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and THE ALTO SOLO

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Save for a definite purpose. Start now and save systematically for the things you have always wished for—a business, a home, a vacation, more insurance, or other things nearest to your heart. Saving will help you realize your hopes.

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Lowell, Michigan

24 1/2 lbs. Pure Gold Flour	\$1.23
7 lbs. Bulk Oats	25c
3 cans Campbell's Beans, 25c	12c
French's Mustard	25c
3 pkg. Argo Starch	25c
Shredded Wheat 11c	Pet Milk 11c
1 pkg. Post's Bran	25c
10 bars P & G Soap	42c
Jello, all kinds	10c
6 boxes Matches	25c
2 cans Corn, Peas or Tomatoes	25c
10 lbs. Sugar	49c
with \$2.00 order	

## Special DeLuxe ICE CREAM

A delicious treat praised by many who have tried it. They all say

**"It Tastes Like More"**

If you want something extra good, try DeLuxe

**MOTHER'S DAY, MAY 9**

Remember her not only flowers but get her a nice box of delicious candies at

### LASBY'S PLACE

Home of Sweet Treats

## SPRING! SPRING!

Springtime is house-cleaning time, and house-cleaning calls for something from the drug store. Here is a partial list of articles, some of which you are sure to need.

Wall Paper  
Window Curtains  
Wall Paper Cleaner  
Shell Papers  
Shelf Papers  
Sponges  
Chamois  
Etc.

Sherwin-Williams  
Paints and Varnishes  
Paint Brushes  
Furniture Polish  
Metal Polish  
Whisk Brooms  
Etc.

### WINEGAR & HARTMAN

### KENT RESIDENT FOR 82 YEARS

#### MRS. MARGARET McMAHON'S LONG LIFE CLOSED. MRS. ALICE BROWN RESTS IN ALTON.

Mrs. Margaret McMahon, a well-known and highly respected pioneer resident of Kent county, died Tuesday morning, May 4, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Lalley in Lowell, aged 84 years. Funeral services were held this Thursday morning at 9 o'clock, at St. Mary's church, Lowell. Burial in Parnell cemetery.

Mrs. Margaret (Byrnes) McMahon was born in Ypsilanti, Michigan, January 1, 1842.

She came to Kent county about two years later with her parents, settling in Vergennes. She taught in the public schools of Kent county before her marriage to Owen McMahon, February 5, 1862.

She came in 1888 to Lowell, where she has since been a resident.

Mr. McMahon died Oct. 4, 1889. Mrs. McMahon is survived by six children: Frank J. McMahon, Jas. L. McMahon and Mrs. J. L. Lally, of Lowell, A. E. McMahon, Charles McMahon and Mrs. P. F. Borcia, of Grand Rapids, also by eighteen grand children and four sisters, Mrs. J. S. Bergin, of Lowell, Mrs. J. E. Murphy, of Grand Rapids, Mrs. John Downes, of Vergennes, and Mrs. Owen McMahon, of Lake City.

### OBITUARY—MRS. ALICE BROWN

Mrs. Alice Brown passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Weeks in Richmond, May 1.

Mrs. Brown was born in Vergennes May 5, 1862, the daughter of Smith D., and Laura A. Godfrey. She was united in marriage to Edgar Brown in 1882, and he died four years later leaving her with three babies. She devoted her life to her children making many sacrifices that they might be provided for and properly educated.

One son, Earl E. Brown, of Owosso, and one daughter, Mrs. Fred Weeks, of Richmond, survive, the youngest child, Verna Brown Weeks having passed away eleven years ago.

Eight grandchildren also mourn the loss of a kind and loving grandmother. Besides the children and grandchildren there are left two brothers, J. H. Godfrey, of Belding, and Ernest Godfrey, of Lansing, and Mrs. E. W. English, of South Boston, celebrated.

N. P. Husted nursery making big delivery.

Fred Yeiter setting out 1,000 peach trees.

### AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY.

A well attended pot luck supper was held at the City hall Monday evening and a short business meeting afterwards. It was reported that Lowell had the honor of being the first one to contribute to the Mother's day fund at Battle Creek. The veterans in each hospital are remembered with little gifts on holidays and on Mother's day each with a small bouquet of flowers in memory of his Mother.

The poppies have arrived for Memorial day and plans were outlined by the president. Won't each member of the Auxiliary see that she sells at least ten? Some are to be given out until the Thursday before Memorial day, when Mrs. Shivel will be at the King Milling Co. office with the supply. And none are to be sold by children, but by Auxiliary members only.

A film reminder of the poppies' message has been ordered by Legion and Auxiliary and will be shown by Mr. Golliver.

### COMING—"OH! SUSANNAH" THE JUNIOR PLAY.

Imagine yourself a struggling young doctor, who has never had a patient, having a maiden aunt whom you have never seen, and of whom you have no idea, except what you've gained from one picture taken years before, and who has written you that she is intending to help you financially and visit you soon. This imagine your best friend's discovering that you are expecting your aunt, planning to dress as she in her picture is dressed, and you finding out through your faithful maid of this plot to make you the butt of a practical joke. Imagine further the arrival of your real aunt, who is, as you wrongly suppose, your best friend. What would you do to "him"? Probably what Dr. Jack Sheppard did—treat "him" outrageously—pelt him "his" hair—"Oh! it is struck on light!"—tell "him" "No one but a lunatic would take you for a lady"—heap outrage after outrage upon "him," culminating in giving him "the water cure," which in common parlance is merely a splash in a bathtub full of water! Then imagine your emotions on discovering that all these outrages you have perpetrated against your own aunt, while all the time you have been attempting to entertain and impress one, who, after all, is not your aunt but only that pesky friend of yours! Oh, you say, Susannah would understand all right if Jack would explain—but, really, she is so irate she won't listen to him—would you if you were in her place? Hardly!

Besides this there is also a thread of romance, which is almost as complicated as that of the Aunt and "water cure." Three girls are after the "dear doctor" who tells himself that he can't commit bigamy. Come and see how the tangled is straightened out or whether it is straightened at all. Don't forget the dates: May 20 and 21 at the City Hall—"The Home of a thousand Laughs."

### LEGION DOINGS.

Good turn out Monday night. Most of the boys enjoyed the pot-luck supper with the Auxiliary before the meeting.

A box of German war trophies received last week added to the interest of the meeting.

Commander Chaffee, James C. Scott and Dr. H. P. Golliver were chosen as committee for Memorial day.

William Doyle chairman of Dance committee has been having the big and was unable to attend. His assistants reported everything all set for the party Thursday night.

Commander Chaffee and three townsmen will be judges of the Parlor's Plus Good contest. Forty-five boys and girls have submitted essays, the best three of which will receive prizes of \$10.00, \$5.00, and \$2.50.

Newest Gingham and chambray at Weekes.

Born, Friday, April 30, to Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Bult, a 7 1/2 pt. daughter, Clara Mae.

Latest rayon print silk dresses, \$5.50 at Weekes.

### SAVINGS AND DOINGS OF LOWELL PEOPLE ACTIVE HERE IN YEARS GONE BY. MEMBER WHEN?

Thirty Years Ago, April 17, to May 1, 1896.

Queen Esther cantata produced by local talent at Music hall.

James Barrett house burned.

Jack Walsh died.

George J. Story died in South Boston.

Woolman lodge organized. Officers: D. A. Houser, B. C. Smith, J. Anderson, Roy Perce, W. E. Broad, J. D. Frost, C. B. Franchini, Will Flynn, George Lewis, J. W. Broadbent, C. W. Parks.

A. E. Cambell, dentist, opened office over Boylan's store.

Mattie Saxles had farm auction.

S. F. Edmunds, reappointed village marshal.

Freeman Winters had Fremont & Dayton badge of 1856.

Alger & Perry dissolved partnership.

Potatoes a drug on the market.

William O. Warner, McGordis, killed in runaway accident.

Jud Tinkler purchased house opposite Congregational church.

H. Aldrich building house for himself.

Joe Adams caught eight pickerel below Wisner mill. About thirty caught there the same day.

Born, daughter, to Mrs. Charles Rogers.

Capt. J. W. Weatherwax here from Washington State.

Barber & Crow, Loren and George, dissolved partnership.

Goodrich Kopf building shop on home lot.

Maurice Trumbull, of Grattan, sold 100 bushels of potatoes for \$5.00.

Obadiah Green, 88, died.

Deputy Sheriff Cowans sold 500 bushels of potatoes on chattel mortgage for \$2.00.

Lowell creamery owned by J. O. Chapin burned.

Aunt Phoebe Tinks, sister of J. C. Richmond, died.

Fourteenth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. English, of South Boston, celebrated.

N. P. Husted nursery making big delivery.

Fred Yeiter setting out 1,000 peach trees.

### PROSPECTIVE HOME-COMERS

DETROIT FRIEND SENDS LIST OF FORMER LOWELL PEOPLE IN THAT CITY WHO SHOULD BE HERE.

Below is the list of prospective Lowell Home Comers from Detroit furnished by Ethel White Roth, of that city. This is a good example for others to follow.

Just send us the names and addresses of former Lowell people whom you would like to meet at the Home-Coming. Or if you cannot furnish the address send the names. Perhaps some one can locate them for you. Mrs. Roth's list follows:

W. O. Merrill, M. D., 136 McLean.

Mrs. Hugh McKenzie, (Elba Goswell) 11320 Belleterre.

Mrs. Ralph Nixon, (Marion Hill) 2006 Collingwood.

Mrs. Martin J. Nies, (Fannie Coates) 2678 W. Grand Blvd.

Mrs. Besse Purchiss, (Besse) 12654 Roselawn.

Fremont F. Colton, 289 Marston Ave.

Mrs. H. J. Clements, (Irene Murphy) 1014 Cadillac.

Latell E. Lecker, 1309 Newport Ave.

Miss Bernice Jones, 53 Parsons.

Mrs. Harold Eddy, (Hazel Wooten) 2021 Leslie.

Jesse K. Fisher, 10335 Third Ave.

Roy W. Slyton, (Irene Hydraul) 2938 W. Euclid.

Mrs. Mayme Stone, 1984 Collingwood.

Ernie Terry, 14550 Robinson.

Chas. D. Stoeck, 388 S. Lenox.

Mrs. Ed. Terry, 2411 John R.

Miss Blanche Wood, 1981 Burlington.

Chas. A. Svenson, 5345 Lansdale.

Mrs. Paul Towar, (Mabel Layer) 15590 La Salle.

Alvah Unga, 653 Antoinette, ? 8000 3rd ?.

Mrs. Mary Delaney, 1930 Lamothe.

Arthur Blow, (Mary Scott) 1840 Pinecrest.

### LOWELL BOY WINS HONOR AT M. S. C.

Keith Himebaugh, State News Editor, To Attend Journalistic Meet.

East Lansing, May 3.—Keith Himebaugh, of Lowell, editor of the Michigan State News, official student publication at Michigan State college, has been chosen to represent the local chapter of Pi Delta Epsilon, national honorary society of journalism, at its national meeting to be held at Berkeley, Calif., Sept. 8, 9, 10.

Himebaugh is a former student of Grand Rapids, Junior college, having been editor of the college year book during the 1925-24 year. He came to Michigan State college in September, 1924, and was elected editor of the State News this fall. He is a junior in the Liberal Arts division of the college.

The Pi Delta Epsilon initiated Himebaugh with eight other students last week. All are juniors. Following the election Himebaugh was elected president of the local chapter.—Grand Rapids Press.

### OPENING NOTICE.

Beginning Saturday evening, May 8th and until further notice to the contrary, we will reopen for business Saturday evenings from 7:30 to 8:30 for the accommodation of the public.

Banking hours 8:30 a. m. to 3:30 p. m. Saturdays 8:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m., and 7:30 to 8:30 p. m.

City State Bank  
Lowell State Bank

Mr. and Mrs. Miner were Sunday visitors in Fremont.

### Strand Theatre Program

Friday and Saturday, May 7 and 8

**A BIG SPECIAL ATTRACTION**

**"THE MERRY WIDOW"**

With MAY MURRAY as the widow and JACK GILBERT as the prince, from the famous stage play.

And A TWO-REEL COMEDY

Admission: Saturday Matinee 2:30, 10c and 20c; Evening 15c and 35c

Sunday, May 9

RALPH LEWIS in

**"ONE OF THE BRAVEST"**

Also Alverta Vaughn, Al Cooke and Kid Guard in

**"THE ADVENTURES OF MAZIE"**

Admission: 15c and 25c

Tuesday and Wednesday, May 11 and 12

DOUGLAS McLEAN in

**"SEVEN KEYS TO BALDPATE"**

One of the greatest pictures you ever saw

ALSO A TWO-REEL COMEDY

**"Galloping Bungalows"**

Admission 15c and 25c

Thursday, May 13

CONSTANCE TALMADGE in

**"HER SISTER FROM PARIS"**

ALSO A TWO-REEL COMEDY

**"Air Tight"**

Also "CASEY OF THE COAST GUARD"

Admission 15c and 25c

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We Need You

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### Lowell Building & Loan Association

D. S. Simon President Safety and 7% H. L. Shuter Secretary

### "THE TOLL OF TIME"

BY ONE OF THE BOYS OF THE '80'S. INSPIRED BY LOWELL HOME-COMING TALK. MORE WANTED.

