

Being a Collection of Various Topics of Local and General Interest

Forty-sixth Year

Lowell, Michigan, June 16, 1938

No. 5

CONSRIPTING WEALTH

A BILL is before the U. S. Senate which would compel every one having net wealth of \$1000 or more to lend money to the government...

DEATH FROM THE AIR

OUT OF the clouds in the warring nations, come messages of death and horror to the non-combatants of cities. Women and children, old men and maidens lie slain by bombs falling in the streets, ghastly sacrifices to man's cruel hatreds.

SLEEPING ON THE HAY

AS SUMMER comes on a considerable number of married boys sleep in barns and on haystacks. Farmers and gardeners occasionally uncover these fellows when they feed their cattle.

COMPLAINING OF THE OWNER

PEOPLE who rent houses sometimes complain because the owner does not put in this or that improvement which they say is needed. They want the living room re-papered or a new floor put in a sleeping room.

THE SHORTAGE OF BRAINS

THERE IS a shortage of brains, according to an address delivered to a graduating class by a Boston pastor. He pointed out that there are not enough jobs to go around, hence young people would do better to cultivate some line where a shortage exists.

HOME TOWN THOUGHTS

Some people's idea of the science of publicity seems to be the art of getting advertising without paying for what it costs.

SUIT SPECIAL

A group of about 50 worsted suits reduced from \$25. Dork, medium and light shades, sport and regular models, to close at \$19.75.

New Ada Project Costing \$40,000 Starts This Month

Replaces Old Grade Separation

One of the oldest railroad grade separations in Kent county will be replaced this year through co-operation of the Kent county road commission and the Grand Trunk Railway Co. When the stone span at Ada is dismantled, the span was built some 80 years ago.

Along Main St.

A dashing young fellow named Tim drove his car with a great deal of vim. Said he: "Tim renowned for covering ground." But alas, now the ground covers him.

Maud Muller on a summer's day raked the meadow sweet with hay. There're other things she'd like to plant, but Mr. Wallace says she can't—Exchange.

The Lowell school bus will be glad to transport all boys who are planning to attend the Boy Scout camp, Manitowish. The bus will leave the school at 10:00 o'clock on Saturday morning.

Anyone desiring work may register his name at the Earl Kropp barber shop on West Main-st. without any obligation. Mr. Kropp is offering this service because of the demand for a place of business where farmers and business men might find men available for work by the day.

Said C. E. Gardner as he stopped by the Ledger office Tuesday morning to speak for a moment of Michigan's delightful climate: "Well, I've lived in this state 32 years and I have never frozen in winter, nor baked in summers, nor starved to death. Michigan has always been O. K. with me."

The stock and fixtures of the Hildey drug store have not as yet been sold as was reported on the street this week, although Mrs. D. O. Look who bid in the stock at the bankruptcy sale held recently and who owns the store building, reports that she has one or two parties who are interested in reopening the store.

Injuries received by Ira W. Enos, 74, of Grand Rapids in an automobile accident last Thursday morning on US-16 four miles west of the M-66 intersection proved fatal, for he passed away in Biogdett hospital Monday. Mr. Enos was a retired Pere Marquette engineer and at one time had two passenger trains coming to Lowell. He is survived by the widow and two daughters.

In his preliminary remarks at the Board of Trade banquet last Monday night, Bertram H. Brandt, the speaker of the evening, made the following interesting comment: "Driving through a town like Lowell, one is not aware of the diversified industries to be found there or of the large agricultural area it serves, but as I grow older, I grow more thankful for having been brought up in a series of such towns."

A two weeks' honeymoon came near having a fatal ending early last Saturday evening when the car driven by Harry Greenwood of Grand Rapids left the road on M-21, about five miles east of Lowell, and crashed into a culvert. He was accompanied by his bride of two weeks who was only slightly injured. Mr. Greenwood was taken to Biogdett hospital with a serious head injury. Some say the accident may have been caused by the blowing out of a tire.

