

Ryerson Public Library

### What are we worth?

What are we worth? By that we mean—what are we worth to the community?

We realize that we exist only through community patronage. We realize that we are in fact a public institution, depending upon the public liking and confidence for our very existence, and if we are to succeed we must maintain that liking and confidence, and it can be retained only through serving just a little better.


Permit us to demonstrate our desire and willingness to extend a service particularly fitted to your needs. We believe you will find it worth while.

Resources \$800,000

### City State Bank

4 Per Cent Paid Here For Your Savings.

Member Federal Reserve Banking System



### Eyesight Insurance

There is only one way to be sure that your Children's Eyesight will be properly protected and that is to have them examined regularly and Glasses fitted if needed. Our experience in this work is a guarantee of satisfaction.

### A. D. OLIVER

Jeweler and Optometrist  
"Eyes Examined and Glasses Fitted"

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CASH AND CARRY saves you 10 to 20 percent

These Are Our Regular Prices. Watch for Specials

1 lb. Bulk Macaroni	10c	3 lbs. 25c
1 lb. Gold Band Cocoa	25c	
Large can Royal Baking Powder	45c	
Small can Royal Baking Powder	25c	
1 can Fat Milk, large	11c	
2 lbs. Seed or Seedless Raisins	25c	
Lily White Flour	85c	
Prunes	10c, 15c	
Extra Fancy Corn	17c	
Extra Sifted Pass	18c	
Jap Soap	3 for 25c	
Hard Water Castile Soap	3 for 25c	
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Outlets have advanced in price, but not here. Same brands we have always sold you at the same price.

Remember we sell National Brand Co. Cereals and Cakes—the right price and they are the best goods to buy. Always give satisfaction or your money back. Best Butter Cereals are National Brand Co., 25¢ for 25¢

### MEATS

Pork Steak, Pig Pork	15c
Pork Chop, Pig Pork	15c
Shoulder Ham, Pig Pork	15c
Ham Steak, Pig Pork	15c
1 lb. Corned Beef	15c
1 lb. Canned Ham	15c
1 lb. Canned Corned Beef	15c
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Get your FREE THEATRE TICKETS with every \$1.00 purchase on Saturday only. Ask for them.

Special for Saturday Only

10 Bars Leno Soap, white, 5¢	for 45¢
6 Bars Flax white Soap	
1 Soap 25 Soap Chips	

We Buy Beef, Pork, Butter, Eggs, Chicken, Veal. Call us up if you have anything to sell.

### Spring

According to the calendar, Spring begins March 21, and it is the time when the sun is in the sign of Aries. It is a time of new beginnings, of new ideas, of new plans. It is a time when the earth is reborn, when the seeds of life are sown, when the promise of a new year is made. It is a time when we should look to the future with hope and confidence, when we should strive to do our best, when we should try to make the world a better place.

Complete stock of Sherwin-Williams Paints and Varnishes.

### Winegar & Hartman

### 1924 PROGRAM A GOOD ONE

The Lowell Board of Trade Plans Celebration, Free Chautauqua, Horse-Coming, Band Concerts, Tourist Camps, Etc.

The supper meeting of the Lowell Board of Trade last Thursday evening was the first under the new administration of President W. F. Murphy, who was enthusiastic and harmonious. A good program was offered and a whole was well received. The event promises well for a useful and spirited year's work.

The Ledger feels that it can do no better than to publish in full the report kindly given it by Secretary F. J. Combs, as follows:

The March meeting of the Board of Trade was held at Hotel Waverly, Thursday, March 13, 1924. About 60 persons were present. The business meeting was called to order by President Murphy. The report of the Board of Directors recommending the program for the year's activities was read and for the most part received enthusiastically.

The Board decided to celebrate the 4th of July in the good old-fashioned way.

They offered the City Council 100 days' work to build and equip a Tourist camp under their supervision. The suggestion of Mr. Wieland that each member do his own work was well received.

The Board will help out over the free Chautauqua and a Home Coming day for all the old residents during Chautauqua week.

The proposition of a B. of T. Base Ball team was referred back to the Directors as was also the offer to assist the American Legion in an Armistice Day observance.

On motion of Mr. Archart, the president was instructed to appoint a committee to circulate a petition to present to the Council asking for a special election on the proposition of maintaining a City Band. The committee was appointed as follows: B. E. Springett, J. M. Hutchinson, T. Ford. Mr. Springett prepared a petition which was circulated in the meeting and signed by all present.

Mr. Look, reporting for the road committee, stated that according to the best information he could get the Air Line 100 ft. paved way contract was let in Kent county as far east as Veltor's corner; that Iowa had it located through their territory; that Iowa county offered to have across their county on "M-16 as is" to meet Kent county at the line as soon as Kent had paved east of the Blacksmith shop via Ada thru Lowell. This the Kent Board of Trade promised would be done in 1925. The preliminary engineering work to be done this year. Mr. Henry also reporting for Road Committee, stated that nothing within their control had been left undone to keep Lowell on the main line.

