

Being a Collection of Various Topics of Local and General Interest

FIFTIETH YEAR

LOWELL, MICHIGAN, OCTOBER 1, 1942

No. 21



By K. K. Vining

Hybrid Corn Meetings

The two hybrid corn test plots in Kent county will be checked and harvested on Wednesday and Thursday, October 7 and 8.

Can Beat the Weather Man

Another bean harvest is underway and combined with rainy weather as it was in 1941.

New Ag. Council To Serve L.H.S.

Purpose Is to Advance Agricultural Area

A new Agricultural Council to serve Lowell High school agricultural department has been selected.

So. Boston Grange Plans Busy Month

The local grange has completed plans for a very busy month of October.

News of Our Boys With the U. S. Flag

Another address just received is the following: Pvt. Lester Stauffer, Med. Det., V. A. F. S., Victorville, Calif.

John T. Jones of Lowell has been promoted to the rank of Corporal John would like to hear from friends.

Pvt. Gordon Ridgway, who left Lowell a short time ago, is at present in Victorville, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Acheson received a telegram from their son P. F. C. Roland Acheson who is somewhere in Australia.

Editor's Note—Items of news regarding our boys in the armed services will be found each week in the news letters from many of the Ledger's correspondents.

Lowell Grid Team Making Good Start

The Lowell high school football team has made a good start this season by winning the first two pre-conference games.

The second game was played at Ionia on September 25. Lowell scored first and shortly afterwards Ionia intercepted a pass which set up their score.

Farm Machinery Now Rationed

Material normally used in making farm machinery has been drastically curtailed due to military requirements.

Auction Sales

Leslie Strouse, Saturday, Oct. 10 In order to reduce farming operations Leslie Strouse, will sell horses, cows, heifers, bulls and other livestock.

Former Lowell Resident Died in Grand Rapids

Mrs. Charles Birt, 66 years old, died in Grand Rapids Sunday. She was Riza Morse, daughter of Peter and Adelaide Morse, formerly of Lowell.

Users Well Water

All citizens of the village of Lowell who use private wells are hereby notified that such wells should be tested at frequent intervals as a health measure.

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40th Wedding Anniversary, October 4



Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Schwab of Boston-tp. will celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary on Sunday, October 4.

Important Meeting Board of Trade

President Henry Weaver of the Lowell Board of Trade announces that the Board will sponsor a Retailers' Clinic on Wednesday, Sept. 23.

Motion Pictures Free to Public

Sound moving pictures that will prove of great interest to all citizens of the community will be shown next Tuesday night, Oct. 6.

Vergennes Resident Laid to Rest Monday

Mrs. Margaret Verlin, aged 75, passed away last week Thursday morning at the residence in Vergennes township.

Leather Jackets for Men

Suedes and capekins, first quality, button or zipper styles, belted models, long coats or blouses, flannel or celanese linings, \$7.45 to \$15.00.

Menitt Act Distribution

Michigan counties were vouchered another \$2,000,000 this week from gas tax collections.

Great Army of Boys and Girls To Fight Enemy

To Collect the Materials of Which the Tanks, Guns, Ships and Planes Are Made for Our Fighting Men Everywhere

The boys and girls of Lowell and of Kent county are part of a National Junior Army which on October 5 will begin a great attack.

Last Ditch Fighters

JOSEPH C. GREW, former ambassador to Japan, says the Japs will fight until they are utterly crushed.

Victory from the Air

MANY AUTHORITIES feel that it is possible by devastating air raids, to so pulverize the production of Germany that that country can be largely beaten by air power.

MSC Prints Plan of Fruit Storage

Michigan growers who lack storage or refrigeration space for fruits, vegetables or flowers as a wartime and permanent economy can obtain copies of a new and simple design for low-cost construction of an insulated storage building.

Making Friends

PEOPLE sometimes complain that they have too few friends in their home town.

Home Town Thoughts

It takes energy to build up a business or support a family. So it takes energy to build up a community.



The grounds surrounding the Gateway Markers at the east and west village limits have been the cause of much favorable comment throughout the past summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McMahon and Roger McMahon returned Monday night from a brief trip to California, where they visited Bruce McMahon, a naval cadet in the Army Corps.

