

# The Weidman Messenger

VOL. VI, NO. 43

Weidman, Mich. 48893

Thursday, April 30, 1970

20¢ per copy

## Editor's Column

By Connie

### WE GET A WONDERFUL BIG GIFT OF SMELT

Jerry Smith, son of the Ray Smiths, came to our door Sunday afternoon with the gift of about ten pounds of fresh smelt. Wonderful.

He had been up North with the Bill Rileys, dipping smelt, and he said he had couple of tubsful.

So very nice of him to think of us. We'll give a teeny number to our cat, The Queen, who has been yakking all winter for fresh-caught fish.

Thanks, Jerry.

\*\*\*\*\*

### USE OF MITCHELL MEMORIAL PARK HERE RAISED THIS YEAR

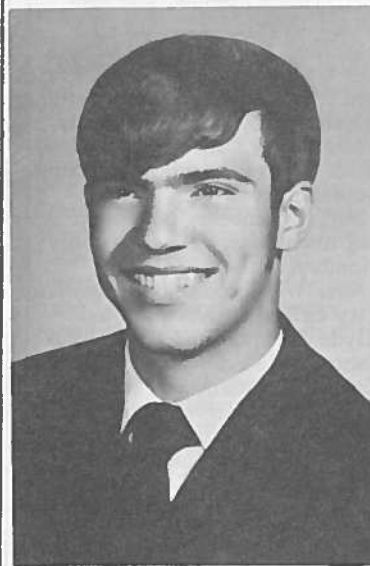
Use of Mitchell Memorial Park (Continued on Back Page)

### LIBRARY OPENING IS THIS WEEKEND, MAY 1 AND 2

The official opening of the Gladys McArthur Memorial Library in Weidman, a branch of the Mt. Pleasant Public Library, is scheduled for this Friday and Saturday, May 1 and 2.

The public is cordially invited to drop in and see the marvelous changes and improvements that have been made in the cement-block building purchased by Leon McArthur and given outright to the Library.

Everything had to be done: New electrical wiring, painting of the entire inside (the outside will come later), shelves had to be built and painted, a carpet had to be purchased and laid; and the books, a large number from the Mt. Pleasant Library and also large numbers as gifts from local (Continued on Back Page)



MIKE ADAMS

Here's another of our 17-year-olds graduating this year from high school. Mike Adams won't be 18 until Sept. 30, 1970, and he has kept up his classes while being very active in athletics the past three years, or since his second year in high school.

He played football on the Varsity team of Chippewa Hills Schools three years, the first year on Junior Varsity, and then he played two years on the Varsity team.

He was on the Varsity team in baseball one year; one year on the Junior Varsity basketball team and one year on the Varsity team.

That's a lot of practice and playing in athletic games; yet Mike Adams has worked quite steadily through most of his four years of high school, and he, like his brothers Gary and Kevin, are good people to hire--they know how to work. We predict all of them will make good citizens and will be successful in the lines of endeavor they choose for life.

In high school, Mike followed a course of general subjects, and says now, after graduating May 31, he will try to get work this summer.

After that he's not certain of what he will choose to do; who is, at seventeen? He may enlist in military service after he is 18, rather than wait to be drafted; and when he gets out of service he may go on to attend a trade school, such as Ferris State

## Men in Uniform

### STANLEY SIMMER ESCAPES FIRE AFTER PLANE CRASH

Stanley Simmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wendel Simmer, wrote his folks that he had left the post office at Udorn Air Base in Thailand just an hour before a battle-damaged plane crashed into the building, with 11 killed in the crash and ensuing blaze.

Stanley goes to the big base and trucks mail to his own base at Ramasun Station.

Stanley said the whole base at Udorn turned out to help fight the fires, which took several other buildings besides the post office.

Stanley's rating is Sp/4, and he works in the mail room of the postoffice at Ramasun Station.

\*\*\*\*\*

Here's a new address:

S. R. Raymond Neubecker, U. S. N., B57-9153, Co. 145, 25th Great Lakes, Ill. 60088.

Raymond is the son of Mrs. Vera Neubecker, and he enlisted in the Navy for four years. He is 19. He graduated from Beal City High School.

His friends are urged to write him, as he has been at Great Lakes about a month, and sailors get homesick during their first months of training. So do soldiers, of course; it is in these first few months away from home that they need letters from relatives and friends. Our Men in Uniform need letters from home no matter how long they've been in the service, of course; and especially when they're in Vietnam or Thailand or other parts of Southeast Asia.

\*\*\*\*\*

Sp/4 Thomas Flower returned home from Germany Wednesday night. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Flower, and his wife, (Continued on Back Page)

College, which offers some very practical training in industrial and business lines.

Mike had two years of mechanical drawing in high school, and two years of woodworking.

He was born in Clare, and has lived with the family here in Weidman 11 years. He is a son of Mrs. Helen Adams and Roy J. Adams.

We are all proud of him.



GOLDEN WEDDING--Mr. and Mrs. James Pitts of Gilmore will observe their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday afternoon, May 10, with Open House at the Gilmore Church of Christ, from 2 to 5 p. m. Their very many friends, and their relatives, are cordially invited to attend.

The Open House is sponsored by their children and families: Mrs. Elaine Esterline of Farwell, Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Pitts of Big Rapids, and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Pitts of Weidman.

Jim and Grace were married at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Heesen Perry, 50 years ago May 4, 1920. Jim's birthday also is May 4.

Upon their marriage they moved a house from the Rawson place to their farm in Sec. 1,

Nottawa, and have lived there ever since. Jim still farms 80 acres.

Both Jim and Grace have always been very active in the affairs of the Gilmore Church of Christ, and have been faithful members; they also have been long-standing members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars post in Clare.

Their friends are legion, and we all wish them many more happy years together.

## Walker Creek News

Esther Stanley, Reporter

### BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR MRS. CHARLES VOSS

Mrs. Charles Voss was the honored guest at her home Sunday, celebrating her birthday, which was April 26.

Guests at dinner were her father, John Sheldon; Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Voss and Mrs. Minnie Flaughner of Weidman, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Chaffee of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. John Sheldon, Jr., of Mt. Pleasant, Oren Sheldon of Mt. Clemens, and Mrs. Laura Latham.

