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6 New Homes For Weidman

Six new houses are going up in Weidman, a record for our town. Our building boom is nothing sensational, each house being put up for a home by folks who are

already living here.
John Heron has begun his house east of the Fey Middlesworth place after purchasing two lots.
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cunning-

ham are progressing nicely with their new house next the Leon Parks, despite misfortune on the job last week. The Cunninghams are from California.

Over on the south road, three new houses are going up, all for families of the Bransons. On the corner just west of Wm. Russell's, Orval (Spike) Branson has his new home completed on the exterior. Bob Branson is building west of his folks' place, the Harold Bransons; and closer to the Bransons', the new Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Schafer are building their new home.

Next to the Wm. Higbee home, Carl Scharrer of Barryton has begun work on a new house.

In other home projects, Mr. and Mrs. Michael McHugh are moving this week into their new home, hav ing purchased the Charles Johnson, Jr., place on the Airline. The Johnsons have moved to Mt. Pleasant.

New School Superintendent Rex Wood and his family have moved into the Del Plummer house, having purchased it for their Weidman home. The Plummers moved to Kinde last week.

----0-SOME BIG BASS CAUGHT ON THE WEIDMAN MILLPOND

Some big bass have been taken out of the Weidman millpond during the past few weeks. Among the best fishermen was Mrs. A. L. Wood bury, who several times brought in whoppers in early morning fishing. One big one we saw weighed over four pounds. First one she got on a jitterbug, she informed us, but she also gets 'em on a tweedler.

We understand that a Mt. Pleasant fisherman had to throw some back in, Sunday, after getting his limit of big ones. Spencer Strouse hauled in 10 before he called it a day, tossing five of the beauties back in.

DON GROSS PITCHES FOR CINCINNATI

Don Gross was called to pitch for the Cincinnati Redlegs Tues. day night; "his first big-league '

MRS. RITCHIE OBSERVES HER 80TH BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Dora Ritchie observed her 80th birthday last weekend with a family party at the Looman cottage at Au Gres. Present, be-sides the Weidman Ritchies, were Mr. and Mrs. Don Ritchie and Jan of Port Huron, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Ritchie and girls of Mt. Pleasant, and the host and host-esses, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Looman and Wilma Ritchie of Detroit.

On Monday, Mrs. Ritchie's birthday anniversary, Mrs. Jack Ritchie was hostess at a surprise party for her, inviting the pepper club for the afternoon.

Frances served birthday cake (one of Peggy McClain's beautiful concoctions) and ice cream. The club presented Mrs. Ritchie

with a nice gift.

Mrs. Ritchie has lived 45 years in Weidman.

Observe Their 55th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Higbee celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary last Thursday, July 16. They are loved and respected by their many friends here. They came to Weidman from Corunna in 1943.

Their children are Mrs. Carl Scharrer of Barryton, Clarence Higbee of Flushing, and Mrs. Ernie Aubin of Flint.

The Highees observed their anniversary very quietly at their home here.

WEIDMAN REBEKAHS HOLD LAST SUMMER MEETING

At a regular session of the Weidman Rebekah Lodge last Thursday evening, Noble Grand Leta Parks presided over the last meeting before vacation.

Two new members were added to the lodge, one by reinstate-ment and one by transfer.

The rummage and bake sale was reported a great success, aided no doubt by some of the ex cellent modeling by some of the salesladies. It was decided to have another sale July 23.

All lodges have been invited to attend the Pilgramage and dedication of the new dining hall at Big Star Lake Sunday, July 24. Picnic dinner will be served at 1 o'clock, with a program to fol-

Next meeting will be the second Thursday in September.

Calendar of Coming Events

July 21.--Women's Society pic-nic, Coldwater Lake, 1 p.m. July 23.--Bake and rummage sale, Rebekahs, at Oddfellow Hall here.

July 26 -- Farm Bureau Women's Activities meets at Drew Hall. July 27...OES pepper party, 2 p.m., Masopic Hall here. July 28...Forest Hill Missionary

Society meets with Mrs. Leonard Denslow.

July 24 -- Sherman Farm Bureau picnic, Coldwater Lake, 1 p.m. No meeting July 20.

July 31-Denslow-Thompson re-union, at Howard Wood's.

BUSY BEES MEET AT DENSLOW HOME

Mrs. Opal Denslow was hostess to the Busy Bees last Thursday af-ternoon. President Mrs. Deborah Benn presided, with 20 ladies present.

Many interesting readings were given for roll call, followed by a debate on "Staying home clipping recipes, etc., or joining the many chibs."

The hostess served a lovely lunch of fresh buns, salad, iced tea,

coffee, and fresh raspberry pie.
The August meeting will be a picnic at the home of Mrs. Deborah Benn.

