

Jas. A. Mitteer Passes On Sunday Night

This village was shocked Sunday evening to hear of the sudden passing of Jas. A. Mitteer, aged 63 years, at his home here.

Mr. Mitteer had been in business here a great many years, not only as a coal dealer, but a farmer and horseman. He was also a member of the local F. & A. M. Lodge.

He is survived by his wife, Georgia; one son Robert, at home, one daughter, Mrs. Marie Knight of Lansing, and six grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Ruth Clark of Gregory.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 2, from the Milner funeral home, Stockbridge. Interment in Oaklawn cemetery.

LETTER FROM INDIA

From Roland Cobb somewhere in India:

May 1, 1944

Dear Mother and all,

Well long time no write, huh? However I shall try and make this a long letter to make up for it. I have been doing nothing the last few days but visiting and sight-seeing here in this India City. I must say it has all been very interesting. Most prominent thing to be noticed is the number of beggars and their persistence that you give them alms. Every lady that has a small child in arms seems to be out begging. They speak some English, runs about like this, "Hello Joe, Hello George, Good evening George. Give me change, gimme change. No paps, no mams, no brother, no sister. Hello Joe", etc., etc. You really have to get rough with them to make them leave too. Then there are fellows with monkeys and if you don't tip them, they sic the monkey on you. The other day I was walking down the street when one of the monkeys ran up my pant leg. We have to purchase "quirts" to protect ourselves from them. We ride around in horse and buggy and observe all the sights. We see people lying out on the sidewalks sleeping, and natives sitting on their haunches. I doubt if they could sit up in a chair in a natural way. The buildings on a whole, are very fine looking, but their looks are spoiled by store fronts. No store is over 8'x10', most of them smaller. The proprietor sits in front on his haunches and barbers. Once in a while you see a rather nice looking clothing store, but seldom.

Right now I'm sitting in Officer's Club in town writing letters and drinking iced tea. It's rather cool in here, but still the perspiration is terrific. Yesterday we took in the zoo, museum, and beach. Then ate a swell chicken dinner at a Chinese restaurant. Afterward went to the theatre and saw "Best Foot Forward". Saturday night we attended a dance here. I managed to get in four or five dances, some with nurses and some with native girls.

Did I tell you that one of the pilots that came all the way with me is from Alma and knows some people in Grayling that I know, and he hunts deer in the same territory we do. We are living in tents and meals at the post are pretty poor.

Hoping I receive some mail from the states soon. Love, Roland.

May 5th

Dear Folks:

Well here I sit melting away in this terrific heat of India. I still have not reached my final stop, but only because my engineer is in the hospital. The food is pretty poor at most of these places and guess he got a little food poisoning which is quite common here.

I guess you can remember how I used to sweat putting up hay, you should see me now just sitting here writing, water running down my arms and back in streams. It is well over 100 in the best shade.

Well, it finally happened! They are splitting Johnny and I up after a year and a half of being together. We wait until we are right at the front when they split us up. We will be nearly 800 miles apart. We both feel pretty bad about it.

I have rented a bicycle and am going to the hospital to see how my engineer is getting along. It is rumored that the Air-force I am in will stay 22 months before we come home so maybe I'll see you in '46.

Hope this finds you well and happy. Be sure and write often. Love to all. Roland.

Address: F-O Roland J. Cobb, T-61239, A. P. O. 433, per Postmaster, New York, N. Y.

Card of Thanks

I wish to express my sincere thanks to all my friends and neighbors for their beautiful cards, flowers and gifts during my stay in Mercy Hospital and at home. Also Dr. Beckwith and Dr. Cudner and the nurses for the care given me during my illness. Mrs. Francis Jesse.

5th and 6th Grade Buy \$1,880 Worth of Bonds and Stamps

The fifth and sixth grades are to be highly commended on their excellent work of buying War bonds and stamps, collecting scrap metal, and waste paper.

They earned \$21.80 on the scrap metal sale, which was used to purchase library books.

Stamps and bond sales amounted to \$1,880 for the past year, averaging about \$47.22 per person per year.

They feel this has been due to the spirit of co-operation existing in this room.

Notice!

Red Cross will work Wednesday next week due to Decoration Day on Tuesday.

School Notes

Graduation will be held Thursday evening in the High School Auditorium at 8:15 P. M.

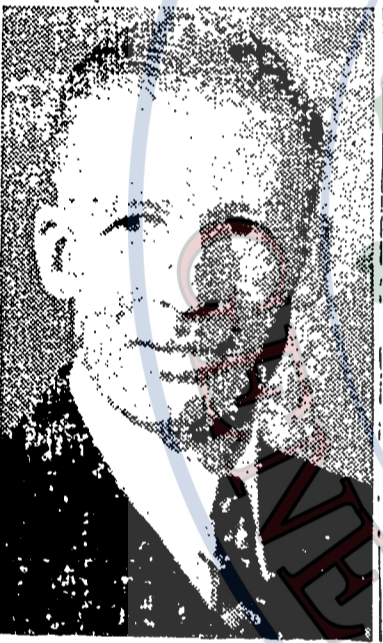
This will be the 50th class to graduate from Stockbridge, next year being the 50th anniversary of the Stockbridge High School. Let's plan a celebration for next year.

Report cards will be given out Friday at 9:00 A. M.

The School Classes are not sponsoring any outings on Friday, due to lack of transportation and the fact that only a few from each class wanted to go under school supervision.

Miss Lillian Robinson, first and second grade teacher in the Stockbridge public school, remained away from school this week due to the sickness and death of her mother at Grand Ledge. The Faculty and Student body join in sending their deepest sympathy.

Out For Drain Commissioner



LaVerne J. Hendryx announces that he is a candidate for nomination for County Drain Commissioner on the Republican ticket in the primary election July 11, 1944.

He is a Registered Professional Engineer and a Registered Land Surveyor.

