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Editor's Column

By Connie

THE SCHOOL ELECTION IS FOR MILLAGE PROPOSAL AND BOND ISSUE FOR NEW BUILDING

News releases from the interim board of the new consolidated school district comprising Barryton, Remus-Mecosta, Fouts and Weidman districts mention election of a permanent school board but make no announcement as to the big purposes of the elec-tion, which is to determine an operational-cost millage tax on local properties, and a bond issue proposal to build the multimillion-dollar new high school somewhere within the new district.

On another page of this week's Messenger you'll see a Registration Notice for a Special School Election, which tells you only the regulations concerning voters'

qualifications.

We urge you to check your status as a registered voter, with your township clerk, if you wish to vote on these vital questions. Many who might not bother to check registration status for just a school board election which might seem a remote detail in a huge area, might want to vote one way or the other on taxation proposals.

No matter which way you may intend to vote on millage and the bond issue, do check and make sure you're registered for this very important school elec-

tion Aug. 28.

THE MESSENGER SUBSCRIPTION
LIST KEEPS GROWING

We are surprised and grateful, nearly every week, to open let-ters in the mail and find new subscribers, especially in the Remus Route 1 area, the Barryton Route 1 area, and the Lake Routes 1 and 2 areas. We have picked up a sizeable number of volunteer, unsolicited \$5 sub-scriptions during the last few months. And they keep coming.

Our appreciation, folks. We lost one subscriber in the village of Weidman last week, but we pick up new ones all the time.

Many folks still like a real home-town weekly newspaper, in the old sense of the word. We print a great deal of personal items--and it seems a lot of folks are homesick for this oldfashioned way of recording the life and times of a community.

We'll keep 'er coming another year or so at least, folks. And when we're too old to get the paper out, we'll let you know ahead of time so no one will lose money on us.

Meantime, we peg along, and



BOB TVORIK EARNS FIRST LIEUTENANT RANK--At Vung Tau, in Viet Nam, Robert L. Tvorik (right in the Army photo above) was promoted to First Lieutenant this spring in appropriate ceremonies. Bob is 24, one of the sons of Mrs. Veronica Tvorik and the late Frank Tvorik. Presenting the insignia and his congratulations is Col. C.R.Church, Commander of the 53rd Gen-

eral Supply Group.

Lt. Tvorik, who is executive officer of the 528th Quartermaster Company, entered active duty in April, 1967. He received his commission through the Reserve Officers' Training Corps at Central Michigan University, where he received his B.S. degree in 1966. He is a member of Sigma Tau Gamma fraternity

Our congratulations, Bob!

CHIPPEWA HILLS SCHOOL DISTRICT MADE OFFICIAL

At a meeting of the interim school board of the newly consolidated districts of Barryton, Remus-Mecosta, Fouts and Weidman, held at the Barryton school July 3, board members approved a resolution naming the new district Chippewa Hills School District.

The interim board also set the regular monthly meeting for the second Tuesday of each month at 8 p.m. in the Barryton School.

According to a news dispatch received by the Messenger, the meeting was turned over to Earl Licker, Superintendent of the Mecosta-Osceola Intermediate School District, who reviewed the reorganization law under which the big consolidation took place.

Jake Vander Sys was named as secretary of the interim board for the Chippewa Hills District, with John Berryhill one of the trustees. Others named were from other districts.

Six new high school teachers were hired, along with one new elementary teacher and one Jun-

are very grateful to all you wonderful people who read us--and who pay probably the highest subscription rate of any smalltown weekly paper in America.

ior High teacher. The resignation of Mrs. Violet Little as an elementary teacher was accepted, bringing the total of new teachers hired to seven.

Contracts were approved for Ralph Turnbull, Superintendent of the former Weidman School, and Charles Pelham, to be promoted to jobs as Assistants to the Superintendent, Paul Jorgensen. Chester Clark was approved as Principal for the Weidman build-

The interim board also set a date for a special school election Monday, Aug. 28. According to news dispatches from the interim board, this election is for the purpose of election of permanent board members. Ralph Turnbull, at the Weidman building, said Monday the election will also include ballots for a millage proposal for operational expenses, and a bond issue for building a multi-million-dollar new high school within the consolidated district.

Nominating petitions are available only at the Barryton School, for this area. They may be obtained by any qualified elector in the new school district. They must be picked up in person, and must be filed at Barryton before 4 p.m. July 29.

OLD FRIEND STOPS BY Arthur Kent of Grand Rapids stopped by the Messenger office Saturday to pay his subscription, and we were glad to see him. He was up with Bert and Mabel Chaffee, to spend the weekend at their farm. Art was looking well, for what he's been through this last spring. He said he expects to go back to the hospital again before he's fully recovered. Good to see you, Art!

Uniform Men in

HIS FOLKS HEAR FROM RUSTY ALWOOD

Rusty Alwood writes regularly to his parents, the Don Alwoods, and says he is fine, and keeps busy driving truck.

It is very hot and dusty in Viet Nam, the temperature always around 100 degrees, and 126 degrees in the sun on some days.

Rusty says maybe he will be home in November, if they let the Marines come home after 12 months in the fighting zones, otherwise it will be December.

Rusty is waiting patiently to be discharged next March 10. He wants to thank all his relatives and friends for their faithful letters and packages, and especially the Weidman Messenger from Connie. It truly is a letter from home, as Connie advertises.

Rusty's address is the same: L/Cpl. R.V.Alwood, 2246083, C.A C. Lima Hq., Hq. Co., 7th Comm. Bn., FPO San Francisco, Calif. 96602.

Bill Marsh, son of Mrs. Florence Van Strien of rural Mt. Pleasant, is home on a 10-day furlough. Bill will return to camp and cook for the next eight months. His address:

Pvt. E-Z William S. Marsh, R.A. 16934950, Hq. Btry., U S.A.A.M.C., Ft. Sill, Okla. Bill and his friend, Dean Ba-

ker, left school last Feb. 6 to enlist for three years and finish high school in the service. *

Kenny Waters writes his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Waters, that he left for a five-day RGR Sunday in Hong Kong.

