



It's To Laugh!
To laugh is to be free from worry. He who doesn't worry lives a long time. To live a long time is to last. Hence, he who laughs, lasts.—Sunshine Magazine.

The donkey ball game which has been postponed two or three times because of conflicting dates is again making the front page. The new date is Thursday, Sept. 14. Harley York is 30 authority for the above statement.

Harley York, Ralph Townsend, Howard Perry and Bill Haymer left Monday morning for the Upper Peninsula for a four or five days fishing trip. We may expect some tall tales when these disciples of Isaac Walton get back home.

What's the old saw about the fisherman who goes forth early in the morning and the truth is not in him?

Mrs. Florence McDannell Winger (Mrs. G. M.) sends the Ledger the following from her home in San Jose, Calif.:
"It is about time to renew our subscription and we must not be without our weekly message from the old home town. The Ledger has been part of our household equipment ever since we established a home and while each year we find it fewer familiar names we are always interested in Lowell and its activities."

"The famous Showboat does intrigue us and we are still hoping some day to be able to attend."
The only arrest reported during the Showboat was made by Deputy Frank Stephens, who picked up Robert Brewer, 19, Paul Dunning, 15, Ronald Hertz, 18 and Arnold Irving, 20, all of Holland, for drinking and accosting in the village parking lot at the rear of the Showboat on Friday night, July 28. The men were fined a total of \$67.20 in Justice Springett's court last Saturday morning.

Though the Rev. Hubert S. Ellis of Belding was pressed for time in his visit to the Rotary Club luncheon last week Wednesday, because of an appointment to officiate at a funeral, he nevertheless made an address on "World Affairs" which left a lasting impression on the group.

Mr. Ellis leads a busy life, though he retired from the active ministry in the Congregational church some years ago. He has married so many couples in his career as minister that he has acquired the title of the "Marryin' Parson."

We have been told that the knots he has tied with his one hand are as well fastened that they stay tied.
Jokes, jests, jabs and jibes just by Jeff: Visiting European orphans find American traffic a puzzle. Well, so do we. . . Lots of Jack makes all work play. . . There are women who would rather do without an old-age pension than to declare her age. . . According to a Lowell resident, we seem to be living in an age of experts. The average man is lost in the shuffle. . . The man who saves money to don't ain't a miser, he's a magician.

Nearly \$60,000 Gas Tax Money for Kent

Vouchers to return \$1,275,000 in state gasoline tax money to the counties, cities and incorporated villages of the state as the first half of 1950 payments provided for in Act 150 of the P. A. of 1927, for expenditure on county road and city and village street improvements, have been prepared by the State Highway Department and sent to the Auditor General's office for payment. Highway Commissioner Chas. M. Ziegler announces Kent County's portion amounts to \$58,950.29.

8,000 Acres Mapped in Soil Conservation

Glenn Converse and Wilbur Kellogg, Farm Planners for the United States Soil Conservation Service, announced that soil mapping in the North-East and North-West Kent Soil Conservation Districts is nearly completed for this season. Approximately eight thousand acres have been mapped in the entire county this year.

A complete soils map is the first step taken in developing a plan for soil and water conservation on any farm, and from this map the soil technician can determine whether the soil is naturally droughty or wet, crops and rotations best suited for each particular type of soil, fertilizer recommendations and other factors relative to proper land use.

If the Soil Conservation Service has overlooked any individuals or groups of farmers who wish to have their farms mapped this season it is suggested that they contact the Rockford Headquarters of the Soil Conservation Service.

NOTICE, LAW PATRONS
I will not be in my law office from August 11-26 inclusive, due to National Guard training. Mr. McMahon will have office hours Wednesday evenings and all day Saturdays. c15-16 George R. Cook

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC
I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by anyone other than myself. John P. Freeman, August 13-15

Community Picnic Thursday, Aug. 17 Everybody Welcome

The annual community picnic will be held on Thursday, Aug. 17, at Fallsburg Park, for the residents of Lowell and surrounding territory. The picnic is sponsored by the Lowell Board of Trade and there's always a large crowd on hand to compete in the various games and visit with friends and neighbors.

Splendid work for the success of the community picnic is being performed by A. H. Stormzand and his committee, William S. Doyle, George Story, Forrest Buck, Carroll Burch, Ray Avery, Theron Richmond Newton, Grimwood, Carl Munroe, Mac Fonger, Carl Freyermuth, Arnold Fairchild, L. E. Johnson, Byron McMahon, Herman Weisman, Albert Hermans, G. R. (Butch) Thompson, Armand Hammond and Cornelius Koert.

Sports and Contests
Festivities and sports will start at 2 p. m. There will be softball, quoit pitching, tug-of-war, and other games and contests for everyone. Free beans and a free dance are the highlights of the picnic, with many valuable prizes being donated by local business places for the beano game.

A basket lunch will be served at 6:30 o'clock. Ice cream, coffee and soft drinks will be furnished by the Board of Trade.
For those who have no car there will be transportation leaving the city hall at 1:30 p. m. . . . Every one is invited to attend so bring your family and neighbor if you have room for them to ride.

Lowell Bd. of Trade Softball Standings

Final results and standings of the Lowell Board of Trade softball league at the end of the last round of play:
August 1-Rittenger 9, King Mill 1
August 2-Ada 18, VFW 6; Ada 13, Christiansen's 2.

