



Next Sunday, Feb. 22, is the first Sunday in Lent and local churches are announcing many fine Lenten services with important messages and appropriate music. Whatever your church affiliations you will find this holy season is being observed.

Easter Sunday falls on April 5 this year.

Unfortunately there were several Lowell citizens appearing at the polls Monday who were unable to vote because they failed to register in the village. Some were registered for township and not in village, others had let their registrations lapse because they had not voted for four years and had not re-registered.

There should not be any confusion about exercising one's rights as a citizen but it seems there often is, and registration is important.

An epidemic of petty thieving seems to have struck this locality and reaches out into surrounding territory as well. One night last week Lowell school was entered through a basement window and nearly \$10 in nickels was taken from the janitor's room near the boiler room. An attempt had been made to force entrance to the main building by ramming a door but it was not accomplished.

At Ada school the same night locks were torn off doors and broken but the only things missing were candy bars.

Investigating officers report it looks like work of juveniles.

Ledger Laughs and Logie: The law gives a man the right to open his wife's letters but not the nerve... The man who is now bragging that he runs his home will soon be running the lawn mower, the vacuum cleaner, baby carriage, and probably the errands... The Old Timer says: "Many a 'big shot' of today once was a 'little shot' who kept in there 'shootin'...' Let's not gripe too much about kids on bicycles. Bicycles have been around for at least 75 years—long before there were any motorists to dodge them.

**Kent Extension Office Bergy Bros. Elevator Co-Sponsor Meeting**

A meeting of special interest to farmers in this area will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 24, at the Alto Grange Hall to give more information about the use of Anhydrous Ammonia to boost crop yields. This meeting is jointly sponsored by Kent County Extension office and Bergy Bros. Elevator.

Speakers for the meetings are Mr. James Porter of the MSC Extension Service, Mr. Charles Schofield of the Mathieson Chemical Co., Baltimore and "Doc" Kirby of Clarkdale, Mississippi. Mr. Porter is well known in Michigan.

Mr. Kirby has applied the ammonia product to probably more acres of land than any other man in the country—about 200,000 acres. These men will be able to answer most any question on Nitrogen.

Of special interest to farmers, Mr. Bergy pointed out, is the growing use of Anhydrous Ammonia as a source of soil nitrogen. Dr. Robert E. Lucas stated in a talk on new fertilizers, during Farmers Week. "The application of Anhydrous Ammonia is fast gaining favor with farmers of the nation."

In 1951-52 about 171,000 tons of ammonia as nitrogen were used for direct application in the United States. This season it is believed that 250,000 tons will be used. By 1955 farmers will be using annually approximately 500,000 tons. This is indeed a marked change in the fertilizer usage picture, since Anhydrous Ammonia contains the highest percent available nitrogen (82%) that is possible chemically.

"It is also the basic ingredient used in the manufacturing of solid nitrogen fertilizers. For this reason the material can be purchased at great savings as compared to many solid forms of fertilizer. Woodbury, Akron, Webberville and Higa are locations in Michigan that will be equipped to handle and store Anhydrous Ammonia in 1953."

Bergy Bros. Elevator announces this week that they will distribute and apply the new Anhydrous Ammonia in this area.

**Funeral Mass Saturday For Mrs. Elizabeth Doyle**

Mrs. Elizabeth Doyle, aged 70, widow of Andrew Doyle of 3225 Grand River Dr., N.E., passed away Thursday morning at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin F. Schneider at Sparta, after a lingering illness.

She is survived by one son, James A. Doyle; three daughters, Mrs. Ruth Goldsmith and Mrs. Richard C. Verlin, all of Grand Rapids, and Mrs. Marvin Schneider of Sparta; eight grandchildren; two brothers, Richard O'Brien of Ada and George L. O'Brien of Grand Rapids.

Funeral mass was held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock in St. Patrick's church, interment St. Patrick's cemetery, Parnell.

## Many Volunteers In Civil Defense Serve Sky Watch

The Ground Observation Post is a popular place and is now functioning full time according to reports from Director Frank Stephens. The citizens of Lowell are showing much interest and the following have volunteered their services and been assigned to the post on two-hour watches:

Wm. Murphy, Assistant Director for shift 12 o'clock noon to 8 p. m., Mrs. Fern Kelley, assistant director, 8 p. m. to 4 a. m., Herman Kline, assistant director from 4 a. m. to 12 noon, and F. J. McMahon, Michael Willard, Clifford Loesch, Cecil Raymond, L. A. Tanner, Hazel Tanner, Dan Wingeier, J. B. Hawk, Percy Knowles, Lucille Knowles, Phyllis Wittenbach, Tony Kropf, Ralph Story, Ellis Rollins, Geo. Layer, U. A. Hawk, Ray Engle, Jr., Lewis Jones, Mary Ann Ayres, Olivia Ayres, Duana Knapp, Chas. Shaw, Carl Munroe, John Crawford, Edw. Kiel, Gladys Draper, May Flynn.

Mary Ann Gwatkin, Freda Hendricks, Laura Minard, Theron Richmond, Frank Freeman, Ron Stevens, Mel Wood, Ince Wood, Edw. Rash, James Drooger, Sylvester Bibbler, Harley York, Katherine Schaefer, Evelyn Dennie, Stuart Draper, Olive Wood, John Freeman, James Baird, Mabel Whittaker, Isabel Swift, Earl Jones, Laurie Shepard, Bertha Weeks, Lyle Brail, Eva Rickert, C. H. Runciman, Vernon Venneman, Vernon Seeley, Kenneth Pletcher, Wm Doyle W. A. Roth, Ruby Roth, Dorothy L. Briggs, Cecil Bibbler, Lawrence Visser, Arnold Wittenbach, Lucille Ridgway, Wayne Frong, W. W. Gumsor, Don L. Phillips, Bessie Clark, Olive Ritter, Betty Wittenbach, Grace Walker, Ruth Heim, Richard Dilly, George Graham, Donna Starbard, and George Story.

**Blood Typing Program In Progress in Lowell**

The Blood Typing program scheduled for Lowell for the week Feb. 23 through 27, sponsored by the office of Civil Defense, is in progress this week at the High School and in Lowell Industries.

There is no charge for this service. It is a part of your Kent County and State of Michigan Civil Defense Program.

**What is Your Blood Type?**

Knowing your blood type may save your life or the life of someone very dear to you. Before a person can receive or give whole blood it must be determined which of the four types of blood he has; namely, O, A, B, or AB. Also the Rh factor must be determined.

It is entirely possible that in case of an emergency, the time consumed in getting this needed information might be too great to save the life of the person in need of whole blood.

To protect yourself and your family, it is now possible to be typed and all necessary information will appear on an identification tag which will be mailed to you. It is suggested you have the tag on your person at all times.

School children, adults, preschool children and all persons are invited to avail themselves of this opportunity.

**Covering Kent County**

The free blood typing program being conducted throughout Kent County is nearing completion in some of the scheduled sections. Byron Center finished last week; Caledonia will be completed by Feb. 20 and the Lowell program follows the week of Feb. 23. Rockford area will be typed the first week in March, with Sparta, Cassio and other northern Kent towns following.

