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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson

and Jane and Kathleen of Mt. Pleasant, and Lisa and Pat By-

water of Midland spent Sunday

afternoon with Mrs. Kit Johnson

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Editor's Column

By Connie

HELPER-OUTERS IN TIME OF NEED

Weidman business people will bust a tug to help others in time

We found that out (once more) last Friday evening, just before 6 o'clock, when Colin Campbell, former owner-editor of the Barry-ton Press, called Ye Ed and said his car had quit right in front of the Allen Lumber Company office.

His wife, recently out of the hospital after a heart attack, was with him.

Colin asked us if we would look up the number of the Marshall repair garage and call and see if someone would come and try to get the Campbell car started on its way home to Barryton.

We called Alan Marshall, who said Sure, he'd go and see what could be done.

After about an hour, when Ye Ed got her Friday afternoon chores done, we got in our own car and went down to the Marshall garage, and sure enough, Alan Marshall had had the car towed to his garage and he and Larry Maxon were working on it.

It was a totally dead car, before they started in on it, and both men worked right through their supper hour, until nearly 8 o'clock, but they got the Camp bell car running smooth as clockwork, and just before eight, Colin and Ina were on their way to Barryton.

Both the Campbells are in poor

health, but Colin still runs his small printshop over there, doing "jobwork" wherever he can find it. We wish him luck.

And, as old, old friends of the Campbells, we thank Alan Mar-shall and Larry Maxon for getting their car on the road again. This was purely a neighborly gesture, as Marshall's garage was scheduled to close at 6 p.m.

We think that's a good deed worthy of mention.

NO NEWSPAPER PRINTS ANONYMOUS LETTERS

Ye Ed received an anonymous letter last week, signed "Confused," but with no name or address on the letter or envelope.

Sorry, Confused, but it will be a cold old day when any editor prints an anonymous letter. We (Continued on Next Page)



MRS. LOUISE SMITH DOES BEAUTIFUL QUILTING WORK--At age 87 1/2, Mrs. Louise Smith of Beal City works quite steadily at her quilting frames, and she does beautiful work on gorgeous hand-pieced quilts. She has always been active and creative, and has made many things for her house and lawn. Messenger photo

The quilt she is shown working on she pieced together, from the start. Some quilts are brought to her just for quilting, but she also makes many of her own.

She and her daughter, Mrs. Wal ter Rau, are giving this quilt to the church for its big festival celebration next summer.

Mrs. Smith will be 88 next July, but she is spry and hardworking.

In other years she has made sev eral pieces of furniture for her home, very nice pieces, too. She also did the masonry work on a Virgin shrine in a back cor ner of her lawn. She made the stone flower pots and boxes around her porch.

She is the widow of E. N. Smith, and in the old days "we lived upstairs over the store," Louise says simply. Then, in 1949 they built the large cobblestone house which is now the family home. The Smiths had eight children, four boys and four girls.

Louise Smith has made about 300 quilts, she estimates, at a rate of about 18 or 19 a year.

We hope she has many more active years for her creative efforts. ---0--COMMUNITY BASKETBALL

LEAGUE STANDINGS Weidman: Men 1-3, Women 2-1, Boys 4-0. Girls 0-3. Bar-

ryton: Men 3-0, Girls 2-0, Boys (B) 1-2, Boys (C) 0-4.
Mecosta: Men 2-2, Boys 3-3.
Remus: Men (1) 1-1, Men (2) 1-2, Women 1-2, Boys 2-1, Girls 2-0.

Men in Uniform

DAVID GARRETT PLAYS ON NAVY ALL-STARS IN BASKETBALL GAME

David Garrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Garrett, was chosen to play on the Navy's All-Star basketball team sent to Kodiak, Alaska, Feb. 7. The Navy team made first place. Then they went back to California, where they won one game.

David went back to his station

at Adak, Alaska, Feb. 23.

He graduated from Weidman High School, and his wife is the former Nancy Powell, grand-daughter of Mrs. Catherine Johnson. She is presently staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Powell.

David's address: C.T.S.N. David Garrett, B-556798, U.S. Nav. Comm. Sta., Box 10, Dorm L, FPO Seattle,

Kenneth Bowen arrived home Friday to spend a 10-day leave from his Army duties. He is stationed in Georgia.

