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For Hot Weather one thing is necessary to the comfort of everyone. That Thing is

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W. S. WINEGAR

LOWELL CHAUTAUQUA

Five Big Days in Lowell, August 18-22-23-24-25

There will be five big days with fourteen attractions in the big Redpath Chautauqua tent in Lowell on Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, August 18, 19, 20, 21, and 22, the highest priced course ever offered to the people of Lowell and vicinity.

Following is the program in brief:

PROGRAM
First Afternoon.
Introductory Exercises, Grand Concert, Weyhelle Concert Company.

First Night.
Concert, Weyhelle Concert Company. Lecture, "You Americans," Ada Ward.

Second Morning.
Children's Hour.

Second Afternoon.
Grand Concert, "The Brahms Trio," Second Night.

Second Night.
Concert, "The Brahms Trio," Charles Zuelin.

Third Morning.
Children's Hour.

Third Afternoon.
Grand Concert, "The Svylov Metropolitan Orchestra."

Third Night.
Gilbert and Sullivan's Famous Light Opera, "The Mikado," with Orchestra.

Fourth Morning.
Children's Hour.

Fourth Afternoon.
Lecture—"Failures of the Misfits," Chester M. Sanford.

Fourth Night.
Delightful American Comedy, "Nothing But The Truth," New York Cast.

Fifth Morning.
Children's Hour.

Fifth Afternoon.
Grand Concert, Fine Arts Quartet.

Fifth Night.
Concert, Fine Arts Quartet, Charles R. Daggart, Fun-Maker, Extraordinary.

Season tickets for adults are priced at \$3.20, children \$1.60. The cost of the entertainment is \$1200. All has been guaranteed by the following Lowell citizens: John A. Archard, W. V. Burras, John Borgerson, A. S. Bennett, E. R. Collar, Harvey J. Coons, F. H. Daniels, William C. Doyle, R. T. Ford, Rev. H. H. Harris, M. N. Henry, Ralph E. Hutchins, J. M. Hutchins, F. M. Johnson, Fred Hosley, Harry Day, M. E. Kuhn, John Kellogg, John J. Lalley, Lasby & Son, D. G. Mange, F. J. McMahon, John McGinnis, C. F. Nell, John O'Harrow, P. C. Peckham, M. B. McPherson, J. W. Rutherford, Oscar Ryvett, L. M. Rutherford, C. H. Bunciman, Dr. J. C. Smith, E. M. Shivel, B. D. Stocking, H. L. Shuler, Dr. B. H. Shepard, Dr. E. E. White, H. L. Weekes, W. L. Wheeler, G. E. Williamson, L. M. Yeiter, J. B. Yeiter, O. J. Yeiter.

A meeting of the above named will be held at the City hall Tuesday at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of organizing a committee to advise the city council on the matter of a public gathering on any public highway in the county of Kent within one mile from the entrance to any fair ground, race track, show ground, public park, play ground, public institution or any other place where people assemble in large numbers or at any point where traffic upon such highway thereby would be hindered or impeded or made dangerous.

It is provided that persons who violate shall be guilty of misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine of \$100 or imprisonment for 90 days in the county jail or both. The sheriff and his deputies are made responsible for the enforcement of the regulation.—(Grand Rapids Press.)

VERGENNES BIRTHDAY CLUB.
Once again the club has met. It was on June 16 with Miss Anna Anderson and every thing was fine for it, even the weather could not have been better. The program consisted of readings which were fine and also a letter from Mrs. Collar who is staying with her daughter and was missed by all, and a friendship letter was written to her that day by those present. Mrs. P. W. McPherson was elected to look after flowers for the sick and a flower fund was started. After beautiful refreshments were served by the hostess, we adjourned to meet again in the near future, every one declaring they had spent a very enjoyable afternoon.—(Com.)

COUNTY TAX WORK SECRET.
Supervisor Kent Jakeway's attempt to conceal the special tax committee to make a written report on what it had accomplished the past year with the \$2,000 donation from the board of supervisors, met with strenuous objections yesterday from the committee consisting of Supervisor Melville McPherson, and Supervisor Cogshall, member of the committee. McPherson informed the supervisors that they had a right to know what was being done, but that a written report would spill the beans and make the work of the committee useless. Jakeway then withdrew his motion.—(Grand Rapids News.)

LOWELL BAPTIST CHURCH.
Services Sunday, July 3 at the usual hours.
Bible school at 12:30 noon.
Young Peoples service at 7 p. m.
Song service and evening sermon, 8 p. m.
Vincent C. Webb, Minister.

Look at your Ledger address label. If it reads July, 1921, that means your subscription should be renewed now to avoid having it marked with a blue pencil.

SUFFERS NO MORE

Mrs. Susanna Kropf's Long Illness Closed by Angel of Death.

Susanna Kropf was born December 3, 1866, in Erix, Schwazeneck, Kanton, Bern, Switzerland, and died June 25, 1921, at her home in Lowell. In 1890 she came to this country by request of her brother, and lived in and near Lowell until the time of her death.

June 25, 1892, she was united in marriage to Samuel Kropf by Rev. C. Spaght, the ceremony taking place in the First church.

This union was childless.

She was a true wife, a good neighbor and won many friends.

About ten years ago her health began to fail, but never the less, she was always able to do her household duties, until the 18 of last November, when her condition became serious, and since then had been a great sufferer, but was patient and cheerful to the end.

Last Saturday at 2:45 p. m., on her twenty-ninth wedding anniversary, death released her from her earthly suffering at the age of 54 years, 6 months and 22 days.

She was survived by her husband, one brother, six sisters, and a number of more distant relatives and many friends.

The funeral service, which was held at 1:30 o'clock at the German M. E. church, Rev. J. J. Link, officiating; burial in Oakwood cemetery.

OBITUARY—F. W. SCHWADER.

Frank William Schwader was born in Lowell township and departed this life, June 21, 1921, aged 62 years, 8 months, 26 days. He was united in marriage to Mary Miller, also of Lowell in 1892. To this happy union were born two children, Clarence and Crystal, who with the wife survive him. He is also survived by a son-in-law, Elmer Holt, three brothers, two sisters and other relatives, and a host of friends.

He was a kind father and husband, and his going leaves a place which never can be filled. He was an old member of Alto Lodge Modern Woodmen. Funeral services were held at his late home at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, Rev. Cochran officiating. Interment in Merriman cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindly assistance in the death of our dear husband and father, also for the beautiful flowers, Miss Maynard's songs and Rev. Cochran's comforting words.

Mrs. Frank Schwader and Children.

HONEYMOON RANCH FOR LEDGER-SOLO CORRESPONDENTS.