Extensive improvements are nearing completion at the local Kroger store. The main partition has been moved back providing 16 feet of additional floor space.

W. V. Burras, president of the State Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Michigan, was elected a director of the National Mutual Association at the national convention held last week in Chicago.

M. P. Brindle, Chief Radman of the United States Navy, arrived in Lowell Tuesday afternoon. He has been stationed in Pago Pago, American Samoa for the past eighteen months.

A 35-miles-an-hour speed limit became effective at midnight Wednesday on Michigan streets and highways, decreed by Governor VanWagoner in a state-of-emergency proclamation.

Out of the frying pans of patriotic American women came enough waste fats during July, August and the first week of September to provide the glycerine for 11,300,000 anti-aircraft shells.

Jokes, jests, jibes and jabs just by Jeff: A specialist can get his patients to be sick during office hours, but the family doctor who is a general practitioner gets them at any time.

The Business News

It is customary to divide the contents of a newspaper into two classes, the news columns and the advertising. Actually they should all be under one classification.

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Happy Occasion Marks Start of New Club Year

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Controlling Potato Blight

Wet weather has brought late potato blight in potatoes to Kent county for the fourth time in five years.

4-H Motion Picture

4-H Conservation Clubs are having a motion picture made in color of their activities.

Rural School Hours

Kent County School Commissioner Lynn H. Clark makes the following recommendation regarding rural school hours:

Tax Collection Notice

The Village council has granted an extension of my tax roll to and including October 19th.

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Auto News

Our professional services are rendered with reverence for the departed and consideration for those who remain.

HANER Funeral Home Lowell

SOUTH SIDE—SEGWIN Mrs. Charles Young Mrs. Clarence McIntyre

Bernice Mullen left Monday for Ann Arbor and with Virginia and Betty Young went to Plymouth...

Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Burke of Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Burke Kenyon of Ypsilanti...

Mr. Harold Graham called on Mrs. and Mrs. Lawrence Gephart in Grand Rapids...

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moore and Mrs. Kenney spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Boyd...

Gene Wirtz of Ionia spent Sunday at the Clyde Mullen home.

James Tudor gave a surprise birthday party for his father at the home of his parents here last Saturday evening...

Erma Jean Betts, who has been studying with the Western Union at Crawfordville, Ind., was very much surprised last week-end to meet her brother Leo in Chicago...

Miss E. A. Watson returned from Petoskey Monday where she has been spending day-leave sessions with her sister, Miss E. A. Watson...

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Laphan of Grand Rapids were in town Saturday afternoon with their daughter, Mrs. E. A. Watson...

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Feuerstein and Mrs. Seymour Dalstra and Mrs. E. A. Watson returned from Petoskey Monday where she has been spending day-leave sessions...

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Church News

ZION METHODIST CHURCH Mrs. Ethel Yetter

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gephart

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

St. Patrick's—Parish Rev. Fr. McNeil, Pastor

St. Joseph's—Parish Rev. Fr. McNeil, Pastor

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Our Armed Forces

Appeals are made to American people to make their rifles, colliers, woodchips, stores, houses, and all places where they have waste material...

ADA COMMUNITY REFORMED CHURCH H. E. Gilmore, Pastor

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Useable Cash for Used Stoves and Guns—Advertise Now

Indian Summer Is Just Another Good WANT AD Trading Time

WANT ADS—For Sale, For Rent, Help Wanted, Miscellaneous

COOK Plumbing and Heating Sheet Metal Work

LOWELL MARKET REPORT

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Wool-Like Rayon Jersey Is The College Girls' Favorite

By CHERIE NICHOLAS

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Approved Leadership!

Typical Newspaper Comment on Harry F. Kelly's Public Service

"Harry Kelly has all the qualifications as we see it to render the finest of service to the State. He is of proven honesty—an advocate of economy in Government."

"... Mr. Kelly confirmed our opinion of him as top-shelf gubernatorial material."

"He is like Harry Kelly because he is so open and frank about everything—his affairs and his aims. He feels that his office is a public trust."

"Mr. Kelly has done a good job in bringing economy into the operation of the State Government."

"His official record is of the very best and his familiarity with state affairs undoubted."