HOME PAPER FOR THE WEST HALF OF ISABELLA COUNTY



RON SCHAFER GETS A BIG ONE--A 33 1/2-inch pike, weight 7 1/2 pounds, Sunday morning. He hauled in a 29-incher weighing five pounds, Saturday. Ron is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schafer of Beal City. Terry Schafer also got a big one recently. Fishing was on tip-ups, with minnows for bait. As usual at this time of year, fishing will pick up until the ice breakup, both for pike and bluegills, on area lakes.

Editor's Column

By Connie (Continued from Page 1)

sure would like to print this one, as it's what we've been fishing for, and waiting for.

If the writer, who had the courage to critize Ye Ed but not the courage to sign his name, will just send us a note, saying, "I wrote that letter," and identify the letter, we'll be happy to print it.

The letter would be printed as "Signed, Confused," without the writer's name; but the newspaper must know who sent it or it won't see the light of day.

This is not just the policy of the Weidman Messenger. It is the policy of every newspaper everywhere.

And so, as the letter-writer ended with a grand flourish, touche'!

Around Horr Jessie Rosencrantz, Reporter

Blanche Carr spent last Thursday afternoon with Jessie Rosencrantz.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Losey returned home from Florida Saturday, after a three weeks' vacation at Ruskin. They report a wonderful time, visiting other Weidmanites and enjoying Florida.

The Gerald Loseys and the Harold Loseys, and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Lorenz and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Chapman were Sunday dinner guests of the Charlie Loseys. The four couples all went to visit the Theron Merrihews. They enjoyed snowmobiling

Mr. and Mrs. Garth Lawrence and Pam spent Saturday with his mother, Mrs. Nettie Lawrence.

The Joe Martin family took Mr. and Mrs. Charles Garner and Walter Davis and Mrs. Diane Martin to Beal City for supper Friday evening. Their Sunday guests were the Lloyd Carroll family, Mrs. Lena Martin and Brenda, and Mr. and Mrs. Ron Miller, and Shirley Jones of

Pontiac.
Mrs. Flora Wood called on Mr.
and Mrs. Chum Williams and
Mrs. Carrie Wood of near Barryton Friday afternoon. Sunday
she was a dinner guest at the
home of her son, Bunk Wood,
and family. Other dinner guests
were Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Appelgreen of Weidman, Mr. and Mrs.
Dan Suman and Lisa and Steve,
and Mr. and Mrs. Alan Wood
and Peter.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie McDonald and family were Sunday afternoon callers of the Earl Oplingers. Mr. and Mrs. John Carr of Lansing were Friday overnight guests of the Oplingers.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Oplinger and Kenny attended the Dan Nagy and Phyllis Salchert wedding at

Mt. Pleasant Saturday evening. Callers of Mrs. Margaret Denslow last week were Mrs. Florence Huffman, Mrs. Pearl Loomis, Mrs. Cleda Navarre, Mrs. Mabel Sides, Mrs. Flora Wood, and Mrs. Eva Denslow. Weekend guests were Mr. and Mrs. Keith Baker and family and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Denslow and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dent went to Grand Rapids to visit Cloyce Miller, who is in the hospital, injured in a snowmobile accident. He will be in a cast for nine months.

Mr. and Mrs. Dent called on her mother, Mrs. Emily Wood, in Weidman, Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Roberts and family were Friday evening guests of her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Coffell and family were Saturday afternoon callers of the Dents. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Dent were also afternoon and supper guests.

The Young Homemakers Study Club met at the home of Mrs. Pat Albar in Mt. Pleasant. They served an Hawaiian supper. Mrs. Geraline Johnson was one of the co-hostesses.

Blanche Carr was a Friday dinner guest of Mrs. Eva Denslow.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Denslow and Steven, Elaine and Harold, were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Denslow. Mrs. Wilma Swan was an afternoon caller.

Mr. and Mrs. Benn Johnson and children were Sunday dinner guests at the Ralph McCreight home.

Jim Thompson and Bob and Bill attended a Father and Son Banquet at the Remus church Thursday evening. Tim Workman was a Wednesday overnight guest at the Thompson home.

Mrs. Ethel McLean is spending this week at the home of her son, Floyd Miller.

