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PUBLIC SCHOOL MEETING ON BUDGET HEARING

A public meeting will be held Thursday, Aug. 5, in the cafeteria of the Weidman Community School, at which time a budget hearing will be held, followed by the regular monthly meeting of the School Board.

The public hearing on the budget will begin at 8 o'clock p. m.

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Obituary

LEO WOOD

Leo Wood died last Thursday, July 2, in Clare General Hospital, after a short illness. He suffered a heart attack and died of pneumonia complications.

He was born May 14, 1883, at Sherman City, and was 82 when he died.

For 25 years he made his home in Bay City, where he worked at the Chevrolet plant. He retired 14 years ago.

On Dec. 21, 1951, he was married to Mrs. Emily Kirvan, in Bay City. They moved to Weidman in July, 1952, where they made their home since.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Wood were active members of the Church of the Nazarene in Clare, and they made innumerable calls on

sick and troubled people in this area during their life here.

Funeral services were held Saturday at 1 p. m. at the Weidman Methodist Church, with Rev. Williams Reynders officiating. Interment was in Oak Ridge Cemetery in Bay City.

He is survived by his wife, Emily; three sons, Rev. Harold Wood of Traverse City, and Roy and William of Bay City; four daughters, Mrs. Aletha Grieve, Mrs. Demaris Ribkowski, and Mrs. Fay Grantham, all of Bay City, and Mrs. Alice Cooper of Pontiac, seven step-children, Walter Kirvan of Grand Rapids, Darrel Kirvan of Flint, Raymond Kirvan of Bay City, Mabel Dent of Weidman, Robert Kirvan of Remus, Jack Kirvan of Mt. Pleasant, and Otis Kirvan of Oscoda Air Base; also a brother, Howard Wood of Weidman, and 30 grandchildren.

He was a highly respected member of our community, and will be missed by his many relatives and innumerable friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ptak and family of Royal Oak spent Saturday here, attending a meeting on developing the east side of the Weidman Mill Pond.

Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Al Akin and Gary of New Mexico and Mr. and Mrs. George Akin of Texas spent last week with the Joe Wilmot family.

Miss Hazel Wilmot of New York spent a couple of days this week with the Joe Wilmot family.

Bernice Moline of Mt. Pleasant spent Thursday with her aunt, Edna Schultz.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Sprague and children spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Junior Bakus of Ashley.

Mrs. Iva Smith of Mt. Pleasant was a last Tuesday luncheon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bailey. Norma Flower of St. Johns was a Thursday afternoon visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Smith and Jim and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Anderson and Bobby attended a Credit Union picnic at Crystal last Wednesday.

Mrs. Karen Mercer and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Ron Sprague and family, and friends, enjoyed a picnic at Coldwater Lake Saturday.

Roy S. Adams spent last week at the Bob Embrey home in Farwell. Weekend callers at the Adams home were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Adams and Janet of Utica.



IT'S A DAISY!--It's a cake, that is. This remarkable replica of the Allen Lumber Company's offices was a delicious cake, baked, of course, by Daisy Embrey, for Alton Allen's birthday party.

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR ALTON ALLEN

The employees of the Allen Lumber Company, and their families, staged a surprise birthday party for Alton at the Allen's cottage on Lake Windoga Saturday evening.

About 30 were present, besides the Allens, and the party was a complete surprise.

The employees presented him with a deluxe charcoal grill, complete with all details, and a barbecue set of large knife and meat fork. Mr. Allen received many other gifts.

Present, besides the honored guest and his wife, were Mr. and Mrs. Alton Allen, Jr., and family of St. Louis, Rev. and Mrs. Carl Allen and family of Lansing, and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Allen and family of Weidman, the three sons of Mr. and Mrs. Allen; Alton Allen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Allen, of St. Louis; Mrs. Clara Green of Wheeler;

Employees of Allen Lumber Company, who sponsored the party, Bill Coughlin, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Vogel, Chester Vore, Tom Herman, and Mr. and Mrs. Einar Sandelius and family.

Mr. Allen was completely surprised on his 63rd birthday, and the guests brought many lovely gifts, and a buffet supper.

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Don Alwood entered Community Hospital at Mt. Pleasant Tuesday for treatment of a back ailment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Sprague and children spent Sunday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nass, of Ashley.



WEIDMAN MILL POND DRAINS OUT--For the record, this is the way we appear on the Weidman Pond these days. Douglas Hollabaugh of Lansing, a lakes developer, is working to get set so he can start work on getting out stumps, clearing debris, deepening, and plating into lots on the Pond's east side.

LAKE OF THE HILLS development, a proposition to build a dam on Wilcox's Point on Walker Creek, appears to be doing very well, with land owners signing agreements Monday afternoon. Developers, the Allen Lumber Co., are expected to begin work as soon as final word is received from state offices. This lake will be a large one, close to 100 acres of water, and will lie on land owned by the Fred Wilcoxes, George Skinners, Walt Smiths, Wendell Dralletes, and Calvin Ohlses. It is situated on blacktop roads north and south and east and west.

