

# The Weidman Messenger

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## Editor's Column

By Connie

### BITS FROM HERE AND THERE

"I think we've shown that the generation gap is not so large as we are led to believe. All we need to do is work together and we can accomplish the impossible. This we did on August 4."

--John Engler, Republican nominee for State Representative in the Michigan Legislature.

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We neglected to mention, in last week's description of the beautiful memorial bulletin-board standard, with a lovely planter as base, that Mrs. Ethel Bywater lovingly tends the flowers.

Ethel has a way with flowers, and by herself grows many beautiful plants and blooms.

The planters at the Weidman United Methodist Church are evidence of her faithful care and her green thumb in caring for flowers.

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### SNAKE PLANT BLOOMS FOR FIRST TIME IN 30 YEARS

Mrs. Eldon Marshall, mother of Alan Marshall, Weidman business man, has a snake plant that has been in bloom--the first time it has bloomed in 30 years, Mrs. Marshall said.

The blossoms appear toward the heart or center of the plant, and are very rare. This year Mrs. Marshall's plant bloomed very heavily, and was a sight to see.

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### CHURCH AUCTION SALE GOES OVER BIG SATURDAY

The auction sale put on by the Weidman United Methodist Church groups went over very big Saturday. A very large attendance was recorded, much better than last year's event, it was stated this week.

A total of \$696.26 was taken in, with the auction itself bringing \$495.05, the rummage sale netting \$75.31, and the bake sale and snack bar bringing in \$125.90.

The money will be used for maintenance and improvement of the church grounds.

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HOME PAPER FOR THE WEST HALF OF ISABELLA COUNTY



AS THE CROWDS BEGAN TO GATHER--At the Methodists' annual auction sale Saturday. Besides the auction, there were bake sales, a bazaar, and rummage sale. Cars were parked solid on the south side of town as people flocked to this ever-popular event.

Messenger photo



THEY PAINTED THE FLOWER SHOP'S HOME--Bob Fox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fox, assisted Frances Tranbarger the past couple of weeks in putting a gleaming new paint job on the Tranbargers' home, which is part of The Flower Shop on the Airline Road. Young Bob stuck to his job during some of the hottest days we've had--and we've had some hot ones.

Window shutters in light green were also part of the decorative plans for the house.

Messenger photo

## Men in Uniform

Sp/4 Stuart Rau, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rau of Beal City, is home from Fort Riley on a furlough.

He will return to base Aug. 25.

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Sp/4 Thomas Fussman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fussman, writes from Germany that his address is changed slightly, a new zip-code number being given him.

Here's his present address:

Sp/4 Thomas Fussman, [redacted]  
563 Ord. Co., APO New York, N. Y. 09353.

Tom writes that one group has been sent to Vietnam from his outfit, with another scheduled to go shortly.

Tom is a mechanic, working on trucks and other heavy machines.

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PFC. Jonathan H. Nash and Mrs. Nash and children, Beth Ann, Shawn and Jonny, Jr., now reside at 2718 Dellwood Avenue, Jacksonville, Florida 32204.

Mrs. Nash's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Carrick, returned Aug. 11 after a trip there to take the family to join Mr. Nash, who is stationed at the Marine Division Naval Air Station in Jacksonville.

Jonathan is in school, training to be a bomb and missile technician. They expect to be there 18 months, and would appreciate letters from their friends.

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### MARRIED IN ST. LOUIS MONDAY EVENING

The marriage of Mrs. Mattie Wood of Gilmore Township and Glenn McGuire of rural Big Rapids took place Monday evening in St. Louis.

The couple plan to live in her attractive home in Gilmore. Mr. McGuire has four children, all married.

Mattie's many friends wish them every happiness.

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### NEWS NOTES

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Thren (Joetta McConnell), a baby boy, Aug. 11, at the Carson City hospital. The young man weighed three pounds, 15 ounces, and was placed in an incubator for a short time. He was reported as doing very well this week. He has been named Stephen Ranson II. The Threns live in Pompeii, and his parents are the Kenneth Martins.

### Around Horr

Jessie Rosencrantz, Reporter

#### THE DENTS HAVE THEIR FAMILY PICNIC AND REUNION

Fifty-eight relatives and friends met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dent for their annual picnic and get-together Sunday, by the river in a lovely setting.

Among those present were Tommy Kirvan and son, Scott, of Boston, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Kirvan of Pontiac, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Kirvan of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kirvan of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Kirvan of Escoda, and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Blodgett of Houghton Lake, who flew in.

Everyone enjoyed the day.

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Mrs. Verlia Wilcox spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Flora Wood. Wednesday evening callers were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cooper of Florida, Mrs. Roy Grantham and Mrs. Irene Rybkowski of Bay City, and Mrs. Emily Wood.

