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Editor's Column

By Connie

WE DON'T PRINT ANONYMOUS LETTERS

We got an anonymous letter in Monday's mail attacking the Messenger and Mitch McArthur for their views expressed in last week's paper.

No editor will print an anonymous letter, and Connie is no exception. The editor must know who wrote the letter, even though the writer wishes to remain unknown publicly.

The letter contained some passages that were libelous; and the Messenger, like all newspapers, will have nothing to do with that.

The writer of this letter indicated a leaning to a belief that Mitch also wrote the "pome" printed on the page above his letter.

George Skinner wrote that "pome", including the post-script attributed to the editor. We thought the skit was rather cute, and the whole thing was a spoof, as indicated by the alleged editor's note at the end.

So: We will print no personal attacks in this paper, and we will print no letters not signed by the writer.

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WEIDMAN

LIONS CLUB

TWELVE DAYS FOR ENTRANTS IN CONTEST

The president of the Weidman Lions Club today advised possible entrants in the Lions \$50,000 Peace Essay contest they have only 12 days remaining in which to submit their essays.

"Closing date for the entries will be Dec. 10, and judging for the Weidman Lions Club's winner will begin soon after," he said.

A total of \$50,000 in awards will be made, including a first prize of \$25,000 in educational and/or career assistance grant, eight semi-finalist awards of \$1,000, and travel expenses to Chicago for these semi-finalists in July. At that time, the first prize winner will be chosen from among the eight. Also, more than 20,000 local, district and multiple district awards will be made.

A panel of three judges, Irene Reynders, Yvonne Pitts, and Richard Donley, will select a winner from the entries to advance to the Lions District 11C level of judging.

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DAR Good Citizens



ROSE ANN REIHL

Rose Ann Reihl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Reihl of North Winn Road, Weidman, is the DAR Good Citizen representative of the Beal City High School.

Among her school activities, Rose Ann is president of the Beal City School's FHA and a member of the Booster Club.

She is planning to attend Saginaw General Hospital School of Nursing upon graduation from high school.



HAZEL HOFFMAN

Hazel Hoffman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Hoffman, is the DAR Good Citizen for the Barryton High School.

She was class secretary from Junior High through the 12th Grade; FTA president, and a member of the National Honor Society.

In her activities she was church youth president, band member, on the Honor Roll, Annual staff, first place in science fair, first place in the county on an essay for Michigan Week; on the school newspaper and many band activities.

She plans to attend Anderson



KAREN RHODE

Karen Rhode, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Rhode, is the DAR Good Citizen representative of the Weidman High School.

The Senior Class chose Kathy Wood, Judy Johnston and Karen Rhode as candidates for the DAR Good Citizen award.

After the three girls were chosen by the Seniors, the faculty made the final decision, which was Karen Rhode.

The DAR award is based on dependability, service, leadership and patriotism.

The faculty had Karen write out a small report on herself for the paper.

"Some of the activities I have participated in during my years at Weidman High School are: FHA, Yearbook staff, paper staff, and two class offices.

"The class offices I have held were Reporter and Secretary.

"Outside of school, I am very active in the Broomfield Zion Lutheran Church. I play the organ in church for the services. I teach Sunday School, and I also play for the Junior Choir."

Karen plans to attend CMU and eventually become a commercial teacher, possibly pursuing her music interests.

College in Anderson, Ind., where she will enter the field of medical technology.

We are proud to present these young ladies as our area's school choices for DAR Good Citizen of the year. This is a nation-wide project sponsored annually by the National Society of Daughters of the American Revolution. The Isabella chapter of Mt. Pleasant

Men in Uniform

PARTY FOR LIEUT. BOB TVORIK SATURDAY NIGHT

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tvorik, were hosts at a surprise party honoring their son, Lieut. Bob Tvorik, who has been spending a two weeks' furlough here.

It was held in the recreation room of the Tvoriks' new home. Roasted wieners, marshmallows and hamburgers were features of the evening, done on the new fireplace in the rec room.

About 30 were present for the evening. They had a wonderful time, with visiting and dancing taking up the evening.

Lieut. Robert Tvorik leaves Friday, Nov. 25, for Fort Lee, Va., where he has been stationed. On Dec. 3 he is scheduled to leave for Viet Nam, by boat. He will reach his destination the day after Christmas.

Harold Gross, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gross, will have the following address for Christmas:

F A Harold M. Gross 1376163, U. S. N. Weapons Station, Skiffes Creek Annex, Box. 584, Yorktown, Va. 17030.

Harold is driving trucks and repairing them. He has been at this base for five months. He was drafted into the Navy a year ago last October 5.

Pfc. and Mrs. Mike Theisen are the proud parents of a baby daughter, Jacqueline K., born at Hunstville, Ala.

Their address is: Pfc. and Mrs. Mike Theisen, 3311 Seventh Street, Hunstville, Ala. 35800.

Mrs. Theisen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wawersik, spent a week with them recently. Ruth and Mike are uncertain if they will be able to come home for Christmas.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Buck of Lowell were Sunday dinner guests of the Roy Adams family. Miss Nancy Adams of Ewart and her fiancée, Steve Starks, were also guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Allen attended a birthday dinner honoring Mrs. Floyd Allen, who was 86 years old and was doing fine. The dinner was at St. Louis, the home of the Floyd Allens.

sponsors the schools in this area.

Last Saturday the girls chosen as the year's Good Citizens, their mothers and their sponsoring teachers, were guests of the Isabella Chapter at a tea in their honor at Merrill Hall on the campus of CMU.

Gilmore

CENTER

Mary Helen Pitts, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Vanness Cook were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Bernice Cook in Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. James Pitts and Leon McArthur of Weidman were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Pitts and family. In the afternoon they called on Mrs. Lola Graham and Mrs. Emma Perry.

Ed McAlvey was taken sick Wednesday noon at his home and was taken to Sparrow Hospital in Lansing. Mrs. Eulah McAlvey was home from Bath, Mich., for the weekend.

Mrs. Roger Raycraft and children of Dover were callers at the Elwyn Pitts home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Pitts called at the Bernard Pitts home Saturday evening, to show their nice buck, and were supper guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Pitts visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pitts, over the weekend. The menfolks did some hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. George Getchell and family spent Friday evening at Cass City, visiting Airman Don Englehart and his bride from Amarillo, Tex. On the way they stopped in Saginaw to visit Mrs. Lola Fordyce.

The red coats are really flying around the countryside these days. Good luck, boys, but be careful. The life you save might be your own or someone in your family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleland Cook and family were Saturday evening supper guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vanness Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Pitts and family and Egbert Fordyce went to Saginaw Tuesday evening to see Lola Fordyce. They also spent the day in Saginaw Sunday.

Pam Letson spent Friday night and Saturday with the Bernard Pitts family. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Letson and boys called Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fordyce have moved to their winter home in Sarasota, Fla.

