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VACATIONISTS AT CHURCH

When people go away for a summer vacation, it is a pleasant thing if they can attend church services in places where they are staying. Their presence is welcome, and their contributions of money are especially helpful in many cases to churches which have only a small membership. Many able men serve as pastors in these country and summer resort churches, and they preach inspiring sermons.

Many of the churches thus visited on vacations are located in scenes of unusual beauty.

Their surroundings suggest that we live in a beautiful world, and that people can show gratitude for its blessings by such conduct and service that the world will consider that their lives are beautiful.

WOMAN'S LAST WORD

Some men complain that the wife always gets the last word, but that may be because she has more things to say. The reason for that may be that women on the average probably read more than men, which gives them a greater command of language and more ideas which they can express.

Also women seem to have more experience in social life than the average man, which gives them a certain facility in thinking up ideas to express in any discussion.

ENDURANCE OF HEAT

Farmers who work out in the sun most of the time, and those whose work keeps them in the open air, do not usually seem to get hot weather greatly. Also athletic people are in most cases able to play their games when the thermometer is up in the nineties.

It would seem that the more people engage in outdoor activities, the stronger they will be, and the better their bodies will adjust themselves to the extremes of heat and cold.

It is a suggestion of the marvels of our bodily existence that people can stand these extremes of weather as well as they do. The body that can live and work both hot and cold is a wonderful product of creation.

LIVE AND LET LIVE

The world sorely needs a policy of "live and let live" in the relations between nations. If in future some government over contemplates the thought of starting a war, it needs to be persuaded that it will not get anywhere by starting a fight with anybody. It should realize that if it cultivates peaceful relations, if it seeks to build up trade and commerce between itself and the rest of the world, it will make friends, it will obtain constantly expanding markets for its goods, and thus increase the prosperity of its own people.

HISTORY OF THE CANOE

Canoes have played quite a part in the history of peoples. The coasts of Siam, Burma, and China swarm with them. The Esquimaux and the South Pacific Islanders use them largely.

The birch bark canoes of the American Indians were a remarkable example of skill and craftsmanship. This type of canoe is made with a light wood skeleton, and the casing of birch bark can be sewn together with the fibrous roots of fir trees, while the seams are dressed with gum.

Modern canoes are usually made of oak, cedar, or pine. Sailing canoes provides an interesting sport.

A canoe is a beautiful piece of water craft, and one that gives its possessors a great deal of enjoyment.

HOME TOWN THOUGHTS

A cordial manner helps people to get elected to public office, and it also helps people to get elected to succeed in their work or business.

A nice appearing back yard is a suggestion that everything about the family occupying it is nice and fine.

It would be a tremendously expensive thing to send salesmen around to tell people in their homes about the goods in a store, but an advertisement in the home paper gets the information to the people at small cost.

Christmas Committee

At the annual meeting of the Community Christmas committee on Tuesday evening at the City Hall the activities of last year were reviewed and elaborate plans made for the coming Christmas Festival.

Mrs. Lee E. Lampkin was re-elected general chairman. The committee expressed its appreciation to the city for cleaning the park, for lighting the Nativity Scene and for their fine co-operation in other ways. The committee adjourned to meet again the last of September.

NOTICE

My office will be closed during July and August.

Dr. C. C. Warner,
Osteopathic Physician

The fellow who jumps at conclusions isn't always sure of a happy landing.

More Hospitals For Rural Areas

Michigan To Be Eligible For Federal Funds; More Moral Training

Times are going to be better on Michigan farms.

That is—despite the 1947 wet spring.

Cupid is getting along pretty well for one thing. Only one divorce has been recorded out of 600 marriages among members of the Michigan Junior Farm Bureau, according to Ruth Parsons, president.

That's better by far than the one-out-of-six record for the nation today.

Farmers' incomes are bigger and better. Mortgages are being paid off. New equipment and buildings are being added in a program of mechanized agriculture. Farmer income, on a per capita basis, has finally exceeded the normal relationship to wages and salary income.

The prosperity has been long overdue. For the past decade or so, farmers and small-town dwellers have comprised a fifth of the nation's population. Yet they have received only one-tenth of the national income.

Our 1947 boom is riding into the second half of the year at a high level. Income payments are now at a record rate of \$177 billions a year. This rate is just about 1100 billions more than the pre-war level. Giddap, we're going to town!

More hospitals for Michigan rural areas are on the way, too.

Governor Kim Sigler announces that Michigan is going to put its house to order. The state seeks to be eligible for \$10 millions of federal funds available during the next five years for construction of rural hospitals in Michigan.

One's Sam in to pay one-hundred or more of such cost; local communities two-thirds. The federal law permits a higher priority to rural areas in allotment of funds.

The 1946 state survey of the W. K. Kellogg Foundation proposes "one or more hospitals or medical service centers for each county". The foundation recommends establishment of 161 public health and medical centers.

The Michigan State Medical Society is sponsoring a Michigan rural health conference at Michigan State College early in September. Cooperating agencies include the State Grand and Farm Bureau.

For encouragement of character and religious education, the University of Michigan is currently sponsoring a "workshop" June 27 to July 7 under the able leadership of Dr. Edward W. Eshman, university research consultant in religious education.

Along with other states, Michigan is now experiencing a post-war moral slump. Crime is rising rapidly. Apparently unaware of the moral law, "Thou Shall Not Kill", 16-year old Oliver Terpening, Jr., LaPere county farm boy, slew four children "because I always wanted to know what it would feel like to kill somebody". We could write a column on this subject, our lagging morals and our need for more religious education. Maybe we'll do it some week.

Better rural life in Michigan is the aim of a course in rural leadership at Michigan State College July 7 and 18.

A Michigan rural safety council has been formed to do something about the cause of 149 farm accidents on Michigan farms last year.

