

Mr. and Mrs. Ilo Ferris entertained Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Galusha, of Olivet Tuesday. Mr. Galusha, attending School Instruction of the Masonic Lodge. Mr. Galusha, is an officer in Olivet Lodge.

Mrs. L. W. Loveland gave a bridge party for eight ladies at her home Wednesday afternoon. Fine refreshments were served Mrs. Vance Barber won the first prize and Mrs. C. K. Wells the consolation.

Mrs. Ida Miles of Vermontville is the new president of the Eaton County Association O. E. S. The other officers are: First vice president, Mrs. Jennie Bly, Brookfield; second vice president, Mrs. Val Burrows, Eaton Rapids; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Rosa Stinchcomb, Sunfield; chaplain, Mrs. Jessie Murray, Charlotte; marshal, Mrs. Eva Arnold, Dimondale. The sessions were called to order by the Association President, Mrs. Edith Zederbaum, of Maple City Chapter, who most graciously presided.

November 17, 1927

One could not picture a happier or more enthusiastic crowd than the one assembled Wednesday evening for the Sunday School Rally and Home Coming event—one of the big features of dedication week at the M. E. Church.

The Sunday School classes and guests were lined up and marched into the banquet hall and took their places at the beautifully decorated tables. Rev. Phillips returned thanks for the bounties and blessings, and while the waiters, some of them from Dixie land, were busy serving, pep songs were sung led by Rev. Phillips with Irvin Powers at the piano. Class yells and songs came from all directions. When the beautiful three course dinner had been served to a company of more than two hundred, Miss Bessie Granger, as toast mistress, welcomed the guests. Nearly all the classes were represented in the program, some putting on very novel stunts. Short speeches were made by Rev. J. W. Hallenbeck of Detroit, Rev. Charles Nease and Mrs. Nease of Grand Rapids and J. S. Garinger. Rev. Nease was the only former pastor present and everyone was glad for his presence at this gathering.

While very few from out of town were present, yet many letters were received from former residents and these added much to the program. Those from away who could not be present but responded to their invitations were: Edwin (Ned) Jewell Omaha, Neb.; Mrs. Jennie Jewell Harrold, Atlanta, Ga.; Mrs. Zora Stevens Dohra, Detroit; Rev. and Mrs. W. P. Mosier, Bellaire; Clarence Durham and Dr.

Clarence Durham, Muskegon; Rev. and Mrs. L. H. Cone, Imlay City; Rev. Stanley B. Niles, Cutchogue, N. Y.; Mrs. B. E. Paddock, San Francisco, Calif.; Rev. Bernard H. Paddock, Mill Valley, Calif.; Mrs. E. G. Lewis, Grand Rapids; Mrs. F. L. Niles, Sheridan; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Park, Ann Arbor; Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Tyler, Farmington, Calif.; Roy C. French, DePere, Wis.; Mrs. Gertie Hawkins, Boyne City; Mrs. Ida Nill Delnay, Chicago; Mrs. L. J. Beckwith and Mrs. Della B. Mitchell Ann Arbor; Mr. and Mrs. Hale Sackett, Nashville; Mrs. Etta Shepard, Battle Creek; Miss Carrie Knause, St. Louis, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Covert, Clio; Miss Mary Clough, Spokane, Wash.; Mrs. Eva Smith Healy, Sunfield; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hayward, Jackson; Miss Helen Patton, Ann Arbor, Mich. Arthur R. Cross, Kalamazoo; Mr. and Mrs. Julius Garrett, Grand Rapids; Fred Grinnell, Pontiac; Jay Grinnell, Detroit (by telegram); and Mrs. Ada Tyler Whipple, Flint (with a poem) which will be published next week by request.

The program closed with a male quartette from Class No. 10. All those who worked hard for the success of this event, feel well repaid for the efforts made and hope it will add new interest in Church and Sunday School work.

"It's almost as cheap to go to Europe as to travel to California", stated Mr. DeFoe, editor of the Charlotte Republican, as he addressed the regular monthly meeting of the Community Brotherhood at the Methodist Church Monday evening. The speaker then related interesting experiences he had in his trip to Europe, as a delegate from Charlotte to the International Convention of members of the Rotary Club which was held at Ostend, Belgium last summer. Preceding the address by Mr. DeFoe, a short business meeting was held, Dr. Hallenbeck made a few remarks about the value of brotherhood Rev. Mitchell, in behalf of the Congregational Church, congratulated the Methodists on their recent building achievements, and Rev. Phillips led the group in a community sing.

Frank Schofield and lady friend of Woodland were present at the dedication services Sunday afternoon. Mr. Schofield did the mason work at the church.

Mr. William Oliver of Dorchester, Ontario, and Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Davis and son Donald of Jackson were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davis.

Bismark church was well represented at both morning and afternoon services at the local M. E. Church Sunday, many attending the noon luncheon.

Rev. C. C. Mitchell will preach at the Union Thanksgiving meeting of Congregationalists and Methodists at the Methodist Church next Sunday evening at 7:00 o'clock. Union choir will furnish the music.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Campbell of Cleveland were in Michigan on a business trip Wednesday and stopped off Wednesday night for the Home Coming event and visited his sister Mrs. Ernest Rawson and other relatives.

Parents wishing to attend the banquet and lecture at the M. E. Church Friday evening can leave their small children at the home of Mrs. Oda Gehman. Each family of children bring sandwiches and one other dish.

Thursday, November 24, 1927

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gregg and daughter Ruth and sons Billy and Frank of Belding, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Gutches of Battle Creek, Miss Vera Loveland of Big Rapids, Mrs. E. E. Loveland, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Ambrose will join in a reunion at the home of Postmaster and Mrs. E. J. Loveland on Thanksgiving day.

Miss Lynette Freemire has gone south with Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Collins. She will be absent about a month. Returning she will take the bus route along the eastern coast stopping at various points of interest including several days at Washington, Philadelphia and New York. —Charlotte Republican.

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Mr. and Mrs. Byron Hallenbeck and daughter spent the week end in Detroit. Mrs. H. visited schools in Ann Arbor enroute.

The NEW FORD CAR years ahead of any other low price car. Learn all about it this Friday. Barber Motor Sales.

Mrs. Catherine Green, Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Sprague, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Green were Thanksgiving guests at A. L. Barningham's.

Mrs. Bell Hall and Ralph Hall and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hawes in Charlotte for Thanksgiving.

Glen Leady, wife and children of Battle Creek were Sunday visitors at Jerome Deuel's, also Cecil Wellman and wife and children.

William B. Morgan of Lansing and Mrs. Luella Manley of Vermontville were married Friday at Vermontville by Rev. C. C. Mitchell.

John Irvin and daughter Nora took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Orris Greiner and family Thanksgiving day.

O. E. McLaughlin and wife spent Thanksgiving in Spring Arbor. Mrs. McLaughlin's mother, Mrs. Burton Carl returned with them and visited here until Sunday.