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## Editor's Column

### HERE ARE THE VIEWS OF YOUR U. S. REPRESENTATIVE

When a politician has something to say beyond clichés and groaning descriptions of his hard lot in doing your work for you at the State or National level--we print him.

This week we give you Congressman Al Cederberg, whose thinking, it appears to us, is on the sound side and who deserves your comments on your reaction to his views.

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### LEGISLATIVE REPORT FROM REP. "AL" CEDERBERG

The difficult and perplexing problem of Communist aggression in Viet Nam continues to be the main concern in Congress. I know that every citizen prays for an honorable settlement of this conflict as soon as possible. We all regret that our peace efforts to date have met with little success. We sincerely hoped that it would not be necessary to resume bombing.

I have reached the conclusion, after attending off-the-record meetings with both Secretary of State Dean Rusk and Secretary of Defense McNamara, that the resumption was essential to protect our fighting men in South Viet Nam. I frankly find no reason to refrain from attacking military targets in the North as long as North Vietnamese troops come to South Viet Nam and attack our troops and bases with heavy mortars and other equipment.

General McArthur warned our government of the results of granting the enemy a sanctuary during the Korean War and we all realize now the results of failing to take the General's advice. The General stated in 1951:

"The Communist threat is a global one. Its successful advance in one sector threatens the destruction of every other sector. You cannot appease or surrender to Communism in Asia without simultaneously undermining our efforts to halt its advance in Europe."

I am deeply disturbed that our Government has not taken more forthright action to stop the shipping by free world nations to North Viet Nam. Most all of these nations have received aid from our country. There were more free world ships than Communist ships engaged in carrying goods to North Viet Nam in 1965. The time has arrived for



SPRING CAN'T BE FAR BEHIND--March came in in a mixture between lamb and lion, with Feb. 28's evening giving us snow and freezing rain, but March 1 turning off rather nice late in the afternoon. Anyhow, streams like this soon will be flowing merrily along, with Spring's lovely foliage along the way. The above river scene is reminiscent of Walker Creek, which feeds into Lake of the Hills and will proceed to fill the brand-new lake in Weidman Village this Spring.

the President to advise these nations in no uncertain terms that this trade must cease or we will cut off all foreign aid and take other methods to stop it if necessary.

I have joined other Members of Congress in introducing a bill to prohibit the shipping of any U. S. goods aboard ships of any nation which allows its vessels to engage in trade with North Viet Nam.

Last year, some of us in Congress attempted to stop foreign aid to countries trading with North Viet Nam. We were not successful. I assure you we will try again this year. It just does not make sense to send our aid to countries who trade with North Viet Nam.

**INFLATION:** The rising cost of living is a real threat to the stability of our economy. My district mail continues to reflect that many citizens, especially those living on fixed and low incomes, are feeling a real pinch by these rising costs.

Our Government is contributing to these increases by the policy of deficit financing even in times of relative prosperity.

The President, in his State of the Union message, said that we can afford the war in Viet Nam as well as expanding existing programs and instituting new ones.

In spite of this, the new budget does not provide for paying for these programs, but instead proposes a deficit of 1.8 billion dol-

lars, which I predict will be far in excess of this estimate.

The budget has not been balanced since 1960, and since that time the total deficit has been 34 billion dollars and the national debt has increased from 286 billion dollars to 320 billion dollars.

The President has proposed two new international programs in health and education. The initial request this year is 524 million dollars.

I do not believe this is the time to embark on new foreign programs.

Congressman  
Elford A. Cederberg.

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### BADER MILLING CO. DOES REPAIR JOB ON FRONT OF WEIDMAN GRINDING MILL

Bader Milling Company has replaced the old front shelter awning on the Weidman grist mill, improving the appearance greatly.

Bader's has done a good job here of getting and keeping farmers' trade, with Edward Ley as local manager.

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### BOWLING TEAM WINS CITY CHAMPIONSHIP

Adams Drive In Bowling Team won the city championship last week at Mt. Pleasant, bringing home a trophy and money prize.

Members of the team are Mitch McArthur, Dave Flower, Bob Anderson, Bob Bleise, and Roy Adams.

BETTER THAN A LETTER

### FAMILY DINNER MARKS WEDDING ANNIVERSARY FOR THE CLYDE BEUTLERS

March 3rd marks the 45th wedding anniversary for Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beutler of Weidman.

They were honored Sunday with a family dinner in the Heather Room in Alma. The affair was hosted by their children:

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tibbetts of East Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. James Beutler and Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Johnston of Rosebush, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Beutler, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Beutler of Weidman.

Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Cole and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fordyce of Mt. Pleasant.

The couple have 15 grandchildren, who presented them with a lovely corsage and boutonniere, in honor of the occasion.

The 30 family members present also enjoyed slides of Nassau taken by Ivan and Frances Cole on their recent vacation.

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## Men in Uniform

Those of you who want to write to Steve Pasch in Viet Nam, address your letters to:

Stephen E. Pasch, HN-USN-771-19-44, "I" Co., 2nd Platoon, 3rd Bn., 9th Marines, FPO San Francisco, Calif. 96601.

Here's another address:

Pvt. Stephen R. Thren, US-5586709, Co. C, 3rd Plt., 2nd Bn., 66th Armor, 2nd Armored Division, Fort Hood, Texas 76546.

Steve phoned home Sunday, and said he was fine, but kept real busy. He left Feb. 1 for service, and has been in Texas for basic training since Feb. 10.