O. E. S. NOTES

Stockbridge Chapter No. 143 O. E. S. will honor the Past Matrons and Past Patrons at the next regular meeting June 14th. Program Committee Ruth Ann Crandall and Frances Dancer. Refreshment Committee, Emma Willmore, Doris and Marguerite Stanfield. Potluck lunch will be served.

There will be no special meeting of O. E. S. June 7th and no practice for officers on June 6th, as planned at the last meeting.

Seeks Probate Job



Marvin J. Salmon, who has been Assistant Prosecuting Attorney of Ingham county for nearly four years has announced his candidacy for the office of Judge of Probate.

A few of those Handy Cook Books left, at the Brief-Sun office. Only 10c.

GRADUATING EXERCISES

Stockbridge High School



COMMENCEMENT NIGHT, MAY 25, 1944
8:15 P. M.

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| Processional | Mrs. Ethel Glenn |
| Invocation | Rev. M. C. Harlow |
| "America" | |
| Salutatory | Miss Doris Lehman |
| Cornet Solo | Robert Berry |
| Commencement Address | Dr. Luther Purdom |
| Selection | University of Michigan High School Glee Club |
| Valedictory Address | Mrs. Nichol; directing |
| Presentation the Class of '44 | Miss Jeanne Felton |
| Presentation Diplomas | J. P. Boushelle |
| | Mr. Arthur Wilde |
| | Pres. of the Board of Education |
| Benediction | Rev. Frederick Behner |
| Recessional | Mrs. Ethel Glenn |

CLASS NIGHT, MAY 24, 1944

8:15 P. M.

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| Class Song | Senior Class |
| Class History | Georgia Winterrowd |
| Male Quartet | Harvey Smith; Robert Munsell; Richard Grosshans; Robert Price |
| Class Pessimist | Donna Wilson |
| Class Will | Josephine Spadafore; Mary Harr |
| Instrumental Trio | Harvey Smith; Dick Morrissey; Roberta Munsell |
| Class Poem | Charlotte Batdorff |
| Class Prophecy | Roberta Munsell; Onalee Batdorff |
| Class Optimist | James Moeckel |
| Presentation of Key | Richard Grosshans |
| Giftatory | Cerietta Williams; Jeanne Felton |

Class Roll...

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| Charlotte Batdorff | James Moeckel |
| Onalee Batdorff | Richard Morrissey |
| Charles Blanchard | Robert Munsell |
| Max Boyce | Roberta Munsell |
| Jean Cavendar | Ralph Myer |
| John Donahue | Donna Jean Pickell |
| Jeanne Felton | Robert Price |
| Virginia Goodwin | Nadene Seils |
| Richard Grosshans | Harvey Smith |
| Donald Harr | Josephine Spadafore |
| Mary Harr | Cerietta Williams |
| Doris Lehman | Donna Wilson |
| Betty McGauley | Georgia Winterrowd |
| Mary Millhouse | Earl Worden |

IN THE CHURCHES

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Dr. Frederick G. Behner

May 28th, Memorial Sunday, will be celebrated with an appropriate sermon on "I have fought the good fight"; we will be honored with the attendance of the I. O. O. F., occupying a reserved section in the center row of seats.

The movie to be shown in the Intermediate room after the Bible lesson next Sunday will be entitled "How China Makes a Living".

The Young People's Christian Endeavor Society Convention for the state of Michigan will be held in Muskegon on June 22-25. Their weekly meeting under the guidance of Miss Betty Lou Owen and Mrs. Sylvia Dieterle is called for next Tuesday, 8:00 P. M.

The Women's Guild, postponed because of the funeral of Mr. James Mitteer, will gather at 1:00 P. M. today for a pot luck luncheon at the beautiful summer home of Mrs. Caspar Glenn.

Plans for the Daily Vacation Bible School the first two weeks in June are well under way. We need three or four voluntary teachers to complete the faculty—the inexperienced can be used to advantage also.

METHODIST CHURCH

Nellie Stephens, Pastor
Stockbridge and Collins Memorial, Unadilla

The morning worship service will be held at 10 at Stockbridge and 12:15 at Unadilla. Church School follows the service at Stockbridge and precedes the Unadilla service.

This Sunday will be Missionary Sunday in the Church School. The program will be in charge of the Junior Class under the direction of Mrs. Howard Williams and Mrs. Clayton Cain.

There will be a sub-district meeting for Daily Vacation Bible School workers held in our church Thursday afternoon at 1:00. Anyone inter-

ested in this work is cordially invited to attend.

There will be a meeting of the Daily Vacation Bible School Board and all who are going to work in school at the Methodist Church, Friday evening at 7:30.

Union choir rehearsal in preparation for Memorial Day Services will be held in the Methodist Church, Friday evening, at 8:30.

Our financial year closes May 31st. Any contributions or pledges may be handed to Mrs. W. H. Caskey, church treasurer, or to Clayton L. Cain, chairman of the Board of Stewards.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Maurice C. Harlow, Pastor

Morning Worship 10 A. M. (EWT-Communion Service.
Church School, 11:15

6:15 P. M. All who are members of young people's class or Fidelity class requested to meet at church to practice for program to be presented at Millville.

7:30 P. M. Cars leave church to attend evening service at Millville Methodist Church. Rev. Fockler and the folk of Millville Church are to be our hosts for the evening. Rev. M. C. Harlow will bring the evening message. If you desire a ride to Millville get in touch with Rev. Harlow or Keith Smith.

GREGORY CHURCH

Rev. F. S. Kendall

Sunday, 11:00 A. M. Morning Service "Remembrance"
Sunday School 12:00 noon
Young People's Hour 7:30 p. m.
Evening Service 8:30 p. m. "Preparedness"
Friday, 2:30 P. M. Women's Missionary Society at Miss Nellie Denton's 8:00 P. M. Prayer Meeting

Notice!

