



# THE LOWELL LEDGER

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John Youngs of near Alto appeared at the council Monday night to ask for the transfer of the tavern license to him from Lucy Drier. Mr. Youngs, who has operated taverns in Alto, Freeport and Grandville, was given the approval of the council.

Lowell Firemen were called Sunday afternoon when a chimney on the Dr. Thos. B. Hill residence burned out and threatened the roof. The fire was kept under control and damage was slight.

Monday forenoon they were called to the King Feed Mill when a belt caught fire causing a dense smoke but small damage.

L. W. Rutherford returned home Saturday from Blodgett Hospital, where he had been under treatment and observation since his accident on Tuesday. It was kind of an enforced vacation for Mr. Rutherford but it is gratifying to know he was not more seriously injured.

The first fatal accident in the history of the Lowell Municipal Light & Power Co. occurred on August 22, 1901 when J. Scott Fox was instantly killed while trimming an arc street lamp at the corner of Hudson and Main streets.

The date has been verified by a letter which the Ledger received this week from Karolena M. Fox, a sister of Scott's. We appreciate the letter from Miss Fox giving us the exact date of the accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Masch, who were recently married, are making their first new home in the Owen Ellis apartment on Center St. Mr. Masch is employed at the State Hospital at Ionia and Mrs. Masch is with the Lowell Manufacturing Co.

Other newcomers to the village are the Herman Scholten family who are moving from Kelloggsville to their new home at 915 N. Washington St. Mr. Scholten is a member of the Sanitary Market firm and has been in Lowell for some time before being able to find a house to live in.

## Campfire Girls Plan Dad-Daughter Banquet Candlelight Ceremonial

The Campfire Father, Daughter banquet will be held on Thursday, May 14th, at 6:30 at the school gym. Mothers from all Campfire and Bluebird groups will be doing the serving, make the table decorations and clean up. Mothers taking part are as follows: Third grade Blue Birds, Mrs. Ralph Shoemaker, Mrs. Thomas Hill, Mrs. Wester. Fourth grade Blue Birds: Mrs. William Hawks, Mrs. Zenneman. Fifth grade Campfire: Mrs. Albert Dalstra, Mrs. Charles Posthumus, Mrs. Stanley Lewis. Sixth grade Campfire: Mrs. Douglas LaDue, Mrs. James Briggs. Seventh grade Campfire: Mrs. Harold Bozong. Eighth grade Campfire: Mrs. Richard Court, Mrs. Melvin Lewis. Mrs. Arthur Howard is making our coffee and Mrs. Donald Mullen is decorating our tables.

The Candlelight Ceremonial will follow the banquet at eight o'clock. All mothers, fathers, sponsors and friends are invited to the Ceremonial. This is the big event in a Campfire girls' life, the completion of their ranks and receiving of the honor beads. A very beautiful ceremonial is performed with lighted candles and singing of the Campfire songs. At this event also, the fourth grade Blue Birds fly up to become Campfire girls. Guardians for these groups are: Third grade Blue Birds, Mrs. Charles Doyle; Fourth grade Blue Birds, Mrs. Harry Shaler; Fifth grade Campfire, Mrs. Eugene King, Mrs. Paul Piper; Sixth grade Campfire, Mrs. Gerald Rollins, Mrs. George Story; Seventh grade Campfire, Mrs. Charles Ellis; Eighth grade Campfire, Mrs. Gould Rivette and Mrs. Jack Marrow.

## Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Koolman of Lowell have announced the engagement of their daughter, Elinor J., of 157 Prospect, NE, Grand Rapids, to Duane R. Kruger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kruger, 2433 S. Washington Ave. June 12th has been set for the date of the wedding. Both are graduates of the Grand Rapids School of the Bible and Music. The bride-elect is a graduate of Bethesda hospital, Toronto, Canada.

## BURGLARS AGAIN ACTIVE IN VILLAGE RESIDENCES

The residence of Mrs. Helen Rogers on West Main street was visited by a burglar Wednesday morning at 1:05. The doors were locked and admittance was gained through a bedroom window. One room was well ransacked but nothing is reported missing. Evidently the intruder did not find what he was looking for before being scared away.