The Youth Group of the Gilmore Church of Christ visited Lola Graham and Bertha Colosky at the Ardis Rest Home. In the afternoon they took part in the services at the Medical Care Center for the people there.

Mrs. Emma Perry is a patient in the Clare Hoppital.

George Pitts is home from CMC Hospital. Glad to see you out again, George.

Let's all remember these sick folks with cards and prayers.

Darryl Dunkle and Greg Pitts of Big Rapids spent Wednesday night with Greg's parents. Greg was also home for the weekend, looking for the big buck that everyone else was looking for.

The Youth Group of the Gilmore Church of Christ will be in charge of the evening service Nov. 27. They will present a

one-act play, "The Devil's Pawn Shop." You won't want to miss it.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore of St. Johns spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Faber and family.

Miss Judy Faber spent the weekend in Big Rapids.

Steve Faber of Grand Rapids spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Faber.

A large number of youths went to the Central Michigan Youth Rally at Vestaburg last Monday evening. We have a real active group of teenagers. Don't be bashful, kids, come and join them.

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N. Broomfield

Maycie Cook, Reporter

Mrs. Mollie Behrens of West Branch spent Tuesday with Mrs. Eda Van Zandt. Walter Krieger and Bill Van Zandt of Hemlock were weekend guests here for the deer hunting.

Mrs. E. R. Rhode and Maycie Cook visited Mr. and Mrs. John Hibberd Thursday afternoon.

Elsie Richardson of Owosso spent several days' vacation this week with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cook.

Mrs. Eda Van Zandt entertained the Tri-County Hospital Guild No. 9 last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Orves Cook, Mrs. Glee Krueger and Kathy and Mrs. Carol Schafer shopped in Lansing Thursday.

Paul Lueder is suffering from several broken ribs as the result of a tractor accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Orves Cook spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bergquist of Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens were callers of Mrs. E. Rhode and Harold this past week.

Maycie Cook called on Mrs. Miles Loomis Saturday afternoon. Miles and son, Virgil, had recently been to Wyoming, and each came home with an antelope.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cook and Sandra and Maycie Cook called on Miss Myrtle Walch and Mrs. Nettie Meissner of Remus Sunday afternoon.

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Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Love of Lake George visited Mr. and Mrs. Meryl Graham and girls Sunday evening.

Mrs. Frank Tvorik is on vacation from her work in Edmore, for two weeks, to be with her sons, Bob and Ralph.

Meryl Graham returned home from CMC Hospital Saturday. He started work again at Clare Monday.

Sherry and Rocky Knepper of Lansing were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goodrich the past week.

Brinton News

Cora Estes, Reporter

Mrs. Violet Sloan and Mrs. Bessie Forbes attended the Northline Extension Group meeting Thursday evening at the Shirley Williams home. The lesson was "Budgeting Your Christmas Money." Mrs. Williams served a delightful lunch. There were 10 in attendance. The December meeting will be with Bessie Forbes.

Another one of those get-together card parties coming up. See your friends Nov. 26 at the Community Hall in Brinton. Mrs. Lillie Maddox will bring the prizes. The lunch is pot-luck, and bring your own table service.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Page of Lansing were over Sunday visitors at the Bessie Forbes home.

Charlene Scott, daughter of Mrs. Marie Scott, underwent surgery for appendicitis at CMC Hospital Monday afternoon. Her brother, Jerry Yelland, who had been in the hospital in Mt. Pleasant for a ruptured appendix, was taken to Ann Arbor for x-rays last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Carroll of Cadillac were Saturday dinner guests of Jack Baker. Later they attended the football game and band concert at CMU with Jack.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Cheadle and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Baker of Wyoming, Mich., were Sunday evening callers at the Ken Baker home.

The Kenneth Baker family have improved their home by adding an enclosed porch and a cloak room, and making changes in the interior of their house.

Tom Latham, Mrs. Bessie Forbes, Mrs. Jesse Lee and Bert and Cora Estes attended the funeral of Emmaline Woodin in the Crittenden Funeral Home in Remus Nov. 16.

The Cheadle family were called to St. Louis by the illness of Mrs. Anna Cheadle.

There was an attendance of 34 at Sunday School Sunday. Work on the building progresses. The roof on, windows in, and some inside work is being done.

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Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Albrough and family of Mt. Pleasant were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Flower and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Embrey, Liza Losey and Bessie Price were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Birdie Glover of St. Johns. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Abernathy of Grand Rapids.

Ralph Tvorik came home Friday from Hemlock, where he is employed by General Telephone Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmus Brown of Nashville, Mich., were overnight guests of the Frank Tvorik family Sunday. They both went hunting Monday with Ralph and Bob Tvorik.

S.W. Sherman

Goldie Dutcher, Reporter

Sa. Bill Hardenburg left last Thursday from the Grand Rapids airport for Alameda, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Harshman and girls called on the Ervin Dutchers, Jr., Saturday evening. George Woodin was a Sunday caller.

Callers during the week at the Clayton Dutchers' home were Richard and Douglas Dutcher, Ivan and Donna Hines, the Garry Dutcher family, Jim Hisson, Ervin Dutcher, Mrs. Ronna Dutcher, Steven and Sandra.

Jim Hissong of New Era spent the weekend with Garry Dutcher, and hunted in the area.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kahler of Davison spent the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hibberd, and Lee did some deer hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Merrihew and Orval spent from Saturday till Monday, a week ago, with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Merrihew and daughters in Pontiac.

Ralph Wagner of Kentucky was hunting in this vicinity over the weekend. He got his deer the first day.

Mrs. Florence Hoffman was a Tuesday afternoon caller of Mrs. Ervin Dutcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Dutcher and family of Clarkston spent the weekend with the Ervin Dutchers and the George Merrihews.

Jack Dutcher and Bill Haydel of Lake Orion, and Orval Rowden of Pontiac, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Remington and boys were weekend guests. Bill and Sylvia spent a couple of days the first of the week also, with the Ervin Dutchers. Mrs. Ronna Dutcher and Steven and Sandra were callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Beutler and daughter attended the Fellowship dinner after church Sunday. The group had an anniversary cake made and helped Rev. and Mrs. Reynders celebrate their 20th wedding anniversary.

Jack Gaudard of Midland spent the weekend at the Ervin Dutcher home.

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Local Items

Howard Johnson of Fremont, O., and Mrs. Robert Van Ness of Lindsay, O., spent from Friday till Wednesday with their mother, Mrs. Kit Johnson. While here they visited the Charles Johnson Gerald Johnsons and Thomas Powells of Mt. Pleasant. While Marion and Howard were here, the family of Fey Johnson were Monday evening supper guests: Kit's home. The Ohio folks expected to return home Wednesday of this week.

Mrs. Beatrice Gatehouse and Mrs. Vada Gatehouse and Mrs. Donna Thren were visitors at the Bertha Clark home one day last week.

