

Opinions On the Consolidation Election June 7

To the Editor:

One of the hottest topics to hit our area in many years has been steaming for the past few weeks. Almost every resident of our school districts has either attended one or more citizen meetings, read articles in the newspaper, been approached by someone who has decided which way he is going to vote, or heard a report on the radio, concerning the good or the bad points of a proposed consolidation of the Nottawa Township School Unit and the Weidman Community School.

It is good that the discussion has stretched across our districts and reached the ears of almost every resident, but it is BAD that the debate, carried on at certain of our citizens' meetings, has been channeled to encompass the particular issues that have been stressed most predominantly. It is BAD when the arguments turn to personal attacks, prejudice, accusations directed toward very responsible persons and groups, and misrepresentation of some facts and recommendations of others.

This issue is an important one. One that well could have a very significant effect on the future of our area. The decision we make at this time could be the deciding factor of whether our communities PROGRESS and grow into livelier, more modern villages, or go BACKWARD and become villages with NO modern shopping facilities, NO post office, NO bank, and NO FUTURE.

Our joint communities have survived the shift in population to the cities and grown into modern villages because of the willingness of the citizens of each district to co-operate and live peacefully together. This is as it should be, but it is apparent that this trend is going to be reversed if certain methods of debate and lines of thought are continued.

From all appearances, the group OPPOSING the possibility of consolidation is a well organized MINORITY group, BUT unless the MAJORITY group gets on its feet and asserts itself and makes its desires known, the MINORITY group is going to take the gamble and run the risk of destroying the future of our communities along with the future of our children.

The Boards of Education of the Nottawa Township School Unit and the Weidman Community School have made a study of the problems confronting our schools and have made a UNANIMOUS JOINT DECISION that the advantages of a consolidation of the two schools far outweighs the disadvantages. In connection with this decision it was decided, again by UNANIMOUS VOTE, that the recommendations for the schools to consolidate be made to the people of the districts and that they be given an immediate opportunity to vote on the recommendation.

The study conducted by the Boards of Education covered these three basic subjects ac-

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Parade Friday

Friday morning at 9.45 a parade for Memorial Day will form in front of McClain's Garage, getting under way at 10 o'clock.

All veterans in this area are urged to participate in this parade. The invitation includes Spanish American War veterans, World War I, World War II, and Korean War veterans; and any members of the Armed Services home at this time. Others in the parade will be the Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, and other children with patriotically decorated bicycles.

The Memorial service will include a salute to the Navy at the bridge, and further program at the cemetery.

The program includes "In Flanders Field", K. C. Charnes, remarks by Supt. Rex Wood, placing of a Memorial wreath and dedicatory prayer by Rev. Marvin Eldridge.

The public is cordially invited to witness this brief period of tribute to the memory of those who gave their lives for our country.

Wayne Charnes is serving as marshal of the parade and program.

According to their importance:

1. Would a consolidation give the children a better opportunity to get the needed and desired subjects to better prepare them for their futures as responsible, well educated citizens?

2. Would a consolidation produce a system of educating that would furnish this advancement in the quality and quantity of education, at a cost below the cost of each district's furnishing the recommended program as individual units?

3. Would a consolidated system make the best possible use of the existing facilities which the taxpayers worked so diligently to procure?

When the answer to each of these questions was in the affirmative, the Boards of Education made their decision to recommend consolidation, with an election to be held in the near future.

Now that the date for this election has been decided on and published and posted, for the residents of the district to see, the duty lies in the person of every qualified voter to go to the polls and vote on the issue. Whether you vote in favor of a consolidation, THUS in favor of your children having a better opportunity to become successful citizens of the area of their choosing; or again against consolidation, THUS against your children having this opportunity, is entirely up to you, THE VOTER.

The writer is in hopes that our children will take priority over any other argument put forth in this issue, because any argument seems petty compared to the value we should place on the futures of our sons and daughters.

Fair-Minded Reader.



ERNEST SCHMIDT

Ernest Schmidt of Nottawa has announced he will be a candidate from the Clare-Isabella District for Representative for the State Legislature in the Aug. 5 primaries, on the Democratic ticket.

Ernest has been supervisor of Nottawa Township for the past 18 years, also serving as chairman of the board. He has a dairy farm, and has served on the township school board.

He put in four years on the Board of Directors of the Isabella County Youth and Farm Fair when it was incorporated, and also four years as director in the Eastern Michigan Tourist Association for this county.

He has lived nearly all his life here. He and his wife have six children.

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A BOY FOR THE IVAN ALLENS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Allen May 19, a son, Thomas James, at Community Hospital in Mt. Pleasant. The young lad weighed seven pounds and one ounce at birth. The Allens have a daughter, 20 months old.

JUDY SMITH WINS WRITING AWARD

Judy Smith, daughter of Mrs. Eleanor Smith of Coldwater, formerly of Weidman, has won a national award in the Quill and Scroll feature writing contest, according to an article in the Coldwater paper.

Judy won with a story in a December issue on "Christmas Thrills Immigrant," related by an imaginary immigrant looking at the beautiful city of New York and feeling that at last he had found a place to raise his family without fear.

The award makes Judy eligible for one of the Edward J. Nell Memorial scholarships in journalism having a value of \$500 each.

She will be remembered by many Weidman friends, who will congratulate her on her achievement.

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VOTE ON THE SCHOOL CONSOLIDATION ISSUE

This paper urges all qualified residents of the two districts, Nottawa Township Unti No. 5 and Weidman Community District No. 6, to vote at the forthcoming election to determine if the two districts should consolidate.

The qualifications for eligibility are as follows:

You must be a citizen of the United States, 21 years old, a resident of Michigan six months and a resident of the school district 30 days. Registration is not a requirement in this election.