The council's objectives are: to conduct one out of every 3 mishaps; machinery, one out of four; the bull, one out of four.

And so it goes. One important thing is this: Michigan farm folk are trying to help themselves. And from the current signs, they're doing pretty well, thank you.

Don't Try Self-Medication

Because of the possibility of a cancer, no one with a gastric ulcer should try self-medication. A mis-treated ulcer could prove fatal, but under the proper medical care most cases of ulcer can be cured.

The doctor will prescribe a highly nutritious diet to promote healing, adjusting the diet as the ulcer gets better. The diet must be bland. Small, frequent feedings are best. Drugs are sometimes used to help neutralize the gastric acidity, but just as important as diet and drugs is the patient's need for physical and emotional rest.

The most difficult part of ulcer therapy is the prevention of recurrence. Doctors hope for the discovery of an effective medical method. Meanwhile, they urge their patients to cooperate by avoiding nerve strain, worry, fatigue, too strenuous physical exertion, irregular and improper eating habits.

Sponsored by the Kent County Tuberculosis Society, which is supported by the sale of Christmas Seals.

Eat at the SUGAR BOWL, Ionia. Sunday special—Chicken, steaks. Good food at all times. Beer, wine, soda bar. Sunday hours 2 p. m. to 6 p. m.

In all of the farm enterprises, whether crops or livestock, timing is the factor which often means success or failure.

Runciman to Entertain Michigan Elevators

The business outlook and the benefits of industrywide co-operation are two of the problems listed for discussion July 7 at the fifth annual Runciman roundup of elevators at Highland's Country club.

Several hundred Michigan elevator men will be guests of C. H. Runciman Co. of Lowell and Grand Rapids at the two-session meeting, starting at 2 p. m. and concluding with a banquet.

Veterans Warned To Protect GI Property Loans

Ex-service men and women who have used GI Loans to buy homes are advised not to sell their property without making certain that their interests are protected.

A veteran is inviting trouble if he consents to any sale of his property whereby the purchaser merely takes over the existing loan. In such case the veteran remains personally responsible for payment of the loan and once an ex-serviceman has used his \$4,000 loan guarantee, he can secure no further backing from Uncle Sam.

When an ex-serviceman sells a home financed by a GI Loan, he should demand that the purchaser either pay cash or arrange a loan in his own name.

Then the veteran should see that his own note is marked paid and that the lien on his property is marked satisfied on court records.

If an ex-serviceman consents to a sale in which the purchaser merely assumes the existing indebtedness, the veteran later may have to pay any part of the debt defaulted by the new owner. If the new owner fails to keep up his payments, the lending institution can foreclose and may force a trustee's sale where the property could be sold at less than the amount of the debt remaining. When proceeds from the sale do not cover the amount of the loan outstanding, the difference remains a debt against the veteran. The U. S. Government will pay the lending agency for any portion of this debt which is guaranteed, and the veteran will then owe the government. If part of the remaining debt is not guaranteed, the veteran will continue to owe this to the lending institution.

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Leon Jack McCarty Is Crowned Baydond King

The Flint News-Advertiser last week announced the Supreme King and Queen chosen in the Flint baydond beauty contest, which was sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Flint VFW. A photograph of the royal couple and accompanying article were given first place in the above-mentioned newspaper.

The article states that King Leon Jack McCarty and Queen Marchionette Mark were crowned with full coronation ceremonies.

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Annual School Meeting

The annual meeting of School District Number One of the Township of Lowell, Kent County, Michigan, will be held at the Central School building on Monday, the 14th day of July, 1947, at 8:00 o'clock p. m. E. S. T., to transact such business as may lawfully come before it. Notice relating to election of Board members will be found posted below. Dated this 27th day of June, 1947.

F. F. COONS
Secretary

Annual School Election

The annual election of School District Number One, Township of Lowell, Kent County, Mich., for the election of two School District Trustees will be held at the Central school building on Monday, July 14, 1947, between the hours of 1:00 o'clock p. m. and 7:30 p. m. Nominating petitions have been duly filed for Gerald Rollins, 911 N. Hudson, Lowell, Mich., and Frank L. Stephens, RR2, Lowell, Mich.

Dated this 27th day of June, 1947.

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MARY'S BEAUTY SHOPPE UNDER NEW PROPRIETOR

Margaret Bibbler wishes to announce she is now permanently located in the Thorne Beauty Shoppe more recently known as Mary's Shoppe, phone 302. She will be pleased to serve former patrons of this Shoppe in the manner in which they are accustomed and also invites new patrons to her new location.

MEN'S SUMMER SLACKS

Gebardine's, twills, rayon's. Tub slacks in plaids, stripes and plain summer shades. \$3.95 to \$15.95. Coons.

Ledger want ads get results—Ask the man who uses them.

Kent's 4-H Clubs Win High Honors

Club Week Is Attended by 22 Boys and Girls and Their Leaders.

Tired, but happy, 22 Kent County boys and girls and their leaders, Mrs. Charles Bernum and Dan Anderson, returned from 4-H Club week at East Lansing last Friday.

The Kent County group brought back several of the highest honors among which were: Dean Allen's Achievement Booth award and Eleanor Dean's Style Revue.

Dean's Achievement Booth showed a total of more than 50 projects completed. He was chosen with Allen Rollin's of Tuscola County to represent the Club Week area at the State Show competing with a boy from Gaylord camp area and another from the Upper Peninsula for state honors. The Achievement Booth award is the highest honor that a club member can get. It is not based on any one activity but on the total club record including projects taken, leadership, and special achievements of an individual.

Eleanor represented Kent County in the Style Revue and was picked as one of the honor members to appear in the State Style Revue at the 4-H State Show, in August at the college in East Lansing.

