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NOTTAWA-SHERMAN FIRE BOARD NAMED

At their annual joint meeting Friday evening, the Nottawa-Sherman Township Boards created a Fire Board to function for the Nottawa-Sherman Volunteer Fire Department serving both townships.

On the Fire Board are Vance Wood, Bernard Rau, and Ed Fox, Fire Chief.

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WEIDMAN SCHOOL CHIEF IN HOSPITAL

Kelvin Chambers, Superintendent of the Weidman Community School, was hospitalized Monday afternoon.

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NOTTAWA TOWNSHIP DOING WELL IN RED CROSS DRIVE

Over \$300 has been donated in Nottawa Township for the current Red Cross Drive, Mrs. Richard Harkins said this week.

Elsewhere the drive is lagging, Mrs. Harkins said.

Many local benefits are realized from Red Cross activities, including its aid and service to men in the Armed Forces, as in getting them home in emergencies.

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NEWS NOTES

Mrs. Rosie Hogen was a last week Tuesday visitor of Mr. and Mrs. John Sheldon. Mr. and Mrs. Art Preston of St. Louis were Saturday evening guests. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cummins and sons were dinner guests Saturday, and attended the funeral of Will Rosencrantz. Saturday callers were Bert Chaffee and wife, Mrs. Bertha Blodgett, and Mrs. Doris Himebaugh of Houghton Lake, and Mrs. Lila Sisco of Brinton. Sunday afternoon Mrs. Alvin Cummins was a caller.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Donley spent last Wednesday in Big Rapids, with his folks.

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PTA CARNIVAL FRIDAY NIGHT

The Weidman PTA Carnival will be held Friday evening, April 9, beginning at 7.30 o'clock.

There will be a fish pond, lunch stand, beauty shop, bowling alley, comedy sketch, an art display, 4-H display, bake sale, and a basketball throw, rifle shoot, and a cake walk.

A King and Queen and Prince and Princess will be chosen during the evening.

The public is cordially invited to attend.



MR. AND MRS. WARD LOOMIS

FIFTY YEARS TOGETHER FOR THE WARD LOOMISES--Mr. and Mrs. Ward Loomis will observe their Golden Wedding anniversary Sunday, afternoon, April 11. An Open House reception will be held in the American Legion Hall at Barryton Sunday afternoon, from 1 o'clock to 4. Relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Loomis are cordially invited to attend. Mr. and Mrs. Loomis are old-time area residents, and their many friends offer congratulations.

Obituary

GORDON H. MILLER

Gordon H. Miller, 57, died April 2, 1965, at Hurley Hospital in Flint, after a short illness. He was a former resident of Sherman Township, where he lived as a child.

He had owned and operated a filling station in Flint for several years. He also spent a couple of years in the Barryton area, driving a milk truck.

He was born Feb. 11, 1908, the son of George and Ethel Miller.

He leaves to mourn their loss, his wife, Robbie, of Flint; a daughter, Marlene, of Galetta, Calif.; and two sons and a daughter at home, Ricky, Bruce, and Linda. Also two step-daughters, and his mother, Mrs. Ethel Miller McLean.

Also a sister, Mrs. Arthur (Jennie) Loomis of Weidman; four brothers, Floyd of Barryton, Cloyce of Big Rapids, and Elwood and Miles of Weidman.

Funeral services were held Monday, April 5, at 11 o'clock a. m. in the Riegel Funeral Home in Flint, with services at 2.30 p. m. at the Daggett Funeral Home in Barryton. Interment was made in the Sherman City Cemetery.

He also leaves a host of friends to mourn his passing.

CAMPBELL IS OUR NEW CIRCUIT JUDGE

Robert H. Campbell of Clare was elected Circuit Judge for Isabella, Clare and Midland Counties' circuit, according to unofficial returns Tuesday morning.

Voting was light, as had been expected, but Mr. Campbell rolled up 7,340 votes to James R. Rood's 6,027, in first unofficial returns.

In Sherman Township the voting was 51 total votes, with 47 for Mr. Campbell and 3 for Mr. Rood and one invalid.

In Nottawa Township, 113 votes were cast, with Mr. Campbell getting 95 and Mr. Rood 18.

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NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Cole of Mt. Pleasant were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beutler.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Middlesworth of Lansing were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Middlesworth.

Mrs. Aloise Berryhill spent the weekend in Lansing with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Pickens. Mrs. Berryhill went to Evart Monday, as her brother-in-law, W. C. Berryhill, had died and funeral arrangements were being made for Wednesday, in Evart.

