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Editor's Column

By Connie

YOU MUST BE REGISTERED TO VOTE ON VILLAGE ELECTION TO INCORPORATE

A special ballot will be available to qualified voters at the Nov. 8 general election, to determine if the Village of Weidman shall become an incorporated area.

Only those qualified voters who live within the area of the proposed incorporated village may vote on this proposition. Citizens of the townships of Nottawa and Sherman at large will not vote on this proposition.

Voters on the Village incorporation issue must register with their Township Clerks, unless they have voted in a Township (General) election within the past two years. Voters in any school elections may not necessarily be qualified, Iola Miller, Sherman Township Clerk, advises. Electors in a school vote may be qualified for that school election and may not be qualified to vote in a general election, Mrs. Miller points out.

In other words, you must be registered with your Township Clerk if you wish to vote in the coming Nov. 8 elections, which this year will include, for residents of the proposed incorporated area of the Village of Weidman, the ballot for voting on the incorporation proposition.

Last day to register with your Township Clerk is next Monday, Oct. 10. *****

HERE ARE THE CANDIDATES FOR CHARTER COMMISSION FOR WEIDMAN VILLAGE

We list again the names of the eight men who have been nominated as candidates for Village Charter Commission if Weidman votes to incorporate this fall:

Daniel Wernette, Roy D. Sprague, Walter J. Smith, Ed Fox, Elmer Abendroth, Harold Branson, James Palmer, and Raymond Pung.

Five of these men will be responsible for putting together a charter for the incorporated village, and for its presentation to Weidman Village voters for approval.

You will vote for five of the above names in the Nov. 8 election. ---0---

Jack Stanquits of Southfield, Mich., visited an old friend, Walter J. Smith, Friday evening. The two attended grade school here as boys.



GREAT BIG MOOSE BAGGED

By local hunters, Wendell Sisco (left) and Clarence Dillenbeck (right), in the Geraldton area of the Kimberly-Clark wildernesses in Ontario, Canada, 25 miles from James Bay. (That's 800 miles from here.)

THE HUGE MOOSE was thought to be about two and a half years old, and would dress out

LIGHT BULB SALE

The Weidman Lions Club light-bulb sale is scheduled for Thursday evening, Oct. 6, at Beal City, and all day Saturday at Weidman.

Get your supply of light bulbs through this worthy cause.

REBEKAH CARD PARTY HAS FIVE TABLES IN PLAY

Five tables were in play last Tuesday at the IOOF Hall in Weidman at the Rebekah card party.

Prizes were won by Kit Johnson, Vada Carroll, Gertie Craven, and Elizabeth Neubecker. The door prize was won by Hermione Smith. Lunch was served by the committee.

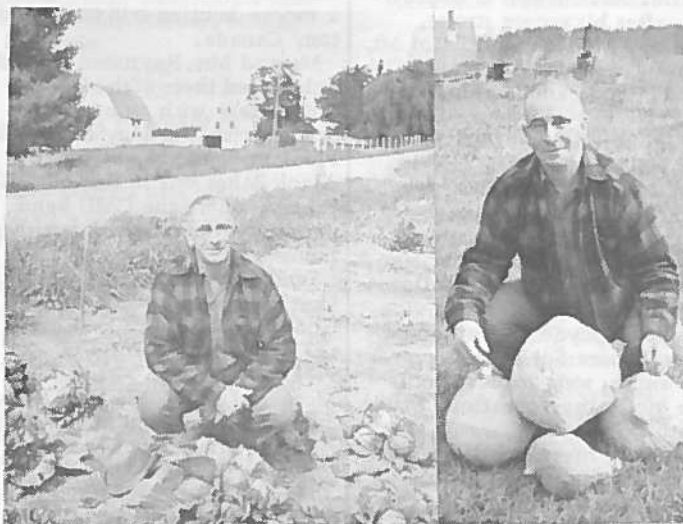
The next party will be Oct. 11 at the same hall.

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Card party at Brinton Oct. 15.

at 900 pounds. It's a six-point bull, with one horn broken in fighting other moose, and one eye blinded in herd-fights. Pat and Wendell left last Saturday and got home early with their trophy kill.

Messenger photo at Straus Processing plant.



HOWARD MONROE RAISES BUMPER VEGETABLES--At left

above, he is shown with some of his cabbages which have grown new heads since he harvested the first crop in August. On the plant in front of Howard there were 10 new heads; another plant had eight heads, another nine. At right, above, Howard is shown with his giant light-green squash, four of them totaling 49 pounds together. They're a variety of hubbard squash, and Howard is justly proud of his crop. They were raised, incidentally, on the original Jake Fackler farm near Sherman City. We remember when Jake used to tote his giant squash in to Rolla Roe's Weidman Messenger each fall.

Messenger photo.

Men in Uniform

Here's a new address:

Pfc. Richard C. Embrey, U.S. 55829421, Hq. Co. A., SPP, 4th Med. Bn., APO San Francisco, Calif. 96262.

Kenny Waters writes his parents that he has a new rating, and his orders are to go to Viet Nam in January. Kenny has been in the service a year this month.

His new address:

Sp/4 Kenneth Waters, 587 Sig. Co., Fort Irwin, Calif. 92311.

Boys home on furlough after basic training at Fort Campbell, Ky., include Pvt. Paul Kavanaugh, Pvt. Doug Craven and Pvt. Mike Block.

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WEIDMAN GIRLS COME HOME AFTER 44 YEARS

After 44 years in California and never seeing Weidman mean time, two of the Wiley girls are visiting the old town again.

They are Jessie Wiley Schneider of Sacramento, and Ruth Wiley of Ontario, Calif. They, with their aunt, Blanche Cliff, called on Connie at the Messenger office Monday afternoon. We were so happy to see Jessie again, as we were schoolmates when the Roes first came to town in 1912.

Jessie will spend this week with Blanche, and Ruth will visit here two weeks. Blanche and Mildred Tompkins of Barryton were with Jessie in the call at the the Messenger office.

Miss Tompkins and Blanche spent Sunday night with Beth Jackson in Mt. Pleasant, and Beth drove them to Tri-Cities Airport to meet the Wiley girls.

Welcome back to Weidman, Jessie and Ruth!

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MABEL BELLOWES OBSERVES 75TH BIRTHDAY WITH A FAMILY GET-TOGETHER

Mrs. Mabel Bellows, formerly of Weidman, was honored at a dinner on her 75th birthday anniversary at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Milligan, of Flint, Sunday.

Around 75 relatives were present, and all of Mabel's 10 children were there.

