

# Weidman Messenger

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## Couple Wed in Morning Rites



Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Gepford

Kathleen Dorothy Hauck and Patrick Joseph Gepford were united in marriage Saturday morning, Aug. 20, in St. Philomena's Church, Beal City. The Rev. Fr. Neubecker performed the rites before 150 guests for the occasion. The wedding march was played by the church organist, Mrs. Pat Horan, with soloist Mrs. Patrick Finnerty singing "Ave Maria." The Boys' Choir sang the Wedding Mass.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hauck of rural Rosebush, and the bridegroom is the son of Herbert Gepford of Mt. Pleasant.

The ballerina length wedding gown was fashioned of tulle and Chantilly lace, with circular

ruffles of tulle. The bride's cap of Chantilly lace secured her finger-tip veil. She carried a lace covered prayer book with red roses and white streamers and rosebuds.

Shirley Little of Rosebush, a cousin of the bride, was matron of honor, and bridesmaid was Bonnie Munn, also the bride's cousin. The attendants' ballerina length gowns were of nylon, in colors of yellow and blue. They wore matching hats and shoes, and carried colonial bouquets.

Walter Gepford was his brother's best man, and James Gepford, another brother, was groomsman. Ushers were Jerry Halfman and Leon Recker.

Following the ceremony, a wedding dinner was served at the

### MRS. SUSAN TERRY DIES IN CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Susan Terry died Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Vicenus (Eva Terry) in Sunny Vale, California. Mrs. Terry had been living in California some years.

She and her husband, Will, were old-time residents of this area, their home having been the farm where Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher, Sr., now reside.

Mrs. Terry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Carpenter, were one of the first families to settle in Weidman in the old logging days. Mr. Carpenter worked for John S. Weidman in the saw mill.

Surviving, besides her daughter Eva, are three stepsons, Safford, Roy and Howard Terry.

### YVONNE THORP IS THREE

Yvonne Thorp celebrated her third birthday Sunday with a family get-together and dinner. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thorp and Betty SchAAF.

Yvonne is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Thorp.

## First Aid Class Organizing Here

A first-aid class for the Weidman area will be instituted in the near future, Mrs. Frances Going, of the local organizing committee, said this week. Inquiries have been brisk, and it is believed a class can be organized here fairly easily.

All members of the summer class in home nursing are eligible for the first aid class, Mrs. Going said. Both men and women are invited to join the class.

Registration is now going on, and all interested in first aid training or a second home nursing class at a later date may contact Mrs. Going or Mrs. Barbara Kankinsky, the Weidman committee who did a fine job of organizing and providing for the first home nursing class recently.

bride's home. 500 guests attended a reception in the Hall later.

For a Northern wedding trip, the bride chose a black dress with pink trim and pink accessories.

Mrs. Gepford is a graduate of Beal City High School and is employed at Gould's Drug Store in Mt. Pleasant. Mr. Gepford attended Sacred Heart Academy, and expects to be stationed with the Army at Fort Ord, Calif.

Out of town guests were present from Pewamo, Lansing, Bay City, Big Rapids, Clare, and Shepherd.

## Editor's Column

By Connie

### MESSANGER STAFF TAKES VACATION NEXT WEEK

Following the modern trend of many weekly newspapers, the Weidman Messenger is going on vacation next week, though you will get your paper. It will be a vacation issue, though, filled with special features we've been trying to tuck in and haven't had room for.

We want to advise all our rural reporters to go on vacation for next week, themselves, don't bother with news next week unless an atom bomb falls in your neighborhood or President Eisenhower drops in for morning coffee.

That's for the issue of Sept. 8 only--we want all our reporters back on the job for the issue of Sept. 15, all of us slaving away as usual to give our folks the news. That means you'll mail no news letters next week, but do get 'em in by Monday, Sept. 12, for the Sept. 15 issue.

We will be closed from Friday, Sept. 2, till next Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 7, so look for us here and there, but not at work.

We hope you'll enjoy the vacation issue--it will be small, but nice, we hope. And we hope all our faithful reporters will enjoy a week off, too. We hope you'll all wish us good luck and good rest during next week.

We don't expect to even keep the printin' office open, next week. We may pop in now and then, but don't count on our being there at any given time.

See us back on the job with the nose to the usual grindstone, after next week!

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Ruth Momany reports that two fishermen, one from Indiana and the other from Arkansas, had good luck on the mill pond the first of the week.

"I was so glad," Ruth said, "to see out-of-state folks get thrills from fishing on the Weidman pond."

Yd Ed plans to try for a little of same during her vacation next week. That is, if the water level stays up there so that we can get lines in for weeds, and also eat the fish if we catch 'em. Low water levels are the only obstacle to Weidman's hankered-after slogan, "Best Fish in Mich."

