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Editor's Column

VACATION WAS GOOD BUT GOOD AND HOT

So we took a wonderful vacation from gettin' out the paper last week, and enjoyed it to the full.

That is, with the exception of Thursday, June 30, and Friday, Saturday and Sunday, July 1, 2 and 3, when temperatures rose to a point we swear we'd never seen 'em in Michigan in all our 60-odd years.

We had 98 degrees of heat on our thermometer a couple of those days, and we checked with neighbors' thermometers to see if ours was off.

It wasn't.

Usually, when we hit 80 to 85 degrees here, we give ourselves up and just quit. We really did quit when it reached 90, and we like to died at 98. Heaven preserve us from these modern departures from our traditional ways!

But we had a good vacation, and are ready to get back in the old grind of getting out a paper once a week.

We shall try to make it an interesting little paper, as interesting as we can.

Our function, as we see it, is to record the weekly life of the village and its surrounding territory. The big and little tragedies, the personal joys and sorrows, the development of Weidman Town from one week to the next.

With the help of our faithful news writers, and the support of our faithful and enthusiastic readers, we hope to go on recording the life and times of Weidman, Mich., in this mixed-up day and age.

So we're back at the old job.

This 'n That: Weidman Town had a wonderful rain Tuesday morning, in the wake of a vicious-looking storm coming down fast from the northwest. It was a real old-fashioned storm, in appearance, with high winds, low-flying mixed-up clouds, the works. But it settled down into a lovely drenching rain for our area. We hear that not far from Weidman the rain was light.

We were in such a dither getting out our pre-vacation issue, we forgot to mention a wonderful visit with our old friends, the Colin Campbells, of Barryton. Mildred Garner and Ye Ed were in Barryton for car service, and we stopped at the Campbells' for an old-fashioned country-editor yak-fest.

BOOKMOBILE IN WEIDMAN WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

A Bookmobile from the Mt. Pleasant Library has been making scheduled visits to Weidman every two weeks, their visit this week being Wednesday, July 13.

The Bookmobile sits on Weidman's business street from 3.30 to 4.30 every other Wednesday, and offers good reading material for every age.

Many Weidman kids are taking advantage of the fine book material. Their elders, too, are enjoying this facility of a branch library.

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SUMMER SCHOOL IN FULL SWING IN WEIDMAN

Summer school for about 80 pupils was in full swing this week, with six teachers working three hours a day. There is a paid aide for each teacher, besides other help, it was stated by the school this week.

The 80 pupils are besides the Head Start program, also going on here. Virginia Herman is handling the Head Start project.

Subjects on the summer school curriculum include reading, math, science, arts and crafts, physical education, and so on.

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SCHAFFER REUNION HELD HERE SUNDAY

The annual Schaffer reunion was held Sunday at Mitchell Memorial Park in Weidman, with a good attendance.

The usual delicious pot-luck dinner was enjoyed at noon. Visiting and games took up the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Faber, Sr., won the door prize.

The Walt Faber family furnished music and singing later in the day.

It was voted to have the reunion with the Art Fabers next year, with the Bill Fabers, Jr., as chairmen.

The oldest couple, who always try to attend, are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schaffer of Fowler. They enjoyed the reunion very much, but neither was feeling very well, they said.

George Smith, 64, of St. Johns and Jim Alwood, 11, were presented a birthday cake for their birthday that day.

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NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson and Jean and Kathleen were Sunday afternoon guests of his mother, Mrs. Kit Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Straus and children of Flushing spent part of last week with her mother, Mrs. Leah Scharrer. They had been on vacation across the Straits.

Men in Uniform



SP5 RUSSELL MARTIN

Co. E, 12th Eng. Bn.
APO New York

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Dear Editor:

This letter is in reference to the son of one of your subscribers, Carl Martin, of rural Farwell.

Mr. Martin's son, Sp5 Russell Martin, who is now serving a tour in Germany with the 12th Eng. Bn., is an outstanding participant in the EM Club and the NCO and Specialists Clubs.

He came into the 12th Eng. Bn. as a Private, and now he will be leaving as a Speedy Five (5).

He is an outstanding soldier and the swiftest around. We are sure Sp. 5 Martin's parents are very proud of him.

All of his friends here in Co. E. of the 12th Engrs. will be very sad to see him go home for good. He is a true friend and we are all pretty sure he will also hate to see us stay here in Germany while he goes home. But those are the breaks.

We hope parts of this short letter may be printed in your paper. Thank you. A photo is also enclosed for the paper. We hope it can be printed.

Sincerely
Friends from Michigan.

Marine Private Russell Alwood from Camp Pendleton, Calif., arrived home Sunday afternoon on a 25-day furlough. Rusty will report to Camp Lejeune, North Carolina, Aug. 3.

Rusty has very many friends here who are delighted to see him again, after Marine training.

RECKER CHILDREN WIN DOLLS ON TV SHOW

Two children of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Recker have won major doll prizes on the Captain Muddy Show on television Channel 5, it was announced this week.

Rhonda, 10-year-old daughter of the Reckers, won the Grand Prize, a three-foot-tall Mary Poppins doll that walks.

Kendall, six-year-old son of the Reckers, won a Christopher Robin doll recently on the same show.

This is most unusual, we feel, as the contest apparently is a names-on-postcards drawing contest.

Our congratulations, Rhonda and Kendall!

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GRASS FIRES, LIGHTNING KEEP FIREMEN BUSY

Grass fires and two lightning hits kept the Weidman Volunteer Fire Department busy Friday and Saturday.

At 1.55 Friday morning the firemen were called to the property where Joe Otto used to live, on the northeast edge of town, to put out a grass fire.

Also Friday they put out a grass fire on the Leo Navarre farm near Sherman City.

At 11.53 Saturday morning, a thunder shower struck Weidman, and the firemen were called to put out a grass fire under a fence, where lightning apparently had hit.

At 1.35 Saturday they were called to the John Vogel farm in Nottawa, where lightning had hit the barn which was full of hay.

Fortunately, damage was very light, as the family immediately went to work and with the help of the firemen, the fire was out in a short time. A small hole in the roof was the main damage, as reported by Fire Chief Ed Fox.

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NEW PASTOR AT FOREST HILL CHURCH

Rev. Stanley Spires of Monroe has been elected pastor of the Forest Hill Church of God, and is now living in the parsonage at Weidman.