Pvt. Ralph Melinowski is expected home this week from Fort Knox, Ky. He has completed basic training.

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### LIONS CLUB FISH FRY SET FOR MARCH 11

The Weidman Lions Club is sponsoring a fish fry the evening of Friday, March 11, at the cafeteria of the Weidman School.

Proceeds will go to the Children's Recreational Fund. The Lions are hard-working service-club men, which means that they work for worthy causes and at no profit, ever.

Their special interest is in help for the blind, but their projects for civic and humanitarian reasons are numerous.

The Weidman Lions always have been an active and hard-working group.

## Weidman Messenger

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# WANT ADS

RATES: 50¢ per wk., unless long.  
Card of Thanks, 75¢, unless very long. Ph. 644-2000.

MESSENGER PHONE NUMBER  
Is Changed--to 644-2000. We are printing a list of 75 Weidman numbers changed recently. Don't forget ours--a simple Two Thousand.

Feb. 17t2

GULF FUEL OIL--Prompt local delivery. Mitch Abbott, Weidman, ph. 644-3451.  
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FOR SALE--Hay. First and second cuttings. Martin Boger, 4 1/2 miles north, 3/4 mile west of Weidman. Ph. 644-3569.

Feb. 24t2

## Notice

THE SHERMAN TOWNSHIP  
BOARD OF REVIEW

WILL BE IN SESSION ON THE  
FOLLOWING DATES:  
MARCH 8 and 9  
MARCH 14 and 15

at the  
SHERMAN TOWNSHIP HALL

For the purpose of Reviewing  
Assessment Rolls for 1966

CLYDE BEUTLER  
Sherman Township  
Supervisor.

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## Notice

COLDWATER LAKE BAR OPEN--  
We are open for the season and will serve fish fries Fridays, beginning March 4. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dorr.

Mar. 3t4

## SMALL OR LARGE SEPTIC TANKS

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NOTTAWA TOWNSHIP HALL

For the purpose of Reviewing  
Assessment Rolls for 1966.

ERNEST SCHMIDT  
Nottawa Township  
Supervisor.

## Card Of Thanks

The family of William Higbee wish to thank the friends and neighbors who furnished food for the funeral dinner at the Methodist Church;

A special Thank You to Clara Smith, Helen Flower and Helen Adams, for serving it; Also thanks to Rev. Marvin Eldridge and the Daggett Funeral Home; the flowers from the Methodist Church, and sympathy cards, were also very much appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Higbee  
And Family  
Mrs. Leah Scharrer  
And Family  
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Aubin  
And Family.

## Card Of Thanks

I want to thank all my friends, relatives and neighbors for the many cards, flowers and gifts while I was in the hospital, and after I came home.

Also my "special thanks" to my mother, Mother and Dad Smith, and to Mr. and Mrs. Leon Haight for their kindness to me and my family  
Sincerely,  
Mrs. Ted (Lucille) Smith.

## Card Of Thanks

I wish to express my sincere thanks to my family, relatives, many friends, doctors and nurses, who made my stay at the hospital so much easier.

I wish to thank all those for their flowers, gifts, cards, and a special Thank You to Mrs. Little, who took such good care of my family.

God bless you all.

Mary Tilmann.

## Card Of Thanks

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to my relatives and friends who visited me while I was in the hospital, and also all those who sent me get-well cards;

Also all the many friends who have called on me since I have been in the home of the Howard Bywaters.

I wish also to thank the ministers, Rev. Henry Hulbert, Rev. Marvin Eldridge, and Rev. Williams Reynders, for their calls.  
Mrs. Ethel Bywater.

## EAST

## Coldwater

Esther Skinner, Reporter

Stewart Voss drove Mrs. Dewey Olger and Dale to Mt. Pleasant Wednesday afternoon to get their eyes checked.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Olger and children and Ron Higgins and Jim Latham attended the basketball game in Farwell Friday evening. Farwell won, 70-55, over Barryton.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Husted were fishing at Littlefield Lake Sunday evening. On the way home they stopped and called on Mr. and Mrs. Harold Skinner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Olger and children and Stewart Voss were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Olger.

Mrs. Edna Drasher of Mt. Pleasant called on Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Olger and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Garold Latham, Mr. and Mrs. Chelsea Latham and family, John Latham and children, Jim Latham and Stewart Voss were Saturday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Olger and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Root of Barryton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Husted at the Holiday Inn in Mt. Pleasant for supper Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Skinner and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Skinner's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Routheaux, and Randy, of St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Husted and Mrs. Husted's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hatt, of Averill were fishing on Evans Lake Saturday afternoon, and on Littlefield Lake Saturday evening. No luck, only some small ones.

Mrs. Harold Skinner took her daughter, Alice, to a doctor in Mt. Pleasant Monday with an ear infection. Alice was out of school Monday and Tuesday. While in Mt. Pleasant, Mrs. Skinner and girls had dinner with Thelma Jones, and called on Mrs. Harry Taylor. Harry just got home from Veterans Hospital in Saginaw. They also called on Mrs. Skinner's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wardwell, finding him in good spirits. His sisters, Elana Miller of Farwell and Ella Wardwell of Auburn spent the weekend, as Fred was taken sick Friday and entered the hospital suffering from pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Geasler of Pontiac called on their brother and sister, Carl and Ellen Geasler, over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Randall Lenger of Pontiac also were callers.

