

Village Caucus Monday, Feb. 18 Might Be Last

As the time nears for the village caucus Monday night, Feb. 18, there seems to be more interest shown than in the past few years. Time was when most people were interested in the selection of candidates for the various offices and in 1948 hand bills were circulated and more than 300 citizens were in attendance at the caucus. Since that time comparatively few show up at the appointed time to help nominate the candidates.

May Be Last Caucus

This may be Lowell's last village caucus if the proposition of nominating by the primary system should receive a favorable vote. This proposition will be on the ballot at this spring election.

Seeking Renomination

The present incumbents, all of whom are seeking renomination Monday night, have served many years on the council and in village offices. Council members up for re-election are W. A. Roth and William Christiansen with eighteen years each, and L. W. Rutherford with fourteen years service.

Peter Speersta, village president, was elected for the first time in 1946 and has served continuously since that time. Mrs. Esther Fahri has been village treasurer eight years; Louis Kingsley, village clerk, three years, and Frank Freeman, assessor two years.

Lowell Barbershoppers Plan Program March 20

The Lowell chapter of the S.P.E.R.G.S.A. will present a program for the public at the Lowell City Hall Thursday, March 20, at 8 p. m. Barbershop fans will have an opportunity to hear the Lowell chorus plus one of the most interesting groups in Western Michigan.

Amateur Show Planned By O. E. S. Chapter

Caledonia Chapter No. 97 of the Eastern Star with the cooperation of R. C. Hathaway Lodge No. 387 are planning to have an amateur show sometime in April. Proceeds from the show will go towards the new rest rooms at the Masonic Temple in Caledonia.

Lowell WRC Official Plans Valentine Party

Mrs. Minnie Hawk is head of the committee appointed by Department officers of the Women's Relief Corps of Michigan, to plan a party for the veterans at Veterans Facility, Grand Rapids, where about 300 men making their homes. The party is sponsored by the WRC and will be held on St. Valentine's Day, Thursday, Feb. 14, at 7:30 in the evening. There will be a short program followed by light refreshments.

Priscillas and Co-Weds Enjoy Travel Program

The Priscilla Group of the Methodist church and their husbands entertained the Co-Weds of the Congregational Church with a potluck supper Sunday night at the Methodist church.

DEBORAH GROUP SPONSORS MUSICAL FAIR FEB. 20

The Deborah group is sponsoring a musical fair at the Parish House of the Congregational Church on Feb. 20 starting at 7 o'clock. A lunch, with choice of cake, cookies or pie and coffee or tea is offered with baked goods, candy and miscellaneous items. Everybody welcome.

POSTPONEMENT

The card party which had been planned for Friday night, sponsored by the Past-Matrons of Cyclamen Chapter O. E. S. has been postponed. Date will be announced later.

King Doyle Announces B of T Dinner March 4

King Doyle, president of the Board of Trade, announced this week that the annual meeting and Board of Trade dinner will be held at Masonic Temple Tuesday, Mar. 4. The Eastern Star will serve the dinner.

Lowell Boy Scouts Effect Achievements In Historical Camp

Boy Scouts of Troop No. 102 and leaders returned Sunday from an overnight camping trip to Yankee Springs in the state park area near Middleville.

There were thirteen boys and four adults on the trip. J. Baird, J. Bergin, J. Batey, J. White, R. White, T. Pinkney, R. Shaler, W. Covert, G. Henderson, B. Collins, L. Ketchum, V. Jeluso, N. McKeun and Phil Johnson, J. Droeger, H. Hilschoff and J. Bergin.

They report an exceptionally good time, spending the night in a log cabin with fireplace in each end, beds, and other conveniences in this historic spot. The boys learned where Yankee Springs got its name and many interesting things about its history. Also several second and first class achievements were accomplished over the week end.

Guests of Rotary Club

Boy Scouts were guests of the Rotary club at the luncheon last week and made demonstrations of starting fire with flint and steel, knot tying, constructed a miniature log tower with lashings and sent messages with signal code.

Rev. H. B. Loomis Speaks Here Thursday, Feb. 21

The Rev. H. B. Loomis of the Congregational church at Fremont will be guest speaker at the Husband and Wife potluck Thursday, Feb. 21, at 6:30 in the projection room of the Lowell High school. His topic will be "Children and the Family."

South Boston Grange Observes Lincoln Day

Regular meeting was called to order by the Worthy Master, Lionel Northington, at 8:30 on Saturday evening, Feb. 9. Several applications for membership were presented and the following committee—Norman King, Lionel Northington and Paul Wittenbach.

Two Special Meetings Scheduled by F. & A. M.

Lowell Lodge No. 90 F. & A. M. has scheduled two special meetings for the remainder of February. Sunday there will be a meeting of all officers at the Temple at 2 p. m.

Parking Violators Receive Summonses

Several motorists were given summonses in Lowell last week for parking cars on the wrong side of the street. Warnings have previously been given, and drivers' licenses are issued to persons who do not know traffic laws and regulations, including parking.

Pomona Grange

Ionis County Pomona Grange will meet at Keene Grange Saturday, Feb. 16. Dinner at noon. Bring own service and dessert. Meeting will be held following the dinner. John L. Leland, lecturer.