This is the third time in six months this same house has been entered. Local police are investigating.

## Hi School Choir To Hold Concert

The High School choir will present a concert for the public Wednesday, May 13. It will be held after the school open house at 8:30 and everyone is cordially invited to attend.

The choir, under the direction of Miss Louise Hoffs, will sing two groups of songs, the first of religious nature and the second of secular. Also included in the program is a piano solo, a vocal duet, an instrumental number and another vocal ensemble. Miss Hoffs will also sing a solo.

The choir will wear, for the first time in Lowell, their new choral robes. The organization has been trying to earn money for the robes all this year and this concert will also help defray expenses. Tickets may be purchased from any of the choir members.

Last Thursday, April 30, the choir attended the Grand Valley Choir Festival at Lee High school singing two numbers of their own and then joined the mass choir of 488 voices for four numbers. The presence of several parents and friends from Lowell was appreciated. The choir received an enthusiastic and favorable comment sheet from Maynard Klein, who was the guest conductor, and one of the outstanding choral conductors of this section of the country.

## Lowell Sprayer Tops Tournament Bowling Classic

The Lowell Sprayer team, paced by Lee Keech with a 574 actual, emerged the top team in the newly reactivated Lowell Classic Bowling Tournament. Their score with handicap of 432 pins, was 3062. In second place was the Grand Rapids Industrial team with 3007. The Hotshots and Kerr's Tavern tied for third and fourth with 2969 and split the remaining money between them.

In the minor events, the singles title was taken by veteran bowler, Earl Kinyon, who had the only actual 600 series of the tournament, a 604. With his handicap of 81, he finished with a total of 685 to walk off with top money and a trophy. Second was Carlton Kerr with 568 actual-676. Third spot was taken by Jake Callier with a 527-656 while fourth was won by James Thomas with 558-636 and fifth by Charles Hunn, 554-626.

The doubles event was won by the team of W. Wingeier and D. Wingeier who took first money and a trophy with 1242. Second were Lester Miller and Carlton Kerr with 1237. Third were Frank Smith and Robert Marek with 1225 while fourth money went to Ed Vannoller and Ed Roth.

In All-Events, young Carlton Kerr came up with a fine handicap total of 1913 to far outclass the rest of the field. In second spot was Jake Callier with 1863 and Newt Grimwood took the last remaining pay spot, third, with 1843.

The tournament was considered a success although the representation was not as large as it might have been with more publicity and advance notice. It is hoped that next year the entries can be increased at least 100% so that it can be the best ever. All bowlers are asked to keep in mind the fact that another tournament will be held next year and to plan on entering as soon as the opportunity presents itself.

