

December 27, 1939

Lydiann Lehman Christmas Bride

Becomes Bride of Vincent Habegger on Christmas Afternoon

Miss Lydiann Lehman became the bride of Vincent Habegger of Linn Grove, in a pretty ceremony at 2 pm on Christmas Day in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Lehman, east of Berne.

Ferns, evergreens and lighted tapers in the living room were simply grouped to provide a setting for the nuptial service which was read by Rev. C. L. Hawk of Wadsworth, Ohio, the bride's brother-in-law. A large bouquet of poinsettias were among the decorations which was a gift from the bride's sister, Mrs. Sylvan Nusbaum of Lake Charles, La., who was unable to be present.

Preceding the single ring ceremony, a short musicale was presented by two vocal numbers, "At Dawning" sung by Curtis Lehman and Donald Sprunger and "Because" sung by Curtis Lehman. Miss Lillian Lehman, pianist, who accompanied the singers, played "Bridal Chorus" by Wagner and Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" for the processional and recessional. During the ceremony, she played "To a Wild Rose" by MacDowell. Immediately after the service, the vocalists sang "The Lord Bless Thee and Keep Thee."

The bride wore a gown of white Chantilly lace over satin with tucked bodice and V-neck, and long fitted sleeves puffed at the top and long full skirt with train. Small white velvet bows with streamers were fastened just below the neckline. Her veil was in two circular tiers, shoulder length which fell from a crown of pearlized orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of calla lilies and white stevia, tied with white satin ribbon.

Her only attendant was Miss Priscilla Lehman, a sister, who wore a costume of rose coral moiré made with fitted bodice; sweetheart neckline, short puffed sleeves and long full skirt which stood out around hemline over hoop-skirt petticoat effect. She wore a gold locket which was her gift from the bride and carried a bouquet of yellow Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt roses and yellow pompom chrysanthemums. She also wore rose buds in her hair.

The groom was attended by his brother, Lester and they wore boutonnieres of white carnation and yellow rose respectively.

The bride since her graduation from Monroe High School in 1935 has been employed at the Berne Manufacturing Co. The bride-groom is employed with the Berne Equity Exchange.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held for the immediate family, bridal party and friends. A beautiful three tier wedding cake was the main feature of the reception.

The couple left for a short honeymoon. For traveling, Mrs. Habegger wore a black dress and coat with wine accessories.

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Hart-Tumbleson Nuptials Sunday

Arbie Tumbleson Bride of Myron Hart in Pretty Wedding

A quiet but impressive wedding ceremony was performed Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of the bride's mother, when Arbie Tumbleson, daughter of Mrs. Eva Tumbleson of Monroe Township was united in marriage to Myron Hart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Hart of southeast of Decatur by Rev. C. P. Maas, pastor of the Trinity Evangelical Church here.

The couple was attended by Miss Faye Tumbleson, sister of the bride and Gerald Hart, brother of the groom.

The bride wore a street length dress of burgundy wine transparent velvet and black accessories and carried a bouquet of Talisman roses and baby's breath. The bridesmaid wore a street length dress of teal blue with black accessories and carried a bouquet of Talisman roses. The groom and his attendant were attired in dark blue.

Miss Lou Marie Smith played the wedding march "I Love You Truly" and "Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us" on her accordion.

Following the ceremony a reception was held for relatives and friends of the newlyweds.

The couple will make their home in newly furnished apartments at the McClain Home on Water Street. Mr. Hart is employed at the Dunbar Factory here.

October 12, 1939

Evelyn Lehman, Frank A. Ford Reveal Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard F. Lehman, 3104 Fairfield Avenue announces the marriage of their daughter, Evelyn, to Mr. Frank A Ford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Ford, 2531 North Clinton Street. The wedding took place recently at the home of the Rev. Paul Chalfant in Columbia City.

The bride was graduated from South Side High School, where she was elected a member of the National Honor Society. She attended the Lutheran Hospital Nurses' Training School.

Mr. Ford is a graduate of North Side High School and has been employed at The National Mill Supply Company for the last three years.

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Margaret Crowell Bride at Temple

Granddaughter of Mrs. Mary Kerr Becomes Bride on Christmas Eve

In a lovely wedding solemnized at the Fort Wayne Gospel Temple in Fort Wayne on Christmas Eve by the pastor, Rev. Clifford Hollifield, Miss Margaret Beth Crowell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Crowell of Huntertown became the bride of Charles L. Pascoe, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Pascoe, Sr., of near Huntertown.

The nuptial service which took place at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon was preceded by a half hour musicale by Prof. Raymond Weaver, organist. Mrs. Hollifield sang "I Love You Truly" Lohengrin and Mendelssohn's wedding marches were used.

The temple was decorated in keeping with the season by two Christmas trees, tall palms and a lovely arrangement of white flowers in floor standards. Only candles lighted the church.

The bride's father gave her in marriage.

Her white satin gown was made with a long train, long fitted sleeves with puffs at the shoulders. The fitted bodice had a trimming of seed pearls at the neckline. Her long veil with train was fastened to a Juliet cap made of pearls. She carried a combination of white flowers.

Her only sister, Miss Rosemary Crowell, was maid of honor and her bridesmaids were Miss Frieda Steiner of Huntertown and Miss Marjorie Ineichen of Geneva, who wore gowns of taffeta made alike with long skirts, bustle backs, short puff sleeves and low necks. The maid of honor's dress was rose pink and she carried deep scarlet carnations and the bridesmaids dresses were hyacinth blue and they carried pink carnations.

The bridegroom and the best man, who was Glen B. Crowell, Jr., the bride's brother, wore brown suits.

A reception was held at the bride's home in Huntertown for the out-of-town relatives and friends.

After a short honeymoon trip, Mr. and Mrs. Pascoe will make their home in Fort Wayne where both are employed, the former with the Anthony Wayne Oil Company and the latter at Wolf & Dessauer. For travelling, the bride wore a rose crepe frock with matching turban and brown accessories.

The bride's grandmother, Mrs. Mary Kerr, attended the wedding and reception.

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