BETTER THAN A LETTER

Obituary

GEO. WILLIAM ROSENCRANTZ
George William Rosencrantz, son of William and Eudora Rosencrantz, was born April 18, 1890, in Sherman Township, Isabella County.

On April 26, 1915, he was united in marriage to Jessie Loney, who survives him.

Also surviving are five cousins, Floyd Rosencrantz of Ohio, Clarence Holsted of Remus, Mrs. Mabel Wilson of Lakeview, Oren Leiter of Remus, and Clifford Leiter of rural Mt. Pleasant.

Will passed away March 31, 1965, at Kelsey Memorial Hospital in Lakeview, after a two-day illness, at the age of 74 years, 11 months and 12 days.

Funeral services were held Saturday, April 3, at 2 p. m., from the Daggett Funeral Home, with Rev. J. Edwin Heathcock, pastor of the Barryton Methodist Church, officiating.

Interment was in the Forest Hill Cemetery at Horr.

Will and Jessie had been married nearly 50 years, and had always lived on their farm south of Horr. They have hosts of friends who mourn his passing, and extend their sympathy to Jessie.

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JAMES EDWARD SHURLOW

James Edward Shurlow died Saturday, April 3, at the Sheridan Hospital.

He was born Sept. 23, 1872, at Hastings, Mich.

Funeral services were held at the Stebbins Funeral Home in Edmore Monday, April 5, at 2 p. m., with the Rev. Jack Shirvin of Edmore officiating.

Interment was in Forest Hill Cemetery in Stanton.

Surviving are his daughter, Mrs. Bertha Cross of Weidman; two sisters, nine grandchildren, 28 great-grandchildren and 23 great-great-grandchildren.

Mr. Shurlow had visited at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cross, and many in Weidman knew him as a friend.

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NEW TELEPHONE NUMBERS AROUND HERE

Two new telephone numbers have been added to the Weidman exchange the past week. They are:

Gilbert Wark, 644-3770.
Lee Parker, 644-3474.

Weidman Messenger

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April 8t1p

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Card Of Thanks

The family of Gladys McArthur is very grateful and appreciative for all of the kindness shown us during the many weeks of illness and death of our dearly beloved wife and mother.

Words cannot express our thankfulness for the many cards and letters sent to her during her illness, as it was good for her to know that others cared.

We are grateful for all the prayers that were offered for her by her many friends, for prayers were her greatest comfort.

We thank all of the neighbors and friends who were so kind to us during our time of need. For their gifts of food, their expressions of sympathy and the many things done to be of help to us.

We thank the ladies of the community who prepared and served the dinner to our family and other relatives.

We thank the ministers, Rev. Arlo D. Vandlen and Rev. Williams Reynders, for their words of assurance and comfort, and the Daggett Funeral Home for the many kindnesses shown us.

We thank all those who sent floral tributes and those who have made contributions to the Heart and Cancer Research Foundations as memorials to our loved one.

We thank the many friends, neighbors and relatives who have sent us cards and letters of sympathy to let us know that they share with us in our sorrow over the loss of our dear loved one.

Leon G. McArthur
Gerald McArthur
And Family
Stuart C. McArthur
And Family
Mitchell L. McArthur
And Family
Leon McArthur, Jr.,
And Family
Mrs. Yvonne Pitts
And Family.

Card Of Thanks

I want to thank the WSCS for the flowers and cards I received while I was in the hospital during the winter.

I want to thank all the people who were so kind to me.
Mrs. Nellie Neil.

BETTER THAN A LETTER

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Smith spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Levi Reed in St. Louis.

LeRoy Robinson of Big Rapids is spending the week with his grandmother, Mrs. Lydia Snider.

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WEIDMAN METHODIST CHURCH

Union Good Friday services will be held at the Weidman Methodist Church from 1 to 2 p.m. Friday, April 16. Three ministers will speak, and there will be special music. Members and friends from the Weidman Baptist Church, the Forest Hill Church of God, the Deerfield Methodist Church, and the Weidman Methodist Church will be present for the services.

There will be a Young Couples' bowling party Saturday evening, at Mt. Pleasant.

This Friday, April 9, ladies of the church are invited to attend a White Breakfast at the Evert Methodist Church, a 9 a.m.