A beautiful birthday cake decorated to resemble fall flowers, and a lovely centerpiece matching the decorations were features of the dinner.

Those from here attending included Kit Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson and Jack Bellows of Mt. Pleasant.

PARTY FOR BOY WHO WORKED HARD ON PHYSICAL THERAPY

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Halfman hosted a wiener roast for neighborhood children Monday evening at their home, observing the faithfulness of small Danny, the Halfman's son, who suffered an arm injury in a washing machine wringer last summer.

A great deal of physical therapy was necessary to prevent stiffness of the arm, and Danny was very good, carrying a six-pound pail of sand, and enduring oil rubs which were painful.

To celebrate his victory in this, his parents gave a party for 15 of Danny's playmates.

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Mrs. Hermione Smith and Mrs. Irma Kische had Sunday dinner with the Don Smith family.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Allen took his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Allen, to their home in St. Louis Sunday, after a week and a half visit at the Allens' Lake Windoga home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fox left Saturday for England on a week's tour of that country, as a prize winner in appliances sales.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Van Tassel and sons of Ludington and Lew Frantz were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene McArthur and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Goodrich of Lansing spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goodrich. They all had barbecue chicken dinner at the Russell Bakers' cottage at Coldwater Lake. The Bakers were up for the weekend from their home in Bath. This was a family get-together, as Mrs. Baker is a niece of the Goodriches.

Cathy Wilcox, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilcox, returned home last Wednesday from a week's stay at CMC Hospital, for treatment of diabetes. Cathy is coming along well.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gross and baby of Wayne and Mr. and Mrs. Don Lofgren were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gross and Ernest.

Mr. and Mrs. Meryl Graham and Debbie attended a fish dinner in Harrison last Friday evening, sponsored by the Harrison Masons.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Love of Lake George were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Meryl Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Pitts and Leon McArthur attended the 4-H barbecue at Coldwater Lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Letson and family were Thursday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Pitts and family.

Mrs. Esther Akens and children and Hubert Bunker, all of Carson City, were supper guests Sunday of their sister and daughter, Mrs. Charles Halfman, and family.

N. Broomfield

Maycie Cook, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Mead and son, Bob, of Mt. Pleasant spent Friday evening with the Herman Cooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hines, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hines, Roderick Nicholson, Maycie Cook, Mrs. Flossie Sellers and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hogg attended a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher, for Mrs. Dutcher's birthday, Thursday evening. Friday was the birthday date for Roderick Nicholson and Robert Hines also. We all had a very pleasant evening, and enjoyed birthday cake together with the Dutcher relatives and friends.

Herman and Aliance Cook and Mrs. Glee Krueger called on Mrs. Harriett Foults of Shepherd Saturday.

Mrs. E. R. Rhode and Harold spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lueder. It was the Lueders' 42nd wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Mary Cook, Mrs. Amelia Korytkowski of Remus, and Arthur Cook of Indiana called on Maycie Cook Monday afternoon. Arthur spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cook.

Blanche Carr was a Monday supper guest of Maycie Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Gail Strong and grandchildren, Keith and Linda, of Elwell, called on Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cook Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Caulkin of Alto spent the weekend with their brother and sister; Jay Leinaar and Nettie Crowley. Sunday they all visited Mrs. Crowley's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Caswell, of Deckerville. Mr. Caswell is improving, after his recent stroke.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gostola of Mt. Pleasant were Sunday guests of Mrs. E. Rhode and Harold.

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GREEN THUMB 4-H CLUB HAS FIRST MEETING ON COOKING, SEWING

Dorine Frantz, Reporter

Our first meeting on cooking and sewing was held Sept. 30.

We elected officers as follows: President, Tamrah Frantz; vice president, Joyce Smith; secretary, Barbara Smith; treasurer, Jim Smith; song leader, Beth Ann McClain; recreation, Mary Smith.

The next meeting will be Oct. 15, at 2 p. m., at the home of Mrs. Ted Smith.

Anyone interested in joining us is welcome to come. Our leaders are Mrs. Ted Smith and Mrs. Glenn Frantz.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith spent a couple of days last week at Manistee, fishing on the river there. They came home because of rain and cold weather, but had planned to spend a week.

Mrs. Inez Johnson stayed last Tuesday night with Mrs. Emily Wood.

Brinton News

Cora Estes, Reporter

Miss Nancy Birdsall is helping Mrs. Dolores Portenga while Mrs. Portenga drives a school bus in the Weidman District.

There will be another work day on the church in Brinton Saturday, Oct. 8. Dinner will be served at the hall at noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordie Fosberg and two children left Thursday, driving through to Jamestown, N. Y., to visit their grandparents.

Mrs. Clinton Sloan and Mrs. Bessie Forbes were shopping in Mt. Pleasant Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Roberts and baby visited Laura's sister and family at Carson City Sunday.

Mrs. Imogene Gillett and friend, Mrs. Rachel Rice, of Ewart spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Ken Baker. Mrs. Rice taught school at Lake last year.

Everybody come to the pepper card party at the Brinton Hall Oct. 15. Lena St. John buys the prizes for this one.

The Farm Bureau party will be held Oct. 14 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bowen.

Bessie Forbes and Thomas Latham were Sunday visitors at the Charles Doerr home in Mecosta, and also called on Mrs. Mary Smith of rural Remus.

Miss Emily Geasler owns a new Chevrolet convertible car.

The Extension Home Makers group met Thursday with Ellen Geasler. Twelve ladies were present. The Oct. 14 group meeting will be at the home of Joyce Geasler. The lesson will be a study of Italian foods.

Wm. Lowrie left Tuesday on a moose-hunting trip to Geraldton, Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Husted celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary with an evening dinner at the Holiday Inn in Mt. Pleasant Sept. 14.

Jack Baker was in DeKalb, Ill., Friday, where the CMU Band put on two shows. Jack returned home late Saturday night.

Sunday visitors at the Raymond Husted home were the Junior Goodwell family of St. Charles, the Laveir Hatt family of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Mosher of Flint, Mrs. Sadie Bonham of Tustin, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Salisbury of Marion.

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Straus and children of Flushing spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Leah Scharrer. Mrs. Scharrer's son-in-law, Paul Creed, of Algonac, spent Thursday night here. Paul's family have moved into a new double-trailer home after losing their former home by fire.

Audrey Flaughner and Mildred Ruegsegger were Sunday supper guests of Vina Bailey.

S. W. Sherman

Goldie Dutcher, Reporter

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR
MRS. ERVIN DUTCHER, SR.