---0---SOFTBALL STANDINGS

K.C		H		3	0	1.000
Rosebush.			1	2	1	. 667
Momany .				1	1	. 500
Fox Hdwe.				1	1	500
Shook's Mk						. 333
North End					3	.000

RESULTS

Wednesday, July 13: KC_10, Shook's 0. Rosebush 16, Fox 4. Friday, July 15: Fox 2, Momany 1. KC 17, North End 9. Monday, July 18: Shook's 10, North End 2. KC 2, Rosebush 1.

SCHEDULE Friday, July 22: 7:45, KC vs. Fox. 9:15, Momany vs. North

End. Monday, July 25: 7:45, KC vs. Momany. 9:15, North End vs.

Momany. Wednesday, July 27: 7:45, North End vs. Fox. 9:15, Shooks vs. KC.

Friday, July 29: 7:45, Shook's vs. Rosebush. 9:15, Fox vs. Momany.

By John Forest.

Home Nursing Class Response Is Good Here

Jessie Rosenerntz

Eight women in the Weidman area have indicated they want to take the class in Home Nursing and First Aid being offered through the efforts of the Isabella County Red Cross at the request of the Civil Defense department.

Response has been faster than expected, and all women, young or old, from 14 years up, are urged to take advantage of this chance to acquire invaluable in-formation on home care of the ill or injured. Anyone living in the west half of Isabella County is eligible for the forthcoming class in Weidman.

Costs will be at a minimum, it was stated this week. Main expense will be the texbook, which costs 60 cents. Mt. Pleasant Red Cross instructors will conduct the classes in Weidman.

It is desirable to get the class started well before school begins
--started and ended, if enough women respond fast enough, Mrs. L. E. Going, of the Weidman committee, said Tuesday. Mrs. Barbara Kaninsky, the other committee member for this area, said it is indicated that many are interested but most do not realize that they should sign up at once for the course. It is a short course, probably to be packed into about two and a half weeks.

Anyone interested in receiving this free and valuable training may call Mrs. Going, telephone Weidman 2241, or Barbara Kaninske, telephone Weidman 2912. Or the Messenger will get your name to them if you wish to call here. But you had better do it soon, as the quota will be filled as soon as the number reaches 16. -0-

MORE IN THE WAY OF EARLY VEGETABLES

Miles Drallette was the earliest we heard of with sweet corn this year, enjoying corn on the cob last Wednesday evening, July 13. The Roes enjoyed some very early cucumbers from the Ray Smiths,

the past week.

Weidman Markets

Oats, bu. 54 Shelled corn, dry, bu. . . 1. 30

Around

Jessie Rosencrantz, Reporter

Mrs. Hazel Hitt of Fremont and her daughter, son-in-law and two grandchildren of Indiana visited the Howard Woods Monday. Mrs. Hitt is a daughter of Henry Curry.

Leona Mohr of Oil City and Mr. and Mrs. J. Apple of Greensborough, N. C., Catherine Aldrich and children, and George, Carl and Ellen Geasler and Jim Wright were callers at the Paul Millers' last week. Jim spent the week with his grandmother and Mr. Miller, and is spending this week with his Grandpa and Grandma Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Filles Losey and Mrs. Liza Losey were Tuesday eve ning callers at the Charlie Losey home.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Denslow and family called on Andy Letson Sunday p. m.

Barbara Morbitzer has rheumatic fever.

Mrs. Liza Losey stayed with her sister, Mrs. Rosa Losey, while the Charlie Losey and Gerald Losey

Look!

-at the latest in

Electric Fencing

families attended the Dutcher reunion in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Cummins spent the weekend in Lansing with their son, Willie, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Losey spent Sunday evening with the Dale Klumpps.

Mrs. Margaret Denslow and Car. olyn and Gary were Sunday even-ing callers at the Floyd Miller home.

Missionary Society of the Forest Hill Church will meet with Mrs. Leonard Denslow Thursday p. m., July 28.

Farm Bureau Women's Activities will meet at the Drew Hall Tuesday, July 26. Pot luck dinner at

noon, Sherman group hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Denslow went to Clear Lake, near Kalamazoo, Saturday, after Dean Denslow and Stephen Saunders, who had spent the week there at MYF Camp.

Mrs. Stuart Denslow spent the weekend at the Otis Denslow home

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thompson and Bobby, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benn and Benny, and Duane Johnson attended the Neeland reunion at St. Johns Sunday. Duane Johnson returned to his home in Pontiac, and Jeanne Johnson and Carol Ann Carr' came home with their Grandpa and Grandma Benn for several weeks' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Cummins spent Wednesday evening at the Charlie Loseys'.

Sharon and Ronnie Losey are spending the week with their Grandpa and Grandma Losey, while

their parents are making a mip to the West.

Nir. and hirs. Eugene Schafer and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Nutt and family were Sunday p.r., callers of Mrs. Mary Nutt.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Oplinger and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Collinger artended the races at Crystal Lake

Sunday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Mack Denslow and Robert were Sunday dinner guests of the Elmer Sheets family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Green and daughters were Saturday evening callers of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Denslow. The girls remained overnight. On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Green attended the Helmer School reunion.

