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M. N. HENRY NAMED IN CAUCUS OF 500

Selected for Village President in Largest Caucus Ever Held Here—Shepard, Cook, Day Named For Village Council. Kropf For Treasurer

What is declared to be the largest and warmest caucus ever held in the village of Lowell was held in the City Hall last Monday evening, upwards of 500 people being present and nearly 400 votes cast. Honors for the evening went to M. N. Henry, who advanced from third place on the first ballot in a field of eighteen, to first place on the third ballot.



MYRON NORTON HENRY Named for Village President

The surprise of the evening came when V. E. Ashley who led on the first ballot and who had enough votes on the second ballot to win the nomination, announced that he was sorry but could not accept.

The balloting started with four tellers, but the voting was so heavy that chairman Runciman sent out an O. S. call for a motion authorizing the naming of four additional tellers, R. E. Springett answered the call with a motion to that effect.

Here's the story in detail: Caucuses called by committee chairman, W. J. Kropf, C. H. Runciman chosen caucus chairman and N. E. Borgerson, secretary. Eight tellers appointed as follows: Floyd Sied, O. J. Yeiter, Wm. Christiansen, F. F. Coons, W. C. Doyle, D. A. Wingeier, J. R. Bergin, A. Zweimer.

Philip Harey, supported by Arthur Armstrong, moved for an informal ballot for village president and the ballot resulted as follows, 367 votes being cast: V. E. Ashley, 108; Earl Thomas, 92; M. N. Henry, 60; Elmer White, 23; Harry Day, 22; Charles Doyle, 21; C. H. Runciman, 8; O. J. Yeiter, 7; John Archart, 5; H. D. Hahn, 4; P. C. Peckham, 3; H. J. Englehart, 3; F. F. Coons, 3; H. J. Coons, 2; C. W. Cook, 2; N. E. Borgerson, 2; H. L. Weekes, 1; John Miller, 1. No choice.

Second ballot—total vote 390: Ashley, 203; Thomas, 108; Henry, 60; balance scattering. Ashley was nominated but obtained the floor and declined to accept. Third ballot—Total vote 377: Henry, 223; Thomas, 108; Day, 29; balance scattering. Henry was nominated over his protests.

O. J. Brezina was named for village clerk, 191 votes to 167 for Elmer White. Chris. Bergin was nominated for village assessor and W. J. Kropf for village treasurer, both without opposition.

The three trustees nominated were Harry Day, C. W. Cook and Dr. B. H. Shepard.

On motion the chairman appointed the following village committee: N. E. Borgerson, F. F. Coons, Mabel Shepard.

This year's caucus required about two hours of time to perform its work. It was a truly democratic gathering, exemplifying the spirit and interest that should always be shown in political affairs. Lack of interest prevailed a year ago and the caucus was in session but a few minutes.

3-Star Picture Starts Sunday At the Strand

"Morocco" is a stirring story of the Foreign Legion

In bringing to the American screen for the first time the flaming personality of Marlene Dietrich, co-starred with Gary Cooper and Adolph Menjou, the latest Paramount release, "Morocco" is a tense picture of red-blooded action, heart stirring thrills and fiery desert loves.

The story has as its background the famous French Foreign Legion in the romantic region of northern Africa and permeating through the entire performance is the cruel, relentless and mysterious Sahara, its parched, searing breath all but felt.

We recall the thrilling adventures of "Beau Geste," the amazing action of "Beau Sabreur," and we still accord our highest praise to "Morocco" it is stunningly real; compellingly human and supreme in its acting.

Do not forget the dates—it's at the Strand Sunday and Monday only.

The Welfare Union Says Thanks to Kindly Folks Who Contribute

Responding to the appeal last week by Superintendent Ganser, a number of contributions have been added to the Welfare Union fund for the relief of needy families. The treasurer is pleased to report the following gifts, and to urge our citizens to keep up the good work. As yet we have not conscripted anybody, but still call for volunteers. It is fine for those who have to give something to those who have not. The more we get the more good the Welfare Union can do, and there are many who need our help. Look through your ward robes and trunks again and see if there is not a suit of clothes, a dress, sweater, coat or cloak, some serviceable underwear or some children's clothing that your children have outgrown, or some foot-wear, and

LEONE DOWLING HAPPY IN SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND

Leone Dowling, 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dowling, was home over Sunday from the School for the Blind in Lansing, which she entered about a month ago.

Early Morning Fire Destroys Farm Dwelling

The farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kinsley, about two miles southeast of Lowell, burned to the ground about 2 o'clock this (Thursday) morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Kinsley and their two daughters, Katherine and Helen, escaped in their night clothes. The flames had made such headway before being discovered that only two neighbors were able to get to the scene of the fire to give assistance.

Only a part of the household goods were saved. The house was insured but the contents were not insured.

Everything appeared to be all right when the family retired about 11 o'clock. At about 2 o'clock Mrs. Kinsley was awakened by a peculiar noise and on investigation found the upper part of the house in flames.

Despite his illness Mr. Kinsley worked with his wife and daughters in saving what they could of the contents. Every time they entered the house it was at great risk from falling timbers enveloped in flames.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Stone were returning from Saranac when they saw reflection of a fire in the direction of the Kinsley home. They drove over and brought the members of the Kinsley family to their home in Lowell.

Mr. Kinsley has been ill for a few days and is now confined to a bed at the Stone home.

Mr. and Mrs. Kinsley have the sympathy of all in their loss.

Frank M. Sparks Speaks Here Mar. 4

Through the efforts of the Lowell Woman's Club, Frank M. Sparks, editorial writer of the Grand Rapids Herald, will be here on Wednesday, March 4, and deliver an address. His subject will be "Michigan Politically."

Editor Sparks always draws a large audience whenever he speaks in Lowell. For this reason the Woman's Club has arranged for an evening meeting, 8 o'clock, at the City Hall, which will be open to the general public.

Clam Licenses In Kent-Ionia Totaled 1,046

The Department of Conservation issued 2,400 clam licenses during the year 1930, an increase of 30 per cent over the previous year.

According to license sales, as reported by agents the Grand River system through Ionia and Kent Counties is the most popular clamming site in the state.

Agents issued 1,046 licenses in these two counties alone. Four hundred and twenty licenses were issued in St. Joseph County. Other counties in which clamming licenses were purchased were: Allegan, Berrien, Mecosta, Montcalm, Newaygo and Oshtemo.

Although a constant increase in the number of those engaged in the clamming industry in Michigan has been observed for the past several years, the increase in 1930 over 1929 was unusually large. The unemployment situation is believed to have caused large numbers to turn to clamming for a livelihood.

Resident clam licenses were sold for \$1.00 and non-resident licenses for \$5.00.

Clamming is permitted in Michigan through the year except for the months of April, May and June.

NEW BUS SCHEDULE

Elsewhere in The Ledger will be found the official bus schedule of the Lansing-Ionia-Grand Rapids coach line. This schedule has been re-arranged so that anyone can readily read the arrivals and departures from Lowell. The station stop here is at Henry's drug store.

What Are We Going to Do About It?



KENT COUNTY OLDER BOYS MEET HERE

THREE DAYS' CONFERENCE ON APRIL 10, 11, 12—ALL COUNTY HIGH SCHOOLS TO SEND DELEGATES—GENERAL CHAIRMAN CHARLES DOYLE NAMES CHAIRMEN.

The annual Kent County Older Boys' Conference will be held in Lowell this year on April 10, 11, and 12. All the County High Schools as well as the Grand Rapids High schools will send delegates. An enrollment of upwards of 100 delegates is expected.

The conference is under general auspices of the Grand Rapids Y. M. C. A.

A program of speakers, discussion groups, an opening banquet at the Methodist Episcopal church on Friday, April 10, with another big meeting at the Congregational church on the following evening, is being arranged.

Charles Doyle is general chairman of the conference. Mr. Doyle has announced the following committee chairmanships: Finance, Norman Borgerson; entertainment, Harvey Coons; and Lawrence Rutherford; publicity, W. W. Ganser; Friday evening banquet, C. H. Runciman; recreation, John Archart; meals, P. C. Peckham; reception, William Van Vorst; committee secretary, C. H. Runciman, Jr.

The Boys Committee is composed of Thomas Doyle, John Stahl, C. H. Runciman, Jr., and Richard Peckham.