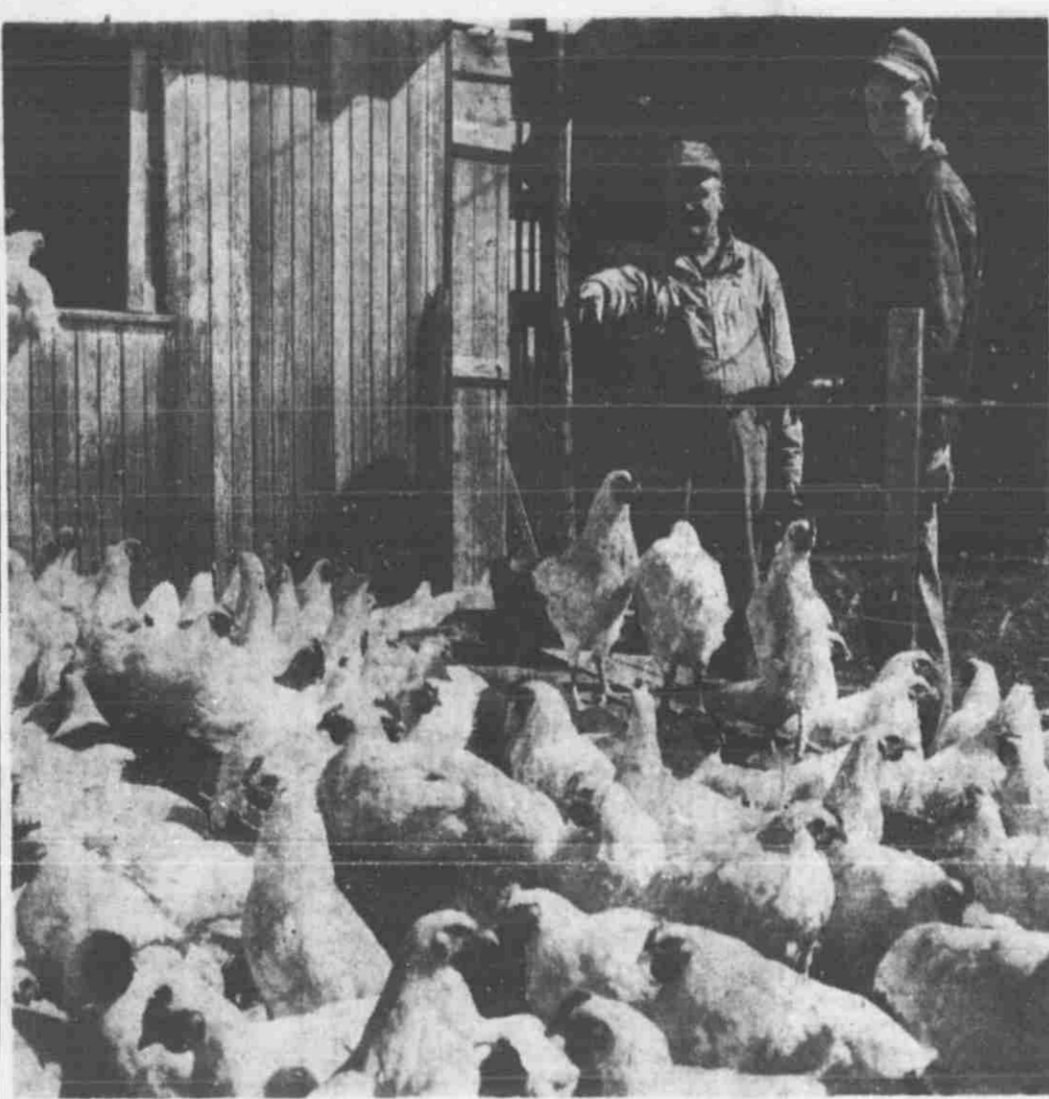
## Kent O. E. S. Chapters Voice Appreciation

The Kent County officers and the members of Cyclamen Chapter wish to extend their thanks to the C. H. Runciman Co., King Milling, The Lowell Mfg. Co., Paul Kellogg Vinegar Co., L. W. Rutherford Canning Co., The Newell Mfg. Co., The Superior Furniture Co. for gifts and to the Congregational church Fellowship for the delicious dinner and to all others who in any way helped to make the reception for the Worthy Grand Matron, Loren Vanderstel, at the Masonic Temple last Friday night, the fine success it was.

Mrs. Cora Hummel, Pres. Ernest Shook, 1st Vice Pres. Cyclamen Chapter

**AMATEUR TALENT SHOW**  
Caledonia Chapter No. 97 O. E. S. is sponsoring an Amateur Show for local talent which will be held Friday evening, May 8, at 8:00 p. m. in the Caledonia high school auditorium. Mr. Clayton Hawkins is general chairman of the event.

## 303 Bird Flock Prize Broilers, Lad's First Venture



Walter Wingeier points out some prize broilers among a flock owned by Clair Dipp, 18, of Freeport. This is Clair's first venture in chicken raising and his 303 bird flock averaged 4.1 pounds at 11 weeks. He is most enthusiastic about his venture into the chicken business and is studying all the fine points of poultry raising.

## Isaac Filkins Rites To Be Held Thursday

Funeral services will be held this Thursday afternoon at two o'clock at Roth Funeral Home for Isaac Filkins who passed away early Tuesday morning at the age of 84 years. Rev. Philip R. Glatfelter will officiate and burial will be made in Oakwood cemetery.