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## Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Bullis of Comstock Park spent Sunday with their brother-in-law and sister, Rev. and Mrs. Henry Hulbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Horstman and family of Barryton have moved into the Harold Thorp house on the Ruth Momany place.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gilbert and family of Benzonia were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Einar Sandelius.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Cole of Barryton, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Aubin of Standish, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Higbee of Rushing, Mrs. Nellie Haight, Mrs. Helen Adams and Mrs. Helen Alwood and Cathy called on Mrs. Ted Smith this past week. Mrs. Smith was recently home from the hospital.

Mrs. Ollie Strong of rural Remus was a Saturday caller of Mrs. Ethel Bywater.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Vander Heide and family of Caledonia were Friday night guests of Rev. and Mrs. Marvin Eldridge.

Marion Cliff and Mrs. Sours of Mt. Pleasant University were Saturday callers of Blanche Cliff. Ruth Hutchins and Lyle of Rosebush were Sunday evening visitors.

## BETTER THAN A LETTER

There is nothing like a weekly newspaper for home news.



## Around Horr

Jessie Rosencrantz, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Denslow called on Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cummins last Thursday. They found Roy in very, very poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. Benn Johnson attended an MABC dinner at the Deerfield Center Church Wednesday evening. Saturday evening they attended a square dance at Farwell. Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Johnson and family.

Mrs. Carol Johnson went to the Daggett Funeral Home in Barryton Sunday evening to pay respects to Mrs. Helmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thompson attended a speech in the Remus Methodist Church last Thursday evening, put on by Dr. Pfeister. He also showed slides on Japan. This was sponsored by the men of the church, with wives and families invited.

Callers at the Howard Wood home were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beutler of Weidman and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grantham and Sue and Howard of Bay City, and Emily Wood, on Monday; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Haight on Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wood and family, Miss Celia Galvao on Sunday, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Miller Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Andrews and family of Coleman were Friday evening guests of the Earl Oplingers. Kenny Oplinger went to Blanchard Friday evening to the basketball game, with Mr. and Mrs. Oren Leiters' son. Larry and David Leiter spent the evening with Eddie Oplinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Oplinger attended an NFO meeting at Hemlock Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thompson and Bob and Billy spent Sunday with Mrs. Thompson's mother near Lansing.

Joe Martin took his sister, Mrs. Cora Shippee, to Saginaw Friday to see her doctor. He planned to take her back Tuesday, for surgery Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Carroll and family, Mrs. Alma Byron, Mark Cole, Betty McGuirk and Julie Torpey, all of Mt. Pleasant, were Sunday guests of the Joe Martin

family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Lawrence called on her sister and family, the Myrl Scotts, near Evart, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin First of Rosebush were Friday evening callers of Mrs. Margaret Denslow.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Johnson and family were Saturday evening callers of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Dent.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sprague were Saturday evening callers at the Elwood Miller home. Richard Touchinski was a Sunday caller. George spent the week at home. Janice was a Sunday guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlin Denslow and Lorraine were Saturday overnight guests of his mother, Mrs. Eva Denslow.

Mr. and Mrs. John Enger of Dimondale were Saturday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benn. They are cousins of Frank. He hadn't seen them in some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Baker and family were weekend guests of her mother, Mrs. Margaret Denslow. Mr. and Mrs. Dean Denslow and family joined them for Sunday dinner.

Jessie Rosencrantz was a Wednesday dinner and afternoon guest of Mrs. Nettie Crowley and Jay Linaar.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Losey and Jessie Rosencrantz were Wednesday evening callers of the Theron Merrihews. Friday afternoon they called on their aunt and cousin, Mrs. Liza Losey and Mrs. Bessie Price, and their son and nephew, Harold, and family, all of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Menard of Pontiac were from Wednesday through Friday guests of her father, Paul Miller, and Mrs. Miller. Mr. and Mrs. Miller called on her granddaughter and family, the Max Aldriches, Sunday afternoon.

## the Churches

WEIDMAN  
METHODIST CHURCH  
Rev. Williams Reynders  
Minister  
Sunday School, 9.45 a. m.  
Morning Worship, 11 a. m.  
Methodist Youth Fellowship.

1st and 3rd Sundays, 6.45 p. m.  
Methodist Men, 1st Wednesday of month, 6.30 p. m.

Woman's Society of Christian Service, 1st and 3rd Thursdays, 2.30 p. m.

Choir practice each Thursday, 8. p. m.

Bible Study each Thursday, 7 p. m.

Fellowship Dinner, 3rd Sunday of each month, 1 p. m.

BETTER THAN A LETTER

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH, BEAL CITY

Rev. Father Edward Neubecker

Pastor

Rev. Father Hugh King, Assist

Sunday Masses, 7 a. m., 8.30 and 10.30.

Masses on Holy Days will be one hour earlier than the Sunday Masses.

St. Leo's Catholic Church at Winn has Sunday Mass at 9.30 a. m.

WEIDMAN  
**LIONS CLUB**  
PROCEEDS TO CHILDREN'S **FISH FRY** RECREATION FUND  
FRIDAY  
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## Walker Creek News

Mrs. Esther Stanley, Reporter

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Loomis, who are the proud parents of another son, born Tuesday, Feb. 22. He has been named Donald. Lonnie, Johnny and Danny stayed with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Loomis, while their mother was in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Denslow and family of Freeland spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Loomis.

