

## Ledger Press Club Picnic Party



On the Lawn at Seven Oaks, June 30, 1917.

## Look says—

This store is well equipped to take care of your needs in the Drug line and we pride ourselves in making every purchaser a satisfied customer. The next time you need anything in our line why not give us a trial? If we don't have just what you want we will be glad to get it for you. The buying power of two stores gives us a decided advantage and we pass this along to our customers.

This week we received direct from the producers a splendid line of chamois skins and have some special values at 25c, 50c, 85c and \$1.00 each. You need one for your automobile and now is a good time to buy, as they are scarce and going to be higher in price.

These summer days, when you are going to the lake or grove for your lunch, you need an Icy Hot. We have them for liquids or solids and they are remarkable in price.

**D. G. LOOK,** One of the 8,000  
Rexall Drug Stores



**MR. BUSINESSMAN**  
**THIS SHOULD BE YOUR BANK.**

The CITY STATE BANK is a large factor in the upbuilding of this community.

**You Need Us and We Need You**

Start an account with us today, and you will see substantial proofs of our ability and desire to co-operate for your success.

**We Invite You to Call and Talk It Over.**

Open Saturday Evenings from 7 to 8



## BROKE THE DOZEN CONTEST A HUMMER A LUCKY ACCIDENT FARMERS' MEETING

### One Forgot and Then There Were 'Leven.

The usual dozen at the annual meeting of Lowell School District No. 1, was minus one this year, and he forgot 'cause the old bell didn't ring. But the eleven did the business all right, as usual. Re-elected Trustee White and Director Winegar; voted \$200 librarian's salary, \$60 for assistants \$100 for director and \$100 for new books: Sounds familiar, doesn't it?

One interesting feature of the reports of Director Winegar and Treasurer Minge, covering funds totaling \$23,580.04, is that they tallied to a cent on first call and without checking or comparison. Perhaps this official efficiency accounts in a measure for the apparent indifference of the absent taxpayers, for whose benefit the director's financial report will be published in this paper next week.

### GOOD APPOINTMENT

### F. T. King on Food Board by Hoover.

Frank King of 344 Madison avenue, S. E., retired owner of the King Milling company at Lowell, has been appointed by Herbert C. Hoover, federal food administrator, a member of the Food Control commissions to represent western Michigan. Mr. King, who is one of the state's best known milling men, states that he has not yet been apprised of the duties connected with the appointment, but believes that he will act in an advisory capacity. Six other millers have been appointed to represent Michigan and Wisconsin, and will meet in the near future to discuss conditions.—Herald.

### Herman Family Reunion.

A reunion of the Herman family was held at Island park July 4. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Ira Herman of Holly, Mrs. Ella Clark and daughter Thelma of Kalamazoo, Mrs. Hiram Clark and daughter Irene of Toledo, Mrs. Joe Clark of Owosso, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hosford and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gillett of Grand Rapids and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Foster of Ionia; also Messrs. and Mesdames John and Orra McCall. The ladies were mostly Herman girls, formerly of Lowell. A picnic dinner and a general good time were enjoyed.

### METHODIST CHURCH

Morning worship at 10:30. Service for Home Department of Sunday school. Anthem, Choir and Orchestra. Solo, "Twil Not be Long, violin obligato, Miss Maynard and Harley Maynard. Violin solo, Barcarolle, Miss Isabel Bradish accompanied by Miss Martha Bradish. Piano solo, Sultate De Pith, Orlov Tillyer. Solo, Life's Lullaby, Mrs. Strong. Sunday school 11:45. A. M. Epworth League, 6:30. Union service 7:30, at Congregational church. Vergennes services as usual. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m. Board of Stewards after prayer meeting. W. F. M. S. Friday on church lawn. Bring mite boxes. Vergennes Aid society Thursday, July 19, at Mrs. Roye Ford's. I. T. Weldon, Minister.

### CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to thank all who turned out to my barn raising as I know what a busy time of year it is. Yours truly, E. V. Storey.