Flora Wood was very pleasantly surprised Thursday evening when all her children and grandchildren and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Miller met at the Vance Wood home to surprise her on her birthday. They enjoyed barbecued chicken, a big birthday cake, ice cream, and punch. Mrs. Wood received beautiful gifts. Thursday at the Busy Bees at the home of Florence Hoffman, all the ladies signed a birthday card for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Denslow and Debra of Lakeview spent Wednesday evening with their parents, the Jay Denslows. They had just returned from a month's vacation with their son, Ron, in Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Randy Brownell of Rosebush were late Saturday afternoon callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Denslow and Mr. and Mrs. Berl Denslow and son enjoyed a picnic at Coldwater Lake Sunday with the Bill Platek family, who are on a month's vacation. Several other relatives also were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Sawders of Fennville were Sunday afternoon guests of her aunt, Mrs. Eva Denslow. Mrs. Denslow called on Mrs. Hattie Losey and me Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Treva Cummins and Mrs. Larry Cummins were late Saturday afternoon callers of Mrs. Nettie Lawrence. Mr. and Mrs. Garth Lawrence and daughter were Saturday overnight guests.

Mrs. Eva Denslow, Mrs. Alma Dosenberry, Mrs. Betty Thompson, Mrs. Flora Wood and Mrs. Margaret Denslow attended Busy Bees at the home of Mrs. Florence Hoffman Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Margaret Denslow and Mrs. Marie Evans spent last Monday in Grand Rapids. Mrs. Denslow spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Ruby Williams in Clare.

Gary Krueger of Coldwater Lake was a Sunday dinner guest of the Earl Oplinger family, helping Kenny celebrate his birthday. Eddie Oplinger spent from Thursday through Sunday with the FFA at Clear Lake. Miss Marge Rau spent Friday with her aunt and family, the Oplingers.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Volker and family, and Mrs. Velma Volker, all of Lansing, spent Friday with the Elwood Millers. Mr. and Mrs. Miller called on Elwood's mother, Mrs. Ethel McLean, recently. They had Sunday dinner with their daughter and husband, the Dick Touchinskis, in Weidman, and Sunday supper with her sister and husband, the Edwin Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Cummins spent from Saturday through Monday morning with their grandparents, the Alva Cumminses. Mr. and Mrs. Garth Lawrence and Pam were Sunday callers. Mr. and Mrs. Tracy White were also Sunday dinner guests.

Bob and Nancy Thompson attended the Ionia Fair Monday evening with some friends from Remus.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thompson had dinner and attended the music camp concert at Ferris College Sunday, and brought Bill home. Bob Thompson spent Sunday with Tim Workman. Audrey and Charlene Chapin and Emily Hyder spent Thursday evening at the Thompson home, helping plan an ice cream social for a youth group of the Remus church Saturday evening.

Mack Denslow called on Jack Thompson Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Losey and Beth were Sunday dinner guests of the Larry Grosses of Winn. Gary Losey spent from Thursday through Sunday with Curt Gross. Amy Sue Gross spent the weekend with Beth Ann Losey.

Frank Benn spent from Thursday through Saturday in Pontiac. He was a Sunday dinner guest at the Benn Johnson home.

Mrs. Mary Strait is spending the week with her sister and husband, the Mack Denslows.

Minnie Strauch of Mt. Pleasant has been in CMC Hospital the past week, for treatment of an ulcer and rupture. Get well fast, Minnie!

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith were Thursday dinner guests at the Charlie Losey home. Mrs. Margaret Johnston and two grandchildren were afternoon callers. Mrs. Alva Cummins and Mrs. Larry Cummins were Saturday afternoon callers.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carl Embrey were in Grand Blanc Saturday to attend the wedding of their niece, Ann Louise Root. Sunday the Embreys were in Mancelona to visit his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. George Troyk.

### Local Items

Saturday was Golden Wedding anniversary for Mr. and Mrs. Ben Green of Wheeler, at the Rathbone Hall two miles south of the village. Attending from here were Mr. and Mrs. Alton Allen, for the golden occasion of their uncle and aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beutler were Friday luncheon guests of Mrs. Forrest Johnston and children of Rosebush. The Johnstons had just returned from a trip to Montreal and the New England states.

Rex Garner of Vassar spent Saturday night and Sunday at the Connie Skinner home, and enjoyed fishing on Lake of the Hills (though fishing was poor at that time). Mrs. R.H. Garner (Milledred), who had spent part of the

summer with her sister here at Weidman, returned to Vassar with him to spend a couple of weeks, when she will return to her home in Fort Myers, Florida.

Mrs. Wanda Graham and two daughters enjoyed a Northern Michigan vacation trip last week. They saw the Bridge, and also visited friends at Higgins Lake.

Earnest Gross expected to spend several days in CMC Hospital this week, suffering from respiratory ailment.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene McArthur and family attended the Ionia Fair Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. Harry Hoyt of Coleman, the retiring minister of that area, visited Mr. and Mrs. James Noe last Wednesday evening.

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June 25tf

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July 16 tf

**ISABELLA COUNTY FAIR**--Open Aug. 25, runs to Aug. 29. Be sure and see the fun!

**FOR SALE**--Iron bed, springs, and mattress, \$10. Table and buffet, \$15. Kitchen cabinet \$10. Other articles. Blanche Carr, Weidman.

Aug. 20tf

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July 17 tf

**ISABELLA COUNTY FAIR**--Better than ever! August 25 is opening, runs to August 29.

**RUMMAGE SALE**--Furniture, clothes, dishes, misc., Thursday and Friday. Second house south of Weidman Road on Littlefield Road. Phone 644-3487.