**Mrs. Emerson Davenport Passes in Royal Oak**

Mrs. Emerson Davenport passed away Wednesday morning in a hospital at Royal Oak where she had undergone major surgery a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Davenport lived in Keene township for many years going to Royal Oak about eight years ago to be near their daughter who lives there, and are well known in this vicinity. The body reposes at Fitzjohn Funeral Home in Belding and while the time for the funeral will not be set until the children arrive, arrangements are made for the services to be held at Lowell Church of the Nazarene and burial will be made in Oakwood cemetery.

Complete obituary will be in next week's Ledger.

**POSTOFFICE HOLIDAY**

Washington's birthday, Feb. 22, a legal holiday falling on Sunday, Lowell postoffice will be closed all day Monday. There will be no mail deliveries either rural or city.

A good worker at low cost—Ledger want ad.

**Funeral Rites Thursday**

Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at two o'clock at Roth Funeral Home for William Cosgriff, 75, who passed away Tuesday, Feb. 17, at a Grand Rapids hospital where he had been taken last week.

Mr. Cosgriff and his wife, Katherine, are old residents of Lowell and the community was grieved when he became too ill to remain in their home here. Friends felt confident that his illness was too critical for his recovery. The only survivors besides his wife are several nieces and nephews. Burial will be made in Bowne Center cemetery.

**Local Musicians First in District To Enter State**

Lowell instrumentalists won 9 first, 11 second, and 2 third division ratings at the District Seven Solo and Ensemble Festival held at the Grand Rapids Christian High School, last Saturday, February 14.

First division winners were: Solos, Ann Marie Alexander, cornet; Brenda Rankin, saxophone; and Nancy Oatley, trombone. Ensembles, Senior Drum Duet, Phyllis Lewis and Virginia Lewis; Jr. Drum Duet, Virginia Lewis and Sandra Cole; Jr. Horn Quartet, Ann Marie Alexander, Alfred Weigle; Jr. Brass Quartet, James Lind, Lee Walter, Kay Wood and Nancy Oatley; Sr. Hi. Woodwind Duet Clarinet and Drum, Joanne Davenport and Phyllis Lewis; Jr. Sax Trio, Brenda Rankin, Raymond DeVries and Gail McMahon.

First division winners are eligible to enter the State Solo and Ensemble Festival at Ann Arbor, March 28th.

**Mrs. Bertha R. Collar Well Known Here Dies**

Mrs. Bertha Collar, 69, well known in Lowell, passed away Tuesday, Feb. 17, at Butterworth hospital where she underwent surgery last week but was making successful recovery until complications caused her unexpected death.

Surviving besides her husband, Charles, is one brother, Austin Byrne of Grattan; one sister, Mrs. Jane Farrell of Grand Rapids, and several nieces and nephews.

Her body reposes at the Roth Funeral Home, where the Altar Society and friends will meet Friday evening at 8 o'clock to recite the Rosary. Funeral Mass will be held at the St. Patrick's church, Parnell, Saturday at 10 a. m., interment in St. Patrick's cemetery.

**Sunday Afternoon Fire Ruins Eldmole Church**

Members of the Church of the Brethren at Eldmole met at the home of the pastor, Rev. Robert Martin Sunday evening to map plans for the rebuilding of their church which burned in the afternoon of that day.

The building which has been standing for 75 years, and in which regular services had been held Sunday morning at 11:00, was discovered to be on fire an hour later and the alarm sounded. Both Clarksville and Freeport Fire Departments responded and were able to save the shell and the roof, the interior and floor were so badly damaged that the small frame building will have to be practically rebuilt.

The fire thought to have been caused by defective wiring seemed to originate in the basement and spread to partitions and walls until the entire inside of the church was afire, when first discovered by Miss Bernice Dear- dorf who called the attention of neighbors, Raymond Seese and Dan Kauffman, to the volume of smoke issuing from that location. The fire was hard to control and firemen and volunteers worked faithfully while more than 100 people were attracted to the scene.

Insurance adjusters who have been investigating have declared it a total loss. The insurance carried on building and contents was \$6,000.

It is interesting to recall that when the church was erected in 1878 the cost was \$850. The labor was donated and the carpenter work supervised by Elder George Long. Materials were hauled from Lowell by horses and wagons. The charter membership of the church was 16, the West Branch of Thornapple Brethren Church.

**Eight Grade**

The Eighth Grade class had a Valentine party Thursday night, Feb. 12. We had a dance at which valentines were passed out and refreshments were served.

Several members of the eighth grade entered the Solo and Ensemble Festival which was held at Christian High and Madison Schools in Grand Rapids.

In sports, the eighth grade boys played basketball a week ago Saturday. They lost 35 to 26.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS**

If you have a drinking problem, contact A. A. at city hall, Consultation free, 8 o'clock Friday night or phone 9321. p43-48

**BANK TO CLOSE MONDAY**

Lowell State Savings Bank will be closed all day Monday in observance of Washington's birthday, a legal holiday. p43

**Some 500 Voters Turn Out for Lowell's First Primary Election**

The Village of Lowell and Lowell Township held their first Primary Election last Monday with two tickets in the field. There was some little confusion from the fact that the primary tickets cannot be split. In other words, a voter places in nomination one ticket, not two, or any part of the two. At the annual election the tickets may be split any way just so the voter doesn't vote for two candidates for the same office.

The Citizens party gave Wesley A. Roth, their candidate for village president, 325 votes; Louis W. Kingsley, clerk, 318; Esther M. Fahnl, treasurer, 315; Frank S. Freeman, assessor, 299; village trustees for 2-year term, Herbert Elzinga, 267; Merle Jack Fonger, 245; Carl Munroe, 232; Bernard J. Kropf, 101.

**Marian Wieland, Senior Receives D. A. R. Award**

The D. A. R. award, given annually to a senior girl at Lowell High School, was received this year by Marian Wieland. This award is given in the merits of good character, leadership, and personality. The senior class nominated three candidates for the award, Joanne Davenport, Joyce Williams, and Marian Wieland. The faculty then chose Marian as the school's representative.

Marian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wieland of Lowell, is very active in school. She is Queen of our 1953 Homecoming, member of Girls Club, Athletic Council, senior cheer leader, office girl in the Principal's office, and has auditioned for the Senior Play.

The "Daughters of the American Revolution" will hold their annual state convention in March at Bay City, which Marian will attend.

**Rotarians Entertain Their 'Ann's' at Dinner With Varied Program**

A delightful social evening was held Tuesday at the annual Rotary-Ann dinner held in the Masonic Temple. One hundred and fifty Rotarians, their wives and guests were given a most entertaining description of "How Easy It is to Run a Newspaper," by the Clipper Girls, Miss Nina Babcock and Miss Grace Hamilton of Cedar Springs.

The girls told the assembled Rotarians "you only need a few things in the publishing business: a nose for news, a bump of curiosity, and a sense of humor."

A fine dinner was served by the Eastern Star, the committee provided glameias and gifts for the ladies. Emile Meny furnished the music during the dinner on an electric organ, entertainment was furnished by the committee with a charming dance routine by three Rotary-Anns, the Mesdames Jerry Roth, Harold Myers and Orlo Gwatkin. A novelty act was presented by Jerry Roth and Jay Boelens.

Chairman for the evening was Elmer G. Schaefer and the toastmaster was Robert Hahn.

**Francis P. Carey, 79 Dies at Grattan Home**

Francis P. Carey, aged 79, passed away at his home in Grattan Township, Tuesday, Feb. 17. He is survived by his wife, Margaret; four daughters, Mrs. Joseph Joyce of Cassonsburg, Margaret Carey of Grand Rapids, and Margot Carey at home; three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Agnes Slater of Grand Rapids; two brothers, John Carey of Alto and Edward of Parnell.