Happy Birthday, Millie!

\*\*\*\*\*

We were sorry to hear that Stacey Voss has the mumps.

Clyde Hapner of Otsego, who has a trailer at Littlefield Lake, called on Arthur Schrock Sunday.

Gilbert Schrock has been helping his father evenings, doing some excavating to remodel their home.

Otto Skalitzky, who has been helping plant potatoes east of Weidman, reports they are about finished, and will move to Vestaburg, where they have about 300 acres to plant. Otto doesn't plan on driving so far to work.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Conley and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ralston of Mt. Pleasant attended the square dance party at Ypsilanti Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Barry Conley and Kurt were Sunday guests at his parents'.

Mrs. Lena St. John, Mrs. Clayton Beutler and Mary, Mrs. Fred Beutler and Mrs. Maggie Boger were Saginaw shoppers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Savage of Mt. Pleasant visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dillenbeck Saturday evening.

Mrs. Ida Bazaire and Mr. and Mrs. Gary St. John and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Zill and sons.

Mrs. Keith Thompson and mother, Mrs. Leona Courser, were in Saginaw on the previous Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ash and family recently. They attended a wedding reception for friends at Edmore Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gray and family of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Loren Gray and family of Mt. Pleasant were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lou Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hallburg of Sparta were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Portenga and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Portenga and family and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wuerger of Mt. Pleasant enjoyed a picnic dinner at Coldwater Lake Park Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Monroe and Blane had the Ladies' Mis-

sionary group from the Baptist Church at their home Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Campbell and daughter of Otter Lake were Saturday evening callers. Rev. and Mrs. Marvin Eldridge and sons were Saturday dinner guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe and Blane visited Mrs. Mabel Allen of Sherman City area Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Denslow enjoyed smelt supper with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Finney, and sons, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Finney and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald DeVries and Rhonda and Richard were Sunday guests of their parents.

Mrs. Mary Cluchey of Rodney spent Thursday with Mrs. Harry Dosenberry.

Mrs. Dosenberry began her sewing instruction classes at Ionia Monday.

Mrs. Ward Loomis of Sherman City called on Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Emmons and Eddie John Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Ted McCoy of Sheridan and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kirvan were Sunday dinner guests. Mrs. Ethel McLean visited Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Showers of Barryton were callers Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Schrock and Philip visited Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Owen of Lake Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gorby of Lake Thirteen, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stanley of Weidman and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stanley were Wednesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Marshall. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Monroe and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley visited Friday evening. Mrs. Arden Borden and Michelle of Farwell visited Saturday.

Mr. Marshall assisted at an auction sale at West Branch Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gorby called at the Marshall home Sunday afternoon.

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

Mrs. Stanley went with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pung and Debbie, Darlene and Donna, and Mrs. Matie Pung to St. Johns Saturday where they attended the wedding and reception for Mr. and Mrs. Kurt Knight (Bonnie Lou Pung).

Donald and Michael Stanley and Paul Wernette of Weidman spent Sunday morning at the Stanley home, and were dinner guests. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pung and family of Beal City called Sunday afternoon, the children enjoying flowering in the woods.

Mrs. Ollie Denslow called on Mrs. Keith Loomis recently. Mr. and Mrs. Del Esterline and family of Farwell and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Loomis were Sun-

day afternoon visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Leiter and Tim, David and Valerie visited Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Stebelton and Renee of Mt. Pleasant Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Leiter and David visited at the Del Esterlines' in Farwell Monday morning.

---0---

### West Gilmore

Lena Cole, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Curtis and Mrs. Charlotte Hart and Roxann Hart visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bruce at Gladwin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Geasler and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Worth and family helped little Joey Geasler celebrate his birthday Sunday.

Mrs. Jean Hart has a week off from her work at the Home and Training School.

Mr. and Mrs. John Geasler and Jolynn spent the weekend at their cabin.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cole and Velma took a trip up North Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Geasler

of Big Rapids were recent callers of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Geasler.

Mrs. Ruby Douglas called on Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cole and Velma Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Boger visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Estes, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dumont and Tommy of East Lansing spent the weekend at their cabin. The Dumonts were supper guests of his uncle and aunt, the Paul Coles, Saturday evening.

---0---

### NEWS NOTES

Floyd Dutcher returned home last week after spending the winter in Ruskin, Florida. He came up with the Alva Cumminses, also returning from their Florida winter home. They arrived last Wednesday night, after a two-night, three-day trip by car. Mr. and Mrs. Cummins stayed Wednesday night at the home of his sister at Stanton, before coming home.

BETTER THAN A LETTER

## STRAUS PROCESSING CO.

Dependable Custom Butchering. Processing of Beef, Pork, proper Aging, Cooling, Curing. We sell meat wholesale and retail. Butchering days: Wednesdays and Thursdays. 4 miles North of Beal City Phone 644-2292

EARL FOX

Of the Mount Pleasant Agency



WISCONSIN NATIONAL LIFE

## INSURANCE

Life  
Hospital  
Disability Income

OFFERING ONE OF THE FINEST HOSPITAL COVERAGES IN THE AREA

For Your Protection Call: 644-2536 or 773-3345



McArthur Insurance Agency

"WE INSURE EVERYTHING"

AUTO

LIFE

WEIDMAN

Phone 644-3465



WEAVER'S

## VILLAGE INN

WEIDMAN

BEER IN OR OUT--MIXED DRINKS  
SANDWICHES--PIZZA To Take Out 9 to 2 a.m.

Crittenden

## Funeral Home

Phone 967-3464, Remus

BEAL CITY SERVICE



GAS AND OIL  
Phone 644-2142  
BORON DISTRIBUTOR

A complete line of dependable products  
for the farm and home.

# Weidman Messenger

PUBLISHER: Constance Skinner. Editor: Constance Skinner. Tel. 644-2000, Weidman. Address 6298 Airline Road, Weidman, Michigan 48893.  
 SUBSCRIPTION RATES: \$5 per year locally. Anywhere in the world, \$7.50.  
 Second-class postage paid at Weidman, Michigan. Published at Weidman, Isabella County, Michigan, each Thursday: Except that the last week of June and the first week of July; and the Christmas and New Year's issues, are combined.  
 Address all mail to: The Weidman Messenger, Weidman, Michigan 48893.

