

Being a Collection of Various Topics of Local and General Interest

UNTIMELY AND COSTLY

ELECTORS of the village of Lowell will be called upon to decide the question of changing our present form of government...

Just why the question has been brought forth to us as yet been satisfactorily explained. The village form of government has long been recognized as characteristically American...

The Michigan Municipal League has now been in existence about a dozen years...

The government is doing much to encourage the saving of bonus bonds in their original form...

Uncalled-for bonds will be held by the receiving postoffice not longer than 30 days...

TECHNICAL MEN LEADING technical school reports that 90 per cent of its graduates for this year are already assured of jobs...

THE ARTS OF DAILY LIFE THE COLLEGES are sending out a vast army of young people who have acquired the right to call themselves Bachelors of Arts...

ON THE WANE THE THEHAWAY or shopping news has reached its peak and is on the wane...

INJURIES FATAL TO John Gress of Alto Death claimed John Gress, 36, of Alto, in Blodgett Memorial hospital Tuesday evening...

MICHIGAN ROAD MAPS The Ledger has received a limited supply of official 1936 Michigan road maps from the State Highway Dept...

TENNIS SHOE SPECIAL 33 pairs Ball Band first quality for little fellows, sizes 7 to 12, at \$1.99...

When a new electric switchboard fuse burns out a capsule of neon gas emits a red glow to attract attention...

LOWELL, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, JUNE 18, 1936

FORTY-FOURTH YEAR

NO. 5

U.S. Bonus Bonds Bring Smiles to World War Vets

The old song "Waiting for the Evening Mail" might apply here...

Turns Vast Sums Into Trade Channels

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Runciman Installed President of Rotary

Club Secretary F. F. Coons was designated an "outstanding Lowell Rotarian" at the first annual induction of officers...

Former Bowne Folks Think of Old Home

The following extracts are taken from a letter written to the Ledger by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Aldrich...

A Patched-up Job All We Can Expect

The deplorable pavement laid a couple of years ago on M-66 from the Emery Orchards south to US-36...

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Coming Events

Charter election June 29. Bowne Center dinner and program, July 4.

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Village Engineer Envisions a New P.W.A. Project

Would Use Proceeds From Showboat

Construction of a one-story brick building, 80 by 60 feet, on the approximately \$10,000 property now owned equally by the Village Engineer, American Legion Post and Board of Trade...

The proposed structure would be set back nine feet from the site of the present building to provide proper road width and lessen traffic hazards at the village corner of N. Lafayette and Avery streets...

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Ledger Entries

and the business' family, what would happen to family life if "well and elsewhere" in World no countless divorces result, and many children grow up with illegitimacy?

Some will say that the community could prosper, even if the divorce rate were to increase. All meals were eaten at restaurants. When that day comes, it would seem as if the old-time home, with all its blessings and its responsibilities, had been abandoned. So let us honor the champion of the cause, and let us hope that some share of rewards and fame as goes to successful women.

CRIMEFUL TRADE PACTS

PRESIDENT Roosevelt's secret trade pact with American nations, especially to Michigan, has been a source of concern to the American people. The pact, which covers the out-of-date tariff with modern tariff.

GOVERNMENT SPENDING

THE HIGH COURTS of the nation render their decisions, but spending of public funds is continuing, say the New Dealers. In the face of this, the natural that the American people should ask, "where is it going?"

THROUGH THE WRINGER

WITH THE 1936 licensing period now closing, the Michigan Liquor Control Commission appears to be carrying out its promise to reduce the number of licenses in an effort to improve the type of people to be licensed. In the past, the Commission has been criticized for its laxity in granting licenses.

COOKING CHAMPS

THE WOMEN'S National Exposition of the industry, held at New York, recently conducted a national competition in the field of home economics. The champion of this year was Mrs. Alberta Moore, of Santa Rosa, California.

LOWELL ITEMS

of 25, 30 and 35 Years Ago

June 15, 1911—25 Years Ago
A son was born at Saranac to Mrs. and Mrs. Lulu Hahn (nee) of Lowell, Michigan. The child, Claude B. Harrington, was named in honor of his father.

SAYINGS BY OTHER EDITORS

A DOUBLE WRONG
How much "poor relief" has been distributed in this community? It is a question that has been in the mind of many observers, and it is one that is being asked in every respect, except perhaps in the case of the poor.

MOSELEY-MURRAY LAKE

Mrs. W. E. Moseley and Mrs. Murray Lake are planning to spend the summer with relatives in the Adirondacks.

PRINTING

One kind of printing—GOOD PRINTING

DRIVE A "TEST CAR" IN THE WORLD'S GREATEST ROAD TEST

8000.00 in cash and hundreds of free merchandise. Drive a "Test Car" in the world's greatest road test. This is the only chance to drive a "Test Car" in the world's greatest road test.

Traveling?

COMPARE Bus Fares with other transportation costs. Greater travel bargains than ever before all America.

From LOWELL to

One Way	LANING	\$1.70
TOLEDO	4.15	
CLEVELAND	5.30	
BURBURN	7.20	
N. YORK CITY	11.60	

Be sure your ticket reads via SHORT-WAY GREY-HOUND FOR SERVICE PLUS SAVINGS.