Campbell Farm Bureau

The Campbell Lake Farm Bureau will meet Thursday evening, Feb. 11 with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Miller.

LOCAL FARMER'S HOLSTEIN TESTS HIGH IN PRODUCTION

With 546 pounds of butterfat and 13,883 pounds of milk testing 3.9% for her credit, Silverlea Duchess Forbes, registered Holstein-Friesian cow owned by Roy T. Smutz, Lovell, has completed a 291-day production test in official Herd Improvement Registry.

MID-WINTER SPECIALS

A group of suits from our regular stock reduced 20% to 32% for clearance. Prices now \$16.95 to \$46.40 at Coons.

Zoning Need Keenly Felt In Most Urban-Rural Areas

Both the Village and Township of Lowell Have Ordinances Under Consideration Planning Started Two Years Ago

With both the village of Lowell and the township of Lowell having zoning ordinances under consideration at the present time the Ledger is presenting an article on zoning that was written by Raleigh Bonlow and Elton H. Moore for Michigan State College publication, Michigan Farm Economics. The great need in this community for planned development is very clear to almost all citizens. We feel that both the council which has been sitting on a zoning ordinance for nearly two years, and the township board which expects to have a zoning ordinance ready in a few weeks should expedite their passage.

Basketball Fans See Varsity Play Faculty Feb. 20

Pro-Basketball fans are looking forward to the game scheduled for Wednesday, Feb. 20, when Lowell's Varsity Reserves Basketball squad meets the challenge made by the Undeclared Faculty. Five games to start at 7:30 in the High School gymnasium.

This game should be an especially interesting and well matched contest, predicted by those who have seen the rivals at play. There will be a preliminary between the 7th and 8th graders who will begin their play at 6:30.

This is a benefit game and all proceeds are to be added to the Bleachers Fund. It is hoped a large, enthusiastic crowd will be present.

Woodlot Management Demonstrated Feb. 19 At Nelson Potter Farm

A woodlot analysis field trip has been scheduled on Feb. 19, 1952, 2 p. m. at the Nelson Potter farm at Campbell Lake on 84th St., a mile and a quarter east of Whiteville Ave.

Mr. Potter has been managing his woodlot for some time utilizing the materials removed for farm construction and improvement. The object of the analysis will be to determine the growth in the woodlot so Mr. Potter will know how much he will be able to remove each year and keep his stand in good condition. In the past it has been mostly a job of sanitation, removing the trees that should come out to improve the stand.

The woodlot has been protected from fire and pasturing since Mr. Potter has owned the farm and this protection is beginning to show results. In addition to the woodlot being in better condition now than it was when Mr. Potter started working it, he has some good buildings from the material removed.

Anyone interested in managing their woodlot or doing construction work try to make this trip.

Seventh Grade

Friday, Feb. 8, 1952, the Junior High put on a pep meeting for the Senior High before the game with Godwin. Participants from the 7th grade were Brenda Rankin, Virginia Lewis, Patty Wittenbach, and Roberta Thompson who played in the pep band; Bill Bewell who played his harmonica and Gordon Kelly, Ronald Bentley, Martin Schneider, Charles Calkovits and Ronald Wirt who were in a tumbling act.

Mrs. Lydia J. Holcomb Passes, Aged 91 Years

Lydia Jane English was born in English Center, Lycoming Co., Pa., April 10, 1861, and passed away Feb. 5, 1952 at Caledonia, Mich.

She was married to Denman D. Holcomb on Oct. 18, 1887 and to this union were born five daughters and four sons, Cecile E. Wallace of Cascade, Mary Olive Flynn of Caledonia, Georgia B. Barnaby of Kalamazoo, Frances Eloise Warner of Mulliken, Jessie Erma Porritt of Caledonia, Paul A. of Barlow Lake, Gaylor E. of Bowne, John M. of Freepport, and Maurice E. of Grand Rapids, who survive.

Other survivors are twenty-eight grandchildren, thirty-one great-grandchildren and three sisters, Mrs. Lottie Carson, Mrs. Maggie Day and Mrs. Hattie Greenwald all living in Pennsylvania; and a host of nephews and friends.

Mrs. Holcomb was an active member of Bowne Methodist church and Sunday School, Ladies Aid and Missionary Society until she was too aged to attend. She was also a member of the Freepport Chapter O. E. S. at one time.

Mrs. Anna Yardley, Mrs. Hattie Haynes of Cedar Springs, Mrs. Ida Morris of Ada, and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Chaffee of Grand Rapids were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. A. J. LaBrecque of Grand Rapids. David Shear returned Sunday from a trip to Florida.

MAY GET AUTO LICENSE

Many car owners have not received application blanks from the state department but may get their license plates from the Lowell office at 411 W. Main St., any time, March 1st is the last day to drive without a 1952 license.

Ether M. Fahri, Branch Mgr. c42-43

Funeral Rites Monday For Guy E. Slocum, 53

Guy E. Slocum, 53 passed away at his home in Lowell February 9, after a three months illness. He was a native of Lowell for the past forty years and for several years he owned and operated a garage on West Main St. He also worked a number of years for A. H. Stormand. He was a good neighbor and friend to all.

