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LOWELL, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1930

TWO ARE DEAD SIX INJURED INCAR CRASH data regular meeting of the Legion Monday night it was decided to investigate the advisability

SLEET-COVERED PAVEMENT
CAUSE OF ACCIDENT INVOLVING THREE CARS AND
A TRUCK ON U. S. 16—LOWELL OFFICERS AND AMBULANCES CALLED TO SCENE.

One man was killed outright, another received a skull fracture from which he died later, and six others were injured in an accident which involved three automobiles and a truck on U. S.

16 at the viaduct at Pratt lake, just over the line in Ionia county at about 5:15 last Thursday evening. The pavement was covered with sleet where the crash occurred.

The man killed was George

SLEET-COVERED PAVEMENT
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INWilliam Christiansen, who is chairman of the toy committee, reported that many toys had been collected and that men were going to re-condition them this week. The work will be done at Cook's plumbing shop. Any people who wish to donate toys should call Mr. Christiansen and he will call for them. The Scouts will assist in distributing the playthings at Christmas.

Commander Knapp and Adjutant Stryker gave their report of the state convention at Grand Rapids.

"Bat Whispers" Sets

Being a Collection of Various divisional General Interest

Everybody's looking more deheerful.

It is reported that the three or four cases of home brew, hidden on the roof of one of the blocks on Main street, was rescued before the recent freeze.

Youthful lovers in Lowell admit that the course of true love never runs smoothly, but we have a horrible opinion of the young man who breaks with his girl friend just before Christmas in order not to give her a presman of the sub-committee of the crime commission, is supporting a bill for public flogging of first of the sub-committee of the course of true love never runs smoothly, but we have a horrible opinion of the sub-committee of the crime commission, is supporting a bill for public flogging of first

the state convention at Grand Rapids.

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The man killed was George Wyma, a road commissioner of Allegan county. The man who received a skull fracture from which he died Saturday morning was Peter Ringold, of Grand Rapids, the others injured were his wife, Goldie M., his brother Harry, his sister, Wilma, and Glarence Hekhuis. George Bush, Benjamin Baker and John Sterilinger, of East Saugatuck; Abraham, Yun Anrooy, Petr Nyland, and Sangerous.

Although Deputy Sheriff Chas.

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Kangpo of Lowell, was unable to definitely ascertain the cause of the accident, he and Deputy Charles Lawyer, of Grand Rapids.

The thrill picture of the year will be stated they believed that a light delivery truck driven by Peter Ringold, who was driving east, collide head-on will an automobile driven by Mr. Van Anrooy, and the third motorcar driven by Mr. Datems, crashed into the rear of Mr. Van Anrooy, and the mind the motorcar driven by Mr. Datems, crashed into the rear of Mr. Van Anrooy, and the third motorcar driven by Mr. Datems, crashed into the rear of Mr. Van Anrooy, and the third motorcar driven by Mr. Datems, crashed into the rear of Mr. Van Anrooy, and the third motorcar driven by Mr. Datems, crashed into the rear of Mr. Van Anrooy, and the third motorcar driven by Mr. Datems, crashed into the rear of Mr. Van Anrooy, and the third motorcar driven by Mr. Datems, crashed into the rear of Mr. Van Anrooy, and the third motorcar driven by Mr. Datems, crashed into the rear of Mr. Van Anrooy, and the third motorcar driven by Mr. Datems, crashed into the rear of Mr. Van Anrooy, and the third motorcar driven by Mr. Datems, crashed into the rear of Mr. Van Anrooy, and the third motorcar driven by Mr. Datems, crashed into the rear of Mr. Van Anrooy, and the third motorcar driven by Mr. Datems, crashed into the rear of Mr. Van Anrooy, and the third motorcar driven by Mr. Datems, crashed into the rear of Mr. Van Anrooy, and the third motorcar driven by

Amateur Boxing May Be Sponsored By Amer. Legion

Ledger Entries

Being a Collection of Various Topics of Local and

The exploits of the Lowell Legion are well known. Much good will appreciate the Ledger's has been done. Unselfish service has been the watchword of

Sunshine



The Legion Auxiliary meets at he City hall next Monday evening, Dec. 15.

Read Houseman's Specials, p. 4.

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Musings and Amusings

By UNCLE MARCUS -

BRUCKER TALKS TO OLDER BOYS

NO. 29

ABRAHAM BLASER, 70, RE-

SPECTED GRATTAN RESIDENT

Abraham Blaser, a highly

ship, passed away Saturday, De-cember 6, at 8 o'clock p. m. at the

neumonia and complications, and age of 70 years, 7 months, an

nesday afternoon at the home f his son Fred at Alton at

lock, and at the Alton church

ciated; burial at the Alton

His wife preceded him in death Sept. 14, 1904. April 8, 1908, he was married to Mrs. Marie Gan-

HICKORY HOLLOW NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Orve Vander spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs Ernest Pinckney. Roy Fleming, Alice and Louise

Havener and friend spent Sunda at the W. H. Rickert home.