Sunday dinner guests of the Leon ard Denslows were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Swan and children and Mr

and Mrs. Jack Merritt and son. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Nutt and tamily called on Mrs. Maude Wagen. man Sunday p. m.

Mrs. John Stoll of Lansing and Mrs. Robert Jessup and Bobby Lou and Margaret of Whittier, Calif., were Saturday visitors of the Jim Thompson family.

Mrs. Ella Denslow, Mr. and Mrs Loyal Dell and Clarence Holsted and children were callers of Mrs. Ethel Holsted last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Nutt and family of Lansing were last week Monday visitors of his mother, Mrs. Mary Nutt. Mr. and Mrs. Nutt and son remained overnight.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Denslow and Berl attended a picnic at the Harold Cummings farm, honoring Mr

and Mrs. Cummings on their 25th wedding anniversary.

Mariene and Donnie Merrihew are spending the week with Grandpa and Grandn a Losey.

Sunday mests at the Howard Wood home were Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Crowley and Sud and Jimmie of Pontiac, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Griebe of Bay City, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wood and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Pote Wood and family.

Rev. Cleveland of Clare was the guest speaker at Forest Hill Church of God Sunday. Rev. Mary House was attending the wedding of the daughter of Rev. J. T. Smith, at

Local Items

Mrs. Ann Pennington and Floyd and Ray Dutcher attended the Dut. cher reunion at Island Park in Mt. Pleasant Sunday. Around 50 members of the family were present. A picnic dinner and nice day were enjoyed.

Earl Dutcher of Breckenridge, who has been in the Alma Hospital returned to his home Sunday. He is doing well, after suffering injuries in an accident.

Mr. and Mrs. John Young of Harrison were last Friday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Mc-Arthur.

Leon Parks returned home from CMC Hospital Saturday, by ambulance. He will have to stay in bed at least a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sprague of Lansing were Sunday callers of his folks, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sprague. Susie Looman of Grand Rapids was a Saturday visitor. Mr Sprague was feeling better the first of the week.



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Green View Mrs. Wm. Tanner, Reporter

Mrs. George Hamilton and Fre-da and her daughter, Katy, and three of her children of Alma called Sunday afternoon on Millie Tanner, bringing the Tanners a belated gift which is very pretty.
Mr. and Mrs. John Gott and son

and his wife were near Evart and Sears picking strawberries. They

got 90 quarts.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kent and family were Saturday dinner guests of their son, Marvin Hatch, and wife, of Jackson.

Mrs. Egbert Fordyce was a Mon-day caller of Mrs. Wm. Tanner. Miss Linda McAlvey of Lansing is vacationing with her grandpar-

Young Peoples' Youth Rally of the Christian Churches at Rock Lake Saturday evening.

Mrs. Kitty Brown is at home

now with a niece, at Evart 62.

Mrs. Charles Crouse of Kitchen-

er, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Crouse and three children of Simco, Canada, spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm.

Walter Shaner entertained a number of guests in honor of his birthday Saturday, July 9. A happy afternoon was enjoyed. After games and prizes won, ice cream and cake were served. Many nice

Earl Douglas, spent the Fourth at Crystal Lake, and attended the races.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Schofield of Portland, Ore., observed their 58th wedding anniversary a few weeks ago, and he wore the same coat he wore 58 years ago. Lon is an uncle of Mrs. Egbert Fordyce, and once lived in this community, on Section 33.

Mrs. Wm. Tanner was a Wednesday evening caller at the E. J. Seymour and Norman Buchel

Mr. and Mrs. Ed McAlvey sold their entire dairy herd, including the sire, last week, to Northern dairymen.

Mrs. Emma Perry has returned from Mason, reporting her sister, Clara Burgess, in very poor health. They owned and built the Eldon Jackson farm and home.

South Gilmore Mrs. Robert Smith, Reporter

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Mr. and Mrs. John D. MacDonald of Alma were callers at the home of Mrs. Juanita Jarman Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Mac-Donald expected to leave for Canada Tuesday morning. Mr. MacDonald's mother is suffering from a stroke.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jane were callers at the Juanita Jarman home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Pitts and girls spent the weekend in Indiana gifts were presented.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Douglas,
accompanied by their mother, Mrs ton Huffine and David. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. New

Jack Jarman did the chores for Roy Graham for a couple of days while the Grahams took a trip.

(The above is last week's news from this section. Following are this week's items.)

Mrs. Juanita Jarman and Mrs. Robert Smith were callers Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Price at Littlefield

Mr. and Mrs. Don Cook of Lansing visited relatives around here for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Seitz of Farwell were dinner guests Saturday at the Juanita Jarman home. ---0---

Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson of Lansing were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Ruth Momany.

