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Library Corne. To Be Cleared

Clarence Wiley has bought the old library building on Weidman' main corner, and is offering it for sale to be torn down for the good lumber in it. The building had been condemned as unsafe for public use.

This will be a great improvement for Weidman, since Clarence plans to clean up the corner and eliminate the aged hazard. He purchased the property in a spirit of civic betterment, and is to be greatly commended for his efforts.

Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Smith spent the weekend at the John Miller home in Eaton Rapids.

The Clyde Johnston, Walter Smith, Wm. Stewart, Richard Stevens, and John Schafer couples will be leaving for deer hunting this Saturday evening. The company purchased one of the old school busses and has made it into a home on wheels. They intend to hunt in the Upper Peninsula. Mr. and Mrs. Chris Scharrer of

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Scharrer of Flushing and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Smith and Roger were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Scharrer.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell McArthur and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Showalter of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. Dick Showalter of Ithaca, and Mr. John Showalter, Jr., of Farwell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. David Flower and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thorp and
Betty spent Sunday evening with
Mr. and Mrs. Don Thorpe and

family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dent called on Mrs. Sarah Wiley Monday, to inform her that the Dents' son-in-law, Blanche's husband, was very ill, in Arizona.

Hanley Sampsell, Mrs. John Pierson and Mrs. Walter Pierson visited the Walter H. Smith home Wed-sday of last week. They bought lt a camera for his highday.

It a camera for his birthday.

Mrs. Clarence Brand and Mrs.
Roland Dent called at the Leo
Wood home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wood were in Evart Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Looman were weekend guests of Mrs. Dora Ritchie and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ritchie.

Mrs. Myrtle Zebell of Topeka, Kansas, spent from Tuesday until Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ritchie and Mrs. Dora Ritchie.

Charles Gross Loses Barn and Herd of Cows

Fire departments from Weidman, Mt. Pleasant and Rosebush were unable to save Charles Gross' barn early Wednesday morning, yesterday, which burned, with great loss including a herd of registered Holstein cows.

Elaine Gross discovered the fire at 7 o'clock as she glanced out the window and saw smoke rolling out No one had been in the barn since chore time the night before. The fire had got such a start that firemen could only hope to save the other buildings.

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Gerda Klish, Ronald Flaugher Are Married

The Zion Lutheran Church in Mt. Pleasant was the scene of a pretty candlelight ceremony at 7 o'clock Saturday evening, which united Gerda E. Klish to Ronald R. Flaugher in marriage. The rites were performed by the Rev. Coeliner. Gerda is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Klish of Mt. Plessant and Ronald is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Flaugher.

mond Flaugher.

The bride was gowned in pearltrimmed white lace over satin in
ballerina length. She carried red
roses on a white Bible. Her maid
of honor wore an orchid gown
with a white bouquet. The attendants were Yvonne Bunker as
maid of honor and Orrin Moses as
the best man. Russell Flaugher
and Horst Klish were ushers.

The bride's mother wore an orchid gown with pink accessories and a bouquest of pink carnations and Mrs. Flaugher was dressed in gray with white and wore pink carnations.

A reception was held Saturday evening at Two Rivers hall with about three hundred guests. They received many nice gifts. Lunch was served after which the bride and groom went to their home in an apartment at 319 Oak in Mt. Pleasant.

FLU WIDESPREAD IN ISABELLA COUNTY AREA

Flu and vicious colds have been prevalent in this area during the past week, with the maladies reported as widespread throughout the county.

Colds, with a one-day type of illness of flu-type are common throughout the village and surrounding area.

Powell No. 6 Comes In For Good Producer Well

Obituary

GAROLD WILBERT ST. JOHN

Garold Wilbert St. John, son of Chesley and Emma St. John, passed away Nov. 6 at the University hospital at Ann Arbor, at the age of 41 years, 8 months and 16 days.

He spent his entire life in Cold-water township.

In March, 1942, he was united in marriage to Bernice Ida Bazaire, and to this union two children were born, a son, Garry, age 12 years, and a daughter, Lucinda, 4 years, who survive him.