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| Rittenger's | 4 | 0 |
| Ada | 3 | 1 |
| Christiansen's | 2 | 2 |
| VFW | 1 | 4 |
| King Mill | 0 | 4 |

Thursday, Aug. 3, in the championship played between Christiansen's first round winners and Rittenger's Insurance, the second round winners, Wayne Schmidt was in rare form, pitching a beautiful two hit game and driving in the winning runs with a three base hit with two men on bases in the seventh inning to defeat Rittenger's 5 to 2 for the league championship. This was the best game of the season.

This Thursday, Aug. 10, at 8:30 p. m. the Board of Trade softball league's All Stars will play the Lowell Moose. The All Stars will be out to beat the Moose this year. Last year the Moose had to go into seven innings before they defeated the All Stars. A good crowd should turn out for this game.

Mills Bros. Circus Thursday, August 17

The Grand Rapids Exchange Club is sponsoring the Mills Bros. Circus ring circus at the Constock Park Speedway grounds on Thursday, Aug. 17.

There will be an afternoon and evening performance. Half of the money obtained from advance ticket sales stays in Grand Rapids and is used for Youth projects which are sponsored throughout the year by the Exchange Club.

Moose Play All-Stars Here Friday, Aug. 11

The Lowell Moose softball team will take on the fastest ball club in the eastern half of the state on Friday night, when they play the well-known All-Stars. This is the best team to come to Lowell in many years and a sharp fast game is assured.

Big Car Races Sunday At Owosso Speedway

On Sunday afternoon, Aug. 13th, there will be another sensational big car race sanctioned by the Central States Racing Association, at the beautiful Owosso Motor Speedway, when the kings of the roaring road will again be racing against time, trying very hard to set a new world's record.

The half-mile track is in excellent condition, and is getting faster with each run. The oil-clay surface will eliminate all dust. Time trials will start at 12:30 p. m. and the first race promptly at 2:30 p. m.

4-H Club Fair Dates
The Kent County 4-H Club Fair at Lowell will be held the week of August 22 through 25. 13-16

Lowell Girl Awarded Firsts at Ionia Fair

Miss Marilyn Rickett, employee at C. H. Runciman Co., and 4-H enthusiast, walked off with most of the honors in one department at Ionia Free Fair this week. Marilyn had 1st in vegetable, 1st in flower specimen, 1st in clothing and 2nd in flower arrangement.

Two Women Injured In Crossing Crash

Lila M. Bush of Grand Rapids was fined \$50 and costs in Justice Springett's court Monday when she was arraigned for reckless driving after crashing into the rear of two cars which were waiting for a train at the C & O crossing on west Main Street last Wednesday evening.

E. E. Sigler, Former Lowell Businessman Dies Unexpectedly

The Ledger has received word from Mrs. Ethel Sigler of Miami, Fla., that her husband, E. E. Sigler, died unexpectedly on Sunday, July 9. Mr. Sigler, jeweler and optician, for several years conducted a store at 101 E. Main St., Lowell, which he later sold to G. C. Kent, now deceased.

Mrs. Sigler writes: "We were visiting our friends at Jackson, Mich., and getting a picnic lunch ready. I stood and talked with him and went into the kitchen, heard a funny noise, and he was gone." Funeral and burial services were held at Fremont Thursday, July 13. Mrs. Sigler then returned to the home at 448 NE 18th St., Miami Fla., with her son David.

Sully Half Dozen Hold Annual Picnic

The annual picnic and business meeting of the Sully One-Half Dozen was held near Fallsburg Saturday evening, Aug. 5, 1950. Light refreshments were served and officers for the incoming year were installed as follows: President, L. J. VanTatenhove; vice president, C. R. Doyle; secretary, R. Fonger; treasurer, W. C. Denlock; Chaplain and Sergeant at Arms, D. P. Roth; reporter, R. I. Story.

Lowell Band Picnic

Lowell High School Band will enjoy a picnic Tuesday Aug. 15, at Grand Haven Oval. The bus will leave the school at 9:30 o'clock. Bring swim suit for a dip in Lake Michigan. Lunches will be furnished. All band members must go on the bus.

Snow Com. Dairy Club

Snow Community 4-H Club met Tuesday night, Aug. 1, with approximately 25 attending. Our dairy group talked about going to the Ionia Fair Monday where they would judge 4-H cattle. We discussed several other items including our hayride then the meeting was adjourned.

Reunions

The annual reunion of the Mrs. Rosa Kerr family met at Fallsburg Park Sunday, Aug. 6, with 49 in attendance, coming from Detroit, Chicago, Lansing, Kalamazoo, Holland, White Cloud, Nunica, Grand Rapids and Lowell.

Closed for Week

The Vanly Beauty Shop announces the shop will be closed for redecorating from Monday, Aug. 14 until Monday Aug. 21, when it will re-open. c15

YOUR SIZE IS HERE
Still a balanced range of sizes in our special group of fall-weight suits. Were \$58 and \$60—now \$48.40 at Coon's.

Sewer Problems Highlight Monday's Council Meeting

The Common Council had several problems involving the village sewer system brought to its attention at the council meeting on Monday night, which would require the expenditure of large sums of money which, according to village officials, is not available.

First to appear was Walter Gibson, who told the council that there was a bottleneck in the sewer near his home on Washington Street. According to Mr. Gibson the sewer is too small to handle the large amounts of overflow water during storms, the water and sewage backs up in his yard.