Dean also was chosen as a member of the good grooming honor group and participated in the Style Revue. He also was chosen alternate to Camp Minivanca in case the state winner, Charles Gruner of Branch County, cannot attend.

Betty Wolma of Byron Center also was honored by being chosen a member of the good grooming honor group which includes 16 boys and girls.

The 700 delegates to Club Week were housed in the Quorum Village camp at East Lansing and in the near-by Johnson Field Homes of the Michigan State College Campus.

Names of Attending Members

The trip to Club Week is an award to outstanding county 4-H members. The group which attended this year includes:

Dairy—Benton Thompson, Rockford; Crops—Ralph Johnson, Belmont; Conservation—Clifford DeWitt, Lowell; Handicraft—Shad Bernum, R. No. 4, Grand Rapids; Food—Averill, Ada; Roger Mawby, R. No. 1, Grand Rapids; Nelson Wall, Cedar Springs; Dairy—Nelson Ruesha, Caledonia; Dan Elerick, Rockford; Livestock—George Johnson, Clarksville; Clothing—Donna Hornrich, Byron Center; Food Preparation—Eileen Emswold, Alto; Marilyn Clark, Lowell; Style Revue—Margery Weller, R. No. 1, Marne; Eleanor Dean, R. No. 2, Grand Rapids; Clothing—Joan Allen, R. No. 3, Grand Rapids; Juanita Secord, R. No. 2, Grand Rapids; Carolyn Muth, R. No. 5, Grand Rapids; Elinor Gilson, R. No. 5, Grand Rapids; Betty Wolma, R. No. 2, Byron Center.

William H. Berkey

The classroom building at Michigan State College now nearing completion is to be named Berkey Hall in honor of William H. Berkey, chairman of the state board of agriculture, his fellow board members decided at their June meeting. Mr. Berkey will retire from office January 1, 1948, after serving 18 years as a member of the board. He has been chairman since 1930.

Mr. Berkey is editor of the Cassopella Vigilant and is a past president of the Michigan Farm Association.

O. C. AUSTIN FARM SOLD TO RAYMOND HESCHE AND SON

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hesche and son have bought 170 acres of land on section 16-17-8 in Lowell township from Orville C. Austin of Clarksville. The Hesches take immediate possession.

Some of this land has been in the Austin family since about 1870. The land will be used for general farming and fruit growing.

TAX COLLECTION NOTICE

Summer taxes became due July 1 and are now payable at the Clerk's office, 211 1/2 W. Main st.

ESTHER M. FAHRINI
Village Treasurer

Frontier Rodeo at Lowell Friday, July 4



Wild bucking horses, sod-ripping steers and daring cowboys will give an afternoon of thrills and spills at Lowell on July 4 at the Clark-Ellis Post, American Legion's 2nd annual rodeo.

Riders like the Pendleton round-up champ, Bill Hawkins; Nebraska state champion, Earl Clark and Lowell's own cowboy, Keith W. Avery, are among the thrillers on the program.

Bone-breaking bull riding and bull-dogging events will guarantee plenty of spine-chilling moments. Special exhibitions of skill with horse and gun will give horsemen plenty of pointers on riding and shooting skill.

You can be sure of a good time at Lowell's Frontier Fourth celebration, 4-H Fair grounds, 2:30 p. m. Friday, July 4. All proceeds from the show go toward the construction of a World War II Memorial building in Lowell.

Use Safety Rules For Picnic Fires

Says Fred Roth

Do you know the simple rules of safety to follow with fires at your summer picnics and camping trips?

Long years of experience have taught us a few rules that apply whether the fire is built in a field, in the woods or along the roadside.

Fred W. Roth, farm safety specialist at Michigan State college, says the rules are easy to follow.

Before you build a fire, scrape away all leaves, twigs, dry grass and papers from a circle five feet across. Dig a hole in the middle and build a small fire in it. Never build it against trees or logs, or near brush.

Never leave a fire until it is out. Put it out by stirring the coals while soaking them with water. Wet sticks on both sides and wet the ground around the fire. If there is no water, stir in moist earth and tread it down tight over the fire.

Be sure the match that lighted the fire is out. Break it in two before you throw it away. Be sure also that cigarette or cigar stubs and pipe ashes are dead before throwing them away. Never throw them into brush, leaves or pine needles.

Well-Deserved Honor

Better late than early is advice you can safely follow when it comes to gathering roots. Recent experiments show that blossoms cut late in the afternoon keep longer than those cut in the early morning.

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Northern Michigan is all set to care for the big rush of tourists which is due to march on the resort section of the state in overwhelming force directly after July 4. The North country is in full bloom for the army of visitors which is only waiting for some real summer weather before starting to move North.

The lilacs are just budding on Mackinac Island, which has been lavishly sprayed from the air with DDT against flies and mosquitoes.

But no longer does the island abound in brilliant birds; the DDT has depleted their food supply, and they go elsewhere.

Twelve Michigan counties are among the 100 leading alfalfa-growing counties in the United States according to figures from the 1945 Census of Agriculture. These 12 Michigan counties reported 337,682 acres of alfalfa harvested for hay.

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Heavy draperies drawn across the window in cold, stormy weather, are almost as effective as storm windows.

Daily Bible School Enrolled 114 Pupils

Picnic Held Friday

The three departments of the Vacation Bible School enrolled 114 pupils, and had an average attendance of 80, according to Rev. Paul Z. Hoorstra.

A total of 90 diplomas were issued giving credit for the work accomplished. Of these, 45 received perfect attendance pins, 25 received honor pins, and the other 20 received credit certificates.

The picnic on Friday was well attended, with games and prizes for the boys and girls. Several of their mothers attended to help supervise the activities. Gerald Rollins was in charge of the games and contests.

