

# The Weidman Messenger

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WHEN A BANK MOVES ITS MONEY BAGS AND SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES--It's a once-in-a-lifetime scene for people of a small town like Weidman. The bank moved the money and valuables-boxes without fanfare Saturday morning, by truck from Tilmann Hardware; and with Deputy Sheriff Wayne Sisco standing by with his riot gun at the ready. Another Sheriff's car was parked nearby. The transfer went smoothly and without incident, and bank employees worked through the weekend getting the beautiful new building's interior ready for visitors--with business as usual--Tuesday morning. Saturday was a hectic day for the bank people, with the necessity of settling everything into the new place, no small task; the interior shined and polished, while outside blacktop surfacing and rolling-out of instant lawn sod went on. Messenger photo

## BREAKIN, ARMED ROBBERY IN OUR AREA THIS WEEK

The Weidman Baptist Church reported a breakin early Saturday morning when someone broke two windows to enter and stole a new microphone installation.

An area home also was entered, by one man apparently with a knife, demanding money of the terrified occupants.

Two doors of the home were smashed in for entry, and about \$100 was taken from the home.

State Police were investigating the possibly-related crimes.

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Clayton Smith has been in CMC Hospital the past week. He was hoping to come home early this week.

## FARMERS TO OFFER FRESH BEEF, WISCONSIN CHEESE AT OPEN MARKET FRIDAY

Members of the National Farmers Organization will hold another straight-from-the-farm sale of beef and Wisconsin Cheddar cheese this Friday, May 30, in the parking lot at the Union Township Hall near Mt. Pleasant.

The sale will start at 8 a. m., and farmers will offer ground beef in five-pound packages at \$5.00 for the package. The whole beef will be ground up, including the choice steak cuts, into ultra-choice hamburger.

The cheese is offered at \$1.25 per pound in five and six pound packages.

The farmers say this is their ef-

fort to get meat to the consumer straight from the farms, with no middlemen involved.

The meat is not offered at cheaper prices--but the entire sale price will be going to the farmers.

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## MEMORIAL DAY PARADE AND SERVICES IN WEIDMAN

At the annual Memorial Day parade from the Methodist Church to Mitchell Memorial Park in Weidman Monday, Margo Schafer, daughter of the Leon Schafers, won first prize for the best trimmed bicycle. Mike Smith, son of the Don Smith, won second, Gary Riley, son of the Bernard Rileys, won third

and Joey Fairchild, son of Mrs. Janet Fairchild, won fourth.

The American Legion Color Guard from Barryton added much to the ceremonies. Rev. Marvin Eldridge delivered the eulogy, and Rev. Hurtz the prayer.

Music was furnished by the Chippewa Hills Junior High School Band.

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## REBEKAH CARD PARTY IS JUNE 3 AT WEIDMAN

The next card party at the Weidman Rebekahs' Hall will be Tuesday afternoon, June 3. Everyone is invited.

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**North Weidman**

Elvah Gott, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Abbott and family and Dewey Ball and Carol Mann and daughter, Lisa, were dinner guests of the Norman Abbotts Sunday.

Marilyn Belt of Wyoming, Mich., is spending a week with Judy Abbott.

Paula Maeder is still gaining, still walking with a walker, doing her work with the help of Dale and the children.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Aldrich of Lansing and Jim Wright of Pontiac spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Max Aldrich and Kelli. They enjoyed some fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Micky Abbott and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Parker and family went camping at School Section Lake over the weekend, returning home Monday.

Visitors at our home during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gott and family of Stanton, Wanda and Debbie Graham, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gott, and Flossie Allen of Winn. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gott of Farwell and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Peacock of Brown City were also visitors. Debby Graham called on Lee Ann Abbott Monday.

Mrs. Helen Alwood and Cathy and Miss Joyce Smith called on Mrs. Hermione Smith at Pleasant Manor in Mt. Pleasant Sunday afternoon. Joyce has a summer nursing job at the Medical Care Facility in Mt. Pleasant. Donny Alwood and Jim Kowal-

eski spent Monday afternoon fishing at the Kowaleski farm.

Mrs. Helen Alwood and Cathy enjoyed the Memorial Day parade at Remus and Mecosta, where the Chippewa Hills Senior Marching Band played. There was a good turnout at both towns, and the weather was good.