The membership of the various committees includes Mrs. C. H. Horn, Mrs. John Bannon, Miss

Abby Malcolm, C. H. Runciman, Harvey Coons, Gordon Frost, Rev. A. T. Carlund, W. W. Ganser, John Archart, Rev. John Claus, Rev. Earl J. Stevens, Norman Borgerson, Rev. A. B. Lemke, William Van Vorst, P. C. Peckham, Harry Day, Fred H. Swarthout and Lawrence Rutherford.

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The Ledger calls the attention of Lowell merchants to the above figures and suggests that arrangements be made with local people to park their cars elsewhere than on Main street, thereby giving out-of-town money a farther chance to be spent in the community.

The Lowell Board of Trade could interest itself in the matter to good purpose.

MUCK SOIL SCHOOLS SET FOR MONDAY

Fourth of the Series at Alto and Byron Center. At the Algoma Grange Hall on Tuesday. Farmers' Day at Kent City Thursday

The fourth of the series of muck soils schools that have been offered this year will be given next Monday, February 23rd, at Byron Center, Alto and Grand Rapids. The morning meeting will be held in the town hall at Byron Center at 9:30 o'clock slow time. At Alto Grange hall at 2:30 fast time and the Grand Rapids Y. M. C. A. in room 21 at 8:00 slow time. Dr. Paul Harmer, muck soil specialist will discuss barnyard and green manures and commercial fertilizers. These meetings have proved very valuable if attendance is any indication. At every meeting samples of muck soils have been brought in for testing and forty soil testing outfits have been distributed.

Farm Crops—Soils Meetings

An all day farm Crops-Soils meeting will be held at the Algoma Grange hall next Tuesday, February 24th. Farm crops problems will be discussed by R. E. Decker, extension specialist in farm crops at Michigan State college. Mr. Decker will talk on "Seed Varieties Adapted to Kent County" and "Emergency Hay Crops for 1931 in Kent County." County Agent Vining will give a brief discussion of the Kent County Soils Map and a report on soils work in Kent County.

There will be plenty of time for questions and discussion. Bring in samples of soil for testing and any samples of manure you want tested.

The meeting starts at 10:30 o'clock standard time. Everybody bring your lunch. Coffee furnished at noon.

A meeting similar to this will be held on Tuesday, March 3rd, at the Bowne Center Grange hall.

Harvard Cooperative Association

The Harvard Cooperative Association will hold their annual Winter membership meeting on Wednesday, February 25th at the Spencer Grange hall. On the program will be David Woodman, of the Michigan Farm Bureau.

Political Announcement

I wish to announce my candidacy for treasurer of the Township of Lowell. Your support will be appreciated.

Minnie Murphy, p 38-39 (Mrs. W. F. Murphy.)

Notice, Keene Tp. Taxpayers

I will be at the City State bank, Lowell, Mich., on Tuesday, Feb. 17, and Tuesday, Feb. 24, to receive and receipt for taxes.

Mrs. Evelyn Cahoon, c-38-39) Treasurer Keene Twp.

Ledger Entries

Being a Collection of Various Topics of Local and General Interest

Lot's wife had nothing on some of the lady drivers of today, thinks Marshal Fred Gramer. The former looked back and turned into a pillar of salt. The latter looked back and turned into an electric light pole.

Fifty-one thousand Michigan people had visual lessons in conservation last month through motion pictures loaned by the Department of Conservation. The Department now has nine reels in its library and more will be added before Spring.

Gelatin manufacturers want a public misconception corrected. Edible gelatin, they tell us, is not made from hoofs and horns. It comes from the connective tissue in the skins and the bones of edible animals. You may now eat your "wiggles" without a qualm, says the Ulica Sentinel.

Nearly three-fourths of the public revenue of Michigan, according to the recently published report fought with every commission, is yielded by the general property tax. Twenty per cent of the state's income, the report says, is spent on roads. The Govt act it admits to be working an injustice, and its amendment is recommended. It also brands our present system of tax laws as archaic.

Tourist Trade Value Shown; Survey Taken

A report from Henry Hill, assistant secretary of the Lions International, shows that last year forty-five millions of tourists spent approximately three and a half billion dollars on motor trips. The average motor tourist carries an average of three and one-third persons, passes through 17 towns and spends \$17.68, or an average of \$1.04 in each town. Parking space in front of business places is therefore very valuable sales space and should be left open at all times to tourists and people from the local trading territory.

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Seek Liquor Referendum

The House will vote Feb. 18 on the proposal to submit a statewide referendum on the question: "Do you favor the national prohibition law in its present form?"

With a vote in the House assured, attention turned to the Senate where Lieut. Gov. Dickinson, an ardent and sincere dry, presides. The proposal was expected to die in the Senate prohibition committee but a way to bring it to a vote was found when the Senate voted to send the resolution to the committee.

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Mrs. Earl Vosburg Wins Garden Prize

Mrs. Earl Vosburg, of Cascade township, has been made happy through word received from the Woman's Home Companion announcing her as the winner of second prize of \$30 in the national flower border contest conducted by that magazine.

Mrs. Vosburg's garden occupied about 60 square feet of space on a hillside near her home and last Summer was the mecca for many admiring visitors. Points were scored on selection of varieties, arrangement and culture.

Rep. At Dykstra has fathered a bill for the short ballot which would place only the governor on the state elective ballot, all other state officers being appointed at the hands of the governor. The people would be in a pretty pickle with all this appointive power in his hands. It's a safe bet that our own Deed Look won't be on the side of such a measure.

Three Arrested In Liquor Raids Here Last Night

Deputies from the office of Sheriff Fred Kelley and federal prohibition officers staged three raids in Lowell township Wednesday evening. They made three arrests and confiscated a considerable quantity of beer and alleged moonshine whiskey.

Those taken into custody were Walter Sharpinski, Oscar Shriver and Mrs. Grace Baldus. They will be arraigned in justice court today.

About 368 pints of beer were seized at Mrs. Baldus' place, while both beer and alleged moonshine whiskey were found at the other places raided.

It is declared that Sharpinski's police dogs failed to stop the officers at his place.

BANKS CLOSE MONDAY

The banks of Lowell will be closed next Monday, Feb. 23, on account of being a legal holiday, Washington's birthday. The law provides that when a legal holiday falls on Sunday, the day following shall be observed.

ENJOYS THE LEDGER

In renewing her subscription to The Ledger for another year, Mrs. Louis M. Douglass, of Clarksville, writes: "We enjoy the paper very much."

(The editor is grateful for kind words from subscribers.)

Political Announcement

To the voters of Lowell township: I will be a candidate for the nomination for Highway Commissioner at the coming caucus and will appreciate your support.

Leslie J. Rickner, p 36-5

PEOPLE MAY DECIDE ELECTRIC CHAIR BILL

Provides Referendum Vote at April Election But Proponents Oppose This Provision. Liquor Referendum Also Sought. Legislature 'Economy Minded'

Special Legislative Letter to the Lowell Ledger

"Economy" is the key word to the legislative proposals brought up during the fifth week of the session. Governor Brucker submitted a new budget, accompanied by a special message, in which he points out how his administration proposes to reduce the state property tax \$11,689,525 for the next two years.

The budget proposed by the last administration totalled \$35,975,985 for 1932 and \$30,172,181 for 1933, while the new proposals are for \$26,702,268 in 1932 and \$27,755,373 for the following year.

The difference is not entirely a reduction of expense but more a rearrangement of the financing plan.

New Sources Sought

While reductions of the property tax are proposed the Governor recommends that new sources of tax revenue be sought. He has endorsed the proposed age pension bill but has specified that the money to finance it must be raised by some special means of taxation and not placed as a burden upon general property.

Likewise the Turner bill providing \$2,000,000 for the "poorer" school districts must find new sources to tap. The funds for its payment were taken from the general fund but the 1929 legislature had anticipated that the money would be forthcoming from the cigar and malt taxes. Both these sources were ineffective, the cigar tax having been killed by a referendum vote and the other not bringing the amounts promised for it.

Two new sources have been proposed. One is that of Rep. Vern J. Brown, Mason, which would place a tax on bill boards, while a special tax of four cents a share on all stock exchange transactions is proposed in a bill submitted by Rep. William B. Wreford, Detroit.

Study Buying of Home Furnishings

At the fourth meeting of the project problems of the household buyer, the topic of discussion will be "The Economical Buying of Furnishings for the Home." Frieda Gilmore, specialist from Michigan State College, will have charge of the meetings.