Mrs. Dave Green and Mrs. Stu-art Hall and son of Detroit were last Wednesday evening visitors

of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Smith and Roger.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Snyder were Sunday afternoon callers it the Edmund Schultz home.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Scott and girls spent the weekend at their cottage on Hicks Lake.
Judy Shook has been spending

the week with her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Gillespie, of Bay City. Mr. and Mrs. Gary Sprague

and Peggy and Mike of Diamond Lake were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Sprague.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell McArthur entertained at a surprise birthday party last Friday even-ing, honoring Mrs. David Flower. Present, besides the Flower and McArthur families, were Mr. and Mrs. John Showalter of Mt. Pleasant.

Miss Ruth Mclinay called on Mrs. Nina Forbes last Thursday afternoon.

Dr. C. E. Thempson

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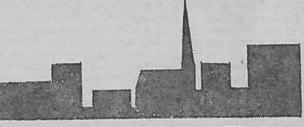
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Beal City News

Mrs. Vada Tilmann, Reporter

Sunday callers at the Berg home were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawens and Mr and Mrs. Frank Zuker and Helen.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Thelen and Mrs. Erma Thelen attended the wedding of Marion Frye of Lansing Saturday.

Jeanette Smith of Mt. Pleasant is spending a few days with relatives around Beal City.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Pung, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Schafer and Mrs. Theresa Pung called on Mr. and Mrs. Pete Esch of Weidman Mon-

day evening.

Mrs. Frank Berg and Mrs. Allen
Tilmann called on Mrs. Frank Zu-

ker Monday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer and Mrs. Louise Smith called on An-

drew Schafer Sunday afternoon. Josie Bengal of Mt. Pleasant spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mrs. Louise Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ulrich and family of Detroit spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John Ulrich.

Anna Smith is entertaining limmy

and Ronnie Smith, Tommy Pung, Larry Rau and Paul Smith and Jean ette Smith for a few days at Cold-Mr. and water Lake.

A nephew of Tony Burman, Snyder of Detroit, said the 8:30

Mass Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Matt Breuer were Tuesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Grisdale.

and Mrs. Milo Eldred and family are spending this week at the John E. Schafer cottage at Coldwater Lake,

Anna and Shirley Kornexl left Saturday to visit with Mrs. Anna Carlson at Williamston.

The community was saddened by the death of Ralph Sharp Mon-day. He was the mail carrier through Beal City for a good number of people.

The members of the Beal City

Choir and friends enjoyed a picnic at Coldwater Lake Sunday afternoo and evening.

Mrs. LaVerne Schafer and chil-

dren enjoyed dinner Wednesday with Mrs. Bud Smith and family. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rau and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Tilmann mo-tored to St. Johns Sunday. They called on Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Pung and family and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Turner and family. Mrs. Ed Pung and granddaughter returned with them to spend a few days with relatives around Beal City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schafer called

on Mr. and Mrs. Allen Tilmann

Friday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Pung and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Martin called on Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schafer Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer entertained the members of the Rhum Bunch Thursday evening. Cards were played, with Mrs. Joe Pung receiving first prize and Mrs. John E. Schafer low.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rau spent Monday afternoon in Saginaw. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kieffer spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pung and Sharon spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Tilmann.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Breuer attended the Cherry Festival in Traverse City Thursday and Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schafer, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Simmer and Mrs.

and Mrs. Joe Pung spent Sunday in Big Rapids Park and Rodney.
Lightning struck the Martin Quillen home Friday. It burned out the TV, tore off a few shingles and struck the chimney.

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West Nottawa Coldwater Lake

Mrs. Helen Alwood, Reporter

The new son at the Don Alwood home has been named James Wal-

Bob and George Hyslop of Grand Rapids had quite a big day Sunday. They, with the help of many friends, put their big launch in the water. She hadn't had her bottom wet for 20 years or more. It

leaked a little.

Bobby, Donnie and Mary Jane
Kolarik stayed Friday eyening and
Saturday with their uncle and aunt,

the Ronnie Breuers.

Carl Hauck got a group of 12year-old and younger boys from around Beal City and they went to Rosebush Monday evening and played in the Little League at Rosebush, for a game of baseball. They really played a good game, too, the score being 8 to 0 in favor of Carl's boys. Next Monday evening, Rosebush is coming to Beal for a return game. If you want to spend an enjoyable evening, come and watch the Little League play ball. Fans who saw the game at Rosebush said it was

most enjoyable.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Breuer and
Billy Alwood visited at the John Breuer home in Mt. Pleasant Sunday afternoon. They also called at the Jesse Bunting home near Winn, and were supper guests

there. Mr. and M s. Robert Banninger and family have returned from a few days' visit at Traverse City,

with friends and relatives. Mrs. Vera Kavanaugh had a surprise birthday party for her son Eddie, for his eighth birthday last Sunday. Sixteen boy friends helped Eddie celebrathy playing games and really hav big time. Mrs. Kavanaugh served supper to the boys, which included a lovely birthday cake. Eddie received many nice gifts,

was a very happy boy.
Visitors at the Don Alway Thursday and Friday were Thursday and Friday were I Jewel Wagner, Mrs. Arlend ter, Mrs. Garnet Bywater, Gertie Haight, Mrs. Nellie and Connie Roe. Thursday guests were Mr. and Mrs. J Breuer, Mrs. Hermione Sm and Walt Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith kinda Jean of Ypsilanti wer day evening supper guests a

day evening supper guests a Joe Breuer home.

