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THE CITY STATE BANK
The Speedy, Simple Systematic Way
to pay your bills and provide yourself with a record of your income and expense is by means of a Checking Account with a SAFE and SERVICEABLE BANK.

MERCHANTS PICNIC
Held at Campau Lake Last Week, Well Attended.
C. L. GLASGOW.
The Business Men's picnic held at Campau lake last week Thursday, was a very pleasant and successful affair.

CHAUTAQUA IS FINE
Worth the Price and Then Some, is Verdict of All.
The 1920 Chautauqua under the management of Harold B. Teegarden opened Sunday afternoon, under very favorable conditions.

H. D. WEEKS DEAD
Had Lived at Murray Lake Over Fifty Years.
Horace D. Weeks, only son of David and Emily Weeks was born in Penfield, New York, Sept. 3, 1848.

VANDENBERG REPLY
To Our Editorial on County Commission Form of Government.
FISHES—BIG AND "LITTLE."
"Your good big brother, The Grand Rapids Herald, stands squarely for the 'County' Commission Form of Government."

At Look's Drug Store.
Liggetts'—
What's in Your Shoes?
Each chocolate in the orange and gold box is made from the best tested materials money can buy—Pure Cane Sugar, Pure refined Chocolate, Pure dairy Butter, Pure Comb Honey, Fresh Fruits and Nuts.

KODAKS
OLIVER sells the best amateur outfit on the market. Vacation time is Kodak time.
DON'T leave for your vacation trip without the means of taking views that will
ADD Much to your pleasure present and future by preserving scenes and faces for future remembrances.

PICNIC A SUCCESS
Pronounced Best Ever Held by the Association.
All cars were apparently headed towards Lowell last Saturday. They commenced arriving early and continued coming until both Island and Recreation parks were filled with a jolly and noisy crowd of men, women and children.

BEST THIS SEASON
Ionia defeated by Lowell at Recreation Park Sunday.
Too much Stewart for Ionia, in a very fast game played here last Sunday. Stewart let them down without a hit or run, and had them eating out of his hand throughout the game.

CARD OF THANKS.
We wish to extend our thanks to our many friends and neighbors, who offered their kind assistance during the sickness and departure of our dear beloved husband and father, also Rev. Cochran, who delivered such a beautiful sermon, and spoke such comforting words to us.

METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Warner, recently, of Dayton, Ohio, will preach next Sunday morning. All who can will want to hear him.

Our stock of Phonographs and Records
covers the field in all that is best, in both types, with the EDISON DIAMOND DISC, the acknowledged leader of all phonographs and the PARAMOUNT cannot be excelled by any needle Talking Machine or Phonograph.

GETTING NEXT
There are lots of people right here in Lowell who do not know that my coffee is ROASTED in this building by MYSELF EVERY DAY. It is absolutely fresh, that is WHY it is better.

IN THE LONG AGO
Items Taken From This Paper 25 Years Ago.
Little Henry Alexander loses his foot. Lowell base ball association organized. President, E. O. Mains; secretary and treasurer, Charles Quick; executive board, R. Van Dyke, George Giles.

Strand Theatre Program
Friday and Saturday, Aug. 20 and 21
BUCK JONES "Forbidden Trails" in.....
A 5-Act Western Drama.
Also a Fox News
Admission—Matinee, 11c and 17c; Evening, 11c and 22c

FORMER LOWELL BOY MAKES GOOD
Goes Into the Grain Business in Columbus, Ohio.
Philip C. Sayles, son of Mrs. Oren Sayles, for the last three years advertising solicitor for "Who Is Who in the Grain Trade," has gone into the grain business with E. D. Smith, under the name of the Smith-Sayles Grain Co., at Columbus, Ohio.

Checks On Any Bank
will be cashed by us for anyone upon suitable identification.
Checks are money when properly endorsed. They are of equal value to any banking institution.

Try our Goody Goody and Father's Lunch Sundaes
A large assortment of Soft Drinks on ice for these hot days: Our Ice Cream cannot be beat and our prices are not high.
Fresh Fruit arriving daily and a fresh assortment of Choice Boxed Candies just received.
LASBY & SON
Cigare News and Magazines

REBEKAH NOTES.
The Wires and families of the Thimble club will picnic on the island Thursday, Aug. 26. All come. The "Degree class" meets Tuesday, Aug. 24 for practice. Members are urged to be present. Degree work at next regular meeting. See.