(Graham Photo)

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July 29t1p

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July 29t1p

WANTED--A uniform for the Beal City Parochial School, size 7 or 8. For Sale, a double insulated large dog house; also a large business desk. Mrs. Ernest Schmidt, ph. 644-2095.
July 29t1

Card Of Thanks

I wish to express my heartfelt appreciation and thanks to all who helped me in any way in my sudden bereavement;

The Busy Bees, relatives and friends, neighbors, for their flowers and gifts and expressions of sympathy;

The churches of Clare, Weidman, Bay City, and the Forest Hill Church of God;

I do thank you all.

Mrs. Leo Wood.

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North Weidman

Wanda Graham, Reporter

Mrs. Laurine Burden of Grand Rapids vacationed a few days this past week with her son and family, the Jack Burdens.

Mrs. Joan Burden was hostess at a party in honor of her daughter, Edie Bea, who celebrated her fourth birthday, at Mitchell Memorial Park, Wednesday. Mary Jane and Jimmy Faber, Wally Smitn, Peggy, Sherry and Sandy Plock, Dennie and Cathy Alwood, Debbie Graham, Beth Ann and Gary Losey, Christine Welch, Leanne Abbott, Mrs. Lauraine Burden, Mrs. John Gott, Mrs. Frank Tvorik, and several of the mothers attended. The older girls helped with refreshments of hot dogs, potato chips, ice cream, and cake. Edie received many lovely gifts, and a good time was had by all.

Thursday evening callers at the Jack Burden home were her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Schmelling, and family, and a daughter-in-law of Summerville, N. J. They were accompanied by

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wood of Grand Rapids.

Sunday guests of the Jack Burdens were Mr. and Mrs. Gale Burden and family of Lakeview.

The Talsma Farms are in full production, and have started shipping celery.

Mrs. Jack Burden and Mrs. Jeanne Smith were in Mt. Pleasant Thursday. While there they visited Jeanne's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Schertel.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Latham and baby of Cedar Springs were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garold Latham. Mr. and Mrs. Chelsea Latham were Sunday dinner guests.

Mrs. Phyllis Sides and daughter and a sister, Alberta, called at the Meryl Graham home Friday.

Mrs. James Stanton of Chicago visited her father and family, the Meryl Grahams, Wednesday and Friday of last week. Lee Sowle was a caller Friday.

Albert Gott called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gott, Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. John Gott called at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gott and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Allen of near Farwell Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Abbott and children enjoyed a picnic lunch and swimming at Coldwater Lake last Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Muriel Miller accompanied

her sister, Mrs. Lois Knollenberg, and daughter, Susie, to Midland Wednesday so Susie could see her doctor.

Bert Kennedy of Mt. Pleasant called on his daughter and family, the Clayton Millers, Wednesday. Mrs. Arlene King was a caller later in the evening.

Mrs. John Gott accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Marvin Allen, to St. Johns Monday. On their return trip they visited her mother and grandmother, Mrs. Julia Rhy-nard, near there.

Mrs. Eileen Abbott accompanied her husband, Norman, to Ludington, where he works, Sunday evening, and returned Monday forenoon.

Eddie Miller of Lansing spent the weekend with his sister and family, the Joe Bleises, and the Don Alwoods. Eddie leaves for the service Aug. 3. Richard Embrey leaves for an Army physical on that day also.

Sadie Teeter of Mt. Pleasant spent the weekend with the Norman Abbott family.

Four baby kittens from the Don Alwood residence have a new home with Ronnie, Berbie, Peter and Bernadette Vogel.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sprague were Sunday afternoon callers at the Elwood Miller home.

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CHARLES KENT REUNION HELD SUNDAY

The annual Charles Kent Reunion was held at Island Park in Mt. Pleasant Sunday, with Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Kent as hosts.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kent and Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Kent of Maple Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Kent and Ronda of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Abbott and Karen, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hatch and family of Jackson, and Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart and family of Flint.

Jodi and Cindy Buchel of Lansing have been visiting their uncle and aunt, and cousins, the Norman Buchels, for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wendel of Flint came up to their home here Friday and went home Tuesday.

Karen Buchel visited her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Buchel, in Lansing for a week. Their son, Randy, stayed here with the Norman Buchel family. They came up Saturday after Randy, and brought Karen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wendel and Wendy of Flint stopped a few minutes at the Seymour and Buchel homes Sunday afternoon.

We are glad to report that our neighbor, Ernie Emmons, of Mt. Pleasant, formerly of Gilmore, will be released from the Mt.

Pleasant hospital this week, after having an operation on his eye to remove a cataract. He will spend a few days with his granddaughter, Mrs. Kathy Flaughter, at Lake Thirteen.

Mrs. Fern Moline of Chesaning called at the Walter Wood home recently.

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Local Items

Mildred Garner, who is spending the summer with the George Skinners, from her home in Fort Myers, Fla., was a Friday luncheon guest of Blanche Cliff.

The Tice girls, Sophia and Ruby, of Coldwater Lake, were Friday luncheon guests at the George Skinner home.

Mrs. Ercel Woodward of Flint came last Thursday and visited Mrs. Ethel Bywater, then on to the Howard Monroes, and took Mrs. Bywater and the Monroes to visit Mrs. Monroe's mother, Mrs. Herbert Lawrence, at Horsehead Lake, where they spent the afternoon. Ercel returned to Flint Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Corey of Pontiac, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kirvan of Remus, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Clouse, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dent, and Darrel Kirvan and family of Flint were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Leo Wood.