Mr. and Mrs. Steven Miller of Lansing visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Miller, Saturday. Steven now has a position doing electrical drafting work, and his wife will graduate from MSU this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lawrence of Horsehead Lake visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mondoe Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Shook of Midland were Monday dinner guests. Robert Bywater and David Hulbert visited Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Marguerite Coleman of Remus called on her nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Thompson, and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Micky Dargitz and family of Big Rapids spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Denslow. Mrs. Denslow and grandchildren visited Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Wonsey and Mrs. Iva Wilkinson of Mt. Pleasant, Saturday morning, while Darlene attended classes at college.

Mrs. Dargitz and children called on Mr. and Mrs. Leo Denslow Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Denslow accompanied them Sunday and they called on Mr. and Mrs. Ward Loomis and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stanley.

Mrs. Donald Zill came home from the hospital Saturday. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bazaire, were supper guests Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baxter of Flint visited Mr. and Mrs. Zill and family Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stanley were Saturday evening callers. Lucinda attended the basketball game at Barryton Friday evening. Barryton lost to Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dillenbeck were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Savage of Mt. Pleasant Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stanley visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Vinton, of Eight Point Lake, Monday evening. Mrs. Stanley visited her sister, Mrs. Larry Fussman, and children of Mt. Pleasant Saturday afternoon.

Glenn Dosenberry of Ferris State College and Clyde Dosenberry and son, Blaine, of Mt. Pleasant visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dosenberry, over

the weekend. Clyde now has a position with Dow Chemical Co. of Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Thompson visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson Monday.

Manley Oliver and Mrs. Marguerite Coleman of Remus were Sunday dinner guests of the Thompsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Leiter have named their new son David Arthur. Mrs. Leiter came home from the hospital Thursday.

Gregory Leiter went with Mike Loomis to Mt. Pleasant Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Favreau of Holland visited Mr. and Mrs. Otis Conley Sunday afternoon. Floyd Sowle was a supper guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baxter of Flint called on her nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Gary St. John, and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Beutler had dinner at the Masonic Temple in Alma Saturday, and visited his cousin and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Boucher, of Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Cleo Conley, Mrs. Eathyl Beers and Mrs. Raymond Verette visited Mrs. Lena St. John Saturday. Mrs. St. John accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Beutler, and daughter, Mary, to Alma Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ethel McLean spent Thursday and was an overnight guest of her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Skalitzky were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Van Antwerp of south Remus recently.

Mrs. Mildred DeVary of Barryton spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Skalitzky. They report there is still lots of ice on Big Evans Lake, but fish aren't biting!!

Robert Kirvan took Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Emmons to the Mt. Pleasant hospital, where Clyde had surgery Friday.

Mrs. Emmons and Mrs. Margaret Kirvan visited him Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Gray visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hanson of Chippewa Lake Sunday afternoon, and called on Mr. and Mrs. Charles Phillips of Horsehead Lake on their return home.

Weekend visitors and guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stanley were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Faber, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moore of Big Rapids, Mrs. Robert Battle of Rockford, and David Moore of Saginaw; Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Pung and daughters of St. Johns, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pung of Beal City, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Stanley and family of Barryton, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stanley and family, Mrs. Bruce Kent and daughter, Ronda, of Mt. Pleasant.

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BETTER THAN A LETTER  
There is nothing like an old-fashioned home newspaper.

## Local Items

Mrs. Hermione Smith was a Sunday dinner guest at the Don Alwood home.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gardner and family and Raymond Gardner of Lansing spent Sunday with Raymond's mother, Mrs. Ina Gillette. They brought Mrs. Gillette a beautiful flower plant. Mr. and Mrs. Verne Foster were evening callers, and took Mrs. Gillette to church.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Allen visited his grandfather, Floyd Allen, at his home in St. Louis, Sunday. Mr. Allen was greatly improved

after a recent auto accident.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. David McArthur, a daughter, Sunday morning. The little Miss will answer to the name of Diana Lynn. She weighed five pounds, six ounces. The McArthurs have a son, to welcome his sister home. Mother and baby were doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Embrey and Mrs. Eunice Blackmer of Broomfield were in Grand Rapids Sunday, to visit Ken Chaffee, who is recovering from surgery at Butterworth Hospital. They also called on Mr. and Mrs. Art Kent while in Grand Rapids.

**FARMERS**  
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**SEED DAY**  
  
WEDNESDAY  
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WEIDMAN



**Beal City**

Dora Smith, Reporter

The Beal City PTA will have a card party Sunday evening, Mar. 6, beginning at 8.30, in the Beal City School. Refreshments will be served.

Mrs. Will Laubenthal spent Saturday with her granddaughter, Mrs. Joe Marchiando, at Coldwater Lake.

Mrs. Walter Rau entertained Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rau and the Dick Funnell family Sunday, honoring Walter's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lawens and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith had dinner Thursday evening with Mrs. M. J. Honeywell and Miss Helen Lawens of Detroit.

Mrs. Effie Schafer left CMC Hospital Saturday, and will spend some time at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edna Theisen, in Mt. Pleasant.

Miss Joanne Clevenger entered CMC Hospital Saturday, for eye tests.

Carol Gross and family spent Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Smith, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Blasen and Theresa spent Sunday with Mr. Oscar Fedewa at Houghton Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schafer spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Steve Pung.

Rev. Father Baker returned to Muskegon last week after spending a few weeks with Rev. Father Neubecker.

The baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Schafer was in CMC Hospital the first of the week, but was reported improving.

Bob Curtis, who spent a week's furlough at the Paul Schafer home, returned to camp Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schafer of Saginaw spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schafer.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Martin spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer.