For the Lowell Ledger and Alto Solo correspondents' matinee party, Saturday, July 2, the Strand theatre will show "Honey Moon Ranch," a Western drama, a Fox News and a Western comedy. All correspondents should be at the Ledger office at 2 o'clock sharp, fast time. Come and get acquainted with your fellow scribers.

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COMING TO LOWELL

July Meeting of Merchant's Association to be Held at Island Park.

An enjoyable and well attended meeting of the Merchants' Mutual Benefit association was held at Freeport last Thursday evening. The Marcebe ladies of that place served a beautiful chicken dinner which was enjoyed with the strains of a local orchestra.

An address of welcome was given by J. P. H. Kinyon, which was responded to by President M. N. Henry.

Headings were given by Miss Ferdin of Freeport and whistling solos with piano accompaniment were rendered by Harry Strong of Battle Creek.

The Retail Sales Tax was discussed by D. G. Look.

N. C. Thomas of Caledonia convulsed the gathering with one of his humorous talks and Lee H. Bierce of Grand Rapids Association of Commerce followed with an address on American Reconstruction. He declared that the Republican party must revise its ideas of a high protective tariff if America and the world are to get on a general industrial and trade conditions. If England takes as long proportionally paying her World war debt as she has to pay her other war debts, she will be 2,000 years doing it, while France would take 25,000 years.

A resolution was unanimously adopted commending the Michigan Tradesman and the Michigan Securities commission for defeating the sale of stock in Michigan of the Co-operative Stores association.

The following from Lowell were in attendance: M. N. Henry, D. G. Look, Norman Borgerson, H. S. Young, Ward Willette, F. M. Johnson, Dr. B. H. Shepard, Dr. L. E. Matthews, G. H. Alexander, Charles Gunn, E. H. Marsh, C. J. Bradish, Dr. J. C. Smith.

The next meeting will be at Island park, Lowell, in July, for a basket picnic, with music by the Boy Scouts, boys sports and a general good time. The stores in the fourteen towns of the association are expected to close and the merchants to bring their families for a gala day.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank the friends, neighbors and relatives for their kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our beloved wife and sister.

Especially would we thank the singers and those who so kindly remembered her with flowers.

Mr. Sam Kropf, Mr. and Mrs. F. Givner and Family, Kropf Brothers.

AMERICAN LEGION.

There will be a special meeting of the American Legion Tuesday, July 5, at 8:30 p. m.

The Ladies' Auxiliary have invited the post to attend a program to be given at 9:30. All ex-service men are requested to be present at the Legion room at 8:30 for a short meeting.

J. M. Jones, Adjutant.

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WANT COUNTY NURSE

Professional Ethics, Salary and Outside Talent Cause Mixup After Resignation.

The Kent county board of supervisors at the Tuesday morning session authorized the health committee to select a successor to Miss Elina Bergay, county superintendent of nurses, from among the three nurses stationed at the county. Miss Lyla Pease, stationed at Lowell, has applied for the position, but, according to Miss Bergay, Miss Anna Yonker, of Cedar Springs and Miss Elizabeth Plog, of Sparta will not permit their names to be used on account of professional ethics.

It is understood that none of the three nurses now in the service of Kent county was recommended by the heads of the Association of Nurses, as competent to fill the position vacated by Miss Bergay.

Miss Lyle, the name of a Cleveland nurse, and of a nurse from Pittsburgh, but the supervisors failed to see the necessity of going so far afield. Both of these nurses would come here for the same salary as the present incumbent, Miss Bergay.

Supervisor Gallmeyer considered that this would be an unnecessary affront to Miss Bergay, who resigned because she considered the remuneration inadequate.

Indications are that the county superintendent of nurses will be one not recommended by the State Association of Nurses until next November session when the board will consider salaries.

The situation is the result of the recent refusal, on the part of the supervisors to grant Miss Bergay an increase of \$150 in her annual salary. Opposition, it is said, arose chiefly from country districts, where the nurse organization, on account of limited personal funds, was unable to give satisfactory service. Districts where service was rendered are strongly in favor of the county nurse system.

The board adjourned until Wednesday morning to give the equalization committee time to compare the tax roll.—(Grand Rapids News.)

The board could go further and do worse than to engage Miss Pease. One thing sure, she would be on the job every minute.

IN THE LONG AGO

Items Taken from This Paper of 25 Years Ago, June 26, 1896.

Hooker promoter society held its annual picnic dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Parker. Talks by J. C. English, R. W. Graham and J. A. Walker. Officers elected: Pres. L. S. Hooker; vice-pres., Mrs. A. C. Sherman; secy., J. C. English; treas., Perry, L. J. Robinson, Mrs. G. W. Parker.

Races June 27 on Lowell fair ground.

Base ball—Lowell 3, Saranac 0. This was the Lowell team; Langs 23, Coons 24, Daggart 17, Lane 14, McDowell 6, Kitehen 11, Giles 6, Dush 8, Faulkner 4.

Will McCarty, home from Big Rapids business college.

Toll Lee home from medical studies.

Joseph Hibble died in South Lowell aged 60.

Married: Wm. H. Murphy and Mrs. Maggie Needham.

Mrs. M. E. Huggan had a leg broken by rearing horse.

Young folks party at Murray lake; Phil Althoff, Thos. Murphy, Harry Lee, Geo. McWilliams, Geo. M. Wingard, Norton Henry, Misses Bessie McCarty, LaVanche Moore, Ethel Moore, Albie Beery, Winnie Beery, Stella Ramey, Fannie Lee.

Arthur Huseell of Keene died suddenly in his chair.

Lyle Bowen kicked on head by horse.

DRY GOODS AND CLOTHING STORES.

Open Wednesday Evening, Close Thursday Noon for the Day During July and August.

Dry goods and clothing stores open Wednesday evening, close Thursday noon for the day during July and August.

Following the custom of a large number of villages and cities in the state, and in response to requests for a mid-week evening opening of our stores, and believing our clerks are entitled to a half holiday, we will open Wednesday evening and close Thursday afternoons during July and August.

A. L. COLLIER, J. J. LALLEY, WEEKES & SON.

BASE BALL.

Games at Recreation Park, Lowell, today, June 30, at 3 p. m., Hastings vs Lowell. Music by the Boy Scout band of 42 pieces. Lowell lost the game at Hastings last Thursday by a scratch; and expects to win this one by at least two scratches. —Come see 'em do it.

LOWELL—TONIA GAME JULY 4.

Lowell Recreation park is where to spend the Fourth. Lowell will show our Eastern friends how to play base ball, both Sunday and Monday. Sunday, Lowell will motor to Tonia, and play the third game with Tonia. Lowell has the strongest line up of the season in ready for these two games.

A large turn out is expected to go with the team Sunday. They will assure you of a good time. The first game with Tonia, Lowell has a great feature of the Monday game in Lowell. Don't fail to come.

