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Editor's Column

By Connie

NO COLUMN THIS WEEK

So we didn't write an Editor's Column this week; and we made not a single phone call for local news. On the latter point, we offer our apologies, and hope nobody's mad at us.

This issue of the Messenger is one of those that hits us about once a year: Too much material going into it for the space the Messenger has to offer. We don't come to this very often.

Our thanks to our faithful news writers, who kept their news at minimum, at our request; and our thanks to those people in Weidman who called us and gave us their news. We really appreciate that.

See yuh next week.

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BROOMFIELD GRANGE NEWS

Grace Crowley, Reporter
So happy the faithful editor of this paper could have a vacation. Our smorgasbord was well attended. Glad to see several politicians there, running for office. We at least can meet them.

Our next smorgasbord will be an Italian supper, something different, with a nice salad board, besides pie, cake and home-made ice cream. Sounds good, doesn't it?

At our regular Grange meeting Friday evening, we voted to send \$5 for CARE. That fills out all our requirements of the State Grange Home Economics committee.

Our picnic tables are set on the grounds, ready for tourists to use, and reports are that they are being used. Also, travel-trailers have parked all night on our grounds. You were welcome.

County Pomona Grange will not meet during July and August. The members are extra busy harvesting hay and cultivating.

Ye Scribe recently spent three weeks helping out a daughter in Grand Haven.

Our card parties are the first and third Saturday evenings of each month. Our regular Grange nights are the second and fourth Friday evenings, and we always have a lunch at both meetings.

Our smorgasbord last Saturday evening was well attended. We are planning a special menu for our next one.

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No Southwest Sherman news this week, as Goldie Dutcher has been spending a few days in Flint.



VIRGILENE AND FAY FORBES GET THEIR BEAR--Here's the 200-pound bear shot after the Forbes cows were stampeded and a baby colt chased by the animal. Mr. and Mrs. Forbes were allowed to keep the carcass for meat and hide after arguments with a Conservation Department officer.

Several sightings of bears have been reported, from the Hiawatha Hills area southeast of Weidman to the Brinton area, this year.

Farmers in the northwest areas of the county have suffered considerable losses of young stock the past few years, mainly from the red fox, it has been believed.

Bill Lowery was reported to have lost 17 new-born piglets last year, apparently to foxes.

Last year and this, Elwood Miller has suffered serious losses of new-born lambs, last year known to have been caused by foxes. This year Elwood lost 40 out of 160 lambs born to his flock.

Farmers say the red foxes have decimated the wild rabbit population in this area, and now it appears the foxes are going after domestic animals and fowls.

During the past week, Keith Scott reported seeing a bear with two cubs near the woods across the road from the Brinton Cemetery. Don Scott reported seeing one cub previously. Bear tracks have been reported on the Wilcox farm a mile south and east of the Beutler store corners.

Mrs. Gaylord Hart reported seeing a bear near her home five miles north of Weidman two weeks ago.

The bear is not a carnivorous animal. It lives rather on grubs, berries and such fare common to wooded areas. Bears' destructiveness is attributed rather to their mischievous nature than to willful killing for meat.

In the northwest Coldwater Township areas, however, they

are considered a real menace to farmers' animals, especially any newborn animals.

There has been a closed season on bears for about three years. Bounties on the red fox have been lifted.

While there is hesitation among game people to lay destruction of domestic animals to the bear, the Conservation officer gave the Forbeses some advice:

"If people would report wildlife, such as fox or bear, to me, perhaps we could get some means of control back on, such as bounties."

He urged anyone sighting bear or fox to write him, describing the animals' location. The address:

Theodore Fairbanks, District Game Biologist, Michigan Department of Conservation, Gladwin, Mich. 48624, phone 517-426-9471.

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SENIOR CITIZENS PLAN PICNIC THIS WEEK

The regular meeting and card party of the Senior Citizens will meet this Thursday afternoon for their annual picnic.

Lunch will be pot-luck. Bring a dish to pass.

At the last card party, Leona Schumacher and Ed Schumacher won high scores, with Bertha Schumacher and Louis Rau low. Gene Sheahan won pepper prize, Mamie Appelgreen the door prize.

Mrs. Louise Smith of Beal City was honored on her 86th birthday at this party, with birthday cake and ice cream served by relatives.

Men in Uniform

TERRY SCHAFER BACK IN ACTION IN VIETNAM

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schafer of Beal City have heard from their son, Terry, after his five-day R&R in Manila. Terry had intended to call his folks from Manila, but decided it would only make it harder for him to return to Vietnam after hearing his family's voices on the phone.