Next to appear was Howard Thurlert, Jr., who lives at 923 N. Washington Street. He asked the council to extend the sewer two blocks to take care of several homes which now have to use septic tanks which are generally unsatisfactory.

Orville Nelson, Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Market Enforcement, was present at the council meeting to inquire on the proposed sewer to take care of Main Street stores on the bridge.

William Christiansen reported to the council that Albert Roth, village engineer, had sketched plans for a sewer down the rear of the Main street stores. This would be laid in the river bottom and would have to be run through to Monroe street to connect with the present sewer system.

Farm Bureau Urges All Rural Voters to Register and Vote

The Ionia County Farm Bureau is launching a "Get out the Rural Vote" campaign and the work will be done through a county committee.

A meeting of this committee was held in the Farm Bureau office in Ionia July 31 at which plans were formulated for an organized effort to get out the rural voters in Ionia County for the coming elections. The committee wishes to stress the fact that August 23rd is the last day to register for the September 12th primaries. This can be done at the office or home of the township clerk.

COMING EVENTS

Regular meeting of the Clark-Ellis Post No. 152, American Legion, will be held Monday, Aug. 14, at 8:00 p. m. at Post clubrooms, E. Main St.

There will be a meeting of the Showboat Garden Club board at 8 o'clock Saturday morning, Aug. 12, at the home of Mrs. John Bergin.

The August meeting of the Meridian Farm Bureau will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Winegar.

The St. Mary's Altar Society will meet Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Bert Myers.

The South Lowell Extension Class will meet Tuesday, Aug. 15, at the home of Mrs. Alvin Wells. The lesson will be out of doors on Out-Door Cookery.—V. VanVorst, Reporter.

The Showboat Garden Club will meet Monday, Aug. 14, at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. Goulet Beite. For roll call members will bring a specimen bloom.

The Swiss Ladies' Aid will meet at Fallsburg Park Thursday afternoon, Aug. 17, in the same place as last year. Please bring table service.

St. Rita Circle of St. Mary's Church will meet Tuesday evening, Aug. 15, at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Albert Dalstra, 506 N. Vergennes.

The W. R. C. will meet in the City Hall Wednesday, August 16, at 8 o'clock.

Funeral Rites Tuesday For Mrs. Wm. Lessiter

Funeral services for Mrs. Edith Viola Lessiter, 59, of Route 3, Belding, Past Matron of Venus Chapter, No. 107 OES, who died Saturday were held Tuesday afternoon from the Ashley Church with burial in Ashley cemetery.

She was the former Edith Smith and a native of Kent City. Mrs. Lessiter was a member of Ashley Baptist Church and its women's organizations, the White Shrine of Jerusalem of Greenville, Geo. Fellowship Club, Jolly Washington Club, the Columbian Club, and the Country Town Club.

Surviving are her husband, William; four daughters, Mrs. Irene Bush, Mrs. Ruby Longstreet, Nancy and Priscilla Lessiter; a son, Wayne; her mother, Mrs. H. D. Smith; two sisters and one brother.

Future Programs for Lowell Rotary Club

Gerald Rollins announces the following Rotary Club speakers for the balance of August:
August 16, C. A. Mapes, program chairman, has secured Harlow C. Roberts of Gooding, Joyce & Morgan, Inc., Chicago, who will speak on the subject, "Telling the World."
August 23, W. A. Roth, program chairman, will have 4-H Boys as speakers.
August 30, Bruce Walter, program chairman, will introduce Frank Battistella, who has chosen for his subject, "Opportunities in the Field of Science for Local Boys and Girls."

Allen Lasby Is Our Newest Businessman

Allen Lasby has purchased York's Friendly Service at 526 E. Main St. and will conduct the business under the name Allen's Friendly Service.
Mr. Lasby, who is only eighteen years of age, is probably the youngest, as well as the newest businessman on the street. Being the third generation of business men we may expect him to make good as those before him have done.

The Friendly Service changed hands Monday morning and Mr. Lasby has taken over the operation. Mr. Lasby has taken over with a smile which promises future prospects in his new venture are very good.

America's Elder Statesman Condemns Truman Plan Bid for More Inflation

By Gene Althaus, Sec'y—Manager Michigan Free Association
Illustrating the A-1 problem of Michigan governments since Pearl Harbor is this personal story of how your "Michigan Mirror" writer in 1940 invested \$75 to buy a \$100 U.S. Defense bond.
That was ten years ago. The bond will come due next month—September. In ten years the value of the investment will have increased \$2 1/2 per cent, or about 3 1/2 per cent each year. Our profit in terms of 1940 dollars will be \$25.
But what has happened to the purchasing power of the 1940 dollar? No secret about that. It is worth about 60 cents, probably a bit less.

The loss is \$40. Thus, our \$75 bond investment of 1940 is going to bring us \$60 worth of 1940 dollars. That, ladies and gentlemen, is what inflation has done to Michigan governments and Michigan citizens in the past ten years. By constantly driving down the purchasing power of the dollar, inflation causes a perpetual off-balance. As cost of living goes up, wages must be increased. As wages go higher, prices must go up. It's a senseless merry-go-round at the best.

Our purpose in calling attention to our 1940 investment is not to criticize the buying of government bonds. Our intangible return from that 1940 bond was the priceless heritage of freedom, our American way of life. And I would have lost it if Germany and Japan had won World War II.
We would like to emphasize one point: The postwar inflation problems of Michigan governments and Michigan people will become WORSE, not better unless our government at Washington acts immediately to avoid the tragic mistakes of World War II.