A Stranger? Why yes—I'm a stranger—That's clear. \* Since I left, it seems ages ago— It's the first chance I've had to visit back here.

For forty-odd years or so, You know how things are—we can't always do. We can plan—but we can't always go.

Each year I've really intended To come back for a day or so. I expected it all as it used to be. When I was a boy—strange, but true, It seems mighty queer I didn't see— That changes would come here too. I was told that auto urbans went through the town, And that no one now rode on the train.

But I did—I wanted to be set down At the same old depot again. I thought of the buses—with scroll work so gay, Their rattle, folks didn't mind— And how we boys pretended—we'd work through the way.

When we'd rode on the steps behind, And pondering such thoughts, as I walked to Main street, It's only a half mile or so— I felt kind of homesick—I felt kind of lonely.

I felt kind of lost you know, 'Twas really the first time I'd given a thought To the years that to me had been kind.

The ravage of Time—and what it does to hearts, Was beginning to dawn on my mind. And when I inquired about those I had known— My heart grew as heavy as lead; As name after name—in an undertone Brought forth the same answer— "S. S. S. S. S."

There were so many folks to inquire about; I wanted all news I could get. And I'd made up my mind to visit it out— With the first old acquaintance I met.

So much had I wanted to see—and hear So many things while I stayed, But I guess most of all—was to stand up near To the drum—while the old band played.

You may think that queer for one of my age, But there's one thing you shouldn't forget— In those days the band was a pretty sure gage Of the enterprise back of it. We always felt proud to see our boys march.

As we knew they'd fill any demand, It was easy to judge—if you wanted to know.

The class of a Town, by its Band. The old points of interest, I was anxious to see— The old jail, engine houses—with it's bell, All those memories were sacred to me. But they too, were gone as well.

I remember those times when the old fire bell— Would rattle and out in the night; Excitement ran high, as we hustled pell-mell— To man the old pumps—for the fight.

A barn burned one night—'twas after a dance— The glow on the sky had grown bright— When I found the night-watch—it took but a glance To see that my sunrise was right— So we cried no alarm—I ran to the bell.

While he hustled the hosecart about, And got a stream started—just as the roof fell; Then I rang, and the whole town turned out.

That secret was mine, he knew it would keep; Such secrets would always grow old.

Not a soul ever knew I found him asleep— You've the first one that's ever been told.

And I've mentioned no name—that will never be told, It was one thing he never confessed; And I'll shield him today—for reasons two-fold— I found when he laid—with the rest.

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That's but one of the incidents I often recall Of my boyhood days in this town; There were always things doing— a good time for all; And you can't keep a place like that down.

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### LOWELL TEACHERS ENGAGED.

While the staff of teachers for the Lowell schools for the 1926-7 year is not yet completed, engagement of the following is announced:

W. W. Gamser, superintendent. Mr. Finch, principal Senior high.

Miss Jennie McGuire, Mathematics

Miss Ethace Buchanan, English, Public Speaking.

Miss Mary Williams, French, History.

Miss Margaret Critchett, Commercial.

Miss Bernice Kammeraad, Principal Junior High.

Miss Mary Peters, Social Science, Spelling.

Miss Kathryn Everett, Mathematics.

Miss Lucy Moody, grade 5.

Miss Lucy Van Anrooy, grade 6.

Miss Dora Bangs, Kindergarten.

Miss Lois Krieger, grades 3 and 4, East Ward.

Miss Francis Sydnam, grades 1 and 2, East ward.

Miss Katherine Perry, Miss Marion Bushnell, West Ward.

Miss Alice Eastman, South Ward.

### BARGAINS IN USED CARS.

A No. 1 Ford Roadster, Ford Coupe, Ford Two-door Sedan, Star Touring, 2 Chevrolets, 2 Dodge Tourings, 3 Ford Tourings.

Be-conditioned and prices right. LOWELL AUTO SALES CO.

Latest apron frack \$1.19, \$1.98, \$3.00. Fast colors at Weekes' adv.

### NEW BEAUTY IN WALL PAPERS

Housewives---as you make plans for your spring re-papering---we want you to come down to our store and see the wonderful selections of new patterns we have to offer. The very latest---in a wealth of designs and color combinations are here.

The Best Selection in Town!

### LOOK'S DRUG STORE

One of the 10,000 Rexall Drug Stores.

### Remember Mother May 9

With Silverware of quality and beauty. Our stock of Community Plate, 1847 Roger Bros., Glastonburg and other guaranteed lines is exceptionally attractive at this time.

What would "Mother" appreciate more than the addition of silver? See our window for suggestions.

### R. D. Stocking

Your Jeweler

### DO BE MORE

IF YOU do not add something to your bank account today, the day is lost and will not be of any help to you tomorrow.

ALSO maintaining a bank account tends to prevent you getting into debt.

It helps you mentally and morally.

### Lowell State Bank

Lowell, Michigan.

Open Saturday evenings from 7:30 to 8:30

### MONUMENTS

The best variety of GRANITE AND MARBLE MONUMENTS in Western Michigan

Workmanship and Quality of Materials absolutely guaranteed.

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Thrifty folks are buying their coal this summer and they are buying it here because they know that Quality Means Economy?

When Shall We Deliver Yours?

### C. H. Runciman

Call 34 Call 152















# PAGE 1 OF THE LOWELL LEDGER'S SPECIAL PAGE FOR WOMEN

## Something of interest and of value to everyone—Reliable Agricultural Information, Expert Radio Advice—And This Week's Sunday School Lesson.

## Interesting and up-to-date information, printed especially for our lady readers. We offer a valuable fashion service, household hints of known value, and kindred features.

### Rubber Stock in Kantan

Under the new roof in the village of Billingsworth, Kansas, are five women, all related, whose combined ages total 46. At the moment they are all active. Two of them are living by eating and drinking, and the other three are doing housework. The patriarch of the household is a man, but he is too old to do anything but the housework. His wife, however, is a young woman of 22, and she is the only one who is doing anything but the housework.

### Take Precautions in Producing Milk

**Dairymen Adding Safeguards to Protect Material from Contamination.**

Up-to-date dairymen are using the sanitary methods known for producing milk. They realize that milk is easily contaminated and are adding to the systems of production such additional safeguards as are necessary to protect this essential human food from contamination.

### Forefathers of Radio

There are nearly 1,000,000 radio sets in use in the United States, and the Department of Agriculture estimates in a report on the growth of farm radio during the past few years.

### Substitutes for Liquid Lime-Sulphur Not Good

Horticulturists and orchardists who are obliged to fight the San Jose scale on their fruit trees will find it to their advantage to stick to the liquid lime-sulphur or lime oil sprays which they have used in the past, rather than to depend on the use of "dry" substitutes.

### Human Ear Decives in Judging Volume

Few people realize the enormous range of the human ear. In pitch, it ranges from 16 vibrations per second to as high as 40,000 per second. In volume, it ranges from a whisper to a roar.

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### Improved Uniform International Sunday School Lesson

**Lesson for May 9**  
ABRAHAM AND THE KINGS

LEBON TEXT—Genesis 14:1-24. GOLDEN TEXT—In whose name are more than conquerors through Him that loved us—Rom. 8:37. PRIMARY TOPIC—Abraham Him that loved us. SECONDARY TOPIC—Abraham Rescue.

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### Bayer Aspirin Proved Safe

Take without Fear as Told in "Bayer" Package

Does not affect the Heart

Unless you see the "Bayer Cross" on packages or on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer Aspirin proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians over twenty-five years.

### Cuticura Loveliness

When America Was Young in 1789 there was no yard in Virginia that the womanly aspect of the country was not an asset to the parlor.

### Champion National Change Week

Install CHAMPIONS Now!

Thousands of thousands of modern wood-burning motor engines purchased another year by installing new Champion engines.

### Sure Relief

25¢ CLOTH

FOR INDIGESTION

FOR OVER 200 YEARS

### Household Hints

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For the Smaller Girl

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### It's easy

to get perfect walls with Alabaster. Alabaster is a dry powder which is packed in 5-pound packages, ready for use by pouring water into the container.

### save money

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### Kitchen Cabinet is Great Convenience

There is no need to demonstrate to the modern housewife the value of having most of her supplies grouped near together, so that she can prepare food with the fewest possible motions and steps.

### TO SECURE TIME FOR EXTRA TASKS

Various Odds and Ends Are Confronted at Once.

Some confusion exists in the minds of many housewives as to the difference between a kitchen cabinet and a kitchen.

### Mercurized Fabrics Now Are Strong and Durable

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### Very White Sauce Used in Serving Many Dishes

The use of the white sauce in serving such dishes as creamed potatoes, eggs, toast or vegetables, or in dressing meats and gravies.

### Some Children Need Iron

Some children need iron. Iron is usually rich in iron and is a very safe, in such cases, according to the United States Department of Agriculture.

### MODISH BLACK SATIN COATS; AIRY HATS HERALD SUMMER

The flower-trimmed hat with equal pleasure and confidence. But now styles have launched a new era, and this season makes its entry—everywhere there is awaiting it a host of new ideas of the hour and striking particularly the use of summer hats in colors and trims.

### The Kitchen Cabinet

A wall is used as my next and usually well liked. Now that the fresh milk strap is on the ground, it will be doubly enjoyable.

### The Flared Silhouette

deers, fastenings and other details that characterizes the fashionable coat of the spring season.

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### Long-Lived Family

Under the new roof in the village of Billingsworth, Kansas, are five women, all related, whose combined ages total 46.

### Advantages Clearly Shown in the Fields.

Despite the higher cost of red clover seed, the advantages of this clover are so many that it is better for use than any other.