George Hardy spent Saturday night with Arthur Pinckney.
Miss Iva Rickert spent from Wednesday until Thursday night with Miss Mable Goff. While there they both attended the show in Ionia, Amos and Andy "In Check and Double Check."

Arthur Pinckney spent Sunday

Arthur Pinckney spent Sunday
with George Hardy.
Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Perry and
Lorna spent Wednesday evening
with Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hewitt
and family.
Arthur Pinckney visited his

who is very ill suffering with a

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rectaer's
Friday evening.
Arthur Pinckney and Lee Tefft
are cutting wood for Frank Vyverberg this week.
Earl Sanborn and Mable Goff
spent Thursday evening with
Guy and Iva Rickert.
Miss Irene Reusser, of Lowell,
spent Friday afternoon and night
with Miss Iva Rickert.

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Guy and Iva Rickert were Sunday callers of Ed. Vos.'
Mrs. B. A. Bacon and son Leonard, of Grand Rapids, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Heether.
Mrs. Fred O. Wingeler is spending a few days with Mrs. Dell Hardy and family.

nome of his son Hohn, in Hast-

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National Editorial Association

HOOVER SPEAKS HIS MIND

Those who have been clamoring for Hoover ready to speak his mind and fit his

"Not a dollar in the United States Treas-

American people like a two-fisted President, Herbert Hoover, President of the United there is reason for exultation. The Roose- States: hit harder or straighter from the shoulder majority of competent fathers."

President Hoover took the liberty of appointing a Secretary of Labor of his own choice, instead of selecting an appointee self to become careless."

"The American is so afraid of being meticulous in his speech that he allows himself to become careless." Federation of Labor. In his statement announcing the appointment of William N.

Doak, of West Virginia, who has been legislative agent for the Brotherhood of Railway

W. O. McGeehan, newspaper writer.

"The tragic part of it is that the undergraduates and the alumni still clamor for touchdowns instead of ethics." Trainmen, the President makes it clear that he resents what he regards as an attempt at Edwin B. George, chief of the Marketing dictation in the matter of appointments to Service Division of the Department of

nouncement of his intention to submit the hopelessly mortgaged." Word Court protocols to the Senate during this short session of Congress. In this he defied bloc government to do its worst. In Florida:

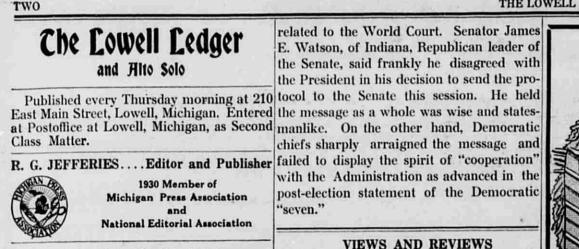
In both acts, he spoke his personal view, crowd." scorning the pussyfooters and politicians. Whether or not adherence of the United of and final action on the issue should not be Modern fairy tales: "It's good as new." longer delayed, and the President's disreagainst his own best political interests, is ap-suspect.

plauded by every right-thinking voter. Then there was the President's answer to the appeals from New York and Chicago to amateur magicians. racketeers for them. They were told very to wait for anything. promptly that disinfection, like charity, should begin at home. When offenses against Skating on thin ice is one way to keep 1931 Automobile the federal government are included among down the family expenses. derelictions over which the State has sole jurisdiction, the former will continue to see One of the main barriers to efficiency is that its own quarters are kept in order, but it will not undertake the entire necessary

they may have a majority. In this position the regular leaders of both parties are taking account of a business condition which fears the contentiousness and excitement inevitable in a Congress in which it is not quite

certain which party has a majority. President Hoover's annual message to the dividuals, is that they dream of a greatness two houses of Congress brought forth a to be thrust upon them, rather than to work flood of comment from Senators and mem-upon the opportunities around them.

bers of the House. In general the recommendations of the President to meet the un- Any idea that Mussolini follows the lead of employment situation and other features of American politicians must be abandoned in the message met with the warm approval of view of his decision to cut the pay of all gov-Republican leaders. The exception of this ernment workers.



"What They Say Whether Right or Wrong"

The Lowell Ledger, established June, Winston Churchill, British political leader: 1893, by Frank M. Johnson; The Alto Solo, established January, 1904. Consolidated papers just as the externillar feeds on the papers just as the caterpillar feeds on the green leaves."

William E. Borah, United States Senator

deeds to his words, both from the ranks of his admirers and the files of his calumniators, have no cause to complain in the light of work they cannot find." of recent events. If it be true that the

veltian ways are not Hoover ways, yet "T. R." in the pink of his fighting form seldom petent mothers. I am not so sure of the

than Herbert Hoover has done on three major occasions within a period of one week.