Rev. Father King returned home from the hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. Bob Tatro and children and Mrs. Milo Eldred of Winn spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Eldred and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Klumpp of Mt. Pleasant spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schafer and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pung visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gross in Mt. Pleasant Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Pung of St. Johns called on Joe Pung Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Courter and family spent Sunday with Bob Pung. The Courters are from Midland.

Jean Pung returned home from the hospital Sunday.

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There is nothing like your own home town weekly paper.

**Nottawa**

Virginia Schmidt, Reporter

Mrs. Virginia Schmidt returned home from Fayetteville, North Carolina, where she spent the weekend with her husband, Don, before he left for Viet Nam on Tuesday. Miss Martha Mead stayed with the children while Mrs. Schmidt was away.

Mrs. Ernest Schmidt called on Mrs. Don Schmidt Thursday evening. Mrs. John Weber was a Friday morning visitor.

Mrs. Virginia Schmidt called on her mother, Mrs. Warren Elliott, Friday afternoon.

Tpr. Richard Schmidt is home on vacation from Stephenson, Mich. He is staying with his folks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Weber were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Lawens. They enjoyed a lovely dinner.

Richard Schmidt was host at a barbecue at his cottage at Coldwater Lake Sunday. Everyone attending had a good time.

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**Two Rivers**

Mrs. Charles Harvey, Reporter

Burgess and L. V. Case were callers at the Singleton Moses home Saturday.

Mrs. Leona Moses was a guest of her sister, Gertrude, Wednesday, at Winn. She also visited her sister, Lydia Snider, of Weidman, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Blissett and daughter of Montpelier, Ohio, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Stansell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harvey and daughters and Virgil Harvey of Chippewa Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sweet and children of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harvey and son, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Starks and daughters of Lansing, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Defoy and children of Loomis were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harvey and son, Tom.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sweet and children of rural Mt. Pleasant were callers of Mrs. Sweet's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harvey, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Hazel Schafer is a patient at the Mt. Pleasant hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Courser were callers of his brother, Melvin Hunt, one day this week.

Callers of Mrs. Nettie Baker Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Moses of Mt. Pleasant and Leona Courser.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Larson were Sunday guests of their son and family, the Dick Larsons, of Birch Run.

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**NEWS NOTES**

Mrs. Rosie Hogan and Mrs. Doris Wilmot and Linda were in Mt. Pleasant last Thursday. They also called on Mrs. Donna Houghton and family.

**Local Items**

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Allen spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of their son, Rev. Carl Allen, and family, in Lansing. They also visited Alton's father, Floyd Allen, and wife, in St. Louis.

Thomas C. Brien of Berkeley, son of Mrs. Nina Forbes, has been named one of the directors for the beautification program for Southeastern Michigan. He is superintendent of the Department of Public Works for the city of Birmingham.

Mrs. Elmer Abendroth visited her sister, Doris Buerge, in Reed City, several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Burman spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gross.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Butters of

Lake City were last Thursday afternoon visitors of Mrs. Vina Bailey. Saturday dinner guests were Mrs. Norma Flower of St. Johns and Mrs. Jacqueline Williams of Laingsburg. Mrs. Bessie Teall was reported still in CMC Hospital the first of the week, after a heart attack last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holt and family of Mt. Pleasant spent Sunday with Mrs. Nina Forbes.

Leo Forbes of Dearborn and Mrs. Tressah Forbes of Napoleon, Mich., were last Tuesday visitors of Mrs. Bertha Clark. Mrs. Forbes and Mrs. Clark were schoolmates at Brinton over 70 years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wilson and Mrs. Pat Hathaway were Sunday evening callers of Mrs. Nina Forbes.

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# The Woman and the HOUSE

Editor, Weidman Messenger:

Want to thank you very much for accepting my suggestions for a poetry and recipe column.

Here are just a few recipes, and do have some more worth while ones which I will send in later on. Meanwhile, I hope others will send in their good recipes, too.

Mrs. Chester Vore (Jean) Weidman.

## JELLO SALAD

1 to 3 boxes mixed fruit Jello  
1 to 3 cups boiling water. Stir until Jello is thoroughly dissolved.

Then add:

1 can of applesauce to each package of Jello.

This is a good recipe for any tasty meal.

## FISH AND SHRIMP DIP

1 c. biscuit mix  
1 egg  
1 teaspoon garlic salt  
Enough milk to make the batter.

## SEAFOOD MIXTURE

1 to 2 sticks melted oleo or butter  
1 to 2 c. white corn meal  
Roll in melted oleo or butter and then corn meal.  
Bake fish or other seafood at 300 degrees until tender, in loaf pan, covering fish with foil

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To the Editor:

I have a suggestion for winter when you want to hang sheets on the line. I find my dryer wrinkles sheets unless they are taken out damp, and then I feel I am drying them in the house, so I like to hang them outdoors.

I keep an old pair of clean white gloves in my clothespin bag, and put them on before going out in the cold to my clothesline. These gloves are never used for anything but hanging up clothes, so there they are, always handy in my clothespin bag.

I also fold my sheets ready for hanging on the line, as I take them out of my washer, so if weather is very cold they won't freeze in ungainly folds and also my hands don't get cold.

A Local Housewife.

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Editor's Note: We will welcome recipes and household hints from our women readers. (Men, too, if they have recipes or short-cuts on household chores. Some do, you know.)

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## Coldwater Lake

Marjorie Schafer, Reporter

Mrs. Del Cole called on Mrs. Edward Schafer Monday afternoon. Mrs. Edward Schafer spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Joe Marchiando, to help her put out the newsletter for the Coldwater Lake Cottagers Association.

