

# LIQUOR RUNNER ON M-16 PROVES AN EASY MARK

GIVES UP TRUCK AND \$8,000 CARGO TO FAKE FEDERAL OFFICERS—PUTS UP \$3,500 CASH BOND TO "DUMMY" COMMISSIONER.

One of the most unusual occurrences that has come to the notice of The Ledger in some time happened on US-16 a few days ago. The story involves highway liquor runner, the details of which are best told in the following article from the Portland Review.

Hi-jacking a load of liquor on US-16, a few miles west of Portland a few days ago, two men representing themselves as federal officers seized both liquor and truck. The total value having been \$8,500 and fooled the owner into going before a dummy official and putting up \$3,500 in a cash bond for his appearance in court at a later date.

The owner of the truck and cargo gave his name as O'Brien. He told the hi-jackers that he had been in Detroit to bring in a load of liquor for distribution in the Grand Rapids territory. He must have previously confided this to other parties, who then conspired to steal the load.

The truck had passed through Portland and was not far beyond the intersection of US-16 and M-43 when the two men stopped it. The frightened driver gave them the name of his employer and was allowed to go. The fake officers then looked up O'Brien and took him before an alleged United States commissioner at Kalamazoo, where he was arraigned. Pleading "not guilty" he put up the cash bond and added that much more to his loss.

When O'Brien got back to Grand Rapids from the Kalamazoo trip he consulted a lawyer, who went to Kalamazoo to confer with the "commissioner." There he learned that the commissioner had been stationed in that city during the last two years and that February 14, the day his client was to appear in court, falls on Sunday.

Having found O'Brien easy thus far, the hi-jackers telephoned from Detroit to ask if he would place \$750 in the hands of a designated go-between his truck would be returned. He fell for the proposition and strangle to relate, actually got the truck back.

## Wild Life Pictures Are In Big Demand

The use of motion pictures as a means of instructing Michigan's school children in conservation is becoming increasingly popular according to the Department of Conservation.

Motion pictures depicting wild life in Michigan and various of the conservation activities were seen by a quarter-million school children in the state the report shows.

The Educational Division for two years has been operating a film loan service through which the motion pictures are loaned to schools, sportsmen's clubs and churches and other organizations for the cost of transportation.

Motion pictures of animals and birds are the most popular of the Department's films according to the loan records.

The department now has 15 reels of conservation motion pictures, all taken in Michigan. It is planned to add other reels to the film loan service catalogue next fall.

## To Stage Big Event In Local Masonry

Nine members of Lowell Lodge, No. 90, F. & M., will be presented Life Certificates at the regular meeting to be held Tuesday evening, Feb. 9, they having completed forty years continuous membership in the order. Those to be honored are: W. H. Watts, D. G. Look, E. M. Hutchinson, J. A. Mattern, J. M. Hutchinson, J. A. Ford, Dan R. Wood, G. J. Johnson and W. F. Murphy. There will be speakers and the meeting will be preceded by a banquet at 6:30 o'clock.

All members of the order will be welcome. Members are urged to attend.—E. S. White, Sec'y.

## Lowell Town Board Votes Fee Refund

Resolution Adopted by Town Board of Lowell Township, Jan. 30th, 1932:

WHEREAS, Owing to business conditions and the scarcity of money, a large number of taxpayers are unable to pay their taxes.

AND WHEREAS, It is probable that more taxes will be paid if the collection fees are reduced.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That the collection fees be left or placed at one per cent. (1%) until the first day of March 1932; and further, that a refund of three per cent. (3%) be made to those who have paid four per cent. (4%) collection fees since January 9th, 1932.

LEWIS M. YEITER, Supervisor.  
C. H. ALEXANDER, Clerk.  
FRANK HOUGHTON, Member of Town Board.  
C. W. YEITER, Member of Town Board.  
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## HIP FRACTURED

Mrs. Hattie Helmer, who has been visiting her grand daughter in Palo, had the misfortune to fall and fracture her hip.

The Congregational Christian Endeavor will have a food sale at the Clint Hodges store Saturday.

# THE LOWELL LEDGER

and ALTO SOLO  
LOWELL, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1932  
NO. 37

## BLUE MARK NOTICE

A blue mark around this notice will call your attention to your address label, which shows that it's time to renew.

## Ledger Entries

The city of Hastings wound up the year 1931 with cash balances in the various funds of \$66,629.33 and with no debts.

The Grand Rapids auto show might have been held in the new civic auditorium—but as the poet says, "Of all sad words of tongue or pen the saddest are, it might have been."

One cannot help noticing the increasing numbers of English Starlings, declares the Hastings Banner. These will become even a worse nuisance than the English sparrow. They are fighters, and drive out other birds.

In addition to his tax economy program Governor Brucker deserves commendation for not calling a special session of the legislature. The governor has consistently maintained that there could be no justification of such a session, so long as there was no definite idea in mind on which to act. To call the legislature in session before well-matured conclusion has been reached would prove tragic to the people of the state of Michigan.

Present and former Lowellites who went to Florida or California in order to bask in warm sunshine and perhaps covet with the beauties on the bathing beaches, will naturally forgive the folks back in the old home town for bragging somewhat over the delightful weather which has prevailed here for the most part during the present winter—or did prevail, we had better say—until last Saturday night when the mercury dropped to four degrees above zero. For the most part the change was welcomed. It takes good old Michigan winter weather to bring real zest to the joy of living. But we bragged while we could just for the fun of it. Today (Thursday) we are having the heaviest snowfall of the winter.