George Arliss, English actor, famed for good

The second article in President Hoover's "With all their open credit and installment declaration of independence was the an-committments the American people is not

this, as in his defiant appointment of Mr. "The public has the wrong idea about con-

Doak, he displayed the best sort of courage. gressmen. They're really a hard working NOTES AND COMMENTS

gard of the advice of politicians, possibly What mere man doesn't know, he doesn't Some men are nuisances and others are

Uncle Sam to look after their gangsters and Personally, we find it especially difficult



The trouble with most cities, like most in-



They All Guessed Right

His friends were discussing the question of what to buy him for Christmas.

Silence! Perplexity! Then someone suggested shopping at his favorite shop---COONS. They came, they saw, and they conquered the difficulty. And they all guessed right. Some of the guesses:

Broadcloth Pajamas\$	3.00
Leather Slippers	2.45
Bath Robes	5.50
Silk 4-in-Hands	1.50
Sweater Jackets	4.00
Silk and Wool Hose	.75
Silk Reefers	3.00
Leather Windbreakers	10.85
Broadcloth Shirts	2.50
Auto Robes	5.50
Traveling Cases	5.95
Silk Square Mufflers	2.50
Imported Wool Reefers	2.50
Pigskin Gloves	3.50
Linen Handkerchiefs	.35



License Plates
On Sale Dec. 13

Mrs. Thompson and daughter, of Grand Rapids, were Saturday evening callers at the Tom Read home.

The German and English M. E., and the Congregational churches

In the standard of the standar

day morning delivering a forceful sermon.

Our pastor, Rev. James Bailard is in poor health and has gone to Philadelphia this week for an examination at the Pere Marquette railroad clinic.

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The play given by the P. T. A. at the Grange hall last Friday evening was very well presented. Every part in the cast was ably given while Mrs. Arthur Dunn as Madame Warbler certainly was fine at reaching high notes and holding them.

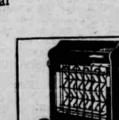
Mr. and Mrs. William Hesche, Mrs. Helen Reynolds and Mrs. Emma Dalstra attended the West Lowell Ladies' Aid held at the home of Mrs. Almira Jay last Wednesday.

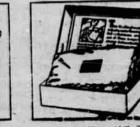
Hardy and family.

Miss Lucille Hardy spent Thursday night with Virginia Humphrey, of Saranac.

This Friday night is the Keene dance, Dec. 12th. Everybody

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Lowell Municipal Light & Water Plant

HOYT'S KORNER Ask the Coal Mar

Published in Interest of Lowell and Vicinity Edited by M. D. Hoyt,

The molder ain't makin' as much as he might.
The boss at the furnace says business is light.
The business is light, so the figgers reveal,
Because certain people ain't buyin' much steel.
It seems that the factories makin' the cars
Ain't buyin' as many of sheets and of bars.
They say that one resear the business has slid The lumberman says that he had to slow down Until there's more buildin' in this here man's town, Until there's more buildin' in this here man's town.
The builders are waitin' the reason is plain,
Till people start buildin' them houses again.
We're all standin' waiting, but waitin' for what?
Well, some say it's one thing, and others say not.
I talked it all over and said to my spouse,
"I wish that that molder would build him a house."
The fellow who built it would buy him a board,
Then the men who sell lumber a car could afford,
The man who builds cars then would have to buy sheets,
And the steel maker then would stop walkin' the streets.
The furnace would start, as it's started before,
And the molder, of course, would be makin' much more,
In fact, make so much, in that kind of a case,
He'd soon have it paid for, his own little place.

From Am. Lumberman

Speaking of startling experiences, that fellow who went to the electric chair the other day in New York no doubt got the shock of his life.

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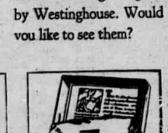
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Anyone knows that where the gift Appliances." For instance, what problem centers in a home, no mere could serve more purposes and be as man can fill the bill. Let old Santa convenient to use as a graceful Cozy park up his trains and dolls and Glow or a Portable Room Heater? cowboy suits. He'll have more than A Warming Pad of fluffy softness is enough to do looking after the a comfort on any zero night or durkiddies. Where grown ups are coning any time of sickness. And a cerned, listen to one who knows. shining, new curling iron will speak

"In this modern age," says Mrs. your thoughtfulness every day for Santa Claus, "noother gifts combine versatility with beautyand usefulness as do



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ens of such delightful gifts,

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OUR

MESSAGE

As a continuation of this service do no fail to remember the sale of Automobile License Plates at this bank on Saturday Dec. 13, from 4:00 o'clock p. m. until 9 p. m

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This and That From Around

Fred Swarthout made a busi ness trip to Lansing Monday. Henry Weaver spent the weekend home from Olivet college. Raymond B. Avery spent the week-end with friends in Ann

day dinner guests of Martin Hoxie.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe DeBoer and Miss Genevieve Karnoelje, of Grand Rapids, were Sunday evening dinner guests at the Peter Mulder home.