The Lowell meeting will be held in the High school building on Friday, Feb. 27, at 10 a. m.

LOWELL BOWS TO ROCKFORD IN 12-11 GAME

GAME LOST IN LAST TWO MINUTES OF PLAY—FINEST SPORTSMANSHIP DISPLAYED—LOWELL MUST WIN NEXT TWO GAMES TO TAKE COUNTY HONORS

The Lowell basketballers were given a surprise party at Rockford last Friday when they were defeated 12-11. The reception was anything but pleasant in view of the fact that Lowell was scheduled to win by a comfortable margin. In justice to Mr. Finch, however, we must say that he half expected this surprise. The interesting feature of the school relations between Rockford and Lowell is the fact that either school is apt to spring an upset at anytime. The locals were ahead 3-2 at the end of the first quarter and coasted along to a 5-2 margin at the half. At the end of the third period the large delegations of fans became frantic as Rockford tied the score at seven all.

This was the first time that Rockford really threatened. Lowell immediately regained the lead and kept it until the final two minutes of play, when Rockford scored from midfield to take the lead 12-11.

The game was a hard one for the boys to lose inasmuch as they were ahead throughout most of the game. The battle, however, was free from rough tactics and the sportsmanship shown was of the highest type. This was the third defeat in the last four starts for Lowell and it is hoped that they will soon regain the winning habit.

There are two more county games remaining on the schedule and the boys will have to win both of them to take the county bunting. They will play at East Friday, and at Sparta a week from Friday.

Line-up and Summary:

Rockford
Ten Eyck..... 2 0 4
Fowle..... 1 0 2
Church..... 1 1 3
Baldwin..... 1 0 2
Jordan..... 0 0 0
Norman..... 0 1 1
Lowell
Ross..... 1 0 2
Stahl..... 0 0 0
Layser..... 1 4 6
Friesner..... 1 1 3
Johnson..... 0 0 0
Fouls committed: 3 5 11
Rockford 8.
Referee—Fisher.

Visitors Commend Melody Farms Dairy

Several men from the Michigan State Dairy Department have visited the Melody Farms Dairy during the past week, their interest being especially aroused as a result of the freedom from bacteria as shown by official inspections. The visitors pronounced Melody Farms Dairy one of the finest and commended the methods used to safeguard health.

ALL-DAY TRACTOR SCHOOL

An all-day tractor school with free lunch at noon will be held in Lowell next Wednesday, Feb. 25. Vern Good, local representative for the John Deere Co., expects a large attendance. Farmers are cordially invited to attend. The school will be held in the old theatre building opposite the Ledger office.

MARRIED

At St. Mary's church, Cascade, Tuesday morning, Feb. 17, Freda L. Story, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Story, of South Boston, was united in marriage to Leander Pitsch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Pitsch, of Alto. They were attended by Miss Louise Ryder and Roger Pitsch.

Political Announcement

To the citizens of Lowell township: I hereby announce my intentions of becoming a candidate for the office of Township Treasurer at the coming caucus. Your serious consideration and support will be highly appreciated at this time.

Elmer S. White, p 39-40)

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THE PEOPLE SHOULD SUPPORT THEMSELVES

In the early days of the Republic, it was longed that the less government we had so long as we were kept out of the hands of men from trampling upon the rights of another, and as long as the law would provide equal opportunity to all, the better off we were.

It was also the theory that the central government should not be centralized too much, but that the several states and subdivisions of states should be responsible not only for the government of the several subdivisions but also for the general needs of the nation.

It is the intimacy of contact that counts. The quality and appearance of weekly papers has been markedly bettered in recent years. The editors and publishers are moving in and assuming their heritage as never before.

Before the World War the French franc was valued at 19.3 cents gold. The present paper franc is only valued at 3.9 cents gold.

The French refuse to pay more than the present 3.9 cents per franc. The British protest and point out that in dealing with some smaller nations we are having a better deal than we are getting from France.

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G. K. Chesterton, British author: "We have had no good comic operas since the time when the real world has been more comic than any possible opera."

MICHIGAN WEEKLY PUBLISHERS

Some important guests of recent days had slipped away by noon today, or earlier, without having as much said in appreciation of their visit as they deserved.

The weekly publishers sandwiched their visit in between the supervisors and the farmers, so numerously in attendance at the banquet that the weekly press of Michigan is a highly important institution.

The importance of the weekly press is well attested by the marked increase in the value of the properties represented, which has come about in recent years.

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POONS PRICES CUT FOR IMMEDIATE CLEARANCE ON ALL WINTER CLOTHING

Overcoats, Suits, Underwear, Flannel Shirts, Heavy Trousers, Sheepskin and Leather Coats

Interesting Farm Women

The Ledger is indebted to the home in Ionia county near Lowell and the early home environment has followed down through the generations.

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BUS SCHEDULE LOWELL, MICH. Our Time DAILY EAST WEST

FARM NEWS

Farm Account Books: For farm account books were checked in by Kent County farmers and representatives from the Farm Management Dept. at Michigan State College last week.

Kent City Farmer's Day: The annual Farmer's Day sponsored by the business men of Kent City, Michigan, will be held this year on the auditorium, the morning of February 28th.

Jersey Breeders: The annual meeting of the Kent County Jersey Breeders' Association will be held Friday, February 27th at the Grand Rapids Y. M. C. A. The directors have been active in a public way.

Vacations at Home: Having a lake on their farm they have devised a way whereby they can have a vacation and still remain at home and attend to their business.

NOT REDESIGNED: It is an error that Mrs. Marguerite Wynmans has resigned her position in Keene. Mrs. Helen Robert Bittenger and her family are moving to Lowell.

HICKORY HOLLOW NEWS: Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Bigley spent Sunday evening with Roy Fleming and family.

MURRAY LAKE—MOSELLE: Richard Dyke and wife of Ionia, and Martin Dyke, of Coopersville, spent Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Gladys and sons, Lee and Frank, of Grand Rapids.

Red Letter Days: Mrs. Lee speaks of "sugaring off" days as the red letter ones of her years, for they not only were filled with the joy of all family new shoes and more books.

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This and That From Around the Old Town

B. J. Whipple, of Greenville, was in Lowell Thursday.

Charles Knapp was in Grand Rapids on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Nelson were in Grand Rapids on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Miller spent the week-end with relatives in Lowell.

Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Huntley of Ionia, called on Lowell friends Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lutz and family of Ionia, spent Sunday in Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Laux attended the funeral of Mrs. L. A. Laux, of Grand Rapids, Saturday afternoon.

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Church Notices

All Kinds Home-Made FUDGE 15c lb.

H. C. Scott Home of Good Home-Made Candies

Stiles Best Shoppe

Lowell Items of 25, 30 and 35 Years Ago

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE: Christian Science services are held every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH: The Gospel Crusade meetings will begin every night, except Sunday, beginning with the song service at 7:30 o'clock.

GERMAN A. E. CHURCH: There will be no services in the German A. E. Church, on Sunday, Feb. 21, 1931.

BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES: Sunday school, 10:30. Preaching, 11:30.

ADVENTIST CHURCH: Series of Bible studies given every Saturday afternoon at 2 p. m. at the Woodman hall.