F. W. Hinyan of Grand Rapids made The Ledger call Tuesday.

### Mrs. Milo Johnson Wins the First Prize.

There were seventeen entries in The Ledger's Missing Word contest for the first week, including one each from Ada, Alto, Elmdale and Ionia. Mrs. Milo Johnson of Lowell wins the first prize with six correct answers. Misses Bernice Moore of Elmdale and Agnes Perry of Lowell are tied for second prize with five correct answers each.

Following were the ads and words missing from same: Hurley's—smoke. Brunthaver—bargains. Yeiter & Co.—purchases. Luz—expert. Hamilton Estate—stocked. Ford—swat. Look—firm. Bradish—worth. VanDyke—at.

This week there are new ads and more missing words and the winners will be announced in our next issue. This promises to be one of the best advertising stunts ever pulled off in Lowell. Get out your pencil and take a hand in the game.

### BAPTIST CHURCH.

Special memorial service, old people especially invited, 10:30 a. m. Sunday school, 11:45 a. m. B. Y. P. U., 6:30 p. m. Union service at Congregational church, 7:30 p. m. J. E. Bodine, Minister. Have one more used Ford at right price.—E. V. Storey. Misses Thelma Peckham and Fern Knapp Will Schneider and Theo Bank are spending a few days at Belding.

### Gibbs' Ford a Good Driver but No Swimmer.

William Gibbs and family are shaking hands with themselves because it might have been worse and wasn't. Mr. Gibbs was learning to drive a Ford car, or trying to, and he had his family with him—on River street at that. One minute everything was lovely and the next thing the car was wrong end to down the bank on the edge of Flat river, with a "busted" top, windshield and wheel, and the inmates "looking four ways for breakfast." No one was seriously hurt but little Ethel, who suffered a broken arm. Bad enough; but it might have been worse.

### Henry Family Move to Grand Rapids This Week.

Mrs. M. N. Henry and children, except Gerald, went to their new home in Grand Rapids early this week. Mr. Henry and Gerald will join them later. It goes without saying that Lowell people regret to see the Henry family go. Mr. Henry has been identified with the business life of Lowell for many years and a booster of our numerous enterprises, while Mrs. Henry has spent all her life here and has long been a favorite in social and musical circles, and the children are well and favorably known to us all. Our regrets are tempered by the fact that the removal is not distant nor the business severance immediate. The people who are to occupy the Henry residence as a hospital have already taken possession. Headquarters for best hosiery. A. W. Weekes & Son.

### To Discuss Acid Phosphate at Bieri Farm in Vergennes.

A field meeting for farmers will be held at Carl Bieri's farm in Vergennes township, Saturday, July 14, at two o'clock. The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the value of acid phosphate, in relation to crop production, and its practical application. Mr. Bieri has two demonstrations to show conclusively the value of this material in increasing crop production. County Agent Smith says: "I have seen the demonstration and I am positive that the fertilized portion will double the yield of the unfertilized portion. This, of course, is profitable farming." Another important subject that will be discussed is Red Rock Wheat as a standard for Kent county.

