

# LEADER ENTRIES

Being a Collection of Various Topics of Local and General Interest

THE FATE OF KIDNAPPERS

THE WORLD shuddered with horror as it heard the sad news of the finding of the little body of Charles Mattson of Tacoma, Wash. The entire country cries out for justice to the foul slayers of this innocent boy.

At least this tragic event has demonstrated that the time when kidnapers could make money from his most bestial of crimes has passed. The wicked abductor of the Mattson boy got nothing, and immediately the officers of the law were on his track, pursuing him with all the vigor of which they are capable. He will never have a moment's peace again.

The government agents and other police have been so successful in following up such outrages, that it is highly probable that all the wicked and all bad men will be overtaken. A kidnap crime is about equivalent to suicide today.

Newspaper advertising will sell anything of merit, whether it be merchandise, farm produce or an idea. It will even fill a church with an over-flow crowd.

## DANGER OF EPIDEMIC

REPORTS of an epidemic of influenza are heard with alarm by many, who recall the trail of sickness and death left by this disease in former years, particularly the terrible plague of 1918. Many will remember how the land seemed filled with funeral processions at that time.

United States health officials think these fears exaggerated, and note only 3,983 cases reported for the country for the week ending January 2. That number may have largely increased during the succeeding weeks.

Many cities report an epidemic of hard colds and ordinary grip, and this is the time of year when people should watch out. Their noses and throats should be kept dry and the membranes of the nose and throat, rendering these delicate tissues peculiarly subject to infection. Man pays a penalty for his indoor life in winter.

## LABORING AND LOAFING

HOW MANY hours a day should people work in shops, factories, and stores? President Roosevelt recently indicated that excessive hours of labor should be eliminated. His message to congress suggests that he will propose legislation some statute taking the place of the NRA.

The older people can recall when the ordinary workday of 10 hours a day. They will say people were well and happy in those times. Yet it was too long a day, and it tended to wear the worker out before his time. Some cautious people thought all industry would be upset when the eight hour day became the usual rule.

While some men don't know how to use leisure to their own advantage or that of the public, on the whole the shorter hours promote the general welfare. Now the 40 hr. week has become common, though in many occupations people work considerably more. Many think a 30 hour week would solve the unemployment problem. In former days people said the way to work out of a depression was for everybody to work harder. Today they say, the way to make good times is to work less. Somehow the idea doesn't seem to fit.

It is claimed machinery has so speeded up production that the country can turn out all the products it needs in 30 hours per week. One fears the cost of production would be so increased if people worked only 30 hours that the price would rise, and the people's ability to buy would be curtailed. There is still much work to be done, if all the vast range of modern wants is to be supplied. Man was made primarily to labor, rather than to loaf.

## GIFT TO YOUNG AMERICA

ONE OF THE most generous gifts ever made to the young men of the land, is provided for by the will of the late Charles Hayden, New York banker. Mr. Hayden has been called the "human dynamo of the financial, railroad, and industrial world." He has provided the means by which that dynamic power will operate forever, in a magnificent gift to the young men of the nation.

Such a beneficent aim was to keep the young men from bad influences. He has made the most generous provisions to assist needy youths, provide recreation centers, educational scholarships, and other opportunities which ambitious youths covet for their development.

Such a charity strikes at the root of poverty and crime. When you find a criminal or an unsuccessful man, his faults and failures are usually due to some lack of opportunity in his youth. If that door of opportunity could have been opened on some critical day, he might have taken advantage of favorable chances, and gone on to a happy life.

Many of our philanthropies simply try to cure the troubles of the world after they have happened. That is all fine and noble. Such aid must be given. But the philanthropy that takes young men at the plastic age when they can be shaped into desirable forms, seems likely to accomplish more. It checks the stream of failure and error at its source.

When you turn a boy from some evil way in which he was beginning to enter, you may save the untold uncounted evils and losses. Or when you take a boy who has not been able to make good, and show him how he can do things, you turn a possible vagrant and recipient of public aid, into a self-reliant producer. This gift is a great event in social progress.

## Free Tea

Free at the C. Thomas Store, 1/2 lb. of Green Japan Tea with every lb. of Thomas Special Coffee. Offer good Friday and Saturday only.

## NOTICE

My office will be closed Wednesday, January 27 while I am attending clinic at the University Dental College.

D. H. Ostley

# THE LOWELL LEDGER

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## Odds and Ends

Here and There

Brief Paragraphs . News and Information on a Variety of Topics

More than a half-million Michigan resident fishing licenses were sold during 1936.

J. Edgar Hoover says politics is public enemy No. 1. And a lot of taxpayers second the motion.

About one out of every three grade crossing accidents is caused by the motorist's driving into the side of a moving train, according to figures compiled for the first half of 1936.

Henry Morganthau, Jr., Secretary of the Treasury, according to reports going the rounds of New Deal inner circles, now is the Number One man at the White House, says the United States News.

Forecast of the Federal Housing Administration predicts an increase of nearly two-thirds in the construction of dwelling units in city areas this year as compared with last.

For the eleventh year in the past seventeen years, Ford Motor Company enjoyed better than a "million-car" year in 1936, according to announcement at the Ford home offices in Dearborn.

Since Alaska was bought from Russia 69 years ago it has produced minerals valued at 100 times the purchase price of \$7,200,000. Mineral output last year was valued at \$23,347,000 as compared with \$18,312,000 in 1935.

The counties received a record total of \$24,237,714 from weight and gasoline taxes last year. This was an increase of nearly \$2,600,000 over the total of \$21,639,247 returned to the counties in 1935. Of the sum paid in 1936, Kent County received \$960,180.24; Ionia, \$200,131.92.

Five women in this country have the exclusive right for life to send or receive mail matter free of postage. They are the widows of Presidents Benjamin Harrison, Grover Cleveland, Theodore Roosevelt, Woodrow Wilson and Calvin Coolidge.

Wildcaters of many rival companies threw a network of drilling rigs over most of Michigan's lower peninsula during 1936 in a race to find new oil and gas fields. Permits to drill for oil or gas in 46 of the 83 counties of the state were issued during the year.

More than 9,000 men, virtually the entire personnel of the Chevrolet Gear and Axle Division of General Motors Corporation, staged a demonstration in Detroit last week against the strikes which plants and caused enforced idleness to more than 135,000 workers.

Three hundred and fifty members of the Michigan Beekeepers association, active since 1889 and organization second in age only to the Wisconsin association, have been invited to meet on the campus of Michigan State College Feb. 3 and 4 in the middle of the annual Farmers' Week program Feb. 1 to 5.

A trichinosis outbreak at Capac and surrounding areas of St. Clair County, Michigan, has caused the death of several persons and the illness of more than 30 others, state health commissioner, to point out that the path of absolute safety in the prevention of this disease lies in eating only thoroughly cooked pork and pork products.

Wine drinking is more popular in this country than ever before. Consumption is at a new high of one-half gallon per capita annually and sale of wine is legal in all States but Tennessee, Oklahoma, Kansas and Alabama. However, this rate is extremely moderate compared with that of European wine-drinking countries. In France per capita consumption is 40 gallons.

High Government officials privately are congratulating themselves for having rigged the work relief program so that the Federal Government need not face directly the issue of relief for men on strike in industry. The old Federal Emergency Relief Administration followed a policy of taking care of all persons in need, but under the WPA a more complicated procedure is set up making it much more difficult for strikers to get Federal assistance.

State lands authorities at Lansing have been notified that the national forest service is preparing for the first formal exchange of lands under the arrangement by which Michigan ultimately will acquire ownership of the upper and lower falls of Tahquamenon river and several miles of river frontage. Authorities intend to make the falls accessible to the public in a development project that will not impair their beauty and wilderness attractions.

If you are out of a job and have not applied for an account number with the Social Security Board, it is to your advantage to get one immediately. Major Howard Starret, State Reemployment Director, announces, "You may readily see that if you and another person are after a job and the other fellow has his account number, a firm might choose the other person because it is the employer's responsibility to see that all employees have account numbers." See your local postmaster.

The American Legion wants to pass a law in the session of Congress which will compel industry and labor to share in the cost of wars. This is a bill which should be passed, and voters would do right to authorize that their representatives sanction it. The reason is obvious. Were Labor and industry to share in the cost and burden of war, thus eliminating big profits to business, the excuse for war would be gone. With such a law the word war would eventually be heard only in the classroom.

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## Kent 4-H Clubs Hold Fair Here

August 25, 26

## Plan Incorporation on Permanent Basis

The Kent County 4-H Club Council at a recent meeting elected Thomas Slater of Paris township chairman for 1937 and Miss Evelyn Cramton of Ada secretary. The balance of the committee are Mr. and Mrs. Kelvin Lewis of Grand Rapids, Ward Smith of Edgerton; Russell Gray of Rockford and Clarence Klahn of Lowell.

The committee voted to hold the third annual 4-H Club Fair at Lowell on August 25 and 26. Plans were made to cooperate with the Lowell Board of Trade in organizing and incorporating the 4-H Club fair on a permanent basis. This will be done in the near future.

## Achievement Day Apr. 10

The fifth annual county Achievement day for clothing and handicraft projects will be held at the Rockford High School Saturday, April 10. The exhibit will be open to the public on April 9. The achievement day program of contests, style show entertainment will be given in the High School gymnasium on the 10th.

The county club council have appointed the following committee to cooperate with the Rockford Chamber of Commerce in arranging details of the day's program: Marie Wolf of Nelson township chairman; Mrs. Fay Benjamin, of Nelson township; Mrs. Fred Erickson, Cannon township; Henry Becker of Courtland township; Ward Smith of Algoma and Russell Gray of Oakfield township.

## Winter Club Enrollments

Winter club enrollments in clothing and handicraft club projects have been finished and checked. The county has 63 clothing clubs and 45 handicraft clubs with 501 girls enrolled in clothing work and 387 boys in handicraft. This is an increase of 22 clubs and 200 members over 1936 enrollments.

Arnold Lachmeit, club member from the Paris-Cascade Livestock Club, has been awarded a gold medal given by the Westinghouse Company of Pittsburgh. Arnold was county winner of the 4-H Club electricity project sponsored by the above company.

## Extension Groups Study Literature

Two Michigan State Extension groups in Kent County are making a study of modern literature under the supervision of Miss Eileen Densmore, Kent County Home Extension agent.

The third lesson of the series was held January 12 at the home of Mrs. Walter Ebers of Ballard's Corners and on January 14 at the Bostwick Lake Church.

The subject of the lesson was "Literature for Adolescents" in charge of Mrs. Roger Hathaway of the Kent County Library. Assisting her were Mrs. E. Stephenson of Lake Drive, Grand Rapids, who discussed the psychology of adolescence and Mrs. Walter Ebers and Miss Aletia Ayres who reviewed one of the newer adolescent books "Ho-Ming" by Elizabeth Lewis.

## January 26 Last Day For Making Requests

The Kent County Soil Conservation Committee has set January 26 as the last date for receiving requests for measuring farms for compliance in the 1936 program. In order to get the compliance papers ready, says John McCabe of Ada, Chairman of the County Committee. It is necessary to set the above date. However, says the committee, failure to have a map drawn will not prevent any farmer from participating in the 1937 program, should he desire to do so.

Requests for farm survey should be made at the office of the assistant, Room 206, Grand Rapids Y. M. C. A. Building.

## Strand Calendar

Friday and Saturday, January 22, "Shakedown" with Lew Ayres and Joan Perry. Also "Two Fluted Gentlemen" with James Dunn and June Clayworth.

Sunday, Monday, January 24, 25—Samuel Goldwyn presents Edna Ferber's "Come and Get It." We defy anyone to match this picture for sheer thrills and pulse hammering excitement. A story of father seeking justice for the hand of the same woman . . . while in the background his own wife and daughter saw their future crumble . . . their family honor destroyed. Be sure to see "Come and Get It" with Edward Arnold, Joel McCrea, Francis Farmer and Mary Christians.

Tuesday, Wednesday, January 26, 27—"Wedding Present" with George Brantford, Conrad Nagel and Gene Lockhart. Also "Panic on the Air" with Lew Ayres and Florence Rice.

Thursday, January 28—"Grand Jury" with Fred Stone, Owen Davis and Louise Latimer. A good comedy, "Fun In The Fire House."

St. Helena. Shows Pictures and late Fox news flats direct from New York.

## Former Lowell Man Dies In California

F. W. Hinyan, 75, formerly a prominent business man in Lowell and Grand Rapids, died Friday in Hollywood, Cal. He was born in Alto Nov. 16, 1862.

He was long in the produce business with Edward O'Harrow, and in business in Lowell with Loveland, Hinyan & Co., and also a director of the City State bank here, and a director in the Lowell Specialty Co.

He moved to Grand Rapids in 1906, where he was president of Loveland, Hinyan Produce Co., and president of the Michigan Potato Shippers association. He was a member of the board of First Methodist church, and a member of York lodge and of the Shrine. He was in Grand Rapids for several years.

He leaves his widow, who was Phila E. Stone, of Alto; three daughters, Mrs. Veena Campau of Port Huron, Miss Rena Hinyan of Hollywood and another daughter in Willows, Cal., a son, Forrest of Hollywood, and three grandchildren.

## Kallinger's Enjoy Vacation in Texas

Anton Kallinger, who has been enjoying a well-earned vacation after some forty odd years of service with the Consumers Power Company, writes as follows to the Ledger from Donna, Texas.

"Mrs. Kallinger and I left Lowell November 17 and arrived here on November 21, after a wonderful trip covering 1750 miles. Cotton picking was in progress in the southern states of Missouri, Arkansas, and north and east Texas, but in Rio Grande valley it was all over and citrus fruit picking was in full swing. There is an abundance of fruit of good quality but the price is too low for the grower to realize much; also vegetables are plentiful but the prices are poor. For instance, cabbage of the best quality only brings the grower \$6.00 per ton, delivered. Broccoli is 40 cents per crate of 6 dozen bunches and tomatoes are one cent per pound, U. S. No. 1 grade.

The fall vegetable crop is about over and much of the spring planting is now on. They grow three crops a year on some ground.