Mrs. Gerry Sperry and family of Pensacola, Florida, came to the home of his parents, the Lloy Sperrys, last Thursday, May 22. He will be shipped out soon. This was the first time they had been home in four years. He still has two years to serve in the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Blodgett of Flint spent the weekend at the Sperry home.

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**West Gilmore**

Lena Cole, Reporter

Bess Pfannes came home from CMC Hospital Friday.

Several friends and neighbors called Thursday evening to help Velma Cole celebrate her birthday.

Beulah Wixson is on the gain, and is out of intensive care at CMC Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cole called on her Tuesday.

Danny Kripa, Jr., was called back to work at Dow's, after several months' layoff.

Mrs. Helen Allbee visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. Zena Olger, and her brother-in-law and sister, the Paul Coles, Tuesday.

Mrs. Larry Straus and son, Mark, called on their cousins, the Paul Coles, Tuesday.

Eleanor (Hamilton) Warner and children, Sherry and Andy, visited their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Ellsworth, at Littlefield Lake, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Walter and friends of Houghton Lake visited his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sebastian Pfannes, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Ellsworth and children, Debbie, Dougie, and Danny, and Bruce Hamilton and children, Sarah and Brian, are camping at Littlefield Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mahon and children, Missy and Ronnie, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ganser and children, Jackie and Mary and Jennie and Angela, of South Bend, Ind., were Sunday dinner guests of the Paul Coles, with pot-luck fare. Other guests of

the Coles Sunday were the Marvin Ellsworths and children and Bruce Hamilton and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Straus and Margaret and Mark, and Mr. and Mrs. Benn Dean and niece.

Lena Cole visited her cousin, Violet King, at CMC Hospital, last Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Bushree were in Midland one day last week. They had dinner in Remus Saturday. They visited the canoe camp north of Harrison Sunday. Their daughter, Wanda Jean Bissett, of Ann Arbor, came Sunday to spend till Wednesday with them.

Mrs. Cleo Watson (Grace Woolworth) of Saginaw was a Sunday afternoon visitor of Connie Skinner.

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 May 22t2p

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 May29t2

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 located corner M-20 and Cold-  
 water Road. Lunch served 11  
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## the Churches

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 644-3504.  
 Sunday School, 10 a. m.  
 Morning Service, 11 a. m.  
 Evening Service, 7.30 p. m.

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WEIDMAN UNITED METHODIST  
 Rev. Athel Lynch, Pastor, 2163  
 2nd Street, Weidman.  
 Office phone 644-3336, parson-  
 age 644-3441.  
 Church School, 9.45 a. m.  
 Worship Service, 11 a. m.  
 Sharing and prayer Thursday,  
 7.30 p. m.  
 Pot luck dinner third Sunday,  
 1 p. m.  
 U. M. W., 1st and 3rd Thurs-  
 days, 3 p. m.  
 Methodist Men, 4th Saturday,  
 6.30 p. m.

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WEIDMAN CHURCH OF THE  
 NAZARENE  
 Rev. William Hurt, Pastor  
 Phone 644-3604.  
 Sunday School, 10 a. m.  
 Morning Worship, 11 a. m.  
 Choir practice, 6.30 p. m.  
 Evening Service, 7.30 p. m.  
 Prayer Service Wednesday,  
 7.30 p. m.

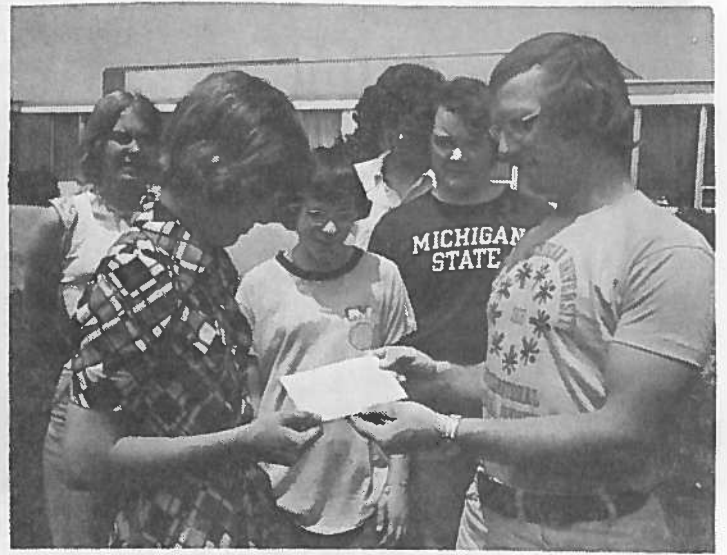
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GILMORE CHURCH of CHRIST  
 Corner Coleman and Vandecar  
 Roads, Gilmore Township.  
 George Getchel, minister.  
 Morning Worship, 9.30 a. m.  
 Bible School, 10.45 a. m.  
 Evening Worship, 7 p. m.