## Lincoln Day Dinner Committees Named

Arrangements are going steadily forward for the Lincoln Day banquet, which will be held Friday evening, Feb. 12 at 6:30 in Fountain Street Baptist church, Grand Rapids. Interest which is being manifested indicates that this year's event will at least equal and perhaps surpass previous efforts. Gov. Wilber M. Brucker and Albert Kennedy Rowsell of Pittsburgh, humorist, will be the speakers.

Those from this community who have been named on committees for the banquet include the following names: M. B. McPherson, executive; Dexter G. Look, finance; Mrs. Look, reception; M. N. Henry, tickets; N. E. Borgerson, Mrs. H. P. G. Johnson, banquet; Roland M. Shivel, Mrs. R. G. Jeffries, publicity; Mrs. Allen Bennett, printing.

## Auction Sale

Having rented his farm G. Friedli will hold an auction sale on the premises, 1 1/2 miles north of Lowell on M-66, on Tuesday, Feb. 16, starting at 12:30 sharp. A large amount of livestock, tools and feed will be sold. A. W. Hilkey, auctioneer. D. A. Wingler, clerk. The complete list will be published in next week's Ledger.

## NOTICE TO LIGHT AND POWER USERS

The current will be off Friday night, February 5, 1932, from 12:30 to 3:30 to connect new engine and switchboard.

F. J. McMahon, Supt.

## STRAND CALENDAR

Friday and Saturday: The screen's greatest spectacle, Ben Hur, now with sound. Red Grange in The Galloping Ghost. Movietone News.

Special, Friday, school children's matinee.

Sunday and Monday: Marie Dressler in Emma. Roscoe Ates comedy, The Grand Parade. Pathe Sound News.

Tuesday only: Paul Lukas and Dorothy Jordan in The Beloved Bachelor. Comedy, House Dick. Screen song, The Green Grass Grew All Around.

## ECONOMY DRIVE BEARING FRUIT SAYS BRUCKER

GIVES CREDIT TO ELECTIVE AND APPOINTIVE HEADS FOR COOPERATION—OPPOSES EFFORTS TO DESTROY TOWNSHIP UNITS.

Gov. Wilber M. Brucker, in an address before the state association of supervisors annual meeting held in Lansing, pointed to the fact that the general fund of the state has at last emerged "from the red, and we find that the sum on hand compares favorably with the previous year in spite of reduced collections. It has been a hard fight and is going to continue to be a hard fight but I assure you that I am going to stay with it to the finish.

"At the same time I wish to assure you that it is not my effort alone that has made this thing possible," he continued. "The administrative heads of the state departments, both elective and appointive, have put their shoulders to the wheel like the real men they are and I give every one of them the honor which is their due when I say they are reducing the budgets for the sake of the people of the great state of Michigan. I commend them to you for the heroic service they are rendering.

## To Continue Economy Policy

"At the same time I am aware that the drive for economy in the departments of the state government is but an isolated skirmish compared to reductions of unnecessary expense which have been made possible by the co-operation of the great body of supervisors and by local officials everywhere. By your efforts in reducing thousands of dollars, you have contributed more than the governor of Michigan can ever contribute toward retrenchment in public expenditure."

Governor Brucker went on record in opposition to centralization of high civil service in the state government, although he paid tribute to the leadership and personnel of the highway department.

## Maintain Township Unit

Sweeping consolidations of townships and counties he opposed. "Township governments in Michigan," he said, "represent one of the last standards of the virile spirit of true democracy which was the cornerstone upon which the republic was founded. More actual civic spirit is generated through attendance and participation at the township meeting than could be acquired by reading a dozen text books on the history of government. It is personal and real. It is man to man."

## Real Estate Burdened

"I know the rural areas are not going to be able to lift themselves by their own bootstraps. Further, I know that the tax situation of the home owners in our cities has become equally serious. It has become increasingly apparent that the burden of taxation will crush real estate unless it is soon relieved. I have declared for tax reform, and I expect to go forward whenever it appears probable that appropriate legislation can pass."

## What's in a Name—Believe It or Not

A Ledger reader with an observing mind contributes the following: "A certain Lowell citizen was thinking of moving recently. He was tired of his surroundings and wanted to make new acquaintances. He was advised to take inventory of his neighbors. A careful investigation convinced him that he was well off and he decided to remain in the same locality. Among his many friends within a three-block radius he found he could count Finches, Coons, Shepards and Foxes. He also found that there were Carrs, Cooks, Millers, Days, Weekes, Stones, Roots, Thornes, Hills, Gunns, Hookings, Smiths, Rice, Stiles, Strykers and Masons. Greens and Lavenders provided plenty of color and through it all he saw a Kingdom, and he knew he was in the midst of a fine group.

## BUYS REAL SWEET SHOP

The Real Sweet Shop, which has for some time been owned by Maatman & Hoekstra, has been sold to Edward Jensen, who is now in charge. The new manager of the store is J. E. Hixson. The Real Sweet Shop has an announcement and a special offer to patrons in their advertisement elsewhere in this issue.

