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Editor's Column

By Connie

SAFETY PATROL AT WORK

Lounging on our lounge in the Messenger office the other day we watched a batch of school kids, age about seven to ten or so, over on Middlesworth's corner. School was out for the afternoon, and the biggest boy over there wore the red jacket and white belt of the Safety Patrol.

He stood there with arms outstretched, watching the north-south street for a chance to let the kids cross.

There was a rebel among 'em, though, a lad of about eight or so, we'd say, smaller than the Safety Patrol boy. He decided to go across anyhow, ignore the Patrol. He ducked under the arms of the bigger boy and dashed across the street without looking either way for traffic.

The Safety Patrol boy took a quick gander up and down and then dashed after the rebel, who by now was legging it along past McClain's Garage, eastward. Red Jacket caught up with him just before he reached the fire barn. And he marched Rebel back along that sidewalk by the scruff of the neck, and we mean literally, too.

Marched him back across the street, and stood him firmly back there where he started off from. Then, after a careful look up and down, Red Jacket gave the Go signal and allowed all the kids to cross.

We liked this.

This was not just horseplay among school kids. It was Authority, and also Responsibility, given to and accepted by the bigger boy. He was responsible for the safety of the other kids, and he was out to make it stick, in spite of unforeseen emergencies.

We'd say he handled that emergency okay.

Another Old Building Bought

George McClain, Jr., has purchased the old Dolph Flower Garage building next to the old Fisher building on Weidman's main downtown corner, and by next spring expects to clean up that site, coinciding with Clarence Wiley's plans for cleaning up the corner lot. George Jr. said Tuesday he intends to put a used car lot where the old garage building now stands.

These two purchases, with the attendant clearing away of the old buildings now on them, will do much for Weidman's business street appearance.

Weidman To Play Remus Nov. 22, There

BY BOB GROSS

With another season in football completed around the area, basketball once again takes the spotlight.

With a full 16-game schedule, Weidman High School's Wildcats, under new coach Robert Hahnenburg, will open their 55-56 basketball once again taking the spotlight night, Nov. 22. The game, a Mecosta-Isabella League contest, will promise a good hard-fought and exciting contest.

Coach Hahnenburg, who hails from Lake Lelanau St. Mary's a region where some of the finest basketball teams in the State of Michigan are found, is a 1953 graduate of Central Michigan College. After serving two years in the Armed Forces, Bob comes to Weidman in his first high school coaching job. Good luck wishes are sent out to new coach Bob Hahnenburg for a very successful year.

Weidman will have a squad consisting of five returning letterman and a group of other talented prospects.

The cats will be wearing flashy new green and white socks to greet Weidman fans over at Remus League competition will be strong again this year.

The Schedule

Nov. 22, Remus, away; Nov. 29, Barryton, away; Dec. 2, Mecosta, home; Dec. 6, Farwell, away; Dec. 9, Morley, away, Dec. 16, Barryton, home; Dec. 20, Coleman, away; Jan. 6, Blanchard, home; Jan. 13, Remus, home; Jan. 17, Farwell, home; Jan. 20, Mecosta, away; Jan. 24, Beal City, home; Jan. 27, Morley, home; Feb. 10, Blanchard, away; Feb. 14, Coleman, home; Feb. 21, Beal City, away.

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WELL ON NUTT FARM DRILLING AHEAD THIS WEEK

Brazos Oil Company reported this week that the well was drilling ahead on the Ted Nutt farm, after being stopped last week by suction hole trouble.

Leonard Oil Company reported leasing not yet finished on town lots in Weidman, but it is thought the company will make a location somewhere over here as soon as all land owners in town have signed up for leasing. It is understood that date for a well location depends on whether town lots can be leased in a block. Lets' hope all owners pitch in and get Leonard started on a well for Weidman.

WEIDMAN STATE BANK SPONSORS HOSPITAL

The Weidman State Bank is sponsoring 20 subscriptions to the Weidman Messenger for patients at Community Hospital in Mt. Pleasant.

This is a very nice service to our area folks landing in hospital beds now and then, as most of us do any more. The bank is to be congratulated on its spirit of service and good will.

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DON THORPE GETS TELEPHONE AT STORE

Don Thorpe's Heating and Air Conditioning Store in downtown Weidman has secured a telephone, the same number as Don's house, 2431.

Line changes were necessary to effect this, with the W. A. Applegreen number changed to 2043 and the Charles Starkey number 2044.

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BY POPULAR DEMAND JUNIOR PLAY TO BE PRESENTED NOVEMBER 19

The Juniors are hard at work on their play, a three act comedy-"Here Comes Charlie" by Jay Tobias, under the direction of Mrs. Ellen Currie. The Juniors urge you to attend. It will be presented November 19, 8:00 p. m. at the High School.

The plot - Larry Elliott, a young broker, thinks he has become the guardian of a small boy and is jolted to find he has taken a girl to raise, seventeen and pretty. Larry's snobbish aunt Fanny and fiancée Vivian learn he is adopting a child and are quite upset. When Charlie arrives, the fun begins.

The cast: Nora Malone, Sharon Smith; Officer Tim McGrill, Garry Gatehouse; Mrs. Fanny Farnham, Ruth Davy; Larry Elliott, Frank Graham; Ted Hartley, Dennis Embrey; Vivian Smythe Kersey, Janet Johnson; Uncle Aleck Twiggs, Bill Andrews; Charlie Hopps, Pat Sperry; Mrs. Caroline Smythe Kersey, Karen Middlesworth; Mortimer Smythe Kersey, Jerry Wood.

CHARLIE GROSS STARTS TO REBUILD HIS BARN

Digging for foundations for a new barn at the Charles Gross farm was begun Tuesday, to replace the barn he lost by fire last week. Neighbors and friends are helping Charlie rebuild, with the work under direction of Matt Kornel.

Charlie lost 14 head of Holstein cows and seven calves in the fire.

