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LOCAL

Erven Fisher is the new clerk at the Shaefer and Reidl store.

Miss Irene Shaefer was a Kalamazoo visitor on Tuesday of this week.

All the regular services will be held as usual at the Baptist church next Sunday.

Miss Frieda Sheldon is in Benton Harbor this week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ora Dixon.

If you haven't seen a Chautauqua program yet, call at The True Northerner office and ask for one.

Miss Louise Eichelberger of Mattawan is spending the week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Reeves.

The Misses Viva and Sarah Bates of Hillsdale are guests of their grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Bates.

A letter from H. C. Waters to the boys in the store states they spent Saturday on the summit of Pike's Peak.

George Whitehead, Frank Isbell and Bennett McKinstry returned from Flint, Tuesday evening, driving new Chevrolet cars.

Dr. J. E. Gilkey commences a two weeks vacation next Sunday, August 10th, and his dental parlors will be closed during that time.

Mrs. John Herman of Caro, Michigan is the guest of Paw Paw friends Mrs. Herman will be remembered as Miss Stella Hutchins, a former Paw Paw girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Mosier spent Sunday in Dowagiac to visit the new grandson, "James Hendryx Mosier" and incidentally called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mosier.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Verne Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Frank McLain motored to Vicksburg last Sunday and attended the Spiritualist Camp meeting.

H. L. McNeil is in Ohio this week attending a meeting of the Abstractors association of that state. Mrs. McNeil accompanied him on the trip which they are making in Azel's Ford Runabout.

A. N. Cole landed a fine four and one-half pound black bass from Pugsley's lake on Wednesday evening. There have been more big fish caught in this lake than in any of the lakes adjacent to Paw Paw this season.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Alexander at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sheldon last Friday a fine baby girl. She has been named, "Jane Corrine". Mr. and Mrs. Alexander reside in Kokomo, Indiana.

Charles Spicer who has been a soldier in France for a year, returned to Pontiac the first of the week to take his old job with the Grand Trunk Railway. He visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Spicer for a week before going there.

G. W. Longwell Sr. still remains in a critical condition. He has a wonderful constitution, but his advanced age, makes a recovery extremely doubtful. The family however are all hopeful, and the legion of friends are hoping that their wishes may be fulfilled.

The annual Prospect Lake neighborhood picnic will be held at Chase's Landing, west side of Christie Lake on Wednesday, August 20th. Old friends and new are cordially invited to attend, and everyone is requested to bring lemons and sugar for lemonade. The program is in charge of the committee.

Marion De LeVergne of Boston was shaking hands with old Paw Paw friends last Friday and Saturday. Mr. DeLeVergne was a clerk in the W. J. Sellick store here for about fifteen years, and this is his first visit since leaving here some thirty-seven years ago. He is now a prosperous groceryman of Boston and is enroute with a party of five to California.

There is a real family reunion at the Bertha North home on North Kalamazoo street this week. Mr. and Mrs. Royal T. Hall and son of Grand Rapids and Ralph North and family of Chicago are all there to spend a two weeks vacation with their mother. The other daughter, Hazel Bailey also of Grand Rapids is expected for a part of the two weeks. It is a jolly, happy family gathering.

Jake Reidl was in Grand Rapids on business last Wednesday.

Henry E. Shaefer is in the employ of A. D. Benway of the Michigan Fruit Exchange.

Frank Newland and Lloyd Holcomb went to Detroit on Tuesday and returned with a new Ford car for Mr. Newland.

Mr. and Mrs. George Weston were in Buchanan last Sunday to spend the day with Mr. Weston's son Eugene and family.

Miss Margaret M. Southworth, Probate Register, is taking her vacation and will visit friends in Kalamazoo, Battle Creek and Lansing.

There are plenty of Chautauqua programs for distribution. If you haven't received one yet, call at The Northerner office and ask for one.

Mrs. W. W. Marr and daughter Mrs. Wm. Hartrant of Estherville, Iowa, Roy Simmons and little daughter Nedra, all motored to Marcellus on Wednesday to spend the day with relatives there.

Cyril Bailey and sister Rachel came home from Detroit last Saturday. The former on Tuesday taking with him his sister Gertrude who will remain in Detroit with her father and brothers for a month.

A. D. Benway of the Michigan Fruit Exchange of Lawton was in Paw Paw on business Wednesday. Mr. Benway is using good advertising space in this issue of The Northerner to get a message of importance before the Fruit Growers of this community. Don't overlook it.