## WANT ADS

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

FAMILY RESTAURANT--In Weidman. Open 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Specials every day. Try our meals.

tf

FOR SALE--Pickup camper. Sleeps four. Has cupboards, sink and gas plate. Inquire at 5678 W. Jordan Road, ph. 644-3967.

Apr. 2tf

FOR SALE--Trailer Lots. Don Alwood, Woodruff Road, N. Weidman, ph. 644-3581.

Apr. 2tf

YUNKER MEMORIALS--Before buying that memorial for your loved one, see us or phone: Charles Buzek, ph. 561-3690, or Laurence Taylor, ph. 561-3763, R. 1, Remus 49340.

Apr. 16t12p

ONE of the finer things of life--Blue Lustre carpet and upholstery cleaner. Rent electric shampooer \$1 at Fox Hardware, Weidman.

April 30t1

KING ROW SEED CORN--For Sale. Edwin Courser, 1691 S. Littlefield Road, ph. 644-3964.

April 23t2p

FISH SUPPER--Also including home made pies with menu. Friday, May 8, 5.30 to 8.30, family style. Price adults, \$1.75, children under 12 \$1, pre-schoolers free. At Beal City High School cafeteria, sponsored by the Band Parents.

April 30t1

FOR SALE--Lot 66, Plat No. 1, Lake of the Hills, Weidman. A nice wooded lot, waterfront, with large footage on road. Constance Roe Skinner, owner, ph. 644-2000, Weidman. At "Information, Lake of the Hills" sign on Airline Road.

Mar. 26t1

SEPTIC TANKS CLEANED--Also tanks for sale. Electric tape to clean out tile lines. Back hoe. Griffith Sanitary Service, Blanchard, Mich., ph. 561-4521, or call Don Smith, Weidman, ph. 644-2224.

April 23t4p

LIBRARY OPENING MAY 1 & 2 With Coffee Hour, Bake Sale and Bazaar. Come and see our beautiful new Library and the work our young women and their husbands have done for the community. Donations are solicited for the Bake Sale and the Bazaar. Contact Diane Benn, Carol Schafer, Ruth Momany, or anyone at the Library this week.

April 30t1

## Card of Thanks

I wish to express my sincere thanks to all my friends and relatives for the beautiful cards, letters, and notes of cheer, and all their prayers, which were very much appreciated, during my recent stay in the Grand Rapids hospital.

Your kindness is very much appreciated.

Mrs. Freda Miller

## Obituary

### HOWARD HECKERT

Howard Heckert of rural Remus died Tuesday, April 21, at the Tri-County Hospital in Edmore. He was 53. He was born May 14, 1916, in Lackey, Ohio. He was a World War II veteran. He is survived by two sons, Eric, in the US Navy, and Eldon, at home; one daughter, Sheryl,

of Crystal; two brothers, Vernon of Midland and Merle of Troy; and two sisters, Mrs. Viola Dean of Riverdale, and Mrs. Ivnera Peeps of Walbridge, Ohio.

Funeral services were held Saturday at 1 p.m. at the Crittenden Funeral Home in Remus, with burial in the Broomfield Cemetery.

---0---

## Local Items

Mrs. Gusta Green and grandson Glen Dean, of Dearborn and Mrs. Lena Paine of Greenville spent last Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Smith and Jim spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roger Smith and boys of Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Higbee of Flushing and Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Aubin of Standish spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Leah Scharrer.

Earnest Gross returned home from CMC Hospital Monday morning, after spending last week there.

Renee Schafer spent Friday night and Saturday with Brenda Cook. Kelly Schafer spent Friday and Saturday with Grandma Krueger.

## the Churches

WEIDMAN BAPTIST CHURCH (1 mile west of Weidman) Rev. Marvin Eldridge, Pastor Sunday School, 10 a.m. Preaching, 11 a.m. Choir practice, 6.45 p.m. Evening Bible Study, 7.30 p.m.

Prayer Meeting Wednesday, 7.30 p.m.

Central Michigan Regular Baptist Association meeting will be held May 1 at 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., at St. Louis First Baptist Church.

\*\*\*\*\*

WEIDMAN UNITED METHODIST CIRCUIT: WEIDMAN, WINN AND COOMER

Pastor, Lawrence R. Smith Weidman Worship, 11 a.m. Weidman Church School, 10 a.m.

Winn Worship, 9 a.m.

Coomer Worship, 9 a.m.

Weidman Choir rehearsal Thursday evening, 7.30.

Each Monday evening at 7.30 there is a class in Churchmanship. It has been at the Winn church because more from Winn are participating in it.

Friday, May 1, 9.30 breakfast in Rosebush. May Fellowship Day sponsored by Church Women United.

Monday evening, May 4, 7.30 p.m., at Edmore, District Conference. All members may attend.

Thursday, April 23, the two groups of WSCS met at the church. Nina Carrick was hostess. After the business and de-

votional meeting, the group was served refreshments in the church dining area.

The Methodist Men met Saturday evening at the Weidman United Methodist Church with Larry Rescoe as host. The program of the evening was a film, "The Sault Locks". Refreshments were served by Larry to the 12 men present.

\*\*\*\*\*

### BRINTON CHAPEL

Norman Brines, Pastor Sunday School, 10 a.m. Church, 11 a.m. Thursday, youth meeting, 5.30 p.m. Choir practice, 7 p.m. Prayer meeting, 7.30 p.m. Second Sunday of each month, evening services at 7.30 p.m.

\*\*\*\*\*

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.

\*\*\*\*\*

GILMORE CHURCH OF CHRIST George Getchel, Minister Located six miles south of Farwell.

Morning Worship, 9.30 a.m. Bible School, 10.30 a.m. Youth Hour, 6 p.m. Evening Worship, 7.30 p.m.

## Brinton News

Frances Beck, Reporter (Delayed Last Week)

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Estes were in Clare Saturday. Bill called on his father, Bert Estes, Friday, at the White Rest Home near Bar-ryton.

Walter Tower entered the Midland Hospital Monday and underwent surgery Tuesday. Everyone wishes Walter a speedy recovery and home soon.