Friday Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Fineis motored to Lansing to visit her sister, Mrs. Oscar Rise who recently underwent an operation in a hospital of that city.

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The Union Epworth League

We Wish to thank the neighbors and friends for the beautiful floral gifts, and Rev. Van Den bors and friends for the beautiful floral gifts, and Rev. Van Den bors and friends for the beautiful floral gifts, and Rev. Van Den bors and friends for the beautiful floral gifts, and Rev. Van Den bors and friends for the beautiful floral gifts, and Rev. Van Den bors and friends for the beautiful floral gifts, and Rev. Van Den bors and friends for the beautiful floral gifts, and Rev. Van Den bors and friends for the beautiful floral gifts, and Rev. Van Den bors and friends for the beautiful floral gifts, and Rev. Van Den bors and friends for the beautiful floral gifts, and Rev. Van Den bors and friends for the beautiful floral gifts, and Rev. Van Den bors and friends for the beautiful floral gifts, and Rev. Van Den bors and friends for the beautiful floral gifts, and Rev. Van Den bors and friends for the beautiful floral gifts, and Rev. Van Den bors and friends for the beautiful floral gifts, and Rev. Van Den bors and friends for the beautiful floral gif

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Inez Louise Cole, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cole will hold its annual Christmas party at 7:30 in the First Methodist church Tuesday, Dec. 16.

A rousing time is assured to all through the activities of the efficient committees, who have been and son Junior, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sherwood and son Junior, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Cosning with Mr. and Mrs. Will Cosning with Mr. and Mrs. Will Cosning with Mr. and Mrs. Ozi Pardee, of Bowne Center.

PARTY DEC. 16!

The Union Epworth League will hold its annual Christmas GREETINGS

We meet at 6:30 p. m. for a pot luck supper and a social hour.

We have had word from Santa Claus that he will be at the Confine line of Christmas greeting from those wishing something distinctive and of a personthing dis

dee, of Bowne Center. Those wishing to contribute to the Santa Claus girls fund will find pencil and pad at the Lowell State bank. This work is spon-sered by the Lowell Woman's

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Wingster and Mrs. Sarah Morse spent Sun-day in Lansing with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sissem. Mrs. Morse re-mained for a longer visit. Mrs. Caroline Coulter, Mrs. d J. Yeiter and Harold Yeiter a tended the funeral of the former's brother-in-taw, Adar Gackler, in Freeport Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brezina entertained with a bridge dinner at their home Thursday evening, Dec. 4. Mrs. Archart and Mrs. Wachterhouser carried off the honors of the evening.

The Rebekah lodge is giving a "White Elephant" party for the members and their families at their lodge rooms Dec. 16. Each member to bring a gift not to exceed twenty-five cents worth. The Woman's Missionary society will hold their monthly meeting with Mrs. Caroline Coulter, Friday, Dec. 12, A good attendance is desired as the women dre presering (boxes to be en are preparing /boxes to be sent to Esther Hall, Grand Rap-ids, Dickson Home Missions and Epworth School for Girls, Web-ster Grove, Mo. The articles asked for are needles, pins, elastic tape, towels, pillow slips, et It is not alone for those who be

long to the society but for all who are willing to help in a

Nice Christmas cards, 6 in a box for 10c, at Henry's drug

worthy cause.

Lowell Items SPECIAL of 25, 30 and Sat'day, Dec. 13 35 Years Ago at Cong'l Parish House

December 6, 1895-35 Years Ag Messrs, Peckham and Flanagar bought the Kopf mill and factor Kopf Brothers sold their furn G. V. McConnell & Co., of Ceds

Arbor.

Dorothy Burt and Evelyn Borgerson spent Wednesday in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Margaret Staal spent Monday in Ionia.

Mrs. John Henry, of Muskegon, spent Friday with Mrs. Peter Mulder.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Fineis were business visitors in Battle Creek Tuesday.

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A. F. Jay, of Ionia, spent Monday with his daughter, Mrs. Howard is quite ill and under the care of Dr. Lee.

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Little Bessie Rauch, aged 9, kicked on the knee by school boy, taken to Grand Rapids hospital where the limb was amputated above the knee.

BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday school, 10:30.

Preaching services, 11:30.

Destre Loomis, of Ionis, was a Sunday dumer great at the Frank, Mr, and Mr. F. F. Coox and W. T. Burch left this, week for distriction, giests of Mr. and Mrs. Little Bessel. Based, and controlled the state of the

CHICKEN DINNER

Tuesday, Dec. 16

5:30 to 8:00

Christmas spirit.
A. B. Lemke, pastor.