A Special 5-Act Drama
Admission 11c and 22c
Tuesday, Aug. 24
ALICE JOYCE in The Big Special Production "Dollars and the Woman"
..Idle Hour..
Saturday, Aug. 21
EDITH ROBERTS "The Triflers"
Admission 11c and 22c.

ANNOUNCEMENT.
The Grand Rapids Oil Company has sold its Michigan property to the Standard Oil Company.
All outstanding accounts for this district are payable to Walter C. Rogers, or Lowell State Bank and settlement should be made within thirty days from date.
Grand Rapids Oil Co.
W. C. Rogers, Agent.
Lowell, Mich., Aug. 9, 1920. (11-12-13)

Lowell Granite Works
A Monument or Marker will remain for generations to remind passers by that the sleeper was loved and remembered.
A Memorial to your loved ones if selected from our large stock will be pleasing to you.
J. H. HAMILTON ESTATE
Citz. Phone No. 20 Lowell, Mich

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Talcum is a Hot Weather Necessity
No one can get on without a good talcum powder in this weather. It is summer necessity. We have as good an assortment of talcum as you can find anywhere. 10c a package and up to 50c, and every package guaranteed satisfactory.
Williams, Melba, Lov-nee, Melba's Glory, Colgate's Cashmere Boquet, Dactylis, Violet, Floriant and Baby Talc. Mennen's, Woodworth's, Jergen's, Hudnut's, Djer-Kis, Pampian, Babeock's, Mavis, Dorothy Vernon, Lady Alice, Etc.
W. S. Winegar

We Sell Connor's Ice Cream
world's best in bulk or cones.
We Buy Cream for Beatrice Creamery Company at the highest market price.
Earl Cole's Fruit & Confectionery Store

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Checks are cashed by us for anyone upon suitable identification.
While we are glad to have our friends carry accounts with us, we are equally glad to be of service to all, whether patrons or not.
As you pass by, stop in and let us cash your checks for you.

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IN THE NEWS

Fletcher Doesn't Trust Mexico

Warnings against premature recognition of the new Mexican government has been given by the administration of Henry R. Fletcher, former ambassador to Mexico. In a letter to Blair Dodge, secretary of state, Mr. Fletcher says that he does not believe that the recognition of the De la Huerta regime is other than that of a de facto character, with the understanding that subsequent events prove that it was prematurely extended.

Mr. Fletcher's letter resulted from an informal agreement between the state department and Dr. Ezequiel Cabero, Mexican high commissioner in Chicago, regarding recognition of the new government of Mexico.

Dr. Ezequiel Cabero has assured the American government of the desire of the new regime to live up to the obligations of a government, but Mr. Fletcher in his letter suggested that before recognition was extended an informal agreement was made with the Mexican authorities that American citizens would be deprived of the Carranza rights without compensation to be returned to them.

He also traces the immediate origin of a noted Mexican-American claim commission. This commission should adjust all claims of American citizens against Mexico and of Mexican citizens against the United States.

Ran-d-om Reels

BREAD PUDDING
Effort on the part of a thoughtful but well-meaning housewife to economize at the expense of the human stomach.

At least one hundred years ago bread pudding was made. It was a simple affair, made of bread and milk, and was eaten as a dessert.

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Facts, Fun and Fiction to Interest and Amuse Every Member of the Family

FOX'S HOME IN TREE
Mr. R. Dog did not dream that his fox was living in a little hole high up in a tree and which Mr. Dog decided to live in.

Mr. R. Dog had a fox which he was not at home when Mr. Dog visited the house for Mr. Fox was out roaming over the hills and about for a dog's turkey or hen and he did not come home until he was nearly dark.

Mr. R. Dog was in the kitchen when he saw the fox in the tree and he was so surprised that he called to his wife and told her what he had seen.

Wanted: Building of More Houses

Senator Calder of New York is chairman of the higher rates and a committee on reconstruction and reconstruction is making an inquiry into the manufacturing conditions of the construction industry.