McCord's Matters

Mr. and Mrs. Francis G. Tracy and Mrs. Tracy's daughter, Mrs. Tracy, are spending several weeks with the McCords in their home in Carleton Place, Ontario, Canada.

Vergennes Center

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. McPherson called on the Shattuck family in Vergennes, N. C. They were accompanied by Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Mary Kerr.

South Lowell

Mrs. Larry Burroughs and Mrs. Chas. Yeiter are spending a few days with the Chas. Yeiter family in South Lowell.

Local Bus Depot

Henry's Drug Store
Phone 30

Tremendous Trifles

MR. JOHN T. FORD is happy. It is a big night for his theater in Washington. The gifted Laura Keane is appearing in "The Sign of the Cross" at the Metropolitan.

Law Versus Chance

A TENDENCY of the uneducated human mind to believe that it can ultimately better conditions, financial or otherwise, by resorting to what is known as the element of chance, is one of the delusions which seem to be the most common of all.

Seeley Corners

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Wiersum and family of Grand Rapids were in town Sunday.

M-21 News

Cliff Paul and Harry Vanhook were Friday callers at the Wesley Gould home.

Lowell Center

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Morse Lake

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Local Couple Married Mrs. Helen Vandevelde and Robert McWhinney of near Chicago were united in marriage Friday night in Grand Rapids.

Surprise Birthday Party About 35 young people surprised Miss Helen Vandevelde on her 21st birthday Saturday night. The party was given at the home of Mrs. Vandevelde.

Have New Uniforms The Alto Ball team, doped up in new grey uniforms, with blue neckties and white socks, were seen on the field last Friday night.

55 Attend Reunion The 55th annual reunion of the Goffrey-Bunker Association, was held at the home of Mrs. Goffrey on June 14th, 1936 with an attendance of 55 relatives from various parts of the state.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE... Defaults having been made (and such defaults have continued for more than ninety days) in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by William H. Reichold and Marie wife of City of Grand Rapids...

Election Notice

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in the Village of Lowell, Michigan, on the 23rd day of September, 1936...

Council Proceedings

The regular meeting of the Council of the Village of Lowell, Michigan, was held on Monday, June 15, 1936...

Short Story

Tennessee Calling... By Scott W. Ryall... A DARIAN BARTON, sitting back in his chair, listened to the toasts...

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Certo Bottle 23c **Morton Salt** Free Balloon with 2 packages 2 for 17c
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Red & White Marshmallows Lb. Box 19c
Red & White Corn Flakes Large Box 10c
Red & White Fruit Cocktail 2 for 25c
Blue & White Pork and Beans - can 5c
Red & White Cut Beets 3 No. 2 cans 25c
Leaf Lettuce lb. 5c **Carrots** per bunch 5c

Wisconsin Cheese Mild lb. 19c
Small Frankforts lb. 19c **Bacon Squares** - lb. 19c
Veal Stew - lb. 15c **Veal Roast Shoulder** lb. 20c
Shoulder Pork Roast Round bone lb. 20c
Beef Ribs - lb. 13c **Beef Pot Roast** - 16c
Beef Chuck Roast lb. 18c **Sausage Grade 1** lb. 17c
Round or Sirloin Steak - lb. 25c

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More Local News

Newest white hats, \$1.19, at Weekes.

New 9x12 Axminster rugs, \$26.50, at Weekes.

L. J. Nummer was home from the CCC Camp at St. Ignace over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rennels of Flint called at the James Baird home Sunday on their way to Grant.

Mrs. Geo. Coleman of Kankakee, Ill., is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Frank Weaver.

Mrs. Chorley of Millbrook was a week-end guest of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Will Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Burnett Condon and children are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Glen Condon in Flint this week-end.

Mrs. Annie Acheson returned home last Friday after caring for Mrs. Wm. Mueller for the past four weeks.

Verne Miller of near Fairview was here over the week-end to attend the Blough reunion Sunday at Fallasburg Park.

Latest colors in Globe and Humming Bird silk hosiery, 89c pair, toasty, misty, snappy and summer, H. L. Weekes.

Solomon Rickner, 115, the oldest man in Nebraska and in the United States, died recently at his home in St. Paul. He was an uncle of Louis A. Rickner of Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dyk of Greenville and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meeker were in Grand Rapids Sunday to visit Mr. Dyk's father, Martin Dyk, who is seriously ill at the Edward Dyk home, 53 Holland-st., N.E.

Lewis M. Yeiter, Lowell-twp. supervisor, who suffered a slight stroke about ten days ago, is reported as doing very well. Mr. Yeiter's speech has not been affected. He is able to sit up every day, feels very cheerful and it is confidently expected that he will begin to show marked signs of improvement.

New Kabo thigh band, two-way stretch girdle, \$1.29, at Weekes.

Kabo summer mesh girdles, 79c and \$1.00, at Weekes.

Miss Grace Hovinga is working for Mrs. Bruinekoel at Ada.

Mrs. Myrtle TreDenick spent the week-end at Grand Haven.

Newest sheer dresses, sizes 12 to 50, special \$1.19 and \$1.95, at Weekes.