J. M. J.

SUPERVISORS FAIL TO DECIDE ON TAX RATIO.

After a fruitless session Tuesday afternoon the equalization committee of the board reported to that body its inability to arrive at a decision on the tax rate ratio to be adopted between the county and the city. Two proposals, one for a ratio of 77.30 for the city and 22.70 for the county and another for 66.66 for the city and 33.34 for the county, were voted down in the committee.

According to figures submitted to the committee practically every township has made gains in the valuation of personal property show gains only in Grand Rapids, Cannon, Sparta and Wyoming townships. Grand Rapids being largest with a gain of \$121,800. Bowne township showing the largest gain in valuation of real estate amounting to \$12,100. County property as a whole shows a gain of \$828,063, and city property of \$11,000,000.—(Press.)

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Many a farmer risks burning his crop by using Cheap Paris Green containing too much pure arsenic.

Old reliable Ansbacher's Pure Paris Green is made with the maximum of killing power and the minimum of pure Arsenic.

Ansbacher's Arsenate of Lead is fine enough to stay in suspension while spraying, still every flake is large enough to kill the bugs before they cut the leaf.

Don't take chances, but come to us for your Paris Green and Arsenate of Lead.

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Late Records

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Many an industrious, far-seeing man can attribute his business success to the first dollar he deposited in a savings bank.

That dollar can truly be regarded as the first stone in the foundation of his business structure.

And many a young man to-day who is cultivating the habit of regular saving will have the same story to tell.

Those wishing a safe depository for funds (\$1.00 or more) can find no institution more likely to safe-guard their interests than this bank.

We solicit amounts of whatever size. We pay 4 per cent interest.

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More than 40 Monuments.
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All Best Quality Granite and Marble

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Citizens Phone 20 Lowell, Mich.

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We are adding

"Ferndell Brand of Fancy Groceries"

to our stock, as we believe this brand of food stuffs packed and distributed by Sprague and Warner of Chicago, represents the highest quality obtainable—and it COSTS NO MORE.

E. A. ANDERSON

Damaged Goods Sale

Saturday, July 2

A small portion of stock was flooded thru improper roof drainage and we offer this at close-out prices.

1 Lot CHILDREN'S MUSLIN DRAWERS slightly soiled; age 4 to 14. Regular 35c, all per pair..... 15c

1 Lot CHILDREN'S ROMPERS. New styles, regular \$1 values, slightly soiled, ages 2, 3 and 4. All at 49c each.....

1 Lot soiled MIDDIES. Sizes 8 to 20, including detachable flannel collars and other styles, \$1.65 to \$2.50. All at, each..... 75c

1 Lot CHILDREN'S DRESSES, mostly gingham, formerly \$1.50 to \$2.50. Sizes 2 to 12 All at 75c each.....

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E. J. HANSON, Local Mgr. ROSE & WITZ, Props.

Friday and Saturday, July 1 and 2

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A Thrilling Romance of the Western Plains.

Two-reel Comedy Also a "Fox News"

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Sunday, July 3

H. B. WARNER

in

"A Fugitive From Matrimony"

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Tuesday & Wednesday, July 5 & 6

Mary Pickford

in

"Through The Back Door"

This is Mary Pickford's latest picture.

Benefit for the Lowell Girl Scouts

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Just sixty-two days from the light.

And get thy jewels all ready,
As the light increases but still bright.

AT SIXTY-ONE
Scour thy thy and shine anew,
Thy yet light day, thy still remains.

AT SIXTY
A ripper, more transcendent youth,
A wage job, a new life, a new way.

AT SIXTY-NINE
Stream of life, a new dawn,
A new life, a new dawn.

AT SIXTY-EIGHT
Fly swiftly as you near the goal,
And brighter shine at twenty-one.

AT SIXTY-SEVEN
Still wait on foot, and work,
And keep thy locks wet with morning dew.

AT SIXTY-SIX
New life, a new dawn,
A new life, a new dawn.

AT SIXTY-FIVE
From sunset breaking with day,
A new life, a new dawn.

AT SIXTY-FOUR
The Michigan Tradesman.

DAUGHTERY TO GET BUSY
Attorney General Gaudin has finally awakened to the fact which everybody else has known for some time.

Mr. Gaudin has asked for an appropriation of \$250,000 to press prosecutions of 1,000 individuals and corporations alleged to be involved in the national building industry.

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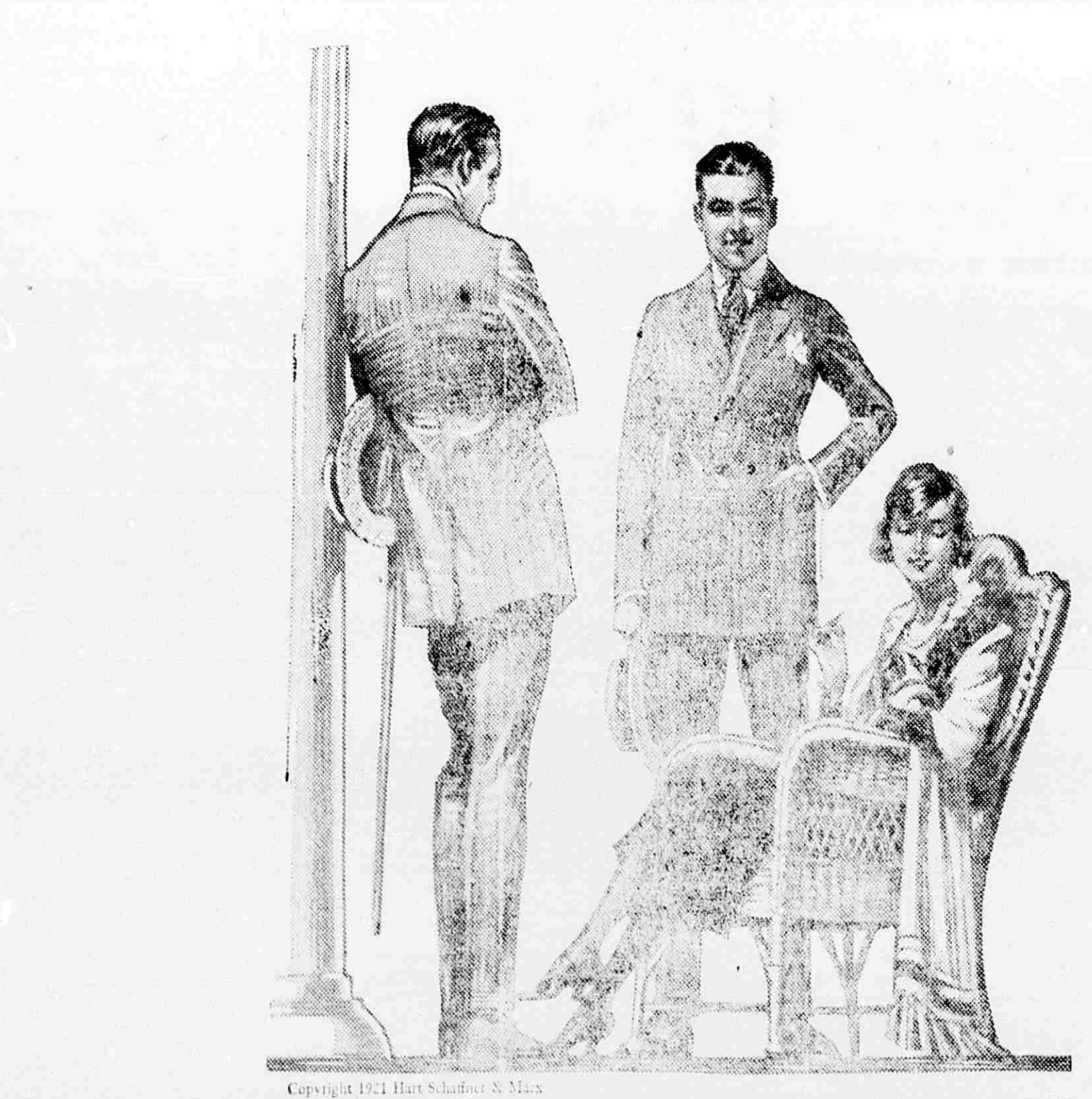
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Men's cotton in blue and red, black and white \$1
Men's wool suits (fancy) \$3
Men's worsted suits (fancy) \$4.50
Boys' fancy wool suits \$2.75
Boys' fancy worsted suits \$3.50
Boys' cotton suits 75c
Kiddie cotton suits 35c