"The weather has been wonderful thus far. The blizzard that struck California and the western states, arrived in Rio Grande valley January 9. The mercury dropped from 80 degrees at noon to 40 degrees at midnight.

"Flowers are in profusion and the roses, poinsettias and flame vines are gorgeous.

"We expect to remain here with our son-in-law and family for the winter months. On my return will tell you all about the fruit and vegetable soil show we attended, which means as much to the 'Valley' as 'Showboat' does to Lowell and vicinity."

## Symphonic Orchestra Here Friday Night

This week Friday night, January 22, Lowell is to have the opportunity of hearing a Symphony Orchestra. The Federal Symphony Orchestra of Grand Rapids is playing a concert in the High School Gymnasium at 8:15. All of the members are professional musicians.

During the past year this orchestra of forty-five members, has made a fine name for itself. The program is of unusual interest because the selections are well known. Among the better known numbers are "Flight of the Bumble Bee" by Rimsky Korsokov; "Finlandia," the old jig "Arkansas Traveler" in modern style, and also a "Symphonic Waltz" composed by Howard Crisp Freepert.

Our High School Band and orchestra are sponsoring the concert and the proceeds will be used to purchase music racks. The tickets are 10 cents for children and 25c for adults and we want to assure you that you will never again have the privilege of hearing such an outstanding orchestra for so small a fee.

People of the community will be pleased to learn that the orchestra is to be conducted by Mr. Bruce Walter, head of the music department of the Lowell schools.

## Mrs. Geo. Boyenga Laid to Rest Here

Mrs. George Boyenga whose maiden name was Beula Merle Hendrixson, was born in Kalkaska County May 10, 1897 and passed away after a three months' illness at her home in Lowell January 15, 1937.

On October 17, 1928 she was united in marriage to George Boyenga, from which time she has made her home on Monroe Avenue.

Surviving besides the husband are one son Charles, one daughter Miss Ruby Boyenga of Grand Rapids, two sisters, Mrs. Roy McCarty and Mrs. Gust. A. Johnson of Grand Rapids, and one brother, Leon Hendrixson of Lowell.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist church Monday afternoon, Rev. R. S. Miller officiating, with interment in Oakwood Cemetery.

During her eight years residence here, Mrs. Boyenga made many friends who sympathize with the bereaved family.

## Baptist Church Announcement

Sunday evening a 6-year-old local school girl will appear on the platform of the Baptist church. This curly haired, smiling youngster was left homeless by a house fire and was found for her. This silver-haired child will touch your heart and will win your love by her winsome smile.

A. J. Hoolsma, Pastor

## Coeds to Ride to Class Farmers' Week



One of the entertainment features for the 22nd annual Farmers' Week program at Michigan State College Feb. 1 to 5 will be the appearance of this team of oxen. The owner, Frank Martin, Battle Creek, offers \$500 to anyone who can produce their equal in weight and pulling ability. It is planned to hitch up the oxen and give college coeds a new form of transportation to class during the week.

## State News Letter

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following non-partisan, independent news review presenting highlights of state activity at Lansing, is being prepared each week by the Michigan Press Association of which the Ledger is a member. The state digest is new feature which we believe will be of wide interest to our readers. We invite your comments.

Amid a flood of legislative measures, many of which are designed to carry out Governor Frank Murphy's proposed "New Deal" program in Michigan, the state legislature adjourned last Friday for ten days, so that democratic leaders might attend the inaugural ceremonies this week in Washington.

A strenuous session is ahead for the solons, many of whom are new at the job and just getting acquainted with the new electric voting buttons that were installed recently at each desk in the House.

## Many Problems to be Solved

Many are the problems which are confronting this session of the legislature at Lansing.

Take the matter of school finances—something of interest to all home-owners.

The state superintendent of public instruction, Dr. Eugene B. Elliott, believes that the state should provide \$47,000,000 state aid annually for the next two years. He estimates that the 1937 educational bill in Michigan will be \$86,400,000 of which \$46,000,000 would be paid by local taxation, \$37,000,000 being contributed directly by the state, and \$3,000,000 being derived from other sources.

## Michigan's Tourist Industry

Near the top among Michigan's many industries is the tourist-vacation industry.

To better publicize Michigan to others as well as to ourselves—the four tourist associations and estate conservative leaders are sponsoring a bill, introduced a few days ago in the senate, to appropriate \$150,000 annually during the next two years.

Of this amount \$50,000 would be spent by the state administrative board and \$25,000 each would be set aside for the Southeast Tourist and Publicity association, the Western Michigan Tourist and Resort association, the Eastern Michigan Tourist association, and the Upper Peninsula Development bureau.

## County Welfare Plan

Like Topsy who grew up too fast is nation-wide problem of what to do with welfare and relief. One year ago the federal government put an end to direct grants of federal money to states for local relief—the WPA program being undertaken as a means to "end the dole."

That the present administration at Lansing realizes the importance of doing something about it was disclosed by Governor Murphy in his message to the legislature. He urged the house and senate to carry out the recommendations made by the welfare and relief study commission under the administration of former Governor Frank D. Fitzgerald.

In each county a welfare department is to be established to coordinate and centralize existing welfare and relief services. To be abolished, according to the approved plan, are the following authorities: County emergency welfare relief commission, Superintendents of the Poor, Soldiers' and Sailors' relief commission, County old age assistance board and investigator.

Under the plan, the county department of public welfare would be managed by a county public welfare board, its three members of whom would serve without pay.

While the state report proposed that the chairman of the county board shall be appointed by the state department of public welfare, the legislative committee which is drafting the bill was said to favor letting the three board members select their own chairman. This concession to home rule would probably mean the selection of a county-appointed person for chairman. Because of the widespread powers with which the board will be vested, legislative minds are also considering the matter of a nominal salary for each board member.

## Tax on Butcher Substitutes?

Shall the Michigan butter industry be granted official protection of the state through a tax on butter substitutes?

This is the question raised by a bill introduced in the Senate by Senator D. Hale Brake of Stanton. The bill provides for the licensing of butter substitute manufacturers and the levying of 5 cents a pound on their output. 2 years ago the senate approved a similar bill, and it was killed in the house.

Other agricultural bills which are being drafted for introduction in this session include:

Compulsory test of cattle for Bangs' disease is so authorized by the county board of supervisors.

Protection to cattle buyers at auctions in a provision that no cattle can be sold except those carrying brand mark of a negative test.

## Drunk Driving—A Felony

With the Detroit newspapers carrying daily headlines about the shameful toll of automobile traffic deaths, popular attention has been focused again on the problem of drunk driving. Several years ago a bill was passed in the senate classifying drunk driving as a felony, subject to imprisonment up to one year and a stiff maximum. The

## Along Main St.

You've doubtless noticed that it is seldom a man makes his money fast if his father made it first.

It doesn't do any Lowell man any good to believe only half of what he hears if he hears the wrong half.

The average Lowell man has a lot of trouble in this world, ninety percent of which he gets by getting into it.

The Lowell woman who looks as though she had a secret sorrow is always interesting—until she begins to turn it loose.

Were it not for the fact that every man thinks his own car is the best we wouldn't have anything to argue about except the weather.

The editor says another popular labor-saving device is going out in the country to eat Sunday dinner with some rural acquaintance.

Garfield Ford wants to know why it is that when you wake up at night and wait for the clock to strike it always hits the half-hour and you still don't know what time it is.

'Ye winter winds that 'round my pathway roar' might 'be paraphrased to read, 'ye winter winds that dawn Flat River roar.' But whatever the wording winter winds now have less terror for the Ledger office as a storm door has been installed on the front entrance.

The men of the Methodist church staged a successful supper in the church dining room on Wednesday evening, demonstrating the truth of the words of the poet that "We may live without poetry, music and books but civilized man cannot live without cooks"—even men cooks.

Lowell awoke Wednesday morning to find streets and sidewalks covered with an icy-sheet and we were reminded of a certain Book which contains the words, "The wicked stand in slippery places". Does that mean that those persons whom we saw take a tumble, belong to the righteous class?

The reputation of Ben Kerekes as a maker of high grade, handmade harness continues to grow. His orders come from several miles around and he has found it necessary to construct a 12x16 addition to his shop which is located on his farm on M21 just east of town. He is also building a 16x30 woodwork shop in connection and when completed the building will have an over-all size of 56x16.

Announcement that an old-time dance is to be given at the Lowell City Hall this week Friday evening is arousing considerable interest among trippers of the light fantastic toe and it is fully expected that the attendance will be big. There will be square and round dances with music by Tommy Louck's Arcadians. The dance is sponsored by Sylvester Bibber and Lee Holland.

## Miscellany

The distinction of senate bill No. 1 was accorded to a measure for a state system of civil service, creating a department of civil service and a state commission to administer its functions.

The 3 per cent sales tax on electricity and natural and artificial gas, supplied by private utilities, would be removed by a house bill introduced by Verne Brown of Mason. The Supreme court recently exempt municipal utility consumers from the sales tax.

Better housing for the governor and more expense allowance for legislators provided new nuts to be cracked. The house failed to muster enough votes at a night session last week to rush through a \$10 a day expense allowance during the session. However, members of both democratic and republican factions openly predicted that the bill would pass the next time roll call was asked.

Rep. Harry Glass, Jr., of Grand Rapids is leading the crusade in behalf of an executive mansion for which \$150,000 is asked.

The reapportionment issue has bobbed up again, following the governor's reminder that lawmakers should heed the constitutional mandate.

The old age pension would be granted to persons of 65 years old or more instead of 70, as at present, according to a new bill.

Two more years for the mortgage moratorium are proposed in a bill offered by Rep. John F. Hamilton, former Michigan HOLC manager.

The Michigan custom of holding an election each April in each of the 246 townships will be revised for an estimated annual saving of \$150,000 under terms of a concurrent resolution for a constitutional amendment introduced in the House by Rep. Elton Eaton, Plymouth. The amendment calls for a township election every other year, instead of each year.

## GRATTAN RESIDENT PASSES

Funeral services for Mrs. Jennie Laughlin were held Monday morning in St. Patrick's church at Parnell with burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. She was 63 years of age and a lifelong resident of Grattan township.

Left to mourn their loss is one daughter, Katherine and three brothers, Thomas, James and John, all of Grattan township.

"Screen Names and Real Names" an interesting compilation of nearly 300 names of movie celebrities by Harold Hefferman, is now appearing in The Detroit News every Sunday. Watch for it and learn the real names of your favorite players. On sale at Christiansen's or phone for delivery.

The January Clearance Sale of Suits and Overcoats at Connors is going over in a big way. Selections are good and prices below market.

Export of used lace making machines has been banned by France.

Remember Beach & Outman's Sale. Prices greatly reduced.

## Anti-T-B Society

## Annual Meeting

On Monday Feb. 1

## Inspirational Talk By Dr. Paul F. Voelker

Supervisors, who spend tax money to run Sunshine Sanatorium; physicians, nurses, pastors and social workers because they have first hand knowledge of the misery caused by illness; school principals and teachers, club women and parent-teacher workers since they are interested in children and disease prevention will be invited to the 32nd annual meeting of the Grand Rapids Anti-tuberculosis Society on February 1. It will be held at a dinner at 6:15 p. m. in Central Reformed Church house.

Dr. Paul F. Voelker, president of Grand Rapids College of Applied Arts and Sciences will be the principal speaker. "Fight to the Finish" will give him an ideal topic for one of his inspirational addresses. L. J. Schermerhorn, M. D. will preside and A Capella velvet choir of Creston High School, Frank C. Goodwin, director, will sing several numbers.

The annual report will be presented in a booklet beside each plate. The forward on this report states:

"If you want to make the front page of the newspapers go out and let an automobile knock you down. Your death will shock everybody but you if you are too modest to enjoy publicity. If you die, become a victim of tuberculosis, and die quietly in a sanatorium and physical torture. Your demise will receive the usual little card among the death notices in the news, and only your very close loved one will note your passing. This is spite of the fact that tuberculosis still kills twice as many people annually as automobile do. A harvest of more than 70,000 deaths a year, most of them between 15 and 45 years of age, tells us we still have a 'grim reaper' in our midst even though we have been fighting him more than thirty-two years."

## Legion, Auxiliary Dinner and Dance

The posts of the American Legion of the Fifth District, with the units of the Auxiliary, will hold a joint dinner meeting and dance at the I. O. O. F. hall on Ottawa Ave., N. W., Grand Rapids, on Wednesday, January 27. The dinner, presided over by Earl Schuhardt, District Committeeman of Grand Rapids, will be held at 7:00 p. m. Guest speakers will be Guy M. Cox, Department Commander of Iron River, Michigan; Mrs. Lida Miller of Northville, Auxiliary Department Vice President; Lloyd Jameson of Detroit, Department Child Welfare Chairman. There will be other important guests.

After the dinner there will be dancing and entertainment. The meetings are open to all Legionnaires and Auxiliary members and the dinner and dance open to guests also of Legionnaires or Auxiliary members.

Reservations should be made with Post Commanders and Auxiliary Unit President and be forwarded to Earl Schuhardt, 2000 Division Ave., S., Grand Rapids, by January 28. Dr. J. R. Stryker is chairman of the local delegation.

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## Ledger Entries Rural Women In Own Program Farmers' Week

**INCOME TAX WORRYING**

THE POLKS who are worrying about their income tax returns, find that their returns are not so bad as they seem. Many of them let their financial affairs run on an old way and make few records. When Uncle Sam sends that formidable document for filing, many of them are at a loss to know what to do. It is not so bad as it seems. If you file your returns early, you will find that you have made a good record. If you do not file, you will find that you have made a bad record. It is better to file early and find out what you have done than to wait until the last minute and find out that you have made a bad record.

## Plan for 25,000 Farmers' Week

Speakers and Features Inaugurate Annual Program at College Feb. 1 to 5

With speakers scheduled from Canada, Texas and other states, the annual program for 25,000 farmers is being held at the Michigan State College. The program is being held from February 1 to 5. The program is being held at the Michigan State College. The program is being held at the Michigan State College. The program is being held at the Michigan State College.