Miss Helen Wittenbach, governess of the Doelman children, had them home with her Sunday and at Fallasburg Park.

The Misses Maryann and Norma Ashley are expected home Friday from Michigan State College to spend summer vacation.

C. Bergin and granddaughter, Helen Hill, returned on Monday from a several days' visit with Mrs. H. J. Paterson and family at Alma.

Word has reached local friends of the death in a gas stove explosion near Crystal several weeks ago of the former Mrs. Mamie Pollock of Lowell.

Mrs. Geo. Lee, who underwent an operation at Blodgett hospital Tuesday, is reported to be resting comfortably. Her many friends hope for her speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Wisner and children of Belding were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Sowers. They with Mr. and Mrs. Arch Condon picnicked at Fallasburg Park.

John Rittenger, one of our well-known citizens, who has been confined to his home on Spring-st. most of the time for the past two or three months, is reported on the gain.

M. N. Henry left Monday evening for Big Rapids, where he is helping to conduct the state board examinations of 120 graduates of the four Michigan Schools of Pharmacy.

Miss Jean Weekes went to Detroit Tuesday to spend the remainder of the week with Miss Mary Roth and to attend the commencement exercises at which Miss Roth will be graduated.

Robert Carnahan and Ronald Harper accompanied Mr. and Mrs. James Baird to the Fallasburg-Lake Odessa ball game on Sunday and were delighted when their base ball idol, "Gabby" Byrnes, gave them an interview between innings.

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Mr. and Mrs. Owen Harper of Grand Rapids spent Sunday here with their mother, Mrs. Mary Wingier, and sister, Mrs. Sophia Garanhahn.

Mrs. W. E. Goodridge and Miss Marian Anderson arrived Tuesday from Washington, D. C., to spend several weeks with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newell have returned home from a two weeks' business trip, during which time Mr. Newell attended a national Insecticide Convention at the Edgewater Beach hotel in Chicago in the interests of the Lowell Metal Products Co.

Mrs. George Veestra of Redlands, Calif., who has been spending several days here with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Staal, now is visiting other relatives in this vicinity. She expects to return to California the latter part of August.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Forward of Kalamazoo visited her uncle and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Will Devering last Wednesday. Bessie remained until Saturday and Mr. Forward and sons, Follie and Junior and Mrs. Ruth Mitchell and children came to spend the day and all returned home Saturday night.

Quick Getaway
 "Oh, yes, my father was a great politician in his day."
 "What did he run for?"
 "The border."

ON RELIEF
 "Mrs. O'Tool, has your son a leaning toward any particular calling?"
 "Sure, he'll be a poet, he hates work so."

Poor Bridegrooms
 "Don't they ever have showers for the bridegroom, pop?"
 "No, sonny, but there usually are plenty of storms for him after the bride begins to reign."

Who It Was
 Johnson—My wife has been nursing a grinch all the week.
 Jackson—Is that so? I hadn't seen you around, but I didn't know you were laid up.

Money Panic
 Mother—I hope my little boy has been as good as gold all day.
 Nurse—No. He went off the gold standard about bedtime.

Out With a Net
 "What are you doing," asked St. Simlin. "Catchin' butterflies!"
 "No," answered Farmer Cornotson. "Tryin' to save some of my top soil that's been carried off in the wind."

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Social Events

Mrs. Fred Gramer entertained the Goolfus Club last Wednesday evening. Honors were won by Mrs. Bertha Walker, Mrs. Geo. Lee and Mrs. Vern E. Ashley.

"The House in Paris," written by Elizabeth Bowen, was reviewed by Mrs. D. A. Wingeier at the meeting of the Book Review Club held with Mrs. J. M. Hilderley Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown entertained at supper Saturday in honor of the 75th birthday of Mrs. Brown's brother, Fred Kropp, Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Chris Kropp also were guests.

High scorers in the contract bridge tournament at Richmond's Cafe last Tuesday evening were: North and south, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Freeman; second, Mrs. Bowles and Mrs. Nolan; East and west, Earl Thomas and Paul Kellogg; second, Mrs. R. E. Springett and Mrs. F. J. McMahon.

Forty-three members of the Lowell Garden Lore Club enjoyed a picnic dinner at the beautiful Hopkins' gardens at Spring Lake Tuesday, after which they made a tour of the two rose gardens which have a mixed border running between them. The gardens are a half mile long, following the lake shore.

Miss Jane McCarthy and Miss Jean Weekes accompanied the following girls on a house party at Bostwick Lake over the week-end: Beth Burdick, Pearl Parsons, Barbara Cahoon, Annie May and Hazel Riekker, Dorothy Fletcher, Ardis Schneider, Grace and Lela Denny, Florence Dowling and Lorraine Kyser. The girls are members of Miss McCarthy's Sunday School class at the M. E. Church.

Mrs. Andrew Chaffee entertained at their home Tuesday evening with a birthday party in honor of her husband and Hugh Ritter of Doster. Fourteen guests were present. Progressive and euchre was the diversion of the evening, high scores being held by Donna Dolloway and Thomas Chaffee and consolations by Cora McKay and Lloyd Shaffer. Mrs. Chaffee served a delicious lunch after which dancing was enjoyed at Riverview Inn.