Board of Review for Stockbridge Township will meet at the Town Hall June 6th and 7th to review Roll and the 12th and 13th to hear complaints. John Brogan, Supervisor.

Rowe Memorial Hospital

Mrs. Wiley Usher is in the hospital for medical care.

Mrs. Edith Heydecluff is improving slowly.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. August Ramp of Grass Lake May 18, a daughter, Rita Jean.

Mrs. Wynn Boyce and daughter are getting along nicely.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Otto Little, a son, May 19th. They were discharged May 21.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Roberson, a son, May 22nd, weight 7 lbs. 11 oz. They are getting along nicely.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kaiser, a still born son, May 22nd. She is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Robt. Stoffer was admitted for medical care May 22.

Daily Vacation Bible School

Plans are rapidly taking shape for a union Daily Vacation Bible School which will open Monday morning, June 5, and will close with a program Sunday evening, June 18. Sessions will be held from 9:00 to 11:30, Monday through Friday. A fine program of worship, Bible study, music, recreation and handwork is being planned. It is hoped that a large group of children will take advantage of this opportunity.

Mrs. Clyde Howlett who has had considerable experience directing vacation Bible Schools will be in charge of this school. A Vacation Bible School Board has been organized to work with Mrs. Howlett in carrying out the plans for the school. Rev. M. C. Harlow is president of the Board, Dr. F. G. Behner, vice-president; Nellie Stephens, secretary; and Edgar Sweet, treasurer.

Further details concerning the school will be given from time to time.

Seeks Re-Election



Victor C. Anderson, prosecuting attorney of Ingham county, has announced his candidacy for re-election to that office.

Two years ago he was elected prosecutor, after having been appointed to that office by the Circuit Judges to fill out the unexpired term of Richard B. Foster who had entered the Army Air Corps.

UNADILLA

Lt. Daniel R. Teachworth who has just returned from service in Italy, is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Teachworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. May entertained their daughter from Manistee the past week.

The strong wind during Wednesday's storm blew down the silo on the John Sullivan farm.

The Unadilla school closed Friday with a picnic at the school house in the afternoon the pupils went to Pinckney to play ball.

Miss Ella Mae Usewick of near Gregory spent the week end with Miss Nellie Corser.

Friday luncheon guests of Mrs. Flora Hadley were Mrs. Gertrude Collins and daughter and Mrs. Abbie Roepecke of Stockbridge an Mrs. Jennie Pickett and Mrs. Sarah Barnum. Clarence Shellhart has been having the mumps.

Mrs. Cecilia Corser has returned from a visit with her husband, Pfc. E. J. Corser, in New Mexico.

Claude Jackson and son of Dearborn spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. William Jackson.

Sunday callers of Mrs. Josie Cranra were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rugg of Williamston.

Born to Cpl. and Mrs. Walter McLellan at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Ann Arbor, May 8, a daughter, Susan Kay, weight 7 lbs. 2 oz. Mrs. McLellan is the former Esther Hadley. She is spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hadley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hennon of Chelsea and Mrs. Ella Brennon of Boyne City and Polly Johnson of Pontiac were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Johnson over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hadley have just received word that their daughter, 2nd Lt. Charlotte Hadley A.N.C. has safely reached her destination. Their son Reamon has been transferred from St. Clair Shores and his new address is A-C Reamon M. Hadley, Batt. 5B, Co. II, Pfc 1, U S N. Pre-flight School, Iowa City, Iowa.

Memorial Day Program Next Sunday, May 28

The following Memorial Day program will be held at the Stockbridge School building, Sunday, May 28th, at 2:30 P. M.

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| Processional "God of Our Fathers" | Union Choir |
| Scripture Reading | Rev. Harlow |
| Prayer | Rev. Fockler |
| Song "Battle Hymn of the Republic" | Rev. Schade |
| "In Flanders Field" | Miss Nellie Stephens |
| Dedication of Women's Honor Roll | Dr. F. G. Behner |
| Dedication Song | |
| Song | Rev. and Mrs. Schade |
| Song, Choir, directed by | Herbert Collins |
| Introduction of speaker, Rev. Edgar Schade, by Village President, William Robeson | |
| Song "America" | Rev. Camburn |
| Benediction | Rev. Camburn |
| Parade to Cemetery led by Boy and Girl Scouts | |
| PROGRAM AT CEMETERY | |
| Song | |
| Salute to the Flag | |
| Prayer | Rev. Camburn |
| Taps | Robert Berry |

Home Culture Club

The Home Culture Club met at the home of Mrs. Gladys Wright Friday May 20 for the last meeting of the year. A great deal of credit is due the executive committee for the successful year that has just closed.

Mrs. Dora Hall was leader for the day. Mrs. Marietta Brown gave an excellent, entertaining and informative paper on the "South Sea Islands". She had pictures and exhibits from the Hawaiian Islands which she visited a few years ago.

Mrs. Margaret Milner gave a report of the County Federation meeting at Lansing.

Fourteen members were present. Roll Call was "Locate an island in the Pacific".

Dainty refreshments were served.

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GREGORY

Wm. Smith of Alpena, a former resident of Gregory and Mrs. Inez Hadley of Dexter were visitors of Mrs. Pearl Marshall Saturday and Sunday.

Cpl. and Mrs. Jack Youngs of Texas are at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Youngs on a two weeks furlough.

Pupils of the tenth grade and their teacher spent Monday in Detroit and Windsor, Ont. The trip was made by train from Jackson.

Miss Myrnavewe Voegts of Muskegon was home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Whitehead spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Henry of Pinckney.

Mrs. Lottie Farrell returned from Okemos to her home Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mapes returned with her for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Teachout were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Teachout and family of Lansing Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Marian Lee left for Detroit Saturday to spend her vacation with her parents.