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WANT ADS

WANT AD RATES: 50¢ per week for ordinary ad; space rates of 50¢ per col. inch for those of longer length. Card of Thanks: 75¢, unless very long. Ph. 644-2000, Weidman.

Card Of Thanks

I wish to thank all the people who sent cards, flowers and gifts, also all the men who helped harvest my crops, and the many kind deeds to my family.

I deeply appreciate it.
 Joseph Neubecker.

FOR SALE--Davenport and two matching chairs, green, \$40. R.D. Sprague, tel. 2244, in Weidman.

Nov. 27t1p

LET US

Place a Christmas Wreath on your loved one's grave.

We make them of fresh Scotch pine boughs, trim them with a big red plastic bow and Christmas balls, fasten them to an easel and place them in the Weidman or Beal City Cemetery.

All this for \$3.50 plus sales tax. Or you place your own for \$3.25 plus tax.

THE FLOWER SHOP
 Weidman Ph. 644-3941

FOR SALE--Ten tons of alfalfa and brome baled hay. Price, \$24 per ton, at the farm one mile north of Brinton.

Bert Estes.
 Nov. 24tf

FARM FOR SALE--79 acres in the S 1/2 of the NW 1/4 Sec. 14, Nottawa Township, Isabella County. Good level land, 5 rooms modern house, barn, tool shed, corncrib. Bids will be accepted until 2:00 P.M. November 30, 1966. Right to reject all bids is hereby reserved. Contact Mrs. Lawrence Egbert, administratrix of the Estate of Fred J. Yuncker, 3426 West Pickard Road, Route #2, Mount Pleasant, Michigan.

SMALL OR LARGE SEPTIC TANKS

CLEANED
 500-gal. tank \$20; 750-gal. tank \$25; 1,000-gal tank \$35. New prices for this area.

CENTRAL MICHIGAN SEPTIC TANK SERVICE
 Call Stan Phelps collect, Mt. Pleasant 772-9154, after 4 p.m. or call Don Smith, Weidman, 644-2224.

Card Of Thanks

I wish to express my deepest appreciation for the very many cards, and the flowers galore, sent me while I spent three weeks in Saginaw General Hospital.

Also I know I had the prayers of many people.
 For all these I am deeply grateful.

Dorothea Straus.

Card Of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Halfman want to thank all their friends and relatives for all the nice gifts, money and cards on the occasion of their Golden Wedding.

And for so many coming for the reception, helping make it such a happy time.

We want to thank all our children and the grandchildren for their gifts and for working so hard to make it just perfect.

Thanks to the nice cooks for getting the meal and the nice flowers. Also thanks to our great-grandchildren.

Arnold and Ella.

FOR CHRISTMAS--We are already receiving subscription orders for service men all over the world. What more wonderful gift than a weekly account of the doings of people back home? We suggest a six months' subscription, \$3.75, anywhere in the world. We accept changes of address of servicemen without charge.

BETTER THAN A LETTER

the Churches

WEIDMAN METHODIST
 Rev. Williams Reynders, Pastor

A large group attended the monthly Fellowship Dinner in the Weidman church Sunday. The chairmen of the Every Member Visitation from Deerfield and Weidman gave reports. After a bountiful pot-luck dinner, Rev. and Mrs. Reynders were presented with a huge, beautifully decorated cake and a dozen long-stemmed red roses, in honor of their wedding anniversary.

During the morning worship service, the Deerfield Center church presented them with a lovely planter.

Don't forget the next Great Northern Hymn Sing which will be in Barryton next Sunday, Nov. 27, at 7.30 p.m.

The McArthur Circle of the Weidman church will meet in the church Thursday, Dec. 1, at 2.30 p.m. The word is "Woman."

There will be choir practice in the Weidman church Thursday, Dec. 1, at 7 p.m.

The Official Board of the Weidman church will meet in the church Monday, Dec. 5, at 8 p.m.

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.

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Obituary

ANNA CHEADLE

Mrs. Anna M. Cheadle died Monday, Nov. 21, at the Golden Acres Nursing Home in St. Louis. She was 91 years old.

She was born July 8, 1875, in Canada. She and her family had lived in Coldwater Township 63 years, and the Cheadle name is one of the pioneer names of that township.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, Nov. 23, at 3.30 p.m. in the Daggett Funeral Home in Barryton, with Larry Beard of the Barryton Church of Christ officiating. Burial was in the Sherman City Cemetery.

Surviving are three sons, Clifford of Grand Rapids, Ross of Gladwin, and Boyd of Lansing. Also one daughter, Mrs. Ora-leafa Baker, of Brinton; and a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Marie Bates, of Dimondale; 23 grandchildren and 35 great-grandchildren. Three sons preceded her in death, as did her husband, Emerson, who died in 1945.

The family have the sympathy of all. ---0---

Mrs. R.D. Sprague, Mrs. Bessie Teall, Blanche Cliff, Mrs. Fred Wilcox, Mrs. Orval Branson and Mrs. Lee Parker attended the funeral of C.E. "Dutch" Brant in Grant last Wednesday.

Obituary

LINTEN J. DENNIS

Linton J. Dennis of Mecosta died Nov. 8 at Traverse City Hospital after a week's illness. He died of a coronary heart attack.

He was a brother-in-law of Mrs. Fred Wilcox of Weidman.

He was born July 12, 1896. Funeral services were held in the Crittenden Funeral Home at Remus Nov. 11 at 1 p.m., with Rev. L.A. Wood officiating. Burial was in Mt. Hope Cemetery at Mecosta.

Surviving are his wife, Lillie (Dollie Lee) Dennis; and three daughters.

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West Gilmore

Lena Cole, Reporter

Adolph Stava of Detroit is spending a few days at his farm, doing some deer hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Claris Allen of Commerce are at their trailer house and doing some deer hunting.

Dan Kripa was a lucky buck hunter, as was Walter Shaner. Mr. and Mrs. Claris Allen and Paul and Lena Cole spent Saturday evening and were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kripa of Mt. Pleasant.

Hubert Shendorff of Belding spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Douglas, and they all went deer hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cole were dinner guests Sunday of their nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dumont, of Harrison.

Frank Wixson and son, Doug, of Flint spent several days with his mother, Mrs. Beulah Wixson.

Mrs. Charlotte Hart called on her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hart, Wednesday.

Mrs. Carol Bierschbach and children of Beal City spent Tuesday with her grandmother, Mrs. Charlotte Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cole and sisters, Mrs. Helen Wardwell and Mrs. Wm. Samson, and Pattie, went to Vassar last week to see the Coles' daughter, Pat Ewing, who has been quite ill, and they stopped to see Mr. Samson in the tb hospital.

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SOUTHWEST

Gilmore

Verna Seymour, Reporter

The Claude Wendels were up from Flint, with their guests. They went hunting, but no luck.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Buchel and Laraine went to Lansing on Saturday, returning Sunday.

