

Monday, May 18, 1942

Marjorie Bixler Bride on Saturday

Becomes wife of Lester Zimmerman; Wed at Piqua, Ohio

Miss Marjorie Bixler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bixler of Wabash Township and Lester Zimmerman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Zimmerman of Hartford Township were united in marriage Saturday afternoon at the home of Rev. Norman Zimmerman at Piqua, Ohio. The single ring ceremony was observed and there were no attendants.

The bride attended Geneva High School and has been employed at home. Mr. Zimmerman is a graduate of the Hartford High School with the Class of 1937. He is a farmer.

The couple left on a wedding trip to Detroit and will be at home with the bride's parents southwest of Berne.

Thursday, June 4, 1942

Mrs. Martin Gilson Dies this Morning

Decatur Woman Dies after Long Illness

Mrs. Ida B. Gilson, 64, wife of Martin Gilson, well known harness maker of this city, died at her home, 314 W. Madison Street, at 8:40 o'clock this morning following an extended illness of carcinoma.

Mrs. Gilson had been in poor health the past six years. A daughter of the late John and Lucinda Green, she was born in Fort Recovery, Ohio, July 21, 1877.

The deceased was a member of the First Methodist Church and of the Eastern Star, maintaining an active membership in both affiliations.

Besides the husband, she is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Harriet Shoaf of this city; one brother, Bert Green of Chillicothe, Ohio; and two sisters, Mrs. Amanda Teeple and Mrs. J. P. Hilyard of this city.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home and 2:30 o'clock from the Methodist Church, Rev. George S. Lozier of the First Evangelical Church, officiating. Burial will be in the Decatur Cemetery.

The body will be moved from the Gillig and Doan Funeral Parlors to the Gilson residence Friday morning and may be viewed until time of the funeral.

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