Violet Wright did some painting for Eva Gray last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Moone of Battle Creek spent the weekend at their trailer, and called on Frances Beck Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gute of Owosso spent Sunday with their brother, Bud Longtin, and were dinner guests of Frances Beck.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Seymour called on Frances Beck Tuesday evening.

Caroline Alston and Maude Winchell of Clare were Wednesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Geasler.

Bessie Holmes spent Friday with Mrs. Whaley at the home of Margaret Sisco. Mrs. Holmes also spent Saturday afternoon with Frances Beck.

Lewis Bowen spent several days last week attending Supervisors' meetings in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Baker spent the weekend in Grand Rapids with their son, Keith, and family.

BETTER THAN A LETTER



**Brinton News**

Frances Beck, Reporter

Emily Geasler spent Friday with her parents, Ray and Joyce Geasler.

Violet Wright did some papering in Clare Wednesday.

Frances Beck called on Verna Seymour Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bowen called on Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Haenke near Blanchard Thursday evening.

Bruce Jones is busy making preparations to move his trailer

in on ground he purchased from Ralph Geasler. Welcome to our neighborhood, Bruce and Cathy.

Mrs. Gary La Londe and Eunice La Londe were in Mt. Pleasant Wednesday.

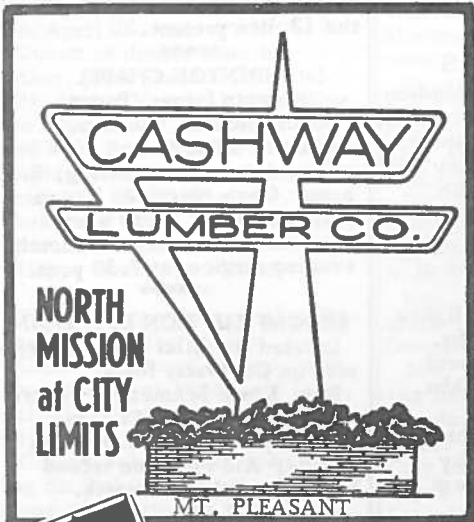
Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Moore are back at their summer home af-

ter spending the winter in Lansing.

We are glad to see Walter Tower home from the Midland hospital and feeling much better, after surgery.

---0---

BETTER THAN A LETTER



**PRE SUMMER ANNUAL SALE**

NOW IN PROGRESS



8 FOOT PICNIC TABLES

Includes set of Frames, necessary bolts and 5 pieces of 2 x 10, 8 ft. long.

**\$24.95**



**WROUGHT IRON 4-Foot Section PORCH RAILING**

**3.95**

6 Foot Porch Railing \$6.75

8 Foot Porch Column \$6.95



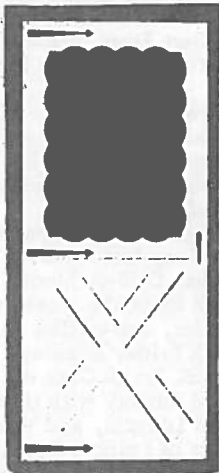
**"B" GRADE STOOLS**

For the cottage or half bath. Special purchase. Hurry!

**\$23.50 ONLY**

**White Cross-Buck Aluminum Combination STORM SCREEN DOOR**

**COLONIAL STYLING**



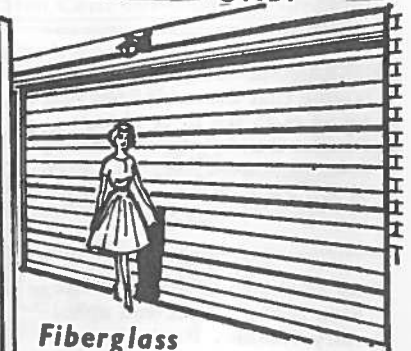
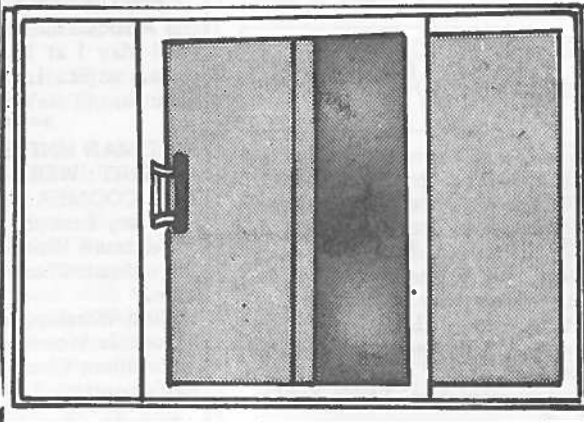
This authentic Colonial design white door has black strap hinges and latch. The frame is our standard 1 1/4 inch thick with rigid extruded scallops for extra strength. A one piece embossed Cross Buck panel completes the design.

Regular \$39.95

**\$34.95**

Save \$5! - Limited Supply

**PATIO DOOR SALE!**



Fiberglass

**GARAGE DOORS**

Translucent Fiberglass panels set into aluminum extrusions offers oceans of light to the inside of your garage and never needs painting. Lets light in... keeps weather out. Prices include all hardware!

Six foot wide rolling patio doors with tempered insulated glass and screen... plus all necessary hardware. Pre-finished in white. Limited supply in stock.

REG. \$145.95

**\$119.88**

Always Plenty of Free and Easy Parking

9 x 7	\$81.90
10 x 7	\$94.50
16 x 7	\$139.50
18 x 7	\$169.50

**OPEN ALL DAY EVERY DAY AND ALL DAY SATURDAYS**

**LOWEST PRICES**

## Beal City

Dora Smith, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Will Martin left Saturday morning to attend the wedding of their granddaughter, Bonnie Lou Pung, in St. Johns Catholic Church at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Miss Pung became the bride of Kurt Knight of St. Johns. She is a daughter of Mrs. Glendon Cassidy (Gladys Ley). Mr. and Mrs. Martin stayed over until Monday, visiting her children in and around St. Johns.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Neubecker returned home Saturday after spending the past six months in Tampa, Florida. They stayed over night at the home of their son, Jim, and family, in Lansing, on their way home.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Skalitzky and boys of Remus spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Neubecker.