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BETTER THAN A LETTER WEIDMAN MESSENGER

They Get Their Bucks Around Weidman Area

Hunters in the Weidman area came in with their usual good reports of bucks got within a few miles of town, on Tuesday, opening day of the deer season.

First to be reported to the Messenger office was Jim Bourland of Mt. Pleasant, with a buck on his car which he said he got at 9.30 Tuesday morning on Walker Creek three miles north and two west of Weidman.

First buck seen by the Messenger staff was on a car that did not stop, but went through Weidman at 9.20 Tuesday morning. Monroe Dutcher was among those who got their bucks Tuesday morning, as was also Walter Applegreen. Brayton Mount of Remus reported getting his at 8.15 Tuesday morning.

There were many others, of course, who got their bucks in this area on opening day. These happened to be the first ones reported to the Messenger.

Mr. Bourland said he was first to get his buck over here last year, too.

FIRE DAMAGES EDNA MILLS' HOUSE HERE

Fire damaged the house owned by Edna Mills and occupied by the John Heron family last Thursday afternoon, the blaze originating around the back chimney.

Mrs. Heron, who was ill with flu, had sent her young son upstairs for a nap, and she lay down herself.

She woke to hear the child screaming, ran upstairs and found the house full of smoke. She carried the little boy to a neighbor's and called the Weidman Fire Department. Firemen quickly put out the blaze.

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LAVERNE VOISIN WRECKS CAR AT WEIDMAN CORNER

LaVerne Voisin narrowly escaped serious injury Monday evening when he lost control of his car at the bridge approaching Weidman from the east and landed in the ditch across from Gross' Speedway 79 gas station. The car was considered a total loss, sheriff's officers said Tuesday.

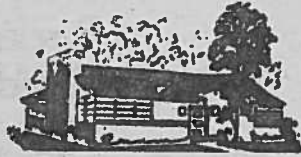
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NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Fay Johnson, and Larry called Saturday on Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson, Jr., and family and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Powell and family of Mt. Pleasant.

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UNITED FUND GOES OVER GOOD IN WEIDMAN AREA

This year's United Fund collections far exceeded last year's, area chairman Frank Thorp reported last week. Frank had turned over \$207.50 to the county officers, representing Weidman's offering for the Red Feather Drive.

This is over twice as much as was collected last year, and we all feel pretty good about it.

Frank solicited the business area of the village, while Mrs. Don Thorpe took the west side of town and Mrs. John Heron the east side for house-to-house canvass.

While the drive is now closed, any who did not get around to it may still donate by contacting any one of the three named area chairmen listed above.

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JAMES WILEY, CAROLINE MILLER MARRIED IN PAW PAW

Miss Caroline Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Miller of Lawton, Michigan, and James N. Wiley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto C. Wiley of Eight Mile Rd. Northville, Michigan, were united in marriage, Oct. 22, at 10 o'clock Mass in St. Mary's Catholic Church at Paw Paw, Michigan. Father Linus Ceru officiated at the double

ring ceremony.

The bride's waltz length gown was apple blossom lace over white satin. She carried a white orchid and white rose buds on a white pearl covered Bible.

The young couple were attended by Howard Miller, brother of the bride, and Miss Betty Allen, a friend of the bride.

Ushers were David Miller and Billy Wiley, brothers of the bride and groom.

Mrs. Miller wore a navy blue suit with pink accessories. Mrs. Wiley wore a royal blue dress with pink accessories. Both wore pink corsages.

After a short honeymoon, the young couple will live at Portsmouth, Virginia, where James will attend the U. S. Naval Hospital Corpsmen School.

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BILL GOT HIS FIRST DEER ON OPENING DAY

Bill Wilcox went hunting in the Middlesworth swamp area Tuesday, and brought home the first buck he ever shot, bagging his deer at 5.30 in the afternoon.

Needless to say, the Wilcox family were all elated.

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BETTER THAN A LETTER
WEIDMAN MESSENGER

HOME

prosperity



is our goal

It has always been the policy of this bank to do all in its power to develop sound local enterprise and home resources. By making liberal loans in this area, and by cooperating closely with our neighbors and friends, we are doing our best to advance local interests.



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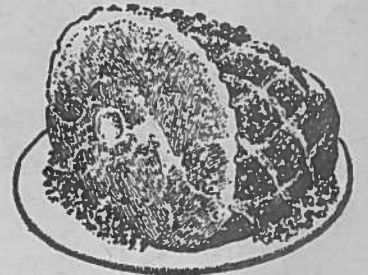
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West Nottawa Coldwater Lake

Mrs. Helen Alwood, Reporter

The PTC meeting was well attended at the Weidman High School Monday evening. Dr. Gerald Poor, Professor of Education at the Central Michigan College gave a very interesting speech on education, that really makes a parent stop and think.

Robert Bleise underwent an appendicitis operation Sunday evening at the Community Hospital. He is getting along real good.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith visited at the John Elias home Tuesday evening a week ago.

Sunday visitors and dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kripa and family of Mt. Pleasant were Mr. and Mrs. Don Alwood and sons, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McCain and son, Peter, of Flushing.

Quite a few ladies from around here enjoyed the card party at the IOOF hall in Weidman Monday afternoon.

LaVern Voisin of Detroit came Monday for a few days deer hunting and is staying at the Steve

Straus home.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ockert and Joe worked at their house at Brinton last Sunday.

Mrs. Steve Straus heard from her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Voisin, from Bradenton, Florida, and they are all settled for the winter months.

Wednesday evening supper guests at the Don Alwood home were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith, Walt Smith and Emory Leiter. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Breuer were callers.

Miss Laura Hyslop spent the weekend with Mrs. Ruth Hachmuth of Clare a week ago.

Mrs. Clara Hauck spent last Thursday and was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith.

Russell Maeder and brothers and friends left for deer hunting in the north Sunday evening.

John Forest of Detroit spent last Wednesday evening and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Forest.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Thomas from New Baltimore came Monday to spend a week with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Forest. Mrs. Fred Thomas of Mt. Pleasant was a Monday caller.