Bon Voyage Parties

Attorney and Mrs. R. M. Shivel, who left today (Thursday) to spend about two and one-half months in the British Isles, have been entertained at a number of bon voyage parties. The first was one given by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doyle at the Peninsula Club in Grand Rapids. T. M. Doyle and Miss Minnie Meek gave a party at Lone Pine Inn June 7. Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Small entertained at the Woman's City Club in Grand Rapids last week Thursday and Mr. and Mrs. William C. Doyle opened their home

on Vergennes Road Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Shivel. Although their plans are by no means certain, Mr. and Mrs. Shivel will sail from Montreal June 19th on the Duchess of Bedford for Belfast, Ireland. They expect to spend most of their time traveling in the British Isles and may visit the Continent.

Marriage Licenses

William G. Hurd, 37, Lowell; Charlotte B. Martin, 31; Archibald E. Duncan, 29, Lowell; Norma R. Kropp, 21, Lowell.

THE UNSATISFACTORY PART

"Can you get my pendulum clock to work?" asked the simple-looking person in the jeweler's shop. "We will endeavor to," replied the Jeweler. The customer unwrapped a small parcel. The jeweler gazed in wonderment at the contents. "But this is no use," he said. "In order to mend the clock, we must have the whole thing. You've only brought us the pendulum. "Well," replied the customer brightly, "it's only the pendulum as won't go."

ON THE UP AND UP



"So your engagement with Annette is up?"
 "Yes."
 "What became of the engagement ring?"
 "That's up, too."

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June Weddings

Everhart—Stiles

Married at Saranac, Sunday, June 14, by the Rev. Mr. Loomis, Miss Betty Everhart to Mr. Arthur Stiles both of Lowell. After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Stiles left on a motor trip to various points in Northern Michigan. They are highly esteemed young people and have the best wishes of their large circle of friends. The groom is a graduate of the Lowell high school and the bride a graduate of an Akron, Ohio, high school.

Double Wedding at Parnell

Miss Mary Vivian Jakeway and her sister, Miss Lillian Elizabeth Jakeway, teachers in the Grand Rapids schools, and daughters of Mr. and Mrs. C. Kent Jakeway of Parnell, became brides at a double ceremony in St. Patrick's church at Parnell at 9 o'clock Tuesday.

Miss Mary Vivian Jakeway pronounced her nuptial vows with Merrill W. Byrne of Fort Wayne, Ind. Mr. and Mrs. John P. Byrne of Parnell, Miss Lillian Elizabeth Jakeway was united in marriage with William Joseph Manning, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Manning of Grand Rapids.

Miss Mary Vivian Jakeway, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a princess model of white satin with a train. Her dress was trimmed with seed pearls at the neck to match the small coronet of seed pearls that held her veil. She carried white roses of the valley and swansons.

Miss Lillian Elizabeth Jakeway, whose hand was given in marriage by her brother, Gerald V. Jakeway, wore a princess model of white satin, made in fashion similar to that of her sister. Her flowers also were white roses with lilies of the valley and swansons.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald V. Jakeway were master and mistress of ceremony. Those who ushered were Gerald Byrne of East Lansing and John Manning of Grand Rapids.

Vocal numbers were given by Miss Nella Blackport, Mrs. Ross Bignell and John Jakeway. A wedding breakfast for the three families was served at the Country House and in the afternoon a reception for 200 guests was held at the home of the brides' parents. Out of town guests were Mrs. Mary J. Burke of Winona, Minn., and Thomas Warner Burke of Long Island, N. Y.

After a short wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Byrne will be at home at 108 W. 11th, Fort Wayne, where Mr. Byrne is affiliated with the General Electric Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Manning will spend their honeymoon in New York city. They will be at home at 1939 Prospect-av., Grand Rapids, after July 15.

Sisters and Brothers United in Double Wedding

(Smyrna Correspondence) A double wedding was solemnized at the Church of God in Belding Saturday morning, June 13, at nine o'clock when Miss Inez Ethelyn Earle became the bride of Howard Edward Reeves and Miss Helen Mary Earle became the bride of Milan Lafayette Reeves. The brides were dressed exactly alike in gowns of white satin and lace veils with pleated caps and orange blossoms.

Mrs. Frank Loomis of Saranac, aunt of the brides, played Mendelssohn's Wedding March on the organ as the bridal party entered the church which had been beautifully decorated by Russell Galt and son Francis of the Rustic Gardens. Rev. Frank Loomis of Saranac, uncle of the brides, officiated and the vows were spoken before an altar which was draped by a shawl of silver and net, gift of the brides' aunt, Mrs. Orlando E. Kellum of Riverside, Calif., who had purchased it while in Cairo, Egypt. The brides' father, Robert Milton Earle, gave the brides away in marriage. Mrs. J. Batdorf sang "I Love You Truly" and "Because."

Miss Helen Mary was attended by her sister, Doris, as maid of honor, who wore a green chiffon gown with white hat and gloves. Her bridesmaid, Maxene Regan, was her cousin and she was dressed in yellow chiffon with white accessories. Joseph Batdorf, the ring bearer, wore a black satin suit, and the flower girl, Judith Engemann, wore a blue organza dress.