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### NEWS NOTES

Mrs. Sarah Wiley and Clarence enjoyed dinner Sunday in Remus,

# North Brinton

**Mrs. F. Sisco, Reporter**

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Estes were in Weidman Monday. Mrs. Estes was a caller at the Messenger office.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whaley had their niece and husband of Jackson as guests for a few days' visit.

Callers and visitors at the Frank Sisco home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Brown of Flint and Dow and Ruby Stanley, and Mrs. Lillian LePard and family of Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tower had as their company for several days, their daughter, Mildred, and family of Flint. They all attended the Isabella County Fair.

Mrs. Lillie Wright and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Longton were at Mt. Pleasant Friday, attending the Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Navarre and girls spent Monday evening with their aunt and uncle, the F. Siscos.

Homér Wright of Flint spent the weekend at home. Hazel Teeter also was at home over the weekend.

Arthur and Elwood Brown visited their grandparents Monday, while Harry and Fern were in Mt. Pleasant, having glasses taken care of.

We had a nice rain and no lightning and terrible wind with it. Sure was a nice rain, which was needed bad.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Navarre and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bazaire are on a trip over Labor Day.

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# West Nottawa Coldwater Lake

**Mrs. Helen Alwood, Reporter**

## CONGRATULATIONS!

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gross have a baby girl, born Aug. 26 at Community Hospital. The little Miss weighed seven pounds, seven ounces. They have named her Sue Marie. Ray and Theresa have another little girl called Ann.

Thursday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Forest were Mrs. John Engler and grandchildren, Nancy and Susie Engler.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Curtis and Mrs. Cecil Smith were in Mt. Pleasant and Remus last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Faber visited Mrs. Margaret Wieber and Regina last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Louis Benedino and daughter, Rita, and Wilma and Mary Lou Sloan of Pontiac, Ill., spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Welch and family.

Sunday afternoon callers of Mrs. Margaret Forest were Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Thompson of Mt. Pleasant. Monday, Mrs. Fred Thomas of Mt. Pleasant called, and Tuesday, Regina Wieber visited with Mrs. Forest. They all found her feeling much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dole were Friday afternoon visitors and dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Curtis and Mrs. Cecil Smith.

June Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Martin, is spending a few weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bauer, of Beal City.

Donald Hauck is working in Clare.

Peter Martin spent a week with his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Westrick, in Grand Ledge, and also called on some friends in Lansing.

Rilla Elias and Amelia Wieber called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bauer Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Ruth Hachmuth of Clare and daughter, Mrs. Berwyn Dines of Muskegon spent Friday afternoon with Laura Hyslop.

Mrs. Don Alwood and sons were Wednesday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Smith of Mt. Pleasant.

We want to express our deepest sympathy to Will Higbee and family on the death of Mrs. Higbee, known to most of us as "Grandma Higbee."

Friday callers at the Laura Hyslop home were Mrs. Clara Britshart and Sophie Tice, who are from Grand Blanc, but are staying at their cottage at the lake.

Emory Leiter was a Thursday and Friday evening supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Don Alwood and family. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Breuer called Friday and Saturday evenings.

Miss Wilma Ockert of Battle Creek spent the weekend with her parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ockert and Myrtle. Wilma also called on her grandmother, Mrs. Emily Ockert, Saturday evening. Sunday she called on her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Russell, in Weidman.

M. T. Young called on Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kolarik and family visited Mrs. Kolarik's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Brubaker, in Gladwin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Kornexl and family visited at the Al Tilmann home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wright visited Mr. Smith's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stroh, of Remus Saturday. They found Mrs. Stroh not feeling very well.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Alwood and sons were Wednesday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kripa and family of Mt. Pleasant. Rusty Alwood and Danny Kripa spent the day at the Fair.

This community was very sorry to hear of the sad death of Mrs. Emogene (Martin) Kornexl Monday night. The family have our very deepest sympathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fedewa gave a party at the Two Rivers Hall Saturday evening, honoring their daughters Margaret and Geraldine on their 17th birthday. A

good time was had by all the young folks present.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wright and Jim of Pontiac returned from their two weeks' vacation trip up north and spent the week end at the Fred Smith home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gruss and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Breuer visited the Paris fish hatchery and the television tower at Cadillac Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Ockert is working for Mrs. Joe Reihl.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Grewett and Mrs. Maxine Kyser and Carlene of Mt. Pleasant visited Mrs. Zulu Grewett and Gerald Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gail Blevins and two sons from the State of Maryland, and Mr. Blevins' mother from Tennessee and Wayne Blevins from Flint, and Roy Sulterland of Pontiac were Sunday evening supper guests at the Don Alwood home. This was a very pleasant surprise for Don, as Gail Blevins was an Army buddy and they hadn't seen each other for almost 10 years. They were together in El Paso, Texas and Miami Beach, Fla.

Mrs. John E. Schafer and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schafer and Timmy spent the weekend in Detroit.