His body reposes at the home where friends will meet to recite the Rosary Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Funeral services will be held Friday at 10 a. m. at the St. Patrick's church, Parnell. Arrangements by Roth Funeral Home, Lowell.

**PTA-CHILD STUDY CLUB TO HOLD JOINT MEETING**

PTA meeting in high school projection room on Thursday, Feb. 19, at 6:30 p. m. Potluck supper for adults. Joint meeting with Child Study Club, Child Psychologist will be given.

Charles Laver, Director of Blood Typing Program in Kent County Civil Defense, will also be present and will give a brief talk on the advantages of blood typing and will answer questions which the mothers may wish to ask.

**Internal Revenue Agent To Assist Taxpayers**

An Internal Revenue agent from the office of the Collector of Internal Revenue, U. S. Treasury Dept., will be in Lowell Postoffice on Friday, March 6, 1953 from 9:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m., to assist taxpayers in the preparation of their income tax returns for the year 1952.

Taxpayers seeking assistance are requested to present retained copies of 1951 returns and the 1952 blanks previously sent them. p43-44

**DELEGATES NAMED FOR REPUBLICAN CONVENTION**

Delegates named to represent Lowell at the Republican State Convention to be held at Fort Shelby Hotel, Detroit, Saturday, Feb. 21, are Walter W. Gumsor, Dan Treleven and Elmer G. Schaefer. Alternates are Mrs. E. G. Schaefer, C. H. Runciman and Wm. S. Doyle.

**Fresh Fish Available**

We have fresh fish every Wednesday, Thursday and Friday during the Lenten season. Sanitary Market, Lowell. p43

**Mrs. Elizabeth Lalley Dies Sunday, Aged 71**

Mrs. Elizabeth Lalley, lifelong resident of Lowell and widow of the late John Lalley, passed away Sunday morning, Feb. 15, at the age of 71 years.

Born here June 25, 1881, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Owen McMahon, she was educated in Lowell schools and active in civic and church work. All of her later years have been spent at her home at 212 Vergennes Rd.

Surviving are three sons, Robert L. of Grand Rapids; John J. of Iowa; and William J. of Jacksonville, Fla.; a daughter, Mrs. Lloyd J. Delehanty of Grand Rapids; nine grandchildren; four brothers, Frank and James McMahon, both of Lowell, Arthur E. of Grand Rapids and Charles of Tampa, Fla.; a sister, Mrs. Peter F. Ronan, also of Grand Rapids, nieces and nephews.

Funeral Mass was sung at 9:30 Wednesday morning in St. Mary's church in Lowell and burial was made in St. Mary's cemetery. The Altar Society and relatives and friends recited the Rosary Tuesday evening at Roth Funeral Home where the body reposed until the funeral hour.

**Lowell Church Names Topics for Lenten Season**

Beginning February 22, The Rev. Philip R. Glatfely, Jr., will bring seven messages for Lent and Easter. Under the Topic: The Father's Family the messages will be: The Family Tree, Feasts of the Family, The Family Offering, The Faith of the Family, The Father's Gift, Blood Ties in The Family, The House of The Father.

The families and children of the church are being furnished Lenten Offering boxes to be brought to the church on Easter. The Easter offering will be used for four projects this year. To help build a church at Talcohaum, Chile, 2. To help with work in Alaska, 3. To help build a new Methodist church at Wolf Lake, 4. To help pay the indebtedness on the Chancel and Organ.

The week of Dedication Offering will be received this Sunday and a part of this offering will be apportioned to the Holland Flood relief. Any donors for the Holland Flood Relief may leave their gifts with Dan Wingeier at the bank.

**J. R. Harper, 76, Dies Following Long Illness**

J. R. Harper passed away Sunday evening, Feb. 15, at his home on North Washington St., Lowell, after a long illness. He was born May 2, 1877 near St. Johns in Clinton county.

Surviving besides his wife, Josephine are two sons, Glenn A. of Rockford, and Roy W. of Detroit; eight grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held in Osgood's Funeral Home in St. Johns, Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock with burial in South Brigham cemetery.

**V. F. W. Auxiliary Plans To Hold Open Meeting**

The V. F. W. Auxiliary to Flat River Post 8303 of Lowell, held their regular meeting on Thursday, Feb. 12, 1953, at 8:15 p. m. with 19 members present and President Ayres presiding. Opening services concluded, the meeting proceeded to the business for the evening.

The main business was the discussion of coming election of officers and the open meeting to be held on February 26. The membership chairman, Mrs. Maryan LeDue, reported that the ladies from Nash-Kelvinor V. F. W. Post Auxiliary in Grand Rapids will be our guests and bring their guests on the night of February 26, Thursday, at 8 p. m. and at the same time all ladies of Lowell eligible to belong to the V. F. W. Auxiliary are cordially invited this same evening Any mother, wife, sister or daughter over 16 of an overseas veteran or Korean soldier is invited and the V. F. W. Auxiliary of Lowell hopes any and all eligible ladies will attend at the V. F. W. hall on Thursday evening, Feb. 26, at 8 p. m. Games will be played and refreshments served.

The meeting was adjourned to a delicious lunch of sandwiches, cakes, candy and coffee, served by the lunch committee.

**Pinto Presents Acts Not Previously Booked At Annual Family Party**

Approximately five hundred friends and patrons of Wittenbach Sales and Service turned out Friday evening for the annual Family Party, but they missed most of the excitement. Pinto, the Hollywood trick horse which was to be the feature attraction of the stage show, left town via Main Street about 8:00 p. m. While the Wittenbachs and cast waited back at the City Hall, Cecil Bibbler took out after Pinto in his Rocket Oldsmobile and finally brought him down on the railroad trestles. A little dog, which is Pinto's only guard while he is waiting to go on stage, was still with him.

With Pinto safely back, the show went on. While the audience missed seeing, they heard another thrilling sight Pinto performed. In order to reach the stage where he was to do his act, it was necessary for him to climb the steps to the second floor. He made it to the first landing in one big leap that shook the audience, and made the top in two more. He then passed through the audience and with some neat maneuvering made the steps up onto the stage where he was put through his paces by his owner, California Joe.

Wittenbach Sales & Service wish to thank their friends who turned out Friday night for their Family Party and hope they enjoyed the entertainment, before and behind the spotlight, as much as they did.

**Boy Scout News**

At the regular meeting of Boy Scouts at the city hall Monday evening plans were made for a hike next Saturday.

All Scouts going on the hike are to meet at the city hall at one o'clock bringing their compasses and maps. p43

**Rev. Emerald Price Guest Speaker at Father-Son Fete**

The Men's Club of the Methodist Church who are sponsoring the annual Father and Son banquet for Lowell have secured the Rev. Emerald Price of St. Johns for the main speaker and there are other interesting features for the program, Wednesday, Feb. 25.

**Rev. Price Will Present a Travelogue and Pictures Taken While He Was a Delegate to the Methodist Ecumenical Conference at Oxford, England. He Was a Chaplain in the Navy during World War II and is presently the pastor of a church at St. Johns, Mich., a Rotarian and active in affairs of his community.**

The WSCS will serve the banquet at the Lowell Methodist church at seven o'clock and the Boy Scouts and their fathers are especially urged to attend. Orion Thaler is general chairman of the affair.