Mr. Filkins was born at Seneca Falls, Seneca Co., N. Y., Nov. 14, 1868, son of Isaac and Mary Filkins, and came to Michigan with his parents in 1870. They settled near Lowell which has since been his home.

May 16, 1896 he was married to Miss Jennie Post who passed away Feb. 11, 1949. Since her death he has lived with friends until last fall when he came to Lowell Rest Home where he passed away after a brief illness.

There were no children and he is survived only by nephews and nieces.

## Moose Softball Team Called for Practice

Many inquiries from towns all over Western Michigan regarding the strength of our Moose Softball team have been received lately. So far no predictions as to their strength and ability can be made. The young men of Lowell have done excellently by the home folks both here and away for several years past, and it is hoped they will do as well or better this year.

## Village Players Hosts At Open House May 18

A program of three 1-act comedies with music between plays is planned for the Village Players Open House at American Legion Memorial Building May 18 at 8 o'clock. Also refreshments will be served.

Everyone is cordially invited to come and spend a pleasant evening with the players and their friends.

## JOBS DAUGHTERS WORK INITIATORY AT GRATTA

Monday night, May 4, Job's Daughters of Bethel Chapter No. 4 of Lowell, traveled to Grattan to exemplify the degrees of initiation for Venus Chapter No. 107. There was a nice crowd in attendance to watch the girls go through a very pretty and impressive ceremony. Dorothy Jenks, Worthy Matron, was a very gracious hostess.

Sally Tibbetts was the candidate who received the degrees of initiation. After the ceremony a delicious luncheon was served in the dining room.

## BAKE SALE SATURDAY

Methodist Youth Fellowship will have a bake sale Saturday morning at 9 a. m. at Carl Munroe's Food Market.

## Boy Scout Cabin Shows Progress

The Boy Scouts are progressing nicely with their building project with voluntary help lending a lot of encouragement.

At the regular meeting Monday evening about twenty boys were present and worked all evening grading, back filling and doing preliminary work to help with the cabin. After the meeting the committee, C. Baird, J. Droeger, Bill Wittenbach, G. Rivette and H. Shaler held a conference and planned out a program of labor that will speed up the project.

A group of men have volunteered to be on the ground Sunday morning to pour the concrete floor, starting at 9:30 and staying till it is finished.

Last Saturday a Wittenbach tractor with scoop was donated for use in pushing fill dirt around the two rows of blocks which have been laid.

It is hoped a large group will be ready to help put up the log side walls which operation starts Saturday, May 16. Any kind of volunteer labor will be appreciated at any time.

## Showboat Garden Club Sponsors Hobo Picnic

The Showboat Garden Club will meet at Richards Park at 10:00 a. m. Monday, May 11, where cars will be waiting to take the members on a hobo picnic. Everyone to bring own lunch.

The purpose of this trip will be to study wild flowers and the place chosen for the picnic is a private woods where members may take some specimens of wild flowers for transplanting in their own gardens.

The committee is Betty Kropf, Norma Nisbet and Barbara Armstrong.

We are reminded that there are still a few of the polished aluminum garden tools left if anyone wants them.

## Bolivian Missionaries To Speak Next Sunday At Church of Nazarene

Rev. and Mrs. Harold Harrison, missionaries recently returned from five years in Bolivia, will be guest speakers at the Lowell Church of the Nazarene next Sunday morning, May 10, at 11 o'clock.

The public is cordially invited to hear these missionaries tell of their experiences in their chosen work.

## LOCAL SCHOOLS TO HOLD PRE-SCHOOL CLINIC MAY 12

Mothers of children who will enter school next fall are urged to bring them to the kindergarten room at Lowell schools next Tuesday morning, May 12, between the hours of 9:00 and 12 noon.

## Old Offender Jailed On Disorderly Charge

Emery Hoffmaster of Belding pleaded guilty to a disorderly charge in Justice Howard Rittenger's court Monday morning. The charge grew out of an attempt to obtain money under false pretenses for which he was picked up in Lowell at four o'clock Sunday morning by Officers Glen Rondot and George Henderson. He was fined \$100 and costs of \$430 and was remanded to Kent County jail when he was unable to raise the money.

Hoffmaster's record shows many convictions against him on various counts.

