Summer weather has just arrived and it is just about the end of August. Hope there are a good number of folks for the picnic. Thanks to Shirley, Ramona and everyone who helped with the food.

Both my brother in Oregon and my sister in South Carolina have reported temperatures of 105 degrees. That is hot!

Don Fancher is feeling better and is headed to Delaware; Arline Hurlbut is still struggling with her poison ivy but has been seen out and about shopping at the Stop & Shop; Louise Warren's eye is doing well.

We send our sympathies to Riverton Grange on the death of their member – David Geddes. He will be sorely missed by us all.

Victor's Graduation Party was a great success. Shirley and Wendy made a lovely cake. We all wish him well as he continues his education.

Pomona and Winchester will meet together for the Installation of Officers on September 14, here at our hall. The degrees will be conferred at the other two meetings on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays as regularly scheduled.

Enjoy the rest of the summer. It is going to be a short one I'm afraid.

## Marion

Those are the notes that Marion had compiled earlier today.
Unfortunately she has had a bit of a problem breathing and is at the Emergency Room at Charlotte Hungerford as I am writing this. Hopefully she will get straightened out and be back home soon. Bud is not here tonight because he is with her.

We welcome Verna Gilson from the Beardsley & Memorial Library to our meeting this evening. I am sure that you will all enjoy her presentation about the '55 Flood. This summer has been wet but not like that year!

Watch out for the school buses that will be back on the road as of tomorrow!