

Oregon spent over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Bowlan.

AUGUST 27, 1925.

Mrs. C. C. Hallenbeck was in Charlotte last week while Miss Ora Hallenbeck and Miss Abbot were at Pontiac making plans for locating there for the school year which opens September 8. Mrs. Hallenbeck expects to accompany them.

Rev. Rogers and family came home from Otsego Sunday afternoon, as he was called to officiate at the funeral of Mrs. Cross held from her home Monday p. m. They went to Grand Rapids Tuesday to finish their vacation trip and expect to be home again Thursday.

Vermontville Grange chorus choir, who have not only received local County, State, but National fame, will sing at the meeting of Pomona Grange to be held with Prospect Grange, Wednesday, September 2. Vermontville Grange is going over in full force and win the prize for attendance.

Allen Faust and family spent the week end at Mt. Pleasant with their daughter Mrs. Clark.

Millicent Lamb from East Lansing is spending this week with friends here.

LeRoy Snell and family of Detroit were here for the week end and Miss Norena accompanied them home.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Loveland were Mrs. Fred Loveland of Detroit and Mrs. Morgan of Charlotte. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Loveland also visited them.

Vermontville schools open next Monday and are fortunate in having the fine corps of teachers that have been provided for this year. They are:-

- Supt., D. E. Clay.
- Principal, Miss Eva Henson.
- Miss Bessie B. Grange.
- Miss Evelyn VanBlarcum.
- Miss Kate Housler.
- Miss Freida Surine.
- Mrs. Marjorie Griffith.
- Mrs. Emma Powers.

SEPTEMBER 10, 1925.

HIGH SCHOOL

School opened Tuesday with chapel exercises. Some important announcements were made after which Mrs. Helgen gave a Bible Lecture.

The class advisors have been elected.

- 9th. grade Miss VanBlarcum
- 10th. grade Miss Henson
- 11th. grade Miss Granger
- 12th. grade Mr. Clay

The plans for a Literary Society are under way.

All Base Ball is given up for an early start in Basket Ball.

The Senior Class has been organized and officers elected. Pres. Kenneth Childs, Vice President Katheryn Boyer, Sec. and Treas., Margaret Zentgraf.

Fred A. Warner in Sunfield was the scene of a very pretty wedding Saturday September, 5 at 3 p. m. when their daughter Gertrude Elizabeth was united in marriage to Mr. Carl Martens of Nashville. Only the immediate relatives were present. Miss Dorothy Benson of Lansing acted as bridesmaid and Mr. Orvil Ward of Nashville as groomsman. "I love you truly" was beautifully sung by Mrs. L. H. Cone who played softly as the wedding party took their places under the white wedding bells and with a background of ferns and dozens of pale pink gladioli while Rev. L. H. Cone read the impressive ring service. The bride's gown was of robin's egg blue krinkle crepe trimmed with silver lace and her bouquet was pale pink tea roses and swainsonia. The bridesmaid wore deep rose crepe. After a dainty luncheon served by the Misses Wilda and Ethyl Martens sisters of the groom, the bridal couple left for a few days at Gull Lake after which they will be at home at 1019 S. Walnut St., Lansing where Mr. Martens is employed. The bride has lived in this village practically all her life and graduated in 1924 from V. H. S. Their many friends united in best wishes for their future happiness and success.

Dr. and Mrs. Snell and Norena have been spending the past ten days at Dr. McLaughlin's cottage at Diamond Lake and word comes from there that Dr. has been very poorly with heart trouble, but was getting relief from hay fever.

Powers slipped over to Detroit in the early hours of the morning on Saturday September 29 and did that city by changing from a state of single blessedness into a state of unity and progressive co-operation, the wedding ceremony having been performed in the home of and at the hand of Rev. John Hallenbeck, uncle of the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Hallenbeck took supper in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Hallenbeck, spent the night in Detroit and left on the steamer Juanita for a short trip to the Soo where they spent three days going from here by buss to St. Ignace and Mackinac Island, returning to Detroit on Saturday, September 5th. and back to their pretty farm home on Sunday where they will be at home to their host of friends.

Miss Jennie Martin and Mrs. Edith Biggs were in Charlotte Saturday to attend the funeral of their cousin, Mrs. Rose Robinson.

Mrs. C. C. Hallenbeck, Miss Ora and Miss Abbott are located at 32 Edison St., Pontiac, where the Echo will visit them weekly.

Vermontville Bakery used two barrels of flour in their bread last Saturday and a half barrel of flour for rolls, buns, cakes etc.

Miss Frances Kroger and Dr. John Parker of Ohio, spent Labor Day in Lansing with Mrs. Roy Goodell and Mrs. Sherman Merrill.

Mrs. Edith Biggs and Mrs. Mary Dann of Charlotte motored to Winona Lake, Indiana Monday to attend the National Lyceum Convention.

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