F. M. Johnson spoke on the subject of credits, recommending that the board take some action toward the forming of a Credit Bureau and on motion of Mr. Archart, the president was instructed to appoint a committee to look into this important matter.

Mr. Rivette reported for the Band committee, stating that Mr. Joe Pease of Grand Rapids had been engaged temporarily to get the band started. He has already met with the boys eight nights at a cost of seven dollars per night, preparing them for the opening appearance Memorial day.

Quiet picking contest recommended. No action taken.

Moved by Mr. Ford, seconded by Mr. Archart, that we celebrate the Fourth of July. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Henry, seconded by O. J. Swanson, that the Base Ball proposition be referred back to the Board of Directors. Carried.

Moved by N. Borgerson, seconded by E. A. Swanson, that the Home Coming be held during Chautauqua week. A one day program instead of Labor day, as recommended. Carried.

Moved by N. Borgerson, seconded by Mr. Thomas, that the Armistice day proposal be referred to the directors. Carried.

Harold Keith, representing the H. V. Olden boys' chorus, asked permission to invite the next annual conference to meet in Lowell sometime next March. This includes a banquet and entertainment over night. Mr. Springett moved that the board grant the request and that the invitation be extended, seconded by W. Schaeffer. Carried.

Mr. Shawley of Lansing responded to the last "Holding Lager and Beer" board voted to hold an April meeting with supper.

E. J. Combs requested the opinion of the board regarding the change of membership with Grand Rapids. This was referred to the directors. Archart moved the board favor the present arrangement on this question. President Murphy appointed the following committee:—E. A. Thorsness, Doug. Lawrence, Roy. Thorsness, Harry Hong, Oscar Rivette, Good. Good, D. C. Look, M. N. Henry, W. L. Doyle.

Special Session—B. E. Springett, J. M. Hutchinson, H. L. Weston, Lewis Allen, E. D. Quinn, H. E. Quinn, Frank Combs.

Board Committee—O. J. Veltor, O. J. Swanson, H. L. Weston, Robert Ford.

Special Session—Ray. Combs, C. A. Quinn, John Quinn, C. A. Quinn, W. F. Murphy.

Special Session—H. L. Weston, J. C. Smith, E. E. Weston.

### DOINGS OF THE LOWELL SCHOOLS

The local basket ball boys celebrated the claim to the Kent county championship last Thursday night by defeating Caledonia in the final game of the county tournament by a 22-12 victory on the Grand Rapids Y. M. C. A. floor.

Lowell was very slow in the first period and Caledonia, seeming to smell a victory early in the game, pushed desperately during a 12-10 lead. The Lowell boys then began to show what they could really do and in two minutes of real playing advanced ten points; the half ending 18-13 in Lowell's favor. At the beginning of the second half Caledonia seemed refreshed and held the Lowellites for a few minutes, but could not stand the pace set by Flogaus and Schaeffer, who began to roll up the score. Flogaus secured a bit of form during the first half, but his stride in the second part, making eight field baskets. Schaeffer was even better, having eight goals to his credit when disqualified by personal fouls in the second half. The game at center; but being in poor condition, was withdrawn during the third quarter. Lewis and Finis showed that they knew how to guard and kept the Caledonians to one field basket during the last half. Kiel substituted for Schaeffer at forward and played a creditable game during the time he was in. Taylor went in as guard and Finis at center for Weston.

The girls' basket ball team triumphed over Sparta last Saturday in the final game for the Kent county championship, the score being 48-12. The game, except for the first few minutes of play, was a one-sided affair. Sparta, hopeful of a victory, fought desperately and held Lowell to a 5-5 score the first quarter. At the beginning of the second quarter, the Lowell forwards began rolling them in and kept a good lead the rest of the game. The Sparta forwards were too slow for the Lowell forwards, allowing them to get away time after time for a shot.

Alma Wingler played a stellar game at forward, dropping the ball in sixteen times from the field, while Dorothy Kyeer was always at just the right spot and contributed her share of baskets. Too much praise cannot be given to Mildred Jones and her running mate, Mary Alice James, who, along with Olga Banker and Genevieve Moore at guard, were responsible for keeping the ball in Lowell's forward territory most of the time.

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### TOWN CAUCUS A "HUMMER"

THE LOWELL TOWNSHIP CAUCUS HELD AT THE CITY HALL AT 2 P. M. TUESDAY, WAS CALLED TO ORDER BY E. A. THORNSNESS, CHIEF OF THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE, WHO WAS CHOSEN PERMANENT CHAIRMAN. CHARLES FOOTE WAS ELECTED SECRETARY AND J. C. SMITH, J. A. ARCHART AND A. T. SCHNEIDER WERE APPOINTED TELLERS.

Informal ballot for supervisor resulted as follows: Lewis M. Veltor 150, Christopher Bergin 128, Charles R. O'Harrow 68. Mr. O'Harrow withdrew his name.

Second ballot: Lewis M. Veltor 185, Christopher Bergin 128. Mr. Veltor was declared the unanimous choice of caucus.

