



The Republican nomination for state senator in the 17th district in the September 14 primary has developed into a three-cornered contest, now that John R. Dalton, son of Probate Judge John Dalton, has thrown his hat into the ring. The two other candidates are Maurice E. Post and John B. Martin, Jr.

The 17th district covers all the county outside the city of Grand Rapids, plus the first ward of the city.

The action of the state liquor control commission in reversing its stand by dropping its penalty of \$100 fine and suspension for 30 days of SDM licenses against Gertrude Road, Lowell tavern keeper, is to be commended.

Commissioner David M. Martin said, "The preponderance of evidence was in favor of the license and we were convinced by her good previous record." He said Miss Road and her mother and two bartenders all testified that the minor in question bought no beer at the establishment, and had been refused service previously.

Deer hunters tell us they always read this column, hence the following:

The Conservation department advises that the Michigan deer hunter who picks his hunting territory on the basis of last year's results can get his "dope sheet" now from the department's game division.

If he likes company, and plenty of deer, he can go to Roscommon county where last season there were 23,055 hunters, or nearly 44 per square mile, and also the biggest deer kill—4,759 animals, according to computations based on hunters' report cards. But the percentage of hunters successful there was only 2.6—about one hunter in five succeeding.

In Ontonagon county, however, where there were only 7,883 hunters or about six per square mile, the kill was almost as great. The 4,263 deer taken meant a hunters' success ratio of 53.4 per cent, with one hunter of every two getting venison. Six other counties passed the 4,000 deer mark: Iron, Alcona, Crawford, Lake, Montmorency and Oscoda.

American towns in these times usually have a very friendly atmosphere, which helps to give the quality called charm. Cordial greetings as people meet on the street or at social occasions, create a neighborly spirit, and they help to make home town life enjoyable. People feel at home in such a community, and it seems as if they had taken root there, and they feel a desire to remain permanently in the town.

It helps to create this spirit when people show a pleasant interest in neighbors and friends, and are glad to listen to their experiences and happenings. Thus friendliness spreads, and a community where this spirit prevails seems agreeable and charming.

Moose Softballers Swamp Champions

Tuesday night the Moose swamped the Home Service team, champions of the Lowell city league, into camp 20 to 2. All the Moose had their hitting clothes on and wrapped the offerings of Kingdom and Beuschamp for a total of 25 hits. Ron Collins got a homer for the city league team, 1 of 4 that Stukkie gave up.

Monday night the Moose were defeated 8 to 5 by G I Johnny's of Grand Rapids in a game that was marred by several errors by the Moose. Jim Briggs' homer with two on and Bill Dawson with three hits in four times at bat led the Moose offense. Potter and Storzand were the battery for Lowell.

Friday night the Moose defeated Vandervens of Grand Rapids 5 to 1 to avenge a defeat earlier this year.

This Friday night the Moose will play either Burlingame Furniture or G I Johnny's in what will be the last game this season at the local park. Both these teams have beaten the Moose this season so will afford good entertainment for the local fans. Game time is 8:30 p. m.

The Moose have a record of 26 wins against five losses, a very good record against the best teams in Western Michigan.

Barbershoppers Open Fall Season, Sept. 9

The first meeting of the fall season for the Barbershop Harmonizers Chapter No. 326 will be held Thursday Sept. 9 in the Moose Annex room above the Lowell Creamery at 8 p. m.

This meeting will be in the form of a songfest, open to all men of Lowell and surrounding community. Plans will be made for the coming year. Barbershop Harmony is sweeping the country and Lowell is fortunate in having a chapter in such a growing organization.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Permits must be obtained before starting grass fires or any other kind of fires within the village of Lowell. Apply to Dave Clark, fire chief.

CUBS ANNOUNCE TWO GAMES

Next Sunday the Fallsburg Cubs will play at the park at 2:30, the opposing team to be announced later. On Labor Day at 2:30, the Cubs will tackle the strong Johnson Furniture team of Grand Rapids.

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LEDGER ENTRIES

Country Homes

Many people living in populous cities entertain the wish that they might live in a rural home. Many get tired of large city crowds, and they would like a dwelling where there was room around them. Some of them have contemplated the possibility of buying a farm. A good many have the idea of a country home where they could have a garden.

The idea of plenty of space for raising vegetables for themselves, and for cultivating flowers, seems very attractive to them. Such people would welcome a place where there is space around them, and nice views of trees and fields. There is a great charm about the open country, and the sight of the horizon.

Such people should buy a lot out in some country location for a small sum, and put up an attractive little home there. Many such locations would have seemed remote and inaccessible in the old days. Now people can live in such places comfortably, and travel by automobile to their jobs in the city or town.

It would often be possible for such people to buy a rural home at a low or moderate price, and make it still more attractive by various improvements. They will find the life of the country very agreeable and pleasant, and will form many friendships there.

There are many young people, and older folks too, who have had experience in farm and country work and life, who feel the desire to possess a farm of their own. They think they would enjoy living on their own acres, and they can see mental pictures of their own cattle grazing in their fields, of their crops waving in the wind, and plants growing in their garden.

These are excellent hopes and ambitions. It could well be wished that they might all be realized. Country life is very attractive in these times, it is in close touch with modern advantages, and there are many social activities.

New School Year Begins Tuesday

Important Information For All High School And Grade Children

The Lowell Board of Education takes pleasure in announcing that everything is in readiness for the reopening of school on Tuesday, Sept. 7. All children in the grades and all high school students who reside outside of the school district are to report at one o'clock. Resident high school pupils are to report at two o'clock.

Students who ride the buses are notified that the buses will make the same runs that they did on the last day of school, but they will leave for this initial run at 11:30 in the morning, and students should make their plans accordingly.

The attention of the high school students is called to an advertisement appearing on another page of this paper, and those who wish to enroll for the first time, or those who wish to change their schedules may report to the school office on Friday or Saturday, Sept. 3 or 4, or on the evening of Friday, Sept. 3. The complete course of study is to be found in the advertisement referred to.

Additional Progress

The high school will be operating under trying conditions again for most of the year.

The set-up will be the same as a year ago, but everything possible is being done to hasten the progress of the addition to the high school building, so that the conditions will be improved before the close of the school year.

