

Pinckney Dispatch

Wednesday, April 15, 1959

No. 28

The Michigan Mirror

Officials who have been boosting their cities will get a special chance in programs to dovetail in with Michigan week in May. Chambers of Commerce will hold a special meeting in Lansing in April.

The Bear Creek Mining Co. wants to explore state lands in the upper peninsula for minerals they wanted to mine iron in the Porcupine state park last year but were turned down. Earl Bagwell, Republican candidate for governor endorsed their proposal. Stanley Yankus, the chicken farmer who sold his farm and equipment for \$26,000 and is going to Australia because he was fined for exceeding wheat planting restrictions is fading from the front page. The legislature refused to pass a law commending him.

All farmers do not favor the restrictions but they contend that breaking the law is illegal.

The legislature may adjourn in mid-May but will probably leave many problems unsolved including the case crisis and a long range tax basis. They agree that something must be done to meet the needs of the growing population but disagree what it should be. Some Republicans say they are not convinced a crisis exists and will have to be shown. They say the state government is going through the same recession as a year ago and the drop in tax collections reflects the decline in business.

Senator Phil Hart has started something in Washington, instead of pulling all his relatives on the payroll he is making his office automatic. He even has a stamp licking machine.

School Board Meeting

Pinckney, Mich., April 2, 1959
Meeting called to order by Pres. Hollingsworth at 8 p. m.

Present: Basydio, Hollingsworth, McAtee, Russell, Towlesley.
Absent: None.

Minutes of March 4 read and approved.

The following communications were read:

1. Swanson Assoc.
2. Dan Adams, County School Supt.
3. Daniels Assoc.

Motion by Russell, 2d by McAtee to adopt the school budget of \$404,411.44, for school year 1959-1960. Motion carried.

All the teachers at the following schools have signed their contracts: Hamburg Elementary, Winans Lake, Pinckney Elementary. Four of high school staff have not signed as yet. Supt. Reader has sufficient applications to fill any vacancies that may occur. An achievement to be proud of.

Supt. Reader was requested to represent the school district at the annual meeting of the county allocation board and to take charge of the census for the coming year.

The building program was discussed at this time.

The board entered into a lengthy discussion with the Elementary school over their reports of the Principals convention.

The board expressed their appreciation to Mr. Gibson and his quiz gang over their achievement on the WXY TV program.

Motion by Basydio, 2nd by Towlesley to pay bills as carried.

Motion to adjourn carried. Time 11:15 p. m.

Joseph Basydio
Secretary of Board of Education
Carson Hollingsworth
President of Board of Education

RUEL J. CONIWAY

Ruel J. Coniway, 77, died at his home in Ann Arbor Tuesday. He was the son of Peter and Lila Randall Coniway of Pinckney. For 37 years he was employed as freight agent by the Ann Arbor Railroad retiring in 1949. Survivors are his wife, the former Carrie DeWolfe, a son Clifford and daughter, Mrs. Roy Terry. The funeral is at the Muehligh Chapel, Ann Arbor, Thursday at 3 p. m., Rev. Jehan officiating. Burial in Hamburg Cemetery.

Neighboring Notes

The Dexter high school alumni reunion is at Bates Elementary school June 8. The class of 1909 of which editor was a member will be honored.

C. J. Sibley, Stockbridge editor who retired, has gone to Texas to visit his daughter.

Dick Wilde and Joe Wilkerson of Stockbridge have joined the navy and are at San Diego Calif.

The Dexter Kiwanis Club is building a new backdrop on the Dexter High school diamond to cost \$500.

The Red Cross Blood Bank visits Fowlerville April 22.

Nelson Tobias has been elected head of the Fowlerville Rotary Club.

The annual council of Catholic Women of the Lansing Diocese will be at Jackson April 15-16.

The Fowlerville Band Boosters are sponsoring a boxing show at the high school April 18, featuring the Lansing golden gloves champions.

In circuit court last week Judge Carland awarded judgements totaling \$125,000 to James Vassas and his parents Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Vassas of Hartland. They were hurt in an accident on Sept. 1957 at US-23 and Joy Road, Washtenaw county with a truck load of steel owned by the Sharon Steel Company. Martin J. Laven was attorney for the Vassas.