Sgt. Sherman Lillywhite and Miss Pauline Echeart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stowe of Fowlerville, were united in marriage at 7 o'clock Saturday evening at the bride's home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Marshall spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Reid of Stockbridge.

School closed here last week Friday. Thursday night pupils of the high school room with their teacher, Mrs. J. Boushelle and their guests, Mr. Boushelle, Mrs. Allen and Miss Jorgensen enjoyed a banquet. Friday the children and parents participated in a picnic dinner at the school house.

Mrs. Dorothy Eggleston of Shaker Hts., Ohio, spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Westfall.

The Women's Missionary meeting will be held at the home of Miss Nellie Denton Friday P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rose were in Ann Arbor Sunday. Mrs. Rose was honor guest at a birthday party at the home of her son and family. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rose and Mrs. Rita Wilde.

Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Wheeler and Joan, Miss Virginia May, Miss Alberta Barbour visited Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Harvey of Pinckney Sunday.

Seaman Riba Holmes and Mrs. Holmes of Ashtabula, Ohio, visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lillywhite Saturday and Sunday.

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CAPT. DON S. GENTILE PIQUA, OHIO.

Land 7 ON THE GROUND - GENERAL EISENHOWER CALLED HIM A ONE MAN AIR FORCE. PETERSON

NORTHWEST STOCKBRIDGE

The eighth graders, Betty Wilson, Sally Briggs and Raymond Daily went to Stockbridge Tuesday night to receive their diplomas.

Miss Betty Reeder spent the week end with friends at Gregory.

Harry Williams returned to camp in Missouri Saturday after being home on a ten day furlough.

Mrs. Harry Williams has the mumps.

Wilson Reeder and sons Larry and Harold spent Sunday at Inkster with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Burghardt.

Howlett school closed Friday with a picnic at Pleasant Lake.

Mt. Pleasant school closed Friday with a picnic at the school house.

Pleasant View school closed a week ago Saturday with a weiner roast at the school house.

Maxine Barth of Stockbridge and Don Curtis who is home on furlough spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Briggs.

Mr. and Mrs. John Phelps of Lansing spent Sunday with Lyle Phelps.

Wm. Sharland and family spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Townsend.

John Brower called on Walter Bauer and Hugh Standish, Sunday afternoon.

Harry Williams who has been spending a 15 day furlough with his family, returned to camp at Farragut, Idaho, Saturday.

FITCHBURG

Mrs. Grace Morehouse is spending a week at the S. V. Lawrence home.

Schools in this vicinity are now closed for the summer vacation. The Fitchburg and Base Line schools enjoyed picnics at Pleasant Lake while the Stowell and Bachelor had enjoyable picnics at their school-houses.

Wm. Feldpausch was pleasantly honored Saturday evening when all of his children and grandchildren came home for a birthday supper.

Mrs. M'innie Hazell is on the sick list.

Onalee and Charlotte Batdorff, Donna Wilson and Richard Morrissey are graduating from Stockbridge High School this week.

Rev. and Mrs. John Batdorff are visiting at the Irving Batdorff home.

Jack Ranck's new address is Jack M. Ranck F-1-c U.S.S. Killen D. D. 593 per Fleet Post Office, San Francisco, Calif.

Dean Morrissey is now stationed at Dutch Harbor in the Aleutian Islands.

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FOR SALE—2 loads of horse hay. John Rockwell. 1wp

FOR SALE—New milch cow with calf by side. Ray Hadley, 7 mi NE of Stockbridge on Kane Rd. 1wp

FOR SALE—Fordson tractor, 2-hoatom plow A-1 condition. Harry Hadley, 1198 Leeke Rd. Stockbridge. Phone 49F2. 1wp

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LOST—a roll of bills, Monday afternoon on E. Main St. between the bank and Chevrolet garage. Finder please return to Lawton Votes. 1p

WANTED—to buy lawnmower, also a Junior model bicycle. Ph. 16F21.

FOR SALE—choice Gladiolus bulbs, and dahlias. Closing out price. Mrs. H. G. Heying, 210 Garfield St. Stockbridge. 1wp

FOR SALE—2 rugs, one 9x12, one 8x10. Call after 6 P. M. Mrs. Pearl Moores. j1p

FOR RENT—Wall paper steamer, floor sander and edger; lawn roller. Brown's Hdw., Stockbridge. m18jc

FOR SALE—seed potatoes, Early Cobblers and early Mich. Kathadins. Silverhull buckwheat. George Stitt. j1p

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NOTICE!
Ceiling price on pickles has been raised—\$4.00 for 1st, \$1.75 for 2nd, 75c for 3rd. These prices apply to anyone holding present contracts. Contracts can be secured at the Ford Garage in Stockbridge. m20tf

DUE to shortage of help we cannot butcher hogs over 350 lbs. Butchering by appointment only. Phone Gregory 7F2. Jas. Prescott. mar 15p



ANOTHER MILESTONE—They've come a long way together in two years—the Yanks and the WACS. Authorized on May 14, 1942, the WACS are now helping to win the war in hundreds of training camps throughout the country and at bases in England, Italy, Africa, Australia, New Caledonia and Hawaii. Here a Wac Captain somewhere in North Africa surveys the job still ahead.

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"We folks at home have a mighty big obligation to those 10,000,000 fighting men. We've got to produce the food to keep them

well fed. We've got to keep them supplied with the ammunition and equipment they need to finish their job. We've got to help the Government pay for all these supplies our men need by buying more and more War Bonds. We'll have another big chance to do that by helping to put the 5th War Loan drive over the top, Jim."
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Fitchburg Woman Honored On Birthday

Mrs. Stephen Mears was pleasantly honored at a party given Sunday at the home of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ranck. The occasion was her 73rd birthday and twenty-six relatives and friends were present to help her observe the happy day. Dinner was served at noon at a long table centered by a beautiful pink and white birthday cake made by her daughter Mrs. Hazel Harr. Pink and white tapers and spring flowers were the other decorations on the table. The honored guest and her niece, Mrs. George Hankard whose birthday is also May 21, were presented with many lovely gifts.

Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Morehouse and family of Liberty Mills. Mr. and Mrs. George Hankard and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Harr, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Harr of Munith, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Blood, Mrs. Fred Nelson and daughter of Stockbridge, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Parman, Mr. and Mrs. John Huffine and family. Those not able to be present because of being in the service of their country were Mrs. Mear's grandson, Jack Ranck of Bremerton, Wash., a niece, Dorothy Hankard of New Guinea, five nephews, James Hankard in Africa, Beryl Huffine and Fred Nelson with APO addresses, San Francisco, Cal., Leonard Blood of Boston, Mass., and Paul Lukenick of Casper, Wyo.

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PERSONALS

Mrs. Beulah Axley of Flint visited her cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Esch and family over Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah Proctor and Vera spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Proctor and family.

Sgt. and Mrs. Wm. Morrison of Ann Arbor and Miss Constance Morrison of Lansing called on Mrs. Sarah Proctor and Vera Saturday evening. Joan Dancer from U. of M. spent the week end at home.

Mrs. Jessie Foose of Detroit came for the funeral of her cousin, James Mitter Wednesday.

George Mackinder Bkr. 3-c and his mother were in Kalamazoo Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Norris Mackinder and family. George left for Norfolk Va. Monday night.

Miss Bernice Eklund spent the week end in Ann Arbor.

Miss Helmi Harkala spent the week end in Detroit.

Miss Peggy Middlemiss, Patricia Dancer and Barbara Sibley from M. S. C. were home over Sunday.

Ernest A. Esch A. S. of Great Lakes, Ill. has been visiting his brother Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Esch and family.

Wendall A. Barber has been promoted to the rank of Corporal.

Miss Florence Isabelle Bartron, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bowen, will arrive Saturday from Rochester, N. Y., to spend the Memorial Day vacation with them.

Regular meeting of Eden Rebekah Lodge Friday night May 26, Addie Smith, State Assembly Treasurer will be the guest for the evening. All officers and members are urged to be present. Committee is in charge of refreshments.

Hugh Milner drove his funeral car to Detroit last week Tuesday, for repainting, and also attended the Michigan Funeral Directors Convention held at the Book Cadillac Hotel.

Sgt. Glen Sommerfeldt and Mrs. Fred Sommerfeldt of Fowler, Mich., spent Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Smith. The former is a nephew of Mrs. Smith, and has been overseas the past 18 months.

Pfc. Paul Stephens is home on a ten day furlough from Camp Ellis, Illinois.

Mrs. Luella Holt, Miss Dorothy Brogan, Mrs. Lucille Stanfield and Mrs. Jack Myers were Jackson shoppers Monday night.

The Girl Scouts are having a poppy sale for the V. F. W. Thursday. Mary Holt spent the week end with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brogan and family at Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Morrison and Constance of Ann Arbor, Sgt. and Mrs. Wm. Morrison who is home on furlough from New Caledonia, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Wasson Saturday night.

Mrs. Ray Hardt was in Bellevue the latter part of last week to visit her aunt, Lydia Wasson.

Pv. Don Curtis is home on a ten day furlough. He is being transferred to Camp Kearns in Utah.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Howlett entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Walker and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dalton of Dansville for dinner Sunday.

Miss Juanita Brown of Lansing, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Howlett was married to Third Mate Merchant Marine Warren F. Petoskey, last week.

Pvt. Guy King Culver from Camp Francis Warren, Cheyenne, Wyo., is home on a thirteen day furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hoover who resided in Mt. Clemens and are on their way to Pasadena, Calif., to make their home there, have been guests of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Townsend the latter part of the week. Her sister, Mrs. Della Flowers from Charlotte was also a guest over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Congdon and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Pryor and family from Grand Ledge and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Townsend and grandson Donald from Jackson were guests of their parents Sunday, and visited other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Faber and sons and Geo. May were guests of the former's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Faber at Parma Sunday.

Mrs. Jessie Aseltine from Mason and Mrs. Mabel Henderson from Jackson were guests of their parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bacon Saturday.

Dr. Alma Ackley of Detroit spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ackley.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lantis entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McManus of Chelsea, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Lantis and Mrs. Nellie Glenn for dinner Sunday in honor of Patricia Gail's first birthday.

Pfc. Carlisle Atkinson and Mrs. Atkinson returned to Lindenhurst, L. I. last Wednesday after a 10 day furlough visiting relatives here and at North Lake.

The Memorial Day Committee would appreciate donations of flowers or ways of transportation to the cemetery Sunday.

The I. O. O. F. and Rebekahs will attend the Presbyterian Church for Memorial services next Sunday morning. Meet at the hall at 10:00 o'clock.

Eden Rebekah lodge meets Friday night. Members please bring cake, wafers or crackers.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hoard of Millington spent last Saturday night and Sunday with Abby Roepecke.

Forty relatives gathered at the home of Mrs. Orrin Powell and Mrs. Abby Roepecke last Saturday evening in honor of Sgt. Wm. Morrison of Ann Arbor who has a 30 day leave from the South Pacific. Bill has spent the last two years at New Caledonia.

On account of next Tuesday being a holiday, correspondents are asked to get their items in Monday if possible.

Mrs. Fanny King of Ann Arbor has been spending ten days with Dr. and Mrs. G. D. Culver.

Mrs. Jack Myers and Mrs. Daniel Barnard entertained fourteen young married women at a Bohemian dinner Friday night. Bunco was the diversion of the evening. Mrs. Virginia Holcomb won high score and Mrs. Ruth Gillespie consolation.

Pvt. Jack Ostrander is home on a 7 day furlough. His address now is 260th Inf., 65th Rgt., Camp Shelby, Miss.