Kenny has been at Ta Nin, in Viet Nam, but when he returns he will be on special mission. His two-year service time will be up Oct. 5.

His address:

Sp/4 Kenneth Waters, US 55-828276, 587th Signal Co., APO San Francisco, Calif. 26353.

Pvt. Barry Thompson of Fort Knox, Ky., spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Thompson. He visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Thompson, and called on neighbors and friends. ***

Edward Kavanaugh, Jr., is spending a two weeks' furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kavanaugh. He is from a base in Texas.

Judy Schafer has gone to Fairbanks, Alaska, to be with her husband, Sp/4 Donald Schafer, who is stationed there. Their new address:

Sp/4 and Mrs. Donald Schafer,

Walker Creek News

Esther Stanley, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bazaire of North Brinton were Sunday supper guests of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Zill, and family. Eddie Schrock was a Sunday overnight guest of Larry Zill.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Louisell, Jr., and Patrick and Jill of Grand Haven were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dillenbeck. Miss Janet Dillenbeck visited friends in Detroit over the

weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schrock and grandchildren, Mary and Edward, visited Dale Schrock at the Ann Arbor hospital Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Schrock and girls visited him Sunday, reporting there will be a conference this week pertaining to tests and x-rays taken of his lungs. Hope the little guy will be better soon.

Roy Showers, Mrs. Mildred De Vary and Mrs. Kate Darnell of Barryton visited Mr. and Mrs. Otto

Skalitzky Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Skalitzky and Mrs. Otis Conley attended the Loo-mis reunion at the Weidman park Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Finney and sons, Scott Dean and Michael Todd, were Sunday dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Har-old Finney, of Barryton. Mrs. Finney attended a bridal shower for her friend, Miss Carol Keyes, at Big Rapids Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Voss are happy to report the birth of their first grandchild, a son born to their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Voss, of South Weidman. He has been named Stuart Charles, and tipped the scales at eight pounds, four ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Chaffee and her uncle, Arthur Kent, of Grand Rapids, visited Mr. and Mrs. Voss and sons Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Voss and baby son visited Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Oliver and children of Lansing visited Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bobroski over the

weekend. Lester Badder and friend and Floyd Rier of Belding were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Emmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmons and Mr. and Mrs. Bobroski and son, Eddie John, attended the Loomis reunion at Weidman Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Dosenberry and Mrs. Clyde Dosenberry visited Mr. and Mrs. Elton Warner at Onekama, and were glad to see the former's niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. James Ball, and three children, of Chicago, who were guests at the Warner home.

Clyde Dosenberry and son, Blaine, assisted his father in baling hay over the weekend, Blaine remaining to spend the week with his grandparents.

Mrs. Joan Lettick and granddaughter, Sherrie Mott, of Clare, and Clarence Koyl were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Ethel McLean.

Mrs. Nada McWilliams of Barryton visited Sunday evening with Mrs. McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Loomis and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Keith Loomis and daughters

Friday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Willard Denslow
and family of Freeland visited her father and brother, Arthur and Vance Loomis, over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Del Esterline and family of Mt. Pleasant are spending a few weeks at her father's home, prior to moving to Farwell.

Mrs. Clarence Ley of Conklin visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lou Gray, Saturday. Scott Portenga returned home with her. Mrs. Ley visited her daughter and husband, the Gary Portengas, also.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Gray and children of Mt. Pleasant spent Sunday at his parents' home.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Sherman and Mrs. Iva Weatherby of Cortland were Sunday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gray. They came to attend the funeral of Ralph Moore. We extend our sympathy to relatives and friends Also we extend our sympathy to relatives and friends of Ivan Hoffman.

Bernard Oliver of Cedar Springs and father, Manley Oliver, of Remus, were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Thompson and Ralph.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hines of Van Zandt's Corners and Mrs. Hazel Fellers of Lansing visited Ira Leiter and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Leiter and family Wednesday. Harvey Leiter and son, Keith, of Hannah Lake, visited at the Leiter home Sunday. Keith has just returned from active service in Viet Nam.

Tim Leiter entered Community Hospital in Mt. Pleasant Sunday night. He has infectious pleurisy. Hope he is better soon!

Susan Barkely, Darlene Pung and Ronald Stanley spent the latter part of the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stanley. Mr. and Mrs. Clair Letson and children were dinner guests Thursday.

Weekend guests were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moore and Mary Lou of St. Johns and their son, David, of Saginaw, Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Pung and Julie of St. Johns, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pung and family of Beal City, and Mrs. and Mrs. Donald Stanley and family of Weidman. The men helped get the hay all in.

The Stanley reunion was held at Lake Shamrock Park in Clare Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. Moore and children went for the dinner. Mr. and Mrs.

Donald Pung and family and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stanley and family visited in the afternoon. Susan, Sandra and Julie returned to St. Johns with Mr. and Mrs. Moore. Ronald Stanley was a Sunday overnight guest of his grandparents.

---0---REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS (Furnished this newspaper by the courtesy of Donald R. Sand-

brook, Register of Deeds.)
Ray L. Brown and wife to Arthur E. Everts, Jr., and wife, pt. nw se sec. 34, Deerfield. George W. Standish and wife to Richard R. Bell and wife, w 1/2 ne 1/4 sec. 28, Gilmore.

Walter J. Smith and wife to Harry J. Herman and wife, Lot 47, Lake of the Hills Sub. No. 1, Sherman.

Allen Lumber Company to Adelbert R. Bongard and wife, Lot 64, Lake of the Hills Sub. No. 1, Sherman.

Emerson Blodgett and wife to Harry F. Hoffman, pt. se sw sec. 31, Coldwater.

Corinne D. Freeman to Richard W. Morris and wife, e 1/2 nw; nw ne sec. 35, Gilmore.