The exhibit was presented last Sunday morning, with representatives from each department taking part in the program.

Odds and Ends Here and There

Few folks realize when traveling through Michigan that over 6,000 acres of gladiolus were planted last year, and the flowers and gladiolus corms from these acres produced a crop valued at over \$25,000,000.

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Editors Coming To See Showboat

MPA Pencil Pushers Here On Opening Night of 1947 Showing

The Lowell Showboat Committee will renew its pre-war custom of inviting members of the Michigan Press Association to the opening night performance. Invitations are being extended through Gene Allen, secretary-manager of the association.

Chairman N. E. Borgerson announces that Editor Rem Jefferies will head the reception committee and that a buffet dinner will be served in the city hall. L. W. Rutherford will have charge of the dinner.

Work on the Showboat is gathering momentum, according to construction chairman, Elmer G. Schaefer.

Many New Improvements

The permanent seats over the city garage have been repaired. All weak parts have been replaced and new angle bracings have been installed to make the seats absolutely safe from all hazards.

Another innovation this year is leveling of the street with the use of a bulldozer so that all bleachers will be on a flat surface, thus eliminating much "shimmying" as well as adding strength to the temporary seats.

The Showboat will also have many mechanical improvements.

Bob Starkey has completely overhauled the electric generator and the plans are under way to add 100 new lights which will add greatly in showing off William Christensen's newly created decorations.

Reserved seats will go on sale at L. E. Johnson's garage on Saturday July 5. Showboat dates are July 22, 23, 24, 25, 26.

The Nation's Birthday

What would the patriot forefathers, who on July Fourth, 1776, declared that the United States was to be free and independent, think of the development of the country they founded if they could see what it is today?

In those days when the country had only a small population and such a very limited development, it would have seemed impossible that it could rise to the power and prosperity and high level of intelligence and great population that it has achieved today.

The action of these founders of the republic on that historic date, may be considered the foundation for the development that has followed it.

They and the soldiers who fought for independence, gave the country the basis on which it could build its progress.

So long as the country was a group of colonies ruled from across the ocean, its development was bound to be slow and tardy. When it achieved its freedom, when it could make its own laws and establish the foundation of its own life, and shape its own policies, a tremendous stimulus was given to its growth and expansion.

People could feel, when their country was free and independent, that they had a new incentive to toil and labor, to develop their towns and cities, to promote agricultural and mechanical progress. So they took hold and worked to build our grand country, to develop its productive facilities, to create roads, railroads, etc., to create its grand systems of education and religious and social institutions.

So we can look back to those old founders of our nation, and think what a wonderful job they did. It took great courage to make this gesture of freedom. Faith in God and their own powers, led them on to this grand historic step, and we today reap the wonderful benefits.

Moose Team Wins Nine Games In Succession

The Moose Softballers ran their win streak to nine straight by defeating the Doehler-Jarvis team of Grand Rapids in a free-hitting affair, 14 to 8.

Jack Fonger and John Briggs led the local boys with home runs. McMahon and Potter were the pitchers for Lowell with Storm-stand (one of the two bears) doing the receiving.

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Weekly Scrapbook
Week's Best Recipe
Graham Cracker Shortcake: 1/4 c finely crushed graham cracker...

Up and Down Kent County Roads
K. K. Vining, Kent County Agricultural Agent
If anyone had told me that fifteen farmers would take teams to an afternoon hour pulling contest...

Church News
FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday School meets at 10 a. m. D. A. Wiegler, Supt.

SOUTH BOWNE
MRS. JESSIE PALMER
Rigger and Shirley Cules of Detroit are spending some time with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Johnson...

LOWELL BAKERY
For The 4th
BUNS and ROLLS
CUP CAKES
ANGEL FOOD CAKES
Glazed Doughnuts

Summer Furniture
ENJOY EVERY MINUTE YOU CAN OUTDOORS THIS SUMMER. WE HAVE MANY STYLES OF PORCH and LAWN FURNITURE.

Local News
Hugh Young was home from Jackson for the week-end. Mr. Nellie Smith of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with her cousin, Mrs. Lucy Walker.

PLUMBING & HEATING
Sheet Metal Work
Ray H. Covert & Son
The Plumbers

Local News
Mr. and Mrs. Howard White are vacationing in northern Michigan. Mrs. White is visiting her home in Tustin, where Howard is visiting her old home in Gladstone.

SEELYE CORNERS
MR. R. H. REYNOLDS
Mr. Sherman Reynolds will be host for an ice cream social for the "Fourth" and the week-end...

SO. KEENE—NO. BOSTON
MR. J. D. POTTER
The Bunco Club met with Mrs. Jennie Thomson last Thursday afternoon...

A sure hit...
...CHAMP hotel
ON SALE HERE
Strows and Panamas for every type. Wide selection of styles. Fine quality, outstanding values. Come in today!

Editorial
HIGH PRICE TAGS
Argument over the causes and cures of commodity price inflation has degenerated into a book-keeping contest.

When Sewing
Use worn Turkish towels into bibs for the baby. Sew the ends together, cut out the neck, bind with bright tape leaving ends for tying...

Editor's Note—The following is a continuation of the report by Dick Haschke, an associate county agent regarding his recent trip to Washington and other eastern points.

LOWELL
CHURCH OF THE NAZARENES
The Church for the Whole Family (Washington at Avey)
Pastor: Howard E. Palmer

THIS WEEK'S SERMON
By Paul K. Hoover, M. A.
Loyal Church of the Nazarenes

THOMAS N. PACKS
Police Circus
Housman Field, Grand Rapids
July 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, '47

Steel and Fibre
Lawn Chairs
\$6.35
Roth & Sons Co.
"Complete Furnishings for the Home"

Local News
Mr. and Mrs. Philip Davenport visited her sister, Mrs. Henry Houghton and family in Cadillac Sunday.