Revival services were well at-  
 tended recently, with Ali Jar-  
 man as evangelist. The series  
 was considered very successful.

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ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH  
 Broomfield: Located six miles  
 south of Weidman on Coldwater  
 Road.  
 Rev. Edwin Schmelzer, Pastor.  
 Sunday School, 9.15 a. m.  
 Worship Service, 10.45 a. m.  
 Ladies' Aid meets on second  
 Wednesday of each month.



STUDENTS AT BEAL CITY HIGH SCHOOL--Have contributed  
 \$200.00 to sponsor an athlete during the International Special  
 Olympics. The money was raised through a car wash, quilt  
 raffle, Superstars competition, and pop sale. Pictured above  
 are representatives of the clubs which organized the activities  
 as they present a check to Dean Wallin of CMU. Left to right  
 are Terri Kurtz, Home Ec Club and GAA; Barb Schumacher,  
 GAA; Kathy Pung, Home Ec Club; Joe McDonald, FFA; Wayne  
 Smith, National Honor Society; and Dean Wallin of CMU. The  
 students have chosen to sponsor an athlete from Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Neubecker  
 and sons, John, Joe and Edward,  
 of Milwaukee, spent Memorial  
 Day with their mother, Mrs. Eliz-  
 abeth Neubecker. Mr. and Mrs.  
 Jerry Martin of Benton Harbor  
 were Saturday dinner guests.  
 BETTER THAN A LETTER

### VETERAN'S ATTENTION

**Disabled American Veteran's  
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 Surrey Rd., Clare, Mich. 7:00 P.M.  
 Every 3rd Thursday Of Each Month**

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 attend — Bring your wife or  
 husband**

**This New Post Is Called  
 "GATEWAY POST 134"**



### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PROPOSED ROAD CLOSURE  
 BASELINE ROAD  
 Sec. 1, Broomfield & 36 Sherman Twps.

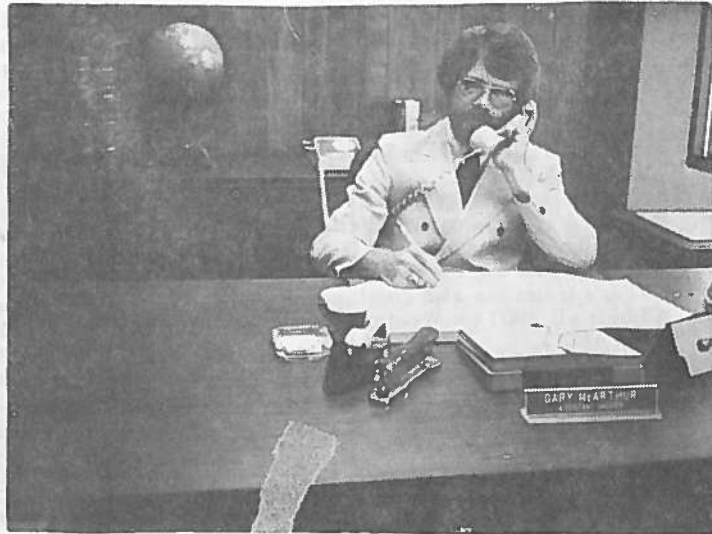
A request having been filed in the office of the Isabella  
 County Road Commission by Lake Isabella Corporation  
 for the closure of Baseline Road between School Road  
 and Coldwater Road, Sections 1, Broomfield Township,  
 and Section 36, Sherman Township; a public hearing will  
 be held at the office of the Road Commission, 2261 E.  
 Remus Road, Mt. Pleasant, Michigan, on Thursday, June  
 12, at 10:00 A.M.

