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Lowell, Mich., Thursday, Jan. 13, 1927

Report of the condition of THE CITY STATE BANK
of Lowell, Michigan, at the close of business December 31, 1926, as called for by the State Banking Commissioner and the Federal Reserve Banking System.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$188,927.73
Real Estate Mortgages	160,910.35
Bonds and Securities	239,500.00
Cash on hand	15,083.94
Due from Reserve City Banks and Exchanges	40,492.41
Overdrafts	371.40
Banking House	11,400.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,000.00
Other Real Estate	4,100.00
Customers Bonds Deposited for safe keeping	31,350.00
Stock of the Federal Reserve Bank, Chicago	1,500.00
Total	\$695,635.83
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus Fund	25,000.00
Undivided Profits	967.83
Dividends Unpaid	2,000.00
Reserved for Taxes, Interest, Depreciation, etc.	3,000.00
Checking accounts	134,104.59
Demand certificates	39,219.40
Savings Bank Accounts	321,943.65
Savings Certificates of deposit	110,857.55
Customers Safe Keeping Bond Accounts	33,542.81
Total	\$695,635.83

DIRECTORS
J. A. Archart, F. W. Hinyan, R. VanDyke
W. T. Condon, D. G. Look, H. L. Weekes
Harry Day, L. E. Lampkin

OFFICERS
R. VAN DYKE, D. G. LOOK and Wm. T. Condon
President, Vice Presidents
HARRY DAY, Cashier, H. J. ENGLEHARDT, Asst. Cashier.

A GOOD FRIEND GONE ON AHEAD

FRANK N. WHITE CALLED SUD- DENLY SUNDAY FROM HIS EARTHLY HOME AND TIES.



Another good old-time friend and brother has journeyed on ahead to that bourne from whence no traveler returns.

Frank N. White, kind and jovial, heart and soul, was called suddenly and unexpectedly, but better because we have known and loved him.

Returning to his home after a short drive Sunday afternoon he was stricken with meningitis of the heart and told Mrs. White that he believed his time had come, requesting her to call the doctor and "the boys." The former came quickly and administered a stimulant, but in a few moments he was beyond all human aid. All was well with him but he had left a stricken wife and family behind.

Funeral services were held at the White home Wednesday at 12 o'clock p. m., his pastor, Rev. L. H. Nixon officiating, and burial was made in Oakwood cemetery, which for many years had been with Mr. White an object of affectionate care and which he had done much to beautify. Business places were closed during the funeral hour.

Frank N. White, son of Isaac N. and Emmette Townsend White was born in Lowell, January 27, 1853, and spent his entire life here. In a few days he would have reached his 74th milestone, a goodly span, useful, hopeful, and happy to the last hour of his life, more than 53 years of which had been spent in the companionship of his loved wife.

Briefly told his life story follows: At sixteen years of age he joined the local Baptist church, and was a consistent member of the same for 28 years. With the decline of that organization, through death and removals, Mr. and Mrs. White joined the Methodist church in 1906 under the ministry of Rev. Russell B. Bready, and for twenty years they have remained regular and loyal members, he having served long as superintendent of the Sunday school, and as a member of the board of trustees.

On September 3, 1873, he was united in marriage to Miss Emma Winegar, and to this most happy union were given three sons and a daughter, Robert J. White, of Chicago, Dr. Frank E. White, of Frankfort, S. White, of Lowell, and Mrs. Winifred White Deibel, of Detroit, were the happy recipients of this good father's favor and blessing. They, with the wife, Mrs. Emma White, and a sister, Mrs. Hattie Grabach, of Toledo, and nine living grand children feel greatly bereft in the passing of this fine man. Two grand-children have preceded him in death.

For nine years Mr. White served as supervisor, for nineteen years as township clerk and for twenty years as village assessor.

His years of continued public service demonstrate the confidence the people placed in him. He was the soul of honor, a man of high standards, a dependable Christian gentleman. In addition to his church affiliation he was a member of the local Masonic fraternity. He was a loyal friend, a good citizen and a faithful administrator. Widows and orphans trusted him with their all and the trust was never betrayed.

