

CONNIE WENT TO THE HOSPITAL IN SAGINAW

First of all, my most sincere thanks to all you wonderful folks who have been calling to learn how I came out; those who somehow got cards to me on short notice, and the Weidman Business Association for its beautiful basket of fruit and candy.

Special thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Ron Radabaugh, who toted me to and from Saginaw.

I entered the hospital (or thought I was going to) to get ear treatment and stay inside, and you have to go to Saginaw, they say, to get an ear specialist.

I think, looking back on it, my ear man probably specialized on the left ear, and my trouble was with the right ear, thus disqualifying me.

At any rate, I was admitted as a surgical patient, over my protests. Extensive x-ray pictures were taken of my skull, this task taking up the two working days (for doctors) that I was there.

I was given mystifying and sometimes rather weird tests without explanation or report on how I did.

My ear specialist said he wanted me to see a neurosurgeon. I got home and called my personal doctor in Mt. Pleasant who had sent me to the ultra-specialist, and I said I had a right to know what the specialist wrote about me in his report back to my doctor.

I dashed over Monday afternoon (and, no, I didn't get all the way through the local news calling list, please forgive me!) upon advice that the specialist's letter had arrived.

My own doctor read me the specialist's letter. It reported all my x-rays and tests as coming out normal. "Why didn't he TELL me!" I said to my doctor. He had scared the livin' daylights out of me and had gone on his very specialized way.

So--that's the official report on Connie Roe, folks. A case of infected ear, high blood pressure, and nerves. Relatively simple, after the scares my special specialist handed me in Saginaw.

No, I didn't get any ear treatment there. He didn't examine my ear. I don't know to this day what he thought I was there for. And he would tell me nothing. As you might imagine, I love specialists. Especially the specialized specialists.

Thanks for readin' me, and thanks again for your cards, letters, gifts and good wishes.

Connie

ASA ANDREWS BUYS ROSEBUSH STORE

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Andrews have bought the Cairns Grocery Store in Rosebush, it was announced this week.

The new store will be called Andrews Grocery. Asa and his wife took possession last Saturday.

The family have many friends here who wish them all success.

Nancy Adams attended a pajama party at the home of Connie Starr over the weekend.



FRIENDS AND RELATIVES of Donnie Thorp gathered at the Oddfellow Hall to give him a surprise birthday party.

SURPRISE PARTY ON HIS BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Don Thorpe surprised their son, Don, Jr., with a birthday party at the IOOF Hall last Wednesday evening.

Many classmates of Don's from the ninth grade, and other friends and relatives gathered at the hall for an evening of dancing, cards and games.

They all wished Don Happy Birthday on his 16th anniversary, and many more.

A delicious lunch was served which included ice cream and cake. One cake was decorated beautifully by Daisy Embrey. The honored guest received some nice gifts, and he said it truly was a surprise party.

POT LUCK DINNER FOR WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY

Members of James A. Cliff Lodge No. 424, are holding their annual observance of Washington's Birthday Sunday, Feb. 22, with a pot-luck dinner at 2 p. m. at the Masonic Temple in Weidman.

All members of the Masonic Lodge, and the Eastern Stars, are urged to attend.

BENNS' GRANDDAUGHTER WINS SCHOLARSHIP

Jeanne Johnson, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benn, received a Y-Teens scholarship from Pontiac Central High School.

A student chosen for this must be from the upper third of the class, with above-average qualities in citizenship, leadership, scholarship, character, and service.

She was also named on the National Honor Society. At the Pontiac-Saginaw basketball game Friday evening she turned over her title of Princess to her successor.

WELCOME HOME PARTY FOR THE LEE PARKERS

A Welcome Home party is being planned for Lee and Monica (Wilcox) Parker and family, who are returning from France after two and a half years.

The party will be at the Brinton Community Hall Saturday evening, Feb. 28, beginning at 8.30.

Pot luck family style supper is planned. There will be music and dancing.

Everyone is welcome. Their many friends will be glad to see them back.

Obituary

FOREST E. BROWN

Forest E. Brown was born March 23, 1897, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brown, at Eight Point Lake. He passed away in Flint at his home Thursday, Feb. 12. He was taken sick at the Buick plant where he worked, and only lived a few hours after a heart attack.

He married Flossie Spurrier, a childhood playmate, Oct. 23, 1915, and went to Flint to live, where he worked in the factory and made a good home, raising five nice boys: Marvell and Dennis of Flint, Max of Vassar, Billy of Swartz Creek and Clair of near Detroit, who are left to mourn their loss, with the wife and mother. One son preceded him in death at age one year.

He leaves 14 grandchildren; one brother, Don Brown; a sister, Minnie Sisco of Brinton, and another sister, Edna Beal of Evart; and a host of nephews and nieces and friends.

He was a faithful worker in his church for over 30 years. Funeral services were held Saturday at the Lake Baptist Church, with burial in Garfield Cemetery. The Rev. Phillips of his church in Flint conducted the services. Pallbearers were his nephews, Lloyd Hunt of Clare, Harry Brown of Lake, Reo Pitts of Barryton and Stanley Earns of Flint, and Hiram Pitts, a brother-in-law, of Barryton, and Howard Brown of Clare. The family has the sympathy of all.

DORA SMITH IN HOSPITAL FOR SCIATIC RHEUMATISM

Dora Smith, our Beal City news gatherer, entered Community Hospital last Thursday, suffering from sciatic rheumatism. She was put in traction, which seemed to relieve the pain.