## Lowell Schools Operate At \$3,407 Less Expense For First Seven Months

At a time when people everywhere practically without exception have been laboring under an unchanging tax burden, it is gratifying to learn of an occasional case of retrenchment and a reduction in cost to the people who foot the bill.

The particular case we have in mind has for its subject the schools of Lowell. Briefly, our schools have been operated for the first seven months of the present school year for \$3,407.14 less expense than for the corresponding period of the previous school year.

And further, when the current school year comes to a close on July 1, it is confidently expected that the balance on hand will make the nice total of right around \$10,000.

How have the savings mentioned for the first seven months been brought about? The answer is obtained direct from School Board records and are authentic. From these records we learn that the savings have been made from the following departments of school activity—and too, without impairing the efficiency of the schools in the least:

Administration expenses are less by \$181.64;

Instruction costs are less by \$1,057.17;

Auxiliary agency costs are less by \$157.23;

Operation expenses are less by \$332.02;

Maintenance costs are less by \$1,123.78;

Interest cost reduced \$60.17;

Capital outlay was less by \$495.13.

Receipts for the balance of the school year ending July 1 are estimated at \$32,625, made up as follows: From tuition, \$3,725, taxes \$22,300, delinquent taxes \$2,500, mill tax \$1,450, Turner fund \$2,700, cash \$250.

The expenses for the balance of the school year are estimated at \$22,498, made up of the following: Administration \$300, instruction \$17,345, school children transportation \$180, phone \$60, lights \$520, library \$500, bond and interest \$2,500, heaters \$200, janitors \$1,093.

The above estimated receipts and expenses will leave an estimated balance on hand in cash and delinquent taxes on July 1st next of \$10,127, from which must be deducted the incidental expenses from Feb. 1 to July 1 and this item will not be large.

It is also interesting to note that the school tax rate for the Lowell school district has gone down from \$22.77 in 1924, when \$35,000 was raised, to \$19.60 the present school year, when \$27,000 was raised. This reduction has been accomplished in spite of a lower assessed valuation. There was also a deficit in the school year 1924 when the \$35,000 was raised.

## ODDS AND ENDS HERE AND THERE

Earl J. McDiarmid of South Lowell underwent an operation for appendicitis at the West Suburban hospital of Oak Park, Ill., on January 27. Mr. and Mrs. McDiarmid went to spend the holidays here with their parents. He was taken ill and confined to bed soon afterwards. They expect it will be another month before they will be able to return to their home in South Lowell.

Renis Doyle, who was critically injured by being hit by an automobile as he was crossing Main Street on the evening of Dec. 23rd last, and whose life for a time hung in the balance, is slowly improving and his ultimate recovery seems assured. Mr. Doyle is now able to leave his bed and spend a little time each day about the house.

Mrs. Jake Rhyn received a box last week from Miss Amelia Peyer, Salvation Army commander, in Zurich, Switzerland, containing a number of fancy assorted biscuits, candy and a small box of Swiss cheese. Mrs. Rhyn is much pleased to receive the remembrance from her native country.

The All-Michigan Food Exposition runs the first five days of National Cherry Week, which will be celebrated this year from the 15th to the 22nd of February. Prominent growers and canners of cherries are cooperating with the management of the show and it is planned to designate Monday, the opening day, as "Cherry Day." Miss Maxine Weaver, Michigan's own Cherry Queen, will be at the exposition Monday, through the courtesy of the Traverse City Chamber of Commerce, and it is planned to have Miss Weaver direct an appeal to the Michigan housewife to commemorate the birthday of George Washington by baking a luscious cherry pie with Michigan cherries.

The employees of P. J. Fineis, John Waters of Owosso and Nelson Meengs of the Lowell office, also Jay Johnson and Gerald Fineis made another trip to Florida, taking produce from Lowell and the country around, bringing on their return trip grape fruit and oranges. Through the courtesy of Mr. Fineis they were taken on a sight-seeing trip, taking in Daytona Beach, the Bok singing tower, Orlando and other places of interest. Mr. and Mrs. Fineis are home for a couple of weeks to look after their Michigan interests, after which they will return to Florida. Mr. Fineis was on the work on his orange grove in "Hovey-in-the-Hills," situated in Lake county which contains 1,400 named lakes.

Charles Stephens, a Lowell boy, has been having the opportunity to view first hand the scenes being enacted in Shanghai during the past couple of weeks. He belongs to the U. S. marines and has been stationed at Shanghai for the past two years.

The Frank Gamsby & Son garage at Saranac was destroyed by fire last Saturday afternoon with a loss of \$6,000 to \$7,000. Two automobiles and a wrecker also were destroyed. There was no insurance. By hard work the Saranac volunteer fire department saved adjoining property. A defective chimney is thought to have been the cause of the fire.

Mrs. H. P. G. Johnson has been in Washington, D. C., this week, where, as chairman of the Americanism and National Defense Committees of the State American Legion Auxiliary, she represents Michigan at the National Defense conference. This conference has been held each year in Washington since 1925 and is held jointly with the D. A. B. and other patriotic organizations. Mrs. G. Johnson will later make a report of the conference to all Auxiliary units in Michigan. Mrs. G. Johnson is now vice president of the state organization.

