

Minutes of the Annual Meeting and Financial Statement of Graded School District No. 1

Lowell Township, Kent County, Michigan July 10, 1950

MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL MEETING
The annual meeting of above named school district was held at the Central School Building on Monday, July 10, 1950.

FINANCIAL REPORT
General Fund
Cash balance June 30, 1949: \$10,395.09
Total amount on hand June 30, 1949: \$10,395.09

General Fund - Revenue Receipts
Current operating tax collections: \$18,919.81
Cash: 29.92
Primary money: 12,296.90

General Fund - Budget Expenditures
Salaries of board of education members: \$300.00
Supplies and expense board of education: 1,700.00

Capital Outlay
New buildings, additions, or improvements: \$29,988.87
New equipment: 1,613.04

Receipts
General Property Tax levied for Building and Site Purposes: \$6,828.50
Delinquent tax: 179.00

Expenditures

Capital Outlay
New buildings, additions, or improvements: \$29,988.87
New equipment: 1,613.04

Debt Retirement Fund - Non-Revenue Receipts
Received by transfer: \$2,470.00

Michigan Democrats and Gov. Williams At Loggerheads Over State ADA Unit

By Gene Adams, Party Manager
An Anti-Governor Williams move is afoot in the state, reports the Grand Rapids Press.

CLARKSVILLE
Mrs. Rosemary Howlett
Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Vanderwater and a family of Nashville

West Lowell
Mrs. Melvin Court
Mr. and Mrs. Doug Murray and Tom Burns of Detroit spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bentley and family were guests of his sister Mrs. Ann Boardman Jackson

Showboat Echoes

(Continued from first page)
Grand Goodwood, 17-year-old Lake Odessa boatman, was called back for encore.

Foreman Road
Mrs. Edna Taylor
Misses Judy, Sandra and Margie Holmstrom spent Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Taylor.

Michigan Bond Drive
Secretary Snyder announced today that national sales of Series E Bonds in the Independence Drive

YOUR WASHINGTON REVIEW
There is no dispute in Congress about increasing our military appropriations. The President has requested \$20 billion for the fiscal year 1951.

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SMOKED HAMS 45c

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LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Peter Vos and Miss Leona Olds of Flint were Thursday guests of Mrs. Kittie Charles and attended the Showboat in the evening. Saturday evening guests of Mrs. Charles were Leone Malone and Miss Spaulding of McCords and Miss Dorothy Lawyer of Cascade, all of whom attended the Showboat.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Townsend of East Lansing came Tuesday to spend a few days with his mother, Mrs. Jennie Townsend, Mrs. C. H. Freeman of Chicago visited her sister, Mrs. Townsend, several days of last week.

Mrs. Neville Davern of Pawama and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wingeler and sons of St. Johns attended the Showboat and were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wingeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kyser of Washington, D. C., who are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Kyser, are vacationing in Northern Michigan this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lape of Dowagiac visited at the Howard Bartlett and C. M. Himebaugh homes several days of last week and attended the Showboat.

Saturday callers at the home of Mrs. Jennie Townsend were Mrs. M. Watson and three boys of Nashville, Tenn., and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Romain of Grand Rapids.

Sunday callers at the Chaffee-Goozen home in Vergennes were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Barie and Mr. and Mrs. Gray and nephew, Carl Wood, of Reading and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dykema and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dykema of Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Raymond Hesche of Seelye Corners returned home from Mayo Bros. at Rochester, Minn., Thursday, but expects to return after a few months for a major operation.

Mrs. George Archart and son are spending a few days of this week at the Hilton cottage at Long Lake.

Church Bowler and Herb Miller of Williamston spent from Wednesday to Friday with the former's grandmother, Mrs. Mary Bowler, Miss Clara Marie Bowler, of Williamston and a friend from Detroit were guests of Mrs. Bowler Saturday and attended the Showboat.

Mrs. Harold Braden and daughter, Mrs. Wm. Stevens and baby of Jackson visited from Thursday to Sunday at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. John F. Roth. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Braden of Jackson spent the week-end at the Roth home and attended the Showboat.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brezina, Harold Brezina and friend, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Katt and Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Gibson of Jackson attended the Showboat Wednesday evening and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Roth and sons.

Fourteen commissioners and their wives were Showboat and luncheon dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Runciman Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Radford was called to Hastings early Saturday morning by the sudden death of her mother, Mrs. Lewis Miller, who had been in poor health for several years and had but recently been taken from Penonek hospital in Hastings to her home, Mr. and Mrs. Miller were planning to make their home in Lowell so as to be near their daughter.

The Book Ten met Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. Charles E. White, "A City in the Forest" by Bert Darling was reviewed by Mrs. Howard Krum.