Our friend and neighbor, Mrs. M. T. Young is still at the Cook Rest home in Ionia. Jennie will celebrate her birthday Nov. 23. Her address is 206 E. Main St., Ionia, Michigan.

Baby Jimmy Alwood spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Joyce Straus.

Danny Kripa of Mt. Pleasant spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Don Alwood.

Walter J. Smith, Jerry Straus and Raymond Sebenick left for Iron River last Friday afternoon to hunt for deer. Good luck, boys.

SURPRISE PARTY ON MRS. DORA OCKERT

The Friendship Club surprised Mrs. Dora Ockert at a going away party last Tuesday evening, a week ago. Guests were Mrs. Vera Kavanaugh, Mrs. Maggie Smith, Mrs. Loretta Schueller, Mrs. Harold Smith, Mrs. John Reihl, Mrs. Bernie Smith, Mrs. Clara Hauck, Mrs. Rita Hauck, Mrs. Thelma Kolarik, Mrs. Matt Pantenburg, Mrs. Matt Kornexl, Mrs. Louis Lawens, Mrs. Robert Banninger, and mother, Mrs. Kilarski, Mrs. Jean Smith, Emmaline Ockert, Myrtle Ockert, Laura Hyslop and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Curtis. They spent the evening playing cards. First-prize was won by Emmaline Ockert, second prize, Mrs. Robert Banninger, pepper prize, Mrs. Jean Smith. A delicious pot-luck lunch was served. Dora was presented a lovely gift from the club. The party was a complete surprise to Dora and made her feel real happy and yet sad to be leaving such a wonderful neighborhood. Mr. and Mrs. Ockert will move to their new farm north of Brinton very soon. Best of luck and happiness at your new home; Melvin and Dora. We will miss you.

REBEKAH CARD PARTY

The Rebekah Card Party was very well attended Monday afternoon, with six tables playing. Ladies from Clare, Beal City, and our own community were present. Everyone making a pepper received a prize as well as high and low.

Lunch of pumpkin pie with whipped cream and coffee was served.

Mrs. Ralph Brown of Clare won first prize, Mrs. Eva Carr won low. Many pepper prizes were won, all of which pleased the ladies very much.

Another party will be held in two weeks, on Nov. 28th.

NEWS NOTES

Marilyn Seil and John Gross of Clare were Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kaninsky.

Bill Cahill was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Snyder.

Mrs. John Showalter of Mt. Pleasant spent Sunday with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell

McArthur.

Mrs. Nellie Nutt called on Mr. and Mrs. Harold Branson Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Branson called on Mr. and Mrs. Ted Nutt Friday a. m.

Sheila Frantz spent Thursday night with Martha Hilliker.

Mrs. Eugene Schafer of Mt. Pleasant spent Friday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Branson.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Abbott and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Harold Branson Saturday evening.

Calendar of Coming Events

Nov. 19--Busy Bees Family night, Drew Hall. Bring table service and sandwiches. Everyone welcome.

Nov. 19--All Foods Sale and Rummage Sale, McClain's Garage, by the Finance Committee of the Weidman Methodist Church. Coffee and doughnuts served all day.

Nov. 28--Monday, 2:00 p. m. Ladies card party. At IOOF Hall.

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CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank the Weidman Fire Department and all the other volunteers who helped us last week with the fire. We are also grateful for all the other help and offers of help we received from friends and neighbors at that time.

John and Shirley Heron and Edna Mills

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our many friends and neighbors who aided us in so many ways during our recent fire. We especially want to thank the Weidman, Rosebush and Mt. Pleasant Fire Departments, who responded so quickly. Your services were deeply appreciated.

The Charles and Norman Gross Families

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to the neighbors, relatives and friends for their many acts of kindness, flowers and comforting words of sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our dear husband and father. We also wish to thank all those who brought in food and the ladies for the lovely meal prepared. Rev. McNeese for his comforting words, the singers, pallbearers and Crittendens for their service and kindness.

Mrs. Garold St. Johns and family

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the Sunday School, Eastern Stars, White Shrine, Woman's Society, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gross, Mr. Ralph Turner and other friends for their get well wishes, calls, gifts and cards during my stay at the hospital and my convalescence at home. Mrs. Dora Ritchie

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Mrs. George Skinner, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hider and baby visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick Geasler on Sunday.

Ellis Lofgren and son are getting out pulp wood.

Mrs. Kenneth Baker received word on Monday that her brother, Clifford, had undergone surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wardwell of Mt. Pleasant visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Skinner on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heins of Lake Odessa came up to their farm to harvest corn and do some deer hunting.

Mrs. Louise Helmer of Barryton has a baby boy.

Earl Blodgett made a trip to Elizabethtown, Kentucky, last week.

Jack Falls of Detroit, Bert Miner of Niles, and Bill Forbes of Pontiac, are staying with Mr. and Mrs. Leland Forbes and going deer hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas of Ashbrook Shores and Mr. and Mrs. George Skinner were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Pitts at an oyster supper on Thursday night.

Emerson and Allen Blodgett visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blodgett on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Estes and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Estes made a trip up to Houghton through the deer

country on Sunday.

Clarence Hamilton has gone to Flint to look for work.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tower called on Mr. and Mrs. George Hamilton one night last week.

Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thorp and family of Flint spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thorp and

Betty.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay McCrimmon spent Sunday in Lansing visiting his brother and family, and his sister and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Aisher Dent called on Mrs. Sarah Wiley Monday.

Mrs. Dale Klumpp and family and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Losey and daughters were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Charles Cross

in Weidman. Charlie and Dale Klumpp went deer hunting across the Straits. The men expect to be gone another week or so.