Textbooks

School textbooks will be handled only by the W. C. Hartman Drug Store this year, and the task of distributing books to 750 boys and girls is not a simple matter. For this reason, students are urged to purchase their books this week if possible.

The right texts have been purchased by Mr. Hartman, and he will be glad to supply whatever texts children will need. Tuesday afternoon will be reserved for the sale of books to the high school pupils. Wednesday morning will be reserved for the sale of texts to grade children, and parents and pupils are asked to cooperate in this program.

Mr. Hartman will have his store open on Monday evening for both the grade and high school students.

New Teachers

The teaching staff has been complete for some time, and art and music will be offered in the grades. The assistant teacher for the grade has been employed for full time, and a half-time librarian has been employed for the high school.

Teachers' meetings will start with a breakfast on Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock, at which time they will be guests of the Board of Education, with the members of the Board in attendance. The breakfast is to be followed by a meeting for all teachers, to make general plans for the year, and on Wednesday morning the grade teachers will assemble for details and plans relative to music and art.

Roland Doyle to Enter Kansas State College

Roland Doyle, son of Mrs. Wm. C. Doyle, left Wednesday morning for Manhattan, Kan., where he will attend Kansas State College where he is entering the milling department in that course.

Ronald graduated from Lowell high with the class of '48 and was always active in all athletics and school activities and will carry into his college work the same enthusiasm for his many activities.

Ronald was accompanied by his mother and brother King and a aunt, Mrs. Wm. Byrne, of Parnell.

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Mrs. Frank Freeman Passes at Age of 60

Funeral services will be held this (Thursday) afternoon at two o'clock at the Roth Chapel, for Mrs. Frank Freeman, aged 60, who passed away Tuesday night in Blodgett hospital, Grand Rapids, after a short illness. The Rev. Norman G. Woon will officiate with interment in South Boston cemetery.

Floyd Kyser was born March 11, 1888, in Boston township, Ionia County, the daughter of the late Albert and May Kyser, and later she returned to Boston township and married Frank Freeman on January 5, 1916. To this union was born one son, Perry, who preceded her in death, July 31, 1912.

Surviving besides her husband are two brothers, Ralph Kyser of Corfu, N. Y., and Eugene Kyser of Buffalo, N. Y.

The passing of Mrs. Freeman is deeply mourned by everyone because of her pleasing personality and true friendship. She has served as secretary-treasurer of the Lowell Congregational Church, was a life member of the South Boston Grange in which she had held offices, a member of the Lowell Women's Club, the Garden Lodge Club and the Rod and Gun Club.

Lansing Marble, a timber cruiser took up a homestead near Frankfort on the lower shore of Lake Michigan. Here his son, Webster, at the age of 14, started to follow the woods as a career.

"I took to the woods like a duck to the water," he once related. "The greatest enjoyment of my life has come in the woods. As a young fellow, I got my greatest thrill out of starting out with a map and compass to explore new territory, to carry very little equipment, and stop wherever night overtook me."

"It was gratified to feel that I was remote from everything civilized and exploring new regions."

His ventures into Michigan forests prompted him to design a metal guard to fit over a small pocket axe. This replaced the ordinary axe which hung at his belt.

Other hunters, fishermen and trappers liked it.

"Make me one just like it" was the familiar plea.

So Webster installed a little workshop at the rear of his home in Gladstone. That was in 1893. In the first year he manufactured 3,000 safety pocket axes.

Football Practice Begins in Earnest

Football practice opened for Lowell high school on Monday, Aug. 30, with 20 boys out and more are expected as the week progresses. Coach Chris Burch has five lettermen back this year: Backs, Norman Borgerson, Ronald Collins and Gordon Sterzick; end, Robert Hall and guard, Roger McMahon.

1948 Football Schedule

Sept. 17—Ionia, 7:30. Here
Sept. 24—Wyom'g Pk., 7:30. Here
Oct. 1—Greenville, 7:30. Here
Oct. 8—Lee, 7:30. Here
Oct. 15—Rockford, 7:30. Here
Oct. 20—Godwin, 7:30. Here
(Wednesday, Teachers' Institute)
Oct. 30—East G. R., 2:00. Here
(Saturday)
Nov. 5—Grandville, 7:30. Here

Another hard to believe fact: Ninety percent of Marble-made knives are bought by sportsmen who have no practical need for them. They want a knife as an ornament, to display, or perhaps for the pleasure of merely possessing it. This observation was made by Marble himself. Hence the popularity of stag handles.

Today, the business is run efficiently by James T. Jones (a former Lowell boy), general manager since 1912. "Jim" joined the firm in 1906 as an accountant. William L. Marble, oldest son of the founder, is the president of the company. Jones is president of a subsidiary corporation, Marble-Card Electric Company, which manufactures electric motors. The two plants at Gladstone employ approximately 100 persons, mostly men.

Webster L. Marble preferred his hunting camp at Rood Lake, about 33 miles north and east of Gladstone, to the ease and comforts of city living.

It was in September, 1940, when he went to camp for the last time. His friends say he would have wanted it that way. He died in the woods.

COMING EVENTS

Keene Grange meeting, September 3. Entertainment following business meeting.

The Altan Ladies Aid will meet at Fallsburg Park, near the shelter house, Sept. 9. A picnic dinner will be served at one o'clock. Bring sandwiches and a dish to pass, also table service. Hot drinks will be furnished. All members and friends are invited to attend this meeting.

St. Mary's Altar Society will meet Friday, Sept. 3, at the home of Mrs. Charles Knapp, at 8 p. m.

Regular meeting of Rebekah Lodge, Tuesday, Sept. 7, 8 p. m.

The 23rd annual Ford reunion will be held Labor Day, Sept. 6, in the Alton church basement. Potluck dinner at 1 o'clock. Table service furnished.—Sec'y.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Purchase (nee Janet Wood), at Blodgett hospital, August 22, a boy, Robert Craig.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Jones (nee Phyllis Maloney), at Blodgett hospital, August 29, a boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brighton, of Colorado Springs, Colo., formerly of Lowell, August 31, a son.

Usually people who don't know whether they are coming or going are in a hurry to get there.

The Story of Webster Marble Is Story of American Opportunity

By Gene Allmon, Sec'y-Manager Michigan Press Association

GLADSTONE—The man who made the "better mousetrap" 50 years ago this September, was Webster L. Marble.