The world is better because Frank White has lived in it. His human contacts have been many, pleasant and useful. No apologies need be made for him. His life will be an inspiration to his children, a consolation to his sorrowing widow, and a pleasant memory to a multitude of dear friends.

Among those from outside coming to attend the funeral of Frank N. White are Robert J. White, of Chicago and children, Misses Alice and Nada and Robert White, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Eugene C. Deibel, of Detroit; Gerald White, of Ann Arbor, and a nephew, Ivan Dodge, of Detroit, with his wife and daughter Ruth, and a sister, Mrs. Hattie Grabach, of Toledo. Mrs. Robert White was detained at home by illness.

THURSDAY MORNING LEDGER DELIVERY IN 1927.
Complying with wishes of advertisers and advertisement readers, this paper will, beginning with its first issue in January change its long established publication time from Thursday afternoon to Thursday forenoon in time for the morning deliveries.

Formerly, when Low 41 had better train service than now, Thursday afternoon publication seemed most satisfactory. Today it seems advisable to try the earlier hour.

This change will necessitate the co-operation of advertisers and correspondents with Monday morning copy at the office. If we are to continue publishing a creditable paper, we must have three full days to get reading matter and advertising into type.

Forms for the last press run on the paper must under the new arrangement close at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. No matter can be used after that hour in that week's issue; and this does not mean that matter brought or sent in at 3 p. m., Wednesday can be used until the following week.

Pastors, contributors, advertisers and correspondents, please take notice.

Matter brought in Thursday morning will be in ample time for the next week's paper.

Publisher Ledger. (If T. M. Doyle is going through the Mayo clinic at Rochester, Minn., and reports from him are favorable.

ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING KILLS

JAY TEEPLE, FALLASBURG RESIDENT, VICTIM OF RIFLE SHOT THROUGH HEAD. BURIED AT OAKWOOD.

Jay Teeple, of Fallasburg, was accidentally shot through the head Thursday morning and died from the wound shortly after. A squirrel had been doing considerable damage to Mr. Teeple's house, and was discovered in a tree at the rear of his home by Don Felton, a 14 year old boy who is stopping at Ralph Whinnery's. He informed Mr. Teeple and went home for his 22 caliber rifle, and in handing it to Mr. Teeple it was accidentally discharged, the bullet striking Mr. Teeple back of the ear, and passing through upward through the brain.

An inquest was held by Justice R. E. Springett, acting coroner, who rendered a verdict of accidental death, according to the facts, and the body was brought to Teeple's chapel to be prepared for burial.

Services were conducted at the home Saturday afternoon, Rev. A. J. Blair, officiating clergyman; burial at Oakwood cemetery by Lowell lodge No. 115, L. O. O. F., of which order deceased was a member.

Jay Teeple, son of Peter and Margaret Teeple, was born in Cascade, Kent county, October 20, 1869. He lived on the home farm until he was 21 years of age, and then with his parents, moved to Lake Odessa, where he entered the creamery industry.

March 25, 1895, he was married in marriage by Letitia Wheldon, daughter of Hamilton Wheldon, of Lowell, and then moved to Lake Odessa, where the new home was started. From there they moved West, where they have lived since, with the exception of the past two years which has been spent in Fallasburg at the home where he passed away, January 6, 1927, aged 57 years, 2 months, 16 days, 11 hours and 45 minutes, his mother, and one brother.

The accident which caused his sudden death, robs the wife and mother of a loving husband and son, and the neighbors of a steady friend and neighbor.

BASKET BALL.
On Friday, January 14, the girls' basketball team opens its season of basketball on the home floor. Our girls' team was defeated at Grandville by a narrow margin of one point, the score being 15-16.

Believing to furnish the opposition on Friday night, and it promises to be a game worth seeing. Believing has this year one of the best teams in its history, having defeated Edmore last week by a score of 60-4.

We hope that the girls will be given the same support that the boys have been accorded thus far this year.

There will be a preliminary game played by the Boys' Reserves.

