

Boyer Rickles spent from Thursday until Monday at home from Ionia.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Smith of Bismark entertained Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dwight, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Smith, Mrs. G. H. Paddock and Miss Edna Smith for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Alda Tyler returned Saturday from a visit at Dayton, Ohio where they had been to see their grand parents Mr. and Mrs. Wilshire Lockwood for a couple of weeks.

Geo. Stevens was in Brinton last week visiting his son. Miss Ruth Stevens accompanied him for the holiday vacation, returning from here to her school work in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Mahar and wife and John Mahar of Jackson, Jay Shelbarger of Lake Odessa, and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bell and daughter of Kalamo were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Mahar Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. John Remalie and daughter Prudence entertained on Christmas day, James Ward and wife of Marshal, Clay and P. H. Remalie of Battle Creek, Mrs. Fidelia Remalie and daughter Nina, and Geo. Remalii and family of Vermontville and Frank Remalie and family of Portland. After a bountiful dinner had been served the guests were invited to the parlor where stood a Christmas tree laden with gifts for all. The grandchildren gave a short program and then the older children took the gifts from the tree while the younger ones helped to pass them out.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hawkins and son of Lansing visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hawkins over Sunday. Fred Dies and Orrin Heckman of Akron Ohio are spending the holidays with the formers brother, Roy Dies.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Smith, Myrtle Smith and Jud Hill and families went over to George Gaut's at Nashville for Christmas.

Miss Hubbard of Middleville and Miss Seibbert of Caledonia were out of town guests present at the Christmas dance.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. E. Moore and son of Jackson spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sibrrell last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Perkey of Lansing spent Christmas day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Pendill. Mrs. Perkey remained over for a few days visit.

A family gathering was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. Mary Hultz last week, Charles, Joe, Ben, Jake and Allen Faust with their families, Leon Sprague and wife and John Faust from Detroit were all present and a most enjoyable time was had.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Warren and children of Boyne City came down Thursday for a visit with her people, Dr. and Mrs. C. S. Snell. Mr. Warren had to return Saturday but the family remained for a few days longer visit.

Thursday night is the last chance of the ladies for four years and they are going to make the most of it by giving a parting dance and will take their gentleman friends out for an evenings entertainment at the opera house.

We are in receipt of a copy of the Seattle (Wash.) Sunday Times thru the kindness of Mr. Henry Rawson who is now located there. It is a seventy six page paper and as fine a piece of printer's art as we have seen in some time. This issue being the Christmas number was filled with good things.

A jolly party of young people were entertained by the Misses Stevens Monday evening at the home of their grandfather, Mr. George Stevens east of town. The function was an A, B, C, party and those in position to know say that the gathering took on the appearance of an up to date kindergarten school.

Fred Wells is the proud owner of a new Cartecar automobile which he purchased in Detroit last week and with A. B. Brown brought home Thursday. It is a five passenger car with top and equipped with gas lamp and all the latest improvements and attachments and will give a lot of pleasure to the family the coming season.

Born to Mr. and Mr. Bert Stevens Sunday a nine pound daughter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Wade at Flint Monday a son. He answers to the name of Webster Allen Wade.

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H. H. Curtis is in Chicago, on business.

Rollin Dorman of Cadillac, is visiting in town.

Charles Stiles was a Charlotte visitor Monday.

Miss Ethlyn Wimple is the new clerk at the bakery.

Mrs. Vera Gregg returned to Belding, Thursday.

Miss Edith Martin returned to Mt. Pleasant, Saturday.

Eber Weed of Charlotte, was a visitor at school yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Niles were Lansing visitors Tuesday.

School opened up Monday morning after the holiday vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scarvell returned to Greenville, Thursday.

Mrs. Susan Knickerbocker was in Lansing Monday to see her son Orley.

Mrs. R. D. Finley, of Battle Creek, was in town, Saturday, on business.

Catherine Griswold returned to Chicago, Sunday, for her school work.

Robert Griswold and sisters were all in Charlotte for the New Year party.

Mrs. L. W. Richmond of LaGrange, Ind., is visiting her brother, Fred Rawson.

Mrs. Leone Mooney of East Toledo, O., is visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Mears.