Cough and Cold Remedies

Don't let that cold get the start of you. When the first symptom appears, be ready for it and give it a dose of

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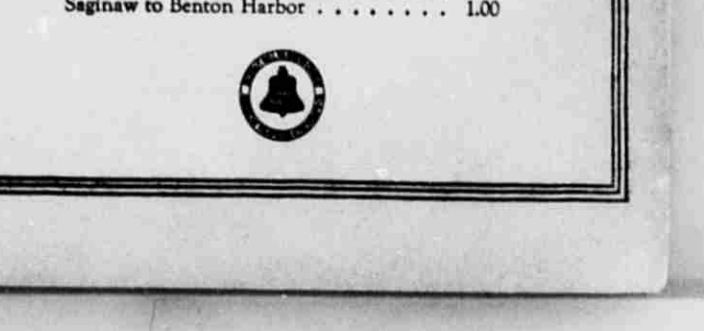
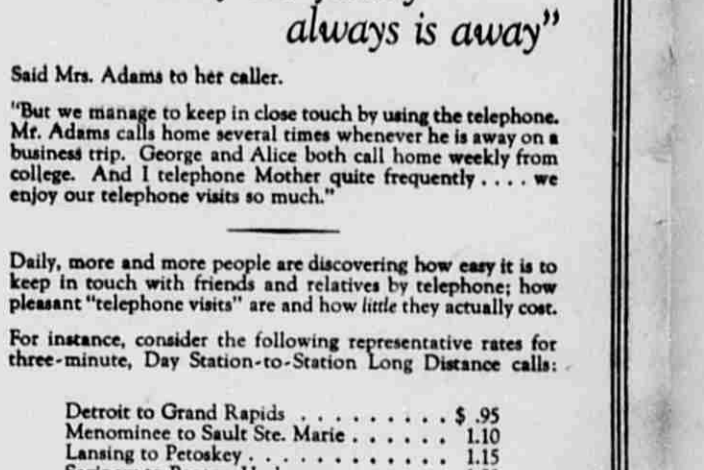
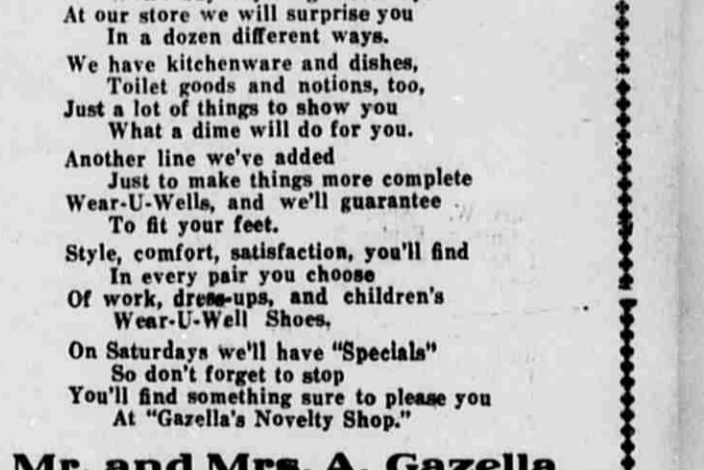
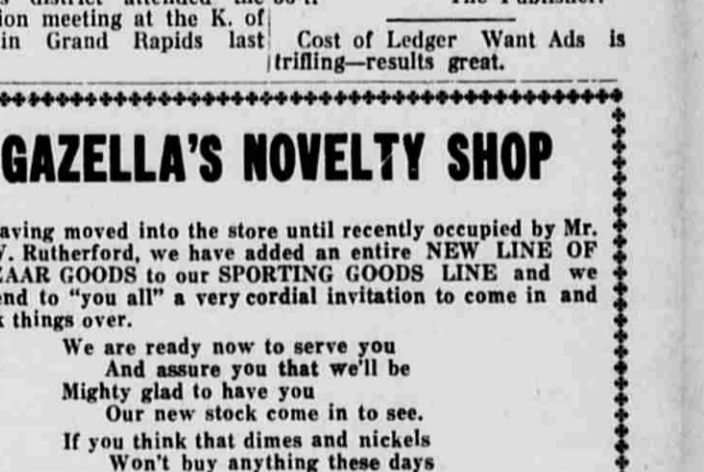
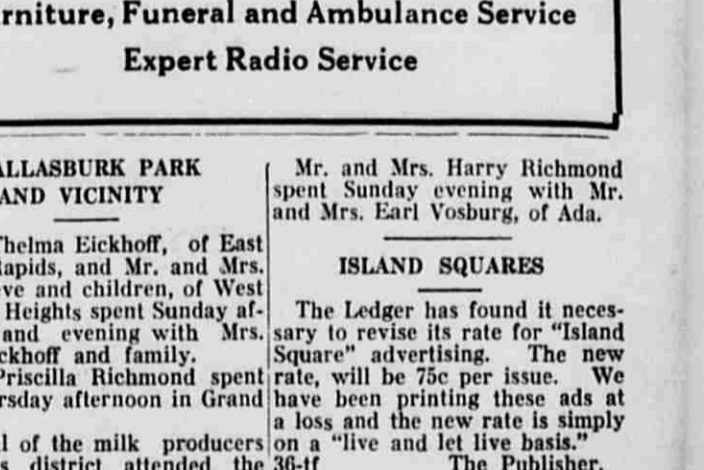
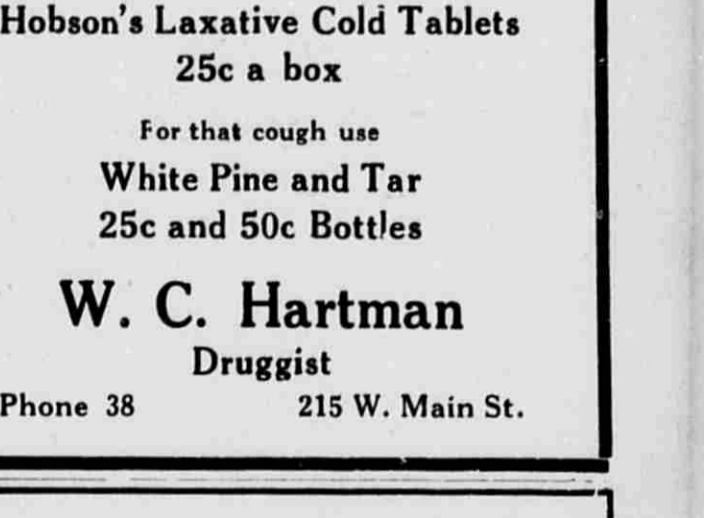
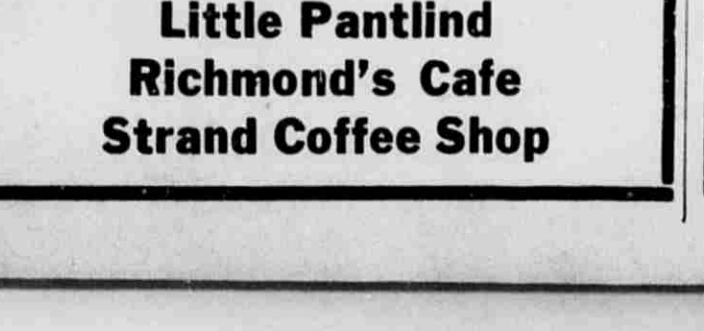