Every now and then a voice is heard at Washington which courageously forewarns against the needless price of inflation.

Bernard Baruch, chairman of the 1918 War Industries Board during World War I, has been advisor to two presidents through two world wars. Recently he appeared before the Senate Banking and Currency Committee at Washington. He condemned the Truman plan for priorities over production (without price and wage controls) as an open invitation to more inflation.

Here is a quotation: "It may be argued that the menace of inflation is not so frightful today, since we are not yet at war. Actually, the danger is greater. Today our economy already is operating at full blast, with little or no slack. Our national debt is about

Lowell Youths Win Grand Championships

Ionia Free Fair and 4-H clubs have brought out a large number of exhibits of livestock in which 4-H members have shown remarkable skill in handling.
Grand Championship winners from the Lowell area who are exhibiting livestock at the Ionia Free Fair this week are:

To Vote in Primary Register by Aug. 23

In order to vote in the primary election on September 12 it is necessary to be registered by August 23. If you are just twenty-one, or have moved in the past six months, or have not voted in the past two years go to your township clerk and ask for a registration blank.
The primary election on September 12 is one of the most crucial in years. At that time each party will nominate its candidates for the addition to the agricultural program at the fair this year.

FFA and 4-H Clubs Sponsor Judging in Grain, Hay Contest

C. H. Runciman is awarding prizes at Ionia Free Fair in Friday morning's program in the hay and grain judging contest. This contest open to all farmers is sponsored by the FFA and 4-H Club members of Ionia and adjoining counties and is a new addition to the agricultural program at the fair this year.
Members of the Keene-Easton 4-H Club and Douglas Arnold, Agricultural Supervisor, are supervising the contest, which consists of four samples each of wheat, oats, beans, June clover seed and alfalfa hay mixtures.

There is a large representation from Genesee who have outstanding educational booths.
Your bathing suit will give you longer service and more lasting looks if you always wash it promptly after wearing it, especially if you have worn it in chlorinated water. Dried salt or sand can have a bad effect on both the color and the fabric.

Three Cinderellas In a Row, Boast of Egypt Grange, Ada

Egypt Grange, near Ada, Kent County, is the only subordinate Grange in Michigan to have one of its women members selected as country "cinderella" in each of the three successive years of the Grange "mystery rides."
Mrs. Burt Wermuth of Holly, Michigan State Grange lecturer and chairman of the Grange Prizes selection committee, calls the coincidence "unique" for the state.
This year's cinderella is Virginia Smith, Lowell high school graduate who has been a member of Egypt Grange for six years. Virginia is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith of Ada.
Last year Miss Jeanne Thomet of Ada was selected cinderella, and the previous year it was Miss Shirley Canfield of Lowell who carried Egypt Grange to the top of the county event climaxing the mystery ride of Kent County grangers over county highways.

Michigan State Fair Detroit, Sept. 1-10 Has Added Features

The Michigan State Fair, according to General Manager James D. Friel, is featuring more free entertainment and educational features this year than at any time since the fair was started over a century ago. It will be held September 1 through 10 in Detroit.
For the first time in recent years there will be an art exhibit at the Fair under the directions of Polly Lours, of the home arts department, arrangements have been made to exhibit works of those Michigan artists who have won prizes within the past year.

Free chest X-ray examinations will be available to all State Fair visitors over 15 years of age this year through joint efforts of the Detroit Department of Health and the Tuberculosis and Health Society. Dr. Joseph G. Molner, Detroit commissioner of health, says everyone attending the Fair is invited to have a chest X-ray without cost. The unit will be open every weekday, Sept. 1 through 10. The X-rays are taken through ordinary street clothing.

Clarksville Youth for Christ

The Rev. H. J. Hinkle who broadcasts over radio station W. K. Z. O. will be the guest speaker at the Clarksville Area Youth for Christ movement Saturday night, Aug. 12, at the Elmdale Church of the Brethren. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Building Permits

The following building permits were granted at Monday night's meeting of the Common Council:
Louis Baker, N. Amity St., 28x32 dwelling.
William Yates, 916 W. Main St., 32x33 addition for dwelling and storage on his store building.
Clarence M. Smith, 940 E. Main St., 40x24 store building, to be used as a grocery store.

Thomas Jefferson introduced waffles to America.

Livestock Parade Barbecued Chicken 4-H Fair Features

E. W. Ruehs, chairman of the finance committee of the 4-H Club Fair told approximately seventy-five 4-H Club leaders last Thursday evening at their annual summer meeting held at Camp Vining. Ledge of the committee's plans to clear the present indebtedness on the lodge and the barns at the 4-H Fair grounds and to start a building fund for new buildings at the 4-H Fair Grounds.

Barbecued Chicken for 3,000
Mrs. McPherson said they expected to serve 3,000 people barbecued chicken between 4 and 9 p. m. The chicken will be barbecued in butter over an outdoor charcoal pit by Mr. Zindel of the Extension Department of M. S. C. and will cost \$1.25 a serving. Mrs. McPherson also said the committee in charge would pack the chicken in boxes to take out if you so desired.