Local Items

Clarence Geitman is doing some paneling around the Messenger place. Next week we hope to have brand-new walls and ceiling on the office.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bywater of Comstock Park visited at the Tracy Bywater home Friday. Garnet and Nancy Bywater spent the afternoon with Mrs. Ethel Bywater.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Allen celebrated their 44th wedding anniversary Friday, with dinner at The Embers in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beutler.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams and family and Mrs. Ronnie Sprague and two daughters called on Mr. and Mrs. Leon Snyder of Ithaca Sunday afternoon.

Ina Gillett has a poinsettia beginning to bloom, after a year's

rest.
BETTER THAN A LETTER

the Churches

WEIDMAN UNITED METHODIST Rev. Lawrence Smith, Pastor Church School, 10 a.m. Worship, 11 a.m. M.Y.F., Sunday, 6 p.m.

Wednesday evening the Methodist Men met at 6, 30 for their usual monthly meeting, at the church. A pot-luck dinner was enjoyed.

Note change: Choir rehearsal Thursday evening at 7 p.m. instead of 7.30.

Council on Ministries, followed by meeting at 8 p.m. Kenneth Saunders, chairman.

Monday evening, March 2, at 7.30, meeting of Administrative Board.

Thursday, March 5, 2.30 p.m. the WSCS will meet at the church for regular meeting. Hostess, Ruth Smith. All members are urged to attend. Anyone who would like to join our group please come.

Jessie Rosencrantz was a Saturday caller of Ina Gillett.

WEIDMAN BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Marvin Eldridge, Pastor (1 Mile West of Weidman) Sunday School, 10 a.m. Morning Service, 11 a.m. Choir practice (Sunday), 6.45

Evening Service, 7.30 p.m. Prayer Meeting (Wednesday), 7.30 p.m.

Saturday the young people enjoyed a good time of recreation at the new Association Camp near Gladwin, then were served a satisfying lunch at the beautiful Skeels Baptist Church. To finish the program, a Christian film was shown.

EASTERN STARS ENJOY WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY DINNER AT HALL HERE

The Eastern Stars and their friends enjoyed dinner together Sunday, at the Masonic Hall here. About 40 Stars and their husbands, and their friends, enjoyed the Washington's Birthday event.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Milton of Mason called Monday afternoon on Mr. and Mrs. Ed Olger.

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West Gilmore Lena Cole, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Boger called on Mrs. Charlotte Hart Thursday. Mrs. Clarence Shaner and Mrs. Allen Shaner were Friday

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Geasler and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Geasler attended a party at Gladwin Friday evening, at the home of Miss Lois Cornell. The menfolks visited George Cornell for the evening.

Legal Notice

ISABELLA COUNTY PROBATE COURT

ESTATE OF GRACE V. FLOW-ER a/k/a/ GRACE V. SMITH, Deceased.

THE COURT ORDERS: Petition of David A. Flower, praying his Final Account be allowed and residue of said Estate assigned to persons entitled thereto will be heard April 1, 1970, at 9.30 A. M. at Probate Court. Publication in Weidman Messen-

ger. Court Rule Notice. Dated February 9th, 1970 BURKE McCLINTIC Judge of Probate

Attorney: Stephen W. Fox 102 Hersee Bldg. Mt. Pleasant, Michigan Feb. 12t3

Notice is hereby given to all persons liable to assessment for taxes in the Township of Nottawa County of Isabella, State of Michigan:

That the first meeting of the Nottawa Township Board of Re-view will be held Tuesday, Mar. 1, at the Nottawa Township Hall. The Board of Review also will meet Monday, March 9, 1970, at the Nottawa Township Hall, and on Tuesday, March 10, from 9 o'clock a.m. to 4 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of reviewing township assessment rolls.

Ernest Schmidt Nottawa Township Supervisor Feb. 26t2

Eddie Bearse returned from CMC Hospital.

Mrs. Beulah Wixson and Miss Ruth Borders are spending a vacation in Flint.