At that time all objections to and/or support for the  
 proposed closure will be heard by the Board of County  
 Road Commissioners of Isabella County. Written statements  
 regarding the closure will be received by the Board at that  
 time provided they are received at the above address prior  
 to the hour of the hearing.

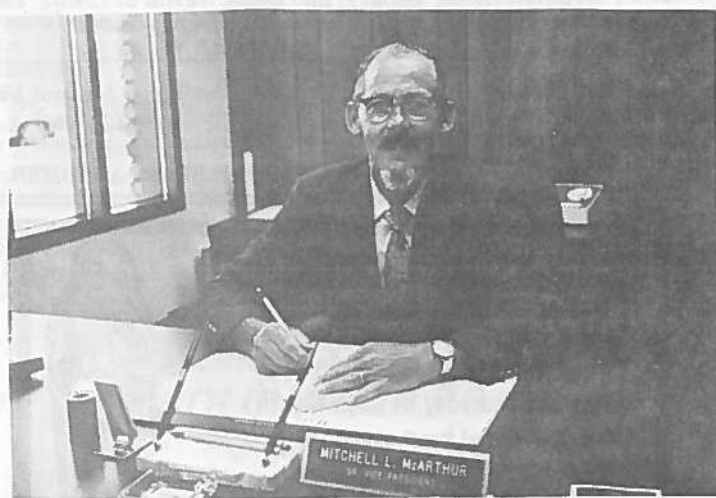
ISABELLA COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION  
 Lionel Duncan, Chairman



THE WEIDMAN BRANCH--Of the Isabella Bank and Trust officially opened Tuesday morning, with a ribbon-cutting ceremony hosted by M. L. McArthur, Senior Vice President of Isabella Bank and Trust, and Gary McArthur, cashier and manager of the Weidman Branch, helping hold the ribbon. Tony Tilmann, Ragolt Hauck and Joe Stevens cut the ribbon, being the oldest members of the bank's Board of Directors. Larry Johns, president of Isabella Bank and Trust, and Alan Morrow, Chairman of the Board, were present as honored members.  
Messenger photos



CASHIER GARY McARTHUR--In his new office.



SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT MITCHELL McARTHUR  
In his office at the new bank building.



OPEN FOR BUSINESS! A waiting crowd of customers attended the opening ceremonies--and then did their banking at tellers' windows as soon as the doors were opened.

## Beal City

Dora Smith, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Snyder of Remus visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keiffer Sunday.

Elizabeth Rickenheiser called on Louise Schafer Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Schafer and family of Shepherd were Sunday callers of Mrs. Schafer.

Orrie Farner and Penny and Laurie Foster of Mt. Pleasant were Sunday callers.

Karen, Ruth, Sandy and Julie Sunderman of Shepherd were Sunday callers.

Open House was held at the home of Bob Schafer Sunday, for their son, Steven, who graduated from the Beal City High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Lane of Grand Rapids spent the weekend with the Bob Schafers.

The Terry Schafers moved into their new home on Baseline Road over the weekend.

Tillie Schafer spent Sunday at the Oscar Schafer home at Green Lake, near Winn.

Mr. Joe Gross is visiting her

daughter in California.

Vern Crittenden called on Mrs. Louise Smith Tuesday afternoon. He also called on the John Fedewas.

Mrs. Helen Bywater and Mrs. Paul Esch visited Mrs. Joe Pung Sunday afternoon, with the new Bywater baby.

Julie Pung and girl friend of St. Johns visited Mrs. Pung Sunday afternoon.

Ella Tilmann is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Tilmann.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Funnell called on Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rau Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Blasen and son of St. Johns called on Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blasen Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Trowbridge and family of Midland spent Sunday afternoon with the Blasens.

Mrs. Ed Fussman called on Louise Smith and Dora Thursday morning.

Mrs. Rose Grininger was a Friday afternoon caller of Mrs. Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Don Tilmann and Mrs. Ella Tilmann were callers also.

Dora Smith did some house-cleaning for the Don Fedewas.