Local News
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Radford returned the Monday evening session of the Michigan State Teachers convention, which is convening in Grand Rapids.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Kowers and two children have returned to Lowell after a two weeks' trip to Arizona, Colorado, Missouri and other western states.

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Mr. and Mrs. Louis Algham and family are spending the week-end in the Cutler 4-H Garden Club house...

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Local News
Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Potter have moved to their new home here. Marie of Saranac, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Potter and three girls...

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Ada News
Mrs. Hattie R. Pritch
Egypt Grange Notes
At the program on Friday evening at Egypt Grange, given under the direction of Jim McCaul, Boyd Anderson and Donald MacNaughton, Rose Perry of the Grand Rapids Safety Council gave an illustrated talk on safety. He stressed safety in the home, on the farm, and on the road, and this talk supplements the Grange and Farm Bureau program, sponsored by the state.

Former Ada Man Dies
Clarence D. Carr, aged 71, passed away Friday morning at St. Mary's hospital, Grand Rapids. Surviving are his widow, Katie Substant, a son, Fred of Grand Rapids; a daughter, Mrs. Doris Thayer of Holland, Tex.; a brother, Frank of Jonesville, Mich.
Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock at the Metcalf mortuary with the Rev. Herbert F. McConnell officiating. Graveyard services at Woodlawn cemetery under the auspices of Ada Lodge, No. 280, F. & A. M.
Mr. Carr, a former resident of Ada, left many friends here to mourn his passing and many from Ada attended the services.

Chas. Frasier, aged 74, passed away in Grand Rapids on Sunday morning after a lingering illness. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at Ada Congregational church at four o'clock with grave-ade services led by Rev. Charles Frasier, pastor of the church. Mr. Frasier was a life member of Ada Lodge, No. 280, F. & A. M. and of Vesta Chapter, No. 202, O. E. S. of Ada.

Ada Local
Saturday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Richardson were Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Sweet and children of Dutton. On Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Richardson honored to Caldonia to enjoy Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kaechele.
Russell Ward of Saginaw spent Monday evening at Tuesday in Ada, being called here by the funerals of his friends, Clarence Carr and Charles Frasier.
George Anderson is spending a week with his sons and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson at Alpena.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Freeman of Grand Rapids were in Ada Tuesday evening on a business trip.
Mrs. Eda Morris entertained with a picnic party on Sunday evening at Townsend Park, marking the birthday of Eugene Morris. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Morris and Sandra, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Morris and Joanne, Mrs. Vesta Carter of Miami, Fla., and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Chaffee of Grand Rapids.
Mr. and Mrs. DeMitt Ticknor of East Rochester, N. Y., who have been visiting relatives in Ada, also and Grand Rapids for the past month, started for home Monday morning. Mrs. Andrew Miller and Elgin motored as far as Port Huron with them.
Elgin Miller, Mrs. Andrew Miller and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. DeMitt Ticknor, attended the Jasper and Rittenger wedding at the Methodist church in Lowell Saturday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Slager, Betty and Bob and Mr. and Mrs. Fred West of Lowell.
The Ladies Aid Society of Ada Community Reformed Church held their annual picnic on Wednesday at Palsburg Park. A good number was present to enjoy the potluck dinner and low priced games were the afternoon's diversion.
The fire truck from Ada garage was called out on Saturday evening to Paris township and made two Sunday runs for a fire at the Michigan street dump and a third on Monday morning to the dump.
Mr. and Mrs. Norman White and Inez and Norma spent Sunday afternoon in Cascade visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lester Johnson.

RECORDS MATTERS
Mrs. E. T. WILLIAMS
Mr. and Mrs. Wood Cook of Gd. Rapids visited Mrs. Addie Campbell Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Thomas and children and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bush of Holland were Wednesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Ballard.
Irene Chapple spent from Thursday until Sunday with friends in Grand Rapids.
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Doezema and Mr. and Mrs. Neal Hall visited Mr. and Mrs. George Linton Sunday.
Gene Doezema had a tonnage operation last Thursday at Ada.
Mr. and Mrs. Martin Postma of Grand Rapids visited Mr. and Mrs. R. Postma and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Postma Sunday.
Richard Lakey spent the weekend with his great-grandma, Mrs. Walter Clark, while his parents attended the three ball games in Detroit.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smelker of Freeport were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Postma.

WHITNEYVILLE
Mrs. Louis M. DOUGLASS
Mrs. L. H. Douglas received word Thursday afternoon of the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Orla P. Denmore in Grand Rapids. Mrs. Douglas and children, Mrs. Orla P. Denmore and Mrs. Chet Swanson. We wish the new owners the best of success in their new venture.
Mrs. Carl Graham, Mrs. Ella Branigan and Mrs. Harold Raab visited at the George Miller home in Leighton Thursday afternoon.
Mrs. Nettie Hutchinson of Gd. Rapids came Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. Carl Graham. On Sunday another sister, Mrs. Orla P. Denmore, came to visit her. Mrs. Carl Graham and Mrs. Ida Fonger of Grand Rapids came to help celebrate her birthday.
Mrs. Nettie Hutchinson of Pontiac also called on Sunday.
Mrs. Elram Raab and daughter, Youlanda, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Raab and son, all of Caldonia, called at the Harold Raab home Sunday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Graham attended the McCorr's Farm Bureau picnic at Campau Lake Thursday afternoon.
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Keene Breezes
Mrs. A. LEE
Life-long Resident Passes
The community was a great shock by the untimely passing of our friend and neighbor, Robert Hardy. He will be greatly missed by his family and all who knew him. Mr. Hardy was born and raised in Cass. Funeral services were held at the Morris Funeral Home in Staranac on Sunday, June 28. Those from away who attended were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hockett and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Daniels of Lansing; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Behr and Mr. and Mrs. Will Kooser of Detroit; Roy Killian of Farmington; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tuft and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Tuft of Riverdale. Everyone in the community is in extending sympathy to the bereaved family.