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CHEVROLET SALES

Around Horr

Jessie Rosencrantz, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fitzgerald of Kalkaska were Sunday dinner and afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Losey and Jessie Rosencrantz. George and Connie Skinner of Weidman were Friday callers.

Several people had lunch at the Charlie Losey home Saturday afternoon.

John Thompson was a Tuesday p. m. caller of the Jack and Jim Thompson families.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thompson and boys attended the dance at the Drew Hall Saturday evening.

Bobby Thompson had Terry Stephen of rural Remus as an overnight guest a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Lawrence spent Sunday with their son, Garth, and family at Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Oplinger attended an NFO meeting at the Vernon Township Hall Saturday evening.

Mrs. Violet Oplinger spent Wednesday p. m. with Mrs. Leah Scharer.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin were Saturday callers in Muskegon.

The Joe Martin family were Sunday dinner guests of his sister and family, the Lloyd Carrolls, and they also called on another sister, Mrs. Alma Byron.

Lynette Jackson spent Saturday night and Sunday at the Gerald Losey home.

Carol Gross was a Sunday caller at the Gerald Losey home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Losey and family were Sunday p. m. callers at the Theron Merrihew home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dent spent Tuesday with their daughter, Evelyn Roberts, and family.

Harry Dent spent Thursday p. m. with his sister, GERALINE Johnson. Little Cherri came home with him and spent overnight with her grandparents and Harry.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dent and Harry spent Sunday with the Harold Krueger family. Linda and boys came home with them and spent the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dent spent Saturday p. m. at the home of Mrs. Ethel McLean.

Word has been received of the death of Gordon Miller. The funeral was held Monday p. m. at Barryton.

Mr. and Mrs. Red McDaniels and family were Sunday p. m. guests of the Gerald Dents.

Mrs. Henry Hulbert, Mrs. Eva Denslow, Mrs. Opal Denslow, Mrs. Lydia Snider and Mrs. Flora Wood attended a breakfast at the Weidman Methodist Church Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Denslow were Wednesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson. In the afternoon they all called at the Wilbur and Milford Denslow homes.

Mrs. Verla Wilcox and Mrs. Flora Wood called on Martin Boger Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Joyce Sheets and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Denslow and family were Sunday evening callers of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Denslow.

Mrs. Kathryn Wood and Carol were among 11 from the Weidman School who attended an FHA convention at Grand Rapids Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Berneth Michaels and boys were Sunday evening callers of the Vance Woods.

Funeral services were held Saturday at 2 o'clock p. m. at the Daggett Funeral Home for Wm. Rosencrantz, who passed away Wednesday p. m. at Kelsey Memorial Hospital, from cerebral hemorrhage and stroke.

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Beal City

Dora Smith, Reporter

Mrs. Joseph Andres of Big Rapids spent the weekend with her father, Mike Pasch.

Leander Bierschbach spent the past week in the Alma Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hooker have returned from Florida. They called on Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kavanaugh motored to Yale Saturday to spend the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Schmalbach of Mt. Pleasant spent the weekend at the Ed Kavanaugh home.

Katherine Martin is in Community Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Eldred of Blanchard spent Sunday at the Tony Schafer home.

John W. Schafer of Saginaw spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schafer.

Mrs. Maureen Schmalbach of Mt. Pleasant substituted teaching for Mrs. Harley Schumacher, who was ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pung and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Willard Thelen.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schafer and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pung called on Joe Pantenberg Sunday afternoon. Mr. Pantenburg is some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Profrock and family of Reed City called on Mrs. Louise Smith, but did not find her home.

Gertrude Grodski, Mrs. Louise Smith and Dora Smith and the Walter Rau children drove to Reed City Sunday to see the Arnold Simmer family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rau and girls and Ann Smith drove to Lansing Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Theresa Ahlers spent Tuesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pung.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schafer and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pung spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John Gross.

Mrs. Mary Ulrich is home from the hospital, feeling better.

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Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sprague were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jib Hall in Barryton. They called on Mr. and Mrs. Martin Boger Saturday afternoon. Sunday they brought Mrs. Almeda Sprague from the Ardis Rest Home, and she and Mrs. Bessie Teall were Sunday dinner guests. Afternoon callers were Mrs. Alvin Schumacher, Mrs. Ada Kelsey, Mrs. Eldon Reynolds and Alfred Sprague and two children, all of Lansing; Mrs. Ernest Pitts and two children of rural Mt. Pleasant, and the Bill Spragues and Gary Sprague of Weidman.