He leaves his wife, Ruth; one son, Donald; one grandson, Douglas Lee; a brother, Garroll Slocum of Grandville; a sister, Mrs. Ona Chubb of California; several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at the Roth Funeral Home Monday afternoon Feb. 11, at two o'clock the Rev. Norman G. Woon officiating. Burial was in Oakwood cemetery, Lowell.

Community To Observe World Day of Prayer Here Friday, Feb. 29

Women of this community will unite in services this year at the Congregational Church Friday, Feb. 29.

The day of prayer has been observed in the United States since 1887, having originated as a day of prayer for missions.

In 1920 Women of Canada joined the Women of America and together dedicated the first Friday in Lent as the Day of Prayer for Missions.

In 1927, the Day of Prayer for Missions, became for the first time the World Day of Prayer.

In 1942 the United Council of Church Women accepted the lovely and sacred responsibility for the World Day of Prayer.

The purpose of the observance is to unite Christians around the world in prayer for Missions at home and abroad.

In these days of international tension it is heartening that religious groups throughout the world will pause and give thought to interdenominational ties.

The service will be observed in 104 countries this year. Last year service was held in 17,000 communities in the U. S. A.

Kent Co. School Building Draft Seems Necessary

By Lynn H. Clark, County Supt. of Schools

In the last two and a half years about four million dollars for school buildings has been approved by the voters outside of the city of Grand Rapids. Birth rates of the nation, state, and county indicate that the school population will double by about 1960. In order to meet the demands of this increase the \$4,000,000 mentioned before is only a nice start on the final total.

Statistics indicate that the elementary enrollment in first to sixth grade will rise to an overall total of about 25,000 children shortly after 1960 and the high schools in grades seven to twelve will enroll about 20,000 children which is a total of 45,000 or more than twice as many as the 21,154 at the close of school last spring. Since some schools do not have a kindergarten this grade is not included in the 45,000.

This means that a total of about 20 billion dollars worth of school buildings must be built by the time we reach the peak enrollment and about equally divided between elementary and high school. Some very careful planning will be necessary so that we do not overbuild in a particular purpose or badly locate those that are built. Some careful long range planning is needed.

13th Annual Conference

The 13th annual citizens conference on education will be held in Lansing on Thursday, March 6. The theme will be "Moral and Spiritual Education for Children and Youth." Dr. Lee M. Thurston, Superintendent of Public Instruction, has again requested that I send the names of presidents and leaders of organizations in the county who are interested in attending this worthwhile meeting. If you fall in the above category, call GL 6-654 ext. 47 and leave your name, address, and the organization you represent.

Ernest Reuh, a member of the County Board of Education and of the 4-H Fair Board, is interested in raising the level of entertainment for the evening program at the Lowell Fair. He suggests that a choir contest be held for church choirs outside of the city of Grand Rapids. Choirs would be divided into two classes with those from villages and suburban areas in one group and country churches in another. Prizes would be given for each group. May I have the response of ministers and choir members who read this article.

No Anonymous Letters, Please

My answer: People who write anonymous letters and do not have the courage to sign their names do not deserve an answer.

KEENE GRANGE

The regular business meeting of Keene Grange will be held Friday, Feb. 15. The grange will entertain Ionis County Pomona at the hall with dinner at noon on Saturday, Feb. 16.

MAPES FARM BUREAU

Mapes Community Farm Bureau will meet Thursday evening, Feb. 21, at Snow WSCS hall at 8:00 o'clock. Bring own sandwiches. Mrs. Claude Schmidt.

Red Arrows Score Gd. Valley Upset Against Godwin

The Lowell Red Arrows scored the biggest upset of the season when they geared up on the Godwin Wolverines at the local gym last Friday night. The Arrows not only defeated the visitors but squeaked any title aspirations that they might have had.

The Wolverines came to town after soundly trouncing Grand Rapids' Class A South High earlier in the week. In a previous encounter which ended with the score tied up at 13 all, Coach Howe's lads did an excellent job tying up Ypsa, the Valley's leading scorer. The Arrows poured in 25 points to Godwin's 11 to take a 28 to 24 halftime lead.

Both teams battled on even terms throughout the first quarter which ended with the score tied up at 13 all. Coach Howe's lads did an excellent job tying up Ypsa, the Valley's leading scorer. The Arrows poured in 25 points to Godwin's 11 to take a 28 to 24 halftime lead.

Brown and Rosenberg tied for scoring honors for Lowell with 17 points each followed by Topp with 9. Bob Grummil, Lowell's lanky sophomore, contributed greatly to the Arrow's cause with his excellent rebound work. Roth, Faulkner, in fact every man who played in the game is to be complimented on a job well done. Ypsa was high man for Godwin with 18 points, followed by VerHulst with 9.

In the preliminary game the Godwin reserves defeated the Arrow reserves by a 52 to 37 margin.

Grandville Here Friday

This Friday the Arrows will play host to Grandville in the final home game of the season. Any time that Lowell and Grandville meet in any sport a real contest is in store for the fans. If you are a Red Arrows fan you owe it to yourself and the team to turn out for this last home game of the season. The two second teams will meet at 7 o'clock.