Our best wishes for your fast recovery, Dora!

Jeanette Scott spent the weekend with the Russell Showalter children at Winn.

Fishing Calendar

COURTESY OF WALT'S BAIT SHOP

HERE'S HOW THEY WERE HITTING ACCORDING TO FISHERMEN'S REPORTS TUESDAY.

Lakes	Very Good	Good	Fair	Slow
Weidman Pond		B	SP	
Coldwater x		P-SR		
Scott				BS
Littlefield x		SM	P-PR	
Six Lakes x	P-SR		B-S	
Perch (L. Sta.)				P-B
Horsehead x		P-S	B	
Tubbs x		P-S	S	
Boom x		B-S	P	
Pretty x				B-P
Evans		P	B-S	
Crooked x				
Chippewa		B-S	P	
Lilly				B

Code: B-Bluegills. P-Pike. S-Specks. PR-Perch. SR-Suckers. x--spearing lakes. SM-Smout.

Barney Tranbarger returned Sunday from Community Hospital after surgery for cataract on his eye. He was doing fine.

Caucus Well Attended

The Republican caucus held at Sherman Township Hall on Monday afternoon was very well attended, a bigger crowd being present than has been recorded in recent years.

It was voted, at this caucus, to dispense with Sherman Township representation on the Road Commission. Alva Cummins' term had run out, and it was pointed out it is optional for townships to send members to the commission.

Orrie Merrihew was in charge of the meeting, and he appointed Sidney Lawrence and George Woodin as tellers. They were sworn in by the Township Clerk, Flora Wood.

Charlie Losey was nominated for supervisor.

Flora Wood was nominated as Clerk; Barney Tranbarger as treasurer; justice of the peace, Hiram Nutt; Paul Miller, trustee; Howard Wood, Board of Review; constables, Gerald Losey and Roscoe Davis.

Elections committee remained as before, Orrie Merrihew and Clyde Beutler.

Democrats of Sherman nominated Preston Bishop for supervisor, Virginia Baxter as clerk, Bob Cale treasurer; Sterling Oplinger road commissioner, Frank Thorp, justice of the peace, Ervin Dutcher and Frank Gross to the Board of Review, Don Smith and Carl Scharrer as constables, Margie Denlow and Walter J. Smith were named as trustees.

In Nottawa Township, the Republicans nominated Wm. Fox for supervisor, Julius Bierschbach for clerk, Max Straus treasurer, Edwin Fox trustee, Edward Schafer justice of the peace, and Norman Gross member of the Board of Review.

Democrats of Nottawa nominated Ernest Schmidt for supervisor, Ben Weber for clerk, Walter Reihl treasurer, Arthur Tilmann trustee, Steve Pung justice of the peace, Paul Schafer to the Board of Review, and Robert Kirvan, constable.

Takes Over At School

Joseph Harrison took over as superintendent of the Weidman Community School Monday of this week, replacing Rex Wood, who resigned.

Mr. Harrison is from Mecosta, from whence he plans to move his family soon. He was principal of the Mecosta School. He and his wife have two small daughters.

He is a graduate of Western Michigan University, earning his M.A. from the University of Michigan.

He taught math and science at Stanton three years, and was in his fourth year as principal at Mecosta.

Want Ads

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WE'RE CLOSED THURSDAYS! The Messenger takes one day off a week, Thursdays. The office is closed all day. We are open all other weekdays, 8 to 5. Jan. 22tf

NOTICE
The Sherman Township Board of Review will meet at the Sherman Township Hall to review assessment rolls at 10 o'clock a. m. to 4 p. m. Tuesday, March 3; Monday, March 9, and Tuesday, Mar. 10.

FLORA WOOD
Twp. Clerk.
Feb. 19t2

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Card of Thanks

I wish to thank all those who sent me Get Well cards and gifts, and for the lovely basket of flowers from the Church of Christ in Gilmore; the beautiful plants from the Brinton Quilting Club, and also from Friends and Relatives. Your kindness and good wishes will always be remembered. Lizzie Skinner.

Thank You

Our most sincere thanks to everyone who helped us during Barney's operation and stay in the hospital. Special thanks to Daisy Embrey, Ed and Agnes Fox, Dorothy Chaffee, Yvonne Rada-baugh, Ruth Smith, Dr. Hersee, and the nurses at Community Hospital. Also those who offered their services, those who sent flowers and cards of cheer, and

those who visited him. Now we appreciate more than ever this community of friendly, warm-hearted folks who are always willing to help their neighbors. Barney and Frances Tranbar-ger.

Card of Thanks

To all those who sent cards and to all who visited me while I was in the hospital, and the doctor and nurses for their kindness, please accept my heartfelt thanks. I am so grateful and appreciative of everything. Bessie Teall.

N.W. Sherman

Mrs. Frances Shook, Reporter.

Mrs. Lou Gray spent last week with her son, Max, and family of Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Loomis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher. They recently attended a Gerber's meeting in Fremont.