"It has been an aggressive champion of thorough Michigan preparedness in civilian defense."

"HARRY F. KELLY Republican Candidate for Governor"

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U.S. WAR BONDS

Special meetings will be held in Logan and vicinity. He and wife have six children and one son in the U. S. Army.

Frank Martin has one of his fingers in a cast at present caused by his falling last Wednesday while working on truck. It was found the ankle bone was fractured.

QUICK RELIEF FROM Stomach Ulcers

Stomach ulcers are a common ailment. They cause pain, discomfort, and sometimes serious complications. The good news is that they can be treated effectively.

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

A flying P-51 is America's air fleet with heavy armor plating. It is a symbol of American military power and a source of pride for all citizens.

FOR VICTORY BUY UNITED STATES WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

Buy United States War Bonds and Stamps. Help finance the war effort and ensure victory over our enemies.

THE CALL TO THE COLORS! IS A CALL FOR DOLLARS

Go to your bank, post office, or savings and loan association. Tell them you want to buy Defense Bonds regularly, starting now.

MAIL SOLDIERS' XMAS GIFTS BEFORE NOVEMBER 1

Read the Rules. The following rules issued by the Postoffice Department in cooperation with the Army Postal Service of the War Department apply to the mailing of Christmas parcels for members of our Armed Forces serving outside the continental limits of the United States.

Lighted Windows

by EMILIE LORING

CHAPTER I—Bruce Harcourt, Albin engineer on a rare visit to New York from a larger office in the city of 57th avenue. He is having the most magnificent time of his life. He is a man as necessary for the camp. He is a man as necessary for the camp. He is a man as necessary for the camp.

CHAPTER II—The same old which brings Mr. and Mrs. Hale back to the city. The same old which brings Mr. and Mrs. Hale back to the city. The same old which brings Mr. and Mrs. Hale back to the city.

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CHAPTER IV—Bruce determined James had been or still masquerading as a man. Millicent Hale tells Bruce she has determined to have Hale. James tells Bruce she left Ned Paxton when she went out with a seductive woman and was pregnant about it.

CHAPTER V—It was then, said James, the moment when he saw the secretary in the office. He had looked for the woman who had been in the office. He had looked for the woman who had been in the office.

CHAPTER VI—James Chester, Mrs. Hale's brother, who claims to be a former with James for visiting Hale. Edwina, James' daughter, the factor cat and three of it at a bunch of babies. The cat is believed an ill content. James tries to rescue it and is barely saved from the dog named by Bruce.

CHAPTER VII—Bruce tells James his decision to send her away. Bruce would try another plan. That evening to address her as "dear," Bruce would try another plan. That evening to address her as "dear," Bruce would try another plan.

CHAPTER VIII—In the city, filed with news, that had been heard of the woman who had been in the office. He had looked for the woman who had been in the office. He had looked for the woman who had been in the office.

CHAPTER IX—The Commissioner showed symptoms of apoplexy. "You could be called for holding back testimony," Marsha Samp bristled. "Sakes alive, could I because I waited for Mr. Hale to tell herself. She's been a loyal wife. She's been through hell without whimpering. When she got to thinking she's straight things out. The world's just bubbling with stories of man's loyalty to man, but there isn't so much said about woman's loyalty to woman, as I'm telling her tell her own story was my idea of loyalty to her."

"All you little doughboys come and get your chow!" The ringing call of the bugle pierced Bruce Harcourt's absorption as he left the camp cabin. Would he find Janice at the office, or would she have gone to lunch? She had slipped away directly after the Commissioner had pronounced a verdict of accidental shooting. Paxton, immaculately attired with deep lines of exhaustion about his eyes and an apparent stiffness in every joint had come in, had announced an afternoon departure. He had offered to take anyone who wanted to go back to the States. Millicent had been tearfully eager to get away. Malory advised expert surgical treatment for Jimmy Chester, the Commissioner had decided to send his deputy back by plane and return himself by water.

Janice was hooding her typewriter as he entered the office. Her cheeks still wore faint pink evidence of Blot's mercurial temperment, but her eyes and smile were radiant. "Now that the cyclone of excitement has passed over, I hope to accomplish something," she said. Harcourt picked up a letter from his desk. "This is Alaska. You mustn't expect me here to be like life in New York. It's a different story in this wilderness."