Rev. Spires is married and has one daughter, who will attend the Weidman School.

The Spires family is very musical, with singing and instrumental talents, and are a fine influence for the church.

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NEWS NOTES

Mrs. Jack Fusner of Ohio and Mrs. Ercel Woodward of Flint and Mrs. Jib Hall of Barryton were June 30 evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Sprague. Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Sprague of Mt. Pleasant were callers.

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Dates also cut in. Esther Skinner ph. 644-3691, W. Stevenson Lake Road, R1, Lake, Mich. Mar24tf

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July 14tf

CAKES--For special occasions. Call Mrs. Fey Johnson, ph. 644-2107, Weidman, through July 16. After that you may call either me or Daisy Embrey. Mrs. Fey Johnson.
July 14t1p

FOR SALE--Fox terrier puppies, 8 weeks old, \$2.00 each. Frank Cook, 2 miles west of Beal City, on Coldwater Lake Rd., north side of lake.
July 14t2p

FOR SALE--Thirteen irresistible Yorkshire feeder pigs, from good stock. Also a 12x15 building with new roof, to be moved by Aug. 1. Also over 3,000 bales of good quality hay. Call Dean Denslow, 644-3457.
July 14t1

CHRISTMAS CARDS--I am taking orders for fine Christmas cards. Ph. 644-3467. Jean Vore, Weidman.
July 14 t2

BLACK RASPBERRIES--Ripening now. Pick your own at very reasonable price. Please

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call for appointment to pick, or to order picked berries. George Skinner, Weidman, ph. 644-2000.
July 14tf

Card Of Thanks

We wish to thank the people who got up the benefit dance for our family, and all the wonderful friends who attended it.

Also a special Thanks to Warren and Thelma Leiter and the Forbes family for the live music.

You don't know how much it meant to us to be thought of in such a way.

Sincerely,
Mr. and Mrs. Alan Blodgett
And Family.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the Nottawa-Sherman Volunteer Fire Department for their swift help in saving our barn when it was struck by lightning last Saturday afternoon.

The Weidman Firemen did a wonderful job, both in getting help to us so quickly, and in their work of putting out the fire.

We are very grateful.
John Vogel
And Family.

FOR SALE--Must Sell 50'x10' 1963 Mobil Home. Nothing down, take over payments. First place west of Van Zandt's Store on West M-20. ph. LO-1-3023.
June 30t2

the Churches

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

There will be a work bee at the church starting Saturday noon. Coffee will be served at the Annex, and each worker is requested to bring his own sandwiches.

The outside of the church will be painted, the basement thoroughly cleaned, and the yard outside mowed and raked. Any and all help will be greatly appreciated.

Since the Spires family has joined us, the parsonage has been completely redecorated, inside and out. Already we have seen an increase in church attendance, and God is beginning to bless. We feel thankful to have the Spires family with us.

WEIDMAN BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Marvin Eldridge, Pastor
The Weidman Baptist Church has a new cement sidewalk now.

Special meetings at the Weidman Baptist Church began Sunday evening, and have been continuing this week, through Friday evening. Kenneth Schmidt of Onaway, Mich., is guest speaker for evangelistic meetings. Special music is a feature at these meetings.

The meetings begin at 7.30 p. m. each evening.
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REBEKAH CARD PARTY HAS SIX TABLES IN PLAY

The regular Rebekah sponsored card party was held last Tuesday at their hall.

Six tables were in play, with prizes going to Hattie Losey, Gertie Crane, Helen Alwood, Leona Simmer. The door prize was won by Jessie Rosenkrantz.

The next card party will be July 19, at the hall.
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Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Davis, missionaries in Oklahoma, spent Sunday evening and Monday morning with the Bernard Pitts family.

The Skinner family and their house guest, Mildred Garner, enjoyed a visit last week Tuesday afternoon from Helen Hudson of Midland, formerly Helen Tanner of Gilmore. Good to see you again, Helen!

Mr. and Mrs. George Skinner and Mildred Garner were last Thursday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Granger of near Lake George.

Rev. and Mrs. Edward Bailey of Shipshawana, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs. Burton Brown of Lansing were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Vina Bailey.

N. Broomfield

Maycie Cook, Reporter

SURPRISE PARTY ON WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Sixty-five relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Cook of Mosherville surprised Ted and Bernadine Sunday, for their 25th wedding anniversary.

A bountiful pot-luck dinner was served at their farm home north of Mt. Pleasant.

The surprise anniversary party was planned by their daughters, Kay, Cheryl and Vickie.

The Cooks plan to fly to California for a few days' visit with her brother and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cook, Mrs. E. Rhode and Harold, Maycie Cook, Ethyl Wager, Mrs. Mary Cook, Amelia Korytkowski, Mrs. Vida Lueder, and Arthur Cook of Indiana spent the evening of July 2 with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lueder in honor of Mrs. Lueder's birthday. Cards and lunch were enjoyed.

Arthur Cook and mother, Mrs. Mary Cook, called on Mrs. Myra Hummel of Shepherd one day last week.

Roderick Nicholson accompanied Raymond Peters of Ewart to Davisburg one evening last week, to get Mrs. Peters, who had been visiting there.

Chuck Cook of Canadian Lakes has been a guest of Terry Lueder the past few days.

Sandra and Jackie Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cook and son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cook, are spending several days at the Lutheran Youth Camp at School Section Lake this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Lueder called on Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Scott Saturday evening.

Wesley Boucher of Holly and Howell called on Herman Cook last week. Mr. Boucher is visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Bingham of Franklin, who are spending their vacation at their cottage on Hubbard Lake, were Thursday overnight guests of Maycie Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cook and Stewart and Sandra spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Gail Strong and Mr. and Mrs. Miles Strong of Elwell.

Mrs. E. Rhode and Harold were Saturday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ehler of Shepherd, and Fourth of July dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Lueder.
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Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grantham and children of Bay City spent Friday night with Mrs. Emily Wood. On Saturday they all attended the wedding of Judy Wood, daughter of Rev. Harold Wood, Saturday. The Granthams attended camp meeting in Mt. Pleasant Sunday evening before returning to Bay City.

S.W. Sherman

Goldie Dutcher, Reporter
CAROL SIMKINS,
LARRY DUTCHER MARRIED

Miss Carol Simkins and Pfc. Larry Dutcher were married June 25 in Fort Lewis, Washington.