Word reaches us that Orrie Sisco isn't so well this winter. We hope he'll soon be better.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Loomis and Dennis spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Loomis and children. They had Sunday dinner with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Loomis, and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Gross and son of Rosebush had Sunday supper with Mr. and Mrs. Keith Loomis and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gross.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Emmons had a water heater installed last Monday. His brother, Herbert, spent Sunday with them. Herb is now back in his own home. Clyde wasn't able to get home Tuesday night from his work in Clare, and spent the night with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kirvan, of Weidman. Their daughter, Bonnie, was ill with flu Friday, and unable to attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie McLean were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Miller and children. James Gorby spent Saturday night and Sunday with George Miller.

Mrs. Elwood Miller received word that her sister, Mrs. Dale Merrihew, was in the Flint hospital recently.

Frances Shook received word that her friend, Mrs. Hassie Gaines, of Flint, had a stroke on her right side last week and Friday she was still unconscious. She was so ill while on her five day visit here last fall, with a blood clot.

Sunday dinner guests of Frances Shook were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Monroe and Blane of near Mt. Pleasant. All called on her son and family, the Dalton Shooks, near Barryton, and Ernie Van Conant, who is assisting Dalton now.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Lowery, Sr., called on Alfred Navarre, who is still in the Lakeview hospital, Wednesday. This was his first day to sit up. We're glad to hear he is so much better, and that Mrs. Myrtle Dent, who has been home for over a week, is getting along so good.

Dennis and Deborah Pung of Beal City spent from Monday afternoon till Wednesday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stanley, Sr., while Mrs. Caroline Barclay spent the same time with her sister and

husband, the Donald Pungs, of Beal City. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary Friday, with their daughter and family, the Donald Pungs, as dinner guests. Mr. and Mrs. Don Stanley and son of Brinton called Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pung and children of Beal City and Mrs. Caroline Barclay and Sandra and Susie spent Sunday evening with their brother and family, the Andrew Stanleys, near Barryton.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Loomis and Pat and Mike were Monday supper guests of their daughter and family, the Warren Leiters. Richard Leiter of Lansing and his father, Harvey, of Titus, called Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie McLean were in Barryton Friday, and called on Mr. and Mrs. Miles Miller and children. Sunday callers were Mrs. Luella Lennon of Big Rapids and Cloyce Miller. Sunday evening callers were Clayton and Clifton Beutler of Letson's Corners.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Loomis and daughters of Jackson spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Loomis, and children. Other Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Keith Loomis and Dennis and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Loomis and Barbara of Two Rivers.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Louisell, Jr., of Armada spent the week end at the Clarence Dillenbeck home. Mrs. Dillenbeck and Janet spent Sunday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Aisher Dent. With help, Mrs. Dent is able to walk some now. Mr. and Mrs. Dillenbeck

spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Art Savage and children of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Sutliff of Lansing spent Sunday with Mrs. Berniece St. John and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Loomis and children spent the week-end with her mother, and her brothers, Mrs. Nora Ashbaugh and Lyle and Larry, of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Miller and children were Tuesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Archie McLean.

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Local Items

Lois Lawson returned to the home of Vina Rufner Sunday after spending the week with her sister, Frances Tranbarger, while Barney was in the hospital.

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JESSIE ROSENCRANTZ, Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cummins and Larry and Judy were Sunday dinner guests of his parents, the Alva Cumminses. Mrs. Cummins and Judy called on her parents, the Gordon Smiths, in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carr spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Carr. Rev. and Mrs. Eldridge are spending several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Carr while their house in Weidman is being remodeled. Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Carr and baby were recent callers of his parents.

Mrs. Edna McDonald was a Sunday dinner guest of her daughter, Mrs. Earl Oplinger, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Nutt and family called at the Earl Strong and Ronald and Jim Dent homes Friday evening and at the Bert Lyon home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cummins and family spent the weekend with his parents, the Alva Cumminses and the John Sheldons.

Othel Denslow was a Sunday visitor of his parents, the Leonard Denslows.

Sunday dinner guests of the Gerald Loseys were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Klumpp and family, Allie and Sandra Gross, Jeanne Wood and Harold Losey, helping Nancy celebrate her birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Theron Merrihew and family were afternoon guests. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dutcher and Dougie were Thursday evening guests.

Mrs. Yvonne Cunningham and Sherri spent last Thursday with Mrs. Margie Denslow.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Wood attended a surprise anniversary party on Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thornton Sunday evening.

There were 24 people enjoying a sledding party at the Vance Wood home Sunday afternoon.

Nancy and Susie Losey spent Friday afternoon with the Vance Wood girls.

Berl Denslow is a victim of measles this week.

Missionary meeting will be held with Mrs. Flora Wood Thursday afternoon, Feb. 26.

Rick Wood and children were Sunday supper guests of his parents, the Howard Woods.

Prayer meeting was held at the Otis Denslow home Wednesday evening.

nesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Davis were Sunday evening guests of the Rosencrantzes.

Garth Lawrence spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Lawrence. The Lawrences attended a funeral in Ewart a week ago Sunday and also called on the Merle Scott and Fred Diehl-

man families.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Fisk and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bahr of Cope-mish were Sunday dinner guests of the Joe Martin family. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keck and family were luncheon guests. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Carrol and family and Mrs. Pearl Martin and Woodrow were afternoon callers.

Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. James Griffin and children of St. Louis spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Marie Griffin. They also called at the George McClain, Jr., home.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Mc-Hugh and boys were Sunday dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Mc-Hugh, Sr., in Edmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ohls visited Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wilson

last Wednesday evening. They visited their son, Calvin, and family in Mt. Pleasant Saturday evening. They spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wright near Barryton.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Parks and family of Shelby spent the weekend with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Parks. They also visited her folks, the Al Woodburys.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kaninsky and sons of Edmore were Sunday dinner guests of his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kaninsky.