Mattie Wood was taken to CM-C Hospital Sunday night, with pains in the pit of the stomach. She was still in the hospital the first of the week, undergoing tests and observation.

BETTER THAN A LETTER

Walker Creek News

Esther Stanley, Reporter

We are glad to report that Mrs. Lena St. John came home Friday. Her daughter, Mrs. Clayton Beutler, and her granddaughter, Mary, have been helping with daily care.

Mrs. Eva Tubandt and Mrs. Clarabel Miller of Rosebush, Mrs. Queen Taylor of Mt. Pleasant and Mrs. Nina Forbes of Weidman were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mrs. St. John.

Clarence Hogan of Grand Blanc was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Conley.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schrock were Sunday supper guests of their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Schrock, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Schrock and granddaughter, Linda, were Sunday evening visitors of their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Schrock.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Bowen and son, Mike, of west Coldwater visited Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Schrock Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schrock, Mrs. Edmund Owens and Mrs. Gilbert Schrock took Gilbert to his bus station Monday afternoon, where he went to Detroit for induction into the Armed Forces. Our prayers go with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Louisell, Jr., and Patrick and Jill of Grand Haven were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dillenbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Corwin and Robert, Jr., were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Denslow.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lawrence of Horsehead Lake visited at the Denslow home Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Gray of Midland were Sunday dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lou Gray. Mr. and Mrs. Duane Gray and family visited his parents Sunday evening. Teresa took her brother, Michael, back to Ferris State College. We're proud to report that he has made the Varsity team to play basketball this season.

Mrs. Gray reports that their daughter, Mrs. Clarence Ley, had major surgery Saturday morning. Mrs. Gray and granddaughter, Mrs. Gary Portenga, visited her at Conklin Monday.

Clarence Koyl and Mrs. Ethel McLean visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Geasler, of Remus, Sunday afternoon, calling on her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Miller, enroute home.

Mrs. Edward Osborn and daughters, Dawn and Tracey, visited Mr. Koyl and Mrs. McLean Sunday evening. Tom Buckley and friends of Mt. Pleasant were callers.

Elwood Snell and son of Battle Creek were weekend guests of

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Emmons. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ansler of Battle Creek are spending a week as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Finney and Scott Dean of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald De Vries of Hersey were weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Denslow.

Mrs. Keith Thompson attended a pink and blue shower for Mrs. Rose Woodruff at Blanchard Sunday afternoon.

Clyde Dosenberry and son, Blaine, of Mt. Pleasant visited his parents, the Harry Dosenberrys, over the weekend.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stanley were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moore of St. Johns and son, David, of Saginaw, Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Pung and Susan and Sandra of St. Johns, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pung of Beal City, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stanley and family of Weidman.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. Moore and the Messrs. and Mesdames Pung attended a surprise anniversary party that Donald Stanley had for his wife, Ruby, Saturday evening. Many of their friends who work with them at the Home and Training School also attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Loomis and daughters, Teresa and Jean Ann, were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Denslow and family of Freeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Esterline and children of Mt. Pleasant were Sunday dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Loomis.

The Loomis boys, who were hunting in the Upper Peninsula, came home Tuesday night without any success.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Kimball and family of Barryton and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Loomis and family visited at their parents' home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Loomis and daughter, Mrs. Max Kimball, visited the latter's daughter, Kathy, at Community Hospital Friday afternoon. She is in isolation, and will have more x-rays soon.

Mrs. Howard Monroe and son, Blane, were Friday supper guests of Rev. and Mrs. Eldridge, and visited Mr. Monroe at the Mt. Pleasant hospital. Mr. Monroe had had an appendectomy earlier in the week. He was able to return home Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Shook of Midland were Sunday afternoon guests at the Monroe home.

Mrs. Ward Loomis visited Mr. and Mrs. Otto Skalitzky Friday afternoon, helping her set up a quilt for quilting. Mr. and Mrs. Skalitzky were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Loomis at Sherman City Friday evening.

Mrs. Jay Denslow visited Mr. and Mrs. Donald Zill and family Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Zill's mother, Mrs. Arthur Bazaire, returned home from the hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Zill are helping their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Gary St. John, move into Weidman this week. Deana and Michael are staying with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Bates, of north Clare.

By the time this last item is printed, Mr. and Mrs. St. John will be settled in their new home, so we wish them good luck and happiness always.

(Editor's Note: Welcome to Weidman, Mr. and Mrs. St. John and family! From our own home we have watched with keen interest the building of your beautiful new house. It is a wonderful addition to our town, and especially our settlement on the Airline Road.)

Around Horr

Jessie Rosencrantz, Reporter
Del Johnson of Pontiac is spending the week with his son, Benn, and family, and doing some hunting. Allen Blodgett of Houghton Lake was a Saturday and Sunday guest.

Callers at the Howard Wood home during last week were Mrs. Marian Brant of Grant, Mrs. Jerry Darnell of Dearborn, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Wood and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grantham, and Susie and Howard, of Bay City, Mrs. Emily Wood, Vance Wood, and Dan Suman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carr of Lansing called at the Sterling and Earl Oplinger homes Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bunting were Wednesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Oplinger, to celebrate their birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie McDonald and family and Joe Rau were Sunday guests of the Earl Oplingers.

Susan Fisk spent the weekend at the Joe Martin home. Jeff Martin is on the sick list. Joe was another lucky hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Schrock and Miss Sandra Owens were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Miller. Mr. and Mrs. Miller called on Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Owens Saturday evening, and on Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bowen Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Miller called on her niece, Mrs. Bess Myers, of Ionia Sunday. She had just undergone surgery at Grand Rapids. They also called on her sister, Mrs. Della Eddy, of Saranac, and found her in very poor health.

I wish to rectify an article in last week's news. Instead of Mrs. Carol Wood and Mrs. Betty Thompson attending Farm Bureau, it should have been Mrs. Carol Johnson and Mrs. Betty Thompson.

Bruce Jackson spent Saturday night with Gary Losey, at the Gerald Losey home. Callers were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gross and boys, Dan, Doug, and Dick Klumpp, and Jack Gross. Gerald got a deer.

Mrs. Margaret Denslow and Mrs. Dean Denslow were Grand Rapids shoppers Saturday. They also

visited with Mrs. Keith Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Denslow and children spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ehler, and family. Dean also got his deer.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Burgess and Barney and Johnnie of Ann Arbor were weekend guests of the Jim Thompson family.

Lori Appelgreen of Lansing spent the weekend with Mary Ellen Wood; Jeanne Wood is entertaining the chicken pox.

Callers at the Vance Wood home last week were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wood, Mrs. Walter Appelgreen and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Suman.