They drove to California, then returned home July 3. A wedding reception was held for them Saturday evening, July 9, at the Remus Town Hall.

Larry has to report back to Fort Lewis July 16, and expects to leave the States for Viet Nam the end of July. His bride will live in Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Dutcher and Chris spent the weekend of the Fourth with the Clayton Dutchers. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Dutcher came from Washington Sunday and spent the Fourth. Jim Dutcher, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dutcher and Doug, and Floyd and Garry Dutcher were supper guests.

Mrs. Katie McDaniels and girls and her mother, Mrs. Lily Tabor, and sons, Sandy and Rudy, drove to Springfield, O., and visited their sister and daughter and their grandmother and mother, at Pedro, and an uncle at the Veterans Hospital at Dayton, for two weeks. When they got home, her brother and family, Bud Tabor, of Hampton Air Base, in Virginia, came and visited a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Tabor, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Tabor, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tabor and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Tabor and their families of Lansing and St. Johns visited Mrs. Katie McDaniels and family and Mrs. Lily Tabor and sons over the past two weekends.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Nocker of Lansing also were visitors of Mrs. McDaniels and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James McDaniels and family of Lansing spent the last two weekends here at their farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher, Mr. and Mrs. George Woodin, Mrs. Ronna Dutcher and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Oren Leiter and family attended the reception Saturday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Larry Dutcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dutcher of Lake Orion spent Saturday and attended the reception. The Clarence Chaffee family furnished the music for dancing.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Robertson and daughter, Juanita, and her daughter, Kathy, of Springfield, O., visited from Friday till Monday.

Mrs. Chelsea Latham and children spent Sunday with the Harry Hardenburg family.

Mrs. Willard Ransom of Belaire is visiting her folks this week. She and her cousin, Mrs. Richard Embrey, spent Sunday in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Dutcher visited Mrs. Nora Secord and sons Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Woodin and Linda Wernette had a picnic dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher, Jr., and family Sunday.

Kenny Oplinger spent Friday afternoon with Steve Dutcher.

Ronna Dutcher took Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sisco to the doctor in Remus Friday.

Steve Dutcher spent Sunday afternoon and the night with Eric Methner.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dutcher had supper with the Clayton Dutchers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Buzek and daughter, Diane, were Sunday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. John Hibberd. Diane has just finished her nurse's training, and is leaving Thursday for Hinsdale Ill., where she took her training.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hibberd attended the funeral of an old friend, Mrs. Ernest White, of Farwell, a week ago Friday.

Mrs. Florence Huffman was a recent caller of the Hibberds.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Merrihew and Orval spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Hibberd.

Wesley Boucher of Howell, and son, Wesley, Jr., and Clayton Beutler were callers the past week.

Fern Beutler and daughter, Mary, were a week ago Sunday callers. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clark of Onondago and Mr. and Mrs. Armine Finch of Pleasant Lake were Sunday callers.

Theodore Beckwith of Otisville passed away Friday, July 8. His cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Dutcher, Mrs. Hattie Losey and Mrs. Theron Merrihew, attended the funeral at Otisville Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Remington and sons in Saginaw Sunday evening. Troy had been badly burned on his feet while at the lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wade and family of Akron, O., and Mrs. Dorothy Peck of Flint called on the Merrihews Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Secord of Dimondale and Mrs. Nora Secord called on the Clayton Dutchers Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gaudard and family of Midland were recent callers of the Ervin Dutchers.

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Local Items

Mrs. Ercel Woodward of Flint Mrs. Gala Fusner of Ohio, and Gala's two daughters spent from Wednesday till Saturday with Mrs. Ethel Bywater. They attended the funeral of May White of Farwell, and then they went on to Houghton Lake, and spent the rest of the day, Friday.

Mrs. Ed Carey and her sister of Mt. Pleasant were last Tuesday visitors of Mrs. Ethel Bywater.

Mrs. Eva Denslow was a last week Wednesday caller of Mrs. Bessie Teall.

In the Editor's Mail

LETTER FROM RUTH MOMANY OUT WEST
Denver, Colo.

Dear Friends:

Just got in from Salt Lake City and am waiting for bus to San Antonio, Texas, to visit Ross and Anne.

Have really been on the go-both visiting and sightseeing. There hasn't been a dull moment, and there sure won't be.

Still have several stopovers before getting back to Michigan, then will tell you all about it.

Surgery was successful on my left ear (but not as suddenly spectacular as last year. A checkup June 27 showed 22 percent below normal, so it's a big improvement on up in the 50-percent and over loss area I came with.

Haven't heard from anyone in Michigan, as I have moved around too much.

Forgot to renew the Messenger before I left, so be sure and keep me on the list and will settle when I get back.

Hope work on all the lakes is progressing.

Ruth Momany.

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Local Items

Roselene Schafer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Schafer, is in CMC Hospital for treatment of burns on her face, suffered in a home accident last week. She hopes to be home in another week or so. Her many friends send their prayers and good wishes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Boerema of Wyoming were Saturday visitors of her mother, Mrs. Ina Gillett. They enjoyed a drive to Sanford, where Felix Stevens has built a new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bywater spent the weekend in Maple Rapids, at the Charles Thomas home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Embrey expected to return home Tuesday of next week, after a five-week vacation trip in the West.

Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Sprague were Mr. and Mrs. Al Williamson of Mt. Pleasant. Mr. and Mrs. Clare Oberlin of Lansing were Sunday evening callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Clark and daughter, Mrs. Joan Helgeson, and her two children, Cindy and Bonnie, of Plymouth, Wis., spent the weekend of the Fourth of July with their folks here, Mrs. Bertha Clark and Don, and Mrs. Lela Whearett.

Stanley Knudson and family of Trenton spent the Fourth of July weekend with his mother, Mrs. Lela Whearett.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Smith of New Jersey and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Louisell, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Louisell of Mt. Pleasant visited Debbie, Bob's daughter, at a Girl Scout Camp north of Harrison, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Miller of Grand Rapids spent Saturday night with her father, Lew Frantz. Emery Smith was in Community Hospital the first of the week, in serious condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ritchie of Shelby and Mr. and Mrs. Don Ritchie of Port Huron were visitors of Vada Carroll and Emma Middlesworth one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dent of Farwell and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Bellinger and children of Williamston were Sunday callers of Mrs. Bessie Teall.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Rathburn (Queenie Gillett) of Flint were weekend visitors of relatives and friends here.

