

Mr. Garfield Inwood returned to Chicago with his family on Monday morning after spending the past three months here and at their Thornapple lake cottage.

Mrs. C. S. Snell went to Grand Rapids Friday for an over Sunday visit with her son, L. W. Snell, and family. The doctor went up Saturday afternoon for the week end.

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Fred Grinnell and wife of Lansing were in town last week calling on numerous friends.

Mart Bailey of Charlotte spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Barber went to Lawton Saturday morning for a few days' visit and fishing.

Fred Seymour and family went to Battle Creek Sunday where he has a position for the winter.

Mrs. Joe Faust and baby attended the funeral of Miss Gertrude Bennett at Grand Rapids last week.

Mrs. Effie Allen and baby came over Friday to see her mother, Mrs. H. E. Cross, who is very ill.

Mrs. George Niles and daughter Helen returned to their home in Saugatuck Friday afternoon.

Allen Faust and J. B. Stone are making extensive repairs to their home on West Main street. These include the installing of a modern bath room, up-to-date improvements in the kitchen and wiring for electric

J. E. Pendill is quite sick at his home. His daughter, Mrs. Ralph Perkey of Lansing and grand daughter, Hazel Shellenberger of Lake Odessa came Tuesday to help care for him.

Miss Edith Rockwell returned Thursday afternoon from an extended trip through the eastern and New England states, where she has been spending the summer with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Henry Mull spent a portion of last week at Lansing visiting Dr. Cecil Mull and wife. Henry motored over Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Freemire of Charlotte, and spent the day and brought his wife home.

Mrs. J. H. McCotter spent three days last week in Battle Creek at the sanitarium which celebrated the fiftieth anniversary last week. Large numbers of the old patients were invited back as guests of Dr. Kellogg and the sanitarium.

Marion Sparks drove over Friday in his car from Lansing, bringing Mrs. Sparks over to assist in caring for her mother, Mrs. H. E. Cross, who is ill with an attack of pneumonia. Doris Sparks returned home with him after spending a few days here with her grandparents.

Mrs. C. S. Snell is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. H. Warren and family at Royal Oak, a Detroit suburb.

Miss Pearl Hawkins went to Olivet Tuesday to remain for a time and take up some musical work and enjoy a rest.

The members of Edward Dwight G. A. R. post and W. R. C. met with Mr and Mrs C. E Hammond Tuesday for one of their big dinners and celebrations. This day was a most happy event as it was the birthday of Mr. Hammond and by careful attention to the mode of proper living, he expects next year to be able to celebrate his—well we won't say what birthday, but he expects to celebrate it nevertheless. A lot of fine music was enjoyed during the day on their new Victrola, which came as a birthday present from Mr. and Mrs. Hance Hammond of Hudson, N. Y. A most enjoyable time was had by those present and it is needless to say that none went home suffering from hunger or sadness.

Mr. and Mrs. George J. Lamb, their son, Roy Lamb and wife and Miss Mary Wright, sister of Mrs. Lamb, left yesterday for Palm City, Florida. They will drive through in Mr. Lamb's touring car, stopping to enjoy the many points of interest along the route. At St. Augustine Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lamb will leave the party and take their motor boat, which they left there last spring on their return north, and will finish the trip to Palm City by water, while the rest go on by auto. A most delightful trip is anticipated by all and no doubt they will reach their destination without any serious mishap. The roads through the south are fast becoming paved ways and where the work is completed it is pleasure to drive over the roads and meet with the hospitable people along the route.

Miss Lucile Pendill is at home from Lansing, confined to the house with an attack of rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Edmonds motored to Middleville Sunday for the day with Vern Hire and family.

Mrs. Hugh Furniss and little son of Nashville spent a portion of last week at the home of Fred E. Rawson, Sr.

C. E. Folger and family of Fremont were the guests of J. B. Lamb and family a few days the first of the week.

W. E. Imes and wife spent last week at Stanton and other northern points looking after business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Galen Cottrel of Kalama are the proud parents of a daughter, born Friday.

MRS. BURDETTE LORDS

Candice McDowell Lords was born September 13, 1861, near Antwerp, Ohio. She was the daughter of Mrs. Harriet Lords of California, Michigan. With her parents she moved to Clear Lake, Indiana, and at the age of five years removed to Eaton county. Here she grew to womanhood and at the age of 16 was joined in bonds of wedlock to Burdette Lords, December 13, 1877. The remainder of her life was spent on the farm near Charlotte. She was a fine housekeeper and universally loved.

"A genial spirit has been taken away, and absence makes lonely and sad," was the sentiment of all.

In February of the present year she was attacked with tuberculosis and had been in failing health ever since. July 3 she was in Ann Arbor for medical treatment, but skill failed to check the ravages. Returning to her home she lingered