Jimmy Wagner spent Monday with Rusty and Billy Alwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Phelps of Cadillac spent Sunday at the Zulu Grewett and Gerald Grewett home. Miss Arlene Myers, who works at the Grewett home spent Saturday till Monday at her home at Chippewa Lake.

Mrs. Jennie Young is still at the Ionia rest home. She won't be able to come home, but she wants to say "Hello" to all her friends and neighbors who have remembered her with cards and letters. Jennie was very happy to see the three ladies who we to see her a while back. She can have her bed rolled up five hours during the day, but otherwise has to lie flat on her back. The nurses are just wonderful there, she says, and we know that must help a lot. If anyone can possibly go to Ionia or pass through there, Mrs. Young would enjoy visiting with them. If there is extra room, please let this reporter know, she would like to go, too.

Rusty and Billy Alwood stayed with Jimmy Heron Saturday afternoon while Mrs. Don Alwood and baby and Mrs. Hermione Smith attended the lovely bridal shower for Ola Belle Steckly. We all wish Bruce Middlesworth and his bride the best of happiness and many years together. Bruce is one of our outstanding home boys, and we wish him good luck in the future.

FOR SALE--One Holstein cow due Sept. 20. Also one heifer due in December. Both by MABC sires. Inquire Charles Gross, 2 miles east, 1/4 mile south of Weidman. Sept. 1 tip

# Obituary

**MRS. EDWARD KORNEXL**

Mrs. Emogene (Martin) Kornexl passed away at the Clare Hospital Tuesday morning, Aug. 30, after an illness of several months.

She was born Dec. 10, 1921, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Martin, Sr., and was the wife of Edward Kornexl of Detroit.

Surviving, besides the husband and parents, are a son, Jeffrey, two years old; a sister, Mrs. John Schupbach of Mt. Pleasant; two brothers, Herman, Jr., of Mt. Pleasant, and Raymond, at home; and one nephew and six nieces.

She will be at the Herman Martin home until Friday, when funeral services will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. in St. Philomena's Church, with burial in St. Philomena's Cemetery at Beal City.

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# S. W. Sherman

**Arlene Leiter, Reporter**

New telephone numbers have been assigned to the following residences in our area:

Harry Gatehouse, 2052; Leo Gatehouse, 2050; Ernest Faling, 2054; Fred Rescoe, 2058; Frank Thorp, 2059; Frank Gross, 2057; Wayne Charnes, 2051; and Clifford Leiter, 2055.

A reception was held Saturday evening for newlyweds Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dutcher, at Barryton. Many friends and relatives gathered to wish the couple much happiness. They received many lovely gifts.

Mrs. Maycie Cook called Sunday afternoon on Mrs. Ina Gillette.

Last week Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Stevens and three children of Flint called on Mrs. Ina Gillette and Ernest Faling.

Mrs. Ina Gillette and Ernest Faling were Tuesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ohls.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Stevens of Houghton Lake called Wednesday afternoon at the Ernest Faling home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Darnell called on his sister, Mrs. Ina Gillette Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Leiter and family called Sunday evening on Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doerr at their new home in Me-costa.

Chippewa Ranch closed last Thursday after a very busy season.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dutcher spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Dutcher.

Mrs. Clinton Secord and Percy and George were last Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Dutcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gatehouse spent the weekend in Detroit. They visited Belle Isle to see the Water Show.

Mrs. Beatrice Gatehouse and girls called Sunday evening at the Clarence Chaffee home.



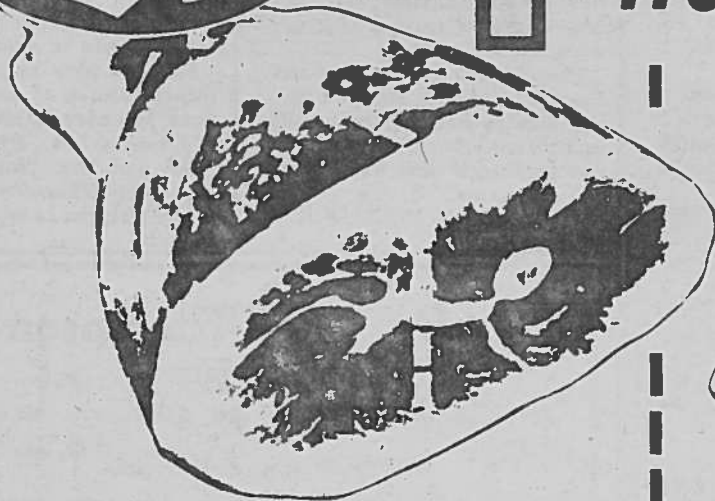
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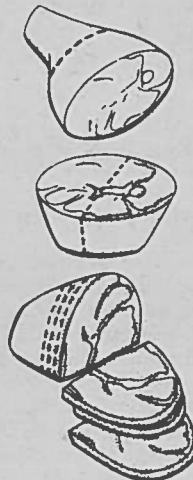
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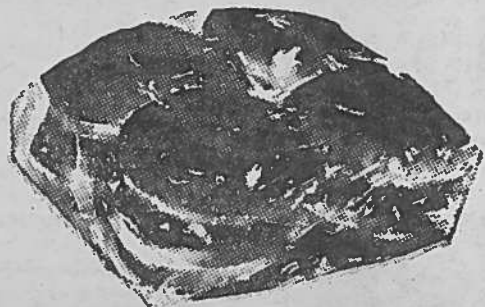
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**Green View**