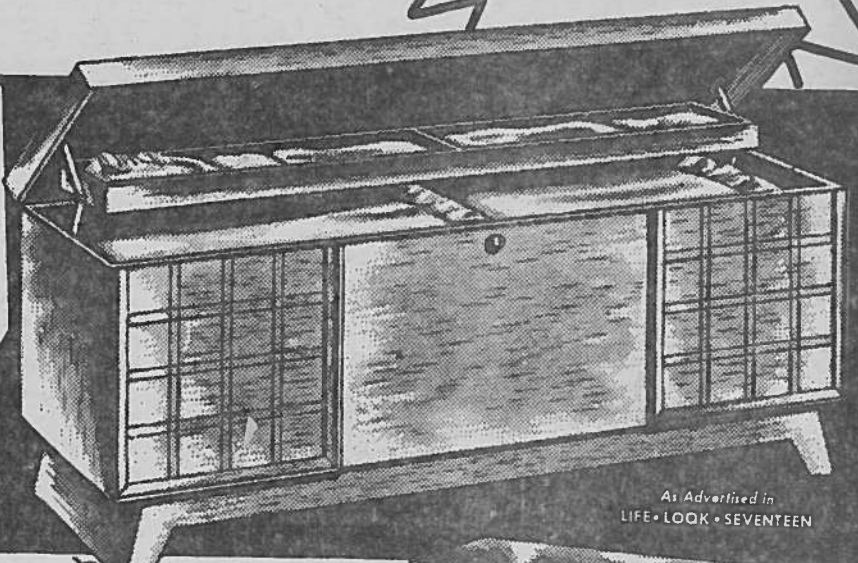
Mrs. Clara Fox has been spending this week at the Joe Judge home in Winn, while the Judges went deer hunting.

Mr. A. L. Sprague came home from the hospital Friday and is feeling fine.

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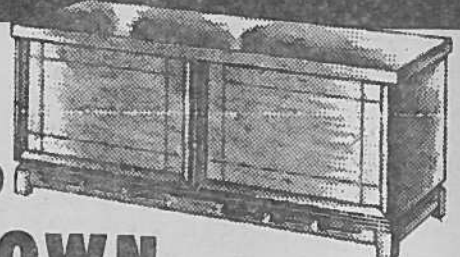
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Around Horr

JESSIE ROSENCRANTZ Reporter

Leslie Ferguson was a Tuesday dinner guest at the Rosencrantz home last week.

Miss Sandy Gross spent Saturday p. m. with Susie and Nancy Losey.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Cummins visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cummins of Farwell Sunday p. m. They found Mrs. Cummins feeling better.

Mrs. Jr. Denslow and Ronnie were Saturday night, and Sunday dinner guests at the Jay Denslow home.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Denslow were luncheon guests of their son, Stuart and wife, in Lansing last week Tuesday.

Mrs. Eva Belle Denslow, Mrs. V. A. Pomeroy and Mrs. Bonnie Wilson attended Dorcas at the home of Mrs. John Hibberd last Wednesday.

Donald Appelgreen was a Saturday supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Vance Wood and family. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Oplinger were Saturday callers.

Dr. and Mrs. Clark were Saturday p. m. callers of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Miller.

Mrs. Mabel Dent and Harry,

and Mr. and Mrs. Aisher Dent were Monday callers in Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Violet Oplinger is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Dennis Tiani, at Dearborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Nutt and Mrs. Mary Nutt called on Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nutt Sunday a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Wilson and daughter and two friends from Gladwin were Saturday a. m. callers at the Garald Denslow home, and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Pomeroy.

Alva Cummins was a Sunday a. m. caller at the Sidney Lawrence home. David Starr was an afternoon caller.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Pomeroy and daughter of Dearborn spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Pomeroy, and his sister, Mrs. Garald Denslow and family.

Sidney Lawrence spent Friday and Saturday at the Ferguson Hospital in Grand Rapids for a check up.

Dewey Lattimore called on Jim Strait at Bemm's landing Sunday

p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dent and family spent Sunday evening at the Aisher Dent home. Mr. and Mrs. Dent are accompanying Ned Bellows home to Calder, Idaho. They plan to be home by Thanksgiving, and will be coming home by plane.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Merrihew and family and Harold Losey were Sunday dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Losey. Mr. and Mrs. Alva Cummins and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Dutcher were evening callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Losey and girls were Sunday dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gross. In the evening they visited Mr. and Mrs. Dale Klumpp and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Nutt and Mrs. Mabel Dent attended the Junior play at the school Friday evening.

Mrs. Ann Pennington and Floyd Dutcher and Mrs. Minnie Strauch were Saturday callers at the Charlie Losey home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Wilson of Grand Rapids spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thompson and Bobby were Sunday dinner guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Merritt of Ithaca were Sunday supper guests

of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Denslow. They plan to return to their home in Florida in a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Fraker of Alma were last week callers at the Ted Nutt home.

There will be a family supper, pot-luck, at the Drew hall Saturday evening, the 19th. Bring sandwiches, a dish to pass, and table service for your family. Everyone welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bemm were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Merrihew, a week ago.

Mrs. John Stoll spent Friday until Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Jim Thompson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Othel Denslow and daughters were Sunday evening callers of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Denslow.

The Vance Wood children have been sick with colds and sore throats.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wright of Pontiac were weekend guests of his mother, Mrs. Paul Miller and Mr. Miller.

Harry Dent stayed with Mrs. Neva Nutt last Wednesday while his mother was in Clare and Mt. Pleasant on business.

Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. Leo Wood Thursday p. m.

NO PAY CHECKS WILL BE ISSUED THIS WEEK OR THEREAFTER UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

Suppose your employer told you this when you went for your pay envelope this week. What would you say? What would you do? What would happen to your family? Let's see.