It is reported that some members of the common council favor purchase by the village of the Pullen lots on Monroe-ave., until recently occupied by one of the town's early livery and feed barns, the site to be used as a parking space for people coming here to transact business. Looks like a good idea. If the village can afford it, it should also acquire the Macham property adjoining on the north, tear down the old house, which would give a whole half block for parking space.

Frank M. Newell and George A. Arheart of the Universal Metal Products Co. attended the convention of the National Insecticide and Disinfectant manufacturers held at Lake Wauwesa, Ind. We have been advised that Mr. Newell and Mr. Arheart, who entered into a horsehoe pitching contest at the convention, walked away with the honors. They won in both the doubles and singles. There were about fifty contestants. Both winners were awarded with beautiful prizes. It is gratifying to know that Lowell produces some real champs once in a while in a great game known as barnyard golf.

Strand Calendar

Thursday, June 16—"Back in Circulation". Pat O'Brien, Joan Joan Blondell and Margaret Lind-berg. Also Comedy, Jump, Chump, "Tummy", Cartoon, "Trip to Mars" and Community Sing.

Two New Buildings For County 4-H Fair

Project Expected to Start Next Tuesday and to Be Rushed to Completion; Rotary Club Sponsors Project

Village Clerk L. E. Johnson has received word that final official approval has been given to the WPA project whereby two buildings will be erected for use by Kent County 4-H Clubs in staging their annual fair. The project is being sponsored by the Lowell Rotary Club with the 4-H clubs raising money to finance the local share of the cost. It is estimated that the total cost of the project will be around \$6,000.

Two buildings will be erected on the seven acres of land on the western boundary of Recreation Park purchased by the village this spring. One of the buildings will serve as a cattle barn and will be 26x100 feet in size. It will accommodate sixty to seventy head of cattle, including calves, heifers and cows. The other building will house general exhibits of clothing, canning, handicraft, crops, flowers and commercial exhibits which were previously displayed in tents.

The exhibit building will be a new type of construction, 40x120 feet in size, with a round roof which will have no braces or supports. This building will fill the need for other types of exhibits, storage, and may be used for general community gatherings.

It is expected that construction on the project will start next Tuesday so that the buildings will be in readiness for this year's fair to be held August 24 and 25. The buildings are being erected in anticipation of future building needs and plans are being made to landscape the grounds, plant trees and provide permanent fair grounds.

Open Air Concerts Prove Enjoyable

A large crowd of people enjoyed the free open air concert at the Lowell depot, last Wednesday evening, sponsored by the Lowell Board of Trade with Bruce Walter directing the band. The music was of a high order and the applause was generous.

Big Farm Union Picnic And Rally Planned

Nearly one hundred Farm Union members from Ottawa, Allegan, and Kent Counties are planning a big annual Farmers Union picnic committee meeting on the evening of June 3 at Jenison, to lay plans for a greater and better Farm Union picnic and rally, to be held on August 6 at Johnson Park, Grandville.

CALENDAR of COMING EVENTS

The next Boy Scout troop meeting will be held Monday June 27, at the Recreation Park playground at four o'clock.

Gerald M. Henry Heads L.H.S. Alumni

Lowell high school alumni, numbering nearly 300, gathered in the high school auditorium last Friday evening for a banquet and dance. Roger McMahon officiated as toastmaster and introduced several of the alumni who made short speeches after which two hours of dancing were enjoyed by the crowd.

To Form Local V.F.W. Post Tuesday

Lowell overseas veterans will witness the institution of a Veterans of Foreign Wars post next Tuesday, June 21, in the club rooms of the Moose lodge. A considerably larger number of names have been received for the charter application than was anticipated.

Hey, Kids! All Aboard For Train Ride

In these days when a great many children never have had a train ride, the excursion arranged by the playground committee of the Lowell Board of Trade will prove to be a grand treat as well as a pleasant outing for the youngsters of the surrounding community.