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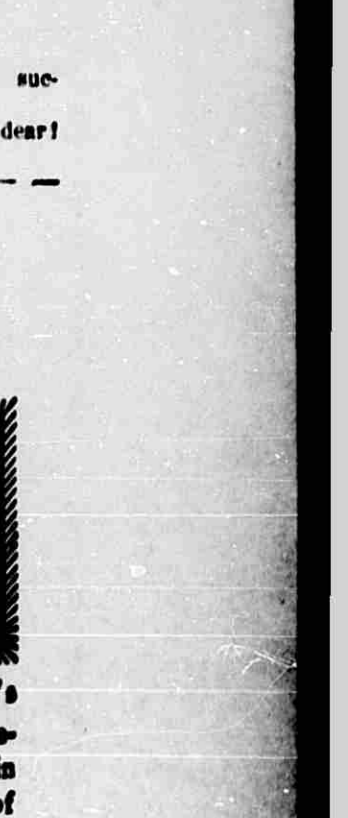
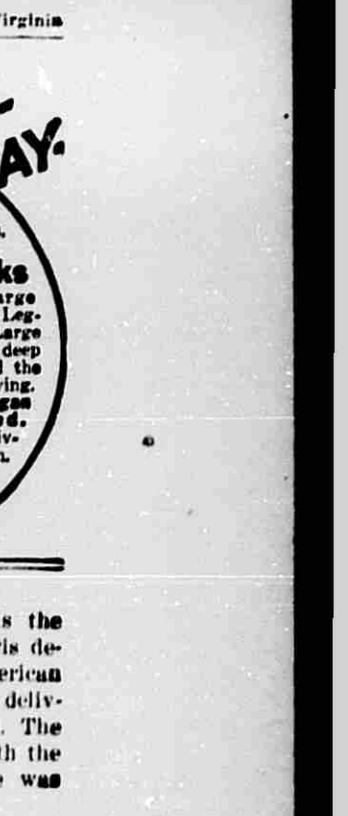
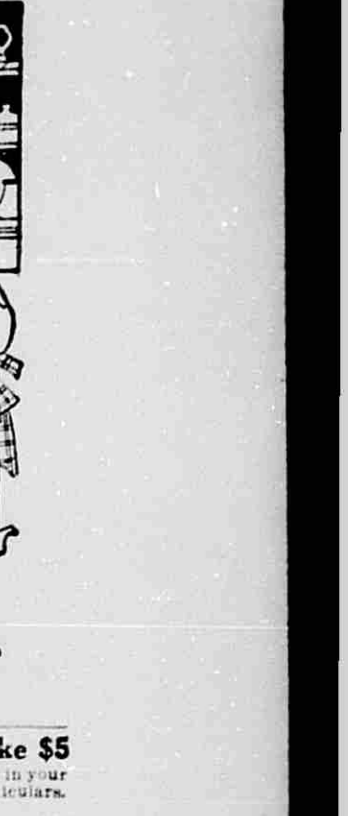
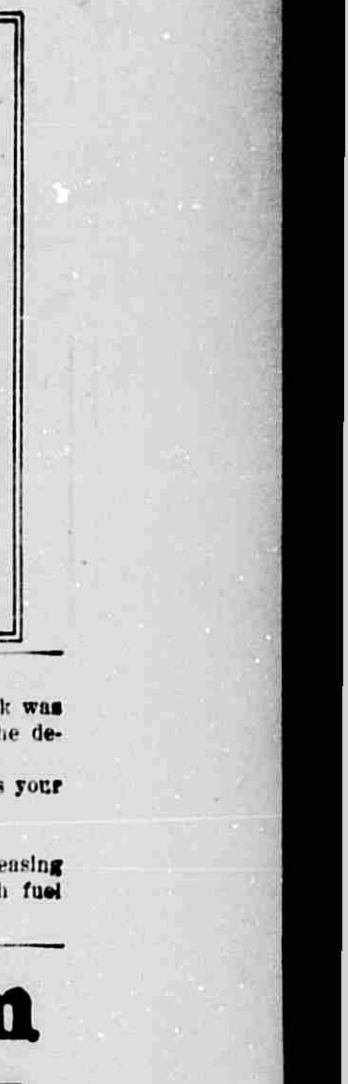
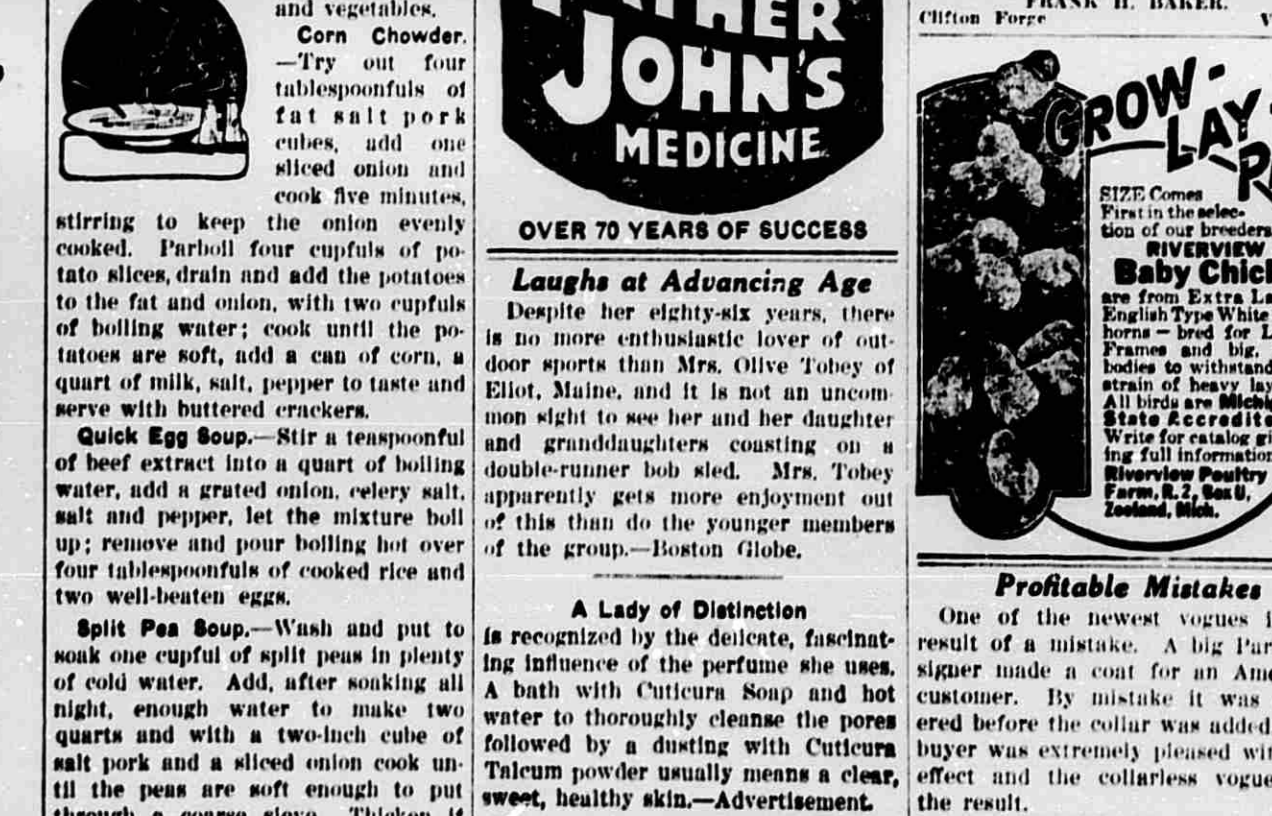
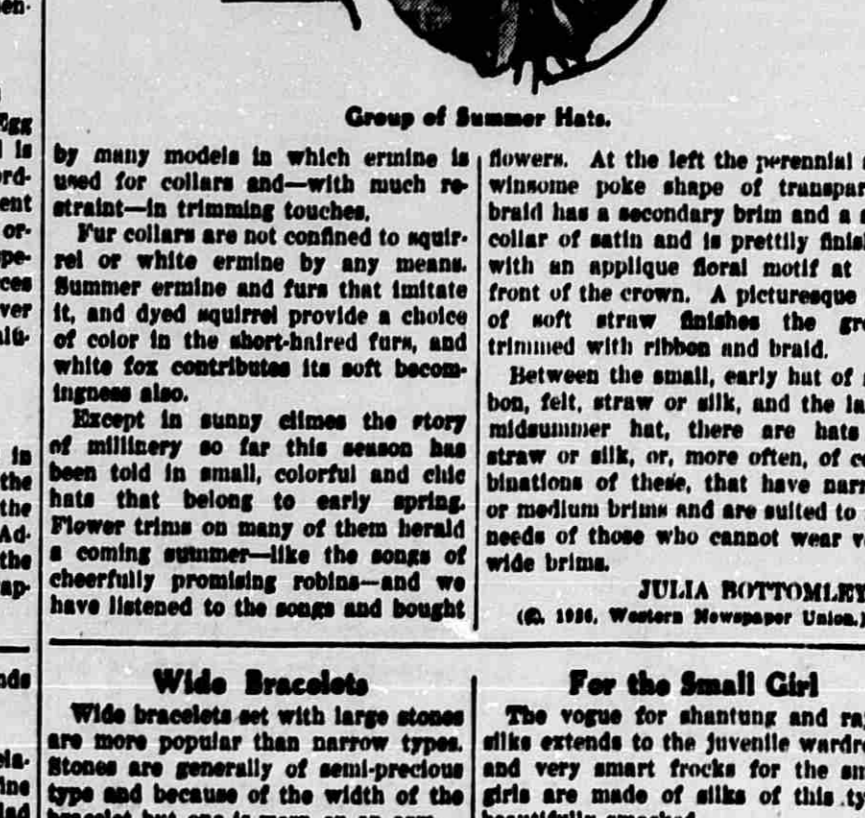
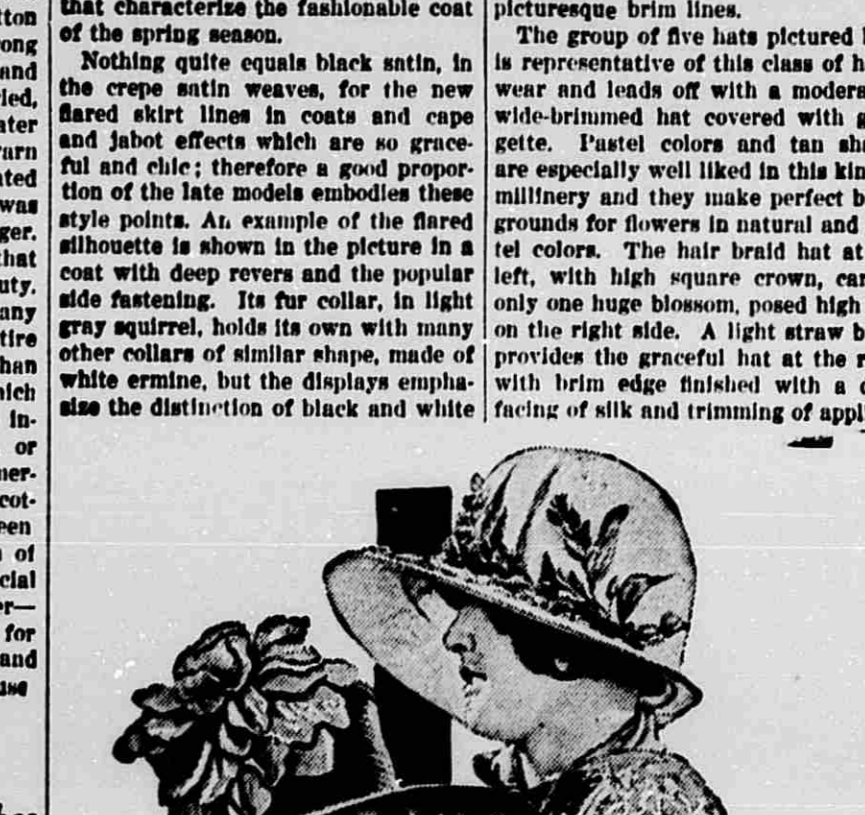