For clerk—Frank N. White was nominated by acclamation.

For treasurer—A like honor was conferred upon Mary Hodges.

For Justice of the Peace, full term, Frank L. Houghton was nominated by acclamation.

For Highway commissioner one term, Walter Blakeslee 206, Will Trednick 78, Scattering 7. Mr. Blakeslee was declared the choice.

For Overseer, George Hazel was nominated by acclamation.

For Member Board of Review, Charles Freyermuth was nominated by a vote of 53 to 13 for Wm. H. Murphy.

Nominees for constables: Lloyd Parrott, Lloyd Veltor, Allen Morse, Eugene Carr.

Delegates to the Republican county convention, R. E. Springett, P. C. Foshan, C. H. Fook.

Township committee: J. C. Smith, H. L. Shuter, Frank Houghton.

**KENNE TICKETS**  
Esplanade  
Supervisor—Laksh Doda.  
Clerk—J. B. Sturge.  
Justice Peace—Richard Murphy.  
Highway Commissioner—Oscar Moore.  
Highway Overseer—Clarence Selfrid.  
Board Review—Robt. Sparks.  
Constables—York Klahn, Fred Gramer, William Converse, George Kosch.  
Democratic  
Supervisor—Eugene Snell.  
Clerk—Charlie Sparks.  
Treasurer—Roy Haskins.  
Justice Peace—Robt. Brock.  
Highway Commissioner—Ray Richter.  
Highway Overseer—Frank Shindorf.  
Board Review—Frank Hunter.  
Constables—Jas. Teft, Burr Carr, William Cook, Harley Hunter.

Presidential Primary and township election notices on insert page. Important information. Don't miss it.

### Strand Theatre Program

Friday and Saturday, March 21 and 22

FRANK KEENAN in  
"Scars of Jealousy"  
Few picture stories as as great as this—fewer still as gripping.

Also "FIGHTING BLOOD"  
Matinee Saturday at 2:30. Adm. 10 and 15c.  
Evening Admission 17 and 25c.

Sunday, March 23  
JOHNNIE WALKER in  
"Fashionable Fakers"  
The laughing treat of the year served on a silver platter.

Also A Two-Reel Comedy.  
Admission 17c and 25c.

Tuesday and Wednesday, March 25 and 26  
FLORENCE VIDOR in  
"Alice Adams"  
Booth Tarkington's Prize Novel  
A drama of a small town where money means social position and of a family that fell behind in the race.

Also "THE WAY OF A MAN"  
Admission 15 and 25c.

### Strand Theatre Tickets Free!

The following merchants are giving FREE tickets to the Strand Theatre with purchases. These tickets will admit you Tuesday or Wednesday of each week until May 15, 1924. Be sure to ask for them while the supply lasts. Buy at home and go to a big feature show each week. Watch for weekly program.

Boyle Cash and Carry Grocery  
Baker's & Son Confectionery  
211 E. Liberty, Co. Green Parlor and Confectionary  
Henry & Vanhook Shoe Store  
B. G. Cook Drug Store  
McQuinn, Chevrolet Garage  
Wells Department Store. Also

### You Can and Should Own Your Home

"Home" doesn't mean much if you rent the place you live in, but if you can pay your own dwelling, it truly becomes a place of "rest and security."

WE HAVE MONEY TO LOAN

R. S. Lowell Bldg. & Loan Ass'n. E. L. Houghton

### NEWS OF THE HOME CHURCHES

Congregational Church . . . .

"Act is the blossom of thought and joy and suffering are its fruits; thus does a man gather in the sweet and bitter fruitage of his own husbandry."

Harold Keith, Charles Mathews, Stanley Moore and Morris Court attended the Older Boys' conference of the H. V. club held in Grandville the week-end.

Miss Rhyard's class met at the home of Helen Hunter Thursday evening, March 13. Games and refreshments were enjoyed. Fifteen girls were present.

The church was represented by five delegates at the Grand Rapids association held in the South Congregational church. It was a profitable meeting with good fellowship. One of the topics discussed was "The Protestant Church Union." The consensus of opinion seemed to be that union was impossible. A layman recently from Canada reported a union already effected in that territory, and remarked if such things were possible in Canada, it surely should be possible in our country.

The expository value of the New Testament and its interpretations were favorably discussed; Goodspeed's version being particularly recommended.

The religious director of Park church, in speaking of the church and the rising generation, said that if we would hold our young people, we must give them something worth while to do in the church.

Methodist Church

"A ballot in the box is worth ten at home on the veranda."

The work of the American Bible society was the subject of the meeting last Sunday evening. Five young ladies told how the work of distributing Bibles was carried on all over the world through the different agencies. The pastor gave the story of the English Bible.

The Epodian Sunday school class will have its regular monthly meeting Friday afternoon at the Church house.

The 36th annual convention of the Sunday schools of Kent county will be held at the Trinity Methodist church, Grand Rapids, March 27 and 28. W. C. Pearce, general secretary of the World's Sunday School association, will be the principal speaker.