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Mrs. Eva Higgins was a week-end guest at the Hazel and Ward Cooper home.
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Mrs. Fred Patton
Farewell Party
About 60 members of the L. D. B. church in Alto entertained Tuesday night for the pleasure of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Ellis and daughter, Joy and Marva, who moved Friday to Gladstone, U. P. Communion, singing, games and visiting made a pleasant evening, then ice cream and cake were served. All regret the Ellises leaving, but wish them lots of success and happiness. Mrs. Ellis will continue his career overseas.

ALTO NEWS
Mrs. Fred Patton
New books at the Alto library are: The Hands of The Senecas by Walter Drummond, Always Young and Fair by Conrad Richter, Experiment in Springtime by Margaret Miller, Close to My Heart by Bessie Nichols, Book are donated by the Stone school board, many thanks to Earl Sinclair for bringing them to Magazines were donated by Floyd Curtis, Mrs. Neva Hobbs and Louis White of Gladstone, U. P. Mrs. E. E. Smith, Alto phone 421.

ALTO NEWS
Mrs. Fred Patton
Rev. Leon Wood, professor of Hebrew at the Baptist Bible Institute and School of Theology, will be in town on Tuesday and Wednesday. He will be at the Alto Baptist church Sunday, July 6, morning and evening.

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The daily vacation Bible school under the direction of Mrs. B. B. B. got off to a fine start Monday with 88 present. The commencement exercises will be on Thursday evening, July 3 at 8 o'clock.

ALTO NEWS
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Friends here were shocked to hear of the death of Kenneth S. Cook, aged 31, who drowned in a lake near Mackinac Island, Michigan, Monday after camping a week at Torch Lake, near Grand Rapids and Mrs. James Wamborn of Alto, also survive.

ALTO NEWS
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Mr. and Mrs. George Smith of Bear Lake and Miss Alice Kilgus of Cadillac were guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. B. last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Peet and Nancy of Ft. Wayne, Ind., spent the week-end here with relatives. Josephine Babory and Harriet Northrup of Grand Rapids spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Salisbury at Jackson.

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Mrs. Levi Rouns of Lansing visited her sister and mother, Mrs. George and Mrs. Lillian Mutholland Saturday and Sunday.

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Mrs. Nellie Timpon was a week-end guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles Trautman of Staranac.

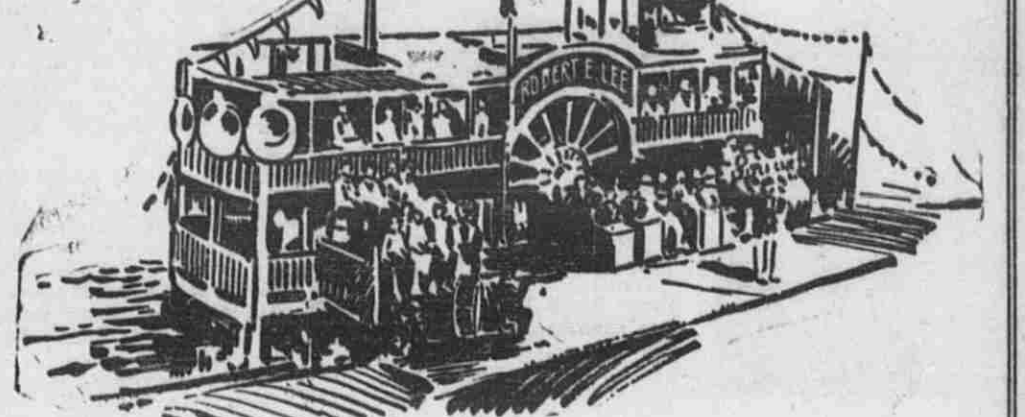
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The Bookmobile is a new, bright red, 1/2 ton truck, equipped with shelves, portable steps, and inside lights. It carries about 500 books, for children and adults. Many new titles will be represented, and requests will be filled where possible.

Since the Thursday schedule is not crowded, it would be possible for the Bookmobile to make one or two more stops on Thursdays between Fallsburg Park and Wyoming township. Any group of people not served by a public library or branch of the County Library, who want service need provide only a local helper and a porch or other sheltered spot for the stop. Anyone who is interested should call Kent County Library, 5-8022, Grand Rapids.

MORE MILK COMES FROM BETTER HAY

If you want to get more milk out of your hay next winter, the time to plan it is now. George Parsons, extension dairy specialist, says experiments show that hay cut when there is a heavy sprinkling of blossoms has more of that unknown factor which makes a cow give more milk.

The Michigan State college dairy specialist says the heavy growth due to rain should cause a heavy first cutting. The successful dairyman will see that the hay is cut at the right time for he knows that economical milk production depends greatly on the kind and quality of roughage used, Parsons explained.

SOUTH BOSTON GRANGE

Members of South Boston Grange and their guests enjoyed an evening of dancing on June 20. A four-piece orchestra from Lake Odessa furnished the music and a potluck lunch was served.

On Saturday night, June 28, at the regular Grange meeting, plans were made for our picnic and a card party furnished the entertainment.

MORE LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Vera Andrews of St. Johns spent part of last week with her sister Mrs. Andrew Chaffee.

Mrs. Elsie Mae Gabel has been ill with flu the last week. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hagen and baby, Mr. and Mrs. John Hagen and mother were Sunday dinner guests and several friends called on Monday.

Laurence Rutherford returned from his trip to Los Angeles Tuesday afternoon, accompanied by his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Theobald and son Bobby.

