by 11 a.m. (Saturday) 9:30.

WEDNESDAY
Beta Sigma Phi, Elks home, 8 p.m.

Bethany circle, Zion United Church of Christ, Mrs. Wesley Lehman, 7:30 p.m.

Ruth and Naomi circle of the Zion United Church of Christ, church parlors, 2 p.m.

Women's Association, First Presbyterian church, 8 p.m.

THURSDAY
Women of the Moose, executive, 7:30 p.m.; regular, 8 p.m.

Friendship Village club, Blue Creek-St. Mary's conservation bldg., 1 p.m.

St. Paul Ladies aid, Mrs. Dwight Schnepp, 7 p.m.

Indianapolis Symphony orchestra, high school auditorium, 8 p.m.

Order of Eastern Star, Masonic hall, 7:30 p.m.

FRIDAY
Decatur Missionary Friendship circle, Mrs. Norman Hart, 7:30 p.m.

March of Dimes dance, Ameri-

can Legion home, 9 p.m.

Good Will Industries' truck, call 3-4181 or 3-585.

SATURDAY
Children's story hour, library, 1:30 p.m.

Pleasant Mills Methodist church chili supper, 4:30 to 7:30 p.m.

MONDAY
Honorary Psi Iota Xi, Mrs. Bud Townsend, 6:30 p.m.

Pythian Sisters Needle club, Moose home, after Temple, 7:30 p.m.

Adams Central P. T. A., school cafeteria, 7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY
Sunny Circle club, Preble Recre-

ation center, 8 p.m.

Jolly Housewives club, Pleasant Mills school, 7:30 p.m.

Mrs. Joan Koos, Mrs. Donna Gehres, general president of the WSWS, gave an interesting lesson, entitled, "You are needed," and "To know each other."

Mrs. Liz Koons accepted the office of chairman of the circle. Other officers are Mrs. Betty Tinkham, secretary; Mrs. Norma Roop, treasurer; Mrs. Erma Dean Seltzner, secretary of mission-education; Mrs. Joan Koos, secretary of Christian social relations and Mrs. Helen Hulker, secretary of spiritual life.

After the business meeting, Mrs. Koos served delicious refreshments to the ten members present. The next meeting will be February 14 at the home of Mrs. Helen Hulker. Mrs. Edith Kling will have the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ziner left this afternoon for a three-day convention of Culligan dealers at the Edgewater Beach hotel in Chicago.

Francis Noack has been confined to his home for two days with a cold.

The New York Shipping Association, the pacemaker among the shipping firms, accepted terms of the proposed contract worked out by a panel headed by a former professional labor mediator, Sen. Wayne Morse, D-Ore. About 280 ships were tied up in New York.

The New Orleans Steamship Association accepted the contract "in principle." But it said the locals would have to return to work immediately. The Louisiana port city has lost an estimated \$1.8 million daily and had 100 ships at anchor.

The longshoremen could be back on the waterfront as early as Thursday. The ILA accepted terms of the contract Sunday, and a vote by the membership was all that remained today.

Representatives of Gulf Coast shipping interests and the ILA met in Galveston, Tex., to end the walkout in that area.

Seek Wage Boost

The dispute between Florida

East Coast and 11 non-operating

unions was over demands for

raises of 10.28 cents an hour, re-

troactive to February, 1962. The

railroad rejected the demand, and

said it had lost money because of

the Cuban crisis.

Federal Mediator James Hol-

er said there was an "obvious

lack of desire" by both parties to

negotiate. The railroad laid off

crew members Tuesday in anticipa-

tion of the strike by the 1,200 non-

operating union members.

Publishers and printers agreed

to meet today for the first time

since Jan. 16 in the 46-day-old

New York newspaper strike. How-

ever, the publishers, in a state-

ment Tuesday night, said a pro-

posal by White House Press Sec-

retary Pierre Salinger for a study

group "appears to offer no pros-

pect of a prompt solution."

The publishers also said they

had made new proposals to the

printers and other craft unions

for raises amounting to \$8.50 over

two years plus a fourth week of

vacation after 10 years employ-

ment. They estimated the cost of

the printers' original demands at

\$38.37, including \$19 in increased

wages.

Cleveland Talks Resume

In Cleveland, negotiations re-

sumed between the Teamsters

and the Plain Dealer and the

Press for the first time this week.

Bargainers for the striking Ameri-

can Newspaper Guild and pub-

lishers discussed the key issue of

union security Tuesday for the

first time.

Publishers also were to meet

with the pressmen's union. The

pressmen's contract has expired,

but they have not joined the

Miss Eileen Keuneke School Homemaker

The students and faculty of Monmouth high school announce that Eileen Keuneke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keuneke, rural route 1, Decatur, is homemaker of tomorrow in the 1963 Betty Crocker search for the American homemaker of tomorrow. Having achieved the highest score in a knowledge and attitude test given senior girls December 4, she is now eligible, along with winners in other state high schools, for the title of state homemaker of tomorrow.

The state homemaker of tomorrow is awarded a \$1,500 scholarship by General Mills, sponsor of the program. The runner-up receives a \$500 scholarship. The school of each state homemaker of tomorrow is awarded a complete set of encyclopedia Britannica.

The state homemaker of tomorrow, accompanied by her school advisor, also will join with other state