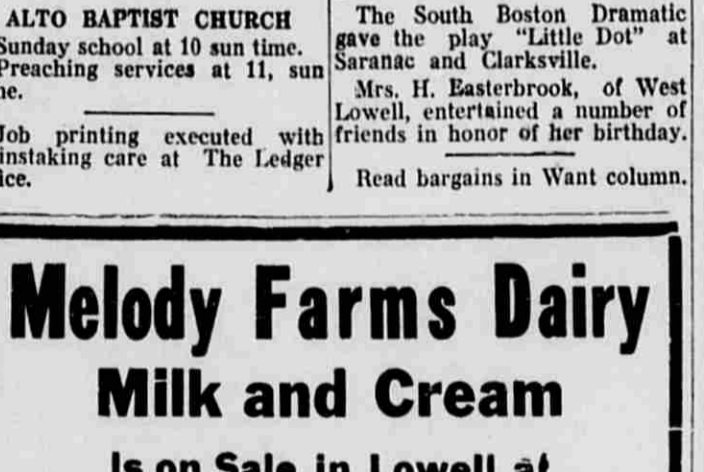
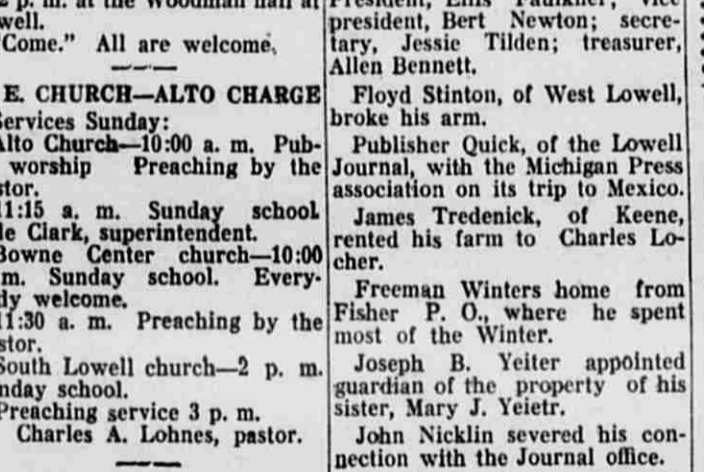
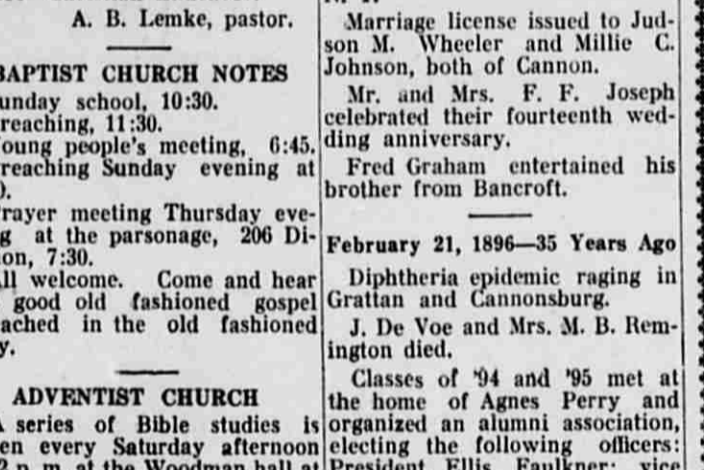
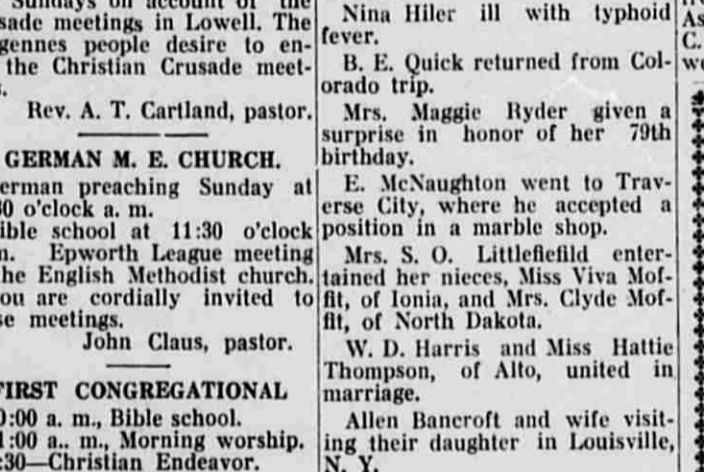
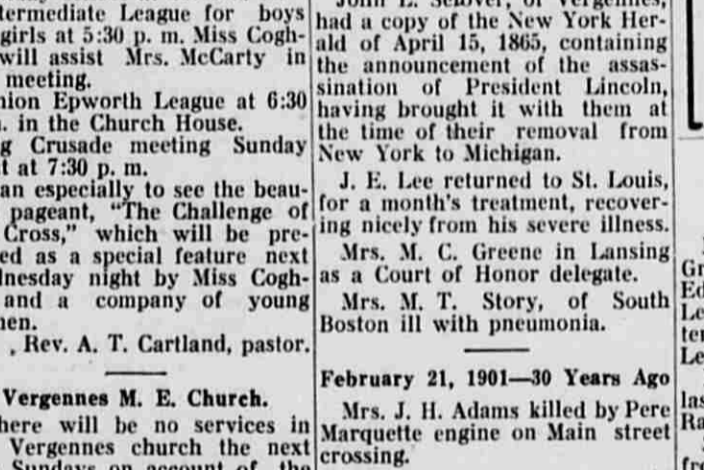
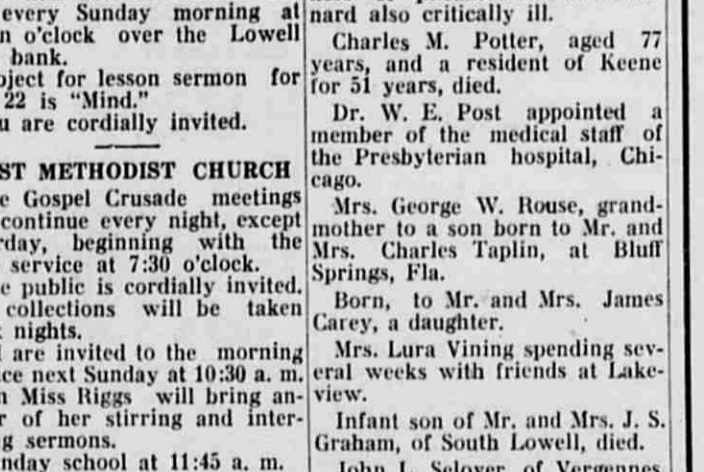
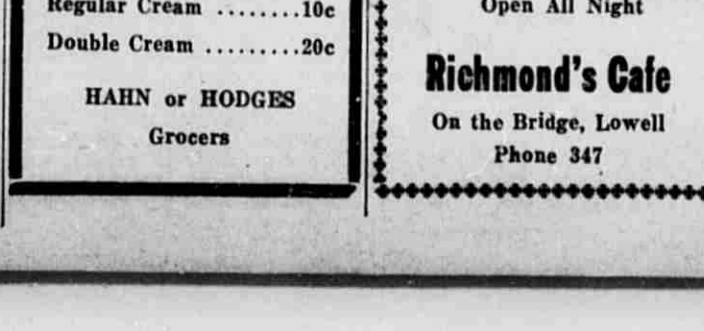
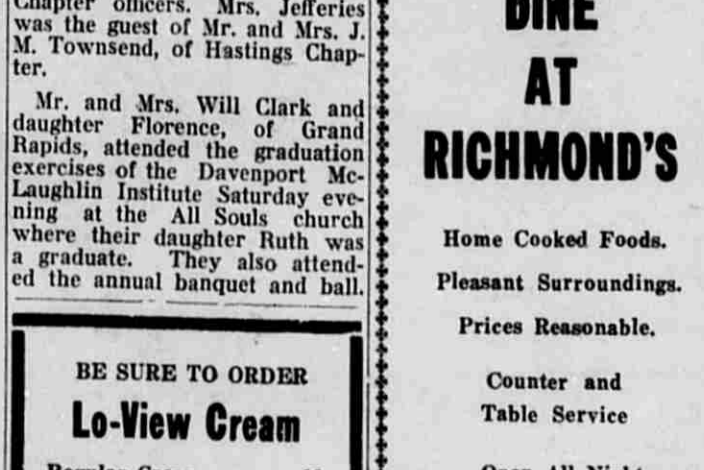
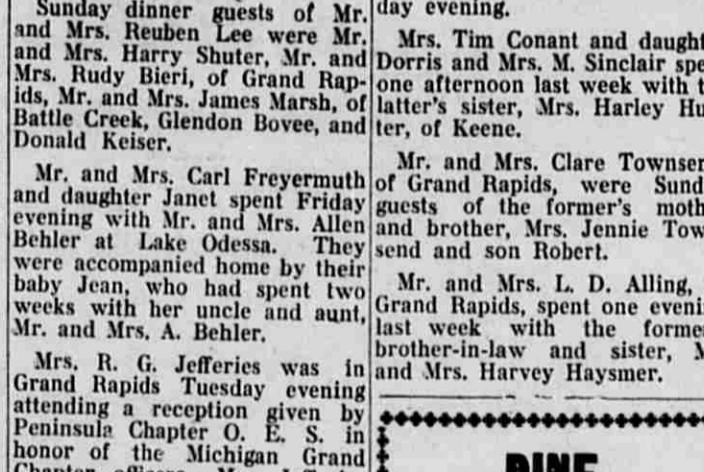
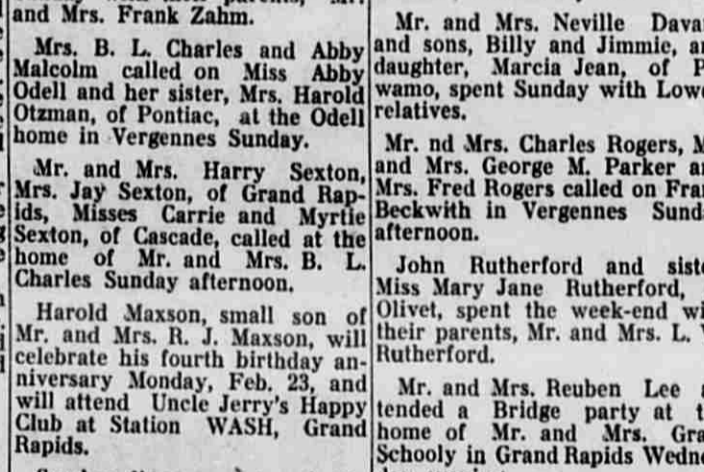
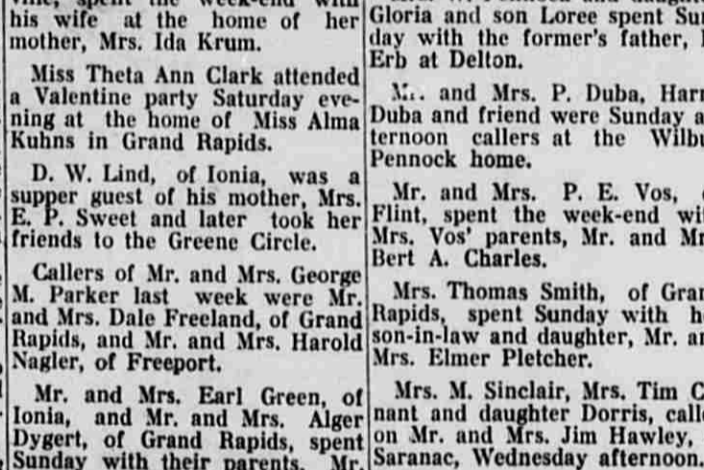
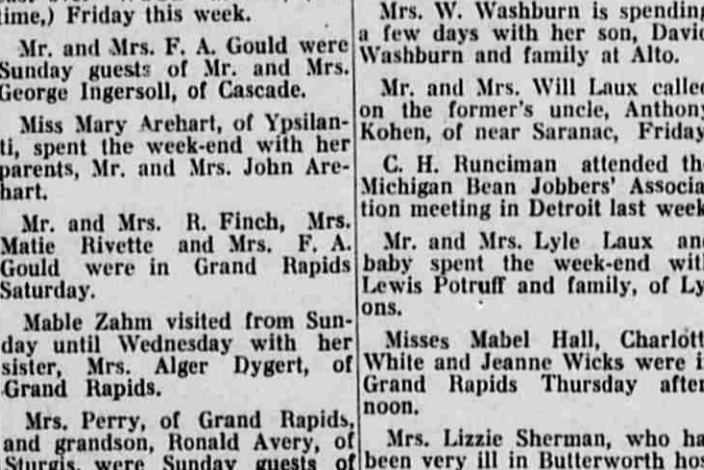