Beth Jackson to Floyd Jackson and wife, pt. sw sw sec. 18, Nottawa.

Lynn D. Esch and wife to Clare Spayd and wife, pt. se se sec. 18, Deerfield.

Evalena Hibberd to Lee W. Kahler and wife, se nw sec. 30, Sherman.

Eula I. Brasington to Claude E. Fordyce and wife, sw sw sec.

14, Gilmore. Clifford K. Leiter and wife to John F. Haupt and wife, n 1/2 ne; se ne, sec. 8, Deerfield Orves R. Cook and wife to Lake Isabella Corporation, sw ne sec. 2, Broomfield.

Carl Esch and wife to Judson Esch and wife, pt. se se sec. 27, Deerfield.

Raymond L. Gross and wife to Robert Schafer and wife, pt. w 1/2 se sec. 20, Nottawa.

In the Editor's Mail

Dear Connie:

Do hope you are enjoying some nice weather. Was so sorry to read of the death of Bertha Gross. How time passes.

Hoped I would be able to be back there this summer some time, but it looks like I will have to forego that pleasure this year. Have been rather busy at my old job.

Seems the company I work for is about to enlarge its san. from a 70-bed to a 110 bed. This will begin by the first of the year.

Back to the weather. Our brief summer has changed its mind. Now it's winter, fall or spring, whatever they want to call it. Anyway, it's cold. Have had to have the furnace on every evening when I get home from work

It's that time again to renew my sunscription to the paper.

Yours, Dollie Bower, Sylmar, Calif.

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

FOR RENT--One-bedroom furnished cottage on south side of Coldwater Lake. Mrs. Edw. Schafer, 4993 W. Jordan Rd. June 15tf

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July 20tf

FOR RENT--Good house in Weidman. Will rent to two school teachers at \$75 per month, or one teacher at \$50 per month. All newly decorated and in fine shape. Some furniture. Must be seen to be appreciated. Get key from Mrs. Norman Abbott, north of Weidman. Mrs. Tollie Thompson, 911 Edison Avenue, Lansing, Mich. 48910.

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SORRY--No more black raspberries than those already promised We will try to fill orders now received, but can take no new orders. George Skinner, Weidman.

WEDDING STATIONERY

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the Churches

FOREST HILL
COMMUNITY CHURCH
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.
Mid-week Praise Service, Wed-

nesday, 7.30 p.m. Choir practice, Junior and Senior, Wednesday, 8.30 p.m.

Recreation, Thursday, 7 p.m Our Sunday School attendance was down last week, but a good spirit prevailed.

The young people are busy preparing for their revival which begins July 23 and lasts through the 30th. Rev. Mrs. Grace Carroll, the Chicago evangelist, will be the leader. Special singing each night.

The Missionary Ladies Society will meet with Sister Helen Smith Thursday afternoon at 1.30 Please come. We have something different planned for this meeting.

WEIDMAN BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Marvin Eldridge, Pastor Sunday School, 10 a.m. Church Service, 11 a.m. Evening Service, 7.30 p.m. Choir practice Thursday, 7 p.m.

Prayer Meeting Thursday, 7.30 p.m.

Jim Carr of Flint will be speaking this Sunday, while Pastor Eldridge is on vacation.

HOME PAPER FOR THE WEST HALF OF ISABELLA COUNTY

Coldwater

Esther Skinner, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Don Lofgren and children were Sunday dinner guests of Dawn Flaugher and children of Alma.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Skinner and Brenda enjoyed a cookout at Halls Lake Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Rex Allen and children of Blanchard. The womenfolks and children returned to the Allen home while the men went fishing. No luck, only a few small ones.

The Skinner children have been spending a few days with their Grandmother Miller in Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Branson and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Branson and children of Lansing, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vissers and children of Ada were callers of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Branson Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vissers and children are camping at the Jerry Jones place on Littlefield

Lake.

West Gilmore

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Lena Cole, Reporter
Adolph Stava and his fatherin-law of Detroit, and Mr. Stava's sister from California spent
the weekend at the Stava farm.
Mr. Stava has been quite ill,
and had surgery since his recent
visit to his farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ewing and Laura, Connie, Carol and Mavis spent Wednesday with Mrs. Ewing's parents, the Paul Coles. Mr. and Mrs. Ewing took their son, Rusty, and nephew, Chucky Mossell, home with them. The boys had spent several weeks with their grandparents, the Coles.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Douglas, with the help of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Douglas, of Beaverton, lowered their living room ceiling and tiled it over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Geasler and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Worth and family are on vacation in Northern Michigan.

Mrs. Joyce Kent Meyer had surgery on her mouth and was to have stitches removed Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kent and daughter and husband, the Chuck Abbotts, were dinner guests Sunday of their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Kent, of near Shepherd. The latter plan to move near Flint soon.

Mrs. Helen Wardwell and sister, Mrs. Wm. Sampson, of Mt. Pleasant were supper guests Sunday of their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cole, and Velma.

Chuck Abbott started work on Monday at the State Home and Training School.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Ruegsegger visited Mrs. Charlotte Hart Fri-

day. Sunday dinner guests were her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Shilling, and granddaughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ty Strong, and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Curtis.

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NorthWeidman Elvah Gott, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Abbott and family and Mr. and Mrs. Orval Branson and family went to Muskegon Deer Park Sunday afternoon.

Dinner guests at the Clayton Miller home Sunday were Lois Knollenburg and family and James Kennedy of Mt. Pleasant.

Bessie Allen of Farwell called at the John Gott home Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Gott called on Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gott and family of Farwell Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gott of Winn called Sunday.

Arline Loviska and girls of Flint are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Adams, this week. They all went to Horsehead Lake to see Bill Adams' cottage, in the

afternoon Sunday.

Callers at the Jack Burden home were Mr. and Mrs. Chel Latham and family of Beal City, Mr. and Mrs. Gail Burden and family of Morley, and Junior Burden and family of Morley. Harry Welch and family of Remus and Lavrine Burden, Jack's mother, of Grand Rapids, also visited there.