Grade Teams Play Games

The Lowell 7 and 8th graders under the direction of Bob Perry are playing a schedule of games with teams of like grades in nearby townships. Last Friday the Lowell 8th graders defeated the Rockford 8th graders at Rockford in a 20 to 18 overtime tussle. The Lowell 7th graders bowed to the Rockford 7th graders 24 to 14. Outstanding in the 8th grade game was DeVries with 18 points.

This week the grade school lads will travel to Belding on Saturday.

Many Lowell Citizens Attend Lincoln Dinner

The twenty-five or thirty Lowell people who attended the Lincoln Day dinner in Grand Rapids Saturday evening are enthusiastic in their reactions to the address of Senator Styles Bridges of New Hampshire, in which he pointed up an effective program which should be followed to make a good solid platform for the coming presidential campaign.

Congressman Gerald R. Ford, Jr. was present and introduced the speaker with remarks which proved "Jerry" is well informed of the affairs in Washington.

S. Boston Farm Bureau

South Boston Farm Bureau met with Mr. and Mrs. John Noyes Jan. 18. There were 45 present. We had a very enjoyable evening and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Dawson invited us to their home for a dinner. There will be a discussion on Rise of Accidents and Insurance Rates to Farmers. Also a Valentine party, with the ladies bringing the valentines. This invitation is extended to everyone, especially the farmers.

Eighth Grade

This Monday the members of the class that were elected officers gave speeches of acceptance. Last Friday the 8th grade boys played Rockford in basketball. The score was 20-18 favor of Lowell. The 8th grade including Junior High school will be selling tickets to the Lowell-Grandville game here this Friday. The purpose of this ticket sale is to build up class treasures. We make 30 per cent profit from each ticket we sell.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Ferman Rohruff (nee Barbara Raynor), of Salem, a 6 lb. 15 oz. boy, Feb. 3.

Born Feb. 5 to Lt. Cmdr. and Mrs. O. W. Sterken, Jr. of Great Lakes, a 7 lb. daughter, Nancy Catherine.

To Mr. and Mrs. Elton Goodwin, Feb. 11 at Blodgett hospital, twin daughters, Julie Ann and Judy Marie, weighing 5 lbs, 11 ozs. each.

Mrs. Grace Bryant has sold her cabin at Kalkaska and is now contemplating at her home at Murray Lake following a recent heart attack.

Carl Wittenbach 20 Years Owner Of Photo Farm

Carl Wittenbach, living four miles southeast of Lowell on Peck Lake Rd., is owner and operator of the fine 120-acre farm which was shown in last week's Ledger Farm Photo Quiz, and called at this office Saturday morning to identify the picture and claim the gift certificates provided by the sponsoring merchants.

Mr. Wittenbach purchased this place some twenty years ago which was well known at that time as the Truman Parsons farm. He follows a routine of general farming on this 120 and also works another forty, raising quantities of hay and grain and keeping a herd of 32 head of Jersey cattle and sells Grade A milk. He has been a member of the DHIA for three years.

Mrs. Wittenbach raises broilers and sells around 2000 every year. Being a good brick mason and handy with construction work, Mr. Wittenbach spends much of his spare time repairing, remodeling and improving the buildings, and erecting new ones. At present he is replastering the interior of his house which he has modernized recently, and he also finds time to help others.

During the past ten years the Wittenbachs have modernized the house, rebuilt the barn and erected a new corn crib, cow stable, four chicken coops, milk house, two hog houses, toolshed, gas house, and granary. The latter was under construction at the time the picture was taken and has been completed since.

Mrs. Wittenbach is the former Helen Gregory of Cascade and is a graduate of Lowell high school. She is active in the South Boston Extension Group, the Ladies Aid Society of Cascade and Blue Star Mothers of Lowell. Both are active members of the Ionis County Farm Bureau and Church of Christ of Cascade which they regularly attend.

Mr. Wittenbach is a member of Lowell Lodge F. & A. M. and Mrs. Wittenbach is a member of Cyclamen Chapter O. E. S. in which organizations they are very active.

The Wittenbachs have two children, a son George, and a daughter, Mrs. Betty Smiley, who live nearby and seven grandsons. Mrs. Wittenbach's mother is Mrs. George Gregory, lifelong resident of Cascade, and Mr. Wittenbach's mother is Mrs. Chris Wittenbach, longtime resident of Vergennes.

Current News Items About Our Servicemen

Word has been received by the Ledger of the recent promotion of Pfc. Jim Ford to corporal. He also has a change in address: Cpl. James W. Ford, 16366308, 3550th Motor Veh. Sqn., Moody AFB, Valdosta, Ga.

We have received the following change of address: Pfc. Darrel E. Hesche, AF 27023190 3605 Food Service Sqn., Ellington A. F. B., Houston, Texas.

Peter Beurmann of the Great Lakes Training School spent Saturday night and a part of Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Briggs W. Beurmann.

The Ledger has received a new address for Donald Timpson, as follows: Donald G. Timpson, AA 5047609 Bks. 432, Sec. 4, N.A.T.T.C., Jacksonville, Florida.

Berwyn Kloosterman, S. N., has returned from Greenland and Iceland to the base at Newport, R. I. for two weeks before leaving for Cuba.