Ruby Douglas visited Mrs. Char-

lotte Hart Tuesday. Irene Jones and Martin called on the Paul Coles Tuesday. ---0---

in the Editor's Mail

Dear Connie: Please renew our subscription. We love the little paper. Lawrence Dell Lake, Route 1

Notice is hereby given to all persons liable to assessment for taxes in the Township of Sherman, County of Isabella, State of Michigan:

That the tirst meeting of the Sherman Township Board of Review will be held Tuesday, March 3, at the Sherman Township Hall, and the following day if necessary;

And on Monday and Tuesday, March 9 and 10, 1970, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., each day. Dated Feb. 23, 1970.

Clyde Beutler Supervisor Sherman Township Feb. 26t2

Obituary

NORMA CONLEY Mrs. Norma Conley of Coldwater Township died at the Billings Convalescent Home in Mill-

brook Friday, Feb. 20. She was 87 years old. She was born in Coldwater Township and was a lifelong resident there. She has many friends and relatives who will mourn her passing.

She is survived by one son, Lorraine, of rural Lake; one daughter, Mrs. Hazel Ries, of Muske-gon; one grandson, Frank Ries; four great-grandchildren; one brother, Frank Blesch, of Phoenix, Arizona.

Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock p. m. Monday, Feb. 23, from the Daggett Funeral Home in Barryton, with Rev. James Hoogterp officiating.

Burial was in the North Brinton Cemetery.

bituary

BRENDA QUILLEN Brenda Quillen of Beal City died Feb. 20 in CMC Hospital, from injuries sustained in an automobile accident Feb. 10. She was 19 years old.

She was born Aug. 5, 1951, and had lived her short life in Beal City. She is mourned by the whole community.

Rosary services were held Sunday evening at the Rush Funeral Home in Mt. Pleasant.

Funeral services were held Monday, Feb. 23, at 11 o'clock a.m., in St. Joseph the Worker Church in Beal City, with Father Edward Neubecker officiating. Burial was in St. Joseph's Cemetery at Beal City.

Brenda is survived by her par ents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Quil-len; two sisters, Mrs. Sid (Linda) Lundquist, of Grand Rapids; and Rebecca, at home; four brothers, William, Martin, Charles

and Joseph, Jr., all at home; the paternal grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Quillen of Mt. Pleasant, and the maternal grandmother, Mrs. Ann Schafer, of Grand Rapids. ---0-

bituary

DAVID WILLIAM MILLARD David William Millard died Feb. 21 as the result of an automobile accident. He was 18.

He was born June 24, and was a graduate of the Beal City High School. He was employed by the Petty Geophysical Company.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Millard; two sisters, four brothers, and other relatives.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, Feb. 24, at 11 o'clock a.m. in St. Leo's Catholic Church in Winn, with Rev. Fr. John McDuffy officiating. Burial was in St. Leo's Cemetery. The family have the sympathy of all. ---0---

BRIAN THERING Brian Thering died Sunday, Feb. 22, at CMC Hospital. He was four years old. He was born Oct. 8, 1965.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Thering; one brother, Rick Allen; two sisters, Shelly Kay and Susanne Marie, all at home; and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, Feb. 24, at 11 a.m. in Sacred Heart Church in Mt. Pleasant, with burial in Calvary Cemetery.

The sympathy of the community is offered.

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Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kirvan were Thursday visitors of Mrs. Emily Wood. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dent were Saturday callers. Walter Kirvan of Grand Rapids took his mother to Barryton for supper Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wood and Irene Ribkowski and Scott of Bay City brought a nice dinner Sunday.

Mavis Querbach of Allegan visited her mother, Mrs. Vera Hagerman, Thursday and Friday. Sunday Mrs. Hagerman's daughter, Mrs. Charles Cook, of Kalamazoo, and her two daughter and her son, spent Sunday with her. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hagerman of Mt. Pleasant and their daughter, Joyce, were also Sunday guests.

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MERGER OF 8-CAP, 6-CAP TO BE DISCUSSED MARCH 2 A public meeting at 7.30 p. m. March 2 at the Hospitality Center in Mt. Pleasant is scheduled to discuss the merger of 8-

Cap with 6-Cap, both federal agencies. Object is to get more federal money for the poor. The public is invited.

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Beal City Dora Smith, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Al Clevenger are spending two weeks in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schafer and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schafer left Monday by plane on a two weeks' tour of Old Mexico, Acapulco, Mexico City, Puerto Rica and the Guadalupe Islands.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Schafer and family had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Schafer.