Defines Salesmanship

Mr. Brandt pointed out that salesmanship is not confined to business as many imagine. Instead, everyone begins in infancy to practice it by crying to avoid punishment and smiling to win favors.

RESTAURATEURS MEET NEXT WEEK

The Michigan Restaurateurs will hold their convention in Grand Rapids next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, June 20, 21 and 22. Among other features of an elaborate entertainment program will be a tea served Tuesday at the Palace Dry Cleaners.

BOY SCOUTS TO ATTEND ANNUAL CAMP-O-REE

Boy Scouts from four counties of Western Michigan will converge in Grand Rapids next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, June 20, 21 and 22. Among other features of an elaborate entertainment program will be a tea served Tuesday at the Palace Dry Cleaners.

Consider the Other Person

Every proposal should be presented in terms of the other person, not in terms of the speaker. It is necessary to put the idea into effect—whether it involved the sale of merchandise, the employment of one's services or securing someone's company to attend a bridge party.

Welfare Control Big Issue Next November Election

McPherson Tells Points at Issue

One of the laws passed by the 1937 session of the State legislature was a measure known as the "Welfare Reorganization Act". This measure did not become operative however, because of a petition circulated and assigned by upwards of 130,000 citizens asking that the matter be submitted to a referendum of the people, same to be voted upon at the general election to be held next November.

Bertram H. Brandt Defines Salesmanship as the Acme of Effective Good Manners

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While delivering baked goods in a rural district near Wacousta, Charles Sanborn of Grand Ledge struck some loose gravel, and his car was turned over in a deep ditch. The driver was uninjured, although the car and baked goods were damaged. Strangely enough, nine dozen eggs which were part of his load, not one was broken.

Disatisfaction exists behind the Administration

Disatisfaction exists behind the Administration exists because of speeches by the President which are not referred to the agency in charge of the law or policy being discussed. A case in point was the tax speech at Arthurdale, W. Va., which Treasury officials did not see until it appeared in print. Senator Harrison (Dem.), of Mississippi, later pointed out mistakes it contained.

Interesting Talk On European Farming

E. B. Hill, professor of Farm Management at Michigan State College, was the speaker at the regular Wednesday noon luncheon of Lowell Rotary Club. Speaking about European agriculture, Mr. Hill told that the main characteristic of the European farmers is that they all practice cooperation in their efforts to obtain substantial government subsidies and fixed prices.

Enjoyable Occasion

The meeting was held at the Keene Grange hall with upwards of 100 members and ladies of the local business places were in attendance. The supper was served by the ladies of the Grange and the refills of dishes evidenced the goodness and pleasure derived therefrom.

Brief Paragraphs of News and Information on a Variety of Topics

President Roosevelt expressed amazement over a study by a Government economist of new orders received by steel companies which showed that nearly three quarters of those orders are for Government work of one sort or another.

A high public official is embarrassed by the fact that a cement company in which he has a controlling interest is among the companies refusing to bid on Government contracts under the new rules designed to force price competition.

While driving in the country recently, William Looney of Iron River was surprised to see a farmer calmly plowing a roadside field with a home-made plow drawn by a single steer. The scene resembled a method of agriculture now long past.

Forty-two percent of the highway-rail crossing accidents in Michigan last year was due to motorists driving into the sides of trains. The Michigan Railroads Association has reported in an appeal to the motorist to "do his part in preventing crossing crashes."

James A. Farley has scouts out looking for more likely candidates to represent the New Deal in forthcoming primaries for national and state offices in opposition to officeholders who have sought to obstruct the President. The idea is that something might be gained by this policy and nothing can be lost.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McKay of Allegan were awakened from a sound sleep by the ringing of their dinner bell. On arising to greet the late-hour visitors, the McKay's found a pair of horses sleeping in the parlor.