Lowell Village Players To Make Plans for Year

The Village Players of Lowell will meet Monday evening, Feb. 18 at eight o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Thurlert, Sr., 416 Howard St. Mrs. Thurlert and Mrs. Gladys Doyle are co-hostesses. Wm. Jones is in charge of the program.

New plans for the year will be presented by Mrs. Jules Ertler and Mrs. Daniel Trejeven. It is hoped that a large number of the members will turn out to discuss and vote on these proposals.

Lowell Extension Class

The Lowell Extension Group met Wednesday evening, Feb. 5, at the home of Mrs. Albert Daintra, Vergennes Rd., with fifteen members and one guest in attendance.

Mrs. Steve Bauer and Mrs. Dalstra gave the lesson on "Cleaning Rugs and Upholstery."

The next meeting will be held March 5 at the home of Mrs. Dick Kouwers, 704 Lafayette. The lesson is to be, "Lifedance of Household Pests."

O K I G Y PI GROUP

The Fifth Grade Camp Fire Girls met at Sharon Story's home Tuesday, Feb. 12 after school for their business meeting and a Valentine party. The new president, Jane Hoover, was in charge of the business meeting. Susan Mumau, Secretary, read the minutes of our last meeting at Mrs. Coons' home, and Bonnie Mayou, Treasurer, gave her report. After the business meeting, the girls played games and sang songs. Sharon's mother, Mrs. Story, served hot chocolate, candy and cookies, which had been made by the girls. An exchange of valentines followed the refreshments. Seventeen Camp Fire Girls were at the party. Also Mrs. David Coons and Laura, Mrs. Thomas Hill, Peggy and Ruth Moore, Mrs. Story and Mrs. Douglas LaDue. Everyone had a very nice time.

Karen LaDue, Scribe.

Safety is one of the most important features to consider in planning a farmstead.

Leap Year Needed Keeps Calendar Timed With Sun

This is the year our calendar gets adjusted to fit the time required for the earth to revolve around the sun. This Leap Year and February has 29 days. Why all this is necessary is explained by Isaac M. Losh, assistant professor of astronomy at the University of Michigan.

"Making up a calendar is difficult because the natural divisions of time refuse to come out evenly," she points out. "The earth does not revolve around the sun in an even number of days and the moon's revolutions around the earth also come out unevenly." Actually it takes 365.2422 days for the earth to make its revolution around the sun, Professor Losh says. Because the calendar is based on an exact 365.25 days, a calendar devised by Julius Caesar back in Roman days went wrong.

PUBLIC NOTICES

FINAL ADMINISTRATION ACCOUNT of the County of Kent, Michigan, for the year ending Dec. 31, 1951, is now open for public inspection at the County Clerk's Office, Room 205, Courthouse, Lansing, Michigan, from 9:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m. daily, except on legal holidays.

D. Hale Brake Steals Thunder From Loren B. Miller's Speech Advocating Government Reform

Loren B. Miller, Detroit advocate of reform in state government, has a nickname of "Red." It refers to the average error amount of only twenty-six seconds per year and will have amounted to a full day by the end of the year. Miller says. Present talk of calendar reform is not concerned with the length of the year but with readjusting the lengths of the various months.

Among state measures which were not reported out of committee in time to meet the rate making required to be brought out in 21 days were two fair employment practices bills. Others to die of default would have provided for compulsory vehicle inspection; repealed the "ten law" under which the state can recover from estates of deceased old age assistance recipients; increased old age assistance from \$60 to \$75. All were hot questions.

Zoning Need Koenig Feels

Reasonable requirements may be laid down providing for the continuation, discontinuance, or re-zoning of the present use of land and existing buildings which do not conform to the zoning regulations. Township zoning thus can cover a wide field. In urban townships it may set detailed requirements for new developments in residential, industrial and commercial areas. On the other hand, it may merely formalize the present situation in a rural township by designating the entire area for farm or forest use.

NATURALLY, The greatest need for zoning is felt in areas faced with the prospect of undesirable development. Those areas that do not lie in the immediate path of expanding suburbanization or that have no problem with shabby resort developments or some comparable land use problems may feel very little need for zoning. Where these problems exist, or are developing, however, it is wise for local people to consider the lines of action they can take before any lasting damage is done. As a township official observed, "Our township enacted a zoning ordinance five years ago but should have enacted it 20 years ago before our problem became serious. Zoning protects our township tax base."

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Hastings Livestock Sale Friday, Feb. 8, 1952

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March of Dimes Helps U-M Research

Search for a chemical means of controlling polio is continuing at the University of Michigan School of Public Health under a five-year program financed by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. Raymond H. Starvo, executive director of the foundation, is shown above (standing) as he presented a check for \$115,000 to University President Harlan Hatcher. The sum will cover the second year's research under the direction of Dr. Thomas Francis, Jr.

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Mr. and Mrs. Orton and Phillip Scene and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Host and family of Comstock enjoyed Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Vaughn and family of South Grand Rapids.

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Allis-Chalmers Model G Tractor equipped with starter and lights. Can hardly be sold from new.