Annual Livestock Parade

The 4-H Club members will also have their annual parade of livestock the evening of August 24th. Among those attending last Thursday's meeting were Mrs. Esther Fales of Sparta, chairman of the North-West District; Mrs. Pearl Boerma of Marne, chairman of the West-Central District; Mrs. Lester Antonides and Mrs. William VanVorst of Lowell, acting chairmen of the South-East District; Mrs. Harrington, chairman of the North-East District; and Mrs. O. K. Graham of Lowell, chairman of the South-East District were unable to attend the meeting.—Mrs. Charles Timpon, Publicity Chairman, 4-H Club Fair.

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A unique statement such as this might well be marked down in the annals of baseball.

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Scientists have been combating man's biggest medical problem, that of growing old. They have added years to the life span by overcoming many of the diseases of youth, have increased life expectancy, making our world healthier. But—after we reach this old age, 40 per cent more of people past 60 are invalids, 57 per cent more at the age of 65.
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Remaining work will be completed next summer, the conservation department's geological survey division reports.
Construction of the "reference points" is under the guidance of Prof. Jerry Service of the Michigan College of Mining and Technology.

NOTICE

All persons with claims against the Milton Dee Rogers Estate should contact George Rogers, Lowell, Mich. c15-17

Members of 4-H Clubs "learn by doing." Each 4-H Club member must complete a project on the farm or in the home during the year.

THE UNITED NATIONS FLAG
Some staunch adherents of the UN have objected to its official blue and white flag being used on Korean battlefields, that this flag is a symbol of peace and should not be identified with war in the minds of the people. The United Nations flag does stand for peace but it stands for justice, a promise of the UN. It is the united efforts of nations, through military strength if need be, to get justice for nations, through enforcement. There has been armed forces, representative of the UN, for the purpose of protecting its officials who are working in the interest of peace. No, you can't find everyone feeling the same way about the use of the blue and white flag, but ask the dissenters if they would have peace without justice, justice without peace or peace AND justice.

OUR CONGRATULATIONS

Sport fans know of the ado in Boston about Ted Williams, the Red Sox star, who didn't take a boomer from the fans, in good grace and gentlemanly manner. Then the crowd were somewhat scoured on the same Ted Williams because he refused to tip his hat to the fans who applauded his home runs.
Maybe Mr. Williams wishes the audience wouldn't be so fickle. But, anyhow, whether the whole thing is childish and silly, we want to go on record of tipping our hat to Ted Williams!
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A Senate Appropriations Committee report recently disclosed that there are 61 separate Government printing and duplicating plants in Washington, D.C., 23 in San Francisco, 22 in Philadelphia, 16 in Chicago, 6 in Kansas City, 5 in Denver, 16 in New York, and so on.

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Michigan Travel Guide Useful New Booklet
Out-of-door enthusiasts who enjoy Michigan's beautiful roadside parks will be interested to know about a new Michigan road map just off the press. This new travel booklet called the "Guide to Michigan's Roadside Recreational Facilities" is the first of its kind ever published in the state. Every one of Michigan's roadside park areas are spotted along the routes by a special color symbol and by means of a special cross-reference the tourist can determine the exact number of miles from the nearest city as well as a description of the facilities available.

This latest Michigan Guide is a very useful travel booklet and is distributed as a public service through the Auto-Owners Travel Bureau in Lansing.

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Weekly Scrapbook
Week's Best Recipe
Baked Fish for the week: Trim one stein from 2 lbs. spinach. Cook until just tender, chop fine, drain well. Melt 2 T butter in saucepan, add 1 T minced onion, cook 1 minute. Stir in 2 T flour. Add 1/2 c milk, 1 T salt, 1/4 t nutmeg. Cook, stirring constantly until sauce thickens and boils. Remove from heat, stir in 1/4 c mayonnaise. Combine with spinach and place in bottom of greased casserole. Arrange fish fillets on top of spinach. Blend together 2 T fat, 1 t kitchen bouquet, 1/2 t salt, dash of pepper. Spread mixture over fillets. Bake in moderate oven (375) about 25 min.

For Dark Cottens
With dark sheers and cottens so popular this summer, as well as being worn during the winter in blouse, it is best to wash them less often than you think they should. Use a good soap or detergent and then rinse thoroughly. A plastic starch is especially good for crispness, because it penetrates. The results are achieved by allowing the garments to dry completely before dipping into the starch water.

Use of Tape
Now the gardeners have found many uses for cellophane tape. One suggests using a strip of it over the split of ripening tomatoes that become partially rotted. The tape prevents deterioration. Stems of flowers or bushes that bend or break partially may be wrapped with the tape. Cellophane tape holds climbing bushes to a trellis. With very young smooth-barked trees, wrap two or more bands of the tape, sticky side out, completely around the trunk to prevent bugs and insects from crawling up to destroy the leaves or buds.

SEVEN WAYS TO AVOID POLIO
Although children between the ages of 5 and 10 are the most likely to develop Polio, there has been a noticeable increase in recent years, in victims of the disease. Learn the symptoms of Polio—protect your family by reading "Polio Insurance" in The American Weekly with next Sunday's (August 23) issue of The Detroit Sunday Times.

Phone 9101, Showboat Inn, for delivery.

Circulation of Air Helps Prevent Mildew in Hot, Muggy Weather
Muggy, warm, summer weather is the ideal time for the mold to grow that causes mildew. They thrive on cloth, paper, wood and leather. Mrs. Clara Meyer, Michigan State College extension specialist, said that mildew discolors, leaves a musty odor and causes decay.