Mrs. Will J. Smith was a Sunday dinner guest of the Don Smith family.

Rev. and Mrs. Robert Buck of Perry were last Wednesday afternoon callers at the Ivan Allen home. Weekend guests were Misses Ardith Hunt and Joyce Cline, both missionaries in the Far East Broadcasting Company in the Philippines. The young ladies conducted the morning service at the Forest Hill Church of God.

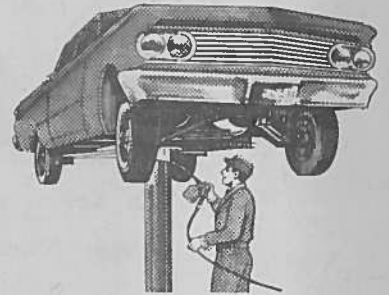
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ervin of Rosebush were Friday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Wark. Mr. Wark entered Community Hospital Monday, expecting to be there a week to 10 days.

Harold Clark of Saline was a Friday supper guest of his mother, Mrs. Bertha Clark, and Don and Lela.

Oscar Dell was reported much better this week.



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S.W. Sherman**Goldie Dutcher, Reporter**

This community wishes to extend our sympathy to the family of William Rosencrantz.

Callers at the Ervin Dutcher, Jr., home during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Chaffee on Tuesday, Fern Chaffee Wednesday, Dennie Howard and the Geo. Woodins Friday, and Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher, Sr., Sunday.

Linda Hardenburg was sick with the flu all last week, but intended to go back to school Tuesday. Judy spent Sunday with her sister and family, the Chelsea Lathams.

We heard the wild geese going over last Thursday night, in the snow storm. There were either several flocks or they kept circling our house for a couple of

hours.

Nearly everyone around here has been watching the deer herd feeding on the Ervin Dutcher, Jr., cornfield. There are between 50 and 100 deer that come out there twice a day, and they are lots of fun to watch.

There was a real nice crowd at the dance at Drew Hall Saturday night, and everyone seemed to have a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dutcher and children of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Dutcher and Larry Dutcher of Mt. Morris spent the weekend with their parents, the Clayton Dutchers. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dutcher were Sunday dinner guests Mrs. Minnie Strauch of Mt. Pleasant, Miss Carol Simkins and Jerry Simkins were Sunday afternoon callers.

Mrs. Minnie Strauch of Mt. Pleas-

ant attended the funeral of Will Rosencrantz, and spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hines and Mr. and Mrs. George Woodin spent Wednesday evening, and Mrs. Florence Huffman was a Tuesday caller of the Dutchers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher had supper with the Robert Hines family Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dutcher of Breckenridge came Saturday to attend the funeral of Will Rosencrantz, and called on the Clayton Dutchers.

Gary Dutcher and children called Sunday on the Clayton Dutchers.

Lucille Merrihew and Marion and Mary Beutler attended a White Breakfast at the Methodist Church in Weidman Thursday morning.

Bonnie Dutcher attended a party at the home of Karen Mercer last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher and Clayton Dutcher were Mt. Pleasant callers Monday.

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SOUTHWEST GILMORE**VERNA SEYMOUR, Reporter**

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Buchel and Laraine, Darlene and Donna went to Lansing Saturday to visit relatives. They returned Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Slingend of Midland visited their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Elam Seymour. They also called at the Don Seymour home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moline of Chesaning called on Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wood Sunday.

Harley Beck of Farwell visited his sister, Grace Seymour, and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Abbott and Karen were Sunday dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Abbott, near Weidman.

Mary Helen Pitts said this Monday morning that her folks, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fordyce, are on their way home from Florida.

Donna Abbott and Karen called on her folks, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kent, Monday.

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East Coldwater**Esther Skinner, Reporter**

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Routheaux and Randy of St. Louis, Mrs. Elana Miller of Farwell, called on Mr. and Mrs. Harold Skinner and family Tuesday evening last week for a surprise birthday party for Wallace Skinner. The occasion also was Randy Routheaux's birthday. He was three years old Mar. 30, Wally was 17 April 2. Later that evening, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Allen and children of Blanchard called on the Skinners.

Bruce Hamilton of Mt. Pleasant called on Mr. and Mrs. Harold Skinner Monday. Bruce went with Harold to Belding for apples.

Mrs. Laura Latham fell Monday and cracked her coxis bone. She went back to the doctor Friday for more treatments, and is im-

proving at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Olger and family called on her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Latham.

