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Frank McMahon, superintendent of Lowell Light & Power, revealed to village council members Monday night that the peak load of the municipal plant has reached 2,000 K. W. This is an increase of 500 K. W. from a peak of 1,500 K. W. last year when a survey of the municipal plant was started.

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Michigan park visitors last year spent $347,000 for hot dogs and soda pop at state parks. Wars and troubled futures never hurt the weiner business.

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Norman Borgerson, Jr., who attended the Rose Bowl game with some fellow students from the U. of M., added to the decorations in his room by bringing home a part of the goal post.

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The hardware firm, Story & Hahn, located at 207 E. Main, owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. Ware Story and Mr. and Mrs. Gurney Hahn, has entered upon its second year, having opened for business January 1st of last year. These young business people have been making some important changes in the appearance of the store and are working to maintain a prosperous business which will be a credit to Lowell.

Mr. Story says he has been told the first year in business is always the hardest which he hopes it true, but that the entire firm is more than pleased with the success of their first year.

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Jokes, jeets, jabs and jibes, just by Jeff: A maid looking for a position in a Lowell home advances the information that she can serve company two ways: "So they will come again, or, stay away." . . . An exchange carries the want ad, "LOST—Fountain pen by lady half full of blue ink." . . . When the white men took over America, the Indians were paying no taxes, had no debts, and their women did all the work. Yet the whites thought they could improve the system.

J. Christoff Gaining In Hackley Hospital

John Christoff, who was injured several weeks ago while working on the Maple Island bridge near Muskegon, is still at the Hackley hospital. His condition is improved, but he has a fractured back and also has to have some surgery on his right jaw.

Mr. Christoff may now have visitors and would be glad to see any of his friends. He also will receive cards addressed to Hackley Hospital, Room 260, Muskegon, Mich.

Joseph Wilson Corps Auxiliary To G. A. R. Holds Installation

Joseph Wilson Corps No. 49 Auxiliary to the Grand Army of the Republic held installation of officers at their regular meetiag on January 3. Mrs. Carrie Gulliford installed the following officers:

President, Olive Ritter; senior vice president, Alta Rathbun; junior vice president, Maude Seger; treasurer, Maude Adrianse; secretary, Minnie Hawk; conductor, Henrietta Good; guard, Nina Kaufman; assistant conductor, Sarah Chrouch; assistant guard, Anna Stinchicomb; color bearers, Agnes Watson, Olivia Ayres, Bessie Clarke, Beatrice Mollitor; patriotic instructor, Margaret Weaver; musician, Ina Potter; press correspondent, V. E. Myers.

I. W. McFall Announces New Buicks Saturday

I. W. McFall, local Buick dealer, announced this week the new 1951 line of Buick cars, highlighted by an improved Special with new body and new engine, will go on display in his showrooms Saturday, Jan. 20.

The new line contains three series of cars, ranging from the low-priced Special up through the Super to the luxury models in the Roadmaster.

"Important advances in styling features coupled with major chassis and body improvements combine to make the 1951 Buick the greatest value in Buick history," Mr. McFall said.

There are eight models in the Special Series, six in the Super and four in the Roadmaster, in the 1951 line.

Honored With Showers

Mrs. Sylvester Ayres, Jr., was honored with two stork showers last week and received many lovely gifts from her many friends. Mrs. Bernard Kropf was hostess to fourteen ladies Wednesday evening and Mrs. Harold Zahm was hostess to sixteen guests Thursday evening.

Registration Notices

For General Primary Election

Ada Township

Notice is hereby given, that I will be at Ada Town Hall Tuesday, Jan. 30, from 8:00 a. m. to 8:00 p. m., for the purpose of registering those persons who are not, as yet, registered. I will also register anyone at my home any day from 9:00 a. m. to 9:00 p. m. Jan. 19 through Jan. 30.

Blanche Loveless,
c38-39 Ada Twp. Clerk.

Vergennes Township

Notice is hereby given, that I will be at my home on Fallasburg Park Drive from Tuesday, Jan. 19, 1951, through Jan. 30 for the purpose of registering those persons who are not, as yet, registered.

Fred L. Rickner,
c38-39 Vergennes Twp Clerk.

Lowell Rotary Club Members Are Backing 1951 March of Dimes

With the local Rotary Club backing the 1951 March of Dimes in Lowell, the Kent county chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis "is depending on record support" from Lowell residents, Snover H. Sarjeant of Grand Rapids, Kent county drive chairman, said this week.

Lowell is one of two communities in the county where the entire Rotary Club has been enlisted to support the 1951 March of Dimes campaign, according to Sarjeant. The Sparta Rotary Club also has taken over its community "chairmanship."

"We're expecting great things from the Lowell Rotary Club—and we certainly need strong support," said Sarjeant. "Kent county has more than $17,000 in unpaid polio bills, despite an advance of more than $12,000 to the Kent chapter from the National Foundation."

Even though not another person in Kent county should contract polio in 1951—an unlikely occurrence—it will take approximately $30,000 to treat present patients alone.

"Add those figures and our plight is plain," said Sarjeant. "There are $17,000 in unpaid bills; there's $30,000 needed for present patients; and there's that big unknown quantity, the dollars needed to fight 1951's new cases.

Goal Is to Make Ends Meet

"Our goal is to make ends meet. Obviously that's going to be a big job, and we'll need more than Dimes."

The 1951 March of Dimes comes in the wake of the two worst polio years in Kent county history. I 1949 there were 85 new victims; in 1950 there were 67. Many of these persons still require help from the polio foundation.

Half of the March of Dimes proceeds goes to the National Foundation where it is deposited in an emergency fund and used for polio research.

Kent county has drawn heavily on the emergency fund the last two years. In 1949 the National Foundation gave $59,000 to the local chapter. In 1950 it gave approximately $12,000 and would have given more, but its funds also were exhausted.

Pleasant Hill School Gets Second Teacher More Pupils Enroll

By Lynn H. Clark
County Supt. of Schools

Pleasant Hill in Spencer has finally found a second teacher. Mrs. Marian Klint, formerly of Huff school and Grand Rapids, is now living in Cedar Springs and has agreed to finish the school year. At last reports seven additional pupils were expected to enroll this week.

At a special meeting last month at the Cascade school the voters asked that consideration be given to the possibility of a union of Cascade township schools. A secondary consideration was the establishment of a Junior high school.

A mimeographed study of the seven schools shows some wide variations. Valuation run from $96,755.00 for Thomas school to $975,246.00 for Cascade school. The valuation per census child is lowest in Whitneyville with $2,839.00 per child. It is highest also in Cascade with a per capita of $5,637.00. The per capita cost of instruction is $202.90 in Strong which is the highest and the lowest cost is $146.59 in Townline.

The census shows no particular overcrowding except in Cascade and Whitneyville where there is also a large pre-school group of children. It appears that a Junior high school will not be needed for many years since Lowell will be able to accommodate their pupils for a long time. A larger administrative unit might be advisable to equalize school costs and educational opportunity. There seems to be too much variation under present conditions.

We have 44 new teachers of whom 29 are teaching for the first time this year. Practically all of them are doing very well in spite of the fact that many of them are in difficult situations. Our helping teachers are kept busy trying to get these new teachers properly started and help the ten additional teachers that have been added since the beginning of school.

Beautiful New Dodge At Gould's Saturday

Peter Speerstra, proprietor of Gould's Garage and dealer in Dodge and Plymouth cars, announces the beautiful new 1951 Dodge will be on display in his showrooms Saturday, JaJn. 20.

Mr. Speerstra invites you to see the new Dodge which is new inside and outside, with a completely new kind of ride. The new Oriflow shock absorber system keeps your car on the ground whether you are on pavement, cobblestones or country ruts.

This graceful new car is sleek and trim for easier handling and parking and yet there is room to ride relaxed and uncrowded.

Eugene Carr Given Leave of Absence

Eugene Carr, Lowell nightwatchman for 33 years, has been given a leave of absence by the Common Council. This is the first real vacation for the nightwatchman in 33 years, having worked for 30 years, seven days a week, with practically no interruptions.

Substituting for Mr. Carr will be Ernest Kauffman.

Two Lowell Doctors Receive Service Calls

Dr. Roy J. Wiarda, who has been associated with Dr. B. H Shepard in the practice of medicine since July of last year, has been officially notified to report at Fort Custer for U. S. Army duty with the doctors who are leaving in February.

Dr. Wiarda will continue his practice here until time for leaving.

Keith A. Phelps, doctor of dental surgery, is closing his dental offices this week and will accompany his wife and son to Lexington, Ky., before he reports for duty at U. S. Naval Training Center next month.

Mrs. Phelps plans to remain in Lexington during the doctor's absence.

Belding Redskins Bow to Red Arrows Here Friday Night

Lowell Red Arrows scored their second victory of the week when they downed the invading Belding Redskins 45 to 32 in the local gym last Friday night. Earlier in the week the Arrows defeated Godwin in a conference tilt at Godwin.

The Lowellites really went to work on Belding when they jumped to a 20 to 10 first-quarter lead. During this period Coach Howe's lads gave as pretty a demonstration of shooting and passing as has been seen on the local court this season. The Arrows continued to display their superiority during the second session to take a comfortable 28 to 20 half-time lead.

So well did Lowell control the ball during the third stanza that Belding was able to score only two points on foul shots during the entire quarter while the winners were pouring in 18 counters for a 36 to 20 margin midway the second half.

Coach Howe gave all of his subs a chance to get into the fray when he cleared the bench during the final quarter to win going away 45 to 32.

Arrow Sub Sorry

In the closing seconds of the contest one of the Arrow subs, either feeling sorry for the losers or becoming confused, dumped a field goal in Belding's basket to contribute two points to the losing cause.

Kline was high man for Lowell with 17 points, followed by Roth with 8 and Topp with 7. Gristman was high for Belding with 11 points.

Second Team Wins Thriller

The Lowell second team was not to be outdone by the Varsity. Last Tuesday they grabbed off a thriller from the Godwin seconds by a 28 to 27 margin. Friday the second stringers continued their winning ways by taking a 30 to 37 victory from the Belding second team. Grummet was high point man with 16 points.

This week Friday the Arrows will have their hands full when they travel to Rockford for a league contest. Lowell boasts a 51 to 35 victory over the Rams, however, their star Hamilton has returned to the lineup and the Arrows must be at their peak if they wish a repeat victory.

The next home game will be with East Grand Rapids January 26.

—"Bucky," Sports Reporter.

Ben Andrews Injured In Fall from Ladder

Ben Andrews, fuel oils distributor, received severe injuries Friday when he fell from a ladder while filling a fuel tank for a customer, in a rural home.

Mr. Andrews was taken to a Grand Rapids hospital where it was found bones in his left foot were broken which necessitated a cast being placed on his foot. He returned to his home here where he is convalescing nicely.

The fuel oil customers are getting good service by phoning Mr. Andrews with their orders and fellow distributors deliver the oil for Mr. Andrews.

Sweet Busy Bodies

The Sweet Busy Bodies 4-H Club met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Alvin Wells, Monday evening with the McBrides 4-H Club and E. R. Olstron, Secretary of Kent Co. 4-H Association, as guests.