Mrs. Wm. Tanner, Reporter

Cards are out honoring the birthdays of Mrs. Ethel Rawson, now of Farwell, aged 80, on Tuesday, and Mrs. Emma Perry, late of Clare, 78, both loving friends of the writer. I have known them all my years here in Gilmore. Mrs. Perry was Mrs. G. Cook then.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jarman visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wood Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Wood remains about the same, part time in a wheel chair.

Mrs. Ali Jarman and children plan on leaving for their home in California this week, by train and plane.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wendell of Flint were up to their farm over the weekend, and put up a TV set.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Buchel and daughters, Loraine Ann and Darlene Kay spent from Friday until Sunday evening with relatives in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fordyce, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Ed McAlvey attended the Fordyce-Pressprich wedding in Saginaw Saturday. They had a picnic dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Fordyce on Saginaw's West Side. Others attending the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. C. W. For-

dyce and Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Pitts. The latter called on Mr. and Mrs. Dick Perry at Midland.

Mrs. William Tanner had a big surprise Saturday evening when Mrs. Cassie Rodgman and Mrs. Mabel Sherman called. Forty-seven years have gone by since they had seen each other. Girlhood days were recalled, of good times and work they enjoyed. They live in and around Charlotte now.

Your writer is always looking at the beauties of nature and hand of man. We see at Cherry Lane Fruit Farm blue morning glories. Ours are pink. Mrs. Skdmer informed us they are from seed her mother put there years ago, and that they have been there 20 years.

Word came Monday of the death of Mrs. Alfred Creagle of Romeo, better known as Jennie Ransom or Fordyce. Burial was Thursday at Rochester.

Several families enjoyed the Fair, and Gary Seymour received a prize for his ducks. He is one of our young 4-H Club boys.

The death and burial of Louis Richards was reported Sunday. He was Gilmore Township treasurer for many years, living with his parents in the Schofield District.

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**N. Broomfield**

Mrs. Maycie Cook, Reporter

Theda Cook entertained the Birthday Club last Wednesday afternoon in honor of her birthday, which was Saturday. A very pleasant afternoon was enjoyed, by Vida Lueder, Minnie Rhode, Mary Cook, Maycie Cook, and Helen Lueder of Saginaw. Double pepper was played, and lunch served at 5 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cook, Jr., and son, David, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cook.

Will Nicholson and Gerald Hines spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines of Remus.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fanning spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Emil Rhode.

Several families from here attended the Mission Festival at the Remus Lutheran Church Sunday.

Maycie Cook called on Mrs. Ina Gillette Sunday p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Strong and family of Elwell spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lueder spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Emil Rhode.

Mrs. Mary Cook and Arthur called at the Tom Lathams' in Remus Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Rhode spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lueder in Saginaw.

Mrs. Rika Walch and Myrtle of Remus and Mrs. Elmer Frisk of Detroit called on Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cook and Mrs.

Mary Cook Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lang of Lansing were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Krueger.

Relatives from Detroit, Sparta and Ravenna called during the week to see their aunt, Mrs. Emma Leinaar.

Gary Stilgenbauer of Shepherd spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stilgenbauer.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Porter and Mrs. Helen Bigelow were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stilgenbauer.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Armock of Grand Rapids spent Thursday and Friday with their sister, Mrs. Nettie Crowley. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cauldins of Alto were Sunday visitors.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cook all enjoyed the day Sunday helping their mother celebrate her birthday. Dinner and lunch were enjoyed by all who came.

**LOCAL ITEMS**

Mrs. Mildred Kale has been the Clare Hospital the past week ill with a virus infection affecting her lungs.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ohls were Mr. and Mrs. Grant Jones of Grand Haven and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ohls and Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Bateman of Lansing. Saturday overnight guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ken Samson of Detroit.

Miss Wilma Ockert called on her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Russell, Sunday morning.

Mrs. Wm. Louisell, Senior Junior, were in Armada Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Young and three children of near Gladwin were Saturday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Louisell Sr., spent Thursday afternoon at Schoolsection Lake, visiting friends.

**Dr. C. E. Thompson**

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**Local Items**

Miss Rita Appelgreen of Grand Rapids is spending the week at the W. A. Appelgreen home.

Mrs. Sarah Wiley and Nelson called on Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Wilbur Benn of Shepherd was a Sunday caller at her par-

ents', the Wm. Kaninskys.