The Administration contemplates supporting moves in the next Congress to increase the responsibility of labor unions. The committee going to England for the President is expected to return a report advocating controls not unlike those in force there. Nothing official will be said about the possibilities until after the November elections.

Whether we sell merchandise, teach school or apply for jobs, those fundamentals are applicable. We practise them to some extent, consciously or unconsciously. And fortunately, all of life's situations do not require detailed analysis. There are plenty of diplomatic short-cuts—the happy phrase, the appropriate story, a smiling nod or a nod.

Four General Groups The skilled salesman knows that people tend to divide themselves into four general groups. The nervous-sensitive type; disagreeable-skeptical; cautious; commonsense-openminded. He recognizes them quickly and adjusts himself accordingly.

Selecting a road grader at CCC Camp Cus-neer. Munising as a place to build a nest, a mother robin and her four eggs are threatening something of a road problem. The robin built the nest while CCC enrollees were painting the grader. The painting job and the nest building were completed at about the same time. Four eggs laid since have further complicated the situation.

In England, Mr. Hill stated the farmers receive \$228 subsidies on first quality beef per cow, that they are guaranteed a price of \$127 on wheat, and the government will pay half the cost of the fertilizer. In Holland, Germany and Italy, where he visited, Mr. Hill found that in each country the prices were fixed on farm products. In Germany the farmers grow a strip of flax in their fields and present it to Hitler as a gift. In Italy he said which is only twice the size of Michigan with ten times the population, the farms are crowded and small with a poor outlook for the people because of the high taxes to carry on wars.

Mr. Hill stated that soil conservation has been practiced for many generations in the countries mentioned and also explained why it was that fixing prices could be carried out more successfully in these countries than in the United States, mainly due to the fact that the agricultural output across the seas is limited.

Mr. Hill spoke of the fine qualities of the rank and file of the people in all of the countries visited and concluded by saying that we of America should appreciate and guard zealously the liberties enjoyed under the Stars and Stripes. The speaker was introduced by Dana McPherson, program chairman for the day. Guests present included David French of Middleville, Adelbert Odell and Glendon Swarthout.

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A SOUND DOCTRINE
Every governmental official or board that handles public money should publish at regular intervals an accounting of it, showing where and how each dollar is spent. We hold this to be a fundamental principle of domestic government.

The DOCTOR
C. V. R. Applebrough, M.D.

True Friendship
Dr. J. H. Franks once said that a man had but three friends—an old wife, an old dog and money. Has he lived in the present age and known the story I am about to tell, I am positive that the philosophical writer would have added other names to those he listed as true friends and he would be old neighbors.

The respiratory system, the chief organ which are the lungs, the arteries and the veins, that absorb oxygen into the blood, and the amount of air which an individual needs varies from time to time and to a great extent is controlled by muscular activity. For example, if we indulge in the present age and know the story I am about to tell, I am positive that the philosophical writer would have added other names to those he listed as true friends and he would be old neighbors.

MODERN WOMEN
EARLENE WHITE
President of the Michigan Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, Inc.

Artificial Respiration
At Childsford, England, a recently died woman was kept alive for a little more than four years by artificial respiration—breath was made for her by means other than normal. In 1931 he found it difficult to breathe, and he was kept alive by artificial respiration in order that he might be able to work.

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Ledger Entries

A Real Sign of Summer!

PHOTO LAUGHS
with
IRVIN S. COBB
Photos by M. U. Blumenthal

JANE WITHERS
and a Huckleberry Pie
Meet Head On, But
Jane Is Match
for Enema

When business is below normal, it is customary to say that business lacks confidence. Is that the fault of the people who carry on business, or of the public who patronize them? The latter is the more reasonable question to ask.

When flowering shrubs have ceased their blooming don't forget to cut off their faded blossoms. This is an important cultural fact often overlooked by the average gardener. The reason for this is that the energy which is expended in making new buds for the next season is used up in carrying on business.

