

Last Sunday Mrs. E. E. Loveland and Mr. and Mrs. Elmon Loveland drove to Battle Creek to see their children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Gutchess and baby son, Nolan Richard, and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Berry and son, Ronald Lee. Mrs. Ambrose, who has spent several days there, returned home with them. Mrs. Gutchess and baby returned from the Hospital Saturday, and are doing finely under the care of Mrs. S. Gutchess of Nashville.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bly of St. Joseph and Mr. and Mrs. John Crue of Hastings will spend the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Rawson, and Donald.

Mr. and Mrs. Roe Tuttle of Baltimore, Maryland are the proud parents of a baby boy born February 13th, and weighing nine pounds and twelve ounces. The little fellow will go by the name of Carlyn Roe. Vermontville readers will remember the mother as Shirley Wheaton.

Mrs. Pearl Johnson called at the Echo office just before leaving town Tuesday to say good bye. We are all sorry to see her go and will miss her cheery smile and kind words. She has made many friends in her six years stay and will always cherish the pleasant friendships formed in Vermontville.

Rev. T. W. Thompson, O. B. Tubbs, Mrs. James Wilson, Miss Bertha Frith and Mrs. Una Moss attended the funeral services of Rev. Charles Nease, held Monday afternoon at two o'clock at the Plainfield Ave. M. E. Church, Grand Rapids, and before leaving the city called on Mrs. Elizabeth Downing at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lura Niles, 166 Lafayette Ave., N. E. While Mrs. Downing is not very strong, she is able to be about the house and do a little light work.

The Socialists had their first business meeting in their new hall over Mathews' store Monday night. Fourteen new members were added to the local. Two very interesting talks were given by Comrades Bennett and Cheesman. There will be a business meeting the second and fourth Monday nights of each month. Every Wednesday night is given over to entertainment for all members and their friends. You are cordially invited to attend these parties. The ladies bring sandwiches. They have had several parties and their attendance is growing.

- Chicago, Ill., 1-149
- Columbus, Ohio, 350-450
- Danbury, Conn., 1-50
- Dubuque, Iowa
- Elgin, Ill., 400-450
- Flint, Mich., 125-147
- Fremont, Nebr., 216-309 N.
- Grand Rapids, Mich., 5-635
- Great Barrington, Mass., 1-23

March 9, 1933

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Williams and daughters have moved from their farm to his house on West Main Street, his mother's former home.

Mrs. Charles Moore of Detroit and daughter Mrs. Roy Austin of Battle Creek were recent callers of Mrs. Walter Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon G. Roberts and family of two grown daughters have purchased Roscoe Williams' farm and are moving here from Burlington, Calhoun county.

Vermontville is very fortunate in having an outlet for cream and eggs. Laurence Tubbs is still paying spot cash for eggs and cream. The A. M. Smith Station has temporarily closed.

Thursday, March 16, 1933

VILLAGE ELECTION

The village election Monday with one ticket in the field came off in a blaze of glory, a total of 75 votes being cast. The entire ticket as nominated was elected with the exception of V. F. Barber who was defeated by Ed. Keith who ran on slips.

- The following are the results:
- O. E. McLaughlin, 73
  - Lloyd Hitt, 73
  - Vern Reed, 74
  - L. W. Loveland, 66
  - Ed. Keith, 47
  - Vance Barber, 24
  - Joseph Faust, 72
  - A. E. Crook, 67

A telegram was received by Irvin Powers Tuesday afternoon telling of the death of Will Moore of Harbor Springs, a former Vermontville resident, at 2:15 that afternoon. Mr. Moore had been troubled with gall stones for some time and an operation had been performed from which he seemed to be recovering very nicely, but at 10 a. m. Tuesday he grew worse and passed away that afternoon. Funeral service and burial at Harbor Springs Friday afternoon. Mrs. Moore was the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Park, and she and her family have the sincere sympathy of Vermontville friends and relatives.

Miss Wilma Faust came home Tuesday night from the T. B. Sanatorium, Lansing, where she is supervisor on the third floor, and returned Wednesday night. Mrs. F. and Wilma spent Wednesday in Battle Creek.

Thursday, March 23, 1933

There was no school Monday because of the ice storm. A few came to school Tuesday but were dismissed for the day at noon because there was no electricity for pumping water and for lighting.

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Gutchess and son Nolan, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Berry and son Ronald of Battle Creek and Mrs. E. E. Loveland helped Mrs. Ambrose celebrate her 76th birthday which was yesterday.

There should be a wonderful run of sap after this freeze is over. The ice still clings to the trees that formed Saturday night. Five days of ice is a very unusual occurrence and one we would not care to have very often.

A traveling man told us Tuesday that this section was the hardest hit by the storm of any he had seen. The ice on the trees was a little heavier and as a result more trees were broken down. It will be a heavy loss to fruit trees and our shade trees are a sorry sight. We never realized before how many trees there were.

MOORE DEATH SHOCK TO CITY

Well Known Harbor Springs Man Had Lived Here for 16 Years

(Emmet County Graphic)

The death of William H. Moore at Lockwood hospital in Petoskey Tuesday afternoon came as a shock to the Harbor Springs community. Mr. Moore was taken to the hospital Wednesday, March 8, and underwent a gallstone operation Friday. Pneumonia developed later. Mr. Moore had been a resident of Harbor Springs for 16 years and an employe of the Melson & Co. grocery store for 15 years. He was a member and an active worker in the Harbor Springs Methodist church and also a member of the local Odd Fellow lodge and the city fire department.

Highly regarded by his fellow townsmen, Mr. Moore was always cheerful, kind and considerate of others. His family was of first importance in his life.

Born in Gotham, Wis., Mr. Moore married Miss Beth Park, June 1, 1910, at Vermontville, Michigan.

Surviving are the widow and four children, Durwood, a junior at Michigan State Normal College, Ypsilanti; and Rolland, Vera Mae and Doreen at home.