John Deere Model B Tractor and Cultivator. In A1 condition. Almost new rear tires.

Minnesota-Moline Model R Tractor, Cultivator, Plow and Double Disc. A late model tractor. Complete, only \$1195.

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Allis-Chalmers Model 60 Combine, equipped with bin, power take-off and straw spreader. Can hardly be told from new.

Allis-Chalmers 6 ft. cut Power Mower, for Allis-Chalmers B or C tractor. \$85.

Several good used Side Delivery Rakes, from \$50 up to \$150.

John Deere Tractor Draw two wide sections. \$35.

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Bagging Attachment and Sours Klean for Allis-Chalmers 60 combine. \$45.

Bales 3 hp. Garden Tractor, Cultivator, Snow Plow and Cart in good condition. \$225.

Allis-Chalmers Model WD Cultivator, been used very little. Can hardly be told from new. \$225.

Allis-Chalmers 2-bottom 14 in. Pickup Plow for WD tractor. \$100.

Ada News Mrs. Tom Morris Phone 6811

Study to Combine School Districts A study is being made by the school board and patrons of school districts No. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 11 in an effort to determine whether it would be advisable to combine these 4 districts into one graded school district.

Regular meeting of Vesta Chapter 20, O. E. B. will be held in the chapter room Feb. 20 with initiation of candidates and other important business.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sargent of Sparta spent last Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sargent. Other dinner guests were Tony and Hazel Ortolowski and children.

Monday evening guests at the Gene Rooker home in Rockford were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Rooker and Jennie and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Anderson spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Arthur Hermann to help him celebrate his 77th birthday.

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Traffic Fatality List Highest in Ten Years December has proven itself to be the most disastrous month in history for accidents in Michigan. It also made quite a record for snow-fall in 1951.

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Proceedings of Common Council (Official) A regular meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Lowell was held in the Council Rooms of the City Hall, Monday evening, January 13, 1952.

The meeting was called to order by the Village President, Peter Spierstra, at 8:15 p. m.

Trustees Present: Schafer, Mulder, Elzinga, Rutherford, Both and Christensen.

Trustees Absent: None.

The minutes of the last regular meeting of January 7, 1952 were read and approved.

The report of the Police Department activities for the period of January 1 to January 29, 1952 was read and ordered placed on file.

The Clerk read a petition submitted by Bernard Kroff and signed by seventy-three (73) residents of the Village of Lowell, requesting the Council to submit on the ballot at the next regular election the question as to whether the Village shall change to the Primary System of elections in lieu of the Caucus method of nominating candidates for Village offices.

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Chemicals Kill Brush Landowners Are Told Brush growing in or along drainage ditches may now be controlled with water application of brush killer sprays applied to the bark just above the ground line, landowners are told.

This treatment permits the use of brush killers in areas where they may be done at any time of the year. Now is a good time to do it when other farm work isn't so pressing.

Now available for loan to groups and organizations, the film records actual experiences of several organized youth, as well as a d. d. t. group in one-day to two-week camps in state recreation areas.

Using the learn-by-doing method, youngsters supplement their "four-wall" schooling by tackling a range of tasks, and inspecting and studying forests, streams and other conservation projects.

ITV, more than the city youth learning that water doesn't simply pour from a faucet," comments C. J. Fisher, department film producer. "Participating in a deer drive gives the boy a concept of the Michigan deer problem the picture of a loan film gets into the department's possession, Lansing. Transportation charges are the only cost to the borrower.

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Roll Total..... \$2411.77 Grand Call: Schafer yes, Mulder yes, Elzinga yes, Rutherford yes, Mulder yes, Christensen yes, Yronel yes, Both yes, Christensen, yes, Yronel 4, Nays 0, Carried.

It was moved by Trustee Christensen, seconded by Trustee Elzinga, that the meeting be adjourned, Yronel 6, Nays 0, Carried.