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JERRY VETR DIES IN ANN ARBOR

Jerry Vetr, father of Mrs. Anne Beutler, passed away at University Hospital at Ann Arbor Saturday morning. He had suffered fatal burns in a fire at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Beutler, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Straus attended the funeral at Temple Monday. Kathy and Jerry Straus stayed with their aunt, Mrs. Steve Straus, while their parents were away.

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CLASS OF '48 URGED TO ATTEND ALUMNI PARTY AT WEIDMAN

Mrs. Lyle Knorr (Geraldine Swanson) and Mrs. Richard Stevens (Pat Stewart) urge the Class of 1948 to attend the Alumni Dance at the Weidman School May 31, Saturday night.

They hope to plan a class reunion for some time this summer.

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Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Handy of White Cloud called on Oscar and Ward Dell Sunday. The Handys have bought a home there, moving from Baldwin.

Herbert Lawrence of Blanchard called on Leo Wood Monday evening last week. Saturday callers were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kirvan of Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. Wood were in Evart Saturday, and they spent Monday with Mrs. Mabel Dent, who was ill.

Mrs. Walter Davy and daughter, Ruth, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Davy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hadley, of near Ann Arbor. Mrs. Hadley was very ill at St. Joseph Hospital.

Mrs. Helen Alwood and Jimmy spent last Wednesday and enjoyed lunch with her mother, Mrs. Hermione Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Abbott spent Thursday evening at the Ralph Swanson home, for a party in honor of Carroll Swanson, who graduated from the Beal City High School. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Knorr and sons of Shepherd.

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Better
Than A Letter

Neyer, Miller & Gallagher's Cotter No. 1 well was flowing at 50 barrels a day the first of the week, pinched in from a possible 100-barrel potential.

This is a south extension to the Gilmore field of this company's discovery field, 3/4 of a mile from the Jarman No. 1. The Cotter No. 1 is located nw nw sec. 5, Nottawa, and is the first oil producer for that township.

The Cotter was a hard earned producer, John Neyer said this week. Two holes were drilled to get the well in. The first hole was lost, and drillers fished 40 days attempting to save it, then skidded the rig and went on down to production in the Dundee.

The well was drilled in last week Monday with no show of oil. Three hundred and fifty gallons of acid were used, after which the well began to flow, last Thursday.

There are eight other wells in the Gilmore field, besides the Cotter. Two further locations are in the immediate plans of the company.

'SCUSE US FOR ANYTHING YOU MAY FIND IN THIS WEEK'S PAPER

We feel that this week's paper may come up with any old sort of errors, and we hereby ask your forbearance.

Minnie Roe has been slowly recovering from flu, and on Monday evening Connie got hit with a stone or such by her lawn mower, opening a vein on her shin. She's a nervous old thing, and after that felt that anything might appear in the Messenger and probably will.

Added to our family woes is the fact that Ruth Momany, our pasteup and office gal, has been suffering from the cold going the rounds hereabouts.

So--'scuse us our errors as you find 'em, this week.

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Calendar of Events

- May 30--Memorial Day parade and services, Weidman.
- May 31--Alumni Dance, at Weidman School.
- June 3--Ladies' card party, IOOF Hall, 2 p. m.

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Legal Notice

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION. Final Account. STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Isabella. In the Matter of the Estate of Charlie R. Forbes, Deceased.

At a session of said Court, held on May 20, 1958.

Present Honorable Burke McClintic, Judge of Probate.

Notice is Hereby Given, That the petition of Leland Forbes, the administrator of said estate, praying that his final account be allowed and the residue of said estate assigned to the persons entitled thereto, will be heard at the Probate Court on June 24, 1958, at 10:00 A. M.;

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

BURKE McCLINTIC
Judge of Probate.

A true copy.
Esther M. Gross
Deputy Register of Probate.
May 29t3

Legal Notice

ORDER APPOINTING TIME FOR HEARING CLAIMS STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Isabella.

In the Matter of the Estate of Stephen Schumacher, Deceased.

At a session of said Court, held on May 7, 1958.

Present, Honorable Burke McClintic, Judge of Probate.

Notice is Hereby Given, That all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims in writing and under oath, to said Court, and to serve a copy thereof upon John Schumacher of Route No. 1, Farwell, Michigan, fiduciary of said estate, and that such claims will be heard by said Court at the Probate Office on July 22, 1958, at 10:00 A. M.

It is Ordered, That notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing, in the Weidman Messenger, and that the fiduciary cause a copy of this notice to be served upon each known party in interest

at his last known address by registered, certified, or ordinary mail, at least fourteen (14) days prior to such hearing, or by personal service at least five (5) days prior to such hearing.

BURKE McCLINTIC
Judge of Probate.

A true copy:
Esther M. Gross,
Deputy Register of Probate.
Stephen W. Fox,
Attorney.
Address Hersee Building, Mt. Pleasant, Michigan.
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REBEKAHS HAVE SIX TABLES IN PLAY

Six tables of pepper were in play at the Rebekah card party last Wednesday.

Mrs. Ida Dole won first prize and pepper, Rilla Elias won second, Jewel Wagner low, and Hermione Smith the door prize.

Cake and coffee were served by the committee. There will be another card party in two weeks.

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EXTENSION CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

The Two Rivers Extension Club met last Tuesday with Mrs. June Garrett. Officers were elected, with the same ones as last year.

President, Mrs. Minnie Flaughter, vice-president, Mrs. June Garrett, secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Ethlyn Sandelius; project leader, Mrs. Leona Courser, and reporter, Mrs. Blanche Carr.

Lunch was served by the hostess. It was decided to have a picnic at Coldwater Lake on June 3.

Mrs. Bob Harris and son, Tommy, of Lansing were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Larson.

Kathy Emery is spending the week with her grandmother Emery in Mt. Pleasant.

Sunday guests of the Joe Wilnot family were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Chaffee of Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Voss and sons of Barryton and Mrs. Ray Flaughter were callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Cahill and daughter of Lansing were Sunday guests of the Blaine Stanells.

