

Mrs. Frederick Cunningham, formerly Gladys Sherrard, who has spent several years at Miami, Fla., and who recently came north to New York City, came home Wednesday to enjoy several weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sherrard and old friends. Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham will be located in New York City for the summer at least.

Thursday, April 16, 1931

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hay and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Brown attended Pomona Grange in Eaton Rapids, Saturday. The ladies also called on Mrs. James McCotter in Charlotte and found her able to greet them at the door, but very weak yet from her long illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas and Jimmie were Sunday dinner guests of her mother, Mrs. Hall. Callers in the afternoon were Mrs. Anna Devereaux and son Richard of Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Devereaux of Battle Creek and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allen, Mrs. Margaret Hawkins and son Bob Hall of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Jayes Tieche and family from Ceute, Line, Mich. spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Asa Brown, and Mrs. B. accompanied them as far as Lansing to the home of her sister Mrs. George Semans. On Monday she visited her eye specialist and had her eyes tested for reading glasses. Her many friends hope she may be able to read once more.

Mrs. Worden was given a very enjoyable party last Saturday in honor of her birthday on Sunday. Those who helped her celebrate were Mrs. Charles Cupples of Charlotte, Mrs. Albaugh and Mrs. Harry King of Lansing, Mrs. Howard Bott of Dimondale, Mrs. Grace Barnes and Mrs. Luban Barnes. They gave her a shower of canned vegetables and fruits. All had a fine dinner and jolly time together.

Dr. Frank Snell and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Pierce and little son of Lansing were Sunday guests of Dr. C. S. Snell and Norena.

Miss Martin and sister Mrs. Biggs and Marthagene of Charlotte visited Mrs. Lulu Youngs and family at Valley Farms, North Lansing, Sunday. Mrs. Johnson spent the day with her son and family.

Mrs. Ida Lake of Nashville, and Miss Ruth Lake, teacher in a Highland Park school, Detroit, called on Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hawkins, one day last week.

Mrs. Margaret Hawkins of Lansing announces the marriage of her daughter, Mary Margaret Hall, to Merle Sperie, student at M. S. C., which took place in Indiana last September.

A six and one-half pound daughter, Shirley Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Claud F. Williams at Hall hospital, Tuesday. Mother and baby are doing fine.

Neil McLaughlin of the U. of M. came home last Friday to spend a ten days vacation with his parents. He was accompanied by Hugh McEachran of Ann Arbor, he returned to his home Tuesday.

Mrs. Phebe Adams of 325 So. Sycamore St., Lansing, aunt by marriage of Mrs. Mary Williams and Mrs. E. D. Barber, passed away at her home Saturday, April 4th, after months of suffering with a cancer. Funeral services were held Monday, April 6th.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Dorman and sons Bruce and Hugh of Detroit were over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Hallenbeck and family.

Miss Glenna Lake of Charlotte was one of the twenty students at Western State Teachers College who made an all-A record last term.

ACTORS GATHERING IN VERMONTVILLE

(Grand Rapids Press)

Vermontville, April 21:- For 49 weeks in the year Vermontville is an ordinary country village. For the other three weeks, it becomes the "Rialto of Michigan," with streets, restaurants and tourist rooms populated with actors and musicians.

Vermontville is the winter quarters of the Ruth and L. Verne Slout Players, dramatic tent show. Every spring the tents, trucks and equipment are overhauled, repaired and repainted. Actors, musicians and advertising men assemble to rehearse the plays. This year members of the troupe have arrived from New Orleans, New York, Kansas City, Chicago and Los Angeles. Some are here for the first time and others are coming for the fourth and fifth time. Ruth and L. Verne Slout have made Vermontville their home all winter.

This year's tour starts May 7 at Vermontville and includes Charlotte, Albion, Marshall, South Haven, Grand Haven, Petoskey, Traverse City, Ionia, Belding, Big Rapids, Midland, St. Louis, St. Johns, Owosso, Hastings, Hillsdale and other towns.

All equipment is moved on trucks and trailers. Nearly every member of the organization drives his or her own car.

Mrs. E. E. Loveland, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Loveland spent Sunday in Belding with Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Gregg and sons. Miss Ruth Gregg is a student at Kalamazoo College.

O. E. S. INSTALLATION

Eastern Star Installation was a very enjoyable meeting held Tuesday evening, April 21st, with a pot luck supper. The installing officers were: Lydia Wells, Worthy Installing officer; Edith Alsover, Worthy Installing Marshal; Zella Hammond, Worthy Chaplain, all Past Matrons. Hazel Rogers was the organist. The Worthy Matron was installed by her mother, an unusual occurrence.

Officers installed were: W. Matron—Nellie Barningham Worthy Patron—Grover Grant Associate Matron—Hilda Grant Associate Patron—Lester Hammond Secretary—Agnes Howe Treasurer—Edith Alsover Conductress—Mrs. Florence Bisel Ass't Cond.—Miss Florence Bisel Chaplain—Zella Hammond Marshal—Iva Wilson Organist—Hazel Rogers Warder—Della Lent Sentinel—Otto Johnson Ada—Gertrude Andrews Ruth—Dorothy Faust Esther—Mary Granger Martha—Margareta Zemke Electa—Ida Miles

Dr. G. J. Davis and family have moved this week to the Geo. McWha place on West Main street, and Mr. McWha to the Davis house on East Second street. The deal was made last week.

E. S. Brewer and family are now located in the north side of Mrs. Nettie Dickinson's house on the corner of South Main and East Second streets, moving from the Kenneth Miles house on W. 2nd.

Thursday, May 7, 1931

Leroy Snell and daughters Marian and Betty and son Charles of Detroit visited Dr. Snell and Norena Saturday night and Sunday. Mrs. Alice Dwight accompanied them as far as Charlotte for a visit there.

Mrs. F. F. Ambrose, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Loveland, Miss Vera Loveland, Mr. M. L. Berry and Miss Ruth Gregg gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Gutches in Battle Creek last Sunday in honor of the 22nd birthday of Miss Vera, which occurred the 6th of May.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Satterlee and Lynn accompanied by Miss Adah King spent Sunday at the William Cronk home near Hastings. The ladies remained, Mrs. Satterlee for three days and Miss King for permanent employment. Mrs. Cronk continues to improve and is getting a little use of her left hand.