Summer Shirts
Collar attached shirts for summer \$1.50
And at \$2.25, \$2.50, \$3

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Miss Marie Breseban, formerly of Parrell will make a trip through the State of Michigan...

SOUTH CASCADE CALLS
June 28—Kelle and wife went to Kalamazoo...

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MORTGAGE SALE
Default having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage...

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- 1 Lot Men's Dress Shoes, English Last, fully guaranteed. Regular Value \$6.00, Sizes, 7 to 1-2, Extra Special \$4.15
W. L. Douglas Boys' Outing Shoes, All Sizes \$2.50
W. L. Douglas Men's Work Shoes \$3.50
Men's Athletic Union Suits 89c
Bathing Suits \$1.00 & \$1.25
9-4 Sheeting, Good Quality, per yd. 50c
Pillow Tubing, half bleached, per yd. 45c
Ladies' Outsize Ribbed-top Hose 25c
G. D. CLINTSMAN

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STOP LOOK & LISTEN

Wall Paper & Paint Sale Starting Monday, June 20. 85c per qt. Paint reduced to... \$1c. \$3.20 per gal. Outside White reduced to \$2.98. Wall Paper ranging from .19c to 90c per roll. Also do not forget our big 11c chocolate soda. Open every night and all day Sundays. Yours for Ice Cream.

Otto D. Dygert, Druggist

The McCords Co-Operative Association Kansas Diamond Flour at \$8.90 bbl. Every sack guaranteed or money refunded. We handle the Holland Gas Engine direct from the manufacturer to you. Before buying take a look at our demonstrator. Easy payment plan.

R. L. Cornell, Manager

SUGAR BOWL ICE CREAM. In this country ice cream was introduced during the Colonial period, and since that time it has been made and sold wherever civilization reaches. It was not, however, until 1859 that its manufacture and marketing on a large scale was attempted. It is undoubtedly true that at no time in the history of the ice-cream industry has it occupied the position of importance which it does today.

PHIL LIGHTING

Opposite Light Station

BORGERSON'S

headquarters for Everything good in Groceries and Produce Fresh Fruits & Vegetables in their season. Prompt and courteous treatment and fair prices to all. Phone No. 75 for Good Eats

We Will Give

our Profits and Labor to those wishing to purchase Machinery at once. SACRIFICE CASH PRICES This applies to Machinery on Hand Only.

- 6 Ft. Binders \$187.00
7 Ft. Binders 192.00
5 Ft. Mowers 72.00
Side Rakes 82.00
Spreaders 164.00
Fertilizer Drills 146.00
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WEST BOWNE BIRTHS

June 27—Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Bowne, of West Bowne, Mich., have just secured a No. 1 good Ford battery that can make the exchange price to you for your old battery for the sum of \$26.00. It's A Dandy. Come and inspect it.

EASY WORK BIG PAY

CHAS. BROTHERS COMPANY Rochester, N. Y.

Special-FRIDAY and SATURDAY-Special

BIG REDUCTION SALE OF SHOES. As the season advances we find that we have a much larger stock of low stock than we care to have at this time of the year. And in order to lower our Friday and Saturday for the next two months.

- 100 pairs women's white canvas, high heel, rubber soled. Keels. This lot contains oxfords, Colonial pumps, plain pumps and high shoes. Regular price \$4.50. Friday and Saturday \$1.95.
Our entire stock of women's high heel oxfords and pumps. This lot contains brown, black and field oxfords. Brown and black two tie pumps. Regular price \$5.00. Friday and Saturday \$2.95.
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THE FARMERS STATE BANK

As the School Year Closes. The friendships, the happy faces, the little incidents of school life—these memories will grow increasingly tender as years roll by. And future success, with its attendant happiness, depends as in school on right association. A bank account started early in life is a solid foundation upon which to develop into permanent structure the dream castles of youth. We welcome your account as the basis for a cordial banking friendship extending through the future years.

When You Get Ready to Build

Hard or Soft Coal Cement, Cedar Posts or Shingles or anything in our line, please do not forget to come and see us, either at the McCords or Alto yards. We can take care of you. Worden Lumber Co.

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SPECIAL NOTICE TO OUR PATRONS

To comply with the many requests from our customers to keep open Wednesday evenings, this store will be open Wednesday evenings and will be closed Thursday afternoons during months of July & August.

Celebrate the Fourth in a Kuppenheimer Suit

YOU CAN BUY ONE NOW FOR \$39.00

Your choice of any \$55, \$50, \$45 Kuppenheimer Suits \$39.00

Cool Togs for July 4th

- Palm Beach Suits, Light Trousers, Silk Shirts, Beautiful Ties, Cool Union Suits, Sailor Straws, Silk Caps, Fancy Hose, Silk Collars, Bathing Suits, Pajamas and Robes

Store will close at 12 o'clock July 4th, for the day.