Aug. 20t1p

**ISABELLA COUNTY FAIR**--Aug. 25 to 29. Bigger and better than ever! Don't miss it.

**FOR SALE**--2 or 3 bedroom house, with garage and three acres. Four miles west of Weidman on blacktop Airline Road and Wyman Road. Real good deal to right person. Karl Kinsman, Weidman Route 1.

Aug. 6t4p

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Aug. 20t1

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July 30tf

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Aug. 6tf

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Aug. 6tf

**ISABELLA COUNTY FAIR**--Starts Aug. 25, runs through Aug. 29. Bigger and better. Don't miss it.

## Weidman Messenger

BETTER THAN A LETTER

Some buy it. A gratifying number subscribe to it. Some borrow it. Some loan it out to relatives, neighbors, friends.

EVERYBODY READS IT!

However they get it, everybody reads the Messenger, from South Vietnam to Barryton.

## the Churches

**WEIDMAN UNITED METHODIST**  
Rev. Athel J. Lynch, Pastor  
Church School, 10 a. m.  
Worship, 11 a. m.  
Choir rehearsal, 7.30 p. m.  
Thursday.

Evening Service second Sunday, 7.30 p. m.

Fellowship dinner third Sunday, 12.30 p. m.

WCS, first Thursday, 2.30, at the church. McArthur Circle, third Thursday, 8 p. m. Esther Circle third Tuesday, 8 p. m. Methodist Men, fourth Wednesday, 6.30 p. m.

**WINN-COOMER CHARGES**

Rev. Athel J. Lynch, Pastor  
At Winn:

Church at 9 a. m. Sunday School at 10 a. m.

Youth Senior MYF meets second and third Sundays, 7 p. m. At Coomer Church:

Six miles west, two and a half south of Mt. Pleasant.

Worship service, 9 a. m. Church School, 10 a. m.

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**WEIDMAN BAPTIST CHURCH**

Rev. Marvin Eldridge, Pastor  
Phone No. 644-3504.

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.

We had a good time at our Sunday School picnic. It was good to relax and talk. The food variety was good, and the games proved to be amusing and challenging. Many members and friends pitched in and made the event a memorable one.

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**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.

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**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.

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**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.

NEWS NOTES

Mrs. Hermione Smith had Sunday dinner with the Don Alwood family.

## West Gilmore

Lena Cole, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mosseil and three sons and one of the boys' friends spent the weekend at their cabin. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cole and Velma were dinner guests Saturday. Mr. Mosseil's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Merchant, were also dinner guests. The Mossells were supper guests of the Merchants Saturday evening.

Roxann Hart spent Sunday night with her grandmother, Mrs. Charlotte Hart.

Mrs. Ida Wiseman and friend of Flint and Mrs. Marguerite Shilling of Lake visited Mrs. Wiseman and Mrs. Shilling's sister-in-law, Mrs. Charlotte Hart, Friday evening.

Sorry to hear Mrs. Lena St. John is not so well again.

Mrs. Jack Gott is having trouble with her hip.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Teeter of Big Rapids visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert Geasler Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Geasler and Joey spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Cornell, at Gladwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sheldon of Charlotte visited his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Geasler, Tuesday. The Sheldons are vacationing at Chippewa Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. John Geasler of Haslett are on vacation, at their cabin.

The Paul Coles are enjoying a new car.

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## In the Editor's Mail

Dear Friend Connie:

You will find check for five dollars enclosed. Please keep the good Weidman Messenger coming to our home.

I hope the Messenger continues to visit us as long as I am able to read.

Best wishes to you, Connie, and thanks for the help the Messenger has been to us.

Yours sincerely

Bert Estes

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Dear Connie:

Time to renew the paper, to which I look forward every week.

This is Thursday morning, the 25th of June, and I had to wear my coat to work. It's real chilly out. Weather is so changeable. I like it better when it's cool, but it isn't good for the garden.

I had to seed everything over, as it rained so much water stood all over.

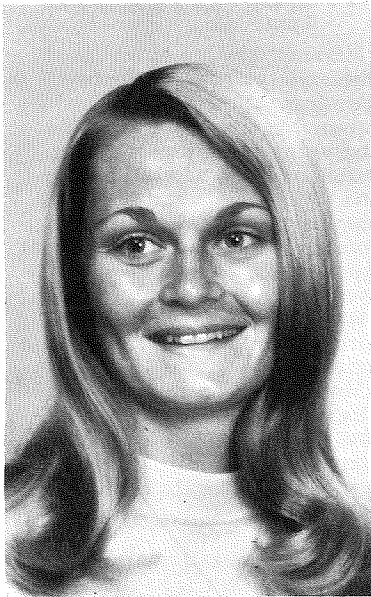
I'm still working every day, part time. Sure hard to get good help.

Hope you have been well. As ever, Ann Snyder, 508 N. Maple Ave., Marshfield, Wisc.

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HOME PAPER FOR THE WEST HALF OF ISABELLA COUNTY

## ENGAGED



NANCY LYNN SHERMAN

Mr. and Mrs. David R. Sherman of 3125 Raymond Street, Dearborn, announce the engagement of their daughter, Nancy Lynn, to Steven Eugene Stanley. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Stanley of Barryton.

The bride-elect graduated from Edsel Ford High School, and will be graduating in December from CMU.

Her fiancée was graduated from the Chippewa Hills High School and is a Sophomore at CMU.