It pays to advertise in Co: paper. Rusty Alwood has b wanting a bike, and last w he got one from Ypsilanti. uncle, Bob Smith, decided Rusty needed it worse than wife, Mary Ann. So Rusty a bike all the way from Yp through the Messenger.

Don Alwood and Billy we

day dinner guests at the Joe er home. In the afternoon, Alwood and Frank Knowlan Mt. Pleasant fished at Six and came home with a ver catch.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jane Charlotte visited Laura Hys Monday morning.
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ko

spent Saturday morning in mazoo. They were breakfaguests of Mr. and Mrs. Ear. gers of that city.

Pvt. Kenny Kavanaugh ca home Monday to spend a ft with his parents, the Ed Ka naughs. Kenny has to repor Fort Louis, Wash., Aug. 1 will await orders there to g Korea

Korea,
Sunday dinner guests of M
Mrs. Max Straus and family Mr. and Mrs. Paul Simmer and Mrs. Jack Lorenz and c dren of Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Lorenz and four sons of Sagi and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Lor and family. They all helpe Max celebrate his birthday. Cpl. Robert Lorenz of Te

called on the Pete Lorenz fa

ily Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith daughter spent the weekend

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lorenz Hart spent Saturday and Su at the Pete Lorenz home. Stevie returned home with after spending a week with

grandparents.

Jimmy Wright of Pontiac spending this week with his grandparents, the Fred Smi and his aunt, Mrs. Edith D Vaney.

Monday visitors of Mrs. H Alwood and new baby were Alwood and new baoy were Kate Smith, Mrs. Joan Cha and K. C., Mrs. Emma Mi worth, and Gerald Grewett Mr. and Mrs. Everett Phi and sons of Mt. Pleasant vi at the Howard Kolarik hom

Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Had and family of Lansing and Rose Simmer of Grand Rap spent the weekend with the folks, Mr. and Mrs. Henry



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West Nottawa Coldwater Lake

Mrs. Helen Alwood, Reporter

Sandy Kneit of Bay City is spending a few weeks with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Yuncker.

Mr. and Mrs. John Faber spent Sunday afternoon with Margaret Wieber and family.

Mrs. Miles Drallette returned home last Wednesday from Jackson where she visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Howard McNamara.

Rev. Fr. Zugelder and Angie Clare of Grand Rapids are spending some time at Coldwater Lake at the Drueke cottage.

Glenn Mathews spent the weekend with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Drallette.

Clayton Straus returned home last week from Flint after spending two weeks with his daughter, Mrs. Jack Shanahan, and family. Frank Gross of Mt. Pleasant called on Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Dole Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Faber spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Faber and family.

Mrs. Frank Theisen, Amelia Wieber, Mrs. John Neyer called on Mrs. Jerry Yuncker Monday afternoon, to see the new baby.

Local Items

Mrs. Clara Fox and Mrs. Gertrude Gross, accompanied by the Misses Margaret Gross, Nancy Banninger and Helen Engler, returned Saturday night from a seven-day trip through the Black Hills of South Dakota. They attended the Passion Play at Spearfish, S. Dakota. They returned by way of Chicago, reporting a wonderful trip. Tony Burman was the first to

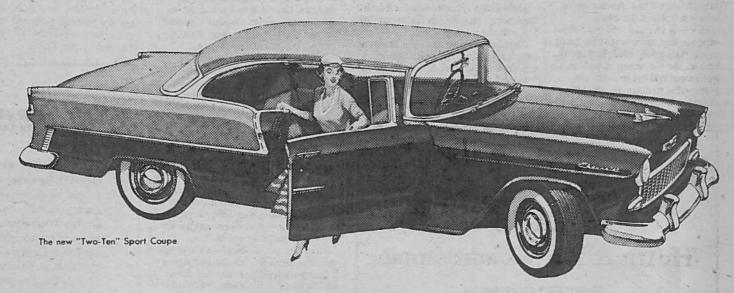
Tony Burman was the first to bring in pickles to the Libby Station here, according to Frank Gross, manager. Tony made his delivery Monday of this week.

Mrs. Ruth Momany received word that her brother-in-law, Basil Momany, passed away in Pontiac Sunday morning.

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Broomfield

Muycie Cook, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Rhode spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rhode.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Flachs attended the Cherry Festival at Traverse

City last week. Mr. and Mrs. Emil Lueder and Karlene spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Miles Strong of Elwell.
Mr. and Mrs. Affred Hope and

sons of South Haven spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cook.

Rev. and Mrs. Koepsell and family left Monday for a three weeks' vacation in Wisconsin.

Mrs. Arthur Krueger entertained the Lutheran Aid last Wednesday. The next meeting will be with Mrs Koepsell in Remus.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hines, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Flachs and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hogg and Harold Rhode were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hines.