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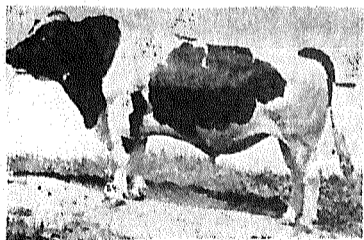
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Local Items

Mrs. Leo Kische started to work at the Ray Marcy home last week.

Little Jerry Abbott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Abbott, is entertaining the measles. The other four children are over them and are back in school.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Buchel and family of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Vance Wood were Sunday-dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Appelgreen.

Sunday afternoon and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Radabaugh were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hazen of Barryton, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Yarehouse and son, Donald, of Ewart, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Love, and three children of Lake, Mrs. Dorothy Thomas and Mary and Steve of Sears, and Bob Darnell and friend of Lansing.

Flossie Davy is in Columbus, Ohio, helping at the home of her son, Lawrence, who underwent surgery for kidney trouble last week.

The Gary Sprague family of Diamond Lake were last week Tuesday overnight guests of the R. D. Spragues. Don Scheer spent Monday night with Ron.

Mrs. Bessie Teall returned from Community Hospital last Wednesday. She was at the R. D. Sprague home the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Halfman and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Merlyn Smith of Shepherd Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Gatehouse and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gatehouse of Remus.

Rev. and Mrs. Marvin Eldridge spent last week with their

aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Carr. Mrs. Eldridge was very ill with measles.

Janet Waters came down with the measles last week in school and Bill Appelgreen brought her home.

Harold Davy of Pinckney, son of Mr. and Mrs. "Red" Davy, spent the weekend with relatives here. Harold and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cale and family enjoyed Sunday dinner at the Walt Davy home. Mr. and Mrs. Don Alwood and sons were callers at the Davy home.

Gerald McArthur of Huntsville, Alabama, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon McArthur. Gerald is working at the Chrysler Missile Division.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hathaway and Mrs. John Wejrowski and baby called on Nina Forbes Saturday afternoon. Alton Brien of Mt. Pleasant spent the weekend with his mother. Mrs. Forbes and Mrs. Kenneth Chaffee called at the home of Mrs. Fred Roethlisberger in Mt. Pleasant Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson McBride and family of Mt. Pleasant were Sunday dinner guests of the Bernard Esch family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Essenberg of Grand Ledge spent Saturday at the Ernie Loomis home. Mrs. Essenberg and Ernie are related. Another sister, Paura Sheldon, of Lansing underwent surgery recently at Sparrow Hospital. She expected to go home this week.

Mrs. Clayton Eckert was a Sunday supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Abbott and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Abbott and sons have been living with the Don Abbotts since the fire in their basement a week ago Saturday. They have been cleaning up after smoke, and painting.

FIVE PRESENT AT EXTENSION MEETING
The Sherman Extension group met last Monday evening at the IOOF Hall, with five mem-

bers present. Bad roads and weather kept others at home.

Arelene Leiter gave an interesting and informative lesson on Business Procedure. Papers were passed out on the lesson, "Looking Your Best."

The next meeting will be in the IOOF basement the second Monday in March, in the afternoon.

The meeting adjourned with a lunch of chili, crax and coffee served by Nina Forbes and Lillian Johnston. Oddfellows joined the ladies for lunch.

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Bowling Scores

MIXED KEGLERS

Helen Flower, Secretary

(Feb. 15)

McArthur and Flower	26.5
Maybee and Zastrow	24
Robert and Mishler	24
Trost and Mogg	18
Schell and Cook	18
Bowen and Earnest	17
Kolarik and Bleise	16.5
Fox and Middlesworth	13
Adams and Marcy	12
Kigar and Bobozien	9
HIGH TEAM SERIES	
Maybee and Zastrow	2461
Robert and Mishler	2338
McArthur and Flower	2278
HIGH IND. SERIES - MEN	
Al Bowen	508
Mitch McArthur	504
Lawrence Robert	493
HIGH IND. SERIES WOMEN	
J. Maybee	493
E. Zastrow	489
M. Mishler	448
HIGH TEAM GAME	
Maybee and Zastrow	839
Maybee and Zastrow	836
Robert and Mishler	836
HIGH IND. GAME MEN	
Mitch McArthur	297
Ray Maicy	192
Al Bowen	189
HIGH IND. GAME WOMEN	
M. Mishler	194
E. Zastrow	171
J. McArthur	168

Wentworth-Wentworth resigned. Kigar-Bobozien took over to finish out the season.

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WEIDMAN COMMUNITY School News

Janet Dillenbeck, James Neubecker, Reporters

Weidman had no school Feb. 10 and 11, due to drifted roads. The MEA meeting

scheduled for Wednesday was also postponed and will be scheduled for a later date.

The basketball game with Blanchard scheduled for Feb. 6, was postponed until Sat. night, Feb. 14, but due to the icy roads, had to be cancelled. The game scheduled for Tuesday, Feb. 10, was also postponed.

No date has been set for the Senior play which was to have been presented Feb. 13 and 14.

The elementary grades enjoyed Valentine parties Friday

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ENTRIES UP IN FISHING CONTEST

Weidman's fishing contest is beginning to receive some better entries this week.