Del Cole entered the Midland Hospital Wednesday for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walz entertained the Coldwater Lake Pinochle Club ladies and their husbands, and also Marvin Reed, at a fish fry and card party Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Meyers and son, Gary, have purchased and moved into the Souders cottage. The Meyers family were former neighbors of the Edward Schafers, when Schafers lived on their farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schafer were surprised late Friday evening with a telephone call from their son, Ed, and wife, Cloyda, who live in Plattsburgh, N.Y.

Callers at the Frank Walz home Saturday were Florence, Ray, Ada and Herman Hemminger of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Wischmeyer of Mt. Pleasant were at their cottage Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walz had a visit by telephone with Mr. and Mrs. Don Walz of Flint, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haag of St. Charles spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dorr.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John McKenzie were Mr. and Mrs. Willard Thielen and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Utterback and children of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dorr will open the Coldwater Lake Bar March 1, and start their fish fries March 4.

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## Nottawa

Amelia Wieber, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Houck of Rosebush are the proud parents of a baby boy, born Feb. 21 at Community Hospital.

Amelia Wieber came home a week ago Sunday afternoon. She had spent six weeks at the home of her granddaughter, the Ed Faber family, of Shepherd.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Folsom and children of East Lansing spent a week ago Sunday with their folks, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wawersik, and family.

Kathleen Sebenick of Grand Rapids is visiting her folks, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sebenick. Larry of Ionia also visited them last week.

Mrs. Walter Houck of Rosebush spent Thursday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. Joe Wawersik.

Mrs. Leon Cole and children of Lansing spent last week with her folks, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sim-

mer. Mrs. Cole left Sunday for Shepherd to visit her other two sisters before returning home.

Rose Straus of Lansing is spending some time with Mrs. Herb Straus. Herb was still in the hospital the first of the week.

Mrs. Ed Faber and children of Shepherd and Amelia Wieber spent a week ago Sunday afternoon with the Joe Wawersik family.

Louise Riley called on Mr. and Mrs. Jim Faber Sunday afternoon. She took her son, Billy, back to the Fabers', where he stays to attend school.

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## S.W. Sherman

Goldie Dutcher, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Fox and family spent Monday evening with Katie McDaniels and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Dutcher and Chris, of Mt. Morris, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dutcher and Rex and Dawn of Midland, and Richard and Douglas Dutcher spent Sunday afternoon with the Clayton Dutchers.

Terry Sisco called on Brian Dutcher Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher and Mr. and Mrs. George Woodin spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hines. The Ervin Dutchers were supper guests.

Mrs. Connie Methner called on Goldie Dutcher Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hines spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Marshall and children of Belleville and Miss Anna Chaffee of Detroit spent the weekend with their folks, the Clarence Chaffees, a week ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Dell of Littlefield Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Al Miller and three daughters of Mt. Pleasant, were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hardenburg and family, and Emory Dell.

Butch and Judy Hardenburg attended the music festival at Scottville Saturday afternoon, with the Remus Band.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Comstock of Blanchard called on the Orrie and George Merrihews Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Lawrence called on Mr. and Mrs. George Merrihew Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chum Methner called on the Clayton Dutchers Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Remington and Troy of Saginaw were guests of the Ervin Dutchers Wednesday afternoon until Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dutcher of Breckenridge visited Thursday, and Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher, Jr., were Thursday dinner guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Tabor and Mrs. Lilly Tabor and Sandy of Lansing spent the weekend with

Mrs. Katie McDaniels and family. Jennie McDaniels fell at school last week and had to have x-rays on her leg, but there were no broken bones.

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## N. Broomfield

Maycie Cook, Reporter

Mrs. Glee Krueger and also Mr. John Starr are both patients at CMC Hospital. Glee has been there a week, and John since last Friday. He is very ill at this writing.

Mrs. Jessie Rosencrantz was a dinner guest of Mrs. Nettie Crowley Wednesday. Maycie Cook and Frances Handy were Friday callers.

Roderick Nicholson and sisters, Frances Handy, and Maycie Cook, spent Friday evening with Mrs. Etta Bellinger and son of Clinton. They have recently moved into a new home. Mrs. Bellinger will have her 86th birthday March 25. Her address is Route 3, Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Armock of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with their aunt, Mrs. Nettie Crowley, and uncle, Jay Leinaar.

Roderick Nicholson, Mrs. Frances Handy and Maycie Cook spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Peters of rural Evart.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lueder and Mrs. Mary Cook of Remus attended church here Sunday morning. Later they had Mrs. E. Rhode and Harold as dinner guests. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gullick of Merrill were afternoon callers.

Mrs. E. Rhode and Harold were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stevens Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Emil Lueder were Tuesday evening guests of the Rhodes.

Mrs. Bill Wilkie was the guest of honor at a baby shower given by her aunt, Mrs. Jack Albee, of Mt. Pleasant. She received many lovely gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Orves Cook spent Sunday afternoon with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. David Whitechurch, of Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cook and children spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Freeman, of Adrian.

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## North Weidman

Wanda Graham, Reporter

Mrs. Marvin Allen and Ben of Farwell took Mrs. John Gott to Blanchard Monday, where they visited Mrs. Allen's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Bush.

Mrs. Meryl Graham and Becky visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wood and family in Clare Monday evening, then stopped to see the Marvin Allens of Farwell on the way home.