Miss Marilyn Seil of Clare and John Gross of Mt. Pleasant were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kaninsky.

Mrs. Winnie Baker returned Friday afternoon after spending 14 weeks at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Marion Gingery, of Flint. Genevieve has been in the hospital in Flint, but is improving now. Mr. and Mrs. Marion Gingery and Mrs. Baker took a 3,000 mile trip in Wisconsin and Minnesota, and the Upper Peninsula, before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Heron spent a week ago Sunday with his folks at Millersburg.

Mrs. Ruth Momany and Mrs. Gertrude Haight called at the funeral home at Barryton Friday, paying respects to Mrs. Higbee. They also called on Mrs. George McClain, Sr.

Mrs. George McClain, Sr., of Barryton was a Saturday evening caller at the Ruth Momany home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Schultz enjoyed Sunday dinner at the Williams Dairy Bar in Barryton.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Schultz and family of Clare spent Sunday evening with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Schultz.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Harkness of Pontiac spent the weekend at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Michael McHugh, to get acquainted with their new grandson, Thomas Russell. Mr. and Mrs. Michael McHugh, Sr., of Edmore, were also Sunday guests and Mrs. McHugh is staying a few days.

Weekend guests at the Ted Smith home, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Wm. Higbee, included Mr. and Mrs. Arnie Aubin and E. C., Mr. and Mrs. Al Sevenser and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stratus, all of Flint; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Higbee, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Higbee, and Mr. and Mrs. Chris Scharrer all of Flushing; Mrs. Paul Creed of Mt. Pleasant; Bill Linton and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Linton and Mrs. Vera Linton, all of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fleming of Marion, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Scharrer of Barryton. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Higbee of Lansing were also guests.

Mrs. Grace Morey spent Sunday afternoon at the Ray Smith home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gib Hall and children of Barryton spent Sunday evening at the R. D. Sprague home.

Maraleen and Lorraine Denslow spent Monday with Betty Schaaf.

Sunday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fay McCrimmon and Mrs. Esther Lee were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Richardson and two children of Grand Rapids.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sprague included Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Sprague and family of Mt. Pleasant, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sprague and two children of Diamond Lake. Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bower and baby of Muskegon, Mrs. Dollie (Sprague) Bower of California, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Schumacher and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Reynolds, all of Lansing.

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# Around Horr

Jessie Rosencrantz, Reporter

Mrs. Ella Denslow and granddaughters, Sharlene and Mary, were Tuesday p. m. callers of Mrs. Ethel Holsted. Clarence Holsted and children were Thursday morning callers. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilson and family were Friday morning callers, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rosencrantz were Sunday p. m. callers.

Mrs. Nellie Nutt and Mrs. Paul Schiffer and children were Friday p. m. callers of Mrs. Mary Nutt. Mrs. Gladys Bowers of Leslie was a Saturday caller, and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Nutt and Mary were Sunday morning callers.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Oplinger spent last week at their cabin at Newberry.

Mrs. Mack Denslow stayed with her daughter Joyce at the hospital Thursday while Barbara underwent surgery. She is doing nicely.

Rev. A. E. Ronk of Newaygo was guest speaker at the Forest Hill Church of God Sunday evening. Starting Oct. 2, he will conduct a 10-day meeting at that church.

Missionary meeting was held with Rev. Mary House last Thursday.

Mrs. Flora Wood and Evelyn Hall attended the Mt. Pleasant Fair Friday and were dinner guests at the Bergquist home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Ferguson of Lansing and Floyd Ferguson of St. Louis were Sunday visitors at the Ted Nutt home.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wood and children were Sunday dinner guests of his parents, the Howard Woods. The Vance and Pete Woods were supper guests. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wright of Pontiac were afternoon guests.

Berl Denslow attended a party honoring Pat Loomis on his 9th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bunting were Saturday evening guests at the Sterling Oplinger home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Losey were Sunday p. m. callers at the Gerald Denslow home.

Mrs. Stanley Darnell and family were Friday dinner guests at the Mack Denslow home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Nutt and family and Mr. and Mrs. Theron Merrihew and family were Sunday dinner guests at the Charlie and Gerald Losey homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Nutt and family called on the Elton Carr family Sunday p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Wood and Mrs. Harold Finnerty called at the Clare Hospital to see Mr. Finnerty last Wednesday evening. Several from this vicinity attended the shower for Bruce Middleworth and Miss Ola Belle Steckly Saturday afternoon at the Fey Middleworth home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson spent Sunday in Grand Rapids, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rosencrantz spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Alva Cummins.

Mrs. Vivian Wilson is spending a few days with her folks, the Jack Thompsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Nutt and family called on the Raymond Ferguson family Monday evening a week ago.

Mrs. Kate Wood and Rita Appelgreen called on Mrs. Agnes Gross Sunday p. m.