## Why We Eat Meat

A possible answer to why some people, especially stout persons, object to eating meat is given by Dr. George Booth, chief leader of the Michigan State College. It is because the meat, which corresponds to the body, is made of meat. The meat is made of meat. The meat is made of meat. The meat is made of meat.

## Why White Stares Are "Gray"

Plebeian and schoolboy heroes are colored black and white, and have a white and white, respectively, in large irregular patches. A true red is brown. In the case of the white, the color is blue and white, which does give them a blue appearance.

## Why Paper is Used

The paper used in most of the popular brands of cigarettes contains lime and magnesia as a filler. Such wrappers seem to have an important effect in causing the cigarette to hold fire when lighted. White commonly known as light paper, this paper is not made from rice, but from fax and hemp trimmings, only a few materials being used. The fax trimmings are cut into small pieces, thoroughly mixed, and ground almost to a dust. This mixture is then pressed into sheets and crushed into a pulp, and rolled out into paper.

## Why It Is "Black" Beer

Black beer has been brewed in the past for centuries. It was brewed in the past for centuries. It was brewed in the past for centuries. It was brewed in the past for centuries.

## Why We Say "How's She?"

The saying "How's she?" has its origin in one of "Aesop's Fables." A certain king had a lion in a cage. When the lion was fed, there was a remnant of the industry, with Venice particularly attaining a reputation for the skill in artistry. All the processes of blowing, enameling and gliding developed up to the time of the Middle Ages. The glass was made of sand and soda ash, but the glass blowers who were made important contributions to the art of glass blowing.

## WHY Scalp Specialists Approve Wearing Hat Outdoors

With the return of warm weather many people are inclined to save money by becoming converts to the hatless fall. Some people are convinced that long hair is better for the hair and scalp. Others are convinced that the hat is better for the hair and scalp. It is better to wear a hat outdoors if you want to keep your hair healthy and avoid the sun. It is better to wear a hat outdoors if you want to keep your hair healthy and avoid the sun.

## Why Buddha Is Known by Several Different Names

Buddhism is a religion which has several names. It is known by several names. It is known by several names. It is known by several names.

## How Few Blisters May Be Successfully Treated

Few blisters are as many commonly get more of them than they should. They are caused by a variety of causes. They are caused by a variety of causes. They are caused by a variety of causes.

## How Rainfall Is Measured

Rainfall is measured by the inch. An inch of rain is the amount of precipitation on a surface to the depth of one inch. An annual rainfall of one inch is considered a good rainfall. An annual rainfall of one inch is considered a good rainfall.

## How Canada Got Its Name

The origin of the name "Canada" is uncertain. It is probably from the word "kanata" which means a village or a settlement. It is probably from the word "kanata" which means a village or a settlement. It is probably from the word "kanata" which means a village or a settlement.

## How to Loosen "Set" Bolt

When a bolt has been turned in too tight, it is difficult to turn. There are several ways to loosen it. There are several ways to loosen it. There are several ways to loosen it.

## How to Determine Waterweight

The weight of a body in water is less than its weight in air. This is because of the buoyant force of the water. This is because of the buoyant force of the water. This is because of the buoyant force of the water.

## Who's Who in Children's Classics

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## Good Short Story IMPROVING MICHIGAN ROADSIDES

The Youngster Reporter was dragging her heels in disapproval of the "Millionaire" when she was asked to write a short story. She was asked to write a short story. She was asked to write a short story.

## SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT of the Lowell Building & Loan Association

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Real Est. Mfg. Loans	74,667.00	Real Estate Profit Sale	1,528.15
Stock Loans	5,448.28	Uncollected Interest	97.78
Accounts Receivable	1,221.29	Unpaid Loan	2,022.29
Loans	277.02	Unpaid Profits	1,000.00
Real Est. Acquired	3,449.22	Reserve for Maturities	12,806.86
Land Contract	1,242.29	Income	5,344.94
Div. pd on Mid. Stock	3,449.22		
Real Est. Mfg. Loans	4,528.22		
Cash Impounded	6,087.81		
Cash on hand and in	6,077.81		
Total	\$107,431.41	Total	\$107,431.41

## Lake in Danakil Desert Proposed Again in Rome

Engineers of the colonial office have extracted old reports of Italian explorers to revive a project which has been abandoned. It is a project to build a lake in the Danakil region of Ethiopia. It is a project to build a lake in the Danakil region of Ethiopia.

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## Over 500 New Policies

In addition to renewals were written by the State Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Michigan. It is a company that has been in business for many years. It is a company that has been in business for many years.

## Train Schedules

Train	Time
Train going west	8:30 a. m.
Train going east	9:30 p. m.

## USE OUR Dependable Coal for

**Genuine No. 3 Pocahontas Bradshaw Pocahontas Kenmont Lump and Egg Aome Lump Aome Stoker Coal Carbon Splint Hard Coal and Coke**

**F. P. MacFarlane**  
Lowell, Mich.  
Phone 193-73

## So. Lowell Busy Corners

South Lowell PTA will hold a party at the Sweet School house Friday night, January 23. The party will be held at the Sweet School house. The party will be held at the Sweet School house.

## Have Your Parties Here

Bring your guests to our private dining room for a complete well-cooked meal. **Richmond's Cafe** Phone 9106

## This and That From Around the Old Town

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Tower of Saranac were in Lowell Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Tower of Saranac were in Lowell Saturday evening.

## Chocolate Coated Cherries

**H. C. SCOTT**  
Home of Good Home Made Candies

## Remember Beach & Outman's Sale

Remember Beach & Outman's Sale. Prices greatly reduced.

# You Save Twice

You save on your January Clearance Prices and save again by buying before the advance.

Suits and Overcoats will surely cost some more next spring and will very likely be quite a little higher by next fall.

Our regular prices are from \$3 to \$5 under city quotations and our January Clearance prices are just that much more attractive because the reductions are from a low first cost.

Our selections are good (you can choose from over 50 different colors, patterns, models and fabrics in size 40 suits).

We must keep them moving to keep the stock fresh and avoid carry-overs. Of course early selection is better. We will gladly lay away for later delivery.

We feature Michaels-Stern & Co. Rochester tailoring in Tiffany Worsteds, Stirling Worsteds and Strong Heart Twists, Fairhans Worsteds and Shelby Twists from Curlee. Regulars, longs, shorts and stouts. Sport models, single breast, double breast—styles for men and young men.

OVERCOATS in heavy, medium and California weights—Raglan or split sleeve models. Full belts or half belts. Fleeces, Boucles, Caraculs and Rockunas. Dark oxford, light oxford, brown and navy.

The first two weeks of January were record breakers—showing our people appreciate this opportunity to buy at these low prices at this time.

## OVERCOATS SUITS

\$35.00 Overcoats	\$28.95	\$33 Suits (Top Grade)	\$26.95
31.50 Overcoats	25.95	\$29 Suits	23.95
30.00 Overcoats	24.95	\$25 Suits	20.95
25.00 Overcoats	20.59	\$18 Suits	15.95
22.50 Overcoats	18.59	A group of broken lines in all sizes from 34 to 46, reduced from \$25 to close out at \$17.95	
18.00 Overcoats	15.95		

All prices include Sales Tax

## FREE to sufferers of STOMACH ULCERS

**SEELEY CORNERS**  
Sufferers of stomach ulcers, hyperacidity, indigestion, heartburn, etc. Seeley Corners is the only medicine that has been proven to cure these conditions. It is a natural remedy that is safe and effective. It is a natural remedy that is safe and effective.

## FURNITURE For the Home!

Latest designs and best construction. Because of our low over-head we can and will save you money. We specialize in—Window Shades, Floor Coverings, Picture Framing, Etc.

## W. A. Roth FURNITURE

Funeral Director and Ambulance Service. Store Phone 55 Res. Phone and Nights, 330

## Valued most when needed most

TELEPHONE SERVICE has become so efficient, so easily used, that it draws no particular attention to itself. But its value is sharply emphasized whenever a home is threatened by one of the three great domestic emergencies:

## Plumbing Repairs

Winter weather puts unusual strains on plumbing. Small leaks can cause expensive damages.

## RAY COVERT

Plumbing Heating Sheet Metal Work

## McCord's Matters

The Merry Circle met with Mrs. F. C. McCord at the home of Mrs. F. C. McCord. The Merry Circle met with Mrs. F. C. McCord at the home of Mrs. F. C. McCord.

## Morse Lake

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## Lowell District

Morey Moore and Clara Sisson spent Sunday at Henry Thompson. Morey Moore and Clara Sisson spent Sunday at Henry Thompson.

ALTO DEPARTMENT (Mrs. Fred Pattison)

Box For News Items... There will be a covered box on my front porch for any one who has news they want in the Alto items. This is suggested to me and I thought is a very good idea.

Aids Plan Creamery Dinner... Plans are being made by the Union Aid of the Alto M. E. church to serve about 250 patrons of the Alto Cooperative Creamery, Thursday, January 28. Serving will start at 11:00 a. m. sharp.

Entertains with Shower... Mrs. Elmer Dintaman entertains Thursday afternoon with a mid-winter shower in honor of the late Lavern Bryant, formerly Helen Johnson of Howe Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Davis and daughter Ruth attended the funeral of Mrs. Hugh Gordon of Battle Creek last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Eckert of North Campus, Monday afternoon at the Roy Denning home.

Mrs. Chas. Deming and daughter Marilyn and Mrs. Clara Deming spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Irene Nash of Harris Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Paulson and son Jack and Dick Monday afternoon at the Roy Denning home.

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Mr. and Mrs. John O'Harrow also Sunday dinner with Mrs. Ed Davis.

Mrs. Hattie Maternick and Mrs. G. Thorneille attended the West Lowell Aid dinner at Mrs. Elmer Vetter's Thursday afternoon.

NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS (In one year out the other)

Cash for Cream... The old Reliable Cream Station... Barn Equipment and Farm Supplies... W. E. Hall

HOW 'FRENCH LEAVE' GOT ITS PLACE IN OUR LANGUAGE...

Mr. and Mrs. Val Watts and Mrs. Mrs. Dale Curtis attended the funeral of Mrs. Harry Walter Sunday.

How Our Continent Came to Be Called 'America'...

How to Clean Feeders... The best way to rid feeders of lice and mites, says a writer in the Montreal Herald, is to put them in a new oven and subject them to the greatest heat possible without letting them dry.

ADA LOCALS... Two Ada buildings were almost entirely destroyed by fire last Thursday night.

West Keene... Mr. and Mrs. Elmer C. Daniels were guests of Mrs. Wm. Schrade on Friday afternoon.

Hickory Hollow... Sunday guests at the Rickert home were Mrs. George Hardy, Jr. and Mrs. Elmer Vetter.

The Auctioneer... Dutton, Mich. Friday, January 22. Fred Lewis Eckardt, Auctioneer.

ADA DEPARTMENT (By Mrs. Hattie R. Fitch)

Two buildings were almost entirely destroyed by fire last Thursday night. The loss was said to exceed \$500. One building was a two-story frame affair used by the WPA as a storage place and also owned by Mrs. H. Z. Ward.

East Caladonia... Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cooper of Kalamazoo were Sunday visitors with Mrs. Mae Averill as assistant hostess.

Eldendale... Phillip Lott is absent from school and has been busy studying life and color can frequently be restored to some kinds of faded or soiled fibers with a little household enamel.

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Kroger Hot-Dated Coffee FRESHER ALL THREE WAYS!

JEWEL COFFEE lb. bag 17c (3-lb. bag 50c) CHASE & SANBORN COFFEE lb. bag 22c WESCO FRAGRANT Black Tea lb. bulk 28c ASSORTED VARIETIES Cookies lb. bulk 10c

WESCO FLAKY APPETIZING SOA CRACKERS 2 lb. box 15c WESCO GRAHAM CRACKERS 2-lb. box 17c PHILADELPHIA KRAFT'S 2 pkg. 15c CREAM CHEESE

QUAKER BRAND PUFFED WHEAT pkg. 7 1/2c MICHIGAN BEET 10 lb. bulk 50c KROGER CLOCK BREAD 2 lb. loaf 11c

ARMOUR'S SMOKED HAMS Shank End lb. 19c BUTT lb. 22c CENTER SLICES lb. 35c WHOLE HAM lb. 39c

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Recess Bath Tubs

FOR PROMPT PLUMBING AND HEATING SERVICE PHONE 78 Charles W. Cook Lowell, Mich. Store Phone 78, Res. 305

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Wanted, For Sale, Lost and Found

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Alton - Vergennes Mrs. Clyde Condon

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With Purchase of THOMAS SPECIAL COFFEE lb. 19c Fresh Roasted, Delicious Flavor Ground for your requirements

OLEO Purity Brand For Cooking or Table Use 2 lbs. 29c Fig Bars Fresh Tasty Cookies 3 lbs. 25c Prunes Sweet, Tender Medium Size lb. 7c

Cheese Mild Wisconsin 1 lb. 22c Rolled Oats Fresh Bulk 6 lbs. 25c GRAPEFRUIT 10 lbs. 27c

ORANGES Sweet 10 lbs. 39c TANGERINES Sweet, Large Size Easy to Peel 2 doz. 25c Cream of Wheat Large pkg. 23c Raisin Cereal Large pkg. 23c

Wheatena Large pkg. 23c Malt-O-Meal Large pkg. 22c Pillsbury's Farina Large pkg. 10c Swansdown Cake Flour 5-lb. can 25c

Calumet Baking Powder 5-oz. can 9c Salt Fine Granulated 10 lb. bag 17c Vinegar Quart Bottle 10c

Beef Stew Quickly Prepared 1 1/2 lb. can 15c BROADCAST Chili Con Carne 3 cans 25c Libby's Roast Beef can 19c

Pet Milk Irradiated 3 tall cans 23c LaFrance Blueing Tablets 3 pks. 25c Clorox Cleans Bleaches gal. 25c

Seminole Tissue 4 rolls 25c Ken-L-Ration Dog Food 3 cans 25c

Superior Peachonts Red Pennant Lump Valor Furnace Try a ton for your next order M. D. Hoyt

United Radiator Specialists We are RADIATOR SPECIALISTS

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RADIATOR BOIL-OUT A positive cure for overheating due to clogging of water passages.