FARM BUREAU NEWS
Mary Beutler, Secretary
Everyone is busy putting the final touches on plans for the Family Picnic being held this year at
Coldwater Lake at the 4-H Camp
on Tuesday evening, July 25,

at 8 p.m. sharp.

A cake-walk and lots of fun and prizes are in store for young and old. Remembers, this is for all Farm Bureau members and their families. A prize will be given for the largest family attending.

Bring your own table service and a dish to pass. Coffee, soft drinks and ice cream will be furnished by the Farm Bureau Women.

Over 55,000 Farm Bureau Mutual Insurance Company's insureds will receive a dividend on their auto insurance in September.

---0---NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Sprague and Mr. and Mrs. Ron Sprague and family have been spending this week on a vacation trip through the Upper Peninsula.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Dent of Farwell and Mrs. Denise Bellinger and two daughters, Tonya and Michelle, of Marlette are also spend ing their vacation with the Spragues, at East Lake, UP.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Carrick were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hansen at their cottage near Harrison.

Central Gilmore

Lola Fordyce, Reporter

Judy Miller of Lansing spent the weekend at the Walter Faber home.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Rodenberg of Belleville and Lena Davison of Ann Arbor called at the Egbert Fordyce home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Graham of Lansing spent the weekend at his parents' home in Gilmore, and went to see his mother at the Ardis Rest Home.

Mr. and Mrs. La Mont McAlvey and family and a German exchange student, Heidi Kempmann, were Sunday guests of her parents, the Ed McAlveys.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart McArthur and son and Leon McArthur of Weidman were dinner guests of the Bernard Pitts family Wed-

nesday evening.

The Gilmore Pioneer Farm Bureau met at the home of Ernest Irwin last Monday evening. At 7 o'clock a pot-luck dinner was served, followed by a business meeting and visiting hour. There was a nice crowd.

Everyone was sorry to hear that Walter Wood was in the hospital, but glad to report that he is better and planned to be home in a few days.

Mrs. Mattie Wood had dinner with Flossie and Owen Jarman Sunday. In the afternoon she went to the hospital to see Walter.

Fred Gamble and friend from Lansing called on his sister, Mrs. Flossie Jarman, of Rosebush. Sunday afternoon.

bush, Sunday afternoon. Steve Faber was home over the weekend. He works in Grand Rapids.

Violet Love has been in the hospital for some time, but went home Saturday. She is some better, but has to have weights on her feet six hours a day.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pitts were Sunday dinner guests of the Egbert Fordyces. In the afternoon they went for a long drive.

Mrs. Mattie Wood has been laid off at the celery farm. The celery is all planted.

celery is all planted.
Claude Wendell of Flint spent
the weekend at his farm home
in Gilmore.

Doris Wood, daughter of Kendall Wood of Clare, is spending some time with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wood.

The Elmer Rhodes, Norman Grosses and Bill Stewarts spent last weekend in the Upper Peninsula.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pitts were Sunday dinner guests of their daughter, Mrs. Elaine Esterline, of Farwell.

Mrs. Elmer Rhode went to Livonia Sunday to see her niece, Sandra Bradfield. She entered the convent at the Felician Col-

lege.
Mr.and Mrs.Ed McAlvey were callers Sunday evening at the Egbert Fordyce home.

Rita Smith is spending this week with the Elmer Rhode family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Pitts of Plymouth, Wis., were home over the weekend. Sharon is working over there.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wood spent af few days last week at Bass Lake, visiting her brother and wife.

MOMANY FAMILIES ENJOYING VISIT AT MOTHER'S HOME

Among those calling on the Ross Momany, Jr., family and

the Harold Thorp family at the home of Mrs. Ruth Momany last week were Mrs. Ivan Allen and children, Mrs. Glee Krueger and Cathy, Aliance Cook, Mrs. Leon Schafer and children, Frank Thorp, Joetta and Keneal McConnell, Delwin Wood, Mrs. Doyle Esch of Remus, Mr. and Mrs. Don Swan of Mt. Pleasant, George McClain, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Swanson and son, of Beal City, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nelson of Lansing;

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jennings and children, of Mt. Pleasant, and Dawn Clark.

T/Sgt. and Mrs. Ross Momany and children are spending several days this week at the Doyle Esch cottage at Lake Mecosta.

Ruth's children and their families are here for a summer vacation. Ross' family is awaiting a port call to leave for Germany for three years. They will all go overseas with Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Scharer of Flushing spent from Wednesday noon till Friday with their sisterin-law, Mrs. Leah Scharrer.

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Dora Smith, Reporter

BEAL CITY STUDENTS ON EXCHANGE PROGRAM

Two Besl City High School students, Carlene Block and Beatrice Fox, are spending this summer abroad, on a Youth for Understanding program of student

exchange.

Carlene is spending two months in Finland, with a one-week

tour of Russia on the agenda.

Beatrice is in Mexico City, living with a Mexican family who speak excellent English, she has written her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fox. She is studying Spanish, mainly, with swimming and some lectures on the curriculum.

The girls expect to return home the last week in August.
Carlene is the daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. Herb Riley of Denver Road.

Both girls will be Seniors this fall, in the Beal City High School.

Several Beal City organizations made contributions to help make the girls' trips possible. They include the Beal City PTA, Beal City Knights of Columbus, St. Joseph Altar Society, and the Beal City School Student Council.

Purpose of the program is to de-velop international understanding through living experiences in other countries.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Smith of Fowler called on Louise Smith Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Rose Martin and Lucille Caffrey of New York spent Sun-day with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schafer.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Pung and his sister, Rose Martin, and Mrs. Lu-cille Caffrey of New York spent Saturday evening at the Walter Theisen home.