Gerry Dent was a Fremont caller Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Denslow are guests this week of her uncle and aunt, at Toronto, Canada, and expect to attend the Toronto Exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Jackson and Debbie and Evelyn spent Saturday night with the Jerry Dents. Francis Blodgett and Terry, and Mr. and Mrs. Aisher Dent were Sunday guests. Walter Kirvan called one day last week, and Raymond Kirvan was a Monday visitor.

Benny Johnson, who has spent the summer with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benn, returned to his home in Pontiac Sunday, to resume his school duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benn were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Erma Arnold of Clare.

Rita Appelgreen was a Sunday evening guest of her sister, Mrs. Vance Wood, and family.

Stephen and Stuart Saunders were Sunday guests of Dean and Gary Denslow.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dent went to Rothbury for peaches Saturday evening. While there they visited Jack and George Loomis.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Oplinger and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wood spent Saturday evening with the Vance Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sides and son Thane, and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith were Thursday evening guests at the Jerry Dent home.

Carolyn and Dean Denslow were guests of Carol and Bernice Green at Chippewa Lake Wednesday evening. They enjoyed a wiener roast and roller skating.

Little Linda Patterson is in Community Hospital. She is the daughter of the bean boss at the Jerry Dents'.

Mrs. Eva Belle Denslow and daughters Sharlene and Mary accompanied Mrs. John Hibberd and Mrs. Lura Beutler to camp meeting at Grand Ledge, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sheets and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Denslow and Robert were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Lovell at Big Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Oplinger and boys called on Mr. and Mrs. Roger Galer Sunday p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin and boys called at the Sidney Lawrence home Friday p. m.

Fred Rounds of Ashton and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bodell and son

of Grand Rapids were Saturday supper guests of the Mack Denslows.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Losey, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Losey and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Denslow and Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Oplinger and Mr. and Mrs. Vance Wood attended the shower for Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dutcher Saturday evening at Barryton.

Mrs. Margaret Denslow and Carolyn attended baptismal services at Winegar Lake north of Barryton Sunday p. m. They also called at the Floyd Miller home.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wright and Jim arrived at the Paul Miller home Thursday, after a trip across the Straits. The Millers stayed until Saturday. The Wrights will spend this week with the Millers and other relatives around Weidman.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Swan and family were Sunday dinner guests of her parents, the Leonard Denslows. They took their son, Dennis, home. He had spent a week with his grandparents. Carol and Bernice Green of Grand Rapids were also guests last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wright of Pontiac were weekend guests at the Paul Miller home. Monday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, Mr. Howard and Mrs. La Fortane of Auburn Heights.

Miss Evelyn Connors and Miss Reva Barrows were Wednesday supper guests of Mrs. Maude Wagman.

Cliff Strait reports two gentlemen who were up to the lake fishing were pretty happy. They

caught a six-pound bass and a six-pound pike.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson and family of Emerald Lake were Sunday p. m. callers at the Ben Holliday home.

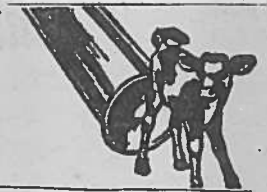
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NO. 119

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Mr. and Mrs. AL Sprague had as luncheon guests Saturday Mrs. George Looman of Cedar Springs and two daughters, Miss Suzanne Looman of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Keith Holton and daughter, Georgie Fey, of Sault Ste. Marie.

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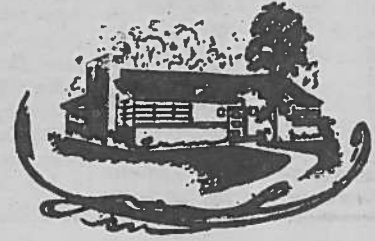


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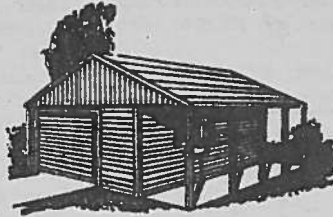
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# Beal City News

Mrs. Helen Voisin and granddaughter of Lansing spent Sunday with Mrs. Erma Thelen.

Mrs. Henrietta Blasen and Bob spent the weekend with relatives in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Theisen of Detroit brought Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tilmann home from there.

Mrs. Rilla Elias and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dole spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Ulrich.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Schumacher called on Mr. and Mrs. John Hauck Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Geraldine Fedewa is spending this week in Lansing, visiting

relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Thelen accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kavanaugh to Big Rapids Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Schumacher spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sebenick at Higgins Lake.

Mrs. Lydia Hengesbaugh from Jackson and Alex Bierschbach of Cleveland, O., were visiting relatives around Beal City the past week.

Miss Josie Bengal and Lydia Hengesbach were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bleise recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Kierrer and family of Carson City brought Mrs. William Pung home Tuesday evening. They also called on Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kieffer Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Tilmann called on Mr. and Mrs. Earl Til-

mann Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tilmann spent Thursday in Belding, visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Breuer and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gruss enjoyed a fish supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Curt Brubaker of Gladwin Friday evening.