Cathy Garrett came home from the Ann Arbor hospital after having surgery on her ears.

Dale Anderson is feeling much better since he came home from the hospital.

A bunch from around Beal City have been getting their share of smelt.

Vern Hoag spent Thursday evening with Larry and Wayne Egbert.

Wm. Faber entertained the Golden Rule Club Sunday evening.

Mrs. Graham of Mt. Pleasant called on Louise Smith Friday afternoon. Also Mrs. Tony Schafer, Mrs. Walter Rau and DeLores Rau and Brian.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rau and girls and Brian and Ann Smith motored to Shepherd Sunday to see the Maple Syrup Festival.

Walter Smith spent Monday morning with his aunt, Louise Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pung and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schafer spent Thursday afternoon with Peter Schafer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schafer of Saginaw spent the weekend with Peter Schafer.

Dannie Schafer spent the past week in Florida. He returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Eldred of Blanchard and Mr. and Mrs. Al Klumpp of Mt. Pleasant were Friday callers at the Tony Schafer home. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schafer of Mt. Pleasant were Saturday evening guests.

Those from here attending the marriage of Miss Bonnie Pung and Kurt Knight were Mrs. Joe Pung, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pung and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pung and family, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Tilmann and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pung, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pung, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Pung of Edmore, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Martin of Beal City.

## Coldwater Lake

Marjorie Schafer, Reporter

Hi:

Well, we have been having real nice weather lately. Our boys have been quite busy raking and cleaning lawns for neighbors around the lake.

Last Monday I took Mother (Tillie) Schafer to Mt. Pleasant to see her doctor.

Frank and Mabel Walz have returned here, after spending the winter in Florida.

The Leonard Lueders spent Saturday with their parents, the Emil Lueders. Their daughter and family, the John Pungs, were also callers.

We had the Robert Klumpp family over Wednesday evening for a fish supper. Doug Klumpp was home on leave. He left Sunday for his San Diego base.

Thursday Renelda Klumpp and son, Doug, and I went to Farwell to see our mother, Mabel Klumpp. Mom was enjoying a bingo game. It was put on by the Methodist ladies. I think it was real nice of those ladies to give these older people a nice enjoyable afternoon.

We went for a ride Sunday afternoon with Walt and Dellie Wischmeyer. They went over to Remus to see the Whalens, but they hadn't returned from Florida yet. We stopped in to see Russ and Pauline Klumpps' new son, Mark.

Dorothy Schaeffer and Helen Brewer called here Sunday afternoon.

The Beal City school children held a clean-up day Wednesday. They covered about 16 to 18 miles in the Beal City area. They are to be praised for a job well done. They were supervised by Mr. DuVall and other teachers.

Speaking of cleaning up, I think fishermen here at the bridge should pick up after themselves. They throw their trash into the river and on the roadside.

Peter Lorenz came home from the hospital Friday afternoon.

That's all for this week.

Marge

---0---

## Two Rivers

Blanche Carr, Reporter

Blanche Carr went to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Plank, and family, at Wheeler, Sunday. She expected to stay a couple of days.

Beth Jackson and Blanche Cliff were Wednesday dinner guests of Blanche Carr Wednesday. They all went to visit Mrs. Lola Graham at the Ardis Rest Home at Farwell.

Mrs. Carr had dinner with Eva Denslow Saturday.

---0---

Richard Sprague entered CMC Hospital Sunday, for surgery Monday.

## Central Gilmore

Lola Fordyce, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kidder returned to their cottage at Littlefield Lake for the summer, from their home in Detroit, last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Harmon of Boyne City spent a few days at the Alvin Wood home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pitts attended a meeting of World War I veterans at Clare Sunday.

Mona Pitts has been ill for the past three weeks. She was unable to attend classes at Great Lakes Bible College at Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fordyce were in Saginaw Sunday, to visit Mrs. Donna Fordyce. They found her doing fine. Some time ago she fell and broke her hip. You couldn't keep Donna down. She is using a walker, and her doctor said she could start stepping on that leg in about two weeks.

There were about 70 Fathers and Sons attending the Banquet at the Gilmore Church of Christ Friday evening. A ham dinner and all that goes with it was enjoyed by all. Dr. James Girdwood, Professor from the Great Lakes Bible College, was speaker.

Callers at the Ed McAlvey home Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Jay McAlvey of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Len Parker of Farwell, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Lautzenheizer and family of Jerome, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fordyce. Lorraine Lautzenheizer visited her grandparents while her parents went on to Northport. They picked her up Sunday evening on their way home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Hugh of Detroit were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Marshall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pitts and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Phillips went to Rifle River one day last week to get suckers.

---0---

## Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Munoz and three small daughters of East Lansing spent Sunday afternoon at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Tranbarger. They brought an outdoor grill dinner, and they, the Tranbargers and Connie Skinner enjoyed the day at the Tranbargers'.

F.B. Stevens of Sanford and his granddaughter and friend of Flint were Sunday guests of Mrs. Ina Gillett.

BETTER THAN A LETTER

**USED CARS**

1965 PONTIAC TEMPEST 4-DR. 8 cyl., automatic. Low mileage. Extra sharp.

1967 1/2 TON INTERNATIONAL PICKUP TRUCK. V-8.

1967 PLYMOUTH FURY THREE HARDTOP. 8 cyl., automatic. Vinyl roof.

1967 PONTIAC CATALINA 2-DR HARDTOP. Automatic and power brakes.

1965 CHEVROLET IMPALA 4-DR HARDTOP.

1966 CHEVROLET 1/2 TON PICKUP. 6 cyl., oversize tires.

1964 CHEVROLET BEL AIR 4-DR. 6 cyl., automatic.

1968 CHEVROLET 1/2 TON PICKUP. 6 cyl., radio, low mileage.

1965 CHEVROLET IMPALA 4-DR HARDTOP. Power steering. Air conditioning.

**McCLAIN**

Phone Barryton 382-5445  
Weidman 644-2155

**CHEVROLET**  
**SALES**  
AND SERVICE

## Around Horr

Jessie Rosencrantz, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thompson were business callers in Lansing Wednesday, and also called on her mother.