Alberta Bleise returned to her work at the Weidman State Bank Monday, after a week's vacation.

BETTER THAN A LETTER

N. Brinton

CORA ESTES, Reporter

The Darnell Reunion was held Sunday in the Coldwater Township Park.

Mrs. Earl Blodgett reports a baby granddaughter born this Sunday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Benn Johnson. The Johnsons have two boys, and this is their only girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Maddox of Grand Rapids were Sunday visitors at the James Maddox home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fey Forbes and Laverne and Mike have been vacationing across the Straits this past week. Homer Teeter took care of of their chores.

Bert Estes was in Community Hospital Thursday, having more surgery on his eye. He returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Boger and Ellen Geasler attended a family birthday party for Mrs. Myrtle Geasler at Island Park in Mt. Pleasant Sunday.

Miss Ellen Geasler spent Thursday at the Ferris Graham home near Farwell.

Mitchell Geasler of Allegan is helping his brother-in-law with carpenter work on the Gordon Fosberg house.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Baker visited Sunday at the home of their son, Keith, and family, in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Baker of Ortonville spent Friday night at the Ken Baker home.

Mrs. Gerald Roberts returned home Sunday after 10 days in Mt. Pleasant Community Hospital.

The Scott Brothers are building a large tool shed on their farm north of Brinton.

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Around Horr

Jessie Rosencrantz, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Grubb and family and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Wright of Pontiac were Saturday morning callers at the Howard Wood home.

Missionary meeting was held Thursday afternoon at the church annex.

Mrs. Emmaline Hulbert, Mrs. Eva Denslow and Mrs. Flora Wood called Wednesday afternoon at the Clare Hospital to see Roy Cummins and Leo Wood. Mrs. Ethol Wright's granddaughter was there. She had swallowed some poisoned peanuts. Better watch those things, mothers.

Friday and Saturday callers at Paul Miller's home were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Grubb, Andy and Susie, and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Wright, all of Pontiac. Paul is some better at this writing.

Mrs. Margaret Denslow spent the weekend in Lansing. Mr. and Mrs. Dean Denslow and family were Sunday evening visitors of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Denslow and

family spent Sunday along the Manistee River, near Mesick.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Merrihew and Floyd Dutcher were Saturday evening callers of her parents, the Charlie Loseys.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Belles and Marjorie of Lansing were Sunday dinner guests of the Charlie Loseys.

Mrs. Charlie Gross was a Tuesday evening caller at the Gerald Losey, Charlie Losey and Jessie Rosencrantz homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Losey and family were Sunday supper guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gross.

Roxann Hines was a Friday overnight guest of Nancy Losey.

Mr. and Mrs. Berl Denslow and baby, and the Brownell children and the Robert Dunns spent Saturday at School Section Lake and Hardy dam. The Robert Dunns were Friday overnight guests of the Berl Denslows.

Miss Susie Losey spent Thursday evening with Sandy Gibson at the State Park in Bay City, and Friday overnight with Joyce and Dick Curtiss.

Mrs. Lottie Seebee was a Wednesday supper guest of Jessie Ro-

sencrantz. Harold Losey was a Thursday supper guest. Mrs. Bowers and Ardis Merrihew were Saturday evening callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Kirvan of Pontiac were Sunday morning callers of the Sidney Lawrences. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Graber were afternoon callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin and boys spent Sunday in Copemish with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Benn Johnson are happy to announce the birth of a baby daughter Sunday evening. Mrs. Clara Lutz will be staying at the Johnson home for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Denslow and David and Betty Brownell accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Derry Dunn and Jimmy on a trip to Traverse City, through the cherry orchards, and several other points of interest; then up to Lake Superior and into Canada. They left home Thursday afternoon, stayed Saturday night in Newberry, coming home Sunday evening. All enjoyed the trip very much.

Lloyd Sampsell and family called on the Sidney Lawrences Saturday evening.

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Two Rivers

Blanche Carr, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Oligney and Bobby of Swartz Creek are visiting at the home of his sister and family, the Einar Sandelius.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Courser and Mrs. Edith Smiley attended the funeral of Mrs. Bessie Cutler at Edmore Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Bunting and family and Mr. and Mrs. Oral Bunting were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Rayborn of Royal Oak.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Courser and children visited her mother, Mrs. Gene Allen, of Blanchard, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Martin went after cherries near Manistee Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Carr of Shepherd were Wednesday supper guests of Mrs. Blanche Carr. Mrs. Carr and Mrs. Mildred Garner spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Ina Gillette in Weidman. Mrs. Herbert Riley and children and Mrs. Steve Simmer and children called at the Carr home on Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Strahle and Mrs. Katie Trumble and Dennis Strahle of St. Johns were Sunday guests at the Carr home. Mrs. Trumble is staying for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nichols of Shields and Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Thompson of Hersey visited the Chris Larson Sunday.

Jack Leider of Farmington and Harold Krueger went on a fishing trip Monday. Mrs. Lovica Krueger spent Wednesday night with her son and family, the Harold Kruegers.