## 568 PERSONS AT ANNUAL MEET'G ALTO CREAM'RY

COMPANY MAKES GAIN OF TWENTY PER CENT IN OUTPUT DURING PAST YEAR—PATRONS USE MORE BUTTER—ENJOY BIG DINNER.

Over 560 persons were in attendance at the annual meeting of the Alto Co-operative Creamery Co., held at Alto last Thursday. It was the twenty-second annual meeting of the company stockholders.

The annual report showed that 601,351 pounds of butter were manufactured during the year, an increase of about 20 per cent over the previous year.

The creamery's total receipts for the year were \$158,858. The average price for butter fat for the year was 27.8 cents a pound.

The 550 patrons of the creamery consumed 44,925 pounds of butter during the year, as compared with 33,648 pounds the previous year—indicating that farmers are eating less oleomargarine and more creamery butter.

It is estimated that the Creamery consumes the output of upwards of 3,000 cows. Most of the butter made finds a market in Grand Rapids, Detroit and east-west cities.

A fine dinner was served in the Grange hall by the ladies of the Alto M. E. church.

Short talks were given by Rev. Carl Keifer of Potterville and County Farm Agent K. K. Vining. Carl Metzger, Kent county, M. A. secretary, led the singing.

New directors are: Glen Yeiter, Glen Loveland, Nelson O'Brien, William Lott and M. H. Cobb. Dale V. Curtiss is business manager.

The officers are: Mr. O'Brien, president and treasurer; Mr. Cobb, vice president and Mr. Yeiter, secretary.

## What They Ate

Below is the amount of food solicited for the creamery dinner feeding about 568 persons:

6 tubs, potatoes, 12 qts. milk for potatoes, 1 1/2 bu. cabbage, 8 qts. salad dressing, 6 qts. cream for salad dressing, 16 qts. pickles, 30 dishes baked beans, 90 doz. coffee, 130 lbs. coffee, 16 qts. cream, 12 lbs. butter, 197 lbs. boned beef, (after bones all removed), 8 gallons brown gravy, 30 lbs. sugar, 19 lbs. coffee, salt 30c, pepper, pimentos, 25c. carrots.

Proceeds were \$200.77.

## Marie Dressler in New Strand Show

Coming to the Strand Sunday and Monday is another four-star picture that we know you will love—it is "Emma" starring Marie Dressler. You'll laugh at "Emma"—long and heartily. Then you'll find you're crying with her. For when Queen Marie hits her stride she will carry you with her through a story so human and so fine that we doubt if there is anyone who will be left unmoved. Marie Dressler has become an American institution; this fine actress was acclaimed last year and awarded the palm for the best production in 1931. And now her first picture of the new year is one so sweepingly fine that it is predicted Marie will again win the coveted honor with her remarkable acting in "Emma."

## Livestock Assoc'n Meets Next Monday

The annual mid-winter meeting and banquet of the Lowell Livestock Association will be held at the Lowell City hall next Monday evening, Feb. 8, at 7:30. Mr. Runciman announces that all farmers of the community, whether members of the association or not, are invited and that no charges will be made.

## Aiding Welfare

The Welfare Union has received \$23 from the Strand theatre, the donation of the management from the proceeds of a performance given recently.

Welfare work was further helped when the Cheerful Doers of the Congregational church met at the home of Mrs. Harvey Haysmer, the members bringing canned fruits and sewing on garments, which were turned over to Mrs. Burdick, welfare director.

## BUSY MAN

Supervisor Lewis M. Yeiter is a busy man these days looking up and keeping track of men living in the township available for work on highway projects as a part of the employment program which is being conducted in the county. About a dozen men from the township have been given work thus far on the widening operations in progress on M-16. These men have been working near Cascade. Lowell township's share of the work to be allotted to labor amounts to about \$1,600.

## "JIMMY" JOHNSON HOME

James A. Johnson, son of Uncle Marcus, arrived home Thursday after an absence of 3 1/2 years, most of which time had been spent in Hot Springs, New Mexico, where he held the position of foreman in the office of the newspaper published there. "Jimmy" says it seems good to see the old home folks again.

## Remember When

"When the high board fence ran part way around the Central school grounds, where south of the school was a willow thicket and the boys were busy every recess for awhile in the spring making whistles from the willow wood."

"When the old saw mill was not used as a cooper shop and was partly open on one side so that the boys used it for a fort in the winter time, the attacking party and the besieged using snowballs as ammunition."

"When the channel west of the school house was full of old log booms, which we used to pole up and down occasionally tipped over and gave us a ducking."

"When McCarly's 'billy goat' used to ride the logs with the boys during the spring drive and occasionally visited the school much to the annoyance of the teachers."

H. L. FLETCHER.

The Ledger wants more reminiscences of this sort. Every old resident can think of a few and it is merely a matter of reducing them to writing and sending them in. They will be corrected if needed. Send them in.

## Runciman Presents Award to Champion

Oscar Voelker Wins Michigan Bean Producing Contest With Great Crop

June clover plowed down and a broadcast application of 180 pounds of 0-20-0 fertilizer enabled Oscar Voelker, of Pigeon, to out-distance competitors in a state-wide bean production contest with a crop of 40.32 bushels to the acre.