**Lowell Seniors Selling Subscriptions to Ledger To Finance Year Books**

The Lowell High School Senior Class has taken on the job of selling Ledger subscriptions in a fund-raising campaign for the class year book. The drive which is devoted to new subscriptions only will be conducted from February 20 through March 1st.

The senior class of the school publishes the annual which costs far more than the class is able to sell the books for, so this additional cost must be made up in some other way. The idea of getting new subscribers was offered to the class and they have accepted.

While you are helping the Seniors to defray expenses on their Annual you will at the same time get a paid subscription to the local newspaper. If you are not approached by a member of the class and you wish to participate you may call the Ledger, phone 9261 and we will notify the group, or if you send your new subscription to us we will credit the seniors at your request.

**Women's Club Enjoys Valentine Luncheon**

The Lowell Women's Club enjoyed a delicious Valentine luncheon Wednesday, Feb. 11, at the Home Economics practice house under the supervision of Miss Phyllis Thielan, instructor of Home Economics for the Lowell High School. The Club women were conducted through the home by the young ladies and given a complete review of the Home and the advisability of teaching right in a home.

Mrs. Philip R. Glatfely, president, opened the meeting with the pledge of allegiance and repeating the collect.

It was voted to hold a Silver Tea on March to which the Kent County officers will be invited.

The meetings will be held in the new club room in the American Legion Memorial building on East Main St. from now on.

A good sum of money was reported received from their experience meeting.

**CHES-CHA-MAY CAMPFIRE**

February 13 the seventh grade was entertained by the Ches-Cha-May Campfire group with refreshments and music. We would like to thank them very much. —Reporter, Patsy Winters

**Lowell Beer Store open every day and evening, Sundays till 7:00 p. m.**

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**About Our Servicemen \*\*\*\*\***

Mr. and Mrs. John Baker have received the new address for their son, Keith, as follows: A 3c Keith D. Baker 16404648 26th Sqdn., Lock Bourne AFB, Ohio.

Pvt. William McCarthy, whose wife, Dorothy, lives at 636 Cherry St., Ada, recently graduated from the Non-Commissioned Officers Academy conducted by the 28th Division Artillery at Dillingen, Germany.

He was selected to attend the school on the basis of his military bearing, leadership potential and proven ability in the line of duty. Its graduates insure the unit of the highest caliber of non-commissioned officers.

Private McCarthy, a truck driver, in Battery B of the 229th Field Artillery Battalion, entered the army in January, 1952, and arrived overseas in August of that year. He received his basic training at Camp Breckinridge, Ky.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Justin McCarthy, also of Ada.

Sgt. Charles Wood who was recently discharged from the Army, is making his home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Wood, Sr., at 858 Sarasota Ave. SE, Grand Rapids. Before entering the service Charles lived in Alto and attended Lowell Schools.

Pfc. and Mrs. James P. Glass and infant daughter, Sue, moved here Saturday to make their home at Klosterman Trailer Park while Mr. Glass is in service. He is at present stationed at Detroit with the AAA Gun Battery.

Mrs. Robert VandenHout has received word that her husband, Sgt. Robert VandenHout of the U. S. Marine Corps has left Korea for the States.

**Renis Doyle, 67 Passes Suddenly Of Heart Attack**

Lowell residents were shocked Thursday morning by the sudden passing of Renis Doyle when he suffered a fatal heart attack while visiting at the King Milling plant. He had not been ill and his death was entirely unexpected.

Mr. Doyle was a long time resident of Lowell and well known in the village and community where he had been active in civic and social circles.

Thomas M. (Renis) Doyle was born at Moorestown, Mich., Nov. 3, 1885, but had spent all of his later life in Lowell. He was interested in lumbering in his earlier days and operated mills at Pine Bluff, Ark., before coming here in 1913 where he was associated with the King Milling Co., as treasurer, until his retirement in 1932. An unfortunate motorcar accident hastened his withdrawal from active business relations.

After his marriage he lived on Elm St. and later built a new and attractive home on the hillside at 1019 E. Main St. This year at Christmas time the Santa Claus sleigh and reindeer in life-size and color atop the terrace was a welcome greeting to passersby from the Doyle's front lawn, and was a scene which complemented the arch of colored lights through the business district of the village.

Mrs. Doyle passed on in 1926 and some time later Mr. Doyle sold the home and went to live with his son, Earl, and family on Vergennes Rd.

Mr. Doyle was a member of St. Mary's Church and the Moose and Elks lodges. He is survived by two sons, Charles Earl, of Lowell, and Capt. Thomas L., chaplain stationed with the U. S. Army in Korea; six grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

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#### Great Future Seen for Apples

Two tons of apples are a lot of apples but the chemist is interested in only three ounces of them. That three ounces is revolutionizing the food processing industry. Last year the United States had 25 million bushels of full apples out of its annual crop of 120 million bushels; and when a quantity such as 25 million bushels is going to waste, the government turns to the chemist and asks: "Why don't you do something about it?" That's exactly what happened during World War II. There was a shortage of sugar and then a shortage of glycerine. The chemist went to the apple, heated the mess to 180 degrees Fahrenheit, clarified it, added a little acid and then evaporated it. The result was "apple syrup" — just as sweet and tasty as maple syrup but with a different flavor.

Everything was fine and dandy until the end of the war and sugar and glycerine came back on the grocery shelves. That's when the chemist got sore and came up with "apple essence", the three ounces spoken of in the beginning of this story. "Apple essence" was a new idea. It is an ultra-fine powder that was formerly lost when apple juice was evaporated. They devised a fantastic piece of apparatus that captured this volatile aroma—the odor we associate when mother bakes them in the oven. Most of the newly discovered "apple essence" goes into apple beverages, candies, milk drinks, ice, sherbets and ice cream. A chemist of an eastern Regional Research Laboratory became curious about this essence and began to break it up into its component parts. What he found was fantastic! The essence represents fifty parts per million of the original apple juice but he found that it was made up of 26 different chemical compounds. It contained eight different kinds of alcohol, four carbonyl compounds, five esters, and nine parts of other esters. The essence was a gold mine—the rush was on and soon we had "frozen apple slices" for the bakery trade, frozen apple juice concentrate, apple ice, liquid apple and apple powder, an important medicinal aid for treating diarrhea.

Do you think the chemists are through squeezing gold out of the apple? Not at all. They are now working on an apple juice concentrate that will keep a whole year without being frozen. The product is destined for American submarines where space is at a premium but the boys must have good tasting juices. What else is there in the pretty apple? There's malic acid, apple-seed oil and don't forget the wax on the skin, which polishes so nicely when you polish an apple. And the apple core. We mustn't throw that away. From it we get pectin for the making of jellies, jams and preserves and it thickens in pharmaceuticals, pastes, salves, and a substitute for agar for the bacteriologist.

We're not through. We can make pectinate films to cover our skinless waffles so that they can be eaten whole—skin and all. This same pectinate solution is used for quenching steel and who knows what else! We started talking about a plain apple, but nothing that grows in plain. Our future chemists, just now getting out of high school, will discover still greater mysteries when their turn comes to explore the realms of science.

#### Would Have Five Three-Day Holidays

A plug for revision of holiday dates comes from a leading northern Michigan paper, the Aroonia County Independent. It suggests:  
1. A President's Day the second Monday in February.  
2. Memorial Day the last Monday in May.  
3. Independence Day the first Monday in July.  
4. Thanksgiving Day the fourth Monday in November.  
That, with Labor Day, always on a Monday, would assure every year at least five holidays falling on Monday. It would be a boon to the tourist business, to the people in general, and to stores and industries.