Mrs. George Sansote visited

her mother in the Sheridan Hospital Saturday.

Miss Jeanne Wood was a Tuesday supper guest of the Ray Flaughter family. Weekend guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Flaughter and Debra. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Chaffee were Saturday supper guests.

Mrs. Basil Rogers and grandsons, David and Danny Johnson, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rogers and children were Sunday visitors at the Fred Swan home.

Don Kobel was a Monday caller of Mr. and Mrs. Basil Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Rayborn and family of Coldwater and Mr. and Mrs. Elton Bunting and children of Belding were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oral Bunting. Sunday guests were the John and Miles Bunting families and the Kenneth Bollmans. Callers Sunday were Mrs. Bernice Cass of Lansing and William Clare and daughter, Josephine.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Carr were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Estes of Brinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Ritter and daughters of Sturgis were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Saunders and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Plank and children spent Wednesday and Thursday at the Elton Carr home.

S.W. Sherman

Mrs. Clayton Dutcher, Reporter

Joe Ross started work on the pipe line out of Ithaca.

Wednesday evening the Clifford Leiter family attended graduation exercises at Mecosta. Thursday they attended the Cub Scout Circus at school, and last Monday evening the PTA Style Show.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cornell had Sunday dinner with their daughter, Bonnie, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dale VanSyckle of Barryton.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Forbes were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Leiter and family.

Some of our small boys are very happy over making the Little League ball team.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wagner and children spent Sunday visiting friends at Reed City. Mrs. Wagner and Bessie Price called on Phoebe Embrey at the Edmore Hospital last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benn and Ray Darnell called on Ernest Faling and Ina Gillette Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ohls were Monday supper guests.

Mrs. Wilma Myberg of Barryton called on her sister, Mrs. Bert Cornell, Thursday. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nickleson and Eva, Freda and Paul were callers.

Phoebe Embrey says the doctor says she's getting along okay and that she will be there a few days yet.

Mrs. Lisa Losey stayed with

Ronna Dutcher Monday afternoon while Roy and Bessie called on Phoebe at the hospital.

Callers at the Roy Embrey home during the week were Fillis Losey and Mr. and Mrs. Ervin McCrimmon, Ike Parker Monday evening; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Losey and Mrs. Minnie Stranch called Wednesday evening. Fillis Losey called on Thursday morning, and Emory Leiter was a Thursday supper guest. Rev. Ronk called one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Foreman of Dearborn were Sunday dinner guests of Roy Embrey, Bessie Price and Mrs. Losey, and later called on Phoebe at the Edmore Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Cameron of Lansing called on Bessie Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Losey of Edmore and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Embrey were Sunday supper guests.

The Forest Hill Missionary ladies will meet with Mrs. Verna Cornell Wednesday. Sunday callers at the Bill Cornell home were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thompson and family

of Reed City and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nickleson and Eva of Detroit.

Mrs. Clayton Dutcher and Barbara and Dougie spent last Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Marilyn Losey at a party.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale VanSyckle and children and Ronnie Britton spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cornell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Dutcher and Dale, Larry and Jimmie were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Howe and family of Deerfield. They also called on the Clinton Second family.

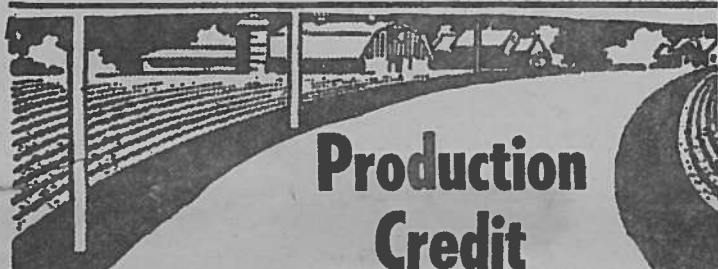
Floyd and Ray Dutcher had supper with the Clayton Dutchers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dutcher of Breckenridge spent Sunday evening with the Clayton Dutchers. Floyd and Ray Dutcher were callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dutcher and Dougie spent Sunday with the Theodore Case family.

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WEIDMAN METHODIST

Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11. 15 a. m.

The MYF elected new officers May 18, as follows:

Richard Shook, president;
Mary Houghton, vice-president;
Fern Chaffee, secretary;
Loretta Hess, treasurer, and
Sandra Hess, Reporter.

WEIDMAN BAPTIST

We have changed our prayer meeting to Friday evening at 8 o'clock, and have made Wednesday into a mid-week Bible study.

The pastor will be speaking on these subjects this week:

Sunday, 11 a. m., "The Rise, Fall and Restoration of Israel."

Sunday, 7. 30 p. m., "That Crazy Preacher."

GILMORE CHURCH OF CHRIST

A Children's Day program will be put on Sunday evening, June 1, at the church.

Vacation Bible School Starts June 9

Bible Sea Adventures will be the theme of this year's study for Vacation Bible School scheduled for June 9 to the 20th. The "Two Bells" will ring at 9 o'clock each day. Such activities as Worship in the Ship's Chapel, Cabin Crews, Fishing for Men, Ports of Call, Liberty, Man the Oars, Regatta, and "Eight Bells" at 11. 30 will make up the interesting sessions.

Age groups will be divided this year to insure better teaching. The 4 to 8 year olds will attend the first week, June 9 to 13. Recruiting will begin June 1, with all names being given to C. H. Gates, Minister, phone LUdow 8-4663, who is making up the "Embarkation Orders."

Young people are asked to bring their Bibles or Testaments, pencils, and an offering for the "Ports of Call" Missionary travels. A genuine desire to have an interesting time will insure a wonderful experience for all.

All children of the community are invited to attend.

BROOMFIELD LUTHERAN

Rev. Kuske, Pastor
10 a. m. Sunday, Sunday School.