Jack Burden entered a bluegill from the Weidman Pond 8 1/2 inches long, 7 1/2 inches in girth, weighing seven ounces, for 23 points.

Herb Morford entered a pike caught on Six Lakes on a tip-up, weighing nine pounds, 34 inches long, 15 inches in girth, for 193 points.

Due to small weather break, most fishing should be improving.

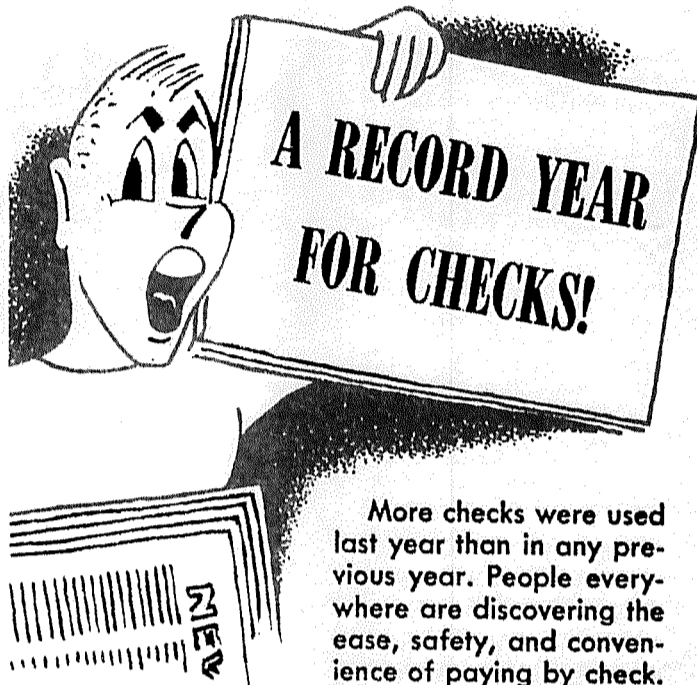
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LENTEN SERVICES AT BROOMFIELD CHURCH

Lenten services will be held each Thursday evening at 8 o'clock during Lent at the Broomfield Lutheran Church.

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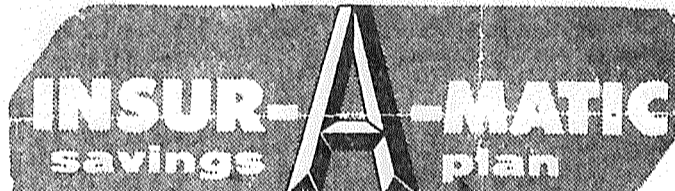
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Mrs. Frank Sisco, Reporter.

WEDDING BELLS RING FOR HAZEL TEETER

Wedding bells were heard in our little village Saturday afternoon when Hazel Teeter and George McCracken, Jr., were quietly married in Ionia, where he is employed.

The mother, Mrs. George Teeter, and grandmother, Mrs. Mary Jones, and Mrs. Estella Crane, Homer Teeter and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Teeter of Brinton attended. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Place also attended.

There will be a reception Saturday evening, Feb. 21, at 8 o'clock at the Brinton Community Hall. Everyone welcome.

There's not much news this week, so icy and windy. Not much visiting, and lots of people snowed in.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Sisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tower Mon-

day. So glad Joe is home, and Lizzie Skinner, too.

Visitors last week of Mr. and Mrs. F. Sisco were Edna Teeter, Lillie Donald, Mrs. Forest Brown and sons and their families; Alex Brown of Mussey, Marwe H and Dennis of Flint, Billy of Swartz Creek, and Clair of Detroit, with their families. They were here to attend the funeral of their father, Mrs. F. Sisco's brother. He passed away suddenly in a heart attack. They are from Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown and sons, Charles, Arthur and Elwood, spent Friday evening with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Sisco. Charles Brown and his grandmother, Mrs. F. Sisco, attended the funeral of Forest E. Brown at 10 a.m. So icy and rainy, lots of folks couldn't go.

Ladies of the Baptist Church served a nice hot lunch and coffee, which was well appreciated.

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Evalena Hibberd, Reporter.

ENTERTAINS BUSY BEES

Mrs. Clyde Beutler entertained the Busy Bees at the Masonic Hall in Weidman Thursday, Feb. 5.

Eleven ladies were present and enjoyed tying a quilt for Mrs. Beutler.

Immediately following a lovely lunch, the ladies decided it would be wise to get home before the snow storm completely blocked the roads.

The party which had been planned for Feb. 14 at the Busy Bee Hall was postponed till a later date.

Ralph Jackson of Tucson, Ariz., and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Binkley of Elwell were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Davis. Mr. and Mrs. Davis were Sunday dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sheldon.

Mrs. Robert Hines spent from Monday till Thursday of last week with her sister, Mrs. Ervin Dutcher, Sr., and helped with her work.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gaudard and children of Midland called at the Ervin Dutcher, Sr., home Sunday afternoon.

Theron Merrihew of Mt. Pleasant called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Merrihew.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Johnston and children and David Donaldson of Rosebush were afternoon callers recently at Mrs. Johnston's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beutler, and Mrs. Maynard Downing of Marion were supper guests.

Recent callers of Mrs. John Hibberd were

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hibberd of Mt. Pleasant.