The Blue Cross Hospital Insurance Company has voted not to renew its contract with the Vann Hospital, Brighton. Policy holders in non participating hospitals are limited to 14 days benefits.

Two 15 year old Detroit boys were arrested by state police last week for robbing Bluewater store, Lakeland.

Nicholas Boja, 67, of Winans Lake, died at St. Joe hospital, Ann Arbor last week.

Kenneth Matteson of Pinckney at Michigan State University went on a trip to the upper peninsula last week with the Kellogg Center band.

Another Hamburg family is on their way to Alaska. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Alberts who were married March 14. She was Hazel Lear and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Alberts also went. They will open a lodge at Lake Clark.

The Citizens Mutual Auto Ins. Co. won the title in the Howell basketball league with 10 wins and 0 losses. Mrs. Rose Underwood of Gladwin is the new county nurse here.

Marcia Black is valedictorian and May Louise Layton is salutatorian of the Howell senior class.

Arnold Heino has been elected the won the title in the Howell basketball playoffs.

CONSERVATION NOTES

Scheduled sales of submerged lands are expected to bring \$42,640 to the state treasury. They will also act on leases for the concessions for the state parks.

The closed season on dog training April 15 to July 15.

The dept. concluded the largest land purchase in its history last week when they bought the Potter ranch near the Houghton state police post. It is 1424 acres. Most of the purchase money came from the Pittman, Dean fund.

34,000 skiers used the Porcupine state park this winter.

Deer starvation surveys are being conducted in 600 selected plots by 2 men teams.

Private owners wishing to order trees are urged to do so now. May 30 is the dead line.

A CORRECTION

Several members of the Bell family have called me up and said I was wrong in stating that the Blanche Blaisdell who died last week was a daughter of the late John and Cecelia Bacon Bell. They said she was the daughter of the late Clara Bell Gregory and William Gregory. The Gregories did adopt a daughter of John Bell but her name was Bernardine.

MOTHER & DAUGHTER BANQUET

The Annual Mother & Daughter Banquet is at St. Mary's hall, Pinckney Wednesday, May 6. For tickets and reservations call Mrs. Lyle Kinsey UP 8 34110

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Local Social Events



ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. James Boyd of Lakeland announce engagement of their daughter Mary, to Richard Wooten, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Wooten of Buck Lake.

RESIGNS AFTER 21 YEARS

After being employed by the Detroit Die Set here for the past 21 years, 15 as supt, Oscar Beck has resigned. He will be succeeded by William Musitalia of Gregory.

The Detroit Die Set plant was built here some 25 years ago by Clair Reason of Detroit. Reason was the first supt. He was succeeded by Eric Krahn. The latter died and Mr. Beck took his place. The factory has changed hands several times. Leonard Fisher of Detroit has owned it for some years now.

Oscar Beck informs us he does not expect to retire. He is building a super-service station at Main and Pearl Sts., Pinckney which he has leased to the Marathon Oil Company which he will manage. It will have service doors for 3 cars, be built of cement blocks with an all glass front, and be open for business August 1. The Mrs. Nellie Fry house on the site will be removed by May 1. Until the new station is completed Mr. Beck will operate the present Marathon station across the street. Mr. Beck's wife is the former Lucille Kennedy. He has 2 sons, William and Robert and a daughter, Karen.

Donnie Meabon who is in the air force in California called on us today. He brought his grandmother, Mrs. Alma Meabon here for the summer.

MORT NEFF SHOW

MORT NEFF HERE APRIL 20

Mort Neff, most famous wild life commentator in Michigan who appears every Thursday night on TV on the Leonard Refinery's "Michigan Outdoors" program will be at the Pinckney high school gym on Monday night, April 20 at 8 p. m. This is sponsored by the Pinckney Parent Club. His program will consist of wild life pictures which he explains as he goes along. There also may be some wild life exhibits such as he shows on TV. There is probably no person in Michigan who has a greater knowledge of Michigan birds, animals, fish, and outdoor sports such as skiing, canoeing etc. than he who has devoted his lifetime to it. His TV program is one of the outstanding ones in Michigan. A few years ago Jerry Reason and his pet fox appeared on his program. Tickets may be obtained from any member of the parent association. The proceeds will be devoted to school projects.