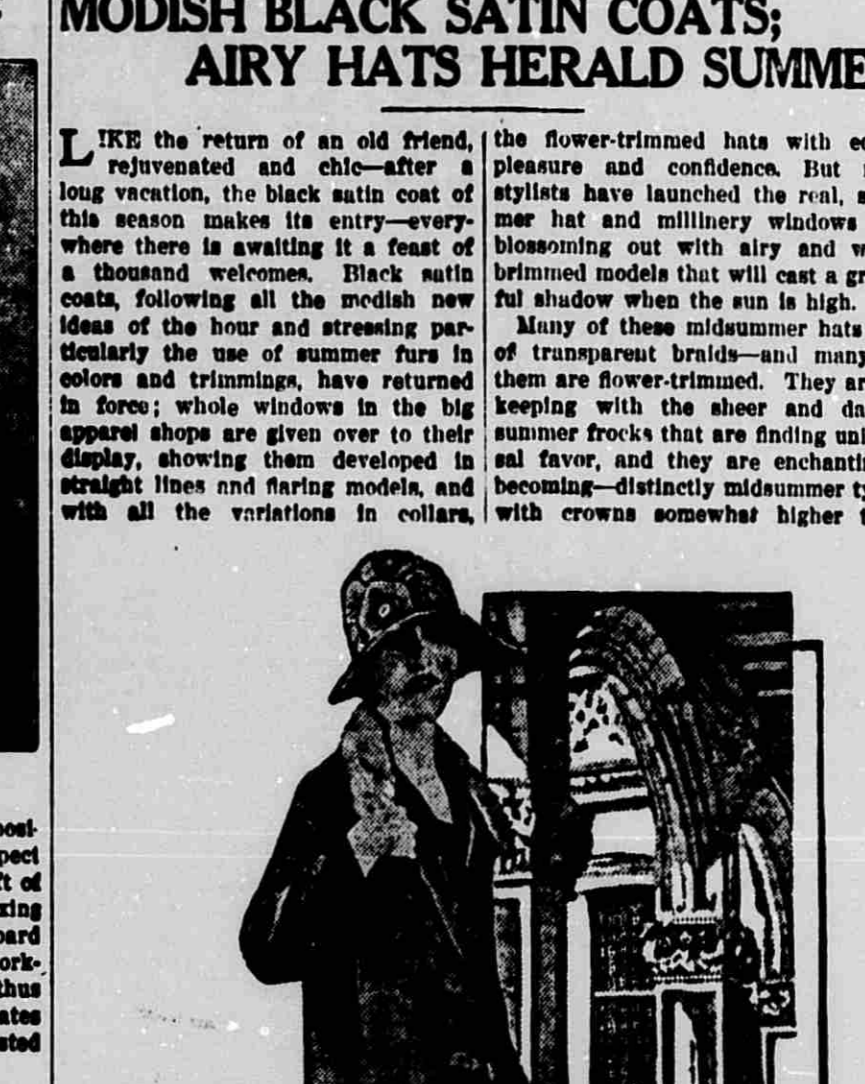
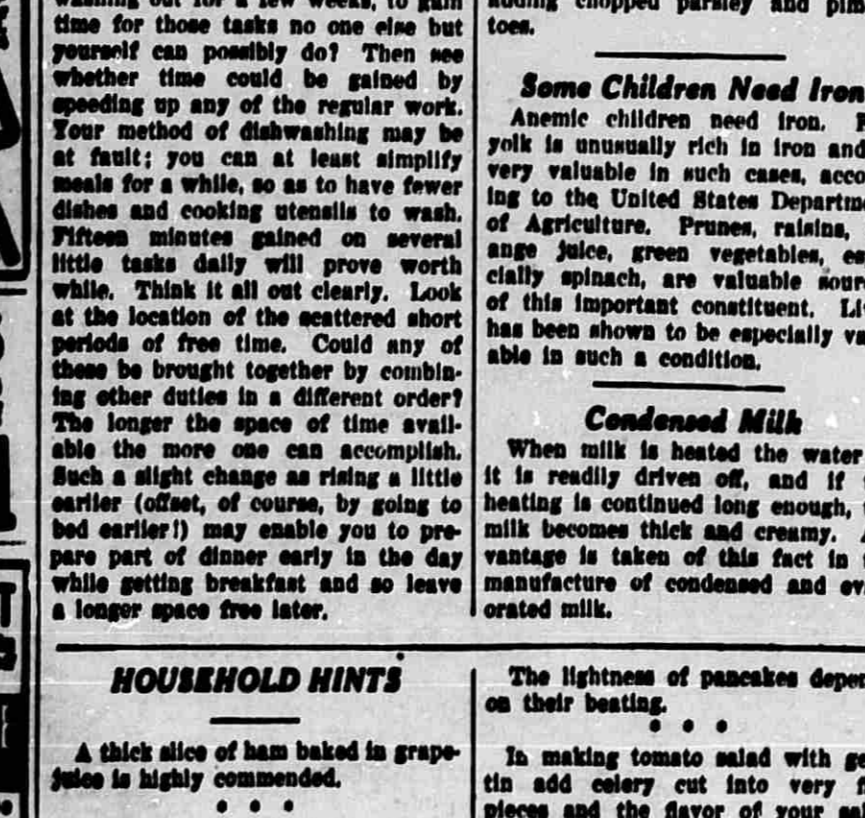
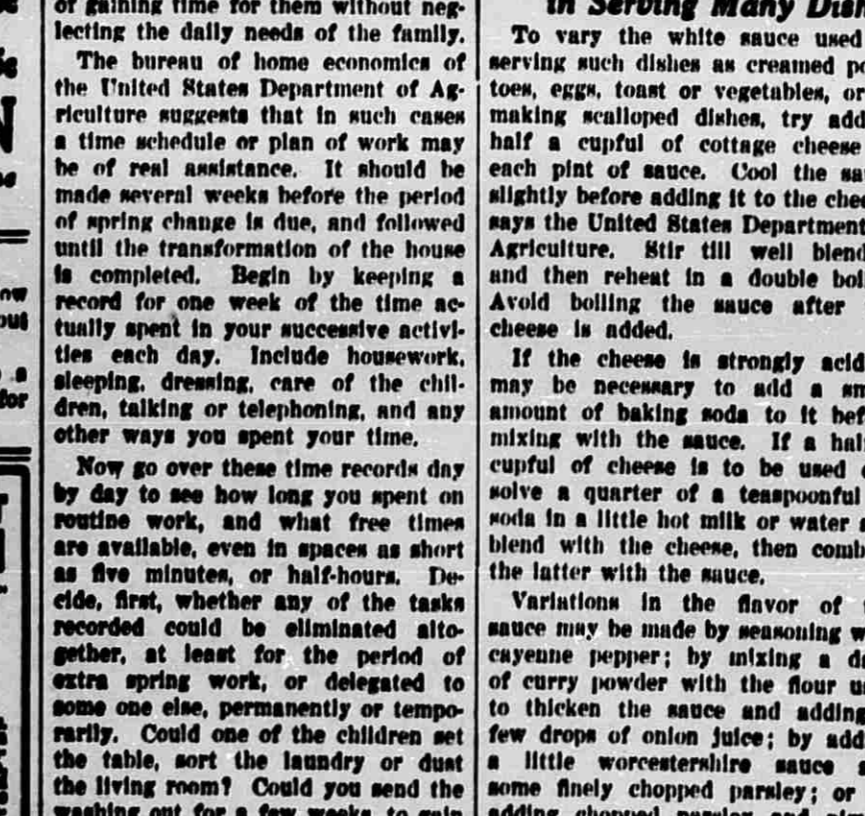
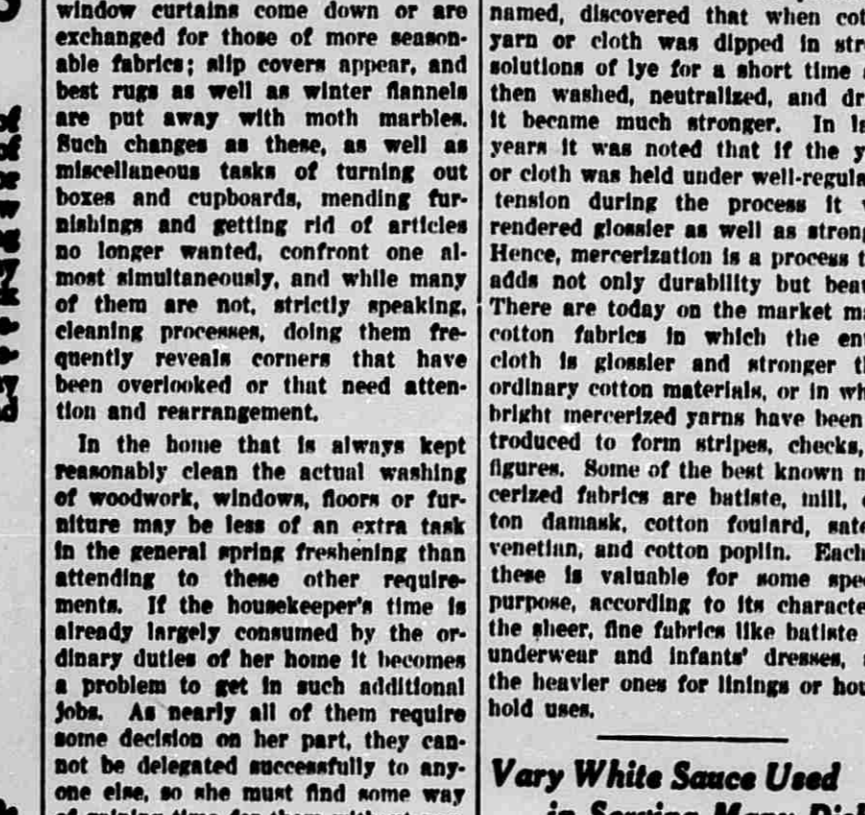
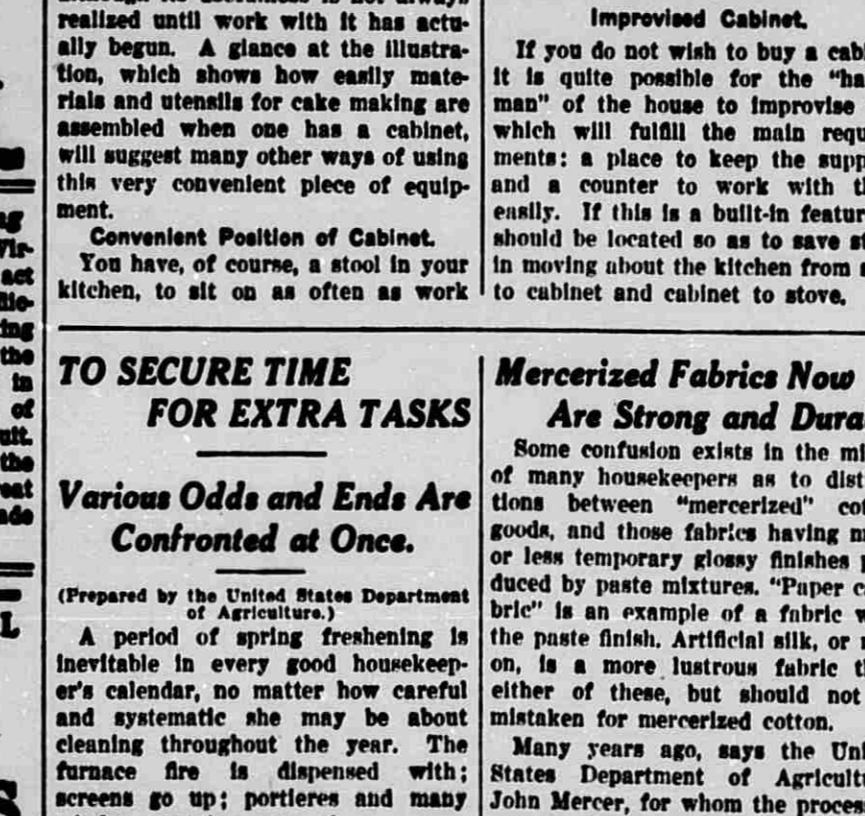
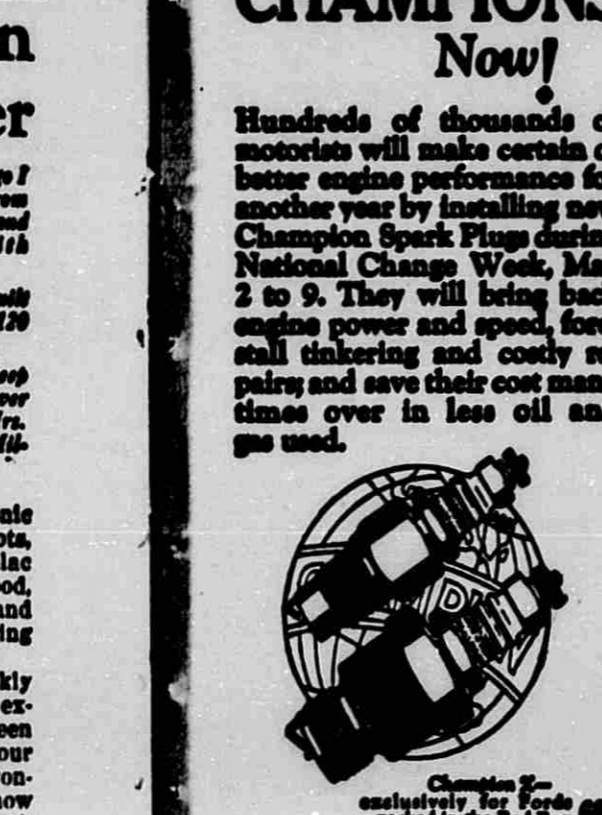
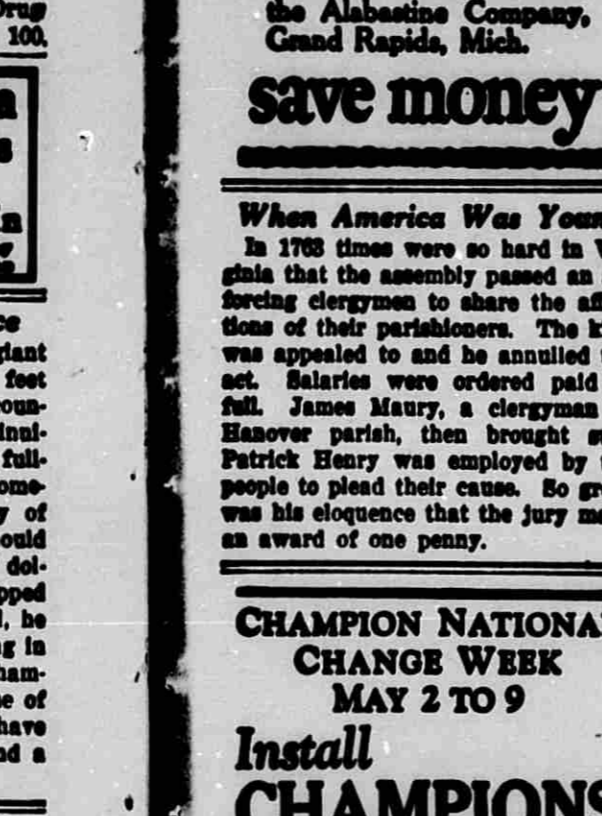
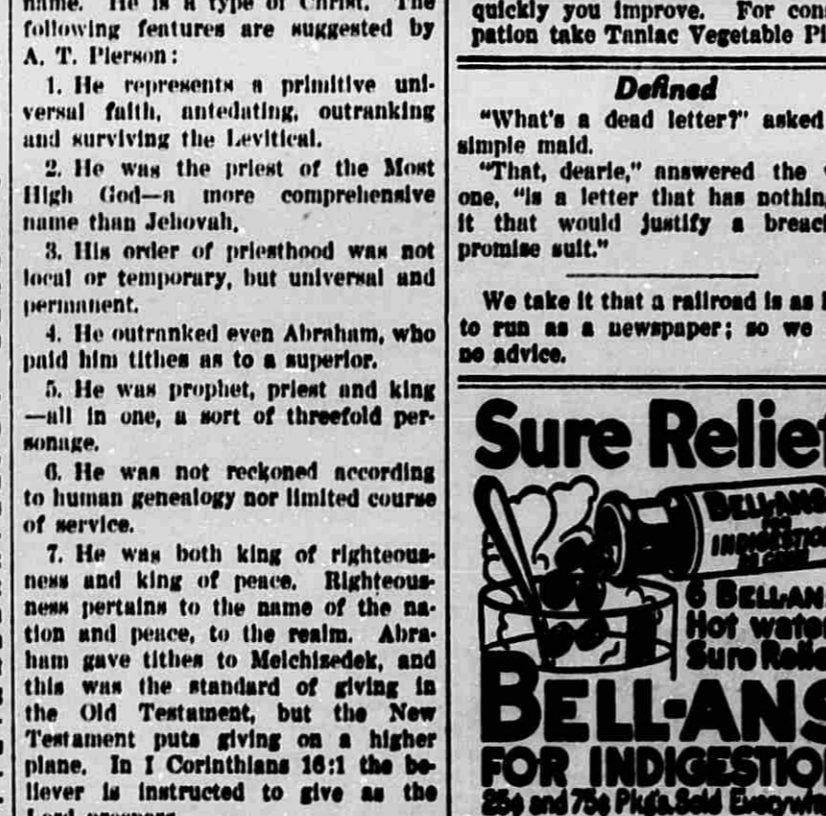