Mrs. Daniel Barnard and Miss Dorothy Mackinder left Wednesday for New York City where they will visit the former's husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Collins and Jack and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Collier and children were guests of Mrs. Collins sister, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harrington at Duck Lake Sunday.

Lt. Phyllis Collins from Camp Lee Va. came home Wednesday for a short furlough.

On May 13th Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Sharland and son Robert of Mt. Clemens brought Mrs. Heying, who has been spending the winter with her children, home and spent some time visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Sharland.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Hubbard and children of Holly visited Mrs. Hubbard's mother, Mrs. H. G. Heying last Friday evening. Robert and Janet Mae spent Saturday with h's folks at Ypsilanti, returning Sunday for Mrs. Hubbard and Douglas.

Fitchburg Memorial Program

Memorial Day will be observed in the Fitchburg Methodist Church, Tuesday, May 30 at 2:00 fast time with the following program:

- Welcome, Mrs. Myrle Ranck, Chair man
- "America" Congregation
- Salute to Flag
- Invocation Rev. H. James
- Song Choir
- Reading Beverly Gee
- Vocal Solo Alzina Lawrence
- Reading Donna Wilson
- Song Donna Wilson
- Address Rev. Shannon Griffith
- Pastor First Presbyterian Church of Jackson
- Song Choir
- Following this program will be continued at the cemetery where floral tributes will be placed on all the graves of veterans, and this service will be rendered at the monument honoring all Civil War veterans.
- Song Star Spangled Banner
- Reading Charlotte Batdorf
- Benediction Rev. James

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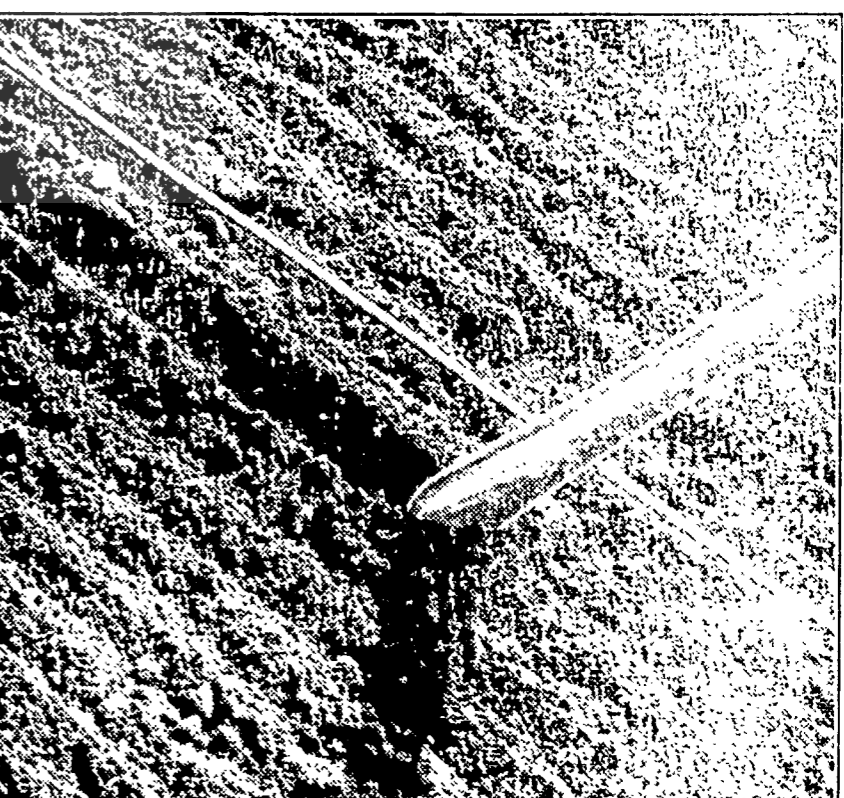
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Last week end A. C. Heying visited his mother, returning to Alma Sunday evening.



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MUNITH

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Katz, Dean and Doris spent Sunday in Ann Arbor with his brother, Dr. Donald Katz and family.

Mrs. Wm. Freiermuth was a caller at the Elton and Kenneth Musbach homes Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Wj R. Mayer spent Monday in Royal Oak.

At the annual meeting of the Munith Cemetery Assn. Saturday the following trustees were elected for three years, Mrs. Alma Ford, Mrs. Ida Adams and Mrs. Hazel Archenbronn. The Memorial Day committee for 1945 were re-elected and are Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Katz, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Musbach, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Harr and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Musbach. The Memorial Day program will be held Sunday, May 28th at 2 P. M. fast time at the hall.

Mrs. Susie Musbach, Mr. and Mrs. Elton K. Musbach and Arden, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Musbach and Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Neapass and Guy and Ronnie Main attended Class Night at Grass Lake Wednesday night. Their grandson and nephew, Chas. Robert Mitchell was a member of the class and acted as Master of Ceremonies. He plans to enter Michigan State in the fall.

The Berean Class will meet Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Harr. Pot luck supper at 7:30. Plans are underway for a Daily Vacation Bible School. Rev. H. L. James is general chairman.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court for the County of Ingham.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Mason, in said County, on the 22nd day of May A. D. 1944.

Present: Hon. John McClellan, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of ROBERT C. STRATTON, Mentally Incompetent.

Christine A. Stratton having filed in said court her petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is Ordered, That the 14th day of June A. D. 1944, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at the probate office at 608 Am. State Bank Bldg., Lansing, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be

MILLVILLE

Sunday School next Sunday at 10 A. M.

Next Sunday evening the Young People of the Baptist Church of Stockbridge will have charge of the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Eggleston spent several days last week visiting her sons in Owosso and Flint.

Everett Horwood visited friends in West Marion last Tuesday.

Edwin Webb has been ill for several days.