President Jerry Wells called the business session to order and introduced Mr. Olstrom who spoke to the group. He explained that all winter projects should be finished as soon as possible as the Achievement day is only six weeks away. Also the plans for the summer projects should be under way.

Marie Wieland entertained with accordion music and games were played. The hostess and Mrs. Harold Rittenger served hamburgers and punch.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Morris Jan. 12 a 7 lb. 4½ oz daughter, Sheila Jean, at Blodgett hospital. The mother and baby are being cared for at the home of Mrs. Morris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Miller.

CHOP SUEY DINNER

A chop suey dinner is being sponsored by the Youth Fellowship and 3 M's of the Methodist Church on Thursday, Jan. 25, beginning at 5:30 p. m. at the church. Tickets $1.00.
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Korea and National Situation Discussed by Lowell Rotarians

An open forum on the topic, "Korea and the National Situation," was held at the regular meeting of the Lowell Rotary Club on Wednesday, Jan. 10. The topic had been suggested by Jay Boelens, president of the club, and was presided over by Rev. Norman G. Woon, program chairman of the day.

Preliminary to the general discussion the chairman pointed out that since the citizens of America are in reality the government, no man's opinion is worthless, and that it was in just such meetings as this that wisdom must be found to determine the present and future policies of the nation.

Stephen Nisbet, guest of the club from the history department of the school, opened the discussion by locating Korea on a large wall map, to give the club some idea of the size of the country, its relation to continental Asia, Japan, Formosa, the Phillippnes, China and Russia.

Opinions Varied and Interesting

Walter W. Gumser expressed fear that if we try to fight Communism all over the world we will, as a nation, spread ourselves so thin as to be ineffective everywhere. He also gave voice to a sympathetic understanding of the hesitancy of the western European countries to join the program of rearmament lest their small countries become again the battle ground of a world war.

Ernest C. Foreman regretted the tendency to the chip-on-the shoulder tactics of some of our national leaders that could embroil us needlessly in war.

Daniel Treleven wondered just who are our friends among the nations, pointing out that Germany and Japan, formerly our enemies, now are friends, and Russia, formerly a friend, now an enemy.

Ed. Randolph quoted a member of Congress to the effect that resistance to possession of Korea by Russia was meant to be only a token resistance according to the Yalta agreement.

Frank Stephens, who was a soldier in the First World War, stationed for a time in Russia, spoke of the immense area of the country and of the difficulty of knowing what their leadership is up to.

Veterans Make Comparisons

When asked about possible bomber targets in a war with Russia Bruce McMahon, a bomber pilot in World War II, pointed to the difference between bombing Germany from England, and what bombing Russia would mean. A round trip from England to Grmany took six to seven hours and the targets were close together. In Russia they would be far apart.

The underground in the small countries around Germany was so effective that pilots or crew shot down were sometimes back into England in two days. About 80% of them escaped German imprisonment. It would be very different if we were bombing Russia. He does not think the atom bomb will ever be used in a modern war.

Speaking of Naval targets in a possible war with Russia Bruce Walter, who served in the Navy in the recent war, called attention also to the handicap in that Russia is so large. The distance between Murmansk on the White Sea and Vladivostok on the Pacific is to be measured in terms of thousands of miles. We do not know how strong Russia is in underseas craft but we do know that they took over the plants and the skills that the Germans had developed in the last war.

Chairman Issues Warning

In closing the discussion it was pointed out that Russia is strong in certain areas, mainly possession of large territory and man power, while the United States and the U. N. countries are strong in machines and machine-powered fighting equipment; and that we must not allow ourselves to be drawn into a struggle on the basis of our weakness but force the fight, if fight there must be, on the basis of our strength.

It has been possible to report only the outline of the discussion at the Rotary Club. However, the club enjoyed this kind of meeting so well that they have asked for another of similar nature at a near date in the future, for some of the most interesting discussion occurred after the meeting was over.

Much credit is due the Rev. N. G. Woon for the fine manner in which he handled the program.

St. Mary's Group Plans Coming Silver Jubilee

A group of members of St. Mary's parish of Lowell met at the home of Dan Trevelen on Tuesday, Jan. 9. The purpose of this meeting was to discuss the coming silver jubilee of Father John's 25 years in the priesthood.

Open discussion was held on how the parish could present Father John a token of appreciation for his untiring spiritual and materialistic work. The group appointed Dan Treleven, G. R. Thompson, Charles Hill, Jules Erler and Albert Zigmont for a committee to solicit from members of St. Mary's Church. The committee also plans to have other members help them.

Other plans are to have a resume printed of Father John's life history and a copy to be given to every member of the parish.

Lowell Rotary Club

Gerald Rollins, program chairman for the year, has appointed Frank L. Stephens, chairman for the day, Wednesday, Jan. 24. Mr. Stephens will carry on the program along the line of civil defense, showing the movie, "Pattern for Survival."

State Officials Order Local Fire Inspection

In connection with the civil defense program now effective in the village of Lowell a general fire inspection has been ordered by state officials. The Lowell fire department will be in charge of the inspection of all buildings for fire hazards, and will begin the routine survey shortly after Feb. 1. This is one of the key movements in safety regulations.

Every home or building owner should inspect his own premises and have them in good shape—free from hazard—and not wait for the official inspection before doing anything to make for safety.

Five Keys to Safety

The five keys to safety as printed in the U. S. Government Booklet, "Survival Under Atomic Attack", are as follows:

1. Strive for fireproof housekeeping. Don't let trash pile up, and keep waste paper in covered containers. When an alarm sounds, do all that you can to eliminate sparks by shutting off the oil burner and covering all open flames.

2. "Know your own home." Know which is the safest part of your cellar, learn how to turn off your oil burner and what to do about utilities.

3. "Have emergency equipment and supplies handy." Always have a good flashlight, a radio, first aid equipment, and a supply of canned goods in the house.

4. "Close all windows and doors and draw the blinds." If you have time when an alert sounds, close the house up tight in order to keep out fire sparks and radio active dusts, and to lessen the danger of being cut by glass, keep the house closed until all danger is past.

5. "Use the telephone only for true emergencies." Do not use the phone unless absolutely necessary. Leave the lines open for real emergency traffic.

Kent Farm Bureau Roll Call Report

Mrs. Thelma Heilman, secretary of the Kent County Farm Bureau, reports there are now 705 members in the county, just 24 members short of last year's total membership. Goal for this year is 888 members.

Several townships in the county have exceeded their last year's membership and Vergennes, Caledonia and Tyrone townships have reached their goals.

The membership committee met with Mrs. Heilman Tuesday evening to discuss plans for completing the Roll Call in the County.

Mrs. Chas. Timpson, Pub. Chrmn.

South Boston Grange

South Boston Grange had its regular meeting on Saturday evening, Jan. 13. After a short business meeting in which it was voted to purchase a copy of the "History of the Grange" for our grange, we held a School of Instruction conducted by State Grange officers and deputies

There were more than one hundred Grangers from our grange and granges in surrounding communities in attendance, and we spent a very enjoyable and instructive evening. After the meeting closed, refreshments were served by our Home Economics chairman and her helpers.

It was announced that the next Pomona meeting will be held at Banner Grange on Saturday evening, Jan. 20. Supper will be served at 8:00. Clarence J. Tinker will be the speaker of the evening.

Our next regular meeting will be on Saturday evening, Jan. 27. There will be a short business meeting at 8:00, after which there will be a party to which the public is cordially invited. The proceeds from this party will be sent to the National Infantile Paralysis Foundation. If possible, will each grange family please bring a prize of not less than 50c value for this party?

The Home Economics chairman would like all grangers living west of Bell Road to bring sandwiches, and all those living east of Bell Road to bring either cookies or donuts for lunch.

The next dance will be held on Saturday evening, Jan. 20, with Clella Keim's group serving refreshments. Everyone come and bring a friend.

Thelma McClure, Gr. Reporter.

To Hold Open House On 40th Anniversary

Open House will be held Sunday afternoon and evening, Jan. 28, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Collins to celebrate the 40th anniversary of their marriage. The event is being sponsored by their children.
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CARD OF APPRECIATION

We wish to thank our relatives, neighbors friends and Campbell Lake Farm Bureau for our lovely gifts and money, East Caledonia Ladies Aid for use of basement and all who sent us cards on our 25th wedding anniversary.

c38 Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller

Practice Red Alert Monday, January 22

Frank L. Stephens, director of civilian defense for this community, announced this week that on Monday, Jan. 22, at 7:00 p. m., a practice Red alert will be held.

In Lowell this alert will be signaled by three minutes of sharp toots on the air raid whiste at the Light and Power Plant. In other surrounding communities this alert will be signaled by a series of short ringing of bells.

Clyde Watterson, 70 Native of Cascade Tp. Laid to Rest Friday

Clyde G. Watterson, 70-year-old retired insurance executive, died January 9.

Mr. Watterson, until his retirement in 1946, was associated with the State Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Flint and had been a director and the firm's treasurer since 1926.

He was a native of Cascade and in his earlier life had operated a general store there. He had lived in Grand Rapids since 1930.

He married the former L. Mabel Cooley in 1902.

Surviving besides his wife, are three sons, Minor H., vice president of the Industrial State Bank at Kalamazoo; Phillip N. of Grand Rapids and Lisle L. of Lowell; four daughters, Mrs. Kenneth Budden of Minneapolis, Minn.; Mrs. Richard Hawley of Cincinnati, Ohio; Mrs. Robert Jennings and Louise Watterson of Grand Rapids, and seven grandchildren.

Services were held Friday afternoon in Grand Rapids with Rev. Lester C. Doerr officiating. Burial was in Cascade cemetery.

COMING EVENTS

The Vergennes Community Farm Bureau will meet Friday evening, Jan. 19, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Roth. Topic for discussion is "Should Township Government be Abolished in Favor of Stronger County Government." Bring table service and light refreshments.

The next regular meeting of the P. G. N. Club will be held at the city hall Tuesday evening, Jan. 23, opening with a seven o'clock installation dinner. Members please note the change in the date.

The W. S. C. S. of the Methodist Church will meet in the ladies' lounge at the church Friday afternoon, Jan. 19, at 2:00 o'clock .

The Peckham Group of the Congregational Women's Fellowship will meet in the home of Mrs. Clinton Hall on Friday, Jan. 19 at two o'clock.

The South Boston Farm Bureau will meet Friday evening January 19, at the Lyle Condon home. The topic for discussion is "Should Township Government be Abolished?"

The Sunny Acres extension group will meet with Mrs. Fred Dalstra Tuesday evening, Jan. 23, at 7:30. Mrs. Stepek will give the lesson on pattern alteration.

The Child Study Club husband and wife night will be held Thursday, Jan. 18. Potluck supper will be served at the Lowell school in the music room. Guest speaker will be Ralph Daniels from the Mental Health Department at Lansing.

The Lowell Extension group will meet Wednesday evening, Feb. 7, at 8:00 o'clock at the home of Mrs. John Gehart on Vergennes Rd. The lesson will be on pattern alteration given by Mrs. Glendon Bovee and Mrs. Cecil DeRushia.