Mrs. Joan Schafer is recovering nicely from spinal surgery at the Midland hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Wilson of Battle Creek and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Rueckert of Grand Ledge came Sunday to attend a pink and blue shower for Mrs. Gary Leiter, at the Clifford Leiter home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kelly and family of Remus and Mr. and Mrs. John Freeze of Mt. Pleasant were Sunday visitors of the Dwight Aungsts.

Mrs. Ida Craven, a former resident of this place, suffered a stroke Thursday at the home of her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Craven. Mrs. Louis Baker spent Friday with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Buxton of Flint were Sunday guests of Mrs. Clair Moses.

Burgess Case of Titus called on Mr. and Mrs. Singleton Moses Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Moses called on Arnold Krueger at CMC Hospital Sunday, and on Mrs. Lovica Krueger at her home.

The date for the Two Rivers School Reunion is Aug. 22, instead of the 29th, at Deerfield Center Hall, as formerly stated.

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Mr. and Mrs. Earl Oplinger called on the Cletus Moegggenberg family Friday evening.

Nottawa

Amelia Wieber, Reporter

Millie Weber, daughter of Jake Weber, was still in the hospital at Mt. Pleasant as we went to press, being treated for minor cuts and bruises incurred in an auto accident Sunday afternoon. Millie was riding with Carol Martin of Deerfield Center, daughter of the Bill Martins, when Carol's car was involved in an accident at the Town Hall corner. Both girls were taken to the hospital, but we understand Carol was released.

Mrs. Bernie Gallagher's son, Leslie, and family of Owosso and Mrs. Gallagher of Coldwater Lake left Friday for Northern Michigan, to visit some of her relatives. They expected to be back Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Myers and children of Mt. Pleasant spent a recent Sunday with her folks, the Joe Wawersik family.

Mike and Gary Faber of Shepherd spent forenoon with their Great-Grandma, Amelia Wieber. Glenn Mathews bought a cottage from Nick Breuer at Coldwater Lake. He will soon be married to Carol June Funnell.

Pete Martin had dinner Monday with his daughter, Esther Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Yuncker of Mt. Pleasant spent Saturday with his father, Fred Yuncker. They were married about two months ago.

Walter Wieber was taken to the Clare hospital Friday. He is feeling better Sunday. He is a son of Mrs. Margaret Wieber.

John Fedewa's sister, Kate Westwood, of Messaine, Iowa, is spending her summer vacation with him. She is always glad to see her old friends again.

Fred Yuncker and Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Yuncker and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Art Yuncker of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. John Theisen sold their house to Coletta Gross. The Theisens bought a house on M-20, and moved in Sunday.

Coletta Gross returned from the hospital Saturday. She bought the Jack Theisen house, and is getting ready to move in. She sold her farm to her son, Raymond.

Albert Simmer is in the Mt. Pleasant hospital. He fell Sunday and broke his hip.

Mr. and Mrs. John Faber had Sunday dinner in Barryton, and visited some of their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Riley are the proud parents of a baby boy. He weighed nine pounds, less two ounces, born last Tuesday at the hospital in Mt. Pleasant. Mrs. Riley was taken to the Ann Arbor hospital Wednesday. She was very ill. She expects to be home the latter part of the week. Pat, Louise Riley's daughter, is staying with the family till the mother gets home.

BETTER THAN A LETTER

BAILEY REUNION HERE SATURDAY

The Bailey family reunion was held Saturday at Mitchell Memorial Park, with about 55 present.

Of the original family who lived here, Mrs. Gertie Thompspon of Lansing was present, and Ben, who now lives here again; Elsie Brown of Leslie, and Lizzie Hewlett of Remus. Their families were also present.

Other relatives came from Gladwin, Sterling, and Remus.

Everybody reported a nice time, and all agreed the Weidman Park is a nice place to hold reunions.

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DARNELL REUNION HELD SUNDAY

Ray and Adley Darnell held the family reunion at Coldwater Lake Sunday with 48 in attendance.

Oldest member was Ina Gillette, and the youngest Jack Maxon, Jr. two and a half months old. Mrs. Gillette is 80.

Family members were present from Stanton, Grand Blanc, Saginaw, Mt. Pleasant, Weidman, Blanchard, Remus, and Big Rapids.

A bountiful pot-luck picnic dinner was enjoyed, and the afternoon's entertainment was visiting, swimming, and playing ball.

FOR SALE--Rabbits, live, all sizes. Kittens to give away. Mrs. Don Alwood, Weidman, ph. 644-3581.

Local Items

Kenny and Eddie Oplinger took their steers to Big Rapids Fair this week Tuesday. The judging will be Thursday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Wright were Friday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson, and attended the funeral of Leo Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Zajac of Leaton spent last week Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Smith.

Mrs. Fay Grantham and daughter, Sue, of Bay City, are spending the week with Mrs. Emily Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Van Tassel of Marshall were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Gene McArthur.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Frantz of Mt. Pleasant and Mrs. Ruth Martin were Friday visitors at the Lew Frantz home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fox and sons are spending the week on a western vacation tour, mainly at Yellowstone National Park.

Charles Kinsman and Miss Malcott and Mr. and Mrs. Karl Kinsman enjoyed a trip to Traverse City, where they visited the zoo, then on to Sutton's Bay, where they enjoyed a picnic lunch, and then over to the Sleeping Bear Dunes.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Louisell spent Sunday afternoon and evening at the Bob Louisell cottage near Farwell, enjoying a cookout.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Spence of

Pontiac (Jean McArthur) were weekend guests of the Gene McArthur family.