Weidman and Barryton didn't have school Friday because of the April Fool's present of three inches more snow, and drifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Allen (Alphretta Hamilton) of Blanchard are the proud parents of a new baby boy.

Dewey Olger and Stewart Voss were business callers in Clare on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Olger were in Remus Tuesday.

Dewey Olger cleaned out Clarence Conley's driveway Sunday, so they could haul out hay.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Skinner and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Routheaux and Randy, and Elana Miller, of St. Louis, Sunday. Alice and Brenda Skinner are spending a few days with their Grandmother Miller and Randy, and their aunt and uncle.

Friday Dewey Olger cleaned the snow away from the Coldwater Township Hall for voting Monday.

Jim Latham, Glenowyn Starks and Stewart Voss called on Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Olger Saturday evening.

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N. Brinton**Edna Teeter, Reporter**

Virgil and Eunice LaLonde came home from their daughter's, Helen's last Wednesday, and returned again Saturday. Helen and her husband live at Boyne City. They have purchased a home which needed some remodeling. Virgil is doing the work for them.

Sunday visitors at the Bert Estes home were Mr. and Mrs. Jennings of Midland and Adolf Staba of Detroit.

Keith Durkey of near Farwell was a weekend guest of his Grandma Whaley.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Teeter and two boys of Shepherd and Hazel McCracken and son visited at the Teeter home Sunday. They also called at the Earl Place home. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whaley spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Whaley's son and family of Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Viril Wright of Greenville spent the weekend with the Russell Wrights.

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NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Allen spent Friday with relatives in St. Louis. Ledy Allen, their grandson, came home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beutler were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fordyce near Rosebush.

Misses Ardith Hunt and Joyce Cline showed their missionary sound movies at the James Noe home Saturday afternoon. Miss Hunt is a music major graduate of Michigan State University, and is an accomplished musician. The movies they showed were in color, and the Noes enjoyed them very greatly.

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Coldwater Lake

Mrs. Richard Harkins, Reporter

Miss Katie Courser observed her fourth birthday Sunday, with her grandmother, Mrs. Celia Allen, of Blanchard, as guest. Ice cream and cake--and of course birthday gifts, were the highlights of the day.

Mrs. Viola Curtis was a Sunday supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rupp.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edmonds spent the weekend in Kalamazoo.

Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rupp were Alvin Wood and wife of Gilmore. Alvin was reported ill this week, with mumps. The Woods reported that their son Gerald was in the hospital at Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith, are now living in Ypsilanti, where he works for Northwest Airlines. Terry Smith has been taking an auto technician's course in Detroit with General Motors.

A meeting of the Coldwater Lake Association's fish committee was held recently, when Kilbourn Parons, president of the Barryton Rod and Gun Club, and Donald Peterson, district biologist for the Michigan Department of Conservation, appeared as guest consultants regarding the condition of the lake so far as fishing is concerned. The committee, with these resource people, are studying the best ways to improve fishing conditions in Coldwater Lake.

Several neighbors went together and installed a new mercury street light, at the bottom of the hill at Jordan and Littlefield Roads. The expense, which was considerable, was shared among the Lloyd Woods, Eddie Vanden Bosch, Mrs. Glen Smiley, the Homer Moseses, and the Edward J. Schafers.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lichtenfelt, summer residents of the lake, are in California this week, for a conference and vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edmonds, a former Mt. Pleasant barber for many years, has retired, and they are making their permanent home at the lake.

Dan Goodell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Goodell of Coldwater Lake, was home last weekend from Northern Michigan University, at Marquette, where he is a Sophomore.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carl Embrey were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maxon of Broomfield. In the evening the two couples called on Mrs. Bessie Price and Liza Losey at Mt. Pleasant.

Friday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sprague were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dent of Farwell.

Mrs. Lew Frantz returned Sunday from Community Hospital at Mt. Pleasant after a month's stay.

Mrs. Frantz was reported as some improved, but still seriously ill.