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SMITH BROTHERS COUGH SYRUPS CONSUMING VITAMIN

NOT ALL AMERICAN VICES ARE GOOD SPORTS

George grinned affectionately at her tantrum and conceded that he would be pretty hard on her, and that was the end of that.

LEGAL NOTICES

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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

ZION M. E. CHURCH. Sunday School at 11 o'clock. You are cordially invited. FIRST METHODIST CHURCH. Sunday School at 10:30 o'clock. The pastor will bring the message. Fine music at 11 o'clock.

Fallsburg & Vicinity

Miss Evelyn Sparks of near Fallsburg, Mich., was in the city Tuesday evening and took time to the home of her parents...

Vergennes Center

Mr. J. M. Hutchinson of Lowell was Saturday evening dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McPherson...

Managers

WE DEDICATED this week to our store managers - asked them to select the items they knew you'd want - and promised them we'd knock the prices to rock-bottom. Here are their selections, and just look at those prices!

By KATHLEEN NORRIS. A class, American men are poor sports. Studying them and their problems, year after year, one is forced to the depressing conclusion that most of them are but half-developed as human beings, and in any change or crisis they are notably poor sports.

him that he was being badly treated. Why should they give up their lovely house and their three servants just because old Mr. Smith can't keep his own business?

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But there are millions of other men, too, women who try to make life fit their own pet ideas of comfort and vanity and pleasure, and who turn slacker the infant life before it has a chance to get started.

Caroline Smith, Elijah Wheeler, Lewis Robinson, Ray Edmondson, and others. Notice of mortgage sale for the County of Kent, Michigan.

Carlsruhe Trednick, CHIROPRACTOR. Branch Office: King Block, Lowell, Mich. Services at 2100 p. m.

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## Social Events

The annual Fortnightly mid-winter dinner will be held at the home of Mrs. Theron Richmond on Tuesday, January 28.

The Book Review club met at the home of Mrs. W. J. Smith Tuesday evening. Mrs. Nancy Ostley gave a report on "Candle Indoors" by Helen Hull.

The P. D. club met with Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Rosewarne last Thursday evening. Dinner was served and three tables of contract bridge were in play. High honors went to Mrs. H. P. Goffredson and Dr. F. E. White.

A very interesting meeting of the Girls' Club was held Wednesday afternoon, January 6, when Mrs. W. J. Smith favored them with a review of the book, "The Enchanted Voyage," by Robert Nathan. It was greatly enjoyed by all of the girls. Virginia Hosley acted as general chairman.

Mrs. Lodi Shear and Mrs. Will Converse gave a shower at the home of Mrs. Converse last Thursday in honor of Mrs. Frank Reussgar. There were about twenty-five ladies present. The afternoon was spent with contests and visiting after which a bountiful supply of ice cream and cake were served. Mrs. Reussgar received many useful gifts.

Mrs. Emma Coons, Mrs. Lila Armstrong, Mrs. Rosella Yeller, Mrs. E. S. White, Mrs. Howard Krum, Mrs. Ernest Roth, Mrs. Oscar Brezina, Mrs. R. G. Jefferies and Mrs. J. M. Townsend were guests of Psi Chi Chapter, O. E. S. of Grand Rapids Saturday evening when Sharon Chapter of Bay City brought to Grand Rapids the Saginaw-Bay City traveling gavel and exchanged for the Cassa Howe Kent County traveling gavel at a very impressive ceremony. Cyclamen Chapter was honored by being presented with the Saginaw-Bay City traveling gavel on its journey of Kent County and will very soon extend an invitation to another chapter in Kent County to be their guests and receive the gavel.

Delightful O. E. S. Party for Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bennett

Last Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Hartman, Junior Past Matron and Junior Past Patron of Cyclamen Chapter No. 94 O. E. S. invited the 1935 and 1936 officers of the chapter and their husbands to their home, where a delicious pot luck supper was served, complimenting Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bennett, two of the officers, who are leaving this week to spend the winter in Florida.

It was decided to form a club of these officers who had served the chapter during the years 1935 and 1936 holding a meeting annually. The same to be called "Bi-Lo Club" of which Mrs. Hartman was elected president.

Cards were the diversion of the evening. On departing the guests wished for Mr. and Mrs. Bennett a very enjoyable trip and sojourn in Florida. Members present were: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Roth, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Krum, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Mert Sinclair, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Armstrong, Mrs. R. G. Jefferies, Mrs. Emma Coons, Mrs. Katie Carr, Mrs. Rosella Yeller, Mrs. Lucille Rittenger, Mrs. Oneida Brighton, Mr. Harley Maynard.

**Coming Events**

The Carr group of the Congregational church will meet with Mrs. Eugene Carr Monday night.

Card party at South Boston Grange hall this Saturday evening following the Grange meeting. Each one bring an old hat wrapped up. Refreshments will be sandwiches, fruit salad and cake. Please bring own service.

The Phila A. Clark circle will serve a pancake supper Wednesday evening, January 27 at the M. E. church. Serving starts at 5:30 and continues until all are served. Everyone cordially invited. Tickets: adults 25c and children 20c.

**BORN**

To Mr. and Mrs. William Condon, a 7 lb. girl, Tuesday at their home. Mrs. Condon is caring for the mother and baby.

**Odds and Ends**  
(Continued from First Page)

A Rocky Mountain prospector defends the chewing of tobacco. Anyway, it never started a forest fire.

The most Rev. Michael J. Gallagher, 70-year-old bishop of the Roman Catholic diocese of Detroit, died unexpectedly in a hospital on Wednesday night.

Thirty-five per cent of the income of the federal government comes from approximately 3,000,000 individuals and 150,000 corporations, the treasury reported to congress. Under new taxes imposed in 1935 and 1936, this group will pay around 40 per cent of the total estimated federal income.

**SCHOOL NEWS**

Examinations will be given in the upper six grades of the High School on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, January 25, 26, 27. Pupils in the upper four grades will not have to attend school except for examinations. The seventh and eighth grades will be in school full time. There will be no school Thursday for the upper six grades. The rest of the grades will have their regular sessions until Thursday night. Friday morning teachers will meet to mark cards and permanent records and arrange their annual reports. All children will return Friday at 1:00 o'clock when they will be given their report cards. The second semester will start February 1 and regular sessions will be resumed.

**SIDE GLANCES**

Silence is golden—but, oh, how risky.

Wait—and think. Anybody can merely wait.

Most of us can fool ourselves without half trying.

Life has to be lived with considerable resignation.

No place for a stranger to be: At a family reunion.

Quite often a scrub is as astounding as a thoroughbred.

Boy nature is not all alike. Some people write as if it were.

There are old folks as well as children that are spoiled.

Hand to mouth existence: Young man growing his first moustache.

Almost every time one neglects to employ politeness, he regrets it.

A conceited man is continually flattered by others and doesn't know it.

A man who boasts that he "is in his prime," hardly ever has all his teeth.

Early races who had no alphabet had to do a good deal of corked up thinking.

There always seems to be so much more of tomorrow than there is of today.

Excitement is a help in war. The battle is won before anybody has had time to be scared.

A man's ambition is to see what his beard looks like—once—and to wear a plug hat—once.

There will always be crime because there will always be people who are not well balanced.

We don't care how extravagant a personal compliment is, if the utterer speaks from his heart.

**Practically Nothing**  
By LILLIAN OAKLEY  
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WHEN I left Ted Rayburn in New York in the spring I had him practically eating out of my hand. So when the president of the Drama club in our little summer colony told me Ted was coming down to put on "The Loves of Lady Isabel" for the club, I knew that I could have any part of the play that I wanted.

His train got in at five in the morning, but I was waiting. Before he got through raving about how grand and noble I was to get up practically in the middle of the night to come down to meet him, I told him I wanted the part of Lady Isabel in the play.

But instead of saying "Okay, Love of My Life," as I expected him to, he pulled out a note book and showed me the list of the members of our colony and how much each had contributed to the Drama club. And because the fathers of Edith Grand and Evalyn Stroud had given the most, Edith or Evalyn would have to be Lady Isabel.

"Your show's a flop right now," I told him. "Those two girls you've picked are absolutely useless. They're so old they won't even tell their age to the census taker; they must be nearly thirty."

"Even at that extreme age," Ted said, "they may be able to creep out on the stage and mumble a few words. And for gosh sake, Beautiful, remember the boss did it and don't frigidaire me about it."

For a minute I felt as if I just couldn't be in anything so sordid as this play was going to be. But when our Drama club puts on a show people come from miles around. Last summer one of the big New York producers was in the audience, and after the play he walked up and gave the leading lady a fat contract. I couldn't afford not to be in it. But it certainly burned me up to see talent and beauty snatched for a few paltry dollars.

After dinner we met at the boat house and the committee helped Ted assign the parts. All but Lady Isabel's, and they left it up to Edith and Evalyn to decide which one of them would be Lady Isabel. The part they gave me was perfectly asinine—a sweet little sister in white organdie and blue ribbons.

The only thing that made life bearable was the way Edith and Evalyn acted. First one and then the other would get Ted off in a corner and tell him why she should be Lady Isabel. He kept giving me the S. O. S. sign. But it wasn't my day to get dizzy from doing too many good turns so I just left him to stew in his own juice.

"Feed 'em both poison, Beautiful, and I'll give you part so quick, it'll make your head swim." Ted told me after our third attempt at rehearsing without knowing which one was Lady Isabel.

"Cross your heart and hope to die if you don't." And I made him do it. It looked almost impossible for me to get rid of both of those girls, but you never can tell.

Just when I thought we were going to have to give the play up or make Lady Isabel a twin, the minister came to our house to dinner.

It's the first time I ever did get an inspiration from hearing a minister talk. But Doctor Bradley told about the time he built a new church and the two richest women in the congregation wanted the same pew. The board and committee were about to split up over it when Doctor Bradley settled the whole thing without any trouble.

As soon as we got up from the table I excused myself and went over to see Edith. Then I went and had a little visit with Evalyn.

Ted was late that night. The minute he came on the stage Edith rushed over and handed him her script for Lady Isabel.

"Awfully sorry to disappoint you, Ted," she said, "but we have unexpected guests and I won't be able to get up such a big part. Give it to Evalyn and let me be in the chorus."

Everybody looked at Evalyn. She didn't look happy—just sort of upset.

"I'm terribly sorry, Ted," she said, "but my aunt is very ill, and mother said at dinner that I mustn't accept such an important role for we might be called away at any time."

Ted looked positively goofy. If I hadn't walked right up and taken the part of Lady Isabel out of his hand I don't know what would have happened.

"What'd you do to those two girls?" Ted demanded as soon as we started home. "You did something. When I saw them this morning they were both still dead set on being Lady Isabel."

"It's Lesson Number Three in my Modern Psychology," I told him. "You visualize yourself being what you want to be and you're it. I saw myself as Lady Isabel, I am Lady Isabel."

"Baloney," he scoffed, "you did something. I hope I get out of town without having my throat cut."

But what I'd done was practically nothing. I just told Edith that Ted was going to suggest at the next rehearsal that she and Evalyn settle for the part of Lady Isabel by letting the oldest one have it. The I told Evalyn the same thing.

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**Local Sports**

**BOWLING**

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Pete's Place	30	25	5	.833
Pal Cleaners	33	21	12	.636
Texas	33	18	15	.545
Richmond's	33	17	16	.515
Runciman's	30	12	18	.400
Foreman's	30	11	19	.366
McPherson's	21	7	14	.333
McQueen's	30	9	21	.300

Team High Score—McPherson's, 752. Pete's Place, 789. Pal Cleaners, 750.

Single Game High Score—V. Clemens, 220. W. Roth, 212. T. Kropf, 210.

**INDEPENDENT BASKETBALL**

Richmond Cafes, local independent basketball team, defeated a strong Hastings team last Friday night at Hastings, 35-30. Richmond Cafes will play this Thursday evening at Ionia. Next Monday night the Richmond Cafes will play the V-8 Flyers of Greenville here in the High school gym. The Cafes played this team twice last year and were beaten both times by just one point. This year's stronger team is planning to go out and take back two games.

Richmond Cafes defeated the Stanton Independents, 63-38 last Wednesday night at Stanton. This was not the regular Cafes team that played.

**HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL**  
Lowell—Godwin

Lowell High School scored its first victory of the basketball season when they met Godwin High School at Godwin last Friday night. The game was a very thrilling one with first one team then the other in the lead. At the half the score was 14-13 in Godwin's favor, but in the last half Lowell rallied to win at a final score of 22-15. Dawson was high point man for Lowell. Lowell's second team also won over Godwin's second team with a score of 38-14.

Lowell—Grand Rapids Christian

Tuesday night, Lowell's basketball team met Grand Rapids Christian's team in Lowell's new gymnasium and at one time were in the lead with a score of 8-2, but at the half the score was 14-10, in favor of Christian. Christian held their lead during the rest of the game and won by a score of 31-19. Fonger was high point man for Lowell. Lowell's second team was defeated by G. R. Christian's second team with a score of 20-28.

Grand Rapids Christian is classified as a B team, but they scored a triumph last week over Catholic Central, which is a class A team, so Lowell had some real opposition and the boys played splendidly.

Schedule

Lowell plays Grandville at Grandville this week Friday. Lowell's next home game will be when they meet Godwin here, Friday, January 29.

**Semi-Pro BASKETBALL Schedule**

At Lowell High Gym

MONDAY, JAN. 25  
Richmond Cafes  
vs  
Greenville V-8 Flyers

MONDAY, FEB. 1  
Fulton St. Theaters

MONDAY, FEB. 8  
Warsaw Palm Room

MONDAY, FEB. 15  
Grandville Merchants

MONDAY, FEB. 22  
Rockford Wolverines Shoes

Each game will be a double bill beginning at 7:30. Adults 25c. school children 10c.

**More Local News**

Remember Beach & Outman's Sale. Prices greatly reduced.

Libbie Carr and Ola Condon were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Condon Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Weaver spent last Tuesday with Mrs. R. W. Stover in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Joe Mulekakis spent all day Friday with Mrs. Joe Visota of Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Earl Shuttleworth of Sumner spent Monday with her cousins, Anna and Harley Maynard.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hainer (nee Mrs. Filsby) of St. Johns visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kraft Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weaver spent the week end in Ann Arbor with their son Harold Dean and family.