Because of the declamation contest at the High school Thursday evening, the church training service will begin at seven o'clock instead of seven thirty, that all may have an opportunity to attend this contest in which many young people of our Sunday school take part.

A community meeting with a pot-luck dinner will be held at the Veroneses Grange hall Friday, March 21. It is hoped that the whole community will unite in making this a fine success. Dinner at noon and program following. Among the speakers will be Mrs. Louisa Campbell of the Extension department of the M. A. C. and Rev. Beckett of the Alto Parish and others.

Baptist Church

Prayer and praise service 11 a. m. At this time a business meeting will be held. Important decisions were made at the meeting held last Sunday.

Sunday school 12 m.  
Maggie Ribble, Clerk.

Church of the Nazarene

"God demands of us not only the faith of our hearts, but also the confession of our lips."—Cramer.

Sunday morning, the pastor took for his subject "The Parable of the Sower," comparing the word of God with the seeds that were sown and our hearts as the ground where the seeds were scattered.

For the evening service a lesson from the first chapter of Proverbs was given. Both services were well attended.

The True Blue class will meet at the home of the teacher Mrs. Elmer Buck, Friday night.

Sunday school at 10; preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Rev. E. L. Buck, Pastor.

Christian Science Society

Sunday services are held over the Lowell State bank at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject of lesson—Parable for March 23 is "Walter. Everyone cordially invited.

### Wall Paper Adds Comfort to Any Home


Wall Paper has no substitute. Its beauty of pattern, variety in color and adaptability in texture make it a background that can be used under the most diverse and varied of conditions. Let us prove it.

Our stock contains the finest range and variety of Wall Papers in this community. They are choice—and the price is right.

D. G. LOOK, Rexall Druggist  
Drugs, Wall Paper and Paint

### "Sorry We Didn't Buy An Edison"

A Common Expression



Do not make this mistake. When you buy but get an Edison and have no regrets after.

Have you heard the old Fiddle record by JEP BUSBY? If not come and hear it.

### R. D. STOCKING

Sole Agent for Edisons in Lowell.

### The Business Man

who gives his banker all the facts regarding his financial condition whether favorable or unfavorable, does himself a good turn—providing he has the right kind of a banker. A common understanding establishes confidence which is the basis of credit. A banker of the right kind can help you best when he knows the whole situation. It is the only satisfactory way. Our service is confidential always.

### The Lowell State Bank

Lowell, Michigan

### Barcophagus of Koo-foo-Ankh, Egypt

The Barcophagus of Koo-foo-Ankh, Egypt, was discovered early in the eighteenth century and has been found to contain the remains of one of the old Egyptian gods.

We have on exhibition many examples of beautifully designed tablets and disks. We can refer you to many people who are more than satisfied with the commodity work we have accomplished for them. Let us furnish you with designs and make a bid upon the work you wish to have done.

### LOWELL GRANITE CO.

PHONE 20

### The Sugar Bowl

Invite you to drop in occasionally during the winter and try our refreshing

### HOT DRINKS and Lunches

Smooth Sodas and Good Warm Place to Eat. Also, if you like

### ICE CREAM

In all kinds of varieties, we have in fact the best in all grades of

### CONFECTIONS

at slight prices and lowest weights.

Mrs. Elizabeth Laffey, Prop.  
A. E. Houghton

### Favors Public Support of Band

Editor The Ledger:—

The proposition sponsored by the Board of Trade to submit to the voters a special election April 15, to the maintenance of the Boy Scout band by the Council from Village funds seems a fair way of financing this worthy organization. By this method the cost will be less among so many people that it will not be felt by anyone.

One-half mill on the dollar will raise \$27.50 while the cost of the Boy Scout band last year was \$250.

A valuation of \$1,000, about the average assessment for residence property, would pay in taxes the cost of \$100 to this fund.

The school trustees the boys will receive as well as the community benefits derived from a Boy Scout band more than overbalance the cost, when spread at large on the tax roll.

E. F. Combs,  
Sec. Board of Trade.

More value per dollar in the Chevrolet car. Maxwell Motor Co.

**VIRGILIAN TICKETS**  
Supervisor—E. E. Matherson.  
Clerk—Roy Quinn.  
Treasurer—Orry Condon.  
Highway Commissioner—Charles Springett.  
Justice of Peace—Chris Condon.  
Member Board Review—Carl Hart.  
Constables—Al. Hays, James Ford, William Hays, Floyd Lang.  
Overseer—Wm. Pease.  
Clerk—Carl M. Leman.  
Treasurer—Clay Anderson.  
Highway Commissioner—Evan H. Chalmers.  
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# The Reckoning

By DAVID ANDERSON  
Author of "The Blue Moon"

CHAPTER X—Continued  
In the glowing embers another face began to form, slowly—a face handsome in spite of its forbidding beard, formidable spectacles and a very peculiar eye. Every act of the eccentric preacher-scholarman, since the day the Midwest stage dropped him in front of the post office, passed before his mind—every act as far as he knew, had been scrupulously chronicled.