The bride-elect is majoring in special education, and will teach, beginning in January.

The bridegroom-elect is majoring in political science, and will also teach on his graduation. The wedding is scheduled to take place in May.

Steven is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Williams of Lansing, former Barryton residents, and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stanley, Sr., of Walker Creek, Lake Route.

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## REBEKAH CARD PARTY HAS EIGHT TABLES IN PLAY

At the Rebekah-sponsored card party last Tuesday afternoon, there were eight tables of pepper in play.

First prize for the ladies was won by Tressie Bunting. First prize for the men went to Herman Cook. Low prize was won by Rose Larson.

The pepper prize was won by Annie Simmer, and the door prize by Jessie Rosencrantz.

The next Rebekah card party will be Aug. 25.

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## NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wiley, and Vickie and Pam and Gala Breedlove of Nashville, Tenn., are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Edna Schultz. Last Wednesday, Mrs. Schultz was in Clare to attend the funeral of Hazel Ensley, and had dinner with Faye Stephenson of Clare.

## Walker Creek News

Esther Stanley, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Craig Thompson attended the wedding of Michael Forbes and Pamela Hatfield at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, and a reception, at Remus, Saturday evening. Congratulations!

Mrs. Craig Thompson received her Bachelor of Science degree from CMU Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Gray took his father, Ernest, to his doctor at Mt. Pleasant Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Champion of Flint visited Mr. and Mrs. Gray Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Eva Denslow called on Mrs. Lyle Denslow and sister, Mrs. Wyona Risdon, who is convalescing at her sister's home. Mrs. Denslow reports that she is improving in health. Recent visitors at the Denslow home were their brother, Clell Abbott, of Lakeview, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Abbott and Larry and Jane of Blanchard.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Kimball and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Keith Loomis and daughters Friday evening.

Miss Teresa Loomis is spending this week with Miss Tamara Theisen of Mt. Pleasant.

Arthur Loomis and other relatives were callers at the Loomis home during the week.

Russell Emmons and Robert White of Sydney visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Emmons and Eddie John Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Ida Bazaire was a Sunday dinner guest of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Zill, and sons.

We are sorry to report that we didn't know our good neighbor, Mrs. Clarence Dillenbeck, was taken to the hospital at Alma the previous Sunday. Mr. Dillenbeck reported she had had surgery the first of the week and was improving in health, and was expected home Monday. Hurry and get well, Harriet!

Mrs. Gilbert Schrock and Philip visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Owens, of Lake, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Voss of south Weidman visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Voss, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Voss visited Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Voss and family Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Skalitzky visited Mr. and Mrs. Ward Loomis of Sherman City Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Baker visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schrock Saturday evening. Eddie, Debbie and Susan Schrock of Farwell were Sunday dinner guests of their grandparents.

Mrs. Nella Schrock and Mr. and Mrs. Frank McNeal of Riverdale, Mr. and Mrs. Otto

Schrock of Littlefield Lake and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Schrock and Philip visited the Arthur Schrocks Sunday afternoon.

Ronald and Michael Stanley of Weidman spent the first of the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stanley. Ronald went with his grandfather to the Clare stockyards Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Pung visited during the week, and Ye Reporter enjoyed fishing with them in various lakes during their stay. We had picnic lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Elliott at the cottage they had rented for a week, and enjoyed a delicious fish supper with them before returning home. Michael Stanley also was a guest.

Mrs. Adelbert Pung took me to Mt. Pleasant Thursday, and went with Mrs. Donald Pung and Deborah, Dennis, Darlene and Donna to Big Rapids Friday where they shopped for school clothes. Where has the summer gone?

Deborah Pung stayed over night Friday, and we took her home Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pung and children visited Sunday evening, bringing chicken and ice cream for lunch. Mr. and Mrs. Andy Stanley of Barryton, who were returning home from Nashville, Tenn., attending Grand Ole Opry while there, stopped in for a while, and were also luncheon guests. They went with

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Gray of Mt. Pleasant, who were checking on the progress of the oil wells in Kentucky, in which they have investments.

Our phone is out of order (Monday), so will catch up on important items next week.

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## North Weidman

Elvah Gott, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. John Gott enjoyed Saturday evening, when all their children and families came for a birthday party for their mother. Ice cream and cake were enjoyed, and Mrs. Gott received nice gifts.

The Missionary Society of the Weidman Baptist Church was held Monday at the home of the Walter Grahams on Lake Windoga. Eight adults and 16 children were present for a picnic dinner. The Grahams own the cottage formerly used as an office for the Ojibwa Recreation Area, and now are starting to build a waterfront home directly across the road.

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## NEWS NOTES

A going-away party was held Friday for Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Peffer of Mt. Pleasant, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Embrey. The Peffers are moving to Plainwell. He was director of recreation at the State Home and Training School, and has employment in Plainwell.

## HOUSE PAINT

Special

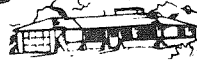
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## Beal City

Dora Smith, Reporter

### JERRY BIERSCHBACH NOW VICE PRESIDENT OF BANK

Jerry Bierschbach, son of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Bierschbach, has been promoted to assistant vice president of Old Kent State Bank in Grand Rapids. Congratulations!

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### MARRIED SATURDAY EVENING IN BEAL CITY

The wedding of Irene Theisen and Ed Fedewa took place Saturday evening, Aug. 15.