Mrs. Annie (Kaninsky) Taylor and son, Jack, and Mrs. Marie Kaninsky, all of Gladwin, were Sunday morning callers at the George Skinner home in Weidman. The Kaninskys also called on other friends in Weidman.

Sunday dinner guests at the Geo. Skinner home were Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Skinner and Tom Beavis of Swartz Creek, honoring the birthday of George, which was Tuesday. Supper guests were Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Granger of near Lake George. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cole and son of Coleman. Dora is George's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Watts and sons of Howard City spent Thursday at the Frank Gross home. Also they called on the George Skinners.

Frank Tvorik, Jr., is spending a furlough till Aug. 9 at the home of his parents here. On returning to service, he expects to be sent to Italy, near Venice. Frank is corps typist. He expects to be in Italy two years.

Mrs. Ethel Bywater attended a picnic with Myron and Winnie Johnston at the Johnston cottage at School Section Lake last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Appelgreen called on Mr. and Mrs. Donald Appelgreen and family in Mt. Pleasant Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beutler returned last week from a trip to Upper Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beutler called on her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Downing, last week Monday, in Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Carrick, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carrick and children enjoyed a picnic dinner Sunday with Mrs. Ethel Wager of Broomfield Township.

Robert Carroll and sons, Kevin and Bruce, of Livonia were Sunday guests of his mother, Mrs. Vada Carroll.

Ben Robbins of Florida was a last week caller of Mrs. Vada Carroll and Mrs. Emma Middlesworth. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Miller of Lansing were Saturday callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Brandt of Grant were Sunday guests of Miss Blanche Cliff.

The Adams Bowling Team spent Saturday evening and had supper at the Bleise trailer on the Coldwater River.

Martha Miller of Grand Rapids, E.J. Frantz and wife of Grand Rapids, and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Van Tassel, Brian Frantz, and Kenny Van Tassel of Marshall were Sunday guests at the Lew Frantz home.

Saturday visitors at the John Sheldon home were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Chaffee, Mrs. Lillian Hatt of Mt. Pleasant, and Mrs. Cook and sister of Manistee.

Mrs. Roy S. Adams called on Helen Alwood Monday afternoon.

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Goldie Dutcher, Reporter

George Merrihew stays about the same. He still has trouble with his eyes. Callers during the week were Mrs. Herman Koos and children of Grand Ledge, on Monday, and Herbert Lawrence of Horsehead Lake. Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Lawrence were Tuesday dinner guests. Mrs. Clarence Chaffee and Nancy called Wednesday evening. Russell Merrihew called Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Kirvan of Pontiac called Saturday, and attended the funeral of Leo Wood of Weidman. Theron Merrihew was a Saturday caller also.

Mrs. Beth Merrihew and girls of Pontiac spent from Sunday till Thursday last week with Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Merrihew and Orville. Russell brought them up and came and took them home, so he had a good visit with the home folks also.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Merrihew and Orville attended the Huguélet Reunion at St. Johns Park Sunday.

Jim and Brian Dutcher, Denny Howard and Bill Hardenburg camped at Coldwater Lake Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dutcher and children of Midland spent the weekend with the Clayton Dutchers. Sunday they all called on Julia's aunt and uncle at Horsehead Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Losey were Saturday forenoon callers of the Clayton Dutchers. The Richard Dutchers called also.

Maria Williams of Munger came Sunday to spend the week with Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hines and Hazel Sellers were Sunday dinner and afternoon guests of the Ervin Dutchers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher, Mr. and Mrs. George Woodin and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Dutcher spent Wednesday evening with the Robert Hines family.

Mrs. Chel Latham and children and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cook and children were Sunday guests of the Harry Hardenburg family. Linda went home with the Jack Cooks for a week, and Julia Latham spent last week with her grandparents, while Jo is spending this week with them.

Mrs. Bonnie Dutcher and children spent Thursday and Friday visiting her folks, the George Loomis family, at New Era. Her sister, Jan, of Chicago was home visiting.

Mrs. Beth Merrihew and girls of Pontiac called several times during the week at the George Merrihew home. Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Merrihew and family of Taylor were Sunday callers. Rev. and Mrs. Russell Stanley and family spent from Sunday afternoon till Monday with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Beutler attended a special Farm Bureau meeting Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vance

Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Marshall and children of Belleville and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Baker of Ortonville were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Chaffee, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lawrence called on Mr. and Mrs. George Merrihew Monday forenoon, and picked raspberries.

The Carl Beutler family had a chicken barbecue picnic dinner with the Clyde Beutlers Sunday at Weidman.

Mrs. Marion Beutler and children and Claribel Beutler attended the WSCS picnic at Weidman Park the 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Beutler attended the Young Couples Church Group pot-luck dinner at the Methodist Church July 14.

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West Gilmore

Lena Cole, Reporter

Mrs. Claris Allen met her daughter, Mrs. Helen Talsma, and children, and aunt, in Clare Monday, and all went across the Straits to visit their sister and daughter. They returned to their homes in Pontiac and Union Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Packer and family of Deerfield Center spent the weekend at West Littlefield Lake, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Struble. Mrs. Packer called on the Paul Coles Saturday. Mrs. Ruby Douglas was also a Saturday caller.