Lowell Lodge No. 90 F. & A. M. will hold a special meeting Tuesday, Jan 23, at 7:30 p. m. Work in the M M Degree. Please plan to attend. Lunch will be served.

Public euchre party at the I. O. O. F. Hall Friday night, Jan. 19. Everyone welcome. c38

Civil Defense Picture Will Be Shown Here

Frank Stephens, civilian defense leader, has obtained the film entitled "Pattern for Survival" to be shown at the meeting of the volunteers Wednesday, Jan. 24, at 8:00 p. m. in Lowell city hall, second floor.

This meeting is open to the public and all persons interested in the cause of civil defense as well as the volunteer personnel are urged to attend and see this instructive picture.

It is planned to have some music and other entertainment during the evening.

Mr. Stephens says the film will also be shown at the Rotary Club luncheon and at the high school during Wednesday afternoon.

Keene Grange

Keene Grange meeting will be held Friday evening, Jan. 19, at 8:30, with regular potluck supper.

Following the meeting, an hour-long movie, "Roots in The Soil," will be shown.

At our last meeting we enjoyed a variety program and euchre party, put on by Mr. and Mrs. Sam Detmars, Anthony Reitz and Mabel Hausback.

The program for February 2 will be in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Hayes and another helping couple.

Local Barbershoppers Schedule Appearances In Neighboring Towns

Lowell Chapter 326 SPEBSQSA has been scheduled to present its uniformed chorus, and quartets in two programs, one at Saranac, Feb. 1, and the other at Lyons, Feb. 6.

The Saranac program is being sponsored by the Senior class in the Saranac high school gym. Two years ago a sellout crowd witnessed a like performance given by the Ionia Chapter, and a record attendance is expected to hear the Lowell group.

The program at Lyons will be presented in the Lyons high school gym under the sponsorship of the businessmen of that community.

This variety program will meature the Lowell Barbershop chorus and quartets, the Ionia high school saxophone quartet, Joan McCord, the Wacky Sweed, Harold Schmaltz, accomplished accordionist, soloist, Wm. Reynhout, the Dizzy 3 musical impersonators and the Ray Hesche and Sister musical duet. Forrest Buck, president of the Lowell Barbershop Chapter, will preside as master of ceremonies.

Thursday, Jan. 18, a quartet composed of Glenn Yeite Ed. Anderson, Dick Young and Forrest Buck will entertain the S... Growers' Association at a dinner meeting at the South Boston Grange.

All chorus members will attend special practice sessions at the Lowell Odd Fellows hall Thursday, Jan. 18, and Thursday, Jan. 25, at 8 o'clock sharp.

Dairyland Creamery Schedules Bill Otto For Annual Program

C. W. 'Bill' Otto, manager of the Lansing Chamber of Commerce, will be the principal speaker at the 25th annual meeting of Dairyland Cooperative Creamery Co. in the creamery garage building, Friday, Jan. 26, at Carson City.

Mr. Otto, recently returned from a Michigan State College sponsored air trip which took him into 11 European countries, will have many interesting and timely subjects to discuss.

There will be the customary noon fish dinners served members in two Carson City churches, with the formal meeting starting at 1:15 p. m., following a concert by the Carson City high school band.

Waite Stephens, vice president, will preside and Fred Walker, manager, will report on 1950 business to the assembled members.

Former Lowell Lady To Address Local PTA

The PTA will meet in the school gymnasium Wednesday, Jan. 4, at 8:00 p. m. Mrs. Fred Keeler of Grand Rapids will be the speaker.

Mrs. Keeler, who at one time lived in the Lowell vicinity, is president of the Grand Rapids Board of Education and is a member of the state educational policies commission. She also is a district director of the Michigan Congress of Parents and Teachers. Her talk will be of interest to all parents.

Motorist Injured As Car Sideswipes Truck

Highways and streets were treacherous the first of the week from the ice and snow, causing several wrecked cars around Lowell, but fortunately no serious injuries to drivers.

On Sunday afternoon about five o'clock Vernon Strouse of R. 2, Lowell, was traveling south on M-91 when his pick-up truck hit a bridge railing and turned upside down on the bridge. The machine was a total wreck but Mr. Strouse was uninjured.

Monday morning around six o'clock Gale A. Blemaster of Maple Rapids, driving an unloaded semi, stopped to pull a car out of the ditch about 3½ miles west of Lowell on M-21 when a car driven by George J. Visser of Grand Rapids came along and sideswiped the truck.

Mr. Visser was taken to the office of Dr. Orval McKay in Lowell by Mr. Blemaster and later was removed to a Grand Rapids hospital. He received painful face injuries. The car was badly damaged.

Other minor highway accidents were reported.

Little Girl too Much For the Psychologist

The visiting psychologist explained that the teacher was not holding the attention of her class and offered to prove it.

After the pupils had filed into the room and taken their seats he asked a little girl for a number. The little girl gave 35 and the psychologist promptly wrote 53 on the board. Receiving 29, he wrote 92 and for 82, he wrote 28. After several minutes of this, a voice was heard from the rear of the room, "Sixty-six; let's see what you can do with that!"

REDUCED PRICES

Take advantage of our January clearance sale on suits, topcoats and overcoats. You'll be glad you did.

Coons.

Lowell Locals

Mrs. Marie Godfrey, who has been a patient at Blodgett hospital was brought to Lowell Tuesday afternoon to be cared for in a nursing home.

It's good to start a legume on wheat fields planted last fall—your county agent can tell you how it's done.

Henry S. Schreiner Pioneer of Lowell Passes at Age 92

Word has reached the Ledger of the death of Henry S. Schreiner, formerly a well-known businessman in Lowell, which occurred July 12, 1950, at the Home of the Little Sisters of the Poor in Grand Rapids, at the advanced age of 92 years.

Our information came from M. W. Gee who recently went to Grand Rapids to call on Mr. Schreiner only to learn of his death which had occurred the previous July. He had left no survivors.

Mr. Schreiner came to Lowell in 1886, bought a store building and established a harness business which he carried on successfully until 1905, when he lost his store, stock and tools, valued at $6,500, in the flood which nearly ruined Lowell Main street stores at that time.

Many times in the past Mr. Schreiner has contributed to the Ledger with pioneer stories and bits of poetry which he had written of earlier days. Among these writings we find a list of all the merchants along Main street in 1886.

It is interesting to note there were at that time 4 dry goods stores, 5 hotels and one restaurant, 4 drug stores, 6 grocers, a bakery, 2 dray lines, 3 livery stables, 7 blacksmith shops, 3 barber shops, 3 grist mills, 2 cooper shops, 3 millinery stores, 2 shoe stores, 2 photographers, a jeweler, 5 harness shops, 2 meat markets, a laundry, 5 saloons, a bazaar store, 3 clothing stores, 2 tailor shops, an implement store, 8 horse breeders, a bank, a newspaper, a nursery, furniture factory, scythe and snath factory, monument works, 4 wagon makers, woolen mills, lumber mill, ox-bow factory, axe factory, seed store, planing mill, 3 fruit and grain shippers, 3 physicians, 3 attorneys, 2 justices of the peace, marshal, sprinkler wagon operator, and a buggy store.

Lost All in Flood

In a letter to the Ledger dated April 15, 1949, Mr. Schreiner tells of the flood in which he lost his store after 19 years of business. We quote his letter in part:

"It was June 6, 1905 when a cloudburst at Six Lakes washed out the dam and others so that all the water held by seven dams rushed in on Lowell without warning. Telephone and telegraph lines were all out of commission above us and we had no way of knowing so we were caught unawares.

Many of the older folk will remember Mr. Schrenier, and his kindness in many ways. The children found him ever willing to mend a skate strap, sew a rip in a shoe or replace a button on a shoe, all with a smile and no charge.

Another of Lowell's pioneers has gone to his reward.

Ionia Pomona Grange To Meet With Banner

Banner Grange will entertain Ionia County Pomona Grange on Saturday evening, Jan. 20.

Supper will be served at 8:00 with visiting grangers bringing desserts and own service.

Following the supper, meeting will be called to order in open form. Clarence J. Tinker, Department of Conservation, Lansing, will be the speaker of the evening. He will talk on "The Place of the Grange."

Wittenbach's Service To Give Family Party

The whole family is invited to the Family Party which is being sponsored by Wittenbach Sales & Service, Lowell's International Harvester Dealer, at the city hall Tuesday evening, Jan. 23, at 8 o'clock.

Everybody likes a party and this one is to be a big affair with a big stage show, colored movies and features to entertain every member of the family.

A few of the International Hit Parade who are appearing in person are George Marks, Emcee and ventriloquist; Konnie Walker, accordionist; Eddie Collins, banjo and musical novelties; Grok and Marianne, comedy, juggling and magic.

There is no charge for this party and everyone is welcome.

Current News Items About Our Servicemen

Berwyn L. Kloosterman, seaman recruit, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Kloosterman of 803 W. Main St., Lowell, who left in December is undergoing recruit training at the world's largest Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

Glenn Wittenbach, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wittenbach, R-1, Lowell, has enlisted in the U. S. Navy.

Robert VandenHout, son of Mrs. Charles Shaw of Lowell left a week ago Monday for Parris Island where he will receive his boot training in the Marines.

AUCTION SALES

Walter Michaud, Jan. 26

Having discontinued farming, Walter Michaud will sell at public auction, at the farm known as the Jake Staal farm, northeast of Lowell, on Friday, Jan. 26, 24 head of Holstein cattle, hogs, implements and tools, dairy equipment, hay and straw. George VanderMeulen, auctioneer; Harry Day, clerk. See complete adv. on another page of this issue of the Ledger.

Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. John Phelps honored her mother Mrs. Trevis Devener with a surprise birthday party last week Wednesday evening. Those present for the carry-in supper were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Clack and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith and son.

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Whitneyville
Mrs. Louis M. Douglass

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whitacre of E. Cascade Rd. entertained their cribbage club Saturday evening with a birthday party. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dygert of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Richardson of Ada, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Fox of Knapp Rd., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Atherton and James of Cascade Rd., and Mr. and Mrs M. W. VanStrien of Cascade Rd. The honored guests all having birthdays during the week were Mrs. Richard Dygert, Mrs. Frank Richardson and Mrs. Russell Fox. Everyone had a wonderful evening and rate Mr. and Mrs. Whitacre as host and hostess among the best.

Whitneyville Extension group will meet with Mrs. Chas. Sauers Tuesday evening, Jan. 23, at 8:00 p. m. The lesson will be on Pattern Alteration. Mrs. Lyle Patterson is the leader. Anyone wishing to join the group or attend any meeting is welcome.

The Whitneyville W. S. C. S. met Thursday with Mrs. Doris Linton, the president. There was a nice crowd out and everyone enjoyed meeting together. Plans were made to serve the dinner for the U. B. Ministerial Association and their wives. The business meeting will take place in the morning followed by the dinner. In the afternoon Miss Wanna Sell will speak to the public on her Christian work. She has traveled a great deal and has lots to tell the people. The date is January 30. The public is invited to the afternoon meeting.