Next on the program was a visit to Minneapolis and St. Paul.

In Chicago, for example, it is estimated that there is a shortage of 100,000 houses and that the building trade employees are not getting the construction materials.

Once in a While Some Husband Will Break Into Open Rebellion

The greatest hypocrites the world has ever produced are conchologists. These men are the great ones of the world, and they are the only ones who are not hypocrites.

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Beauty Chats

FRECKLES
powdered and rubbed with cream with some oil.

WITNESS
The first of the week weeks ago, a woman was asked to give some advice on how to get rid of freckles.

THE CHAPLAIN'S MEDAL
The Chaplain's Medal is a gold medal awarded to members of the American Legion who have distinguished themselves in the service of their country.

First Woman to Hold This Office

Miss Anna Adams, of New York, was the first woman to hold the office of state treasurer.

She was appointed to the office in 1917 and served until 1921.

She was a member of the American Society of Women Jurists and was active in the work of the National Woman's Party.

Just Folks

THE TRUTH ABOUT ENVY
I like to see the flowers grow. To see the grass grow green. I think a weed is just a flower's friend. One who does not dig for you mine, but one who does dig for you mine.

My grand
My grand is always black and blue. The roses do not flourish there. They are killed by the frost and the snow. I'm fond of flowers, but I don't like to see them die.

SCHOOL DAYS

Clear up your mind
I was in school when I was a boy. I was a good student and I was a good worker. I was a member of the school team and I was a member of the school choir.

Wonder
Wonder is a feeling that is often felt by children. It is a feeling of curiosity and a desire to know more about the world around them.

A Sign of the Times in Germany

There has been a change in Germany and a sign of the times. The German people are beginning to realize that they are no longer a subject people.

They are beginning to demand more rights and more freedom. They are beginning to demand more respect for their dignity and their honor.

MOTHER'S COOK BOOK

Almond Blanc Meringue
Make a paste of four tablespoons of cornstarch, with a little cold water. Add one egg white and beat until stiff. Add one tablespoon of sugar and beat until stiff.

Chocolate Pudding
Take one cupful of starch to make a custard. Add one cupful of milk and beat until stiff. Add one cupful of chocolate and beat until stiff.

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The American Legion

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Deciding to leave the farm, I will sell at Public Auction, on my farm 1 1/2 miles southeast of Cascade, on the Ada road, or 4 miles south of Ada, Saturday, Aug. 28.

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Charles E. Brown. Yours for School Books. Both Phones. Druggist.

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How's Bakery. after a brief shut-down for rest and repairs will reopen Saturday, Aug. 14.

F. E. HOWK. Lowel Baker. We Just Unloaded a Car of "Cedar Fence Posts".

Premium Red Cedar Shingles. We have some Pure Linseed Oil that we want to move.

F. A. Worden Lumber Co. Alto and McCords. I will close out all Fisk and U. S. Tires and Tubes.

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Batteries Re-charged. U. S. Battery Agency. Open Evenings and Sundays.

Here are Work Shoes you ought to buy at these savings.

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Boys' School Suits

We know how you feel about it, Boys.

This back to school movement seems fierce at first but it must be faced.

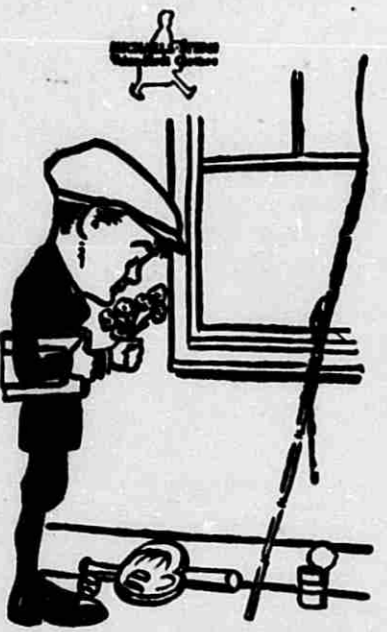
When the bell taps, you are going to be on hand to look the new teacher over and we are going to be right beside you when she returns the compliment.