Mrs. Agnes South spent Friday with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Bleise. Mrs. Joe Travis and family spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter

Smith and family.
Mrs. Leo Gross and Mike Gross visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pohl

Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bleise and family visited his mother, Mrs. Wm. Bleise, Sunday evening. Gertrude and Coletta Gross and

Kate Schumacher spent Monday evening with Mrs. Bleise. Mrs. Anna Rasmussen of Ann Ar-

bor and daughter, Evelyn, visited her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Ahlers, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keiffer spent the weekend in Carson City. Mrs. Vada Block and Dora Smith visited Lena Laubenthal, Mrs. Pat

Horan, Miss Angie Clare, and Mrs. Julius Russell in Mt. Pleasant Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rau, Mrs. Rose Martin, Mrs. Lucille Caffrey, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Funnell and family and Mrs. Louise Smith and Anna and Dora enjoyed supper Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rau.

The Banns of Matrimony were announced for the first time for Ralph Tvorik, son of Mrs. Veronica Tvorik and the late Frank
Tvorik, and Mary La Porte, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eldrick La Porte. Also for Russell Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Martin,

and Ruth Wieferick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Wieferich. Mrs. Howard Johnson of Yale spent the weekend with Mrs. John Schafer.

Mrs. Rose Martin and Mrs. Lucille Caffrey of New York spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schafer.

The Senior Citizens annual picnic at the KC Hall last Thursday was well attended, 65 people enjoying a sumptuous pot-luck dinner and supper, and a very

enjoyable day.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pung entertained the Ruhm Bunch Friday evening. Mrs. Wm. Pung and Peter Schafer won first prizes. Wm. Pung and Mrs. Peter Schafer won low, and Mrs. Tony Schafer the pepper prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kavanaugh returned to Detroit Sunday after spending the weekend at the Ed Kavanaugh home.

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Nottawa

Helen Alwood, Reporter

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR JIM ALWOOD

Mitchell Memorial Park in Weidman was the scene of a combined birthday party and ball game July 10, to help Jim Al-wood celebrate his 12th birth-

day.

Twenty boys showed up to have a very exciting ball game, and to have birthday cake and ice cream and soft drinks with Jim.

Joyce and Mary Lou Smith assisted Mrs. Alwood with the refreshments. Mr. and Mrs. John Gott and Debbie Graham joined them later, with a large bag of popcorn for treats for the hungry ball players.

Jim received nice gifts from his classmates and friends.

The same group of boys gathered at the park last Wednesday afternoon for another ball game, and to meet Jim's cousin, Linda Smith, of Ypsilanti. They found out she can play baseball as well as being second champion of all the paras - shoe pitching. the parks in Ypsilanti in horse-

Mrs. Hermione Smith joined the Don Alwood family for a cookout under their lovely shade trees Sunday afternoon. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Gott, Becky and Debbie Graham. Jerry Abbott, Craig Battle and Linda and Carol Smith of Ypsilanti. Craig stayed over night Saturday, and attended Sunday School with the Alwoods, at the Baptist Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Tilmann and family visited at the Jim Law-ler home at Leaton Sunday eve-

Mary Ann Tilmann was among the many 4-H girls to attend camp the first part of this week at the 4-H Camp at Coldwater

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S.W. Sherman

Goldie Dutcher, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Dutcher and grandson, Douglas, called on Mr. and Mrs. Larry Dutcher of Mt. Pleasant Thursday afternoon and also on Mrs. Nora Secord of rural Mt. Pleasant. They spent the evening with the Ervin Dutchers.

Mr. and Mrs. George Merrihew visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Law rence at Horsehead Lake Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher and family were Wednesday supper guests of the Don Harshmans at Coldwater Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher and Mrs. Clayton Dutcher attended a birthday party for Mrs. Minnie Strauch, at the home of her daughter and family, the Stuart Gordons, of rural Coleman, Saturday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dutche

and Rex and Dawn of Midland spent Saturday over night with his folks, the Clayton Dutchers. Sunday callers were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Dutcher and Gena of Mt. Pleasant and Frank Secord.

Mrs. Lucile Merrihew entertained the Busy Bees Friday afternoon. Mrs. Ervin Dutcher and Mrs. Edna Merrihew attended from here, and enjoyed the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Leiter and family of Detroit spent from Thursday till Saturday evening visiting the Ervin Dutchers, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wernette and Cindy of Greenville were Sunday callers. The Don Harshman family also called.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Dutcher and family left Thursday morning for their home in Clarkston, after spending the week with the George Merrihews and the Ervin Dutchers. They were Wednesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Dutcher. They also vis-

ited the Ervin Dutchers, Jr.
Miss Linda Wernette spent a few
days visiting the Ervin Dutchers, ent a few Junior.

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Mrs. Sadie Hobart of Daytona Beach, Fla., and Mrs. Baltha Edwards of Traverse City were last Tuesday callers of Blanche



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lessic Rosencrantz, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thompson and Bill and Bob, and Doug Wilson went to Pontiac to the John Thompson home Tuesday. Bill stayed till Friday and then they brought him home. On the way home Tuesday they called on Mrs. Thompson's mother, near Lansing. Later in the week Mrs. Thompson and boys went to visit her mother and a cousin and family from California.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bahr and Patty of Copemish were Saturday evening callers of the Joe Martin family. Mrs. Cora Shippee and Jane of Mt. Pleasant were Sunday

guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cummins were Wednesday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Cummins, and also called on Mrs. Helen Smith.

Alva and Bill Cummins and Mrs. Alma White were fishing late Saturday afternoon and got fish enough for Bill's and Alma's fam-

ily for supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Erving Cummins and family were late Saturday callers of Mrs. Alva Cummins. They had been to the home of Mrs. Lillian Cummins in Farwell

and mowed her lawn. Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Oplinger returned home from Pennsylvania Tuesday. They had been in Philadelphia to see his brother, who is in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Del Johnson of Pontiac and Mr. and Mrs. Benn Johnson and children were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benn.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Denslow and family of Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. George Peacock of Davison were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Margaret Denslow.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson and family of Pontiac were Friday and Saturday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Tiani and two children were weekend guests of her parents, the Sterling Oplin-

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Cummins and Floyd Dutcher were Thursday evening callers at the Charlie Losey home. Mrs. Shari Losey and Miss Lanna Bowen of Mt. Pleasant were Friday evening callers.