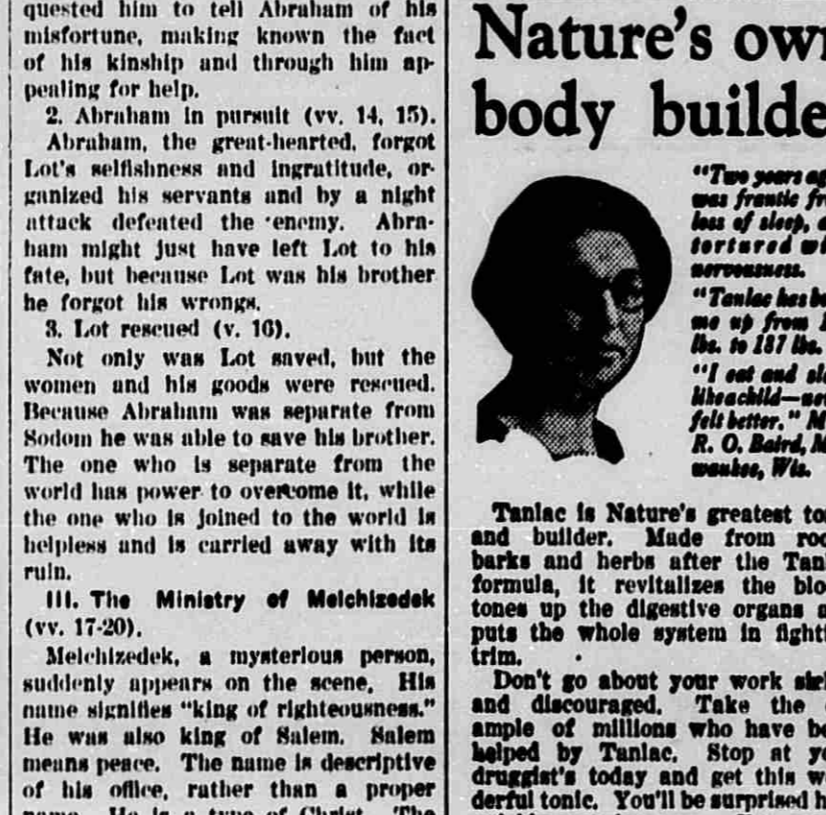
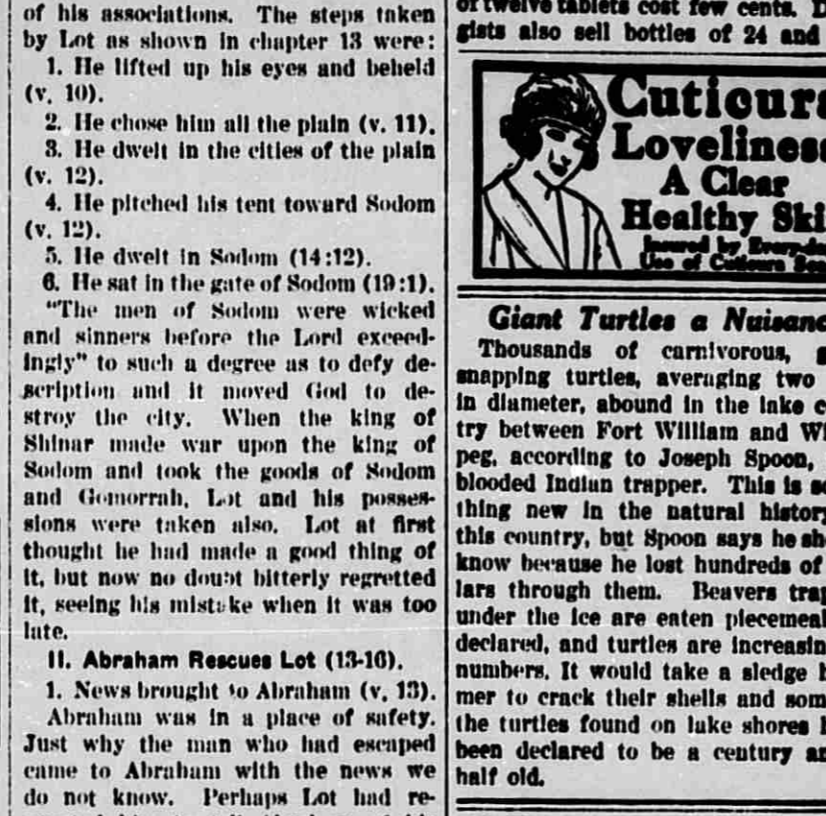
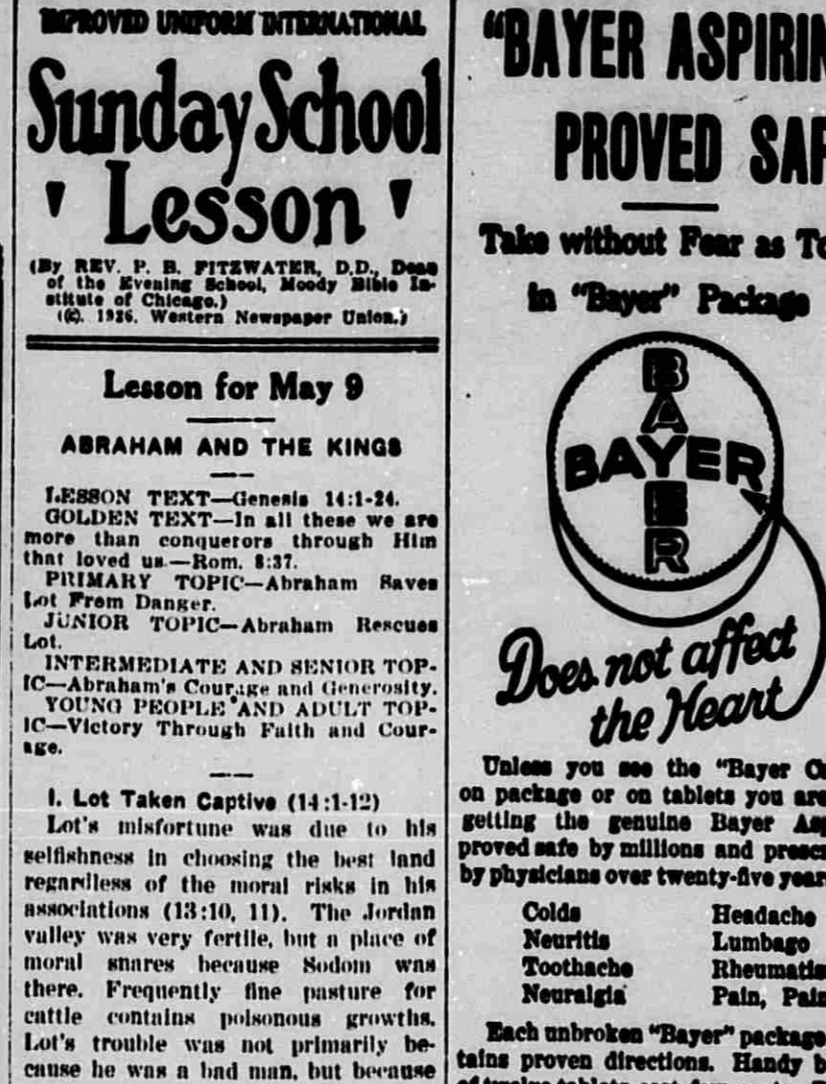
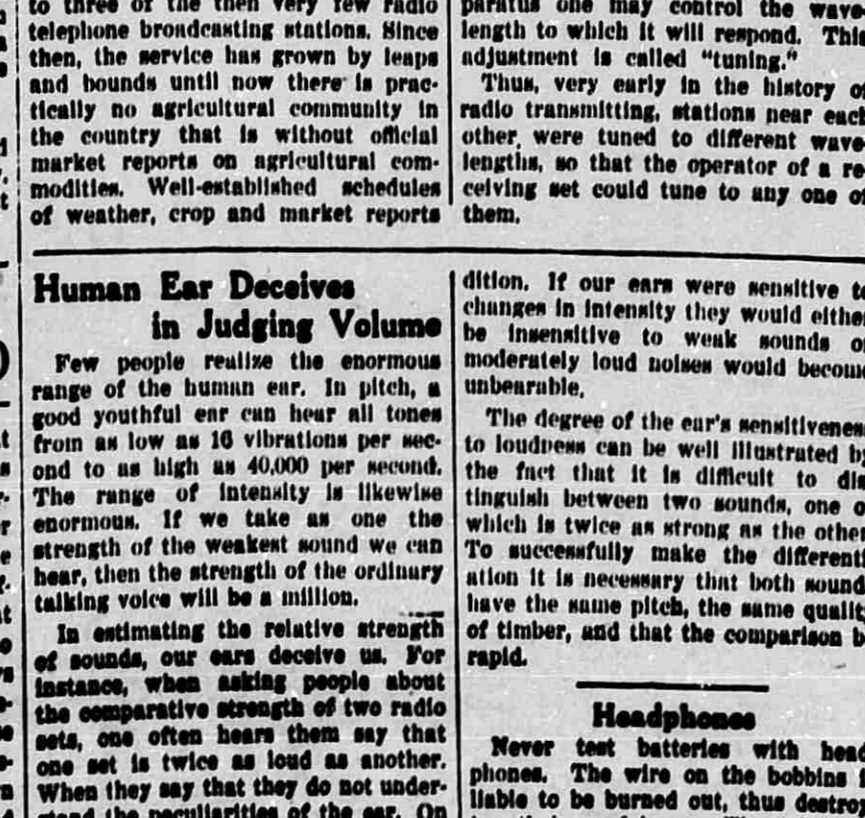
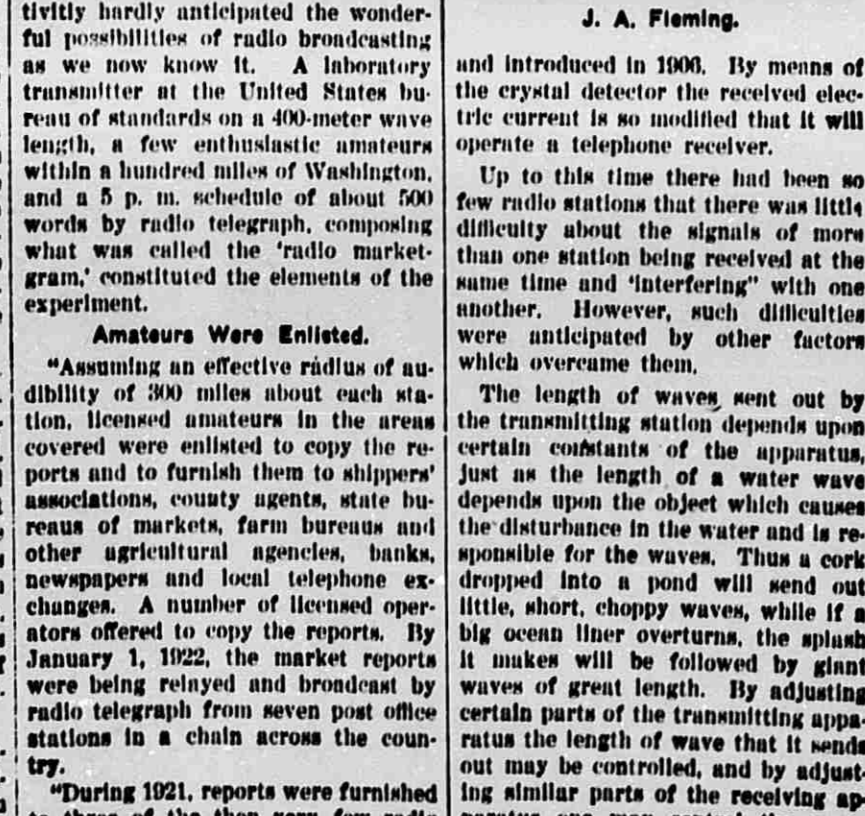
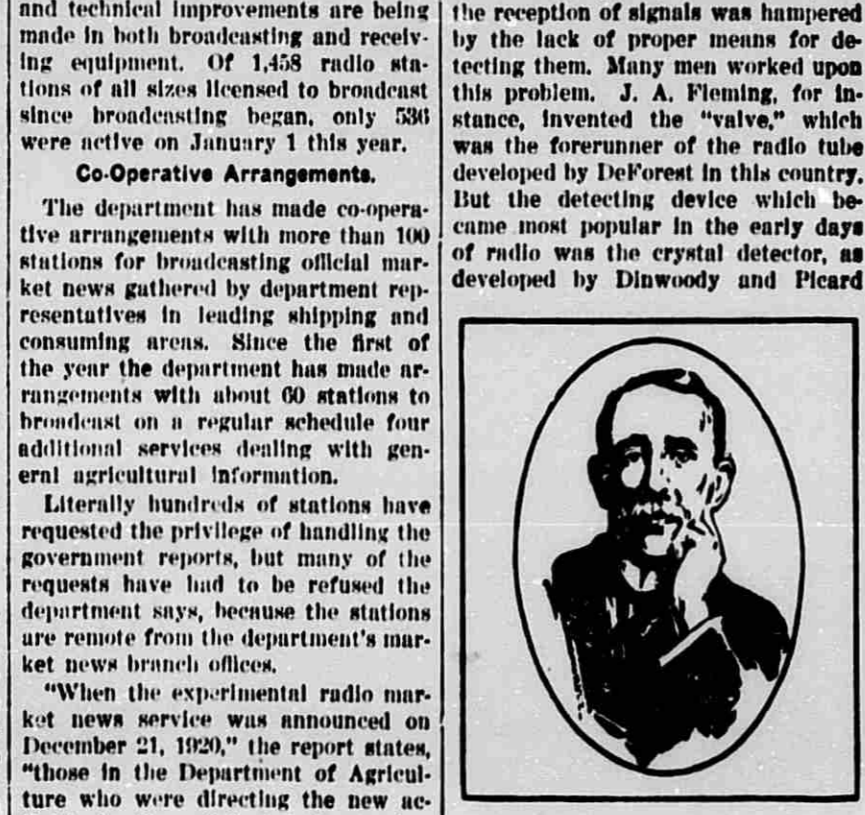
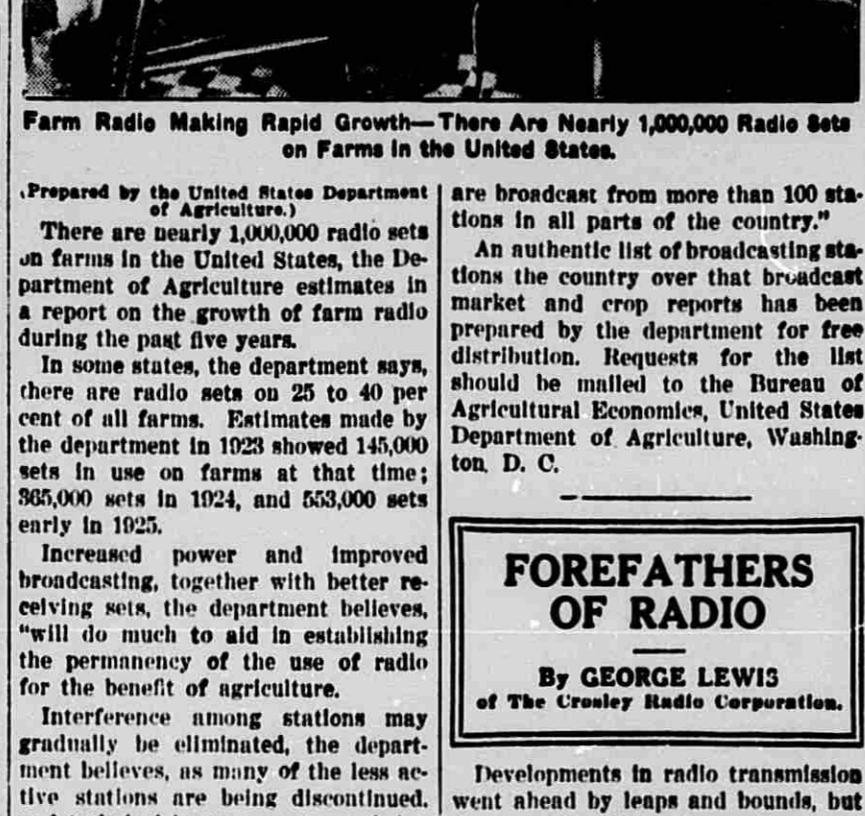
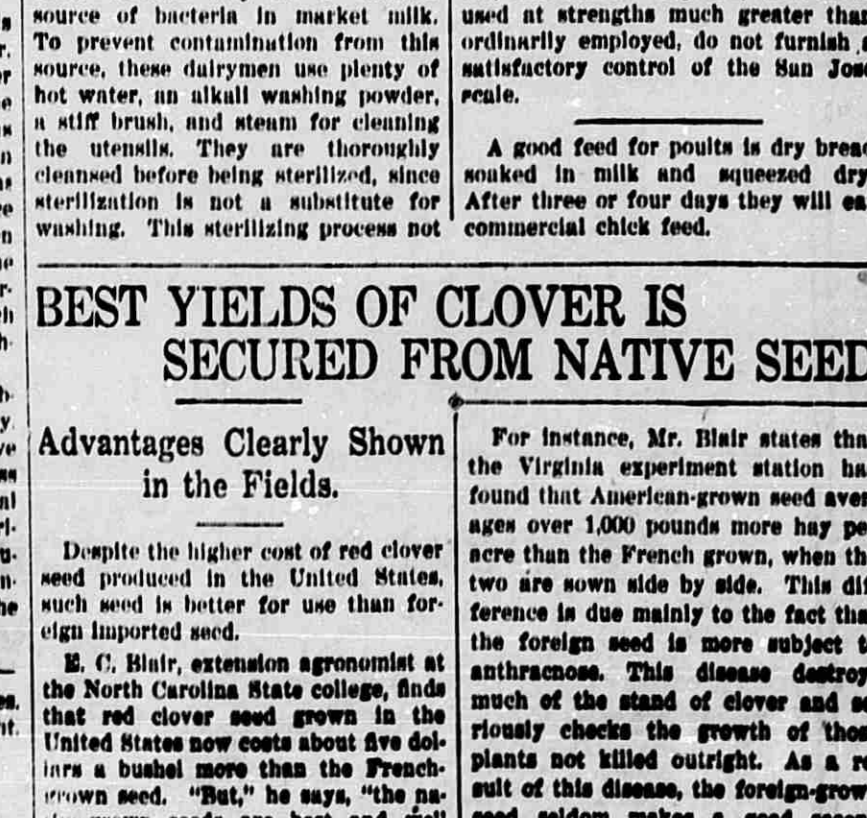