"Not such a wilderness when you're in flying distance one may buy roses and mandarin coats," she took a step toward him. "Tubby told me that you thought that gorgeous coat for me, Bruce. I love it." The tenderness of her voice almost smothered his self-control. He said curtly: "Patton's yacht goes out this afternoon with Mrs. Hale, Chester and the Commissioner's chauffeur. I want you to go with them."

"Two days ago I would not have permitted it, but he has proved himself trustworthy. This letter is from your brother Billy. I wrote him after I discovered the identity of Jimmy's lover. I've told you before that I will not let you spend a winter here. As soon as I can get leave I will join you and we'll visit, but what I'd be packing for Billy to meet the yacht at Seattle."

"Just like that?" Her eyes were brilliant with anger, he could see her throat contract. "You needn't trouble to cable Billy. I'm not going. Tubby Grant hired me to work for the outside. You talk about going back as though it were as simple as setting out for dinner and dance. How am I to earn my living when I get to the States? I isn't so easy to pick up a job. Perhaps you think I'll live on my brother. Absolutely not!"

"That whitens your face, doesn't it?" You can have her now. Better go along in the yacht yourself and start annual proceedings. Once you told me that when you mustered back behind the dog-team and saw the H house through the falling snow, it seemed like coming home, although you knew that only a husky and a house-boy waited for you behind those lighted windows. I had thought that next winter you might be glad to find me there too. My mistake."

"The picture she conjured of her lovely self waiting for him to come in through the maze-filled darkness set Harcourt's blood afire. With all his strength he restrained her charm. "That means that you will go this afternoon!" She caught her lips between her teeth. From the threshold she defied him. "Tubby! I'll go, but only on the H house. Now that the one person to be impressed by convention is leaving—I will return to Argus of the Hundred Eyes and Miss Mary. They'll be glad to have me back with them." Great pushed open the door. "Thank heaven, you've come, Tubby. You almost lost your secretary. Your superior officer was giving her notice. Don't rattle up like turkey-cock. She wouldn't accept it. The door closed behind her before Grant emerged from a stupor of surprise.

"New orders for us came by plane this morning. No bridge-building this winter. Retrenchment all along the line. We are to push the tracks from here south while the weather holds—the Crowned Heads are all excited about pop-wood possibilities—then keep the repair shops at headquarters humming till spring." "Headquarters for us all, Janice will be crossing the winter here. We'll teach her to pilot, to handle a dog-team." Harcourt crossed to his desk. "I want her to go out on Patton's boat with the others this afternoon."

"Says you!" The words bubbled with indignation. "What'll she do for a job when she gets there? I happen to know that her capital is fifty dollars besides what she has saved of her pay." "Do you think I can't support my wife?" "Maybe so, maybe so, but I can't see her taking money from a man who returns her as stolidly as she does an unsatisfactory pair of shoes." "Tubby!" "It's true, isn't it? Why do you look red and glare at me? Granted you're a word of an engineer, as a married man you're a total loss. Isn't he? Miss Marsha?" she demanded, as the elder Miss Samp entered the office. "Isn't he what I heard you about, Mr. Tubby, as I came from Mr. Hale's cabin—his pretty rear packed away—deposited in a

PUBLIC NOTICES

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Kent, do hereby certify that the will of Grand Ole, late of the County of Kent, Michigan, deceased, was admitted to probate on the 21st day of September, A. D. 1935. Probate Judge JOHN DALTON, Judge of Probate.

It is further ordered, that public notice be given to all persons claiming an interest in said estate, to appear before the court on the 15th day of November, A. D. 1936, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the examination and adjustment of all claims against said estate.

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INDUSTRY AND BUSINESS

Every American knows that the manufacture of automobiles has ceased for the duration of the war. The great automobile industry which in 1930 produced and sold more than 3 1/2 million cars, has been re-tooled to produce airplanes, guns, tanks and munitions of war. These will these companies get the money necessary to reume the manufacture of automobiles when the war is ended?

The automobile industry happens to be important and there are thousands of smaller industries which will also face the same problem. What will the millions of workers do when the demand for war machines stops?