Dreaming there by the dead embers of the fire, the woodman found himself analyzing the preacher, in his careful way, from many points of high back; the ill-health eye he had never believed, or rather, had not let down to an imaginary ailment—the man looked absolutely fit to enter a cross-country race. He eliminated the forbidding frock coat, stiff neck, heavy high hat and spectacles—divested of all oddities and accessories, there remained a tall and very capable man. Then, there was the fiery-haired stag-gun that happened to find himself in the midst of the affair and pair of very hands feeling over the stacks of clothes—a circumstance that had the perfect agreement of the head-prints on the dusty deck of the covered home—another circumstance that he alone knew.

If he was a college professor and a minister what he he doing in the Flatwoods? It was not still here, was he doing in the Flatwoods? As he pondered, suddenly the dark face that had stared up from the floor of the room and his mind. So close it came upon the heels of his attempted analysis of the preacher that the two thoughts fused into one. The connection was startling. It brought out of his chair and left him staring through the open cabin door into the night.

Was there a connection? Might it be possible that Ken, crime-riddled and low-fallen, had sneaked back to the Flatwoods, and the preacher, being a college friend, was trying to befriend him—possibly even to help him? No; there was the letter—it was absolutely genuine. The woodman straightened and stretched to rouse himself from the drowsy spell of the thought; to drag his self back from the drift of it; felt the revolver at his hip, created a new step and stepped out into the yard.

The night was unrelieved; the woods breathed still in the pale starlight. The black shadows of the trees were heavy; over in the bottom a plover whistled his melancholy call; the moonlight gleamed on the water of the creek that had drifted down out of Eagle hollow. But for the true woodman the night has messages that other ears do not receive. From the bridge in front of Uncle Nick's, had abruptly stopped croaking, only to begin again after a moment. From the bridge in front of Uncle Nick's, had abruptly stopped croaking, only to begin again after a moment. From the bridge in front of Uncle Nick's, had abruptly stopped croaking, only to begin again after a moment.

CHAPTER XI  
Known of the Night  
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# Save on Cocoa

From the taste of these two cocoa you'll expect to pay about twice as much for them. They're unusual because they contain the quality of both pure and quality.

REID, MURDOCH & CO.  
Sole Importers and Distributors  
of the  
"GROCE" Brand Cocoa  
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To Relief Homes  
Premier Marmolati of Italy, when few things fall to interval, has been greatly impressed by a recent campaign for the relief of the Italian people. He is now organizing a campaign to raise the funds necessary to relieve the Italian people.

Good bread makes  
everywhere prefer it  
Yeast Foam  
Flavor all its own!

Once your yeast good bread made with Yeast Foam, they'll always want it. It's simply great!

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"The Art of Baking Bread"

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1720 North Ashland Ave.  
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The Florida Water Company  
Sole Importers and Distributors  
of the  
"GROCE" Brand Florida Water  
Chicago, New York

WOMEN WARNING!  
DON'T BE FOOLED  
Always get the "Diamond Dye" and if you don't get the name "Diamond Dye" on the package—return it to us.

# BEFORE MARRIAGES WERE BORN

VIOLA GYMN  
George Barry McCutchen

"Would you marry me?"  
"No, I don't see why I should. I'm not in love with you."

"Why not?"  
"Because I'm not in love with you."

"But you're not in love with me?"  
"No, I'm not in love with you."

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# Spend Thursday and Friday Thinking It Over--- then come to The Store That Does The Saturday Business

After all is said and done---a store's Saturday business tells which way the value wind blows.

Last Saturday we were busy all day. It was one sale after another to men who had neither time nor money to waste.

Next Saturday's buyers are thinking it over now and the harder they think and the shrewder they compare, the more surely they will be wearing new spring clothing next Sunday.

- New Spring Suits \$25 to \$50
- Eagle Shirts \$2 to \$5
- Carter's Union Suits \$1.50 to \$2
- Kaynee Blouses 95c
- Dutchess Trousers, 10c a button, \$1 a rip

## SCHNEIDERS' The House of Kuppenheimer Good Clothes LOWELL, MICH.

### Items of the Town

**Ozarka—what is it?** adv Mrs. Burt Myers spent Monday in Grand Rapids.

**A. W. Hilze** auctioneer of Dutton, was in town Monday.

**First class vulcanizing** at Pete's Filling station. P. Mulder.

**Wm. J. Precious** of Alto made The Ledger office a call Monday.

**Closing out** our hand-painted dishes at cost. Warner & Scott.

**N. C. Thomas**, Caledonia's popular auctioneer and general entertainer, was in town Tuesday.

**Mrs. Anthony Zahn** of Lansing spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Mead.

**You can wash from 12 to 17 sheets** at one time with the Happy Home washer. Ford's Hardware.

**Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Willette** and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Willette spent Sunday with Bert Willette and family.