That is, if your Dad and Mother give us the chance to dress you in the proper clothes.

Our School Suits

are ready now and they are real boys' sort of garments. The kind that keep a secret of what you did on the way home. Why not suggest it to Dad tonight in the middle of the dessert. Our special this fall season is Two-Pant Suits. \$14.95 to \$19.85.

JOHN J. LALLEY The Kuppenheimer Store



Alarm clocks at Stocking's. adv. Miss Ariel Lawrence is ill this week. Hats cleaned and blocked. Will C. Stone. adv. Will Devering attended the Ionia fair Wednesday. Lowell street fair in October. Watch for dates. Miss Elsie Rittenger is visiting relatives in Cedarville. Mrs. R. D. Stocking is in Detroit for a couple of weeks. George Day visited at Will Devering's Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. John Rittenger are visiting their daughter in Detroit. Miss Ella Wiley, of Huston, Texas, visited friends here last week. Miss Myrtle Taylor is spending a week with friends in Benton Harbor. Mrs. E. P. Sweet and Mrs. Ada Rogers spent Sunday with Saranac friends. A water motor washing machine for sale cheap at Ford's hardware. adv. George Lucas commenced working for Lawrence Rutherford Tuesday. Doctor Myers and family, of Grand Rapids, visited the Maynard farm, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Joel Aldrich, of Grand Rapids, spent Sunday at H. van Derwall's. The public library will close Saturday, Aug. 21, to remain closed until September 7. See Alice Joyce in "Dollars and the Woman" at Strand theatre Tuesday, Aug. 21. Mrs. Louise Elliott, of Stanton, has been spending several days with Mrs. Nellie Holcomb. Mrs. Will Kerekes is visiting her parents in Ionia. Will attended the picnic here yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. L. Deryck, of Grandville, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. DeWet Sunday. Mrs. Dan Anderson, of Vergennes, visited Mrs. Will Devering and Mrs. Phoebe Ryder, over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. James Wickham, of Grand Rapids, spent Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Cameron. Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Burras, of South Lowell, spent last week in Traverse City, visiting relatives. Mrs. Catherine McCarthy and daughter Catherine, of Pine Bluff, Ark., are visiting relatives here. Fifty-two miles on two gallons of gasoline with a Ford car last Sunday. Ask at Ford's hardware. adv. Whitney Moore returned home Saturday, after visiting relatives in St. Johns and Sunfield for several weeks. Mrs. Chris Luz and daughter Martha, are spending two weeks in Detroit, Ann Arbor and other places. Miss Virginia Hamilton, of Salem, Mich., niece of Mrs. H. H. Harris, visited her aunt from Saturday till Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Chamberlin and family, of Lansing, visited their aunt, Mrs. Nellie Holcomb, Monday. Fred Wunsch and family, of Ada, and Mrs. Helen Gullford, of Detroit, called on Mrs. Van Derwall, Sunday. You are sure of good pressing and the very best of dry cleaning. I also do repairs. Will C. Stone, under Idle Hour. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Macham and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Sampson, of Plymouth, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Macham. Philip Dodds, a brother of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Walker, of Lowell, died very suddenly Tuesday evening, at his home in Keene. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Meyers are spending a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Theodore Gosch and family, at Bedford. Tom Labis, wife and little daughter, recently arrived in Lowell Saturday night. They were twenty-two days on the journey. Mr. and Mrs. P. Voshol and son Lester, of Grand Rapids, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred De Weert and family. Moving, trucking, etc. Good service, reasonable. Jay S. Ellis, phone 32. Miss Mary McNeerney, of Big Rapids, visited Mrs. R. E. Springett a couple of days last week. The ladies were school mates at the University several years ago. Mr. and Mrs. John Headworth and family, of Grand Rapids, spent several days at the home of Neil Cameron. Their son, Charles remained the rest of the week. Great Soft vaporizers for Ford cars as advertised in your city papers are sold at Ford's hardware. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Carter and Mr. and Mrs. John Palmer and wife, of Ionia, attended the Oldfellows picnic here Saturday, and spent Sunday with Mrs. Theodore Carter. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Barnes, of Milwaukee, have been visiting Glenn Barnes and other relatives this week and attended the Andrews reunion at Murray's lake yesterday. A Detroit vapor oil stove demonstrator at a reduction. Ford's hardware. The cheerful Doers of the Congregational church at Edinboro, Pa., of the M. E. church will meet at the home of Mrs. Nellie Holcomb on Tuesday, Aug. 21, from 2 to 4 o'clock. A short program will be given, after which the ladies will be entertained at the Sugar Bowl by Messrs. Jarvis and Lagos. Paint your car one day—drive it the next, Kwickwork auto enamel—all colors at Ford's hardware. adv.