No. 1: Little Jane Withers and a big huckleberry pie, in the order named. Both contestants are the ring in excellent shape. Jane has a little edge in science and speed, but the pie weighed in at top fighting form.

FARM SURPLUS PROBLEM
The surplus problem has become an intractable one for the farmer. The surplus of farm products is now in excess of \$1 billion dollars a year.

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Over 600

Yes, that's right, over 600 new policies were issued by the State Mutual Fire Insurance Co. of Michigan during the month of May, and the present month of June bids fair to equal if not exceed this figure.

W. A. Roth
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Prompt, Careful Ambulance Service
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We will serve your dinners or luncheons in our private dining room and save you the cost of a restaurant.

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Hickory Hollow
Mrs. Mary Rickert

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Mrs. M. Vandergragt

Spring Hill-East Ada
Mrs. Earl Votberg

So. Keene-No. Boston
Mrs. Ed. Peter

McCord's Matters
Mrs. R. T. Williams

Every Day . . . in Michigan . . .
5 People Are KILLED
in Auto Accidents
... You May Be Next!

JOE GISH
A Good Time to Think

But It's True

Dr. G. T. Pankhurst

Some People Barely

Low State

Standard Red Crown

Ray Covert

This and That From Around the Old Town

Fudge
lb. 15c

H. C. Scott
Hand-Made
Candles

Lowell Center
Clara B. Aldrich

Fallaugh & Vicinity
Mrs. Wesley Miller

Keene Breezes
Mrs. A. Lee

South Boston
Ida Bulek Young

Lowell Dist. No. 5
Mrs. J. P. Needham

Ware District
K. M. S.

Kidnap Attempt Falls

Anti-War Signs At White House

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Summer Specials

Slacks
Sanforized Flannel-tones, Gabardines, Cords and Twills. Dark, medium and light colors, bleated and plain. Tans, grays, greens and browns.

Gabardine Bush Jackets
To wear with slacks. Natural and brown. A classy garment for summer sport wear.

Congo Cloth Ties, \$1
From Wilson Brothers. Wedge-loke construction, cool looking, tie marvelously and smart as a whip.

Sport Shoes \$2.95-\$3.95
White bucks and calskins. Gray two-tones, black and white and tan and white. Arch supported, some with crepe soles. Guaranteed service.

Suits \$19.75
A group of about 50 medium weight pure worsted suits reduced from \$25 for quick selling. We have too many. Dark, medium and light colors, sport and plain models.

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ALTO DEPARTMENT (Mrs. Fred Pattison) Alto Branch of Kent Co. Library

Ray Linton is having his home remodeled, John Timpon is moving his home with a new garage...

Attending Ball Game Probably the oldest "ball" to be played in Grand Rapids...

Garden Club Meeting The Alto Garden Club met on Tuesday afternoon at the pleasant home of Mrs. Glen Yetter...

Children's Day Exercises The M. E. Church was well filled on Sunday afternoon with the exercises in charge of Madeline F. S. Kinney...

Whitelyville Mrs. Edwin Flynn The community prayer meeting will be held at the Clinton Thomas home...

Campau Lake Mrs. E. H. Hurd Mr. and Mrs. Betsy of Grand Rapids called on Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilson...

THIRTY McNIFTY says: HERE'S A LONG MILEAGE TIRE THAT DONA LEAVE YA SHORT OF CASH!

Goodrich Factory Fresh Commanders 'AMERICA'S THRIFT TIRE' Heim's Texaco Sta.

ADA DEPARTMENT (Mrs. Hattie R. Pritch) Ada Locals

Grand Rapids accomplished Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Curtis to Saranac Monday evening...

Ada Locals Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Whitte, Mrs. M. M. Spaulding and James Farnum...

Noxious Weed Notice To owners, possessors or occupants of any premises...