What will happen to the domestic market for farm products when those millions of war workers no longer have jobs? The stage seems set for an even worse depression after World War II unless right now we start to plan ahead for the peace.

It is interesting to learn that Congress is now considering some plan to preserve at least to some extent, after-the-war depression.

War Profits for Peace-Time Recovery. The best plan seems to contemplate the dedication of a portion of war profits for the purpose of providing industry with the raw materials and to provide a market for the surplus of the war.

Such a plan would build, at the rate of about a billion dollars a year, a huge reserve reserve to be used to purchase surplus war goods and to provide a market for the surplus of the war.

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THE CORN YOU BUY

With hybrid corn, the important thing is NOT where the seed was grown, but how it performs when you plant it. The best way to compare varieties and decide which one suits you the best is to see them growing side by side in a soil and climate similar to yours. That's why DeKalb has more than 3300 proving grounds & demonstration fields, scattered throughout the corn-growing areas.

Another reason why you should visit your DeKalb proving ground is to keep acquainted with the newest varieties that DeKalb is continually perfecting. Be sure to visit the DeKalb proving ground in your neighborhood. Your DeKalb dealer will be glad to show you the varieties that you are interested in and what they will do for you on YOUR FARM.

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NO HUNTING, TRAPPING OR TRESPASSING ALLOWED

Owner

DEKALB HYBRID CORN

O. K. GRAHAM, Lowell, Mich.
ALFRED THOMET, Ada, Mich.

Owner

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VITAMIN FOODS FOR VIGOROUS HEALTH

- RINSO** large box 21c
giant box 49c
- Washo Granulated Soap 4 cans 19c
- R & W Cleanser 4 bars 21c
- Sweetheart Soap 4 bars 21c
- WHEATIES** 10c
- R & W Corn Flakes 2 pkgs. 15c
- R & W Wheat Cereal 17c
- Kellogg's All Bran large box 19c
- Red & White **FLOUR** 24 1/2 lb. 96c
bag
- R & W Flour 5 lb. bag 25c
- Bisquick large box 30c
- King's Corn Meal 5 lb. bag 17c
- Red & White **SHORTENING** 3 lbs. 69c
- R & W Evap. Milk 4 for 33c
- Campbell's Tomato Soup 3 for 23c
- B & W Peas, No. 2 can 2 for 33c

Fruits & Vegetables

- Cooking Apples 10 lbs. 25c
- Cabbage, hard heads lb. 2c
- Sweet Potatoes 5 lbs. 23c
- Tokay Grapes lb. 10c
- Hubbard Squash lb. 4c

CHOICE MEATS

- Armour's Branded Beef, Grade A—
- Beef Ribs lb. 20c
- Beef Pot Roast lb. 26c
- Beef Chuck Roast lb. 28c
- Ground Steak lb. 30c
- Mutton Shldr. Rst. lb. 17c
- Mutton Stew lb. 12c
- Lamb Shldr. Roast lb. 29c
- Lamb Stew Genuine spring lamb lb. 17c
- Pork Chops end cuts lb. 35c
- Fresh Side Pork lb. 27c
- Spare Ribs lb. 25c

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A crowd of German airmen arrived at the gate of heaven and clamored to get in.
"Who are you?" asked St. Peter.
"We're fifty German airmen who were shot down today by the R. A. F.," was the reply.
Said St. Peter: "Wait a minute while I look at the DNB communique." After reading it he came back and announced, "It says here that only two German airmen were shot down today. So two of you can come in and the rest of you can go to hell."

SOCIAL EVENTS

Birthday Celebrated
A lovely birthday dinner was given Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Thomas in Cascade, in honor of the 81st birthday of his father, Wm. Thomas.
Two beautiful angel food cakes adorned the table and chicken and biscuits with all the fixings were served.
The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Jake Gless and Correne of South Bowne, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cosgriff of Lowell, Mr. and Mrs. Orve Kellogg of Ada, Mrs. Gertrude Murphy and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pichauer of East Paris, Clare Cook, Margaret Strom and Gus Levett of Grand Rapids.
Mr. Thomas expressed many gifts and good wishes. He is in good health and as spry as a sixteen year old boy.

