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J. H. Monasmith of New Baltimore, Ohio, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Andrew Alderman.

Mrs. Charlotte Gunn went to Battle Creek Tuesday, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Fashbaugh.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lamb of Charlotte, and Mrs. E. Morrell of Hastings were in town to-day.

Ed Cherry of Owosso, was in town the first of the week, a guest at the home of Ernest Jones.

James Young of North Manchester, Ind., visited his cousin Daniel Snook Saturday, enroute north.

Dr. J. D. McEbachran took Will Ward to Detroit this morning to be operated upon for appendicitis.

Mrs. Wm. Parmenter left this morning for St. Paul, Minn., where she will spend the winter with her daughter.

Manager E. F. Edmonds of the Citizen's Telephone Company is in Cadillac this week attending the meeting of Independent Phone Managers.

Walter Davis was called to Albion, Friday, by the serious illness of his sister, Mrs. Jay Devering. He returned Monday morning leaving her much improved.

N. C. Chilson went up to Grand Rapids Sunday where he expects to spend the winter at the Soldier's Home. This makes an ideal place for the veterans who wish to enjoy a winter of solid comfort.

W. A. Paul left Monday for Alameda, California, where he will spend the winter. Mr. VanAuker accompanied him. They will take the southern route stopping off on the way to see Southern California.

Mrs. Roy Hammond, Miss Prudence Remalie and David Young were in Detroit last week in attendance at the State Sunday School Convention, the latter as delegate for the district. They report a magnificent gathering and one well worth the attendance of every one interested in Sunday school-work.

## NOVEMBER 25, 1908.

### Vermontville Prominent at Convention.

In the recent meeting of the Independent telephone managers at Cadillac, several Vermontville people played prominent parts. C. E. Smith, the able manager at Cadillac, was the chief glad hand man of the town. Rolland Dorman figured prominently in the way of entertaining the visitors by singing numerous illustrated songs and also singing in the male quartette. Miss Bessie Bottomley, who is chief operator there, had charge of the question box during the numerous discussions of the convention. She also had entire charge of the large number of girls who served at the banquet, while Mrs. Smith had the responsibility of the decorations of the hall and the preparation of the banquet that was served the visitors.

Another Vermontville man was brought out quite prominently by Per-

ry F. Powers in responding to a toast. In illustrating a point, he said it would be best understood by referring to an instance connected with a gathering and went on to explain that a question was up for consideration and after stating the condition of things he said it was announced that the discussion would now take place and that Brother Edmonds would lead off. This Vermontvilleite had become somewhat drowsy during the hum of talk but started up suddenly when his name was called and said: "Guess you will have to excuse me, it isn't my turn for I just dealt."

Manager Edmonds returned from the convention Thursday night and said that everyone had a royal good time there at the gathering. Mr. Smith was elected secretary and treasurer of the Association.

### HOW "THEY" CELEBRATE.

W. A. Roberts goes to Detroit to visit with his wife.

Miss Hortense Holt is home for the Thanksgiving vacation.

Henry Dodge went to Lansing Tuesday to spend Thanksgiving.

Mrs. H. P. Thompson spends the day at the home of Horace Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Bailey will celebrate in Jackson with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Cherry of Owosso will celebrate the day at E. L. Jones.

H. H. Church and family will entertain A. Sechler and wife for the day.

Col. and Mrs. C. A. Hallenbeck will entertain Frank Babcock and wife Kalamo.

Clark Wells' house will shelter C. C. Halleneck and family and Warren Bennett's family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Bale go to Jackson today to spend Thanksgiving with their daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Mears will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Kinney of Sunfield.

At Frank Ambrose home will be Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Loveland and L. W. Loveland and family.

Miss Alice Green goes to Galeburg to spend the few days vacation with Miss Blanche Eaton.

Dr. and Mrs. C. S. Snell entertain Mr. and Mrs. Alderman, Miss Sprague and Dr. W. H. Davis.

Albert Green's family will have E. J. Sprague and family and Mrs. J. L. Green with them for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. John Connant will entertain A. Connant and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baker and Mr. and Mrs. B. Rover of Woodland.

Lou Slout and family of Nashville, Will Slout and family, Chas. Slout and family all celebrate at home of Clare Ellis in Kalamo.

Hon. and Mrs. H. G. Barber will entertain E. D. Barber and family, W. C. Alsover and family and Mrs. W. H. Dickinson at dinner.

At Geo. D. Granger's, south east of town, will be Erbie Granger, Lou Summers of Chester and J. H. Bottomley of Chester, with their families.