#### Elmdale

**Mrs. Ira Sargent**  
(This Week's Items)  
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Roth were among those who were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Harwood and family. The occasion was in honor of Glottlieb Roth's birthday.

Newly elected officers of the West Campbell club are Mrs. Mrs. Gaytha Keim, Vice Pres. Mrs. Gwendeth Neib, Sec'y., Mrs. Pearl Roth and Treas. Mrs. Zelma Roth. The March meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Pearl Roth.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kauffman were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Seese.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mick, Jr. and children of South Boston, also the children of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Miller of Lowell, spent Sunday with their parents and grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Leece and sons.

Mrs. Carl Roth visited Mrs. Ezra God of Clarksville, Monday, while Carl attended the Conservation meeting.

Rev. Claude Studd of Grand Rapids will be guest speaker at the Elmdale Church of the Nazarene for morning services on Sundays, Feb. 22 and March 1. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Roth were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stahl.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Lott and son, Gary, of Holland, spent the week end with relatives here.

Mrs. Ira Sargent accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Edna Anderson to Mrs. Olive Granger of Clinton county, where they attended a grade school of instruction.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Weeks entertained with a family dinner on Sunday, Feb. 8th, in honor of their grandson, Dennis Vickers' second birthday. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Vickers, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Vickers and Mrs. Helen Vickers. The little guest of honor received several nice gifts.

The young people from the Elmdale Church of the Brethren are having a Baked Goods sale Saturday, Feb. 21, at Dintaman's Hardware Store. Alto. Proceeds which planned to be used for redecorating the church will now be used for rebuilding the church, which was destroyed by fire Sunday afternoon.

#### SURE LOOKS IT!

Caught in a week end traffic jam, you may have fumed that "it looks like everybody in the whole country is out riding". Could be. There are enough cars in our land to take everybody in it for a ride at the same time—actually about 43,000,000 automobiles registered.

#### WHITNEYVILLE

The Morse Lake-McCord Farm party last week Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Yeiter of Morse Lake for host and hostess. The topic for discussion was on tractor licenses. It was decided best to leave as it now stands. A nice potluck lunch was enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. Simon DeLew of Snow Ave. on Tuesday evening, March 10.

The Pancake supper sponsored by the Whitneyville Mother's Club at the Grange Hall was very successful. Members generously contributed butter, maple syrup and other things to help out. Rev. Novotny presided at the grill to keep the pancakes coming along. The crowd was very cooperative and everyone seemed to enjoy the food and sociability of getting together and meeting old friends and neighbors. The Mother's Club appreciates the help and food donated and feel it was an evening as they could wish to sponsor. They thank each and everyone who helped. They expect to clear \$50 after expenses are paid. The money will be used to benefit the children with playground equipment, etc. King M. J. Co. of Lowell furnished the flour.

Rev. Novotny has resigned as pastor of the local church. Rev. Lars Anderson of Grand Rapids is the new minister. They have four children, two boys and two girls. Sunday School will be held at 10 a. m. with church at 11. Wednesday evening. A cordial welcome is extended to everyone to attend any or all of these meetings. It will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Zost this Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John VanderWert attended the lecture at Pwauwatin St. Paulist Church last Tuesday evening and visited later with Mr. and Mrs. John Bartus of Grand Rapids.

Whitneyville Grange will be held at the hall this Saturday evening. It is hoped a good crowd will be there.

Sympathy is extended to Peter Buys and family in the passing of his mother, Mrs. Cornelius Buys. She had been in poor health for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Bates and Joyce were Tuesday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Scott of Caledonia.

Mrs. Otis L. Demsenore and Ruth of 72nd St. were Tuesday overnight guests of their uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Douglas and Otis came for supper Wednesday night. He was an early birthday supper for Otis.

Mr. and Mrs. John VanderWert spent Thursday in Holland with their parents Dr. and Mrs. Seth Vander Wert and Mr. and Mrs. John Koroelje. They were Thursday evening dinner guests of their nephew and niece Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Shop.

Mrs. Lyle Patterson called on Mrs. Wm. Atchinson of Grand Rapids Sunday.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sealey were Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Sealey, Mr. and Mrs. John Schwab and Walter Hakola of Rockford, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hendricks and Rose Marie of Grand Rapids.  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe DeMaar, Tom Dale and Yvonne of Grand Rapids were recent callers of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Sealey and Diane. Sam Quiggle, Joe Geelhood of Lowell and Hubert Shimmel were fishing at Hardy Dam, Sunday. Mrs. Bob Phillips returned home from the hospital Thursday and is convalescing satisfactorily.  
Sunday callers of Mrs. Ivah Phillips were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams, Bert Phillips of Gd. Rapids and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dalstra.  
Mr. and Mrs. Alex Wingeler of Alto were Wednesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Quiggle and Roger.  
Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Benedict and son and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Service of Grand Rapids were recent callers of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Nicks and Mrs. Kenneth Fox were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Shimmel and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fox were Wednesday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Antoniques.  
Mrs. Leon Sealey and Edna attended the Solo and Ensemble Festival held at Grand Rapids Christian High School, Saturday.

Peace Tube A new fibreglass reinforced plastic tube is useful for fuel-drawing lines, stand-off and draft tubes, salt-water piping, and sanitary piping. It is light in weight, is corrosion resistant, and gives engineers a new design material. It is available in standard sizes from four to ten inches outside diameter, with end flanges to permit special order. Straight sections come in 2-foot lengths and are coupled together by cemented sleeves. It is suitable for temperatures up to 230 degrees and is readily worked with standard machine tools and can be sawed, cut, drilled, threaded, or joined.

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#### Moosey-Murray Lake

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pratt and Mrs. Kenneth and Robert, spent Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Rowland on Whitneyville Road.

Wilbur Purdy and Melvin Miller came home from Belvoir hospital Wednesday. The news of Henry Showers was home from Great Lakes Training station over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Pratt of Gd. Rapids and Kenneth Pratt of Moosey spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Rowland of Battle Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lyons and daughter of Granton, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Dalkha of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Winger, also Mrs. Purdy's parents of Grand Rapids were Saturday and Sunday guests and callers at the Wilbur Purdy home.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Rich of Belding at the Greenview hospital, a 6 lb. 8 oz. daughter, last Sunday, Feb. 15th. The Rich children are spending a few days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rueseger, Mr. and Mrs. Smoot of Lansing is spending a week at the Rueseger home also.

Larry Rich of Belding, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rueseger called on Mrs. Rich and baby at the Greenview hospital Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kropf of Lowell spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Kropf.

What isn't interesting on first reading is seldom any more interesting on second reading.