Mrs. Effie Schafer and Mrs. Matie Pung spent Tuesday with Peter Schafer. Mrs. Pung drove to Midland last Wednesday for a medical checkup.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schafer spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Schafer spent last Thursday evening with the Tony Schafers.

Louise Schafer is spending a few weeks in Chicago with her sister, Mrs. La Rue Bartlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Van Pelt spent Sunday in Lansing with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keiffer made a trip to Hubbardston Sunday. Mrs. Leo Gross visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keiffer one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Zurhorst visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Joe Keiffer, Saturday, and were supper guests.

Albina Rau spent Saturday evening with Louise Smith. Ernest Voisin of Mt. Pleasant visited in the afternoon. The Art Proefrocks of Reed City also were Sunday guests of Mrs. Smith.

Oscar Fedewa spent Tuesday and Wednesday with his daughter, June Blasen, and family.

Don Rau and family of Lansing called on the Louis Rau family Sunday.

Sunday.
Our deepest sympathy to the family of Brenda Quillen, who died last Friday in CMC Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pasch moved to their cottage, and Mr. and Mrs. David Bollman moved into the Pasch house last Satur-

Miss Diane Sheahan returned home last Thursday, Feb. 19, from St. Mary's Hospital in Saginaw, where she had been since Feb. 10, following an auto accident. Mrs. Louis Rau called on Ann Schafer at Mrs. Martin Joseph Quillen's Tuesday.

Delores Rau was reported as getting along as well as could be expected, at CMC Hospital, after suffering injuries in the accident Feb. 10. She had a broken pelvis bone and fractured knee cap, and last week it was discovered her hip was out of joint.

Diane Sheahan was reported as doing well, and was up and around, at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Zeien had

Monday supper with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Finnerty of Mt. Pleasant spent Tuesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Will Pung.

Will Pung.
Mrs. Ed Zeien spent Tuesday
afternoon helping Louise Smith
on her quilting.

on her quilting.

Mrs. Matie Pung and Mrs. Effie Schafer stayed with Peter all day Tuesday.

Connie Skinner of Weidman was a Saturday morning caller of Louise Smith.

Two Rivers

Blanche Carr, Reporter Mr. and Mrs. Oral Bunting were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Rayborn of Belding, and also the Richard Rayborns and baby of Northville, who were visiting the Dalton Rayborns.

Russell Swan of Midland visited his mother, Mrs. Ella Swan, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Aungst and children and Blanche Carr attended church at De Witt Sunday. Blanche was a luncheon guest of Mrs. Lovica Krueger Tuesday in Mt. Pleasant, and of Mrs. Eva Denslow Friday. Thursday she visited Jessie Rosencrantz. Saturday she and Pamela and Elton Simmer were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Carr of Shepherd.

Mrs. Kate Martin spent the week in Saginaw, visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Passierello and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Martin, and also seeing her optometrist.

Mrs. Edwin Courser and Susanne, Jane and Cindy, attended a baby shower for Mrs. David Garrett Saturday evening. It was given by Mrs. Larry Garrett at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Thompson and Rodney were Sunday guests of Mrs. Ernest Courser. Mrs. Courser entertained the Coomer Ladies' Aid Thursday at an allday meeting. The ladies tied off comforters.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Charles Harvey were the Clarence Harveys and Tom of Grand Rapids, the Clair Letsons, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sweet and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Campbell of Mt. Pleasant were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Larson.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Richards of Walled Lake spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lieder.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Flaugher spent the weekend at their cabin at Cheboygan. Minnie attended a bridal shower for her great-niece, Joyce Olger, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Garrett and children, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Leiter and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Martin attended the wedding of William Keysor and Miss Kathleen Noel Saturday at the West Baptist Church in Bay City.

Brinton News

Frances Beck, Reporter
The community extends its sympathy to the Conley family in the death of their mother, Norma Conley, who passed away Friday at the Billings Convalescent

Home, after a lingering illness.
Mr. and Mrs. Harley Teeter and family were Sunday guests of their mother, Mrs. Teeter, and Homer.

Marilyn Fosburg attended her bridge club at Evart Thursday afternoon.

Joyce Olger was the honored guest at a bridal shower held for her at her parents' home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Bowen called on Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bowen Friday evening.