A cup and thirty dollars in prize money was awarded the winner by the Michigan Bean Growers Association. Other prizes totaling \$250 went to nine other entrants in the contest. Over sixty-four growers from 18 counties competed.

The awards were presented Wednesday at East Lansing by G. H. Runciman of Lowell, president of the association.

The average production in fields owned by the first 20 men in the contest was 24.93 bushels per acre, while the average production for all farmers in the State in 1931 was nine bushels per acre.

## Best Basketball Game, Is Claim

A slightly larger crowd than usual witnessed the most exciting basketball game of the year last Friday when Lowell, at least temporarily, stopped Grandville's rush toward the county championship. Several fans have declared that the game was the best ever played on the local floor.

The locals were leading 10-1 early in the game; the half ended 12-5; it appeared that the game would be a rout. The visitors came back with a rush and in sheer desperation ran the count to 14-13, and lacked only one point of tying the score. A little later the score was Lowell 16, Grandville 15, and the crowd went wild with excitement. Two field goals at this stage of the game put the game on ice.

McMahon and Bridges lead the score with seven points each. Peckham scored 3, Ross 2, Baird none. The defense work of Baird and Ross was outstanding as in all games heretofore.

Bridges, a new-comer, was at center and although somewhat erratic he gave great promise of developing into an excellent player. We might say that all the boys played the best game of the year, showing a lot of team-work and fight. The team as a whole, however, must improve in foul shooting, for they missed 11 out of 15 attempts, and Lowell has lost two games this year by one point margins.

After playing Ionia at the Prison City this Friday Lowell will take to the road again and attempt to defeat Rockford, East Grand Rapids and to remain in the race for county honors. The only remaining game to be played on the local floor will be with Sparta on Tuesday, February 16.

## Village Caucus

The official call for a village caucus will be issued this week to be held at the Lowell City hall on Monday evening, Feb. 15, 1932, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the following village offices: President, clerk, treasurer, assessor and three trustees.

## AUTO INSURANCE MEETING

Policy holders of the State Farm Mutual Auto Ins., Co. of Bloomington, Ill., attended a profitable and instructive meeting at the Alto Grange hall on January 22. H. R. Andre of Jenison gave a very interesting talk regarding dependable insurance. Clarence Klahn told in an interesting way "What I See in Bloomington."

State Director Al Bentall's subject was: "The Company and Its Method of Doing Business." He reported that the company had issued over 100,000 new policies during the past year.

Most of the company's \$5,215,704 reserve is invested in U. S. bonds. The State Farm Mutual is a Legal Reserve Mutual.

Enclosed to do business in twenty-nine states. Music was furnished by the Alto band. Refreshments were served by the local agent, Robert M. Ferrall and all reported a pleasant time. F. J. Parrot received the virgin wool blanket which was given away.

## DESTRUCTION OF RDSIDE TREES IS DEPLORED

STRENUOUS EFFORT MADE TO STOP THE DESTRUCTIVE PRACTICE—COST OF REPLACING TREES CUT WILL REACH THOUSANDS

Strenuous effort is being made by the road commission to stop what it terms a destructive practice on the part of Kent County residents in destroying trees, shrubs, and other growing things along township highways, soon to be taken over by the county under the McNitt-Holbeck-Smith law.

A letter has been sent by Warren R. Townsend, chairman of the road commission, to every supervisor asking his cooperation and assistance in stopping this destruction of roadside beauty.

It is pointed out by Mr. Townsend that it long has been the policy of the road commission to carefully preserve all trees and shrubs which do not interfere with safe driving.

In discussing the matter, Mr. Townsend said:

"It will cost thousands of dollars to replace trees which already have been cut down along township roads. In some cases every tree for a mile of distance has been slashed down and result is that when the county finally takes over these highways on April 1 under the McNitt bill, it will have barren stretches of road which will be extremely costly to replant and restore to their natural beauty."

"We are asking the township supervisors to put a stop to this practice of tree cutting and let the county forestry department exercise its rightful duties in determining what trees shall be removed in the improvement of highways when the roads are formally made a part of the county system."

"Traveling over any of the established highways in Kent county, the motorist will note an atmosphere of friendliness. The reason is the fact that shrubs and trees are encouraged to grow in their natural surroundings. The work was started in Kent County back in 1921 when I first came with the road commission and has been expanded under the direction of the road commission, the county engineer, and the county forester until Kent county has taken the lead in this work in Michigan. By permitting these shrubs and trees to grow, the highways are more attractive, more pleasant, do not dry excessively in dry periods, are protected against snow in winter, attract the birds in the summer and give Kent county a real tourist argument."

By scientific maintenance of roadsides and the judicious planting of grass and shrubs, there is virtually a transformation of the roadsides from what they were when this work was started.

"Michigan's system of state highways is conceded in road circles to be among the best from the standpoint of safety, efficiency and beauty and it is Kent County's wish to expand the general average of roadside beauty by carrying forward the policies we have pioneered."

"It is a distinct setback to the success of this work to have indiscriminate cutting of trees along the highways not yet taken over on the county system."

## Words of Praise For New History

The Lowell Board of Trade is receiving letters daily from former residents, praising the History of Lowell which the Board published as a feature of the Centennial celebrated last August. The following extracts are taken from letters received:

From Bessie M. Gulliford, Detroit, Mich.: "I received the Lowell History and find it very interesting. It is very nicely compiled and a credit to the town."