11 a. m., Church Services.

FOREST HILL CHURCH OF GOD

Rev. E. A. Ronk, Pastor.
Larry Covert, Associate Pastor.
Sunday School, 9. 45 a. m.
Church, 10. 45 a. m.
Evening service, 7. 45 p. m.
Wednesday Evening service 7. 45 p. m.

The young people very ably took charge of the Sunday services. Larry Covert preached very inspirational sermons, both morning and evening. Earl Lee led the singing. A choir of 20 young people sang "Rock of Ages." Dalton Carr played "In the Garden" on the harmonica. The Holsted sisters and Earl Lee sang specials.

Bible School here will be

from June 23 to 28. Everyone come.

Baptismal services have been postponed a week, to June 8.

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Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kaninsky and children moved Saturday to Edmore, where Bob was transferred by the telephone company. They now have a nice house, which they are enjoying very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Appelgreen of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Vance Wood and family were Sunday

callers of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Appelgreen.

Mrs. Dorothea Straus was a Thursday evening caller of Mrs. Ray Baxter. Weekend callers were Mr. and Mrs. John Hibberd, John Schafer, Mr. and Mrs. James Griffin and children of St. Louis, and Mrs. Marie Griffin, and Mr. and Mrs. John Frisch of Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Ray Smith visited her mother, Grace Morey, at Broomfield Memorial Hospital Saturday afternoon. Grace is coming along just fine, and is able to go for short rides now.

Jane Courser of Deerfield spent Friday night and Satur-

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day with Jeanette Scott.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sprague were Gary and his family, for lunch.

Other callers were Harlan and

his family, and Mr. Sprague's brother and his son from Cadillac were callers one day last week.

NOTICE

of Special

SCHOOL

ELECTION

A Special Election of the Legal Voters of School District No. Six, in the Township of Sherman, called by the Weidman Community School Board

Will be Held at

SCHOOL GYMNASIUM, WEIDMAN
SATURDAY, JUNE 7, 1958

7 o'clock A.M. to 8 o'clock P.M.

for the purpose of Consolidating Weidman Community No. 6 and Nottawa Township Unit No. 5 into One Unit

Dated this 24th day of May, 1958

CLYDE BEUTLER, Secretary
Weidman Community School Board

Nottawa News

Mrs. Helen Alwood, Reporter.

ENTERTAINS THE FRIENDSHIP CLUB

Emmaline Ockert entertained the Friendship Club last Tuesday evening. Cards were enjoyed, and nice prizes won by Thelma Kolarik, first, Agnes Theilen second, and Vera Kavanaugh won pepper prize.

A delicious pot-luck supper was enjoyed by the ladies later in the evening.

KAVANAUGHS ARE GRANDPARENTS FOR THE FIRST TIME

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kavanaugh are proud grandparents for the first time.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kennedy (Kathleen Kavanaugh) of Oak Park are the proud parents of a baby son, born Wednesday, May 21. The little lad weighed seven pounds and four ounces, and has been named Michael John.

This makes Mrs. Margaret Smith a great-grandmother for the second time.

NEW BABY

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCabe (Mary Gross) of Lansing are the proud parents of a baby boy born Friday, May 16.

The little lad weighed six pounds, two ounces, and has been named Kenneth Robert.

Mrs. Leo Gross left Tuesday to stay with her daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Gross went to Lansing Sunday to be godparents for the baby when he was baptized. Mrs. Gross returned home with them Sunday evening.

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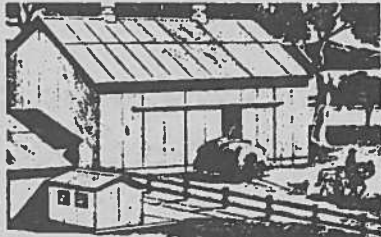
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They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Dickson and family in Lansing.

Guests at the Ronnie Breuer home Thursday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Breuer, Mrs. Pat Horan, Mrs. Harold Block, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Breuer, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schafer, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Laubenthal, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haupt and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kolarik. They all enjoyed ice cream and cake, in honor of Howard Breuer's graduation.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Breuer spent Sunday at Windover Lake visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hurlberg, and enjoyed a nice dinner with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lorenz and family of New Era spent Thursday till Saturday at the Pete Lorenz home.

Mrs. Don Alwood and sons and Walter Davy, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Knorr and sons of Shepherd enjoyed a wiener roast with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Swanson and sons, Richard and Carroll, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Lorenz entertained a large group of relatives and friends Thursday evening, honoring the graduation of their son, Bill. Ice cream and cake were served to the guests. It has been a long hard struggle for Bill and his parents, with so much illness to hold him back. We are all glad you made it, Bill, and good luck to you in the future years.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brown, of Clare left last Thursday to visit Mrs. Smith's sister in Tulsa, Okla. This reporter received a card Monday, saying they arrived at Tulsa Friday night. It rained most of the way on their trip. They enjoyed the drive, however, had no car trouble, but were very tired.

Mrs. Thurman Barrett of Winn was a Wednesday dinner guest at the Nick Breuer home.

Mrs. Ed Kavanaugh and Mrs. Frank Theisen took two Sisters from the St. Philomena School to Grand Rapids Saturday.

We want to make a correction in a news item of last week. Maurice Inman, instead of Tillmann, of Lansing spent Sunday with the Joe Schafers at the Don Alwood home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dole and Mrs. Rilla Elias spent Tuesday evening and enjoyed a nice supper with Mrs. Clara Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. Russ Maeder and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Don Wilson, spent a week ago Friday till last Thursday on a vacation trip to Canada. They report a very wonderful time, and caught some beautiful fish. The children, Jane Ann and Tommy, stayed with their grandparents, the John Maeders.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hauck spent the weekend at Detroit. Their baby, Peggy Ann, stayed with her aunt, Mrs. Russ Maeder, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Breuer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith at St. Johns.