Terry has recovered from shrapnel wounds in his left arm and side, and is back on duty about 15 miles from Saigon, with a reconnaissance unit. He has about eight months yet to serve in Vietnam.

Here's his address (and he says he is getting very lonesome):

Sp/4 T. R. Schafer, US54971089, Hq. Co 1/2, APO San Francisco 96345. *****

Pfc. Jim Abbott is expected home about July 27 on a probable month's furlough. He is stationed at Fort Dix, N. J. *****

Two former Junior Grange members of the Broomfield Grange are in the Armed Forces. Harold Willoughby is in Vietnam, Sgt. Ralph Crowley is stationed at Fort Polk, La. Ralph is in an Airborne Division, Harold in Communications. *****

Here's the address of the McArthur boys, Gary and Douglas, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell McArthur. They are on a "brothers plan" and expect to remain together. Their address is identical, except for their serial numbers:

Pvt. Gary L. McArthur, RA-68021450, B-8-3, USATC ARMOR, Fort Knox, Ky. 40121.
Pvt. Douglas L. McArthur, RA-68021989, same address as above.

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Local Items

Jessie Rosencrantz was a Friday visitor of Ina Gillett. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rescoe were also callers. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Boerema of Wyoming, Mich., were Saturday guests. They took Mrs. Gillett for a long ride.

Mrs. Mildred Garner of Fort Myers, Fla., and son, Rex, of Vassar were Sunday evening luncheon guests of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. George Skinner. Mildred will be spending two weeks here, beginning next Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Erickson of Grant Center called on Mrs. Ethel Bywater Friday. They were next-door neighbors when Mrs. Bywater lived on a farm at Grant Center.

Walker Creek News

Esther Stanley, Reporter
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dosenberry and Blaine spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dosenberry, and participated in the wedding of her sister, Miss Carla Dague, and Darrell McCollum, Saturday evening at the Methodist Church in Barryton. Mrs. Harry Dosenberry also attended.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Denslow and Denise were Mr. and Mrs. Ronald De Vries and Rhonda of Big Rapids, Mrs. Willis Finney and sons, Mrs. Mabel Cummings and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schroeder and family of Big Rapids, Mrs. Verna Cornell of Barryton and Bud Smith of Weidman.

Mrs. Ethel McLean was a Thursday overnight and Friday guest of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Geasler, of Remus.

Mr. Arthur Atchinson visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Monroe during the week. He took them to Mt. Pleasant Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Jeffers and daughter, Friscilla, and little girl friend of Sheridan were Saturday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Emmons. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Anslar of Battle Creek were weekend guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Gray went to Mt. Pleasant and Midland Friday. They attended the 35th anniversary party for Mr. and Mrs. Ray Geasler at Brinton Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Gray and family of Mt. Pleasant were Sunday dinner guests of his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Denslow of Remus visited Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Thompson Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lena St. John accompanied Mrs. Cleo Conley to Flint Friday, returning home Sunday evening. She and her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Beutler, visited their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pratt, of Flint, at the latter's cottage at Rose Lake Sunday night.

Mrs. Charles Voss attended the first birthday party for her grandson, "Chuckie," at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Voss, of southwest Weidman. All Mrs. Voss' sisters also attended. We are glad to hear the little fellow is improving in health, and

enjoyed his birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schrock visited his mother, Mrs. Nella Schrock, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Smith, of Riverdale Friday night. They attended church services at Lake Sunday evening, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schrock of Littlefield Lake, later.

Eddie, Debbie, Susan, Dale and Linda Schrock spent Monday morning with their grandparents while their mother, Mrs. Rodney Schrock, took their sister, Mary, to Riverdale for a few days' vacation with her great-grandparents, the Sherman Smiths.

Weekend visitors and guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stanley were David Moore of Saginaw, Mrs. Ray Elliott of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Pung and girls of St. Johns, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stanley and sons of Weidman.

Keith Thompson and son, Roddy, have been baling hay and our boys helped put it in now, which was greatly appreciated. Donald Stanley and sons and Chuck Abbott helped during the week, also Leon Stanley and cousin, Rommie, of Barryton. The latter are exhibiting their choice cattle at the Mecosta County Fair at Big Rapids this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley and Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Pung and Sandra called on Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Irwin of Stevenson Lake Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Loomis of Sherman City visited Mr. and Mrs. Otto Skalitzky Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Skalitzky took Mrs. Lula Durkee to the home of her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Loomis, at Pretty Lake, Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Kate Darnell was a Sunday guest at her sister's home.

Hope to get the "rest" of you next week. Know that it is a real busy time for everyone, so would appreciate it if you'd call your news to me, ph. 3908.