ALTO BAPTIST CHURCH

M. E. CHURCH-ALTO CHARGE

Services Sunday: Alto Church—10:00 a. m. Pub-lic worship. Preaching by the

South Lowell church—10:30 a.

Sunday school. You are i

ited. 7:00 p. m. Song service. Gos-

pel preaching. Charles A. Lohnes, pastor.

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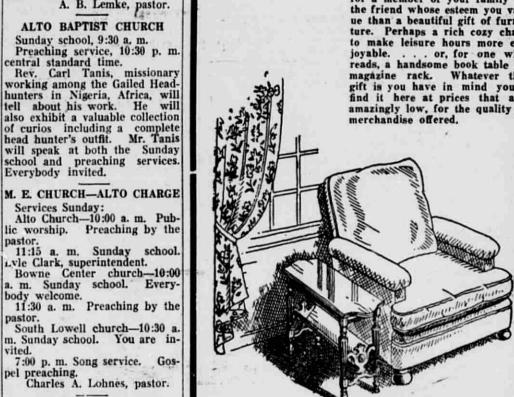
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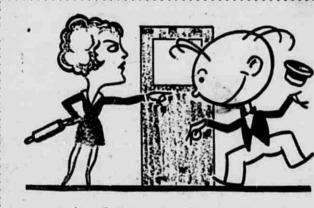
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Tuesday, Dec. 16.— Edward
Jackson, East Caledonia, 17 head
registered and pure bred hersey
cattle to highest bidder.
Thursday Dec. 18—lake Van
Houten, Leighton. General sale
with fourteen cattle, some Guern-

Council Proceedings

a Meal Out home cooking prevails prices are reasonable and and restful. Come here

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On motion by Trustee Day, supported by Trustee Doyle, the above bills were allowed and ordered paid. Yeas 5. Carried. Roll call.

O. J. Brezina.

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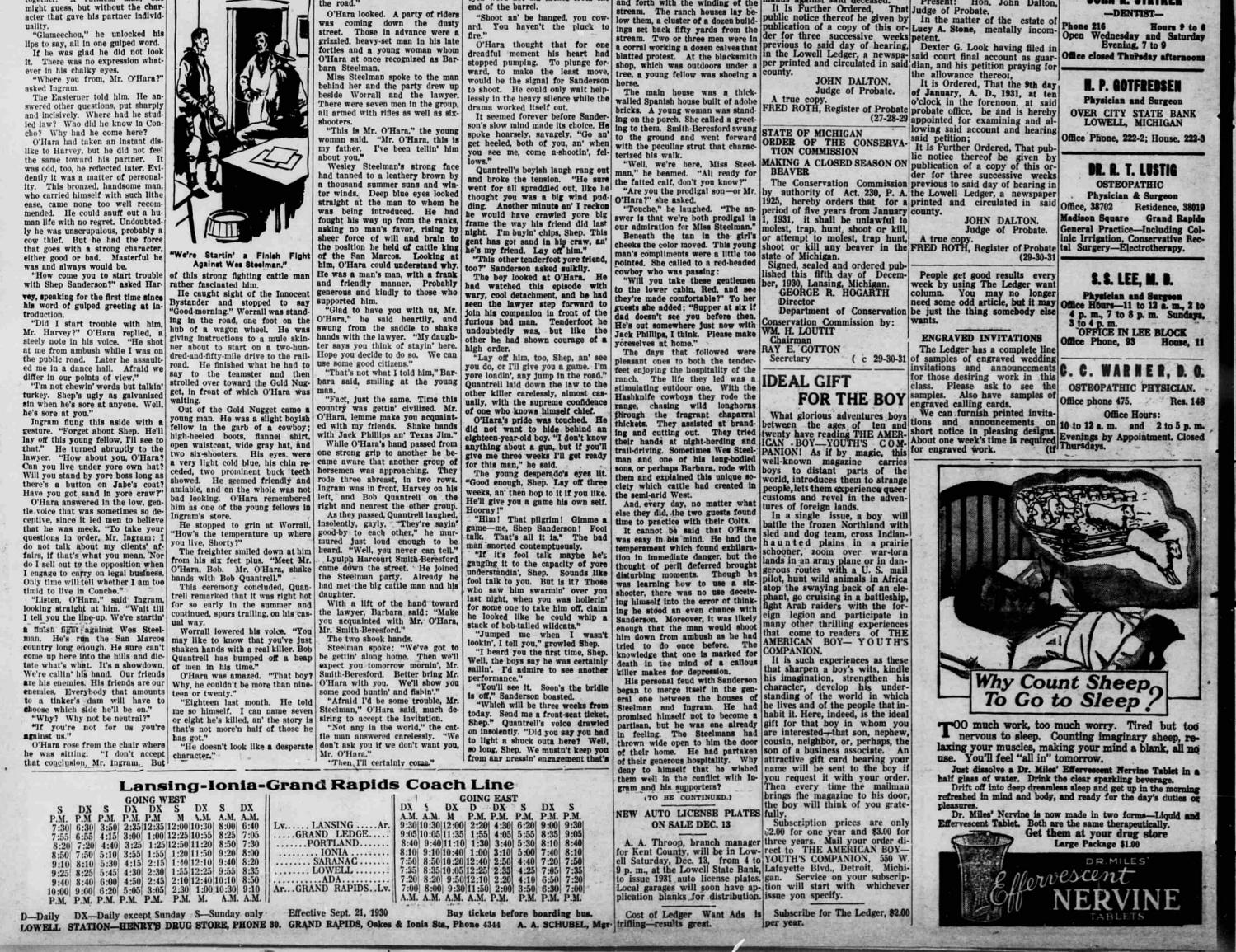
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Right Now-Right in the height of the Holiday Season you can buy your Christmas Gifts and Needs at Your