Mrs. Deborah Benn entered the Mt. Pleasant hospital last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Losey were Saturday evening callers at the Charlie Losey and Jessie Rosencrantz homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Martin were Sunday afternoon callers of Jessie Rosencrantz.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Johnson and children were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dent. Gerald and Harry Dent both got their bucks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Graber were Saturday afternoon callers at the Sidney Lawrence home. Garth Lawrence and Larry Cummins were Sunday evening callers.

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Local Items

Mrs. Charles Halfman and family spent Sunday afternoon with her father, Hubert Bunker, and sister and family, the Junior Akins, all of Carson City. Charlie spent the day deer hunting around Weidman.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Smith and Kevin of Flushing spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith, Mrs. Leah Scharer and Mrs. Paul Creed and Tom Tommy of Algonac were also callers.

Mrs. Flossie Davy returned home from CMC Hospital last week Monday. Her daughter, Mrs. Ilah Graham, stayed with her last week. Mrs. Davy was planning to go to Ilah's home in Howell Wednesday of this week, to stay till after Christmas.

Mrs. Harold Straus returned Sunday after spending three weeks in Saginaw General Hospital for surgery on her left foot. Dorothea had suffered pain in the foot since an auto accident Dec. 11, 1965, and she expected to be in the hospital three days. The surgery was quite extensive on her foot, and she remained three weeks. She says she sure is glad to be home, even though she was on crutches and her foot in a cast.

Mrs. Hermione Smith had Sunday dinner at the home of her son, Don, and family.

Beal City

Dora Smith, Reporter

Julius Bierschbach, Ed Zeien, Bob Pung, Howard Tilmann and Herman Kremsreiter left Friday morning for their annual trip up North to hunt deer. They expected to be home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pasch were host and hostess at a going-away party for Art Yuncker Saturday evening. Everyone had an enjoyable time. A delicious lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Riggles went up to Indian River deer hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Yuncker put on a delicious supper Sunday evening with the brothers and sisters present, in honor of their brother, Art Yuncker, who is leaving for the Service.

Frank Engler's sister Theresa died Friday in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Carl Houck spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. W. J. Laubenthal.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bierschbach of Grand Rapids spent Saturday night with his mother, Mrs. Julius Bierschbach. Other callers at the Bierschbach home were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lyons and family and Mrs. Tom Schumacher, and Mrs. Judy Schumacher.

Miss Gloria Curtiss of Blanchard spent Friday night and Saturday with Kathy Bierschbach.

Mrs. Isabella Martin entertained her ladies' club last Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Schumacher entertained their club the past week. Everyone reported a good time.

Joe Pantenburg and daughter, Mrs. Florence Hall, went to Toledo for a few days.

Howard Breuer and girls called on Mrs. W. J. Laubenthal Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Trowbridge and Deanna of Midland spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blasen and family.

Callers at the Louise Smith home last week were Mrs. Ella Tilmann, Mrs. Vada Block, Mrs. Louis Rau, Mr. Ida Tilmann, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Schafer, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rau, Delores and Dale Rau, Theresa Smith, Mrs. Agnes Thelen and son, George, and Mrs. Lena Laubenthal and Mr. and Mrs. Will Pung.

Mrs. Eugene F. Collins of Mt. Pleasant died in Detroit Monday of last week and was buried in Mt. Pleasant Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pung and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keiffer visited Mrs. Rose Keiffer of Carson City last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keiffer visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert Joe Snider and the new baby girl, Lisa Marie.

Mrs. Ida Tilmann returned home last Wednesday after a visit with her children, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Tilmann and Mr. and Mrs. Polly Courtright, in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schafer and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pung motored

to Portland last Thursday to visit relatives.

Bob Schafer and Ray Pung went north Friday for the weekend, deer hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Schafer of Winn spent Friday evening at the Tony Schafer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gruss will celebrate their Golden Wedding anniversary next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Schafer and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer motored to Mt. Pleasant Thursday evening to see Walter Schafer, who just came home from the hospital and was feeling some better.

Wm. Pung and Louis Rau went to Carson City Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Milo Eldred near Blanchard.

The Senior Citizens will have their meeting at the KC Hall next Thursday afternoon, Dec. 1, from 2 to 4.

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WEST

Nottawa

Helen Alwood, Reporter

Quite a few neighbors and relatives have called on Joe Neubecker since he has been moved from the hospital to the Medical Care Building. Joe has been feeling pretty good lately, and is getting good care.

Barry Ptak of Royal Oak spent the weekend at the Don Alwood home, and deer hunted with Bill Alwood. They saw many deer but didn't get good shooting.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pung and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schafer visited relatives in Portland last Thursday. They stopped to see Mary Schafer in Fowler, but she was at Caronna visiting her husband, Joe, at the hospital. Joe remains about the same since his stroke July 17.

Wednesday evening visitors at the Arnold Halfman home were Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Halfman, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fox and Mrs. Vera Neubecker. They enjoyed ice cream and cake together. The cake was from the Golden Wedding party recently. Arnold and Ella enjoyed a lovely time at their Open House. We all wish them good health and more years together.

Mrs. Yvonne Halfman and Mrs. Helen Alwood collected United Fund money in this area recently. It was good to chat with such nice people.

Mrs. Catherine Schafer received a card from Mary Schafer of Fowler, saying she didn't have to stay at the hospital when she went in for x-rays the first of November. She is at home in Fowler, feeling pretty good.

Ralph Wagner of Burkesville, Ky., and Joe McNew, Jr., of Oklahoma City, Okla., called on the Don Alwoods Sunday evening, and enjoyed Don's birthday cake and ice cream with them. Ralph comes back every year for deer hunting in the area where

he used to live, southwest of town. He got a nice big spike-horn, which will make Jewel real happy. Their son, Jim, is in the service in Korea.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Halfman and family enjoyed Friday supper at the Arnold Halfman home.

Charlie and Yvonne cut wood in the afternoon for his folks.

Mrs. Cecilia Simmer, Mrs. Leona Simmer, Mrs. Coletta Gross and Mike Gross spent Sunday evening at the Isadore Schafer home.

Mrs. Dorothea Straus received word from her sister, Esther Bowler, from Long Beach, Calif., saying her husband, Don, was in the hospital for tests bearing on a heart defect. He expects to undergo surgery the latter part of December, for transplant of an artery taken from elsewhere in his body and attached to his heart. He is suffering from three partial heart blockages.

Happy Birthday to our dear friend and neighbor, Sylvester Dole, on Wednesday, Nov. 23. Also on the same day is the

birthday of Mrs. Jennie Young at the rest home in Ionia, and Harriett Dillenbeck and Edith McArthur. So Happy Birthday, folks, and many more.

Earl Miller and son, Butch, of Lansing hunted over the weekend around their cabin northwest of Weidman. They called at the Don Alwood home Sunday evening to let them know Butch got a six-point buck and a real nice one. Butch and Bill have recovered from bruises suffered in a car accident a few weeks ago.