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Michigan Mirror by ORNE ALLEMAN Michigan Press Association

Michigan Mirror (Continued) "In there much activity in real estate around the capital city?"

Plumbing, Heating, Electric Pumps, Stoves, Glass, Roofing and Sheet Metal

Elmdale Mrs. Ira Sargent Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lott and Mr. and Mrs. Mayford Haven attended the Heaver family reunion...

KROGER FLOUR 2 1/2-lb. sack 55c KING'S SINCERITY FLOUR 2 1/2-lb. sack 55c

COUNTRY CLUB FLOUR 2 1/2-lb. sack 75c TOMATOES REPE 4 No. 2 25c BLUE BOP 5 lb. 25c

FRESH BUTTER MICHIGAN 2 lb. 53c SPOTLIGHT COFFEE 1/2 lb. 15c RICE BLUE ROSE 4 bulk 15c

FEEDS SOAP, etc. Feed 100-lb. bag \$1.59 Fols 6 bars 25c

NORMANDIE CRYSTAL TABLE SERVICE (4 PIECE) only 19c FRENCH BRAND COFFEE 1 lb. bag 19c

STEAK ROUND or SIRLOIN lb. 29c C. Q. BEEF ARMOUR'S STAR - SLICED

VEAL SHOULDER ROAST lb. 17c CANTALOUPE each 15c

POTATOES COBBLES 15 pk. 33c Annual Annapolis Parade

ADA OIL COMPANY, Distributors Ada, Michigan

LOWELL CREAMERY A Message from the LOWELL CREAMERY Ladies, OUR BUTTERMILK is Excellent for drinking and baking.

LOWELL CREAMERY E. A. Compagner, Proprietor

Alton - Vergennes Mrs. Clyde Congdon Clair Weeks spent last week with his cousins near Tasker...

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FOR 25c SALE Better Grade, Popular Priced Canned Foods

CALIFORNIA SHAFTER NEW POTATOES 15-lb. peck U.S. No. 1 A Grade 39c

PEACHES Yellow Cling Sliced or Halves large 20c

CORN EXTRA 3 No. 2 23c CORN SPECIAL 3 No. 2 23c

PURE EGG NOODLES lb. 14c Pure Strained Honey 16-oz. jar 17c

LOWELL MARKET REPORT Corrected June 16, 1938

Watch Your Kidneys! Help Them Cleanse the Blood

WILLIAM MACLEOD RAINES' To Ride the River With... W.M. MACLEOD RAINES WHU SERVICE

CHAPTER I.—The story of William Macleod Raines' adventures on the river, starting with a boat that was built for him by his father...

CHAPTER II.—Two days later Ruth tells her father that she is not coming back with him to the river...

CHAPTER III.—Ruth tells her father that she is not coming back with him to the river...

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PUBLIC NOTICES State of Michigan. The Circuit Court for the County of Kent...

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE State of Michigan. The Circuit Court for the County of Kent...

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS State of Michigan. The Circuit Court for the County of Kent...

20,000 Peeping Chicks For State's Institutional Farms South Bennie Pardee

Part of total shipment of 20,000 chicks to 15 of the state's 16 institutional farms engaged in the raising of poultry...

DEAD ANIMALS COST MONEY... Worm-Cides, Killalls, Sheeps, Hogs, Poultry, Dogs...

500,000 Cows Fill Milk Pails... Milk production and quality statistics for Michigan...

Dr. L. D. Benedict Oculopathic Physician of Ionia, will visit Lowell...

Church News ZION M. E. CHURCH... Sunday School, Prayer Meeting, and other church activities...

West Vergennes D. G. Krum... Church services and community events...

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APPRAISE! FROM MEN THROUGHOUT THE NATION... Underwear advertisement with illustrations of men in various outfits.

STAR CORNERS Mrs. Ira Borchers... North Campbell Mrs. S. Drew... Harris Creek Mrs. Basil R. Vreeland...