SPELLING BEE WINNERS

The district spelling contest was at school here Thursday. Owing to the school consolidations there were only 3 entries. Deanne Duboise of Pinckney was first and Pat Scott of Winans Lake 2nd. Susan Glenn of Gregory school 3rd. Mrs. Elizabeth Cologne was one of the judges at the Howell contest that day.

LOSE FIRST GAME

Pinckney lost their opening game at Brighton Monday 8 to 2. Dick Kennedy pitched 6 innings and Denny Clark 1. Dennis Morgan caught Bud Clarke, 1b; Tom Kennedy, 2b; Deany Clark, 3b; Tom Singer, ss; outfield, Terry Rowell, Bob Williams and Gordon LaBelle, rf. Pinckney got 3 hits by Dick Kennedy, Tom Singer and Terry Rowell.

THE PINCKNEY PEGS

The annual spring party for the extension group will be held at the Gregory town hall Monday, April 20 at 8 p. m. There will be exhibit. Lots of handiwork done during the year and each group will contribute part of the entertainment. They will show slides of a trip to Alaska.

Nancy Nash will sing with the University of Michigan Choral group at Dondero high school Royal Oak Saturday night.

Elementary School

Kindergarten, Mrs. Parks

Jeanne Millers aunt Jinny made her a skirt. Rick Bierlein is back in school after having his tonsils out. Kris Knippie Joel Burg Charles Wilson, Danny Herbst, Barbara Zezulka saw the play "Shaggy Dog". Mary Schroeder's neighbor girl friend has a horse. Joan Gardner got a coat for her birthday. Mark Krause got a rocket ship. Sharon saw 5 deer, 2 pheasants and a bluebird while on riding. Tom Shehan, Mike Singer, Jan and Valerie Keiser, Elaine La Rosa saw "Sally and St. Anne" at St. Mary's school. Linda Reason rode a bike. Jane Renta has some baby rabbits.

First Grade, Mr. Sprout

Dick Davis parents went to Florida. Janis Lean played with Tammy Bell Saturday. David Gehring had a birthday party. So did Kath. Gramer's brother, Mike and he got a yellow green parakeet. Janis Decker has a musical toy. Bruce Hainbourn had a sore ear and went to the doctor. Esther Kiner went to the hospital to get her daddy. Gene Koch saw his aunt and squirrel and deer tracks. Dick Southern got a caterpillar and some minnows. Terry Russes dad is fixing his brother's bedroom. Larry Ann Hende's birthday is this week.

First Grade, Mrs. Johnson

Billy Downs aunt Elaine visited him. Deborah Horner planted some nursery trees her mother bought. Meredith got a new coat. David Zezulka planted his garden Saturday. Jim Pennett's birthday is Sunday. Larry Gardner went to Fowlerville to visit his aunt and uncle. Jackie Reason spent the night with Panny Reynolds. Terry Elliott visited his uncle Joe in Milan. Glen Highfill has new rabbits. Leonard Biedien saw Shaggy Dog.

Second Grade, Mrs. Johnson

Dennis Reason visited his aunt. Jackie Maki has coloring books. Jim Marsh visited his uncle Dan. Paul Sprout was in Ann Arbor. Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor over the week end. Saw Shaggy Dog. Shirley and Sharon Potter went to the doctor. They have to stay home 3 days. Sandra D. Baker Shaggy Dog. Dawnya Baxter had bought a new cap. Gary Burgess Shaggy Dog. David Michaels saw cows being milked with a machine.

Third Grade, Mrs. Sprout

We finished our telephone unit and saw Shaggy Dog. Mickey Highfill has some rabbits. Ronnie Maki a new bicycle. Becky Read's warm bed.

Third Grade, Mrs. Johnson

In arithmetic we are working on addition, subtraction and multiplication. Both third grades are going to the Willow Run airport in May. A lot of us saw the Shaggy Dog over the week end. Judy Hall went to the drive-in. Sandra Salye visited her grandmother. Tom Bennett rode to town. Darlene McGaughan's grandfather has a new cat.

Fourth Grade, Mrs. Campbell

We studied about the opposites and brown bat. Nancy Bond brought a basket to school in Jan. Cindy Hughes. Nancy Bond and Jim Kourt brought shells to school. Jim explained the large green couch shell he brought. Joe Plummer brought a starfish and sand dollar and told us about them. Tim Sprout went to the Metropolitan airport Sunday. Linda Frisch went Canada Sunday over the Ambassador Bridge and came back by the Windsor Tunnel. Frank Zezulka spent the week end in Dearborn with his grand parents. A lot of us saw the Shaggy Dog. Preston Smith went to Lima, Ohio for the week end. We are learning about primary, secondary and complimentary color. Our color wheels are in the west hall.