From Mrs. Alice E. Campbell, New Smyrna, Fla.: "I received the History of Lowell several days ago. Thanks. Enclosed please find check for \$1.00 to settle for same."

From Mr. and Mrs. Fred DeWeert, Everett, Wash.: "Please accept our thanks for sending us the History of Lowell. We surely enjoy it very much, for Lowell will always have a warm place in our hearts. Enclosed find \$1.00 to pay for same."

From Earl Z. Tuckey, Charlotte, Mich.: "Enclosed please find \$1.00 to cover expenses of the book you mailed us. We surely enjoyed receiving it and many thanks to you."

From Mrs. Fred Graham, Detroit, Mich.: "Thanks for the History of Lowell; it's very lovely. Enclosed please find one dollar, but it seems so little for such a nice book."

## Tax Collections

To Taxpayers of Lowell Tn. I will be at the City State Bk., Lowell, each Wednesday and Saturday all through February, from 9 a. m. to closing time, to receive and receipt for taxes.

LOIS M. TIDD,  
(c36-37) Lowell Twp. Treas.







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SICK stomachs, sour stomachs and indigestion usually mean excess acid. The stomach makes acid.

Truck Crop Value 7 Million Dollars
The value of seventeen commercial trucks and equipment produced in Michigan during 1931 amounted to \$7,500,000.

Fastest Girl Swimmer
Aids Town by Running One-Man Bank
The Great Crest of M. Fuller, Auditor General of the State of Michigan, is in behalf of and for the benefit of the State of Michigan.

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S. WEST BOWNE By Mrs. L. T. Anderson Alto, R. F. D. 2

Several from this vicinity attended the creamery meeting at Alto Thursday.

Mrs. Leon Anderson and family, Mrs. George Murray, friend, Miss Jones, were afternoon callers.

Mrs. M. J. G. Brown and family, Mrs. M. J. G. Brown and family, Mrs. M. J. G. Brown and family.

Children cry for it—CHILDREN take to take medicine as a rule, but every child loves the taste of Castoria.

Wake Up Your Liver-Bile Without Calomel And You'll Jump Out of Bed in the Morning Ready to Go

John Ruskin contains more Havana tobacco than when they sold at 8c, making John Ruskin by far the greatest value.

HARRIS CREEK By Mrs. Basil R. Vreeland Alto, R. F. D. 2

Not much news this week on the latter's mother, Mrs. Man Winter is here to remind us we cannot have Florida oranges until next week.

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WHITNEYVILLE By Maude Cooper Alto, R. F. D. 3

Bert Douglas is no better at this writing. Dr. Altman is attending him.

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SCHOOL DAYS By DWIG

WHEN THE AUTUMN THINED THE GREENWOOD TURNING ALL ITS LEAVES TO GOLD.

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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

TO insure publication of the current week church notices should reach this office on Monday.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH The meetings being conducted each evening at 7:30.

WEST VERGENNES By D. D. Kram Alto, R. F. D. 4

CATHOLIC PARISHES St. Mary's—Lowell, 7:00 a. m., Low Mass, sermon, 8:00 a. m., High Mass and sermon.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE Sunday Bible school at 10. Morning worship and preaching at 11 o'clock.

LOWELL BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday school, 10:30 a. m. Classes for all.

GOVE CORNERS By Mrs. Carl Wittbach Alto, R. F. D. 4

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SHORT STORY By FANNIE HURST

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### Saturday's Cash Specials

Beef Roast, lb.	11c
Beef Ribs, lb.	8c
Hamburg, lb.	10c
Pork Steak, lb.	11c
Fresh Side Pork, lb.	10c
Sausage, lb.	10c
Frankfurts, lb.	10c
Slab Bacon, any size piece, lb.	13c
Armour's Star Lard, 1 lb. carton.	8c

### WEAVER'S MARKET

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### Short Story

#### Proposed Health of Little Tea Shop

By CLARISSA MACKIE

"BUT why a tea shop?" inquired their friend, Mrs. Gray.

"That is such a foolish question, Dolly," retorted Lois Raymond, "but I will try to explain; we are opening a tea shop, Polly and I in the hope of making money."

"All the luck in the world, my dears," cried Mrs. Gray, fiddling them both in her long arms. "But everything has turned out so differently since I went abroad—I expected to find you both engaged! Polly to that Burnet boy—and you, Lois, why you were engaged to Gardner Allen. Where is he?"

"They both flushed."

"I shall be giving a luncheon next week," decided Mrs. Gray, "to about twelve people—you must let me have the shop that day."

When they were alone, Polly looked at her year-old sister. "Dolly Gray is a dear," she said sincerely; "that luncheon will be the making of us, Lois."

Lois lost the little broken, far-away look she was wearing and she essayed a cheerful smile. "It may be the making of this shop. In the meantime we must just pick up business the best way we can. Our food is delicious, we know that, Polly."

"Even if grandfather did say—"

"Never mind what grandfather said about the tea-room business, Polly; never mind anything about the way he treated us—that he said to Gardner Allen or Bob Burnet. We cannot even guess that he could say anything very unpleasant after we have spent our lives with him since we were orphaned, but he might have given the impression that he questioned their ability to keep us in style—oh, Bobby, when we both quarreled with him, and he sent us out with a hundred dollars between us—we will have to forget poor grandfather, Polly."