J. K. Moore, obliging and well-liked city mail carrier for the west side, is confined to his home suffering from a severe attack of flu.

The Rev. C. L. Bradley attended the funeral of his lifelong friend, Rev. T. G. Clemens this (Thursday) afternoon at Cedar Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mulekakis and Catherine Paulinkas spent Sunday afternoon with their daughter and sister, Lucy Paulinkas of Kalamazoo.

President W. V. Burras and director Harry Day, both of Lowell, and treasurer C. G. Watterson of Cascade, are in Flint today to attend the annual meeting of the State Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Michigan.

Australia's population has doubled in this century.

**In Memoriam**

In memory of our dear Albert, who passed away one year ago, January 18, 1936.

A year has passed in silence. Since you passed away, And as the time goes rolling by We miss you every day. Some may think we have forgotten, When at times they see us smile, Little they know the silent heartache.

Our smiles hide all the while. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Woodhead, family and friends. p36

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to express our most sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for sympathies shown us during the recent illness and loss of our dear wife, mother and sister, Mrs. Beula M. Boyenga. We also wish to thank Rev. R. S. Miller for his comforting words, the organist, Mrs. H. L. Weekes, the pall bearers, those who sent the many beautiful flowers, and those who loaned the use of their cars. George Boyenga, Ruby and Charles.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCary, Mr. and Mrs. Gust A. Johnson and family, Leon Hendrickson. p36

The antlers of deer, moose and elk are not properly referred to as "horns", but are a solid bony structure. They are shed and re-grow annually. The horns of cattle which are hollow cover a solid bony base which corresponds to the antler but is not shed. Pronghorn antelope have both the horny covering and the bony base, but differ from the deer and cattle families by shedding only the horny covering and regrowing it annually.

If you have anything to sell, want to buy, rent, etc., try a want ad in the Ledger.

**Hear Talk on Good Names, Bad Names**

What's in a name? This is the question which Herbert Healey, President of the Grand Rapids Business College, answered in an address before the Lowell Rotary Club on January 13.

Some of the examples taken by Mr. Healey to answer his question were the names of Romeo Montague, Mark Twain, Benedict Arnold, Rotary Club, and the names of several other persons and towns. He pointed out the effect which the name of each one had upon his own life as well as upon the lives of others. To Samuel Clemens, better known as Mark Twain, it meant honor, glory, and distinction; while the name of Benedict Arnold meant disgrace, disappointment and dishonor. There are names to live down, such as the name which the son of a dishonest man must live down. Then again there are names to live up to, such as the grand name of Rotary Club or the name of a city or town. The name Rotary Club immediately presents the picture of an unselfish, thoughtful, altruistic organization which is founded on good Christian principles. In a final summary, Mr. Healey stated that the name is the accumulation of the inclinations of each member, and each individual is the answer to the question.

Frank McMahon, chairman for the day, introduced the speaker.

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**NOTICE**

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**LEADER ENTRIES**

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**THE FATE OF KIDNAPPERS**

THE WORLD shuddered with horror as it heard the sad news of the finding of the little body of Charles Mattson of Tacoma, Wash. The entire country cries out for justice to the foul slayers of this innocent boy.

At least this tragic event has demonstrated that the time when kidnapers could make money from his most heinous of crimes has passed. The wicked abductor of the Mattson boy got nothing, and immediately the officers of the law were on his track, pursuing him with all the vigor of which they are capable. He will never have a moment's peace again.

The government agents and other police have been so successful in following up such outrages, that it is highly probable that this most wicked of all bad men will be overtaken. A kidnap crime is about equivalent to suicide today.

Newspaper advertising will sell anything of merit, whether it be merchandise, farm produce or what else. It will even fill a church with an over-flow crowd.

**DANGER OF EPIDEMIC?**

REPORTS of an epidemic of influenza are heard with alarm by many who recall the trail of weakness and death left by this disease in former years, particularly the terrible plague of 1918. Many will remember how the land seemed filled with funeral processions at that time.

United States health officials think these fears exaggerated, and note only 3,993 cases reported for the country for the week ending January 2. That number may have largely increased during the succeeding weeks.

Many cities report an epidemic of hard colds and ordinary grip, and this is the time when these people should watch out. Their hot homes and working places are drying up the membranes of the nose and throat, rendering these delicate tissues peculiarly subject to infection. Man pays a penalty for his indoor life in winter.

**LABORING AND LOAFING**

HOW MANY hours a day should a person work in shops, factories and stores? President Roosevelt recently indicated that excessive hours of labor should be eliminated. His message to Congress suggests that he will probably advocate some statute taking the place of the NRA.

The older people can recall when the ordinary workday consisted of men and women for 10 hours a day. They will say people were well and happy in those times. Yet in his message to Congress he suggested that he will probably advocate some statute taking the place of the NRA.

**Extension Groups Study Literature**

Two Michigan State Extension groups in Kent County are making a study of modern literature under the supervision of the University Extension Agent.

The third lesson of the series was held January 12 at the home of Mrs. Walter Ebers of Ballard's Corners and on January 14 at the Bostwick Lake Church.

The subject of the lesson was "Literature for Adolescents" in charge of Mrs. Roger Hathaway of the Kent County Library. Assisting her were Mrs. E. E. Stephenson of Lake Drive, Grand Rapids, who discussed the psychology of adolescence and Mrs. Walter Ebers and Miss Aletha Ayres who reviewed one of the newer adolescent books "Ho-Ming" by Elizabeth Lewis.

Fifty women are enrolled in the course and all day meetings will be held in the 1938 program. Requests for the compliance papers ready, says John McCabe of Ada, Chairman of the County Committee. It is necessary to set the above date. However, says the committee, failure to have a map drawn will not prevent any farmer from participating in the 1937 program, should he desire to do so.

Requests for farm survey should be made at the office of the association, Room 206, Grand Rapids Y. M. C. A. Building.

**GIFT TO YOUNG AMERICA**

ONE OF THE most generous gifts ever made to the young men of the land, is provided for by the will of the late Charles Hayden, New York banker. Mr. Hayden has been called the "human dynamo of the financial, railroad, and industrial world". He has provided the means by which that dynamic power will operate forever in a magnificent gift to the young men of the nation.

His fundamental aim was to keep the young men from bad influences. He has made the most generous provisions to assist needy youths, provide recreation centers, educational scholarships, and other opportunities which ambitious youths covet for their development.

Such a charity strikes at the root of poverty and crime. When you find a criminal or an unsuccessful man, his faults and failures are usually due to some lack of opportunity in his youth. If that door of opportunity could have been opened on some critical day, he might have taken advantage of favorable chances, and gone on to a happy life.

Many of our philanthropies simply try to cure the troubles of the world after they have happened. That is all fine and noble. Such aid must be given. But the philanthropy that takes young men at the plastic age when they can be shaped into desirable forms, seems likely to accomplish more. It checks the stream of failure and error at its source.

When you turn a boy from some evil way in which he was beginning to enter, you may save the community uncounted evils and losses. Or when you take a boy who has not been able to make good, and show him how he can do things, you turn a possible vagrant and recipient of public aid, into a self-reliant producer. This gift is a great event in social progress.

**Free Tea**

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**NOTICE**

My office will be closed Wednesday, January 27 while I am attending clinic at the University Dental College.

D. H. Ostley

**THE LOWELL LEDGER**

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**Kent 4-H Clubs Hold Fair Here August 25, 26**

The Kent County 4-H Club Council at a recent meeting elected Thomas Slater of Paris township chairman for 1937 and Miss Evelyn Cramton of Ada secretary. The balance of the committee are Mr. and Mrs. Kelvin Lewis of Grand Rapids; Ward Smith of Edgerton; Russell Gray of Rockford and Clarence Klahn of Lowell.

The committee voted to hold the third annual 4-H Club Fair at Lowell on August 25 and 26. Plans were made to cooperate with the Board of Trade in organizing and incorporating the 4-H Club fair to place it on a permanent basis. This will be done in the near future.

Achievement Day Apr. 10  
The fifth annual county Achievement day for clothing and handicraft projects will be held at the Rockford High School Saturday, April 10. The exhibit will be open to the public on April 9. The achievement day program of contests, style show and entertainment will be given in the High School gymnasium on the 10th.

The county club council have appointed the following committee to cooperate with the Rockford Chamber of Commerce in arranging details of the day's program: Marie Wolf of Nelson township, chairman; Mrs. Fay Benjamin, of Nelson township; Mrs. Fred Erickson, Cannon township; Henry Becker of Courtland township; Ward Smith of Algoma; and Russell Gray of Oakland township.

Winter Club Enrollments  
Winter club enrollments in clothing and handicraft club projects have been finished and checked. The county has 63 clothing and handicraft clubs with 501 girls enrolled in clothing work and 387 boys in handicraft. This is an increase of 22 clubs and 200 members over 1936 enrollments.

Arnold Lachmet, club member from the Paris-Cascade Livestock Club, has been awarded a gold medal given by the Westinghouse Company of Pittsburg, Arnold was the county winner of the 4-H Club electricity project sponsored by the above company.

**Former Lowell Man Dies In California**

F. W. Hinyan, 75, formerly a prominent business man in Lowell and Grand Rapids, died Friday in Hollywood, Cal. He was born in Alto Nov. 16, 1862.

He was long in the produce business with Edward O'Harrow, and in business in Lowell with Loveland, Hinyan & Co., and also a director of the City State bank here, and a director in the Lowell Specialty Co.

He moved to Grand Rapids in 1906, where he was president of Loveland, Hinyan Produce Co., and president of the Michigan Potato Shippers association. He was a member of the board of First Methodist church, and a member of York lodge and of the Shrine. He was in Grand Rapids for several years.

He leaves his widow, who was Phyllis E. Stone, of Alto; three daughters, Mrs. Veena Campau of Port Huron, Miss Reva Hinyan of Hollywood and another daughter in Willow, Cal., a son, Forrest of Hollywood, and three grandchildren.

**Coeds to Ride to Class Farmers' Week**

One of the entertainment features for the 22nd annual Farmers' Week program at Michigan State College Feb. 1 to 5 will be the appearance of this team of oxen. The owner, Frank Martin, Battle Creek, offers \$500 to anyone who can produce their equal in weight and pulling ability. It is planned to hitch up the oxen and give college coeds a new form of transportation to class during the week.

Take the matter of school life. The editor says another popular labor-saving device is going out in the country to eat Sunday dinner with some rural acquaintance.

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**Along Main St.**

You've doubtless noticed that it is seldom a makes his money last if his father made it first.

It doesn't do any Lowell man any good to believe only half of what he hears if he hears the wrong half.

The Lowell woman who looks as though she had a secret sorrow is always interesting—until she begins to turn it loose.

Were it not for the fact that every man thinks his own car is the best we wouldn't have anything to argue about except the weather.

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**Anti-T-B Society Annual Meeting On Monday Feb. 1**

Supervisors, who spend tax money to run Sunshine Sanatorium; physicians, nurses, pastors and social workers because they have first hand knowledge of the misery caused by illness; school principals and teachers, club women and parent-teacher workers since they are interested in children and disease prevention will be invited to the 32nd annual meeting of the Grand Rapids Anti-tuberculosis Society on Monday, Feb. 1. It will be held at a dinner at 6:15 p. m. in Central Reformed Church house.

Dr. Paul F. Voelker, president of Grand Rapids College of Applied Arts and Sciences will be the principal speaker. "Fight to the Finish" will give him an ideal topic for one of his inspirational addresses. L. J. Schermerhorn, M. D. will preside and A. Capella, vicedirector of Creston High School, Frank C. Goodwin, director, will sing several numbers.

The annual report will be presented in a booklet beside each report plate. The forward on this report states:

"If you want to make the front page of the newspapers go out and let an automobile knock you down. Your death will shock everybody but you. If you are too modest to enjoy publicity even in death, become a victim of tuberculosis and die quietly in a sanatorium after years of spiritual strain and physical torture. Your demise will receive the usual little card among the death notices in the news, and only your very close loved one will note your passing in the obituary. The fact that tuberculosis still kills twice as many people annually as automobile do. A harvest of more than 70,000 deaths a year, most of them between 15 and 45 years of age, tells us we still have a grim reaper in our midst even though we have been fighting him more than thirty-two years."

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**Kallinger's Enjoy Vacation in Texas**

Antony Kallinger, who has been enjoying a well-earned vacation after some forty odd years of service with the Consumers Power Company, writes as follows to the Lowell office.

"Mrs. Kallinger and I left Lowell November 17 and arrived here on November 21, after a wonderful trip covering 1750 miles. Cotton picking was in progress in the southern states of Missouri, Arkansas, and north and east Texas, but in Rio Grande Valley it was all over and citrus fruit picking was in full swing. There is an abundance of fruit of good quality but the price is too low for the grower to realize much; also vegetables are plentiful but the prices are poor. For instance, cabbage of the best quality only brings the grower \$6.00 per ton, delivered. Broccoli is 40 cents per crate of 6 dozen bunches and tomatoes are one cent per pound. U. S. No. 1 grade, the fall vegetable crop is about over and much of the spring planting is now on some ground.

"The weather has been wonderful thus far. The blizzard that struck California and the western states, arrived in Rio Grande Valley January 9. The mercury dropped from 80 degrees at noon to 40 degrees at midnight.

"Flowers are in profusion and the roses, pansies and flame vines are gorgeous.

"We expect to remain here with our son-in-law and family for the winter months. On my return will tell you all about the fruit and vegetable show we attended, which means as much to the Valley as 'Showboat' does to Lowell and vicinity."

**State News Letter**

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following non-partisan, independent news review, presenting highlights of state activity at Lansing, is being prepared each week by the Michigan Press Association of which the Ledger is a member. The state digest is new feature which we believe will be of wide interest to our readers. We invite your comments.

Amid a flood of legislative measures, many of which are designed to carry out Governor Frank Murphy's proposed "New Deal" program in Michigan, the state legislature adjourned last Friday for ten days, so that democratic leaders might attend the inaugural ceremonies this week in Washington.