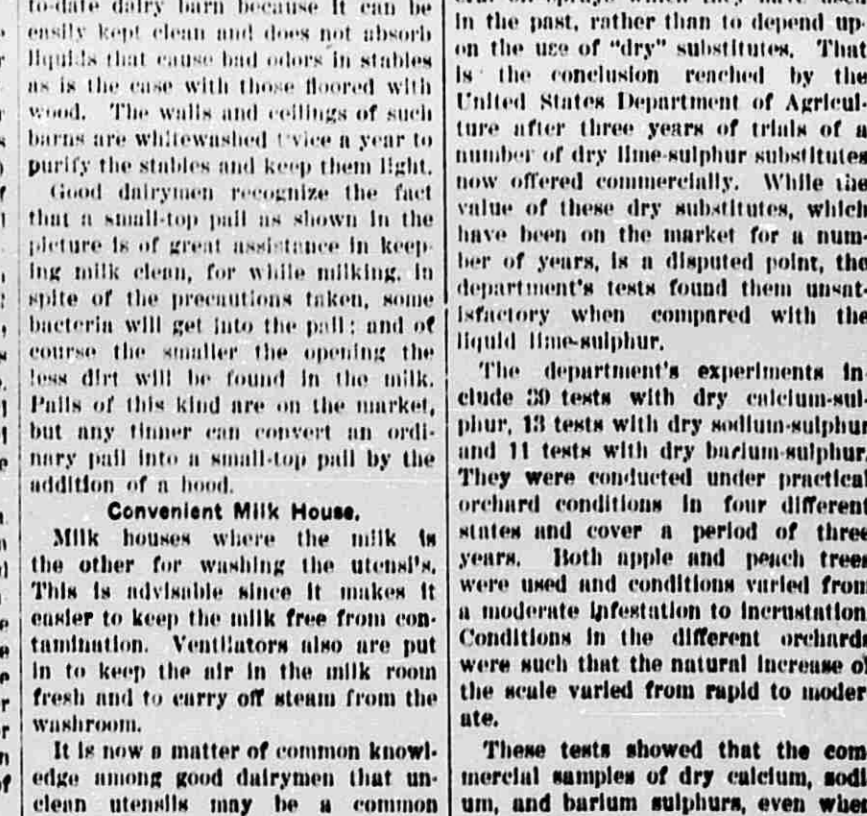
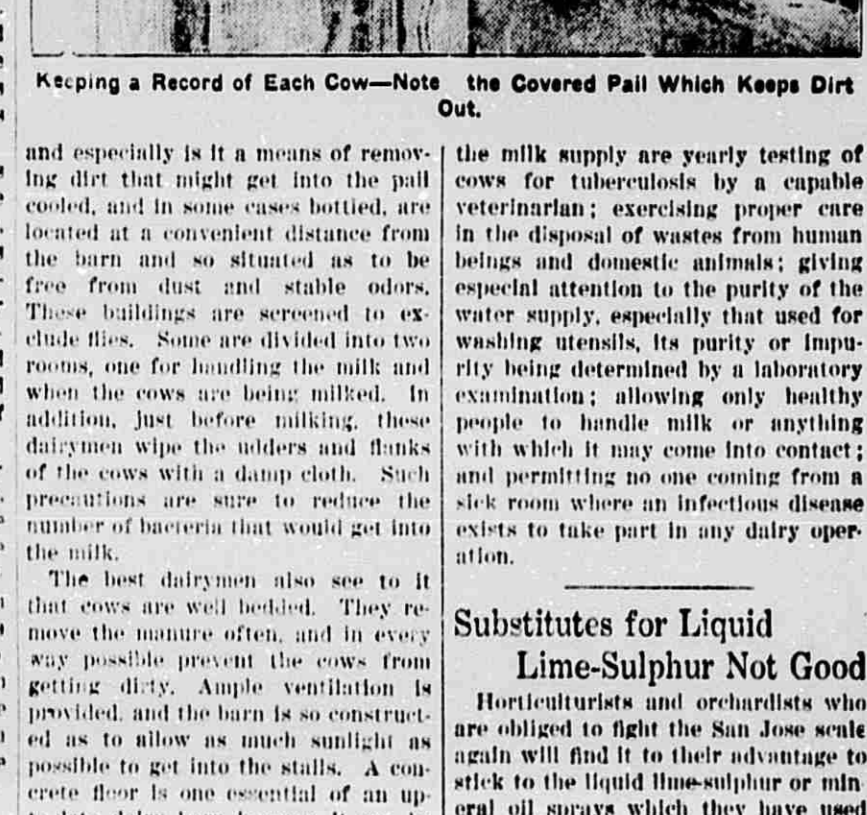
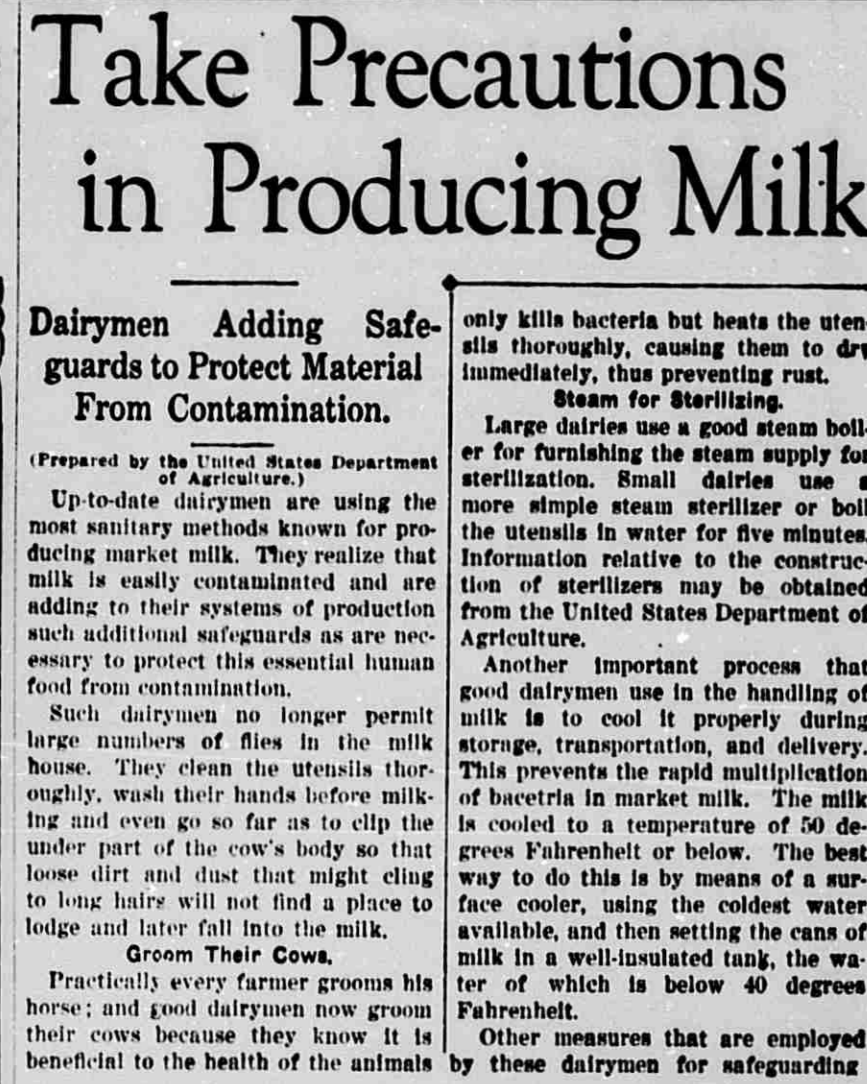
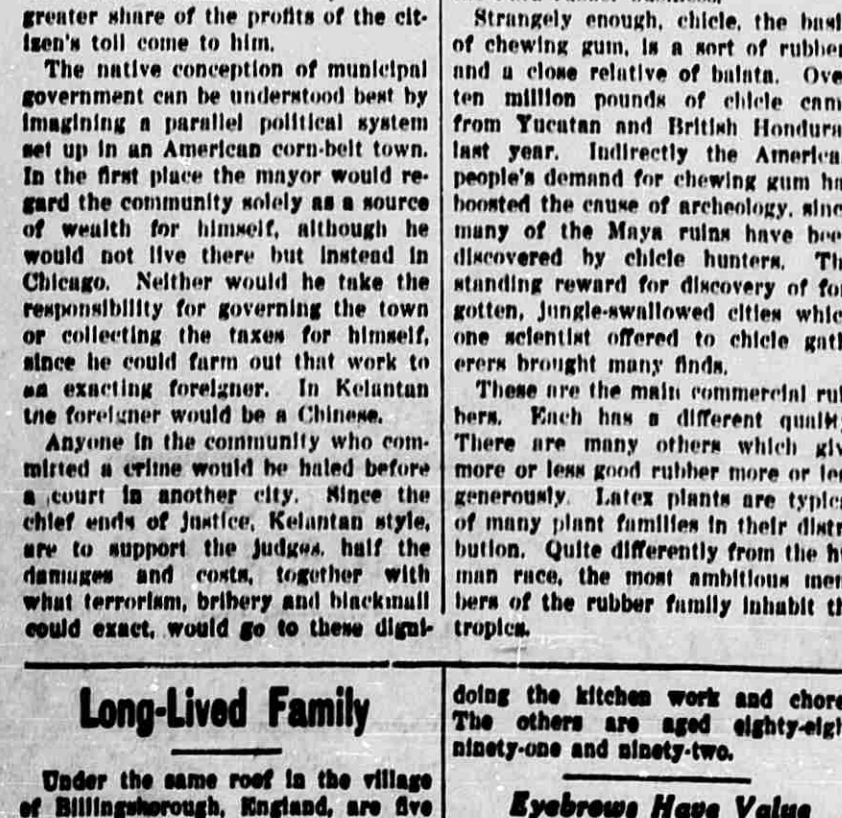
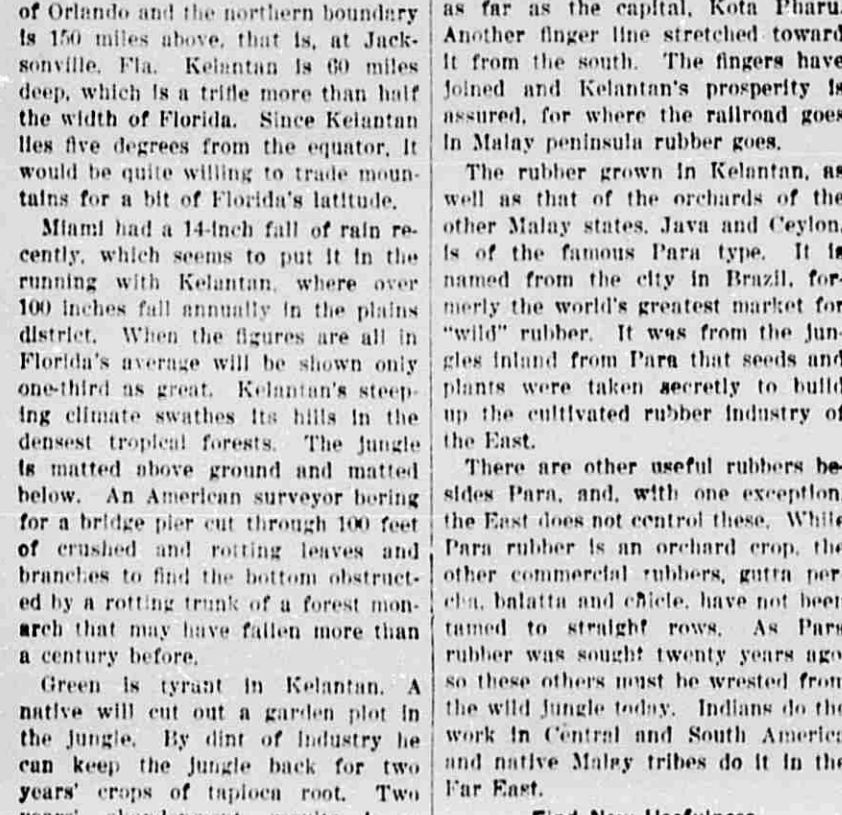
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The label is your guide for quality; the preshrunk materials are your assurance of comfort.