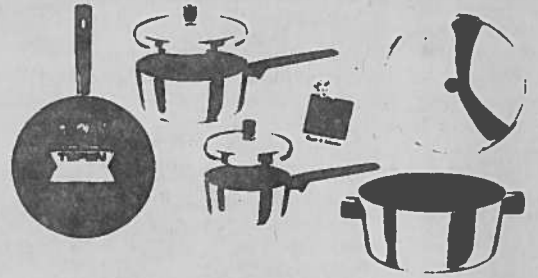
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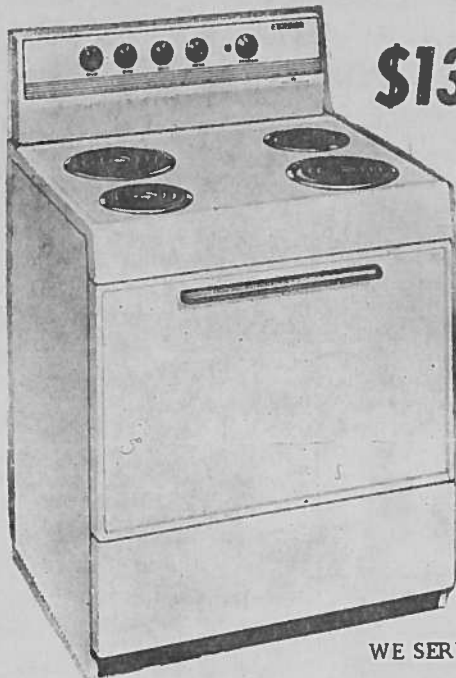
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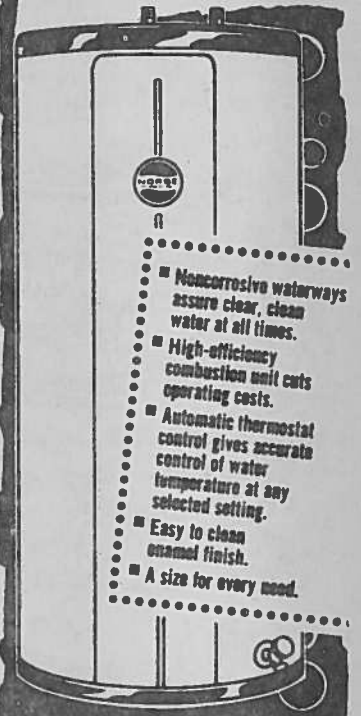
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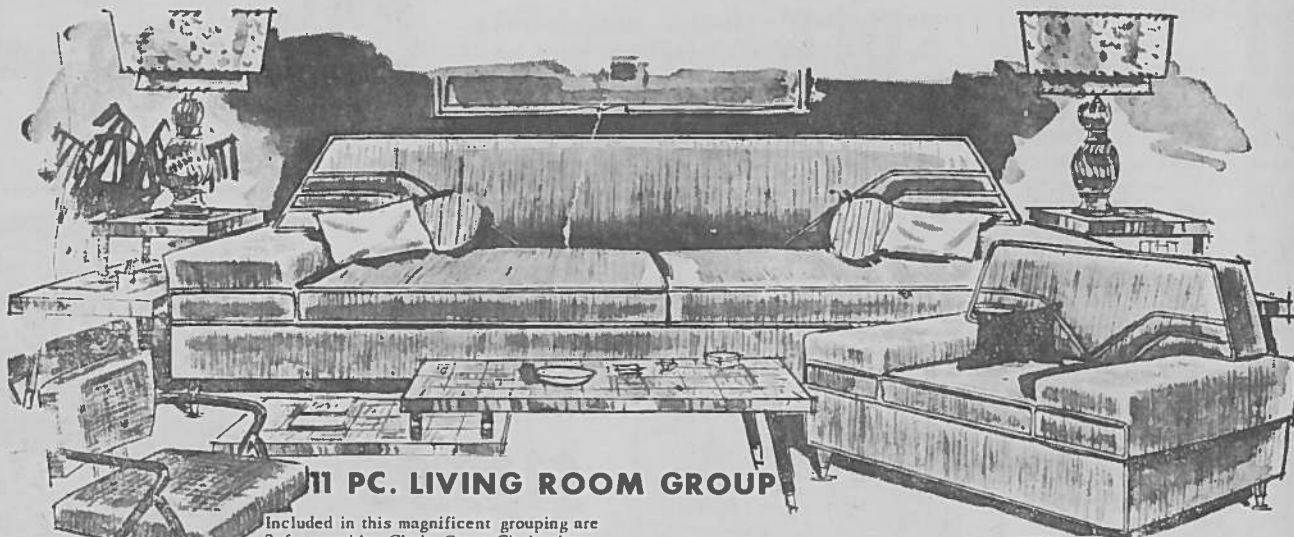
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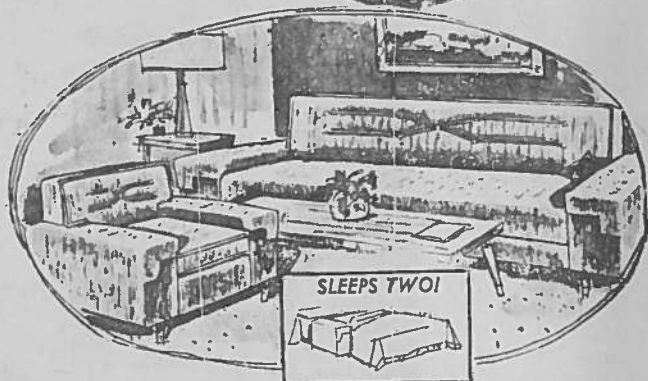
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Wanda Graham, Reporter