Mrs. Goldie Dutcher was very pleasantly surprised Thursday evening when the following people came to help her celebrate her birthday:

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hines, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hines, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Losey, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hogg and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Woodin, Roderick Nicholson, Maycie Cook, Minnie Strauch, Hattie Losey, Jessie Rosencrantz, Floyd Dutcher, Mrs. Flossie Sellers and Jeanette Flachs, and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Dutcher.

A nice lunch, with birthday cake and ice cream, was enjoyed. The evening was spent playing cards and visiting.

Goldie received some lovely gifts. Mrs. Ervin Dutcher, Jr., and children called earlier, and took Goldie a lovely birthday cake also.

Mr. and Mrs. George Woodin spent Sunday in Freeland with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cloyce Scott. They spent Monday with her brothers, Joe and William Ockert. Saturday afternoon callers of the Woodins were Mrs. Betty Combs, Mrs. Cecil Smith and Mrs. Rita Rule, all of Detroit; and Mrs. Viola Curtis of Coldwater Lake.

Harry Hardenburg spent Sunday at Pierson, visiting the Carl Hardenburgs.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hardenburg and family of Pierson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cook and family and Mr. and Mrs. Chelsea Latham and family were Saturday visitors of the Harry Hardenburg family and Emory Dell.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Chaffee and Mrs. Fern Baker visited Larry Baker at Fort Knox, Ky., last weekend. Anna Chaffee spent the weekend with Dean and Nancy.

Mrs. Ronna Dutcher and son, Brian, drove to Saginaw Thursday, where Brian went to take his tests for the Air Force. They called on Mr. and Mrs. Bill Remington and sons.

Terry Dutcher of Clarkston spent Saturday night and Sunday with Brian Dutcher. Troy Remington spent Saturday over night with Sandra Dutcher.

(Editor's Note: With regret we omit some of Goldie's news items. Look for her news and our appreciation next week.)

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NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilmot took Mrs. John Sheldon to her doctor last week. Raymond Flaughner and son were visitors Saturday. Russell Frayer was a Friday caller. Rosie Hogen and Mrs. Lavie Hatt were Sunday afternoon visitors.

Beal City

Dora Smith, Reporter

Mrs. Rose Keiffer and her mother, Mrs. Fewerstein, and Mrs. Emma O'Connor of Carson City visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keiffer and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pung, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Keiffer visited Mr. and Mrs. Herman Voisin and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Voisin in Mt. Pleasant recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Egbert entertained company from Flint Sunday.

Mrs. Larry Egbert had a surprise birthday party for her husband, at the tavern Monday evening. Everyone had an enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Martin spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pung.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keiffer spent Tuesday with Mrs. Marie Rahl.

Oscar Fedewa of Houghton Lake spent from Monday till Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Blasen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keiffer spent Friday with Louise Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Platte of Ionia and Bill Gross of Lansing called on Louise Smith after Mrs. Joe Schueller's funeral Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Nartker of Lansing called on Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pung Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Pung and family of St. Johns spent the weekend with the Joe Pungs.

Mrs. Bill Trowbridge and daughter, Deanna, and Mrs. Bob Blasen called on Mrs. Allen Tilmann Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Leona Simmer and Mrs. Coletta Gross have returned to their homes here after their work for Dr. Davis this summer.

Mrs. Bill Trowbridge and daughter of Greenville spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. Bob Blasen.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith in Beal City.

Mrs. Lucille Schafer of Flint was here visiting old friends around Beal City, Effie Schafer and Mrs. Gert Schafer, at the Joe Pung home, Wednesday.

Mrs. Ed Blasen and daughter, Kathy, and Deanna of Greenville spent Wednesday afternoon with Louise Smith.

Mrs. Jerry Yuncker entertained 10 little girls last Thursday after school, honoring the 8th birthday of her daughter, Cindy. All reported a good time.

There will be no meeting of the Senior Citizens Thursday.

The Beal City Parish had 40-Hours devotion Sunday, Monday, and solemn closing Tuesday evening.

Joe Pantenburg returned home from CMC Hospital Friday, feeling better.

W. Yager of Toledo, O., is visiting at the Matt Pantenburg home.

Michael Schafer returned

home from CMC Hospital Saturday, after treatment of injuries suffered in a car-bicycle accident on Elias Road last Friday afternoon after school. Eleven-year-old Michael suffered a cut on the back of his head. Michael was hit by a car driven by George L. Schafer when Michael attempted to cross the road from behind a stopped school bus.

Mrs. Cecelia Schafer of Flint spent the past week with relatives here.

Mrs. Dan Connors returned to her home in Carson City Monday, after a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pung and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keiffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Schafer of Winn and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schafer of Mt. Pleasant spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Eldred of Blanchard spent Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schafer and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer.

A large number from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Christine Schueller at Sacred Heart Church in Mt. Pleasant Saturday morning. The family has the deepest sympathy of all their friends in their sad bereavement.

Mrs. Anna Schafer and family spent Sunday in Evart with her brother and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schafer entertained the following folks from Portland Sunday afternoon: Mr. and Mrs. Marcy Fedewa, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Gross, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mayes; also Mr. and Mrs. Louis Simmer, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pung, Mrs. Albert Simmer, and Mrs. Herbert Straus, of this area.

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WEST

Nottawa

Helen Alwood, Reporter

Elmer Garrett and Jake Weber enjoyed a color tour in the northern part of Michigan Sunday, and visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Faber, near Traverse City.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Miller and son, Butch, of Lansing spent the weekend at their cabin northwest of Weidman. Butch enjoyed hunting with Bill and Rusty Alwood while here.

Roger Maeder, Russ Tilmann and John Birgy left on a Friday and returned home last Wednesday from a bear-hunting trip to Canada. They didn't get a bear this time, but saw lots of tracks. This was Roger's fourth trip to Canada since last spring when he got his first bear. The young boys are enjoying themselves, because they know Uncle Sam will call.

Mrs. Don Alwood and family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McCain and children of Lennon enjoyed chicken dinner at the Dan Kripa

home near Mt. Pleasant Sunday. This was a family get-together for Rusty Alwood and Danny Kripa, who are home on their last leaves before going to Viet Nam soon. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Benic and family of Mt. Clemens were unable to attend because of the illness of Mr. Benic.

Joe Neubecker returned to CMC Hospital last Wednesday, after spending several weeks at the Ann Arbor hospital. Mrs. Neubecker took the children to the hospital to see their father, which made him real happy. It had been two months since he left home. Joe was eating better since he came back to Mt. Pleasant, and we are all so glad.

Sunday afternoon callers at the Isadore Schafer home were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Neubecker.