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Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Thompson of Alpena visited their aunt, Mrs. Edna Schultz, Friday.

NorthWeidman

Elvah Gott, Reporter

Bessie Sexton and Mrs. Emory Wood spent Thursday through Saturday with Mrs. Wm. Caulkins of Rosebush and attended camp meeting at the Holiness Church in Mt. Pleasant. Bessie visited Flossie Davy Friday in CMC Hospital, and stayed with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sexton Saturday night. They brought her home Sunday and spent the day with her.

Julia and Christine Gott of Winn spent some time with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gott, last week, while their mother, Shirley, was in CMC Hospital. Carl Gott came for them Saturday night.

Mrs. Muriel Miller and her father, James Kennedy, of Mt. Pleasant and two cousins visited Muriel's sister, Mrs. George Kasel, of Alma Friday evening.

Mrs. Lois Knollenberg of Mt. Pleasant and Mrs. Carol Abbott called on Muriel Sunday afternoon and had coffee with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Waters called on Mr. and Mrs. John Gott Sunday and had soft drinks and anniversary cake with them.

Elias Hungerford and Mrs. Ivah Bissell of Shepherd had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Gott Tuesday evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Blodgett and family of Flint called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blodgett, last week. Carol Johnson and children called also.

Susie Faber spent Sunday with the Norman Abbott family. Norman has been on the sick list.

Mrs. Muriel Miller, Mrs. Jean Eldridge and Mrs. Elvah Gott were hostesses at a party Friday afternoon at Mitchell Memorial Park, for their Sunday School classes in the Baptist Church.

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BETTER THAN A LETTER

N. Broomfield

Maycie Cook, Reporter

Mrs. E. Rhode entertained the Lutheran Aid Wednesday evening. Our mission in Mexico was discussed. The hostess served ice cream on strawberry shortcake, which we all enjoyed. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Paul Lueder in August.

Terry and Nancy Lueder, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Melford Lueder, are spending a few days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lueder.

Stewart Cook was a Sunday dinner guest of Rodney and Philip Dent.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Cook of Mosherville called on the Herman Cooks Saturday afternoon. In the evening they all attended a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Krueger. Mr. and Mrs. Gale Krueger also attended.

Alan and Sandra Jean Cook, children of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cook, are spending the week at the Lutheran Church Camp at School Section Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cook enjoyed a trip to Niagara Falls over the weekend. Gary, Jackie and Susie stayed with the Richard Cook children.

Herman and Aliance Cook, Mrs. Glee Krueger and children spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fox at Canadian Lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cook were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Cleo Wiley of Pontiac. Sandra, who had spent the week there, came home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Flachs of Remus were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hines. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Louisell of Weidman were afternoon callers.

Mr. and Mrs. George Erhardt and baby of Newaygo and Mrs. Grace Crowley were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Nettie Crowley and Jay Leinaar.

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BETTER THAN A LETTER

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING
 A Special Joint Meeting of the Mecosta-Osceola and Isabella Intermediate School District Boards of Education will be held July 22, 1968, at 8:00 o'clock P.M. in the Court Room of the Mecosta County Court House, Big Rapids, Michigan, for the purpose of a Hearing and action on petitions for transfer of property as follows:

From the Chippewa Hills School District, Remus, Michigan, to the Beal City School, R. 1, Mt. Pleasant, Michigan.

N 1/2 of NE 1/4 and SW 1/4 of NE 1/4, Sec. 34, NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 and W 1/2 of SE 1/4, Sec. 33, Gilmore Twp., Isabella County, Michigan.

N 1/2 of SE 1/4 and SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 Sec. 6. NW 1/4 of NW 1/4, S 1/2 of NW 1/4 ex. comm. 27 rd. 13 ft. S of NW cor. th E 32 rd., th S 20 rd. th W 32 rd. th N 20 rd. to POB. NW 1/4 of SE 1/4, NE 1/4 of SW 1/4, and that part of S 1/2 of NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 lying N and E of Coldwater River, SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 and 1 acre more or less in NE cor. of SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 lying N and E of Coldwater R. Sec. 7. NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 and SW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 17. NE 1/4, NE 1/4 of NW 1/4, N 1/2 of SE 1/4, SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 ex. 8 A. in sq. form in SW Cor., and S 1/2 of SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 ex SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of SE 1/4, SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 ex S 20 rd. of SE 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 18. NE 1/4, E 1/2 of NW 1/4 ex W 130 ft. 120 ft. E and W and 333 ft. N and S beg. 913 ft. E of NW Cor., W 1/2 of NW 1/4, S 1/2 of SW 1/4, S 1/2 of N 1/2 of SW 1/4, S 1/2 of SE 1/4 Sec. 19, Nottawa Twp., Isabella County, Michigan.