Will Gauss had as guests Sunday, his sister, Mrs. Ada Vancycle of Okemos, his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hair and daughter and son Dean, Mrs. Wm. Hair and daughter all of Grand Ledge, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gauss and sons, to celebrate Mr. Gauss and Mrs. VanSycle's birthdays.

Next meeting of the WSCS will be held on June 6th instead of May 30. The Millville school closed last Friday with a picnic at Potters Park. Miss Sheathelm has been engaged to teach for another year.

Ronald Fockler and girls who have been staying with their grandparents Rev. and Mrs. Fockler, and attended school here, returned home Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Maggie Burden and Everett Horwood visited their niece, Mrs. L. P. Williams and sons Friday.

Mr. Eggleston is able to be out again.

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granted. It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Stockbridge Brief Sun, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county. A true copy. John McClellan, David C. Beatty, Judge of Probate. Reg. of Probate m25-j8

AVON THEATRE

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2 Shows—7:00 to 9:00—9:00 to 11:00.

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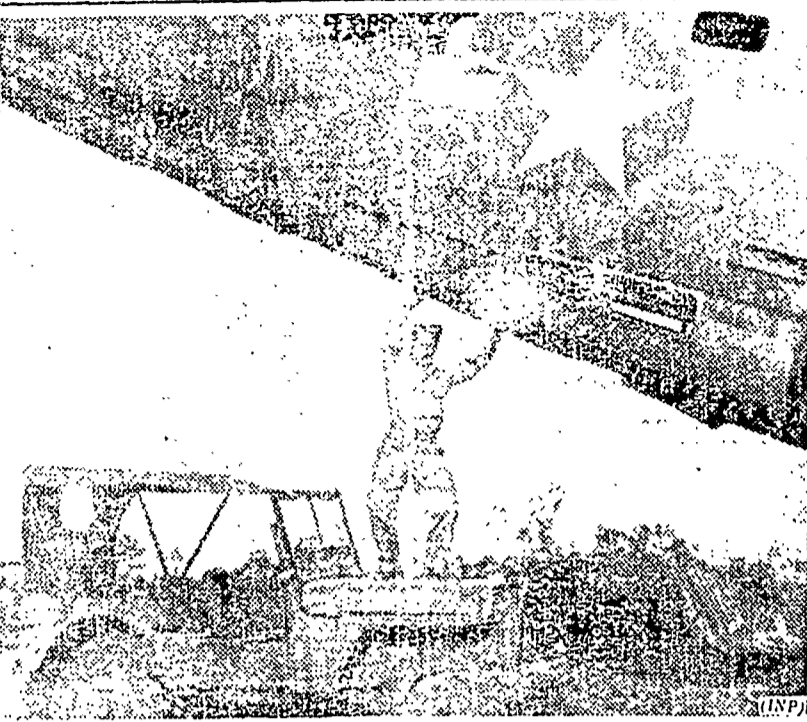
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WAVES' SUMMER UNIFORMS—English, Eloise English (seated), of Washington, D. C., and Yeoman, third class, Virginia Laws of Denver, Colo., display seersucker summer uniforms for officers and enlisted women in Washington area. Ties, shoes and gloves are black, the latter optional.



'FUSED' FOR VICTORY—Lulu Belles and Goldie Maloney of Elmira, N. Y., are holding mechanical time fuses, which like "alarm clocks," are "brains" of projectiles. The girls are fuse assemblers of Bendix Aviation Corporation, Eclipse Division, which produces fuses by tens of thousands daily.

Notice of Meeting of Drainage Board

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given, that on the 13th day of March A. D. 1944, an application was filed with Floyd W. Munsell, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Livingston, asking for the Laying Out and Designating a Drainage District for a certain drain in the Counties of Livingston, Washtenaw, Jackson and Ingham.

And Whereas, a certified copy of said application has been served upon Cornelius W. Tuomy, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Washtenaw, Harold M. Lovejoy, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Jackson, George Graham, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Ingham, and the Commissioner of Agriculture, and notice of the receipt of said application has been served upon the County Clerks and Chairmen of the Boards of Supervisors of the Counties of Livingston, Washtenaw, Jackson and Ingham by Floyd W. Munsell, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Livingston,

And Whereas, the Chairmen of the Boards of Supervisors of the Counties of Livingston, Washtenaw, Jackson and Ingham have appointed George Eckhart, Fred Berry, J. M. Eager, Carl Mast, Leigh Beach, Freeman Weber, P. J. Fleming, Bruce VanAntwerp, John M. Fuller, Guy Dextader, Fred Marshall, and Ward Vicary as members of the Drainage Board for said drainage district.

Now Therefore, in accordance with Act No. 316, P. A. 1923, as amended, a meeting of the Drainage Board of said drainage district will be held at the village of Gregory at the intersection of M-106 and M-36 in the Township of Unadilla, County of Livingston, on the 15th day of June A. D. 1944, at 10:00 o'clock A.M. in the forenoon, to determine the practicability of said improvement.

Now Therefore, all persons owning lands liable to an assessment for benefits or whose lands will be crossed by said proposed drain, or any municipality affected, are requested to be present at said meeting, if they so desire.

Dated at Lansing, Michigan, this 11th day of May A. D. 1944. Charles Flyg, Comm. of Agriculture. m25jl By John Hudson, Deputy.

Can you think of any thing that would be more appreciated by the soldier friends than the home news

Gregory

(Continued from first page)

Sgt. Joe Bryndza of San Francisco, Cal., visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Westfall recently. Joyce Breniser is spending a few days with her sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Deibert Harvey of Pinckney.

Mrs. Pearl Marshall, Mrs. Eva James, Mrs. Jas. Caskey and Mrs. Carmen Wheeler attended a shower for Mrs. Geo. Marshall at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Robert Sweet of Plainfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Maschke, daughters Martha and Helga visited Gus Maschke Jr. and family in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Pfc. Albert Barbour went to Camp Atterbury, Ind., Wednesday after a two weeks furlough at home. Albert has been in Puerto Rico two years.