PETER SPERSTRAL, President LOUIS W. KINGSLY, Clerk Approved: Feb. 4, 1952

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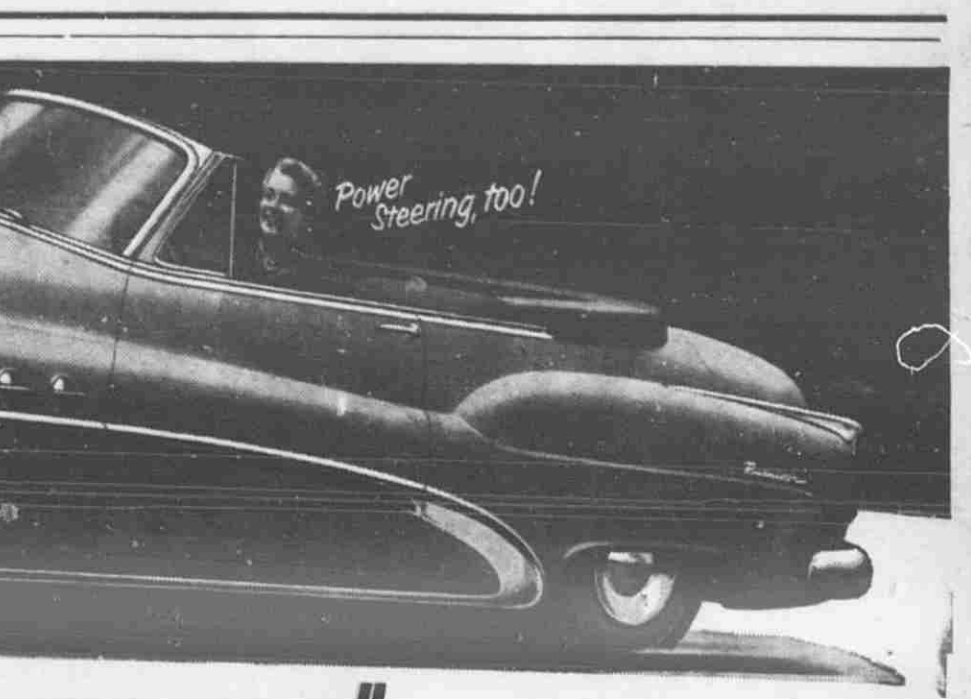
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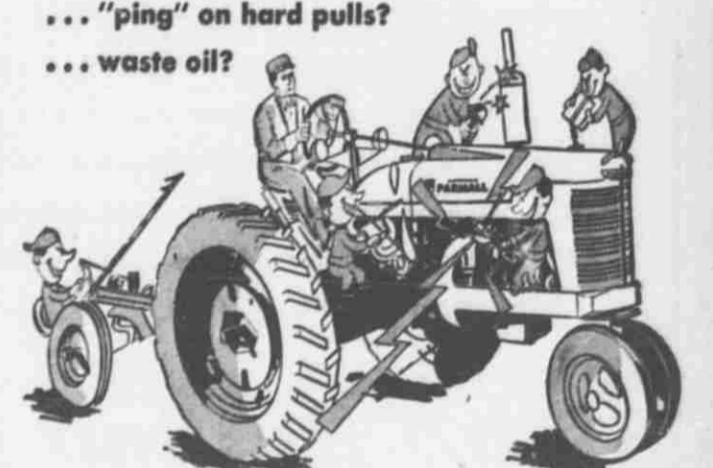
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- 1/4 cup sugar
- 2 tbs melted butter or margarine
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 cup sugar
- 1/4 cup melted shortening
- 1 tbs shredded orange rind

Soften yeast in water. To orange juice add sugar, salt and shortening. Add 1 cup flour and beat well. Add softened yeast, egg and orange rind. Mix well. Add enough more flour to make a soft dough. Turn out on lightly floured board and knead until smooth and satiny. Place in greased bowl. Cover and let rise in a warm place until doubled (about 2 hours). When light, punch down. Let rest 10 minutes. Roll out to rectangle 12x18 inches. Brush with butter or margarine and sprinkle with Orange Sugar. Fold over in thirds to form rectangle 12x6 inches. With sharp knife cut into strips 3/4 inch wide and 6 inches long. Roll ends of each strip in opposite directions and bring together to form circle. Seal ends and place on greased baking sheet. Let rise until doubled (about 45 minutes). Bake in moderate oven (350°F.) 15 to 20 minutes. Makes about 16 Orange Twists.

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Kent Ag. Topics

Notes from Kent County Extension

Grass silage so often comes up as a topic of discussion among farmers. Some praise it and some condemn it. Victor Weller at Rockford has something good to say about it. He says that he has not fed a pound of protein supplement since he started feeding grass silage and that his production has not fallen off one bit.

If you want trees for reforestry get your orders in early. Supply may be rather short this year.

We heard a good formula for successful swine production. We would like to pass it on to you.

- B—Be there.
- 2—Creep feed at two weeks.
- 4—Castrate at four weeks.
- 6—Vaccinate at six weeks.
- 8—Wean at eight weeks.
- 10—Worm at ten weeks.
- 180—Send to market in 180 days.

There seems to be a big demand for bred gilts. Prices should be better on feeder pigs and finished hogs. Watch for the fifth annual bred gilt sale to be held at Lowell on March 12. Six breeds of high quality hogs will be sold.

February 14 is an important day for 4-H club leaders. The 4-H leader training meeting will start at 2:00 p. m. Time out for a complimentary dinner at 6:00 p. m. and more meeting until 9:30 p. m. All leaders should attend! Meeting to be held at the 4-H Club Lodge, Bostwick Lake.

Baking pans, casseroles and other baking utensils have been disappearing from the 4-H lodge. If your group has used them for baking home left over food please see that they are returned. The last few meals prepared by the ladies have been seriously hampered by the lack of this equipment.

We have some good Guernsey heifers for 4-H club projects. Call us for more information.

21 4-H Service Club members from Kent County returned home from their annual Snow Camp at Traverse City. Everyone had a wonderful time—no sprains, no broken bones—just a few bruises.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear wife and mother who passed away Feb. 17, 1951, one year ago.

You ask us not to weep and mourn And promise that we'd meet again, But tears are natural to the heart That death has filled with pain.

So if we shed a secret tear, And after breathe a sigh, Forgive us for we miss you more As every day goes by.

The Malcomb Family

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the Community Club, W.R.C., Mary Group W.S.C. S. of Methodist church, and all friends for the lovely cards and flowers I received while ill.