A reception at the K. C. Hall was well attended. Congratulations!

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### ENJOY VACATION TOUR IN CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Coletta Gross and daughter, Rita, of Lansing flew to California to spend two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Bob McCabe and family and do some sight-seeing.

They spent two days in Mexico, a day at the ocean, and a sightseeing tour around San Diego, taking in points of interest such as the San Diego Mission, the first mission in California; and they visited Point Loama in San Diego, the Coronado Island, and a glass factory, and had a wonderful time.

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Lee Kremsreiter of Lansing spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kremsreiter and family.

Oscar Fedewa of Houghton Lake spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blasen and family, and attended the wedding of his brother, Ed Fedewa.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Bierschbach and family of Grand Rapids are vacationing here with relatives. They were here for the wedding of her father Saturday evening.

Miss Dora Smith took care of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Denslow's children over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Anderson and Bill Yuncker and friend spent Sunday in Westphalia.

Dora Smith called on Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keiffer Sunday.

The Ed Schafer family spent the week at Eight Point Lake.

The Tony Schafer family reunion was held at the Oscar Schafer lake near Winn Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tilmann and family spent a few days in Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Neubecker returned Wednesday from Canada, after spending a week there with relatives.

Sister Rose Marie of Marywood Convent at Grand Rapids spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Neubecker.

Mr. and Mrs. Neubecker spent last Wednesday with their son, James, and family in Lansing.

Mrs. Henry Grinzinger returned home from Germany Friday eve-

ning.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Andrews and family of St. Johns spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Asa Andrews.

Howard Breuer and girls called on Mr. and Mrs. Bob Block Sunday.

Louise Smith, who spent from Saturday afternoon till Wednesday evening in Reed City with the Arnold Simmer and Art Proefrock families, returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. Asa Andrews and Mrs. Ida Tilmann spent Thursday evening with Mrs. Smith, Louise Schafer was a Saturday morning caller.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Schafer and grandsons, Michael and Gary Hauck, spent Thursday and Friday in Northern Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Schafer went to Detroit Monday and attended the Tiger-Washington ball game Monday night, returning home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Pung of Westphalia visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keiffer Sunday.

Mrs. Rose Schafer returned home from CMC Hospital, feeling much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schafer and children of Plattsburg, N. Y., called on their grandmother, Mrs. Tony Schafer, last week.

John Reihl and family had their reunion Sunday at Littlefield Lake. Those present were grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and also Mr. and Mrs. Leo Reihl.

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## Two Rivers

Blanche Carr, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Roberts and son, Terry, of Toledo, Ohio, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Courser and family.

Miss Helen Saunders called on Mrs. Herb Hochrein Wednesday. Sunday guests of the Hochreins were Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Abbott and Mrs. Alma Albers, and Seldon Peters of Lansing.

Blanche Carr was a Thursday luncheon guest of Mrs. Lovica Krueger. They called on Mrs. Minnie Strauch in CMC Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Strahle of St. Johns were Friday guests of Blanche Carr. Blanche was a Saturday supper guest of Eva Denslow.

Charles Lieder and Jeff Smith of Camp Charlevoix spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lieder. Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Jensen of Dearborn were Sunday guests.

Mrs. Miles Loomis, Mrs. Harry Herman and Mrs. Cleo Wiley were callers of Mrs. Vern Foster last week. Rev. and Mrs. Athel Lynch also called. Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Mikitaroff of Wayne and baby were Saturday night and Sunday guests.

Mrs. Dorothy Brewer and Mrs. Leona Courser are vacationing at their cottage on the Muskegon River.

The Clarence, Robert and John Harvey families and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sweet and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Charles Harvey.

Mrs. Herman Martin called on Mrs. Mary Pantenburg Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Martin and family of Saginaw were Friday evening guests of Mrs. Martin. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bierschbach of Bridgeport were Sunday guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Garrett attended the Gearhart reunion at Island Park Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Flaughner and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Flaughner are on a trip to Chicago and down the Mississippi River.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Flaughner have gone to Columbus, Ohio, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rayborn and family of Northville were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oral Bunting. They and the Buntings attended the Ege reunion at Beal City.

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### NEWS NOTES

Mrs. Nina Forbes was a Sunday dinner guest at the Gale Brien home in Shepherd. In the afternoon they called on Mr. and Mrs. Robert Delong. They were supper guests of Mrs. Ron Littell of Ithaca, and called on Mrs. Harvey Brien.

## Local Items

Visitors of Mrs. Emily Wood through the week were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cooper of New Smyrna, Fla., Irene Rybkowski and Fay Grantham of Bay City, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Kirvan of Pontiac, Fred Snyder of Eaton Rapids, Mrs. Jack McCall and two daughters of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. John Pyle and son and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Swadling of Flint, Mrs. Chester Ulrich of Evart, and Mrs. Earl Clouse and son, Vic, of Remus. Vic left Monday for military service.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holt and family of Mt. Pleasant called on Mrs. Nina Forbes Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wilson were Saturday evening visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald McArthur and two daughters of Wixom spent last Monday night with his father, Leon, on their way to Baraga by way of the Sleeping Bear Dunes. They visited relatives in Baraga. On their return trip, they stopped and spent the night with Gerald's father. Their daughters, Nancy and Alice, were with them.