Get hardware, open evenings. adv. Mrs. Catherine Barrows is very ill. Harley Maynard was home from Lansing over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Henry were in Grand Rapids, Tuesday. Mrs. H. Harris accompanied her aunt to Petoskey Tuesday for a two weeks' visit. Editor Len W. Feighner, of the Nashville News, was a caller at the Ledger office today. Mrs. E. D. McQueen spent a couple of days last week with her sister in Grand Rapids. Misses Jessie, Ina, Beatrice and Doris O'Harrow, are camping at Edinboro, Ontario. Mrs. A. O. Heydlauff and son Maurice, of Detroit, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Young, this week. Mrs. Elmer White was in Saranac Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Charles Hathaway, who is very ill. Have your plow points ground at Williamson's blacksmith shop. [p 12] Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Andrews attended the Andrews family reunion at Andrews' cottage, Murray's lake, yesterday. Mrs. W. B. Renwick returned to her home in Grand Rapids Tuesday, after spending a week with Miss Ida Merriman. Miss Esther Kiel had the misfortune of breaking a bone in her right arm Wednesday afternoon, while cranking a car. Mrs. H. J. Fuller and two children, of Grand Rapids, returned home Tuesday, after visiting Lowell relatives for several days. Mr. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hauser and son Bobbie, of Milwaukee, visited Mr. and Mrs. Archie Lewis over Sunday. Mrs. Hauser remaining for a longer visit. Mr. and Mrs. George Furey, of Stratford, Ontario, and sons, Morgan and Gordon, Miss Etie Kline and Miss Gladys Moore, are spending the week with Walter Morgan and family. Emil B. Ganser, of East Grand Rapids, was a Lowell visitor Tuesday. Mr. Ganser has resided at East Grand Rapids and practiced law in the city for many years. He was a member of the 126th Infantry and spent nearly two years in France and Germany, and is now a candidate for Probate Judge. A play ground meeting will be held at the gymnasium Tuesday, August 24, at 3 p. m. The last meeting of the season will be held at west side park Tuesday, August 31. It is hoped to make this a rousing community affair. There will be games for old and young and a picnic lunch will be served. Every one is urgently requested to be present. Twenty-five lady friends of Miss Jennie Joseph gave a picnic shower in her honor last Friday evening in the old library room of the city hall. Two cut glass salad dishes and a set of silver dishes were presented to the guest of honor. A pot-luck supper was served at 6 o'clock, after which the company were entertained at the Strand. A very enjoyable evening was spent by all. Mr. and Mrs. Horace D. Weeks, who celebrated their golden wedding anniversary just one year ago this October, in happiness, their children being present to make it one glorious day, were separated by the death of Mr. Weeks, who took his last breath on August 7, by the death of Mr. Weeks, who left it again. His wife never left his bedside day or night, only at meal time. Her sister, Mrs. J. S. Murr, came as a God-send to her. For day he died, to comfort and sustain her. The Schneider-Wakeman family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Schneider, in this village Tuesday, Aug. 10. The friends gathered from different homes. A sumptuous picnic supper was spread on the lawn and the evening was spent with music and entertainment of various kinds. Those present from out of town were: Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Schneider, of Akron, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Schneider, Mrs. Lane and son George, of Albion. The brothers, Simpson and Albion families, of Grand Rapids, William Wakeman, of Lincoln, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cole and family, of Hastings.