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Men in Uniform

Pfc. Richard Embrey is scheduled to go to Viet Nam Sept. 1, and will be at Fort Lewis, Wash., till then.

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Around Horr

Jessie Rosencrantz, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Denslow and children and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Denslow and children spent Sunday at Coldwater Lake, with the Derry Dunn family at their cottage. They enjoyed a picnic dinner and supper. The children enjoyed swimming and boating.

Mrs. Bobbie Oplinger spent from Saturday afternoon through Sunday with her mother in the hospital. She had surgery at 12.30 Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie McDonald (Bobbie's brother and wife) announce the birth of their seventh son, born July 3.

Mrs. Lettie Wiggins of Mt. Pleasant and Mrs. Grace Van Natter of Alberta, Canada, were last Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benn. Mrs. Ellen Thompson was an afternoon caller.

A week ago Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Lawrence were Mrs. Dorothy Peck of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wade and Pamela, Robert and Susie of Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Merrihew, and Mr. and Mrs. Garth Lawrence and Pam. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Merrihew were also Saturday evening visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thompson and boys were Friday callers of Mrs. Florence Neelands of Lansing. Mrs. Betty Thompson spent the day with her mother, Mrs. Stoll.

Thursday callers at the Jack Thompson home were Fred Rounds, Mrs. Violet Fansellar and Mr. and Mrs. Bodell, all of Grand Rapids. They also called on Mr. and Mrs. Mack Denslow.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Denslow and family of Jackson were Sunday afternoon callers of his mother, Mrs. Margaret Denslow.

Miss Mimi Jennings of Grosse Pointe accompanied Miss Carol Wood home for a weekend visit. Carol and Mimi share a room with three other girls in Mt. Pleasant.

Alan Wood spent the weekend home from Ferris College in Big Rapids.

Mrs. Carol Johnson accompanied her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blodgett, to Bay City Wednesday. The Benn Johnsons returned last Monday from a vacation trip to Upper Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Losey were Monday afternoon callers at the Charlie Losey home. Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher were Thursday callers.

Mrs. Hattie Losey attended a shower for Mr. and Mrs. Larry Dutcher Saturday evening at Remus. On Sunday she accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Theron Merrihew to Otisville to attend the funeral of her cousin, Ted Beckwith.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Phillips

and Pam of Oxford were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Benn Johnson and children spent Sunday at Chippewa Lake, and enjoyed a picnic dinner.

Mrs. Alice Thacker and Mrs. Nora Jones, sisters of Alva Cummins, spent Monday through Wednesday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Cummins. Alva and Floyd Dutcher were fishing on Six Lakes Thursday, and caught a nice mess of bluegills.

Mrs. Tom Overlison and children of Philadelphia were Tuesday visitors of her sister, Mrs. Dean Denslow. Sunday dinner guests of the Denslows were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Fisher and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ehler and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Lutkenhouse of Cedar Rapids, Ia., and Mrs. Tom Overlison and children of Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Gross and Amy Sue were Friday evening callers at the Gerald Losey home.

Mrs. Marilyn Losey accompanied a group of boys and girls from the Weidman School to Bay City Friday, for eye examinations.

Lynette Jackson spent the weekend with Nancy Losey.

Susie Losey spent Sunday evening with Kathleen Lueder.

Beth Ann McClain spent Sunday with Patti Losey.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Losey attended a shower for Mr. and Mrs. Larry Dutcher Saturday evening at Remus.

Saturday callers at the Howard Wood home were Carl and Ellen Geasler and Mark Graham, Mrs. Ruth Oberlin, and Mrs. Carol Oberlin and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wood were Sunday dinner guests of their son, Vance, and family.

Busy Bees will meet with Mrs. Deborah Been Thursday.

There will be a work bee at the church Saturday, to paint the church and general cleanup. Come and bring your paint brush.

Mr. and Mrs. Del Johnson of Pontiac and the Benn Johnson children were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benn. The Johnsons spent the weekend at the Benn Johnson and Frank Benn homes, last week, and were Tuesday dinner guests of the Frank Benns.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benn took a trip to Canadian Lakes Sunday afternoon.

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NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Embrey and family attended a reunion of schoolmates, Sunday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Ludwick, in Mt. Pleasant. About 20 old school friends gathered to enjoy the reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ritchie of Shelby and Mr. and Mrs. Don Ritchie of Port Huron were last Wednesday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sprague.

Walker Creek News

Esther Stanley, Reporter

Our sympathy is extended to relatives and friends of Mrs. Gertrude Dague (Lowery), who passed away Monday, July 4, at a hospital in Lansing. Mr. and Mrs. Lou Gray, Mrs. Duane Gray and Mr. and Mrs. Loren Gray of Mt. Pleasant attended the funeral in Lansing Thursday.

Mrs. Loren Gray and children were recent visitors at the Lou Gray home.

We are glad to report Mrs. Howard Monroe is improving in health since her appendectomy, and was home for the weekend.

Mr. Momroe had all his teeth extracted last week in Mt. Pleasant hospital, and says he is suffering no ill effects from the ordeal.

Jerry and Julie Denslow of Freeland spent a few days last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Loomis. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Denslow, came for them Sunday and were dinner guests. Mr. and Mrs. Max Kimball and family of Barryton were Sunday evening visitors of her parents.

Mrs. Donald Zill and daughter, Lucinda, and sons, Larry, Terry and Kenny, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bazaire, Sunday morning, and also visited her uncle, Charles Moore, of Lapeer, who was a guest at the Bazaire home.

Barry Thompson and friend, Robert Krapohl, of Dowagiac, who attend Flint Barber College, spent the weekend with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Follette of Boyne City visited Mrs. Lena St. John Sunday morning. They were en route to Ann Arbor.

Miss Mary Beutler is enjoying helping Mrs. Violet Little with children at summer school in Weidman. They visited the Kellogg plant at Battle Creek and were also at Bay City last week, where some of the children visited an optometrist.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Loomis were Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Skalitzky.

Mr. and Mrs. Micky Dargitz and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Denslow, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Leiter of Hannah Lake and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Leiter and son, Patrick, of Elk Rapids, visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Leiter and family Sunday afternoon.

An old-time charivari was held in Walker Creek community Monday night, July 4. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Vinton were charivariated about midnight. We hear the new bride made pancakes for an early breakfast Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Harriet Dillenbeck reports she is feeling fine. Her father, Aisher Dent, and Mrs. Sherman and Mr. and Mrs. Austin Dent were recent visitors at the Dillenbeck home.