Vina Bailey and Audrey Flaughner of Coldwater Lake called on Mr. and Mrs. Dan Carrick Sunday evening.



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## Coldwater Lake

Marjorie Schafer, Reporter

Hi:

Seems kind of lonely around here today (Monday) without small children around. Last Monday night we went to Mt. Pleasant to look at a paint job and returned to find our son, Ed, and family, from Morrisonville, N.Y., here for a visit. Ed had remarried in June, so we met our new daughter-in-law for the first time. She was the former Mary Ann Swatling of Schenectady, N.Y. They returned home early Monday morning.

Friday night our daughter, Ruth Ann, and family, the Wayne Sherlocks, from Traverse City, came and stayed until Sunday.

Sunday the John Schafer family from Bay City and the Don Schafer family were here. It was the first time in three or four years that our family was together. Two years when Ed was here, Don was in the service.

Other guests here over the weekend were Terry Klumpp, who took family pictures for us, Sue and Charlotte Schafer, Renee Kane, Al and Ruth Klumpp and daughters, Maxine, Donna and Cindy; Grandma Schafer, Bob and Renelda Klumpp and daughters, Penny and Karen, and son, Greg; Russ and Pauline Klumpp and son, Mark, of Remus; Jane Bader; Betty Klumpp and daughter, Diana, and Jerry Wilson of Mt. Pleasant. (One of these days wedding bells will be ringing, as Jerry gave Betty a diamond on her birthday in July.)

Walt and Dellie Wischmeyer's guests this past week were Fred and Helen Graham of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Fortman of Ottawa, O., and Mr. and Mrs. John Finney and children of Miami, Fla.

Pete and Loretta Lorenz spent the weekend with their son, Jack, and family in Rothbury. Camilla, Garth and Curtis Lorenz are spending this week with their grandparents, Pete and Loretta. While in Rothbury, Pete and Loretta helped their grandson Steven celebrate his 17th birthday.

John and Jody Smith called at the Lorenz home Friday. Sunday guests were the Max Straus family and Mr. and Mrs. Al Cashen of Hubbardston.

The Bob Theisen family returned from their vacation trip Sunday. They toured through Upper Michigan and Indian Lakes.

Esther Morford and Gladys Brown stopped in Monday morning. Mabel Walz also called. The Walzes have rented their home here, and are returning to Florida soon.

Guess that's it for this week, so better get busy and try and

catch up on all the work I let go last week while I had company. Marge

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## S. W. Sherman

Goldie Dutcher, Reporter

The Bill Maeders spent from Thursday till Sunday afternoon at Wolverine.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Chaffee called on the Harry Gatehouses Sunday. Beatrice Gatehouse had Sunday supper with the Gary Gatehouses. Brian went home with her to spend the night. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Maeder and Mark were callers.

Dale Dutcher and son, Chris, spent Friday over night and Saturday with his folks, the Clayton Dutchers. Jim and Betty Dutcher and children had Friday supper with them. The girls had spent the day while Jim and Betty were in Clio and Flint.

Patti Dutcher was sick with a virus infection last week. Then Barbara and Douglas had it.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Dutcher called on Minnie Strauch at CMC Hospital Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dutcher and Rex and Dawn and Terri Owen, all of Midland, were Sunday dinner guests of the Clayton Dutchers. They called on the Richard Dutchers in the afternoon. Mrs. Hattie Dobbin and Mrs. Lyons were afternoon callers.

Mr. and Mrs. George Merrihew and Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Merrihew and Orval attended the Huguely reunion at the Weidman park Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Chaffee and Nancy also attended the reunion.

Barbara Vander Sys called on the Orrie Merrihews Tuesday.

Lucile and Edna Merrihew and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher attended the Busy Bees at Florence Hoffman's Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fish and three daughters went home Tuesday, after visiting her folks, the George Merrihews. Their daughter, Kathy, had her appendix removed Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Kirvan have been visiting the George Merrihews.

The Monroe Dutcher family of Clarkston came Sunday to visit their folks, the Ervin Dutchers, Sr., and the George Merrihews.

The Howard Beutlers visited the Robert Tibbetts family at Glen Lake Thursday. Laurel stayed with them till Saturday, and they brought her home, on their way back to Lansing.

Mrs. Dean Denslow and children called on Marion Beutler Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Harshman of Lansing and Coldwater Lake were Sunday dinner guests of the Ervin Dutchers, Jr. Bill Hardenburgh and Floyd Dutcher were visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hines spent Tuesday with the Ervin Dutchers. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gaudard and family were Sunday callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher visited Mrs. Minnie Strauch at CMC Hospital Monday afternoon.

Ronna Jean Dutcher and daughter, Sandra, visited Mrs. Virginia Harshman and Tracy at Coldwater Lake Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Kathy Tabor of Lansing visited Catherine McDaniel and family over the weekend.

Jennie McDaniel spent Monday over night with Karen Dutcher.

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## Local Items

Mildred Garner called on Ina Gillett Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Kushin and daughter, Kimberly, of Waterford were Sunday guests of their grandmother and great-grandmother, Mrs. Kit Johnson. Mr. and Mrs. Dave Brown of rural Mt. Pleasant and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson and two girls were also visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Bakos and family of Ashley spent from Friday night till Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Sprague and girls. They called on Mrs. Bessie Teall at Pleasant Manor Sunday evening, and she was feeling fine.