Visitors at the Fred Smith home were Mrs. Max Aldrich and children of Remus, on Thursday evening. Mrs. Frances Endres and Rose Ann of Mt. Pleasant called Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Russ Maeder attended their club, The Four Aces, last Saturday evening, at the Gerald Faber home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Breuer called at the Don Alwood home Monday night. They had been

to see the first softball game of the season at the Weidman park.

ENTERTAINS IN HONOR OF DAUGHTER ON GRADUATION

Mrs. Frank Schmidt entertained Thursday evening in honor of the graduation of her daughter, Janet.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Schmidt and children of Ionia, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Schmidt and children, Mary Beth Schmidt of Saginaw, Beth and Theresa Schmidt of Saginaw, Mr. and Mrs. John Tillmann and Theresa, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Martin and Rosemary and Gerald, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Schmidt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fedewa and

baby, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schmidt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Neubecker and Jimmy and Mrs. Isabella Martin and Paul.

Mrs. Schmidt served a very delicious lunch, and a lovely evening was spent. The guests left at a late hour, wishing Janet every success for the future.

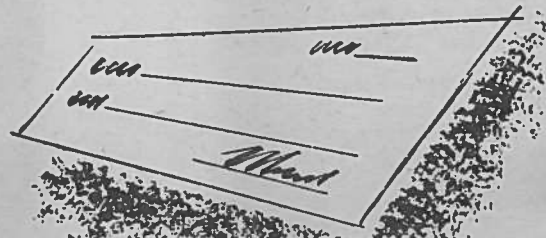
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ENTERTAINS THE SHAMROCK CLUB

Mrs. Clara Fox entertained the Shamrock Club Thursday afternoon at her home. Pepper was played, and nice prizes won, with Mrs. Hulda Stevens taking first, Mrs. Ida Dole second, and Mrs. Eva Carr papper. Mrs. Fox served a delicious lunch to her guests.

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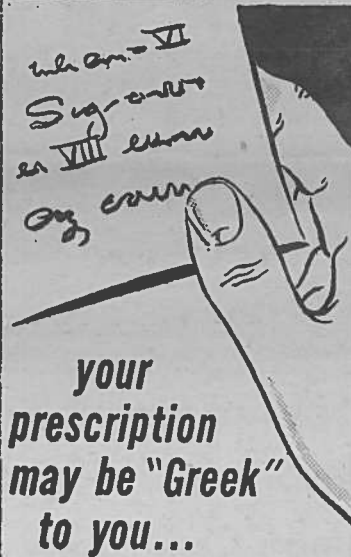
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Beal City News

Dora Smith, Reporter

BEAL CITY GRADUATES 35

Thirty-five students from the Beal City Public High School were graduated Thursday evening, with A. T. Rolph of Central Michigan as speaker. His topic was, "When Is Tomorrow?"

The graduates included Ron Anderson, Howard Breuer, Carol Burman, Ruth Ann Cotter, Richard Earl, Howard Fox, Larry Fussman, Jack Jacobs, Terry Kavanaugh, Bill Lorenz, Bob Lyons; Don McDonald, Tim Morford, Dick Paisley, Mary Jo Pung, Ray Pung, Katie Rahl, Jane Anne Reid, Gary Riggles, Twins Lee and Leon Schafer, Janet Schmidt, Dick Schumacher, Katherine Schroeck, Larry Sebenick, Mary Lou Sheahan; Mary Lou Simmer, Carroll Swanson, Jack Thering, Bob Thering, Garry Thielen, Theresa Tilmann, Mary Ann Vogel, Steven Zeien, Lloyd Fox.

Our congratulations!

ENTERTAINS CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Don Tilmann of Mt. Pleasant entertained the members of the Twenty Grand Club Saturday evening. Five Hundred was played, with high score going to Mrs. Virgil Smith and Clarence Schueller, and second to Mrs. Harold Block and Alvin Andres.

BEAL CITY EMBROIDERY CLUB MEETS

Mrs. Erma Thelen was hostess Sunday to the members of the old Beal City Embroidery Club.

These included Mrs. Joseph Schueller, Mrs. Louis Fox, Mrs. Joseph Tilmann, Mrs. Will Tilmann, Mrs. W. J. Laubenthal, Mrs. John Tilmann, Mrs. Frank A. Schafer, Mrs. Louis Rau, and Mrs. Andrew Schafer. Other guests were Mrs. Martin Grisdale, Mrs. John Ulrich, Mrs. Joseph Keiffer and Mrs. Willard Thelen.

Pepper was played, with high score going to Mrs. Laubenthal, second to Mrs. Ulrich, third to Mrs. Will Tilmann, and pepper prize to Mrs. Frank A. Schafer. The door prize was won by Mrs. Andrew Schafer. Mrs. Joe Schueller won the guess-

HONORED AT BRIDAL SHOWER

Twenty-three guests honored Miss Arene Grinzinger of Beal City, bride-elect of Peter Straus, at a bridal shower May 25 at the home of Mrs. Bernard Rau. Hostesses were Mrs. Fred Stefke, and Misses Bernice, Mildred and Carol Grinzinger.

Pepper was played, with high score going to Mrs. Gerald Simmer, low to Miss Margaret Gross, and pepper to Miss Mildred Grinzinger.

Guests were present from Saginaw, Mt. Pleasant and Rosebush.

The young couple are planning a June 14 wedding.

Harold, Walter, Bill, Bernard and Virgil Smith and Ed Zeien spent Saturday visiting relatives in Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Block and daughter called on Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Huber Sunday afternoon.

Miss Lucille Zeien of Mt. Pleasant spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Will Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest South and family of Mt. Pleasant spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Will Bleise.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith, Joe Lawens, Lewis Lawens and Maxine Kornexl drove to Saginaw Wednesday to visit Matt Kornexl.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer

spent Sunday at the Alfred Klumpp home in Mt. Pleasant. Frank Forest is in Community Hospital.