Picnic and Home Coming at SARANAC The Big Annual Picnic and Home Coming at Saranac Thurs., Aug. 26 It is proposed to make this one of the old fashioned picnics for which Saranac has been famous for years. Decorated Auto Parade at 10:30, prize \$20, prizes for biggest load of people, largest family, street sports, big ball game, music all day by Saranac band, speaking and program. Dances and everything that goes to make a real picnic. Remember the date, Thurs., Aug. 26.

OUR BEST FRIENDS

Receipt of Subscriptions is Here-with Acknowledged. Continuing its custom of acknowledging receipts of subscriptions, both new and renewals, The Lowell Ledger and Alto Weekly Solo appreciably reports the following: Phil Hartley, John Crawford, Lloyd Yeiter, George Montague, W. F. Brooks, Paul Whittenback, Floyd Flynn, S. J. Skelding, L. H. Cheeseman, T. H. McNaughton, Mrs. L. P. Loft, James Wright, Alfred Tefft, A. M. Kent, N. W. Stuart, Fred Raymond, Neil Cameron, B. C. Smith, G. R. Press, Mrs. L. M. Ransford, W. V. Burras, Alfred Davis, P. H. Schneider, Fred Fuss, Hattie C. Johnson, Mary Blakeslee, C. J. Bradish, C. Hardy, Arthur A. Bloomer. Who will be next?

PROCEEDINGS OF COUNCIL. Regular meeting of the common council of the village of Lowell, held in the council rooms, Monday, August 2, 1920. Meeting called to order by President Henry at 9:00 o'clock p. m., with the following trustees present: Day, Runciman, Smith and Yeiter, absent trustees, Arehart and Peck-haw. Minutes of last regular meeting of July 19, read and approved. Street commissioners reports for the week, ending July 24, and 31, read, and ordered placed on file. On motion of Trustee Smith, supported by Trustee Day, a building permit was granted Gifford Johnson. Yeas 4. Trustee Day excused. Trustee Peckham now present. On motion of Trustee Smith, supported by Trustee Yeiter, the following bills were allowed: General fund bills \$ 188.16 Light & power fund 930.24 Water Works fund bills 67.40 City Hall Op. fund 2.48 On motion of Trustee Yeiter council adjourned. H. L. SHUTER, Clerk. Approved and ordered published August 16, 1920.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE. Every Sunday morning at eleven o'clock, over Lowell State Bank. Subject of sermon on Sunday, Aug. 22, "Mind." Sunday school at 12:00 noon. Christian Science Reading rooms are open every Saturday and Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock, where all authorized Christian Science literature may be borrowed, and read by the general public. Mrs. N. P. Allen, librarian.

OAK GROVE. Aug. 16.—Forest Milligan and lady friend, of Grand Rapids, were Saturday evening callers at Tom Russell's. Mrs. Tanner is spending a few days at her farm. Mr. and Mrs. Graff were at Grand Rapids, from Saturday until Monday. Lloyd Russell and lady friend, of Grand Rapids, visited his parents Saturday and Sunday. Joe Taylor and wife, of Lowell, called on H. Bryant, Sunday, also at Mr. Russell's. Mr. Whitty and family were in Grand Rapids one day last week.

Fly's Frugality. "The philosopher who told us 'to go to the ant' for our lesson in frugality, should have said, 'Go to the fly.' "But the fly is not a frugal insect." "Yes, it is. Why they simply swarm into the cheap eating houses."—Wichita Eagle.

Rabbit Dinner. While touring in northern Wisconsin one night two big rabbits ran into the road in front of my machine. They were blinded by the bright light from my headlights, and it was an easy matter to get out and catch them both. I had a good dinner the next day.—Exchange.

To Duplicate Baby. One day while out walking I met little Grace, the daughter of a dressmaker, wheeling her little brother. After kissing the baby I asked Grace if I could keep it. "Oh, no," she answered, "but mother would lend you a paper pattern for one like him."—Illustrated News.

Huntley Russell for Congress. Machinist, Surveyor, Farmer Ex-State Senator & Land Commissioner. Member State Deep Waterway Commission. 35 states now pledged to develop the St. Lawrence River and bring the ocean liners in our lake ports. Helps produce sentiment that will make the Great Lakes Hy. the Mediterranean of America. Primaries August 31 [Pol. Adv.]