John J. Lalley

The house of Kuppenheimer good clothes

HEARD ABOUT TOWN

High grade gas, lots of pep. Med. Queen's Garage. Double mesh hair nets, 5c at Weekes' advertisement. R. B. Palmer left Saturday for Oklahoma on a business trip. Born, Tuesday, June 28, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hosley, a daughter. Ingersoll watches are cheaper and we have them. B. D. Stockings, advertisement. Mrs. Orton Hill, of Grand Rapids, spent Sunday with her son, Art and family. Wanted—Papering, painting and water coloring, W. C. Denick, Jr. Phone 155. Lowell and vicinity were blessed with million dollar rains Sunday and Monday. Miss Evelyn Gardner, of Saginaw, is visiting Mrs. King and other Lowell relatives. Lemons at special prices for parties and picnics at Borgerson's, advertisement. Mrs. Cora Tallant is spending two weeks with friends and relatives in South Boston. Misses Angeline and Mabel Goran were Sunday guests at the home of O. J. Howard. Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Perce and daughters, of Grand Rapids, spent Sunday at the home of B. A. Charles. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barely, of Boyne City, are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Crooks. Everything in children's half socks and hose at Weekes', advertisement. Earl Jones has moved his second-hand store to the stand on the bridge formerly occupied by Moore's shoe repair shop. Clyde and Grace Wood and two young lady friends called on Lowell friends Sunday, when driving from Lansing to Grand Rapids. Misses Josephine Gibson and Gladys Dunbrook, nurses at Detroit hospital, visited Miss Agnes Perry Saturday night and Sunday. L. E. Gulp and family of Kalamazoo were in town Saturday enroute for Pine Island lake. Mr. Gulp was a Ledger employee thirteen years ago. Goodyear United States and General tires at McQueen's Garage. Mrs. Daniel Rawley, of Napoleon, Mich., and daughter, Miss Edith, of Duluth, Minn., returned home Tuesday, after a week's visit with Mrs. C. H. Horn and family. See the Goldenan eye lighting service at Ford's Hardware, advertisement. Regular meeting of Island City Bebeah lodge Tuesday, July 5. Installation of officers and other business. There will be refreshments of ice cream and the sisters will furnish the cake. Sec'y. Ed McCue of Lowell, charged with possession and sale of liquor, was sentenced by Federal District Judge Sessions Friday to four months in the Detroit House of Correction and was taken there Saturday by Deputy U. S. Marshal Dave Hawley. About a dozen other liquor law violators were dealt with at the same time. The Lowell factory of the Ypsilanti-Reed Furniture company began running on a 7-hour day basis Monday morning, after running for several months on half-time. Manager Jacobi reports business conditions improving in their line and says that prospects are favorable for full time operation in the near future.

Chevrolet cars and parts and all accessories, at McQueen's, adv. Mr. and Mrs. George M. Parker spent Sunday in Clarksville. R. B. Johnson expects to move his family here from Pontiac Saturday. When you want a good job take it to the Lowell Cleaning & Dyeing Works. Miss Abby Maladina is visiting friends and relatives in Stanton and Sheridan. For upholstery and furniture repairing, see Jones & Jackson, phone 257. Miss Thelma Perckham came home from the University last week, for the summer. Try us for varnish. We have the best made. Ford's Hardware, advertisement. Miss Florence Bartick, of Grand Rapids, is visiting at the home of W. J. Benedict. Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Alger spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. Guy Perry in Grand Rapids. Another lot of 96c corsets on sale at Weekes', advertisement. Mr. and Mrs. C. Bergin and grand-son, Jimmie Hill, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Edson, of Alma. Miss Neely Campbell is home from her school at Pahr, to spend her vacation with Mrs. De Los Her-mer. Call 198 for T. E. Rogers truck line. Miss Esther M. Perry, of Lowell, has been engaged as principal of the Middlefield schools for next year. Bail cashiers looking for good lines and ready at reasonable prices will find them at Stocking's, advertisement. Red barn paint, \$1.75 per gallon, Ford's Hardware, advertisement. Mr. and Mrs. Arlinn Toese, of Jackson, are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. R. E. Springett and family. Mr. and Mrs. Octave Gardner and family left Friday for a motor trip to Canada, where they will visit friends. One more Edison amberola outfit to be sold cheap at Stocking's, advertisement. Miss Claudine Clemens, of Orsego, returned to her home Saturday, after spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. E. J. Hansen. Philip C. Savley, of Columbus, came Friday to spend his vacation with his mother, Mrs. Oren Savley and sister, Mrs. Gordon Frost. Baronette satin flannel and serif satin skirts at Weekes', advertisement. Mr. and Mrs. George Morse and daughter, Jane Elizabeth, of Detroit, will come Saturday to spend the Fourth with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jacobi. Mrs. Oren Savley, Philip Savley and Gordon Frost and family, of Moseley, returned to Marne Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Monte Savley. Mrs. William Shaw of Wellington county, Ont., and daughter Mrs. Fred Dowling are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. William Pant, whom she had not seen in over six years. The visitors will remain about two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kronenberger, of Chicago, visited the latter's sisters, Mrs. S. L. Lee, and Mrs. Octave Gardner, last week. Saturday they left for their summer cottage at Waterford, accompanied by Mrs. Lee. Henry Covert was taken before Justice Creswell, of Grand Rapids, Monday, in the absence of Justice Andrews, and was fined \$25 and costs, or 60 days in jail for assault. At last reports he was still in detention.

