

J. W. French has moved into N. E. McLaughlin's house on East First street.

A. B. Brown and family are moving into D. Finley's house on North Main street.

R. P. Woodworth moved his family to Nashville the first of the week where he runs a moving picture show and a skating rink.

Henry Moyer, who has been an invalid for a number of years, died at his home in Charlotte yesterday afternoon at half past one.

Governor Warner has issued a proclamation naming April 30 as Arbor day. He urges the people to gather on that day and form organizations for the betterment of their communities as suggested by ex-President Roosevelt.

Mrs. W. I. Moyer of Chester was taken to Charlotte yesterday morning to the home of her son, Dr. H. A. Moyer. The sudden death of her husband last Friday was such a shock to her that it was thought best to move her. She stood the journey well.

The Sunday school class of Mrs. J. Wilson gave a party in her honor, last Friday evening at the home of Vern Slout. The evening was spent in playing games after which light refreshments were served. The class is composed of twenty-two young people, who presented Mrs. Wilson with a silver meat fork as a slight token of their esteem and a reminder of the pleasant times spent together.

### Chester.

The pupils who are attending Charlotte schools are home for a weeks vacation.

Rev. J. R. McRoberts of Charlotte will preach at the Chester church next Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Webber of Kalamo spent Saturday and Sunday at Dell Sprague's.

Mr. Geo. Gunn and family will move soon to Muskegon where Mrs. Gunn has position as teacher in the city school.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bower have moved onto Mr. Parr's place, recently purchased of Mr. Root.

Clarence Claus is moving onto Geo. Gunn's place.

The Chester Sunshine society will meet at Gleaner hall Gresham, Thursday, April 8.

The funeral of Irvin Moyer of Chester was held at the station church, Sunday, March 28, at two o'clock, Rev. Parsons of Vermontville officiating. The Charlotte Ladies quartette furnished beautiful music, interment at Gresham cemetery. Mr. Moyer had been in as good health as usual and his death came as a sudden shock to the family. Mrs. Moyer, who has been very ill for a number of weeks is still very low.

The Good Cheer Club will meet Saturday night for another good time.

H. D. Sprague sold a horse to Repard Bros., horse buyers, last week.

## APRIL 7, 1909

### OBITUARY.

#### Charlotte Barber Breed

Charlotte Barber Breed, wife of Roswell Allen Breed and daughter of the late Daniel F. Barber, a long time resident of Vermontville, and of Charlotte A. Barber, died at Oak Park, Ill., Wednesday, March 31st. She was born March 26th, 1867, and was in the forty second year of her age. She was a woman of strong and noble character who bore her share of life's burdens with great dignity and sweetness and passed from this life happy in the love of a devoted husband and two children. She was a communicant of Grace Episcopal church of Oak Park, and a woman who commanded the love and respect of a large circle of friends. The funeral was held Friday afternoon at her late residence in Oak Park. The remains were placed temporarily in the vault in Gracewood cemetery.

Dr. L. F. Weaver was in town on Sunday.

Lewis Kidder was in Nashville, Monday.

Arthur Hawes was in Charlotte, Tuesday.

Ernest Hecox was in Charlotte, Tuesday.

H. S. Fuller spent Sunday With relatives here.

Edwin Wells of Battle Creek is visiting here.

Mrs. Clark Wells was in Charlotte on Tuesday.

S. A. Fuller went to Jackson, Tuesday morning.

Dr. C. S. Spell made a professional trip to Charlotte, Tuesday.

Edmond Sprague was in Charlotte on probate business, Tuesday.

Wayne Mitchel was the guest of his sister, Miss Myrtle Mitchel, last week.

Mrs. R. V. Neal spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. White, Nashville.

Mrs. A. P. Claflin of Benton spent Sunday with Mr. Mrs. E. F. Tubbs.

Misses Jennie Martin and Laura Church were in Grand Rapids Saturday.

Misses Zora and Iva McUmbert spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Tubbs.

Ira Smith returned from Auburn, where he has been for a few weeks, on Monday.

Miss Eva Belcher who has been visiting A. L. Dickinson's returned home Saturday.

Miss Hazel Mitchel of Middleville visited her sister, Miss Myrtle Mitchel last week.

Miss Lois Hall is spending her vacation in Coldwater with her sister, Miss Anna Hall.

Mrs. Ellen Viele of Grand Rapids has been visiting old friends in town for a few days.

Mrs. H. P. Thompson went to Flint Thursday morning to visit friends until after Easter Sunday.