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HEARD ABOUT TOWN

Bits of News About People and Things You Know

More locals on insert page. Mrs. George Lee has been ill this week. Mrs. A. R. Barnes is visiting relatives in Lansing. A close out sale of refrigerators at Ford's hardware. adv. W. T. Webb was home from Detroit to spend Sunday. McQueen's garage handles Chevrolet parts and all accessories. adv. Mrs. Lyle Denick and son Bobbie, are spending the week in Belding. Stop at McQueen's garage for Sinclair gas and oils, also adv. Janet Hill is visiting friends in Grand Rapids and Grand Haven this week. Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Boylan and Mrs. F. R. Ecker were in Grand Rapids, Tuesday.

Hollis Duell and wife, of Ionia, spent Sunday with the latter's brother, Tony Gazella and wife. Miss Esther M. Perry has been engaged as principal of the Middleville school for the coming year. Mrs. Gladys Ramsdell, of Madison, Wis., visited Mrs. Earl McNaughton, over one day last week. McQueen sells Goodyear, General and Lee tires, all standard tires. adv. Mr. and Mrs. John McCall have sold their home to Ora Godfrey and expect to move to Grand Rapids next week. Mrs. G. R. Ford, of Grand Rapids, is governess of Billie Doyle, Junior, during the absence of his mother, Mrs. E. Doyle. Miss Leona Denick went Sunday to spend a few days with the family of R. D. Dyke, who are camping at Murray's lake.

Suits made to order. Extra pants free. Will C. Stone. Mrs. Charles Doyle left Friday morning for Detroit, where Miss Frances Russell joined her, enroute to the latter's home, near Boston Massachusetts. J. L. Lasby received word of the death of his oldest brother, Joseph Lasby, which occurred Sunday at his home at Aton, Ont., and left for that place Monday night. Mrs. John Kopf, of Houston, Texas, is visiting her sister, Miss Anna Easterly. She was accompanied from Texas by Miss Agnes Wiley, who is now visiting Grand Rapids friends. Try my special blend. A blend of the best grades of two of the best coffees that grow, 55c a pound, nothing better at any price anywhere. White's Market and Coffee Ranch.

Sunday visitors at E. Easterbrook's were: Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Oyan and daughter Viola, Mrs. Mary Oyan, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carey and children, and James Munroe. Walter Dyard and Miss Thelma Dawson, Charles Shepard, of Lowell, and Miss Vesta Schwarward, of Grand Rapids, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Schwarward. Friends of Miss Minnie Meek motored to the latter's home near Sparta, Sunday, where they participated in a luscious chicken dinner. Elaborate refreshments were served in the evening. To introduce this old established line in new territory, I will give an extra pair of pants free with every suit made to your measure from \$32.00 up. Fall and winter samples are now on display. Lowell Cleaning and Dyeing Works. adv. Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Butts, of Flint, Mrs. A. J. Nash and son, Lowell, of Lansing, and Mrs. John McNaughton, of Prairieville, have been spending several days with Mrs. A. E. Coons and other Lowell relatives. Mr. Nash joined them here for Sunday. John Chaterdon has sold his home, formerly the Goodrich Kopf place in this village, to Claude Hugson, of East Lowell, who has taken possession. Mr. Chaterdon has purchased one of Newton Warner's houses, just south of Grand river and moved into the same. Harold Morse, Miss May Belle Ford, of Lansing, and Arthur Morse spent Monday at Murray's lake. On their way home they met with an accident, by which the wind shield of the car in which they were riding was broken, cutting Arthur's face quite badly. No one else was hurt.

Rev. Thomas Daily, pastor of the M. E. church at Grand Lodge, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Cheesman for several days, and Miss Irene Lally, of Watrous, Minn., and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Lawrence, of Lake Odessa, were their guests on Sunday and E. H. Spencer and family, of Ionia, were Sunday evening callers. For job printing at The Ledger call on Fred Pringle, Saranac, and for all other printing at The Ledger, Phone 250.