Own Price.



Sale starts next Saturday morning, Dec. 13, and continues until all is sold..... Improve the Opportunity! Be on Hand Early!

The business depression has forced me to file a trust mortgage in favor of my creditors. Every article in my store, consisting of

SILVERWARE, RADIOS, SPORTING GOODS, GUNS,

ALL TO BE SOLD REGARDLESS OF COST

Everything Goes!

Haven't room here to quote everything, but the following prices will give you an idea of the Great Slaughter on Everything.



One new 1930 Zenith Radio, regular price \$176.50, slaughtered at......\$119.00 One-Day Fan, all-electric, in beautiful walnut One Day Fan, Battery type, cut to\$35.00

One Atwater-Kent in cabinet at.....\$25.00
A miscellaneous lot of radios, less batteries
and speakers, \$5.00 each. Tubes, all new stock, at 25% off.

One used Upright Phonograph for\$15.00 All Records, 29c each

The beautiful cameos of our grandmother's day are back in style. We have many to choose Genuine Cameo, solid gold, mtg., \$6 value for..\$2.95 Genuine Cameo, solid gold, mtg., \$7 value for...\$3.95 Genuine Cameo, solid gold, mtg., \$5 value for...\$2.95 Big assortment of solid and gold filled pins at almost

CAMEOS

SEWING MACHINES White Sewing Machines, all new, regular prices \$95 to \$115, slashed at......\$45.00
One All-electric Sewing Machine, cabinet model, brand new, yours for\$58.00

EVEREADY FLASHLIGHTS Complete with battery at...... 59c Electric Coffee Pot for\$1.50

Fishing Tackle, 40% Discount



RINGS! 500 solid gold rings to be sold regardless of value! Ladies' diamond ring in white gold mounting, Solid gold rings, values \$3 to \$5, at...... Solid gold rings, values to \$10, at.....\$4.95 All Men's Rings at Same Reductions

NEARLY 100 WATCHES AT UNHEARD-OF PRICES



PHONOGRAPHS

One Brunswick Phonograph, new, never out of our store, original price \$350, Yours for\$55.00

One Brunswick Console, new, regular price \$150

Yours for\$55.00

Six ladies' genuine Americus wrist watches, reg. price, \$12.50, at\$6.95

\$22.50 ladies' wrist watch at\$11.50

\$45.00 ladies' wrist watch at\$22.50

\$25.00 ladies wrist watch at\$22.50 Ladies' Watches

Men's 12-size Watches Elgin, \$27.50 value at.....\$15.00 Men's Strap Watches

Gen. Americus, \$27.50 value at...... Gen. Americus, \$20 value at..... And Many Others

COOKING RANGES Be sure to see the finest thing in cooking ranges—the famous Garland built especially for using Shellane gas. On sale by Walter Kropf at this store.

LADIES' **TOILET SETS**

One combination brush and mirror, large bevel plate, beautifully made, \$12 value at.......\$7.50 One set with comb, brush, mirror, etc., \$15 value

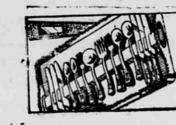
PEARL NECKLACES String of pearls, \$15 value for ... String of pearls, \$10 value for . . Pearl and Crystal necklace, \$7 value at......\$2.95

Mahogany Mantle Clocks, \$12.50 value at.....\$6.95 Imitation Mahogany Mantle Clock, special at....\$3.95 8-day Oak Kitchen Clock, with alarm, \$6.50 val-Kitchen Wall Clocks, porcelain finish, at......\$1.45

A good assortment of beautiful boudoir clocks at ALARM CLOCKS, BIG REDUCTION **FOUNTAIN PENS**

Shaffer Fountain pen and pencil set, \$12 value at \$6.95 \$7.00 value Fountain pen at.....\$3.75 \$7.50 value Fountain pen at..... \$8.00 Gold Fountain pen at..... Other Fountain Pens as low as 79c.

