

Reunion of the Lemmon Family.

On December 30, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Warner and son Fred, of Vermontville, entertained a large company of relatives at dinner; the occasion being a reunion of the Lemmon family in honor of Kelly B. Lemmon, Lieutenant United States Army, whose marriage to Miss Agnes E. Johnson, of Ironwood, Mich., will be solemnized 6th of January 1910, in Chicago.

The dining room was tastefully decorated for the occasion, and the long ride in the cold gave all a good appetite, and each felt fully able to do justice to the pot luck dinner consisting of all kinds of good things. The remainder of the day was spent in visiting and singing and as the day drew to a close, the numerous guests departed for their homes, all having enjoyed themselves. Arrangements were made for a similar gathering next year with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lemmon, of Kelley.

Those entertained were Lieut. Kelly B. Lemmon, Fort Lavitt Maine; Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Lemmon, of Lansing, Chas. Lemmon, of Lansing, Misses Grace M. Wilson and Zora Lemmon of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Lemmon and son Genn of Sunfield, Harvey Lemmon, wife and son Hervey, of Kelley, Miss Gladys Lemmon and J. L. Lemmon of Kelley, A. B. Lemmon and wife, Asa Warner and wife and Mrs. Perry Fox of Vermontville. Those unable to be present were Clare Warner and family of Lansing, Miss Grace Warner of Vermontville and L. A. Lemmon and family of Grand Ledge.

Lentz-MacDonald.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. D. N. MacDonald was the scene of a pretty wedding last evening, when their daughter Miss Flora Elizabeth was united in marriage to Mr. Chas. R. Lentz of Vermontville, Mich. The ceremony was performed in the presence of only the family and a few friends, by Rev. H. S. Lamb of East Jordan, at 8:30. The young couple was attended by Mr. Norman MacDonald, brother of the bride and Miss Leonanie Jencks. After the marriage vows had been taken and congratulations extended, the wedding supper was served at 11:30. Mr. and Mrs. Lentz received a number of pretty gifts.

They left at 1:36 this morning for Vermontville, where Mr. Lentz has a good position in a grocery store, and is very popular. The bride leaves Kalkaska with a host of friends wishing her every happiness.—The Kalkaskian.

Floyd Worden left Saturday for Chicago, and will go from there to Kansas where he travels for the Bucklin Medicine Co.

Mrs. McIlwaine and son, Gladwin Barnes, were guests New Year's day of her sister, Mrs. Francis Barber and family.

Misses Laura Church and Ora Halenbeck returned to their work at the Kalamazoo college Monday.

Miss Blanche Jones returned to her work at Ypsilanti Tuesday morning, and Miss Irma Sprague on Monday.

Rural Retreat Chester.

It is sweet to be remembered, still more sweet to be remembered by friends, the absent. As we cannot thank each individually, we trust to the kindness of THE ECHO to assist us in thanking those who have helped us once more to get a peep at the silver lining of the dark cloud, helping us too, to realize the All Father still has a care over us. May He have you all in His keeping as the days of the New Year come and go, is our prayer.

"One of the joys of Christmas
And a very true joy to me
Is the pleasure of remembering
Those friends I cannot see."

MR. AND MRS. A. L. JORDAN

Little Margaret Fuller returned to Battle Creek Monday after a week's visit here with her grandparents. Mrs. E. F. Tubbs accompanied her as far as Charlotte.

Misses Grace and Nina Flathau returned to Cleveland Saturday after spending the vacation at home with their mother, Mrs. Bertha Flathau, and sister, Miss Annis.

Hector, Joseph, Jay and Harvey Hawkins and their families and Mrs. Lillian Campbell and son Dale were guests New Years at the home of Grant Hawkins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lentz reached here Thursday evening from Kalkaska. They will live in Mrs. Williams' house on West Main street formerly occupied by his mother, who is moving this week in with Mrs. Flathau.

Miss Lois Hall is at home from Chicago to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hall.

Miss Myrtle Mitchell has been visiting in Battle Creek during her vacation with the families of John and Clarence Martin.

E. J. Sprague and wife, Arthur Barningham and wife and Mrs. Catherine Green were guests New Years at Hollis Dikeman's.

Charles Clough and Howard Hay returned to the Ferris Institute Monday to continue their work after a week spent at home.

Dana Hammond returned to the M. A. C. Monday after spending the vacation at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hammond.

Miss Ethelyn Kidder went to Big Rapids Tuesday where she is planning to take extra work in short-hand and typewriting at the Ferris Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dikeman entertained at dinner her mother, Mrs. J. L. Green, A. L. Barningham and wife, E. J. Sprague and family of Vermontville.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Carey entertained quite a number of his relatives among them were Henry Carey and family of Sebewa, and James Carey and family of near Bismark.

M. K. Bosworth and wife entertained his brothers and their wives to an elegant oyster stew on New Years night in honor of Kelly Lemmon, a nephew who is home on furlough from the army stationed in the East.