

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bates and son of Sunnyside Road were the weekend guests of Mr. Bates' parents in Jackson.

Mrs. Mark Daines visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Tussing in Toledo. Mr. Tussing was home on Tuesday.

LEGION AUXILIARY SPONSORS GIRL TO "GIRLS' STATE"

The members of the American Legion Auxiliary have established the 1944 Girls' State annual program, which will be held at the University of Michigan. The program is dedicated to the training and development of girls who possess inherent qualities of leadership and initiative. The program is designed to give girls an opportunity to develop their leadership qualities in the fields of homemaking, home economics and household arts, nursing, occupational and physiotherapy, dietetics and dramatics. Another objective of Girls' State is to stimulate an interest in the development of home and community life.

The High School faculty selected four candidates, and from those the Legion will choose the one to be sent to Girls' State. The faculty based their decisions on the following qualifications: the high sense of duty and morality, mental alertness and intellectual curiosity, vigor, enthusiasm, attractive personality, honesty and industriousness, co-operative attitude and amiability, sportsmanship and considerate feeling for others, and marked qualities of potential leadership.

The four girls selected were Lois Goers, Pauline Early, Joyce Samuelsen and Barbara Stever. The candidates are always members of the junior class.

—B.A.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Auten entertained Sunday at a family dinner in honor of the wedding anniversary of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Westfall.

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WEST POINT PARK

By L. A. Ault

Ernest Carter, who recently received a medical discharge from the U.S. Army, and is again in civilian clothes, is back on his old job at Kicker Hays in Plymouth. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Borland and son, Vincent, who is now on furlough from the U.S. Army, came out from their home on Detroit's East Side Wednesday and visited relatives in West Point Park.

Mrs. Sherman and daughter, Esther, with a couple of friends, all from near Plymouth, called on Mrs. Sherman's daughter, Mrs. Arthur Muir, the middle of the week. Mr. and Mrs. William Zwick of Dauby Ave., in Redford, were calling on West Point Park friends Tuesday evening. It is understood that the Zwick property on Farmington Road has now been sold.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Johnson and daughters, Marion Lee and Anne, spent the weekend with Mr. Johnson's sister, Mrs. Nelson Nordbeck and her family in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Lewis Graham continues to improve.

Miss Ina Peterson of Pontiac is the house guest of her brother, Marvin Peterson, on Hubbard Avenue.

Mrs. Margaret Martin, Mrs. M. E. Ault and Miss Lora Anne Ault attended a miscellaneous bridal shower Saturday evening in honor of Mr. Ault's niece, Magdalen Borland, whose marriage is to be an event of next month.

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paint injury, Mrs. Cecil Willets, Mayfield Avenue, is being confined to her home for a few days. Rushing to answer the phone before the loud clanging could wake her little daughter, she tripped and sustained a cut and bruises on one foot.

Road commissioners did one of the best jobs yet on the roads in Folker subdivision last week.

The Cubs carried on a waste-paper collection in West Point Park Saturday. Rain interfered and some homes were not reached. It is expected another collection will be held within a few weeks.

Mrs. Jacob Sheets, of Roanoke, Ind., and her son, Jacob Sheets, with his family, arrived Saturday night to have a visit with Mrs. Sheets' daughters, Mrs. Homer Coolman and Mrs. Russell Ault and their families.

Rev. Axel Edwards gave a very fine talk, stressing Christian patriotism at the Sunday morning session of the Neighborhood Bible School and in a very able manner led in singing "America the Beautiful." The program was also made more interesting by the rendering of a vocal duet by Billy and Richard Vardi.

The Neighborhood Bible School celebrated its third anniversary this month in the present occupied building. Sunday was the third anniversary of the starting of the "Birthday" Bank fund, which is regularly sent a certain paper colony. The first person to contribute was Mrs. Walter Dixon, of Britton Road. By special invitation she appeared at the Vesper service in Neighborhood Church Sunday evening, handed in her pennies, representing the years of her life, received the "Happy Birthday" salute from those present and was given a card bearing the signatures of all in attendance. Mrs. Dixon and Mrs. Vance sang together, "I'm a Child of the King" very impressively at the service.

Visitors in Novi Tuesday included Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Muir, Miss Lora Ault, Mrs. M. E. Ault and Mrs. Edwin Johnson.

Mrs. Margaret Martin and her granddaughter, Mrs. Edwin Johnson, were visiting in downtown Detroit Friday.

Some West Point Park folks are afraid to leave their homes for more than a brief span of time, especially when spring breezes and bright sunshine are the order of the day. Grass fires are still a threat and a menace. Last Tuesday Mrs. Edwin Johnson discovered two small boys, four and five of water to put out a grass fire they had started with matches that had somehow gotten into their possession. The fire, originating at the back of Mrs. M. E. Ault's property, was rushing madly on to the house of Mrs. J. W. Ault's chicken house and Norbert Schmidt's cottage. Providentially, some of the men working on afternoon shifts

had not yet gone and four promptly hurried to the aid of the half-dozen women, who otherwise would have had to struggle alone, perhaps unsuccessfully. Before the battle was over one young matron was obliged to lay down her shovel and determinedly, though blushing, extinguish the sparks which had found lodging in her neatly-fitting slacks. It is understood that the youngsters responsible for the afternoon's excitement found certain of their garments also strangely warmed after their fathers heard the tale that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fremont Carter were recent weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tallman in Royal Oak. They assisted the Tallmans in celebrating their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. Mrs. L. A. Rhoads, formerly Lucile Carter, is visiting her husband at Camp Roberts, California.

Mr. Rhoads expects to have a furlough within a few weeks and both will then return home together.

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