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Bisquick	3-lb. pkg. 45c
Salad Dressing	Ann Page 6-oz. bot. 49c
Grated Tuna	Mrs. Otis 5-oz. can 25c
Black Pepper	Ann Page, Ground 2-oz. tin 25c
Beet Sugar	3-lb. can 99c
Iona Peaches	United or Shiloh 29-oz. can 29c
Puddings	Quaker 3-pkg. 17c
Butter Beans	Heinz 16-oz. can 10c
Sunny Roll PANCAKE FLOUR	5-lb. bag 39c
Jucky, New Crop, Valencia FLORIDA ORANGES	8-lb. bag 65c
Corned Beef Hash	Brockett 28-oz. can 29c
Dill Pickles	Dandy 28-oz. can 25c
Saltines	Heinz's 1-lb. box 29c
Star-Kist Tuna	Chunk Style 4 1/2-oz. can 31c
Pea Beans	Just Brand 5-lb. pkg. 25c
Jane Parker CHERRY PIE	8-in. size 39c
Longhorn Style COLBY CHEESE	lb. 49c
Cherry Gold Layer Cake	Just Brand 4-oz. tin 49c
Donuts	Just Brand, Raisin, Raisin, or Chocolate 18c
Hot Cross Buns	1-pkg. of 25c
Glazed Donuts	Just Brand 4c 33c
Potato Chips	Just Brand 5-lb. pkg. 58c
Margarine	Just Brand 1-lb. tin 21c
Volvoets	Just Brand 5-lb. tin 97c
Chod-O-Bit	American Cheese Food 2-lb. tin 89c
Cream Cheese	Beck's or Philadelphia 5-oz. pkg. 18c
Mol-C-Bit	Beck's or Philadelphia 5-oz. pkg. 29c

#### New Yorkers Keep Pets Some Million or More

Now it can be said with some reason that Manhattan is going to the dogs, or the cats. A census just completed by animal societies has revealed there is approximately one pet for every six New Yorkers—which, according to 1950 census figures, would add up to nearly 1,000,000 cats, approximately a half of a million dogs, and a lesser number of birds, from monkeys to skunks.

Officials believe that no other community, irrespective of population, can boast so many household pets per capita. The news completely confounds a long-standing reason for migration: "let's move to the country so we can keep a dog."

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#### Home Fire-Alarm System Found, Easy to Install

A new, inexpensive, easy-to-install, home fire-alarm system has been developed whose purpose is to awaken the family before a possible fire starts headway.

This is accomplished by installing a detector in each room, close to the ceiling, and an alarm bell near the master bedroom. Silver-alkali contact points of the detector cells are present at the factory to furnish at 125° Fahrenheit.

Should a fire start any place in the house, the heat rises and sets off the detector cell, which in turn rings the alarm to awaken the sleeping family. The low thermal setting awakens the family in plenty of time either to put out the fire or call the fire department before it gets out of control.

The system is installed by anyone in a few hours, and detector cells can be tested at any time by holding the flame of a match or candle under the cell; additional cells can be added when desired. The system can also be used to protect outbuildings, such as barns, chicken houses, garages, etc.

The first textbook on bacteriology was written by Army Surgeon Gen. George Miller Sternberg in 1896.

The man who removed the mountain began by carrying small stones.

Ledger ads get results every day.

#### Checklist of Deductions Designed for Motorists For 1952 Tax Returns

A checklist of automobile income tax deductions designed to aid motorists in filing 1952 tax returns, due March 15, was made available today by Automobile Club of Michigan.

Deductions allowed all motorists include:  
1. State auto license fee (motor tax).  
2. State gasoline tax (four and one-half cents per gallon in Michigan).  
3. Sales tax on purchase of car if bought during 1952 (three per cent of purchase price, less tax).

4. Casualty losses not covered by insurance, such as collision damage not due to willful negligence, fire, damage and theft losses.  
5. Interest paid on loans for the purchase of automobile.

The following deductions are allowed only when the car is used for business and the extent that owner is not reimbursed by an employer. When a car is used partly for business, these items are deductible only in proportion to the percentage of business use.  
6. Depreciation. 2. Gasoline. 3. Oil. 4. Grease. 5. Washing. 6. Insurance. 7. Repairs. 8. Waxing. 9. Parking charges. 10. Garage rent. 11. Tolls. 12. Chauffeur's salary. 13. Chauffeur's uniform. 14. Auto license fee. 15. Miscellaneous items such as tires, tubes, batteries, chains, anti-freeze, towing charges, seat covers, spark plugs.

MIDWATER PURIFIER  
Now available is a little device which provides the housewife with sufficient pure water for her steam iron. Ordinary tap water is poured into the upper reservoir of a plastic tube and it percolates through a layer of ion exchange resin.

Regular meetings of the Roseberger community club meeting will be Friday evening, Feb. 20. Entertainment will be the old coin game and all who wish to play are to bring a "white elephant" or prize. I'm sure we can all find an article around the house which we can present to make us eligible to play.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wingeler of Lowell were last Friday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Roth.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Weeks entertained with a birthday dinner Sunday honoring Dennis William, who was two years old on Feb. 7. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Vickers (grand and grandniece) and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Vickers and Cathy Lee. Dennis received many useful gifts and the family enjoyed a nice visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Weeks spent Friday at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Stude, Tommy and Ronnie, near Ellwell. The Steeles are old acquaintances and formerly lived in Lowell.

#### Lowell News of Yesteryear

25 Years Ago  
Plans, maps and estimates were accepted by the village council for the paving of Main street which is a part of M. I. Rd.  
Roy Delloway of Grand Rapids, Lowell, Motor Motor Bus Line, is transporting 200 prisoners from Ionia Reformatory to Michigan State Prison.

Lowell Rod and Gun Club, together with County Agent Kettis K. Vining, are showing tree models and a splendid program in the interest of conservation. They will be held in the city hall, Wednesday, Feb. 22.

The Chatterbox club entertained present and former telephone operators at the home of Mrs. Myrtle Kingdom when a Valentine party was the occasion. Bunco was played and refreshments served.

The United Workers-Aid Society of South Boston met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ned Kyster for their annual meeting.

Mrs. Myrtle Carlson Atherton, a former teacher in Valley and Moseley schools, passed away Monday, Feb. 13, at Blossgett hospital.

10 Years Ago  
Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Krum celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary at Lone Pine Inn, Feb. 6, 1928.

Shoe rationing became effective Tuesday morning.  
Supt. W. W. Gummer and other teachers of Lowell Schools will assist income taxpayers in preparing their returns to the revenue department.

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#### Lowell Public Schools are Participating in a Nationwide "Schools at War" Effort

Every effort is being made by the faculty to correlate the work of the school with the important job of winning the war.  
The temperature in Lowell in mid-afternoon Saturday was 15 degrees above zero, and by dark it was several degrees below.

Edward Haraburda Buys HOLSTEIN-FRIESIAN BULL  
Edward Haraburda, Lowell, recently acquired a registered Holstein-Friesian bull from the herd of F. C. Manseau, Ada, Mich.  
Change of ownership for this animal, Cascade Var Candy, has been officially recorded by The Holstein-Friesian Association of America.

The Association issued 21,457 registry and transfer certificates to Michigan breeders during 1952.

The tubs carries the purified water into the chamber of the steam iron. Of course only distilled water or demineralized water should be used in a steam device of this kind.

Breathing is the only thing we don't put off until tomorrow.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF LOWELL  
Sunday Services  
Bible School all ages 10:00  
Morning Worship 11:00  
Baptist Y. P. 6:45  
Evangelistic Service 7:30  
Weekly Meetings  
Wed. Prayer Service 8:00  
Saturday, King's Maidens 8:00  
Christian Service Brigade 7:00  
A. A. A. service is extended to Keith Melver, Pastor 6:37

The basic pattern can be varied in many ways. Use cold whole-grain cereal rather than hot cereal; sometimes, get protein from a small serving of meat; use tomato juice rather than citrus juice if you wish.