First step in preventing mildew is to remove moisture. Windows and doors should be opened for air flow only when the air outside is cooler and drier than the air inside. A cool night is a good time to freshen the air in the entire house and a little heat in a stove will speed up the drying process.

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One of the chemicals available to absorb moisture is calcium chloride. If a musty odor persists it may be removed by sprinkling chloride of lime in the area, as on basement floors.

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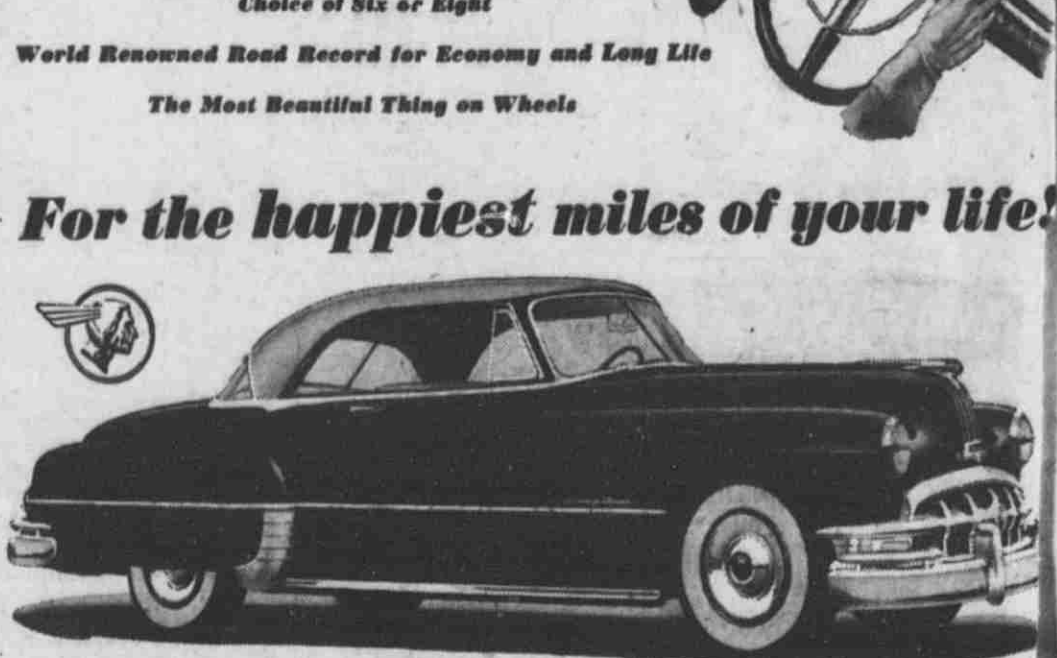
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The 20th annual Sweet School reunion was held Sunday at the school with 115 present. A dinner was served at noon followed by a program in the school building.

Joint Birthday Party
Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Richardson were Sunday dinner guests of the former's brother, Everett and family near Lowell. In the afternoon they were joined by Mrs. Greta Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Richardson of Elm Dale and Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Houghton of Lakeview.

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Kendall Forritt left Monday afternoon for Scott Field, Ill., as Air Force Reserve.

Baptist Church News
Wednesday evening, Aug. 17, the Victor Chum will be in charge of the service. Sunday, Aug. 13, Rev. Gerrit Oton will have charge of the service.

Alto Locals
Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Davis and daughters of Rockford were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hancock and Valda Davis remained for several days with Jean Burdett.

Alto Locals
Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Houghton of Grand Rapids were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Colby Saturday morning.

Alto Locals
Mrs. Nellie Timpon accompanied Mrs. Vera Yetter and son Vernon from Butterworth hospital Friday where she spent a week recovering from a bronchial infection.

So. Keams—N. Boston
Mrs. Mary Potter

Jolly Community Club meets next week Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Maude Shores. Anne Harding is work chairman and program chairman are Laura Wilcox and Hazel Baird.

Alto Locals
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Roark of Port Huron, Mich., spent Sunday with their brother, Ernest Roark and family near Lowell.

Alto Locals
Mr. and Mrs. George Skidmore and Mrs. Edna Skidmore were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Skidmore.

Alto Locals
Mrs. Nellie Timpon accompanied Mrs. Vera Yetter and son Vernon from Butterworth hospital Friday where she spent a week recovering from a bronchial infection.

Alto Locals
Mrs. Bonnie returned last Thursday from Grand Rapids to the Duran Old home. She was accompanied by Mrs. Ray Hamilton of Sioux City, Iowa, who stayed while for a visit.

Alto Locals
Paul Potter flew home from Georgia Tuesday and was an overnight guest Tuesday of the Eddie Potter family. Wednesday Paul and Donna and Bradway came to their own home on Ed Potter farm and stayed till Thursday, the children returning to the James Deans. Paul left with his friend on the return trip by plane to Georgia. He reports Maxine coming as well as can be expected.

Alto Locals
Royden Warner of Tucson, Arizona, visited awhile. Sunday guests at the Ed Potter home were Mr. and Mrs. Archie Kowalski of Muskegon. Callers were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wheaton and Mrs. Chita Ross and son, and Saturday evening guest was Marie Wheaton.

Alto Locals
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gage and family spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Moore had dinner Friday with Mrs. Floy Gold.

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Combine 1/2 cup sugar, 2 tablespoons cornstarch and 1 1/2 cups juice (juice from cherries plus water.) Cook until thickened, stirring constantly. Remove from heat and add 1/2 teaspoon almond extract. Serve warm over warm cake. (Fresh cherries may also be used in making sauce.)