Mrs. Hattie Matternick and Mrs. Lena Wood were hostesses to entertain the Clark Circle of the Alto Methodist Church last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Patetrson attended a 4-H Leaders Training Meeting and pot luck supper at Bostwick Lake last week Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Graham and Mr. and Mrs. Jarrold Raab and family attended the 25th wedding anniversary reception for Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller of Snow Ave. It was held at the East Caledonia Church Sunday afternoon. Mr. Miller is a nephew of Mrs. Graham and eldest son of Mrs Cora Miller of Caledonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rasmussen of Grand Rapids were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ireland.

Friday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Donovan Bates and Joyce were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Scott of Caledonia.

Whitneyville Nimble Sewers met with their leader Mrs. Lyle Patterson Saturday afternoon. They are studying sewing.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Flynn and family of Grand Rapids were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Flynn and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Miller of near Middleville called on their uncle and aunt, Mr and Mrs. Carl Graham Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bates and Kenneth of Grand Rapids called on Mr. and Mrs. Don Bates and Joyce Sunday afternoon. They were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Jessie Shrader of Snow Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ireland are making a big improvement around their home and plan to build a breezeway and 2-stall garage in connection with their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Patterson attended the christening of their new granddaughter, Pamela Anne Sunday at St. Mary's Church in Cascade. The parents are Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Milanowski (nee Betty Lou Patterson).

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Aldrich and sons were Saturday supper guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs Vern Aldrich and sons in Grand Rapids.

Rev. James Ballard called on Mr. and Mrs. Mart Postma Wednesday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Warner haven't heard from their son T Sgt. Robert Warner since the forepart of November. Bobby, as everyone around here knew him, has a birthday coming up January 29. Anyone wishing to remember him with a card here is his address: T Sgt. Robert Warner, 16191717, 8th Supply Squadron A. P. O. 929, % Postmaster San Francisco, Calif.

Vern Aldrich is visiting Loyal Aldrich and family in Kalamazoo for a few weeks. He was a former local resident.

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Postma and baby called on Mr .and Mrs. Russell Stahr in Grand Rapids Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Flynn and family called on her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Loring in Caledonia and were Sunday evening lunch guests.

Mrs. Maude Cooper was a Sunday dinner guest of Mrs. Addie Campbell and Mrs. Lena Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. John Huizenga and LaVonne of Caledonia were Sunday evening lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Krum in McCords.

The Whitneyville Grange will meet this Saturday evening, Jan. 20, at the hall. All members try and be there.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Zoet and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boeskool of Grand Rapids were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Coats in E. McCords.

Callers of Jack Rockefellow this week were Frank Graham on Tuesday and on Saturday Mrs. Peter Buys called and brought him a loaf of homemade bread.

Friday evening will be the PTA meeting at the school. It is hoped there will be a good crowd out. They plan to play bingo for entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Schoenborn of Grand Rapids called on Mr. and Mrs Robert Lopez and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wisner, formerly of Florida but now of Grand Rapids called on Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wert and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Miller of Snow Ave., near Davis Lake, called on Mr. and Mrs. Carl Graham Thursday evening

We were pleased to see the picture and write up in the Grand Rapids Press recently of Mrs. Georgia Cook and her son Miner and the Whitneyville Grange. It is thought Mrs. Cook is the oldest grange member in Kent Co. Her eyesight is not as good as it used to be but she does a lot of things around the house. She lives on the old farm on 48th St on Ada R-1. They had open house in her honor on her 80th birthday. She is one of the old pioneers of this community and a grand person to know.

When the ladies of the W. S. C. S. met with Mrs. Doris Linton this past Thursday Laura Fountain remarked she attended Aid in that same house 50 years ago. Mr. and Mrs. John Brewer lived there at that time.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wert and family were Sunday afternoon and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson in Grand Rapids.

James DeBruyn and Miss Jones of Grand Rapids called at the DeBruyn-Rockefellow home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Audrey Postma, the president of Whitneyville PTA, appreciates the calls she has had from those having papers or magazines to donate to the PTA, the money will be used for the benefit of the school. Anyone else having papers please call Alto 4675.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis P. Densmore of Burton Heights called on Mr. and Mrs. L M Douglass Friday afternoon

Foreman Road
Mrs. Edna Taylor

Mrs. Sam Ryder attended the 4-H Club meeting held at Camp Vining Lodge at Bostwick Lake Monday afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Keneth Goodwin and children spent the week-end with her brother in Pontiac.

Mrs. Nellie McPherson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Russell Davis and family in Lansing for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bennett and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Edwards of Lansing were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roth.

Mrs. Theresa Goodwin spent the week-end at Lyons.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fairchild spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Stauffer.

The 4-H Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ryder Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Austin and daughter of Flint were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Fred Roth

There was a Benefit Card Party at the Grange Hall Saturday evening. The committee was Mrs. Chas. Collar, Mrs. Sam Ryder and Mrs. Wesley Griffen. There was a good crowd and all had a very good time. Proceeds went for the Bennett school.

Miss Nellie Tiffany of Rockford called on Mr. and Mrs. Theo Bailey Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Goodwin visited her brother in the Northville hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hafer of Crystal spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs Wm. Roth.

Mr and Mrs. Russell Anderson of Grand Rapids were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Stauffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ryder attended the B. B. Club at Bennett school Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kapugis of Lansing spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. Theo Bailey.

Mrs. Mabel Gruse of Grand Rapids is spending a few days with Mrs. Florence Bailey.

South Bowne
Mrs. Jennie Pardee

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cosgriff of Lowell were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Jennie Pardee. Afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Johnson of Bowne Center. They were evening luncheon guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Mishler were callers at the Merle Hostettler home Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Hostettler is under the doctor's care.

Mrs. Frank Townsend entertained the missionary society of the South Woodland church of the Brethren on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Eash of Flanagan, Ill., is visiting his brother, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Eash and other relatives for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Eash and four children have gone for a week's vacation to Pennsylvania and to Maryland to visit his brother, Alden and family.

Paul Hoffman and family were in Saranac Sunday afternoon to help their aunt, Mrs. Louise Dausman celebrate her birthday.

Martin Kunde and family were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Shantz of Grand Rapids Sunday evening.

Mrs. Maggie Kunde attended the Lutheran Aid at Holy Corners Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hoffman and Mrs. Freeman Hoffman were in Lake Odessa Thursday forenoon.

Mrs. Alden Porritt and Mrs. Lydia Porritt were callers of Mrs. Jennie Pardee Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Mishler were in Alto Saturday afternoon and they also called on Mr. and Mrs. Myron Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Mishler and daughter Mrs. Charles Blough and son David were in Hastings Friday.

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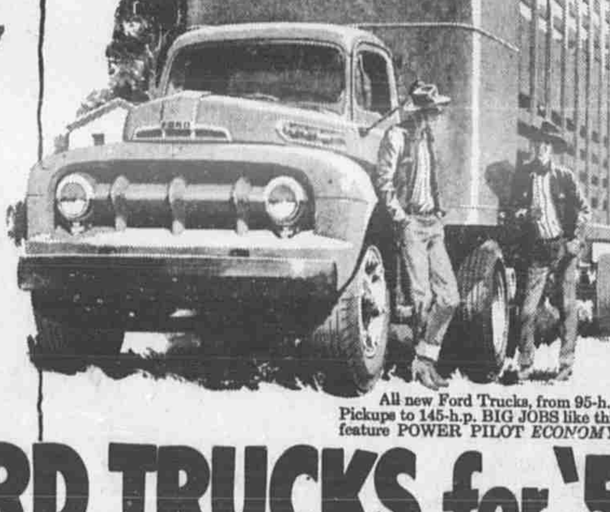

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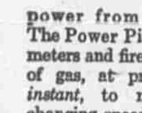

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Broadcast Chili Con Carne	With Beans	No. 2 can 31c
Ann Page Spaghetti	Prepared with Tomato Sauce	2 15½-oz. cans 25c
Grapefruit Juice	Sweetened or Unsweetened	46-oz. can 25c
Iona Peaches	Sliced or Halves	No. 2½ can 29c
dexo	Pure Vegetable Shortening	3 lb. can 98c
White House Milk	There's None Better	2 tall cans 25c

Orange Juice		46-oz. can 27c
Grape Juice	Welch's	24-oz. bottle 39c
Hot Chocolate	Borden's Instant	½-lb. pkg. 23c
Eight o'Clock Coffee		lb. bag 77c
Waldorf Toilet Tissue		3 rolls 23c
Scott Toilet Tissue		roll 11c
Plum Preserve	Ann Page	lb. jar 25c
Grape Jelly	Ann Page	12-oz. glass 23c
Elbow Macaroni	Ann Page	3 lb. pkg. 47c
Kraft Dinner		2 7¼-oz. pkgs. 27c
Navy Beans		2 lb. pkg. 27c
Kidney Beans	Sultana	2 16-oz. cans 19c
Cut Green Beans	Iona	2 No. 2 cans 27c
Iona Peas		2 No. 303 cans 27c
Iona Tomatoes		No. 2 can 15c
Kellogg Corn Flakes		13-oz. pkg. 20c
Rolled Oats	Sunnyfield	48-oz. pkg. 29c
Green Pea Soup	Campbell	2 10½-oz. cans 25c
Hekman's Saltines		16-oz. pkg. 25c
Pink Salmon	Cold Stream	lb. can 55c
Maine Sardines	In Oil	3 3¼-oz. cans 25c
American Family Soap		3 bars 25c
Ivory Flakes		large pkg. 32c

Seedless Pink Grapefruit		5 for 31c
Head Lettuce	Jumbo 36 Size	each 19c
Oranges	Juicy Florida	8 lb. bag 49c
Tangeloes	Florida Delicious	2 lbs. 25c
Rutabagas	Wax Sealed	lb. 5c
Apples	Michigan Jonathan	3 lbs. 33c
Tangerines	Florida's Finest Quality Size 176	doz. 29c
Dates	Bordo Pitted	lb. 29c
Prunes	Sunsweet — Large	2 lb. pkg. 49c
Raisins		2 lb. pkg. 49c
Peanuts	Regalo Salted Spanish	lb. pkg. 35c
Walnuts	Large Diamond	lb. pkg. 39c
Marvel Bread		20-oz. loaf 16c
Brown-N-Serve Rolls		pkg. of 12 17c
Potato Bread		16-oz. loaf 16c
Jelly Donuts		pkg. of 6 29c
Oatmeal Cookies		pkg. of 12 23c
Potato Chips		lb. box 61c
Vienna Bread		16-oz. loaf 18c
Cinnamon Loaf		each 23c
Sharp Cheddar Cheese		lb. 62c
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Cheese Spreads	Most Varieties Kraft	5-oz. glass 25c

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS
Miss Agnes Perry
Phone 81

Mrs. Ray Avery reviewed "The Little World of Don Camillo" by Grovanni Guareschi at the meeting of the Book Forum Club Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. Theron Ricmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cosgriff were Sunday dinner guests of her sister, Mrs. Jennie Pardee, in Freeport.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wybenga and Mrs. Dema Pitcher of Grand Rapids were Saturday afternoon guests of Mrs. Albert Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Martin spent Thursday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Martin on the Byron Center Road.