The founder of the Marble Arms and Manufacturing Company, Gladstone's leading industry, proved the adage still holds good. A world of sportsmen beat a path, through purchase of his quality hunting and fishing equipment, to this Upper Peninsula small town.

The story of Marble is the story of American opportunity.

It is another Michigan Algonquian chapter in the annals of frontier enterprise.

Gladstone, adjacent to Escanaba, on Little Bay de Noc of Lake Michigan has an outstanding recreational program for a town of its size.

The city's choice land along the lake front has been converted into a public park, eight blocks long, with a small harbor for boats, beach-house, trailer park with laundry building, and children's swings, playground merry-go-round and slides.

The Gladstone playfield is illuminated for night baseball. A recreation building, 40 by 60, is used in winter months as a warming house for ice skating and hockey and in summer months as a clubhouse. Fishing is excellent in the Little Bay de Noc; Northern pike, walleyes, perch and black bass.

Somehow, Gladstone's emphasis upon recreation exemplifies the spirit of Webster L. Marble. Like the man who made the town famous, Gladstone is making a business out of play.

State Fair Opens This Week Friday Features Are Many

The Michigan State Fair opens at Detroit this week Friday and continues through September 12. It will be the fair's ninety-ninth showing and below will be found some of the interesting features.

About 140,000 square feet of space will be occupied by a display of the newest inventions and latest types of farm machinery. This display will include everything from self-propelled combines to the latest types of hay balers, and self-propelled corn pickers.

The champion sheep shearer of Michigan will be among the many champions chosen at the fair. He will be selected from a highly skilled and equally highly important group of agricultural workers who will compete on September 10.

Historical and Other Features

Once again the famed Grant House will be located on the fair grounds. Many new additions have been made in the Ulysses S. Grant home and this year promises a much more complete picture of the home in which Grant brought his bride in 1847.

Women visitors at the fair are invited to attend the Home and Personality Clinic in the Chevrolet Auditorium, September 7 through 10. The clinic, under the direction of Miss Elsie Kaskinen of the Home Economics Department of Wayne University, will be conducted from 2 o'clock to 3:30 p. m. each day.

In addition to free concerts each evening by the Detroit Symphony Orchestra, 50 high school bands, the Michigan Male Chorus and the Washtenaw County Extension Chorus and nationality groups will entertain during the 10-day period in the music shell.

Gov. Kim Sigler has extended invitations to government officials of Canada to attend the fair on Canada Day, Sunday, Sept. 12.

WEDDINGS

Steward-Eickhoff

Wedding vows were exchanged Wednesday forenoon at 11:00 by Miss Marie E. Eickhoff, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Martin Eickhoff, and Robert L. Steward, son of Mrs. Arthur Steward. The marriage took place in the Congregational parsonage with the Rev. Norman G. Woon officiating. Ruby Eickhoff, sister of the bride and Judd Clark were their attendants.

For her wedding Mrs. Steward wore a grey suit with navy blue accessories and her corsage was of American beauty roses.

Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was held at the Lone Pine Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Steward left for a northern honeymoon, expecting to return the first of next week. They will make their home with Mr. Steward's mother at 722 Washington Ave. Lowell.

House and Contents Destroyed By Fire Only the Dog Saved

Early Monday afternoon fire destroyed the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ambrose, four miles west of Lowell on M-21.

A neighbor, Henry Mead observed the fire when he heard the Ambrose dog whining and saw smoke drifting from the house. Mr. Mead called the Lowell and Ada fire departments and was able to rescue the dog. The fire had such a start that the house and contents burned completely to the ground.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose and son leave their home at six in the morning for Grand Rapids where they are employed.

It is thought that the fire could have started from the oil stove which might have been left on.

The house was insured for \$1,500 and the contents for \$500 which only partially covers the loss.

Noted Evangelist At Nazarene Church

The Reverend A. H. Kauffman is the special speaker for the evangelistic services now being conducted in the Lowell Church of the Nazarene. The services are held each evening at 8 o'clock, except Saturday and the Tompkins Sisters are the musicians and singers.

Questions to Be Answered

The questions, 16 in all, are:

1. Name. 2. Place of residence. 3. Mailing address. 4. Name and address of person who will always know your address. 5. Date of birth. 6. Place of birth (City, state, county) and address of persons there who will always know your address. 7. Occupation. 8. Firm or individual by whom employed. 9. Nature of business, service rendered or chief product. 10. Place of employment or business. 11. Local board with which registered under selective training and service act of 1940. 12. Were you ever rejected for service in the armed forces? (Yes? No? When?). 13. Marital status (single, married? Living with wife? Divorced? Separated? Widower? Father?). 14. Active duty in the armed forces of the United States or a cobelligerent nation since Sept. 16, 1940 (under this, if you qualify, you fill in the branch of service, your service or serial number, date of entry, name of last organization, date of separation).

15. Present membership in a reserve component of the armed forces (listing the branch of service, service or serial number, date of entry, grade and organization). 16. Color of eyes, color of hair, complexion, height, weight, race and other obvious physical characteristics that will aid to identification.

War and the Bible

One of the great forces helping to end war is the influence of the Bible. If the principles of the Bible could be sincerely accepted by all governments and all peoples, it is safe to predict that wars would be no more. The traditional story of the birth of Jesus told how his advent meant "peace on earth, good will among men."

If the Bible ideas were universally followed, nations would settle their arguments in a spirit of reason and justice. It would seem desirable for nations to be as anxious to give justice to foreign countries as to obtain it for themselves.

The words of the Bible are strong against war. According to the Psalmist, the Lord "makes the wars to cease until the sword and the spear is sunder. He burneth the chariot in the fire."

This does not mean that the Bible expects people to submit passively when they are attacked by an aggressive nation. Such quiet submission would increase the power of conquerors and aggressors, and thus be against Bible principles.

The words of the Bible have been a wonderful comfort to the people of the armed services when it became necessary for them to engage in conflict. Some and very likely many churches of the recent war, followed the plan of presenting gifts of the Bible or portions of it to the people of armed services who came from these organizations.