Mrs. Milo Eldred and Mrs. Bob Tatro of Winn spent Wednesday with Mrs. Tony Schafer.

Mrs. Michael Pasch in

Community Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Tilmann, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tilmann, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pung and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pung went to Canada Sunday for a fishing vacation.

Mrs. Arnold Smith and children spent Monday with Oscar Fedewa at Houghton Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Smith and family and Mrs. E. N. Smith called on Mrs. Gerald Smith Friday evening in Mt. Pleasant. Mrs. Gerald Smith has been in a Saginaw hospital.

Mrs. Henrietta Blasen is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tilmann's children while they enjoy a fishing trip to Canada.

Miss Dora Smith called on Mrs. John Gross and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shirliff Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Horan spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Horan and family of Rosebush. Brad returned home with them to spend a couple of days with his grandparents.

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INCUMBENTS FOR RE-ELECTION ON SCHOOL BOARD

Matt Engler, treasurer, and Ragolt Hauck, chairman of the Nottawa Township Unit School Board for the past nine years, will be up for re-election at the regular school

election June 9, it was announced this week.

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N. Brinton

Mrs. Frank Sisco, Reporter

The community was saddened and shocked to hear that Andy Letson had passed away.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown and family had Sunday dinner with their mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. F. Sisco.

Edna Wright was home from her work near Beal City for the weekend.

Jimmy Wright is the proud owner of a new bicycle, a gift of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Beal of Ewart had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. F. Sisco Saturday.

Don Stanley worked at the cemetery Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olger's children visited them and attended the Andrew Letson funeral Friday.

Don Stanley was a Clare and Mt. Pleasant caller Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Geasler attended the banquet at Lake School for the teachers and bus drivers Saturday evening.

Mrs. Josephine Powers and grandson of Flint visited her sister, Mrs. E. Conley, Saturday, and Sunday they attended

church at Clare.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lalone were Barryton callers Saturday.

Don Stanley is getting a baseball team together to play for the summer.

Clyde Denslow of Grand Haven was a caller of Frank Sisco Friday.

Miss Edna Wright called on Mr. and Mrs. F. Sisco Sunday.

Hazel Teeter was hostess at a party Friday evening.

Several have been working at their cemetery lots in North Brinton Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Sisco visited at the Harry Brown home Saturday evening.

Visitors of the Siscoes Sunday evening were Mrs. E. Olger, Mrs. E. Conley and Mrs. Mattie Longton.

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GROOM'S GUIDE


(Continued from Last Week)

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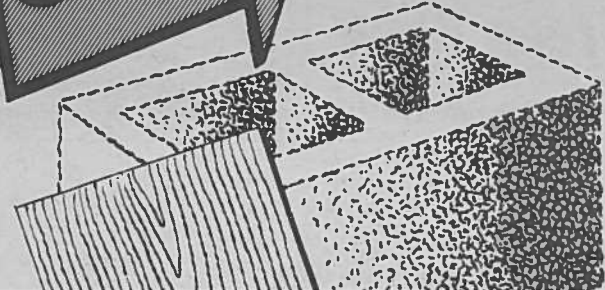
Two months ahead, settle your honeymoon trip plans and make reservations early. Order your formal clothes, and your ushers' accessories.

One month ahead, order your bride's bouquet, corsages for her mother and yours, and boutonnières for yourself, the best man and ushers. Don't forget a corsage for your bride's "going-away" outfit.





MOISTURE CHIPPING DISCOLORING



N. W. Sherman

Mrs. Frances Shook, Reporter.

Ervin Brown of Remus called Sunday at the Warren Leiter home. Lucinda has been ill with flu but is better at this writing. Mr. and Mrs. Leiter and children spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Wathowiak and family in Mt. Pleasant. They were business callers in Alma.

Mrs. John Wicks and daughter, Mrs. Mary Wells, of St. Louis spent Saturday night and Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Clarabelle Lee, and children.

Mrs. Clarence Dillenbeck and Janet spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Aisher Dent. The William Louisells of Armada spent the weekend with the Dillenbecks.

Russell Stanley, Sr., Robert Kirvan of Weidman and Robert Getchell of Lansing spent the weekend in Canada, fishing. Mrs. Stanley and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pung and Debbie of Beal City had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Andy Stanley near Barryton.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Rosser and children of Evart spent Sunday p. m. and evening with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dosenberry, and sons. Mrs. Dosenberry and boys attended the graduation of Miss Connie Cruchey at the Mecosta High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Monroe and Blaine are spending a two weeks vacation with relatives and friends in and around Flint. They also visited his aged and ill mother, Mrs. Sarah Monroe, at Otisville.

Callers of Frances Shook included Mrs. Ida Wright and Joe, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Lee and daughter, Eva, and family of near Durand, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bywater of Grant Center, Mrs. Dalton Shook and children and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stankwitz and children of Mt. Pleasant.

We're so glad to report that Mrs. Marshall Lowery, Sr., is home now from the Lakeview Hospital, much better. We're hoping she won't have to go back again. Her Saturday call-

ers included Mrs. Ward Loomis and Mr. and Mrs. Lou Gray were Sunday visitors.

Mrs. Loren Gray of Ann Arbor spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Lou Gray.

Mrs. Flora Van Sickle and mother, Mrs. Blanche Jackson, of Grand Rapids spent the weekend with the M. Millers and S. Dagues. Mrs. Van Sickle, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Archie McLean, Mrs. Miles Miller and children were in Mt. Pleasant Saturday. The Millers and their guests were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Archie McLean.

David McWilliams of Barryton and Pat and Mike Loomis helped Michael Gray celebrate his birthday Sunday.