West Vergennes D. G. Krum... Church services and community events...

West Vergennes D. G. Krum... Church services and community events...

WINS NATIONAL SPELLING BEE... Advertisement for a spelling bee event, including details about prizes and dates.

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More Local News

Mrs. R. K. Wescott of Almont, Mich., spent last Friday with Jennie K. Berry.

Don Parker and family of Ionia were Wednesday evening callers at the C. L. F. Williamson home.

Mrs. Edwin Fallas and the Misses Inez and Idabelle Rutherford spent Monday in Detroit visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank West of Detroit have been spending several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred West.

Clark Morse, Thelma Folkersma and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Folkersma and family of Kalamazoo spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Morse.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Ford were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Archib. Condon. Evening guests were Mr. and Mrs. Milton Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Schultz of Grand Rapids and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Condon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pinkney and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Daniels of Keene were Saturday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. F. Williamson.

Of interest to older Lowell residents is the death of Dennis J. Talbot, 69, in Grand Rapids. Mr. Talbot was a resident of Lowell some forty years ago.

Giles Sinclair and Laura Lewis of Lowell and Leonard Vader and Mabel McGann of Ada will graduate in the 1938 class from Western State Teachers College, Kalamazoo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Anderson spent a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Burch at Rockford and attended the funeral of their nephew, James E. Anderson of Oakfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Fallas of Los Angeles, Calif., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rutherford on Thursday. Clare is a former Lowell boy and attended school here.

Cars driven by Alva Peet, Alton and Roland Wilson sideswiped each other on the Fallsburg Park road Saturday night about 11:30. Both cars were damaged but no one in the cars was hurt. The accident was investigated by Deputy Frank Stephens.

Fifty years ago this month on the seventh, Katie Blaser came here from Switzerland and on the 14th married Chris Blaser. They lived on the same farm at Alton until 1916 when they retired to Lowell. Mr. Blaser passed away in 1933. Mrs. Blaser, 72 years old, is a great lover of flowers and gardens and tends them herself. She belongs to and has attended the German Methodist church since 1889.—Alton-Vergennes Cor.

Wm. T. Condon has not been so well and is not able to leave his bed much.

Mesdames Melville B. McPherson, Lawrence W. Rutherford and Ernest H. Roth attended a D. A. R. luncheon at the Kent County Club last week Thursday. Dr. Edward Howard Griggs spoke on the "Philosophy of Life for the Present Age." In the afternoon the ladies attended a tea held in the garden of Mrs. E. C. Edwards on Plymouth Road.

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Social Events

Slager—West
 Ruth West, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred West, became the bride of William Slager, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Slager, at a ceremony solemnized at 2 o'clock Saturday, June 11, at the home of the bride's parents.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, Fred West. The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Emo Ausema, pastor of Ada Community Reformed Church. The bride wore a pink crepe gown and carried a bouquet of roses and sweet peas. Betty Weirenga, sister of the groom, attended the bride. Miss Weirenga wore a blue flowered chiffon gown and carried a bouquet of roses and snapdragons. George Weirenga was best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held for 25 guests. Many beautiful gifts were received. Immediately following, the happy couple left on a honeymoon trip in the Upper Peninsula.

Mr. and Mrs. Slager will be at home in Ada after July 1.

Celebrates 80th Birthday
 Mrs. Anna Yardley held open house Sunday in honor of her mother, Mrs. Lovisa Ridgway, who was celebrating her 80th birthday. Mrs. Ridgway has nine living children, 34 grandchildren and 32 great grandchildren. Those entertained for dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ridgway and son of Sparta, Mrs. Oma Shear, daughter of Ethyl and son D. J. of Whites Bridge, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. LaBrecque, Mr. and Mrs. Oris Ridgway of Grand Rapids and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry DeVine and daughter. Mrs. Ridgway received many lovely and useful gifts.