Mrs. Charlie Losey attended a birthday party for her sister, Mrs. Minnie Strauch, Saturday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs.

Stuart Gordon. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Losey, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Losey and family and Jessie Rosencrantz enjoyed a picnic dinner at the Theron Merrihew home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Denslow were Sunday dinner guests of the Derry Dunn family, at their cottage on Coldwater Lake. In the evening the Denslows called on her sister, Mrs. Lois Krchmar, and daughter at Harrison.

Art Kent and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Chaffee, all of Grand Rapids,

were Saturday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Denslow.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Denslow and family spent Sunday in Lansing with Miss Linda Bangs.

Mrs. Eva Denslow went to Midland Saturday to visit her daughter's family, the Russell Swans. Sunday Mrs. Denslow, Mr. and Mrs. Swan, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Swan and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Loubert all went to St. Clair to visit the Orlan Denslows.

Mr. and Mrs. Del Johnson of Pontiac spent a few days with their

son, Benn, and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Oplinger spent
Sunday afternoon in Lansing at the John Carr home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Miller and George, and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Touchinski were Friday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Bowen of Mt. Pleasant and Mrs. Gale Merrihew and Miss Patti Griffor of Clio were Saturday geusts of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Miller. They were here to attended the funeral of their uncle, Ivan Huffman.

Miss Margie Rau is spending the week with her aunt and family, the Earl Oplingers. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Maeder were Satur-

day evening guests.
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Chaffee and Art Kent of Grand Rapids were Saturday afternoon callers at the Howard Wood home. Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bergquist, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Potter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pote and son, Robbie, and Mrs. Martha Pote. Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. Vance Wood and Mary Ellen and Gene and Danny Suman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bergquist returned from a week at Petersburg, Va., where they attended the graduation of Lieut. Dick Potter. His mother, Mrs. Mary Potter, also attended. The Lieut. Potters will have 15 days at Mt. Plea sant, then will go to their apartment at Arlington, Va., where he is stationed. Ralph and Dorothea Bergquist visited Williamsburg, Arlington Cemetery, Va., and also Washington, D.C., while on their trip.

Missionary Society will meet Thursday with Mrs. Helen Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gross and Mrs. Virginia Jackson and Bruce were Sunday evening callers at the Gerald Losey home.

It was a happy weekend at the Ellen Miller farm. Son Donald and wife, Barbara, came from Madison Heights, Mich., with her four grandchildren, Alan, Steven Andrew, Donna and Katherine. They spent Saturday through Monday.

The children visited Bundy Hill and got soaked in the rain, at the old log cabin, but loved every minute of it. They saw many animals they had never seen in the

Saturday evening the Ellen Miller family were guests at the

Frank Goodrich home. Sunday callers at the Miller farm were Mr. Lee and friend of Lansing, Jack Mitchell of

Weidman and Ned Mitchell of Detroit.

Sunday Dorothy Ann Miller of Sherman Road took her son, and nieces and nephews to visit Ellen Williams. Steven Miller joined his four cousins in a surprise visit to Walt's Bait Shop, and Mrs. Smith gave them a tour of the grounds. They also enjoyed themselves at the drive-in. ---0---

Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Charnes enjoyed the weekend with their trailer at Ludington. K. C. and Kim Donley joined them, and all enjoyed swimming and sightseeing. The park is located between Hamlin Lake and Lake Michigan, and was free of dead fish debris, which has been pestering Ludington and other shore line areas.

Local Items

Mesdames Sadie Bywater and Ida Spohn of Lansing, Mabel Bellows of Swartz Creek and Kate Johnson of Yale, Mich., spent the weekend with relatives here. Sadie stayed with Mrs. Ethel Bywater, while the other ladies visited at the Kit Johnson home. Kate Johnson spent Monday with the Ed Kavanaugh family of Nottawa. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Johnson and family of Mt. Pleasant spent Sunday afternoon with his mother and her guests. The ladies were Monday supper guests of the Fey Johnsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Johnson left Monday for Florida to attend the wedding of their son, who is in

military service.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kurtz and family of Grand Ledge spent Friday night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goodrich, on their way up north on a camping

REGISTRATION NOTICE

LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION--SCHOOL ELECTION

Notice of Last Day of Registration of the Qualified Electors of

CHIPPEWA HILLS SCHOOL DISTRICT Mecosta, Isabella and Osceola Counties, Michigan

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF SAID SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please take Notice that the Board of Education of Chippewa Hills School District, Mecosta, Isabella and Osceola Counties, Michigan, has called a special election to be held in said School District on MONDAY, AUGUST 28, 1967.

Section 532 of the School Code of 1955 provides as follows:

"The inspectors of election at any annual or special election shall not receive the vote of any person residing in a registered school district whose name is not registered as an elector in the city or township in which he resides"

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER WITH THE APPROPRIATE TOWNSHIP CLERKS, IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE SPECIAL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, AUGUST 28, 1967, IS FRIDAY, JULY 28, 1967. PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5:00 O'CLOCK, EASTERN DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME, ON THE SAID FRIDAY, JULY 28, 1967, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT SAID SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

Under the provisions of the School Code of 1955, registrations will not be taken by school officials and only persons who have registered as general electors with the township clerk of the township in which they reside are registered school electors. Persons planning to register with the respective township clerks must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerks' offices are open for registration.

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education of Chippewa Hills School District, Mecosta, Isabella and Osceola Counties, Michigan.

> JAKE VANDER SYS Secretary, Board of Education.

EVANGELIST



Rev. Mrs. Grace Carroll

Rev. Mrs. Grace Carroll of Oak Lawn, Ill., will be the evangelist at the Forest Hill Community Church July 23 through July 30. Services will be held nightly at 7.30 o'clock, with special music each night.