## HEARD ABOUT TOWN

### Newsy Notes About People You Know.

Irene Tasker is visiting relatives in Lyons. Mrs. Milo Johnson spent Monday in Grand Rapids. Will Laux and family spent Sunday in Clarksville. Mrs. C. W. Klump spent Saturday in Grand Rapids. Thelma Dawson is visiting relatives in Grand Rapids. Mrs. Marsh Ransford spent Friday in Grand Rapids. E. M. C. Kloister and O. N. T. crocheted cotton at Weekes' adv. Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Freeman spent last week in South Boston. Clayton Randall of Grand Rapids is visiting his grandparents. New muslin skirts, gowns and envelope chemise at Weekes' adv. Roy Flynn of Pontiac is visiting his sister, Mrs. John Dawson. Stanley Tasker spent the week end with June Corbin in Grand Rapids. Born, Monday, July 9, to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gonyea, an 11½ lb. daughter. Mrs. Hattie Johnson has returned from Saranac after several days' visit. Harriett Compton of Saranac was the recent guest of her aunt, Mrs. H. Newhall. George Mulvey and Ora Yeiter returned Monday from a visit with Muskegon friends. Mrs. Erle Maynard and son of Grand Rapids are visiting her aunt, Mrs. Phoebe Tate. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer White and Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith spent the Fourth in Grand Rapids. Charles Rouse of Grand Rapids is visiting at the home of John Dawson and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Lew Yeiter and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Slamma spent the Fourth in Grand Rapids. Mrs. Hathway of Grand Rapids visited her mother, Mrs. Batey from Saturday until Monday. Mrs. Robert Luz and children have returned home after spending two weeks with her mother in Ionia. Bertha Dawson has returned from Grand Rapids, where she has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. T. C. Rouse. Otto Rogers has gone to Alma to spend the summer vacation at the farm home of his uncle, Ray Rogers.

### Noties.

Having purchased the Baxter Laundry agency from Gerald Henry, I shall be pleased to handle your laundry work, and will endeavor to give you the best of service. Will call for laundry Monday and Tuesdays or packages may be left at Henry's Drug store for the present. Thurston Springett, Agent.

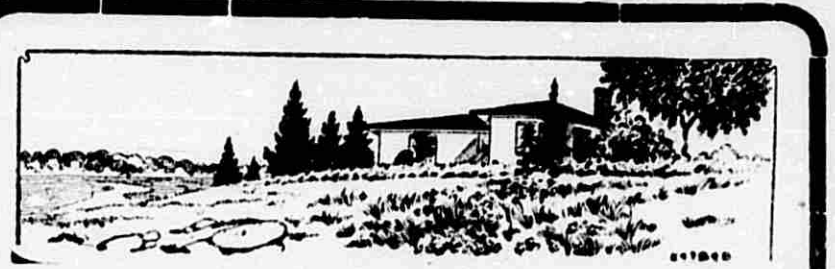
## Talking Machine Advertisements



show their artists listening to their records, but Edison shows their artists singing in direct comparison with their own records, and hundreds of the best critics have said they could not distinguish the actual from the re-created. The significance of this should make you satisfied with nothing less than an Edison.

**R. D. STOCKING**

Sole Agent for Lowell and vicinity.



## BACK IN THE COUNTRY

or down at the shore where you spent your vacation you doubtless felt some new friends who would appreciate a RECENT PHOTOGRAPH OF YOU. Why not let us take a natural likeness finished artistically to send your friends now?

**AVERY**

The Photographer in Your Town. Phone 287

**Who wants a TEMPORARY Memorial?**  
The sentiment which induces the erection of a memorial, and the very word itself, demand permanence.  
That is the first quality to be considered in choosing monumental material.  
**The Lowell Granite & Marble Works can furnish what you wish.**

**HOW'S YOUR SUPPLY of Powdered Arsenate of Lead and Paris Green? Look after the bugs.**  
Arsenate of Lead ..... 50c lb.  
Paris Green..... 75c lb.  
Powdered White Hellebore..... 90c lb.  
Insect Powder..... \$1.00 lb.  
**W. S. WINEGAR, Lowell**

**McQueen's Garage**  
Expert Repairmen  
Chevrolet Cars  
Republic Tires  
Auto Livery  
Some used cars at a bargain  
Phone 6 **E. D. McQUEEN**

**Sugar Bowl**  
Saturday Special  
Chocolate Frappe..... 20c per lb.  
Our Fruit Window  
excites much favorable comment. Look and see why.  
Ice Cream Sodas,  
Sundaes, Etc.,  
as you like 'em. Splendid candies our own make, pure and wholesome.  
**Naum & Terpas**

**Credit Better Than Currency**  
HAVE YOU EVER STOPPED TO CONSIDER THAT NO ONE EVER ESTABLISHED A CREDIT BY PAYING YOU THE CASH?  
THE ONE YOU DEAL WITH MAY NOT EVEN KNOW YOUR NAME IF YOU PAY WITH CURRENCY.  
PEOPLE IN REALITY ESTABLISH THEIR CREDIT BY PAYING BY CHECK WHEN THEY AGREE TO.  
YOU DO NOT HAVE TO HAVE LARGE CAPITAL IN ORDER TO WRITE CHECKS.  
YOUR MONTHLY SALARY OR INCOME IS SUFFICIENT.  
**Lowell State Bank**  
OPEN SATURDAY EVENINGS BETWEEN 7 AND 8 O'CLOCK.