Miss Inez Ethelyn's maid of honor was her cousin, Gaytha Loomis, who wore a gown of orchid chiffon with white hat and gloves. Her bridesmaid, Marion Reeves, sister of the grooms, wore pink chiffon with white accessories. Jerry Engemann was ring bearer and Sarah Ann Reeves, the grooms' cousin, was flower girl.

Milan's best man was Laurence Gardner while Dayton Reeves served Howard in that capacity. John Gieger, Ben Reeves, Hubert Reeves and Steol Hubert were ushers.

The brides' mother wore an orchid chiffon gown with white accessories. The mother of the grooms was gowned in purple crepe. The three-course wedding breakfast was served at eleven o'clock at the home of the brides' parents in Smyrna. The guests were received at the home by the bridal party with Howard's and Ethelyn's master and mistress of ceremonies, Mr. and Mrs. Thor Jorginson, old and valued friends of the family, and Milan's and Helen's master and mistress of ceremonies, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Reeves, aunt and uncle of the grooms. Two beautiful wedding cakes graced the brides' table. The home was decorated by Mrs. Edward Silback and Mrs. T. Jorginson.

The brides and grooms left for a short trip to Detroit and Canada amid showers of rice and good wishes. Inez Ethelyn wore yellow with white accessories, and Helen Mary, orchid with gray.

They will be at home to their friends at Smyrna. Helen and Milan will live in a home, already furnished, which has been in the Earle family for years. Robert M. Earle and his brother, Hubert W. having lost their mother at a very early age came from Lansing to be tenderly cared for by an aunt, Miss Helen M. Earle, a sister of their father, J. Milton

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Earle, who was in the senate at Lansing and now resides in Artesia, Calif. He was unable to attend the wedding of his granddaughters, Howard and Ethelyn will reside in the home already furnished which has long been in the Russell family, the brides' mother's people. It has been property of the family 82 years.

QUARANTINE SUSPENDS ALL TOWN'S BUSINESS

Telephone Calls More Than Double as Stores Close, Meetings Are Forbidden During Epidemic

When a heavy guard was thrown about Kalamazoo County, Okla., on Friday, December 13, 1935 and all except essential business activities were halted from that day until December 16, the residents of Hobart, the county seat, realized the value of the telephone as they never had done before.

Came as Complete Surprise

The entire county was isolated by a strict quarantine on the part of state and county health officers when an outbreak of spinal meningitis occurred. The quarantine came as a complete surprise to the residents of Hobart, because no cases had been reported there, although the outbreak had claimed four lives in the county, five others who had died were believed to have shown symptoms of the malady and many others were in the hospital seriously ill.

All Activities Are Halted

As a result, telephone calls increased to an all-time high level and continued so throughout the four days of the quarantine. All businesses except drug stores and grocery stores were ordered closed. Druggists were permitted to sell only medicine, and only one pharmacist was allowed in the store at a time. Grocery stores delivered provisions, but no sales were permitted in the stores. People did their ordering by telephone, and those who did not have telephones obtained provisions by going to the store, giving an order to the clerk at the door, one at a time, then waiting outside while it was filled. Sessions of the district court and grand jury hearings were discontinued and all kinds of assemblages were prohibited. Streets were patrolled in Hobart, and banks, department stores, filling stations and public offices were closed.

Operators Volunteer for Service

In such an emergency, the telephone was called upon to serve to an extent that it had never done before. All available operators were called in, and also others who had previously worked for the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company volunteered for service. Toll business rose 275 per cent above normal and, while no record was kept of local calls, it was estimated that the increase amounted to fully 350 per cent above normal.

The New Tay Bridge across the Firth of Tay, near Dundee, Scotland, 10,780 feet long, is said to be the longest bridge in the world.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Melbourne Hartley on Monday, June 8, a son, Douglas Phillip.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness to our son Raymond in his illness and misfortune in the loss of his leg.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nummer.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends for the many gifts which we have received since our home was destroyed by fire.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hessler.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the many friends and societies for the kindnesses extended me during my recent illness.

Sybil Reynolds.

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Thursday, June 25 - Bank Nite

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Red & White Corn Flakes Large Box 10c
Red & White Fruit Cocktail 2 for 25c

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Leaf Lettuce 1b. 5c **Carrots** per bunch 5c

Wisconsin Cheese Mild 1b. 19c
Small Frankforts 1b. 19c **Bacon Squares** 1b. 19c
Veal Stew 1b. 15c **Veal Roast Shoulder** 1b. 20c
Shoulder Pork Roast Round bone 1b. 20c
Beef Ribs 1b. 13c **Beef Pot Roast** 16c
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Social Events

Mrs. Fred Gramer entertained the Goufus Club last Wednesday evening. Honors were won by Mrs. Bertha Walker, Mrs. Geo. Lee and Mrs. Vern E. Ashley.

"The House in Paris," written by Elizabeth Bowen, was reviewed by Mrs. D. A. Wingeier at the meeting of the Book Review Club held with Mrs. J. M. Hilderley Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown entertained at supper Saturday in honor of the 75th birthday of Mrs. Brown's brother, Fred Kropf, Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Chris Kropf also were guests.