Stanley Shaner celebrated his 10th birthday Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Taylor of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Curtis of Shepherd, and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Shilling of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Charlotte Hart were dinner guests of the Gaylord Hart family Sunday. Jean was the honored guest, with a birthday dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Boger, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Geasler and Norman and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Worth attended a birthday party honoring their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Joe Geasler, of rural Mt. Pleasant Sunday at Island Park in Mt. Pleasant. Miss Ellen Geasler also attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Geasler went to Grand Rapids Sunday afternoon, where they will continue this week on their trip to California and Colorado and other points of interest, for the next three weeks.

The Paul Coles have cotton ready to pick, and a lemon almost ready for pie; an amaryllis with four beautiful blossoms, the third time since Christmas the plant has bloomed

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NEWS NOTES

Rev. and Mrs. Henry Hulbert and children spent Sunday in Cass City where Mrs. Hulbert's church, the First Baptist, was celebrating its centennial anniversary. Mrs. Hulbert visited with many girlhood friends.

BETTER THAN A LETTER

N. Broomfield

Maycie Cook, Reporter

Mrs. Eda Van Zandt spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Van Zandt at Hemlock.

Mrs. Lorraine Schultz of Flint spent Wednesday and Thursday with her mother, Mrs. E. R. Rhode, and Harold.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chilson of Sparta were Tuesday guests of their cousins, Mrs. Nettie Crowley and Jay Leinaar.

Miss Mary Richardson spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Frieda Watters, of Lansing.

Mrs. E. R. Rhode attended a dinner and card party at the home of Mrs. Laura Fritz in Mt. Pleasant Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Krueger, Mr. and Mrs. Gale Krueger, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Schafer, Mrs. Lylah Mead and Bob of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Klumpp of Winn, and the Jack and Richard Cooks enjoyed a picnic dinner at the Herman Cooks' Sunday, in honor of Alliance's birthday.

Mrs. Gladys Miller of Oil City and Mrs. Eda Van Zandt enjoyed a trip North of Cadillac last Wednesday.

Mrs. Nettie Crowley and Jay Leinaar called on Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lueder and Miss Myrtle

Walch of Remus Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Richardson called on Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cook Saturday afternoon. Elsie Richardson of Owosso spent the weekend with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Orves Cook, with Mr. and Mrs. Emmerson Borders of Marion spent a few days in Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fanning of Ohio and Mrs. Ralph Ehler and Kathy and Kenneth of Shepherd called on Mrs. E. Rhode and Harold Friday evening. Sunday the Rhodes called on Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens, to see the new baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Meyer and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Glass of Farwell, and enjoyed supper at the Deerfield Center Church.

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NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Oberlin of Lansing were luncheon guests of Mrs. R. D. Sprague last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Johns of Angola, Ind., called on Mrs. Will J. Smith Friday. Mrs. Johns is an old classmate of Mrs. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Boerema of Wyoming were Saturday visitors of Ina Gillette. Mildred Garner and Blanche Carr were last Tuesday afternoon guests.

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Walker Creek News

Esther Stanley, Reporter

A2 Airman Clyde Dosenberry of Alexandria, La., who has spent four years with the Air Force, has been discharged, and arrived on Sunday morning at 2.30 to join his wife and son, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Dague. He called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dosenberry, and his brothers later in the day. Welcome home, Clyde!

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Miller and Mr. and Mrs. George McClain, Sr., of Barryton left Friday morning for a few days' fishing in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Leiter of Hannah Lake were Sunday guests of his brother, Ira, and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Leiter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Keith Loomis and daughters were Sunday evening supper guests of the Leiters.

Mrs. Bertha Woodward of Flint and Mrs. Ethel Bywater of Weidman were Thursday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Monroe. In the afternoon they all visited Mrs. Monroe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lawrence, at Horsehead Lake. Mrs. Mabel Allen and her brother, Arthur Atchinson, were Saturday evening guests of the Monroes.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Kimball of Barryton were Wednesday evening guests of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Loomis. Mr. and Mrs. Loomis attended the Parents' Picnic Sunday at the Homecoming at Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Shook of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lawrence of Horsehead Lake were Wednesday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Monroe.

Mrs. Ollie Denslow and Mrs. Sharon Corwin visited Mrs. Ethol Beers of Brinton Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Hazen Thompson and her grandson, Roddy, Mrs. Lyle Denslow and granddaughters, Jill and Kathy, picked cherries Thursday at Tice's cherry orchard at Barryton. Mrs. Thompson spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Denslow and helped to pit the cherries.

Mrs. Darlene Dargitz and Mrs. Sharon Corwin went to Lansing Thursday to the home of their cousin and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Finney. Robert Corwin met his wife there, and she returned home with him.

Mrs. Dargitz took a jet plane from Detroit to New Orleans, La., and will spend a week with her husband, Micky, who has one more week of school. Mr. and Mrs. Finney took her to Detroit.

Brian Dargitz is spending the week with the Don Foutes family of Big Rapids. Jill and Kathy, who have been staying with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Denslow, will spend the remaining week with their paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wal-

ter Dargitz, of Blanchard.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Finney and son, Scott Dean, and Mr. and Mrs. Duane Michener of Lansing, and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Conley were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Denslow.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Skalitzky were Saturday evening supper guests of her daughter, and family, the Otis Conleys.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Denslow, Denise, and grandson, Scott Dean, were Sunday evening visitors of the Conleys.