The enthusiastic letters from the help and comfort they obtained from these personal of the sacred volume, and how greatly they prized these copies of the Scriptures. The Bible has been a wonderful power in the development of the world and human life, and its teachings are a constant force working for world peace.

COMMUNITY PICNIC ATTRACTS BIG CROWD

The annual community picnic sponsored by the Lowell Board of Trade, which was held at Fallsburg park Thursday, Aug. 26, was attended by upwards of 500 people from the surrounding communities.

A. H. Stormand who acted as general chairman for the day, said that the attendance was larger than usual.

Generous contributions for the event were made by Lowell business and professional men and manufacturers, also nice contributions from Saranac. Cash prizes amounted to about \$75 and merchandise to about \$400.

The crowd consumed about 30 gallons of coffee, 43 gallons of ice cream, 26 cases of pop, and 50 gallons of orangeade.

TO KEEP STATE PARKS OPEN AFTER LABOR DAY

Michigan's 47 state parks and 12 recreation areas will be open Labor Day and for some weeks afterward, in accordance with the postwar policy of the conservation department's parks division.

How late the areas will remain open this year will depend on weather conditions and amount of use of individual parks. Before the war the park season traditionally extended only from Memorial Day to Labor Day.

"We are trying to get away from the idea that parks are used only three or four months in the year," declares L. N. Jones, assistant chief in charge of operations for the division. "We should like to open all winter, and some of these are."

Buy and sell through the Ledger want ads.

DOG, FRIENDS OF PEOPLE

Dogs are called the friends of man, and families that own them are greatly attached to their dog pets. The dogs are such affectionate and friendly creatures, that they make a place for themselves in the hearts of the families that possess them.

They see the family go away from home with regret, and they often plead to be taken along. They greet the return of their owners with great tail wagging and joyous barks. If they are taken out for a walk, they greet the chance to go with many manifestations of happiness.

The bark of a dog is a cheerful sound, and is the dog's way of expressing himself. It says in the nighttime that something is awake in the neighborhood. If any burglars are around, they will avoid the place with such a watchman.

Ovan pan. A new type of cake pan bakes on top of a gas stove instead of in the oven. Of course it bakes equally well with an electric stove. It is very convenient because it enables a housewife to bake a cake when the oven is full. It really does the job easier and quicker than the old-fashioned baking method. The peculiar construction of the pan makes it possible to bake a cake on the top of the stove without guesswork and with the certainty that the best possible results will be obtained.

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SOUTHWEST BOWNE
Mrs. L. T. Anderson

Mrs. Helen Bowman spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Elroy Smith and Mrs. Ruby Smith at Wayland.

Mr. and Mrs. Doris Glidden and sons were Sunday guests of her sister, Mrs. Louis Wierenga at Byron Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Pritch and little son Maurice were Tuesday evening guests of her parents, Mr.

and Mrs. Leon Anderson and Claire Pierce of Grand Rapids were married at Pittsburgh last Monday and are spending their honeymoon in that city.

William Smith and friend Miss Edith Dean of Wayland were Sunday guests at the Keith Bowman home. Rev. and Mrs. Edith M. Alto were Saturday callers.

Mrs. Emmett Sheehan who is enjoying a few weeks vacation from her nursing duties at St. Mary's hospital, entertained the Social Club Thursday. 12 members being present and all enjoyed a delicious potluck dinner.

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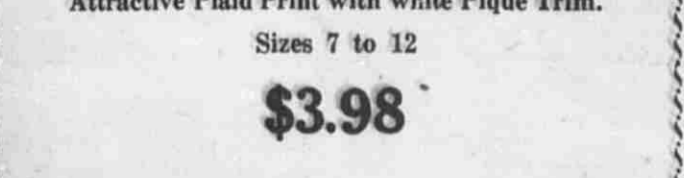
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Mr. and Mrs. Archie Duncan and family attended the Kroc reunion at Palmsburg Park Sunday.

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Lowell Local

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Mr. and Mrs. Sam Robinson, daughters Joanne and Dee, and friend Jerry Brady, Cameron and daughter, Donna Jane, all of Wyandotte were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gumm at the home of Mrs. Helen Cameron at the Highland Hill Dairy.

Mrs. Anna Stinchcomb returned Monday from a two week visit at the home of her brother, W. R. Little at Sebawa. While there she attended the school reunion of the first school she ever attended and met many whom she had not seen in twenty-four years.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sinclair spent last week's vacation with their son, Dan and family in Willow Run village, returning home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Johnson visited friends in Royal Oak and Pontiac a few days last week.

Walter Corner and family of Calcedonia were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Usher.

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Weekly Scrapbook

Week's Best Recipe
Peanut Butter Marshmallow Squares: 5 puffed rice or wheat cereal, 1/2 c shortening, 1/2 c peanut butter, 1/2 c marshmallows (about 25), Crisp cereal in moderate oven for 10 minutes. Place in greased bowl. Melt shortening, peanut butter and marshmallows in double boiler. Pour over cereal, stirring well. Pack into a shallow casserole pan, cut and cut in squares. Makes 2 dozen squares.

Clean Shades

Keeping light bulbs clean gives better light, but it is necessary to have lamp shades also clean. Since there are a variety of shade covers, they must be cleaned in different ways. Keep all shades rid of dust by using a soft brush or vacuum cleaner attachment. Stuffed shades of silk or rayon, if soiled and not glued, may be cleaned in warm water with mild soap. Be sure to remove colored trim if uncertain it is not color fast. For hand-painted, chintz, linen or novelty fabrics, have shades dry cleaned. You can sometimes remove soil marks with an Artgum eraser. Parchment shades can be cleaned with liquid wax and wiped dry afterwards. Plastic shades may be cleaned with a soft cloth wrung clean from lukewarm, soapy water. Rinse with clear water.

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Press Agent Tactics
Contrasting with the atomic sentimentality of modern reporters and newsmen is the atomic test case, the Wright brothers, who made the first successful flight in an airplane, went to great lengths to insure the privacy of their experiments by leasing 600 acres around the site. The site was marked by the monument to their achievement. The Wrights had planned to release the news of a successful flight through their father in Dayton, Ohio. They were scooped, however, by Harry P. Moore, marine reporter for the Norfolk Virginian Pilot, who learned of the airplane experiments when he overheard a North Carolinian who was buying Lynahaven papers for "two money Yanknees" who were trying to fly.