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Knives and forks, \$7 value at...... \$3.50 Teaspoons at..... \$7.50 Butter Spreaders at..... \$7.50 Salad forks at \$3.50 Berry Spoons at \$3.00 Berry Spoons at..... Gold Meat Forks at....
Set Butter Knife and Sugar Shell at..... 2 Sets Hollow Knives and Forks, each..... Hollow Handle Bread Knife, \$4.50 value at.....\$2.75 Table Spoons, \$7.50 value at.....

A Number of Fine Pieces at Half Off Bread Trays—Child's Drinking Cups—Candle Sticks Sugar and Cream Sets-Glassware

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Expert 12-gauge Shells, box
Winchester Speed loads, box
16 and 20 gauge Shells, box
410 gage Shells, box Big Assortment to Choose From

HUNTING COATS

\$7.50 Values at.....

POCKET KNIVES .\$5.00 | \$1.00 value at..... \$1.50 value at.....

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The purpose of this sale is to raise money for the creditors. For that reason everything must be cash and everything will be sold at from 25% to 50% less than regular. The store will be closed all day Thursday and Friday to mark down goods and arrange for the sale.

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Sausage, lb	15c
Beef Roast, lb	17c
Beef Ribs, lb	12c
5 lb. Pail Honey	59c
Fresh Picnic, Lean, lb Michigan Pork (6-8 lb. average)	15c

WEAVER'S MARKET

Perhaps the reason Christmas shopping for grown-ups seems so difficult is that we are all children enough at heart to wish our gifts to say "Merry Christmas" as happily and surely as our toy filled stockings once did.

Anticipating this Looks have displayed a most complete line of Christmas Merchandise, each gift as symbolic of the tletoe, priced five cents to five dollarsyet all with that distinction and even yet all with that distinction are all with the even yet all with the e yet all with that distinction and excellence which for 50 years have characterized Looks as the outstanding gift store.

A visit will make your Christmas a success. If you cannot come, we can shop for you.

Look's Drug Store LOWELL, MICH.

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SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

Lighthouse Cleansers, was 10c each, now 7 for25c
Real Value Green Japan Tea, 1 lb
All Heinz 10c Can Goods, 3 cans for24c

40-Fathom Fish--The genuine, fresh from the sea, every Wednesday, packed in ice, freshness guaranteed. You can now bank on your delicious fish dinner and know it will be a success.

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Lowell, Mich.

This and That

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. La Brique, of Grand Rapids, were Saturday af-ternoon and evening guests at the

Myrle Kingdom home. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Behler and children, of Lake Odessa, were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Keil.

Mrs. Chet Leary accompanied her son, Verne Leary and wife, of Hastings, to Grand Rapids, and spent Friday in that city. Carl Rittenger and family, of

Grand Rapids, were Sunday eve-ning guests of his brother, How-ard Rittenger and family. Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Wier-

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Lewis and children, of Grand Rapids spent the week-end with her people,

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Morse. Winter months in Grand Rapids with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wood-worth. Mrs. Ben Soules is spending the

Wm. Foster and wife, of Mar-shall, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Foster, of Hickory Corners, were Sunday visitors at the W. J. Fos-

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gibson son were Sunday dinner and afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Gibson at their home in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. V. A. Snell and Mrs. Rob-ert Hahn spent Thursday in Grand Rapids and had luncheon at the Woman's City club with Mrs. J. B. Nicholson and Miss Es-

Mrs. Harry Anderson and Glenn Carey drove to Grand Rapids Saturday and visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Osbourn and John Carey and family and called on other

Mrs. John Henry, of Muskegon, spent from Wednesday to Sunday with Mrs. Willard Dennie. Mr. Henry was a Sunday dinner guest, his wife returning home with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Freyermuth visited her brother, Frank Keil, and family in Jackson, Sunday, finding him able to sit at the din-ner table after a serious illness of six weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Burns and mother, Mrs. Ella Beckey, of Ionia, with Mr. and Mrs. Al. Morse, motored to Otsego Sunday and visited their daughter, Mrs. Willard Hall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Kuhn, of Grand Rapids, former Lowell business people were Sunday guests of W. and Mrs. Fred Gramer. They report their mother, Mrs. Hiscutt in very poor health. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Laux Saturday, Dec. 6, an 8½1b son, William Bryce, at the home of Mrs. Lena Lauz. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Laux are very proud over the fact that they are grandparant.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shuter en-tertained with a bridge luncheon Wednesday evening for the pleas-ure of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Fineis, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ruther-ford and Mr. and Mrs. Norman

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Henry were in Greenville Monday to attend the burial of Mr. Henry's uncle, Chas. Locey, who died Friday at Sparta where he had lived many years. Mr. Locey was 88 years of age and was known as "Sparta's Grand Old Man." He formerly lived in Greenville. erly lived in Greenville.