Miss Karen Sautanian of Detroit was a guest of Miss Janet Dillenbeck over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Dillenbeck were at Eight Point Lake Sunday evening, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Louisell, Jr., and children at their summer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Schrock are having a two-weeks' vacation from their work at the Wolverine Shoe Company at Big Rapids. They are busy doing the groundwork for their new home, which they will build along the roadway south of Walker Creek. Their new property will encompass the "Ole Swimming Hole" known as Allen Dam.

All the Stanley children were home during the 4th of July weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Pung and Susan and Sandra of St. Johns stayed overnight Monday. Mrs. Lester Terwilliger and Lester, Jr., and Mary visited Wednesday.

Dennis, Darlene and Donna Pung spent the weekend with their grandparents, the Stanleys. Debbie stayed with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pung, her paternal grandparents, while their mother, Mrs. Donald Pung, was in the hospital. Donald Satnley brought Mrs. Pung (Diana) home Monday. Debbie went with Uncle Donald to get her and also to see Dr. Anderson, where she got new glasses.

Ronald Stanley has been helping his grandfather the last few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stanley and family were Sunday supper guests of his parents.

Mrs. Minnie Reed and her sister, Mrs. Mary Bates of Saginaw visited Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Thompson Friday.

Ralph Thompson spent the weekend at Laurel.

Mrs. Thompson's father, Manley Oliver, and sister, Mrs. Marguerite Coleman, of Remus were Sunday dinner guests of the Thompsons.

Wesley Boucher of Howell was a Tuesday overnight guest of the Clayton Beutler family.

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NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sprague and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dent of Farwell spent from July 1 to 4 at East Lake, across the Straits.

Ethel Wright and Mrs. Lucille Kennedy of Pontiac were visitors of Mrs. Bertha Clark one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Smith of New Jersey are spending a two weeks' vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Louisell. Dick Louisell of Lansing spent the weekend with his folks.

Beal City

Dora Smith, Reporter

ENTERTAIN THEIR CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Block entertained the members of the Twenty Grand Club Friday evening.

Five Hundred was played, with high score going to Mrs. John Farner and Carl Houck, second high to Mrs. Donald Tilmann and Virgil Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Morton of Florida are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Egbert.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Egbert were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Egbert, Fred Yuncker, Mr. and Mrs. Buel Egbert and their families, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Yuncker, Jr., and their boys; Mr. and Mrs. Gary Riggles and family, Mr. and Mrs. Art Yuncker, and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Morton. All enjoyed the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Schneider of Grand Rapids were up for the wedding of Lavern Yuncker.

Mrs. Cecelia Simmer entertained the Willing Workers Club last Wednesday. Prizes were won by Tress Bunting, high score; Leona Simmer, second, and Coletta Gross, pepper.

Michael, Patrick and Kathy Dickson of Lansing spent the weekend with Coletta Gross.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pung, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schafer, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Simmer and Mrs. Florence Straus attended a wedding in Portland Saturday.

Alfred, Matilda and Dorothy Wacker of St. Johns had dinner with Louise Smith last Thursday.

Arline Wilcox of Weidman had dinner several days last week with her grandmother, Louise Smith. She was doing some school work in the Public School in Beal City.

The banns of matrimony were announced for the first time Sunday for William Barz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barz, Sr., and Marylyn Bradley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bradley.

Quite a number from here attended the Schafer reunion at the Weidman Park Sunday.

Mrs. Louise Schafer of Mt. Pleasant spent the weekend at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Tilmann and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Tilmann have been spending a week up North.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rau and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rau spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Don Rau, who adopted a baby girl. The infant was baptized Sunday, named Mary Beth.

Jerry and Marilyn Courtright and Sister Mary Adele of Mt. Pleasant spent Sunday with their grandmother, Mrs. Ida Tilmann.

Mrs. Norman Vogel and Mrs. Donald Pung have been in CMC Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Schafer of Mt. Pleasant spent Saturday with

his mother, Mrs. Rose Schafer.

Mrs. Clara Fox visited her daughter, Mrs. Joe Judge, a few days the past week.

Mrs. Lena Bleise and Leander Bierschbach are visiting relatives in Jackson.

The Louis Rau reunion was held at the K. C. Hall July 4. It was well attended, and everyone reported a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Fussman and family spent the 4th of July weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Fussman.

Herman Grinzinger spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Straus.

Mrs. Mary Schrock is in the hospital at Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schafer and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schafer returned home last Tuesday from a trip to New Mexico and other places.

Mrs. Florence Ball and daughter, Tena, motored to Lansing last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Smith are the proud parents of a baby boy. They have named him Anthony.

Joseph Streng was in CMC Hospital for observation, returning home last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pung of Detroit spent the 4th of July weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Pung.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schafer of Winn spent the weekend with relatives here. They also attended the funeral of Frank Kremreiter Saturday morning.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Curtiss spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Mackinaw City.

Roselene Schafer had the misfortune to get burned last Thursday. She is in CMC Hospital. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Klumpp and family of Mt. Pleasant spent last Thursday evening at the Tony Schafer home.

The Senior Citizens meeting last Thursday was well attended, with 10 tables playing pepper. Mrs. Frank Engler won the door prize. Mrs. Jack Schafer won first prize for the ladies, with Joe Pantenburg winning for the men.

Philomena Tilmann returned home the past week from a four-weeks' trip to England, Switzerland, and many other foreign countries.

Lawrence Schafer and family of Detroit spent a few days the past week with her mother, Mrs. Effie Schafer, and other relatives.

Quite a number from here attended the Fedewa-Yuncker wedding reception Saturday evening at the K. C. Hall.

Mrs. Ida Tilmann spent Monday evening with Mrs. Louise Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Zeien and family spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rau.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Klumpp and family, Mr. and Mrs. Al Klumpp

and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Schafer and family spent the weekend at Traverse City, camping out.

Steve Rau and Hans Steib started their vacation trip to Washington, D. C., Sunday afternoon.

Rose Ann Reihl spent Sunday afternoon with Delores Rau.

Wm. Faber, Sr., returned home from the Alma hospital Tuesday of last week.