**Summer Shoes**  
Oxfords for all occasions. Priced and styled right. We Can Give You Fits.  
Your patronage earnestly solicited.  
**WILLETTE & HART**  
Next to Postoffice, Lowell.



















THE SMALL DEPOSITOR

THIS bank is under obligations to each one of its depositors, no matter what the size of his bank balance.

Whether your first deposit is small or large we will extend you the facilities, courtesy and service.

LOWELL STATE BANK

OUR MISSING WORD CONTEST

Find the missing Words and receive the prize.

Conditions of Contest:—In one or more ads on this page a word has been intentionally left out. Read all the ads carefully and see if you can supply all the missing words.

TRY US

For several years we have been telling you people where "the best shoes for the money" were to be had—come to the store you know the goods are right.

WILLETTE & HART

A Safe Drink

Are you satisfied with the coffee and tea that you are getting? If not, we should like to have you try ours.

R. VanDyke

"If you get it at VanDyke's it's good."

Paste These Facis In Your Hat

We employ only careful and expert auto mechanics. We guarantee our prices for auto repairing cheaper than anywhere else for quality of service rendered.

R. C. LUZ

Garage & Machine Shop.

IT COSTS MONEY

to talk to some people, but a talk with us regarding a monument or headstone will save you money.

We would like to know if you or any of your neighbors contemplate buying a monument or headstone this year.

Lowell Granite and Marble Works

CLEARING THEM OUT

Our Wash Goods department is with real bargains. Just when the hot weather makes them indispensable. We want to clear out these summer goods.

It will pay you to take them away.

Big line of white skirtings in Bedford Cords, Gabardine, Pique, Bengoline, etc. All the new things for Sport Skirts.

The newest in Waistings and Dress Fabrics at the right price, from 10c yd. up. Be sure and see the Wirthmore Waist at \$1 and the Welworth at \$2. They are worth more.

E. R. COLLAR.

Every Dollar You Save Now Will Mean Two To Spend Later On.

Working fifty weeks a year for two weeks' enjoyment isn't the way to get much out of life. You want to plan for something better than that.

We pay 4 per cent compound interest semi-annually on savings accounts.

The City State Bank

Lowell, Michigan.

After the Wedding Bells go to YEITER & CO.

We are giving particular attention just now to the wants of the young couples who contemplate going to housekeeping this season.

We have a number of specially priced complete home outfits that will appeal to the young folk who desire artistic, cozy and comfortable homes.

We urge every young couple in Lowell and vicinity that today planning a home of their own to get our special prices on furnishings before they make any definite purchases elsewhere.

YEITER & CO.

Surprise and Delight will attend your first acquaintance with our chocolate covered cherries. A generous coating of the very finest chocolate on selected whole maraschino cherries which have been dipped in the richest sugar cream.

Hello, Central!

Give me a Live Grocery Store

"Hello. This is Mrs. Pure. Send me a sack of 'Pure Gold'. No, I don't want any other flour. I want Pure Gold."

KING MILLING CO.

MORE TRUTH THAN POETRY

Just a little better work Just a little quicker service Just a little more satisfaction And the price just a little less.

Shoe and Harness repairing that's worth your while.

C. J. Bradish

Purity Dispatch Neatness

The four important requisites of our Prescription Department.

We try hard to deserve your patronage.