Shun Idleness: It is the rust that attacks itself to the most brilliant metals.—Voltaire.

"The man is immortal—his son never said."

Democracy, the great physicist of ancient Greece, was the first man to discover the atom and to post that it was the basis of all matter.

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SHORT STORY

Legacy For Lucy

By MAUDE NORMAN

WHEN John Graham brought his wife home from England, everyone in Glimcove wondered how long the honeymoon would last. I had known him ever since he was a spoiled youngster who thought it fun to see his dog chase my cat. But after I had caught him out in back of the woodshed, one day, preparing to set fire to one of my cat's kittens, he had dipped in kerosene, he left me and my cat alone, because I picked up a stick and gave him the thrashing he deserved.

John must have told Lucy some terrible tales about me because she would not be expected with me to death of me at first. But a score found out I wouldn't bite and we became good friends. That is, good as could be expected with John. He was a man who would not be available in any form that could be used as a practical illustration of the high temperature program was begun to develop alloys into a form that could be used as insulation material and from this was evolved the present form. These fibers were made into light weight batts and textiles, which in turn could be fabricated into pads or blankets that could be wrapped around the hot pipes and fastened into place very easily. These pads met all necessary requirements.

3 Minute Fiction

It was a story of John and I. I did not want him looking at her. She had a hard enough, poor child.

Judge Arnold's mother had come from the same place in England Lucy was from and they became good friends with the same of age. All cavities should be filled when small, and all infected teeth which cannot be successfully treated with fluoride treatment to reduce decay may be recommended by the dentist.

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Amos: "I thing a sharp nose usually indicates curiosity." A good listener is not only popular everywhere, but after a while "indicates too much."
—William Miller.

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When he heard Lucy was to receive a hundred dollars a month. Then he started making plans. "Now I can buy a decent car," he exclaimed, ignoring the fact, as I knew he would, that the money was Lucy's. "A hundred dollars every month, Oh boy!"

The Judge cleared his throat. "The money is to be paid to your wife, Lucy Graham on the first day of every month." He paused impressively—"as long as she lives."

Lucy lay back against the pillow, looking very wan.

"That's because of the flu, isn't it, doctor?" John asked anxiously. "Tell her she'll be all right," he said, then turned to Lucy. "You will need the utmost care in the future," Mr. Graham said solemnly. "She must not get any colds that will tire her under any circumstances."

"I'll take care of her," John exclaimed. "I'll see she's well, Honey, but tell me."

The doctor's face remained perfectly blank, but if the Judge had been a less dignified man, I would have declared he winked at me.

I enjoy sitting watching John out and for so long. She insisted he make a garden and keep it in order. He treats her very tenderly than he did before. He watches her like a hen with one eye. "She understands her medicine. He is afraid she might die and he would lose the hundred dollars a month. But she enjoys having him wait on her."

Sometimes I wonder what he would say if he knew Mrs. Amos had left Lucy the money in a lump sum. I don't believe he would appreciate the interpretation we gave the will.

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ADA NEWS

Mrs. and Mrs. Ralph Averill and daughters, Dawn and Linda, entertained the Richman families at their first annual family reunion held on Sunday, Aug. 29. A luncheon was served at the home of the hostesses. The afternoon was spent at picnic tables set on the lawn. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Richman, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. William Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Barry, all of Ada, and Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Gilman, Janet, Patricia, and Mrs. Albert Hartwell and their family. Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Fitch.

Ada Branch of Kent County Circuit Libraries open Tuesday and Friday. Mrs. Grace Whaley, librarian, has returned from Higgins Lake annual workshop. Ada High School, District No. 1, will open for fall term on Tuesday morning, Sept. 12. Miss L. E. Prevey will be principal again this year with Dick Lester, Mrs. Louella Johnson, Mrs. Nellie Hollis and Mrs. Burgess teachers.

Mrs. and Mrs. Dan Ward and Mr. and Mrs. Robert DeVries, Sharon and Denny left on Monday to stay at the Upper Peninsula. Mercantile Free moving picture show on the Robert Morris lot on Main-st. on Friday evening. Booster Club will have refreshments for sale at their booth on the lot.

Alice Richardson left last Tuesday to spend a week at Grand Point as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Schultz. Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Miller and Sharon of Lowell accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Homer Morris to Beulah on Sunday morning to spend the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Morris.

Charles Morris of Lowell is spending a few days this week visiting his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Morris. Mrs. Ida Morris has returned home from a sight-seeing trip through the South and Washington, D. C. She accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Chaffee and Mrs. Alice Ward of Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parrish and Mrs. Curtis Rogers of Lansing were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson. John Rogers, who had been spending a week with the Andersons, returned home on Monday.

Mrs. Boyd Anderson, Mrs. Harold Kitson of Bozwick Lake and Mrs. Curtis Bostwick of Lansing called on Dwight W. Richardson at Plainfield and the Misses Eva and Rose Dooker at Moffit Hill on Tuesday afternoon. Remember! Keep Friday, Sept. 15, an open date, so you can attend the annual home-made ice cream social at Egypt Grange hall. Everyone invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kulpes Sunday callers at the home of Mrs. Roy Schaffer in Grand Rapids. Mrs. Peter Kamp, James Henry Kamp, Mrs. Harry Posthumus and Mrs. Peter Purdick and Charles motored to Dearborn on Saturday to see Ford's Museum and Village.

Mrs. Mary VanWavel and daughter Anne of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Slager and Annetta were Thursday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Slager and on Sunday afternoon Mrs. Wm. Slager, Betty and Bob went to Grand Rapids to visit Mr. and Mrs. Don Droughtner.

CAMP LAKE

Wm. Wierenga of McCords Ave. is confined to his home by illness. He will be able to return to work in a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Kruft and family of Dufrenoy were Sunday afternoon guests of Mrs. Alma Dahlman.

The ladies of the Alaska Extension Club are arranging a Chubb Study Group. All mothers with children of school age are cordially invited to meet with the club. The meeting will be announced later.

Mrs. and Mrs. Alfred Nordberg of Detroit returned home from Detroit where they were confined at the Ford hospital for the past two weeks. Mrs. Wm. Pettigill and daughter of Cascade spent Thursday with Mrs. Howard Norris.