Fifth Grade News, Mrs. Miller

Linda Wylie was spelling bee champion. Winning word settlement. Multiplication champs were Mike Carver, Dennis Reynolds, David Bennett and Kim Wiman. We welcome a new boy, Larry Jameison from Buffalo. All units are done and reported on. We learned many things about other countries.

Current Comment

Although they won but 3 offices and lost 11 last week the Republicans staged a victory celebration. This reminds us of the Jack DeLoe-Georges-Carpentier championship fight in New York some years ago. Carpentier was knocked out. Still George Bernard Shaw said Carpentier won a moral victory. However Dempsey got the winners share of the purse. The celebration was because this in the first time since 1955 the Republicans have won a state office. They had a chance to regain control of the legislature by winning in the silk stocking Grossmonte district which has been Republican in the past but lost. The big campaign was waged against the 2 Detroit supreme court justices, George Edward and John Voelker. Edwards was classed as a socialist and puppet of Walter Reuther. Voelker as a nudist and a picture of him taken in a Turkish bath was used. The Detroit Free Press says the Republicans had a chance to do a lot better than they did as the spring election is usually a Republican field day, due to many moral issues. In Detroit 139,000 voters voted on the school issues but not on state or county candidates. As the Democrats are well organized in Wayne county these are reckoned as Republican or independent voters. Only about a two thirds vote was cast. Here 516 voted compared to 622 last fall.

Michigans unemployed lists declined 37,000 in March but this is not burdened with any great enthusiasm as it is due to seasonal jobs such as construction, resort area work and the opening of Great Lakes shipping. The auto factories and other big industries called few workers back. They are not expected to as new and improved machinery enable them to get out more production with less men. There are still 1,363,000 unemployed.

At the election 7 bonding proposals were approved and 8 defeated. The major ones for schools, sewers, the airport. Most of the defeated ones were for swimming pools, recreational parks etc. It seems that if the people can be convinced of the need of a proposal they will vote for it. They consider it a luxury they can't live without.

Industry expects to have a \$25 million cement industry in operation by next October. Their output will be 25 million bags of cement a year and they will employ 2000 people. They claim to have 100 years supply of limestone and clay, the two principal ingredients of cement on their site on US-23 between Detroit and Toledo. The states big cement plant is at Alpena where the limestone deposits are apparently unlimited. Years ago a big cement plant operated at Four Mile Lake, between here and Chelsea. Quite a number of local people worked there, the limestone was taken from and around the lake. Finally it ran out and had to be shipped in, making operation costly. In 1920 Alex Grossbeck, then governor started a huge paving program. He had trouble getting cement so bought the 4 mile Lake plant and operated it with convict labor. By this he was able to force the price of cement down. This earned him the enmity of the cement companies. They backed Fred Green for governor and beat Grossbeck. Green closed down the cement plant. Many still doubt the wisdom of this move. According to the Dispatch files of years ago there was a cement promotional project at Lakeland 50 years ago where limestone deposits were found. Options were taken on a great many acres of and plans were drawn for a cement plant but like many another project of that period it never materialized.

LIBRARY NEWS

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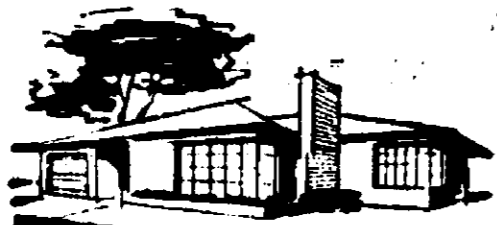
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Notes of 25 Years Ago

The Jackson Council of Churches meets at Finckney April 18-19.

Arthur Swarthout has been named to the managerial staff of the Meter Corvallis, Oregon.

Finckney high school opened at Stockbridge Saturday and lost 10-3. They play Dexter here Saturday. The lineup: Kenneth Darrow 1b; Claude Monks, 2b; Harold Swarthout, 3b; Paul Clark, ss; Lynn Hedges, cf; Roy Moran, c; Claude Kennedy, R.