Mrs. Meryl Graham and girls took her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gott, to Alma Tuesday evening to visit his sister, Mrs. Anna Kochensparger, who is in the hospital there.

Mrs. Arlene King and Mrs. Walt Smith called on Mrs. Meryl Graham Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gott and son, Larry, of Winn were Saturday afternoon callers at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gott.

Mrs. Bonnie Blackmer called on Mrs. Meryl Graham Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Miller attended services at the Methodist Church Sunday evening. This was Men's Night, and they enjoyed hearing Dean Denslow preach.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blodgett went to the funeral home in Barryton Sunday to pay their respects to the family of an old friend, Mrs. Georgie Helmer, of Martiny Lake. Mrs. Helmer passed away last week.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blodgett were their grandchildren, Anna, Wilma and Elizabeth Blodgett, and also a son, Jerry.

Clayton Miller attended the Ladies' Night meeting at the Methodist Church Thursday evening, enjoying a lovely pot-luck lunch and movies on fishing.

Mrs. Miller was unable to attend because of illness in the family.

Mrs. Chelsea Latham and children accompanied Mrs. Joan Burden and Edie Bea to Barryton Saturday.

Mrs. Walt Smith and Mrs. Chelsea Latham were coffee guests of Mrs. Jack Burden Wednesday morning.

Jack Burden enjoyed Sunday hunting with his brother, Gale, of Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gott visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gott, of Farwell, Saturday. Wednesday they called on another son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gott, of Winn, and also Mrs. Flossie Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burden received word last week that they have a new little niece, born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Burden, of Grand Rapids. The little girl weighed only four pounds, but mother and daughter were doing fine.

Mrs. Henry Carmen and Berdine

of Lake called on Mr. and Mrs. Meryl Graham and girls Saturday forenoon. Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Godwin, Jr., of Farwell.

Mrs. Muriel Miller and children were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kennedy and family in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Micky Abbott and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Knollenberg and family and Mr. and Mrs. Duane Chapman and family in Mt. Pleasant Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Marvin Eldridge called at the John Gott home the first of last week, to see how Mrs. Gott was. She had been on the sick list for a few days.

Teddy Barnes of Detroit is making his home at the John Johnson home for a while. He is working in the pulpwood business and helping care for the horses. Mrs. Johnson, who broke her back last Hallowe'en night, has her cast off now, and has been able for some time to do her work.

Mrs. Helen Alwood and Cathy called at the Joe Wilmot and Jerry Horstman homes Sunday evening.

Eddie Kavanaugh was a Sunday luncheon guest of Rusty Alwood. The boys were home from their work at the Olds plant in Lansing.

Norman Abbott returned home Saturday, after being in the hospital for a week. He expects to go back to work in about a week, but will have to be careful about lifting.

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## West Gilmore

Lena Cole, Reporter

A very nice Pink and Blue shower was held Friday evening for Mrs. Wm. Wilkie at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Jack Albee, of Mt. Pleasant. Connie received many nice things.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Brown and Randy of Farwell called Tuesday evening on their cousins, the Paul Coles, and Velma.

Paul Cole, Jack Albee and Wm. Wilkie stayed with Fred while Mrs. Wardwell spent a little time at the home of her granddaughter for Mrs. Wilkie's shower.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bawkey of Muskegon brought their aunt, Mrs. Anna Hanner, to her home in Farwell Monday.

Mrs. Hanner spent several weeks with the Bawkeys. The Bawkeys stopped at the home of their cousins, the Paul Coles, and were dinner guests Monday.

Your reporter has been taking heat treatments on her arm this week for bursitis in her left arm and hand and right hand. It is a very painful thing.

Fred Wardwell entered CMC Hospital Saturday morning, seriously ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Jack Albee is very ill. Mrs. Jean Herrick and daughter of Barryton visited Mrs. Pearl

Geasler Friday.

Martin Boger called on Mrs. Charlotte Hart Monday. Her brother, Milton, and wife, were Sunday dinner guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wood spent Sunday at the home of her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Shaner.

Mrs. Ruth Turnbull and sons spent Tuesday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Boger.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Worth and children spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Worth, at Chippewa Lake.

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## Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Griebbe of Bay City were last week Monday visitors of Mrs. Emily Wood. Bes-sie Sexton and Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Thompson were Tuesday visitors. Mr. and Mrs. Will Cal-kins of Rosebush were Wednesday callers. Mrs. Lynn Johnson and children of Deerfield were Sat-

urday visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Miller of Lansing were Sunday callers of Mrs. Emma Middlesworth and Mrs. Vada Carroll. The Bob Carroll family of Detroit were Friday overnight guests.

Mrs. John Warner was a Friday visitor of Mrs. Ethel Bywater. Mrs. Martin Boger was a Thursday caller.

Mrs. Max Herrick and children of Barryton called at the Jerry Horstman home Sunday, to get her daughter, Linda, who stayed over night with the Horstmans Saturday.

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## BIRTHDAY DINNER HONORS TWO

A birthday dinner was held Sunday at the home of Mrs. Arlene King, honoring her daughter, Mary Blodgett, and her nephew, Martin Jones. A feature of the family dinner was a beautiful birthday cake by Daisy Embrey.

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## Obituary

### WILLIAM HIGBEE

William Higbee, a Weidman resident beloved by all who knew him, died last Wednesday, Feb. 23, in Broomfield Memorial Hospital after a long illness.

He was born in New York State Nov. 5, 1871, and was 94 years old when he died. He had lived in Weidman 23 years.