A youngster was saying his bedtime prayers in a low voice. "I can't hear you, dear," produced his mother.

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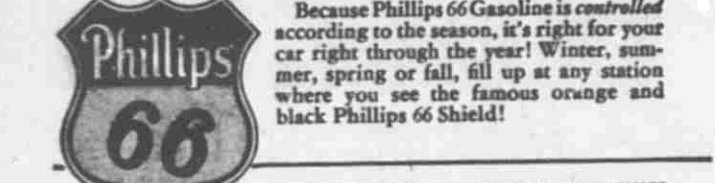


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Advertisement for a car with a cartoon illustration of a man driving. Text includes 'THE GREATEST BUICK IN 50 GREAT YEARS' and 'New Twin-Turbine VYALFLOW'.

Check Nephrosis In Your Children Parents Advised

Nephrosis is the general name for a group of kidney diseases found among children. If discovered early, it can be successfully treated. Its early symptoms are not always easy to recognize and its exact cause is not fully understood.

It results usually when for some reason the child's body is not able to absorb protein and fat in the normal way and tests show a lack of protein in the blood and an abnormal amount of it in the urine. If this condition is not treated promptly, malnutrition and anemia may follow. If unchecked, the disease may cause malnutrition, anemia and weight loss for children at the age of 3 to 5 years.

In severe cases, blood pressure goes up, the heart is affected and the disease can be fatal, according to word received from the Kent County Tuberculosis Society. By lowering the patient's resistance, Nephrosis also leaves him open to attack by other diseases, such as pneumonia or influenza. Early treatment can check it usually with the assistance of modern drugs, and sometimes surgery. The disease may last from six months to two years or longer.

Other symptoms of early nephrosis include irregularity in your child's urinary habits, blood in the urine, puffy eyelids, swollen abdomen, feet or ankles. If you spot any of these symptoms do not hesitate to call the doctor, then follow his instructions.

Public Notices

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Lowell Council Proceedings February 2, 1953

A regular meeting of the Council of the Village of Lowell was held in the Council Rooms of the City Hall, Monday evening, February 2, 1953.

The meeting was called to order by the Village President, Peter Speersta, at 8:00 p. m. Trustees present: Schaefer, Mulder, Eitzinger, Rutherford, Roth, Christiansen. Attorney Roger McMahon also present.

The minutes of the last regular meeting January 19, 1953, were read and approved. The Clerk read the report of the Police Department activity for the period of January 19 to February 1, 1953, inc. as submitted by Police Chief Frank L. Stephens.

The Clerk reported receiving notices in the following amounts: General Fund Sales Tax Dist. \$ 3,417.00 Parking \$ 3,049.00 Road Fund \$ 9.00 Int. Govt. Bonds \$ 62.50

The Clerk reported that the automobile insurance had expired and was up for renewal and that the Michigan Mutual Liability Co. had presented their offer for renewal of Motor Vehicle Insurance coverage on Village vehicles.

The Clerk read the report of the Kloosterman Trailer Park for the month of January and reported receiving \$450.00 in fees. It was moved by Trustee Christiansen, seconded by Trustee Mulder, that the Clerk be instructed to give the Lowell Light Fund \$100.00.

Roll Call: Schaefer yes, Mulder yes, Eitzinger yes, Rutherford yes, Roth yes, Christiansen yes, Yes 5, Nays 0, Carried.

It was moved by Trustee Christiansen, seconded by Trustee Mulder, that the Clerk be instructed to have Police Chief Frank L. Stephens appear at the next regular meeting to determine the number to be covered by bonds to the Village and to the Sheriff of Kent County.

February Marks Birthdays of Two National Heroes

The two great national heroes whose birthdays we celebrate this month—Lincoln on the 12th and Washington on the 22nd—were leaders of a country torn by internal strife and defended by troops weakened by hunger and disease, and both had difficult decisions on discipline and training to make, according to Colton Storm, assistant director of the Clements Library at the new 4-H Building Fund.

A military man through and through, Washington was a strict, but fair, disciplinarian who always demanded the facts behind the case. This is easily evident in a Clements Library letter in which the general mentions the courtmartial of a John Derrick and requested that the case information be forwarded to him.

Trustee Eitzinger informed the Council that the Lowell Board of Education desired a permit to move a building, part of which is on King Street south of Lafayette Street and partially on a parcel of land which the school purchased. After some discussion, it was moved by Trustee Eitzinger, seconded by Trustee Rutherford, that the Clerk be instructed to write the Lowell School Board that the Village is agreeable to the school moving said building.

The Council again discussed and decided that a public meeting would be held to discuss and explain said plans to all interested residents in the Village. Superintendent Thomas Moore was instructed to arrange this meeting with the Village Engineer and the Engineer of the Municipal Finance Commission.

It was moved by Trustee Eitzinger, seconded by Trustee Mulder, that the meeting be adjourned, Yes 5, Nays 0, Carried. PETER SPEERSTA, President LOUIS W. KINGSLEY, Clerk Approved February 16, 1953

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Advertisement for Buick cars. Text includes 'THE GREATEST BUICK IN 50 GREAT YEARS', 'New Twin-Turbine VYALFLOW', and '30% more get up and go'. Includes an image of a Buick car.

Soil Scientists Point To Best Conditioners

Soil scientists at Michigan State College point out that some soil conditioners can do a good job of improving soil tilth and conditions. The trouble so far, they explain, is that the soil conditioners are too expensive for general farm use.

Word reached us Sunday afternoon that the Elmidae Church of the Brethren was on fire and later the report was that inside of the church was gutted by fire. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Parkerson of Lansing were dinner guests of the latter's sister Mrs. Earl Glidden and later Mr. and Mrs. Parkerson, Mrs. Glidden and Mrs. Clara Brandstetter attended the wedding of Mr. Parkerson's and Mrs. Glidden's niece in Fountain St. Baptist Chapel Saturday afternoon.

Among the many guests at the Heinzelman-Greenwood wedding Saturday afternoon was Mrs. Webb Rods, 88, of Paris who is a great-grandmother of the bride, Mrs. Rods, who seemed to enjoy the occasion very much, was for many years a resident of near Clarksville and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Oliver, pioneer residents of Campbell township.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fonger, James, Marcia, Sandra, and Richard, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fonger, and Mr. and Mrs. Mac Fonger and Mr. and Mrs. Hattie Balthart attended the funeral of Mr. Fonger's mother, Mrs. Ella May Beverly in Sparta Tuesday.

John Leland, Lecturer This is a good time of year to plan this summer's vacation.

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Advertisement for Town Shoes by Wolverine. Features an image of a shoe and text: 'Town SHOES by Wolverine', '\$11.95 to \$13.95 including tax', 'Try On A Pair Of Town Shoes Today!', 'Your eyes will show you new style smartness... your feet will feel the comfortable new difference in WOLVERINE SHELL HORSEHIDE Soles.', 'And miles after ordinary shoes would have worn through... your TOWN SHOE soles will still be going strong.', 'Try On A Pair At... Coons', 'Adapt-a-Way', 'PITTSBURGH Waterspar ENAMEL', 'GIVES WOODWORK AND FURNITURE A SPARKLING NEW LOOK', 'Renew old furniture and woodwork with wonder-working Waterspar Enamel. Brightens color, flows on easily, dries quickly to shining and durable finish. Truly today's best finish for interior and exterior use.', 'GEE'S', 'Phone 9219 Lowell', 'Furniture and Funeral Directors', 'Phone 5391 W. Main St., Lowell'

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Mapes School Notes
Rose Lee Martin and John Ford are moving away. They will go to Kellougville.