A strenuous session is ahead for the solons, many of whom are new at the job and just getting acquainted with the new electric-voting buttons that were installed recently at each desk in the House.

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Many are the problems which are confronting this session of the legislature at Lansing.

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**Michigan's Tourist Industry**

Under the previous \$100,000 annual appropriation the four tourist associations received \$20,000 each and the state reserved a similar sum.

Better housing for the governor and more expense allowance for legislators provided new nuts to be cracked. The house failed to muster enough votes at a night session last week to rush through a \$10 a day expense allowance during the session. However, members of both democratic and republican factions openly predicted that the bill would pass the next time roll call was asked.

Rep. Harry Glass, Jr., of Grand Rapids is leading the crusade in behalf of an executive mansion for which \$150,000 is asked.

The reapportionment issue has bobbed up again, following the governor's reminder that lawmakers should heed the constitutional mandate.

The old age pension would be granted to persons of 65 years old or more instead of 70, as at present, according to a new bill.

Two more years for the mortgage moratorium are proposed in a bill offered by Rep. John F. Hamilton, former Michigan HOLD manager.

The Michigan custom of holding an election each April in each of the 1,246 townships would be revised for an estimated annual saving of \$150,000 under terms of a concurrent resolution for a constitutional amendment introduced in the House by Rep. Elton Eaton, Plymouth. The amendment calls for a township election every other year, instead of each year.

**County Welfare Plan**

Like Topay who grew up too fast is nation-wide problem of what to do with welfare and relief. One way the federal government put an end to direct grants of federal money to states for local relief—the WPA program being undertaken as a means to "end the dole."

That the present administration at Lansing realizes the importance of doing something about it was disclosed by Governor Murphy in his message to the legislature. In a spirit of non-partisanship he urged the house and senate to carry out the welfare and relief study commission under the administration of former Governor Frank D. Fitzgerald.

In each county a welfare department would be established to coordinate and centralize existing welfare and relief services. To be abolished, according to the approved plan, are the following authorities: County emergency welfare relief commission, Superintendent of the Poor, Soldiers' and Sailors' relief commission, County old age assistance board and investigator, county agent, the county department of public welfare would be managed by a county public welfare board, its three members of whom would serve without pay.

While the state report proposed that the chairman of the county board shall be appointed by the state department of public welfare, the legislative committee which is drafting the bill was said to favor selecting the three board members from the county. This concession to home rule would probably mean the selection of a county-appointed person for chairman. Because of the widespread power with which the board will be vested, legislative minds are also considering the matter of a nominal salary for each board member. The probate judge's present responsibilities would be left nearly as they are.

**Tax on Butter Substitutes?**

Shall the Michigan butter industry be granted official protection of the state through a tax on butter substitutes?

This is the question raised by a bill introduced in the Senate by Senator D. Hale Brake of Stanton. The bill provides for the licensing of butter substitute manufacturers and the levying of 5 cents a pound on their output. 2 years ago the senate approved a similar bill, and it was killed in the house.

Other agricultural bills which are being drafted for introduction in this session include:

Compulsory test of cattle for Bangs' disease is authorized by the county board of supervisors.

Protection to cattle buyers at auctions in a provision that no cattle can be sold except those carrying brand mark of a negative test.

Drunk Driving—A Felony  
With the Detroit newspaper carrying daily headlines about the shameful toll of automobile traffic deaths, popular attention has been focused again on the problem of drunk driving. Several years ago a bill was passed in the senate classifying drunk driving as a felony, subject to imprisonment up to one year and a stiff maximum. The

**GRATTAN RESIDENT PASSES**

Funeral services for Mrs. Jennie Laughlin were held Monday morning in St. Patrick's church at Parnell with burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. She was 63 years of age and a lifelong resident of Grattan township.

Left to mourn their loss is one daughter, Katherine and three brothers, Thomas, James and John, all of Grattan township.

"Screen Names and Real Names" an interesting compilation of nearly 300 names of movie celebrities by Harold Heffernan, is now appearing in The Detroit News every Sunday. Watch for it and learn the real names of your favorite players.

On sale at Christiansen's or phone for delivery.

The January Clearance Sale of Suits and Overcoats at Coons is going over in a big way. Selections are good and prices below market.

Export of used lace making machines has been banned by France.

**Waldon Smith Dies; Once Active Here**

Waldon Smith, 71, a well-known Lowell businessman, died Sunday at St. Mary's hospital, Grand Rapids.

Mr. Smith was in the baking business here for nine years, later going to Allegan where he followed the same business for twenty-two years. He was associated with the City Baking Co., Grand Rapids at the time of his death. Mr. Smith was a Mason and a member of Allegan Rotary Club.

He is survived by his widow, a son and a daughter.

During his residence in Lowell, Mr. Smith took an active part in the Board of Trade and other civic activities.

Remember Besch & Outman's Sale. Prices greatly reduced.

**Mrs. Geo. Boyenga Laid to Rest Here**

Mrs. George Boyenga whose maiden name was Beula Merle Hendrixson, was born in Kalkaska County May 10, 1887 and passed away after a three months illness at her home in Lowell January 15, 1937.

On October 17, 1928 she was united in marriage to George Boyenga, from which time she has made her home on Monroe Avenue.

Surviving besides the husband are one Charles, one daughter Miss Ruby Boyenga of Grand Rapids, two sisters, Mrs. Roy McCarty and Mrs. Gust. A. Johnson of Grand Rapids, and one brother, Leon Hendrixson of Lowell.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist church Monday afternoon, Rev. R. S. Miller officiating, with interment in Oakwood Cemetery.

During her eight years residence here, Mrs. Boyenga made many friends who sympathize with the bereaved family.

**Mrs. Herbert Dawson Laid to Rest at 87**

Funeral services were held on Wednesday at the Church of the Nazarene for Mrs. Herbert H. Dawson who passed away at her home in West Lowell Sunday, after a brief illness. She was 87 years of age.

Mrs. Dawson had lived in Bowne and Lowell townships for upwards of 30 years and leaves many friends and relatives to mourn their loss.

She is survived by her husband, nine children, twenty-four grandchildren. The obituary sketch will appear in the next issue of the Ledger.

**Former Resident Passes**

Mrs. Eugene Cogswell, past 80, well known former resident of Lowell died at her home in East Lansing Wednesday. Burial in Oakwood cemetery Friday afternoon where Mr. Cogswell and daughter Jessie who was the former Mrs. U. B. Williams are resting.

New 1937 Cars in Stock  
We have 16 new 1937 Dodge and Plymouth cars in stock to choose from for immediate delivery.  
Coe's Garage, Phone 200

**Odds and Ends Here and There**

Brief Paragraphs, News and Information on a Variety of Topics

More than a half-million Michigan residents holding licenses were sold during 1936.

J. Edgar Hoover says politics is public enemy No. 1. And a lot of taxpayers second the motion.

About one out of every three grade crossing accidents is caused by the motorist's driving into the side of a moving train according to figures compiled for the first half of 1936.

Henry Morganthau, Jr., Secretary of the Treasury, according to reports given the rounds of New Deal inner circles, now is the Number One man at the White House, says the United States News.

Forecast of the Federal Housing Administration predicts an increase of nearly two-thirds in the construction of dwelling units in city areas this year as compared with last.

For the seventh year in the past seventeen years, Ford Motor Company enjoyed better than a "million-car" year in 1936, according to announcement at the Ford home offices in Dearborn.

Since Alaska was bought from Russia 69 years ago it has produced minerals valued at 100 times the purchase price of \$7,000,000. Mineral output last year was valued at \$23,347,000 as compared with \$18,312,000 in 1935.

The counties received a record total of \$24,237,711 from wages and salaries in 1936. This was an increase of nearly \$2,600,000 over the total of \$21,637,711 returned to the counties in 1935. Of the sum paid in 1936, Kent County received \$960,180.24; Ionia, \$260,131.92.

Five women in this country have the exclusive right for life to send or receive mail free of postage. They are the widows of Presidents Benjamin Harrison, Grover Cleveland, Theodore Roosevelt, Woodrow Wilson and Calvin Coolidge.

Wildcaters of many rival companies threw a network of drilling rigs overboard in the Gulf of Mexico during 1936 in a race to find new oil and gas fields. Permits to drill for oil or gas in 46 of the 83 counties of the state were issued during the year.

More than 9,000 men, virtually the entire personnel of the Chevrolet General and Axle Division of General Motors Corporation, staged a demonstration in Detroit last week against the strikes which have shut down General Motors plants and caused enforced idleness to more than 135,000 workers.

Three hundred and fifty members of the Michigan Beepkeepers association, active since 1899 and an organization second in age only to the Wisconsin association, have been invited to meet on the campus of Michigan State College Feb. 3 and 4 in the middle of the annual Farmers' Week program Feb. 1 to 5.

A trichinosis outbreak at Capac and surrounding areas of St. Clair County believed to have caused the death of several persons and the illness of more than 30 others caused Dr. C. C. Slemmons, state health commissioner, to point out that the path of absolute safety in the prevention of this disease lies in eating only thoroughly cooked pork and pork products.

Wine drinking is more popular in this country than ever before. Consumption is at a new high of one-half gallon per capita annually and sale of wine is legal in all States but Tennessee, Oklahoma, Kansas, and Alabama. However, this rate is extremely moderate compared with the rate in European wine-drinking countries. In France per capita consumption is 40 gallons.

High Government officials privately are congratulating themselves for having rigged the work relief program so that the Federal Government need not face directly the issue of relief for men on strike in industry. The old Federal Emergency Relief Administration followed a policy of taking care of all persons in need, but under the WPA a more complicated procedure is set up making it much more difficult for strikers to get Federal assistance.

State lands authorities at Lansing have been notified that the national forest service is preparing for the first formal exchange of lands under the arrangement by which Michigan ultimately will acquire ownership of the upper and lower falls of Tahquamenon river as several miles of river frontage. Authorities intend to make the falls accessible to the public in a development project which will not impair their beauty and wilderness attractions.

If you are out of a job and have not applied for an account number with the Social Security Board, it is to your advantage to get one immediately. Major Howard Staret, State Reemployment Director, announces, "You may readily see that if you and another person are after a job and the other fellow has his account number, a firm might choose the other person because it is the employer's responsibility to see that all employees have account numbers." See your local postmaster.

The American Legion wants to pass a law in the session of Congress which will compel industry and labor to share in the cost of wars. This is a bill which should be passed and voters would do right to authorize that their representatives sanction it. The reason is obvious. Were labor and industry to share in the cost and burden of war, thus eliminating big profits to business, the excuse for war would be gone. With such a law the word war would eventually be heard only in the classroom.

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See Weaver's complete produce department. If its green stuff you want—they have it.

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Ledger Entries (Continued from first page)

THE FOLKS who are worrying about their income tax returns might do less fretting, if they had kept careful records of their monthly transactions for the past year.

HOME TOWN THOUGHTS

THE STUDENT who can't find out why his income tax returns are rejected, will find it difficult to know what he should do next.

Plan for 25,000 Farmers' Week

SEVEN AND EIGHTY-NINE THOUSAND farmers will be taking part in the 25th Annual Program at College Feb. 1 to 5.

Derivation of "Caddy"

THE WORD "caddy" as derived by the American Art Etymology Co. from the Malay "kadi" and the Chinese "kady" which were used in the trade to designate the carriers of opium.

Why Rice Paper is Used

THE PAPER used in most of the photographic plates is made from rice paper. It is made from the rice plant and is one of the most important materials in the world.

Who's Who in Children's Classics

Several bears joined a lion in a hunt when the sportsman in the lion claimed one as his prey. The bear, however, was not so easily disposed of.

Why We Say "Lion's Share"

THE "LION'S SHARE" has its origin in the story of the lion and the mouse. The lion was so kind that he let the mouse go, and the mouse later helped the lion escape from a hunter.

Who Lived in the Land of Dikes and Windmills

WHOSE SISTER WON SKATES in a race of great thrills? The race was held in Holland, where the windmills are used to pump out the water from the dikes.

Why Briar Pipes Are So Called

THE BRIAR PIPE is so called because it is made from the briar plant. The pipe is made from the stem of the plant and is one of the most popular smoking accessories.

Glass in Middle Ages

THE INVENTION OF GLASS was made in the Middle Ages. It was first made in Syria and later in Europe. It is now used in many different ways.

WHY Scalp Specialists Approve Wearing Hat Outdoors.

With the return of warm weather many people are inclined to save money by becoming converts to the hatless fad. Some people are convinced that going bareheaded is good for the hair and scalp.

How Fever Blisters May Be Successfully Treated

FEVER BLISTERS which are most annoying among those of young people may come from a variety of causes including infection, fever and tooth decay.

Why Buddha Is Known by Several Different Names

BUDDHA'S NAME was Gautama. Prince Gautama, son of the king of Kapilavastu, was born in 563 B.C. He was known by many different names throughout his life.

How Rainfall is Measured

THE AMOUNT OF RAIN which falls on a surface in a given period is measured by a rain gauge. The gauge is placed in a level, open place and is protected from wind.

Why We Eat Too Much

A POSSIBLE REASON why we eat too much is because of the way our bodies are built. Some people have a faster metabolism and therefore burn more calories.

Why White Shoes Are "Grays"

FOOTWEAR AND SHOES which are white when first worn become gray with use. This is due to the fact that the white material is gradually being worn away.

How Canada Got Its Name

THE ORIGIN OF THE NAME "Canada" is uncertain, but it is probably derived from the Iroquois word "kanata" which means "village" or "settlement."

How to Loosen 'Set Bolt'

WHEN A BOLT IS "SET" into a nut, it is difficult to turn. This is because the threads of the bolt and nut have become tightly fitted together.

How Macaroni Gets Holes

MACARONI GETS HOLES because of the way it is made. The pasta is pushed through a die which has small holes in it. The holes are made to allow the pasta to cook evenly.

How to Hang Paintings

A GOOD POINTING of any picture is to hang it in a place where it will be seen to best advantage. This is usually at eye level and away from direct sunlight.