Mr. and Mrs. Don MacNaughton and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Behnke of Howard City spent from Friday until Monday with Mrs. MacNaughton's relatives in Milwaukee, Wis. Enroute they visited Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Andrews in St. Joseph.

Mrs. Florence Bailey, Lester Bailey and Miss Nellie Tiffany are on a three weeks' vacation trip through the west. They plan to visit Mrs. Hattie Hoag at Twin Falls, Idaho, and will return by way of Yellowstone National Park. Lone Pine Inn will be closed during their absence.

Robt. I. White of New Carlisle, Ind., has been visiting his brother, Dr. F. E. White, for the past few days.

Merriman Farm Bureau

The Merriman Community Farm Bureau met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Roth. Our song leader, Keith Graham, was absent so Katherine Merriman and Ruth Ann Shade each played a piano selection which we enjoyed very much. John Graham led the business meeting followed by discussion leader, O. K. Graham on "Consumer's Ideas About Producers". The August meeting will be held at the S. W. Wingeler home. Delicious refreshments were served by the host and hostess.

Kent Ag. Topics

Notes from Kent County Extension Agriculture

Jon Nannemans, one of the visiting farmers from the Netherlands, is spending a couple of weeks at E. W. Rueh's, Caledonia, to study United States methods in dairy farming. Jon comes from a general farming area in the Netherlands. He spent the early part of the summer on a potato farm in Maine. On August 19 he will go to a sugar beet farm in Minnesota. Jon has relatives in Grand Rapids and stopped in to visit them on his way across the country. While here he thought it would be an opportunity to learn a little about the dairy farms in this country.

The weather has made wheat harvest almost impossible. The elevators inform us that quite a little of the grain brought in is too wet. They can't safely store wheat that has above 14% moisture. Check the moisture content before combining or threshing. You can get it tested at the elevator, or use the salt test.

The 4-H fair books are ready for distribution. Summer club members, leaders and others directly connected with the fair should receive their copy in the next few days. Remember, the fair dates, August 23 to 25.

Cedar Springs annual Farmers' Day will be held this year August 10 with a larger 4-H-F. F. A. fair than previously. About 75 entries are expected. Five registered calves will be given away by the following merchants, Jack Pollock, Cordy Wallace, Cedar Springs State Bank, Carl Stout and Art Ploeg. A parade at noon, baseball game, fine arts, horsepulling contest, dance and fireworks will fill out the day.

Hold Open House On Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bartlett will hold Open House Sunday, Aug. 6, from 2:00 to 6:00 and 7:00 to 9:00 p. m. in observance of their 25th wedding anniversary. Their daughter, Mrs. Helen Eyles, is in charge of the arrangements.

The Bartletts have lived their entire married life in Lowell and vicinity but are planning soon to leave for their new home in Florida.

Vergennes Boosters

The Vergennes Boosters met for their eighth meeting on July 24. Our next meeting we are going on a hayride to see all of the members' projects.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ryder will serve the next meeting on Aug. 4. —Geraldine Ryder, Reporter.

Snow Com. Dairy Club

The Snow Community 4-H Dairy Club held their July 27th meeting at the home of Cora Lee Croninger where they continued with their outdoor activities. At their business meeting they planned to take a picnic lunch to the Ionia Fair the day they judge 4-H livestock to watch the judging.

The evening ended with a delicious lunch served by Mrs. Croninger. —Phyllis Coia, Reporter.

Sweet Busy Bodies

The Sweet Busy Body 4-H Club was held Monday night at the home of June and Joan Wissman. Meeting was called to order by President Gerald Wells. Discussion on getting livestock ready for the Fair was held. Club decided to hold regular meetings every two weeks.

Meeting adjourned followed by several lively games. Refreshments were served by the hostesses. —Patty Rittenger, Reporter

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our husband and uncle, William A. Schrader, who passed away August 4, 1949, one year ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Forward Mrs. Jessie Schrader, and Family. c14

Send your news to the Ledger.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. David Coons, August 2, at Blodgett hospital, an 8 lb., 1 oz. daughter, Laura Elizabeth.

To Mr. and Mrs. Duke Thomet (nee Marylyn Collins), July 19, at Blodgett hospital, a 7 lb., 9 oz. daughter, named Lynn Marie.

To Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Finela, July 23, at Butterworth hospital, an 8 lb., 7 oz. boy, Peter Thomas.

To Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth H. VanDerWart of Ada at St. Mary's hospital, Thursday, July 27, a 7 lb., 3 oz. daughter, Kay Marie.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clark, (Iris Briggs) at Blodgett hospital July 31, a 6 lb., 14 oz. son, Lisle Lonson.

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I wish to thank the postal employees, friends of the church and those who sent me cards, fruit and flowers during my stay at the hospital and at home.

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