Mrs. Kittie Charles spent Sunday with Miss Dorothy Lawyer in Cascade.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hoffman and daughter Joanne of South Bowne and Clyde Bunker of Alto were Tuesday visitors at the Will Cosgriff home.

Having a "permanent"? Let Little Mary play at the Children's Center. c36tf

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Rasch attended the funeral of the former's brother, Arthur Martin, in Grand Rapids Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Martin were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herscel Martin at Comstock Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ellison were week-end guests of their daughter, Mrs. Wedding, in Saginaw.

Miss Hazel Radford is very ill in St. Mary's hospital at Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lemon (nee Ann Green, formerly of Lowell), now of Marne were callers Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Gillis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Loughlin of Jackson were Friday callers at the Wm. Keech home. Mr. and Mrs. Keech went to Lansing Saturday and met Mr. and Mrs. Loughlin and attended the funeral of Clay Romine of Flint, a brother-in-law of the ladies.

Is your Club meeting today? Let your child stay at the Children's Center c36tf

R. D. Hahn is making a business trip to the west coast, leaving on Thursday. Mrs. Hahn is taking a month's vacation and will accompany Mr. Hahn as far as Chicago, where she plans to visit friends, and will also make a visit with relatives in Indianapolis and with her daughter and family in Cleveland. Miss Inez Rutherford is supplying for Mrs. Hahn at the school library.

Robert I. White of New Carlisle, Ind., is visiting his brother, Dr. F. E. White, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schneider, Judy and Bob called on Mr. and Mrs. John Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Schneider in Grand Rapids Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Phelps entertained Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gasper and family to dinner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reusser and family of Belding were Sunday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Crooks. Mr. and Mrs. Alec Reusser Mr. and Mrs. Issac Llaca of Ionia and Mr. and Mrs. Orvies Stahl of Clarksville were Friday evening callers.

Mrs. Floyd Clark of near Moseley spent Friday afternoon visiting Mrs. Josephine Converse.

Mrs. Christine Davenport of Alpine, Mrs. Alice Klenk, Lois and Ronnie and Vernon Davenport, all of Grand Rapids were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. George Grochawalski spent Sunday at Ann Arbor visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Clifford.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrison Weaver and son Scott of Ada were Sunday dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Weaver.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Balkema and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Metz and daughter of Grand Rapids were Saturday evening dinner guests with Mr and Mrs. Ray Heffron and Patty.

Going shopping? Send your child to The Children's Center. c36tf

Rev. Philip R. Glotfelty, Jr., spent from Monday until Wednesday of this week at Ann Arbor attending the annual Pastors Conference at the University of Michigan.

Mr. anrd Mrs. Orrin Sterken entertained Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stehouwer in Grand Rapids one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Nanary and Mrs. Charles McKay of Detroit were Wednesday callers of Mrs. Orrin Sterken.

Mrs. Harold Yeiter returned to her home Wednesday after spending two weeks visiting friends and relatives at Toronto, Can.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Johnson of Grand Rapids were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Sibliski.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerald Roth spent the first of the week in Chicago attending the furniture market.

Mr. and Mrs. John Timpson and Mr. and Mrs. George Lundberg are spending two weeks at Bradenton, Fla. Their three children are staying at the George Hale home during their absence.

Mrs. Gladys Hartley spent the week-end visiting her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Rusco in Grand Rapids.

Miss Louise Van Prooyen of Grand Rapids was a Saturday evening dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Sterken.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cheyne of Grandville and Mrs. Mable Caulken of Rockford were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hunter.

Will Laux, who with Mrs. Laux is spending the winter at Eustis, Fla., underwent a minor chest operation last week Wednesday at Leesburg hospital there. The last report has it that he is home and coming along fine.

Mrs. Robert L. Jones received a call last Saturday informing her of the death of her sister, Mrs. Zoe Calkins, 62, of Comstock Park. Mrs. Calkins had entertained Friday evening and was found dead in bed Saturday morning by her husband, Frank. Burial was Tuesday afternoon in Alpine cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Weaver and family of Rockford were Sunday visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Gaul.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Covell of Kalamazoo spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orley Grindle.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Bergin entertained the Double Score bridge club Saturday evening at their home, three tables being in play.

Lowell Locals

Mrs. Wm. Weldon of Chicago was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr. an dMrs. Andrew Chaffee. Mrs. Vera Andrews of Lansing, sister of Mrs. Chaffee, has been visiting her the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Sterken entertained their euche club Saturday, three tables being in play.

Do you want to work? We will care for Junior at The Children's Center. c36tf

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lind were hosts to 15 of their friends Saturday evening, four tables of euchre being in play.

Mr. and Mrs. Glendon Bovee entertained Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Bovee Vercel Bovee and Carl Kyser of Lowell and Mrs. Minnie Allen of Saranac in honor of their son, Lewis Lyle's first birthday.

Mrs. John Baker entertained Monday afternoon a group of ladies from the West Lowell United Brethren Church. Mrs. Mae Custer from South Haven being there, organized a Women's Missionary Association. This group will meet monthly, the next meeting with Mrs. Sam Myers.

Gerald E. Rollins was in attendance at a meeting of the Kent County Council of Extension groups held at Camp Vining, Bostwick Lake, Tuesday afternoon, at which time the council discussed "Our Way of Life" drawing comparisons of the various "isms," capitalism, communism, socialism and others.

Mrs. Cora Herman, who has been convalescing at the home of her brother, Ray Cornell, left Sunday to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Rev. and Mrs. Cummings, at Mena, Ark.

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Mrs. Mary Potter

Something should surely be done to people that drop dogs. They not sell or shoot them. This terrible practice of dropping dogs of all ages from puppies to older ones has a favorite dumping ground at the corner of Finkens' Road and Centerline Rd., on border of Keene and Boston townships. Last Saturday a cute little puppy was dropped there and a family who already have three grown dogs has taken the puppy in. Can't some humane officer hunt up these offenders and punish them? It's sure a terrible thing to do to man's best friend.

The Cutler 4-H knitting and sewing club will meet right after school Wednesday at the school house. It is hoped all will be present.

Ilene Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Smith, plays on a football with her sisters and brother, slipped on ice at her home and fell and broke her left wrist, fracturing it.

The teachers of Zone 3 will meet Thursday afternoon after school at Welch school in Easton.

Mrs. Glen Rickert spent Thursday with other members of Ionia Council at St. Mary's Lake north of Battle Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Boone and family and Eddie and Byron Potter spent Friday evening at the Ralph Wheatsin home in Saranac watching the Charles-Oma fight on their television set.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Franks and family spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Reg Clarson in Lowell and Betty Franks spent last week on business in Detroit.

Mrs. Celia Ross spent last Thursday morning in Grand Rapids with her friend Mrs. Richard Dornbos.

Mrs. Marie Rickert was given a surprise party Friday evening for her birthday. Sixteen were present, games played and ice cream, cake and sandwiches with jello were served. She received many nice gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell White of Grand Rapids were Sunday guests of Louise and Geneva Barkley.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson and the children of Mrs. Edna Thompson gave her a lovely potluck dinner at her Lowell home Wednesday in honor of her birthday.

Chester Bonney of Baraga was week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Duras Olin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hoover and Patsy were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Hoover and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. James Baird and Richard were Friday evening guests at the Chas. Baird home in Lowell to watch the Charles-Oma fight on their television set.

Mrs. Mildred King underwent major surgery in a hospital in Grand Rapids last week.

Grant Adams was a dinner guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shogan. Evening guests were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Shores.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Schmidt of Lansing were week-end guests of Leona Hale and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson of Southeast Lowell were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gage and family. Saturday dinner guest was Mr. Sears of Grand Ledge.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Schmidt and Leona and Mike Hale were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Filorus Hale and family. Sunday dinner guests at the Leona Hale home were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hale and family.

Mr. and Mrs James Dean were Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Potter and family. Friday evening guests to watch boxing match at the Paul Potter home on their new television set were Mr. and Mrs. Hillis Tucker of Saranac, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Loding Jr and family of Greenville and Gerald Hoover. Sunday the Paul Potters were guests of the Eddie Potter family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wheaton and Marie were Sunday evening callers at the Ed Potter Sr. home.

Fallsburg Vicinity

Mrs. Bruce Tower

A miscellaneous shower for Mrs. Rex Crout (Joyce Booth) was given at the home of Mrs. Max VanderVeen last Friday evening. Mrs. Leo Sullivan was co-hostess, although absent because of illness. Fourteen ladies spent a very enjoyable evening playing Bunco. Mrs. Crout received many useful and lovely gifts and a dainty lunch was served.

LeRoy Chipman entered Blodgett hospital on Sunday where he will spend several days under observation. Mr. and Mrs. George Johnston are staying with Mrs. Chipman at present.

John Emelander of Grand Rapids visited Mr. and Mrs. George Emelander and Bobby on Sunday.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Organek and family were the Karl Denslow family of Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Booth spent Sunday in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Tower and children were Thursday evening supper guests of Mr and Mrs. Emery Watrous and family on E. Fulton St.

Mrs. Dwight Watson spent Monday at Butterworth hospital with her mother, Mrs. Jennie Rexford who underwent surgery. Mrs. Rexford is recovering nicely and returned home.

Mrs Sylvester Hlisaki and daughters and Mrs. Robert Boynton and son of Wyoming Park spent Friday at the Wesley Miller home.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Miller from Friday evening until Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Will Wylie of Codette, Saskatchewan, Can., and Mr. and Mrs Mervin Freer and daughter Verona of Watford, Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Miller and Ward accompanied their guests on Saturday to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Miller in Grand Rapids. There a family gathering and dinner honored Jacob Miller, father of Wesley Miller on his 85th birthday and reunited Mr. Miller and his sister, Mrs. Will Wylie after 51 years. Mrs. Wylie had celebrated her 71st birthday Jan. 6 and is the youngest and only other living member of the family.

Girl Blazes Trail Through Woods

How a telephone operator conducted a seemingly impossible search for the parents of a young Detroit woman is described in a letter recently received by Michigan Bell. The letter, written by Mrs. Frank J. Plaia, follows:

"This was an urgent call, involving the loss of a family friend. Although my parents had no telephone at their cottage, I knew of one at a store nearby. However, I knew no more than that, and the operator (Miss Samardich) was really wonderful in trying to get my call through. She had to call several places before locating the particular store. Then, when no one answered at the store, she was able to locate another telephone nearby.

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The summer cottage of N. G. Mentes, Detroit businessman, on the shores of White Lake near Milford, Mich. It was here that the Mentes were staying, out of telephone touch when their daughter tried to reach them.

Mrs. Frank J. Plaia, of Detroit, who suggested needed to talk to her parents.

Miss Dolores H. Samardich, Michigan Bell toll operator in Detroit, whose efforts are described in Mrs. Plaia's letter.