He also leaves one brother and six sisters: Harold St. John of Lansing, Mrs. Lydia Haney of Lansing, Mrs. Opal Denslow of Weidman, Mrs. Ruby Williams of Clare, Mrs. Eva Tubandt of Lansing, Mrs. Ioia Krchmar of Harrison, and Mrs. Clarabel Miller of Rosebush. Also several aunts and uncles, and a host of other relatives and friends.

He was a kind and loving husband and father, and very patient until the end.

Prayer was held at the home, Wednesday with funeral services at the Brinton Community Hall.

Mrs. A. L. Sprague and Betty Kelsey were Friday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sprague and Ronnie.

Mr. James Griffin and Linda of St. Louis spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Marie Griffin. John Neyer and Associates reported the Powell No. 6 in Gilmore Township completed Monday, with expectations for a good producer well. The record on the Powell place (the old Dillon Farm) is six holes drilled with three producers.

Plans are being made for two offsets to the No. 6, one to the north on the Powell place, and one on the Blodgett farm to the south.

Brazos Oil Company was reported at around 480 feet after encountering a suction hole. Tuesday drillers were driving pipe through the suction hole. This is a wildcat test on the Ted Nutt farm in west Sherman, the well being tagged State No. 1. It is located about two and a half miles northeast of the edge of the old Sherman oil field.

'On the Margaret Wieber farm in sec. 11, Nottawa, the Merrill Oil Co. was drilling at about 1900 feet Tuesday. This is a south wildcat from the Gilmore field on the Powell place.

Leonard Oil Company had nothing to report this week except that they had drilled in a dry hole southwest of Remus last week.

NEWS NOTES

Mrs. Christine Mosey and sons, Richard and George, were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wood.

Mrs. Leo Wood and Mrs. Jerry De nt were in Mt. Pleasant Monday.



MR. AND MRS. FRANK BERG, who celebrated their 61st wedding anniversary in October. They have been residents of the Beal City area since 1908, and have many friends and relatives who congratulated them on their anniversary.

Around Horr

JESSIE ROSENCRANTY. Reporter

Mrs. Mary Nutt and Mrs. Neva Nutt were Remus callers Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Oplinger

were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bunting. Mr. and Mrs. Ted Nutt and family spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Strait.

Mr. and Mrs. Clin Stratt.
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ferguson
and daughter, Faith Ann, brought
his uncle, Leslie Ferguson, home

last Thursday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Alva Cummins
were Wednesday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Char-

Mr. and Mrs. Garald Denslow and girls, and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Denslow and Robert, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dens-

day with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Denslow in Owasso. Mrs. Ella Denslow went to St. Johns to spend a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Clara Price.

Mr. and Mrs. Garald Denslow helped buzz wood at the Ted Nutt farm last Tuesday and Wednesday

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Oplinger were guests at the Robert Fanning home Saturday evening.

Saturday callers at the Rosencrantz home were Theron Merrihiew, Donnie and Marlene, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Losey and Suste.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Cummins spent sereral days this week, with relatives in Ohio.

Wilbur Benn and son, Frank, brought Mrs. Elste Benn home Sunday. She had spent the past week with them.

Mrs. Mary Nutt spent Thursday with her son, Ted and family. Mrs. Alva Cummins spent Thurs-

Mrs. Alva Cummins spent Thursday evening at the Rosencrantz home while Alva attended a lodge meeting. Later in the evening he was also a guest.

he was also a guest.

Ted Nutt took a bus load of children to Lake Station last
Thursday evening to roller skate.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Porter and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Losey Sunday evening.

Gerald Losey Sunday evening.
Mrs. Hannon of Reed City, Mr.
Dayton of Big Rapids were Saturday callers at the Gerry Dent
home. Sunday guests were the
Hardenburg children.
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Losey and

family and Mrs. Theron Merrihew and family spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Losey. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Oplinger and

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Oplinger and boys were Sunday dinner guests of her mother, Mrs. Edna Mc-Donald in Mt. Pleasant.

Miss Linda Dent spent Wednesday night with her cousin, Eleanor Dent.

Garth Lawrence spent the weekend in Mt. Pleasant with Alan Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Denslow of Barryton were Sunday evening guests of his brother, Mack and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Oplinger spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Stan Pridgeon at Barryton.