Mrs. Dalton Shook and children of Barryton called on her sister, Miss Florence Myers, at the Duane Gray home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gross of Weidman spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Keith Loomis and Dennis. Mrs. Clarence King, Sr., and son were Monday visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Miller and children and Mr. and Mrs. Archie McLean attended a birthday party honoring Mrs. Stanley Dague Wednesday evening.

Many relatives and friends of Mrs. Marshall Lowery, Sr., have called on her since she returned from the hospital.

Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Berniece St. John and children were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bazaire, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Williams of Clare, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Sutliff and daughter, Mrs. Clifford Amy, of Flint. Sunday evening callers were Mrs. Henry Bazaire and Mrs. Lewis Bazaire and two daughters.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Loomis and children were Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Loomis of Two Rivers, and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Wathowiak and children of Mt. Pleasant. Supper guests were Mr. and Mrs. Keith Loomis and Dennis. Callers were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Loomis and children and Mr. and Mrs. Warren

Leiter and children.

Carl Shook returned Wednesday to the home of his son, Dalton, from the Mecosta Co. Memorial Hospital at Stantwood, much improved. He has a cold now.

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Around Drew

Evalena Hibberd, Reporter

Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher were his brother, Floyd, and son, Ray, of Weidman, and brother, Earl, and wife, of Breckenridge, and sister, Mrs. Chas. Losey.

Sylvia Dutcher's sister, Judy Kramer, of Shepherd, came Thursday and visited the school Friday with Sylvia. Mr. and Mrs. Dutcher and the girls took her home Friday evening.

Friends of Miss Eva Merrihew will be sorry to hear she is ill in Community Hospital at Mt. Pleasant. Her brother, Orrie, called on her Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Comstock of Blanchard and their grandson, Melvin Campbell, and family, called on the former's brothers, George and Orrie Merrihew, Sunday.

Miss Mildred Tompkins of Barryton and Miss Blanche Cliff and Mrs. Iva Hobart of Weidman were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Merrihew.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cummins of Farwell called on Mr. and Mrs. John Hibberd Sunday afternoon. James Dent was a Friday evening caller.

Weekend callers at the Roscoe Davis home were Mrs. Marian Upright and son, George, and his friend, John Lundberg, and Kenneth Lindsay, all of Lansing. Mr. and Mrs. Roger Mann of Lansing also called. Miss Marie Thomas of Grand Rapids was a recent caller.

Miss Marie Thomas of Grand Rapids called on her aunt, Mrs. Wayne Davis, recently.

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Green View

Mrs. Wm. Tanner, Reporter.

Memorial Day services will be held Friday afternoon in the Farwell City Park, with Rev. C. Hiram Gates speaker.

Farwell has Commencement exercises this evening for its 40 graduates. Sunday evening eight will be honored at the Gilmore Church of Christ.

Mrs. Amelia Tanner spent Saturday afternoon with her friend, Miss Franey Bristow, of near Barryton. Franey has been having rheumatism.

Mrs. Wm. Tanner called on Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sisco of Coldwater Friday evening, finding them improving.

Mrs. Elam Seymour joined her niece and husband, Mr. and

Mrs. Thomas Conway, of Ohio for dinner Tuesday with their cousin, Alfred Seitz, of Farwell. Mrs. Juanita Jarman joined her cousins. All enjoyed it greatly.

George Ribar of Lincoln Park came to his aunt's Millie Tanner's, Friday, taking his trailer house Saturday to Gun Lake.

June 3 Gilmore's softball team plays the Mt. Pleasant Assembly of God at Island Park. They are planning practice games at Weidman and Farwell.

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Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Smith spent last week Tuesday and Wednesday in Pinconning visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harley Sampsel. Harley was reported on the gain at that time.

Visitors of Ruth Momany and Maxine Dennis during the week were Mrs. Ross Momany, Jr., and children of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thorp and family, Gertrude Haight and Mrs. Kenneth McConnell and girls.

Mrs. Leo Neubecker called on Mrs. John Neubecker Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hibberd

were recent visitors at the Fred Snyder home. Mr. and Mrs. Scott Hamlin of Lansing, Mrs. Alice Oliver, also of Lansing, Mrs. Grace Hatcher and Mrs. Cora Mathews, both of Seattle, Wash., were callers last Wednesday. Ward Dell spent Friday evening with the Snyders.

Maxine Dennis and Ruth Momany were Thursday dinner guests of Mrs. Ross Momany, Jr., and family of Mt. Pleasant. They were Monday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thorp and family. Maxine spent Monday over night and Tuesday in Mt. Pleasant, caring for the Momany children while their mother and Mrs. Ida Van Horn took Peter Esch to Grand Rapids for a medical checkup.

Mrs. Helen Alwood and Jim spent Friday afternoon at the Davy Supply place and enjoyed lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davy. Walter, Jr., returned to stay overnight with the boys.

Mrs. Roy Embrey was reported the first of the week as recovering slowly, at the Edmore Hospital. She has been suffering from pneumonia.

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Miller, Mrs. Minnie Conley, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Wood and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bergquist and Bob attended a house warming at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wood at their lovely new home on M-20.

The evening was spent enjoying pictures which Paul Miller showed. A lovely lunch was served.

Richard and Elaine were presented with a large mirror.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Nutt and family called at the hospital Sunday to see Leslie Ferguson. They found him a little better.

Clarence Holsted called at the Ted Nutt home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Marilyn Losey attended Baccalaureate services at Weidman Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy White spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Cummins. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sisco were Sunday callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cummins were Tuesday evening callers at the Sidney Lawrence home.

Several relatives and friends from this vicinity attended Andrew Letson's funeral at Brinton Friday.

Mrs. Mary Nutt and Mrs. Lois Branson were in Remus Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Oplinger and boys spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hines and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Oplinger are spending several days in Canada, fishing.