Lowell free street fair Oct. 12-14. Select your votes at Weekes', advertisement. Base ball, Recreation park, Lowell, Iowa vs Lowell, July 4. Phone 198 for that job of moving by the T. E. Rogers Truck line, adv. Base ball, today at Recreation park, Lowell, Hastings vs Lowell. Mrs. M. McMahon spent Sunday with her children in Grand Rapids. Call Jones and Jackson, phone 257 for upholstery and furniture repairing, advertisement. Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Andrews are visiting their son Harry and family at Albion. Banana special at Earl Cole's, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, 25c and 35c per doz., advertisement. The Fletcher family annual reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jacobi Wednesday. Extra pants free with every suit made to your measure, \$26.00 up. Lowell Cleaning & Dyeing Works. Misses Katherine and Anna Lalley are home from their schools in Grand Rapids, for their summer vacation. During the electrical storm Sunday afternoon, Pat Bowe's pipe was struck by lightning and he found the hand that held it was burnt. Braces and bandages, 9c at Weekes', advertisement. Rev. and Mrs. H. H. Harris are attending the Methodist Young People's Institute in Albion this week. They were accompanied by Miss Hazel Ross and Richard Mangle. See first page for damaged goods sale at Weekes', advertisement. Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hodges entertained the Birthday club at a 7 o'clock dinner last Thursday evening. Mrs. Leuna Anderson, of Grand Rapids, was in attendance. The W. B. C. and G. A. R. will hold their monthly banquet at the City hall Thursday, July 7. All members are requested to make an effort to be present. Press Co. Mrs. Eugene Carr and two sons, Mrs. Shinton and daughters, Martha and Ethel, drove to Lonia, last Wednesday, and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jones and family. The Ledger-Solo correspondents will meet at the Ledger office Saturday, July 2, at 2 o'clock p. m. Sharp for theater party and social afternoon. A full attendance is requested. Friend Schreiner in his list of Lowell business men of 1836, omitted the name of A. D. Oliver, the dean of present day Lowell business men, who has been on the job here 40 years. White lead 12 lb. Ford's Hardware, advertisement. George Bird, who was injured some time ago when the contents of the Birmingham coal storage bin caved in on him squeezing him to the wall, is improving and expected to be able to go to work again this week. The following spent Sunday at Long Lake at guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lalley and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Doyle and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hodges, and Mrs. Leuna Anderson and daughter Dorothy. New tie backingham dresses, size 14 to 16, just in at Weekes', advertisement. The season for clam fishing in Michigan opens July 1. The high price paid last year for clam shells attracted a large number of fishermen, women as well as men, from this state and outside. The present market price for the clam shells is the lowest in years, \$20 a ton, so not so many fishermen are planning to give up their summer to the industry as in former years. The highest price last year was \$75.

Linoleums at Weekes', advertisement. B. C. Smith has a neat new window sign. New silk camisoles at Weekes', advertisement. Harry's restaurant front has been newly painted. Miss Blanche Osborne had her tonsils removed Tuesday. Lemon special at Earl Cole's, 10c per doz., advertisement. Orlo Yeller went to Jackson Friday and returned with a Brisco sedan. B. M. C. Kloster and O. N. T. crocheted collars at Weekes', advertisement. Organic jokes and sashes at Weekes', advertisement. Miss Martha Stinton left Monday for Chicago, to visit her brother, Will. Fibre silk sweaters at Weekes', advertisement. Miss Ida Cogswell, of Grand Rapids, will spend the Fourth with her mother here. Miss Ina O'Harrow came home from her school in Detroit for her summer vacation. New percales, 29c at Weekes', advertisement. Mrs. Will Maborn and children are visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ray Picher, at Moseley. Get your lemons at Borgerson's. Special prices for parties or picnics, advertisement. George Johnson, of Alma, spent one day last week with his sister, Mrs. F. G. Hoffman. Mrs. M. E. Kuhn and daughter Nadia, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Kuhn, at Morley. Miss Frances Leonard returned Sunday evening from a two weeks' vacation with friends in Grand Rapids. Good printing at fair prices at The Ledger office. No sneering or hunch work at any price. It's a good job we do it. Mrs. Phoebe Gollar and grand-daughter, Miss Barbara Sweet, of Grand Rapids, visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gollar, Tuesday. Nemo, R. G. and Warner corsets at Weekes', advertisement. Mrs. A. Perry and daughter, Esther, have returned from Middlefield, where the latter has been teaching for the past year. Mrs. Clarence Speaker entertained a company of little folks last Friday afternoon in honor of her son Arthur's fifth birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Boonburg and two children, of Lonia, spent the latter part of last week with the former's mother, Mrs. Clara Boonburg. Kimona silks, \$1.00 yard at Weekes', advertisement. Leonard Dunker, of Grand Rapids, found guilty in the United States district court of illegal possession of intoxicating liquor, was sentenced Friday to pay a fine of \$200. Job printing at The Ledger office at money-saving prices. Well stocked to do it and give you goods. Experienced workmen and up-to-date equipment, qualify us to satisfy you. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Allmyer, of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Francis A. Michael, of Fremont, and Mrs. A. Easterbrook, of Freeport, visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barnes Saturday and Sunday. Nemo circle brassieres at 1 Weekes', advertisement. Orlo Yeller has been attending the undertaker's convention in Saginaw this week. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Coulter, accompanied him as far as Crystal lake to visit the former's son, Roy and wife.

Lowell free street fair Oct. 12-14. Hammocks at Weekes', advertisement. Remember the Wednesday evening band concerts in Lowell this season. Miss Winnie White came home from Detroit Saturday for her summer vacation. Warner's corsets at Weekes', advertisement. Fred Barnes has added another barn to his collection. Now if he only had two or three little barns he would be all right. Linoleum rugs, \$1.12, new patterns at Weekes', advertisement. The Lowell insurance agencies, formerly conducted by D. G. Mangle and Miss M. A. Taylor will be consolidated, beginning July 1, under the style of Mangle-Taylor Insurance agency. The business will be conducted by Miss Taylor at her office. New room rugs at new prices at advertisement. The Lowell Specialty company's factory, which has run steadily through all the period of industrial depression, is still going strong; and Manager Arehart says that business holds up good, and that new orders are being received daily. All of which is very good news. Crepe bloomers at Weekes', advertisement. Six page local edition of The Lowell Ledger and Alto Solo, \$1.00 per year or 7c for six months, regular 10-page edition, including stories, magazine and state and general news, \$2.00 per year, \$1.00 for 6 months, or 9c for three months. Subscribe now and keep posted on home and vicinity happenings. Ladies' and children's bathing suits and caps at Weekes', advertisement. There are only 145 inmates in the county poor farm, or 14 less than a year ago. All of these are old age cases, the range being from 65 to 85 years. A rush for shelter is expected in the fall when many semi-indigent are expected to return to the farm for the summer, return to the institution.—Grand Rapids Herald. Ledger subscriptions due July 1 should be renewed now to avoid blue marking next week. If the date on your address label is July 1921, renew now. Fill 10-page edition \$2.00 a year or \$1.00 for six months. Six page local edition with all the home and vicinity news \$1.50 per year, or 7c for six months. Come on in. Might as well make it unanimous. CORRESPONDENTS' ATTENTION! The invitation has again been given and did every one of our correspondents of both Ledger and Alto to Solo see and read it? and fully understand that our Editor means business, and demands our presence at the Ledger office, July 22. There are now about fifty correspondents on the books, and so many of us are strangers to one another and to the Editor. And how much more interesting our work is and will be if we all become better acquainted with our co-workers. If at all possible arrange your work and come and spend the afternoon with the balance of The Ledger-Solo family Saturday afternoon, July 2. By the Secretary. ELMALDA ETCHINGS. June 29.—Rev. Houghtaling and family will leave this week for Monticery, Mich., to attend a ministerial meeting. Miner King and wife spent Sunday with his brother, Earl and family. Mrs. Add, Erh is entertaining Miss Edith Schreiner, of White Cloud, for a few days. H. S. Ochampangh and family moved to Bostwick lake Sunday and spent the day. Ike Long, W. C. Hunter, wife and grand-daughter Laura, and Mrs. Edna Long, visited Sunday dinner with Jay Frowbridge and wife. A doctor was called Sunday to attend Mrs. Harley Leander, who is suffering from an attack of meningitis. Elmer Miller and family assisted by Miss Elsie Lamber, entertained 16 at their home Sunday. Friends of Perry Frowbridge and family, will be glad to learn that Perry has rented the V. E. Frowbridge farm and will move back in this vicinity some time this fall. Lowell free street fair Oct. 12-14. TOWN PESTS. THIS HERE CUTTING A PATH ACROSS MY YARD HAS GOT TO BE CUT OUT! CHARLES JOHNSON. The Cut-Across pest thinks your yard is a public thoroughfare and the Grass is just placed there to make soft walking, only after he cuts across to a White and goes on to do the same, the Grass disappears and you have a Nice Path through the Grass. Kills Mountain Lien. Cutworms, when hungry, will sometimes nibble a porcupine for a meal, and always with the result of sickness. The impious membrane of the mouth full of quills, from the sounds of which death is almost sure to ensue. When I was with an expedition in the Big Horn mountains, a fine mountain lion was found dead; upon examination it was soon ascertained that it had been the victim of an experience of this kind.—American Forestry Magazine. Quality of Foods. Hard foods are a necessary part of a hygienic diet. The teeth need exercise. It must be remembered, therefore, in any way of keeping teeth in good condition, is to eat hard foods, such as breadstuffs, meat, hard fruits, nuts and fibrous vegetables. Hard food forces the saliva and gastric juices to flow. If in addition to being hard the food is dry, the greater the flow of the saliva and gastric juice. Pearls on California Coast. Pearl oysters are extremely numerous along the coast of Lower California on the west side, and many valuable gems have been taken there annually for many years. Lowell free street fair Oct. 12-14.