Afternoon callers at the Ervin Dutcher, Sr., home recently were Mrs. Charles Lessey, Mrs. Marie Strauch, Mrs. Ervin Dutcher, Jr., and Mrs. Clayton Dutcher. Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Davis were evening callers. Mrs. Dutcher went back to the hospital Monday for a checkup.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cummins and children of Okemos were dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sheldon, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dutcher and daughters of Omaha, Neb.,

spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher, Sr. Arlene spent the weekend with the Bud Hines family of Winchester Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvie Merrihew enjoyed a visit with their son, Orval, in Battle Creek.

Recent supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Davis were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cummins and children of Okemos and Mrs. Wayne Davis. Their nephew, Russell Frayer, of Mt. Pleasant spent the weekend.

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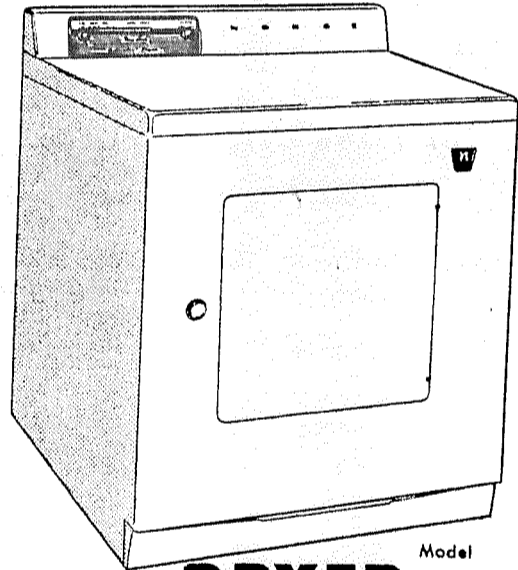
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Nottawa News

Mrs. Helen Alwood, Reporter.

ENTERTAINED MERRY CIRCLE CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Burman entertained the Merry Circle Club Sunday evening.

Pepper was played and very nice prizes won by the lucky ones. Ed Schafer and Lizzie Vogel won the prize for high score, John and Annie Faber won the prize for low score, and Isadore Schafer won the pepper prize.

Mrs. Burman served her guests a lovely lunch later in the evening.

The Max Strauses and Stan Blocks were unable to attend because of sickness among the children.

The next club meeting will be at the Leonard Johnston home.

WILLING WORKERS MEET WITH MRS. DOLE

Mrs. Ida Dole entertained the Willing Workers Club Saturday afternoon.

Pepper was played and lovely prizes won. Coletta Gross won first prize; Monica Grinzinger won pepper, Annie Simmer won second prize and Cecilia Simmer won the prize for low score.

Mrs. Dole served a delicious lunch to her guests. The ladies had a wonderful afternoon in spite of the ice and terrible weather--and were very careful not to fall.

The next club meeting will be held with Mrs. Gertrude Gross.

Mrs. John Quinlan and son, Bill, of Mt. Pleasant called a week ago Monday at the Nick Breuer home. Young Bill had been on a short furlough from the service and expected to be sent overseas soon.

Thursday visitors of Mrs. Don Alwood and Jimmy were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, Joe Breuer, Mrs. Orval Abbott and Mrs. Virgil Loomis and Barbara. Mrs. Virgil Gatehouse and children spent Wednesday afternoon with Helen and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hudak and family of Flint spent Sunday a week ago at the Isadore Schafer home and enjoyed dinner with them. They also visited Eddie's mother, Mrs. Hudak, at the Community Hospital.

Sunday visitors at the Pete Lorenz home were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Carroll and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Voisin and family, all of Mt. Pleasant. Last Sunday week Mrs. Lorenz called on Mrs. Flo Haupt.

Bobbie and Donnie Kolarik are entertaining the measles and have been very ill. Their sister, Mary Jane, expects to have them soon. Johnnie and David Tilmann also have measles.

Leila Bowers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Bowers, was married to Tom Graham at Mt. Pleasant Saturday. The Bowers family were formerly from Coldwater Lake. Pete and Loretta Lorenz were invited to the wedding but were unable to attend because of the icy roads.

Thanks to Mrs. Orval Abbott, the good Beagle hound pup named Toby, belonging to the Don Alwood family, returned home after wandering around town for two days last week. Toby was one happy dog to get home and hasn't begged to get out of his pen since. The wandering life of a stray dog in this kind of weather doesn't appeal to the Alwood dog any more. Eleanor is a great lover of animals, especially dogs and baby pigs. Her kindness will always be remembered.

A week ago Sunday supper guests at the Arnold Halfman home were Mr. and Mrs. Kenney Halfman and family and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Halfman and two children.

Joe Breuer visited at the Nick Breuer and John Bick home near Brinton Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Don Alwood and Jimmy enjoyed the Second Graders' Valentine party last Friday afternoon at the

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Weidman school. Little Jimmy enjoyed a ride home on the school bus with his big brothers.

Sunday supper guests at the Nick Breuer home were Mr. and Mrs. Norville Morey and family of Winn. Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Barrett and family of Winn visited in the evening. Bill Edmonds of Mt. Pleasant called in the afternoon. Nick is feeling stronger, he says, and even took his dog for a walk.

Mr. and Mrs. Russ Maeder attended the funeral of his aunt, Alma Butah, in Mt. Pleasant Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Skalitzy of Remus visited at the Leo Neubecker home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Gross and son entertained the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gross and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Smith, to Sunday dinner to help celebrate little Jimmy's first birthday. He also received some very nice gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Faber of Clare are the proud parents of a baby boy born Saturday, Feb. 7, at the Clare Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Paisley and family spent Sunday afternoon with her folks, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Simmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pasch and children spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Riley and family.