**There will be a community program** at Vergennes Grange hall, Mar. 21. Potluck dinner. Everybody invited.

**Have Gould's garage** hone your cylinders for new pistons. All work guaranteed. New machinery just installed.

**Miss Helen B. King** will return next week from Nunda, New York, where she has spent nearly a year with friends.

**Farms wanted.** They are in good demand this Spring. If you wish to sell, come and see me. Geo. M. Parker, Phone 181, Lowell, Mich. (C39)

**The Ledger's advertising bill** for advertising contracted for by friends of one of the county candidates in the last campaign has finally been paid.

**Mrs. George Jackson** and son of Hastings and Mrs. Richard Jackson and daughter Betty of Kalamazoo spent Tuesday and Wednesday at the home of John Dawson.

**Len Kallings** went to Blodgett hospital Tuesday to see his son Eddie, who has had a long, hard pull, but seems to be improving and in hopes of coming home soon.

**Born, March 17, to Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Matthews,** a ten-pound son, Harry Hargan. Another apple picker and on St. Patrick's day in the evening. "Save and they orto call him Pat."

**Watch for the Ozarka.** adv Frank Morse has a new Ford roadster.

**Glenn Hazel** is driving a new Ford coupe.

**M. Gerald Collins** is driving a new Overland Champion.

**Daisy Spencer** started work in the Lowell telephone office this week.

**Choice patterns** in 32-inch ginghams, fast colors, 35c. Warner & Scott.

**Are the best too good for you?** If not, buy Corduroy Cord tires of F. A. Gould.

**Mrs. Hattie Peckham** and family and Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Hahn spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.

**F. M. Johnson** spent Sunday with Mrs. J. at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Oberlin, in Belding.

**There are a good many reasons** why you should get your order in at once for your Chevrolet car. McQueen Motor Co.

**The funeral service** for the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Chase was held at the home of Mrs. Mitchell Wednesday afternoon, Rev. H. H. Harris officiating; burial at Oakwood cemetery.

**Mrs. Clayton Gunn** spent Friday in Grand Rapids and called on Mrs. Mary Bathbone, who is in the hospital, having had a fall which left her helpless. Mr. and Mrs. Gunn went down Monday also.

**Mrs. G. W. Rouse** returned last Thursday from her winter's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Libbie Tappin, in Montpelier, Vermont. She spent the week-end with her son, Frank Trednick, in Grand Rapids.

**Gust Jarvis,** former Sugar Bowl man, who went from here to Saranac and later to Belding, where he went into business with Mr. Ball (former Strand theater manager) has left Belding, whereabouts to Mr. Ball unknown.

**Mr. and Mrs. Bert Willette** entertained the 500 club at their home in South Lowell St. Patrick's night. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Willette and daughter Doris of Alto and Mr. and Mrs. Edson Grant of Elmdale.

**Now is the time** to paint up the old bus. Kwick Work Auto Enamel is the best we have ever sold. Ford's Hardware.

**Our old friend, J. E. Tinkler,** now of Belding, continues in a fairly comfortable condition, getting about town quite easily, but is unable to work. He misses his old Lowell friends and some times thinks he would like a little home here again.

**It's coming! What? Ozarka.** adv Bun Perrin of Sunfield was in town Monday.

**Mrs. Harvey Avery** spent Monday in Grand Rapids.

**See the Ford Garage** for bargains in used Ford cars.

**Mrs. Gain Bangs, Sr.,** has been sick in bed for over two weeks.

**Rev. E. B. Oehrn** and family are moving to East Lansing this week.

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**C. H. Runciman** announces, with a smile of contentment, that his days "on the road" will terminate about April first, after which time he will devote himself again to his Lowell business interests and the joys of home life. Welcome home, "Honey."

**Mrs. F. N. White** returned Tuesday noon from a visit with her daughter in Detroit. Miss White slipped on the ice and broke an arm about five weeks ago and was in a hospital for three weeks. Will return to her school duties next week with the arm in a sling.

**Harry H. Strong,** Lowell trucker, was fined \$25 and costs and sentenced to five weeks ago and was in a hospital for three weeks. Will return to her school duties next week with the arm in a sling.

**Sheriff Smith** was in town last Friday looking after his fences. Petitions for his re-nominations are being liberally signed, indicating that he found them in pretty good shape. Many people feel that he has done his duty at least as well as his recent predecessors in office and believe in letting well enough alone until they can do better.

**For Sale—Brand New Underwood** No. 5 typewriter, cost \$100.00. Will be sold cheap. Atkins Motor Sales Co., Ford Garage, Lowell.

**The Girl Scout Troop No. 11** met at Eithel Anderson's home Monday evening for a backwards party. On entering the house, farewells were given and ice cream and cake were immediately served. The Girl Scout treasury was enriched by fines which were collected for failure to do everything backwards. Plans were made for a box social which is to be given in the near future.