Roderick Nicholson entertained the Broomfield Farm Bureau last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kuschinsky of Saginaw spent Saturday with their cousin, Mrs. Mary Coo 31 Mrs. and Mrs. Orves Cook and

family attended the Buerquist re-

union at Bay City Sunday.

Mrs. Helen Bigelow of Mt. Pleasant spent Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stilgenbauer. bauer. In the evening, Mrs. Stil-genbauer called on her cousin, Mrs. Albert Carroll, in Mt. Plea-

Aliance Cook is spending the

week in Lansing.
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stilgenbauer attended a family reunion at the John Manley home at Coldwater Lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cook called at the Alva Delos home in Winn Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Caulkin of Alto spent the weekend with their mother, Mrs. Emma Leinaar, who

is not so well now.

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Caulkin, Jr.,
of Detroit and friends from Sparta were also callers Sunday afternoon

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hummel of Bay City called on Mr. and Mrs E. R. Rhode Sunday p. m. Mrs. Evelina Grant and children

and Mrs. Edna Toarmina and children of Detroit spent Thursday and Friday with their mother, Mrs Nettie Crowley.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Cook spent

Saturday evening with Mrs. Rika Walch and Myrtle in Remus.

Two Rivers

Mrs, Blanche Carr, Reporter

Sharon Haupt attended a birthday party Sunday in honor of Dar-

Charles Grover of Ohio is spendong a week at the John Johnston cottage at School Section Lake.

Johnnie Haupt caught a nice mess of fish Sunday.

Mrs. Gerald Breuer and Marilyn were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Frank Haupt home. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schafer called also.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Stilgenbauer of Rosebush visited Mr. and

Mrs. Myron Johnston Sunday. Mrs. William Ward went to New Hudson to help care for Mrs. John Butterfield, and aunt, for a few

weeks.
Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Ward and Roxanne and Melody Forbes attended the Gleaner picnic Sunday in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Stansell were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milo Reynolds at Bevins Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Block visited her sister, Mrs. Ronald Breuer, and family, Sunday.

Mrs. Ronald Breuer cared for the Howard Kolarik children while their parents went to Kalamazoo.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sansote and family spent Sunday at the Al Harrison home in Alma.

Delma Harry of Oil City spent the weekend with Shirley San-

Lindy Swan got quite a bad cut on his head while swimming.

The Fred Swans and Chester Swans, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Carr, and Walter Smith spent Sunday at Bullhead Lake.

Mrs. Ray Flaugher spent a few days in Grand Rapids last week.

Mrs. Margaret Snyder and sons of Boulder, Colo., are visiting at the Glen Smiley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Flaugher and children and Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Stevenson of Texas have been visiting at the Art McQueen home.

Orville Jackson is visiting at the Clair Moses home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Carr and Dalton and Harold Krueger visited Sunday at the Ronald Carr home at Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Bunting and children of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Elton Bunting and baby of Belding were weekend guests at the Oral Bunting home.

Mrs. Erma Costa of Lansing spent the weekend at the Basil Rogers home, and visited her brother, Le-on Parks of Weidman, who was hurt in an accident.

Mrs. Minnie Flaugher had her sister, Mrs. Laura Latham, and Mr and Mrs. Chelsea Latham and baby

as guests Monday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Searls of Clifford visited their niece, Mrs. Ivah Rogers, and family. Ed Ege and the Vernie Rogers called Sun-

Visitors at the Arthur McQueen home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bushong and family, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Bushong, Mrs. Audrey Flaugher and Roger, and Mrs. Mildred Ruegsegger and children.

White District

Mrs. Anna Cheadle, Reporter Mr. and Mrs. Ward Loomis callled on Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Forbes

Sunday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Garold St. John and two children were Sunday eveening supper guests of their parents,

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bazaire. Mr. and Mrs. James Elder of Evart called on their aunt, Mrs. Anna Cheadle, Tuesday evening. Eddie Abbott of Edmore has been

guest of his cousin, Dale Den-

slow, for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Loomis, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Denslow attended the Loomis reunion at Island Park in Mt. Pleasant Sunday. About 90 were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Garold St. John and two children were in Mt. Pleasant Friday.

Mrs. Kenneth Baker entertained 18 children and mothers Friday afternoon honoring the twins', John's and Jack's, eighth birthday. The afternoon was spent playing games. Mrs. Baker served two birthday cakes and jello. The boys received nice gifts.

Lee Navarre & Sons cut and baled hay last week for the Cheadles.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Baker and Keith, John and Jack of Brinton called at the Cheadle home Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Denslow and

family spent Sunday evening with her brother, Marshall Abbott, and family, in Shepherd.

Fifteen friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stanley, Wednesday evening, hon-oring Miss Diana's 17th birthday. Games and dancing were the amusements, and Mrs. Stanley served refreshments of birthday cake and sandwiches. Diana received pretty gifts.