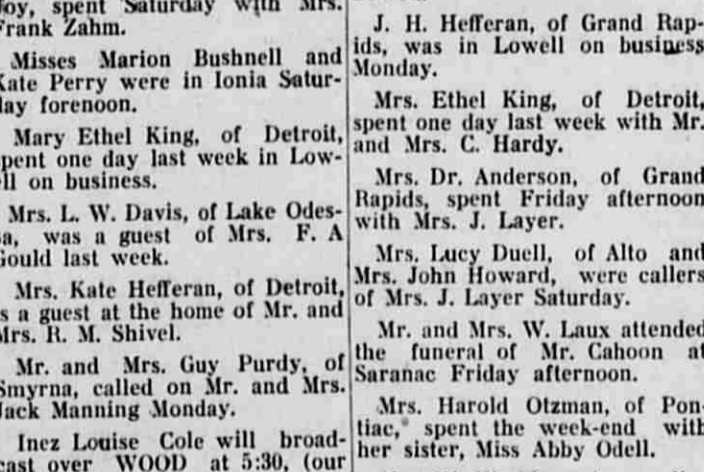
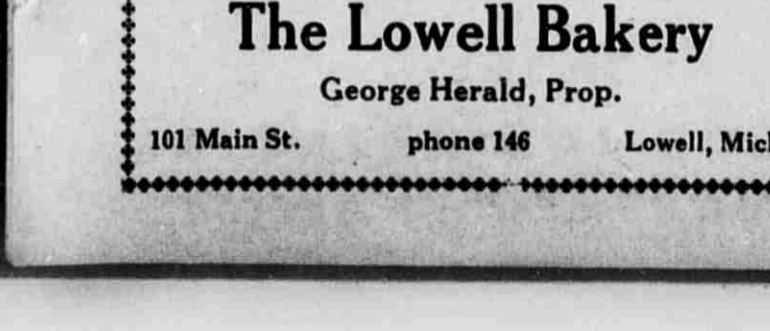
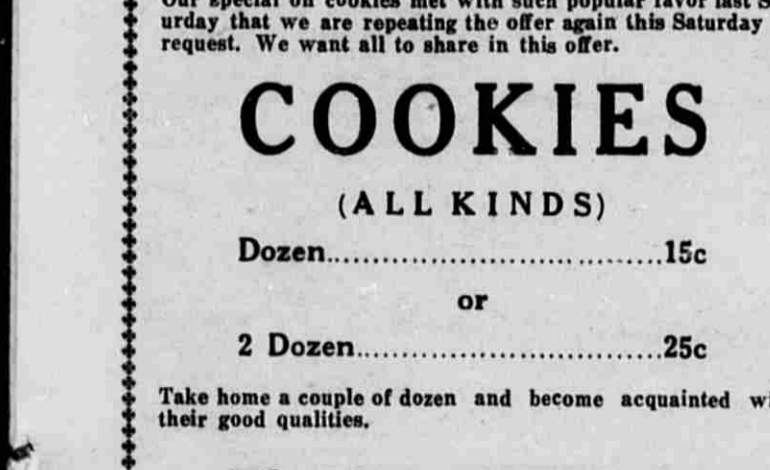
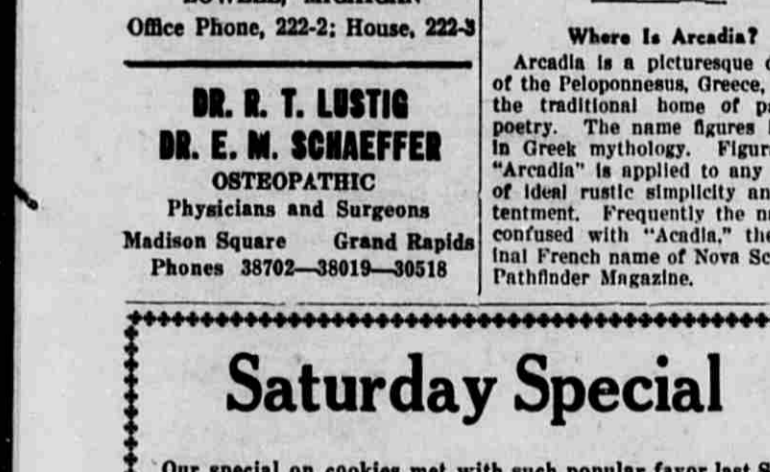
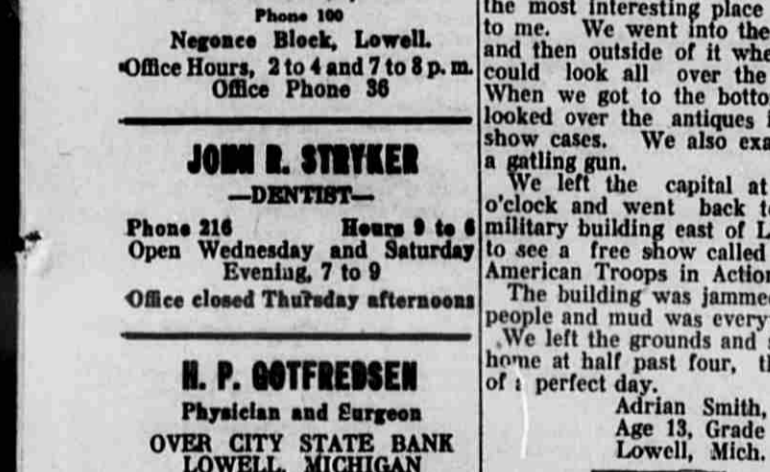
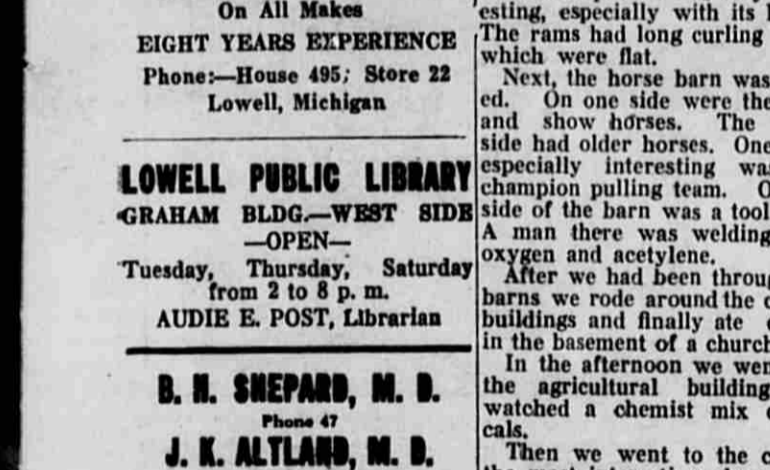
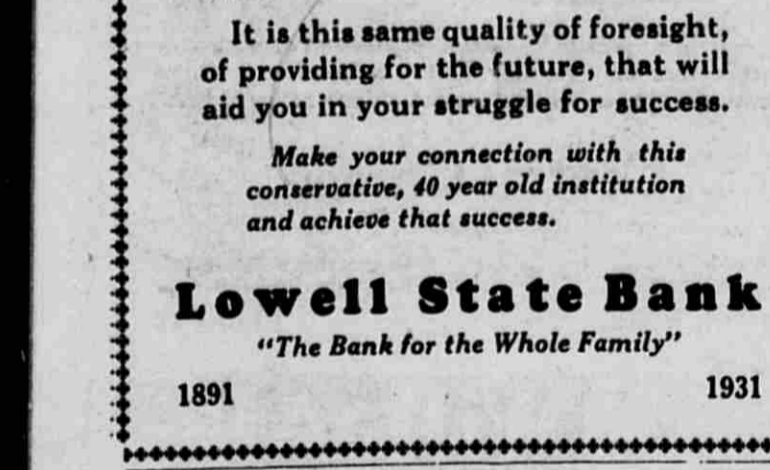
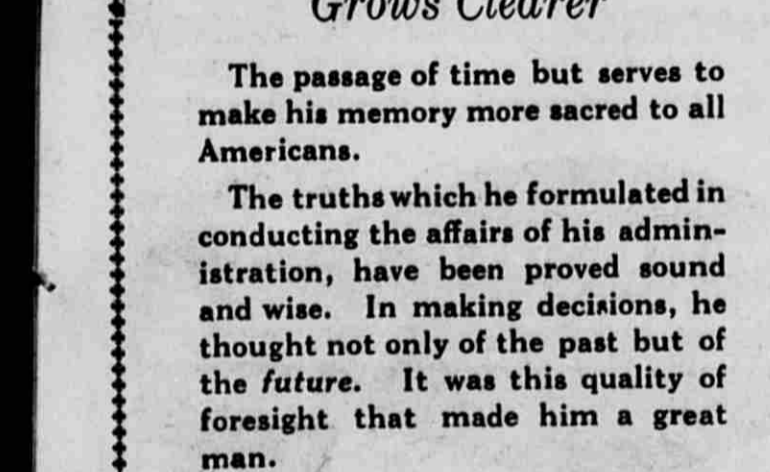
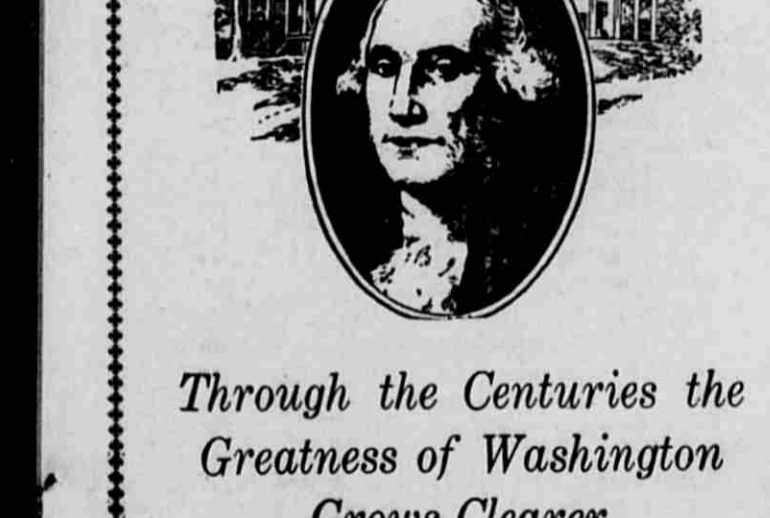
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Mrs. E. L. Timpon spent Monday in Grand Rapids.