Mrs. Betty Thompson and Mrs. Betty Jean May attended a Bible school workshop at Big Rapids Thursday. Mrs. Thompson, along with several others from the Chippewa Hills High School, attended a state band and orchestra festival at Flint Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bodell of Grand Rapids were Sunday callers of her uncle, Jack Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Del Johnson spent the weekend with the Benn Johnsons and Frank Benn.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Klumpp and Paula and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jackson and David and Bruce were Sunday dinner guests of the Gerald Loseys.

Sunday guests at the Mack Denslow home were Mrs. Mildred Patterson and two grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cutler, Mrs. Mary Strait, Mrs. Halla Lovell, Ford Braman, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bodell, Mrs. Joyce Chaffee and Mrs. Billy Jo Denslow and children.

Mrs. Ethel McLean was a Sunday guest at the home of her son, Elwood Miller, and wife.

Mrs. Edna McDonald and Mrs. Marguerite Rice and daughter were Sunday guests at the Earl Oplinger home.

Visitors during the week at the home of Mrs. Flora Wood were Mr. and Mrs. Alan Wood and Peter, Vance Wood, and Gloria and Jeanne, Mr. and Mrs. John Lynn and son, Michael, of Wheelersburg, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bergquist. Mrs. Wood was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Rick Wood.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Cummins were Saturday evening callers of Mrs. Nettie Lawrence. Mr. and Mrs. Garth Lawrence and Pam were weekend guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Dent were Friday afternoon callers at the Gerald Dent home. Mr. and Mrs. Dent called on her mother Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin spent Sunday in Copemish with her father, Leo Bahr. Mr. and Mrs. Martin and Woodrow called on Pete Lorenz Monday.

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

Mrs. Freda Miller returned home from the hospital last Thursday.

Floyd Dutcher was a Thursday afternoon caller at the Charlie Losey home. Harold Losey was a Saturday caller. Theron and Don Merrihew were Saturday

afternoon callers also. Minnie Strauch was a Saturday overnight guest. Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Chapman were Sunday dinner guests.

Mrs. Margaret Denslow attended an A. C. E. state convention at Mt. Pleasant Saturday. There was a luncheon at the Chieftain Hotel, and a program at the Vowles Elementary School.

Mrs. Denslow entertained Mr. and Mrs. Keith Baker and children and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Denslow and children at Sunday dinner, in honor of Dean's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Cummins arrived home from Florida last Thursday morning at 9.15. They left Ruskin at 6 Monday morning and got to his sister's in Stanton at 6 Wednesday evening and stayed over night with her and came home the next morning. They had a nice trip, no trouble of any kind. That was the quickest they ever made the trip.

Callers since their return were the Charlie Loseys and Yours Truly, Friday evening; Mr. and Mrs. Garth Lawrence and Pam, Saturday evening; and Mr. and Mrs. Tracy White were Sunday dinner guests. Alma was at the house and had everything ready for them when they got home.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Kirvan of Flint, Mrs. Wendell Patterson and two grandchildren of Grand Rapids, Eva Denslow, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dent, and Dick Clouse of Remus, were visitors of Mrs. Emily Wood during last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Geitman visited Mr. and Mrs. Don Geitman and family of Saginaw, and the O'Learys, also of Saginaw Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith spent Sunday with Louis Harrington at Greenville. Mr. Harrington is not at all well.

## N. Broomfield

Howard Heckard, a long-time resident of this area, passed away after a long illness. He was laid to rest at the Town Hall Cemetery Friday. He left one daughter and two sons.

Floyd Esch is a patient at the Edmore Hospital.

Mrs. Mary Cook was discharged from the Mt. Pleasant hospital and returned to Remus Monday.

Mrs. Dick Haney and daughter spent Sunday with her parents, the Rudolph Lueders.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lueder and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Myers of Mt. Pleasant visited Mrs. Nettie Crowley and Jay Leinaar recently.

Mrs. Hattie Harris of Mt. Pleasant spent Sunday with the Robert Fannings.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lueder and sons of Holt spent Saturday with his parents, the Emil Lueders.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pung attended a wedding at St. Johns Saturday evening. The children were overnight guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Lueder.

Mrs. Maycie Cook enjoyed the many guests who visited her the past week: Mrs. Helen Lueder, Mrs. Lyda Lueder, Mrs. Glee Krueger, Alliance Cook, Mrs. Don Krueger, Mrs. Gale Krueger, Kathy Krueger, Mrs. Mildred Rhode, and the immediate family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lueder spent Saturday evening with the Richard Lueders.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hines were Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Lueder, Floyd Dutcher, Mrs. Minnie Strauch, Mrs. Ezoa Strong, Mrs. Flossie Sellers, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Flachs, and Jeanette.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hines and

family were Sunday dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hines.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cook and Sandra called on Mr. and Mrs. Gail Strong of Elwell recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Krueger and family were Sunday dinner guests of his mother, Mrs. Arthur Krueger.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cook spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Orves Cook.

Mrs. E. R. Rhode called on her daughter, Mrs. Joe Gostola, and family, of Mt. Pleasant, Sunday. Little Kathy Loucks is creeping, and is a doll.

As Mrs. Maycie Cook is so fond of flowers, and had her yard full of blooms all season, she greatly enjoyed the mums from Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines.

---0---

## Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. John Gould of Evert spent last Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith, and attended the funeral of Mrs. Eva Pennoyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Embrey spent Saturday night and Sunday with the Jay Darnell children while Jay and his wife went to Ann Arbor. The Embreys visited Frank and Florence Maxon Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Looman of Cedar Springs were Sunday dinner and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sprague. In the afternoon they called on Bill Sprague at CMC Hospital, where he is being treated for pneumonia. Bill entered the hospital last Wednesday suffering from heart trouble, and it was also determined he had pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Pitts and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Letson and family in Mt. Pleasant.

BETTER THAN A LETTER



## INVESTIGATE ELECTRIC HEAT

Before you remodel, stop and investigate the benefits of electric heat. You'll find electric heat is clean, quiet, dependable, maintenance-free . . . and costs less to buy and install. For all the facts, call your electric heating contractor or Consumers Power Company.



PE-2621-10.5



**REPUBLICAN WOMEN TO MEET MRS. GEORGE ROMNEY**  
Lenore Romney will be in Mt. Pleasant Tuesday, May 5, at 2 p. m., at the Holiday Inn.

