

Nottawa-Sherman Chief Announces Fire Rules

Ed Fox, Fire Chief for the Nottawa-Sherman, volunteer fire department, makes the following announcements:

Fire Drills will be held every Friday evening at 7:00. Meeting place is McClains Garage. Any one in Weidman wishing to assist on the volunteer crew can report at this time. Everyone is welcome. The more trained men the better our fire protection will be.

The volunteer crew does not receive any wages. It is hoped that in the near future adjustments can be made for any personal clothing destroyed while acting as a volunteer.

The telephone which was formerly in the Kuehn house has been removed and that line no. of 66 is being used for fire calls only. One false alarm has been turned in because knowledge of the removal of that telephone was not known. The entire fire number is 3665. Write it down where it is handy.

When calling in fires be sure and give complete directions of property. With so many names alike it might cause a delay if complete directions aren't explained.

The fire truck will make runs into other townships besides Sherman and Nottawa to any distance within reason. Nottawa and Sherman will of course hold preference in case of two fires, one in an outside township.

Runs made by the fire truck will be paid for by companies holding the insurance policies of the buildings on fire. In case no insurance is

carried the truck run bill will be paid by the owner of the property.

A false report has been circulating that the fire truck calls are made by minute men stationed in different sections. All calls are made directly to the fire alarm number of 3665 in Weidman. The truck then goes directly to the fire.

WEIDMAN LOCALS

Week-end callers of Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Schultz were Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Schultz and family and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Schultz and Sharon who called Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Martin of Gilmore called at the William Appelgreen home Saturday. Mrs. Jack Ritchie and son, John, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Keith Ritchie in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell McArthur and family and Mr. and Mrs. David Flower and son, Tom, called at the John Showalter and Henry Vroman homes in Mt. Pleasant Sunday. Callers of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson were Gerald Johnson of Clare and Tom and Jean Powell and daughter, Linda. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bunting and daughter, Sherry, and Mrs. Mabel Bellows were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beutler near Breckenridge.

Gladys McArthur is spending a couple weeks with her son, Gerald and family. She is helping care for her new grandson. Mrs. James Neil returned home Monday after spending the past few months in Florida. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bristol of Owosso were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Cahill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bellows of Clare and Mrs. Lily Bellows of Muskegon called on Mrs. Mabel Bellows. Mrs. Clarence Dillenbeck and daughter, Patsy, were in Grand Rapids Monday. Clyde Cooper of Midland is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Metcalf. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ring of Bay City spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas.

Clare Dunsworth visited in Newaygo Sunday. Leonard Johnston recently purchased a plane. He has been keeping it at George McClain's port. Rita Appelgreen of Lansing spent a few days with her parents. Sam Pridgeon called on his daughter, Mrs. George McClain, Friday.

EATS CANNED GOODS

Lost Mare Survives in Cellar

LANSFORD, N. D., (LP)—A four-year-old mare decided that canned foods are only fit for humans. She was content to go back to eating range grass.

Farmer George Blowers left the mare in his farmyard in January when the family took off on a trip to Oregon. Blowers' son-in-law, Albert Mattern, promised to take care of her.

One night, one of the West's worst blizzards swept the area. In the morning, the mare was nowhere to be found.

Mattern decided that she was dead, her carcass buried in one of the deep snowdrifts.

But this week Mattern found her, alive, well and reasonably happy. The mare had made herself at home in Blowers' fruit and vegetable cellar.

For 45 days she had lived on a diet consisting of the choice vegetables and fruits put up by Mrs. Blowers last year. Whenever she got hungry, the mare simply nudged another jar or two off a shelf, let them smash on the floor, and then feasted.

For in-between meal snacks she munched the straw packing surrounding the jars.

Mattern led the horse back to the range through a cellar door. She got through the door easily, he said, because "she was a little thinner now than when she went into the cellar."

Tyrone, Linda in London

LONDON, (U.P.) — Actor Tyrone Power and his bride of six weeks, the former Linda Christian, arrived here from Paris after a continental honeymoon. Power said he might make several personal appearances for British fans and then leave for Africa, to shoot a new film.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Mary DeWitt

M.E. Young Adults Meet for Evening

The Young Adults group of the M. E. church met in the church basement Tuesday evening for a 6:00 potluck supper and discussion.

The Rev. Mr. Dunn lead the group in devotional services and discussed the Easter meeting. Games were also enjoyed during the evening.

The next meeting will be April 19.

Basketball Season Closes with Banquet

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