Jack Stanquits, an old schoolmate of Walt Smith and Helen Alwood, called on Walt and Jeanne Saturday evening, and they enjoyed talking of school days at the old school east of Weidman.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Halfman

were among the many relatives and friends attending the wedding reception for the newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Block, at the K. C. Hall in Beal City Saturday evening.

Mrs. Rosina Neubecker is spending some time with her daughter, Luella, at Leaton. Rosina hasn't been feeling well lately.

Elvah Gott accompanied Helen Alwood and Cathy to Mt. Pleasant last Thursday. Cathy had her stitches out from around her ear after surgery at Ford Hospital the week before. The operation was successful, and Helen and Cathy are glad to be home. The busy and noisy city life isn't for these country gals.

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Marian Cliff and two friends of Mt. Pleasant called on her cousin, Blanche Cliff, Friday afternoon.

Rusty Alwood has been working for Central Michigan Dry-wall Company last week and this.



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Elvah Gott, Reporter

ENTERTAINS HER SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

Vada Abbott was hostess at a party for her Sunday School class at her home Saturday afternoon. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed the day.

She finished off the party by taking them to the Weidman park for outdoor recreation before taking them home.

Jerry Sperry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloy Sperry, and Jerry's girl friend Carol Weaver, arrived at the Sperry home here Monday about six p.m. Jerry is home on leave from his Navy duties in Hawaii. Mr. and Mrs. John Latham and family were guests at the Sperry home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gott called on Mr. and Mrs. Sam Waters and had coffee with them Monday evening.

Visitors at the Roy Adams home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. David Adams and family of Traverse City, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Loviska and family of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Adams and family of Utica, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Embrey and family of Lake Thirteen, Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blodgett called at the Sam Waters home last week. Sam and Wilma are in their new house.

Carol Abott and Monica Parker attended a clothing party at the home of Kathy Flaughner last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Schumacher called on Mr. and Mrs. John Gott Friday evening, while their son, Dale, went to the basketball game at Beal City.

Bessie Allen called at the John Gott and Meryl Graham homes Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Chapman and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Knollenberg and family of Mt. Pleasant, and Mr. and Mrs. Micky Abbott and family and their father, James Kennedy, called at the Clayton Miller home after church Sunday, and had sandwiches and coffee.

Kathy Burden stayed with her grandmother, Mrs. Lauraine Burden, of Remus, last week. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Burden and family were visitors the weekend at the Jack Burden home.

Mrs. Lauraine Burden was hostess at a birthday dinner for her son, Jack, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gott took their son, Carl, a birthday cake and had lunch with him and his family, Friday. Mr. Gott helped with a chimney on Carl's house. They called in the evening on Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gott, and had dinner with them.

Becky and Debbie Graham had lunch with their grandparents,

Mr. and Mrs. John Gott, after church Sunday.

Callers at the John Gott home Saturday were Wanda Graham and girls, and their grandson, John Allen, and friend, Ethel Hartgrove, of Farwell.

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EAST Coldwater

Esther Skinner, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Olger called on their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Olger, Wednesday afternoon. The Dewey Olgers called on Mr. and Mrs. Dale Letson and family of Mt. Pleasant Wednesday.

Glen McDonald, Jr., has been helping Wally Skinner on his car evenings.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Olger called on his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Olger, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Grover and baby of Riverdale and their friends of St. Louis were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Skinner and family. Evening dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Rex Allen and children of Blanchard. Sunday callers were Randolph Capon and brother of Barryton. They came to get the boat they bought last week from Thelma. Harold and Esther took it over to Barryton in their station wagon for them.

If you are looking for a place to eat Friday evenings, the VFW Auxiliary No. 3033, Mt. Pleasant, is serving fish dinners at \$1 for adults, 75 cents for children. They also serve fish sandwiches. Serving starts at 5.30 p.m., each Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Latham and Terry Sisco were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Olger, honoring the birthdays of Jim Latham and Dewey Olger.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Letson and family of Mt. Pleasant and Miss Sandra Owens of Barryton were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Olger.

Wally, Ray and Dick Skinner, the Worth children, the Hart children and the Lofgren children, in 4th through 12th grades at the Weidman School, attended the Science Fair in Jackson last Friday. They returned about 6.30 p.m. All reported having a wonderful time. They had a sack lunch at noon and on the way home stopped at McDonald's for supper.

No news next week. Your reporter is leaving for a few days' vacation with her family and mother of Farwell, for Canada. Hope for nice weather and beautiful scenery. See you when I return.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beutler enjoyed a color tour Sunday. They drove through the Pine River Valley and Canadian Lakes. They reported fall colors were very beautiful.

COUPLE OF THE YEAR HONORED BY BROOMFIELD GRANGE AT DINNER

The Broomfield Grange honored Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hyder and family of the Pony Creek 4-H Club, who were chosen at the Isabella County Fair as the 4-H Young Couple of the Year, at a dinner Sept. 30.

Fifty-three guests were served at the Broomfield Grange Hall, for the children and their parents of the Pony Creek 4-H Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Hyder were presented with a lovely corsage and boutonniere by Howard Blackmer, Master of the Grange. George Jennings, 4-H and Ex-

tension leader, was guest speaker. He also showed slides on 4-H work and what 4-H stands for.

Mrs. Marjorie Hyder presented the children with their award money and certificates they won at the Fair. She also showed pictures of things the 4-H Club workers have done, starting with the Christmas family through exhibits at the Fair.

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NEWS NOTES

Vonnie Allen celebrated her 10th birthday Friday evening, having two overnight guests. They were Beth Ann McClain and Patti Losey. Vonnie's birthday was the first of this week.

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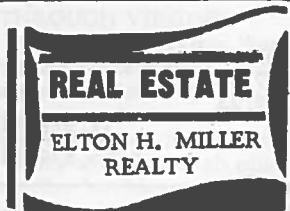
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Around Horr

Jessie Rosencrantz, Reporter

Mrs. Margaret Denslow attended a convocation of the first medical class at the new College of Human Medicine at Michigan State University at East Lansing Wednesday, Sept. 28. Her youngest son, Gary Denslow, is a student there. The parents were invited to attend.

Bill Cummins spent Sunday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Cummins, and also called on his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Tracy White. Mr. and Mrs. Cummins were supper guests of the Whites.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Denslow called at Chippewa Lake Sunday to see her sister and husband, the Mack Lovells, and found them both sick.

Sunday callers at the Benn Johnson home were Mrs. Rex Fountain and daughter and Al Blodgett.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Terry and daughter, Susan, of Traverse City, Mr. and Mrs. Safford Terry, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benn were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson.