Sunday dinner guests at the Vance Wood home were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bergquist and family. Supper guests were Donald and Walter Appelgreen.

Mrs. Neva Nutt and children spent Tuesday evening of last week with Mrs. Mabel Dent and children.

Busy Bees will meet with Mrs. Margaret Denslow Thursday. Every one welcome.

Mrs. Sue Greenhoe and Mrs. Bess Whitlock of Ionia, and Mrs. Minnie Conley of Brinton, were Sunday p.m. visitors at the Paul Miller home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson spent the weekend in Pontiac with their son, John and family. The Forest Hill Church are hav-

The Forest Hill Church are having a family night, next Friday evening, November II, and will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Heckerd at the Horr Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Dent and children spent Sunday evening at the Pat Dillenbeck home. Ned Bellows, a cousin from Idaho, was also a guest. Mrs. Dillenbeck showed pictures they took on their trip west this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Lovell of Big Rapids spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Mack Denslow.

Berl Denslow spent several days with the Otis Denslow family, while his parents were in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Lorraine Edwards, a greatniece of Mrs. Paul Miller, is still confined to the hospital in Ionia, has been there for several weeks and will be there some time yet.

Mrs. Mabel Dent was a Monday business caller in Mt. Pleasant. Miss Carolyn Denslow attended

MYF in Mt. Pleasant Sunday p. m. Mrs. Harold Davy accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Jay Denslow to Ann Arbor last Tuesday. She visited Jap St. John at the hospital, and spent some time with her children They returned Friday.

Miss Evelyn Connors and Miss Reva Barrows were Saturday dinner guests of Mrs. Maude Wagenman. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Delong and grandson were supper guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bergquist, Janet and Bobby, and Carol and Alan Wood were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wood.

Mrs. Freda Miller and Mrs. Flora Wood visited Mrs. Dorothy Bergquist Friday p. m. They also called on the Max Aldrich family near Remus.

Mr. and Mrs. Othel Denslow and daughters, Bonnie and Janet, called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Denslow. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rydahl and son of Sheridan were Tuesday supper guests at the Guy Carr home. Raymond Kirvan of Big Rapids

Raymond Kirvan of Big Rapids was a Wednesday caller at the Gerry Dent home. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Grewett and grandaughter of Mt. Pleasant were Thursday callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Aisher Dent were Friday dinner guests. Jack Kirvan of Flint was a Saturday dinner guest.

Mrs. Kathryn Wood and Mrs. Maxine Loucks and children of Fairhaven, N.J., spent Tuesday of last week in Lansing visiting friends and relatives. Mrs. Loucks has spent the past two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Garald Denslow and girls and Mrs. Ella Denslow attended a Hallowe'en party at the Clarence Brand home Monday evening of last week. The Rosters served cider, doughnuts, apples, and candy. The children wore costumes. All had a nice time.

S · W. Sherman Mrs. Clayton Dutcher, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Van Syckle and children of Barryton helped her sister, Betty Cassabaum, celebrate her birthday, with cake and ice cream at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cornell Tuesday.

Henry Winesburg and Lawrence Lovell of Deerfield are helping Clayton Dutcher build a tool shed.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Miles and family of Lansing spent Saturday with their sister-in-law, Betty Cassabaum, at the Bert Cornell home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cassabaum of Columbus, Junction, Iowa, were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs.

Bert Cornell and Betty Cassabaum. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Robart of Flint called at the Bert Cornell home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hines and Roxam and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hines were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher,

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher, Jr., and Stevie, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gaudard, in Midland last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Dutcher received a letter from their son, Robert, saying he had a steak dinner with Mrs. Don Schumacher in Germany. He said it really seemed good to have some home cooking again. Don and Bob are stationed about 40 miles apart.

Garry, Dale, and Jimmy Dutcher were ill part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dutcher and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rector of Lansing were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Dutcher and family. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Boucher

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Boucher of Montana, spent the weekend with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Hibberd.

and Mrs. John Hibberd.
Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Dutcher made a business trip to Hemlock Tuesday and stopped in Breckenridge and had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dutcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher and Sylvia were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hines.