25th Wedding Anniversary
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Roth of Detroit and Lowell received their friends and relatives in their home at 2850 Burlingame avenue, Detroit, on Tuesday evening, Sept. 22, celebrating the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding.
The guests numbered about one hundred. Those from out of the city included Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Blaser and Mrs. John F. Roth of Lowell, Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Hapeman of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Roth of Ann Arbor, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hubbard of Milford, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kelly of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. H. O. Knickerbocker of Gainesville, Ga.
Mr. and Mrs. Roth have two children (Mary) Mrs. R. E. Riordan of Mill Valley, Calif., and George, who is a senior in Central high school.

Bride-Elect Honored
Mrs. C. E. West, 204 N. Washington St., was hostess at a miscellaneous shower at her home last week Wednesday evening commencing Ethel Burt, who will become the bride of Orrin Sterkin, Sr. in October.
Guests included Mesdames Hosley, Washburn, Bresina, Allan Macdonald, Gibson, Briggs, Boerna, Fletcher, Young, Yelter, Haner, Guilford, Freyermuth, Speaker, Kinsley, Boyd and Ashley and Miss Hazel Hoag.
Mrs. Burt received many lovely gifts. All departed wishing her many years of happiness.

Lowell Extension Class
The Lowell Extension Class met with Mrs. Elmer Ellis Thursday, Sept. 24, for a one-thirty luncheon and lesson on care of clothing, shoes and rubber articles.
The next meeting will be held today (Thursday), at 1:30 at the home of Mrs. George Hale. The lesson will be on drying of fruits and vegetables.

Shower for Mrs. Ellis
Mrs. Milton Porter entertained on Saturday evening, Sept. 26, at her home in Greenville with a miscellaneous shower in honor of Mrs. Robert Ellis, nee Doris Stormanz, of Ypsilanti. Games were played and refreshments served. The bride received many lovely and useful gifts.

Social Briefs
The September meeting of the Martha Group was held at the Renis Doyle home with Mrs. Ethel Burt as hostess, assisted by Mrs. Harriett Knapp and Mrs. Ada West. Thirty-four members and guests were present and enjoyed a pleasant evening together. Delicious refreshments were served. A genuine vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Doyle for his generous hospitality.

The Lowell Garden Lore Club met with Mrs. Hulda Finels Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 22. The four reels of moving pictures which were shown by Mr. Zwemer were very interesting as well as educational and were greatly enjoyed.

The Monday Book Club met with Mrs. Jean Wechterhauser and Mrs. Bruce McQueen reviewed "Floods of Spring" by Henry Bellamann.
The Neighborhood Club met for a dessert-bridge Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hulda Finels.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Bert Tefft of Southeast Lowell, Sept. 29, an 8 lbs. daughter, Carolyn Lee.
To Mr. and Mrs. Lauren A. Bergeron of Alto, a baby boy.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the members of our Euchre Club for the beautiful gifts presented us on our closing night.
Mr. and Mrs. A. B. (Curly) Howard.
Miss Glenna Phillips. c21

WEDDINGS

Petersen-Roudabush
Miss Lorna Roudabush became the bride of Jack Petersen Saturday evening when they spoke their marriage vows in the presence of the two immediate families at the farm home of the groom's parents, Rev. Henry R. Rust of Bostwick Lake read the service. Baskets of gorgeous fall flowers were used throughout the house. Music was furnished by Mrs. Ruth Hansen and Glenn Converse. The couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Denick and will reside for the present with the groom's parents.

COMING EVENTS

Annual Homecoming Supper
The annual homecoming supper of the First Methodist Church will be held Tuesday, Oct. 6, in the church dining room. Chicken pie will be served and a big meal is planned. 75c for adults, 35c for children under 12. Serving begins at 5:30. Everyone is urged to come.

The Garden Lore Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Bruce McQueen on October 6, at one o'clock for a potluck luncheon and the annual meeting. Mrs. Reuben Lee and Mrs. Anna Yarley, co-chairmen. Mrs. M. N. Henry will speak on places and flowers she saw on her recent visit in California, while Mrs. C. H. Reynolds will tell of the interesting people she met on her recent trip to Calif. The music will be furnished by Miss Marjorie McQueen.