Mrs. Eileen Abbott and Paula were in Mt. Pleasant Monday to see the dentist.

Tell you about our Cameracade trip next week.

Mrs. Wanda Graham and Mrs. John Gott had business in Mt. Pleasant Monday.

John Gott went to the doctor last Wednesday forenoon, and reports his condition improved.

Thursday morning, Wanda Graham took Mrs. Eileen Abbott to the hospital in Mt. Pleasant for x-rays, and Helen Alwood went along to do some shopping.

Carl Gott spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gott.

Friday callers at the John Gott home were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Allen of Farwell. Saturday callers were Al Gott and son of Winn and Sunday guests were Richard Gott and son of Farwell.

Mrs. Helen Alwood was admitted to Central Community Hospital Sunday evening for observation. Mrs. Gott cared for the Alwood children while Helen was away.

Wednesday night brought another snow storm, which continued through Thursday, blocking the roads so the school sent the chil-

dren home at 12.45 a. m. and closed on Friday. Great April Fool's joke, I'd say.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burden and family visited the Lionel Block family Monday evening.

Little Donnie Alwood had the misfortune to fall against a door casing and cut his forehead open. He was taken to the hospital and had 10 stitches taken.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burden took Edie Bea to the doctor Monday afternoon to have the stitches removed from her chin.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bleise had dinner with her father and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Miller.

Clayton Miller attended the All-State Methodist Men's Conference Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Burden and family of Lakeview called at the Jack Burden home Sunday.

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Maycie Cook, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Williams and Rochelle of Edmore were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Eda Van Zandt.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cook and children and Orves Cook were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cook.

Mrs. Cleo Wiley returned to her home in Pontiac, after spending two weeks with relatives here.

Darla Cook is working at Sand Lake, beginning work there Monday.

Mrs. Mary Cook of Remus spent Monday with Mrs. E. Rhode, it being Mrs. Rhode's birthday.

Mrs. Rhode and Harold spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gostola of Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Glee Krueger and Kathy, and Herman and Aliance Cook enjoyed Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Orville Klumpp and Ione of Winn. Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Klumpp were also guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cook spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Nettie Crowley and Jay.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lueder have returned from Florida.

Terry and Keith Krueger spent Sunday with Dick Starr.

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Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fox and sons spent Sunday afternoon and evening with the Joe Judge family at Winn.

Mrs. Ruth Martin of Mt. Pleasant was a Sunday guest at the Lew Frantz home. Mrs. Edith McArthur and family and Mr. and Mrs. David McArthur were Sunday dinner guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Boerema of Wyoming, Mich., were Saturday guests of Mrs. Ina Gillette. Mr. and Mrs. John Ervin of Mecosta were Sunday guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Fey Johnson and family of Howard City and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson and family of Mt. Pleasant spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Kit Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Sprague and children spent Saturday afternoon

in Ashley with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nass. They spent Saturday overnight with Mrs. Sprague's sister, Mrs. Mary Ann Bruce, and family. They called on Mr. and Mrs. Junior Bakos and family on Sunday.

Mrs. Nina Forbes and Alton Brien and Rodney Holt of Mt. Pleasant were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wilson. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Arlin Summers of Lansing, Miss Janet Snyder and friend of St. Louis, and Mrs. Pat Hathaway of Rosebush.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Abendroth spent the weekend in Lansing, with Mr. and Mrs. Judson Anderson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McCreight entertained in honor of the second birthday of their son, Clayton, Sunday. Mrs. John McCreight of Midland was here to attend her grandson's party. Also present were his other grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Johnson, of Deerfield Center. The little boy's aunt, Nancy Johnson, of Fenton, was also present; and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Johnson and Sherri of Deerfield Center, and Peggy and Joan Gofton of Midland. They all enjoyed dinner with the Weidman McCreights.