Among those who enjoyed a steaming hot turkey on Tuesday and Friday, Mrs. Grace Whaley, librarian, has returned from Higgins Lake annual workshop. Ada High School, District No. 1, will open for fall term on Tuesday morning, Sept. 12.

Miss Mary Ann Norris entertained a group of girls of Caledonia school Thursday with a noon day luncheon. The girls brought presents and Mrs. Bernard Passenge and son called on Mrs. Ruth Schaffer.

Experiment With Hops Oregon's crop of hops was cut about one-third last year by mildew. In an effort to cut down this loss, 40,000 English hop cuttings were planted in an experiment in the South and Washington, D. C. Cuttings were taken from English hybrid hops. The hop is a climbing plant, cultivated for the sale of the burlap, which contains a bitter substance and are used for brewing in imparting an agreeable flavor to beer. Duration of the plant varies from 15 to 30 years to an indefinite length of time.

Detaching Potato Sprouts A problem commonly encountered by farmers and homekeepers is that potato sprouts and tubers when stored in warm temperatures. Another problem is that when stored at temperatures below 40 degrees Fahrenheit, the tubers become sweet, warming them for a week or two at temperatures of 70 to 75 degrees will diminish this sweetness. The best method of potato storage is in a cool, dark, well-ventilated place. Duration of the plant varies from 15 to 30 years to an indefinite length of time.

Interest in Geography Americans in and out of school have today a much greater interest in geography than they ever had before. The war focused attention on the study of geography, even by civilians on the home front. In this study the Germans undoubtedly led the world. Before and during the war brightly colored maps presented German children in their kindergarten classes and followed them through every stage of their education, while in this country geography was being relegated to a minor position in nearly every primary and secondary school.

Panama Canal The Panama canal is not only our proudest national possession, but also a vital link in the U. S. chain of defense fortifications. The Canal zone is 50 miles long and about 10 square miles. Approximately 90 square miles of this is under water. The canal itself is about 50 miles in length and 87 feet high. Deep jungle growths crowd densely on the banks. The channel ranges in width from 300 to 1,000 feet; the minimum bottom depth is 41 feet. Completion of the canal resulted in shortening of the water routes between many important ports. Most of the distance by sea between Atlantic and Pacific coast cities of North America.

SHORT STORY

Blind Date

By FERN AUBLE

"ROD, dear?" Mary Trent passed at the foot of the stairs as the available bang of the front door announced the unmistakable arrival of her 17-year-old son. She turned and came toward him, a surge of pride swelling up as it inevitably did when she looked at her tall son. The light, black cap of curls with which he was everlastingly waging battle, was ruffled with the fingers of the brick wall and his black eyes danced with mischief as he hid to a stop before his mother. "Hiya, Tot!" He grinned engagingly and threw an arm around her shoulders, giving her a quick pat on the cheek. "Oh, Rod," she said, laughing in spite of herself, "you're impossible. He struck a pose and sighed heavily. "I'm just one effervescent spirit, ma'am."

Rod followed his mother into the living room, where he sprawled on a chair, his long legs stretched out before him. She looked at him for a moment speculatively, wondering just how to broach the subject upon which he had just right up to her. "Rod, dear, your father wants you to ask Mr. Ferris' daughter to be his date for the dance."

Rod looked at her unbelievably and then bolted upright, indignation in every line of his body. "What?" he exploded. "You haven't asked anyone else, yet have you, but I thought I'd do it for you. You don't have to, but it's a very friendly gesture. After all, the Billings are fairly new here and Mrs. Anderson probably hasn't made many new friends."

"That I can believe," he muttered darkly, a mental vision of the smiling girl in his father's boss in his mind's eye. He turned to his mother now, despairing of her. "Did Dad tell me that Billings girl took her date?" "I'm afraid he did, Rod. I'm sorry, son, but after all, you haven't asked anyone else and your father would be pleased."

"What!" He shoved his hands deep in his pockets and kicked at the rug. "You mean that girl, that right, she's a creep, but tell Dad I'll give my all for the family."

"The next three weeks sped by at an alarming rate. Rod, having called Anna Marie under pressure, redrafted gloomily, as he dressed for the dance. A half hour later, he was ringing the Billings' doorbell. The door opened and a sweet-faced woman was smiling at him. "Oh, you must be Rod," she said, opening the door wide. "Come in, son."

"I'm just one effervescent spirit, ma'am." Rod stepped inside and stood patiently waiting for Anna Marie to come down. He looked up quickly as a faint sound reached him. He heard the vision of loveliness descending the steps.

Her skin was as smooth and creamy white as the petals of a newly-opened magnolia. Her hair, caught up in a soft cluster of curls, was like a nest of ambrosia. He had sent her, under pressure from his mother. Her blue eyes were like cornflowers looking at the dazed look on his face. "I haven't a dream, but, oh, how I'd love to see you, 'Ready for the return.'"

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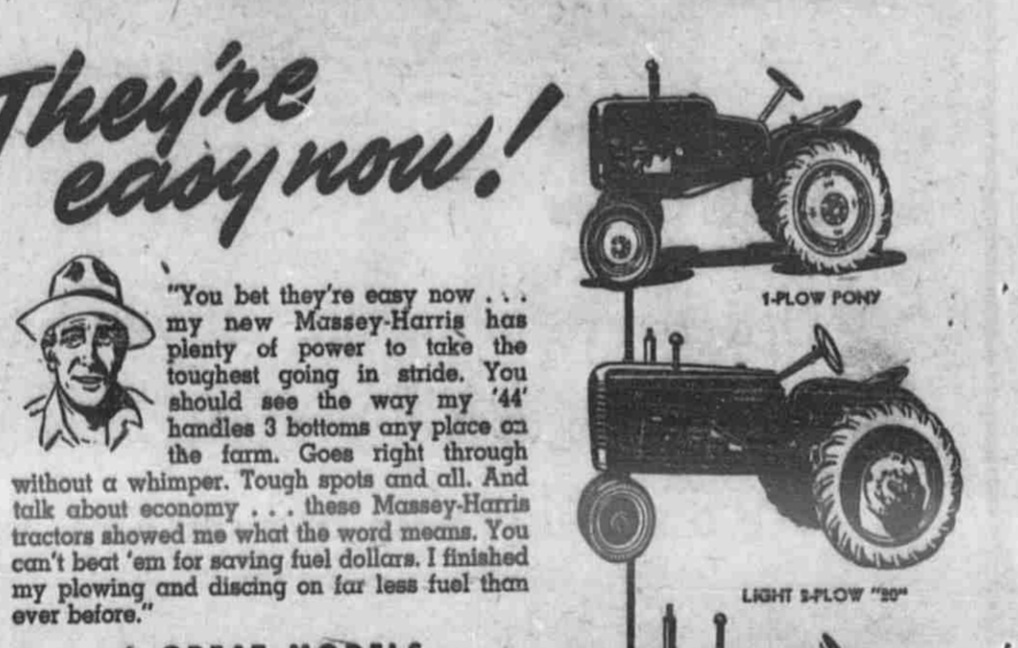
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McCORDS MATTERS