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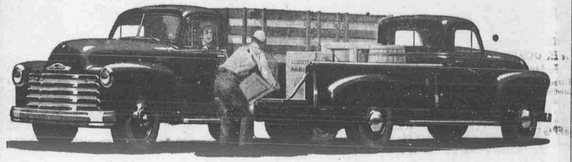

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PUBLIC NOTICES

State of Michigan—In the Superior Court of Grand Rapids—In Chancery—Order of Appearance and Publication, No. 12025

At a session of said Court held in the City Hall in the City of Grand Rapids, Kent County Michigan, on this 5th day of December, A. D., 1950.

Present: HON THADDEUS B. TAYLOR, Judge of the Superior Court of Grand Rapids.

CRESCENT ULREY,

Plaintiff

vs.

HAROLD ULREY and THE UNION CENTRAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, an Insurance Corporation,

Defendants

Upon reading the Affidavit of Crescent Ulrey, plaintiff in which she states that Harold Ulrey, defendant, is not a resident of Kent County, Michigan and that she does not know in what State or Country said defendant resides; therefore, on motion of Gerald N. Henry, attorney for plaintiff;

It Is Ordered that Harold Ulrey, defendant, enter his appearance in said cause on or before three (3) months from the date of this order and that unless said defendant does appear personally, or by attorney, on or before three (3) months from the date aforesaid, the said Bill of Complaint shall be taken as confessed by said defendant and within forty (40) days from the date of this order, the plaintiff cause this order to be published in the Lowell Ledger, a newspaper published and circulating within the County of Kent and State of Michigan, said publication to be continued once each week for six (6) successive weeks, provided, however, that such publication is not necessary if a copy of this order shall have been personally served upon said defendant at least twenty (20) days before the time prescribed for the appearance of said defendant, or if a copy of this order shall have been served upon said defendant by registered mail and an official return receipt received therefore.

THADDEUS B. TAYLOR, Judge of the Superior Court of Grand Rapids

Examined, Countersigned and Entered by Me:

CARL F. MEINKE, Deputy Clerk

Attest: A true copy

GEORGE VRUGGINK Deputy Clerk c37-42

NOTICE OF FORFEITURE and SURRENDER OF OIL LEASE

To:

C. B. Jetter of Kalamazoo, Michigan

We, the undersigned, owners of the following described land situated in Cascade Township, Kent County, Michigan to-wit:

Farm of forty acres, more or less, legally described as the South half (S½) of the North half (N½) of the Southwest (fractional) quarter (SW¼) of Section Six (6), Town 8 North, Range 10 West, Kent County, Michigan, upon which a lease dated the 4th day of February, 1941 was given to C. B. Jetter of Kalamazoo, Michigan, lessee, do hereby notify you that the terms of said leases have been broken by the owner thereof, that we hereby elect to declare and do declare the said lease forfeited and void, and that unless you do within thirty days from this date notify the register of deeds of said county as provided by law, that said lease has been forfeited, we will file with the said register of deeds an affidavit of forfeiture as provided by law; and we hereby demand that you execute or have executed a proper surrender of said lease and that you put the same on record in the office of the register of deeds in said county within thirty days from this date.

DATED: January 5th, 1951

FRED KOETSIER

ELEANOR KOETSIER

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NOTICE OF FORFEITURE and SURRENDER OF OIL LEASE

To:

Western Oil and Gas Company of Grand Rapids, Michigan, and John R. Simerink, Assignee.

We, the undersigned, owners of the following described land situated in Cascade Township, Kent County, Michigan to-wit:

Farm of forty acres, more or less, legally described as the South half (S½) of the North half (N½) of the Southwest (fractional) quarter (SW¼) of Section Six (6), Town 8 North, Range 10 West, Kent County, Michigan,

upon which a lease dated the 27th day of March, 1939, was given to Western Oil and Gas Company of Grand Rapids, Mich., lessee do hereby notify you that the terms of said lease have been broken by the owner thereof, that we hereby elect to declare and do declare the said lease forfeited and void, and that unless you do within thirty days from this date notify the register of deeds of said county as provided by law that said lease has been forfeited, we will file with the said register of deeds an affidavit of forfeiture as provided by law; and we hereby demand that you execute or have executed a proper surrender of said lease and that you put the same on record in the office of the register of deeds in said county within thirty days from this date.

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R. E. Springett, Atty.

Lowell, Mich.

ORDER APPOINTING TIME FOR HEARING CLAIMS

State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Kent.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office, in the City of Grand Rapids, in said county the 10th day of January, A. D., 1951.

Present, HON. JOHN DALTON, Judge of Probate

In the Matter of the Estate of Perry C. Peckham, Sr., Deceased

It appearing to the court that the time for presentation of claims against said estate should be limited, and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court.

It Is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at said Probate Office on or before the 28th day of March, A. D., 1951 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

It Is Further Ordered, That publication of this order be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Lowell Ledger, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

JOHN DALTON

Judge of Probate

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FRED HOYT,

Register of Probate c38-42

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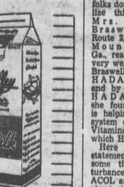

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Cows, beef	$20.00-$24.00
Cutters and canners	$17.00-$19.00
Bulls	$25.00-$27.00
Hogs	$20.30-$22.50
Roughs and heavies	$15.00-$18.00
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1941 Plymouth 4-Door

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FOR SALE—Norge washing machine, $25.00. George McDonough Lowell phone 422-F3. c38

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1947 Buick Super 4-Door Sedan

1949 Plymouth Spl. Dlx. Sedan

1948 Plymouth Deluxe Sedan

1948 Plymouth Deluxe 2-Door

1947 Plymouth Deluxe Sedan

1946 Plymouth Spl. Dlx. Sedan

1941 Plymouth Spl. Dlx. 2 dr.

1940 Plymouth Club Coupe

1938 Plymouth Coupe

1948 Dodge Custom Sedan

1948 Dodge Deluxe 2-Door

1947 Dodge Custom Town Sedan

1946 Dodge Business Coupe

1941 Dodge Custom Sedan

1941 Pontiac Club Sedan

Dependable Used Trucks:

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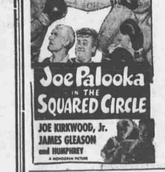

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Ada Phone 3411

Past Matrons Club

The regular meeting of the past Matron's Club was held at the home of Mrs. Cory Cookingham on Wednesday. Mrs. Frank Richardson was co-hostess. They announce that there will be a bake sale on Mar. 17 at 2:00 o'clock in Buttrick's store at Cascade.

All Saints Guild

The All Saints Guild will hold their regular meeting on Thursday at the home of Mrs. Neil Weathers on Dogwood Rd. Mrs. Howard Henderson is co-hostess. Everyone is welcome.

Girl Scouts

There will be a neighborhood meeting held in the high school cafeteria on Tuesday, Jan. 23 from 1:30 to 3:30 to complete plans for the annual meeting of the Kent County Girl Scout Council and also to discuss a neighborhood project for spring.

Ladies Aid

The Ladies Aid and Missionary Society of the Congregational Church will hold their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Walter Afton on Thursday, Jan. 25. It will be a dessert luncheon at 1:00 o'clock and the project for the club will be tearing rags to make two rugs for Tougaloo College at Minnesota.

Extension Club

The Egypt Extension Club will hold their regular all day meeting and potluck dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Anderson on Thursday. Mrs Kenneth Anderson will be the hostess. Study for the day will be pattern alteration.

Ada Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ingersoll and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fox drove to Newaygo on Sunday.

Robert Fox of Cascade was a Tuesday night dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fox.

Grant Avery of Three Rivers was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lou Gillispie.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dunnebeck and family of Grand Rapids were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Art Loveless.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Denkema and daughter Carol were Saturday night dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Menald of Belding.

Reminder: To all Ada township electors. You must register by Jan. 30 to be able to vote in the Ada township primary held on Feb. 19 at the town hall.

Miss Grace Whaley attended the Kent County Library staff meeting at Wyoming Library in Grand Rapids on Monday to select new books for the February change.

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Ada Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Norberg of Cascade were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Richardson.

The A. C. Cribbage Club were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whitacker of Cascade on Saturday night. Mrs. Frank Richardson, Mrs. Russell Fox and Mrs. Richard Dygert were birthday guests of honor and were presented gifts from the club members. Mrs. Russell Fox and Frank Richardson won head prizes and consolation prizes went to Mrs. F. Richardson and Russell Fox. A delicious luncheon was served.

Miss Estelle Hobbs of Morse Lake Rd. was an overnight guest of Miss Cheryl Nellist on Wednesday. Also guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Nellist on Wednesday night were Rev. and Mrs. Guy Dillon of Rogers City, Mich.

Rev. and Mrs. Guy Dillon of Rogers City were Wednesday night dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fox and Friday night dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. James Toohey of Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Lewis Tichelaar attended a cradle shower given in honor of Mrs. Clarence Meines of Grand Rapids on Friday night at the home of Mrs. Hans Tichelaar of Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCormick and family and Mr. and Mrs. James McCormick were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Laubaugh in Grand Rapids Saturday night.

The Boynton school will hold a potluck supper and community meeting on Friday night at 8:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Norman Wride and Mrs. Kenneth Huckles, who are 4-H leaders, attended a first year 4-H meeting at Trinity Methodist church on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCaul will leave for Florida on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Krystiniak. They will be gone about two weeks.

Sunday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Butts were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sylskar and family and Mrs. A. DeBoer of Grand Rapids.

Miss Cheryl Nellist was the guest of honor at a birthday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fox. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Clark Nellist, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Nellist of Grand Rapids and Ronald Collins of Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick DeVries were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Westenburg of Grand Rapids at a shrimp supper on Saturday night.

Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Fase were Mr. and Mrs. Babe Homrich and family of Dutton and guests on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Grover Fase and family of Cascade.

Mrs. Olive Ritter of Lowell is the house guest of her daughter Mrs. Belle Faulkner.

Terrance Biang, son of Mrs. Herbert Marohn, has joined the army air force and will leave on Thursday for Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Nellist were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Shimmel on Morse Lake Rd.

Claude and Lloyd DeVormer have both left for the Army Air Force. Mr. and Mrs. Merle Champion, Mrs. Jim DeVormer and Lloyd's wife Doris, took Lloyd to Detroit on Tuesday and Claude left n Friday morning. Mrs. DeVormer received a telephone call from Claude on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Swain of Grand Rapids were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Furner.

Mr. and Mrs. James Furner and family were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ward of Grand Rapids.

Robert Grant of Lansing was a house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Teeple from Tuesday until Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Tom Morris was an all-day guest of Mrs. Anna Yardley and Mrs. Andrew Chaffee in Lowell on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Morris were Saturday night dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Chaffee in Grand Rapids.

Tom Morris has accompanied Albert Blaser of Lowell on an ice fishing trip to Charlevoix Lake. They will be gone for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McMasters are the new parents of a baby boy born on Monday at the Osteopathic hospital in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Cramton, Mrs. Orville Summers, Mrs. Cory Cookingham, Mrs. Orison Weaver, Mrs. Bernard Rooker, Mrs. Bates, Mrs. Stanley Staskus and Mrs. Kenneth Nellist were among those from Vesta Chapter to attend Adah night at Peninsula Chapter in Grand Rapids on Tuesday night.