D. G. LOOK

The Place to Eat in Lowell SCOTT'S Lunch Room

If it's a High Grade Cement you need and the right price is an inducement, you will trade at

C. H. Runciman Elevator

Better Values A Real Inducement

We want your patronage on the strength of better values and more quality and quantity.

We give better values for your money in whatever you buy at this store. Every penny has greater power here. Make a purchase and test our better values.

J. W. Rutherford

Whether

It is Breakfast, Dinner or Supper you will find here all things to make your visit a pleasure.

BREZINA'S Hotel and Restaurant

The High Standard

of workmanship insures uniformly free combustion and together with the delicate aroma with only perfect blending, curling and age can insure mildness and a perfect smoke such as

"Hurley's" 5c Cigar

THE ALTO WEEKLY SOLO

F. M. JOHNSON, Editor and Manager.

Published from The Lowell Ledger office Friday morning. Attractive opportunity for Progressive advertisers.

Lunch Basket Specials

- Potted Meat, can.....10c
Glass of Dried Beef.....15c or 25c
Corned Beef, can.....25c
Flat can Salmon.....15c
Tall can Salmon.....18, 20, 25, 28c
Large bottle Olives.....15c
Sweet and sour pickles, glass.....10c, 12c, 25c
Bottle best Catsup.....12c
Large can Dill Pickles.....18c
Mustard, glass.....5c and 10c
Ginger Snaps, lb.....15c
Sugar Cookies, doz.....12c
Try our Bacon, lb.....32c, 36c
Cold Boiled Ham, lb.....40c
Vienna style sausages, can.....16c

12-1/2 LBS. SUGAR \$1

- With \$3.00 worth of other groceries, except Flour, Butter, Soap and Eggs, New Potatoes, pk.....75c
Dry Texas Onions, 2 lbs.....12c
10 lb. kegs Salt Fish.....95c
Corned Beef, lb.....20c
Salt Pork, lb.....24c
Milk, small cans.....6c
5 bars Lennox Soap.....25c
6 bars Mohawk Soap.....25c
Lily White Flour.....\$1.95

Grand Trunk Grocery

Phone 299 for quick delivery.

HEARD ABOUT TOWN

Newsy Notes About People You Know. Chas. Lawyer was home from Cascade Sunday. F. G. Hoffman was home from Grand Rapids the Fourth.

Suits sponged and pressed for 50c. Will C. Stone, adv. Ralph Kyser spent several days in Traverse City last week. Mrs. Clara Kneel of Grand Rapids visited Mrs. Hugh Young Sunday.

The Baxter Laundry does first class laundry work, dry cleaning and shoe repairing. Thurston Springett, agent. Rev. H. E. Wylie and family of Hesperia visited his sisters, Mrs. L. L. Taylor and Mrs. J. A. Gilbert, a couple days last week.

SPECIAL At Kellogg's Grocery Saturday Only Bottled Catsup Regular price 20c..... 18c Acme Soap 6 bars for..... 25c Best Canned Peas Hart brand. Were 20c..... 17c John Kellogg Pullen Block. Phone 250.

Gregory's Market, Jones' Old Stand Lowell, Michigan. We take orders by telephone. This is done to save you time and trouble. Now, you naturally wouldn't order by phone if you didn't get good cuts and fair weight.

Silk gloves 65c at Weekes. n1 Letta Shields is visiting her sister in Ionia. Paul Dawson has been ill for several days. Sport slipper veils 10 cents at Weekes' adv.

WEST LOWELL. Mrs. Seward Rolf and children returned home Saturday after spending a few days with Mrs. A. Rolf, who accompanied them home and spent over Sunday.

WEST VERGENNES Mrs. Etta Hettle and son Archie motored to Rockford Sunday. Mrs. Walker and daughter, Mrs. M. Goldner, of Plainfield visited Mrs. John Cary Thursday.

FAMILY THEATRE SATURDAY See ETHEL BARRYMORE in "The Awakening of Helena Ritchie" A Metro Wonderplay in 5 acts. Based on Margaret Deland's famous novel. A powerful story of a woman's love and renunciation. Admission 5 and 10 cents.