Mrs. James Ballard and son Royal are spending a week with their brother, Erwin Balwin, of Grand Rapids at the latter's cottage at Brooks Lake near Newaygo. Mrs. Addie Campbell spent Tuesday and Wednesday with her nephew, Gilbert Stulphen, in Belding. Her niece, Louise People, returned home from her recent trip to the Soo and spent Wednesday and Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Beech and daughter Carolyn were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Lane and Mrs. James Ballard for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bloomer were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bloomer in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Mattie Matternick visited Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Graham on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Mart Postma visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Postma on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. James Ballard returned from a birthday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bloomer on Sunday in honor of Mrs. Ballard's birthday, about 25 guests being present.

White Circle Meeting The White Circle held their afternoon meeting at Mrs. Fred Pattison's Wednesday, Sept. 7. Mrs. R. T. Lustig will be the speaker.

Black Bear Seen Near Alto Leo Smith could hardly believe his eyes when returning from Alto one afternoon last week to see a big black bear, which apparently had been in the timber near Alto after apples and was making for Dan Wingler's swamp. Probably the bear was on its way to the farm recently on Leo Bryan's. Don't have to go north to see deer or bear anymore.

Surprise Party Mrs. Frank Fairchild was very pleasantly surprised Saturday afternoon, when about twenty of her friends came to her home, while she was in Lowell shopping. She arrived home about three o'clock and found her guests. The tune of "Happy Birthday" was played and by the time the guests had gathered around the table, a dainty lunch was served by her three daughters-in-law and granddaughters. The party was gone and all left wishing her many more happy birthdays.

Ato Locals Monday morning was a good rain and we would all be happy. John Linton is to undergo an operation at the University hospital Tuesday morning and his many friends are hoping for a speedy recovery. His mother, Mrs. Yager and husband, came out of his lovely garden Saturday for themselves and the Lintons. Children will go trekking back to school Tuesday morning. Mrs. Yager and her husband, came out of his lovely garden Saturday for themselves and the Lintons.

Mrs. and Mrs. Stephen Neubecker and Fred Neubecker and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wagner at their home in Dearborn, Saturday. Mrs. Margaret Haas and her family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Marshall all of Holly spent Friday with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fairchild. Elmer remained for a longer visit. Mrs. and Mrs. Chas. Colby and Mrs. Carl Klain of Warren were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Genevieve Graham and Mrs. Pearl Dyer spent a week with the Grant Harrisons and Mrs. Bygott home in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Wm. Fairchild and Mrs. Pearl Fairchild attended the wedding of Miss Barbara Boulard and Marion Appel of Oregon, Saturday afternoon at Brown's restaurant. Ed Clark was married last Monday, Aug. 23 to Mrs. Anna Lark of Hastings. Congratulations. Mrs. H. Dudley Smith returned Friday evening from Librarian's School at Conservation Camp at Roscommon, Higgins Lake. The library board wishes to thank Mrs. Marshall of Campau Lake for her generous contribution of 49 new books to our library, also Mrs. Leta Nye, Mrs. Marion Stauffer and Mrs. Frank Bunker. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Abbott and two children, Mrs. Rayburn and daughter Norma of Grand Rapids were Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kille and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lynn were the Klins supper guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dittman are spending several days with the Roy Yagers at Gun Lake. Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Watson, Lanora and Merie and Mrs. Harry Wood and son Robert called on Mrs. Leta Nye, Mrs. Marion Stauffer and their dinner guests, Mrs. Jennie Yeter and Don and Audie Yeter of Mishawaka, Ind. and Robert of Caledonia, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Colby and son Peter of Battle Creek were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Slater. Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Slater and children, Mr. and Mrs. Leta Nye, Mrs. Marion Stauffer and Mrs. Frank Bunker. Mr. and Mrs. Earl and son-in-law, Fred Harris of Belding. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Moffit of Detroit brought their aunt, Mrs. Emma Moffit, Wednesday, after spending two weeks with them and Guy Jr. and wife and visiting many places of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Neubecker and son Jackie took the Milwaukee Clipper trip Monday, though it was not the enjoyable, the latter part of the trip was rough. Mrs. Ray Lacey accompanied Mr. and Mrs. George Hildman, Rapid to Hastings Monday afternoon to attend the funeral of Mrs. M. P. McPherson. Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Picheur have bought a farm near Cedar Rapids and will be moving there soon. We are sorry to miss them. Mrs. N. A. Dewey and children will go to Ada, Michigan with them and Mrs. Guy Jr. and wife and visiting many places of interest.

VERGENES CENTER

Mrs. and Mrs. Otto Bieri and children of Grand Rapids were Sunday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bieri. Mrs. and Mrs. Russell Davis were Sunday and Monday guests of Mrs. M. B. McPherson. Congressman and Mrs. Jonhman and Mrs. C. H. Hunciman were Sunday evening guests of Mrs. M. P. McPherson. Sunday callers at the Rosa Kerr home were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Balducci and Betty of Holland, Miss Rose Kerry of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Maloney and Ricky, and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kerr. Mrs. Jim Maloney, Mrs. John Huanar and Mrs. Karl Bieri visited Mrs. Ada Hall who is a guest at the Rosa Kerr home.