The property owners for the Fort. Lake Drain refused to pay \$4000 they claimed the assessments of \$1000 were too high. They were sued and the court cut the assessments to \$360. Howlett and R. D. Roche were their attorneys.

Charles Bullis has an auction advertised May 2nd.

Mort Motenson and wife have moved to California.

Stanley Haze Ashford of Honolulu, Hawaii, is visiting the Haze and Sigle families.

Monks Bros. have opened their ice cream parlor.

Hal Erwin of Howell has gone to Detroit to drive race horses. He was with the Dan Patch outfit last year.

Peter Conlway was operated on at an Ann Arbor hospital last week.

Reuben Kisby, Grand Trunk agent at Gregory, has purchased the John McClear house there.

Gene Dinkel has a fine new car.

Alex McIntyre has purchased the Clydesdale stallion "Blaze".

Born to Fred Teeple and wife a 7 lb daughter.

Joseph Fletcher, husband of Jennie Haze of Finckney died at Braden town, Florida, April 18.

Notes of 25 Years Ago

The district school playday is at the ball diamond May 17. Ye editor is chairman.

The high school base ball schedule is as follows: April 27 Dexter there; May 4, Brighton here; May 11, Dexter here; May 14, Fowlerville there; May 25, Brighton there; May 29, Hartland there; June 1, Fowlerville here.

Marion Glenn has pneumonia.

Edward Sorenson has a six hour shift operating in his factory here.

The suit against the stockholders of the closed Finckney Bank and the American Sureties Co. has been settled. The county sued and got a judgment of \$6252.25 against the stockholders and \$1000 against the surety company. At the April meeting of the board of supervisors they settled with the stockholders for \$900 and the surety company for \$450.

When Main St. was paved here 5 years ago the cost was assessed against the property owner. It was cut up into five payments. Some paid it all 3 years ago a law was passed to take the cost of paving roads under the covert act out of the weight and gas tax. So the people here did not have to pay the last two years tax. Now those who paid in full filed a claim with the board of supervisors for a refund, totalling over \$1000. Col. Met Chalker has returned from Lockhart, Florida. He got 30 boxes of oranges from his orange grove.

Dorothy Guidot who has been at the Finckney Sanitarium 3 months with a broken hip has returned home.

Boone Amburgey has rented the Emil Byer house.

The base ball season opened here Saturday when Ed Meyers team beat Jake Haines team 30 to 35. Batteries for winners Bill Dillon, Bill Darrow & Ed Meyer; losers, Jake Haines and Merlin Lavey, Roy Clinton and Alex Niga hit home runs.

John Dunbar died April 13 at the age of 90. He married Jane Birney at Aberdeen, Scotland in early life and came to America in 1873. He farmed until a few years ago. There were 2 daughters, Belle & Maggie and a son, William. Maggie died in infancy.

HIGH SCHOOL BASE BALL

April 13: Brighton there, 4 p. m.
April 14: Byron there, 3:30 p. m.
April 17: Webberville there, 4:00
April 20: South Lyon here, 4:30
April 23: Dexter here, 4:30
April 27: Manchester there, 4:30
April 30: Boyssville here, 4:30
May 4: Dexter there, 4:30
May 7: Hartland here, 4:30
May 11: Boyssville there, 4:30
May 14: Manchester here, 4:30
May 18: Hartland there
May 21: South Lyon there

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Phillip Murphy has enlisted as a reservist in the 882nd field artillery and will begin 6 months training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., April 19. John Eisale came back from Mexico Tuesday where he spent the winter.