The revival program is being sponsored by the church Youth group, led by Lyn-Ann Warner, president.

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Local Items

Mrs. Emily Wood spent the weekend with Mrs. Bob Kirvan of Remus. Bob is in the hospital at Mt. Pleasant. His wife is staying with Mrs. Kirvan in Weidman this week.

Mrs. Nina Forbes and son, Altton Brien, called at the Gale Brien home in Shepherd Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wilson were Thursday callers of Mrs. Forbes, and were dinner guests. They had been in Traverse City, and reported the

Cherries not yet ripe.

Mrs.Flossie Davy returned home last week from CMC Hospital, feeling better.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Benedict (Toots Skinner) and two sons of Belsay, Mich., were Thursday callers of her grandfather, Geo. Skinner, and Connie. Mr. and Mrs. Warren DuPee of Grand Rap ids were Sunday visitors.

Mrs. Clara Green and Mr. and Mrs. Don Green and family of Wheeler were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Allen. Mr. and Mrs. Alton Allen, Jr., and family were evening luncheon guests.



By appointment after 6 p.m.

Real Estate **Transfers**

Mabel E. Decker To Ruth McGuire, Lot 1, Pt. Lot 2 Blk. 3 Millers Addition to Salt River Village of Shepherd.

Lumber Co. To Allen Michael S. McHugh & Wife, Lot 43, Lake of the Hills Sub. No. 1 Sherman Twp.

Estate of Gladys Lowther To Lloyd V. Connors et al, Lot 7, Blk. 10, C. Bennetts Add. City of Mt. Pleasant.

Enchanting Homes, Inc. To Charles J. Moskowitz & Wife, Pt. Lot 37, Lynnwood City of Mt. Pleasant.

Edward D. Ososki & Wife To James W. Mense & Wife, Lot 14, Stockman Acres Union Twp. Grace K, Murray To E. Vann. Grimmley & Wife, Lot 56, Pt. Lot 57 Pleasant View Add. City of Mt. Pleasant.

Elmer W. Kidder & Wife To James J. Fabatz & Wife, Lots 3,4 Supervisors Plat of Ashbrook Shores Gilmore Twp.

Paul Hunt & Wife To Char-les Pease & Wife, Pt. S¹/₂ SW 1/4 NW1/4 of Sec. 1 Chippewa Twp.

Vol Courtright & Wife To Robert E. Courtright & Wife, Lot 17, Kingbrook Farms Deerfield

Roger D. Cole & Wife To Shir-ley L. Kilcullen, Pt. Lot 2, Blk. 4 M. Browns Add. City of Mt. Pleasant.

Earl W. Smith et al To Arthur H. Cooper & Wife, E½
Pt. Lot 7 Blk. 3 Partridges Add. City of Mt. Pleasant.

Louis J. Simmer & Wife To Stephen A. Simmer & Wife, Pt. E¹/₂ NW¹/₄ of Sec. 21 Nottawa

Stephen A. Simmer & Wife To Louis J. Simmer & Wife, Pt. NE¹/₄ NE¹/₄ of Sec. 21 Not-

tawa Twp. Robert M. Hood & Wife To Byron Cross & Wife, Pt. Lots 11, Veits Sub. Union Twp.

Valentine Courtright & Wife To Jame McNamara & Louise Williams, Pt. S1/2 SE1/4 Sec. A. Williams, 17 Union Twp.

Frances Preimsberg To Paul L. Evett & Wife, Lot 1, Martins Add. City of Mt. Pleasant.

Mike A. Gibson Sr. & Wife To Donald J. Rise, Pt. Lots 1 & 2, Blk. 8, Fordyces Add. City of Mt. Pleasant.

Holmes Milling Co. To Mt. Pleasant Industrial Development Corp., Pt. NW1/4 SW1/4 Sec.

11 Union Twp.

James E. Cline & Wife To Mary M. Price et al, Lot 19, N1/2 lot 20, Southland Sub. Vil-

lage of Shepherd. Frank W. Dorr & Wife To Russell P. Seiler & Wife, Lots 19, 20, 21, 22, South Coldwater Beach Nottawa Twp.

Mutual Savings & Loan To Wells F. Cook & Wife, Lot 13, Lynn-wood Sub. City of Mt. Pleasant.

Mary M. Price To Robert W. Phipps & Wife, Lots 5 & 6, Blk. 11, Hopkins & Lyons Add. City of Mt. Pleasant.

Arthur Parlow To Robert E. Lyons, Pt. SE¹/₄ SE¹/₄ Sec. 7 Rolland Twp.

Lloyd J. Clark & Wife To Marvin W. Blackford & Wife, Lot 9, Blk. 2, Village of Shepherd.

Allen T. Weihl & Wife To Edwin D. Weihl & Wife, Pt. S1/2 SE1/4 Sec. 25 Wise Twp.

Earl G. Hartman & Wife To Michigan Consolidated Gas Co., Pt. Outlot A, Eastwood Sub. City of Mt. Pleasant.

Griffith Binning & Wife To Ro-

ger D. Cole & Wife, Lot 163, Pt. Lot 162, Pleasant View No. 2 City of Mt. Pleasant.

Burdette O'Connor & Wife To Boyd V. Axtell, E1/2 SE1/4 NW1/4 Sec. 27 Union Twp.

Wielenga Bros. Builders To Floyd R. Dain & Wife, Lot 5, Blk. 7, Smiths Add. City of Mt. Pleasant.

Denver C. Harless & Wife To Central Michigan University, Pt.

NE¹/₄ SE¹/₄ Sec. 22 Union Twp.
Robert M. Hood & Wife To
Ruth M. Brown, Pt. Lots 7,8
Blk. 5, Shepherd Village of Shepherd.

Charles W. Mott & Wife to Charles C. Woodruff & Wife, Lots 8 & 9, Wards Add. City of Mt. Pleasant.