Star Corners
Mrs. Ira Blough
Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Hoffman and family attended a family gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Robbins at Clarksville Sunday in honor of several birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Wingeler enjoyed turkey dinner at the Sam Quigley home Wednesday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Ira Blough called at the Fred Faus and Rudolph Wittenbach homes at Lowell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Krebs and David were Wednesday evening guests at the Clara Krebs home in Lowell.
Stephen Weaver and daughter Mary, Joe Willis Stahl and Ken Blough were last week callers on Freeman Hoffman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wingeler were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Alma Fingert at Hastings.
Mr. and Mrs. Byron Weeks were Tuesday afternoon visitors at Ira Bloughs.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Owens were Thursday evening guests at Clara Kaufmanns.
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Barber of Lowell were Sunday evening guests at Ivan K. Bloughs.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fairchild of Alto were Friday supper guests at Clara Kaufmanns.
Mr. and Mrs. Ulrich Schurter of Chicago spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. David Wippler and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hensley of Adrian were Monday overnight guests at the Francis Shaffer home.
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Krebs and daughters were Sunday evening guests at John Krebs home.

CUTLER CITIZENSHIP CLUB
The regular meeting of the Cutler Citizenship club was held on January 28. Mrs. Byron Weeks were Sunday afternoon and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Hoover and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Hendricks and family and Rex Hendricks spent Sunday at Camp Mares and Battle Creek with Rex Hendricks who is stationed there.
Louisie and Geneva Barkley spent Sunday afternoon in Jonk with Lydia Kresler.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hale and family spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dent and son. Evening guests at the former's home were Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Purchas.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Bergama and baby of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Connor and family and Mrs. Carl Shores and Jackie of Lowell and Don Shores of Alto were Sunday guests at the Frank Shores home.

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Your service has been given by the flue bug and I'm sorry to say I couldn't call the rest of the ones people call.

Cutler school had a nice valentine party Friday afternoon.
Foreman Road
Orville Austin left Wednesday noon for a trip through Florida and Mississippi. He will stop along the way to see different places of interest.

We are sorry to hear that the O'dell children are having the measles.
Mrs. Thresa Goodwin spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. John Willett and family, near Lyons, and attended the funeral of Dan Stout.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ryder and Rowland spent Sunday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rader at Portland.
Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Hellman spent Saturday in Lansing with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Preston.

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Almighty God, we make our earnest prayer that Thou wilt keep the United States in Thy holy protection. -George Washington

Snow Community

Mrs. A. P. Reynolds
Because of the bad weather a rather small crowd attended the WCSB supper Wednesday evening, Feb. 20th. Mr. and Mrs. John Blending will be co-hostesses for the March meeting.

Colodonia Farmer

200th Cooperator of Kent Soil District
Clarence B. Rodgers, Gaines Township farmer, became the 200th cooperator of the Northwest Kent Soil Conservation District. Glen Clark, District Director, has announced.

THE HUSBAND ALWAYS ASKS FOR MORE, WHOSE WIFE BUYS MEAT HERE AT THIS STORE
Ground Beef 49¢ lb.
Pork Sausage 33¢ lb.
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Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Chase and Mrs. Warren Kelsey of Coats Grove spent Sunday afternoon at the Keith Bowman home. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Anderson were Sunday afternoon guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Black and family. The latter is still confined to her home with sinus trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. John Troy and daughter Julia spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Koll and family in Grand Rapids. Mrs. Keller is also ill with sinus infection.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Porritt are the proud parents of a little son, no doubt Grandpa and Grandma are wearing broad smiles over their first grandson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Flynn have been entertaining 11 of their grandchildren, Timmy and Teddy Troy of Grand Rapids and their mother, Mrs. Margaret Troy and smaller brother were on the sick list. Mrs. Romaine Glibler of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with her parents also.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Glibler and Bernard Flynn spent a week end with their sister and daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Murphy. Mrs. Flynn returned home with them after visiting at the Murphy home the past week. They also called at the Ben Flarity home in Niles on their return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Borien attended the wedding Saturday and reception in the evening of the latter's brother, Robert Booth of Grand Rapids.
Charles Hillary of Grand Rapids was a Sunday afternoon caller of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Anderson.
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Vreeland were in Grand Rapids Tuesday afternoon and evening.

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Under the supervision of technicians of the SCS, Rodgers constructed a dam waterway in this field. This waterway made a definite channel to lead the water off so that it did not spread around and cause trouble and loss of crops.

An open ditch runs across the south end of the Rodgers farm cutting off a small odd-shaped area that was not practical to plant. This area was planted in pine trees and multiflora rose, creating an excellent habitat for wildlife. In addition the pine may develop into marketable timber products.

Rodgers developed this plan for his farm with the assistance of the Soil Conservation Service. Clark explained. He was a member of a neighborhood planning group that had a number of meetings in the Gaines Township Fire Barn to study their soil problems. Clark went on.

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Mrs. and Mrs. Guy Monks called on Mrs. Miles Monks one day last week in Saranac, Mich. Mrs. Monks is quite ill with the flu.

Asks 12 Billions For Army Budget Next Fiscal Year

Because of my new responsibility as a member of the Military sub-committee of the Committee on Appropriations and the fact that I recently had first hand contacts with two of America's top flight military leaders, I recently had the honor to attend the conference held at the home of Mrs. W. E. Hall in Lowell Friday afternoon.

Korean Formosan Situation

On the same day while the subcommittee on the Military budget was quizzing Vice Admiral Holway on Navy personnel problems, Congressman Taber, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, brought Admiral Radford into the committee room for an informal report on the Korean situation.

Concerned About Netherlands

All of us are deeply concerned about the tragedy that has befallen the stalwart people of the Netherlands. It is most encouraging to see the citizens of Western Michigan come to the front with unlimited generosity for the flood victims.

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Early Chicks Produce Large Eggs in Season

Chicks must be ordered immediately if you are to get into egg production and have large eggs when the prices are best, reminds J. M. Moore, extensive poultryman at Michigan State College.

NOTICE! Lewis Electric Will be Closed ALL DAY THURSDAYS

Store Hours: Other Days, 8:00 A. M. to 6:00 P. M. Except Saturdays, 8:00 A. M. to 9:00 P. M. - MEL LEWIS

Children Plan for Easter

The Tuesday afternoon Children's group will attempt to make Easter more meaningful to the children by putting before them the life of Christ in these next few weeks, and making a detailed study of his last week and the meaning of the Resurrection.

Bowen Center PTA Friday

The Bowen Center PTA will hold its schoolhouse Friday evening, Feb. 20. Program committee members are Mr. and Mrs. Ward E. Southard and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Flynn.

White Circle Sees Michigan

Mrs. James Green was hostess for the White Circle last Wednesday evening. Assisting were Mrs. Roy Linton and Mrs. Frank Fairchild.

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Large advertisement for Kroger featuring various food products like SKINLESS WIENERS, BRAUNSCHWEIGER, and BEET 10 POUND BAG. Includes Kroger logo and contact information for Carl V. Colby - Alto.

Advertisement for Wittenbach Sales & Service featuring International Trucks and insurance services.