Mrs. Margaret Denslow and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Denslow and family attended a family dinner at the Stuart Denslow home in Jackson Sunday. In the afternoon they attended the Space Fair at Parkside High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thompson and sons, Bob and Bill, attended the Space Fair at Jackson Saturday, where the spacecraft were on display. On the way home they called on Mrs. Thompson's mother, Mrs. Stoll.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Rau and children and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie McDonald and children were Sunday afternoon callers of their sister, Mrs. Earl Oplinger. Earl and Kenny Oplinger and Larry Leiter spent Sunday at Houghton Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dent were Friday overnight guests of her brother, Otis Kirvan, and family at Oscoda. Harry stayed over night with his grandmother Wood.

Saturday evening guests of the Dents were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McCreight, Mr. and Mrs. Benn Johnson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Johnson and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Krueger and family. Sunday afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sides.

Garth Lawrence took his father, Sidney Lawrence, to Grand Rapids for his checkup Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Denslow were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold St. John of Lansing. The Brownell children spent Sunday with their mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Denslow and two children of Lakeview were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Berl Denslow and the men did some hunting. Randy spent the weekend at

home from his school at Big Rapids.

Chari Brownell accompanied the Barryton school band to Ann Arbor Saturday, where Michigan and North Carolina played football. There were 188 bands in attendance. Chari plays in the Barryton band.

Mr. Koyl Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sprague and Richard Touchinski were Sunday supper guests of the Elwood Miller family.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller spent the weekend at Mackinaw City. Mr. Miller and Janice and Richard Touchinski called on Mrs. Ethel McLean at Kelsey Hospital Wednesday evening, and Mr. and Mrs. Miller called again Friday evening. Mrs. McLean was suffering from lung infection, after having the flu.

Bill and Alice Cooper and Mrs. Emily Wood were Wednesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wood. Sunday dinner guests were Bob Bergquist and Janet Potter. Mrs. Eva Denslow and Mrs. Blanche Carr were Wednesday afternoon callers.

Mrs. Blanche Carr and Mrs. June Plank and son were Sunday afternoon callers of Jessie Rosencrantz.

Mrs. Hattie Losey, Mrs. Minnie Strauch and Jessie Rosencrantz attended a birthday party for Mrs. Ervin Dutcher Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Losey were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Theron Merrihew.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Gross and Amy Sue were Sunday dinner guests of the Gerald Losey family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benn called at the Rush Funeral Home Friday afternoon to pay respects to Mrs. Joseph Schueller.

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Walker Creek News

Esther Stanley, Reporter

We are sorry to report Mrs. Ethel McLean is a patient in the Lakeview Hospital. She told us she had the flu last week, and Mr. Koyl said she went to the hospital last Wednesday. Hope you'll soon be better, Ethel!

Clyde Emmons returned home from the Mt. Pleasant Community Hospital Monday. He is feeling better, but still isn't able to return to work at Clare Mfg. Co.

Elwood Snell and son, Billy, of Battle Creek called on Mr. and Mrs. Emmons Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Ted McCoy were Sunday afternoon guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Loomis and Teresa and Jean Ann were Tuesday dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Loomis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Peeper and sons of Lansing were Sunday dinner guests of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Loomis, and daughters.

Miss Janet Dillenbeck of De-

troit spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dillenbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Schrock and family went for a drive around Littlefield Lake area Sunday, and report the trees are very beautiful with their leaves of many colors and hues.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Finney and Scott Dean were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Denslow.

Miss Chris Daggett of Barryton was a Friday overnight and Saturday guest. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sowle and daughters, Debbie, Connie and Vicki, were Saturday night guests, enjoying ice cream and cake in honor of Mr. Denslow's birthday. Happy Birthday, Leo!

Mrs. Lyle Denslow visited her brother, Hobart Abbott, at the home of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Abbott, and family, Sunday afternoon, at Edmore. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Abbott and family of Blanchard were also guests.

Leo Denslow was honored with a birthday dinner Sunday at the home of his mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Skalitzky. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Willis Finney and Scott Dean of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Denslow and Denise.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Loomis of Sherman City visited Mr. and Mrs. Skalitzky Saturday evening.

Mrs. Loretta Clark called on Mr. and Mrs. Skalitzky Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dosenberry and Blaine of Mt. Pleasant visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Dague and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dosenberry, over the weekend.

Lonnie Loomis was a Saturday overnight and Sunday guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Leiter, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry DeVoss and Maria of Conklin were guests from Wednesday till Sunday night of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lou Gray.

Mrs. Gray and Mrs. DeVoss went to Mt. Pleasant Saturday, bringing Cheryl, daughter of the Loren Grays, to spend Saturday night and Sunday, while her parents were at their cottage at Newberry.

Mrs. Joyce Geasler, Mrs. Gray and Mrs. DeVoss visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hanson of Chippewa Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas Moore and daughter, Mary Lou, and Tom Ray called on her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stanley, Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Moore moved to St. Johns from Big Rapids Wednesday. Mr. Moore is now working at the Oldsmobile plant in Lansing.

Mrs. Dorothy Gorby and Mary Ann and Debbie of Lake Thirteen visited Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wednesday night. They report Glen was better and would be home soon. Mr. Stanley visited him,

as did also his brother-in-law, Ernest Irwin, the first of the week at CMC Hospital.

Weekend guests and visitors at the Stanley home were Mrs. Robert Battle and Franeen and Debbie Gosser of Wyoming; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moore and Mary Lou of St. Johns, and their son, David, of Saginaw; Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Pung and Susan and Sandra of St. Johns; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pung and family of Beal City; Mr. and Mrs. Andy Stanley and family of Barryton, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stanley and Ricky, Sherry and Shelley of Weidman, and Judy Faber.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley visited her sisters and husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Shepherd of Clare, Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Rodman of Crooked Lake visited Mr. and Mrs. Otis Conley Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Conley visited Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gorby and Mary Ann and Debbie at Lake Thirteen Saturday evening. Glen came home from the hospital Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bazaire visited their grandson and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Gary St. John, and children, Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hess and family of Lynnwood, Calif., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. St. John Thursday afternoon till Sunday.

Miss Dorothy Hess was a Saturday overnight guest at her sister's home.

Mr. and Mrs. St. John and Deana and Michael took her home Sunday, and were dinner guests of her mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Bates.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bates of Flint were Sunday evening luncheon guests of Mrs. Lena St. John. Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Beutler were also guests.