In appreciation of Messrs. Free and Mutchler's generosity in sending a truck for their camp equipment on Wednesday, the Boy Scouts headed by Scoutmaster Nickless and assistant Shouffler marched to the lumber yards Wednesday afternoon and assisted in unloading a car of lumber.

Frank McLain received a message from his son Harry in Toledo on Wednesday, stating that he had suffered a painful accident which may cost him the loss of several fingers. He is employed in a steel mill and one of his hands was badly smashed. Harry is another Paw Paw boy who went through all the World War fighting without a scratch, and has had to suffer this painful accident on his return.

A genuine sample of "Profiteering" which came under the personal observation of a contributor of The True Northerner:—"A few days ago, Mrs. Zander (that's not the lady's name) took some tomatoes to a grocer in one of our neighboring villages for which the honest groceryman paid her 15 cents per pound. Before she left the store, another lady came in and inquired the price of tomatoes. "Thirty cents a pound" repeated the "Honest" grocery man."

The Boy Scouts "Broke Camp" and returned to their respective homes Wednesday morning, after spending the greatest week in their young lives in camp at Greenman's Landing, Christie Lake. There were twenty-eight scouts, scout master, assistant scout master, and the most important factor in the entire outfit, the camp cook in the party. Zeilon Underhill officiated in the latter capacity, and right here it should be said that as a "Hash Slinger" he is an artist. Every member of the camp is loud in praise of the camp cook, and no camping party in the future from Paw Paw will be complete without Mr. Underhill. He understands the business and contributed no small part to the success and enjoyment of the week. The camp was in reality under military discipline, every hour of the day and night, and the parents of the boys and numerous other visitors of the week were both amazed and delighted to see so much real instruction combined with genuine recreation of the right sort, crowded into one short week. While it has been a most pleasant week for Scout Master Nickless and Assistant Shouffler, the responsibility and work of supervision and instruction in the various camp activities crowded into every day, has been real work. They have the gratitude of the parents of the boys and of the citizens of the community for the splendid work they are doing. They are the right men for the place, and there will be a warm spot in the hearts of every one of the boys as well as their parents for both of these men in the future. The Scout organization is very grateful and desires to express its appreciation to those who furnished trucks to carry equipment, to those who donated automobiles to carry the boys, to various individuals who brought delicacies for boys in camp, and in fact to every person who contributed in any way to the success of this memorable week.

Packer and Giddings, the hustling County Ford representatives for this county, have purchased the Locker Garage in Lawrence and will operate it as a Branch Ford station. Duane Pepper and Don Spaulding will be in charge of this station and will be successful without a doubt, as this is a very good location.

A letter from Mrs. Eva Cooper of Harrison, Michigan, renewing subscription to The True Northerner, states that they are all well and are enjoying a visit with her brother, Bert Colburn and son Myron, who motored from Paw Paw visiting friends in Grand Rapids, Fruit Port and Big Rapids enroute.

A CHAUTAUQUA CHAT

Chautauqua is coming again! How much it has meant to town in better community health—a more harmonious, pull-together spirit! How many of our boys and girls have, through it, received the inspiration starting them SUCCESS-WARD!

It is a Good Community Investment

THE PROGRAM:

presents a distinguished array of talent, contains something to please everybody, is constructive, informing and harmonious.

Probably the most startling thing on the program will be the epoch-making attempt of LT. "ANDY" NIELSON, "THE FLYING PARSON," former army instructor, in "stunt" flying, to fly the circuit on schedule and deliver his intensely interesting and instructive lecture on "Problems of the Air", fully illustrated by amusing incidents and an exhibition flight, at each town on the circuit—one of the biggest things any circuit ever attempted. DR. PECK, with his wonderful pictures and descriptions of Europe. JAS. T. NICHOLS, world traveler, at the peace conference, three times across the Atlantic during the war—with his intimate story of conditions, will help you to see the Europe of today as it is and has been. DR. LYMAN P. POWELL, distinguished author and educator, will tell the great plans of the government through education, and give you close-up views of the great leaders of the day almost better than meeting them. H. V. ADAMS in his happy way that has aroused hundreds of audiences to enthusiasm, will keep you laughing while you think, and ALVA M. REITZEL will hold you spell-bound while he discusses those "Problems of Patriotism" in which we are all vitally interested.