Friends of 40 Years Wed
 Of interest locally is the wedding ceremony performed yesterday (Wednesday) at Lake Odessa, uniting in marriage Miss Lola L. Goddard, 67, of Lake Odessa, and George H. Cheetham, 78, of Lowell. The two have been friends for more than forty years. Both were born in Ionia county, Mr. Cheetham near the Kent county line in Boston-twp., and Miss Goddard in Sebawa-twp., on a farm owned by her grandfather, who settled in Ionia county in 1842.

Shower for Recent Bride
 Mrs. Alice Ridgway entertained at her home with a miscellaneous shower last Friday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith. Games were played and refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Many beautiful and useful gifts were received by Carl and Lovisa.

Social Brevities
 The Book Forum met with Mrs. Theron Richmond Wednesday evening. Mrs. Dorothy Kleefisch reviewed "Nobody's In Town" by Edna Ferber.

Family Reunions
 Seventh annual Blakeslee reunion, St. Johns park, June 28. Eighteenth annual Thomas reunion, home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smith, June 28.

Garden Lore Club
 The Garden Lore Club held a tea and plant sale at the pleasant home of Mrs. N. E. Borgerson on June 7. The business meeting was called to order by the club president, Mrs. R. Mill. Minutes were read by the secretary, Mrs. E. Foreman. Mrs. H. L. Weekes, chairman of the project committee, gave a report of their meeting with the Lowell Improvement Committee in regard to the two gateway pillars which are to be erected at the village limits on M-21 in the near future. After the business meeting the club adjourned to the garden, beautiful in the many hued Iris in full bloom. Paul Borton pleased with his music on mouthorgan and guitar.

The plant sale was under the supervision of Mrs. M. B. McPherson, and they were quickly disposed of. Tea, dainty cakes and sandwiches were served in the dining room, from a prettily arranged table. Tea was prepared by Mrs. H. Peckham. Committees for the day were Mesdames F. Scoville, W. Smith, E. Carr, T. Anderson, H. Peckham and H. Englehardt.

BIRTHS
 To Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones of Ionia, formerly of Lowell, a daughter, Sandra Carol, Saturday, June 11.
 Ledger want ads are noted for results.

Father of Father's Day

Here is Harry C. Meek of Chicago, credited as the originator of Father's Day, celebrated throughout the United States June 18. Meek started the movement in 1910. He has testimonial letters from Presidents Harding and Coolidge, thanking him for making possible a day honoring the fathers of America.

How to Tan Rabbit Skins
 The following method is suitable for tanning rabbit skins: First remove fat and flesh from the skin, then cover the flesh side with salt and allow to stand three or four days in a fairly cool place to dry out. Make a tanning solution of four pounds of salt and five gallons of water in a wooden tub, adding carefully two fluid ounces of sulphuric acid. Allow the skin to remain in this for one to three weeks, then rinse and dry in a shady place. Work and stretch the skin to make it pliable and rub in a little neats-foot oil. Be careful that sulphuric acid does not splash as it will burn the hands.

How Long Buried Iron Lasts.
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How to Kill Meat Odor
 To counteract the rather strong flavor many persons find objectionable in roast leg of lamb or mutton, squeeze the juice of half a fresh lemon over the meat before seasoning and roasting. Others prefer to rub the roast with a cut clove of garlic before baking. Another way is to make tiny incisions here and there in the fat and tuck in sprigs of parsley.

How Screen Lighting is Produced
 One method of reproducing lighting on the screen is by a machine resembling a stationary donkey engine, which feeds a mixture of magnesium and corncornstarch into an intermittent flame in a hopper. The magnesium flashes and the corncornstarch gives the flame body and makes it last long enough to register properly.

How to Use Paraffin
 Paraffin used for sealing jellies should be "smoking" hot, since it sterilizes as well as seals. Tilt the glass in order that the melted paraffin may form a seal around the side of the glass as well as a covering for the top.

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