- (1) Your trust in your employer would be broken. You agreed to work for him, and he promised to pay you. You believed him, or you would have asked for your pay in advance. Now he says, "I won't pay you."
- (2) Now you must begin to break your own promises. How can you pay the bills you promised to pay at the time credit was granted you? You can't, and you begin to worry.
- (3) So you send your employer a letter with a statement of what he owes you. You send letter after letter, but he doesn't answer you. Finally you call him, he promises to pay, but he never does.
- (4) You are now being pressed for payment by your creditors. Your credit rating has changed from "Good" to "No Pay," and through no fault of your own. You need money badly for your wife and children.
- (5) Finally and in desperation you ask the help of an attorney or a collection agency to help you collect that which is rightfully yours.
- (6) The credit rating of your employer now is ruined. You and the other employees want cash on the line. His promises and his word means nothing. All because he did not pay you as he promised.

Do you realize that every time you go into a store or to a doctor and obtain goods or services on credit you become an employer?

They work for you and grant you credit because your promises to pay are believed, because your credit rating at your local Credit Bureau is good, because you are a person of honor.

As an employer are you too going to say, "I won't pay?"

Must you be sent letter after letter, called at home or at work? Will you then promise to pay, and just as quickly forget?

In desperation must your account be given to the credit bureau for collection? Will your rating change from "Good" to "No Pay?"

Do you intend to say to the merchants, the doctors, the dentists who trusted you and worked for you?.....

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North Broomfield

Maycie Cook, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Orves Cook attended the wedding of a nephew at the Lutheran Church in Cadillac Sunday evening.

Elaine Strong is working at the Grant store in Mt. Pleasant.

Roderick and Will Nicholson spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Handy of rural Marion. Boyd is slowly recovering from his recent illness.

Mrs. Robert Cook and Elsie Richardson called on Mrs. Zelnia Nestle of Alma Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cook spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Alva Delo of Winn.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lueder were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Rhode and later called on Mrs. Wm. Lueder and the Millbrook Convalescent home.

Mrs. Vida Lueder called on Mrs. Nettie Crowley Wednesday afternoon and in the evening they visited Mrs. Mary Cook at the Clare Hospital. Mary expects to come home Monday and then stay a few days with Mrs. Tom Latham in Remus.

Keith, Kathy and Terry Krueger spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cook.

The Broomfield Farm Bureau met Thursday evening with Mrs. Susan Fate of Remus. The next meeting is with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Baugher.

Mrs. Orves Cook and Darla had lunch with Mrs. Lylah Mead of Mt. Pleasant and also attended church there.

Blain Sellers, Wm. Steele, Bob and Bud Heins and Ed Cook are among the hunters who have gone across the Straits.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cook attended church in Remus Sunday morning and were dinner guests of Mrs. Walch and Myrtle.

Several of the young people of Weidman school enjoyed a party and a hay ride at the Ehrler home after the Junior play Friday eve-



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Mrs. Blanche Carr, Reporter

Sunday dinner guests at the Elton Carr home were Mr. and Mrs. Steve Simmer, Janet and Rodney.

Mr. and Mrs. Oral Bunting spent the weekend visiting at the Miles Bunting home in Holt and at the Cleon Bunting home in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Flaugher spent Sunday at the Raymond Flaugher home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Swan went to Porcupine Mountains to spend the week deer hunting. Lindy, Joanne and Lloyd are staying at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Basil Rogers.

Donald Krueger of Lansing was home for the weekend.

Miss Rita Doerr was a Sunday dinner guest at the Arthur Krueger home.

Mrs. Glee Krueger, Carol and Kathie attended the Extension Club at the home of Miss Alliance Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Sansote and family were Sunday guests of the George Sansote home. They brought Helen home. She spent Saturday night with her cousins.

Dick Parks and Suzanne spent Sunday at the Basil Rogers home.

Mrs. Erma Costa of Lansing is visiting at the Basil Roger and Dick Parks homes this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Seybert are ill with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilmot were Sunday guests of the Joe Wilmot family.

Mrs. Singleton Moses and Mrs. Clair Moses took Singleton and Oren to a deer hunting camp near Meredith Sunday. Betty and the baby are staying with Lorena while the men are hunting.

Ed Wlaseck of Detroit was a Sunday supper guest of the Carl Krueger family.

Mrs. Lovisa Krueger was a Sunday afternoon visitor at the Arthur Krueger home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Shear and John Butterfield from New Hudson were Sunday supper guests at the Clayton Ward home.

Roxanna and Allen Ward spent Sunday afternoon at the Burton Ward home watching TV.

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BETTER THAN A LETTER
WEIDMAN MESSENGER

Local Items

Melanie McClain spent Saturday with her grandmother, Mrs. Marie Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Schultz spent the weekend in Lansing with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. John Heron and family were Friday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Thorpe and family.

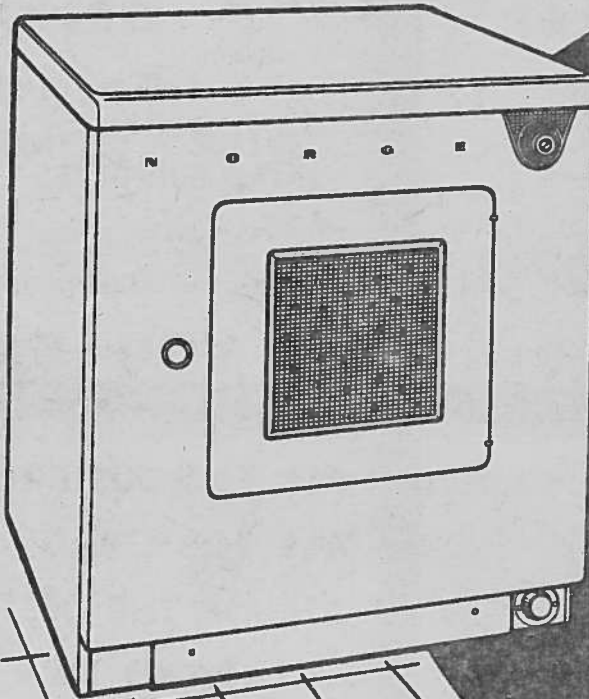
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilcox spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Curtis of Winn.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wood called on Mrs. Marie Griffin Saturday afternoon.