Lorena Moses called on her sister, Mrs. Lydia Snider, Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zuke and family of Big Rapids were Saturday afternoon guests. Mrs. Henry Hulbert called on Mrs. Snider last Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keiser of Mt. Pleasant, and children, were Sunday afternoon visitors.

Mrs. Nellie Neil started staying with Mrs. Tom Bywater.

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AMBULANCE SERVICE

Walker Creek News

We extend our sympathy to relatives and friends of Gordon Miller, who passed away Friday at his home in Flint. Funeral services were in Barryton Monday.

Mrs. Clarence Dillenbeck and daughter, Janet, spent the weekend at the home of the former's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Louisell, Jr., and Patrick of Grand Haven. They were also in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Middlesworth of Weidman were Sunday evening guests of the Dillenbecks.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bazaire of North Brinton and Mr. and Mrs. Gary St. John and Deana were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Zill and family. The occasion was Don's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Micky Dargitz and Brian, Jill and Kathy were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Denslow. Leo Denslow was a caller Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Rodman of Lake were Friday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Conley.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gorby of Ludlow, Ky., who spent the weekend at their home on Lake Thirteen, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Conley and Loretta and Terri.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Skalitzky visited at the Leo and Lyle Denslow homes, and Mrs. Kate Darnell's of Lake, Sunday. Jerome Beck of Mt. Pleasant and Loretta Brown were Saturday evening guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Thompson and son, Ralph, visited her father, Manley Oliver, of Remus, Sunday. Mrs. Ardeth Thompson and son were in Cadillac Saturday.

Mrs. Virgil Loomis and children spent Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Leiter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Willard Denslow and family of Midland were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Leiter and family.

Cindy Leiter was absent from school last week with strep throat.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dosenberry visited her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Patterson, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Rosser of Evart were Sunday dinner guests of the former's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dosenberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Theisen and family of Mt. Pleasant were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Loomis. Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Loomis and family were Sunday dinner guests.

Mrs. Loren Gray and daughters of Mt. Pleasant spent Thursday at the home of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lou Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Lowery, Mrs. Anna Soper and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Lowery of Barryton were Friday supper guests of the Grays.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Kent and daughter, Ronda, of Mt. Pleasant were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stanley. Pfc. Norman Vin-

ton, a brother of Mrs. Stanley, is home for three weeks from Fort Sill, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stanley and family were Sunday p. m. guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Vinton, of Eight Point Lake. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Fussman and son, Roger, of Mt. Pleasant were also guests. Roger had been hospitalized a few days for flu infection. Glad he's better.

Mrs. Russell Stanley was a Saturday visitor at the home of her son in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pung, and family. The children came home with her and spent the night and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moore of Big Rapids were also weekend guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Pung were callers Sunday night, taking the children home.

Debbie and Denny Pung visited their cousins, Ronnie, Micky, Marty, Ricky, Sherry and Shelly Stanley, Sunday morning.

David Moore of Saginaw visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stanley, over the weekend, and was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wawersik of Beal City.

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West Gilmore

Lena Cole, Reporter

Mrs. Charlotte Hart called on her cousins, the Martin Bogers, Tuesday.

Henry Purdy called on the Paul Coles Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Wardwell was taken to CMC Hospital Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kobel visited the Paul Coles Tuesday evening. Mrs. Jeanette Jarman was taken to CMC Hospital Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Agnes Fuller and sister, Mrs. Harriett Baker, went to Houghton Lake Monday to spend a few days. We are very glad to hear Vern

Finnell is able to be home from the Clare Hospital.

Mrs. Gerald Roberts is a patient in CMC Hospital.

Mrs. Hugh Douglas visited Mrs. Charlotte Hart Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Swan of Mt. Pleasant called on Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cole Friday.

Mrs. Barbara Hoag of Bay City and Mrs. Jerry Douglas of Flint spent Wednesday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Douglas.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cole visited their sister, Helen Wardwell, at CMC Hospital Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Allen of Commerce are spending several days at their trailer.

Adolph Stava of Detroit spent the weekend at his farm. He also called on Mr. and Mrs. Bert Estes and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Douglas.

Henry Purdy visited Mrs. Charlotte Hart Wednesday.
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I will try my best to merit the faith everyone had in me.

Robert H. Campbell