Mrs. Robert Tibbetts and daughter of East Lansing were Saturday supper guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beutler. They were on their way home from Glen Lake, on their vacation. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Beutler and family were Sunday dinner guests. They all drove to School Section Lake, returning by way of the Canadian Lakes.

Mrs. John Frederick and daughter, Sharon, of Detroit are spending the week with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Martin, at Beal City. They called on Connie at the Messenger office Tuesday afternoon, and enjoyed a ride around Lake of the Hills while here.

David Wood of St. Louis spent the weekend with the Bernard Pitts family. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pitts were Sunday supper guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Grewett of Mt. Pleasant called at the Messenger office Tuesday afternoon, and Clara showed us some delightful creations she is entering in the Isabella County Fair. We bet she takes home a ribbon on the bird with its nest on a simulated piece of wood. It's beautiful. Carl and Clara also called on Mrs. Emily Wood while here.

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## Weidman Messenger

HOME PAPER FOR THE WEST HALF OF ISABELLA COUNTY

## In the Editor's Mail

Dear Connie:

The 8th of September will soon be here, so better send in for the paper before I forget it.

Enjoy the paper very much.  
Hazel Oberlin  
Mecosta

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Dear Connie:

Howard noticed in the news about Fey and Lela spending 10 days in Punta Gorda.

Well, Howard and I left with them, and spent our time at Lehigh Acres and Fort Myers. My brother has lived at Lehigh Acres for eight years, and my niece at Fort Myers for six years.

The two of us got quite a kick out of you and the birds having a nest on your front porch. We had a storm that knocked several bird nests out of the trees, and I raised three robins (in the house), getting up nearly every hour, feeding them. They sure are pets, and when we would go outside (after putting them out), they would land on our heads, and when Howard would come home from work they would light on the car.

On the three-legged police dog: He now has moved in. Howard bought 200 feet of fence and fenced in our yard before we left for Florida, and the neighbors fed him. He now is one of the family, and will never be abused again. Some people can be so cruel to animals. He had been beaten quite badly, and that is why he lost his right hind leg.

Tell your sister Mildred we both enjoyed Fort Myers very much, and found it to be a beautiful city.

Do hope you're all feeling OK.

The Howard Johnsons

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## NEW PRIESTS FOR BEAL CITY AND WINN CHURCHES

Rev. Fr. John McDuffee, pastor of St. Joseph the Worker Church in Beal City since the retirement of Father Neubecker, has been transferred to the Holy Name Parish in Grand Rapids.

Replacing Father McDuffee in Beal City is Rev. Fr. Stanislaus Bur, coming here from Maple City.

St. Leo's Catholic Church at Winn, formerly also served by Father McDuffee, is assigned a new pastor, Rev. Fr. Edward Boucher, of Shepherd.

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Howard Tilmann has been elected to the Board of Directors of the Isabella County State Bank, it was announced last week. Howard has served on the Board of Directors of the Weidman State Bank, now a branch of the Isabella County Bank, since 1966. Howard is a member of the Beal City Knights of Columbus, and also has been active in the Beal City Business Association.

## Brinton News

Frances Beck, Reporter

Hazel Carson of Wayne, Mich., spent from Tuesday till Thursday with Frances Beck.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bush (Irene Forbes) of Florida spent from Tuesday till Thursday with their mother, Mrs. Flossie Forbes. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Forbes of Pontiac also were visitors over the weekend.

Everyone is invited to attend a reception in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Forbes to be held Saturday evening, Aug. 22, at the Brinton Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Geasler spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Don Hyder and family.

The Merry Go Round Club met at the Coldwater Township Park last Thursday, with a large crowd, and enjoyed a picnic dinner. The next meeting will be Sept. 10 at the home of Pauline Wendel.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Teeter and family of Clare were Sunday guests of their mother, Edna Teeter.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tower spent the weekend at their cottage at Houghton Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Leiter and family and Mr. and Mrs. La Verne Forbes were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Fay Forbes. They attended the wedding of their brother, Mike Forbes.

Frank Scott of Suttons Bay was a Saturday caller of his mother and Don Scott.

Fern Verette, Echo Godwin, Janet Beers and Frances Beck attended the Ionia Fair Tuesday.

Bobby Mercer returned home Saturday from a visit with the Frank Scotts of Suttons Bay. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Mercer also called on his mother, Mrs. Mercer, at Farwell, Sunday.

Congratulations go out to our newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Forbes and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beers, who were married Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dunbar and family of Grand Rapids and Dean Beers were weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Beers. They all attended the wedding of Bill Beers and Frances Steinhoff, held Saturday evening near Yale, Mich.

Linda La Londe and Shannon and Dewayne were Sunday dinner guests of her mother, Mrs. Irma Bazaire.

Lorrie Strang of Petoskey spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil La Londe.

Mrs. Whaley's son, Leonard, of near Beaverton called on her Saturday evening.

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### NEWS NOTES

Mrs. Clarence Geitman spent last week in the Alma hospital. She is staying a few days with her children in Mt. Pleasant and Ithaca. She expects to undergo more surgery in September.