In the hands of that great friend of humanity, DR. DAVID D. VAUGHAN, our city problems, illustrated by his marvelous experiences in a parish where 50,000 people are crowded into a square mile, become as fascinating as the story of Tom Sawyer. DR. AMAURY MARS, editor, physician, member French Legion, prisoner three years from beginning of war although an American, has a thrilling story of escaping from German prison camp. Gerard saved him from death. MAJOR ARTHUR S. LIBBY was in Berlin when the war broke out—saw the preparations—heard the Kaiser's speech—and brings information from behind the German curtain. American general staff interpreter.

MUSIC:

Several very special attractions will claim your delighted approval. The great OVERSEAS BAND, composed of men back from the battle fronts, under Ewing's leadership will be not only a treat but an inspiration, and their dress suits, modeled on the French Colonial Zouave uniform, will add to the charm. In contrast will be the ROYAL WELSH LADIES' CHOIR, under the distinguished leadership of Mme. Hughes-Thomas, wife of the mayor of Cardiff, Wales, a singing organization which has won signal and royal honors throughout England and Wales. TAG-GART, "The Man from Vermont," known by his Victor records as "The Old Country Fidler," is a musical humorist of national reputation. The SEVEN LIBERTY BELLS won fresh chautauqua laurels last year and will be better this year—a singing orchestra with a program full of the breath of spring, vibrant with melody and with the dash and abandon of youth, but refined and artistic. The MATHISEN GRAND CONCERT CO., will appeal to every music lover—grand opera quality for popular consumption—Mathisen's voice is even more clear and limpid than his records. A male quartet never fails to please, but you will enjoy "THE AMPHION FOUR" unusually well with "Dick" Richards leading the tenor. HENRY AND CO., MAGICIANS. Art, Mystery, Mirth, Crayon, Sand Painting

Dates for the Paw Paw Chautauqua AUGUST 23-29

Mr. F. N. Wakeman will give you further information and take your order for season tickets.

Chautauqua is Democracy's Mental Training Camp

Rev. E. E. Shouffler will preach at the Union services at the Disciple church on Sunday evening next.

Miss Kathryn Moore, Deputy County Clerk, left Saturday for Chicago, where she will spend part of her vacation.

The ladies of the Coterie and their families are enjoying their annual picnic at Pugsley's Lake this afternoon. Supper will be served at half past six o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer King, Mrs. R. E. Hamilton and grandchild, Louise Eichelberger, all of Mattawan, motored to Allegan last Sunday and spent the evening in Paw Paw enroute home.

There will be automobiles at the Coterie Club house at 4:00 P. M. this Friday afternoon to convey members of the club who have no means of transportation, to the Picnic Grounds at Pugsley's lake.

Cecil Haworth has returned from the states from overseas and will soon be at home again. Raymond is still in France. He is a member of the First Division and will undoubtedly be among the last to return.

The Methodist Episcopal Ladies will hold a Bake sale at the Shaefer and Reidl store on Saturday afternoon of this week at 4:00 o'clock. Be on time for these baked goods will not last long.

If you are interested in the success of this years chautauqua, and desire a continuation of the annual sessions show your good will by attendance at the Chautauqua meeting in the Council rooms this Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

Dell Cumings left the first of this week for Deerfield, Michigan where he expects to make his future home. Mr. Cumings has been one of Paw Paw's honored and respected citizens for many years and will be missed among his many friends here.

Mrs. Fred Mauk and son, Lieut. Harry Mauk, who has just returned from overseas, of Bangor, and Mrs. Maurice Woods and children of Kalamazoo were guests of their aunt, Mrs. Fannie Mitchelson last Saturday.

A message to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Salisbury the first of this week states that their son Lynn has returned from overseas, and will soon be discharged from service at Camp Grant. Lynn is another of the Paw Paw boys who has been through the big fighting.

S. O. Kenyon has been appointed Supervisor of Census for the Fourth Congressional district of Michigan. This district comprises the counties of Allegan, Barry, Berrien, Cass, St. Joseph and Van Buren, and the total population of these counties in 1910 was 195,382. The fourteenth census of the United States will be taken during the year 1920. Congressional Supervisor of Census is an excellent appointment, and The True Northerner joins the host of Paw Paw friends in congratulations to Mr. Kenyon.

Space in The True Northerner this week advertises three auction sales. One for August 13th, and two for August 14th. The former is for M. D. Shaver at his farm in Waverly township, located seven and one-half miles Northwest of Paw Paw; the two latter are for Dr. C. L. Bennett at his farm two miles south of Gobleville, and L. E. Garrison at the Steve Moore farm two and one-half miles Northeast of Alma. All are good auctions with splendid property listed and should draw big crowds. Mr. Shaver lists some fine No. 1 Timothy hay, which will appeal to many. As stated in these columns last week, Dr. Bennett is leaving his practice in Gobleville, disposing of his property there and making plans to locate in the city of Kalamazoo.

