

The home of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Bowman was the scene of a very enjoyable occasion Tuesday, July 4th, the event being a Reunion of the "Class of '90" of the Vermontville schools.

One remarkable fact concerning this class is that death has not entered the ranks of the fourteen members during these thirty-two years.

Six members of the class were present, who, with members of their families, and a former teacher in the schools, made a party of eleven in number.

A very bountiful buffet luncheon was enjoyed at one o'clock at small tables very daintily laid. Place cards were arranged with the old school-day nicknames which caused much merriment. After ample justice had been done to the luncheon, letters from all the absent members of the class were read, and music enjoyed.

Following this all retired to the home of Mrs. Lulu Snell Warren, one member of the class who is ill, living south of town, where punch and wafers were served and pictures taken. The party then returned to the Bowman home for a social hour.

The decorations were roses, sweet-peas and forget-me-nots. Miss Gayle Griswold of Chicago sent a beautiful bouquet of rose-buds with her letter of regrets for herself and brother, Park Griswold of Montaua. Other letters were from Dr. John Parker, of Columbus, Ohio; Edward J. Gray of Alpena, Mich.; Mrs. Manta Wells Morgan of Detroit, Mich.; Mrs.

Nora Gait Lubin of Coopersville, Mich. and Mrs. Lillian Pope Sheldon ing a few days at Charlotte.

Those present were Mrs. Jessie Williams Bowman and Mr. Bowman, Mrs. Mae Benedict Scarvell, Mr. Win Kroger, Miss Myrta Tyler, all of Vermontville; Mrs. Ada Tyler Whipple and daughter, Miss Gladys, of Flint; and Mrs. Jennie Demming Close, and daughter, Miss Marion McCormell, and Mr. Close of Grass Lake, Michigan.

A very enjoyable surprise was the presence of Miss Delia Wheeler of Seattle, Washington, who is spending a few days at Charlotte.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Knowles motored to Lenox, Michigan, Friday, taking Mr. Ernest L. Jones as far as Lansing on his way to his home in Owosso. They visited Mrs. Knowles' brothers, Frank and John Kenworthy, and returned Monday bringing Miss Agnes Kenworthy for a month's stay with the Seitz and Kenworthy families.

Mr. LeRoy Snell and family of Detroit visited here the first of the week.

Stephen Bowser was taken very seriously ill Sunday but is much better at this writing.

Pauline Wirt spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence DePlanta of Grand Rapids spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Barber.

Misses Clare and Margarite Ritchie went to Detroit, Monday to spend a few weeks with their father.

Mrs. Karl Weiler and Mrs. D. Z. McLaughlin were callers at Nashville, Saturday.

Miss Sylvia Hawkins is home from Charlotte, coming Tuesday.

Mrs. Lena Benedict and grandson of Grand Rapids surprised Mr. W. P. Slout by visiting him on his 63rd birthday, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perkey of Lansing have been recent guests at the Pendill home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pendill ride in a Buick Six, recently purchased in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Remalie of Lansing came over by auto last week and took their mother, Mrs. Sarah Norton home with them as she is unable to live alone because of ill health. Her address is 537 Beach St.

A. L. Barningham and family are now nicely located at their residence, the Hance Hammond house on East Main Street.

July 27, 1922.

LULU MAE SNELL

Lulu Mae Snell was born in Gardner, Maine, October 6th, 1873. When she was four years old her parents moved to Vermontville, and here she lived up to the time of her marriage. She attended school here and was graduated in 1890.

On October 3rd, 1900 she was united in marriage to Herbert H. Warren, of Galesburg, Michigan. To this

union were born three boys, Wayne Leroy, of Kalamazoo, Charles Herbert and John Waite, both living at home. In February, 1920, they moved to Vermontville from Clawson, Mich. and here she resided at the time of her death, which occurred July 20th, 1922, after a long illness. She was a member of the Congregational church of Vermontville, from which church the funeral was held Saturday afternoon, July 22. Rev. Fred Niles officiating.

Although at times she suffered greatly, her courage and cheerfulness never faltered, and her life and character were an inspiration to all who knew her. A perfect daughter, sister, wife and mother, her influence here will always live and be felt by those who knew and loved her.

Besides her husband and three sons she leaves her father and mother, brother and sister to mourn her loss.

Those from away who attended the funeral were; Wayne L. Warren, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Warren Sr. and Mrs. John Warren of Kalamazoo, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Snell and Marion of Detroit, Mrs. Lora Snell and Dr. and Mrs. Frank Snell and daughters, Beulah and Carlah of Lansing, Miss Clara Locke of Potterville, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Milbourn of Dimondale, Mrs. Mate Griswold and Gale of Chicago, Mrs. Jesse Garlinger of Castleton and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grant and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dodgson of Kalamo.

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