E 1/2 of NE 1/4 and W 1/2 of SE 1/4, Sherman Twp., Isabella County, Michigan.

S 1/2 of NE 1/4, SE 1/4, SE 1/4 of NW 1/4, N 1/2 of SW 1/4, SE 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 5. NE 1/4, E 1/2 of NW 1/4, E 1/2 of SW 1/4,

W 1/2 of SE 1/4 ex. a par. of land in SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sec. 6. S 1/2 of NE 1/4 of NE 1/4, S 1/2 of NE 1/4, S 1/2 of SE 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sec. 7. E 1/2 of NE 1/4, NW 1/4 of NE 1/4, N 1/2 of SE 1/4, E 1/2 of NW 1/4, E 1/2 of SW 1/4 of NW 1/4, NW 1/4 of NW 1/4, N 20 rds. of W 40 rds. of SW 1/4 of NW 1/4, N 40 rds. of S 60 rds. of W 40 rds. of SW 1/4, Sec. 8. 7 rds. out of W 200 ft. N&S of NE 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sec. 16. S 1/2 of SE 1/4 ex. lots 1, 2, 3, NE 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 9. NW 1/4 of NW 1/4, S 1/2 of NW 1/4, Sec. 28, Deerfield Township, Isabella Co., Michigan.

Petitioners: John and Esther Haupt, Clayton and Carol Garrett, Myron and Winifred Johnston, Edward and June Garrett, Paul and Rose Marie Simmer, Earl Seybert, Chris Larson, Ernest, Charles, Elmer Garrett, Lena Martin, Oliver and Esther Ward, Donald and Agnes Riley, Emery Craven, David and Ila Millard, Shirley and Laurence Egbert, Vera Neubecker, Stanley and Rita Block, Margaret

Johnston, Paula and Sophie Schafer, Lawton Jesse, Ray Smith, Robert Bleise, Howard and Florence Schafer, Gertrude and William Stewart, John and Minnie Schafer, Nancy and James Faber, Herman Schafer, Ernest and Anna Gross, Bernard Gross, Bernard and Leona Riley, William and Blanche Schafer, Earl and Margaret Burman, Gerald Grewett, Marion Grewett, Bernard Rau, Edward and Carol Gross, Mildred and Glen McDonald, Raymond Gross, Enid and Thomas Schafer, Walter and Eileen Faber, Richard Schmidt, Ernest and Henrietta Schmidt, William and Virginia Schueller, Arthur Tilmann, Florence and Fred Straus, Allie and Thelma Schumacher, Beal City Board of Education.

This meeting is called by authority as granted in Act 269, P.A. of 1955 as amended.

Dated at Big Rapids, Michigan, 11th day of July, 1968.

Mecosta-Osceola Intermediate Board of Education
 Earl F. Lickert, Secretary.

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Beal City

Dora Smith, Reporter
ENTERTAIN THEIR CLUB
 Mr. and Mrs. Steve Simmer entertained their club last Tuesday evening, with a wonderful time reported by all.
 Jerry Schafer and Bethel Schafer won high scores, Bob Schafer and Joyce Schafer low, and Theresa Gross won the loners prize. *****
 Miss Linda Stevens and Robert Goulet of Bay City spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens, and family.
 Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schafer enjoyed Saturday supper with Mrs. Effie Schafer.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pung and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Schafer and family spent a few days last week at Vanderbilt.
 Callers of Louise Smith last week included Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Smith of Mt. Pleasant, Mrs. Arnold Simmer and son, Harry, of Reed City, and Miss Gertrude Grodski of Mt. Pleasant. Miss Grodski took Mrs. Smith and Ann to Crooked and Grey Lakes Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Milo Eldred and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Schafer spent Sunday evening at the Tony Schafer home.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ed Zeien and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Simmer spent a week in Canada.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blasen spent the weekend at Houghton Lake.
 Tillie Zuker is in CMC Hospital at Mt. Pleasant.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hooker of Two Rivers spent Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer.
 Mrs. Agnes Engler called at the Tony Schafer home Thursday.
 The Boy Scouts are spending this week at Bear Lake.
 Children who attended summer school at Beal City went in school buses Friday to Greenfield Village sightseeing. They also enjoyed plane rides at the Mt. Pleasant airport the past week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jack Theisen of Mt. Pleasant and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bleise are spending a week in New Brighton, Minn., with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bleise.
 Miss Debbie Rau spent a few days with her sister, Ginny, in Bay City.
 Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Dickson and family of Lansing spent Sunday with Mrs. Leo Gross.
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WEST Nottawa