We want to express our deepest sympathy to George Woodin in the loss of his beloved wife. Emmaline was a wonderful person, and everyone who knew her loved her. She will be greatly missed.

Bob Smith and Mrs. Smith's nephew of Ypsilanti spent Friday evening till Wednesday at Bob's cabin at Skeels, to hunt deer. They called at the Don Alwood home on the way to the cabin.

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MRS. JERRY D. SPERRY (Graham Photo)

Carol Lee Weaver became the bride of ADR2 Jerry D. Sperry in an autumn wedding at the Zion Lutheran Church in Mt. Pleasant with Rev. Edward Krauss officiating at a 7 p. m. ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Catherine Weaver of Mt. Pleasant, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram L. Sperry of Weidman. The groom is stationed in Hawaii.

Over 200 guests attended the wedding and reception.

In the double ring candlelight ceremony, the bride was given in marriage by her brother-in-law, Donald Wing, Sr., of Saginaw.

The 19th Psalm was played by Mrs. Don Starr.

Linda Brown of Alma was maid of honor, while Alan Blodgett of Houghton Lake, brother-in-law of the groom, was best man. Pamela Cole of Mt. Pleasant was flower girl, while John Latham, nephew of the groom, was ring bearer.

Assisting at the reception in the VFW Hall in Mt. Pleasant were Connie Miller, niece of the bride; Viola Weaver, sister-in-law of the bride, and Lillian Wing, sister of the bride.

After a short trip through Northern Michigan, Jerry returned to

his base in Hawaii, while the bride is at home with her mother in Mt. Pleasant.

Guests were present from Lansing, Saginaw, Flint, Weidman, Lake, Barryton, Blanchard, and Houghton Lake, Pontiac, Remus, and Grand Blanc.

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MARRIED IN WEIDMAN CHURCH

Robert Abendroth and Elouise Spence became man and wife in a ceremony conducted by Rev. Williams Reynders in the Weidman Methodist Church Nov. 19 at 2 p. m.

Their attendants were Elmer Abendroth of Weidman and Dorothy Bunting of Lake.

The couple are making their home in Weidman.

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NEWS NOTES

Mrs. Queen Taylor of Mt. Pleasant called Sunday on Nina Forbes. The two ladies called on Mrs. Lena St. Johns of Brinton.

Emma Middlesworth, Edna Schultz and Nina Forbes attended the Isabella-Gratiot Association of Eastern Stars at Blanchard last Thursday. Mrs. Forbes was elected Marshal of the Association. Ruth Blesch and Ethel Soper were also present.

THE YOUNG SWANS NOW LIVING IN MILAN, MICH.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard M. Swan are making their home in Milan, Mich., after their autumn wedding and Upper Peninsula honeymoon trip. Their address is 13222 Plank Road, Milan.

The bride was Carol Ann Schumacher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Schumacher. The groom was Leonard M. Swan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Swan. The wedding took place in St. Joseph the Worker Church in Beal City, with Father Edward Neubecker officiating.

Marsha Klumpp was maid of honor, and Elaine Gross bridesmaid. Brenda Schafer was the flower girl. Ronald Lorenz was best man, and Lloyd Swan was groomsman. Michael Schumacher was ring bearer. Seating the guests were ushers Dennis Swan and Gerald Pohl.

Earl Smith and Harry Hauck served the Mass.

A breakfast was served in the church basement, and a reception for 300 guests held in the KC Hall.

Honored guests at the wedding were the maternal grandparents, of the bridegroom, Mr. and Mrs. Basil Rogers. The rehearsal luncheon was given by Mrs. Stanley Klumpp, sister of the bride, on the eve of the wedding. A pre-nuptial shower was given by Mrs. Donald Thering and Mrs. David Neyer.

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WEIDMAN GREEN THUMB 4-H CLUB MEETINGS

Oct. 29 our cooking meeting was held at Mrs. Ted Smith's home. We had roll call. We planned a Hallowe'en party at Mrs. Smith's Nov. 9.

Nov. 5, our sewing meeting was held at Mrs. Smith's. We had to bring a piece of cloth to learn to baste-stitch. At our next meeting we will learn the running stitches. We also learned to sew buttons on. Our next meeting will be Nov. 19 at 2.30.

Nov. 12 our cooking meeting was held, with Joyce Smith calling the meeting to order. Each child brought one ingredient and we made quick oatmeal cookies at Mrs. Smith's. Mrs. Frantz has not been able to attend on account of flu.

Our sewing meeting will be held Nov. 19 at 2.30. Our next cooking meeting will be Nov. 26 at 2.30.

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NEWS NOTES

Mrs. Nina Forbes and son, Alton Brien, spent Saturday evening at the Chippewa EUB Church, at a party honoring Sue Ann Brien, daughter of Charles E. Brien of Mt. Pleasant, who married Vern Patz of Alma. They were married Oct 29. The couple received many beautiful gifts at the reception.

BETTER THAN A LETTER

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS (Published in this paper through the courtesy of Donald R. Sandbrook, Register of Deeds.)

Sam Poulos and wife to Allen Lumber Co., Lots 9, 17, n 1/2 Lots 8, 18, Blk. 1, Poulos Sub., City of Mt. Pleasant.

Charlie C. Cernek et al to Richard L. Wysong and wife, strip off NWERly side Lot 18, Hiawatha Hills, Deerfield.

Lillian D. Bishop to Raymond M. Kibler and wife, sw se sec. 15; w 1/2 nw ne, sec. 22, Sherman.

Joseph E. Schueller et al to Nelson E. Hunt and wife, Lot 36, Schueller-Bierschbach, Nottawa.

Elmer W. Kidder and wife to John W. Sayle and wife, pt. ne sw, sec. 17, Gilmore.

Luanna Gieseler to O. Delmar Gieseler, n 1/2 sw; sw nw, sec. 20, Coldwater.

Henrietta Thompson et al to James G. Gaylock et al, se se sec. 7, Sherman.

Donald Fenskie and wife to Max E. Hindbaugh and wife, pt. ne ne sec. 21, Nottawa.

Cornelius F. Van Blankensteyn and wife to Donald E. Pohl and wife, pt. se ne; ne ne sec. 1, Union.

Edward S. King and wife to Robert E. Courtright and wife, Lot 17, Kingbrook Farms, Deerfield.

Edward S. King and wife to Douglas C. Sanback and wife, Lot 2, Kingbrook Farms, Deerfield.

Chippewa Development, Inc. to Russell M. Ragan and wife, Lot 18, Rivercrest, Deerfield.

Joseph H. Schueller et al to Robert E. Thornton, Lots 1, 2, 3, Schueller-Bierschbach Plat, Nottawa.

Joseph H. Schueller and wife et al to Kenneth D. Clark and wife, Lot 40, Schueller-Bierschbach, Nottawa.