WILSON BROS. COLLAR-ATTACHED SHIRTS

- Shasta Cloth \$2.50
Fancy Broadcloth \$3
Rayon Madras \$3.50
Bond Street Broadcloth \$5
Rayon Silk \$5

And you will like the solid white ---so clean and immaculate looking.

Attractive price at \$2.50.



ITEMS OF THE TOWN

Newest table oil cloth squares, 75c and \$1.00 at Weekes.
Milo Barney spent over Sunday with relatives in Grand Rapids.
Age 2 to 4 infants' new voile dresses \$1.19 at Weekes.
Morris Peckham, of Grand Rapids, spent over Sunday with Lowell friends.
Best cereals and guaranteed fast color, yard wide prints, 28c at Weekes.
Neil Cameron has purchased a two-year-old full blooded Guernsey bull of James Martin.
Mr. and Mrs. N. Davern and two sons, of Pawama, were Sunday guests of Mrs. John Kropf.
We invite your inspection of the new silk draperies, cretonnes and curtain materials. A. W. Weekes & Son.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyden Warner attended the Regent theater in Grand Rapids Friday evening.
Carler's Rayon silk vests, \$1.00. Bloomers \$1.69. Step-ins \$1.69. Teddies, \$2.25 and Princess slips \$3.75 at Weekes.
Misses Inez and Ida Belle Butherford, of Grand Rapids, spent over the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Butherford.
Remember the American Legion May party this Thursday evening at Lowell City hall, beginning at nine o'clock. Music by Paramount orchestra.
Miss Glenis Lee, who is attending Western Normal, has been very ill with measles, but was able to leave the hospital last Thursday and is rapidly recovering.
Latest trimming, buttons, laces and ribbons at Weekes.
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hughes and son John, returned Friday to their home at Harrison after spending several weeks at the home of Mrs. Hughes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Borgerson.
We carry the most complete color range, thirty shades of Humming Bird silk stockings, \$1.50 a pair. Every pair replaced without question if you are in the least dissatisfied with the wear. A. W. Weekes & Son.
The county road commission has granted to Louis I. Goldberg, of Benzonia, the contract for construction of 2,713 miles of 16-foot class A gravel road, six inch compacted, on the Campau Lake road in Bowen and Galetona townships. (Grand Rapids Herald.)
Newest chiffon georgette printed scarfs, \$3.00 at Weekes. adv.

David Munge was in Grand Rapids Friday on business.
Order your Mother's day flowers at the Lowell green house. adv.
Mr. and Mrs. E. Laughlin, of Alto, spent Sunday with Lowell relatives.
Miss Gertrude Herman, of Grand Rapids, spent over the week-end in Lowell.
Mrs. E. B. Collar has received a quantity of fruit etc., from her son and family in Florida.
Fred Nagel, of Grand Rapids, spent over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Pattison.
Daves Maloney and two daughters, of Grand Rapids, were Sunday callers of Lowell relatives and friends.
Figure with us on rugs and linoleums. A. W. Weekes & Son.
Little Miss Margaret Bittenger, of Grand Rapids, has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bittenger.
Mrs. Albert Kyser and son Eugene, of Buffalo, N. Y., are visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. Frank Freeman.
Miss Edith Charles has been spending a few days with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Perce in Grand Rapids.
Mr. and Mrs. John Bittenger and granddaughter Margaret, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Taylor at Saranac.
Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Johnson took Mrs. S. O. Littlefield to her home in Saranac Sunday and called at the M. B. Conklin home in Ionia.
The superiority of Humming Bird hosiery is best exemplified by the fact that we sold over 1,000 pairs last season. A. W. Weekes & Son.
Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cogswell, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mungerson and son, of Grand Rapids, were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hatch.
Latest spring coats, \$25 to \$40 at Weekes.
Mr. and Mrs. F. T. King and daughter Florence were in town late last week, the first time the latter were here since their return from the Mediterranean tour.
Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Rosewarne were Mr. and Mrs. E. Rose and two children, of Battle Creek, and Mrs. Rosewarne's mother, Mrs. Rose, of Grand Rapids.
Half box for toys in silk lists at Van Dusen's. adv.
The funeral of Mrs. Albert Randall, 46 years old, who died from grief in the loss of her two children—Ernestine, 8, and Gilbert 9—was held from the Evangelical church Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment was made in Tuttle cemetery, next to the grave of the children, who were buried in a single casket in Ionia.

Dr. Draper is driving a new car. Armstrong's linoleums and linoleum rugs at Weekes. adv.
Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Boylan arrived home from Florida late last week.
Alvin Baker returned Saturday from a several days' stay in Chicago.
P. Finck and D. G. Munge were in Owosso Wednesday on business.
Victor Peckham, of Olivet was a week-end guest at his home in Lowell.
Mr. and Mrs. Tony Gazella and children visited her parents in Ionia Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Martin, of Grand Rapids, spent Sunday with Mrs. Lulu Bradish.
Miss Helen King visited her brother, F. T. King and family last Thursday in Grand Rapids.
Mrs. M. B. Conklin is convalescing from a severe illness of erysipilas and is at her home in Ionia.
It will pay you well to have us appraise your old tires for Seiberling's, McQueen Motor Co. adv.
Lew B. Morse, Jr., has opened an automobile laundry in the Pullen barn at rear of Hahn's grocery.
Mr. and Mrs. George Lee, (nee Roxey Denny, of Grand Rapids, were in Lowell Saturday evening.
The supreme gift for mother would be a radiola or Atwater Kent radio. Convenient terms. Stocking's.
James A. Johnson arrived home from Alabama Monday evening and will resume his work at The Ledger office.
Mrs. C. L. Shear is spending a few days this week at the home of her husband's parents at White's Bridge.
Harley Maynard was home from Lansing to spend the week-end with his sister and brother and old Lowell friends.
Group No. 4, of the Congregation at church, will hold a food sale at the Borgerson store, Saturday afternoon, May 8. (p 49)
Do you know that the Lowell Auto Sales Co., are selling Kelly and United States tires as low as \$9.95 for a 30x3 1/2 cord? adv.
Mr. and Mrs. Don Phillips visited her sister, Mrs. Noah Huver and family at Corinth Sunday and dedicated their new sedan.
Walter J. Foster, of Saginaw, son William, of Detroit, and daughter, Edith, of Grand Rapids, visited their home here at the week-end.
The next regular meeting of Cyclamen Chapter, O. E. S. will be Friday evening, May 14. The installation of officers will take place at this time.
We take in your old tires with a smile and sell you new ones at such prices as these: 29x4.0 U. S., or Kelle-balloon cord \$14.45. Lowell Auto Sales Co. adv.
The Lowell Literary club will meet at the home of Mrs. W. E. Hall Tuesday, May 11. The annual reports will be given, followed by a social hour.
Carl Kyser and family have moved to the Kyser farm in Boston township and Mrs. W. F. Smith occupies the house vacated by them on Monroe street.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert White and friends, and Mr. and Mrs. Smith, all of Grand Rapids, visited at the home of Mrs. Hannah Bartlett Saturday afternoon and evening.
Miss Ida Merriman returned Friday evening from Detroit, accompanied by Miss Doris O'Harrow, who remained until Sunday afternoon with Lowell friends.
Mrs. G. A. Sevre, daughters Alta and Mary and William Binkers and Charles Moody, of Muskegon, visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Fryover, Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Ward H. Willette, of Otsego, and Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Ayer and children, Keith and Hoyt, of Lansing, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Willette.
Announcements have been received by relatives of the marriage of John Edward Duffy and Marie Brown in Grand Rapids Tuesday, May 4, 1926 at St. James church.
Callers upon Mrs. Anna Acheson Sunday were her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Allen, of Lansing, and Mr. and Mrs. Chris Wieland and son George, of Lowell.
We back up all our merchandise with a guarantee to satisfy you by a replacement or allowance. Do the mail order houses or house to house canvassers do this for you? A. W. Weekes & Son.
Sunday afternoon Mrs. Walter Foster, accompanied by her son, William and daughter Maude, took Miss Esther to her school work in Grand Rapids and all called upon Miss Helen Foster, who is taking nurses training in Butterworth hospital. They returned by way of Alto and called upon Mrs. Foster's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Johnson.