Helen Alwood, Reporter
 Mr. and Mrs. Gary Wernette and four children left Saturday for a few days' vacation around Detroit, to see the sights and visit relatives. Mrs. Margaret Burman and Peggy are caring for the Wernettes small baby.
 Mrs. Helen Alwood and Cathy and Diana Wildman and Tarra visited Flossie Davy at CMC Hospital Sunday evening. Flossie had had pneumonia, but was feeling better and expecting to come home this week. It will be good to see her fishing around the Mill Pond again.
 Mrs. Nancy Faber entered CMC Hospital last Thursday with a serious throat and gland infection. Miss Eileen Riley is caring for the Faber children.
 Mrs. Francis Endres and Mrs. Christine Keller of Mt. Pleasant called at the Fred Smith home Wednesday afternoon.
 Sister Romana of Alma and Sister Urceline of Saginaw spent Friday till Monday at the Henry Grinzinger home. Sister Romana had been in St. Mary's Hospital in Saginaw and was feeling some better.
 Kathy, Jill and Jane Grinzinger of Mt. Pleasant spent a few days last week with their grandparents while Mr. and Mrs. Bob Grinzinger took Rosemary Pung for her checkup at the Mayo Clinic.
 Mr. and Mrs. Earl Miller of Lansing spent last week at their cabin in northwest of Weidman. While here they celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary at Tuma's Inn at Coldwater Lake. Butch Miller of Lansing called on Mr. and Mrs. Bill Alwood Sunday, and they all went water skiing.
 Mrs. Hermione Smith spent Sunday at the Don Alwood home. Mr. and Mrs. John Gott joined them for a wiener roast under the trees.
 Rusty Alwood returned home last Thursday from Veterans Hospital, feeling much better. He expects to return to work in a week or so.
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REBEKAH CARD PARTY

The regular Rebekah sponsored card party was held last Tuesday at the hall, with eight tables in play.
 Prizes were won by Tressie Bunting, Clara Fox, Nina Forbes, and the door prize was won by Edna Schultz. Lunch was served.
 The next party will be Tuesday, July 23.

Nottawa

Amelia Wieber, Reporter
 Frank Cook is painting the Ernest Gross house.
 Mrs. Louis Schafer of Ohio spent Sunday with the Joe Fussman family.
 Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gallagher of Coldwater Lake attended the Clare reunion Sunday afternoon at Island Park.
 Bill Faber is working for his uncle, Jim Faber, this summer.
 Sylvester Dole and Ernie Rhoads enjoyed a drive to Ithaca Wednesday afternoon.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fussman and family of Mt. Pleasant spent Sunday evening with their folks, the Joe Fussmans.
 Mrs. Ida Fussman was feeling better after surgery on her leg. She has to stay off her feet a lot.
 The Ed Faber family of Shepherd spent Sunday afternoon with their folks, the Joe Wawersiks. Susie and Mike stayed for a visit.
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Coldwater Lake

Marjorie Schafer, Reporter
 Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schafer called on Mr. and Mrs. Vic Wischmeyer in Shepherd Monday evening.
 Mr. and Mrs. Philip Mead and children called at the Schafer home one evening last week. The Meads are building a new home on West Baseline Road.
 Mrs. Otto Klumpp of Shepherd spent Wednesday and Thursday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edward Schafer. Mr. Klumpp was discharged from CMC Hospital Thursday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Donald Schafer of Grand Ledge spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schafer and family.
 Mr. and Mrs. John Schafer and sons of Bay City called Sunday at the Edward Schafer home. Mrs. Schafer and boys stayed when John returned to his job. Mrs. John and Mrs. Edward Schafer gave a pink and blue shower Monday evening for Mrs. Wayne Sherlock of Kalkaska.

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SALES




"I THINK MY TEETH MARKS ARE STILL ON THE STEERING WHEEL," Bill Wilcox told the Messenger reporter July 7, speaking of his participation in the Demolition Derby at Island Park which was part of the windup of the Mt. Pleasant Jaycees' Fourth of July celebration. Bill came out of the derby with a slightly cut upper lip, which he said he got when "the other driver really creamed me," as Bill put it.

Bill placed second in the second heat of the derby, and the judges said he put on the best show in the field. They called Bill out to take a bow before the grandstand.

Bill said there were many Weidman folks there, apparently, as when announcers were calling out drivers and said, "Bill Wilcox from Weedman," and "Bill Wilcox from Wideman," the grandstand shouted back, "Wademan! It's pronounced Wademan!"