Mrs. Emily Murray received a telegram Tuesday morning informing her of the death of her brother, Clinton Snow, at Denver, Colo. Mr. Snow was well known by people of Lowell and surrounding community.

Eat at the SUGAR BOWL, Ionia, Sunday special—Chicken, steaks, Good food at all times. Beer, wine, soda bar. Sunday hours 2 p. m. to 6 p. m.

COMING EVENTS

Alton Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Clara Ford on Thursday, July 10.

Stone Corners Farm Bureau will hold their picnic July 13 at Caledonia Park.

Keene grange No. 270 will hold their annual picnic at Fallsburg Park Sunday, July 6. Potluck dinner.

American Legion Auxiliary meets next Monday night at the city hall. It is hoped a goodly number of members will be present.

The Mapes Community Farm Bureau will meet at the Mapes school on Friday evening, July 11, Potluck lunch. Bring own table service. Mrs. E. M. Rowland will be hostess. Every member try to be present.—Claude Schmidt, reporter.

The annual reunion of the Class of 1908 will be held on Sunday, July 13 at Townsend Park. Potluck dinner at 12:30. Bring own sandwiches, service and a dish to pass. Ice cream and drinks will be furnished. Everyone come this year.

The Cheerful Deers annual picnic will be held at 8:30 p. m., July 7, at the home of Mrs. Martha Hall. Please take service and a dish to pass. Anyone needing transportation may call a member of the committee, Mrs. Royden Warner, Mrs. Elmer Pletcher or Mrs. Jennie Condon.

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SOCIAL EVENTS

Lovely Stork Shower

Mrs. Mabel Boves and Mrs. Carrie Kyser gave a stork shower at the latter's home in South Boston last Friday evening, honoring Mrs. Janet Boves of Lowell.

About thirty-five friends and relatives were present and after several games were played, Mrs. Boves opened her lovely presents. A lunch of beautifully frosted cakes and 3 colored brick ice cream were served on plates decorated with paper doilies.

Social Reunions

The Rollins reunion was held Sunday, June 29, at Johnson Park in Grand Rapids. Fifty-six were in attendance from Niles, Paw Paw, Hastings, Clarionville, Byron Center, Grand Rapids and Lowell.

Mrs. Henry Koewers was very pleasantly surprised on her birthday, June 26, when a group of ten friends took her to Fallsburg Park for a birthday supper. Later she was presented with a beautiful mirror to help furnish her new home.

Rev. and Mrs. Edward Kryger of McCabe Rd. were host and hostess to a very lovely party Saturday evening in honor of Mrs. Kryger's birthday anniversary. Games were played and old-fashioned hymn singing was in order. Mrs. Kryger received many lovely gifts. A beautiful lunch was served at a late hour to 13 guests.

A rehearsal dinner for the wedding party of Jane Rittenger and Gerald Jasperse was given by Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Jasperse Friday evening. The dinner was cooked and beautifully served by Mrs. Ray Rogers in her home. The tables were decorated with roses and candles with a pink rose laid at each place setting.

Prepare Farms For Electrical Storms And Avoid Trouble

Summer electrical storms can mean plenty of trouble on the farm unless adequate protective measures are taken, warns associate county agricultural agent, Richard Machiele.

Each year lightning kills about 400 people in the United States. Many of these people live on farms.

The important thing to remember during a lightning storm is that lightning tends to strike the highest point in the area. It may be a tree, a barn, a fence, or a man standing in a field. Buildings equipped with lightning rods are the best places to seek shelter when an electrical storm comes up. If you are working in a field and do not have time to reach a protected building, lie down in a low spot in the field, away from wire fences, trees, livestock and machinery.

The time to prepare for the summer electrical storms is now, Agent Machiele lists the following practices:

1. Install your lightning rods properly. Be sure they are correctly grounded.
2. Ground hay carrier tracks, cow stanchions, water pipes and wiring systems.
3. Never ground lightning rods to the wiring system or water pipes.
4. Place grounds for wiring and water systems at least 15 feet from the lightning rod ground.
5. Protect livestock by grounding wire fences every 100 yards, using metal posts grounded at least three feet into the earth.

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WEDDINGS

Hennessy-Frys

A very pretty wedding was solemnized before a few intimate friends in the Chapel of Life, Central Methodist church of Phoenix, Ariz., at 8:30 p. m. June 14, by the Rev. James Christian, when Ruelen Adell Frys, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin J. Wells, of E2, Lowell, became the bride of Douglas George Hennessy.

The bridesmaid was Miss Katherine Boom and Pat Hartlip acted as best man. After a short stay at the Adams Hotel in Phoenix, they will be at home at 805 E. Flower St. in that city.

Kniffin-Steed

Of interest to her many friends in Lowell is the marriage of Katharine Steed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Steed of Frankfort, formerly of Lowell, to James H. Kniffin of Detroit. The bride is a granddaughter of Willard M. Hunter of Lowell.

The marriage took place at Nardin Park Methodist church, May 28 at 4 p. m. A reception was held in the church parlors immediately following the ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an original Michel Greiga costume suit and hat of natural straw trimmed with white rosebuds and lilies of the valley. Her corsage was a white orchid. Mrs. George A. Nahstall attended the bride as matron of honor and Robert Kniffin served his brother as best man. The ushers were Robert E. Vaughan, Grand Rapids and George A. Nahstall, E. Warren Hart and Robert Brundage of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Kniffin took a trip through the Smoky Mountains and are at home at 2956 Blaine Ave., Detroit.

Morris-Wilcox

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Miller of Lowell was the scene June 21, of the wedding of their daughter, Betty Irene and Eugene Morris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Morris of Ada.

The Rev. N. G. Woon read the double ring ceremony at 8:00 amid a setting of baskets of peonies and seven branch candelabra in the presence of the immediate families.