Fancy cuff silk gloves, \$1.50 up at Weekes. adv.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stevens, April 28, a son.
Newest wash crepe gowns and bloomers at Weekes. adv.
John Arant was in Kalkaska the first part of the week.
Fasheen and Loizette fast color new prints, 50c at Weekes. adv.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weiland spent Saturday in Grand Rapids.
Fine lot of new goods arriving daily at Van Dusen's. adv.
Deputy Sheriff Bowes was in Lansing Tuesday on official business.
Miss Abbie O'Dell is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harold Otman in Detroit.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Wingeier and Miss Olive Kropf spent last Saturday in Ionia.
Miss Beatrice Pattison was in Grand Rapids Tuesday and Wednesday.
See the newest printed all silk pongee tub silks, \$1.65 per yard at Weekes. adv.
E. D. McQueen, Bruce McQueen, and Fred Malcolm were in Flint Thursday.
Latest Rayon, \$1.00 silks in printed figures, stripes, plaids and checks at Weekes. adv.
C. H. Runciman and family will spend "Mother's Day" with his people in Chelsea.
Mrs. Wm. Buck is in Grand Rapids caring for Mrs. Lloyd Perry and her little new son.
Now is a good time to trade in your old tires for Seiberling's at McQueen Motor Co. adv.
The Garden club will meet Tuesday, May 11, in the afternoon with Mrs. Mary Deyster.
Miss Edna Allen is in Grand Rapids called last Sunday evening to care for a sick friend.
Mr. and Mrs. George Fonger and children visited their sister and family at Hockford Sunday.
L. M. Yelter is meeting with the Board of Supervisors in Grand Rapids several days this week.
All the wanted colors in Georgettes and crepe de chenes \$2.00. Flat crepe silks, \$2.75 at Weekes. adv.
Mr. and Mrs. N. Coons, Mrs. Belle Hodges and Mrs. Clyde Collar were in Grand Rapids Monday afternoon.
The better work shop because of new tools and equipment and experienced mechanics. Gould's Garage.
Retire with the Lowell Auto Sales Co. Our tires and prices cannot be beaten. Have you been convinced?
Louis Wingeier has purchased the Charles Parks residence on the Vergennes road and will soon take possession.
Born, at Blodgett hospital, April 29, a son, to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Callier, weight 7 1/2 pounds, named Jacob Clayton.
Mrs. F. J. Bulask and little grandson, of Toledo, visited at the home of Mrs. Charles Young from Tuesday to Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Tim Conant and son Gilbert, daughters Doris and Virginia, spent Sunday with relatives at Cedar Springs.
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Krum and Mrs. Ella Jakeway returned from Florida Tuesday morning, where they spent the winter.
Mr. and Mrs. Newton Coons hear favorable reports from their daughter, Mrs. Vera Putnam, who is in an Ann Arbor hospital.
Spring water ice delivered anywhere in town. Phone 57, F-11. adv.
Elliot Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Martin, who is attending mining engineering college at (Houghton, U. P., visited Mrs. Bradish last Friday.
Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. William Schneider that they arrived at their destination all right and are nicely located at San Anselmo, Calif.
Mrs. R. M. Shivel and Mrs. Wm. Doye attended the breakfast given by Miss Mary Catherine Guile of St. Mary's hospital, Grand Rapids, at Cascade club Monday morning.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Horn and children, Dorothy and Charles drove from their home in Bad Axe Wednesday, remaining the remainder of the week with their parents in Lowell.
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Watson and daughter and son, of Cedar Springs, Mr. and Mrs. John Watson and children, of greenview, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Watson.
Mr. and Mrs. F. P. McFarlane received word from their son, who is in the government hospital at Milwaukee, having submitted to a serious operation that he is convalescing nicely.
Mrs. F. F. Rosewarne and family entertained for the week-end her mother, Mrs. A. Rose, of Grand Rapids and brother, Urban Rose and wife, and James and daughter June, of Battle Creek.
Select your new room rugs at Weekes. Prices and patterns are right. adv.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gardner have gone to their farm for the summer. They have rented their house to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Marshall. Mr. Marshall is the contractor building the new Per Marquette bridge.
Fred Charles, well-known Lowell barber, passed away at his home Wednesday morning after a long illness. Funeral services will be held from St. Mary's church Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. Burial at Oakwood.
Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wood and Mrs. Spencer were Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hascher, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Hascher and two children, Deletia Mayhuse, Mr. and Mrs. Mayhuse, and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Benson, all of Grand Rapids.
Last report from W. S. Winegar at Blodgett hospital this Thursday morning is that he is still "coming good," but his doctor has not yet told him when he can come home. Mrs. Winegar also continues to improve at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Earl Thomas.
Everything sold in this store is guaranteed satisfactory to you or made so. A. W. Weekes & Son.
The teachers of Lowell High school held their monthly party Tuesday evening, May 4. It was a steak roast and a most enjoyable time was spent. The Misses Eastman, Kammarad and Frye were the lucky discoverers of the "treasure."
The semi-monthly noon-day luncheon of the Lowell Board of Trade will be held at the City hall Monday, May 10. Ellis Faulkner, Dr. Swift and Rev. H. H. Harris, of Middleville, have been invited to address the meeting. Definite plans for the Home-Coming will be made at this meeting.
See the new radio ceasless Axminster rug, \$45.00 at Weekes. adv.
Melvin Gilbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert, formerly of Lowell, was acting mayor of Grand Rapids Wednesday, helping Mayor Elvin Swarbut with the cares of that office, in connection with the "Bicycle Boys" race. A number of boys were similarly familiarized with the various official duties of the city government.

Newest umbrellas \$1.50 to \$5.50 at Weekes. adv.
Mrs. Clarence McIntyre spent Tuesday in Grand Rapids.
Frank King, of Grand Rapids, was a Lowell caller Monday.
Miss Minnie Mook spent the week-end with her parents at Sparta.
Springbrook ice delivered in all parts of town. Phone 57-F-11. adv.
Mrs. L. Fahrni and Mrs. Willard Dennie were Ionia visitors Tuesday.
Mother's day, Sunday, May 9, order your flowers early of the Lowell greenhouse. adv.
Mrs. L. J. Post and daughter Audie, Mrs. S. Pletcher were in Grand Rapids Saturday.
Mrs. L. J. Post and daughter, Miss Audie Post, were Grand Rapids visitors last Saturday.
Mrs. Sarah McKay, of Edmore, spent over Sunday with Misses Hattie and Della Hatch.
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wood of Edmore, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Max Warner Thursday.
Frank Düpen, of Grand Rapids, was a dinner guest of Misses Hattie and Della Hatch Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. George Stevens, of Grand Rapids, visited at the home of Frank Stevens Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Worden, of Detroit, are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Susie Warden.
The better class of new cars—Dodge—Buick—Willys Knight—Overland—Gould's garage. adv.
Herman Rainer, of Grand Rapids, visited over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Beauchamp and all drove to Lansing Sunday.
Mrs. J. Bannon and Mrs. K. Woodworth are spending today, Thursday, at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Nellie Hulbert at Kalamazoo.
Harry Fuller drove here from Grand Rapids Tuesday morning returning with Mrs. C. O. Lawrence, who is spending a few days in the Pullen home.
Vera Hapeman, of Lowell, caught a beautiful brook trout, 15 inches long, weighing 1 1/2 lbs., May 1. He entered same in Stocking's trout contest. Who will beat that?
Buy your Sunday dinner at the food-sale at Borgerson's, Saturday, May 9. (p 49)
Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Carr, and sons, Russel and Frank motored to Lansing Sunday spending the day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Loomis and daughter, Miss Fern Loomis.
The new side walk attachment to the Hudson street bridge over Grand river, built by Hatch & Lewis, is a good substantial job. Both drivers and pedestrians should feel safer now in making the crossing.
Mrs. Frank Randall joined her son Orris Randall and family in Grand Rapids Sunday and went to Ionia to attend the funeral of Mrs. Randall, mother of the two children that were drowned some time ago.
See the new radio ceasless Axminster rug, \$45.00 at Weekes. adv.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Krum, of Grand Rapids, and sister, Mrs. Ella Jakeway, returned Tuesday afternoon from a six months' stay in Florida with their brother, Waldo Francisco and family. They enjoyed their visit in the South very much, but are glad to get back home.
Mrs. Charles Kyser, with her sons, Howard, Ned and Smith, with their families, and Mrs. Albert Kyser and son Ralph, of Buffalo, who are guests of the Kyser's here, all visited Sunday at the home of Mrs. Albert Kyser's son-in-law, and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Freeman, of South Boston.
We invite your charge account. Our terms are liberal, 60 to 90 days. Time gladly extended in cases of sickness or unusual circumstances. Only requirements are a clean record with the Lowell Credit Exchange of which we are a member. We invite your credit business. A. W. Weekes & Son.
Dependable used cars—all makes—reasonable prices. Gould's Garage. adv.
Arthur Bjork and family were called to Kent City Tuesday by the death of his mother, Mrs. Emma Bjork, who passed away here at home in that place May 1, after an illness of four months, aged 67 years. She is survived by seven sons and two daughters and by her husband. The bakery was closed during their absence.
Saturday, May 1, being the wedding anniversary of Mrs. William Murphy, who last week was reported ill at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bartlett, she was showered with many appropriate presents and beautiful cut flowers to remind her of the day and the love of her many friends with fond hopes of her speedy recovery to normal health.
Nine x12 felt base guaranteed rugs, \$15.00 at Weekes. adv.
A group of girl friends of Miss Bertha Foster completely and happily surprised her Saturday evening, May 1st to celebrate her birthday anniversary. There were sixteen present, and music and games and the inspection of the many gifts for the honor guest furnished the entertainment. Dainty refreshments were served, supplemented by a beautiful birthday cake decorated in pink and white with pink candles of the correct number.
Silk lisle hose in 3/4 lengths, fancy tops. Van Dusen's. adv.
Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Lee arrived home Monday night from their Mediterranean tour, coming direct from Quebec, as they were unable to stop at Montreal on account of the ice in the St. Lawrence river. Mr. and Mrs. Kroninger met them in Grand Rapids. Mrs. Lee is greatly improved from her Egyptian illness, is able to walk about and ride out and is recovering her speech. She drove to Grand Rapids with the doctor Wednesday.
Remember mother with silver May 9th. Stocking's.
Mrs. Laura Lawson, a well-known resident of Lowell and South Boston, passed away Tuesday, May 4 at the home of her son Harrison Hughson, of Grand Rapids, where she has been painfully ill for several years. Her death was announced by the South Boston Methodist Episcopal church, and a long time President of the missionary society. She will be buried from her son's home in the Clarksville cemetery near her old home in South Boston. She was a sister of Mrs. Florence Fuller Parish, of Grand Rapids.
LOST—Two white and black tick setter dogs. Write Jud Hapeman. Lowell R. 3. (p 49)

C. THOMAS STORES Yellow Front Stores

The Prices Listed Below Are Our Regular Prices, Not Specials Just for the Day.

Table with 3 columns: Product Name, Price, and Quantity. Includes items like Lard, Flour, Soap, Peas, Oats, Milk, etc.

New Shoes for Mother on Mother's Day

Mother will appreciate some flowers on Mother's Day. She will appreciate having her children visit her; but don't you think she would appreciate something that will last long after Mother's Day is over? A nice pair of Shoes, maybe.

It doesn't matter whether she is 16 or 60, we have just the pair of Shoes she would like.



DAYTONA A Parchment Kid One Strap. 20-8 covered Cuban heel. Lizard trimmed on vamp. It surely is a beauty and you know that Blond or Parchment Kid Slippers are hard to get now. \$6.00

BEAUTIFUL HOSE to match BEAUTIFUL SHOES

ROLLINS, of course! The kind that always look well, wear well and have a positive guarantee against Carter Runs. We have a genuine Silk, Semi-Fashioned Hose for 95c that we are proud to show. It has an extra long Silk Boot and is as good as the Hosiery Peddler would ask you \$1.25 for, and our Chiffon at \$2.00 is surely beautiful.

SHUTTER'S CASH BOOT SHOP

BREAK AWAY! Break away from the ordinary! Get something classy and sure to fit---something unusual in fabric, design and exceptionally choice model. ORDER YOUR CLOTHES MADE TO MEASURE \$25.00 to \$60.00 Lowell Cleaning and Dyeing Wks. D. S. Simon, Prop. Opp. Post Office Let Simon Simonize Your Clothes

OUR MOTTO SERVICE and QUALITY Select your next Sunday dinner from our choice line of BEEF, PORK, VEAL, LAMB, CHICKEN FRESH FISH and OYSTERS Special for Saturday Dill Pickles each, 2c Smoked Bloaters, four for 25c Cranberries, 2 packages 25c "Please You" Crackers, 1 1/2 lb. 22c 4-pound Golden Glow Shortening 68c 5-pound Pail Honey \$1.00 Watch Window for Prices on Fresh Meats W. J. Gibson's Cash Market The Market Where Your Children Get the Same Service You Do Choice Gladiolus Bulbs for Sale

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