She will be there to meet people. Everyone is welcome to go and meet her.

Previous to this event the Isabella County Republican Women are having a luncheon at the Holiday Inn at 1.30, at \$2.50 per plate.

Applicants for reservations may call Mrs. Loren Gray, at phone 772-1907. Saturday, May 2, is the last day for reservations, though anyone may call on Mrs. Romney without any reservations.

---0---

**North Weidman**

Elvah Gott, Reporter

John Gott was admitted to the Clare Hospital Sunday night. He was scheduled for tests and x-rays Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy S. Adams went to the trout festival at Kalkaska Saturday, returning the same day. They were also at Traverse City.

Micky Abbott's place suffered about two acres of burned-over area Saturday when a trash pile or burning barrel got out of control. The Weidman Fire Department came and put out the fire.

Mrs. Winona Vanatta of Detroit visited Mr. and Mrs. John Gott Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith and family spent Friday afternoon at the home of his sister, Mrs. Don Alwood, and family, and with his mother, Mrs. Hermione Smith. Bob and his family had been enjoying a few days at their cabin at Skeels, and were returning to their home in Ypsilanti.

Cathy Alwood and Debbie Graham attended a birthday party at Diane Aldrich's home, in honor of Diane, Sunday afternoon. Diane's home is in Clare. Mrs. John Gott was a supper guest at the Aldrich home Sunday evening. Games were enjoyed, and birthday cake and ice cream were served the small guests. Diane received nice gifts.

---0---

**NEWS NOTES**

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Allen visited at the home of their son, Rev. Carl Allen, and family, in East Lansing, from Wednesday till Friday last week.

Mrs. Rose Barrett of Mason and Mrs. Anne Rood of Lansing spent Friday with their brother and wife, the Frank Goodriches.

Mr. and Mrs. James Noe were in Jackson last Wednesday, to see her doctor in Lansing, and they visited their daughter, Mrs. Bud Richardson, in Jackson.

Jennie Sprague called on Iola Miller last Wednesday.

BETTER THAN A LETTER

**S. W. Sherman**

Goldie Dutcher, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Beutler and children attended the Maple Syrup Festival at Shepherd Saturday. They met her folks, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sanderson, Mr. and Mrs. Fay Kennicott and Miss Mabel Kennicott, all of St. Charles, there, and they came home with them to have cake and ice cream to help Laurel celebrate her birthday.

Ervin Dutcher called on the Robert Hines Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Coughlin and sons of Mt. Pleasant spent Saturday afternoon and had supper with the Ervin Dutchers and Bill Remingtons. Terry and Bill fished most of the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Merrihew and son, Orval, attended the celebration at Shepherd Saturday, for pancakes and sausage with maple syrup.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Remington and sons of Saginaw spent Friday over night and Saturday till Sunday afternoon with the Ervin Dutchers.

Theron Merrihew and son, Donnie, were Saturday callers of the George Merrihews.

Mrs. Violet Wright has been doing papering for Edna Merrihew.

The Catherine McDaniel family are having the flu.

Floyd Dutcher returned home from Florida Wednesday night. He spent over night with the Ervin Dutchers, and visited the Clayton Dutchers Thursday and had lunch with them.

Mrs. Barbara Dutcher and daughter went to Shepherd Sunday afternoon with her folks, the Theodore Cases.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Dutcher and Chris and Jon of rural Merrill spent Wednesday afternoon and were supper guests of the Clayton Dutchers. They called on the Richard Dutchers.

Mrs. Clayton Dutcher called on Joyce Yuncker and children Sunday afternoon and had lunch with them.

Mrs. Sally Howe and daughter, Joyce, had Saturday lunch with the Clayton Dutchers. Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dutcher and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Owen and friends of near Midland. They all rode their Hondas up. They had been at Shepherd in the morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Tillmann of Beal City spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gatehouse.

Vicki Thren had to have her fingernail removed Saturday, and x-rays taken.

Cindy Gatehouse is still ill at home.

The Alan Marshall family and the Dean Chaffees visited the Clarence Chaffees Sunday.

Mrs. Marion Beutler entertained 10 of Laurel's little playmates Tuesday after school, who came out to help Laurel

celebrate her seventh birthday. They all enjoyed birthday cake and ice cream.

Mrs. John Maeder spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Beatrice Gatehouse.

Mrs. Forrest Johnston and Nancy of rural Rosebush were Sunday afternoon callers of the Carl Beutlers.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dutcher and Kim were callers of the Clayton Dutchers last week.

---0---

**NEWS NOTES**

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bywater and family of Midland spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Ethel Bywater. Mrs. Eva Denslow was a Sunday afternoon caller.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Branson and three boys of Bath spent the weekend with his brother, Spike Branson, and family. They and the Leon Schafer family enjoyed a picnic supper Sunday evening at the Branson home.

BETTER THAN A LETTER

**REBEKAH CARD PARTY HAS 11 TABLES IN PLAY**

Eleven tables of pepper were in play at last week's card party at the IOOF Hall here, sponsored by the Weidman Rebekahs.

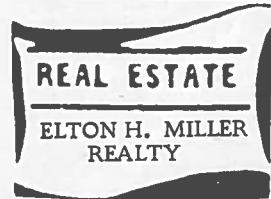
Jack Cotter won first prize for the men, with Margie Hathaway winning first for the ladies. Clifton Anstey won low, and pepper prize went to John Schumacher. Cecilia Simmer won the door prize.

On the luncheon committee were Lillian Johnston and Leah Scharrer.

The next Rebekah-sponsored card party will be Tuesday afternoon, May 5.

---0---

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith spent Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Paulson and family at Midland. They also called on Mr. and Mrs. Lou Herron and Oliver Smith, who had just returned home from Medicare facilities. Oliver was not well.



**REAL ESTATE**  
ELTON H. MILLER  
REALTY

Branch Office: Bernard R. Pitts  
Sales Representative

See us before you buy or sell.  
Listings wanted. Member Board  
of Realtors. Ph. 644-3465 or  
664-3437.

