



THE LOWELL LEDGER

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Candy is dandy and flowers are smart... but stockings by Berkshire go straight to her heart! Comp WEEKS

New vaccine cuts spread of Bang's disease 50%. A new Bang's vaccine called Brucella M. is showing outstanding results in tests made by Michigan State College research and extension veterinarians in co-operation with the State Veterinarian.

New telephone wire means fewer poles. The stronger the telephone wire, the further apart poles can be set. Michigan Bell is now using a new high-tensile steel telephone wire so strong it can span as much as 600 feet between poles.

MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Warren and family of Grand Rapids were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Raab and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Zook called on Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Broerman and family Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ruy called on Mr. and Mrs. John Zimmer and family Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Dalke had lunch Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Snyder at Caladonia.

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BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Justice of Clarksville, Saturday, Jan. 27, at Jona Memorial Hospital, a 7 1/2 lb. son, James Allison.

CHILDREN'S CENTER

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mr. Warner Roth gave a talk on India to the Youth Fellowship of the Methodist Church Sunday evening.

Foreman Road

Miss Helen Voss accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Wm. P. Voss, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ryder and family.

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woodwin is better acquainted with a little party, the occasion being Mr. Collar's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Taylor called on their brother, Oral and family, Tuesday evening.

Several couples surprised Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Collar Wednesday evening with their unwanted articles.

HESCHE FARM MARKET. Come up and see us, make your up at home, look around at our prices. We think you will be surprised. We now have Baby Foods and Frozen Foods, at these same low prices.

Now... JOFFE'S MELLO "D" MILK in Cartons. Homogenized. Regular. 10c. Regular. 10c.

Whitneyville Quality Ice Cream 45c. If your telephone number appears in this ad, etc. in and get a Free Pint of Ice Cream. Lowell Phones 908-F14, 201-F1, 201-F4, 702-F; Ada 5276, 5380; Ocean 4687, 5088.

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Star Corners Mrs. Ira Blough Mrs. David Hoffman and son of Logan were Thursday supper guests at the Freeman Hoffman home.

South Bowes Mrs. Jeanie Pardee Mrs. Spencer Johnson accompanied by Mrs. Ella Overholt, Mrs. Alma Misher, Mrs. Dora Misher and Mrs. Polly Beahm and all the goodies and a nice birthday party was given at the home of Mrs. Alma Misher.

Discuss Lincoln Day Plans Mrs. Spencer Johnson accompanied by Mrs. Ella Overholt, Mrs. Alma Misher, Mrs. Dora Misher and Mrs. Polly Beahm and all the goodies and a nice birthday party was given at the home of Mrs. Alma Misher.

At Your Service Every Thursday CONSIGN YOUR LIVESTOCK TO THE Lake Odessa Livestock Auction EVERY THURSDAY

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# Let's Have A Pancake Supper

## Tonight with King's Golden Brown Pancake Mix

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Lowell, Michigan

### South Boston Grange

Our regular meeting was held on Saturday evening, Jan. 27, with a much larger attendance than usual. After the meeting the entertainment of the evening was a card party and judging from the sounds of laughter everyone enjoyed himself. The proceeds from this party, a part of which will be given to the March of Dimes, were \$40.

Our next meeting will be held on February 10 with card playing as the evening entertainment. The Home Economics chairman tells us the supper will honor those having birthdays in January, February and

March and will be potluck unless otherwise solicited. The next dance will be on Saturday, Feb. 3, with Alma Harker's committee serving the lunch. Everyone come and join the fun.

### CARD OF APPRECIATION

I wish to thank the Snow Ladies' Aid for their lovely gift, the Rebekah Lodge for their beautiful plant and the neighbors for their plant and fruit, also the cheerful cards I received while in the hospital and since returning home.

Looking for something? Try a want ad in the Ledger.

### MSC Gifts, Grants Total \$99,041.20

A total of \$99,041.20 in gifts and grants for Michigan State College have been accepted by the State Board of Agriculture, governing body of the college.

Largest grant was \$56,000 from the U. S. Army Chemical Corps, Camp Detrick, Frederick, Md. The grant will be used by college bacteriologists to further a study of viruses causing hog cholera and other animal diseases.

A grant of \$21,250 was received from the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission to be used for basic research in the field of physical chemistry.

Buy, sell or trade through the want ads.

### COMING EVENTS

The Alton Ladies' Aid will be held at the home of Mrs. Lize Zahm on Thursday, Feb. 8.

Keene Grange meeting Friday evening, Feb. 2, at 8:30. The entertainment committee, Mr. and Mrs. Jinton Hayes and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Cahoon, have asked the Pomona chorus to be our guests, so let's all come and hear them sing. Regular potluck supper.

All the mission societies of the Nazarene Church will meet on Tuesday night, Feb. 6, at 7:45 at the church.

St. Mary's Altar Society will meet Friday, Feb. 2, at 8:00 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Patrick Gallagher, 718 N. Washington.

February 7 will be Family Night at the Methodist Church with a carry-in dinner at 6:30. Please bring own service and a dish to pass. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Young of Grand Rapids will entertain with a Travelogue on their Mediterranean Cruise.

The Book Ten will attend the Travelogue at the Methodist Church on February 7 in place of their usual book review.

The next regular meeting of the Rebekah Lodge will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 6, at the I. O. O. F. hall opening with a family carry-in dinner at 6:30 p. m., to which all Odd Fellows and their families are invited. Business meeting will follow at 7:30.