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Arlene Leiter, Reporter

RECEPTION FOR

ME. AND MRS. WM. FISH, JR. A reception was held Saturday evening at the Drew Hall for Mr. and Mrs. Wrr. Fish, Jr. Mrs. Fish was formerly Carol Monroe. laughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Merrihew. A large crowd was present honoring the newlyweds with many wonderful gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Dutcher and family attended the Dutcher reunion at the park in Mt. Pleas-

ant Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Yuncker
and daughter called Monday evening at the Clayton Dutcher

Saturday forenoon, Mr. and Mrs Charlie Losey and four grandchil-dren called at the Clayton Dutcher home.

Mrs. Jewel Wagner and Mrs. Arlene Leiter called Thursday evening on Mrs. Helen Alwood

and new baby.
Mrs. Clyde Forbes called last Tuesday afternoon at the Clifford Leiter home.

Oren Leiter was able to return to work part time for Pure Oil Co. last week. It has been over a year since the/accident in which Oren was injured.

Leo Gatehouse has been spraying the roads the past week. We all appreciate that very much. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wagner

and Beth Ann took Jimmy Wagner and Rusty Alwood to Big Star Lake Sunday. They all enjoyed a picnic dinner on the

Mrs. Bessie Forbes called Sunday at the Clifford Leiter home.

Jim Lawrence underwent a very successful artery operation at Henry Ford Hospital Thursday. Only in very recent years have doctors been able to do this type of surgery, but thanks to them Jim will not lose his legs. His address is Henry Ford Hospital, West Grand Boulevard, Detroit. He expects to be there two weeks yet.

Mrs. Ina Gillette and Ernest Faling received word last week that their sister-in-law, Mrs. Jessie Rose, had passed away July

Mr. and Mrs. John Ervin of Six Lakes called Sunday on Mrs. Ina Gillette and Ernest Faling. Mr. Faling's granddaughter and husband of Big Rapids were Sunday evening visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rescoe and family entertained Mrs. Ina Gillette and Ernest Faling at a picnic dinner Sunday, south of Deerfield on the Chippewa River. Grilled hamburgs and all the trimmings were enjoyed.

B.H. Fleming of Houston, Texas, spent from last Thursday till Monday with his nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Mertihew. G. B. Fleming of Grand Rapids spent Thursday night at the Merrihew home.

Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald McArthur and children of Royal Oak were last Wednesday night and Thursday quests of his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Leon McArthur.

Marian Thorp of Flint spent from last Wednesday till Monday with her grandmother, Mrs. Ruth Momany. Marian's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thorp, came

Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Crawford and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Hartwell of Blanchard were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Leon McArthur.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wright of near Barryton were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ohls. Mrs. Getrude Haight and Mrs. M. E. Wilson and Mrs. Lena Wilson of Big Rapids were Sunday callers

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Appelgreen and family of Lansing were week-end guests at the W.A. Appel-

green home. Mrs. LeRoy Ley and children of Jackson and Mr. Mrs. Alex Buchel and Mrs. Don Griffin and children of Lansing were Sunday callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Schultz were in Leland and at Lake Leelanau last Thursday. They stayed overnight with friends there. Their hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grewenauk. They went on to Traverse City, for an after-



Frank's Service Station

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Legal Notice

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION Final Account STATE OF MICHIGAN,

The Probate Court for the Coun-

ty of Isabella.

In the Matter of the Estate of Maud Hurd, Disappeared Person. At a session of said Court, held

on July S, 1955.

Present, Honorable Walter S.
Horn, Judge of Probate.

Notice is hereby Given, That the petition of Leon McArthur, the Administrator of said estate, praying that his final account be allowed and the residue of said es tate assigned to the person entitled thereto, will be heard at the Probate Court on July 26, 1955, at 9:30 A. M.; It is Ordered, that notice there-

of be given by publication of a copy hereof for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing, in the Weidman Messen-ger, and that the petitioner cause a copy of this notice to be served upon each known party in interest at his last known address by registered mail, return receipt demanded, at least fourteen (14) days prior to such hearing, or by personal service at least five (5) days prior to such hearing.

WALTER S. HORN Judge of Probate.

A true copy. Leona Schafer, Deputy Register of Probate.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Beutler of Ros-common were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Baxter. They seere also Monday visitors of the Baxters.

Mr. and Mrs. John Heron and family were Sunday guests of

relatives in Saginaw.

Diane and Russell Holt of Mt. Pleasant spent from Saturday afternoon till Monday with their grandmother, Mrs. Nina Forbes. Alton Brien of Mt. Pleasant is

spending part of his two weeks' vacation with his mother.

Mrs. Wm. Louiselle and loyce were in Saginaw Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Griffin and the same of St. Louise was Saturday. Linds of St. Louis were Sun. Ay evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. George McClain, Jr., and Melanie.

Mr. and Mrs. George McClain, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. John Starr of rural Rosebush returned last week Tuesday from a Canadian fishing trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Smith and Roger visited Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Paul Straus, and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Smith and daughter, in Flint, Sunday and Monday. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Aubin while in Flint.