A bridal shower was given honoring Miss Sharon Reihl Thursday evening. Mary Lou Reihl and Glenda Brown were hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reihl were hosts at a chicken barbecue for Mr. and Mrs. Lou Woodbury, Mr. and Mrs. Raldon Pasch and Delores Rau.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tilmann and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Tilmann spent Sunday in Caro.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Schafer of Beal City spent Sunday in Reed City, bidding farewell to their son at Miller's Airport.

Leonard Slater died early Saturday morning. He was buried Tuesday with Mass at Sacred Heart Church in Mt. Pleasant and burial in St. Joseph's Cemetery.

Ted Ahlers and family of Adrian, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ahlers and family of Bath, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kish and family of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ahlers and family of Mt. Pleasant spent the Fourth weekend at the Ted Ahlers home.

Sunday guests of the Ahlers were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wood and son of Lansing.

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Local Items

CAMP AT HARRISON WITH FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Meryl Graham and girls returned July 5 from a seven-day camping trip at Budd Lake in Harrison. They enjoyed the company of several friends who camped with them on adjoining lots. They included Mr. and Mrs. Ken Kapplinger and son of Farwell, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wood and family of Clare, Mr. and Mrs. Art Harsh and son of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Giesler and son of Jackson, Miss Marilyn Fheer of Milwaukee, and Miss Nancy Wild, who had just returned to the United States from Munich, Germany.

BETTER THAN A LETTER



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ELFORD "AL" CEDERBERG WRITES INTERESTING LETTER FROM CONGRESS

Congress of the U. S.
House of Representatives
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June 22, 1966

As I write this mid-session report, the war in Viet Nam and inflation continue to be perplexing problems. The House of Representatives has passed a variety of bills. I have supported many of these, but many others do not, in my opinion, warrant enough high priority to justify the expenditures involved at a time when we are faced with heavy wartime spending.

The fact that once again the debt limit has been raised, at a time when federal revenues are at an all-time high, indicates a need to be sure that new programs adopted are of the highest priority.

During the past 11 months, 350,000 new employees have been added to the federal payroll, and the end is not in sight.

The federal budget has not been balanced since 1960.

The overall cost of running the government has increased 47.5 percent in the past seven years, and the annual deficits have totaled \$36.4 billion, including the one proposed for 1967.

It is becoming increasingly evident that the President's budget underestimated by at least one billion dollars the funds needed for the military. The interest costs on the national debt will also be higher than projected.

The district mail indicates to me that although we are in a period of wartime prosperity, our farmers, those living on fixed incomes, small business operators, and others are having a difficult time making ends meet.

Recent statements by the President and actions by Agriculture Secretary Freeman, placing the blame on farmers for rising food prices, have generated a large volume of protest mail.

The Administration, in reducing the buying of pork and butter for our Armed Forces and placing an export ban on hides, caused further irritation. So much so that the Defense Department will again purchase these items. The farmer, in my opinion, is justified in his protests.

We have received heavy mail expressing opposition to the Dodd Bill which advocates federal control over firearms. I am opposed to this legislation as presently written. The bill will not deter the criminal because he will continue to obtain weapons by unlawful means, while law-abiding citizens are restrained. The Senate is considering this legislation in committee, but no committee hearings are being held in the

House. An acceptable compromise is currently a possibility.

The Administration proposal to federalize unemployment compensation has been rejected by the Ways and Means Committee. A new proposal which retains State control has received committee approval and will have bipartisan support.

The Rent Supplement program, the long-term cost of which no one really knows, squeaked through Congress by one vote in the Senate and six votes in the House.

A continuing investigation of the Poverty Program reveals gross mismanagement. The poor seem to be benefitting the least from the large expenditures involved.

billion dollars, when in reality it is 6 billion.

Many of you have inquired as to the status of the Constitutional amendment I have introduced to permit prayer in public schools.

The chairman of the House Judiciary Committee refuses to act on this legislation.

Senator Dirksen has indicated he will attempt to get action in the Senate.

The amendment simply states:

"SECTION 1. Nothing in this Constitution shall be deemed to prohibit the offering, reading from, or listening to prayers or Biblical scriptures, if participation therein is on a voluntary basis, in any governmental or pub-

A fantastic proposal, which I call Instant Retirement, is talked about here. This would establish a guaranteed annual family income. We all want to help those in need, but I do not believe working taxpayers should support a guaranteed income program for some who will not work. What will the social planners dream up next?

Elford A. Cederberg, U. S. Congress

The Sales Participation Act provides for the pooling of government assets and selling them on the market in units of \$5,000 or more. A recent sale of these assets resulted in the government paying 5 3/4% interest. This means the large investor receives 5 3/4% interest from the government, but the small investor, who buys a bond through payroll deduction or otherwise, receives 4 1/4% interest. This, in my opinion, is not only unfair but the program is a gimmick to fool the public on total budget expenditures.

Uncle Sam owns 33.1 billion dollars of financial assets and now this "Participation Sales" gimmick will enable bureaucrats to perform miracles in the way of optical illusions--even appearing to reduce the national debt and eliminating annual deficits.

It is noteworthy that even the liberal ADA cannot go along with this scheme. The proposed sale of 4.2 billions dollars' worth of assets makes the proposed deficit for 1967 appear to be 1.8

lic school, institution, or place.

"SECTION 2. Nothing in this Constitution shall be deemed to prohibit making a reference to belief in, reliance upon, or invoking the aid of God or a Supreme Being in any governmental or public document, proceeding, activity, ceremony, school, institution, or place, or upon any coinage, currency, or obligation of the United States.

"SECTION 3. Nothing in this article shall constitute an establishment of religion."

I fail to see why anyone should object to this.

Early in this session there was talk of an early adjournment this election year. It appears, however, that we will not adjourn until some time this fall. . . . This leaves little or no time to visit the various counties in the district. However, my district liaison man, Walter Nakkula, visits your county each month except August, and if you have problems in which the federal government is involved and wish to discuss them personally, you

should check your local newspaper or radio station as they can advise you when and where he will be in your county. If this is not convenient, write us here in Washington, giving all the details of your problem. My Washington address is simply, Rep. Elford "Al" Cederberg, Congress of the United States, House of Representatives, Washington, D. C.

I shall continue to make every attempt to appear personally in your county when possible. You may not realize that our district consists of 19 counties reaching from Lake Huron to Lake Michigan. They are as follows:

Alcona, Antrim, Arenac, Bay, Clare, Crawford, Gladwin, Gratiot, Iosco, Isabella, Kalkaska, Mecosta, Midland, Missaukee, Montcalm, Ogemaw, Osceola, Oscoda and Roscommon.