The Mary Group of the Methodist Church will meet at the parsonage Friday afternoon, Feb. 2, with Mrs. Starbard as co-hostess.

The Martha Group of the Methodist Church will meet Monday night, Feb. 5, with Mrs. Hester White.

Don't forget the Rebekah card party Friday night, Feb. 2, at the I. O. O. F. hall.

The Women's Relief Co. ops will hold a potluck supper Wednesday, Feb. 7, at 8:30. Mrs. Albert Kaufman and her committee in charge. A business meeting will follow.

The Perv group of the Congregational Pentecostal Church will meet in the parish house on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 8, instead of Friday, Feb. 9.

The Cheerful Doers will meet in the Congregational parish house on Monday evening, Feb. 5, at 8:00 o'clock.

The Good Will Club will meet with Mrs. Warren Reed on the Potters' Corners Road Wednesday, Feb. 7.

Special service, Rev. Bernard Bancroft under appointment of the Association of Baptist for World Evangelism will be speaking of their work in the Philippines at First Baptist Church in Lowell at 7:30 p. m. on February 2.

### Our Rural Schools Rank High in Kent States Supt. Clark

By Lynn H. Clark  
County Supt. of Schools

I am discouraged! As I write this I can envision the last two schools that I visited. The first one is rather battered looking and the paint is peeling badly on the outside. While inside there are some new desks, fluorescent lights and other improvements, the whole outside looks just about as it did when it was built seventy-five years ago except that there is a jagged hole in the front door. The second school while having a well kept exterior leaves much to be desired inside.

Except for the fact that this is winter, I am reminded of the first three verses of Whittier's "In School Days."  
"Still sits the school-house by the road,  
A ragged beggar sunning;  
Around it still the sumachs grow,  
And blackberry vines are running.  
Within, the master's desk is seen,  
Deep scarred by raps official;  
The warping floor, the battered

The jack-knives carved initial.  
The charcoal frescos on its wall;  
Its door's worn ill, betraying,  
The feet that, creeping slow to school  
Went storming out to playing."  
There seems little excuse for such conditions to exist. Practically all of our districts have good valuations. Only a few schools have less than fifteen pupils. Most of our schools receive quite large amounts of primary money, sales tax and state aid. Even if a district were in bad financial condition a bet by the residents could do a lot and many districts have used that method to make improvements.

Perhaps I should not be discouraged for those two schools are the exception and I am generally very proud of our rural schools but it takes only a few such schools to give the general public the impression that rural schools are not very good.

How about a good survey of your school, interior and exterior? Make some plans, call a meeting and tell the electors what is needed.

We are in prosperous condition and a few extra mills for two or three years should do much to modernize an old building.

### CARD OF APPRECIATION

I would like to thank my good neighbors for their cards and kindnesses and the Good Will Club for their beautiful basket of fruit, also Mrs. Mae Vandervean for tender care during my illness.

Mrs. Leo E. Sullivan



### Flowers For Your Valentine

Help Cupid's aim... with roses! She appreciates the wise man who sends a floral Valentine! Come in today.

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### The Raymors Observe Their 45th Quietly

The 45th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Mac Raymor was observed quietly at their home on Jefferson St., Wednesday, Jan. 31. Mrs. Raymor says the children are so far away and the weather so cold they will wait till their golden wedding anniversary for a celebration.

Mrs. Raymor is the former Eva Kneese, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Kneese, and Mac's parents were the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Raymor of Saranac. The couple were married in Ionis by the Rev. E. W. Moore of the Church of Christ, Jan. 31, 1906, and have made their home in Lowell for most of their married life. There are eight children living.

Mr. Raymor is employed at the C. H. Runciman elevator.

### Anniversary Dinner Honors Vercel Bovees

Mr. and Mrs. Vercel Bovee were honored with an anniversary dinner Wednesday, Jan. 24 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Bovee. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bovee of Lake Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Glendon Bovee of Lowell and Mrs. Minnie A. Bovee of Saranac.

### Lowell Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newell returned home Tuesday after a month's vacation in Arizona.

Walter Eyle left Wednesday for Florida where he will visit his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bartlett at Lake Como, before going to Chicago to report for Navy training Feb. 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Long of Vicksburgville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Roth.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to acknowledge and truly thank our relatives, friends and neighbors for their many kind expressions of sympathy during the illness and passing of our dear sister and aunt, Miss Amy E. Madison, life-long resident of Grattan.

Mrs. Lida Randall, Mrs. Cassie Berry, Ernie Randall, Wilbur Berry, Louis Randall, Gordon Berry, Mrs. Marjorie Randall, Irb.

In every land where men have obtained freedom—there you will find an American G. I. cemetery.



But war and defense always must share front pages with wages and prices. William Green, president of the A. F. of L., has come out flatly for price control to "prevent black markets." Wage controls, he admitted, would make him unhappy.

The "little Hoover commission" recommends consolidation of 16 state licensing boards. The commission wants an agency, the director of which would be surrounded by 15 advisory boards. The amount to be saved by this arrangement has not been estimated.

### 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 (S $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the North half (N $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the Southwest (fractional) quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Six (6), Town 6 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 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.

DATED: January 25, 1951  
FRED KOETSIER  
c37-39 ELEANOR KOETSIER

### 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:

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DATED: January 25, 1951  
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Satan's Cradle

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Charming for Color  
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