Bowen Friday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Sowles, Mr. and Mrs. Don Sowles and Larry Sowles spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sowles, and attended the wedding of their sister, Penny, and Gary Walker, Friday evening.

Mrs. Whaley is at home, after spending a week with her daughter, Margaret Sisco, and family.

Ray and Joyce Geasler were guests of their son, Mitch, and family, in Lansing, from Wednesday till Friday. Thursday Ray joined Mitch in a plane trip to Toronto. Canada.

Toronto, Canada.
Violet Wright and Linda La
Londe attended the Sowles-Walker wedding in Clare Friday eve-

Congratulations go out to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Walker (Penny

Sowles), who were married Friday evening at St. Cecelia's Church in Clare. The young couple are living in the tenant house on Charlie Scott's, where he is employed by Mr. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil La Londe entertained their family Sunday with a dinner honoring their son, Wayne, on his birthday. Guests were Wayne and family and Mr. and Mrs. Gary La Londe.

and Mrs. Gary La Londe.
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Leiter spent
the weekend with their parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Fay Forbes. They
and Fay and Virgeline furnished
music for the reception for Mr.
and Mrs. Gary Walker at the
hall in Brinton Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Geasler of Pontiac spent last week with Carl and Ellen Geasler, and did some fishing.

LIONS CLUB FISH FRY HAS 325 IN ATTENDANCE

The Lions Club fish fry at the Weidman school cafeteria netted about \$250, according to word received this week. About 325 fish dinners were served by the Lions, their wives and other volunteers, who helped greatly to make the affair a huge success. The public also showed its approval of the good work done by the Lions Club, with the large attendance.

The Lions are planning another fish fry, at the same place, on Friday, March 13. Note the date and enjoy a delightful fish supper among friends.

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Moore 244, Jean McArthur 196, Mary Blake 190.

No bowling next week, due to the City Tournaments being held. ---0---

BEAL CITY SENIOR CITIZENS HAVE 16 TABLES IN PLAY

At last week's Senior Citizens' card party at Beal City, 16 tables of pepper were in play. Players come from all parts of the county to these friendly card parties. At last week's party, Veronica

Tilmann, Rose Hauck, Clara Fox and Herman Cook were on the lunch committee.

Agnes Sheahan won first prize for the ladies, Kate Schumacher second. Louis Rau won first for the men, with Joe Keiffer taking second. Monica Grinzinger won the pepper prize, and Frank Benn won the door prize.

The next party will be Wednesday afternoon, March 4, in the church basement, where the parties have been held during the winter months.

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N. Broomfield
Mrs. Maycie Cook moved from

the Edmore Hospital to the Billings Convalescent Home in Millbrook. Her mailing address is Blanchard, Mich. 49310, rural Route, care of the Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wiley and grandson of Northville visited her sister, Maycie Cook, at the Edmore Hospital, Sunday, and had dinner with her.

Charles Austin, a former resident of this area, passed away at the Billings Convalescent Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Haney of Winn had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lueder.

Mr. and Mrs. Burrell Campbell of Mt. Pleasant also spent Sunday with the Lueders.

Harold Rhode called on Tom Latham at Remus Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Gostola spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. E.R. Rhode. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cook were Saturday evening visitors.

Amelia Korytkowski of Remus

suffered a broken ankle Friday, and is now wearing a cast. Mary Cook lives with her.

The Lutheran Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. Gordon Schlegel Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lueder had dinner with their daughter, Dorothy, at Sand Lake, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lueder spent Monday evening with the Emil Lueders.

Mrs. E.R. Rhode and Harold called on Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stevens Wednesday. Mrs. Stevens

suffered a back injury recently. Mr. and Mrs. Orves Cook arrived Wednesday from a trip to

Florida.

Callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hines were Mrs. Laura Fritz of Mt. Pleasant, Mrs. Flossie Sellers, Mrs. Gene

Mrs. Jean Smith and Mrs. Bea Adams called on Mrs. E. R. Rhode Friday.
Mrs. Ethyl Wager spent the

past week with Mrs. Art Carrick of Saginaw.

---0-S. W. Sherman

Goldie Dutcher, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dutcher and girls of Lake Orion spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher, Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher, and Sandra were afternoon Jr., and Sandra were and luncheon guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher visited the Clyde Beutlers Tuesday evening, and the Robert Hineses Saturday evening.