**WEIDMAN LAUNDRYLAND**

coin operated laundry

MAKE IT YOUR LAUNDRY HOME

**LIVESTOCK & GRAIN TRUCKING**

**ROBERT BLEISE**

Ph. 644-3516  
Ph. 644-3613

WEIDMAN

FARM BUREAU

**INSURANCE GROUP**



Call

BILL BARZ  
Ph. 644-3452  
Weidman

COMPLETE LINE OF  
AUTO, FIRE, LIFE,  
FARM OWNERS,  
BUSINESS INSURANCE

**DICK CURTISS GULF SERVICE STATION**

TIRES--BATTERIES--ACCESSORIES  
BOTTLE GAS

Weid

Ph. 644-2200

**Daggett Funeral Home**

**BARRYTON**

Phone 382-5566



**BOWLING**CONTINENTAL LEAGUE  
April 22, 1970

	W	L
Wentworth IGA	29	16
Marchiando & Rau	27	18
Giant Super Mkt.	26	19
Beal City Tavern	25.5	19.5
Household Appl.	25.5	19.5
Pabst Blue Ribbon	23.5	21.5
Weidman State Bnk.	23	22
Central Concrete	21.5	23.5
Beal City Service	20	25
Lowery Northern	20	25
Schlitz Beer	16	29
Coleman Furn.	13	32

High Team Series: Central Concrete 3078, Weidman State Bank 2964. High Team Game: Beal City Service 1095.

High Indv. Series: Bob Bleise 606, Bill Robinson 606, Ed Rohan 597.

High Indv. Game: Bill Robinson 256, Dale Lawens 234, Ed Rohan 230.

## GUYS &amp; DOLLS

April 24, 1970

Ecker-Eldred	44	20
McArthur-Anderson	37	27
Blehm-Moore	36	28
Foster-Moore	34	30
Bierschbach-Zill	33	31
Lawens-Pantenburg	33	31
Moore-Long	30	34
Bleise-Straus	30	34
Thon-Blake	29	35
Green-McConnell	28	36
Lyon-Sharrar	25.5	38.5
Nolte-Cook	24.5	39.5

High Team Series: Foster & Moore 2421. High Team Game: Lawens & Pantenburg 838.

High Series, Men: Dale Lawens 223, Bob Bleise 222, Don Pantenburg 201.

High Series, Women: Audrey Moore 504, Mary Blake 499, Barb Moore 486.

High Game, Women: Audrey Moore 199, Barb Moore 186, Sue Ecker 185.

This was the last night of the season.

---0---

**Editor's Column**

By Connie

(Continued from Page 1)

in Weidman, for family reunions and other gatherings, has been raised from \$5 to \$10, the park committee of the Weidman Business Association announced this week.

The committee said the raise was forced by rising costs of maintenance and supplies, and repairs.

The pavilion has made the park a popular place for social gatherings of all kinds, and the park is booked up usually solid, from June through September.

Bookings may be made at Bud's Store in Weidman for use of the park this summer.

---0---

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Skinner of Swartz Creek were Thursday dinner and afternoon guests of Connie Skinner.

**Men in Uniform**

(Continued from Page 1)

Mary, and the baby Tom had never seen, met him at Tri Cities Airport. Larry Leiter and Jennie Flower also accompanied the family group meeting Tom.

Tom is out of the Army, discharged, after serving his two years in the service.

Tom and his family are staying at the Grace Flower house, while he looks for a job.

---0---

## LIBRARY OPENING

(Continued from Page 1)

people and others, had to be classified and "pocketed" in preparation for placing on the shelves.

Not all of the books are shelved as yet; but there is a good showing, and the Library is a miracle this town should view with pride.

The Bake Sale and Bazaar are means to earn money to pay for certain materials not donated; although a great many things, and a good sum of money, were given gladly by townspeople and neighboring townships.

Too much cannot be said for the grubby work accomplished by young parents wanting a Library here for the sake of their children. They are the ones who really made a Library in Weidman possible.

So drop in Friday or Saturday, or both days, and look over our newest achievement in civic endeavor--and you'll have a chance also to buy some yummy baked goods and some beautiful articles at the Bazaar.

The Library Board is composed of Carol Schafer, president; vice president, Barbara VanderSys; secretary, Eileen Harkins; treasurer, Diane Benn; and Member at Large, Jan Carrick.

---0---

## FIREMEN'S ANNUAL SMELT FRY WEDNESDAY NIGHT

The annual smelt-fry supper sponsored by the Nottawa and Sherman Volunteer Fire Department was scheduled for Wednesday evening, April 29, at Palmer's, with serving from 6 p. m.

About 26 Firemen and wives and friends went after smelt last Wednesday, at Au Gres, and brought back about 500 pounds of fresh fish.

The Firemen and their ladies cleaned smelt all day Thursday and on to midnight.

The smelt supper is an annual affair, when Palmer's turn over their place to the Firemen who use the proceeds for new equipment.

---0---

## NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Bakos and family of Ashley spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Sprague and family. Mrs. Phyllis Sides and son were Monday callers. Mrs. Judy Cook and son were also callers.

Wildflowers are in full bloom. Enjoy them, for our woods are

disappearing, and the lovely spring blooms with them.

**Lawn Touch-up Special**

*for the lawn that needs feeding and has a few scattered weeds*

All you do is buy any size bag of Scotts TURF BUILDER and get a handy aerosol can of Scotts SPOT WEEDER for just 25¢ (a \$1.49 value).

It's an ideal combination. Lets you give your lawn an important summer feeding with America's favorite lawn fertilizer. It also provides an easy way to get rid of most scattered lawn weeds. Just aim the SPOT WEEDER can at a weed, and press the button. Pssst — that's all there is to it. The weed will gradually curl up and fade away.



**Turf Builder**

5,000 sq ft bag **5.45**

10,000 sq ft bag **9.95**

15,000 sq ft bag **13.95**



**Spot Weeder**

alone \$1.49

**25¢** with any size Turf Builder

*Combination offer expires June 30*

authorized **Scotts.** retailer**FOX HARDWARE**

WEIDMAN Store Hours: Phone 644-3631  
8 a. m. - 6 p. m. Fri., 8 a. m. - 8.30 p. m. Sat., 8 to 6