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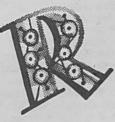
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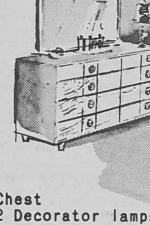
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Mrs. Helen Alwood, Reporter Harold Straus of Harrison spent Saturday at the Steve Straus home.

Mrs. Don Alwood and sons were last Wednesday evening supper guests of Joe and Eva Breuer.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Breuer visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ohls last Tuesday evening a week ago

day evening, a week ago.

Ladies do not forget the Rebekah card party at the IOOF hall

Monday afternoon on Nov. 14.

Nice prizes to be won.

The novel "A Night in Heaven" by George Skinner, was enjoyed very much by this reporter. For a small paper, Connie sure does print a little of everything. Thanks, Connie.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schueller of Mt. Pleasant visited at the Fred Smith home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ruby Preece and Miss Sophie Tice of Grand Blanc spent Sunday a week ago at their cottage. They called at the Harry Rupp and Ralph Curtis homes while here.

Mrs. Don Alwood and sons called at the Fred Smith home one day last week.

one day last week. Mrs. Kate Smith called on Mrs Helen Alwood last Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Edith DeVaney spent the weekend at Byron visiting her daughter, Michelle, at the Carroll Shettler home.

This reporter wishes more people would call her if they would like their news in the paper. There is always something that comes up and she can't possibly call everyone.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Breuer called on Mr. and Mrs. Nick Breuer at Coldwater Lake Sunday. They all took a drive up to Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kolarik visited at the Theron Merrihnew home in Mt. Pleasant Saturday evening. Howard and Diane Breuer stayed with the Kolarik children.

Ted Reamer of Cadillac spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gross and family.

Mrss Regina Wieber spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hunt and family at Auburn.

Mrs. Gregory Martin had a call Sunday morning informing her that her sister, Helen Bogeman, had suffered a stroke. Mrs. Martin and her sister, Mrs. Frank Schmidt, left Sunday morning for Detroit to see her. They found her not very well. They came home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hunt and family of Auburn brought Regina Wieber home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rhode entertained their club Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Nichols of Mt. Pleasant spent Saturday evening with Mrs. Amelia Wie ber. of Jackson spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Miles Drallette.

Mrs. Amelia Wieber spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Margaret Wieber and family.

Blacktopping of the mile north of Beal City and a mile west, toward Weidman, was being completed this week.

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BEAL CITY EXTENSION GROUP MEETS

On Nov. 3, at the Beal City Home Economics room, the following ladies met to finish trays: Mrs. Ed Wawersik, Mrs. Robert Banninger, Mrs. Bill Fox, Mrs. Clarence Schueller, Mrs. Keith Schumacher, Mrs. Francis Engler, Mrs. Richard Stevens, Mrs. Max Straus, Mrs. Charles Dole, Mrs. Paul Simmer, and Mrs. Julius Bierschbach.

A business meeting conducted by our chairman, Mrs. Wawersik, was held.

Doughnuts and coffee were served the group by Mrs. Richard Stevens.

NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. George McClain, Jr., and Melanie spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hines and family.

Glen Scott and Mrs. Winnie Baker called on Mrs. Dawson of Pontiac, at the Arthur Ash home in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McNamard out to dinner Saturday evening to

celebrate their wedding anniver-

sary.

Rev. and Mrs. Vandlen took a group of young people to Mt. Pleasant Sunday evening to a Youth Rally.

Mrs. Dora Ritchie returned home from the hospital Wednesday.
Miss Wilma Ritchie is spending this week with her.

Mrs. George McClain, Jr., entertained the Womens Society Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kaninsky were at Houghton Lake visiting the Stevens Drive-In, which his brother, Felix, owns. They drove on to Gladwin to the Pentecost Church and had dinner with their daughter in Gladwin.

Mrs. George McClain, Jr., and Melanie and Mrs. Griffin spent Friday at St. Louis visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Griffin and Linda.

and Mrs. James Griffin and Linda. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kaninsky spent last Sunday at the Trinity Church in Crystal.