Many of you may be planning a visit to Washington this summer. We have a packet that we will be pleased to send you that will help you plan your visit. We hope while you are in Washington that you will take time to visit your Washington office at 2303 Rayborn Building.

Elford A. Cederberg
Congressman.



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West Gilmore

Lena Cole, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Claris Allen visited their son, Harold, at Traverse City hospital Friday. They found that he expects to be transferred to Veterans Hospital at Saginaw.

Mrs. Violet Lowery of Pontiac is spending the week with her son, William Lowery, of West Brinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Ewing and son, Dennis, of Saginaw, and Mr. Ewing's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hunt, of Caro, spent several days at the Ewings' cabin at Cedar Bay at Littlefield Lake.

Clarence Shaner underwent lung surgery at CMC Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Claris Allen returned home to Commerce Saturday, after several days spent at their trailer.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ganser and baby, Jackie, of Mishawaka, Ind., returned home Sunday after a week spent with their grandparents, the Paul Coles. Mary Lou Mossell returned home with them after three weeks spent with her grandparents, the Coles.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Ellsworth and Debbie and Dougie are spending a week's vacation in South Bend, Ind.

Mrs. Charlotte Hart visited her son-in-law, Clarence Shaner, at CMC Hospital Saturday.

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North Weidman

Wanda Graham, Reporter

Mike and Becky Leiter enjoyed camping at Black Lake a week ago, with Mr. and Mrs. Hulbert and family of Tustin.

Rhonda, Kim and David Chapman of Mt. Pleasant and David Hulbert of Tustin are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Miller and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George McClain, Jr., and family spent July 3 with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Armand Edgar, of Eaton Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Garold Latham enjoyed the 3rd and 4th of July in Freeland, visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hard.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blodgett attended the card party in Brinton Hall Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gott observed their 48th wedding anniversary at their home July 3 with a surprise ice cream and cake with several of their children. Becky Graham and Mrs. Marvin Allen made the cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloy Sperry visited their daughter, Margaret, in Mercy Hospital at Bay City Sunday, and report that she is improving very nicely, and expects to return home within a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burden and family enjoyed a picnic and

swimming Sunday at Ojibwa Recreation Area, along with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Burden and family, Mrs. Lauraine Burden of Grand Rapids, and Mr. and Mrs. Gale Burden and family of Lakeview.

Mrs. Marvin Allen of Farwell, Becky Graham and Mrs. John Gott were in Evert Monday.

Debbie Graham spent from July 5 through the 9th with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gott.

Saturday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Gott were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gott and children of Winn. They enjoyed birthday cake and ice cream in honor of Rusty and Julie Gott.

Mrs. Ernestine Straus called on Mrs. Wanda Graham and Becky Saturday morning. Friday evening visitors of the Grahams were Mrs. Henry Carmen and Berdine of Lake.

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Coldwater

Esther Skinner, Reporter

Lanny Warner, Steve Voss, Terry Sisco, Sandy Owens and Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Wood and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Olger Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Olger and children and Terry Sisco called on Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Conley and family of Mt. Pleasant Saturday afternoon. The Olgers called on her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garold Latham, Sunday evening.

Johnny Latham and four children spent Monday with their Aunt Geraldine Olger, while their mother went to Bay City to see her sister, Margaret Blodgett, who is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Allen and children of Blanchard called on Mr. and Mrs. Harold Skinner and boys Sunday.

Esther Skinner went to Bay City Friday with the Fifth Grade summer class students, to the eye doctor. Others in the party included Mrs. Hazel Battleshaw and Mrs. Lowery. Mr. Bywater drove the bus.

Terry Sisco and Steve Voss were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Olger and Dale and Joyce. Joyce is employed at the Social Welfare Office in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Garold Latham called on their daughter and family, the Dewey Olgers, Wednesday evening.

Brenda and Alice Skinner spent the week with their Grandmother Miller in Farwell, so their mother, Esther, could go to Bay City Friday with the school children.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton and family of Melvindale, near Detroit, called on their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Skinner, and family, Sunday. The Hamiltons spent the Fourth weekend with his sisters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Ellsworth (Carol), Mr. and Mrs. Rex Allen (Alphret-

ta) and his father, George Hamilton, of Blanchard.

Raymond and Dick Skinner spent Saturday, Sunday and Monday with their grandmother, Elana Miller, of Farwell. The Skinners were Monday dinner guests. Alice stayed with her grandmother for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vissers and family of Connersburg, near Grand Rapids, have been on their two weeks' vacation in Northern Michigan. They stopped in to visit Thelma Jones over the Fourth, on their way home.

Mrs. Kate Isenberg of Mt. Pleasant spent Saturday with Thelma Jones.

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Brinton News

Cora Estes, Reporter

Several families from here attended special services at the church on the Air Line Road Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Estes visited his sister, Mrs. Lonie Sniff, Monday. Wilma had been a patient in Lakeview Hospital the past two weeks.

Miss Connie Bowen was honored with a birthday party at the home of her parents Saturday.

Mrs. Ethel Wright and friend, Mrs. Kennedy, of Lake were Friday evening visitors at the Bessie Forbes home.

Mrs. Gordon Fosberg, Sr., of Reseda, Calif., visited her son and family here the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gute of Pontiac were Thursday and Friday visitors at the Levi Longton home.

Another card party in two weeks at the hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Geasler of Pontiac were weekend visitors at the Carl and Ellen Geasler home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Fosberg attended the funeral of his grandfather in New York State a week ago Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Geasler attended the funeral of Mrs. Gertrude Dague in DeWitt Thursday.

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Local Items

Douglas Shephard of Deerfield was a Friday supper guest of his aunt, Mrs. Vina Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Reed of St. Louis were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Smith.

Miss Nancy Adams spent the weekend at her home here, from her studies at the IBM School at Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Almeda Sprague was moved from the Ardis Rest Home at Farwell last Wednesday to the Pleasant Manor Home in Mt. Pleasant.

The G. C. Kriders and the Clare Oberlins of Lansing spent the weekend at their trailer homes on First Street.

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Coldwater Lake

Marjorie Schafer, Reporter

FLOAT AND BOAT PARADE WAS HELD SUNDAY

The Coldwater Lake annual Float and Boat Parade was held Sunday. It was scheduled for the Fourth of July, but was called off because of rain.