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JESSIE ROSENCRANTZ

Mrs. Flora Wood, Mrs. Margie Denslow and Mrs. Bertha Clark called on Mrs. Art Conley Wednesday p. m. of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Garald Denslow assisted Ted Nutt with the wood buzzing Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brownell have purchased the Jr. Denslow house recently and are getting settled.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Nutt and Mr. and Mrs. Davis all of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Nutt of Big Rapids were Saturday p. m. visitors of Mrs. Mary Nutt and Mrs. Maude Wagenman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dent were Sunday evening callers at the Sterling Oplinger home.

Miss Geraline Dent attended a pajama party at Sharon Conley's Thursday evening in honor of Miss Ann Embrey, who is moving to Farwell.

There was a nice crowd out to the family night of the Church of God, which was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Heckart at Horr.

Mrs. Ed Morbitzer and family went to Saginaw to see Mr. Morbitzer. The small children were pretty happy, they got in to see their daddy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Nutt and family were Sunday a. m. guests of Mrs. Elsie Benn and Mrs. Mary Nutt. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benn

were afternoon callers.

Mrs. Violet Oplinger and Mrs. Bobby Oplinger and Kenny, were Thursday callers at Houghton Lake. Mr. and Mrs. Steve Rau and family were Sunday dinner guests of her sister, Mrs. Earl Oplinger and family.

Miss Linda Dent spent Thursday night with her grandpa and grandma Dent at Sherman City.

Little Harry Dent was absent from school several days on account of illness.

Sunday dinner guests at the Jerry Dent home were Mr. and Mrs. Pat Dillenbeck and Janet, Mr. and Mrs. Aisher Dent, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Dent and family, and Ned Bellows. Mrs. Ethel Abrahamson of Pogy Lake was an afternoon caller.

Mrs. J. W. Peacock was a dinner guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Margaret Denslow, last Thursday. The occasion was to celebrate Mrs. Peacock's 77th birthday. That evening she had a phone call from her daughter, Esther, in California. And her granddaughter, Barbara, sang Happy Birthday to her. Congratulations, Mrs. Peacock.

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NO. 2 DHIA REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER

Walter Smith, Supervisor, in his September report shows 16 herds tested with the average cow producing 886 lbs. of milk and 30.8 lbs. of fat. Each herd averaged 20 cows in size. The highest herd was owned by Russell Cowden

with 22 cows averaging 48.2 lbs. of fat for the month. Next appears Dale Davis and Son with 17 cows producing 42.2 lbs. of fat, followed by Kendall Wood with 13 cows at 38.5 lbs. of fat, Norman Gross with 16 cows, at 35.9 lbs. of fat, and William Phillips with 12 cows at 35.7 lbs. of fat. Other herds producing over 30 lbs. of fat per cow per month were owned by Stanley Erwin and Son, William Block and Sons, Bogan and Cotter, and Ernest Bradley.

Thirty cows produced between fifty and sixty lbs. of butterfat for the month. The highest individual was owned by Dale Davis and Son, a cow producing 2370 lbs. of milk and 73 lbs. of butterfat, with George House and Son next with 2370 lbs. of milk and 71 lbs. of fat. The following owners had individuals over 60 and below 70 lbs. of fat for the month: Russell Cowden, six cows; Norman Gross, two cows; Fred McDonald, one cow; William Phillips, one cow; Harold Brooks, one cow; George House and Son, one cow; and Kendall Wood, two cows.

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Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Johnson and son, Larry, of Fennville spent the weekend with their folks, the Charles Johnsons, Sr., and the Al Woodburys.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McDonald called on Mrs. Marie Griffin Fri-

day afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Branson called on Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ohls Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ohls called on Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wilson Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Woodbury of near Remus were Sunday afternoon visitors at the home of his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Al Woodbury.

Miss Louise Woodbury spent last week in Flint with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Darold Childers.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wicks of Alma were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Albert-Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gross.

Mrs. Sarah Wiley and Clarence spent Sunday in Grand Rapids, visiting relatives. On the way home Clarence narrowly avoided an accident when some tent poles rolled off a deer hunter's car in front of them. He kept control of his car, however, while dodging the poles and driving over one or two of them.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Ohls of Mt. Pleasant called on his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ohls, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ohls called on Mrs. Ina Gillette Sunday evening to help her celebrate her birthday.

Mrs. Ray Baxter called on Mrs. Marie Griffin Friday a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Martin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Appelgreen.

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North Brinton

Mrs. F. Sisco, Reporter

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald St. Johns were saddened by his death. He had been sick a long time. The family have the sympathy of our community in their sorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sisco spent several days visiting their son, Orville and family, at Hillsdale.

Mrs. Lucy Vinton is visiting her old neighbor, Minnie Sisco,

while Frank is across the Straits hunting. Lee Navarre, Walter Sisco, Virgil, Orrie Sisco, Carl Scharrer and Delmer Geasler are in the group hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Loomis and Albert and Etta St. Johns are north hunting.

Mrs. Lee Navarre and Minnie Sisco helped serve lunch for the Ralph VanConant family Wednesday at Sherman City Church.

The funeral of Mr. VanConant was at the Barryton Funeral home. The Minister from Weidman

gave a very nice sermon Sunday evening, which everyone enjoyed at Brinton.

Ruby and Ronnie Stanley had dinner with Mrs. F. Sisco and Grandma Vinton Saturday.

Mrs. Nellie Phelps of Oil City and Betty Vinton called on Mrs. Frank Sisco Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Sisco had dinner with her son, Harry Brown, and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Stanley called on Walter DeGears at Lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Longton and Lillie Wright were Lake and Barryton callers Saturday.

Homer and Roscoe Wright were home over the weekend from their work.

Herman Teeters is spending a couple of weeks at home to hunt. He has been working for his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Place, all summer on their farm.

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S. W. Sherman

Mrs. Clayton Dutcher, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher, Sr., and Sylvia spent Saturday evening with his mother, Mrs. Ann Pennington, Floyd and Ray Dutcher.