Sunday callers of Rev. and Mrs. Edward Kryger were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Claeson and Mrs. William Williams at Alaska.

Gene Rooker of the Rockford State Police post was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Rooker on Friday night.

A birthday party was given for Ronald Kryger by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kryger at their home on Jan. 6. It was Ronald's 18th birthday and 12 of his friends came with lovely gifts to help him celebrate. The evening was spent playing games and refreshments were served.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Rooker were Sharon and Ronald VanHouten of Grand Rapids and Ted Atkins of Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Morris are the new grandparents of a baby girl born to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Morris of Lowell. Sheila Jean was born on Jan. 12 at Blodgett hospital and weighed 7 lbs. 4½ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Anderson left on Tuesday to drive to Biloxi, Miss., to see their son, Cpl Robert Anderson who is stationed at Keesler Field.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fox were callers of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson of Lowell on Tuesday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Vereeke of Grand Rapids entertained with a birthday dinner on Sunday for Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Jaspers and daughter of Lowell and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Jaspers. Gerald Jaspers was the guest of honor.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Cramton attended a program on Monday night at Rockford put on by Dean Allen of Sparta, who represented the state of Michigan in a Future Farmers exchange with Germany for three months. Mr. Allen showed pictures and gave an interesting talk on farm conditions in Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Orison Weaver and son Scott were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Weaver in Lowell.

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As I have decided to discontinue farming, I will sell at public auction, the following described property on the farm known as the Jake Staal farm, located ¾ mile east of Lowell to Montcalm Ave., then north one mile to Denton Road and ½ mile east; or 1 mile south of M-91, then ½ mile east, 3 miles northeast of Lowell on

FRIDAY, JAN. 26, 1951

Commencing at 1:00 P. M., Sharp

24-Head Holstein Cattle-24

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Holstein, 4 yrs., due Feb. 18
Holstein, 4 yrs., due Feb. 22
Holstein, 7 yrs., fresh 4 weeks
Holstein, 9 yrs., fresh 3 weeks
Holstein, 6 yrs., fresh 2 weeks, heifer calf
Holstein, 7 yrs., fresh 2 weeks, heifer calf
Holstein, 4 yrs., fresh 2 weeks
Holstein, 6 yrs., fresh 4 weeks
Holstein, 4 yrs., due Feb. 15
Holstein, 4 yrs., due Mar. 4
Holstein, 3 yrs., fresh 3 weeks, heifer calf
Holstein, 3 yrs., due in May
Holstein Heifer, 2 yrs., open
3 Holstein Heifers, 18 months
3 Holstein Heifers, 6 months
Registered Holstein Bull, 8 months

HOGS

Duroc Sow, due to farrow Jan. 30
2 Feeder Pigs

DAIRY EQUIPMENT

2 Single Units Surge Milker, complete with stall cocks and pipe for 14 cows

HAY AND STRAW

Approximately 200 bales of Hay
Approximately 150 bales of Straw

TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT

1948 John Deere A Tractor with starter, lights and Trol-Power (overhauled this winter)
Cultivator for above tractor
Oilver Raydex 2-bottom 14" heavy duty Tractor Plow (used one season)
M. & M. 4-Section Tractor Drag, 2 yrs. old
John Deere 7 ft. Double Disc, 3 yrs. old
John Deere Power Mower, 7 ft. cut, used one season
Papec Silo Filler, 3 yrs. old
Hay Rack, 7½ x 14 ft.
Hand Corn Sheller — Hog Crate
Oil Burning Tank Heater — Oil Drums
Many other articles too numerous to mention

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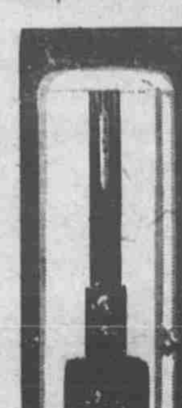

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Lou Talbot and sister Katherine Talbot of Grand Rapids were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Swift Winegar.

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Nomination Petition Notice

Notice is hereby given that I will receive nominating petitions for the following township officers for the township of Bowne, County of Kent, State of Michigan, up to and including the 29th day of January 1951, until 4:00 o'clock P. M.

PRIMARIES FOR VILLAGE AND TOWNSHIP OFFICERS

Section 6

In order to secure the placing of the name of any candidate upon any ballot, it shall be necessary for such candidate to file with the village or township clerk, not less than 20 days before the day designated for the holding of such caucus, a petition signed by not less than one per centum nor more than four per centum of the electors of such village or township, as shown by the registration books thereof, asking that his name be placed upon such ballot and designating the office and political party or organization upon whose ballot he desires to have such name so placed.

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Letter to President

Suzanne Coats, 11-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Coats of Jackson, while visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Coats of McCords, proudly told of her letter from President Truman. Suzanne had secretly written the letter telling the President her daddy was a Republican but she was a Democrat and liked the way he does things and hoped she would grow to be a good democrat like he is. Suzanne came running frm the mail box waiving the letter and to her mother's surprise she really did have a letter from President Truman comending her on her good judgement and hoping she really grows up to be a good democrat, much to the disappointment of the Coats family.

Alto Library Notes

The flag, which was purchased by Mrs. Josephine Foote, has arrived and is very beautiful and a nice addition to our new library. Ye scribe forgot to mention last week the wonderful window display by the Bowne Center School children, District No. 1, teacher, Mrs. Kenneth Stahl, which is causing much favorable comment by patrons and passers-by. The colorful paper-mache animals show great imagination and talent. Alto school will have a display in February. There will be an official opening in February when all our chairs have arrived and in connection with the tea we are planning to have an antique and hobby show in the new "Fire House" adjoining the library. Please be thinking of any antiques or articles of interest you may have or hobbies and they can be brought to the Library when date is decided on, watch the Ledger for announcement.

Stone Corners Farm Bureau

Twenty-four members and two guests attended the Stone Corners Farm Bureau meeting Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Silcox. Topic discussed was "Sunday Hunting" and Aliver Peterson was the discussion leader. Two contests caused much merriment as the blindfolded ladies tried to see who could put the most stockings on their hands and arms and Marion Forward put on nine pair and was the prize winner. Mr. Rogers, a guest, won the men's contest and turned a stitched belt the quickest.

A delicious chop suey supper was served by the host and hostess. The February meeting will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Peterson Saturday evening, Feb. 10.

Mrs. Claud Silcox, Pub.

White Circle Meeting

There was a small group that met at the Methodist Church on Wednesday evening due to colds. It was too bad more were not present as it was a very interesting meeting. Mrs. Bolitho lead in devotionals and President Reynhout proceeded with business and secretary Richardson gave the minutes and they drew names for Secret Friends and read cards of appeciation for the lovely fruit baskets sent to ill and shut ins. Roll call was answered to Bible verses about the New Year.

Ethel Rosenberg as program chairman had prepared three clever games and winners were Mrs. G. F. Bolitho, Mrs. Fraik Fairchild and Mrs. Wm. Reynhout. Mrs. VandenHeuval had arranged tables prettily and with Nellie Fryling and Pauline Watts as the committee served delicious refreshments. All had a nice time and we hope to have a larger attendance at the February meeting.

Alto Locals

Alto has a natural skating rink on Frank MacNaughton's flats and do the kids have fun, first they're up and then down, but what fun they have and the Pattison's have a ring side seat from their sun porch. Pretty good skaters too. It looked very much like Val Watts skating with them occasionally.

Mrs. Iva Linton of Lowell spent a couple of days last week with her brother Vern Bryant and family at Morse Lake and spent Friday evening with Mrs. H. D. Smith watching wrestling matches on television. Ye scribe was watching the same with Mrs. Bowen.

Three men with their families are in their trailer houses across from the elevator and doing some work for Bergy Bros. Elevator.

Mrs. Katherine Curley was taken suddenly ill Sunday morning at the home of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Murphy, 1122 Franklin St., Grand Rapids. Friends hope for a better report soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cap Fierstein and father, Allie Dalstra and Arleen Behler had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Frierstein near Crooked Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fellows of Grand Rapids spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brsw.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Lyon spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. Charles Rittenger.

Mrs. Anna Yardley of Lowell called on Sada Wilson Friday and Anna Easterby was a Friday caller.

Mr. nd Mrs. Robert Benner and children spent Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Benner of Hastings and were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Birman in Lake Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Loveland and children and Mrs. Paul J. Averill were Friday night dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Loveland and Frederick.

Real Florida orange juice is being enjoyed at the Watts and Pattison homes.

Callers during the week at the Elmer Dintaman home were Anna Yardley and Iva Linton of Lowell, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Warren of Belding, Mrs. Art Bowman and granddaughter of Caledonia, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Porritt of Bowne Center and Rev. and Mrs. G. F. Bolitho.

Friends are glad to hear Mrs. Ted Scott is home and somewhat improved. Sunday visitors were their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Devenney and children of Marshall.

Leon Rouske of Clarksville called on his sister, Mrs. Verlie Daniels Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Richardson were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Craig and mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Inman of Pontiac visited their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Inman on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Deming and family attended the basketball game at Middleville Saturday and saw Caledonia win.

Mrs. C. F. Bolitho, Mrs. Frank Fairchild Mrs. Mack Watson and grandson Robert Wood attended the Clark Circle at Mrs. Matt Metternick's Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Verlie Daniels helped at the Veterans Facility hospital at North Park on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Dutcher and children of Caledonia were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Linton and Joan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rosenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Rosenberg and Larry were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Bancroft and family. The occasion was for Larry's birthday and his mother had baked one of her very attractive and tasty cakes and placed on a musical standard, formed a most attractive centerpiece and sang "Happy Birthday." 38th wedding anniversary. All had a very enjoyable evening and ice-cream and cake was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Linton visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thaler of Green Lake Saturday night.

Mrs. Lillian Bowen spent the week-end with her sister Mrs. Perry Damouth and family.

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Alto Locals

The immediate family surprised Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Blocher Mondy night to remind them of their

Mrs. John Brannan returned to the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Wakefield in Grand Rapids, after spending several weeks with her daughter Mrs. Rega White in Chicago. Mr. Wakefield is out again after undergoing surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rosenberg and Mr. and Mrs. Merle Rosenberg attended funeral services for the former's nephew Glen Rosenberg in Grand Rapids Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Regan on US-16 were Wednesday night dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Pitcher and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Blocher and sons and Delores Strouse had Sunday dinner with Bud Tisch and bride at their home in Cascade.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Dutcher and children of Caledonia were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Linton.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Yeiter and son of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Vera Yeiter and son Vernon were Friday night supper guests at the Pitcher home.

Messrs. and Mesdames Lawrence Richardson, Dick Fairchild, Paul Dintaman Claud Silcox and Lawrence Headworth went to the W. S. C. S. supper at the Snow Hall Wednesday night and it was reported excellent.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Richardson entertained the following guests with a turkey dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Walbridge of near Dutton, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bowman and their little granddaughter, Joyce Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sherrington of Caledonia, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Porritt of West Bowne and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Brewer of Grand Rapids, the occasion being Mrs. Walbridge's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernor Lynn took Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kline to their home in Cascade for dinner Sunday and in the afternoon called on their sister, Mrs. Gretta Proctor at the Goldner home and friends are sorry to hear she is confined to her bed much of the time.