High scorers in the contract bridge tournament at Richmond's Cafe last Tuesday evening were: North and south, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Freeman; second, Mrs. Bowles and Mrs. Nolan. East and west, Earl Thomas and Paul Kellogg; second, Mrs. R. E. Springett and Mrs. E. J. McMahon.

Forty-three members of the Lowell Garden Lore Club enjoyed a picnic dinner at the beautiful Hopkins' gardens at Spring Lake Tuesday, after which they made a tour of the two rose gardens which have a mixed border running between them. The gardens are a half mile long, following the lake shore.

Miss Jane McCarthy and Miss Jean Weekes accompanied the following girls on a house party at Roswell Lake over the weekend: Beth Burdick, Pearl Parsons, Barbara Cahoon, Annie May and Hazel Rieker, Dorothy Fletcher, Ardis Schneider, Grace and Leila Denny, Florence Dowling and Lorraine Kyser. The girls are members of Miss McCarthy's Sunday School class at the M. E. Church.

Mrs. Andrew Chaffee entertained at their home Tuesday evening with a birthday party in honor of her husband and Hugh Ritter of Doster. Fourteen guests were present. Progressive euchre was the diversion of the evening. High scores being held by Donna Doherty and Thomas Chaffee and consolation by Cora McKay and Lloyd Shaffer. Mrs. Chaffee served a delicious lunch after which dancing was enjoyed at Riverview Inn.

Bon Voyage Parties

Attorney and Mrs. R. M. Shivel, who left today (Thursday) to spend about two and one-half months in the British Isles, have been entertained at a number of bon voyage parties. The first was one given by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doyle at the Peninsula Club in Grand Rapids. T. M. Doyle and Miss Minnie Meek gave a party at Lone Pine Inn June 7. Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Snell entertained at the Woman's City Club in Grand Rapids last week Thursday and Mr. and Mrs. William C. Doyle opened their home

on Vergennes Road Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Shivel. Although their plans are by no means certain, Mr. and Mrs. Shivel will sail from Montreal June 19th on the Duchess of Bedford for Belfast, Ireland. They expect to spend most of their time traveling in the British Isles and may visit the Continent.

Marriage Licenses

William G. Hurd, 37, Lowell; Charlotte B. Martin, 31, Archibald E. Duncan, 29, Lowell; Norma R. Kropf, 21, Lowell.

THE UNSATISFACTORY PART

"Can you get my pendulum clock to work?" asked the simple-looking person in the jeweler's shop. "We will endeavor to," replied the jeweler. The customer unwrapped a small parcel. The jeweler gazed in wonderment at the contents. "But this is no use," he said. "In order to mend the clock, we must have the whole thing. You've only brought us the pendulum." "Well," replied the customer brightly, "it's only the pendulum as won't go."

ON THE UP AND UP



"So your engagement with Annette is up?" "Yes." "What became of the engagement ring?" "That's up, too."

In Philadelphia is Independence Hall, in which was signed in 1776 the Declaration of Independence. Here is housed the famous Liberty Bell.



June Weddings

Everhart-Stiles

Married, at Saranac, Sunday, June 14, by the Rev. Mr. Loomis, Miss Betty Everhart to Mr. Arthur Stiles both of Lowell. After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Stiles left on a motor trip to various points in Northern Michigan. They are highly esteemed young people and have the best wishes of their large circle of friends. The groom is a graduate of the Lowell high school and the bride a graduate of an Akron, Ohio, high school.

Double Wedding at Parnell

Miss Mary Vivian Jakeway and her sister, Miss Lillian Elizabeth Jakeway, teachers in the Grand Rapids schools, and daughters of Mr. and Mrs. C. Kent Jakeway of Parnell, became brides at a double wedding in St. Patrick's church at Parnell at 9 o'clock Tuesday.

Miss Mary Vivian Jakeway pronounced her nuptial vows with Merrill W. Byrne of Fort Wayne, Ind., son of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Byrne of Parnell. Miss Lillian Elizabeth Jakeway was united in marriage with William Joseph Manning, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Manning of Grand Rapids.

Miss Mary Vivian Jakeway, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a princess model of white satin with a train. Her dress was trimmed with seed pearls at the neck to match the small coronet of seed pearls that held her veil. She carried white roses, lilies of the valley and swainssona.

Miss Lillian Elizabeth Jakeway, whose hand was given in marriage by her brother, Gerald W. Jakeway, wore a princess model of white satin, made in fashion similar to that of her sister. Her flowers also were white roses with lilies of the valley and swainssona.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald W. Jakeway were master and mistress of ceremony. Those who ushered were Gerald Byrne of East Lansing and John Manning of Grand Rapids.

Best numbers were given by Miss Nell Block and Mrs. Ross Bignell and John Jakeway. A wedding breakfast for the three families was served at the Country House and in the afternoon a reception for 200 guests was held at the home of the brides' parents. Out of town guests were Mrs. Mary J. Burke of Winona, Minn., and Thomas Warner Burke of Long Island, N. Y.

After a short wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Byrne will be at home at 4108 Indiana-av., Fort Wayne, where Mr. Byrne is affiliated with the General Electric Co. Mr. and Mrs. Manning will spend their honeymoon in New York city. They will be at home at 1939 Prospect-av., Grand Rapids, after July 15.