SURPRISE PARTY

FOR MRS. SMITH
Her family surprised Mrs. Clayton Smith last Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wes Cole.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith and children, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Smith and children of Flint, Wm. Haviland, and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Smith and Roger.

Mrs. Smith received many lovely gifts, and all had a nice time.



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Maycie Cook, Reporter

Will Nicholson enjoyed turkey dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Sellers and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Oplinger and Harold Rhode spent Saturday eve ning with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fanning.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cook of Plymouth called to see their mother, hospital Saturday evening. She hopes to be home by the last of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lueder of Saginaw and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cook enjoyed Saturday evening supper with Arthur Cook.

Ed Hummel of Lyons was a Saturday supper guest of Mr. and Mrs Emil Rhode.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lueder were dinner and supper guests of their niece, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bridgett and family, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Emil Ineder and Karlene spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Pease of Eagle. Mr. and Mrs. Miles Strong of

Elwell called on Mr. and Mrs. Emil Lueder Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Orves Cook, Mr.

and Mrs. Arthur Krueger, and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Klumpp attended the wedding of Markieth Moses and Leon Bunker in Mt. Pleasant Saturday and the recep tion following at the IOOF Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hines enter-

Kathy's birthday, and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hines, who left that evening to return to Fort Leonard Wood.

Saturday Ernest Lueder of Farmington called on relatives here and stayed the night with his sister, Mrs. Eda Van Zandt.

Mrs. Sam McIntyre of Blanchard and Mrs. Grace Crowley spent Friday afternoon with Nettie Crow-

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fanning were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Rhode. The Ladies Aid met Wednesday

with Mrs. Paul Lueder. The next meeting is with Mrs. Orville Klumpp, with a christmas gift

exchange.
Mrs. Carl Bidstrip of Remus and Mrs. Emil Rhode called on Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rhode Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Floyd Stilgenbauer of Detroit and Mrs. Minnie Fuller of Shepherd spent Friday with their brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stilgenbauer.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Porter and family and Mrs. Helen Biglow were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stilgenbauer.

Mrs. Strigenbatter.
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cook and
Aliance spent Sunday with Mr. and
Mrs. Orville Klumpp.
Richard Cook, who is attending
College at East Lansing spent the

weekend at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gail Strong of Elwell were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cook. Mr. and Mrs. Will Cook spent

Sunday evening with Nettie Crow-ley. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Armock and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Livingston and family of Grand Rapids were

dinner guests. Mrs. Lydia Lueder, Helen Hartman, Albertha Strong and Lillian Baughn attended the Womans Activity Convention at Lansing Wednesday.

tems Local

Mrs. Samuel Turner is spending a couple of weeks with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Turner Weekend guests were Buddy and Morrie Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Craft of Mt. Pleasant spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ohls.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Appel-green called on Mr. and Mrs. Joe Appelgreen of Remus Sunday afternoon.

Mr. John Gross and Marilyn Seil were Sunday evening visitors at the Robert Kaninsky home.

Mrs. Ralph Curtis, Mrs. Bertha Clark, Mrs. Claribel Beutler and Mrs. Nina Forbes attended an Eastern Star installation at Ashley Friday.

Mrs. Gertrude Gross, Aurela Elias, Margaret Gross, Mary Lou Thering and Clara Fox spent the weekend in Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Baxter were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Helber in Mt. Plea-

Mrs. Byron Nichols and Mrs. Robert Schon of Dearborn were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Charnes.

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hirs. George Skinner, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gute of Owosso visited Mr. and Mrs. Bud Longton on Saturday. They also called on Mr. and Mrs. William Beck.

Marilyn Geasler won second place in the voice of democracy contest held at WCEN, Mt. Pleasant on Wednesday.

Mrs. Bessie Holmes, Mrs. Violet Sloan and Mrs. Ruthford attended a plastic party in Shepherd on Friday.