## N. Broomfield

Mrs. Arthur Krueger was hostess to the Lutheran Ladies' Aid Wednesday evening.

Jeff and Mark, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lueder, of Holt, spent the past week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Lueder.

Harold Rhode accompanied the Walter Smiths to Traverse City Wednesday, where a group enjoyed all the exhibits at the museum.

Mrs. E. R. Rhode and Harold called on the Emil Lueders recently, in honor of Emil's birthday.

Súsie and Linda Danol of Northville were guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Baldwin and Lee Joyce and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Best and Kay of Grand Rapids were Sunday guests of Mrs. Nettie Crowley.

The Robert Hogg family spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hines.

Mrs. Cleo Wiley of Pontiac called on Mrs. E. R. Rhode Saturday.

Mrs. Lillian Leinaar of Delton spent a few days with her cousins, Mrs. Nettie Crowley and Jay Leinaar.

Mrs. Elaine Kuske and children of Wisconsin spent some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Strong.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lueder were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Lueder. The occasion was Richard's birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lueder of Holt and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pung and children were Saturday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Lueder.

Mrs. E. R. Rhode and Harold attended a birthday party at the Joe Gostola home in Mt. Pleasant Monday evening. The occasion honored the birthdays of Dixie and Mike. Other guests were Mrs. Robert Bollman and son, Mike, Mrs. Lucille Robinson, Mrs. Robert Campbell and Valerie, Lynett, Karen and Mark. The youngsters enjoyed the pool in the yard.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Perkins and sons of Lapeer spent the weekend with her parents, the Rudolph Lueders.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lueder spent Saturday in Big Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Orves Cook spent Saturday evening at the Coldwater Lake Inn with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Nolte.

The Richard Cooks and Jack Cooks attended their class reunion Sunday at Coldwater Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lueder called at the Crowley-Leinaar home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gostola and Dixie were Sunday evening visitors of Mrs. E. R. Rhode.

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BETTER THAN A LETTER

### NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Don Papesch and daughter of Quincy were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Garold St. John and family. Clarabel Miller also visited her nephew and niece, the St. Johns, and family. In the evening the St.

Johns visited her grandmother, Mrs. Dora Hess, at Midland. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Weathers of Elkhart, Ind., and Joy Gillespie of Bay City, were guests of Mrs. Leila Shook over the weekend.

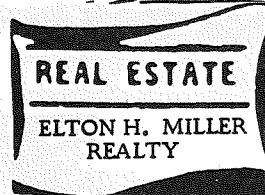
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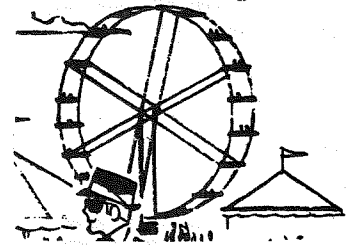
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# AUGUST 25th-29th



## TUESDAY THRU SATURDAY

### TUESDAY, AUGUST 25th (Entry Day)

9:00 A.M. Entries Received  
(See page 78 for details)  
8:00 P.M. MISS ISABELLA COUNTY PAGEANT  
Selection of Queen of the Fair  
Grandstand prices - Adults \$1.50  
Children 50¢ (12 and under)

### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26th (Children's Day)

9:30 A.M. Judging of Sheep and Swine  
1:00 P.M. Beef Judging  
1:00 P.M. TRACTOR PULLING - Class D  
Grandstand prices - Adults \$.75  
Children 25¢ (12 and under)  
8:00 P.M. DEMOLITION DERBY - Thrill Show  
Grandstand prices - Adults \$1.50  
Children 75¢ (12 and under)  
Finale - Fireworks

### THURSDAY, AUGUST 27th (Farmers' Day)

9:00 A.M. HORSE SHOW - (Free Grandstand)  
9:30 A.M. Judging of Dairy Exhibits  
1:00 P.M. TRACTOR PULLING - Class A  
Grandstand prices - Adults \$.75  
Children - 25¢ (12 and under)  
8:00 P.M. LIVESTOCK PARADE  
8:30 P.M. LIVESTOCK AUCTION - STEERS-HOGS-LAMBS  
Grandstand prices - Adults \$1.00  
Children 50¢ (12 and under)

### FRIDAY, AUGUST 28th

(Merchants' Day)

10:00 A.M. Livestock Judging Contest  
1:00 P.M. Dairy Judging Contest  
1:00 P.M. HORSE PULLING CONTEST  
Grandstand prices - Adults \$1.00  
Children 50¢ (12 and under)  
6:30 P.M. PRESENTATION OF 4-H SPECIAL AWARDS  
7:00 P.M. WAYLON JENNINGS - COUNTRY MUSIC  
AND SHOW (2 Shows)  
9:00 P.M. Grandstand prices - Adults \$1.50  
Children 75¢ (12 and under)

### SATURDAY, AUGUST 29th

(Senior Citizens' Day)

12:30 P.M. PONY PULLING CONTEST  
Grandstand prices - Adults \$1.00  
Children 50¢ (12 and under)  
3:00 P.M. Entries released (all exhibits removed  
by 6 p.m.)  
7:00 P.M. TRACTOR PULLING - Class B and C  
Grandstand prices - Adults \$1.00  
Children 50¢ (12 and under)  
Finale - Fireworks



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