Apparently a lot of people besides the drivers got a wallop out of the demolition show.

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Around Horr

Jessie Rosencrantz, Reporter

Mrs. Howard Jackson and Bruce and David were Sunday callers of the Gerald Loseys. Sandy Gross of Grand Haven and Lynette Jackson were Saturday overnight guests. Nancy and Patti Losey spent the weekend at Mesick with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gross and Charlene.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McDermott of Providence, R. I., were last Thursday supper guests of Mrs. Flora Wood. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kaufler of Milford, Conn., Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bergquist, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bergquist and Mr. and Mrs. Vance Wood were callers during the week. Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Griebe of Bay City and Mrs. Emily Wood.

Mrs. Lillian Cummins spent from Wednesday through Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Alva Cummins. Mr. and Mrs. Mack Denslow were Thursday evening callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Cummins

and Ervin Cummins and son were Sunday callers of the Tracy Whites.

Mr. and Mrs. George Peacock of Davison and Mrs. Floyd Miller were callers of Mrs. Margaret Denslow last week.

Mrs. Denslow and her niece, Miss Barbara Bugsbee, were Saturday overnight guests of the Keith Baker family in Grand Rapids. On their way home they called on Mrs. Lyon at the Lakeview hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Dutcher and sons of Seattle, Wash., and Floyd and Ray Dutcher were Friday callers at the Charlie Losey home. Mrs. Minnie Strauch was a Friday overnight guest. Ira Leiter and Charlie Johnson were Thursday evening callers.

The Charlie Loseys attended the Dutcher reunion at Island Park Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Mack Denslow called Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Carr and Robert Carr and fiancée were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benn. Mrs. Benn returned home from the hospital Saturday.

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Obituary

LEONARD J. SCHAFER

Leonard J. Schafer, formerly of Beal City, died at his home in Lansing June 28. He was 79.

He is survived by his wife, Elizabeth; two children, John of Holt and Mary Fagan of Lansing; one sister, Mrs. Pauline Boge, of Mt. Pleasant.

Funeral services were held June 31 at St. Mary's Cathedral in Lansing.



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Brinton News

Cora Estes, Reporter
MARRIED BY BERT ESTES
 On July 11, Lawrence Krueger of Lake and Vivian Esch of Tampa, Fla., were married in the home of Justice Bert Estes. The couple left directly with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Chase for a trip across the Straits. *****

ANNIVERSARY PARTY FOR THE RAY GEASLERS
 The children of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Geasler gave a party Friday evening, July 12, in honor of the couple's 35th wedding anniversary.

Those attending were the children, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Geasler and Jeffrey and Michelle of East Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Fosberg and Kurtis and Karl of rural Lake, and Emily Geasler of Grand Rapids;

Also Mr. and Mrs. Lou Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Lowery, Mrs. Chet Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Geasler, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Geasler, Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Graham, Mark Graham, and Ellen and Carl Geasler.

Ray is still doing business in the store he opened May 5, 1933. Joyce taught school the first few years of their marriage, and after the children were grown, resumed her teaching the past several years.

Their son, Mitch, is working on his Master's degree in animal husbandry at Michigan State. Marilyn (Mrs. Gordon Fosberg) lives north of Brinton and has taught school one year since re-

turning to Michigan from California. Emily is employed at the Veterans Facility in Grand Rapids. Their many friends offer Ray and Joyce hearty congratulations. *****

Mrs. Clarence Conley went to Flint Friday, returning Sunday. She will have her two granddaughters with her during the time their mother is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith of Weidman and Bert and Cora Estes were in the Leota area Saturday, searching for huckleberries. They found very poor picking, but enjoyed the trip, through new country to Bert and Cora.

There was a nice attendance at the club meeting with Frances Beck Thursday. The group will meet with Ellen Geasler in August.

Mrs. Lucille Molyneux of Walthalla spent Tuesday with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Latham and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Phelps of Gray Lake were in Traverse fruit country Friday, bringing home a lug of sweet cherries. ---0---

Herbert Lawrence of Horsehead Lake called at the Messenger office Monday evening. Herb had a freight bill of his grandparents' dated in 1887, which we hope to describe for you some of these weeks. Herb was in Grand Ledge and Pontiac last week, visiting his sisters and husbands, Elsie and George Bolinger and Ruby and Dewey Kirvan.

the Churches

WEIDMAN METHODIST
 James D. Linten, Pastor
 The Weidman Methodist Church announces a change in time of services:

Sunday School, 8.45 a.m.
 Worship service, 10 a.m.
 Thursday, July 18, 12 noon,

general WSCS picnic at the park. The WSCS is planning a giant bake sale, rummage sale and auction to be held in the church parking lot Aug. 10. Proceeds will be used for new carpeting for the church. Anyone wishing to donate salable items contact one of the following:
 Virginia Herman, 644-2050.
 Marion Beutler, 644-3557.
 Choice Foster, 644-2007.
 Nina Carrick, 644-2038. *****

BROOMFIELD ZION LUTHERAN
 Located six miles south of Weidman on Coldwater Road.
 Rev. Edwin Schmelzer, Pastor
 Sunday School, 9.15 a.m.
 Worship service, 10.30 a.m.
 Ladies' Aid meets on second Wednesday of each month. *****

BRINTON CHAPEL
 Rev. Norman Brines, Pastor
 This coming Sunday morning we will be glad to welcome home Tay and Donna Kersey and their family. They have been away for five years, as missionaries to the Philippines. Tay will be speaking in the Sunday morning service.

Also we invite any who would like to come to a hot-dog roast at the church Saturday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock. *****

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

Thursday evening, July 18, church visitation, 7 p.m.
 There was a good turnout at the fellowship meeting at the Howard Monroe home last Thursday evening. A barbecue was enjoyed. *****

GILMORE CHURCH OF CHRIST
 George Getchel, Pastor
 The Women's Fellowship group met at the home of Mrs. Joyce Crane of Littlefield Lake Tuesday evening, with 23 present.

The evening was climaxed with a devotional period presented by Mary Helen Pitts, using the Scripture, "Let your light so shine..." She gave a reading of a theme written by her daughter, Sharon, in high school, which was beautifully written.

Refreshments were served by the hostess and her co-hostess, Mrs. Lola Fordyce. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Florence Kobel Aug. 12. ---0---

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS
 (Published in this Newspaper by courtesy of Donald R. Sandbrook, Register of Deeds.)

Ojibwa Development Corp. to Robert C. Harold and wife, Lot 198, Ojibwa Recreation Area No. 2, Sherman.

Harry C. Rupp and wife to Richard M. Kruger and wife, pt. w 1/2 sw sec. 29, Nottawa.

George M. Secord et al to Raymond M. Doerr and wife, pt. nw nw sec. 21, Deerfield.

Ellis Ray and wife to Wesley Roy Mitchell and wife, w 1/2 se sec. 20, Broomfield.

Robert N. MacDonald and wife to Mary G. Fitzgerald, pt. ne nw sec. 12, Deerfield.

Raymond C. Husted and wife to Arthur Kenyon and wife, sw nw sec. 14, Coldwater.

Ojibwa Development Corp to Kenneth J. Heuvelman and wife, Lot 175, Ojibwa Recreation Area No. 2, Sherman.

Joseph McBride and wife to David M. Burgess, Jr., and wife, pt. w 1/2 sw sec. 23, Deerfield.

Walter J. Smith and wife to George W. Golden and wife, Lot 29, Lake of the Hills Sub. No. 1, Sherman.

Alex Odell and wife to Scott E. Frear and wife et al, Lot 21, Hyslop's Coldwater Lake Add. No. 2, Nottawa.

Glenn J. Brown and wife to Donald B. Brown and wife, pt. gov. lot 5, sec. 30, Nottawa.

Alton A. Allen and wife to Elmer D. Abendroth and wife, pt. nw se sec. 13, Sherman.

Charlie C. Cernek et al to Wayne R. Hayes and wife, Lot 33, Hiawatha Hills, Deerfield.

Viola L. Curtis to Hattie G. Chrisler, Lot 5, Blk. 20, Village of Weidman.

Ojibwa Development Co. to Cecil R. McKay and wife, Lot 113, Ojibwa Recreation Area No. 1, Sherman.

George R. Wheeler and wife to Victor C. Delater et al, pt. nw se sec 25, Deerfield.

Ojibwa Development Corp. to Manuel Micalief, Lot 91, Ojibwa Recreation Area No. 1, Sherman.

Roland Dale Dent and wife to Gerald A. Dent and wife, pt. w 1/2 sw sec. 18, Sherman.

Central Enterprises, Inc. to Wayne T. House, Pt. Govt. Lot 2, sec. 20, Gilmore.

Ruth Irene Pitts to Douglas A. Goodwin and wife, pt sw sw sec. 23, Gilmore.

Constance Roe Skinner to J. Merton Lone and wife, Lot 70, Lake of the Hills Sub. No. 1, Sherman.

Bernard A. Bishop and wife to Alice Kellicut et al, Lot 58, 97, 98, Coldwater Lake Shores, Nottawa.