Mrs. Kate Darnell of Crooked Lake spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Skalitzky.

Mrs. Pearl Loomis and Mrs. Skalitzky attended the Darnell Reunion Sunday at Brinton Memorial Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Gray and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Navarre are vacationing across the Straits.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dillenbeck spent Sunday night visiting the Wm. Louisells, Jr., at their cottage on Crooked Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Zill and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stanley attended the Home and Training picnic Thursday afternoon at Crystal Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Zill were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Zill, of Saginaw.

Mrs. Donald Stanley and Mrs. Larry Fussman of Mt. Pleasant attended a baby shower for their brother's wife, Mrs. James Vinton, at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Arthur Ferguson, Saturday afternoon. They also visited their brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Vinton, of Flint, who were at Eight Point Lake, vacationing.

Mr. and Mrs. Fussman were Saturday evening supper guests of the Stanleys. Michael was celebrating his eighth birthday.

Mrs. Arthur Schrock spent the weekend at home. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Smith, and brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Dean Smith, of Riverdale were Saturday guests. Mary Jane, Debbie and Susie, children of the Rodney Schrocks, went home with their grandparents for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stanley and family visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Vinton, of Eight Point Lake, Friday night.

Miss Mary Garrett baby-sat for the Donald Stanleys while Miss Patricia McDonald went with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen McDonald, and family, for a week's vacation at Mackinaw City. They also spent some time in Canada, sightseeing. Patricia reports the only thing wrong with a wonderful week was the fact they could not go swimming, as the water was polluted.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Beutler and daughter, Mary, visited Mrs. Jennie Pratt and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pratt and family at their cottage at Rose Lake Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fitzgerald,

formerly of Kalkaska, now living at Gray Lake, were Sunday guests of the latter's cousin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Beutler.

Mrs. Thomas Moore and daughter, Mrs. Robert Battle, visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stanley, Tuesday. They also called on the Donald Stanleys, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Faber, and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Denslow and Sharon, who were visiting there.

Weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stanley were Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Pung and daughters of St. Johns, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pung and family of Beal City, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stanley and family, and David Moore of Saginaw. The children enjoyed a day of picnicking and swimming Sunday on Lake Windoga, while Mr. and Mrs. Stanley went with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Faber to take their daughter, Judy, back to her studies and nurse's training at Grayling. We visited the dormitory where Judy stays, a lovely place, saw the Army encampment, but not many men in sight, as they were out on the firing range or on furlough. We came home around Houghton Lake and Higgins Lake, and had an outdoor supper on old US-27. Saw a lot of our wonderful Michigan Wonderland.

Rev. and Mrs. Russell Stanley, Jr., of Rochester were Monday dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stanley. The couple are leaving for a week at camp meeting at Howell, sponsored by the Nazarene Church.

Ronald Stanley helped his grandfather Monday to care for twin calves born Friday, also to get the combine ready for wheat harvest.

Roddy Thompson and Ronald Stanley are taking the Improved Reading course at the Barryton High School. This will be the last week for them.

We're very busy on Walker

Creek, even the beavers.

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East Coldwater

Esther Skinner, Reporter

Kate Isenberg of Mt. Pleasant spent the weekend with Thelma Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Skinner and Thomas Beavis of Swartz Creek called on Mr. and Mrs. Harold Skinner and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Thielon of Mt. Pleasant called on Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Olger and family Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones of Littlefield Lake called on Thelma Jones Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Olger and family and Terry Sisco called on Mr. and Mrs. Dale Letson and family, who are camping out at Horsehead Lake, Wednesday evening. The Olgers went to Holly with Wendell Sisco Thursday.

Wally, Ray and Dick Skinner are picking berries for their aunt, Thelma Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Olger and children were in Mt. Pleasant Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Woods of Farwell, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Olger, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Olger and children, and Dale Letson and children had a surprise birthday party honoring Helen Letson at Chippewa Lake Sunday afternoon.

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Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Jib Hall of Barryton were callers at the R. D. Sprague home last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Hermione Smith spent Friday afternoon with the Don Alwood family.

Iune Zaiac and son. Mr. and Mrs. Art Preston, of St. Louis, Minnie Flaughter, and Mrs. Rosie Hogen, Mrs. Doris Wilmot, and Mr. and Mrs. Garold Latham were last week visitors at the John Sheldon home.

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Dora Smith, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Eldred of Blanchard spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer.

Mrs. Pauline Boge of Mt. Pleasant, Mrs. Mary Reed of DeWitt, Mrs. Edna Davis of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. John Schafer of Alma and Mrs. Effie Schafer were callers Sunday at the Tony Schafer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rau attended the World's Fair in New York the past week.

Rev. Father King is in Petoskey Hospital.

The Schumacher Reunion was held at the K. C. Hall Sunday. Around 200 were present, and everyone had an enjoyable afternoon.

