

Thursday, February 18, 1932

MAIL SERVICE AND TRAIN SCHEDULE

The name of Mrs. Jay Hawkins was unintentionally left out of the list of Walter Kelley's cousins in Michigan, last week. Mrs. Hawkins and her sisters were "double cousins" of Walter, their parents being brothers and sisters.

Fred Kroger is recovering slowly from his very serious illness. His wife and father, who have also been ill, are improving. Irvin Powers has been night nurse while Miss Beglay assisted by Mrs. Kroger and Frances, have cared for the patients during the day.

Owing to change in train service and consequent later arrival of mail, the Rural Carriers will leave the Post Office about noon fast time. We were compelled to make this change February 1 without notice to Rural Patrons as schedule was received from chief clerk too late for last weeks' Echo.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lamb and and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Whitmore and daughters Betty and Madeline left Monday morning for Florida. The cold snap which struck us Saturday was evidently more winter than they wanted to see, so they locked up their store and hied away to the southland without stopping to bid anyone adieu. They plan to be back in April.

*Thurs. Feb. 11, 1932*

Mrs. Etta Hallenbeck has been quite ill, but is slowly improving and able to sit up part of each day. Mrs. Byron Hallenbeck is helping care for her.

Mrs. M. L. Berry drove over from Battle Creek, Saturday afternoon, accompanied by her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Gutchess, to spend Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Loveland.

Mrs. Ilo Ferris has recovered from her illness with streptococci sore throat and is able to do her own work. Mrs. Brewer who cared for her did not contract the disease as reported.

Mrs. Mabel Steward, who has been ill for the past three months, is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rawson. Mrs. O. O. Weiler and Mrs. Rawson motored for her Monday.

Miss Addie Corey is the latest scarlet fever victim.

Vern Reed visited his parents in Sunfield, Wednesday.

Fireman's Dance St. Patrick's Day.

C. J. Roberts had quite a serious time following his tonsil operation, but is back at work again.

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MABELL ELOUISE KING

Mabell Eloise King was born in Vermontville, Michigan, May 2nd., 1896, and passed away at the home of her sister, Mrs. Perry Wells, Feb. 13, 1932, on the farm where the greater portion of her childhood days were spent and in the immediate vicinity in which most of her entire life was lived.

On April 29th 1917 she was united in marriage to Otto Johnson and to this happy union three little ones were born; Louis Charles, who died in infancy; Anna Evelina, and Ella Alberta, whom with their father, Otto Johnson, a Grandmother, Mrs. Eliza Fuller, three brothers, Charles Fred, Albert L. and William Harold, and two sisters, Mrs. Zella Wells, and Mrs. Hazel E. Bosworth and many other relatives and friends mourn her passing.

Mabell was of an exceptionally cheerful and sunny temperament, and always ready to be a friend and with a smile which made one glad that they had been permitted to know her friendship, and while we feel a keen sense of regret in her passing, may we not rejoice that what is our great loss is her richest gain, and while we may not be able to understand why she should be called to leave her lovely little family may we not say with the writer of that comforting hymn: Not now but in the coming years It may be in the better land We'll read the meaning of our tears And then, ah; then: we'll understand.

Frank Loveland

Frank Loveland was born in Chester township, Eaton County, Michigan, and passed from this life at the home of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Simons, at Hoytville, Eaton County, Michigan, February 13, 1932.

He and his twin sister, Frances, were the youngest children of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Loveland, the mother having gone to her reward at the time of their birth, since which time the babies have been lovingly and tenderly cared for by Mr. and Mrs. Simons, she having been a sister of Mrs. Loveland. God in his love has seen best to take his child to his bosom and we bow in humble submission.

He leaves to mourn their loss his father, Leon Loveland, four sisters, Theda, Dorean, Lois and Frances; three brothers, Donald, Dale and Eugene, the uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Simons, grandfather, William Mead, together with many other relatives who sadly deplore the loss of this little one.

The following two tables, arranged by Postmaster E. J. Loveland, will explain the train and mail service now available. Since the change in train time took place it has been rather confusing for those who were accustomed to the morning mail to be getting it at noon and later, so we are publishing these two bulletins to once more establish the two schedules in your minds.

MAIL SERVICE

Fast Time—Effective Feb. 1  
Parcel Post Arrives from east and west at 11:00 a. m. and from the west at 3:30 p. m.

Parcel Post Dispatched to east and west at 9:30 a. m. and to the east and west at 2:50 p. m.

Letter Mail Arrives from east and west at 11:00 a. m., from west at 1:45 p. m. and from west at 7:20 p. m., (Distributed in morning).

Letter Mail Dispatched to the west at 9:30 a. m., to the east at 1:05 p. m., to the east and west at 2:50 p. m. and to the east and west at 5:30 p. m.

TRAIN SCHEDULE

West Bound

Train 103—Mixed Stop train due 9:50 a. m. Train 105—Non stop train due 10:38 a. m., and Train 109—Non stop train due 8:15 p. m.

East Bound

Train 108—Non stop train due 1:26 p. m., Train 104—Mired stop train due 3:10 p. m. and Train 110—Non stop train due 7:00 p. m.

Mrs. Nellie Bisel passed away Thursday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Granger of Chester. Mrs. Bisel was taken ill with pneumonia at the home of Mr. Martin at Kalamo last Friday.

Mrs. Jane I. Cutler, widow of Sheriff Fred J. Cutler, has been appointed to fill her husband's unexpired term in Berrien county. She is the only woman sheriff in Michigan.

Mrs. F. F. Ambrose is ill and under the Dr's. care.

Thursday, February 25, 1932

The Tubbs and Kroger homes were fumigated last Thursday and Miss Frances Kroger returned to her home Saturday night. Fred Kroger is improving nicely now and he and his wife will return to their home as soon as he gets stronger.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Etta Hallenbeck continues very ill. She is being cared for in her home by Mrs. Byron Hallenbeck and Mrs. Gertrude Hawkins. She had a poor spell this morning and Byron and wife are both with her today.