Dr. Edith Dorrell of Chicago will be the guest speaker at the meeting of the Kent County Council PTA to be held at 10:30 o'clock at Fairview school on Tuesday, Oct. 6. Dr. Dorrell will have as her topic, "Building for Tomorrow."

Will some one please offer to open their home for the Jolly Community Club for October meeting. It can be for dinner or supper as hostess wishes. Please call Cassie Denton soon.

The next regular meeting of Keene Grange will be held Friday evening, Oct. 2. Election of officers will be held at this time and all members are urged to be present.

The Lydia Group of W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist Church will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. S. B. Avery.

The Book Review Club will meet at the home of Lucille Bolens Tuesday evening, Oct. 6. Mrs. Lee Miller will review "Windswep't."

The Vergennes Cooperative Club will meet with Mrs. Adelbert Odell on Thursday, Oct. 8. Bruce Walter will be the speaker.

The Lia Group of the Lowell Congregational Church will meet at the home of Mrs. C. H. Horn on Friday, Oct. 2, at 2:30 p. m.

The Dorcas-Esther Group of the First Methodist Church will meet Thursday, Oct. 8, at 2:30 with Miss Emma Ransford.

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet Monday evening, Oct. 5, at the City Hall.—Mrs. Hattie Rice, Pres.

The Lowell Women's Club will meet at the home of Mrs. John Headworth on October 7.

Mexico City—Bob Curwood, a Hollywood veteran, has completed a motion picture, starring Mexican actors, in Mexico City.

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— WITH —
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— NEWS —

SUNDAY AND MONDAY, OCT. 4-5

TEEMING WITH WILD ADVENTURE!
"BEYOND THE BLUE HORIZON"
IN TECHNICOLOR!
A Paramount Picture starring
DOROTHY LAMOUR
with
RICHARD DENNING - JACK HALEY
PATRICIA MORISON - WALTER ABEL
Helmut Gribert - Elizabeth Patterson
Directed by ALFRED SARTHELL - Screen Play by Frank Butler
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MORE LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shaffer of Alto were Sunday callers at John Baker's.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Konkle spent Sunday in Grand Ledge with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Perce of Grand Rapids were Sunday guests of Mrs. Mary Charles.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Miller of Los Angeles, Calif., are visiting Jim Monks and mother for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Baker were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dawson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Henry were Tuesday evening dinner guests of Mrs. G. Towley in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Plumb of Grand Rapids were guests Tuesday of Mrs. Letta Malcolm and Abby.

Mrs. Ellen Seese of Freepost was visiting Mrs. Elaine Gable of Lowell this week and also called on many Lowell friends.

Lyle Baker is staying with his parents for a short time while being transferred from his work in Ionia to Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Rieken, daughters Hazel and Marilyn were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Huyck near Carson City.

Mrs. Will Buck came to Lowell Saturday for an indefinite rest, due to her recent illness. She is with her daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Goff and family.

Mrs. Ida Young spent this past week in Grand Rapids with Mrs. Earl Behler. She was entertained at the Women's City Club, for dinners and theatre parties.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pennock of Grand Rapids were Sunday callers of Mrs. W. N. Pennock and family. Mrs. Pennock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Ead of Delton, visited her Monday.

Mrs. M. J. Court and daughters, Susan and Joanne of Paw Paw are spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Rollins. Lt. Court left Tuesday evening for Carlisle Barracks, Pa.

Mrs. Art Hill, who underwent a serious operation at St. Mary's hospital, Grand Rapids, on Tuesday morning, is progressing as well as could be expected as we go to press this (Thursday) morning.

Mrs. Ruth Gaunt, Mrs. Wm. Collins, Miss Goldie Collins, Mrs. Walter Kropf and Mrs. Nick Kloosterman attended the "Passion Play" in the Civic Auditorium, Grand Rapids, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Conant and Virginia drove to Belding Tuesday evening and called on their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conant. Virginia also called on other cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Thompson and son Joe.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Finels were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hardy of Bay City and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Webster and sons. Mrs. Gerald Finels spent from Thursday to Friday with her husband, who is working in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry N. Briggs left Tuesday last week to visit their son, Pay Briggs, wife and daughter Virginia in Toledo, Ohio. Saturday they left Toledo and went to Chicago, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Briggs and family and a cousin, Mary Briggs.