LEGION DOINGS.
Next meeting of American Legion Auxiliary will be held January 17, at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. J. R. Stryker, every one come.

The date for the district meeting has been changed on account of official board meeting on that date in Detroit. The new date is January 26 at noon.

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1925 Chevrolet Sedan.
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1924 Ford Touring.
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1923 Overland Touring.

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PERMIT FORDAM ON FLAT RIVER

SUPERVISOR McPHERSON HEADS COMPANY, WOULD FLOOD FOUR MILES IN FALLASBURG VICINITY.

Petition for a permit for further hydro-electric development on Flat river by erecting a dam in Vergennes township was presented to the board of supervisors yesterday by the Flat River company, of which Supervisor M. B. McPherson, of Vergennes township, is president and Charles W. Owen is secretary and treasurer.

Action at this session of the board was requested by Supervisor McPherson, who explained it is proposed to erect a dam of concrete 20 feet in height with earth embankments, flooding four miles of the river or bottom and creating a pond about 80 rods wide in its widest place.

The site selected for the dam is a short distance northwest of Fallasburg, one mile west of the county line at the junction of sections 13, 14, 23, and 24, Vergennes township. The stream would be flooded to the White bridge in Keene township, Ionia county.

County Would Benefit.
The supervisor explained that there is an old permit in the records of Ionia county, allowing construction of a dam just above the Flat River company's site, but in Kent county, the township and the county will benefit.

"My interest is that the people of my township come to me with a proposal to build a dam like those on the Thornapple river at Ada and Cascade Springs.

"We took the matter up with the Consumers Power company, but were turned down, but after some investigation we proceeded and now we have an option on every foot from the Consumers Power company's dam to the White bridge. The farmers, who are selling their water rights, will own down to the river, and they will benefit by whatever increased property values may result."—(Grand Rapids Herald, January 12.)

CITY STATE BANK.
The annual stockholders meeting of the City State bank was held Tuesday and elected the following directors: John A. Archart, Wm. T. Condon, Harry Day, F. W. Hinyan, D. G. Look, L. E. Lampkin, R. Van Dyke and H. L. Weekes.

Officers for the ensuing year will be those who have served the institution for several years past. R. Van Dyke, president; D. G. Look and Wm. T. Condon, vice presidents; Harry Day, cashier and H. J. Englehardt, assistant cashier.

1926 brought to a close one of the most prosperous years in the history of the bank. Capital stock, \$25,000. Surplus and Reserve Account and undivided profits, \$28,000. Total Resources, nearly \$700,000.00. Addition Stockholders Liability \$25,000.00.

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Our latest financial statement appears elsewhere in this issue.

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T. M. Doyle is going through the Mayo clinic at Rochester, Minn., and reports from him are favorable.

YOU NEED US We

ITEMS OF THE TOWN

Oliver and Tony Knopf spent last Thursday in Grand Rapids...

Miss Bessie Foster was home from Michigan State college over the weekend...

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. May have been notified to her bed last week, but is gaining now...

Miss Emma Stroy spent Thursday in Saranac with her brother, George Stroy and family...

Miss Fannie Whitfield, teacher, was with her mother and brother the last weekend...

Miss Williams Marsh accompanied her husband to Detroit Sunday for a two week's stay...

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. White and daughter Charlotte visited relatives in Hastings Sunday...

Miss Margaret Brown of Saranac, was a weekend guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Fletcher...

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Phillips visited their sister, Mrs. E. B. White, and family in Grand Rapids...

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Sale starts FRIDAY, January 14 Doors open at 9:00 a. m. CONTINUES NINE DAYS ONLY

Radio Bargains: Radiola III with 2 tubes \$8.50, Radiola III A with 4 tubes \$19.00, Radiola Regenflex with 4 tubes \$35.00, 6 tube Radiola Super Heterodyne \$90.00

Phonographs: 1 Edison Laboratory Model, mahogany finish, \$147.50, Edison Lab. Model, oak finish, \$147.50, Small Edison \$45.00

Silverware: Knives and Forks \$3 to \$12, Teaspoons \$1.50 to \$2.75, Tablespoons \$2.50 to \$5.50