The news is scarce this week due to icy roads and bad weather. Many phones were out of order, so this reporter did the best she could on news gathering.

Mrs. Ray Sebenick spent Saturday morning in Mt. Pleasant on business. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence King and Eddie of Lansing called on the Sebenicks Saturday afternoon. Sunday

visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sebenick of Mt. Pleasant.

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Two Rivers

Mrs. Blanche Carr, Reporter.

Mrs. Ray Flaughner and Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Flaughner and Debbie, Mrs. Joe Wilmot and Miss Jeanne Wood went to Grand Rapids Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Bert Chaffee. Mrs. Lloyd Leiter was also in the party.

Mr. and Mrs. Singleton Moses and children and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Krueger and family were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Carl Krueger and Harold.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Sansote and family spent Sunday with the George Sansote family.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Rogers visited Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Pitts and family of Farwell Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rogers and children spent Sunday evening at the Basil Rogers home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Carr were Sunday supper guests of the Steve Simmer family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Larson are on a trip through Louisiana and other southern states, and expect to visit their son, Carl-

ton, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Flaughner and family spent Sunday with their brother, Raymond Flaughner.

Barry and Craig Thompson spent Sunday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Courser.

Mrs. Minnie Flaughner entertained the CMB Club Tuesday.

Mrs. Betty Moses and children spent Saturday at the Clair Moses home.

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Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ray (Dorothy Kaninsky) and family lost everything in the flood at Howard, Ohio, last week.

Mrs. Julius Martin was a Friday caller of Mrs. Leo Neubecker. Mrs. Neubecker spent Sunday with Mrs. Ernest Schmidt.

Mr. and Mrs. George McClain, Jr., and family and Mrs. Jean Wood spent last Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Armand Edgar at Eaton Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Allen and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fitzgerald in Mt. Pleasant Sunday evening.

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Mrs. Clayton Dutcher, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Howe and family and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Yuncker and family and Gary Dutcher were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Dutcher and sons.

George Woodin spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher, Jr., and family. Frank Secord had Saturday supper with them.

Mrs. Barbara Dutcher and Dougie spent Sunday afternoon with the Theodore Case family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Leiter called on Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Leiter Friday evening. Arlene called on Mrs. Freeman Leiter one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Loomis, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sisco and grandsons, Larry and Terry, were Sunday afternoon callers of the Ervin Dutcher, Jr., family. Fern Chaffee and Sylvia and Arlene Dutcher spent Wednesday afternoon with them and went sledding with Brian.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Maeder spent Sunday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gatehouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Wymer of Elwell spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wagner and family.

Susanne and Denny Cornell are having measles.

Callers at the Ernest Faling home during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Miles Loomis of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rescoe and family and Clifford Leiter, who called to

help out several times. A grandson, Ernest Foster, of Inkster visited Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Plank of Wheeler were last Sunday week callers. Ernest was feeling some better the first of the week.

Wayne Cornell of Flint called on the Bill Cornells Sunday.

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Green View

Mrs. Wm. Tanner, Reporter.

A pair of clinker tongs has been purchased for our parsonage by Mrs. Jack Johnson of near Sanford, for which our minister is very thankful.

It will be two years this Saturday, Feb. 21, since Mr. Tanner left us. As long as we are able, there's no snow at our mail box and ice was sanded. No trucker had trouble getting in.

Sorry to hear of Mrs. Bill Beck's accident, getting scalded. As you know, she is one of our near Brinton friends.

Mrs. Wm. Tanner sure has enjoyed the many remembrances of her Messenger friends, and will be home awhile yet, with only trips to her doctor.

Ed McAlvey's granddaughter, Maureen, of Vermontville, stayed with him last week while her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leitzenheimer, attended school in New Jersey.

Elwyn Pitts was in Lansing Tuesday on business.

Gary Kent and Gary Sey-

mour, local students, are attending Farmers Week in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson of Sanford helped their mother, Mrs. Wm. Tanner, Wednesday and Thursday. Mrs. Johnson spent the night with her mother.

Gary Seymour has been having measles. All are hoping our road man, Don, his father, doesn't get them as others in the family did.

Farm Bureau met as planned with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newman last Monday evening, Feb. 9, with all the bad weather. Everyone had a lovely time, with the March meeting planned with Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Lawrence.

Mrs. Ray Jarman spent Friday with Mrs. Charles Kent.

On account of bad roads and the prevalent measles, Merry Go Round Club was put off until March, the first time the club has missed since it was organized.

Lizzie Skinner and Mary Smith are home from the hospital and coming good.

Monday, March 9, was a big afternoon at the Tanner farm. Bader's feed truck got stuck on ice, snow plow came along and pulled it back into the road. Ask the trucker and Elam Seymour--no fun loading a couple tons of feed by bobbed. Egg man came and would have same job, only Charles Kent and son, Bruce, came with a tractor and chains.



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Beal City News

Dora Smith, Reporter.