Sisters and Brothers United in Double Wedding

(Smyrna Correspondence) A double wedding was solemnized at the Church of God in Belding Saturday morning, June 13, at nine o'clock when Miss Ethel Earle became the bride of Howard Edward Reeves and Miss Helen Mary Earle became the bride of Milan Lafayette Reeves. The brides were dressed exactly alike in gowns of white satin and lace veils with pleated caps and orange blossoms.

Frank Loomis of Saranac, aunt of the brides, played Mendelssohn's Wedding March on the organ as the bridal party entered the church which had been beautifully decorated by Russell Gais and son Francis of the Rustic Gardens. Rev. Frank Loomis of Saranac, uncle of the brides, officiated and the vows were spoken before an altar which was draped by a shawl of silver and net, gift of the brides' aunt, Mrs. Orlando E. Kellum of Riverside, Calif., who had purchased it while in Cairo, Egypt. The brides' father, Robert Milton Earle, gave the brides away in marriage. Mrs. J. Batdorf sang "I Love You Truly" and "Because."

Miss Helen Mary was attended by her sister, Doris, as maid of honor, who wore a green chiffon gown with white hat and gloves. Her bridesmaid, Maxene Regan, was her cousin, and she was dressed in yellow chiffon with white accessories. Joseph Batdorf, the ring bearer, wore a black satin suit, and the flower girl, Judith Engemann, wore a blue organdy dress.

Miss Inez Ethelyn's maid of honor was her cousin, Gaytha Loomis, who wore a gown of orchid chiffon with white hat and gloves. Her bridesmaid, Marion Reeves, pink of the grooms, wore pink chiffon with white accessories. Jerry Engemann was ring bearer and Sarah Ann Reeves, the grooms' cousin, was flower girl.

Milan's best man was Laurence Gardner of Detroit and he served Howard in that capacity. John Gieger, Ben Reeves, Hubert Reeves and Steel Hulbert were ushers.

The brides' mother wore an orchid chiffon gown with white accessories. The mother of the grooms was gowned in purple crepe.

The three-course wedding breakfast was served at eleven o'clock at the home of the brides' parents in Smyrna. The guests were received at the house by the bridal party with Howard and Ethelyn's master and mistress of ceremonies, Mr. and Mrs. Thor Jorginson, old and valued friends of the family, and Milan and Helen's master and mistress of ceremonies, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Reeves, aunt and uncle of the grooms. Two beautiful wedding cakes graced the brides' table. The home was decorated by Mrs. Edward Silback and Mrs. T. Jorginson.

The brides and grooms left for a short trip to Detroit at 10 a. m. and showers of rice and good wishes. Inez Ethelyn wore yellow with white accessories, and Helen Mary, orchid with gray.

They will be at home to their friends in Smyrna. Helen and Milan will live in a home, already furnished, which has been in the Earle family for years. Robert W. Earle and his brother, Hubert W., having lost their mother at a very early age came from Lansing to be tenderly cared for by an aunt. Earle is a sister of their father, J. Milton

More Local News

Newest white hats, \$1.19, at Weekes.

New 9x12 Axminster rugs, \$26.50, at Weekes.

L. J. Nummer was home from the CCC Camp at St. Ignace over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rennels of Flint called at the James Baird home Sunday on their way to Grant.

Mrs. Geo. Coleman of Kankakee, Ill., is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Frank Weaver.

Mrs. Chorley of Millbrook was a week-end guest of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Will Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Burnett Gondon and children are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gondon in Flint this week-end.

Mrs. Annie Acheson returned home last Friday after caring for Mrs. Wm. Mueller for the past four weeks.

Verne Miller of near Fairview was here over the week-end to attend the Blough reunion Sunday at Fallsburg Park.

Latest colors in Globe and Humming Bird silk hosiery, 89c pair, toasty, misty, snappy and summer. H. L. Weekes.

Solomon Rieker, 115, the oldest man in Nebraska and in the United States, died recently at his home in St. Paul. He was an uncle of Louis A. Rieker of Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dyk of Greenville and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meeker were in Grand Rapids Sunday to visit Mr. Dyk's father, Martin Dyk, who is seriously ill at the Edward Dyk home, 53 Holland-st., NE.

Lewis M. Yeiter, Lowell-tp. supervisor, who suffered a slight stroke about ten days ago, is reported as doing very well. Mr. Yeiter's speech has not been affected. He is able to sit up every day, feels very cheerful and it is confidently expected that he will begin to show marked signs of improvement.

New Kabo thigh band, two-way stretch girdle, \$1.29, at Weekes.

Kabo summer mesh girdles, 79c and \$1.00, at Weekes.

Miss Grace Hovinga is working for Mrs. Bruinekol at Ada.

Mrs. Myrtle TroDenick spent the week-end at Grand Haven.

Newest sheer dresses, sizes 12 to 50, special \$1.19 and \$1.95, at Weekes.

Miss Helen Wittenbach, governess of the Doelman children, had them home with her Sunday and at Fallsburg Park.