Roger Springett, who has been visiting his father, Attorney R. E. Springett, for the past two weeks, returned Wednesday to Santa Rosa, Calif., where he is employed at the Mare Island Navy yard. Charles Mosher, whose father was for many years manager of the local pumping station, accompanied Roger to Lowell. Charles' parents now live in Newaygo, Mich., and this is his first visit home in six years.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the neighbors and friends for the kindness and sympathy shown us in the bereavement of our dear mother, also Rev. Bradley for his comforting words of consolation.
The Speerstra Family.

Kitchen Arts Save Vitamins

Usual kitchen methods waste an estimated 20 per cent of the vitamins known as B-1 in preparing vegetables, according to home economics extension specialists at Michigan State College. The kind of food cooked, the method of preparation for cooking, the temperature in cooking, the cooking time and other conditions determine vitamin use or abuse.
To avoid some of the common and unnecessary losses of the vitamins known as B-1, a few simple precautions are suggested:
Don't use soda in cooking vegetables. Soda destroys not only vitamin B-1, but also other vitamins. B-1 passes very readily into the cooking water from most vegetables—often more than 25 per cent is lost in this way, unless some use is made of the cooking water. Sometimes the water is used as a concentrate and served with the vegetable, made into a sauce and served over the vegetable, or added to the soup pot.
B-1 is destroyed to an even greater extent in cooked meats than in cooked vegetables. That's because of the higher cooking temperatures and longer cooking time. Very little B-1 is destroyed in frying meat such as chops or steaks, compared with the amount destroyed in roasting, which takes a longer time and higher temperature. In general, the loss of vitamin B-1 in cooking meats is roughly 40 per cent.

DOCTORING MACHINERY

Doctoring ailing machinery at the end of the season's field work makes more sense than usual this year in view of wartime restrictions on new machines and parts and the necessity to keep a farm in production. Agricultural engineers at Michigan State College advise against any wait until the machines are required for use next year.

N. McCORDS—E. CASCADE

Mrs. Effie Cox
Mr. and Mrs. Art Vandenberg and family are moving to Grand Rapids this week.
Miss Elsie Furner of Grand Rapids visited at the Arthur Peel home the past week. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Manley Wisner and son Bill and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Draper were in Grand Rapids Monday.
Visitors at the John Cox home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Baker of Vergennes and Mr. and Mrs. John Quiggle of Grand Rapids.
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Miller and children visited at the Arthur Peel home this week.

ALTON-VERGENNES

Mrs. Gladys Condon
Alton church annual rally Sunday. Mr. Gillette, a missionary, will occupy the major part of the morning program beginning at 10:30. During the evening service at 8 o'clock he will show slides of his work in Northern Canada. Come and bring your neighbors.
Mrs. Springgett and Mrs. Elmer Wittenbach took part of the Alton school pupils to Grand Rapids Tuesday in the "Passion Play".
Mrs. Greenhoe of Portland spent last week here with the Wittenbach family.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Blaser and Mrs. John Roth of Lowell accompanied Dr. and Mrs. John Hapeman of Lansing to Detroit to help Mr. and Mrs. Albert Roth observe their silver wedding anniversary one evening last week.
Mrs. Chas. Rogers and Mrs. Essie Condon spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Priscilla Richmond.
Gerald Wittenbach, who was burned and shocked quite badly by electricity a few weeks ago, still has a very bad burn on his head.
Frank Ruesegger and family entertained relatives Sunday from Saranac.
Mr. and Mrs. George Benedict of Grand Rapids were Sunday callers of Dorus Church.
Mr. and Mrs. Mike Weeks entertained Clair Compton and other relatives Sunday. Mrs. Compton presented Clair with a wrist watch and others gave him a pen and pencil set to take with him when he left Wednesday for military service.

Remember the Rally

at Alton Community Church
with MR. GILATTE, Missionary of Northern Canada
Sunday, Oct. 4, 10:30 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.
ALL WELCOME
The evening message will be illustrated with picture slides.

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Counsel (to woman witness): I hope I haven't bothered you with all these questions.
Witness: Not at all—I have a small boy, aged 6, at home.