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**JESSIE ROSENCRANTZ ENJOYS HER SPECIAL VIOLETS**--At her home south of Horr. The violets are truly unusual, very large (giant size, actually), very red, with some white varieties for good measure. Jessie has worked for years to get a start on her prized everblooming giant violets. Messenger photo

**Around Horr**

Jessie Rosencrantz, Reporter

**THREE YEAR OLD HURT WHEN SNOWMOBILE STARTS UP**

Three-year-old Kelly Martin, daughter of the Greg Martins, was slightly injured when the snowmobile she was sitting on started up

after her father left the machine a moment while mowing the lawn.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson and Randy and Lorri and Wayne Utley and Judy Gudelskey of Lansing were Sunday guests at the Jim Thompson home. All except Miss Gudelskey were overnight guests.

Mrs. Cora Shippee and Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Carroll, Mrs. Lena Martin and Brenda and Alma Byron were Sunday guests of the Joe Martin family. Alma was an overnight guest.

Irving Cummins of Lansing was a Sunday caller at the Alva Cummins home.

Mrs. Elsa Bolinger, Mrs. Edna Merrihew and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Kirvan were Saturday callers at the Sterling Oplinger home.

Mrs. Elsa Bolinger, Mrs. Edna Merrihew and Mr. and Mrs. Del Kirvan were Saturday callers at the Sterling Oplinger home.

Mrs. Herman Koos of Grand Ledge was a Saturday evening caller of the Oplingers.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Himebaugh of Houghton Lake were Sunday callers at the Oplinger home.

Mrs. Nettie Lawrence and Mrs. Myrl Scott went to Indiana last Tuesday to visit their sister, Mrs. George Gannon. Mr. and Mrs. Garth Lawrence and Pam spent the weekend with his mother.

About 50 attended a family re-

union at the Mack Denslow home Sunday.

Gerald and Mabel Dent spent the weekend at Sault Ste. Marie. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dent and boys of Lansing spent the weekend at the Dent home.

My callers during last week were Mrs. Steve Tillis, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilson of Lakeview, Mrs. Connie Skinner and Mrs. Mildred Garner, and Floyd Dutcher and Monroe Beckwith.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Oplinger, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dutcher, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Krauss, spent Sunday evening at Coldwater Lake.

Mrs. Helen Slider and Mrs. Diane Harrison and son spent from Tuesday till Friday at the Oplinger home. Ray and Opal Fahnestock and son of Taylor and Bob and Lola Fahnestock of Plymouth spent the weekend with their folks, the Charles Fahnestocks.

Mrs. Kate Wood and Mrs. Flora Wood attended a bridal shower

honoring Beth Lynn Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Wood, at the home of Mrs. Frank Myers in Mt. Pleasant, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Violet Oplinger and I spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Hattie Losey.

Charlie and Hattie Losey took Mr. and Mrs. Alva Cummins last Thursday to their place, for an afternoon's visit, and supper.

Mrs. Bessie Price, Mrs. Lydia Large and Ivan Dutcher were Friday afternoon callers of Hattie Losey. Ivan was much better, after spending some time in CMC Hospital.

Floyd Dutcher and Monroe Beckwith were Saturday dinner guests of Charlie and Hattie Losey.

Harold Losey and Harvey Hunt were Sunday morning callers at the Losey home. Harold and Lois Losey were afternoon callers. Mr. and Mrs. Theron Merrihew were Sunday evening callers.

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## Brinton News

Frances Beck, Reporter

Helen Strang and girls of Missouri came Friday and they attended graduating class at Ferris State College, where they received Larry's diploma on a refrigeration and air conditioning course.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Baker planned to visit their son, Larry, and family at White Pine, Mich., this week, and spend some time of their vacation at Charlevoix, where their trailer is stationed.

Connie Fletcher and mother, Irene Bowen, attended a Wild West show at Blanchard Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Metzger of Bailey spent Sunday night with Dad and me, and decorated graves at Lake and Brinton. They went on to Harrison where they spent a few days with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Knorr and family of Lansing spent the holiday with his mother, Edna Teeter.

Irene Bowen and Connie Fletcher

## CLIFF BEUTLER COMPLETES TECHNICAL COURSE

Cliff Beutler, an installation and maintenance service man for General Telephone Company at Mt. Pleasant, has completed a technical course in coin telephone installation and maintenance at the company's service training center in Muskegon.