Shotguns: 12-ga. Stevens A. E. Single barrel \$8.50, 16-ga. double barrel Lefever Hammerless \$20.00, 20-ga. Stevens double barrel Hammerless \$20.00

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CHAFING DISHES: Alcohol Lamps were \$10 \$5.00, PINT SIZE VACUUM BOTTLES 50c, Old Style Cylinder Edison Records, each 5c

Look for the Grab Bag: These bags will contain articles of merchandise worth from \$1.00 to \$5.00, all thrown in together

Store Open Evenings: You will find a splendid line of Benedict Lacquered Silver Bread Plates and Sandwich Trays in beautiful designs at half price

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

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BROWN JERSEY SWEATERS fleeced inside \$2.25
HEAVY PLAID FLANNEL BLAZERS all wool \$7.00
GRAY TWILL SHIRTS heavy, fleeced inside \$1.65
WOOL SOX gray, black, natural, 3 pairs \$1.00



ITEMS OF THE TOWN

Dr. M. Warner was in Grand Rapids Monday. Little Bobby Sayles, who has been very sick is gaining slowly. Mrs. Lydia Chubb and daughter Nina, spent Friday in Grand Rapids. The family of E. Z. Tuckey moved to their new home in Charlotte Tuesday. Mrs. F. J. McMahon entertained the neighborhood bridge club Tuesday evening. Stanley Daley, of East Lansing, was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Webb. Mrs. Lee Walker has been confined to her bed the past week with an attack of flu. Mr. and Mrs. P. Denick and two children, of Jackson, called on Lowell friends Sunday. Mrs. Harley Hunter, of Keene, spent last Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Mert Sinclair in Sparta. Verne Mahie, teacher in Sparta, spent the weekend with his wife at Mrs. Caroline Coulter's. The better class of new cars—Dodge—Buick—Willis Knight—Overland. Gould's garage, adv. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reuser January 7, a son, Glen Joseph. Mother and son doing well. Merril Sayles was a recent caller on A. W. Kneer, of Keene, who is confined to the house by illness. Miss Abbie Watson, of Detroit, spent a few days last week with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Watson. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Morse spent Sunday with their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Lewis at their Grand Rapids home. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mead and children, of Lansing, called on his sister, Mrs. Wesley Crooks and her new grandson Sunday. Mrs. Elwood Stinchcombe was taken to Grand Rapids Friday for an x-ray picture of her knee, which she injured several weeks ago. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Trendelen, Robert O'Marral and Miss Neva McCarell, all of Grand Rapids, spent Sunday with Mrs. Hattie Rouse. William Schneider and family are moving from the F. B. McKay residence into Miss Nettie Wilson's home on Hudson avenue this week. Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Moyer and son, Francis, of Dupuyer, Mont., are visiting friends in this vicinity, the former after an absence of thirteen years. They report his father, S. E. Moyer and sisters well at Tacoma, where Ivah has been teaching for a number of years. The Moyes were a former well-known Vergennes family. The music pupils of Mrs. William Wachterhauser gave a recital at her home Tuesday afternoon. A contest of musical terms was given in the form of a "spell down." Those taking part were Elizabeth Nixon, Ruth Converse, Thelma Wingier, Ethel Ann Thomas, Gladys Armstrong, Gould Rivette, Maryann Ashley, Norma Ashley, Dora June Thomas, Katherine Steed, Jane Runciman, Laura Lewis and Helen Kingsley. Luncheon was served much to the delight of the participants.

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Home-made Lard, Sausage and Bologna.
We Have Center Cuts of Ham, Jack Spratt.