Cloyce Miller and Luella Lennon were Friday evening guests of the Gerald Dents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crawford and girls were Sunday guests.

Carol Blodgett and Loretta Conley were Tuesday overnight guests of Geraldine Dent. Geraldine spent Wednesday night with Loretta.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson and family of Pontiac spent the weekend with his parents, the Jack Thompsons. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thompson and boys were Sunday dinner guests.

The Jim Thompson family have been sick the past week. Mrs. Stoll and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stoll were Sunday guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Denslow and Gary attended a Spring Festival of the Crimson and Gold Chorus, of which Carolyn is a member, last Thursday evening at Ferris Institute in Big Rapids. The Concert Band also played.

The Denslow family called on her mother, Mrs. Peacock, at her home Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Nutt and Mrs. Neva Nutt called at the hospital to see Leslie Ferguson Friday.

Miss Evelyn Connors, Miss Reva Barrows and Mrs. Melvin Gross were Saturday callers of Mrs. Maude Wagenman.

Mrs. Guy Carr came home from the hospital last week, and is feeling better. Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Carr and children were Sunday callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Swan and family were Sunday callers of her parents, the Leonard Denslows.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Letson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Williams were Sunday guests of the Jay Denslows. Mr. and Mrs. Williams were supper guests.

Mrs. Deborah Benn called on Mrs. Guy Carr Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Benn called on Ernest Faling and Ina Gillette Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dutcher

and the Harold Losey family were Sunday dinner guests of the Charlie Loseys. The Theron Merrihews were evening callers. Mrs. Minnie Strauch spent Wednesday and Thursday at the Losey home.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wood visited at the Clifford Williams home Wednesday. Foy is convalescing after surgery. Her mother, Carrie Wood, is with her.

Mrs. Paul Miller, Mrs. Margie Denslow and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wood attended the funeral of Andrew Letson at Brinton Friday, and later called on Ellen Geasler.

Bob Bergquist was an overnight guest of his grandparents,

the Howard Woods, Saturday. Pete Wood's family were Sunday dinner guests. Pauline Branson, Verlie Wilcox and Mr. and Mrs. Don Abbott were Saturday callers.

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Local Items

Janet Bergquist is very proud to be a part of the Junior High School Band of Mt. Pleasant. They have taken two firsts in the state recently, one at Lansing and one at the Holland Tulip Festival. They will go to Chicago in July. Janet is a drummer girl.

Mrs. Mildred Garner left

Saturday for a few days' visit with her son, Rex, and family, at Vassar, before going back to Florida. Mildred suffered from flu when she first came to Weidman May 17, but was recovered when she left. She stayed with Minnie Roe while Connie took a one-day vacation, from Friday noon till Saturday noon, with Mary Roc at Harrison. Mildred will fly back to Fort Myers Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Rex Garner and family came Saturday and took Mildred there to visit.

Clarence Ritter and son and Bud Young of Lansing were Saturday afternoon visitors of the Ray Smith family at Coldwater Lake.

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Nottawa Unit Board of Education

East Coldwater

Mrs. George Skinner, Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Thompson and family of Belding visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Forbes. Willie Lee and family of Durand were also guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Corey of Prudenville visited with Mr. and Mrs. Leland Forbes Friday, and attended the funeral of Andrew Letson.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Schultz of Weidman and Mr. and Mrs. Leland Forbes drove to Cadillac Sunday for a picnic dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Duwayne Miller of Clare, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wardwell and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Skinner attended the funeral of Mrs. Pearl Gilson at Petersburg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. George Pitts, Mr. and Mrs. James Pitts and Elmer Kidder were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Skinner Friday evening. Mr. Kidder showed pictures of his trips to Arizona, California and Florida. Especially enjoyed were the pictures of the Carlsbad Caverns, with their beautiful colors. Callers Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Will Jones of Clio, Thelma Smith and Mr. and Mrs. James Pitts.

Alice Riggles of Detroit visited with Lena Cole and Velma Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kripa and family of Mt. Pleasant helped Velma celebrate her birthday Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Geasler

spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Geasler of Dowagiac.

Pearl Loomis took Anna Cheadle to her doctor in Mt. Pleasant Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Carr spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bert

Estes.

Mrs. Josephine Bowers of Flint spent the weekend at her cottage in Lake, and had Elizabeth Conley as her guest.

Jim Wixon of Mt. Pleasant is in CMC Hospital after a heart attack.

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Messenger Ads Pay

Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Handy of Baldwin were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Louisell. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schafer of Midland also called.

Dallas McClain and Joan Williams of Barryton spent Sunday afternoon with the George McClain, Jr., family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Griffin and family of St. Louis spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Marie Griffin, and called on the McClains Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Floria and family were Sunday dinner guests of the Jerry Middlesworth family. They spent the day at Coldwater Lake.

Mrs. J. H. Clark and Don visited the Harold Clark family at East Tawas Sunday.

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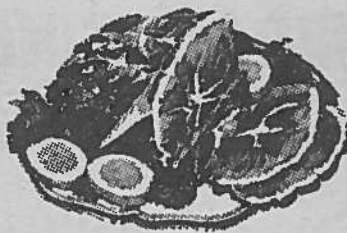
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KRAFT MINIATURE Marshmallows

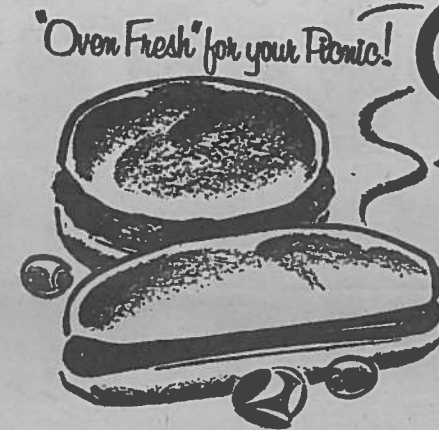
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