Objective of the five-day course is to enable the participant to install and maintain all types of coin telephone sets. His study included installation, tracing talk and dial paths, coin deposit circuitry, and collect and refund circuits.

Cliff, with his wife Maxine and their daughter, live in Mt. Pleasant. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Beutler of Brinton, and a graduate of Weidman High School.

He has been employed by the company since 1970.

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## OVER 500 IN ATTENDANCE DAILY AT MID MICHIGAN MUSHROOM FESTIVAL

At the second annual Mid Michigan Mushroom Festival during

## Two Rivers

Blanche Carr, Reporter

Mrs. Lovica Krueger spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Krueger and family.

Mrs. Kate Martin is on a trip to Tennessee with her daughter and son-in-law, the John Schupbachs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Dutcher and their daughter, Lou Ann, were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hines.

Mr. and Mrs. Orves Cook and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bergquist went to Prescott Monday.

Timmie and Kristin MacGregor of St. Louis spent Saturday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Garrett.

Mrs. Paul Lueder and son, Ralph, took Mrs. Nettie Crowley and Jay Leinaar to the cemetery at Sparta Friday.

Blanche Carr spent from Saturday till Wednesday night at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Strahle, of St. Johns.

Mrs. Ella Crowley of Blanchard was a Saturday afternoon guest of Mrs. Nettie Crowley and Jay Leinaar.

Mr. and Mrs. William Combs of Lansing were weekend guests of Mrs. Ella Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Carr and Melissa and Mrs. Elizabeth Billsby of Merrill and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Plank and Pennie of Wheeler visited Mrs. Blanche Carr Monday.

Ernest Lueder and two daughters of Farmington visited the Herman, Otto and Paul Lueders last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cook entertained friends and neighbors and relatives Thursday evening, in honor of Mrs. Cook's graduation.

Mrs. Lorraine Schultz of Lansing spent Sunday and Monday with her mother and brother, Mrs. E. R. Rhode and Harold.

Mrs. Rhode and Harold called on Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rhode Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Keith Baumann and Lisa were also visitors.

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## Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goodrich entertained about 25 relatives and friends over the Memorial Day weekend, on their way to other places.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Bremay of Bay City were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Phillips. They brought Mrs. Phillips' brother, Frank Durham, to spend the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cotter of Lansing were calling on old friends here the weekend, on their way north with their vacation trailer.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Allen, Jr., and family of St. Louise spent Memorial Day with his mother, Mrs. Alton Allen.

## Walker Creek News

Mary Loomis, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Gary St. John hosted a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of their daughter, Nancy, who celebrated her seventh birthday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Orville Bates and Marty of Clare, Mr. and Mrs. Don Zill and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Papesh of Tekonsha, Mrs. Ida Bazaire, and Nancy's friend, Chris Herman.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Monroe spent Sunday over night at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Blane Monroe, at Brinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Longcore and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Longcore of Traverse City called on their cousin, Arthur Loomis, at CMC Hospital during the week. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Loomis of Lansing were Friday visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Finney and boys were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Denslow. Leo and Evelyn were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilmot of Weidman were Saturday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Voss. Mrs. Steve Voss and children were Sunday callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Skalitzy returned home Saturday from a week's fishing trip to Drummond Island. On their way home they called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Loomis at Kalkaska.

Their Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. John Beutler and Pearl Loomis of Utica. Vada Conley was also a caller.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Dillenbeck were visitors during the weekend of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Louisell, Jr., at their cottage at Crooked Lake. They were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Dent. Jerry and Eva Middlesworth were Friday evening visitors at the Dillenbeck home.

Larry Wilcox of Carswell Air Force Base in Texas is spending a 10-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilcox, and family. Their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Morales, of Alma, were Sunday dinner guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Peeper and son, Jim, of Lansing spent the weekend with us. Monday we all enjoyed the Memorial parade at Mecosta, in which the CHHS Band participated.

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Mrs. Claribel Beutler attended the Sixth Grade operetta at the Remus school last Wednesday evening, and the Music Festival at the Chippewa Hills High School Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Barbour of Lansing spent the Memorial Day weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Pitts.

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