Toilet sets suitable for the men, women, boys and girls, at reasonable prices. Henry's drug

Notice, Vergennes Taxpayers I will be at the City State Bank, Lowell, every Saturday to and including Saturday, Jan. 10, 1931, to receive and receipt for town-ship taxes. T. E. Bailey, c28-3t Vergennes Tp. Treas.

Mrs. Vina Watson, of Alto, pent Tuesday afternoon with her aunt, Mrs. K. Sweet. BURT-BRIGGS WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dowling and children motored to Belding Sunday and were guests of Mrs. Minnie Pickard.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fahrni entertained for their Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Earl Church and Mrs. Earl Church and Clarksville.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Church and M the onlookers as well as the participants. A sumptuous buffet
luncheon was served and the
company left at a late hour with
hearty good wishes to our hosts,
the Miller family.

One Who Was There.

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Adults 50c Children under 12, 25c

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This and That
From Around
The Old Town

Mrs. Robert Hahn spent Monday in Grand Rapids.

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Mrs. Cora Foster spent her Thanksgiving recess with friends in Detroit.

Mrs. Maggie Leece and James Sweet were supper guests of the Mrs. Maggie Leece and James Sweet were supper guests of the Mrs. And Mrs. F. A. Gould visited Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Gould visited Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Gould visited Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cooper, of Sebewa, Sunday.

Mrs. Vina Watson, of Alto, was the John The Old Town

Mrs. K. Sweet.

You will be interested in the Houseman grocery and meat adv. On page 4. Be sure to read it.
Opal Dintaman, of Alto, was Briggs, of South Boston, were arried at St. Thomas Parish House, Grand Rapids, Dec. 8. The Mrs. Maggie Leece and James Sweet recent guests at the John Layer.

Mrs. Naggie Leece and James Sweet were supper guests of the Immediate families. The bride was beautiful in a gown of Peloskey.

Mrs. And Mrs. F. A. Gould visited Mrs. Donald Cameron, of Wyandotte, a 6¾ lb. girl—day in Grand Rapids.

Russell Carr and wife were Sunday guests of his parents, and Mrs. Neil Cameron, in Low-and Mrs. Lawrence Maxson

MILLERS SURPRISED

Mrs. Vina Watson, of Alto, was the devited with Mrs. Housed with Mrs. House Grand Mrs. House Grand Rapids, brother-in-law and sister of the groom acted as best man. After the ceremony the bridal party retired to the home for Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fran, of Grand Rapids, brother-in-law and sister of the groom, where a reception was held with about fifty guests present.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Maxson

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\$5.50 To stir things up I will sell the Suits for \$21.50 and the extra pants for \$1.00. You will get a \$27.00 Suit and extra pants for

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The Bat Whispers"

Based upon a stage play by Mary Roberts Rinehart and Avery Hopwood which was produced by Wagenhals and Kemper.

--Coming--

HAROLD BELL WRIGHTS

Russell Carr and wife were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Eugene Carr.
Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Masson
and son visited her parents in
Grand Rapids over the week-end.
Mrs. Walter Yardley spent Satdaughter, Mrs. H. A. La Brique,
ered at the nearby home of Mr.
Mrs. Hatte Davis, Mrs. Byron
Frost and Mrs. Edith De Vries
spent Monday in Grand Rapids,
Mrs. Hatte Davis, Mrs. Byron
Spent Monday in Grand Rapids,
Mrs. Thomas Walsh, of Ionia,
Was a week-end visitor of her
son, Howard Walsh and family.
Mrs. Lida Kyser spent Wednesday afternoon in Saranae with
her sister, Mrs. Walter Trumbull,
The Junior Literary club was
itior at the Russell J. Masson
home.
Mr. and Mrs. Ford
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Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Little visited at the Custer Sargeant home Thursday evening.

Read Houseman's Specials, p. 4

Favorite Bible Passages -07-

Lillian M. Gilbreth iccessful Consulting Engineer; Mother of Eleven; Honorary Member, Society of Industrial

I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help. My help cometh from the Lord, which made heaven and earth. He will not suffer my foot to be moved: He that keepeth thee will not slumber. Behold, He that keepeth Israel shall neither slumber nor

The Lord is thy keeper: the Lord is thy shade upon thy right hand. The sun shall not smite thee by day, nor the moon by night. The Lord shall preserve thee from all evil; he shall preserve thy soul. The Lord shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in from this time forth, and even for evermore.—Psalm 121.

The Beatitudes. - Matthew (Compiled by the Bible Guild.)

MICKIE SAYS-

ALL AUTOMOBILE WILL RUN
TWO WAYS - FORWARD AND
BACKWARD. SO WILL YOUR
BUSINESS, AND WHEN YOU
QUIT ADVERTISING, YOU ARE
THROWING IT INTO
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LOOKS ON THE GUNNY
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HAVE ITS GLOOM, BUT YOU
NEVER GRE A BOOSTER
GOING AROUND BELLERING ABOUT IT



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