Ned Bellows, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Bellows, called on Mr. and Mrs. Leland Forbes on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Pitts of Nottawa and Mrs. Alma Perry of Farwell were supper guests at the George Skinner home Sunday

evening.
Mrs. Earl Blodgett and daughter, Carol, had supper with her son,

Allen and family, one night.
Mr. and Mrs. Murray Felt of Clio were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blesch.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blesch

visited their daughter, Jean and family, on Friday at Greenville.
Mr. and Mrs. Ward Loomis and Mr. and Mrs. Leland Forbes visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Forbes

one evening last week.

Mrs. Maggie Boger and daughter, Pauline, called on Mrs. Leon Hart.

Mrs. Elizabeth Conley has been visiting relatives in this vicinity. Mrs. Conley has purchased a home in Brinton, the stone house formerly owned by Mrs. Esther Lee. Mrs. Conley has been living with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Powers, in Flint.

Clarence Shaner made a trip to Ann Arbor last Monday

Mr. and Mrs. Ge orge Ski nner were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Estes Saturday evening.

This community was saddened by the death of Garold St. Johns, who passed away Sunday morning. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the family.

Several friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fey Middlesworth of Weidman gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blesch on Sunday to help Fey and Emma celebrate their 42nd wedding anniversary

The Brinton quilting club will hold all day meetings with pot luck lunch at noon, at Brinton community hall. ---0--

NEWS NOTES

Mr. Donald and Walter Appelgreen and Miss Ann Starr were Sunday dinner guests at the W. A. Appelgreen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Schultz spent Saturday afternoon in Clare. They called on Mr. and Mrs. Keith Schultz and family and Mrs. Clifton Schultz and family.

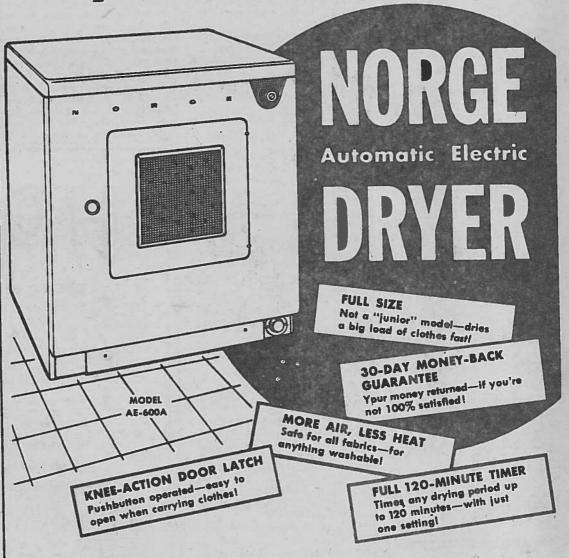
Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith called on Mr. and Mrs. Will J. Smith

Wednesday evening.

Betty Kelsey is staying with Mrs. A. L. Sprague while Mr. Sprague is in the hospital.

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Beal City News

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Horan and Carol enjoyed dinner Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Horan and Brad.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Horan and son spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Breuer.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Theisen motored to Lansing Sunday to spend the day with their daughter, Margaret.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rau called on Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rau Sunday afternoon.

Oscar Fedewa spent the weekend at his cottage at Houghton

The Beal City Business Association held their monthly meeting Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tilmann enjoyed dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Matt Pantenburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Quillen spent Tuesday visiting relatives in Reed City.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Breuer and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Block spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Pat Horan.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Martin called on Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bleise Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McNamara of Jackson called on Mrs. Louise Smith Friday morning.

Mrs. Louise Smith and Dora spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Smith and Jeanette called on Mrs. Louise Smith Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Thelen called on Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pung Tuesday evening. The occasion being Bob's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rau gave a party Friday evening in their new home for friends and relatives, who have helped in the construction of their home. A delicious lunch was served. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Smith entertained the Town Twelve Club Sunday evening. Cards were played with Mrs. Dick Smith receiving first prize, Mrs. Walter Rau was second high and Mrs. Allen Tilmann received low prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McNamara of Jackson have been visiting relatives around Beal City.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keiffer called on Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pung

Sunday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Bernard McIsaac spent the weekend in Detroit visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Tilmann and Mr. and Mrs. Al Tilmann called on Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tilmann Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Schafer

spent Sunday in Reed City visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Simmer and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schafer and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pung motored to Portland Saturday to attend the wedding of a friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pung and Sharon enjoyed supper Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Tilmann and family.