W. J. Gibson's Cash Market

Gould's garage—East Main street, Lynn Perry, of Ionia, was in town Monday. Joseph Dennie visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Dolloway and other relatives in Grand Rapids a few days recently. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fryover and son Billy, of Grand Rapids, were Sunday visitors of her mother, Mrs. Caroline Kerekes. Mr. and Mrs. William Burdick entertained as dinner guests Sunday Stark Zimmer and Miss Beatrice Hasken, of Grand Rapids. Mrs. Jack Bannon and children visited Saturday and Sunday with her sisters, Mrs. Pottruff and Mrs. Hawk in Grand Rapids. Edward Bennett left Monday morning for Grand Rapids, where he has a position with the Delco Light Co., of that city. Pridelful printing promptly printed, properly priced, promptly promoted—The Ledger office. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dawson and children, of South Boston, were Sunday guests of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dawson. Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Conklin, of Ionia, accompanied Dr. and Mrs. Winchell for a short visit with Lowell friends Monday evening. Mrs. E. E. Kiel, who has been ill most of the time since being in Florida is improving and enjoying the lovely warm climate again. Emory Bowen and lady friend, Miss Rowland, from Easton, spent Sunday with his father, C. E. Bowen and family near Whites Bridge. Mrs. J. B. Yeiter, Mrs. Ida Young and son, Wayne Young, were in Lowell Wednesday afternoon and evening for business and pleasure. Mrs. Chandler from Barberton, Ohio, visited her sister, Mrs. F. F. Hosley, several days recently, returning home the first of the week. The better work shop because of new and improved tools and experienced mechanics, Gould's Garage. Homer Gilland, of Grand Rapids, died Sunday night in that city. He was brought to Lowell and buried from Yeiter's chapel at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Carl Fryover visited her sister, Mrs. Allen Behler, of Lake Odessa from Friday until Sunday night. Carl joined them Saturday night for the week-end. Mrs. Lulu Bradish attended a Bradish family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Bradish, of Grand Rapids. All drove over to Glenn Martin's later in the day. If you are looking for good silverware, jewelry, watches, clocks, photographs, records, etc., you can buy at practically half prices at Stocking's during his clearance sale. The following people called at the Clemens home Sunday: Don Musselman, of Easton, Edmond Seifred, Judson Waters, Rev. John Claus and wife, of Lowell, Brayton Goulds, of Flint, Ora Waldo, of Belding, and Eugene Byrnes and Byron Potter, of Keene. Our good old friend, W. S. Winegar is improving slowly and begins to think about meeting his friends at the store again. On a friendly call Monday we found him looking like his old self and happy for the future. Mrs. Winegar, too, is quite well and cheerful. Cecil Bibbler and Miss Mable Corigan were honor guests at a miscellaneous shower given by Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fitchman at their home in Belding, a delicious luncheon was served and many pretty and useful gifts were bestowed upon the guests of honor. Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Hartwell, Lyle Hartwell, and Mrs. Edgar Gulmer, of Marshall, drove from their home Sunday to be guests of the home of Renis Doyle, the two latter returned Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Hartwell remaining for the week with her sister, Mrs. Jennie Thomas.

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1925 Star Coupester.
1924 Ford Coupe, like new.
1925 Ford Coupe.
1925 Ford Roadster.
LOWELL AUTO SALES CO.
Star Garage.
Neglected Diner—in restaurant; suppose I can sit right here until I starve.
Waitress: Oh, no. We close at 8 o'clock.—(Punch).
"Who do you mean?"
"Rolls on the high Cs."—(Our Navy).

Excusable Absence
Johnnie was absent from school one afternoon. The next morning the teacher received the following excuse: "Dear teacher, please excuse Johnnie's absence yesterday afternoon. He got his feet wet coming home at noon, and he didn't have any others to put on."
Saddening Experience
Another rather disconcerting and saddening experience is to look up a prominent friend of about your age or perhaps a year or two older in "Who's Who" and find he's thirteen years younger.

Flapper Handicapped
Two flappers were discussing the men they had met. "Do you know Thomas Aldrich?" asked one. "No," replied the other, "every time I've met him his wife has been with him."

MICKIE SAYS—
THE EDITOR'S LIFE IS ONE OF PUBLIC SERVICE—HE HAS A DUTY TO THE PUBLIC—HE MUST BE READY TO SUPPORT ALL MOVES TOWARD COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT—HE MUST RESIST ANY ATTEMPTS TO USE HIS PAPER TO SATISFY GRUBBES—AND HE MUST USE ALL MEANS TO ADVANCE THE INTERESTS OF HIS COMMUNITY

Great Man Harshly Used
As a sorry note on the appreciation of the world for men who have gained rightful fame, Columbus was sent home to Spain in chains from his second voyage to America. It was on November 8, 1500, that he landed.