Mrs. Arthur Loomis and daughter, Mrs. Max Kimball, and Steven and Brian, visited Mr. and Mrs. Max Kimball of Freeland Friday. The ladies went shopping in Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Kimball and family and Mrs. Thomas Loomis and daughters were Sunday dinner guests of their parents. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Esterline and Ronnie were Sunday afternoon callers.

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McCLAIN CHEVROLET SHOWS NEW CARS IN THREE DAY OPEN HOUSE AT BARRYTON

McClain Chevrolet Sales in Barryton welcomed viewers of the new 1967 Chevrolet cars and trucks with coffee, home made (delicious) cookies, and a gift of a tiny phial of expensive perfume for the ladies.

Their official showing was during three days, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

George Junior said this week the McClains are appreciative of their many friends and customers who came in to see the new cars.

North Weidman

Elvah Gott, Reporter

ENTERTAINS HER SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

Vada Abbott was hostess at a party for her Sunday School class at her home Saturday afternoon. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed the day.

She finished off the party by taking them to the Weidman park for outdoor recreation before taking them home.

Jerry Sperry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloy Sperry, and Jerry's girl friend Carol Weaver, arrived at the Sperry home here Monday about six p.m. Jerry is home on leave from his Navy duties in Hawaii. Mr. and Mrs. John Latham and family were guests at the Sperry home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gott called on Mr. and Mrs. Sam Waters and had coffee with them Monday evening.

Visitors at the Roy Adams home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. David Adams and family of Traverse City, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Loviska and family of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Adams and family of Utica, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Embrey and family of Lake Thirteen, Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blodgett called at the Sam Waters home last week. Sam and Wilma are in their new house.

Carol Abott and Monica Parker attended a clothing party at the home of Kathy Flaughner last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Schumacher called on Mr. and Mrs. John Gott Friday evening, while their son, Dale, went to the basketball game at Beal City.

Bessie Allen called at the John Gott and Meryl Graham homes Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Chapman and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Knollenberg and family of Mt. Pleasant, and Mr. and Mrs. Micky Abbott and family and their father, James Kennedy, called at the Clayton Miller home after church Sunday, and had sandwiches and coffee.

Kathy Burden stayed with her grandmother, Mrs. Lauraine Burden, of Remus, last week. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Burden and family were visitors the weekend at the Jack Burden home.

Mrs. Lauraine Burden was hostess at a birthday dinner for her son, Jack, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gott took their son, Carl, a birthday cake and had lunch with him and his family, Friday. Mr. Gott helped with a chimney on Carl's house. They called in the evening on Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gott, and had dinner with them.

Becky and Debbie Graham had lunch with their grandparents,

Mr. and Mrs. John Gott, after church Sunday.

Callers at the John Gott home Saturday were Wanda Graham and girls, and their grandson, John Allen, and friend, Ethel Hartgrove, of Farwell.

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EAST

Coldwater

Esther Skinner, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Olger called on their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Olger, Wednesday afternoon. The Dewey Olgers called on Mr. and Mrs. Dale Letson and family of Mt. Pleasant Wednesday.

Glen McDonald, Jr., has been helping Wally Skinner on his car evenings.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Olger called on his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Olger, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Grover and baby of Riverdale and their friends of St. Louis were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Skinner and family. Evening dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Rex Allen and children of Blanchard. Sunday callers were Randolph Capon and brother of Barryton. They came to get the boat they bought last week from Thelma. Harold and Esther took it over to Barryton in their station wagon for them.

If you are looking for a place to eat Friday evenings, the VFW Auxiliary No. 3033, Mt. Pleasant, is serving fish dinners at \$1 for adults, 75 cents for children. They also serve fish sandwiches. Serving starts at 5.30 p.m., each Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Latham and Terry Sisco were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Olger, honoring the birthdays of Jim Latham and Dewey Olger.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Letson and family of Mt. Pleasant and Miss Sandra Owens of Barryton were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Olger.

Wally, Ray and Dick Skinner, the Worth children, the Hart children and the Lofgren children, in 4th through 12th grades at the Weidman School, attended the Science Fair in Jackson last Friday. They returned about 6.30 p.m. All reported having a wonderful time. They had a sack lunch at noon and on the way home stopped at McDonald's for supper.

No news next week. Your reporter is leaving for a few days' vacation with her family and mother of Farwell, for Canada. Hope for nice weather and beautiful scenery. See you when I return.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beutler enjoyed a color tour Sunday. They drove through the Pine River Valley and Canadian Lakes. They reported fall colors were very beautiful.

COUPLE OF THE YEAR HONORED BY BROOMFIELD GRANGE AT DINNER

The Broomfield Grange honored Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hyder and family of the Pony Creek 4-H Club, who were chosen at the Isabella County Fair as the 4-H Young Couple of the Year, at a dinner Sept. 30.

Fifty-three guests were served at the Broomfield Grange Hall, for the children and their parents of the Pony Creek 4-H Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Hyder were presented with a lovely corsage and boutonniere by Howard Blackmer, Master of the Grange. George Jennings, 4-H and Ex-

tension leader, was guest speaker. He also showed slides on 4-H work and what 4-H stands for.

Mrs. Marjorie Hyder presented the children with their award money and certificates they won at the Fair. She also showed pictures of things the 4-H Club workers have done, starting with the Christmas family through exhibits at the Fair.

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NEWS NOTES

Vonnie Allen celebrated her 10th birthday Friday evening, having two overnight guests. They were Beth Ann McClain and Patti Losey. Vonnie's birthday was the first of this week.

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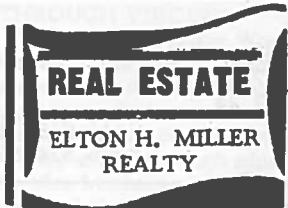
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ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE WEIDMAN COMMUNITY SCHOOL

General Fund: Comparative Balance Sheet

	June 30 1966	June 30 1965	Increase (Decrease)
ASSETS:			
Bank	\$38,698.90	\$16,812.68	\$21,886.22
Taxes Receivable	7,600.77	9,074.63	(1,473.86)
Due from Hot Lunch Fund		1,000.00	(1,000.00)
Accts. Rec.: Title I	6,067.00		6,067.00
Total Assets	\$52,366.67	\$26,887.31	\$25,479.36
LIABILITIES & FUND EQUITY			
Reserve for Fed. Obligations	16,203.39		16,203.39
Deferred Revenue	1,257.97		1,257.97
Due to Other Fund		1,000.00	(1,000.00)
Fund Equity	34,905.31	25,887.31	9,018.00
Total Liab. & Fund Equity	\$52,366.67	\$26,887.31	\$25,479.36

SCHEDULE OF CHANGES AFFECTING NET EQUITY

General Fund Revenue	205,874.35
General Fund Expenditures	196,856.35
Excess Revenue--	\$9,018.00

NOTE: Hot Lunch Fund and certain Activity Fund cash balances have been included in the general fund balance sheet this year to comply with the rules and regulations set down by the State Department of Public Instruction.