After that luncheon the success of the tiny tea shop was assured. Then one momentous day Bobby Burnet came in with another girl! Polly turned so pale that Lois whispered that she would take her place. Of course Polly would not stand that, so she dabbed some color on her cheeks, powdered her charming nose, and try in hand approached the newcomer with the luncheon card. Bobby looked rather bored, suddenly saw Polly standing beside their table and started violently.

He stared while the girl ordered, and when she had finished he waited for him to make a strong effort to concentrate.

"A sandwich—anything will do—and a cupful of tea," was his order. Polly's dimple suddenly came into her cheek, and she went behind the scenes and worked furiously over a very delectable chicken salad sandwich for Bobby. Somehow the little look of joy in Polly's eyes remained there for days.

One sunny autumn day when both of the girls secretly longed for a good horseback ride in the country, business in the little shop was very dull.

"I suppose it is too beautiful out of doors for people to spend a spare moment in here," murmured Lois.

"Somebody coming now," remarked Polly, as three men entered the low door. When the first one lifted his bowed head, the girl almost cried aloud.

It was her grandfather, and accompanying him were Gardner Allen and Bobby Burnet! The latter came forward, smiling pleasantly at Polly.

"Can you arrange a table for five—we are expecting two ladies to join us—just a regular luncheon—anything you please will do." He rejoined his companions and they stood in front of the window looking into the sunny street, where their car was waiting at the curb, while the two girls rapidly arranged a round table for five. When everything was ready, Lois went forward.

"The table is ready, sir," she said.

"Very good, Lois, my dear," he said, and bent and kissed her tenderly. This was too much for young Polly, who came for her embrace and then when the three were standing at their chairs, grandfather said: "We are waiting for you girls to join us, one on either side of me, if you please!"

At the close of the meal it was the grandfather who rose in his chair with his water glass in his hand.

"I propose the health of the Tea Shop," he said.

They drank solemnly, and grandfather lifted his glass once more and looked at the two girls and the two young men with smiling eyes. "Almost a year ago," he said, "two young men came to me and asked me for the hands and hearts of my granddaughters. I asked them to go away for a year, and then return—and they have kept their word. Before my granddaughters married I wanted to be sure that they could be self-supporting in case of adversity, so I quarreled with them and we parted. It has nearly broken my heart, but they have proved to be pure gold—they have succeeded, and if all four of you are of the same mind, we will consider the matter settled, and close the tea shop now; and then we will all go out to the country club for the afternoon."

This is the real secret of why the popular little tea shop changed hands, and how Lois and Polly married the men of their hearts and they all came to live with grandfather in the big house.

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### OBITUARY

Miss Bertha Haloff, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Haloff, was born at Lake Odessa June 17, 1915, and passed away January 25, 1932, at the age of 16 years, 7 months and 8 days.

In April, 1929, she became a member of the Church of the Nazarene at Lowell, and many times gave definite testimony of the saving grace of God.

She leaves to mourn their loss, her father, mother, one brother Albert, at home, four sisters, Mrs. Anton Tschida (Gheda) of South Bend, Ind., Miss Flossie Haloff of Elgin, Ill.; Mrs. Charles Wickersham of Grand Lodge, and Mrs. Amos Sterzick of Alto.

The funeral was held on Thursday at the Free Methodist church in Saranac, Rev. Stevens, of Lowell, officiating. Rev. Williams of Saranac assisting. Interment at Lake Odessa.

### Herd Improvement Association Report

Below is the report of the Grand Rapids Kent Dairy Herd Improvement Association for the month of December, 1931.

Pasture feeding, supplemented with grain, has proved profitable. The cow that has had grain while on pasture this past summer was in better condition when put in the barn at fall, and is now producing much heavier than the cow not fed grain with pasture.

The cow that is fed a good balanced ration the whole year thru returns more profit above feed cost than the cow fed no grain or if fed home grown feed alone.

Alfalfa hay and corn silage is unexcelled as a roughage. When alfalfa hay is fed, less protein, such as cotton seed meal, or linseed oil meal, is needed to balance the grain ration.

#### The Three Highest Cows in Each Age Class

**Two-Year-Olds**  
Owner, Highland Farms, Caledonia; Jerseys, fresh 11-12-31; milk 1,221 lbs.; fat 46.4 lbs.  
Owner, Ernest Ruchs, Caledonia; Guernseys, fresh 10-19-31; milk 853 lbs.; fat 44.9 lbs.  
Owner, Fred Moore, Lowell; Guernseys, fresh 8-26-31; milk 887 lbs.; fat 44.4 lbs.

**Three-Year-Olds**  
Owner, F. W. Ruchs & Son, Caledonia; Guernseys, fresh 11-12-31; milk 1,308 lbs.; fat 71.9 lbs.  
Owner, Blissveldt Farms, Jenison; Holsteins, fresh 12-14-31; milk 1,872 lbs.; fat 66.5 lbs.  
Owner, A. Thomasma, Grand Rapids; Holsteins, fresh 10-26-31; milk 2,000 lbs.; fat 62.0 lbs.