Mrs. Ida Staal

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted us in any way during the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father, Guy E. Slocum.

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COMING EVENTS

Lowell Rebekah Lodge will meet Tuesday, Feb. 19, at 7:30 p. m., I.O.O.F. hall.

The St. Rita Circle of St. Mary's Parish will hold their next monthly meeting Tuesday evening, Feb. 19 at 8:00 p. m., in the home of Mrs. F. Rosewarne, 424 Howard St.

Musical Fair sponsored by Deborah Group of the Congregational Church, Wednesday, Feb. 20, 7 p. m. Everyone welcome. p42

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet at the Legion Club rooms Monday evening, Feb. 18 at 7:30.

The St. Rita Circle is having a rummage sale at the V. F. W. hall from February 25 to March 1. c42

The Swiss Ladies Aid Society will meet Thursday, Feb. 21, in the home of Mrs. Albert Blaser on Foreman Drive.

The W. S. C. S. will meet in the Women's Lounge of the Methodist Church Friday afternoon, Feb. 15, at 2:30.

Mrs. Dorothy Klesfisch will be hostess Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 20, to the Book Forum at which time Mrs. Lucille Story will review, "No Vacancy," by Mary Jane Rolfs.

The Lowell Methodist Men's club is sponsoring a Father and Son banquet on Feb. 28th at 7:00 p.m. at the church. Entertainment will be provided following the dinner.

The Peckham Group of the Congregational church will meet Friday afternoon at the Gaunt-Collins house.

Lowell Women's club will meet Wednesday, Feb. 20, in the ladies' lounge at the Methodist church. Mrs. Philip Gottlieb will review, "Heaven on Earth," by Janet Mable.

Home Economist Discovers Ways To Ease Budget

With some meat prices soaring into the luxury class, it takes close planning to feed growing children who need abundant amounts of protein. Mary Lewis of the foods and nutrition department at Michigan State College has some schemes, however, that may help keep the lid on the budget.

Fish have as much protein content as meat and it is generally less expensive, so try the family on some new menus keyed with fish, she suggests. And canned meats that have little waste are often good buys. She reminds us of corned beef that can be perked up in casseroles or combined with salad dressing for hearty sandwiches.

Growing boys who seem to require third and fourth servings of meat can be satisfied with side dishes rich in protein, such as macaroni and cheese, or lima-bean casserole. Miss Lewis points out that adolescents digest food more rapidly, so they need the staying qualities of hearty foods like meats, gravies, beans and cheese. And if the boys seem to be eating unreasonable amounts, remember this—it takes a half to three-quarters more protein for an adolescent as it does for an adult.

Save the leftover meats for another meal and have peanut butter and plain yellow cheese on hand for sandwiches and snacks. Stretch lunches with servings of cottage cheese, another protein food. Another bit of advice that Miss Lewis passes along is the use of dried milk for cream or pumpkin pies. Dried milk can be used in all cooking and is considerably less expensive than bottle milk.

THE CELEBRITY REVIEWED AT DESERT LUNCHEON

Mrs. Norman Borgerson was hostess to the Monday Book Club for desert luncheon and review on Feb. 11.

"The Celebrity" by Laura Z. Hobson, was reviewed by Mrs. E. C. Foreman, guest, in a most interesting way. It was a story depicting an author's viewpoint of the development of events following the publication of a best seller.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the Church of the Nazarene, the Cheerful Doers, and all my friends and neighbors for the flowers, fruit, cards and callers, during my illness.

Chas. H. Young

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank relatives, neighbors and friends for the many cards, flowers and gifts received while I was in Butterworth hospital.

Theodore Gasper

CARD OF THANKS

We extend our sincere thanks to all relatives and friends for their expressions of sympathy in the death of our mother, Mrs. Lydia Holcomb. To Rev. Noordyke for his comforting words, Marilyn Johnson for her music and for all who sent floral pieces and cards.

The Family

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank friends and neighbors for cards and flowers sent to me during my stay in the hospital and especially those who donated blood. Also we appreciate the kindness of those who helped my wife to get to see me every day of the three weeks I was hospitalized.

Ben Andrews.

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Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Boerma entertained with a dinner Sunday honoring the 48th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Boerma. Others present besides the honorees were Mr. and Mrs. Don Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Jones.

MANY FROM OUT-OF-TOWN ATTEND SLOCUM FUNERAL

Among those from away who attended the Guy E. Slocum funeral Monday afternoon were: from Grand Rapids, Mrs. Helen Prusak, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Narren, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rolf, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Story, and Mr. and Mrs. John DeKok; from Augusta, Mrs. Mary Sherman, Mrs. Dorothy Duggan, Mrs. Helen Garrett and Robert Duggan; from Grandville, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Slocum and Mr. and Mrs. Harley Saddle; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fosburg of Rockford and Floyd Crocker of Hudsonville.



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GD. VALLEY PACKING CO. ENTERTAIN HOMEMAKERS

The South Boston Extension club leader announces that the members are invited to a special program for Homemakers sponsored by Grand Valley Packing Co. at their plant at Ionia, Saturday, Feb. 16.

There will be a free luncheon at noon followed by the program at 1:30.

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