Cash prizes were given, first prize on floats going to Bernie Rau, second to Hubert Erb, and third to Scott Frear.

First prize on boats went to Herman Hemminger and Gerald Schafer, second to Don Atherton, and third to Orval Graham.

Everyone did a wonderful job. There were 15 boats and floats in the parade.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wischmeyer spent the Fourth weekend at their cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Galgoczi called on Mrs. Edward Schafer last Tuesday.

The Red Cross swimming lessons began Tuesday last week at the Coldwater Lake County Park.

Madonna Horan and Margie Block spent a few days at the Joe Marchiando home.

The Moose bowling team held their annual picnic at the Dick Tyler cottage.

Callers at the Edward Schafer home Friday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Randall Klumpp and children, Ron Mogg and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wischmeyer, all of Mt. Pleasant.

Rodney Klumpp of Mt. Pleasant spent Friday night with the Schafer boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schafer called on Mr. and Mrs. Steve Galgoczi Sunday morning, to watch the float and boat parade.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Egbert and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schafer called on Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fabiano at their cottage at School Section Lake Sunday evening.

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FRANK KREMSREITER

Frank Kreamsreiter of Beal City died July 6 at the Isabella County Medical Care Facility, at the age of 80.

He was a lifelong resident of the Beal City area, and had many friends.

He is survived by his wife, Mary; sons, Herman and Walter, both of Beal City; daughters, Mrs. Helena McCormick, and Mrs. Rita Duffy, both of Mt. Pleasant, and Mrs. Ida Fussman of Beal City; a brother, Joseph, of Beal City; and 21 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Saturday, July 9, from St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Beal City, at 10 a. m., with burial in the church cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were by the Crittenden Funeral Home of Remus.

Two Rivers

Florence Harvey, Blanche Carr Reporters

Mrs. Mildred Garner was a Thursday supper guest of Blanche Carr. Friday visitors were Mrs. Clarence Kamp and Mrs. Katie Trumble of Greenville. Mr. and Mrs. Steve Simmer and family, the Doyle Planks of Wheeler and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Strahle of St. Johns were Sunday visitors. Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Carr of Saginaw, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Carr of Shepherd, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Egbert were visitors July 4. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Carr and Blanche Carr called on Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lawrence of Horsehead Lake Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Saunders attended a conference for teachers at Walla Walla, Wash., the past two weeks. He started Sunday to attend a conference at Rochester, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Aungst and family visited friends from Tuesday till Friday in Leeburn, Ont., Canada. Mr. and Mrs. Clair Praay of Freeland were Saturday overnight guests of the Aungsts.

Jeffrey Kornexl of Pontiac is vacationing with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Martin. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gross of Westphalia were Sunday guests. The Martins attended the funeral of Mrs. Ed Wohlscheid at Mt. Pleasant Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Martin called at the Blanche Carr home Tuesday evening, and at the Peter Lorenz home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Stansell visited Mrs. Etta Bristol of Harrison Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Larson and family of Saginaw were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Larson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Courser were hosts to the Courser reunion at their home Sunday.

The Coursers made a business trip to Saginaw Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Leiter and baby of Port Huron and Mr. and Mrs. Allan Ward and children of Ovid were weekend guests of the Oliver Wards.

Rusty Alwood was a Sunday supper guest of the Fred Swans.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Seybert, Jr., and sons were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl V. Seybert.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Krueger of Lansing were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Singleton Moses and family. Rose Marie spent last week with her grandmother at the Arnold Krueger home in Mt. Pleasant. The Moses family spent the Fourth at Townline Lake.

Mrs. Lorena Moses was a Wednesday visitor of her sister, Mrs. Lydia Snider, of Weidman.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Krueger and sons visited the Jack Leiders of Wolverine Lake and the Wm. Kruegers in Lansing Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Moses of Mt. Pleasant were Sunday guests of Mrs. Nettie Baker.

Mrs. Charles Weber and children were recent visitors of the Singleton Moses family.

Recent callers of Nettie Baker were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Craven, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Moses, Tress Bunting, and Leona Courser.

Callers of the Charles Harvey family were Mr. and Mrs. John Harvey and girls of Chippewa Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sweet of Mt. Pleasant, Virgil Harvey of Mt. Pleasant, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stump and baby of Gowen.

The Walter Stump family and the Charles Harvey family motor-ed to Greenville to visit friends, and also a friend in Gowen, and visited Mrs. Harvey's brother in Six Lakes.

Mrs. Charles Harvey, who has been our mainstay for Two Rivers news while Blanche Carr was in Florida, was not feeling well this week, and asked that Blanche do the main part of the news-getting till she recovers. Hope you feel better soon, Florence!

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BROOMFIELD GRANGE TO HAVE ICE CREAM SOCIAL

The Broomfield Grange will serve at a home-made ice cream social at the Broomfield Grange Hall Sunday, July 17.

Serving will start at 1 o'clock p. m. The Grange Hall is located eight miles east of Remus on M-20.

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BETTER THAN A LETTER

WILMA BLODGETT BRIDE OF ROLLAND NASH

Wilma Blodgett, daughter of Stella King, became the bride of Rolland Nash, son of Irene Moody, July 1 at the Weidman Methodist Church, with Rev. Williams Reynders officiating.

Wilma wore a white suit and veil. Her flowers were pink and white carnations.

Attendants were Nancy Adams and Tom Flower. Nancy wore a pink suit with pink and white carnation corsage.

The newlyweds were honored at a reception at the Gilmore Township Hall. Many lovely and useful gifts were received by Ron and Wilma.

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NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Creed and children of Algonac spent the weekend with Mrs. Leah Scharrer. They are spending this week on vacation at Coldwater Lake.

Mark Flaughner, 10-months-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Flaughner, spent from Friday till Tuesday at the Joe Wilmot home. The Flaughners and Mr. and Mrs. Lyn Parker were on a vacation in the Northern part of the state.

Mrs. Dollie Bower, who spent 11 days with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sprague, left June 30 for Muskegon to visit relatives. She went on to California July 5, for a visit with her son, Robert, and family, before going to Texas to her home.

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2 for 49¢

Truworth
FRUIT COCKTAIL
2/39¢
1 lb., 1 oz. can



Miracle Whip
49¢
qt.

Vita Boy
POTATO CHIPS
59¢
14 oz.

Truworth Freestone
PEACHES
3 for \$1
Sliced 1 lb., 13 oz.

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