Norbert M. Matthews and wife to Ronald J. Schafer and wife, pt. nw nw sec. 14, Nottawa.

Vanness C. Cook and wife to Oren R. Hartnell and wife, ne nw sec. 24, Gilmore.

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 LB.





Linda Marie Hawkins

AUGUST WEDDING--Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hawkins of Barryton announce the engagement of their daughter, Linda Marie, to Sp/4 Donald Abbott of the United States Army.

Don is now serving in Vietnam on a return trip as a volunteer after doing his year's stint there. He was last month in Kam Ranh Bay, driving trucks. He expects to arrive home about Aug. 7.

Don is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Orval Abbott of Weidman. An Aug. 30 wedding is being planned. ---0---

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

The engagement of Carol Ann Clark to Richard Embrey has been announced.

Miss Clark is the daughter of Mrs. Mary Clark and the late Charles A. Clark, of Mt. Pleasant. Richard is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Embrey of Weidman. ---0---

In the Editor's Mail

Dear Sir:

Would you please put our name on your subscription list. Enclosed is a \$5.00 check. Enjoy your patriotic little paper.

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Connie:

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Mr. and Mrs. Dale Kile (Lorena Moses) of Owosso spent a few days in their trailer home here and attended the Cherry Festival at Traverse City.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Plank and family of Wheeler were Friday evening visitors at the Blanche Carr home. Blanche was a Wednesday overnight guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Carr in Shepherd.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Neil of Toledo, O., and Beulah Roberts of Jackson were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Courser.

The C. M. B. Club met with Mrs. Ella Cox Thursday, with a good attendance.

Kathy Emery of Dearborn and Tommy Harris of Akron, O., are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Larson.

Bill Goodman of Westphalia and John Faber and Mr. and Mrs. John Rettinger and granddaughter of Mecosta were Tuesday guests of the Herman Martins. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Martin, Jr., of Lakeview and Mr. and Mrs. John Schupbach and daughters of Mt. Pleasant were Sunday guests.

Saturday guests at the Charles Harveys' were John Stump of Greenville and Mr. and Mrs. John Harvey and family. Sunday visitors were Mary James of Irons and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Bedwell of Ludington.

Jeffrey Krueger of Mt. Pleasant was a Sunday overnight guest of Bobby Krueger.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Flaughter spent the weekend at their cottage on Lake Huron. Their Sunday evening visitors were the Ronald Flaughers and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Flaughter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Roe of Detroit were Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Martin. The Roes are nephew and niece of the Martins. ---0---

West Gilmore

Lena Cole, Reporter

Velma Cole returned home Saturday, after a week spent in South Bend, Ind., with the Joe Mossells and John Balints. Mr. and Mrs. Balint spent the weekend with the Coles.

Mrs. Helen Wardwell and sister, Mrs. Hilda Sampson, and Pattie spent Monday evening with their sister, Mrs. Paul Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Claris Allen are at their trailer house for a few days.

Mrs. Charlotte Hart and sister, Mrs. Violet Lowery, were supper guests Thursday of their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Boger.

Mr. and Mrs. Claris Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cole spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kripa.

Mr. and Mrs. Cole spent Thursday at Leota, on the Muskegon River, trying out their new boat, motor and trailer.

Penny, our old faithful dog for

14 years, passed away Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Mahon, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ganser and Mr. and Mrs. John Balint are spending a week at Houghton Lake. ---0---

BROOMFIELD GRANGE NEWS

Grace Crowley, Reporter
A bee was held recently by men of the Grange. Mrs. Annabelle Martin served the dinner. Last time they had a bee, Mrs. Eunice Blackmer served dinner.

Men cut and hauled logs off the Howard Blackmer place and also off that of his son, Harold, on his lot at Townline Lake. The wood was given to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Martin. The men were tired but happy, as both lots are cleared.

The Grange ladies, helped by three from the community, served the food sent in by neighbors and friends to 38 relatives and friends after funeral services for the late Mrs. Lillian Baughn. Our sympathy goes to the family. ---0---

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ISABELLA COUNTY FAIR TO RUN AUG. 20-24

Final plans for the Isabella Co. Youth and Farm Fair have been completed, the date set for Aug. 20 through Aug. 24.

President Orville Klumpp announces the two big attractions this year will be the famous Dan Fleenor Hurricane Hell Drivers and the Lynn Anderson program.

The Miss Isabella County Queen pageant starts the Fair's activities. Entry blanks may be obtained from the County Extension office or from Mrs. Lola Krueger at the Times News office in Mt. Pleasant. ---0---

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