Home-Town Friends

It don't ever make much difference Where you go, you'll always find That yer home-town friends 're faithful, Though you leave 'em far behind. Mebbe you won't know they like you Very much, for years an' years— Mebbe not till death or sickness Or some other grief appears; But it's then they prove the sayin' That, no matter where you roam, There'll be someone glad t' help you When you turn again towards home. There'll be friends you had forgotten— But their hearts have been so true That it's part o' their religion Jus' t' be a friend t' you. Mebbe you won't understand 'em An' you'll treat 'em kinda mean, But I hope yer heart 'll tell you What yer eyes had never seen. Life may bring you many blessin's, But there's few that can compare With yer home town an' the friendship That's a-waitin' for you there.

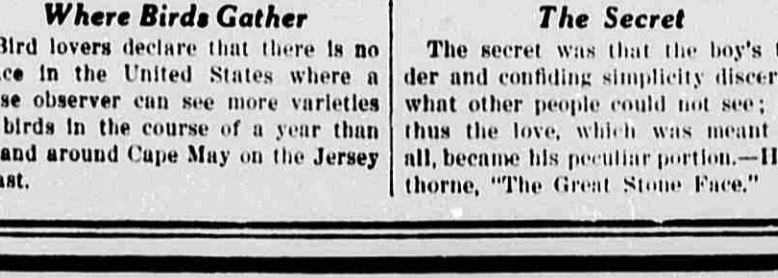
REBEKAH INSTALLS.
N. G. Elizabeth Rolf; V. G. Ella Bannon; financial secretary, Agnes Alexander; recording secretary, Ida Haysmer; conductress, Ellen Boering; warden, Minnie Hawk. R. S. to N. G. Cora Fox; R. S. to V. G. Hattie Phillips; L. S. to V. G. Emma Ransford; chaplain, Maggie Mars. Thursday, January 27, we Rebekehals will serve a pot luck dinner at the I. O. O. F. hall. Dinner at 11:30, price 25 cents. Public invited. Turn out sisters. There will be a sewing club formed after the dinner. Tuesday, January 18 is regular meeting. Degree work and refreshments. A good attendance is desired. The card parties are soon to be commenced for the Winter. Come and bring your friends, dates will be published later. Sister Anna Stinchomb is able to get around a little with the aid of a crutch. We are glad to learn at this writing that those of our brothers and sisters who have been ill are able to be out again. Our slogan for the week: "Look Up; Lift Up; Lend a Hand." Elizabeth Rolf, N. G.

Cheap Seismograph
An instrument for detecting earthquakes, so simple of construction and so cheap that it could be installed in every home, has been perfected by a government scientist. The instruments now used are cumbersome and expensive, and consequently there are relatively few in operation throughout the world. Their Destination
A balloon ascent had just taken place, and a tiny girl among the spectators turned to her mother with the query, "Mother, is God expecting those gentlemen?" Call for Sherlock Holmes
Somebody writes in to say that a fond father of four little sons feels that it would take a wiser man than Solomon to find out who smeared strawberry jam on the breakfast room wall.—New Orleans States.

Prepared for Fog
London policemen on the boats along the Thames river are equipped with hooks and life-saving jackets to assist in rescuing persons who are unfortunate enough to fall into the murky waters during a dense fog. Symbolic Chinese Colors
The Chinese have six symbolic colors: Red signifies fire and the south; black, water and the north; blue or green, wood and the east; white, metal or mist and the west; yellow, earth and the center. Just Naturally Wrong
Blinks—"There are two things a woman has that always are wrong." Jinks—"I know one, what's the other?" Blinks—"A watch is one and a husband, of course, the other."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Where Birds Gather
Bird lovers declare that there is no place in the United States where a close observer can see more varieties of birds in the course of a year than in and around Cape May on the Jersey coast. Or on the Automobile
Mars?—The teachers asked, and one little fellow spoke up. "Mars is the dents and scratches you get on the parlor furniture."—Boston Transcript.