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Coldwater Lake

Marjorie Schafer, Reporter

Rose Martin and Lucille Caffrey of Coxackie, N.Y., Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer and Will Pung called on Mrs. Ed Schafer and boys Tuesday afternoon.

Loretta Lorenz enjoyed hearing again this week from an old friend, Laura Hyslop, of Comstock Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jacobs of George Lake spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lorenz. Flo Haupt and Herman and Kate Martin also called Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. Stuart Frear and children of Fargo, N. Dak., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Scott Frear.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schafer and boys took Mr. and Mrs. Otto Klumpp of Shepherd to Bay City Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. John M. Schafer and family. The occasion was Johnny's third birthday. They enjoyed a lovely dinner, complete with birthday cake and ice cream. In the afternoon they enjoyed home movies and a nice visit. On the way home they stopped to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stowell and family on South Coleman Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harvey went with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John Harvey, and children, to Irons, Mich., to see his sister, Mrs. Mary Janes, and family, Sunday. Mrs. Charles Harvey returned

Mrs. Charles Harvey returned from CMC Hospital last Tuesday, feeling better.

Tom Harvey and family have moved back to Lansing Saturday and Sunday, from Chippewa Lake.

Brinton News

Cora Estes, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Chaffee and Arthur Kent of Grand Rapids were Sunday callers at the Bert Estes home.

There was a reception for Mr. and Mrs. Gary La Londie at the Rebekah Hall in Barryton Saturday evening. The couple are living in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Voss and baby were Sunday visitors at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Voss.

The Erl Carltons of Royal Oak were calling on friends here Saturday. They were camping near Harrison for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Kirvan of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Kirvan of Traverse City, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kirvan of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kirvan of Big Rapids, were weekend visitors of Mrs. Emily Wood.

N.Broomfield

Maycie Cook, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Orves Cook attended the Bergquist family reunion at Bay City Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cook and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cook. Mrs. Margaret Freeman of Adrian was a weekend guest.

Maycie Cook spent Friday evening with Blanche Carr.

Mrs. Glee Krueger and family and Herman and Aliance Cook were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Krueger and family, in honor of Dawn and Danean's birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lueder, Mrs. Richard Lueder and Mrs. Eda Van Zandt visited Richard at Ford Hospital in Detroit last Wednesday. Richard was expected to come home the first of this week.

The Lueder family reunion was held Sunday at the home of Mrs. Eda Van Zandt, with relatives present from Mt. Pleasant, Reed City and Holt, and other nearby communities.

Mrs. Vern Bergey was a Thursday afternoon caller of Mrs. Bob Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gifon of rural Mt. Pleasant were Sunday guests of the Bergeys.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cook and Mr. and Mrs. Orves Cook, Herman and Aliance Cook, Mrs. Glee Krueger and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cook attended the wedding of Kathy Cashen and Delbert Mead at the Mt. Pleasant Catholic Church Friday evening, and the reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Mead immediately following.

Mrs. Mary Cook of Remus was a Sunday guest of Mrs. Maycie Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stevens were Sunday evening guests of Mrs. E. Rhode and Harold.

Mrs. Rhode called on Mrs. Nettie Meissner and Myrtle Walch of Remus Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Edith Smiley called on Mrs. Nettie Crowley Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lueder called in the evening.

Miss Elsie Richardson and Geo. Dodge of Owosso were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cook.

Mrs. Hazel Sellers of Lansing spent last week with her cousin, Mrs. Robert Hines. Mrs. Minnie Strauch of Mt. Pleasant was a Thursday overnight guest. Bob's brother, Reuben, of Mt. Pleasant was a weekend guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter of Lansing and Mrs. Will Fritz of Mt. Pleasant called on their brother, Fred Winter, Thursday afternoon, and also visited Paul Lueder.

Mrs.Eda Van Zandt called on Mr.and Mrs.Bill Van Zandt of Hemlock Thursday evening.

BETTER THAN A LETTER

BROOMFIELD GRANGE NEWS

Grace Crowley, Reporter
Yes, we have had two very nice
Grange meetings since I wrote
last, as well as two card parties.
A committee was appointed to
look after new chairs which we
purchased, also new tables.

We were pleased to see so many at the last smorgasbord. Plans are under way for the next one, the second Saturday of August.

We hope to be entertaining four of our State Grange officers at one of our August meetings.

The Community Progress chairman has received the papers to make out our report, and she is really proud to report some new members.

Mr. and Mrs. Gil Overla, Mrs. Howard Blackmer and Mrs. Grace Crowley were in St. Louis Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Overla and Mrs. Eunice Blackmer were in Hudsonville to attend the Grange Conference. Mrs. Zada Ehl cared for the store in the absence of her mother.

Am happy to report our Worthy Master, Howard Blackmer, did not miss a Grange meeting because of his recent illness.

Mr.and Mrs.Doug Middlesworth and new baby, Wendy, of Lansing spent the weekend with Mr.and Mrs.Richard Donley and family. Mr.and Mrs. Richard Donley, Sr., and Mrs. Martha Ebelt of Big Rapids were Saturday visitors.

In the Editor's Mail

Dear Connie:

Please do not mention my name, but I just want you to know I get \$100 worth of blessings from your life's work, not just \$7.50. Please live long and continue on with our little home town paper.

Each one is ordained to do a special work. I could not do yours. I have many degrees, but your line of work is not included.

I was not born intelligent, but God had given me a niche, and I am happy. He gave me another chance, and with a good husband to help me, I have won the love and respect of this community. Everyone, old and young, calls us "Grandpa" and "Grandma."

I admire you and I just want you to know I think you are a great little gal, Honey.

A reader.

Dear Connie and George:

It's time to renew my subscription to your paper. I sure enjoy getting it, as I can read about people I know.

We are getting a nice rain, it will be good for my garden. Had wonderful weather all last week. Got our house painted. Sure glad that's done, now it's raining.

Sincerely, Mrs. Ann Snyder Marshfield, Wisc. BETTER THAN A LETTER

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