High School graduates from this vicinity are, Eugene Lewandowski and Kathryn Kuhn at Pinckney High; John D. Donohue, Ralph Myers, Earl Worden and the Munsell twins, Roberta and Robert at Stockbridge H.gh, and Patricia Bollinger at Howell High.

Mrs. Christine Howlett visited Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Dancer of Stockbridge Saturday and Sunday.

Robert Munsell, Ralph Myers, Earl Worden and John Donohue were called to Detroit Tuesday for their pre-induction physical exam.

(Too late for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Meyer have received word that their son, Elvin, has arrived safely in New Guinea. Mrs. Christine Howlett went to Durand Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Arlington Allen and Jane, who is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Reithmiller and son of Waterloo visited Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Boushelle Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hackney and Charles of Dexter visited Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Howlett Sunday.

Miss Bernice Harris is home for the summer. Miss Donna Kunzelman of Ann Arbor visited her parents over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Erogan of Chilson visited her mother, Mrs. Nellie McCoer over the week end.

Sherman Lillywhite of Ft. Worth, Texas, is home on a 20 day furlough. Mrs. Minnie Arnold, a shut-in for many months, was presented a bouquet of tulips by Mrs. F. Kendall and a fuschia plant by Mrs. George Cattrell, Mother's Day.

Jeff, an Aldale, has an honorable discharge from the Coast Guards and is back at the J. F. Ackerman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bulls of Ypsilanti visited Mr. and Mrs. Dan Howlett and sons Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Nesbit and Jimmie of Detroit, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Crossman.

Seaman Harold Ludtke has finished his basic training at Great Lakes and is home on a 12 day furlough. Tom Savage returned from St. Joseph Hospital, Ann Arbor, Tuesday.

Relatives and friends attended the funeral of Franc's May, Monday. He died very suddenly at his home in Unadilla Friday.

Dr. McPherson of Detroit visited here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cattrell of Howell were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Arnold Saturday evening. A group of children were guests at a birthday party for Danny and Judy Haines Wednesday P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Arnold and Philip of Dansville visited Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Arnold Sunday.

The King's Daughters will meet with Mrs. Lawrence Owens Tuesday May 23. The first division will serve Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hummerich of Arizona are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts, Mrs. Roberts who had a stroke two weeks ago, is slowly recovering.

Mrs. Wilmer Crossman visited friends in Ann Arbor Friday. Miss Peggy Haines was hostess to a party for Miss Marian Lee Friday night.

Miss Bea Jones visited Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Sweet and family in Stockbridge Friday and Saturday.

Guy C. (Colby) McGee spent the week visiting their brothers and families in Lansing and Holt while Mrs. Fred McGee went to Chicago to visit her mother and brother. Fred returned to camp at Ft. Brady Saturday.

Little Dick Kellenberger and Chas. Cool have the mumps.

The Auction Bridge club met with Mrs. Peggy Haines Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. Neil McCleer of Detroit visited his mother, Mrs. Nellie McCleer Sunday.

Mrs. Willard Wiltse, Don and Kathy, and Mrs. Mina Cane visited Mrs. Marguerite Hammond Smith in Pinckney Sunday.

Mrs. Jack McGee spent part of last week visiting her mother and friends in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Arnold visited his sister, Mrs. L. D. Holmes, who is very ill, in Perry Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall McGee and Shirley of Detroit spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McGee.

Mrs. Pearl Marshall, Bea and Ruby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Sweet of Stockbridge.

NORTH STOCKBRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hayner attended the wedding of Miss Joyce Virginia Hashley, to Lloyd Boyce, at 8:00 o'clock Saturday evening, at the home of the bride's parents near Dexter.

School closed in the McKenzie district Friday, with a picnic at Pleasant Lake.

Mrs. Herman Riggs has been ill with tonsillitis.

Mrs. J. H. Hayner received a telegram, saying Mrs. Clara Harris, aged 87 years, had passed away in Los Angeles, Calif. She was the youngest daughter of Richard and Mahala Lowe, and the last of a family of eight children. Her brother, Charles H. Lowe of this place preceded her March 25th.

Mrs. Irving Steffey called on her sister, Mrs. Laura Cole at the hospital in Jackson Friday.

Frank Townsend visited his brother-in-law and wife, Mr. and Mrs. James Pierce Friday night.

Mrs. Jack Clark entertained nine little folks and their mothers Saturday afternoon honoring the fifth anniversary of her little son, Lee; Mrs. Emma Clark, grandmother, was also a guest. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. Lee received many gifts.

During the storm Wednesday, lightning struck a tree in the Lowe school grounds, and burned out the switch, on the electric range at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hayner.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Paul entertained for dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Gottfried Graf and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Graf.

Lorraine, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Mills, has the mumps.

Rev. Glenn Betterly of Canada visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Betterly last Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bates and grand son Dicky were callers at the Howard Herrick home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Shaw of Lansing visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Betterly and brother, Rev. Glenn Betterly last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kelley took dinner Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hayner. In the afternoon all went to Williamston and called on Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Betterly were Thursday callers of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Betterly and brother, Rev. Glenn Betterly.

Several in this vicinity who are on the Detroit Edson were without lights Sunday night and Monday because of the storm.

Cleon Gauss of Jackson was a caller in this vicinity Monday.

PLAINFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Delmar and Homer Wasson of Detroit spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Wasson, and called on Mrs. Florence Dutton in the P. M.

Rev. and Mrs. Lech and Mrs. Florence Dutton attended the State Board meeting of the W. S. C. S. at Royal Oak, Monday.

Margaret Frybaucker of Dexter is spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dyer.

Duane Jacobs and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Iroy Johnson.

Mrs. Thelma Linden of Dayton, Ohio spent last Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Donohue.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Donohue spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Munsell.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jacobs were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Westfall.

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