Grandpa Joins the Circus

By DOROTHY WHITCOMB

The Fowlers were not very good to Elsa Bruce. She realized it, but in her patient, cheerful way tried not to mind it. Mrs. Fowler was her step-mother, Elsa was an orphan, and, aside from old Grandfather Bruce, she had no near relative in the world. Mrs. Fowler was parsimonious and a chronic grumbler, surmising and a slave driver. Within that narrow bosom of hers she cherished the idea that she was philanthropically sheltering Elsa, the poor shorn lamb, in a truly Christian way. In reality she was making a drudge of her. "I must keep on, if only for your sake, dear grandpa," Elsa was wont to say when the old man rebelled at the onerous duties imposed upon her. "I don't mind the work, if they would just treat you with a little more thoughtfulness." "It's a shame!" stormed the old man. "I gave my step-daughter the property here for providing me with a home the rest of my life, and it's just hardened her into a pinching, ungrateful miser." "Well, grandpa," said Elsa brightly, "some day I may be lucky enough to find some one willing to marry me, and I won't go unless I can take you along with me." "You're too good for any husband under a royal prince," declared grandpa. Elsa laughed at the ridiculous idea. She spoke some choice words in her hearty way, and then went to her own room for a good crying spell. A knight errant Elsa already had, indeed but in a decidedly humble and unromantic way. There was not a more manly young fellow in the town than Bert Lawton, but he was poor. His ambition was to become an electrician. "If I hadn't been so foolish as to give my property away to that selfish step-daughter of mine," Grandpa Bruce told his venerable clan, John Davis, "I'd set that deserving young couple up in housekeeping double-quick." He drew him aside to a convenient tree trunk. "Davis," he announced jubilantly, "I've got a great scheme, and I want you to help me out with it." "What is it, Dan?" inquired old John. "Just this: I'm sick and tired of the life I'm living, and I'm going to change it. Another thing, if Elsa and Bert had a few hundred dollars ahead as a nest egg, they could get married. Well, I'm going to earn it." "How?" challenged old John desisively. "By working, of course. Why, I'm sure as a cricket, for all my sixty odd years! Just the thing struck me in a city paper today. Here it is!" Daniel unfolded the newspaper and pointed to a certain paragraph. It read: "I have an address, 'Wanted, a man, need to cure and training of horses.' " "Don't you understand?" demanded Daniel. "I didn't spend ten years on the ranch out West not to understand horses. Why, I'd take second place to no man in that line. Here's just the job for me, and I'm going to reach for it." "But a severe disappointment met the old man when he visited the advertiser in the city next morning. He was informed that the position had been filled. He pondered about the city planning to apply for some other position, and came across a big eventy tent. The advertisement and novelty carried him off a prudent balance and he bought a ticket. The glare and the tinsel made old Daniel forget his troubles. The ring master offered fifty dollars to one who could mount Wildfire and ride him around the ring. A hoop of fun followed. The audience roared as candidate after candidate was chased over the ropes or flung into the sawdust. The ringmaster proudly and defiantly raised the price—\$100 for the skilled horseman who could subdue Wildfire. "I'll take that!" yelled the excited Daniel, alighting of his seat and making a double leap. "Whoo!" "Good for old Melancho-ly!" "Go it, grandpa!" and shouts and yells mingled in a riotous chorus. Old Daniel fixed his eye on Wildfire full of the pluck and vim of the old ranch days. He made a rush, Wildfire burst at him. He sprang aside. Wildfire struck out with his hoofs. Then with a lightning-like movement Daniel shot out both hands, one to the nose, one to the ear of the broncho. A springing leap, and he was on the back of the wildling animal. Around the ring once, twice, three times—and the audience fairly hoisted themselves on their haunches while the ringmaster looked blank. "Say, you're the best end ever come into this show," said the latter, as he placed ten crisp bank bills in the hand of the successful broncho buster. "I'll give you forty dollars a week and expenses to do just what you did as a regular act." "I'll take it!" answered Daniel promptly. "It means home and happiness for Elsa and Bert—and maybe me, too." Which it did, and the crabbled Fowlers were left in peaceful possession of the old home, while Grandpa Bruce saw a new family grow up around the happy Lawton hearth.

LOWELL SOUTH SIDE LOCALS. June 27.—Mrs. Anna E. Beach, of Grand Rapids, visited Mrs. W. E. Spencer from Thursday until Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Gain Bangs, of Lansing, visited his parents over Sunday. Little Alvin Sherman, who has been quite sick is some better. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Spencer and sons, Orvel and Clyde, visited Mrs. Spencer's brother, Lewis Jackson, and wife, of Clarksville, Sunday. Mrs. E. W. Aldrich called on Mrs. Lewis Jones Saturday. Mrs. Marsh visited Mrs. G. Hawk from Thursday until Friday. Mr. and Mrs. G. Bangs attended the graduating exercises at Kalamazoo, where their daughter Doris graduated Thursday. Miss Edith Kaufman visited her sister in Lonia, over Sunday. Meet me at The Ledger office, July 2. Lowell free street fair Oct. 12-14.