John Schafer of Alma called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Schafer, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reihl, Mrs. Virgil Smith, Mrs. Russell Maeder and cousin, Joan Reihl, and Bonnie Smith, Mrs. Charles Reihl and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hauck attended the wedding of Miss Charlotte McIntyre of Dexter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lynch of Rosebush are spending a month's vacation in California with their daughter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cunningham and daughter, Linda, and Mrs. Bob Huhn and three children of Hubbardston visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keiffer last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Schafer and two children of Hubbardston visited his mother, Mrs. Joe Keiffer.

Mrs. Coletta Gross has been in Community Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Tilmann, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Streng and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kessler returned home last week after an extended trip through Alaska and other places.

Bob Curtis is spending his furlough with his wife, Rose, and his father-and-mother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schafer.

Mrs. Leona Riley is in Ann Arbor Hospital.

Mrs. Amy Courter of Forest Hill is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pung.

Mrs. Leona Simmer spent Friday with her daughter, Mrs. Dean Stalter, in Shepherd. Her two grandchildren came back with her. Mr. and Mrs. Stalter came after them Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Zeien are the parents of a baby girl.

Mrs. Joe Theisen spent Sunday with Mrs. Effie Schafer.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickerson of Lansing spent the weekend at the Coletta Gross home.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Pung of St. Johns spent the weekend at the Joe Pung home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Blasen spent Sunday evening at the Bob Bel-

tinck home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Neubecker entertained their club Saturday evening. First prize went to Don Schafer and Mary Beth Hauck, second to Floyd Hauck and Karleen Pung, with pepper prize going to Don Schafer.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith entertained the members of the Twenty Grand Club Sunday at Mitchell Memorial Park in Weidman. Dancing, singing and card playing were enjoyed by all.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Kirvan and Gary and Judy of Oscoda were in Weidman for the funeral of his stepfather, Leo Wood. They also called on their grandmother, Mrs. Louise Smith, in Beal City Friday.

Miss Gertrude Grodsky of Mt. Pleasant took Louise, Anna and Dora Smith out for a ride Sunday afternoon, to Chippewa Lake, the Paris hatchery, Big Rapids, and the Canadian Lakes, which were beautiful. They saw many pretty birds: the indigo bunting, the kingbirds, the towhees; and also they saw three deer.

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Coldwater Lake

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Preece of Royal Oak spent a two weeks' vacation at the Tice cottage recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ahlers of Mt. Pleasant and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wood and son of Lansing called Friday evening at the Ted Ahlers home.

Clara Tice Britshart left for her home in Wadsworth, O., after spending a month with her sisters at the Tice cottage on the lake.

A beautiful cottage has neared completion just back of the Tice home, the new house being finished outside with two-inch-thick tongued and grooved knotty pine.

Larry Egbert, Jr., is spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Egbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schafer and Dor of Coldwater Lake spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Walt Wischmeyer of Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Robert Klumpp and Mrs. Gerald Schafer called on Mrs. Ed Schafer at the lake Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hemminger and Janice of Mt. Pleasant called on Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schafer of Coldwater Lake Monday evening.

Teddy Klumpp spent a couple of days with Bill and Bob Schafer at Coldwater Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dygart and family of Holt spent Friday evening at the Ted Ahlers home.

They left Saturday morning for their vacation place near Traverse City.

The Tices were expecting Mr. and Mrs. Elton Boyer and family of Ohio for a week's vacation at their cottage. The Boyers are the

son-in-law and daughter of Clara Tice Britshart.

Many friends and interested persons have visited the Rupp's antique shop in the Barn Loft. Harry did a beautiful job of partitioning off a front room for the displays, and the place is well constructed and in good taste, with the antiques-displays spread out beautifully, ranging all ways in price from five cents to anything you want to pay, like \$15 for a gorgeous rose bowl the like of which one does not see nowadays.

Ruby and Sophia Tice are enjoying the summer as usual at their cottage, which was built, incidentally, by their father in 1910. Theirs was the first cottage on the lake, besides the Hyslop place back in the old days.

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WEIDMAN METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Williams P. Reynders
Minister

There will be an Executive Council meeting of the Methodist Youth Fellowship Monday, Aug. 2, at 7 p. m. in the Weidman church. On Sunday, Aug. 8, the members of the Youth Fellowship will have a swimming

party at Coldwater Lake at 4 p. m., followed by a picnic dinner.

On Thursday, Aug. 5, the WSCS will meet in the Weidman Church at 11 a. m. for briefing on their official duties and to plan the programs for the following year, Sept. 1, 1965, to Sept. 1, 1966. This includes members of the Esther and McArthur Circles. They will have a pot-luck dinner at noon.

The Official Board of the Weidman Methodist Church will meet in the church Monday, Aug. 2, at 8 p. m.

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Local Items

The Duane Grays spent Friday evening and Saturday in Detroit at a ball game. Sunday they visited a sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ley, at Conklin.

Mrs. Williams Reynders suffered an infection from a scrub on her foot the first of the week.

Mrs. Leon Smith was taken to CMC Hospital Monday.

Mrs. Harry Herman hoped to come home this week, after surgery in the Alma hospital.

Rev. and Mrs. Henry Hulbert plan to accompany around 40 young people from the Forest Hill Church of God to Lake Ann, near Traverse City, for a week at a church camp.

Debbie Hulbert plans to spend this week with her cousin, Rhonda Walston, of Big Rapids.

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