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A birthday dinner honoring Earl C. Kindra, Jr., of Detroit was given Sunday on the spacious lawn of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Blaser on Foreman Drive. Guests besides Mr. and Mrs. Kindra were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Turck of Murphysboro, Ill., Robert Noistatine of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. George Roth and son Allen, who are living in Lowell for the summer.

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Vernon M. Frederickson Weds Miss June Good

Miss June Good, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orlo Good of Caledonia, became the bride of Vernon M. Frederickson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Frederickson of Lowell, recently in the Caledonia United Brethren Church. The Rev. A. A. Griffin performed the double ring ceremony. Clyde Greenman of Kalamazoo sang several selections accompanied by Mrs. Arthur Rucha.

The bride chose a gown or white maquette over satin styled along traditional lines. Her fingertip veil was held in place by a seed-pearl tiara and she carried a bouquet of white gladioli.

Mrs. Lynn Paynter attended her sister as matron of honor. She wore a gown of pink nylon organza with a frosted floral design, matching pink mitts and a large picture hat. Her bouquet was of deep wine gladioli.

Bridesmaids were Mrs. David Good, cousin of the bride, and Miss Ernestine Avitts of Portageville, Mo. They wore aqua ensembles identical to the matron of honor's and carried bouquets of yellow gladioli.

Serving his brother as best man was John Frederickson, Jr. of Ushers was Gerald Good, brother of the bride, and Eugene Beahm, the bride's cousin.

Completing the wedding party were Mary Lou Smith and Stanley Street, niece and nephew of the bridegroom, as flower girl and ring bearer, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Smith, the bridegroom's brother-in-law and sister, as master and mistress of ceremonies.

A reception was held in the American Legion hall. Assisting about the rooms were Miss Jeanne Smith of Chicago, Mrs. John Deltman, Miss Bette Stevens of Grand Rapids, Miss Hilda Weise of St. Ignace, Miss Barbara Friend of Quincy, Miss Shirley Smith of Jonesville, Miss Joan Pinkbener, Mrs. Robert Gibbs and Mrs. Eugene Scheffla.

The couple left for a northern trip after which they will reside in Fowlerville.

A. VanderMeulen Weds Patricia Ann DeGraw

Patricia Ann DeGraw became the bride of Allen VanderMeulen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert VanderMeulen of Grand Rapids, Friday evening at 8:30 at the Lowell Congregational Church. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George DeGraw.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a shell pink satin gown styled with a fitted bodice, net yoke trimmed with tiny roses and a full train edged with net. A cap studded with seed pearls secured the fingertip-length veil.

Shirley DeGraw was her sister's maid of honor and her sheer lavender rose dress was gathered at the waist with a Nile green cummerbund. She carried a tinted, pink-lavender carnation bouquet, with Nile green flowing ribbon bow, and wore a cap of flowers in matching colors. Connie DeGraw and Betty Lou VanderMeulen, sisters of the couple, were the bridesmaids. Their taffeta gowns were Nile green and featured bertha collars, fitted bodices and full skirts. Their caps were fashioned the same as the bride's.

Karen and Jerry VanTatenhove were the ringbearers.

James VanderMeulen was his brother's best man and ushers were Keith Ellen and Jack DeGraw. The candlelight service was read by Rev. Norman G. Woon, using the double ring ceremony. Piferon Brower, soloist, sang "I Love You Truly," "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer," assisted by Mrs. Mabel Stauffer at the organ.

The reception was held in the church parlors. Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Johnson were the master and mistress of ceremonies. Mrs. Johnson wearing a navy blue sheer dress and white accessories.

The bride's mother selected a bluish pink dress, navy accessories and an American Beauty rose corsage. The bridegroom's mother wore an olive green dress, white accessories and yellow corsage.

The couple will return August 15 from a wedding trip to New York, Niagara Falls, Long Island, returning via Canada and the Soo, to make their home at 957 Kalamazoo Ave., Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. DeGraw entertained twenty-three at rehearsal dinner on the lawn at their home, 508 Monroe St., on the eve of the wedding.

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YOUR WASHINGTON REVIEW

There is enough Washington information this week to make ten news letters rather than one. Honestly, so much is happening in the Capitol I wish it were possible to make in person reports on a daily basis. However, as your Representative, I can't be on the job in Washington and at the same time be at home for speeches and meetings. The Congress each day is considering vitally important legislation and my conscience won't permit me to be away from the job. Two years ago I promised to WORK FOR YOU. It is my intention to abide by that promise.

The Congress appears to be well ahead of the President on the need for immediate economic controls. The situation is peculiar to say the least. Several weeks ago Mr. Truman requested legislation which would give him only the authority to allocate basic materials and control credit. Because of tremendous price increases and unwise panic buying, we in the House believe such authority is insufficient. The House is giving the President discretionary or standby authority to invoke immediate "freeze" and roll backs. This legislation must also include the power to impose taxes on excess profits that will probably prevent war profiteering.

There is a strong feeling among Congressmen that some authority in the situation should be retained by the House and Senate. The emergency legislation will undoubtedly provide that Mr. Truman can impose all controls if and when he deems it necessary. However, in case the President is slow in acting, Congress should have the authority to force the Administration to invoke "down the line" price and wage controls. It is essential that such controls go hand in hand in this emergency. At the same time the House and Senate should retain the authority to remove such controls if and when the crisis has passed. We don't want our economy indefinitely hamstrung by controls as has happened in England and France. That would be disastrous particularly with some of the bureaucrats and state-planners at the helm. Consequently, I am urging that Congressional veto. Such a provision will protect the American people from unlimited control in the hands of the Executive Branch of the federal government.