The couple were attended by Mrs. Patricia Wilcox and Frederick Powers, Jr.

The bride wore a cream wool gabardine suit with navy blue accessories and a corsage of red roses. Her matron of honor wore a light green wool suit with black accessories and her corsage was of white carnations.

For the occasion Mrs. Miller wore navy blue sheet and a corsage of pink carnations while the bridegroom's mother chose a brown accessories and her corsage was of yellow carnations.

After the ceremony a reception was held in honor of the bride and groom at the Eggsy greengrass hall. About 100 guests attended. Mrs. Glenn Chaffee, Mrs. Alice Ward and Mrs. Bernard Rooker assisted.

The couple left for a short wedding trip to the Straits of Mackinac and Mackinac Island. They will make their home in Ada.

Jasperse-Rittenger

In a candlelight service at First Methodist Church at Lowell Saturday evening, June 28, Jane Frances Rittenger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard J. Rittenger of Lowell, became the bride of Gerald Leslie Jasperse, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Jasperse of Ada.

The Rev. Norman G. Woon read the double ring ceremony before the altar which was decorated with baskets of white peonies and white tapers. David Coons, organist, played traditional wedding music and accompanied Miss Mary Houran, who sang "Because" and "I Love You Truly".

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white slipper satin gown styled with a sheer marquisette yoke, long sleeves pointed over the wrists and full skirt with circular train. Double rows of lace edged yoke and sleeves. A Mary Queen of Scots bonnet held in place a finger-tip veil of illusion and she carried a bouquet of white sweetheart roses centered with a white orchid.

Miss Mary Rittenger, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a petal pink dress of dotted swiss fashioned with a deep ruffled bustle effect at the back, the ruffles continuing down the back and around the bottom of the skirt. She wore a spray of pink flowers in her hair and carried a colonial bouquet of pink carnations and blue larkspur.

Miss Arlene Roth and Mrs. Adrian Verecke, bridesmaids, were dressed in apple green dotted swiss dresses, identical to the maid of honor's. They wore sprays of pink flowers in their hair and carried colonial bouquets of pink carnations.

Adrian Verecke served as best man and Howard Rittenger, Jr., Glen Rittenger and Melvyn Rooker seated the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rittenger, uncle and aunt of the bride, served as master and mistress of ceremonies.

Mrs. Rittenger chose for her daughter's wedding a black crepe dress and lime green hat trimmed with red flowers and wore a matching corsage.

The bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Jasperse, wore an aqua crepe dress with black accessories and a corsage of American Beauty roses. A reception was held at Lone Pine Inn where the wedding cake and punch were served. Following the reception the couple left for a trip in northern Michigan. The bride's going away costume was navy skirt and blouse topped by a white and navy striped jacket. She wore a white hat with navy trim, white gloves and white or-

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By Robert Quillen



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Dr. Irwin A. Moon, of Moody Bible Institute, seen above in one of his "Sermons from Science" demonstrations, is the producer of the sound-color film "The God of Creation" to be shown at 6:00 p. m. Sunday, July 6, at the Alton Bible church, corner of Lincoln Lake and Three Mile Road, according to announcement by the pastor, C. F. Logan.

A spray attachment on a faucet is the simplest method of rinsing dishes. Do not leave glassware and silver to drain dry even after a thorough cleaning. They are apt to dry streakily.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Krum (nee Eveline Miller), at Butterworth hospital, a 3 1/2 lb. girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Veaudry (nee Margaret Nevin), at Providence, R. I., June 6, a 9 lb. boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. Dean Odiorne (nee Mary Putnam), of Eaton Rapids, June 28, a 9 1/2 lb. boy, named Thomas Earl.

To Mr. and Mrs. Peter Leeman (nee Betty Sherrwood), June 26, at Blodgett hospital, an 8 1/2 lb. boy, Richard Peter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Herald (Geraldine Dawson) at Carson City hospital, June 27, an 8 1/2 lb. son, Daniel Charles.

To Mr. and Mrs. Budd Bishop (nee Doris Jean Potter), at Blodgett hospital, June 26, a 6 1/2 lb. son, Thomas Arnold.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schrier, Orleans, formerly of R. 3, Lowell, Saturday, June 21, at Ionia hospital, a son Robert Eugene.

Heavy producing cows need some grain in summer as well as in winter if they are to produce to capacity.

Little pigs should be inoculated against cholera before weaning time.

We find that what we get is always what we least expect.

Cover Keeps Rain Out of Salt Dops



Phenothiazine, the only known drug that will eliminate the nodular worm and control all other types of round worms in sheep, can increase the rate of sheep growth and save up to one-half on feed—but only if the salt containing the phenothiazine is kept dry. When the salt mixture is placed in open salt boxes, the rains dissolve away salt, leaving a concentrated solution of the phenothiazine which the animals refuse to eat. Prof. C. A. Brown, animal husbandry specialist at Michigan State college, and farm labor specialist of the MSC extension service agree that a mixture of one part phenothiazine to 10 to 14 parts of salt should be placed in a covered box for effective use on the range. The boxes should be high enough to the eaves (28 inches) so the sheep will not tip them over when rubbing their necks. With a two by six base 34 inches long the boxes will not be blown over by the wind. One by 12 lumber for the cover, or metal as pictured, and an 8 x 24 inch trough are convenient to use. Building the trough right on the base gives more strength and enough room to get a pall between the trough and roof to empty salt. Most pastures, and in some cases even the bedding under the sheep, may be a source of parasitic infestation which the phenothiazine and salt mixture, if kept continuously available, will effectively prevent and control. If phenothiazine is not used, or if the rains are allowed to wash it away, the parasites cause decreased milking ability on the part of ewes, less growth by lambs, reduced mortality in the flock, and in many cases severe death losses.

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