At a meeting of the soliders of the World War held in Memorial hall last Saturday evening, the organization of a local post, as a unit in the great national organization, "The American Legion" was completed. Following are the officers elected:—Commander, Glenn E. Warner; Vice-Commander, Frank Isbell; Adjutant, Leland Aseltine; Finance Officer, Howard Parks; Historian, Azel McNeil; Chaplain, Father Toole. Executive committee, member for three years, Mark Chaffee; Two years, Royal Decker; one year, Father Toole. Membership committee, Harley Mutchler, Carl Wilson, James Ayars, Clifford Pugsley. The Post will be known as "McGowan Post No. 68", named in memory of Claire McGowan who lost his life on the battle fields of France. The Post will meet on the second Wednesday evening of every month in Memorial Hall.

Mrs. A. E. Van Vleck and daughter Peggy, returned Sunday from her father.

For the next two weeks, Dr. A. E. Van Vleck will be in his office on Thursday only of each week.

County Clerk, Roscoe W. Broughton, has been attending the State Convention of County Clerks held at Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Ashbrook have moved to South Haven, where he has employment in the Overton Piano factory.

Services will be held at St. Marks church next Sunday morning at 10:30 A. M. Special music by Kalamazoo musicians will be rendered. Violin, flute and organ solos.

After spending three years in service in the World War, Capt. Charles W. Rastall has reached New Brunswick, N. J. on his return home. The farm home is just east of Paw Paw.

Messrs. Will Cook and J. M. Townsend of the Hastings Banner called at The True Northerner office Thursday. They were enroute to the Culver Military Academy, where Mr. Cook has a son in school.

A letter to Paw Paw friends from marl and find the average result from states that he is the daddy of another baby boy. Herbert will be remembered as a former Paw Paw boy who was employed on The True Northerner for several years. He is now publisher of the paper at Climax.

W. J. Warner and family, Glenn E. Warner and mother Mrs. Jennie Warner, all motored to Grand Rapids last Sunday and spent the day with relatives there. Miss Jean Warner who had been spending the week in that city, returned with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Warner.

The Hon. Charles Vopicka has joined his family at their summer home, Four Mile lake and will remain the balance of the summer. Mr. Vopicka has been Minister to Roumania during President Wilson's term of office and is well known in diplomatic circles.

A letter from M. J. Grenell, dated from Kalamazoo states that the surgeons at the hospital there have decided that an operation will not be necessary at this time. Quiet, rest and proper treatment is all that is required now, he says. His many Paw Paw friends will rejoice with him in the good news.

Miss Frieda Snow will leave for her position in Cleveland, Ohio today, after spending a vacation with her parents at "Snow Drift Inn", Three Mile Lake. She gave a dinner party to eight of her young lady and gentle men friends at the cottage last Wednesday in honor of Max Reynolds who is home from the West on a vacation after nine years absence.

A company of neighbors and friends surprised Mrs. Ed Pepper on her birthday last Monday at her home in the "Flopper District". Refreshments were served on the lawn, covers being laid for twenty. The guests departed after a delightful time, wishing Mrs. Plopper many happy returns of the day. Mrs. Plopper will be remembered as Mrs. Gertrude Gillespie of this village.

Duane Pepper and Miss Della Richardson were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Richardson, north of town Thursday noon of this week. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. C. Brown in the presence of only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. The happy couple started immediately on an automobile trip to Wooster and Kenton Ohio where they will spend a brief honeymoon with sisters of the bride. They will be at home in Lawrence, Mich., after September first. The True Northerner joins in felicitations.

Mrs. Eliza Jordan, who has been an invalid for the past twenty years died at her home in this village last Monday afternoon. She was a great sufferer from Dropsy, and has been confined to her bed since last October. Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Jordan have been honored and respected citizens of Paw Paw for the past thirty-seven years, coming here from Erie, Pennsylvania. Besides the husband three children survive, two having died in infancy. The remaining ones all now grown to manhood and womanhood with families are, Will Jordan and Mrs. W. C. Sheldon of Paw Paw and Sam Jordan of Klaho. A message from Sara, stated that it would be impossible for him to come for the funeral, which was held from the M. E. church Thursday afternoon Rev. Arthur Trott officiating. Interment was in Prospect cemetery.