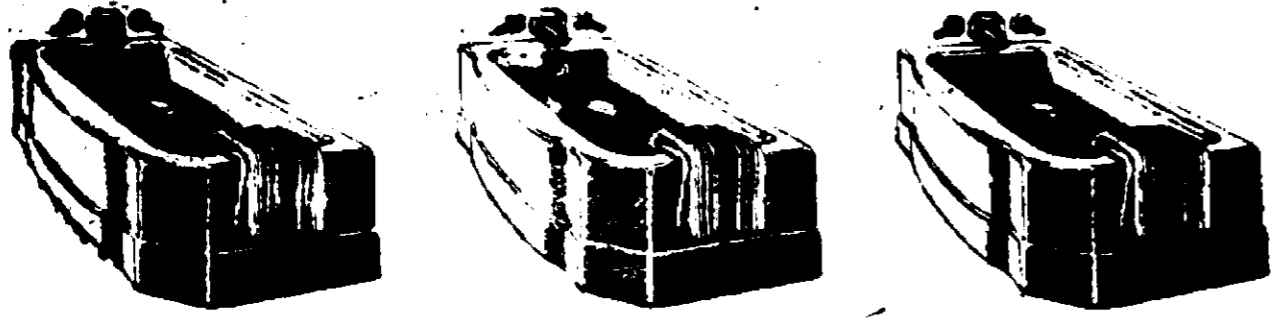
FIRST QUARTERLY DIVIDEND

The Detroit Edison Company announces its first quarterly dividend for 1939. In 1909 when the first dividend was paid there were 281,000 stockholders, owning 50,000 shares. Today the stockholders number 1,024,000 and hold 6000,000 shares. This is the 22nd consecutive dividend.

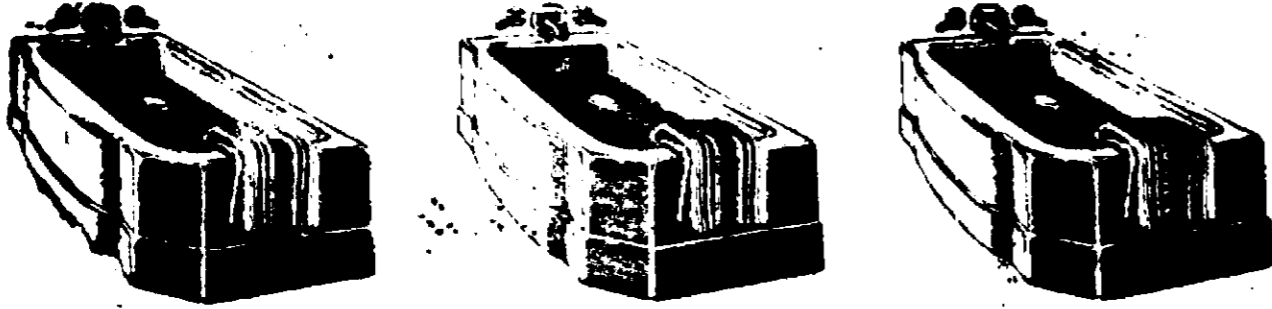
Sixth Grade, Mrs. Tash

We are reviewing our years work in arithmetic. We have not received any post cards from Carol Tauriainas who went to Alaska but hope to. We have not decided what our next unit will be.

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Olin Robinson attended the spring party at the Grotto, Ann Arbor Saturday night.

M. J. Reason and wife were Sunday guests of Mrs. Florence Artz in Detroit.

Mrs. Edna Reason, Leota and the Roy Reason family called on Mrs. Lola Carpenter in Pontiac Sunday.

The Merwin Campbells called on the Al Fallons in Fenton Sunday.

The Clifford Millers, Merlin Am. Lurgeys and Ona Campbells were among those from here who attended the opening of the new McPherson Bank Sunday Bank at Howell Sunday.

The Peach Palmer family of Flint and Bill Austin of Ann Arbor were Sunday guests of the Herb Palmers. Mrs. Blanche Clark had the Emmett Clarks of Howell Mrs. Jean Meyer and children of Waterloo and the Vehn Calrks to Sunday guests.

The Ladies League bowling team had their banquet at the Anchor Inn at Saturday night.

Mrs. Dorothy Dinkel attended the nurses meeting at Kalamazoo on last Monday and Tuesday. They were taken through the Upjohn Pharmaceutical plant there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ona Campbell called on Mrs. Marion Pearson of Howell Sunday and had dinner with her at the Colonial Restaurant near Williamston.

The Bob Claytons of Rush Lake were Sunday guests of the Vinne LaRosas.

Mrs. Irvin Kennedy and Mrs. Jourdan were in Howell Thursday. Murray Kennedy and wife were in Detroit and Warren last Wednesday.

Mrs. Lucille Wyle and daughter, Shirley, were on Lansing Saturday. W. F. Close and wife of Linden were Sunday guests of the Albert Dinkels.