Mrs. Ann Pennington, Floyd Dutcher, and Mrs. Minnie Strauch were Saturday afternoon callers of the Clayton Dutchers.

Kenneth McDaniels has been off work with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Fleming and little grandson of Adrian spent the weekend with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Merrihew.

Mrs. Bert Cornell and Betty Casabaum spent Saturday with Mrs. Bonnie VanSyckle of Barryton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sowle and children of Clare were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. William Cornell.

Mrs. Verna Cornell and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cummins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Landon of Plymouth, Indiana, were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Merrihew.

Mrs. Ronna Dutcher was shopping in Mt. Pleasant with Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher and Sylvia Saturday afternoon.

George Woodin was a Sunday night visitor at the Ervin Dutcher, Jr., home.

Anna Chaffee was ill the past week.

The Clayton Dutcher family have been having the flu this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Merrihew, Marlene and Donnie called on the Clarence Chaffee family Sunday evening.

Mrs. Minnie Hines, Lois, Kathy and Paula Hines were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Ervin Dutcher and Sylvia.

Sunday callers at the Clayton Dutcher home were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Losey, Harold and Gerald, and Ervin Dutcher. Ervin helped Clayton on his tool shed.

Those who helped Jimmy Dutcher celebrate his eighth birthday Wednesday after school were Bobby and Nora Jean Dell, Billy and Patty Hardenburgh, Jerry and Susie Cornell, Brian Dutcher and David Howe. They all had supper with ice cream and cake. Jimmy received some nice gifts.

David Howe spent Wednesday night with Jimmy Dutcher.

NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Schultz spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Leland Forbcs.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sprague of Lansing called on Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sprague Saturday.



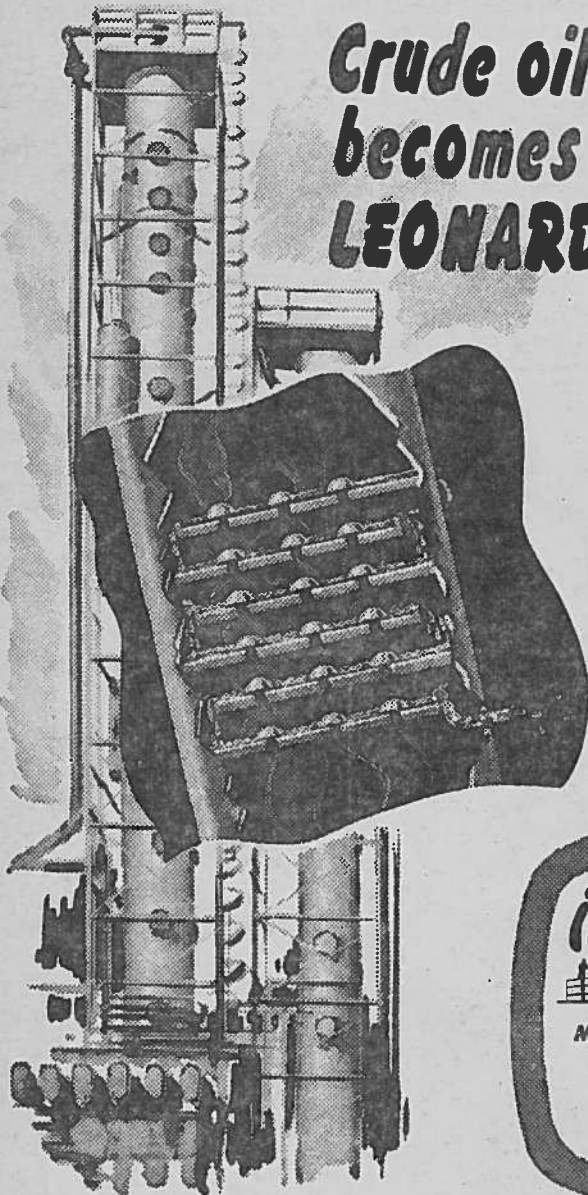
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S · W. Sherman

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beutler spent Thursday and Friday in Lansing attending the State Farm Bureau. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tibbetts of East Lansing.

Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beutler called on Mr. and Mrs. Anderson of Vernon Township.

Mrs. Clifford Leiter and children were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Forbes.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Chaffee, Dean and Nancy, spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Leiter.

Mrs. Clifford Leiter attended Extension Board Meeting at Mt. Pleasant Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lintemuth and Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Lintemuth and two sons, all of Big Rapids called Sunday on Mrs. Ina Gillette to wish her a happy birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rosa of Lake 28 were Tuesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Leiter.

Fred Cressey of Mecosta called Thursday evening at the Clifford Leiter home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beutler attended a birthday party for Mark Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Johnston. It was Mark's 5th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beutler called on Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wiley.

Mrs. Jewel Wagner called on Mrs. Sawyer of Barryton Friday afternoon.

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BUSY BEES

The Busy Bees met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Margaret Denslow. Mrs. Deborah Benn, president, presided over a very interesting meeting. Everyone responded to roll call with a reading and a favorite Xmas motif. Many had very nice ideas for centerpieces. Mrs. Flora Wood gave a very fine demonstration of a tree wreath for a door.

A family party was planned for Nov. 19, at the Drew Hall. Each family to bring sandwiches, a dish to pass and some have offered some pumpkin pies. Games will be played.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Eva Denslow. There will be a 50¢ gift exchange.

The hostess served a very lovely lunch of salad, hot buns, relishes, coffee and tea.

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EXTENSION BOARD MEETS

An Extension Board Meeting was held Wednesday, Nov. 9th in Mt. Pleasant at the home of Mrs. Neva Rawson.

Plans for the International Tea were completed. Ten counties will be represented at the tea.

It was decided that the Extension office should place no orders for trays after Dec. 10th, as orders placed after this date would not be received in time for Christmas.

The International Tea is set for Dec. 2nd, in the afternoon.

Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thorpe and family of Flint and Mrs. Frank Thorp and Betty spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Don Thorpe and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Russell Harkness

of Pontiac spent Monday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Michael McHugh and family.
Mrs. Sarah Cole spent Sunday with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole and family of Mt. Pleasant.
Carl Scharrer left Friday morning to go deer hunting at New-

berry.
Mr. and Mrs. Morris Chub spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Young of Porterfield were Sunday visitors of Dr. and Mrs. Clark.

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VADA TILMANN, Reporter

Mrs. Bill Tilmann, Jr., entertained the members of her club Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Fred Faber, Leona and Ed and Mike Schafer spent Friday in Reed City with the Carl Tilmann family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Klumpp and family, the occasion being Maxine's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Simmer and family of Reed City spent Sunday with Mrs. Louise Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer called on Mr. and Mrs. Milo Eldred Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Schueler entertained the members of the the Twenty Grand Club Saturday evening. Cards were played.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard McIsaac were pleasantly surprised Saturday evening with a farwell party by the members of the Good Natured Club to which they belong and by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Block, Mrs. Francis Theisen, Mr. and Mrs. Will Pung and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Tilmann. Cards were played with Mrs. McIsaac and Ernest Gross receiving first prize. Mrs. Mary Cook and Allen Tilmann were second high. Mrs. Theisen won pepper prize. A delicious lunch was served and Mr. and Mrs. McIsaac received a beautiful blanket.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schafer and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Martin spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Will Pung.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Breuer were very pleasantly surprised Wednes-

day evening by their children on their 45th Wedding Anniversary. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sowle, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Breuer, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Schafer, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Grisdale and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fike. A lovely anniversary cake was baked by Mrs. Leo Grisdale and the parents were presented with a purse of money.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Turner and children of St. Johns called on relatives around Beal City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Breuer spent Tuesday in Hysperia where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ohman.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeke Little and family of Coldwater Oil Field called on Mrs. Jeannette McIsaac Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Pung and girls of St. Johns called on Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pung and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Marcy Fedewa and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Gross of Portland called on Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pung Saturday afternoon. They also called on Charles Gross to see the damage caused by the fire there Mrs. Frank Berg of Chicago called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berg Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schafer of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Quillen.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zuker and Helen called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ulrich and Mrs. Bob Bleise enjoyed supper

Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bleise.

Mr. Charles Dole called on Frank Berg Tuesday afternoon.

Bernard McIsaac and Peggy spent Sunday and Monday in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lawens and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lawens and family of Mt. Pleasant called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berg Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Dorothy Gertizer and Denny left Wednesday to care for the Jerry Gertizer children while Mrs. Gertizer has her operation in West Branch.

Mrs. Bob Pung and Sharon are spending a few days with her mother, in Forest Hill while Bob is deer hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Pung of Remus called at the Joseph Pung home Sunday.

Sunday callers at the Will Pung home were Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schafer.

Mr. Joe Tilmann motored to Reed City to get Mrs. Joe Tilmann who had spent a few days with the Carl Tilmann family.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Schumacher called on Mr. and Mrs. John Hauck Wednesday.

Mrs. Maggie Smith and Mrs. Ida Smith and Mrs. Lena Bleise enjoyed supper Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Ulrich.

Mrs. Rose Schafer and Mrs. Erma Thelen spent Wednesday in Reed City.

Mrs. Frederick Hauck, Norman and Mary called on Mr. and Mrs. John Hauck Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Anna Kornel is back at her home in Beal City for a week.

Mr. Frank Ulrich of Detroit spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ulrich.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dole called on Mr. and Mrs. John Ulrich Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Blasen and family of Lansing called on Henrietta and Bob Blasen Sunday.

Green View

Mr. Wm. Tanner, Reporter Mrs. Elam Seymour and Mrs. Donald Seymour attended the Ralph VanConant funeral at Barryton Friday.

George Ribar of Lincoln Park is at his house trailer for deer hunting. He spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson of M-30 Midland.

Mrs. Wm. Tanner and nephew, George Ribar, were business callers in Barryton Saturday afternoon, they also called on Mr. and Mrs. Bill Spence.

The young married people Sunday School class enjoyed a cooperative dinner Sunday in the church dining room. With arrangements by the young people of the church for the Rally Nov. 21, at 7:30, with services and Mrs. Charles Johnson of Coe as a guest.

The Merry-Go-Round Club met with Mrs. Juanita Jarman and Mrs. Mary Smith Thursday. Velma Cole received the mystery gift.

The December meeting will be a Christmas number with Mrs. Verna Seymour and Mrs. Leona Buchel as hostesses.

A complete chrome communion set is being enjoyed by the church Gifts of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Ed McAlvey and Miss Dorothy Remer.

Mr. C. Johnson of Plane Church, Coe, was exchange Sunday school superintendent. Mr. and Mrs. Vaness Cook were there. They reported a lovely time, it was Mr. and Mrs. Cook's 30th wedding anniversary. They enjoyed a chicken dinner at Shepherd.

NEWS NOTES

Charlie Gross, Jim Knapp, Tony Tilmann, and George Beutler left Friday on a hunting trip across the Straits.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Marshall of French Lick, Indiana, spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Charnes and K. C.

Wilma Ritchie of Detroit spent last week here, taking care of her mother, Mrs. Dora Ritchie Mrs. Edna Mills of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson of Clare called at the Ritchie home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Smith and family of Montrose spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kaninsky spent Sunday in Coleman visiting Mr. and Mrs. Weage.



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ACCEPTS NEW POSITION

Wayne Meeker, former superintendent of schools here from 1944-49, has accepted the position of Superintendent of the New Buffalo Consolidated Schools at New Buffalo, Michigan. New Buffalo is a 38-teacher school in Southwestern Berrien County.

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Mrs. Eula Parsell of Indianapolis, Ind., and Mr. Ralph Golden of Elkart, Ind., spent last week with Dr. and Mrs. Clark.

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