Mrs. L. E. Going spent the week end at the Goings' farm at Sheridan.

Want Ads

WANTED TO BUY -- A second-hand accordion, 120 bass, in good shape but reasonable price. Phone 2912, Weidman, Barbara Kaninsky.

FOR SALE—100 year-old Leghorn laying hens, 75¢ each. Phone Weidman 2808. July21t2p

NOTICE--Due to unavoidable circumstances, the Weidman Well Baby Conference scheduled for July is being postponed until Aug. 25. It was also necessary to postpone the Rosebush Confer ence which was to have been held July 20. Charlotte Young, R. N., Staff Nurse.

FOR SALE-1950 Chevrolet Four Door Deluxe. Radio, heater, good tires. A one-owner car. Leo Embrey, Weidman.

FOR SALE -- Four pigs, 8 weeks old. Jim Thompson, 4 1/2 mi. west of Weidman. Phone Weidman 2886. July 21thp

In Memoriam

In loving memory of our baby son, Wade Richard, who passed away a year ago July 18.

One year has passed, how long it seems!

But in our hearts your face still beams.

For we who loved you only know How much we lost, a year ago!

What beautiful memories you left behind, even though you were here only a short time. Sadly missed by

The Don Alwood Family. --0---

Local Items

Mrs. Eva Carr was a guest at a picnic supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benn Tuesday evening, honoring the 13th birth-day of Carol Ann Carr. Other guests included Ben and Jean Johnson of Pontiac.

Mrs. Howard Guthrie and daugh ter, Mrs. Jesse Willoughby, and Miss Maude Willoughby of Shep-herd called on Mrs. Esther Lee Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Betty Paton was a Monday afternoon caller.

George McClain, Sr., attended a Chevrolet dealers' meeting in Mt. Pleasant Tuesday evening.

Allan Clark of Columbus, O., spent a few days this week with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Clark, and Don.

Callers at the Don Alwood home Tuesday were Mrs. Bessie Teall, Mrs. Jennie Sprague and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith and Linda Jean. The Bob Smiths were on their way home to Ypsilanti after

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BOYS LEAVE FOR

SUMMER CAMP
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wagner
and Beth Ann and Mrs. Don Alwood and baby took Jimmy Wag-ner and Rusty Alwood to the Odd-fellow-Rebekah camp at Big Star Lake Sunday, where the boys are spending this week. They all enjoyed a picnic lunch before the boys checked in at camp.

spending part of their three-week vacation around here with relatives.

Monday evening supper guests of Mrs. Eva Carr were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Doan of Mecosta and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Helmer of Flint.

Saturday visitors at the Don Alwood home, to see the new baby, were Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and Joyce Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith and Linda Jean of Ypsilanti, and Mrs. Beth Jackson of Mt. Pleasant. Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kripa and family of Mt. Pleasant were also callers.

Mrs. Mildred Ruegsegger and Cora, Beulah and Freddie of Mt. Pleasant called on Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Russell Sunday evening.

Mrs. Dave Green and daughter, Norma, and Glenn Dean Green of Dearborn, and Clara Green of Chicago were last Wednesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith.

Miss Evelyn Dent of Lansing was a Thursday caller of Vina Rufner. Mr. and Mrs. Fay McCrimmon

returned home Sunday morning from a trip to Washington, D.C., West Virginia, New York and the New England states. Mr. McCrimmon's sister and husband accompanied them.

Craig McClain spent Monday in Barryton, at the McClain Chevro-let Sales and Service garage.

Mrs. Vina Rufner spent the weekend with her sister and family at their cottage at Coldwater Lake.

Mrs. Martha Wilson and Mr. Lena Houman of Grand Rapids visited Mrs. Gertrude Haight from Sunday till Monday afternoon.

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ERVIN DUTCHER RESCUES

SMALL CHILD FROM LAKE Ervin Dutcher, Jr., rescued a five-year-old girl from danger at Coldwater Lake Sunday, when the inflated inner tube on which the child was drifting was carried by the wind out into deep water. The child was in difficulty, hav-7, ing fallen through the inner circle of the tube.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all those who sent me cards and flowers, the Wom-en's Society of the Methodist Church, the Rebakah Lodge, and all those who remembered me in any way during my illness.

Mrs. Wm. Warner.

DENSLOW-THOMPSON REUNION JULY 31
The annual Denslow-Thompson family reunion will be held on the lawn at the Howard Wood home in Horr Sunday, July 31, it was announced this week,

All old timers, friends and neighbors are invited to attend. A pot luck dinner will be served at 1 o'clock p. m. Please bring card tables, chairs, sandwiches or what you choose, and a dish

The Weidman Band will play a short program at 2 o'clock.



WEIDMAN LODGE NO. 118

Meets in the I.O.O.F. Hall on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month. N.G., Leta Parks; V.G., Jewel Wagner; Rec. Sec., Arlene Leiter; fin. sec., Lillian Johnston; treas., Lucille Smith. Visiting members are cordially invited.



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