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OBITUARY—MRS. F. A. GOULD.

Nellie M. Bailey Gould, eldest child of Otis and Amy Bailey, was born in Vergennes township, Sept. 28, 1872, and died at her home near Lowell, January 2, 1927 at 54 1/2 years of age, after a very brief illness. When stricken she was preparing a New Year's dinner for her family, who were to have spent the day with father and mother. She was married to Frank Gould, December 11, 1891. Three children, Mattie Gould Rivette, Mrs. George Ingersoll and Howard Gould, a sister, Mrs. Grace Balfour, all of Lowell, and the grief-stricken husband are left to mourn a devoted wife and mother. Funeral services were held at the home, Rev. L. H. Nixon officiating. A large concourse of neighbors and friends followed the remains to their last resting place in Oakwood cemetery, Wednesday afternoon, January 4, 1927. She was a woman ever ready to do a kind and neighborly act and was much beloved by the many she had shown kindness to. Her prayer that she might not live to suffer long was answered by her sudden going away. The family have the sympathy of their many friends in their great sorrow. Those from out of town to attend her funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Buchanan, of Kent City; Miss Freda Bailey, Lester Bailey, B. P. Waters, Mr. and Mrs. E. Adams, Mrs. Roy Jessup, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gault, and Duncan McNaughton, all of Grand Rapids; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Permut, Newaygo; Mrs. Mary Callus and Mrs. Ann Boylan, of Belding; Mr. and Mrs. Will Hogan, of Smyrna; Mrs. Jennie Moyer, of Charlotte and Mrs. G. H. Goodwin, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Will Hultin, of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hultin, of Grand Rapids; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ingersoll, of Kalamazoo; and Clayton Blue, of Wayland.

OBITUARY VAN WORMER.

Edward Ozzro Van Wormer died very suddenly at his home in Ionia with pneumonia Wednesday evening, Dec. 29. He was born in Vergennes township, January 14, 1886, and was the oldest son of Cora and Seth Van Wormer and spent practically all of his life in and around Ionia, and was a lumber by trade, but owing to ill health the past three years was unable to follow that work. At the time of his death he was employed at the Hayes-Ionia factory. He leaves to mourn his death his wife and two children, a father, Seth Van Wormer, two brothers, Daniel, of Lowell, and Seth, Jr., of Ionia, two sisters, Mrs. Homer Morris, of Lowell and Norman, of Ionia, and other relatives and a host of friends. Funeral was held at Yeiter's chapel Friday, in Ionia, in Oakwood cemetery near his aunt, Mrs. Diana Waters. May he rest in peace.

OBITUARY—EUBEN E. BRADISH.

Reuben E. Bradish, born April 11, 1844, passed away on December 26, 1926, aged 82 years, 8 months and 25 days. He was born and reared near Kildwile, Ionia county, Michigan. Spent his boyhood days and most of his life in this vicinity and surrounding country. He was a veteran of the Civil war. May 10, 1860 he was married to Emma-ott Weeks, who passed away on October 6, 1912. He leaves to mourn their loss one son, Carey E. Bradish, of Saginaw, one granddaughter, Mrs. Robert Bivins, of this city, and a sister, Mrs. Esther Newcombe, of Lowell, besides hosts of other relatives and friends.—(Belding Banner News.

OBITUARY—EUBEN E. BRADISH.

John S. Smith, formerly of Grand Rapids, passed away Tuesday at his home in Dearborn, Mr. Smith came to Michigan in the early sixties, settling with his family at Cascade. After his marriage he came to Grand Rapids, where he had lived until he changed his residence to Dearborn, a few years ago. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Sarah Smith, and three children, Guy A. Smith, of Alliance, O.; Mrs. Don Provoencne, of Redford, Mich., and Mrs. Fred Emer, of Dearborn. The body will be brought here for burial and funeral services will be held at Cascade.—(Grand Rapids Herald.



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