Mrs. Anna Kornexl returned home after spending some time with her daughter, Anne, in Williamston.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Tilmann spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Andres in Wyman.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Thelen and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Theisen spent Sunday in Lansing, with Margaret Theisen at the Sanitarium.

Miss Joan Gruss and Mrs. Norreen Thelen motored to Marshall Monday. Mrs. Rilla Elias accompanied them as far as Westphalia where she called on Mrs. Vincent Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Tilmann and family and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tilmann spent Sunday in Reed City.

Miss Gladys Kunkle of Lansing spent Wednesday afternoon and night with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Zeien and Mrs. Ed Zeien called on Mr. and Mrs. John Hauck Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Martin and family of Mt. Pleasant called on Mrs. Anna Zeien Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. E. N. Smith called on Mrs. Fred Faber Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Smith visited Mr. and Mrs. Pat Simons at Lake

13 Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Erma Thelen enjoyed a steak dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Smith Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Milo Eldred of near Blanchard.

A number from here attended the Leaton and Green Socks ball game at Leaton Sunday.

Diane Breuer spent several days this week with Marjorie Block.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fox entertained the members of the Town and Country Club Friday evening.

Pepper was played, with high score going to Mrs. Paul Schafer and Harold Block; second high to Mrs. Al Clevenger, Francis Theisen and Paul Schafer, and pepper prize to Frank Theisen.

Mrs. Glenn Wilson of Detroit spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Meunich of California spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Block.

Mrs. Wm. Pung is in Community Hospital at Mt. Pleasant.

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## Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Embrey and Clarence Wiley attended a ball game in Detroit Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kaninsky and son spent Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. Harold Smith in Clare.

Mrs. Ruth Momany drove to Houghton Lake Wednesday of last week and spent the day with the Coursers and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Momany. In the afternoon she attended a family birthday party for Mrs. Cora Momany's 75th birthday.

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## Obituary

### MRS. WILLIAM HIGBEE

Mary Ann Higbee was born March 18, 1877, at Warkworth, Ont., Canada, the daughter of Edward and Beersheba Linton. She married William Higbee July 15, 1900, at Gladwin, Mich. She died Aug. 25, 1955, at Community Hospital in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Higbee moved to Weidman from Owosso in 1941.

Surviving are her husband, William, of Weidman, son Clarence of Flushing, and daughters Mrs. Carl Scharrer of Barryton and Mrs. Ernest Aubin of Flint. Nine grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren also survive her, and a brother, Benjamin Linton, of Garden City, Mich., and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted at the Weidman Methodist Church Sunday afternoon, with burial in the Gladwin Cemetery.

Dinner was served to 50 relatives Sunday at the Masonic Hall dining room, by Weidman community women, with Mesdames

Marie Smith and Frances Going as chairwomen.

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### ATTEND WEDDING OF FORMER GILMORE BOY

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beutler and Howard and Carl accompanied Mr. and Mrs. James Beutler to Saginaw Saturday to attend the wedding of Miss Dorothy Pressprich and Stuart Fordyce at the Epworth Methodist Church.

A reception for 250 guests followed, at the Saginaw Country Club.

Stuart is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fordyce of Mt. Pleasant; and formerly lived in Gilmore. His bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Pressprich of Saginaw.

The young couple left for a Northern trip, after which they will continue studies at CMCE.

Mr. and Mrs. Pressprich, brother and sister-in-law of the bride, entertained out of town guests at a buffet supper at their home on Congress Court Saturday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Beutler of Ionia were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beutler.

## Bridal Shower For Miss Steckly

Mrs. Emma Middlesworth and Mrs. Joan Charnes were hostesses Saturday afternoon at a bridal shower at the former's home, honoring Miss Ola Belle Steckly, fiancée of Bruce Middlesworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Middlesworth.

Fifty-five guests were present, including Miss Steckly, her mother and grandmother, all from Imlay City.

Mrs. Frances Ritchie and Mrs. Margaret Denslow led the party in appropriate games, after which the bride-to-be opened her many beautiful gifts. A delightful lunch was served by the hostesses.

Sept. 11 is the date chosen by the young couple for their marriage in Imlay City.

Bruce is a Senior at Michigan State University.

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### LOCAL GIRLS SEE DON GROSS PITCH SHUTOUT

Esther and Irene Gross and Margaret Rau recently returned from their vacation, which was partly spent in Cincinnati.

They attended a ball game on Saturday evening, Aug. 20, between the Cardinals and the Reds where they were hoping to see Don Gross play. Unfortunately, he didn't pitch that game, but next day the girls watched him pitch his shutout victory.

While walking down the street the girls saw Don, talked with him, and found out they were staying at the same hotel. They attended church together, and later enjoyed breakfast with him. He furnished them with "ring-side" seats for the Sunday game, where the girls could observe every move of the players.