**March 13, Mrs. Charles McIntyre** and Mrs. George Lee entertained at the McIntyre home, a company of girls and boys and their teachers in a joint birthday celebration of Eldon McIntyre, Bernice Lee and Dorothy Kellogg, who were each eleven years old. Misses Crouch, Sowers and Moody had charge of the game. Ice cream, cake and candy were served, many pretty gifts were received by the trio.

**David D. Oliver,** a member of a surveying party, passed through Grand Rapids in 1858. Oliver published a history of Alpena county in 1876 and, in describing the travels of the surveyors, mentioned Grand Rapids as follows: "From Ionia to Grand Rapids we traveled over a possible road and saw some settlements at long intervals. We halted at Grand Rapids a short time to purchase provisions and other articles needed, as this was the last village we would see for many months. Grand Rapids had the appearance of a growing village, with apparently 1,200 or 1,500 inhabitants. It had water communication by boats on Grand river with Grand Haven, a bank, a sawmill and two painted buildings which were used as stores. It was the center of considerable trade in general merchandise and poultry—A. S. White in Grand Rapids Press.

**I. O. O. F., Attention!** Social Evening Tuesday, March 25, 1924. Come and bring a friend. Program, Card Games and a Good Feed. Est. Com.

**Mr. B. A. Charles** was in Grand Rapids Monday.

**New patterns in volleys,** 40-inch. Warner & Scott.

**O. J. Yelter** has recovered from an attack of the mumps.

**Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hughes** spent Friday in Grand Rapids.

**The Blue Birds** met with Phyllis Weeks Tuesday evening at the home of Clyde Koepel visited his cousin, Mrs. F. J. Hovey, last week.

**First class vulcanizing** at Pete's Filling station. P. Mulder.

**Harry Karrel** of Grand Rapids was a Lowell caller over Sunday.

**Edwin Fallas** is expected home from the West any time now.

**Alma Burdick** is working at the Herpolsheimer store, Grand Rapids.

**Radiators repaired** at Gould's Garage. All work guaranteed. adv 47

**Mrs. J. Roberts** drove a new Dodge engine car through from Detroit Friday.

**Bruce McQueen, Albert Woodhead** and Harold Yelter were in Flint Monday after Chevrolet cars.

**The quarterly meeting** of the Ladies Aid of the Congregational church was held at Mrs. H. J. Coons Wednesday afternoon.

**Harold Weeks** is planning on building a new house on the corner lot just east of A. G. Peckham's. The Hammer house will be moved to the adjoining lot to the north.

**Spring is Just Around the Corner** Get your clothes cleaned, pressed, dyed and repaired now. Then they will be ready to wear when you want them.

**SUITS and TOPCOATS** Made to Your Measure from \$27.00 Up 300 fabrics to choose from at \$31.50.

**LOWELL CLEANING and DYEING WORKS** D. S. SIMON, Prop. Opposite Post Office. Let Simon Siminize Your Clothes.

**DOINGS OF THE LOWELL SCHOOL** (Continued from first page)

Friday night, the Grand Rapids Central second team came to play our first team. The Lowell boys, being somewhat tired from the game the night before, did not show the pep they usually do. The Central lads were big and rangy, playing over the heads of our smaller boys. They were able to get a 16-14 lead during the last quarter of the game. The Lowell boys again showed that old fighting spirit and began to really play, working the ball through Central's defense with short quick passes. Fogaus, Schneider and Weekes, playing like mad, soon had the game safe by annexing 13 more points in about five minutes while the Grand Rapids boys were making a single field goal. Lewis and Finels again deserve much credit for breaking up Central's passing which was excellent.

The Lowell seconds easily defeated Lee St. High school by a 33-11 score. This team defeated our second by 12-11 score on its floor. Kiel and Maxon worked like veterans in getting the ball down the floor, while Henry showed he had the making of a great guard. Our second team plays Lee St. again in the Junior tournament at Grand Rapids next Friday while the first team goes to Mount Pleasant to participate in the sectional tournament.

The local girls' second team won from the Lee St. girls by a 23-10 score at the Hoag Variety store at Grand Rapids. The team did her share.

**Supt. MacVean Heads Committee.** When arrangements were made at the Kent County Institute for the annual winter tournament, Ralph J. MacVean was named chairman of the literary committee. This literary tournament is to be held in Grand Rapids, Saturday, March 23, at the Junior High school. At the same time Kent county schools will compete for honors in oratory, declamation and essay writing. The winning school is to receive a trophy cup, to be held for one year, and permanently if it won three consecutive years.

Thursday night, March 20, at eight o'clock, patrons of the school are invited to attend the annual declamation contest which will be staged in the Junior High school. At the same time the following people will compete for first place in declamation: Mildred Austin—"The Indian to the White Man." Esther Bierl—"Spartacus to the Gladiator." Marion Brown—"Toussaint L'Ouverture." Erna Buck—"Wilson's Inaugural Address." Virginia Davis—"The Future of the South." Cora Foster—"A Plea for Cuba." Anna Howard—"Regulus to the Roman Senate." Doris Hiscutt—"Spartacus to the Gladiators." Lillian Koopman—"Toussaint L'Ouverture." Evangeline Kropf—"Spartacus to the Gladiators." Hildegard Link—"Toussaint L'Ouverture." Howard Peckham—"Hannibal to the Carthaginians." Lucille Visser—"The Rider of the Black Horse."