Open evenings. Ford Hardware. Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Shivel spent the week-end at Constantine. Miss Jennie Joseph and E. G. Nash spent Sunday at Mecosta. Some used Fords and Chevrolets, bargains, at McQueen's. adv. If Mrs. James Gullford, of Detroit, is visiting friends and relatives here. Mrs. H. F. Dawson, F. E. Hawk and family, spent Monday in Grand Rapids. Mrs. Hattie G. Johnson returned recently from a nine months trip in the west. Alice Joyce in "Dollars and the Woman," at Strand theatre next Tuesday. Miss Lou Hillis, of Aylmer, Ontario, spent Sunday with Mrs. D. B. Davidson. Silas Braisted spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. George Wilson in Grand Rapids. Miss Ellen Tyler returned to Grand Rapids, after spending two weeks at Lowell. Mrs. Dan Blakeslee, of Carson City, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Shear. John McGinnis, of Pontiac, was the week-end guest of his sister, Miss Eva McGinnis. Do not miss seeing Alice Joyce in "Dollars and the Woman" at Strand theatre next Tuesday. You have that satisfied feeling when we do your work. Lowell Cleaning and dyeing Works. adv. Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Sheuneman and children, of Rockford, spent Sunday with Mrs. Austie Hiscutt. Misses Martha Stinton and Ellen Taylor spent part of last week in Detroit, Buffalo and Niagara Falls. Miss Maile Force, of Lansing, spent the first of the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Morse. Mrs. Flora Ballard, of Three Rivers, visited from Saturday till Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Phil Hartley. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gilbert and family, of Grand Rapids, spent Sunday with John Dawson and family. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hawk and day Darling, of Grafton, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Dawson. George Jackson and Miss Bertha Dawson attended the Up and Down Broadway," at the Empress Thursday evening. Subscriptions taken for over 2,000 magazines and newspapers. Clubbing offers of very reliable concern duplicated. Lasby & Son. If Dr. J. W. Granger and G. W. Robinson, of Hamilton, Ontario, have been spending a few days with the former's cousin, Mrs. H. L. Weekes. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kuhn, of Lansing and Madames Beatrice and Ethel Kuhn, of Jackson, called on Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kuhn, Monday. Little Alma Kellogg, who has made her home for the past six years with her uncle and aunt, (Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kellogg), has gone home to live with her father. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sissen spent several days camping at Morrison lake last week. Mrs. Sarah Morse, daughter, Minnie and son Frank, visited them Thursday afternoon and they all returned that night. Mrs. Walter Fischer and son John, of Chicago, are making a week's visit at the home of Julius Fischer and family, of McCords. She was calling on old Lowell neighbors, Tuesday. Willard Alexander and family, accompanied by Mrs. Abbie Lee and daughter Joy, attended the Dilline reunion, held at Dilline, north of Ionia, last Wednesday. Mrs. Alexander attended school at that place when a girl. A very enjoyable time was had meeting and renewing the acquaintance of old schoolmates. Rev. H. H. Harris left Monday to attend a home coming at Jackson. He will visit his brother and sisters and other relatives and friends. Expect to return next Monday evening. Mrs. Harris left Tuesday for Petoskey, in company with her aunt and Mrs. R. E. Manning, of Chicago, who goes to northern Michigan on account of hay fever. F. A. Reynolds, of Grand Rapids, was in town Tuesday, making arrangements for the annual reunion of the descendants of Benjamin Morse, which will be held at Island park in this City Labor day, Monday, Sept. 6. Clyde Thayer, of Croton Dam, Mich., is president of the association, F. A. Reynolds, of Grand Rapids, secretary, William D. Chatterdon, of Lowell, secretary.

The Drew family reunion was held at Brook's landing, Morrison lake, Thursday, Aug. 12. About thirty took part at the big dinner, after which the following officers were elected: President, Silas Drew, treasurer, Earl King, vice president, Cornell Harris, secretary, Earle J. Ferny. Games and swimming were enjoyed, after which it was voted to hold the next reunion the 2nd Thursday in August, 1921.

Old Age Greatest in Serbia. Serbia is the country of centenarians. One man in every 2,900 reaches 100 years. Ireland ranks next, with one in every 8,150. Out of every 48, 900 Spaniards are in a centenarian. In England, Scotland and Wales one in 177,000; in France one in 180,750 and in Switzerland, with all its reputed healthfulness, seems not to possess one.

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