Funeral services were held last Saturday, Feb. 25, at the Daggett Funeral Home in Barryton, with Rev. Marvin Eldridge officiating. He was buried in Ridge Cemetery in Gladwin.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Leah Scharrer of Weidman, and Mrs. Orpha Aubin of Standish; a son, Clarence Higbee, of Flushing; and nine grandchildren, 24 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Mr. Higbee had very many friends in this area.

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### ATTEND BUILDERS MEETING IN OHIO

Ivan Allen, Chester Vore, and Mr. and Mrs. Einar Sandelius attended a building sales meeting at South Bend last Thursday and Friday, representing the Allen Lumber Company.

They returned home Friday.

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### PARTY FOR THE HULBERT FAMILY

A farewell party, a surprise to Mrs. Hulbert, was held Sunday afternoon at the parsonage here.

Many of their friends and parishioners attended, to wish the Hulberts well in their new home. They are moving to Owosso, where Rev. Hulbert is working for Indian Trails Bus Line.

The Hulberts were presented with a purse of Money as a going-away gift.

Refreshments of cake, jello, coffee and soft drinks were served. The beautiful cake was made by Garnet Bywater.

During this week the Hulberts have had many callers. They will be missed by their many friends in this whole surrounding area.

They planned to move their household goods this weekend, if a house can be found in Owosso. Rev. Hulbert reports that rental housing is practically nonexistent in the cities.

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### NEWS NOTES

Mrs. Flossie Davy entered the hospital at Mt. Pleasant last Tuesday night, for oxygen. At this writing she was feeling better, and expected to be home soon.

Mrs. Don Alwood and Cathy and Donny were Tuesday luncheon guests of Mrs. Doris Wilmot and Linda.

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BETTER THAN A LETTER

## WEST Nottawa

Helen Alwood, Reporter

### ENTERTAIN THEIR CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Schafer entertained the Merry Circle Club Sunday evening.

Pepper was played, and nice prizes won by Bill and Blanche Schafer, high score, Earl Burman and Vera Straus, low, with Jack Cotter winning the pepper prize.

A delicious lunch was served by the hostess. The next club meeting will be at the Bill Schafer home in March.

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### BIRTHDAY, GOING AWAY PARTY FOR TIM RAHL

A combined birthday and going-away party honoring Tim Rahl, son of Mrs. Annie Rahl, was held Saturday evening at the Rahl home.

Relatives, friends, and other young men soon leaving for service were in attendance.

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Sunday evening guests at the Norm Vogel home were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mahaffey and son of Lake, and Chuck Sheahan of Rosebush.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pung entertained their club last Tuesday evening. Pepper was played, and prizes won by Jim Faber and Peggy Straus, high score; Steve Schafer and Rita Vogel won low score; Janet Schafer won the pepper prize. Lunch was served by the hostess. The next club meeting will be at the Fred Straus home in March.

Mrs. Sharon Lonergan planned on leaving the hospital Wednesday, after being there since Dec. 27 following a car accident. She planned to go to the home of her mother, the Kenny Martins, and will be in a wheel chair for three months, wearing a cast. After that she will be put in a cast for the next six months, and walk with crutches. Sharon will be so happy to be with her husband, Jerry, and baby, Kenneth Clayton, again.

The Jack Cotters, Isadore Schafers and Bill Schafers spent last Thursday afternoon at the Joe Schafer home in Fowler. They found Joe and Mary feeling some better since earlier in the wintertime. Spring will soon be here, and will give us all a better feeling.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Halfman took his mother, Ella, to the doctor last Wednesday and Friday for x-rays on her broken wrist. It has healed well, and the steel plate has been removed. Mrs. Halfman is beginning to be able to move her fingers with less pain. We hope that by garden time the hand will be fine again.

Don Krueger expected to return to his work at Dow's in Midland Tuesday. The doctor

will still have skin grafting to do on his forearm in the near future. Jan. 7 was the date of the car accident, when Don was coming home from work.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Wernette were Sunday supper guests at the Thane Wernette home in St. Louis.

Friday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lawens, Helen Lawens of Detroit, and Mrs. Philomena Honeywell of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Schafer received word Monday that their daughter, Carol, and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Neyer, have a new baby girl, born that day.

Recent callers at the Arnold Halfman home were Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Halfman and family of Rosebush, and Helen Alwood and Eileen Abbott.

Mrs. Harold Straus (Dorothea), who broke her ankle in an auto accident Dec. 11, has discarded her crutches and is now getting around with a cane. She can walk around her house pretty well. The ankle was dislocated, and Dorothea had to learn to walk all over again.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Straus and daughter, Kathy, and girl friend, Janet Simmer, spent Sunday in Grayling with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sherwood. Mr. Sherwood is a retired Pure Oil man, and many will remember him from this area.

A year ago Mr. Sherwood suf-

fered a heart attack, and a week after that his wife had a stroke. Mr. Sherwood has cared for her at their home. They are both improved, the Strauses report.

The Sherwoods asked about Blanche Cliff, wondering if she was still in California or back at her home in Weidman.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Kavanaugh who moved here recently from Chicago, have purchased a Saginaw-Midland mail route from his father, Ed Kavanaugh. They plan to move to Saginaw in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Brown returned home Friday from a two weeks' vacation in Florida. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Taylor of Paris accompanied them on their Southern trip.

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### WEIDMAN BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Marvin Eldridge, Pastor

Prayer meetings for the month of March will be at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Marvin Eldridge.

The Young People of the church enjoyed a roller skating party at Lake Monday evening.

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