Mrs. Swift Winegar received word from her cousin, George Selkirk, stating that he was made the new manager of the Kansas City Blues baseball team. Mr. Selkirk, who formerly played with the N. Y. Yankees,, was also a scout.

Snow Community
Mrs. S. P. Reynolds

The W. S. C. S. supper held last Wednesday evening was very well attended. Hostess for the February meeting will be announced later.

Mrs. Cecil Seeley is in Osteopathic hospital where she underwent a major operation last Friday. Her friends are glad to hear that she is recovering very nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Stephan and Mrs. Rosemarie Kreuger and son Michael of Grand Rapids were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hesche and Sunday evening supper guests at the Hesche home were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones of Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dalstra of Buttrick Ave. and daughter Roselyn spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Dalstra and helped the latter celebrate her birthday.

Miss Dollie Shaw of Brigden, Ont., Can., spent the week-end with her friend and former roommate Miss Marilyn Champion.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Snyder and son Bruce of Kalamazoo Mr. and Mrs Alex Robertson of Cascade and Mr. and Mrs. John Blanding were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Hesche spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bloomer in Grand Rapids.

South Lowell Busy Corners
Mrs. Mahlon Estes

The Community Club will meet Friday evening Jan. 26 at the school. Mrs. George Wieland is program chairman for this month.

Sweet Community Farm Bureau met Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Shade with Mrs. Rudy Wittenbach as co-hostess. Future discussion topics were voted on. The February meeting will be at the David Sterzick home.

The teacher and children at Sweet school and the community are very proud of the new flag pole at the school. "Old Glory" waves now for all passers-by to see.

Eric Strand was taken Monday afternoon to Blodgett hospital for a physical checkup. He suffers severe pains in the back.

Louise McDiarmid has been on the sick list also. Hope these two are felling better soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rittenger of Grand Rapids were guests Sunday evening at the Ray Rittenger home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wieland and family were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wieland. It was a combination birthday dinner for Walter and farewell dinner for Richard who leaves any day for Lackland Air Base, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Roth and new son, Larry Allen, are staying for the present with Mr. and Mrs. David Sterzick. We hear Grandpa David is spoiling little Larry and wants to feed him peanuts and raw carrots already—wants to make a man of him.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Headrick and daughters of Ionia were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Sterzick.

The 4-H Sweet Busy Bodies met Monday evening at the home of the leaders, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Estes attended the funeral Monday afternoon of Otis Fuller.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl McDairmid Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rittenger.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF

THE FARMERS STATE BANK OF ALTO

OF ALTO, MICHIGAN, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS DECEMBER 30, 1950, A STATE BANKING INSTITUTION ORGANIZED AND OPERATING UNDER THE BANKING LAWS OF THIS STATE AND A MEMBER OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM. PUBLISHED IN ACCORDANCE WITH A CALL MADE BY THE STATE BANKING AUTHORITIES AND BY THE FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF THIS DISTRICT.

ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance and cash items in process of collection	$ 211,462.23
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	582,714.78
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	6,745.00
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	842.50
Corporate stocks (including $1,550.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	1,550.00
Loans and discounts (including $7.29 overdrafts)	235,985.06
Bank premises owned $540.00, furniture and fixtures $1.00	541.00
Other assets	20.91
TOTAL ASSETS	$1,039,861.48
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	$ 445,590.53
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	474,387.07
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	6,113.49
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	40,337.08
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	3,831.49
TOTAL DEPOSITS $970,259.66	
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	$ 970,259.66
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital	$ 35,000.00
Surplus	20,000.00
Undivided profits	14,601.82
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	$ 69,601.82
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	$1,039,861.48
This bank's capital consists of Common stock with total par value of	$ 35,000.00
MEMORANDA	
Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	$ 27,500.00
Deposits of the State of Michigan (included in Deposits of States and political subdivisions)	7,500.00

I, Earl V. Colby, Cashier, of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EARL V. COLBY, Cashier.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bert McCaul (Doris Fahrni) of Lake Odessa are announcing the birth of a 7 lb. son, January 9, at Pennock hospital.

Harry VanDyke of Hudsonville was a caller at the Verne Klahn home Wednesday.

Neil and Betty McCaul have been spending several days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fahrni.

Fred Klahn, a reserve in the U. S. Marines, had orders to report January 15 for examination.

Lester Stuart, Wilbur Young, Ernest Roth, Alton Mick, Evan Graham, Lawrence Miller, Wayne and Hillis Stuart attended the soil conservation meeting in Ionia Monday evening John Freeman was reelected a director at this meeting.

Scott O'Beirne of Grand Rapids was a caller in this vicinity Sunday evening.

Elmdale
Mrs. Ira Sargeant

Rosenberger Community Club is holding its regular meeting Friday evening, Jan. 19. Owing to the program of movies and talkies, the business meeting will be called at 7:45, so remember to be there at the earlier time.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Keim entertained with a 7:30 dinner Sunday evening, guests being Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hammond of Ada, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Sargeant, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Anderson and children and Carlan Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Miller and family are living on a two residence plan as they prepare their meals and eat in their older residence and sleep in the new house. They have been waiting for the Consumers Power Co. to make some electrical wire changes before moving their stove.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Vanderwiele of Grand Rapids were Saturday evening supper guests at the Byron Weeks home, after which all the ladies attended a cradle and parcel post shower at the home of Mrs. Lawrence Bieri in Lowell, honoring Mrs. Bill Vickers and Mrs. Yvonne Gauger of Nashville, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vickers and daughter of Spring Lake have been with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Weeks, while Bill had employment at Lowell.

Mrs. Horace Myers is slowly recovering from injuries which she received when she slipped and fell headlong as she stepped out of the shower room. She received bruises on the lips, teeth and one hand.

Mrs. Wesley Keim and father, Semiah Seese, attended the funeral services of Mrs. Lynn Parker Allerding at Freeport Friday afternoon.

Southwest Bowne
Mrs. L. T. Anderson

Miss Helen Bowman of Grand Rapids spent Wednesday overnight with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Bowman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Anderson spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Roger Pitsch and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McDiarmid and daughter were Sunday guests at the Henry Cooley home.

Mrs. Roger Pitsch and Mrs. Gerald Anderson entertained the Altar Society of St. Patrick's Church at the latter's home Tuesday evening. Twenty-one ladies were present for the business meeting and discussion following. Dainty refreshments

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Rev. and Mrs. Bolitho of Alto spent Wednesday afternoon at the Keith Bowman home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Butts of Dutton and Mr. and Mrs. John Flynn were Friday evening dinner guests of Mr. ad Mrs. Joe Flynn and son Paul.

Mrs. Leon Anderson spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Keith Bowman and was a Wednesday visitor of Mrs. George Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wierenga and family of Middleville were Sunday afternoon visitors of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Sheehan.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis McDiarmid spent Friday evening with their son Bob and family.

James Howard of MSC spent over the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Howard and family. In the afternoon they all attended the open house for Mrs. Louise Dausman, for her 80th birthday anniversary at her home near Saranac.

Mr. and Mrs. John Krebs called on Ed. Aubit at Middleville Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Earl Nash entertained the Hospital Guild No. 16 at her home Tuesday evening.

Miss Marcella Mishler of Grand Rapids spent the week-end with the home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nash spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Grinnell at Hastings

The Freeman Hoffman family were Monday evening visitors of Mrs. Emma Stahl and Omar.

Mrs. Ira Blough attended a stork shower in honor of Mrs. Gauger and Mrs. Bill Vickers at the Lawrence Bieri home, north of Lowell Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Eash called at the Mishler-Nash home Wednesday.

Mrs. Lula Erickson and Mrs. Dorothy Gaunt of Ionia were Wednesday visitors at the Ray Seese home, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Vaughn and Mary Lou, Grand Rapids were Sunday dinner guests. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Host and Mary Ellen were afternoon visitors and in the evening John Krebs and David were visitors. Rev. Taylor of Flint was also a caller at noon. Mrs. Seese has been ill for two weeks but is some better.

Mrs. Wesley Keim and Semiah Seese called at the Francis Seese home Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Heasley of Manchester, Mich., were Monday overnight guests at the Shaffer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Groff and Mrs. Eunice Thomas of Lake Odessa called on Mrs. Darby at the Shaffer home Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kauffman and family spent Saturday evening at the Russell Hartzler home at Clarksville.

Logan Lake Farm Bureau met at the David Hoffman home Friday evening.

Star Corners
Mrs. Ira Blough

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Seese were Sunday dinner guests at the Ammon Miller home near Pinhook.

Mrs. Lizzie Yoder of Shipshewana, Ind., was a Sunday dinner guest of her son Freeman and

Harris Creek
Mrs. Basil Vreeland

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Anderson, Tommy and Susan visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan McCarthy of near Green Lake on Sunday .

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Flynn were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stoner in Grand Rapids Sunday.

Harold Vreeland and mother were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Croninger and Jimmy in Middleville and enjoyed television.

Mrs. Gerald Anderson entertained the Altar Society of St. Patrick's Church at her home last Tuesday evening with a good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. George Butts of Dutton and Mr. and Mrs. John Flynn were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Flynn and Paul Friday evening and enjoyed television.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Geldersma Sr., are enjoying Florida sunshine but had quite bad driving down.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reiser of Lake Odessa were luncheon guests and accompanied Harold and Mary Vreeland to Grand Rapids Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Aldrich and family of Campau Lake spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Anderson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Troy and boys were Sunday afternoon and evening callers of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Flynn. Miss Romaine spent the week-end at home.

Mesdames John and Joe Flynn spent Thursday afternoon calling on Mr. and Mrs. Dan Yeader.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Wenger and Lyle Sanborn were Friday evening callers at the Vreeland home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Anderson entertained at their home Saturday evening Mrs. and Mrs. Bob Sheehan, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Keitzman of Grand Rapids and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sheehan, Mr. and Mrs. Bollan.

Mr. and Mrs. Machael McGlan spent Saturday evening visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Flynn.

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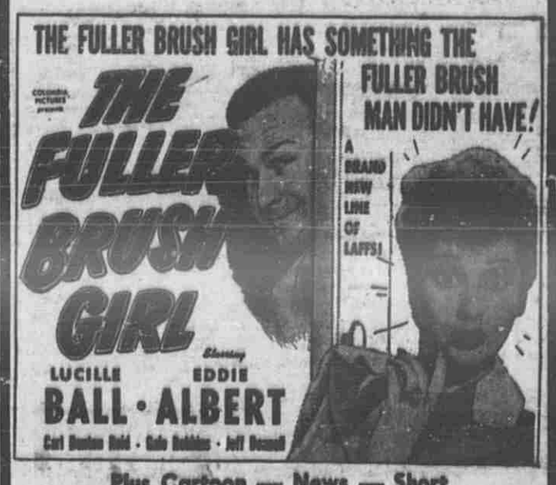

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