**Four-Year-Olds**  
Owner, Walter Ruchs, Caledonia; Jerseys, fresh 11-9-31; milk 1,128 lbs.; fat 54.1 lbs.  
Owner, Blissveldt Farms, Jenison; Holsteins, fresh 6-20-31; milk 995 lbs.; fat 38.1 lbs.  
Owner, Mart Doezema, Grand Rapids; Holsteins, fresh 9-15-31; milk 1,228 lbs.; fat 38.1 lbs.

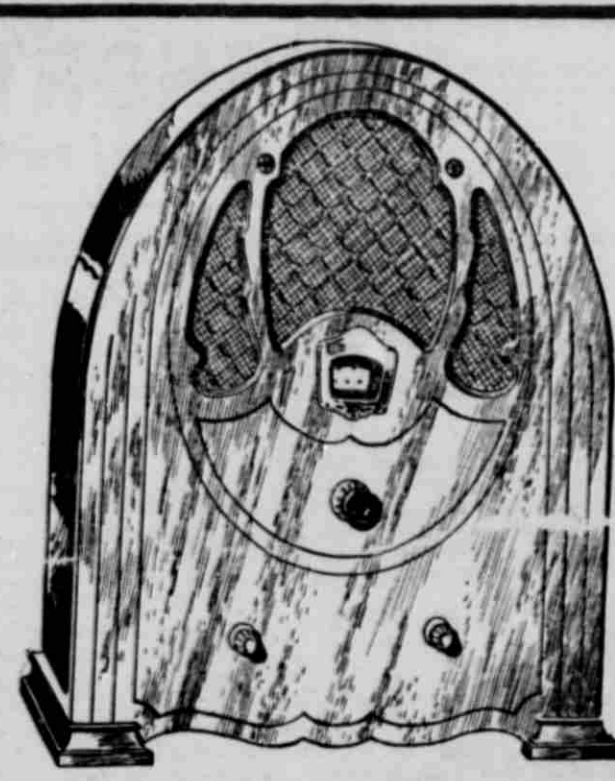
**Five-Year-Olds or Over**  
Owner, Ernest Ruchs, Caledonia; Guernseys, fresh 10-27-31; milk 1,008 lbs.; fat 56.4 lbs.  
Owner, Ernest Ruchs, Caledonia; Guernsey, fresh 10-30-31; milk 1,265 lbs.; fat 54.4 lbs.

**Mature Class**  
Owner, Rex Johnson, Grand Rapids; Holstein, fresh 10-19-31; milk 1,925 lbs.; fat 57.8 lbs.  
JOHN DEVRIES, Ass'n Tester.

### COMING EVENTS

Mr. Lee R. Miller, social science teacher in Lowell High School, will be the speaker at the PTA meeting on Friday evening at the North Bell school, South Boston.

The Board of Education has set spring vacation for the week following Easter Sunday.



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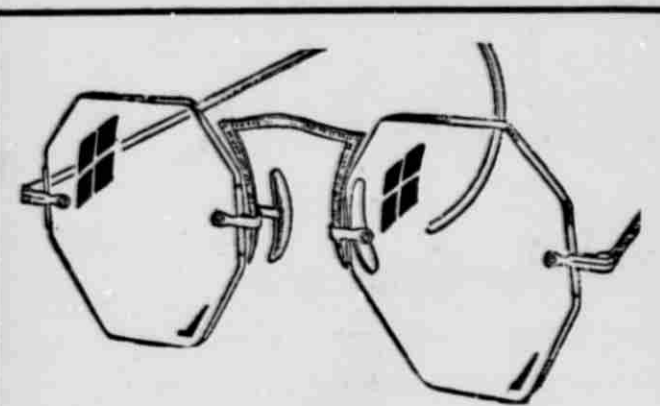
To Mr. and Mrs. Alger Dyaert, (Myrl Zahn) at Butterworth hospital, Grand Rapids, January 28, a 7 1/2 pound daughter, Ardia Nan.

To Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Thebo, north Monroe ave., January 23, a son, Drayton A. Mrs. Ray Mills of Grand Rapids, sister of Mrs. Thebo, is caring for mother and son.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Kropf entertained the Saturday night club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Jones Jan. 30. Five tables of euchre were in play. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. U. A. Hawk, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Boerma, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mulder, Mr. and Mrs. Orley Rutason, Mr. and Mrs. James Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Don Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kinsley, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Warner and the hosts. A sumptuous pot-luck supper was served at midnight. Honors were awarded Harry Kinsley and Mrs. Orley Rutason. Consolations went to Mrs. Harry Kinsley and James Denton. Those who held hands were D. L. Phillips and

Mrs. James Denton. The club will be entertained at the Don Phillips home, Center street, Saturday, Feb. 12, and will be a "Depression party."

The Cheerful Doers met with Mrs. Harvey Haysmer Monday night, about 40 being present. After the business session a program of music, readings and games was enjoyed. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Orley Burns of Bowne entertained Saturday evening at their farm home for the pleasure of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sherwood, Mr. and Mrs. William Cosgriff, Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Rieker, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dowling and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Sayles of Lowell, Mr. and Mrs. John Sterzick of South Boston and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sterzick of South Lowell. Cards were played, honors going to Mrs. Sherwood and Fred Sterzick and consolations to Mrs. Sayles and Mr. Rieker. A lovely pot-luck supper was served at midnight and all enjoyed a good time.

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