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Mrs. Walfred Aberdeen called on Sunday guests of W. H. Meyer and the Claude Sampsons in Jackson Sunday. Mrs. Mary Ellen Read attended a bridge party Thursday at the Douglas Swan home in Howell. Mrs. Sadie Read and Mrs. Ray Duffy visited University of Michigan hospital several times last week when their husbands were patients Sunday.

Rev. J. W. Winger is still at Sparrow hospital, Lansing where he underwent surgery. Lee Lavey attended a John Doere meeting in Lansing Wednesday. The Clark Millers were in Detroit Sunday.

The Roland Gortonn family of Beulah who are on their way home from Florida spent the week end at the Lawrence Camburns. With them they were Sunday dinner guests of the Clare Barnums of Unadilla. The Charles Sullivans of North Lake were also there. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Butt were Sunday dinner guests of the Fred Cunningshams of Dexter. The Carl Bidwells and Mrs. Bess Devereaux of Brighton called on the Ben Whites Sunday. Dr. Harlow Shehan and wife of Jackson and Mrs. John Boyer of Chelsea called on William Shehan Sunday. A card from the Roy Dillinghams states they are leaving Florida for Michigan April 15. The Albert Dinkels, Allen Dinkels, Gerald Dinkels, Dr. Walter Mercers and Scott Bakers of Lansing attended the wedding of Charles Musson and Beverly Charlot at the Howell Presbyterian church Saturday. The reception was also there. Born to Tom Morse and wife, Marlyn Perry at St. Joe hospital, Ann Arbor Irvin Kennedy and wife attended the funeral of Mrs. William Wheeler at St. Mary's church Chelsea Saturday. She was the mother of Bob Wheeler of Portage Lake. The Doyle Templetons of Keego Harbor spent Sunday with the Albert Shireys. The Kenneth Zills of Ann Arbor were Sunday guests of the Mark Nash family. The Edward Nuoffers of Holt and the Harold Nuoffers of Lansing were Sunday guests of the Lloyd Hendersons. Mrs. Mary Ellen Read attended a pinechale party last Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. Denise LaRosa. The Joe Griffith family spent the week end with the Don Griffiths at Mt. Pleasant. Sunday guests of the Francis Shehans and Mrs. Louise Shehan were the Gerald Bauers of Webberville, Gene Shehans of Ann Arbor Mrs. Edna Spears and Jack Sheldon. Leo Hoey of Dexter called at the Dispatch office Monday.

Lynn Hendee and wife called on the Mylo Chubbs in Howell Sunday. The following from here attended the Masonic Past Masters dinner at Dexter Saturday night: Harold Henry, Cliff Miller, Winston Baughn, Olin Robinson and ye editor. Prof. Allen of the University of Michigan Dept. of Research Dept. showed pictures of the rocket launchings at Guam and Hudson Bay. Harold Henry of Plack is a member of this dept. and was at both places. The 22 members of the Finchay high school year book staff held a party at the home of Cathy Meyers Saturday night. The Bonnie Hoskins family of Ionia were Sunday guests of Mrs. Irene Jack. Sunday guests of the Lester Hoopes were Fred Hauger and wife, L. Nean and wife, Mrs. Lola Carmichael and Carl Drapau of Detroit, and Mrs. Ona Campbell attended a Sunday party for Allen Lewis at his home Saturday. They gave him a bicycle. Mrs. Eleanor McDougale was a very nice dinner guest of the Kevin Hoopes. The Andrew Nispetts were Friday guests of Mrs. Lillian Wylie of Detroit. Linda Whitley was 9 years old Saturday. Her parents gave a dinner for her. The Jack Young family spent Sunday with the D. Conklins in Grand Rapids. Mesdames Ray Burns, Helen Young and Bernardine Fry were in Detroit Fry. Bud VanNorman launched his new boat at Portage Lake Sunday. It is a 17 foot Glassbar cabin cruiser. Miss Isabel Nash has gone to St. Myers, Florida to visit her mother, Mrs. Dossa Nash. Prof. John Burg attended the Industrial Arts meeting in Grand Rapids last week. Cliff Miller drove his school bus. C. W. Hooker and wife of Ann Arbor called on Mrs. Jennie Hoopes Sunday. Harold Porter and wife attended a White Shrine installation at Mt. Marshall Saturday. Mrs. Mary Ellen Read and children spent Sunday in Ann Arbor on the occasion of her father's birthday.