Lowell's delegate will represent us at the county meet in Grand Rapids Saturday. At the same time, Elsie Johnson will represent us in oratory. These same people will represent Lowell at the sub-district state contest to be held at Ionia early in April.

You will be interested in hearing these students in declamations this week Thursday evening. An admission of 10c and 25c will be charged to help defray expenses of our public speaking activities. Eight o'clock prompt at the High school.

**SHORT NOTICE AUCTION—SATURDAY, MARCH 22, ONE P. M.** See Michael Myckowick's auction adv elsewhere in this paper. Mike should have had the adv. in last week's paper and we are giving you this extra hunch to hurry up or you'll miss it. Full details in adv. Here's another: See Wellington Herzy's auction adv on Alto page—line of registers, Jersey and lot of other things. The adv tells all. This is near Caledonia. That live wire—N. C. Thomas brought it in.

and here's an old slaming big one from just east of Grand Rapids. How come Mr. Willemsen advertises in The Lowell Ledger and Alto Solo? They're finding out about our big circulation and its splendid lot of public speaking activities. Eight o'clock prompt at the High school.

**KYRA IS COMING!!!** Behold the famous bathing scenes! See the French, Spanish, Bohemian models!!! See what happens to women who talk about their husbands!!! Gaze for the last time upon the \$150.000 pearl necklace. Where? At the Million Dollar Style show at Congregational Parish house April 21.

The South Lowell Ladies Aid society will meet with Mr. Frank Freeman of South Boston Thursday, March 27. Everybody invited.

**USED CARS AT A BARGAIN** Chevrolet Coupe, 1923 Chevrolet Coupe, 1923 Chevrolet Touring, 1922 Chevrolet Touring, 1922 Ford Sedan, 1922 Ford Touring, 1922 Ford Touring, 1922 Ford Touring, 1922 McQUEEN MOTOR CO

**IN MEMORIAM** In loving memory of my dear mother, Mrs. Adaline G. White, who died Mar. 21, 1923. (One long year has passed dear mother, since you left this world of care. How I've missed, sadly missed you. At home at Aid and everywhere. Fannie Coons.

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<b>Sauer Kraut Large Can</b> ..... <b>13c</b>	<b>Salmon Red Alaska</b> Can..... <b>25c</b>
<b>Hominy VanCamp's Large Can</b> ..... <b>10c</b>	<b>Snow Drift Shortening</b> 1 lb. Can 23c 2 lb. Can 45c
<b>Spinach Large Can</b> ..... <b>18c</b>	<b>Toilet Paper Northern Tissue</b> 3 Rolls..... <b>25c</b>
<b>Beans Cut Green Can</b> ..... <b>14c</b>	<b>Shredded Wheat,</b> <b>11c</b>

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A full line of Trees, Plants and Ornamental Stock for spring planting. Save agent's commission of 20 to 25 per cent by buying direct from the Husted Nursery Co. A card brings our catalogue.

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Try Our **BLUE BIRD COFFEE** 3 Lbs. for \$1.00, or 3 Lbs. and a Splendid Shopping Bag for \$1.25.

## Borgerson's Grocery

Phone 75. We Deliver

Ralph Hughes spent the week-end with Lowell relatives.

When you think of storage batteries, think of Gould's storage. adv

Born, March 19, to Mr. and Mrs. McQueen Merrill, a 10-lb. daughter.

Mrs. Frank Bennett of Portland spent Thursday at the home of Joe Guent and family.

Mrs. F. M. Johnson returned Wednesday evening from a week's visit with her daughter's family in Belding.

Fred Charles, who has been "under the weather" for about six weeks, is improving slowly and was able to get down to the shop Tuesday.

**HERE'S WHERE WE HIT 'EM HARD.** YPSILANTI REED FURNITURE CO. Ionia, Michigan. March 12, 1924.

Friend Johnson: Was glad to know your exact position in the newspaper world, and I shall not forget that you are hitting them five times as hard when you hit through the Lowell Ledger. Sincerely yours, Fred W. Green.

Morris Peckham gave a party Tuesday night. The young people first attended the basket ball game and Strand theater and then went to his home for refreshments.

**Our Motto: Service and Quality**

Select your Sunday dinner from a choice stock of Beef, Pork, Veal, Lamb, Chicken

**Sevens Creamery Butter, per lb. 45c**

Choice Pans.....15c to 17c	Cook's Mince Meat, pkg. 10c
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Large can Peas.....30c	Dill Pickles.....4 for 10c
Large can Tomatoes.....30c	Pure Lard per lb.....18c
Small can Tomatoes.....15c	Bertch Coffee per lb.....30c
Onion rings.....15c	Sausages, can.....18c, 20c, 30c
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