How to Determine Waterweight

THE WEIGHT WHICH can be supported by a bridge or other structure is determined by the weight of the water displaced. This is known as Archimedes' principle.

The Inevitable Oath

THE INEVITABLE OATH was established by Congress in 1862 for federal employees. It was designed to ensure the loyalty and integrity of those working for the government.

Train Schedules

THE TIME GIVEN below is Eastern Standard Time. Train going west: 8:35 a. m. Train going east: 8:03 p. m.

Good Short Story THE MILLIONAIRE

BY NANCY RHODES THE YOUNGEST REPORTER was dragged out of his bed in a hurry to go to the office. He had just been told that a million-dollar check had been cashed.

"Green days in forests, blue days at sea," she thought, and the words made her ache with longing. She had been thinking of nothing else for weeks.

"Go on, girls!" muttered the youngest reporter defiantly, turning away from the door. The young woman who had been sitting at the typewriter looked up at him with a look of surprise.

"This fellow who works with me on the Red Sea," she thought, "is a young millionaire from the West who is working his own way. I hope it will be me to talk on him, but I've always been a great admirer of your esteemed paper," and so she said.

"On her way out to the plantations in the letter," the youngest reporter forgot for two gray hairs that he had just been told that a million-dollar check had been cashed. He was so busy with his work that he didn't notice.

First, it would modify the claim that as a consequence of expansion process, establishing in this territory approximately the same temperature as normally prevails over the Red Sea.

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IMPROVING MICHIGAN ROADSIDES

INSUFFICIENT attention to roadsides is a natural aftermath of the road building program. The Department of Highways has emphasized the importance of roadside improvement.

The Board of Public Roads has for some years been favorably inclined toward improvement of the very thing during a blinding snowstorm. It doesn't take very long for snow to interfere with the efficiency of the ordinary windshield wiper and also to cover the side windows of the car.

"I'll take you right over to have your picture taken," said the woman who had been sitting at the typewriter. She had just been told that a million-dollar check had been cashed.

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Genuine No. 3 Pochantas Bradshaw Pochantas Kennont Lump and Egg Aome Lump Carbon Split

Hard Coal and Coke F. P. MacFarlane Lowell, Mich.

Phone 193-72

So. Lowell Busy Corners

South Lowell PTA will be held at the Sweet School house, Friday night, January 22. Chas. Rittenger has charge of the program.

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Have Your Parties HERE

Without bother or fuss. Bring your guests to our private dining room for a complete well-cooked meal. Richmond's Cafe Phone 9106

SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT of the Lowell Building & Loan Association

For the Year Ending December 31, 1936

Table with columns for ASSETS and LIABILITIES. Assets include Real Est. Mtg. Loans, Stock Loans, etc. Liabilities include Real Estate, Unpaid Dividends, etc.

DISTRIBUTION OF NET EARNINGS

Table showing Income and Expenses. Income includes Interest on Mtg. Loans, Stock Loans, etc. Expenses include Personal Service, State Filing Fee, etc.

INCOME EXPENSES

Interest on Mtg. Loans, 3,001.28 Personal Service, 130.00 Real Est. Mtg. Loans, 1,650.08 State Filing Fee, 46.06

Over 500 New Policies

In addition to renewals were written by the State Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Michigan during the last ten months of 1936. This fact alone speaks more eloquently for the company than any other.

Specific insurance not required to cover farm personal when in dwelling; or registered stock or personal auto owned and used within a radius of three miles of the home farm.

By careful underwriting and systematic inspection we eliminate the hazards, losses are promptly and satisfactorily adjusted.

State Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Michigan 703 Church St., Flint, Michigan W. V. BUARAS, President M. K. PIEN, Secretary

Chocolate Cooled Cherries lb. 30c

H. G. SCOTT Home of Good Home Made Candies

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Mr. and Mrs. Glen Tower of Saranac, Michigan, visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spyles of Hastings visited Mrs. Myrtle Trenk Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Husco of Grand Rapids spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Gladys Hartley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Clark and Rodney visited at Mr. Clark's sister Mrs. George Wieland from Tuesday until Thursday. Mr. Clark is convalescing from an appendicitis operation.

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You Save Twice

You save on our January Clearance Prices and save again by buying before the advance.

Our regular prices are from \$3 to \$5 under city quotations and our January Clearance prices are just that much more attractive because the reductions are from a low first cost.

Our selections are good (you can choose from over 60 different colors, patterns, models and fabrics in size 40 suits). We must keep them moving to keep the stock fresh and avoid carry-overs.

We feature Michaels-Stern & Co. Rochester tailoring in Tiffany Worsteds, Stirling Worsteds and Strong Heart Twists, Fairhaven Worsteds and Shelby Twists from Curlee.

OVERCOATS in heavy, medium and California weights—Raglan or split sleeve models. Full belts or half belts. Fleeces, Boucles, Caracul and Rockunas. Dark oxford, light oxford, brown and navy.

The first two weeks of January were record breakers—showing our people appreciate this opportunity to buy at these low prices at this time.

OVERCOATS SUITS

Table listing Overcoats and Suits with prices. Overcoats: \$35.00, 31.50, 30.00, 25.00, 22.50, 18.00. Suits: \$33, \$29, \$25, \$18, \$15.

All prices include Sales Tax. A group of broken lines in all sizes from 34 to 46, reduced from \$25 to close out at \$17.95

COOLONS

FREE to sufferers of STOMACH ULCERS HYPERACIDITY. PRICELESS INFORMATION for those suffering from STOMACH ULCERS HYPERACIDITY.

Morse Lake Mr. Frank Houghton Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hayward were recent supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Houghton.

Seelye Corners Mrs. S. P. Reynolds Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cole in A. Star of Grand Rapids Sunday.

McCord's Matters Mrs. R. T. Williams The Merry Circle met with Mrs. Pearl Taylor Wednesday. Mrs. Glen Taylor was head honors while Mrs. Helen Taylor was runner up.

Lowe District Mrs. Gertrude Thomas Mrs. and Mrs. Maynard Ditcher and Mrs. Charles Ditcher were guests at the home of Mrs. J. L. Anderson.

FURNITURE For The Home! Latest designs and best construction. Because of our low overhead we can and will save you money.

W. A. Roth FURNITURE Funeral Director and Ambulance Service. Store Phone 35 Res. Phone and Night, 330

ALTO DEPARTMENT (Mrs. Fred Pattison) There will be a covered box on my front porch for any one who has new they want in the Alto items. This was suggested to me and I thought it a very good idea. Mrs. Fred Pattison

NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS In one year out the other WE STILL PAY Cash for Cream The old Reliable Cream Station

ADA DEPARTMENT (By Mrs. Mattie R. Pritch) TWO BUILDINGS BURNED Ada residents were alerted Thursday night by the fire department. The loss was said to exceed \$1000. One building was destroyed and another was damaged.

Kroger Hot-Dated Coffee JEWEL COFFEE lb. 17c (3-lb. bag 50c) FRESHER ALL THREE WAYS! 1 HOT-DATED at the roaster - NOT dried on delivery. Never sold after the date.

FOR PROMPT PLUMBING AND HEATING SERVICE PHONE 78 Charles W. Cook Lowell, Mich. South Bowline Mrs. Vevah Griffin Sunday visitors at the Peter Griffin home.

Wanted, For Sale, Lost and Found The Meiden's MARY ANN CHRISTIE was a little more than 10 years old when she was last seen.

FREE Friday and Saturday Only 1/4 lb. THOMAS SPECIAL Green Japan Tea With Purchase of THOMAS SPECIAL COFFEE lb. 19c

Entertains with Shower Mrs. Eleanor Dintaman entertained Thursday afternoon with a delightful shower in honor of Mrs. LaVerne Hyatt.

HOW "FRENCH LEAVE" GOT ITS PLACE IN OUR LANGUAGE French leave is a secret device, especially without paying one's debts.

East Caladonia Mrs. S. VanName Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cooper of Kalamazoo were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. C. and son Walter.

KROGER'S CLOCK BREAD Freshly Baked Because It's Timed! TUNSO YELLOW HOUSEHOLD SOAP BIG 10 BAR 35c GIANT 35c

How Navel Oranges are Produced The navel seedless orange originated at Bahia, Brazil, in the early part of the 19th century.

FOR SALE—New milk cows and call with or without calf. For Sale—New milk cows and call with or without calf.

Fig Bars Fresh Tasty Cookies 3 lbs. 25c Prunes Sweet, Tender Medium Size lb. 7c Cheese Mild Wisconsin Colby lb. 22c

ALTO LOCALS Mr. and Mrs. Ed Davis and daughter Edna attended the funeral of Mrs. Hugh Gibson of Battle Creek last week.

How Our Continent Came to be Called "America" Our continent was named of course for Amerigo Vesputti, the Italian navigator and merchant.

Elmdale Mrs. L. Bergant Mr. and Mrs. Howard Miller and Mrs. Irene Miller were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. C.

ARMOUR'S SMOKED HAMS Shank End lb. 19c BUTT lb. 22c CENTER SLICES lb. 39c WHOLE HAM lb. 25c

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GRAPEFRUIT 10 lbs. 27c SWEET FULL OF JUICE 10 lbs. 39c TANGERINES Sweet, Large Size 2 doz. 25c

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Whitneyville Mrs. Carl Graham Mrs. Maxon and daughter and son were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. C.

Superior Pocahontas Red Pennant Lump M. D. Hoyt We Give Gold Stamps Lowell, Michigan

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AGITATOR FLUSH-OUT Flushing radiator, rust and grease out of the cooling system. If your car overheats, or your radiator needs repairs of any kind—it is the place to come!

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Silver Dust 2 pkgs. 27c Gold Dust large box 18c LUX SOAP 3 bars 25c

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Ford Adds New Light Stake Unit Many of the older civilizations had a symbol to represent their gods. China it was the pine tree and some others the bamboo.

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Bowne Bugle Notes Miss Myrtle Pratt BOWNE CORP. A play will be presented this Friday evening and will be given by the Bowne family.

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NOT ALL AMERICAN WIVES ARE GOOD SPORTS



George grinned affectionately at her and tumbled and consoled that he would be pretty hard on her, and that was the end of that.

By KATHLEEN NORRIS
A class, American wives are poor sports. Studying them after years, one is forced to the depressing conclusion that most of them are but half-developed as human beings, and if any change or crisis they are not only poor sports.

There are exceptions, of course. The exceptions are the ones who are not only good sports but who are also good mothers.

For example, there is Jean. Pretty affectionate, happy when Oliver Jones married her, she settled down into a birdcage of a new cottage.

Six years ago the whole thing came on the rocks. After the failure of his father's firm, Oliver, over months of anxious searching, found a job, but it was a humdrum job, checking shipments for a company, and he was paid only \$22 a week.

Then there is Lucia. Lucia and her husband, George, were so happy that they were talking to us of China, and the opportunity had been offered to go to China.

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John Claus, Pastor
German preaching Sunday at 10 o'clock.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Morning Worship at 10:30
The Rev. Mr. E. L. Sullivan, Pastor.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Rev. R. C. Johnson, Pastor
10:40 a. m.—Sunday School.

So. Keene-N. Boston
Mrs. Ed. Potter
Following P.T.A. met last Thursday evening at the school house.

ALASKA BAPTIST CHURCH
A. Cederlund, Minister
Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
Morning service every Sunday, 11:40 a. m.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH OF WEST LOWELL
W. W. King, Pastor
Morning service at 10:30 a. m.

CATHOLIC PARISHES
St. Mary's—Lowell
Rev. Fr. Jewell, pastor.

MAPES DISTRICT
Mrs. B. M. Rowland
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hauser and family.

WEST VERGENNES
D. D. Krum
Virginia Krum was taken to Biogdget hospital Friday evening.

LOWELL BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. G. M. Bradley, Pastor
Sunday services, Bible school at 10:30 a. m.

DR. T. L. LUSTIG
Osteopathic Physician and Surgeon
Special Attention to Recital Diseases.

DOUGLAS H. OATLEY
DENTIST—
Office over C. Thomas Store
Office Hours: 9 to 12 and 4 to 5.

FallaBrook & Vicinity

Miss Evelyn Sparks of near Saranac Lake called on her parents Tuesday evening and took them to the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Anderson and Estelita and Donald were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Dwyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Verc Carter of Midland called on the parents of Mr. and Mrs. Verc Carter.

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**Bacon Squares** lb. 19c  
Choice  
Try some for Bacon and Eggs

**Lamb Shoulder Roast** lb. 18c

**Veal Shoulder Roast** lb. 20c

**Beef Ribs** lb. 12 1/2c

**BOLOGNA** Grade 1 2 lbs. 25c  
Anyway You Slice It

**Oysters** pt. 25c

**Pork Steak, lean** lb. 23c

**Pork Chops** lb. 27c

**Pork Sausage** Bulk lb. 20c  
For Breakfast Perhaps

**Fresh Ground Beef** - - 2 lbs. 29c

**Fresh Ham Roast** Boneless lb. 28c

All Red & White Foods are Approved  
By the Good Housekeeping Institute

**Red & White Wheat Cereal** 23 oz. pkg. 15c

**"American Beauty Soup"** Tomato or Vegetable 6 cans 25c

**"Sun" Macaroni** Quick Cooking 2 lb. box 15c

**Green & White Coffee** Ground Fresh lb. 19c

**Dated Coffee** Chase & Sanborn lb. 23c

**SPRY** 3 lb. can 61c - 1 lb. can 23c

**RINSO** - - - Large package 19c

**5 lbs. Table King Pancake Flour**  
**1 22 oz. Table King Syrup** Both for 35c

**Salad Dressing** Table King qt. 25c

Our Produce Section is Complete. We now have

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|---------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Cabbage       | Radishes        | Rhubarb         |
| Celery Hearts | Parsley         | Brussel Sprouts |
| Leaf Lettuce  | Idaho Potatoes  | Cucumbers       |
| Parsnips      | Broccoli        | Tomatos         |
| Green Onions  | Mushrooms       | Head Lettuce    |
|               | And Many Others |                 |

Phone 156 **Weaver's Food Market** Phone 156  
BETTER FOODS - BETTER SERVICE - BETTER PRICES

## Social Events

The annual Fortnightly mid-winter dinner will be held at the home of Mrs. Theron Richmond on Tuesday, January 26.