The Misses Mary and Norma Ashley are expected home Friday from Michigan State College to spend summer vacation.

C. Bergin and granddaughter, Helen Hill, returned on Monday from a several days' visit with Mrs. H. J. Paterson and family at Alma.

Word has reached local friends of the death in a gas stove explosion near Crystal several weeks ago of the former Mrs. Mamie Pollock of Lowell.

Mrs. Geo. Lee, who underwent an operation at Blodgett hospital Tuesday, is reported to be resting comfortably. Her many friends hope for her speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Wisner and children of Belding were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Sowers. They with Mr. and Mrs. Arch Gondon picnicked at Fallsburg Park.

John Rittenger, one of our well-known citizens, who has been confined to his home on Spring-st. most of the time for the past two or three months, is reported on the gain.

M. N. Henry left Monday evening for Big Rapids, where he is helping to conduct the state board examinations of 120 graduates of the four Michigan Schools of Pharmacy.

Miss Jean Weekes went to Detroit Tuesday to spend the remainder of the week with Miss Mary Roth and to attend the commencement exercises at which Miss Roth will be graduated.

Robert Carnahan and Ronald Harper accompanied Mr. and Mrs. James Baird to the Fallsburg-Lake Odessa ball game on Sunday and were delighted when their base ball idol, "Gabby" Byrnes, gave them an interview between innings.

Newest summer dresses just in, \$1.19 and \$1.95, at Weekes.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Harper of Grand Rapids spent Sunday here with their mother, Mrs. Mary Wingeier, and sister, Mrs. Sophia Carmanhan.

Mrs. W. E. Goodridge and Miss Marian Anderson arrived Tuesday from Washington, D. C., to spend several weeks with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newell have returned home from a two weeks' business trip, during which time Mr. Newell attended a national Insecticide Convention at the Edgewater Beach hotel in Chicago in the interests of the Lowell Metal Products Co.

Mrs. George Venstra of Redlands, Calif., who has been spending several days here with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Staal, now is visiting other relatives in this vicinity. She expects to return to California the latter part of August.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Forward of Kalamazoo visited her uncle and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Will Devering last Wednesday. Bessie remained until Saturday and Mr. Forward and sons, Follie and Junior and Mrs. Ruth Mitchell and children came to spend the day and all returned home Saturday night.

Quick Getaway

"Oh, yes, my father was a great politician in his day."

"What did he run for?"

"The border."

ON RELIEF



"Mrs. O'Tool, has your son a leaning toward any particular calling?"

"Sure, he'll be a poet, he hates work so."

Four Bridesgrooms

"Don't they ever have showers for the bridesgroom, pop?"

"No, sonny, but there usually are plenty of storms for him after the bride begins to reign."

Who It Was

Johnson—My wife has been nursing a crutch all the week.

Jackson—Is that so? I hadn't seen you around, but I didn't know you were laid up.

Money Talks

Mother—I hope my little boy has been as good as gold all day.

Nurse—No. He went off the gold standard about bedtime.

Out With a Net

"What are you doing," asked St. Similia. "Catchin' butterflies!"

"No," answered Farmer Corntosel. "Tryin' to save some of my top soil that's been carried off in the wind."

Not Artists

Angry Guide—Why didn't you shoot that tiger?

Timid Hunter—He didn't have the right kind of expression on his face for a rug.

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Earle, who was in the senate at Lansing and now resides in Artesia, Calif. He was unable to attend the wedding of his granddaughters. Howard and Ethelyn will reside in the home already furnished which has long been in the Russell family, the brides' mother's people. It has been property of the family 82 years, the great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Russell, having lived their entire married life of 62 years, and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Russell, the present owner, having been born there. Their eldest daughter, Mrs. Ethel Loomis, also was born there.

This event unites two old and respected families. The late Walter Reeves, grandfather of the grooms, taught the Smyrna school when the grandfather, Amos Russell went to school. Both of the grooms and the brides attended the same school, Belding high, where Howard graduated in the class of '31. Edward Reeves, father of the grooms, has served several terms as supervisor of township.

Guests numbering 135 from Smyrna, Belding, Grand Rapids, Detroit, Lansing and Flint were present. Mrs. Edward Silback was in charge of the gift tables which were laden with exquisite linen, china, silver, oil paintings and other useful and beautiful gifts. During the breakfast soiree music was played by Mrs. Frank Loomis and Mrs. J. W. Batdorf. Doris Earle, sister of the brides, sang several numbers. Those who served as waitresses were: Elsie Burgess of Detroit, Roberta Webb, Goldie Stockton, Margaret White, Gladys and Grace Benedict, Mary Byers, Erma and Donna Thompson, Madeline Webb, Arlene Harris and Mary Russell, all of Belding.

BIRTHS
 To Mr. and Mrs. Melbourne Hartley on Monday, June 8, a son, Douglas Phillip.

CARD OF THANKS
 We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness to our son Raymond in his illness and misfortune in the loss of his leg.
 Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nummer.

CARD OF THANKS
 We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends for the many gifts which we have received since our home was destroyed by fire.
 Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hessler.

CARD OF THANKS
 I wish to express my sincere thanks to the many friends and societies for the kindnesses extended me during my recent illness.
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