Orval Merrihew came home Friday after spending two months in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Dutcher and Gena of Clio and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Simkins and son, Jeffrey of Flint were Sunday callers of the Clayton Dutchers.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Yuncker and children and Mrs. Clayton Dutcher called on the Richard Dutchers Sunday afternoon. Steve Dutcher was a caller of Douglas Dutcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Comstock of rural Blanchard called on the George Merrihews Friday afternoon. Albert Miller of rural Rosebush was a Saturday caller.

The George Merrihews have a new great-grandson, born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth West of New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Beutler attended the Dairy Boosters Banquet at Mt. Pleasant Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Beutler and children were Sunday dinner guests of the Forrest Johnstons of Rosebush. The children stayed at the Johnston home while their parents attended Lenten services at the Leaton Methodist Church.

The Dale and Gary Gatehouse children have been having the flu.

Mrs. Dale Gatehouse and two sons and Beatrice Gatehouse took Hazel Davis to Sunfield to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ben Probasco.

Laura VanderSys spent Friday over night with Sandra Dutcher. The Carl Hardenburghs of Pierson visited her father, Emory Dell, and the Harry Harden-

burghs, Sunday.
Mrs. Catherine McDaniel and girls spent the weekend in Lansing, visiting the Bruce Van Nocker and Jerry, Melvin and Michael Tabor families. --0---

Coldwater Lake Mariorie Schafer, Reporter Hi:

Well, sure seems like spring is just around the corner (Tuesday), as the past couple of days have been so nice.

Our deepest sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. John Thering (north side). Their small son, Brian, died this past weekend. We also extend our deepest sympathy to the David Millard and Brenda Quillen families.

Loretta Lorenz called this morning to give me the news. She, Peter and son Clarence attended a wake at Saginaw for a very dear friend, Amy Perrin, Sunday evening.

Blaine Stansell had dinner with the Lorenz family Friday. Ed and Vera Kavanaugh also called Friday.

Sunday guests were their son, Ron, and family, and Lisa and Lori Simmer. Dorothy Breuer and grandchild called one day last week.

Ed Schafer has been painting for Father Neubecker, in the Rectory and the church.

I spent Thursday with my sister-in-law, Ruth Klumpp, working on income tax.

We had a birthday party for my mother, Mable Klumpp, at Ardis Nursing Home Sunday. She was 76 years last Wednes-day. Around 30 were present, from Beal City, Coldwater Lake, Mt. Pleasant, St. Louis, Riverdale, and Shepherd. She received many nice gifts. Her beautiful birthday cake was made by her granddaughter, Pat Sinko, of St. Louis.

Carol Marchiando had coffee with Grace Beck Monday morn-

That's it for this week. Marge

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Walker Creek News Esther Stanley, Reporter

Arthur Loomis called on Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Emmons Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Ted McCoy of Sheridan

were Sunday dinner guests.

Marcia Louise, infant daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Loomis, was brought home from CMC Hospital last Tuesday, and is getting along fine. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Loomis called to make her acquaintance Tuesday afternoon. Arthur Loomis and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Loomis and family visited Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dosenberry went to Brady Lake Saturday evening, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Marion Anderson and several other members of the Dosenberry family, who were guests of the Andersons. Mr. and Mrs. Dosenberry were honored, as it was their 28th wedding anniversary. Happy Anniversary, Alma and Harry! Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Dosenberry of Lansing were Sunday dinner guests of his parents. Mr. and Mrs Clyde Dosenberry and Blaine of Coldwater Lake visited Sunday

afternoon. Mrs. Tracy Bywater visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Monroe and Blaine Friday evening.

Mrs. Gary Portenga and daughter visited Mrs. Ivan Hines of south Weidman Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Gray took his father, Ernest Gray, to a doctor in Mt. Pleasant Thursday. Mr. Gray is real well for a man of his years, it is reported.

Another great-grandchild for the Lou Grays, David Elliott, weighing seven pounds, 13 ounces, born to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gray of Midland, the past week.