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Noah Stricker of Elkhart, Ind., spent Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kaufman, of Grand Rapids.

ADA DEPARTMENT
ADA VILLAGE
John Winters and family, of Grand Rapids, have moved in with his father at the present time.

Houseman's Specials
For Saturday
Hamberg, 2 lbs. broiled, 35c
Sausages, 1 lb. 25c
Pineapple, 1 lb. 25c

Rev. and Mrs. Lohne's were Wednesday evening callers at M. A. Watson's.

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Mr. and Mrs. Albert Duell attended the initiation of the Lowell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Anderson, son Claire and mother, Mrs. Wm. George, were in Grand Rapids Tuesday, the latter remaining as a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Zetha Anderson, until Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Gregory were Grand Rapids shoppers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gregory, who are visiting relatives in Belding, Michigan, returned to Lowell last week.

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WARE SCHOOL NOTES
We have a new set of Lincoln readers which we find very interesting.

ELMALE ETCHINGS
Vernon Peck of near Saranac, was the Sunday afternoon guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Klein and son, who are having a vacation this week.

GRATTAN ITEMS
Although the ground fog saw his shadow, it is beginning to melt away.

VERGENNES CENTER
William and James Read and Albert Odell attended a basket ball game at Rockford Friday night.

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Have it remodeled and brought up-to-date. Soon pays for itself. Can be done in 10 days.

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Large Juicy Frankforts, lb.	15c
Bologna, lb.	14c
Pork Roast, Fresh Picnics, lb.	12c
Small and Lean	
Spare Ribs, lb.	12 1/2c
Beef Roast, lb.	15c
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Sausage, 2 lbs.	25c
Beef Hearts, lb.	9c
Picnic Hams, lb.	13c
Pork Roast, Green Picnics, lb.	12c
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Lamb Stew, lb.	14c
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Mrs. C. A. Weldon is spending the day in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Richmond spent Saturday evening in Ionia. Miss Bessie Foster, of Lansing, spent the week-end with Lowell relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hardy, of Keene, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gibson.

Miss Eula Laver, of Grand Rapids, spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Laver.

Mrs. F. J. McMahon spent the first of the week with her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Reynolds in Grand Rapids.

Claude Parker, of Owosso, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Kingdom and son Wayne were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. La Brecque in Grand Rapids.

OBITUARY

Norman B. Miller

Norman B. Miller, of Chicago, died at his home Sunday. Mr. Miller was born in Lowell, May 25, 1888. He was engaged in the emery business in Grand Rapids until 1908 when he removed to Idaho. The past twelve years he has resided in Chicago. Besides his widow he leaves three daughters, Mrs. James Beveridge, of Waukegon, Ill., and Mrs. T. F. Otley and Mrs. Jean Burns, of Chicago, eight grandchildren and two great grandchildren, his mother, Mrs. E. J. Miller and two sisters, Mrs. A. L. DeNise and Miss Jennie Miller, all of Grand Rapids, and a brother, Dan Miller, of Lowell. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the home of his mother and sister at 1915 Plainfield N. E., Grand Rapids. Burial in Fair Plains cemetery.

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Harriet Allen Keefer, daughter of Adolphus and Elizabeth Burch, was born at Lowell, Mich., in the month of August, 1851. She passed away at her home south-east of Lowell Wednesday afternoon, February 11, in the 80th year of her age. Born on a farm at the eastern edge of Lowell village, her entire life has been lived in Lowell and the immediate vicinity. Here she was well known, respected and beloved by many friends.

She was married at the age of 22 to Alfred Mesecar. Two sons were born of this union, Fred LaVound of Cleveland, Ohio, and George E. Mesecar of Sierra Madre, California. Some years after the death of Mr. Mesecar she was married in 1896 to Abraham Keefer, whose death occurred but a few weeks ago, leaving her quite alone, save for the loving care of her oldest son who remained with her after her husband's death and throughout her last sickness.

The funeral service was held at the Roth and Brezina chapel, Saturday afternoon, February 14, Rev. A. T. Carland, officiating. Burial was in the Fox Corners cemetery.