MCCORDS AND WHITEVEYVILLE. June 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Byron Patterson attended the wedding of his cousin Ruby Patterson and Harlan Hendrick, in Grand Rapids Thursday.

The first of the good times by the young people's class was held at the church Thursday evening. Games were played, led by our dignified District Superintendent, Dr. Kendrick, and all helped to make a very enjoyable evening.

Helen Gouper is spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. Lizzie Campbell, of Grandville, and her sister in Grand Rapids. J. E. Hockefellow has returned to Chicago, after spending a few days at his home here.

Loel Sinclair spent last Thursday in Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Denise, of Caledonia, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fraser Sunday. Miss Iol Sinclair will entertain the members and friends of the Young People's class Friday evening at her home. All are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Brown, of friends of the city, spent Sunday at Camp Lake. Mr. and Mrs. Heintzelman, of Gaines, were Sunday callers at the home of her sister, Mrs. Byron Patterson. The little son born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baron Saturday morning died Saturday afternoon at Hospital.

SHELTON FAMILY PICNIC. Sixty members of the Shelton family met Sunday at the farm home of Arthur Shelton, near Ada, to celebrate their tenth reunion. A picnic dinner was served. All the guests are residents of Michigan, with the exception of Mr. and Mrs. William Wallace, and son William, and daughter, Esther, of Chicago, and Mrs. Ida McNeely, of Spokane, Wash., who attended as guests of Mrs. Margaret Greene, Grand Rapids president of the society.—Press.

Lowell Chautauqua, Aug. 18-22. NORTH VERGENNES VERSES. July 28.—Have you ever ridden on Bough and Bump street? Well, it extends along past the German church about one mile north. After you get over it you feel as though your dinner is settling.

Miss Myrtle Biggs returned from a two weeks visit in Ohio with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Will Porter and daughter Elizabeth spent Sunday at Al. Richmond's. Al Richmond has resumed his work at Mrs. Lena Weeks', after a few weeks' absence. Nola Richmond spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Richmond. We are thankful for the rain, it certainly did a lot of good. The raspberries are ripening fast since the rain.

LOWELL MARKET REPORT. Corrected, Wednesday, June 29, 1921. Wheat, (white) 60 lbs. 1.08 Wheat, (red) 60 lbs. 1.05 Corn Meal, cwt. 1.50 Oats, per bu. 1.40 Rye, per bu. 1.50 Corn and oats feed, cwt. 1.60 Middlings, per ton 26.00 Bran, 24.00 Flour, per bu. 4.60 Butter, per lb.25 Eggs,22 Pork, dressed, 11-12 Chickens, spring and old, 8-11 Calves, dressed, 6-8 Beef, live, 4.00-6.00 Beef, dressed, cwt. 10.00-13.00 Butter Fat, per lb.26 Beans, 3.00

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 appreciatively reports the following: Mrs. Frank Noyes, W. J. Watson, William R. Booth, Mrs. Charles Hollins, Mrs. Mary Alexander, G. H. Wheaton, Mrs. R. H. Waterston, B. Anderson, Mrs. J. E. Lind, John F. Itoth, Howard Bartlett, Ed. Dailor, Walter Rogers, W. E. Marsh, M. C. Gilbert, Harry Mead, A. P. Burr, Morris Trumbull, H. L. Fleicher, Mrs. Alice E. Gumb, Mrs. C. H. Anderson, Mrs. Emma Ricker, D. A. Houser, Mrs. William Buck, Edyth B. Konkie, Mrs. Clarence Snelker, James McMahon, John A. Gulliford, E. L. Grant, Dan Townsend, Mrs. H. De Vore, Nora E. Bruton, Mrs. James Oudar, C. A. Ball, C. E. Hackett, Glenn R. Loveland, C. R. Streeter, J. J. May, Mrs. Frank Hartman, Mrs. Mary C. Scott, Mrs. Frank Shores, Mrs. Harley Mullen, Mrs. D. H. Waters, M. L. Bailey, Mrs. Will Washburn, F. J. Jacobi, Miss Esther Newcomb.

Lyle R. Bowen, Mrs. Celia Lincoln, Mrs. B. C. Noble, J. A. Anderson, Mrs. Altona McDiarmid, E. McConnell, Mrs. Howard Palmer, Mrs. Margaret Oberly, Clare Anderson, Mrs. M. H. Lovely, Mrs. Frank Chase.

Who will be next? N. MCCORDS AND E. CASCADE. June 28.—Claude Steinman and family and John Nobles and son, and daughter, called on Peter Vandenberg Sunday.

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Lilly Mae Thompson spent a few days last week visiting relatives in Grand Rapids. Jeff Hill, wife and daughter and Stuart Steaman, of Grand Rapids, called at John Cox's Sunday.

Mrs. Ruth Hayes was in Lowell Saturday night. Miss Pearl Thomas went to Kalamazoo Saturday to summer school.

LOWELL FOREMOST MORTGAGE. Michigan's foremost Mortgage Institution with assets over \$7,000,000 desires representation in each county for the sale of their First Mortgage Bonds. The establishment of a Bond Department in the community means a splendid income to the party or parties securing the contract. Handling of our bonds on a part-time arrangement will also be considered. Write or call officers of Detroit Mortgage Corporation, 219 Powers Bldg., Grand Rapids, Mich. FOR EXCHANGE—Thoroughbred White Leghorn cockerels to trade for pullets of any kind. R. T. Ford at Ford's Hardware.

Everything's Ready! Plan to Spend the Fourth at RAMONA On Reed's Lake, Grand Rapids, Mich. \$10,000 FIREWORKS DISPLAY ON the FOURTH SEE the \$50,000 Mistic Clutes. Thrilling parachute drop from airplane into Reed's Lake. Try the fascinating duck hunt and countless other attractions. Large picnic grounds. Tables and benches in the open and undercover. Ralph Dunbar Opera Co. in the most tumult of comic operas, "Naughty Marjotta." COME TO RAMONA ON THE FOURTH

Printing Prices Reduced Just received a large stock of bond papers, including U. S. Seal Bond good watermarked stock of light and heavy weights suitable for the particular business man's Letter Heads, Memos, Etc. Also a good general purpose bond paper at a lower price, all bought at BARGAIN PRICES on which we will give our patrons the benefit of REDUCED PRICES. We are also well stocked in other lines and can give you good work and prompt service. Remember, we can save you money on out-of-town prices. The Ledger Printers Lowell, Mich.