Edward Gross and wife to Frank M. Dietrick and wife, pt. s 1/2 sw 1/4 sec. 19, nottawa.

Thomas C. Loomis and wife to Kenneth Paul Fahnestock, ne ne sec. 8, Sherman.

Walter Faber and wife to Gerald A. Hansen and wife, pt. ne ne sec. 24, Deerfield.

Oliver D. Maney and wife to Norval K. Morey and wife, e 1/2 sw 1/4, sec. 27, Deerfield.

Kenneth Bollman and wife to Lester Lichte, Lot 55, Bayou Vista No. 3, Gilmore.

Joseph H. Schueller et al to Larry D. Krouse and wife, Lot 35, Schueller-Bierschbach Plat, Nottawa.

Joseph H. Schueller et al to Dennis Fitzpatrick, Lot 42, Schueller-Bierschbach Plat, Nottawa.

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NEWS NOTES

Diane Stewart was an overnight guest of Becky Graham last Tuesday. They enjoyed an evening of roller skating at Lake with their 7th Grade Class.

Two Rivers

Theresa Bunting, Reporter
Hazel and Ollie Willoughby of Detroit spent Wednesday and Thursday with Nettie Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Craven of rural Remus spent Sunday afternoon with Nettie Baker.

Leona Courser, Mary Courser, and Marge Stansell attended a stork shower for Mrs. Keith Woodruff Sunday afternoon at the Don Woodruff home.

Oliver Ward left Friday to go deer hunting near Kalkaska.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Flaucher of Lake Thirteen spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Flaucher. They all attended the wedding of Stuart Voss and Vivian Sanford at the Baptist Church of Weidman Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harvey spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John Harvey at Chippewa Lake. John and Charles Harvey and Wm. Sweet went deer hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Martin called on Mr. and Mrs. John Reihl Wednesday afternoon. They called on Jessie Rosencrantz Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Rayborn of Royal Oak are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Oral Bunting. The menfolks are deer hunting. Other callers during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Miles Bunting and Gayla and Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. John Bunting, and Lucile Bollman.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Oplinger spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Oral Bunting.

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North Weidman

Elvah Gott, Reporter

Visitors at the Lloy Sperry home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McQueen and family of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Blodgett and family of Houghton Lake and Mrs. Carol Sperry of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gott and children of Winn and Don and Jerry Dunlop of Rosebush were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Gott.

John Gott went to his doctor in Clare Wednesday last week. Ted Latham of Williamston spent Saturday night with Gerald Latham.

Roy Miller of New Jersey called his daughter, Mrs. Jack Burden, to let her know her step-mother was in the hospital.

Sunday callers at the Earl Blodgett home were Bud Blodgett and Buck Sowle.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Latham attended the wedding of Vivian Sanford and Stuart Voss at the Weidman Baptist Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Abbott and family and Mrs. Muriel Miller attended a birthday dinner Friday evening, honoring Wiley Knollenberg of Mt. Pleasant.

Carol Abbott was sick last Saturday and Sunday. Stuart Abbott also suffered a sore throat and was under the doctor's care.

Mrs. Jeanne Smith and Wally Joe were dinner guests at the Jack Burden home Sunday. Weekend guests were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wood of Grand Rapids.

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Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. George Skinner were Saturday afternoon and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Granger of rural Harrison.

Mrs. Marian Brant of Grant and Jerry Darnell of Dearborn were luncheon guests of Beth Jackson and Blanche Cliff last Friday. They also called on their uncle, Floyd Kew, and the Howard Woods of Horr. The Messenger made a mistake last week in reporting the surviving family of C. E. "Dutch" Brant, who died after a heart attack. Besides his wife, Marian, there are Kay, Judy, and Thomas, who works in Flint.

Rev. Carl Allen and friend of Lansing came Sunday evening to spend a few days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Allen, at their Lake Windoga home, for deer hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bywater and Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Bywater and baby visited Martha Wilson in the Veterans' Home in Grand Rapids, Friday. Martha appeared in good health and good spirits, they reported.

Charles Thomas and sons, Terry and Greg, of Maple Rapids came Saturday to visit at the Howard Bywater home till Monday evening, for deer hunting.

Mrs. Charles Thomas and Mrs. Mary Thomas, her mother-in-law, of Maple Rapids were Sunday afternoon guests of the Howard Bywater family.

Mrs. Ruth Blesch and daughter, Jo, of Barryton spent Saturday evening with Vada Carroll and Emma Middlesworth. Mrs. Ethel Soper and Mrs. Sylvia Goodno of Barryton were Sunday evening callers. Hazel Farwell of Barryton was a Friday caller.

Mrs. Emma Middlesworth and Mrs. Joan Charnes were hostesses to the Jack Heron family of Edmore, at the Charnes home, Saturday, at dinner.

Vada Carroll and Emma Middlesworth called on Miss Myrtle Walch and Nettie Meissner of Remus Friday afternoon.

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In the Editor's Mail

Ruskin, Florida

Dear Connie:

We arrived Friday morning at 10.30. Had a very good trip and nice weather all the way.

We slept with our windows open all night last night, closed them this morning. When that sun gets higher we will begin to open them again. It was about 86 degrees when we got here. Or I should say that in the afternoon it reached that degree.

We three kept together coming down, and Mack's will be in

our park at Ruskin (Wright's). We want our paper sent to us here. Enclosed check for \$2.

Sincerely,
Alva and Treva Cummins.

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derful gift than a weekly account of the doings of people back home? We suggest a six months' subscription, \$3.75, anywhere in the world. We accept changes of address of servicemen without charge. Call us or come in, or you may do it by mail. The Weidman Messenger, "Better Than a Letter."

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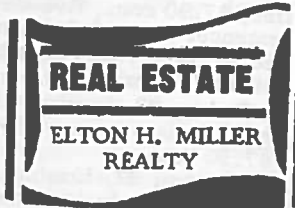
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WEIDMAN LIONS CLUB

Ken Saunders, Weidman Lions president, said that a good number of entries have been received by his club to date.

The contest, the largest Peace Essay contest in the world today, is open to young people 14 years of age and under 22 as of January 15, 1967.

"Further details of the contest may be had by contacting Ralph Turnbull of the Weidman Lions Club, or me, at 644-3578," Mr. Saunders said.

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LOCAL HUNTERS DO FINE IN GETTING DEER EARLY

Deer hunting has been pretty good in this area so far this season, with local hunters going out into nearby woods and coming home with venison.

The Messenger has had reports of many successful hunters, and we herewith print the list; although this is by no means the complete list. It is only those successful hunters whose names have come in to this office.

Richard Dutcher got a 7-point buck the first morning of season. Donna Hines shot a 7-point deer later in the forenoon, also the first day. Clayton Dutcher got a 7-pointer Sunday morning.

Walter Shaner, 17, got his first deer, a six-point buck, in the area north of Weidman.