General Fund Revenue
Year Ended June 30, 1966

REVENUE FROM LOCAL SOURCES:	
Property Tax Levy--Current Year	\$51,816.07
Interest on Delinquent Taxes	274.84
Miscellaneous	668.18
	52,759.09
REVENUE FROM STATE SOURCES:	
State School Aid	109,372.00
FEDERAL FUNDS REDISTRIBUTED BY STATE:	
Vocational Education	520.69
PL 8910--Title I	17,809.03
	18,329.72
REVENUE FROM INTERNAL SOURCES	
Isabella County: Rent	7,500.00
REVENUE FROM REVOLVING FUND	
Hot Lunch	12,862.94
Book Store	1,827.36
Athletic & Other	3,223.24
	17,913.54
Total General Fund Revenue	\$205,874.35

General Fund Expenditures
Year Ended June 30, 1966

INSTRUCTION	
Elementary--Schedule Attached	\$51,553.34
Secondary " "	57,139.07
Special Education--Schedule Attached	8,765.44
ADMINISTRATION: Sched. Attached	13,381.84
	17.00
ATTENDANCE	
	869.96
HEALTH SERVICE	
TRANSPORTATION	
Schedule Attached	23,239.73
OPERATION OF PLANT Schedule Attached	12,917.45
MAINTENANCE OF PLANT	
Salaries	2,277.66
Contracted Services	810.11
Miscellaneous Supplies	2,801.28
Replacement of Equipment	675.19
FIXED CHARGES--Insurance	941.05

General Fund Expenditures--Continued
Year Ended June 30, 1966

CAPITAL OUTLAYS:

Remodeling & Improvements	297.62
Furniture & Equipment	5,962.76
FOOD SERVICES	150.00
REVOLVING FUND	
Hot Lunch	\$11,298.06
Book Store	198.84
Athletic & Other	3,559.95
Total General Fund Expense	15,056.85
	\$196,856.35

LEGAL
Notice

NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR INCORPORATION OF UNINCORPORATED TERRITORY AS A VILLAGE.

ELECTION NOTICE

Township of Nottawa, County of Isabella, State of Michigan. Proposed Incorporation of the Village of Weidman.

Notice is hereby given that on November 8, 1966, an election will be held for the purpose of:

1. Voting on the question of the proposed incorporation of the following described territory as the Village of Weidman:

Beginning at a point 660 feet South of the common corner posts of Sections 13 and 24 of Sherman Township and Sections 18 and 19 of Nottawa Township, of Isabella County, Michigan, running thence East 2640 feet to Johnson Road, thence North on Johnson Road 8580 feet, thence West 7920 feet, thence South 5280 feet, thence West 1320 feet, thence South 1320 feet, thence West 1320 feet, thence South 1320 feet, thence East 2660 feet, thence South 660 feet, thence East 2640 feet, thence North 660 feet, thence East 1905 feet, thence South 360 feet, thence East 735 feet, thence South 300 feet to the place of beginning.

And the residents who are qualified electors of said territory shall have the right to vote on the question:

For Village Incorporation ☐ Yes

For Village Incorporation ☐ No

2. At the said election on the question of the proposed incorporation, each elector residing within the above described territory shall also be entitled to vote for five (5) electors residing in said territory as members of a Charter Commission to draft a village charter for said territory if the proposal to so incorporate is approved.

Signed:

Bernard Rau, Twp. Clerk.

Dated Sept. 19, 1966.

Oct. 6t4

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cooper of Edgewater, Fla., spent two days last week with Mrs. Emily Wood. They left Friday.

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Signed:

Iola Miller, Twp. Clerk.

Dated Sept. 19, 1966.

Oct. 6t4

Mrs. Vina Bailey spent part or last week at Gladwin, with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bailey and family.

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Card Of Thanks

Little Cathy Alwood wants to thank all her little friends and relatives, too, for cards and gifts during her illness.

A very special Thank You to Yvonne Halfman for food she brought to Don and the boys while Helen was gone with Cathy; and also thanks to good-hearted neighbor Elvah Gott, for all she did, and of course,

is doing, most of the time. Friends like these are never forgotten.

the Churches

FOREST HILL CHURCH OF GOD
Rev. Stanley Spires, Pastor
Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11 a. m.
Youth Fellowship, 7 p. m.
Evening Worship, 7.30 p. m.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday, at 7.30 p. m.

Plans for the Missionary Convention, starting Wednesday, Oct. 19, and running through Sunday, Oct. 23, are progressing well, with the following lineup of speakers:

Rev. John Burgess of Pontiac, Rev. Thomas Reed of Chicago, Rev. Edward Merriman of Columbus, O., Rev. Everett Ashley of Jackson, Mich., and Rev. Grace Carroll of Chicago.

Four of the above are members of the Executive Board of the Gospel Centre Association, and all are members of the general board. Rev. Everett Ashley has been a resident missionary on the field and the others have visited the various fields in one official capacity or another.

The convention will be held at the Forest Hill Church of God west of Weidman.

Slides and movies will be shown of the Jamaican field both Friday and Saturday evenings. Everyone is welcome.

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West Gilmore

Lena Cole, Reporter

ENJOY MOUNTAIN TRIP THROUGH VIRGINIA

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wood returned home last Thursday from a six-day auto trip with their nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Agle, of Mt. Morris.

They drove through nine states besides Michigan, and greatly enjoyed the Sky Lane Drive in the mountains of Virginia. Their trip there took them through 17 tunnels, and they visited 10 National parks, where they saw a bear, and several deer, and a bobcat, in their wild state.

Fog and rain terminated their stay in the mountains, the Woods report, but they thoroughly enjoyed the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Payton Geasler of Barryton called on their sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Boger, Friday evening.

Gregg Pitts spent the weekend at home, from his school work in Big Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cole spent Friday evening with their nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wardwell, in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Douglas of Beaverton were supper guests Thursday of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Douglas.

Mrs. Charlotte Hart and sister,

Mrs. Violet Lowery, took a trip Tuesday to Lake City to see their brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shilling.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cole spent Tuesday evening with her sister, Mrs. Julius Allbee, and husband, of Clare.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Douglas were their son, Jerry of Bay City, Herb Shendorff and son, Butch, of Belding, and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Ledic of Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hart were hosts Sunday at a family dinner. The occasion was the birthday of their daughter, Carol. Present were Mrs. Charlotte Hart, Mrs. Violet Lowery and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Bigelow, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Curtis, and the Harts' daughter and family.