Mrs. Bertha Clark and Don and Mrs. Joe Pung called on Mrs. Bernard McIsaac Wednesday

Mrs. Clevenger of Shepherd spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Al Clevenger and family.

Sunday callers at the Frank Berg home were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zuker, and Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Smith and Jeanette, Mrs. William Wilcox and new baby girl, Mrs. Hendershot and children and Joyce Berg of Mt. Pleasant.

Howard Tilmann, Ed Wawersick Julius Bierschbach and Herman Kremsreiter spent Sunday up north looking over the deer coun----0---

CARD OF THANKS I wish to thank all my friends, neighbors and relatives for their cards, flowers, gifts and best wishes during my illness at the hospital.

Mrs. William Bleise

BETTER THAN A LETTER WEIDMAN MESSENGER

BASKETBALL PRACTICE STARTS AT BEAL CITY

Approximately 20 players are trying for positions on the Beal City varsity basketball team and another 20 are trying out for the reserve squad also. Beal City does not play its first game until Dec. 2, when it will open with Harrison, at Beal City. --0---

BEAL PLAYERS GET HONORABLE MENTION

Receiving honorable mention on the Tomahawk Conference All-Star teams were the following Beal City players.

Don Schmidt, tackle; Dick Paisley, guard; Everett Schafer and R. J. Schafer, backs.

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BEAL CITY LOSES FINAL FOOTBALL GAME TO HARRISON, 18-0.

On a cold snow-covered field in the village of Harrison, one of Beal City's worst football seasons in recent years came to a sorrowful end when the Aggies lost their 7th game in a row against no victories. The final score of 18-0 is not a real indication of the game, however. Neither team was able to keep a sustained attack going at any time with the field hard to keep a footing on and the ball

hard to handle. The first break of the game came in the second quarter when Dick Schumacher. punting from his own end zone bobbled a high pass from center and a lineman from Harrison fell on the ball for a touchdown. Bailey, a fast Harrison halfback, intercepted two Beal City passes in the last half.

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Mrs. Verna Cornell and children were Sunday callers of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cummins, who were celebrating their 36th wedding anniversary.

Bert and Bill Cornell purchased a registered Holstein bull last

Mr. and Mrs. John Hibberd and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Boucher were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Beutler.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bywater and boys called Thursday evening on Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wagner. Mrs. Clifford Leiter spent Thurs-

Mrs. Clifford Leiter spent Thursday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. Charles Doerr, of Mecosta.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Leiter and

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Leiter and family called Sunday afternoon on Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rhoads and sons, Jimmie and Jeff, called Sunday afternoon at the Clifford Leiter home.

Fred Rosa, son and son-in-law, were Saturday callers at the Clifford Leiter home.

Flu victims included Mr. and Fred Rescoe, Wayne Charnes and Stuart Saunders. All much better now.

SHERMAN EXTENSION MEETS TUESDAY

The Sherman Extension Group met at the Drew hall Tuesday, Nov. 1, for an afternoon session. Mrs. Claribel Beutler presented

Mrs. Claribel Beutler presented the lesson, assisted by Mrs. Jewel Wagner. Fourteen pressed maple trays were finished with Dura-Seal, varying in sizes 8 to 16 inches.

The trays were sanded and then the finish was applied. The Dura Seal being left on only 5 minutes then wiped dry. After 24 hours the trays are given two or three coats of paste wax.

Most trays were finished in natural and some in wheat and driftwood. Blonde, cherry and ebony colors are also available.

Orders and plans for finishing several more trays were made. The Sherman group are to fur

The Sherman group are to furnish 4 dozen tea cookies (under 2 inches) for the International Tea, December 2nd.

Mrs. Fey Middlesworth invited the group to meet with her for their next meeting. The date has not been set.

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Two Rivers
Mrs. Blanche Carr. Reporter

Little Danny Wilmot is home from the hospital and improving nicely. Kerry stayed with her aunt, Mrs. Minnie Flaugher while her brother was in the hospital.

Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Leiter were guests at the Ray Flaugher home.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ferguson and Faith Ann of St. Louis were Sunday dinner guests of the Elton Carr family.

Mrs. Elton Carr was hostess to a home products party Thursday evening. Mrs. Theresa Bunting

Mrs. Elton Carr and Dalton called at the Richard Block home Sunday evening.

Sunday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Chris Larson had
as Sunday dinner guests their children, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Larson,
Donna and Chris Ann of Saginaw,
and Mrs. Lucene Emery and Bob
Harrison of Flint.

Mrs. Lulu Simons returned to Detroit Wednesday after spending several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Karl Krueger and family.

Sunday visitors of the Donald Swan family were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Esch, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Esch and family, Mr. and Mrs. Demis Carr and Janet, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Krueger and Charles

Wilkinson.
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Courser celebrated their 30th Wedding Anniversary Friday night with their children and a group of friends. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Keith Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Courser, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Egbert, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Stansell, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nelson, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nelson, and Mr. and Mrs. Nick Breuer. They spent the evening playing cards, after which a lunch was served.

Bill Rogers fell one day while a work and injured the end of his

Sunday visitors of the Basil Roger family were Mr. and Mrs. Willis McLachlin of Mt. Pleasant, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Young and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Seybert spent Sunday afternoon at the Blaine Stansell home.

Dalton Carr entered CMC hospital Monday afternoon for observation.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oral Bunting were Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Rayborn and family and Mr. and Mrs. Elton Bunting of Belding and Mr. and Mrs. Miles Bunting of Holt. Afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Bunting and children of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bollman and family and Mr. and Olin Bunting and sons of Belding.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Rogers and children of rural Shepherd were Sunday dinner guests of the Basil Rogers family. Harold Krueger was a Sunday

supper guest of Dalton Carr.
Mrs. Phyllis Woodruff and children were Sunday evening visitors at the Blaine Stansell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Stansell were Sunday dinner guests of Bill Cahill in Weidman.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson of Ann Arbor spent the weekend at the Raymond Flaugher home. Sunday dinner guests of the Carl

Sunday dinner guests of the Carl Krueger family were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bartholomew of Detroit.

Mrs. Elton Carr and Dalton attended the wedding in Mt. Pleasant Saturday of Markieth Moses and Leon Bunker.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Moses, and Mr. and Mrs. Singleton Moses attended the reception and shower for their niece and cousin, Mrs. Leon Bunker and Leon Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Singleton Moses and baby spent Sunday at the Clair Moses home.

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Local Items

Mrs. Vina Rufner left last week end to spend the winter with relatives in St. Johns and Mt. Pleasant. She expected to visit the Howard Flowers a month or so, and finish out the winter with her sister, Mrs. Stella Shephard, and family, of Mt. Pleasant.

Present at a TV party Saturday evening at the Roe home, to see "The Great Waltz," were Mr.

and Mrs. Robert Roe and daughter, JoAnn, of Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Tranbarger, and Bob Gross. Popcorn and delicious fudge, purchased at the Horr ladies' bake sale, were enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Louisell,

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Louisell, Sr., spent Sunday visiting her sister, Mrs. Milo Handy, of Ludington.

Dick Louisell spent the weekend at Coldwater visiting Mr. and Mrs. Preston Smith and Mrs. Eleanor Smith.

Dr. L. E. Going spent Sunday in Lansing visiting his brother, Clare Going. Mrs. Going spent the weekend in Detroit visiting relatives.

Mike McHugh spent Saturday in Big Rapids.

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THANK YOU The ladies of the Forest Hill Missionary Society wish to thank McClain's for the use of their show room last Saturday, and all those who donated, and all who helped make our sale a success.

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CARD OF THANKS I wish to thank the Weidman Oddfellows for the nice box of fruit, and all my friends and neighbors for their cards, for thinking of me while I was in the hospital. I'll always remem

> Roy Embrey CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the Sherman-Nottowa Fire Dept. who arrived so quickly and faithfully upon our call Monday evening, Oct. 31. Florence and Howard Schafer Weidman Messenger

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NEWS NOTES

Leo Wood went to Ovid with Mr. Snyder Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wood of Bay City called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wood were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dent and family.

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