Dan Leiter got his first buck the first day of deer season, Saturday, at 7.30 o'clock in the morning. It was a seven-pointer.

Young Terry Schafer bagged a 136-pound buck just north of Weidman, with 15 points. Terry is a very happy boy.

Bruce Clare got a 75-pound spikehorn near Farwell.

Berl Denslow got a four-point buck in Section 15, Sherman.

Dean Denslow shot a six-point buck, southwest of Weidman.

Gerald Dent got an eight-point deer, and Harry his son, got a nine-pointer. They got them on their own farm.

Joe Martin got a five-point buck, on the Gatehouse farm.

Gerald Losey got a six-pointer, southwest of Weidman.

Ronald Flaughter got a 7-point deer near his home Saturday.

Stewart Cook was one of the lucky hunters, to get his buck the first morning of the season.

Homer Teeter and Rodney Schrock were among the hunters who shot their deer on the first day. They are Brinton hunters.

Lieut. Bob Tvorik got his buck at 8 o'clock the morning of season opening, Saturday. It was an eight-pointer, weighing 150 pounds. Bob got it on the Tvorik land, just south of the new Tvorik home.

Elwyn Pitts and Raymond Battleshaw were two of the lucky hunters in our area Saturday. Elwyn got a nine-point buck near Evert.

Rick Klumpp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Klumpp, was one of the lucky hunters this year. Rick shot a nice eight-point buck near Weidman.

Among our deer hunters the past week were Jack Goodrich and son, Chris, and Dick Seglund and Dick Pardee and son, Douglas, all of Lansing, visiting at the Frank Goodrich home. Two bucks were taken from woods around here, by Dick Pardee and his son, Doug.

Robert Linoska, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Adams of north Weidman, and his son, Gerald, of Flint, got their buck north of Farwell Saturday morning, opening day.

Mrs. Rodney Schrock was one of the lucky hunters, shooting a five-point buck late Saturday afternoon.

Micky Dargitz of rural Remus, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Denslow was a lucky hunter, getting an 8-point buck Saturday forenoon. Orville Reed was reported also a lucky hunter.

Mike Loomis got his buck, an eight-pointer, at 7.30 Saturday morning.

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SIX HUNTERS ARRESTED IN THIS AREA IN 3 DAYS

Conservation Officer Howard Rowe reported six arrests of deer hunters on this side of the county from Saturday morning, opening day, to noon Tuesday. All but two were given suspended jail sentences. All were taken before Judge Otterbine in Mt. Pleasant, where the following violations and fines were recorded:

James Johnson, 18, R. 2, Remus, possession of illegal deer; \$50 fine, \$7.30 costs, five-day jail sentence, suspended; license revoked for three years. Arrested in Deerfield Township.

Joyce Parker, 28, Lansing, illegal gun (loaded) in car, \$15 fine, \$7.30 costs.

Harlan Nevins, 32, Lansing, rifle not in case or broken down or carried in car trunk, \$15 fine, \$7.30 costs.

Roberto Pena, 28, Pontiac, shot and killed illegal deer, in Coldwater Township; \$100 fine, \$7.30 costs, suspended five-day jail sentence, license to hunt suspended for three years.

Wilbur Craft, Sr., 43, Pontiac, possession of illegal deer. \$75 fine, \$7.30 cost license suspended for three years; five-day jail sentence suspended.

Thomas Horton, 35, Inkster, did not validate deer tag after shooting deer, \$10 fine, \$7.30 costs.

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NEWS NOTES

Debbie Graham spent Sunday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gott. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gott and children also were visitors. The children stayed with their grandmother while their parents hunted.

Coldwater Lake

Marjorie Schafer, Reporter
Our deepest sympathy goes to the family of Emmaline Woodin. Several persons from here attended her funeral last Wednesday.

Wednesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schafer were Robert Klumpp of Beal City, Jim Nestle of Shepherd, and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Klumpp of Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Ed Schafer and Mrs. Al Klumpp attended a party at the home of Mrs. Robert Schafer Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Ed Schafer and sons, Bill and Bob, enjoyed lunch Saturday with Mrs. Gale Zingery and children of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schafer and boys, Joe, Bill, and Bob, enjoyed a lovely dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Klumpp and children of Beal City. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nestle and boys of Shepherd.

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BEAL CITY HIGH SCHOOL ANNOUNCES HONOR ROLL

The Beal City High School announces its Honor Roll for the first six weeks marking period as follows:

7th Grade: Mary Jane Kolarik, A Honor Roll; Jerry Deming, B Honor Roll.

6th Grade: Pamela Stevens, A Honor Roll; Kim Wilson, B Honor Roll.

8th Grade, A honor Roll: Marylyn Breuer, Diane Clark, Rodney Deming, Kathleen Fox.

8th Grade, B Honor Roll: Ronald Rau, Vicki Schumacher, Joann Smith, Mark Stevens, Vicki Wichmeyer.

9th Grade, A Honor Roll: Brenda Brickner, Joyce Rau. 9th Grade, B Honor Roll: Jean Barz, Mary Beltnick, Carla Schafer.

10th Grade, A Honor Roll: Diane Coughlin, Marcie Deming, Margie Straus.

10th Grade, B Honor Roll: Jackie Andres, Christy Brickner, Leonard Fox, Dianne Jones, In Sung Oaks, Peggy Pohl, Linda Riley, Charlotte Schafer, Margie Schafer.

11th Grade, A Honor Roll: Emilie Garrett.

11th Grade, B Honor Roll: Kathy Bierschbach, Beatrice Fox, Betty Kreamsreiter, Marjorie Rau, Shirley Welch.

12th Grade, A Honor Roll: Kenneth Schmidt.

12th Grade, B Honor Roll: Connie Fedewa, Kathy Fussman, Sharon Pasch, Linda Quillen, Janice Rau, Jean Schmidt.

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REBEKAH CARD PARTY HAS FIVE TABLES IN PLAY

Five tables were in play at the regular card party sponsored by the Rebekahs last Tuesday.

Prizes were won by Aisher Dent, Etta Sawyer, Maude Braden, and Tressie Bunting. The door prize was won by Coletta Gross.

A delicious lunch was served by the committee. A get-well card was signed for Kit Johnson.

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BEEF STEW 49¢
24 oz. can

Swift'ning SHORTENING
3 lb can. 75¢

NORTHERN PRIDE ICE CREAM
1/2 gal. **55¢**

Powdered Sugar Lb. Box **2 for 33¢**

Cottage Cheese WILSON **Lb. 29¢**

CLOSED ALL DAY **Thanksgiving**

Ray's Shopping Center
Big Parking Lot At Rear of Store

Store Hours: Mon. - Thurs. 8 a. m. - 6 p. m.; Fri. 8 a. m. - 8 p. m.
Sat. - 8 a. m. - 9 p. m.; Sun., 9 a. m. - 1 p. m.