It was quite a thrill for the girls to see their home town hero making history in baseball.

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## Local Items

Bernard Esch is completing an addition to his house here, making it very attractive.

Mrs. Bessie Abbott has been helping at Norma McCary's Restaurant, washing dishes.

Mr. and Mrs. George McClain, Jr., and Melanie, Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Vandlen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wood and family and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Herman and Tommy enjoyed a picnic dinner at School Section Lake Sunday.

Mrs. Nellie Neil is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Roebuck, in Hersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Herman and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Navarre spent a couple of days last week in Detroit.

Mrs. Vina Rufner spent the weekend with her sister and family, the Shephards, in Mt. Pleasant, and at their farm in Ogemaw County.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson, Sr., called on Mr. and Mrs. Walter Taylor of Mt. Pleasant Sun-

day evening.

Wm. Louissell, Jr., spent the past week in Community Hospital, ill with pneumonia. He expected to return home Tuesday afternoon. He and Patricia expect to return to their home in Armada Sunday, to return to their teaching jobs in the New Haven and Armada schools.

Tommy Herman spent a few days this week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Boger.

Mrs. Dollie (Sprague) Bower of San Fernando, Calif., is spending two weeks with her parents here. After that she expects to visit other relatives in Michigan. Dollie says she likes California very much.

Mrs. Ann Pennington and Floyd and Ray Dutcher spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dutcher at Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. David Flower and family returned Sunday evening from a week's vacation at their cabin at Kalkaska. They visited other scenic points in Northern Michigan during the week.

Steven Lowing of Jennison spent a week with Tommy Herman.

## Calendar of Coming Events

Sept. 1--2. 30 p. m., Woman's Society meets with Mrs. Arlo Vandlen.

Sept. 1--8 p. m., Regular meeting, Weidman Masons.

Sept. 7--8 p. m., regular meeting OES, Masonic Hall, Weidman.

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Jimmy Heron spent Saturday afternoon and evening with Rusty and Billy Alwood. Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Tunny Mayville and Mrs. Matilda Fournier were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jacobs of Flint and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wynne of Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Reynolds of Holly Hill, Fla., visited Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Schultz from Monday night till Tuesday afternoon.



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**FOUND--Bunch of keys.** Found in our driveway one day last week. Frank Benn. Sept. 1t1

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I wish to thank all my friends and neighbors who visited me and sent me cards and gifts; the Weidman Sunday School for the beautiful plant, the WSCS for its basket of fruit, and Bill Louisell for his thoughtfulness; and all who helped make my stay in the hospital and at home more pleasant. Leon Parks.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to thank Francis Blodgett, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dent and their bean pickers, and the Weidman Fire Department for their assistance in putting out the fire on our farm last week. Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith.

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The Family of Mary A. Higbee  
William Higbee  
Carl Scharrer and Family  
Ernie Aubin and Family  
Clarence Higbee and Family  
Ben Linton and Family.

**Two Rivers**  
Mrs. Blanche Carr, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bartholomew and Charles of Detroit spent Wednesday at the Carl Krueger home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sansote and Larry and Helen spent the weekend in Flint, and attended the wedding of a cousin, William Bailey.

Elizabeth Beebe of Riverdale spent the weekend with Shirley.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Esch and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Swan were Sunday guests of the Don Swans.

Mrs. Doris Wilmot and Kerry and Donnie were Thursday supper guests of her sister, Mrs. Minnie Flaughter, and family.

Saturday dinner guests were Mr and Mrs. Charles Voss and sons. Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Larry King and daughter visited them. Mr. and Mrs. Basil Rogers were Saturday evening visitors at the home of their son, Vernie Rogers, and family of rural Shepherd.

Mrs. David Kyser and Billy, Mrs. Elizabeth Hildebrand, Mrs Lydia Snyder and Mrs. Clair Moses spent Thursday at the Scenic Gardens at Glen Arbor.

Mrs. Cora Ennis and Frank of Corunna were weekend guests at the Clair Moses home.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hazel, Laura and Edith Buxton, John Buxton and Janet Scott of Flint, Ralph Hildebrand and Leota Main and the Clair Moses family attended the reception for Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dutcher at Barryton Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Flaughter, Ronnie Flaughter and Garda Klish also attended the reception.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Shaw of Flint and Burgess and L. V. Case were Sunday evening guests at the C. Moses home.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Kerry of Flint were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Stansell.

Mr. and Mrs. Azel Hensley and daughters of Detroit were weekend guests of the Glen Smileys at their cottage at Coldwater Lake.

Sunday guests at the Elton Carr home were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hayes and sons of St. Johns, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Simmer and children and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Nutt and family.

**NEWS NOTES**  
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Appelgreen and family of Mt. Pleasant were Sunday supper guests of his folks, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Appelgreen.

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