Last week the House had several guests from foreign lands. The Prime Minister of Australia made an impressive address in which he reaffirmed his country's support for U. S. and U. N. action in Korea. As you know, Australia is one of the nations that is already helping and according to Prime Minister Menzies, additional forces will be on their way shortly.

The day before the House heard a speech by Delegate Kitamura of the Japanese Diet. Mr. Kitamura spoke in his native tongue and after each sentence an interpreter gave us in English what had been said in Japanese. During Mr. Kitamura's talk I couldn't help but recall the two years I spent on an aircraft carrier in the Pacific where we naturally believed all Japs were our mortal enemies. They certainly were in those days. I only hope and trust that the words of Japanese friendship now pronounced by Mr. Kitamura are from the heart. Japan could redeem in part her sins of past years by wholeheartedly supporting the U. S. in this time of crisis.

Recently it was my privilege to hear in a small and confidential meeting one of the foremost American authorities on Communism both here and abroad. He gave us solid facts and figures which prove beyond any doubt that the Korean invasion is but one of the many aims of Stalin and his satellites. The Communists want the destruction of capitalism and to achieve that end they will fight us on the battlefield and at the same time will attempt to destroy the strength of the U. S. by boring from within. In this speaker's estimation there is altogether too much infiltration by Communist sympathizers in government positions of responsibility. I repeat the man is a well-known authority on the subject, not a headline hunter. Some of our leaders in the Executive Branch of the government should take heed instead of whitewashing all attempts to expose those who would destroy us from within.

Here's something that might interest you. Moscow spends more money each year in the United States for our nation's destruction than is spent every four years by the Democrats and Republicans combined.

Vergennes Boosters

The Vergennes Boosters met for their ninth meeting on August 4. All the members' projects were well cared for. After the hayride we went back to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ryder's home and had barbecue. Cookies and pop were also served. Bernadette and Geraldine Ryder will serve at our next meeting on August 17.

Geraldine Ryder, Reporter.

A time-honored rule for choice of dressings is to use French dressings for dinner salad which accompany a meal and mayonnaise or cooked dressings for some of the more substantial salads, advise MRC home economists.

Pepper - Piercefield Nuptials Sunday At Clarksville Church

The Clarksville Congregational Church was the scene of a very pretty wedding Sunday afternoon, Aug. 6, at four o'clock when Wanda Piercefield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Piercefield of Portland, became the bride of Leo Pepper, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Pepper of Clarksville. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Paul Boger, before an altar banked with gladioli and ferns and under an arch made of gladioli and hydrangeas. Mrs. June Piercefield, sister-in-law of the bride, soloist, sang "O Promise Me" and "I Love You Truly," accompanied by Miss Gretchen Gelman of Lake Odessa, who also played the traditional wedding march.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor-length white gown made of net and imported English lace with long sleeves tapering to a point at the wrist. Her fingertip veil was held in place by a seed pearl tiara. She also wore pearls, a gift from the groom. She carried a colonial bouquet of glads and roses.

She was attended by her sister, Mrs. Pearl Richardson, as matron of honor, who wore a yellow gown identical to the bride's and carried a colonial bouquet of glads.

Bridesmaids, June Piercefield, sister of the bride, and Blanche White, a friend, wore orchid and green gowns, respectively, identical to the matron of honor's with colonial bouquets of glads also. Junior bridesmaids were Joyce Pepper, sister of the groom, and Patricia Piercefield, sister of the bride, who wore identical gowns and carried small colonial bouquets of glads. Wilma Piercefield was the flower girl. Terry Pepper was the ring bearer and carried them on a white satin heart-shaped pillow.

Dale Wynn attended his cousin as best man and ushers were Roger Pepper and Wayne Piercefield.

The bride's mother wore a blue silk dress with white accessories and a corsage of red roses, while the groom's mother wore a sheer navy and white dress with white accessories and a red rose corsage. A reception was held at the Masonic Temple with about 150 guests attending. The bride and groom cut the beautiful pillar cake and six girl friends served the cake, ice cream, coffee and punch. Delores Taylor sang "For Ever and Ever" and "Because."

Immediately following the reception the happy couple left on a Northern honeymoon. The bride wore an aqua suit with white accessories and a rose corsage. Upon returning they will reside in a house trailer and will be at home to friends at the home of the groom's parents.

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The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Bowne Center Methodist Church met at the W. S. C. S. Hall August 3.

The business meeting opened with two selections "Revive Us Again" and "The Beautiful Garden of Prayer".

Prayer by Doris Bergy followed by a review of memory verses for the past three months. The memory selection for September will be Psalm 111-3.

A poem was read by Doris Bergy and it was decided to have a grab bag for the September meeting. The September meeting will be an all day meeting with dinner at noon. Hostesses for the month are: Lucille Watts, Mable Burns, Gertrude Thomas, Mary Boulard, and Valma Nash.

Seese Silver Wedding
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fox, Calvin and Harold Seese announce that open house for their parents will be held Sunday, Aug. 13, from 2:30 to 4:00 and 7:00 to 10:00, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Seese, in celebration of their 25th wedding anniversary.

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