Social Events

The G. A. R. and W. R. C. benefit party was largely attended. A good time reported and the ladies wish to thank all who helped. Another one will probably be held in March.

The Lowell Rod and Gun club enjoyed a dancing party at their club house Wednesday evening with twenty couples attending. A delicious lunch followed the dance. Those on the committee were Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Peckham, Mrs. Elizabeth Lally and Mrs. Beatrice Althen, Jim McMahon and E. C. Foreman.

Mrs. Ed. La Brique entertained with a delightful luncheon Bridge Saturday at her home in Grand Rapids, in honor of her mother, Mrs. Walter Yardley's birthday anniversary. The home was decorated in valentine colors, and each guest received a corsage bouquet of sweet peas. Bridge followed, the honors of the afternoon were received by Mrs. Arthur Armstrong and Mrs. Williamson. Mrs. Yardley was given a handkerchief shower. Besides the honored guests there were Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. O. Rulason, Mrs. L. Jones, Mrs. Williamson, Mrs. H. Bartlett, Mrs. F. Freeman and Mrs. R. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Goff entertained at their home Saturday evening. Cards were the diversion of the evening and honors were received by Miss Wilma Buck and Mrs. Al. Ward, Lyle Goff, and Al. Ward. A delicious lunch was served. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Al. Ward, Misses Myrtle Jay and Wilma Buck, Lyle Goff and Lloyd Goff.

Mrs. Paul Kellogg entertained her Bridge club with a dinner Thursday evening. Bridge followed the dinner and the honors of the evening were received by Mrs. Bruce McQueen and Mrs. Beatrice Althen. Guests were Mrs. Wm. Doyle, Mrs. B. McQueen, Mrs. Beatrice Althen, Mrs. B. H. Shepard, Mrs. O. J. Yeller, Mrs. Norman Borgerson, Mrs. Raymond Bergin, Mrs. Walter Kropf and Mrs. Kellogg.

The Neighborhood club was entertained with a dinner Thursday evening by Mrs. F. J. McMahon. Bridge was the diversion of the evening. The honors were received by Mrs. Oscar Brezina and Mrs. Elizabeth Lally. Guests were Mrs. C. H. Runciman, Mrs.

Mrs. Elizabeth Lally entertained with a seven o'clock dinner at her home on Vergennes road Tuesday evening in honor of daughter Margaret's birthday anniversary. Covers were placed for the guest of honor and the Misses Phyllis Weckes, Maxine Simon, Frances Rosewarne, Dora Regan, Edith Althouse, Frances McCarty and Morris Johnson, Charles Wood, Jack Bergin, Richard Baird, Emery Friesner and Harry Broadbent. Bridge followed the dinner and the honors were received by Miss Edith Althouse and Emery Friesner and Miss Lally the honored guest. Miss Lally received lovely gifts in honor of the occasion.

Mrs. T. M. Doyle was the inspiration of a bridge luncheon at the home of Mrs. G. O. Farr, Montgomery street, south-east, Grand Rapids, Thursday afternoon. Guests included Mrs. Doyle, Mrs. E. Duchene, Mrs. P. Crawford, Mrs. F. Walbert, Mrs. E. Schwab, Mrs. M. McIntyre and Mrs. J. Cavagnaro.

Members of the P. D. Bridge club were entertained Wednesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Swarthout.

Mrs. Libbie Carr and Mrs. M. Sinclair entertained the "Sisters of the Skillet" at the former's home one evening last week. Cards were the diversion of the evening with four tables in play, and the honors were received by Mrs. W. Rexford, of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Charles Dawson. A delicious lunch was served by the hostesses. Their guests were Mrs. O. Condon and Mrs. W. Rexford, of Grand Rapids, Mrs. V. Ashley, Mrs. J. Bannon, Mrs. G. Carr, Mrs. Fred Gramer, Mrs. W. Gramer, Mrs. W. Frost, Mrs. Geo. Fonger, Mrs. A. Stormzand, Mrs. C. Kraft, Mrs. C. Cook, Mrs. M. Rivette, Mrs. K. Hally and Mrs. Loveless.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Lee entertained the Alto Bridge club with a chicken dinner Friday evening. Bridge followed the dinner and high score was held by Mrs. Slater, Mrs. O. Brezina, Dale Curtis and Oscar Brezina. The high honors of a couple were received by Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brezina. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Slater, Mr. and Mrs. V. Watts, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. Alberti Duell, of Alto, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brezina, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Freeman and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bartlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Warner entertained the euchre club Saturday evening and honors were received by Mrs. Orley Rulason, Mrs. J. Kaufman, Mrs. Lewis Jones, Orley Rulason, John Kropf and Jim Denton. A delicious lunch was served. Guess were Mr. and Mrs. John Kropf, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Orley Rulason, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kaufman, Mr. and Mrs. J. Denton, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kinsley, Mr. and Mrs. Don Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Leonard, of Ionia.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. Willette were happily surprised the evening of Feb. 17, when twenty-six of their neighbors came to congratulate him on his 75th birthday, each family presenting little tokens of remembrance. For amusements they played three tables of progressive pedro with prizes. Refreshments were served with four beautiful cakes, sandwiches, and coffee. The party departed with pleasant memories. Mr. Willette was showered through the mail with cards and gifts from their children.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Swarthout gave a bridge dinner Tuesday evening, entertaining Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Borgerson, Mr. and Mrs. F. Rosewarne, and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Gummer. Honors went to Mr. and Mrs. Borgerson.

T. M. Doyle entertained with a dinner Tuesday evening at his home on East Main street in honor of his aunt, Mrs. Kate Hefferan, of Detroit. His guests were Mrs. Hefferan, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Shivel, Mr. and Mrs. Will Doyle and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Doyle.

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Robert Townsend is working in Ionia.

Hollis Andrews spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. H. Burt spent two days last week with her parents in Ionia.

Mrs. Blanche Dickson, who has been very ill, is improving at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Evans and baby, of Holland, spent Sunday in Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Thorne and family spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.

Miss Viola Schaeffer, of Fremont, spent the week-end with Lowell friends.

Miss Edith Kaufman, of Grand Rapids, spent the week-end with Lowell relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Chase and family, of Ionia, called on Lowell friends Sunday.

Mrs. Flora Hooper, of Clarksville and Mrs. Maggie Leece spent Sunday at Caledonia.

E. E. Sigler attended the Optical convention in Grand Rapids Monday and Tuesday.

Bert McNeely spent Sunday with his wife at the Sunshine hospital in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chaffee, of Lansing, spent over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Chaffee.

Mrs. Hack, of Detroit, is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bettis and family.

Misses Theo Gramer and Ella Ross spent Thursday and Friday with Mrs. Howard Reed in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Schwab and family, of Rockford, were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Frost.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lind and son Donald, of Campau Lake, spent Thursday with Mrs. Maggie Leece.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reusser, Glen, James and Delores and Joe Castor spent Sunday with relatives at Sand Lake.

Howard Peckham returned to Ann Arbor Sunday after spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Hattie Peckham.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kiste and Jeannetta, Mrs. Wm. Miller and Teresa and Fred Reusser were in Grand Rapids Saturday.

Misses Ruth Gardner and Dorothy Pletcher, and Bill Himes and Lee Holland were in Grand Rapids Sunday evening.

Born, at St. Mary's hospital, Grand Rapids, to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Walsh, February 10, a daughter, Mary Maureen.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Barnes, of Grattan, Miss Hazel Hoag and Glenn Barnes were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Byrnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hansen, of Greenville, spent Sunday with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McTavish and family called on the former's mother and sister and family at Comstock Park Sunday.

Miss Florence Miller, of Portland, and Miriam Miller, of Lowell, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hodges and son returned Tuesday to their home in Ohio after spending several weeks with their cousin, Clint Hodges.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Reynolds and two daughters, of Grand Rapids, spent over Sunday with Mrs. Reynolds' parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. McMahon.

Martin Dyke returned Wednesday to his home in Coopersville, after spending two weeks with his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dyke.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Vandenberg and Nina, and Mrs. Ralph Kiste were Grand Rapids visitors Monday and called on Patricia Anne Rozell at St. Mary's hospital.

Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Green were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brackett, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Clay, Miss Eleanor Cole and Lewis Plant, of Grand Rapids.

Misses Irene Westrich, Cora and Louise Ryder and Lou Morse, Dan Wingeier and Bert Ellis attended the National Guard Valentine dance in Grand Rapids Saturday evening.

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