BARBARA HAUCK IS FOUR

Mrs. Carl Hauck was hostess at a birthday party Sunday afternoon in honor of the fourth birthday of her daughter, Barbara. Fifteen of her cousins were there to help her celebrate. She received many nice gifts, and everyone had a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer and Louise Smith visited Dora Smith at the hospital Sunday afternoon, then called on Mrs. Pauline Boge and Mrs. Ida Engelman and Mrs. Julia Albar, and also Peter Schumacher in Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Bob Krantz of Grand Rapids is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Simmer, this week.

Mrs. Bethel Schafer spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Ed Gross.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer spent Thursday evening with

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keiffer.

Mrs. Ida Tilmann is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Mary Court-right, and family, in Mt. Pleasant this week.

Sunday evening supper and evening guests of Mary Beth Schafer were Geraldine Streng, Dick Schafer and Floyd Hauck.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Schafer spent Sunday evening with her mother, Mrs. Matt Breuer.

Mrs. Gertrude Schafer spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Louise Schafer, who is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Simmer are entertaining their daughter, Rose, for a few days.

Mrs. Andrew Schafer spent Thursday afternoon in Clare, visiting her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Harold Schafer, who is in the hospital there.

The Martin Quillen and Verne Schafer families are entertaining the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sunderman (Betty Schafer) baptized their

new baby, Ruth Ann, Sunday. Friends who called on Mrs. Frank Cotter say she is still on crutches, but expects to be off them soon. She has been on them about three months now.

Gerald Pung and family of Edmore called on Joe Pung Sunday, then went to visit Melvin Schafer.

Dick Smith and family went to Mecosta Sunday afternoon to visit her folks, Mr. and Mrs. James Henry.

Mrs. Verne Crittenden of Remus is in the Mt. Pleasant Community Hospital.

Dora Smith entered Community Hospital Thursday.

Mrs. Joe Schafer took Mr. and Mrs. John E. Schafer to Remus Thursday to visit their daughter, Mrs. Blackmer.

Mrs. Wm. Gross and Bernard Rau spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rau.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Dole called on Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Laubenthal Thursday afternoon.

Miss Katie Schumacher had dinner Thursday evening with Mrs. Wm. Gross and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Straus had dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Steffke.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wagner are the proud parents of a baby girl, born Monday, Feb. 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Smith and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gross and family, observing the first birthday anniversary of the Smiths' baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schumacher of Mt. Pleasant had dinner Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Theisen. Later in the evening, Frank Schafer and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Block called.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Tilmann called on Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hauck Sunday afternoon.

Charles Fitzgerald, father of Mrs. Harold Martin, fell last Tuesday in his home in Clare. He was taken to Community Hospital at Mt. Pleasant by ambulance, where x-rays showed a broken hip. He was operated on Friday morning, and surgeons put in a silver plate and pin to hold the shattered socket joint. Mrs. Fitzgerald is staying with her daughter and family. Mr. Fitzgerald will be at the hospital for some time, it was ex-

pected. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hathaway of Lansing called to say they have their first granddaughter. Their daughter, Rosemary had three boys and this is the first girl, so the family are very thrilled with this lovely little girl.

Beal City School News

Rosemary Schafer and Jeanette Pung, Reporters

The Juniors of Beal City High are planning to present a musical comedy the latter part of March. The play is entitled "Medics and Merri-ment." The cast is as follows: Dr. Drinkwater, John Haupt; Mrs. Weakly, Jannis Sowers; Mrs. Crossly, Ruth Schafer; Rainbow, Dale Tilmann; Dr. Slaughter, Elmer Reid; Dr. Cuttem, Sharon Thorn; Dr. Coffin, Dorothy Fox; Mrs. Crabby, Martha Schmidt; Mr. Strange, Pat Fussman; Bessie, Sharon Fedewa; Cynthia, Rosemary Schafer; Marie, Jean Thering; Honor, Jeanette Pung; Glory, Pat Howells; Phil, Dave Jacobs; Bob, Jack Smith; Mike, Glenn Pusch.

Beal City's basketball game scheduled for Friday night, Feb. 6, was postponed due to bad roads and will be played at a later date. Last Friday night the Beal teams played Farwell, losing by two points, the score being 56-54. The reserves also lost their game

by three points.

Beal City schools were closed Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 10 and 11, because of bad road conditions.

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N. Broomfield

Mrs. Maycie Cook, Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Orves Cook were Friday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emmerson Borders of Marion.

Mrs. Robert Hines spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Ervin Dutcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Lueder and Karlene had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lueder. Saturday evening they enjoyed seeing the pictures Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Lueder took on their trip to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Strong of Lansing spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lueder. Friday they called on Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Strong and the Rudolph Lueders.

Roderick Nicholson spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Art Krueger.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cook of Blanchard and son, Terry Dan-ol, and Mrs. Will Sheppard of Plymouth were Saturday evening supper guests of Mrs. Mary Cook and Arthur.

Mrs. Rosemary Reed and daughter, Debra, and Lawrence Lovell called on Mrs. Nettie Crowley Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cook and Mrs. Mary Cook enjoyed Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Emil Rhode.



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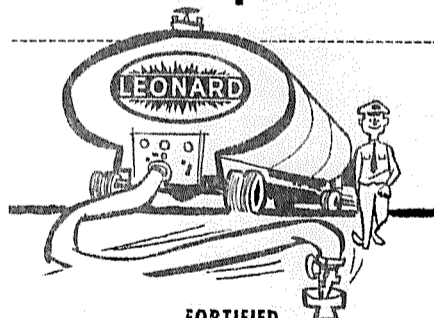
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