Walter Wood underwent surgery at the clinic in Mt. Pleasant last Thursday on the side of his nose. He recovered very well.

Mrs. Verna Seymour has recovered nicely after a hernia operation.

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NEWS NOTES

Miss Edith McManus of Bloomfield Hills has been spending a few days with Mrs. Evelyn Hackney. Her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pickens, of Clawson, spent the weekend with Mrs. Hackney.

Mrs. Ted Smith cared for the two little girls of Mr. and Mrs. Rey Thursday night while their mother was in CMC Hospital for treatment of burns suffered in an oven explosion. Mrs. Rey was seriously burned about the face and eyes.

BETTER THAN A LETTER

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I certify that the statements made by me above are correct. Constance Skinner, Editor.



MARRIED SATURDAY--Thelma Jones and Harold Branson (center, above) were married at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, Oct. 1, by Rev. Marvin Eldridge at the Weidman Baptist parsonage. Their attendants were Mr. and Mrs. James Visser of Ada, Mrs. Visser at left above, and Mr. Visser at right. Mr. and Mrs. Branson left for a five-day honeymoon trip to Lansing and other points. The bride is the daughter of George Skinner and the late Lizzie Skinner. The newly-married couple will have a town house in Weidman and a country home on the Skinner farm in Coldwater Township.

Coldwater Lake

Marjorie Schafer, Reporter

The Russell Seilers have purchased and remodeled the house of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haag next to the Coldwater Bar. They moved in this week.

Mrs. Edward Schafer called on Mrs. Gerald Schafer and Mrs. Frank Walz Wednesday morning.

The 4-H chicken barbecue dinner was reported to have had a good turnout Sunday.

We have been having 40-hour devotions this week at St. Joseph the Worker Church in Beal City.

Mrs. Edward Schafer called on Mrs. Herman Hemminger at CMC Hospital Friday afternoon. She also called on Ila Townsend and Della Wischmeyer while in Mt. Pleasant.

The Edward Schafers of Coldwater Lake and the Alfred Klumpps of Mt. Pleasant have purchased lots on the Coldwater River west of the Coldwater Bar.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schafer Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Klumpp and children, Rita Theisen and Mrs. Walter Wischmeyer.

Mrs. Fred Wilcox and Joyce Curtiss called on Loretta Lorenz Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lorenz of Mt. Pleasant and Mr. and Mrs. Ron Lorenz of Beal City called at the Peter Lorenz home Sunday.

Little Dennis Lorenz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Lorenz, is still in CMC Hospital the first of this week, but feeling better.

Rev. and Mrs. Elliott of Rosebush were Saturday callers of Mrs. Emily Wood.

Two Rivers

Florence Harvey, Blanche Carr Reporters

Mrs. Mary Larson visited her sister, Edna Schram, of Saginaw, Thursday. They went to Rose City to visit friends. It is Mary's home town.

Mrs. Ernest Courser's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Woodruff, called Wednesday at the Courser home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harvey and son were Wednesday evening callers of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harvey. Robert returned to Lansing. Clara and Jim remained for a visit with the Harvey family for a few days.

Callers at the Charles Harvey home Sunday were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sweet and children of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. John Harvey and children of Chippewa Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Claire Letson of Lakeview, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harvey and son of Lansing, and Florence's nephew and friend, Walter Stump and Larry Malley, of Greenville.

Virgil Harvey was a Saturday night guest of his cousin, Walter Stump, of Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weber and son of Clare were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Singleton Moses.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Stansell were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Woodruff of Bass Lake.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Martin visited Mr. and Mrs. John Faber Thursday, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pung Friday. Eddie Martin of

Lakeview and Connie Schupbach and Juanita Hubbel of Mt. Pleasant were Sunday guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Clell Abbott and son of Lakeview spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herb Hochrein.

Mrs. Lovica Krueger and Arnold Krueger and children and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dent and Harry helped Harold Krueger on his house Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindy Swan of Ypsilanti and Lloyd Swan of Flint were weekend and Sunday guests of the Fred Swans.

Blanche Carr was a Friday luncheon guest of Ina Gillett, and a Monday supper guest of Maycie Cook.

PERRY LADIES TRAVEL TO WEIDMAN TO MEET THEIR OLD FRIENDS HERE

The Women's Missionary Society of the Perry (Mich.) Free Methodist Church traveled to Weidman to have their September meeting with Mrs. Lyda Cole, mother of Mrs. James Noe, last Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Cole had been a member of their group for 42 years before moving here.

The ladies met at the home of Mrs. Ivan Allen for a pot-luck dinner and reunion meeting with Mrs. Cole.

Besides Mrs. Allen and Mrs. Cole, the group included Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Haywood, pastor of the Perry Free Methodist church; Mrs. Genevieve Shaft, president of the Missionary Society, and eight other ladies.

Also, Mrs. Hazel Noe, who had also been a past member of the group.

Mrs. Cole appreciated the thoughtfulness and effort put forth in her honor. It will be remembered as one of the highlights of the year for all concerned.

Local Items

Jerry Sperry and Miss Carol Weaver will be married this Saturday, Oct. 8, with a reception that evening in the VFW Hall in Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Frances Lawrence called on Mrs. Ethel Bywater last Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Woodward of Flint were Sunday afternoon callers of Mrs. Ethel Bywater.

Mrs. Dorothy Miller of Lansing was a Saturday caller of Emma Middlesworth and Vada Carroll. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carroll and Mr. and Mrs. Peterson of Livonia spent the weekend at their cottage at Marion, and called on the ladies on their way home.

K. C. Charnes spent the weekend at his home here, from his studies at Alma College.

Mrs. Clyde Beutler and Mrs. Forrest Johnston attended an antique show at the Holiday Inn in Mt. Pleasant, a benefit show to help the Milk Fund, sponsored by the Women's City Club of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dent of Farwell were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sprague.

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Oct. 5 through 11

Ray's SHOPPING TIPS

Powdered Sugar Lb. Box
2 for 33¢

American Leader
CATSUP
2/29¢
14 oz. bottle

HYGRADE
BEEF STEW
49¢ 24 oz. can

TUNA
3 for 79¢
6 1/2 oz. can

American Leader
Oleo Margarine
5 lbs. \$1

VAN CAMP'S
PORK & BEANS
49¢ 1 lb., 15 oz. can

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