The Book Review club met at the home of Mrs. W. J. Smith Tuesday evening. Mrs. Nancy Otley gave a report on "Candle Indoors" by Helen Hull.

The P. D. club met with Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Rosewarne last Thursday evening. Dinner was served and three tables of contract bridge were in play. High honors went to Mrs. H. P. Gotfredson and Dr. F. E. White.

A very interesting meeting of the Girls' Club was held Wednesday afternoon, January 6, when Mrs. W. J. Smith favored them with a review of the book, "The Enchanted Voyage," by Robert Nathan. It was greatly enjoyed by all of the girls. Virginia Hosley acted as general chairman.

Mrs. Lodi Shear and Mrs. Will Converse gave a shower at the home of Mrs. Converse last Thursday in honor of Mrs. Frank Reussegar. There were about twenty-five ladies present. The afternoon was spent with contests and visiting after which a bountiful supply of ice cream and cake were served. Mrs. Reussegar received many useful gifts.

Mrs. Emma Coons, Mrs. Lila Armstrong, Mrs. Rosella Yelter, Mrs. E. S. White, Mrs. Howard Krum, Mrs. Ernest Roth, Mrs. Oscar Brezina, Mrs. R. G. Jefferies and Mrs. J. M. Townsend were guests of Peninsular Chapter, O. E. S. of Grand Rapids Saturday evening when Sharon Chapter of Bay City brought to Grand Rapids the Saginaw-Bay City traveling gavel and exchanged for the Cassa Howe Kent County traveling gavel at a very impressive ceremony. Cyclamen Chapter was honored by being presented with the Saginaw-Bay City gavel to start on its journey of Kent County and will very soon extend an invitation to another chapter in Kent County to be their guests and receive the gavel.

Delightful O. E. S. Party for Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bennett

Last Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Hartman, Junior Past Matron and Junior Past Patron of Cyclamen Chapter No. 94 O. E. S. invited the 1935 and 1936 officers of the chapter and their husbands to their home, where a delicious pot luck supper was served, complimenting Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bennett, two of the officers, who are leaving this week to spend the winter in Florida.

It was decided to form a club of these officers who had served the chapter during the years 1935 and 1936 holding a meeting annually, the same to be called "Bi-Lo Club" of which Mrs. Hartman was elected president.

Cards were the diversion of the evening. On departing the guests wished for Mr. and Mrs. Bennett a very enjoyable trip and sojourn in Florida. Members present were: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Roth, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Krum, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Mert Sinclair, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Armstrong, Mrs. R. G. Jefferies, Mrs. Emma Coons, Mrs. Katie Carr, Mrs. Rosella Yelter, Mrs. Lucille Ritterger, Mrs. Onelda Brighton, Mr. Harley Maynard.

## Coming Events

The Carr group of the Congregational church will meet with Mrs. Eugene Carr Monday night.

Card party at South Boston Grange hall this Saturday evening following the Grange meeting. Each one bring an old hat wrapped up. Refreshments will be sandwiches, fruit salad and cake. Please bring own service.

The Phila A. Clark circle will serve a pancake supper Wednesday evening, January 27 at the M. E. church. Serving starts at 5:30 and continues until all are served. Everyone cordially invited. Tickets: adults 25c and children 20c. c36

## BORN

To Mr. and Mrs. William Condon, a 7 lb. girl, Tuesday at their home. Mrs. Don Niles is caring for the mother and baby.

## Odds and Ends

(Continued from First Page)

A Rocky Mountain prospector defends the chewing of tobacco. Anyway, it never started a forest fire.

The most Rev. Michael J. Gallagher, 70-year-old bishop of the Roman Catholic diocese of Detroit, died unexpectedly in a hospital on Wednesday night.

Thirty-five per cent of the income of the federal government comes from approximately 3,000,000 individuals and 150,000 corporations, the treasury reported to congress. Under new taxes imposed in 1935 and 1936, this group will pay around 40 per cent of the total estimated federal income.

## SCHOOL NEWS

Examinations will be given in the upper six grades of the High School on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, January 25, 26, 27. Pupils in the upper four grades will not have to attend school except for examinations. The seventh and eighth grades will be in school full time. There will be no school Thursday for the upper six grades. The rest of the grades will have their regular sessions until Thursday night. Friday morning teachers will meet to mark cards and permanent records and arrange their annual reports. All children will return Friday at 1:00 o'clock when they will be given their report cards. The second semester will start February 1 and regular sessions will be resumed.

## SIDE GLANCES

Silence is golden—but, oh, how irksome.

Wait—and think. Anybody can merely wait.

Most of us can fool ourselves without half trying.

Life has to be lived with considerable resignation.

No place for a stranger to be: At a family reunion.

Quite often a scrub is as astounding as a thoroughbred.

Boy nature is not all alike. Some people write as if it were.

There are old folks as well as children that are spoiled.

Hand to mouth existence: Young man growing his first moustache.

Almost every time one neglects to employ politeness, he regrets it.

A conceited man is continually flattered by others and doesn't know it.

A man who boasts that he "is in his prime," hardly ever has all his teeth.

Early races who had no alphabet had to do a good deal of corked up thinking.

There always seems to be so much more of tomorrow than there is of today.

Excitement is a help in war. The battle is won before anybody has had time to be scared.

A man's ambition is to see what his beard looks like—once—and to wear a plug hat—once.

There will always be crime because there will always be people who are not well balanced.

We don't care how extravagant a personal compliment is, if the utterer speaks from his heart.

## NOTICE

Dr. Gertrude Trednick, chiropractor, has a branch office at Lowell in the King block Wednesdays and Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 8 p. m. p361f

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## Practically Nothing

By LILLIAN OAKLEY  
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WHEN I left Ted Rayburn in New York in the spring I had him practically eating out of my hand. So when the president of the Drama club in our little summer colony told me Ted was coming down to put on "The Loves of Lady Isabel" for the club, I knew that I could have any part of the play that I wanted.

His train got in at five in the morning, but I was waiting. Before he got through raving about how grand and noble I was to get up practically in the middle of the night to come down to meet him, I told him I wanted the part of Lady Isabel in the play.

But instead of saying "Okay, Love of My Life," as I expected him to, he pulled out a note book and showed me the list of the members of our colony and how much each had contributed to the Drama club. And because the fathers of Edith Grand and Evalyn Stroud had given the most, Edith or Evalyn would have to be Lady Isabel.

"Your show's a flop right now," I told him. "Those two girls you've picked are absolutely worthless. They're so old they won't even tell their age to the census taker; they must be nearly thirty."

"Even at that extreme age," Ted said, "they may be able to creep out on the stage and mumble a few words. And for gosh sake, Beautiful, remember the boss did it and don't friggle me about it."

For a minute I felt as if I just couldn't be in anything so sordid as this play was going to be. But when our Drama club puts on a show people come from miles around. Last summer one of the big New York producers was in the audience, and after the play he walked up and gave the leading lady a fat contract. I couldn't afford not to be in it. But it certainly burned me up to see talent and beauty snubbed for a few paltry dollars.

After dinner we met at the boat house and the committee helped Ted assign the parts. All but Lady Isabel's, and they left it up to Edith and Evalyn to decide which one of them would be Lady Isabel. The only thing that made life bearable was the way Edith and Evalyn acted. First one and then the other would get Ted off in a corner and tell him why she should be Lady Isabel. He kept giving me the S. O. S. sign. But it wasn't my day to get dizzy from doing too many good turns so I just left him to stew in his own juice.

"Feed 'em both poison, Beautiful, and I'll give you the part so quick I'll make your head swim!" Ted told me after our third attempt at rehearsing without knowing which one was Lady Isabel.

"Cross your heart and hope to die if you don't." And I made him do it. It looked almost impossible for me to get rid of both of those girls, but you never can tell.

Just when I thought we were going to have to give the play up or make Lady Isabel a twin, the minister came to our house to dinner. It's the first time I ever did get an inspiration from hearing a minister talk. But Doctor Bradley told about the time he built a new church and the two richest women in the congregation wanted the same pew. The board and committee were about to split up over it when Doctor Bradley settled the whole thing without any trouble.

As soon as we got up from the table I excused myself and went over to see Edith. Then I went and had a little visit with Evalyn.

Ted was late that night. The minute he came on the stage Edith rushed over and handed him her script for Lady Isabel.

"Awfully sorry to disappoint you, Ted," she said, "but we have unexpected guests and I won't be able to work up such a big part. Give it to Evalyn and let me be in the chorus."

Everybody looked at Evalyn. She didn't look happy—just sort of upset.

"I'm terribly sorry, Ted," she said, "but my aunt is very ill, and mother said at dinner that I mustn't accept such an important role for me might be called away at any time."

Ted looked positively goofy. If I hadn't walked right up and taken the part of Lady Isabel out of his hand I don't know what would have happened.

"What'd you do to those two girls?" Ted demanded as soon as we started home. "You did something. When I saw them this morning they were both still dead set on being Lady Isabel."

"It's Lesson Number Three in my Modern Psychology," I told him. "You visualize yourself being what you want to be and you're it. I saw myself as Lady Isabel, I am Lady Isabel."

"Baloney," he scoffed, "you did something. I hope I get out of town without having my throat cut."

But what I'd done was practically nothing. I just told Edith that Ted was going to suggest at the next rehearsal that she and Evalyn settle for the part of Lady Isabel by letting the oldest one have it. Then I told Evalyn the same thing.

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Foreman's.....30 11 19 .366  
McPherson's.....21 7 14 .333  
McQueen's.....30 9 21 .300  
Team High Score—McPherson's, 792, Pete's Place, 789, Pal Cleaners, 750.  
Single Game High Score—V. Clemens, 220, W. Roth, 212, T. Kropf, 210.

**INDEPENDENT BASKETBALL**  
Richmond Cafes, local independent basketball team, defeated a strong Hastings team last Friday night at Hastings, 35-30. Richmond Cafes will play this Thursday evening at Ionia. Next Monday night the Richmond Cafes will play the V-8 Flyers of Greenville here in the High school gym. The Cafes played this team twice last year and were beaten both times by just one point. This year's stronger team is planning to go out and take back two games.  
Richmond Cafes defeated the Stanton Independents, 63-38 last Wednesday night at Stanton. This was not the regular Cafe team that played.

**HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL**  
Lowell—Godwin  
Lowell High School scored its first victory of the basketball season when they met Godwin High School at Godwin last Friday night. The game was a very thrilling one with first one team then the other in the lead. At the half the score was 14-13 in Godwin's favor, but in the last half Lowell rallied to win at a final score of 22-19. Dawson was high point man for Lowell. Lowell's second team also won over Godwin's second team with a score of 38-14.

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## More Local News

Remember Beach & Outman's Sale Prices greatly reduced.  
Libbie Carr and Ola Condon were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Condon Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Weaver spent last Tuesday with Mrs. R. W. Stover in Grand Rapids.  
Mrs. Joe Mulekatis spent all day Friday with Mrs. Joe Visota of Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Earl Shuttleworth of Sumner spent Monday with her cousins, Anna and Harley Maynard.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hainer (nee Mrs. Filsby) of St. Johns visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kraft Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weaver spent the week end in Ann Arbor with their son Harold Dean and family.  
J. K. Moore, obliging and well-liked city mail carrier for the west side, is confined to his home suffering from a severe attack of flu.

The Rev. C. L. Bradley attended the funeral of his lifelong friend, Rev. T. G. Clemens this (Thursday) afternoon at Cedar Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mulekatis and Catherine Paulikas spent Sunday afternoon with their daughter and sister, Lucy Paulikas of Kalamazoo.

President W. V. Burras and director Harry Day, both of Lowell, and treasurer C. G. Watterson of Cascade, are in Flint today to attend the annual meeting of the State Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Michigan.

Australia's population has doubled in this century.

## In Memoriam

In memory of our dear Albert, who passed away one year ago, January 18, 1936.  
A year has gone in silence, Since you passed away;  
And as the time goes rolling by We miss you every day.  
Some may think we have forgotten, When at times they see us smile; Little they know the silent heart-ache.

Our smiles hide all the while, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Woodhead, family and friends. p36

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our most sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for sympathies shown us during the recent illness and loss of our dear wife, mother and sister, Mrs. Beula M. Boyenga. We also wish to thank Rev. R. S. Miller for his comforting words, the organist, Mrs. H. L. Weekes, the pall bearers, those who sent the many beautiful flowers, and those who loaned the use of their cars, George Boyenga, Ruby and Charles.  
Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCary, Mr. and Mrs. Gust. A. Johnson and family, Leon Hendrickson. p36

The antlers of deer, moose and elk are not properly referred to as "horns," but are a solid bony structure. They are shed and re-grow annually. The horns of cattle which are hollow cover a solid bony base which corresponds to the antler but is not shed. Pronghorn antelope have both the horny covering and the bony base, but differ from the deer and cattle families by shedding only the horny covering and regrowing it annually.

If you have anything to sell, want to buy, rent, etc., try a want ad. in the Ledger.

## Hear Talk on Good Names, Bad Names

What's in a name? This is the question which Herbert Heaney, President of the Grand Rapids Business College, answered in an address before the Lowell Rotary Club on January 13.  
Some of the examples taken by Mr. Heaney to answer his question were the names of Romeo Montague, Mark Twain, Benedict Arnold, Rotary Club, and the names of several other persons and towns. He pointed out the effect which the name of each one had upon his own life as well as upon the lives of others. To Samuel Clemens, better known as Mark Twain, it meant honor, glory, and distinction; while the name of Benedict Arnold meant disgrace, disappointment and dishonor. There are names to live down, such as the name which the son of a dishonest man must live down. Then again, there are names to live up to, such as the grand name of Rotary Club or the name of a city or town. The name Rotary Club immediately presents the picture of an unselfish, thoughtful, altruistic organization which is founded on good Christian principles. In a final summary, Mr. Heaney stated that the name is the accumulation of the inclinations of each member, and each individual is the answer to the question.

Frank McMahon, chairman for the day, introduced the speaker.

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