Mrs. Lyle Denslow was honored guest last Tuesday evening at the Weidman Hep TOPS Club meeting, as she graduated from TOPS to KOPS. She received a nice gift from the club, as well as many others from members who were proud of her accomplishment. Mrs. Denslow worked at CMU Wednesday, and hopes to be working full time soon. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Corwin, Jr., and Kyle Marie of Fenton spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Micky Dargitz and Brian, Jill and Kathy of Remus, and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Denslow also were Sunday dinner guests.

Hazen Thompson and Ralph visited Manley Oliver and Mrs. Marguerite Coleman of Remus Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Thompson and Roddy were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Leona Courser of Two Rivers.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Thompson were Sunday dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ercel Williams, of Barryton.

Mrs. Gilbert Schrock attended a bridal shower for Miss Joyce

Olger Friday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Olger. Mr. and Mrs. Schrock and Philip were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schrock. They visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Owens, of Lake, Sunday afternoon.

Master Larry Zill was a Sunday dinner guest of Eddie Schrock, at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schrock.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Voss and Christine visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Voss and Stacey Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wilmot and Linda visited Sunday, bringing their snowmobile, which they all enjoyed riding.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Loomis of Sherman City and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Denslow were Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Skalitzky.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Conley visited Mr. and Mrs. Loraine Conley Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Rodman of Crooked Lake visited Mr. and Mrs. Conley Sunday afternoon. Kurt Conley spent Sunday evening with his grandparents.

Mrs. Lena St. John and Mrs. Clayton Beutler attended a Washington's Birthday memorial din-ner at the Masonic Hall in Weidman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arden Border and Michael and Michelle of Farwell and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stanley visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mar shall Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Monroe and Howard Johnson were recent visitors. Mrs. Mabel Campbell and friends of Farwell called Sunday.

Mrs. Willis Finney and sons Scott and Michael, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Denslow.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Monroe visited Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stanley Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley enjoyed a delicious steak dinner at the home of their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Stanley, of Barryton, Tuesday. Mrs. Stanley spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Donald Pung and children of Beal City. Mr. and Mrs. David Moore and children of Lake Thirteen were Sunday dinner guests of his grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pung and family of Beal City were visitors in the afternoon. Chester Lynch spent Saturday over night and Sunday at the Stanley home. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Leiter of

Hannah Lake visited his brother, Ira, and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Leiter Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Loomis and family were Thursday evening visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Leiter visited their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Stebelton, of Mt. Pleasant, Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Leiter reports that her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Max Kimball, now live in Mt. Pleasant, having recently moved there from Rich-

Plenty of noise and action on the bridge Monday morning. Expect through traffic soon!

---0--North Weidman Elvah Gott, Reporter

Mrs. Helen Alwood and Cathy took Mr. and Mrs. John Gott and Debbie Graham to Clare Saturday evening, to observe the seventh birthday of the Gotts' greatgrandson, Brian Aldrich, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Aldrich. Mrs. Gott took him a quilt she had made for him.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gott and Larry called on Mr. and Mrs. John Gott and Cathy Alwood Sunday and took them to Marion, where they had lunch. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl McGillis of Lake on their way home.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blodgett called at the Daggett Funeral Home Sunday to pay their respects to Mrs. Norma Conley of Brinton. Mrs. Harley Latham of Mt.

Pleasant called on Mrs. Laura Latham last week. Mrs. Jeanette Hard and children of Freeland called and had supper with Mrs. Latham, and they all attended a bridal shower for Joyce Olger Friday evening. Jeanette spent the night with her mother, Mrs. Laura Latham.

Local Items Mr. and Mrs. Gary St. John

and family spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Or-ville Bates, of Clare.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Smith and boys of Flint and Mrs. Leah Scharrer and Mrs. Ray Smith and two granddaughters were Sunday callers at the Ted Smith home.

Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Sprague called on Mrs. Ann McCann in Midland Sunday.

Mrs. Nina Forbes called on her sisters, Mrs. Pat Hathaway and Mrs. Russell Wilson, Sunday afternoon.



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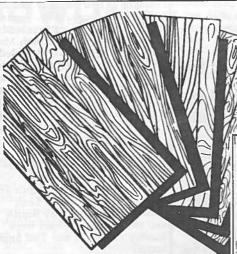
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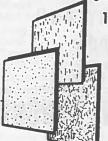
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