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Obituary

Anna Elizabeth Wingeier, daughter of Peter and Barbara Ruesegger, was born March 26, 1865 at Berne, Switzerland. She came to Lowell, Mich. and was united in marriage with John Wingeier, December 6, 1890. He preceded her in death November 23, 1941. To this union were born five children: William and Lydia of Grand Rapids, Walter, Mary and John of Lowell.

She departed from this life to live with her Lord, August 24, 1948 at the age of 83 years, 4 months, and 27 days.

Beside the children she is survived by two grandchildren, Geraldine of Denver, Colo., Robert of Grand Rapids and a brother Chris Ruesegger of Lowell.

Funeral services were held Friday at 10:30 a. m. in the Apostolic Christian Church with burial in Oakwood cemetery, Lowell.

She has had an unusual number of friends due to her personality and was known as Grandma to so many outside the family.

In the battle of Santiano, Cuba, between the United States and Spain the Americans lost one killed and ten wounded.

POPULAR Records

- HAIR OF GOLD - Just One More Chance - John Laurens
- THAT SILVER HAired DADDY OF MINE - Your Key Don't Fit My Lock - Any more - Tiny Hill
- RINGS ON MY FINGERS - After The Ball - Benay Venuta
- I LOVE YOU TRULY - Indian Love Call - Fred Lowery
- WOODY WOODPECKER - When Veronica Flays the Harmonica - Kay Kyser
- MIDNIGHT MASQUERADE - Rockin' Horse Cowboy - Frankie Carle
- MOTHER NEVER TOLD ME - You're Over the Hill - Arthur Godfrey
- HOLY COW, YOU'VE DONE IT NOW - Mornin' On The Farm - Dick Jurgens
- LITTLE WHITE LIES - I'll Never Smile Again - Dick Haymes
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Lowell Locals

Mrs. Susie Whitney of Freepert is seriously ill at this writing. All of her children were home during the week-end except Ester Kohl and Mason. Other callers were Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Deming and mother of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Webb and family of Battle Creek and Rev. George Adams of Alaska.

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Up and Down Kent County Roads

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Reports of 49 rural fires came to our desk the past week. Eleven of them were grass fires. The hot dry weather of the past month has set the stage for fires of this sort. Burning rubbish, locomotives, children playing with matches and burning papers were the causes of the fire. Some of the unknown causes were probably cigarettes or matches thrown from cars, for several reports indicated the fires started at the edge of the road. Some of these fires endangered buildings, burned fences and some timber.

A grass fire is easy to set, or to get started from a burning rubbish pile, that care should be taken in dry times. Folks starting fires remember that there are laws covering such things and one can get into trouble without proper permits.

One 4-H fair item I forgot in writing last week's column. The 4-H leaders and club members at the fair named the new dormitory "The Tom Slater Hall" in recognition of the many years that Tom has been president of the Kent County 4-H Club Fair and for his many years of leading a livestock club in Paris Township. A suitable sign will be placed on the building. This new dormitory is one of three units to be eventually built. About 60 boys stayed in the new dormitory and liked it fine.

Soon our office will be getting calls about the "free fly date" for planting wheat. The fly is the Hessian fly which lays its eggs in the young wheat. Damage comes from the larvae of the fly which feed beneath the leaf sheath next to the ground, weakening the plant.

The only satisfactory means of control is to plant wheat after the danger from the fly has passed September 15 is the date for Kent County after which wheat can be sown safely.

Legend has it that the fly came to this country with Hessian soldiers who were brought here by the English in the war for independence.

Four Kent County 4-H leaders were honored on Thursday night of this week at the annual State 4-H Club Fair. Marvin Heft, Jr. of Alpine; Linus Finch of Grand Rapids; Mrs. C. H. Barnum of Grand Rapids; and Thomas Slater of Paris, were given service pins, awards for their years of 4-H leadership work. We couldn't get the number of years each has served but the fact they were so honored is an indication of long years of service. It means organization meetings, attendance at monthly club sessions, county leaders' meetings, getting exhibits ready for fairs, and achievement days, seeing that final reports are written and sent to the county extension office. We have known and worked with all four of these folks. Their clubs have done well under their guidance. The awarded service pin is only a small recognition for a job well done.

Grand Rapids Guernsey Breeders' Association will hold their annual fall sale of pure bred cattle at the 4-H Fair Grounds in Lowell, Thursday, September 30. Committees are busy lining up cattle for the sale. Lyle Hunsberger is chairman of the committee. More details later.

WEDDINGS

Appel-Boulard

Bowne Center church was the scene of a beautiful wedding Sunday afternoon, Aug. 29, at three o'clock, when Barbara Boulard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Boulard of Bowne Center, and Marion Appel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Appel of St. Maries, Idaho, were united in marriage.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and the double ring ceremony was read by the Rev. George F. Bolitho before an altar decorated with candelabra and white gladioli.

Mrs. Esther Simpson sang "O Promise Me" and "Because," accompanied by Marie Nash at the piano, the latter also playing the traditional wedding marches. The bride's gown was of white bridal satin with fitted bodice and long sleeves tapering at the wrist. She wore a fingertip veil with beaded tiara and carried a colonial bouquet of white gladioli.

Miss Gerry Shumaker of Grand Rapids was maid of honor and wore a gown of orchid taffeta. Miss Patricia Lundy, niece of the bride, in aqua taffeta, and Mrs. Doris Moore, cousin of the bride, in yellow taffeta, were bridesmaids. All attendants wore matching head-dresses and gloves and carried colonial bouquets of asters. Little Judy Moore of Dayton, N. Y., in a bridal satin gown styled like the bride's attendants, was flower girl, and Charles Nash carried the ring on a satin pillow.

Assisting as best man was Bob VanDyke, friend of the groom, and William Moore and Ward Boulard, Jr., were ushers.

Mrs. Boulard chose a dress of gray crepe with white accessories and a corsage of red gladioli and Mrs. Appel wore navy blue with white accessories and a corsage of white gladioli.

Following the ceremony, a reception for over 150 guests was held at the W. S. C. E. hall, Mr. and Mrs. Harold C. Lundy were master and mistress of ceremonies.

The couple will spend a two weeks' honeymoon in St. Maries, Idaho, and Seattle, Wash., after which they will reside in Grand Rapids.

Out of town guests were from St. Maries, Idaho, Dayton, N. Y., Grand Rapids, Kalamazoo, DeWitt and Wayland.

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