## New Pick-Up Service For Garbage and Trash Village Dump Closes

Donald Conrad who lives on 36th St. about 4 miles south-west of Lowell has contracted with the village to pick up garbage and trash from the householders at the same rate as charged by Roy Thompson who completed his two years of service on May 1st.

Mr. Conrad will pick up and empty your can but will not clean it, because he is ploughing the refuse under the ground. The householders may wrap their garbage in paper or line the garbage can.

## To Close Former Dump

The village was given 90 days notice last week to vacate the village dump located northwest of Lowell on the Ed. Laux farm. Under the new contract with Conrad he will establish a place on his farm to dump.

This dumping ground will be available to the public at established hours and under the owner's supervision.

## Postal Service Cuts To Be Restored Soon

Postmaster General Summerfield took the first step to restore some of the postal service cuts made by the Truman Administration. He has stated that by reshuffling working schedules and by making more efficient use of equipment it will be possible to give longer hours of service to Post Office patrons. The new longer hours may extend in some cases as late as 7:00 p. m.

The improvements are being tested in and around the Washington, D. C. area first before being put into effect in other parts of the nation.

## FORMER LOWELL WOMAN DIES IN OREGON HOME

Mrs. Cora White Smith-Billings of Coos Bay, Oregon, passed away Wednesday, April 29, at Community Nursing Home in Coquille, Ore., where she had been a patient the past three years.

Mrs. Billings was a resident of Lowell during her girlhood and young womanhood, daughter of the late John and Theodotia White. The late Mrs. Newton L. Coons was a cousin. There are no known near relatives living.

## 3-WAY VALUE

A Lustrig suit by Michaels-Stern. Wear it as your best suit... wear the coat and trousers as separates with contrasting garments. \$60 at Coons.

## Tom Moore Appointed As Building Inspector

W. A. Roth, village president, has appointed Tom Moore as building inspector under the effect last October. Several violations of the village building and zoning code have been reported and Mr. Moore was asked to take immediate steps to correct them.

Residents of North Monroe complained of a piggery established in violation of the ordinance in the village and other residents complained of a dwelling improperly located on a village lot.

## B. & P. W. Hosts To Honor Guests

Mrs. Helene M. Rawling, President of Michigan Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, Inc., and Mrs. Winifred A. Bradley, Chairman of District No. 5, were honored guests of the Lowell B&PW Club at their meeting Monday evening, May 4, at the club room in American Legion Memorial Hall.

The proposed program of the State Convention to be held in Grand Rapids, May 22, 23 and 24 was discussed. The Lowell Club is to be hostess at the Early Bird Breakfast at the Pantlin Hotel on May 22. Mrs. John Fahrni is chairman of the Decorating Committee for the breakfast. Mrs. Clarice Leonard is Convention Chairman.

An election of officers was held and the officers for the 1953-1954 club year will be: President, Muriel E. Abraham; vice president, Lylia Johnson; recording secretary, Theo F. Perry (re-elected); corresponding secretary, Ione Schwab; treasurer, Dolores Laux.

Miss Peggy Ringle, manager of the Lowell Loan Company, was voted in as a new member. Delightful refreshments were furnished by Cora Stormzand and Rosemary Fonger.

## COMING EVENTS

Alton Ladies Aid will have a rummage sale, May 8 and 9, at City Hall, Friday 9 a. m. to 6 p. m., Saturday 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

The Cutler School ice cream social which was planned for May 12th has been postponed to Thursday, May 14, on account of Field Day.

Card Party—VFW Hall—Saturday, May 9 at 8:00 p. m. 50c donation. Door prizes. Everybody welcome.

VFW Auxiliary meeting will be held Thursday, May 14, at 8 p. m. in the VFW Hall. Members are urged to attend.

Garden Lore Club will hold a card party at city hall Tuesday afternoon, May 12, at 1:30. Come alone or make up own table. Admission 50c. Prizes and refreshments. Public cordially invited.

There will be a regular meeting of Cyclamen Chapter No. 94, OES Friday night, May 8, at 8 o'clock.

The Three M's will meet at the Methodist church Thursday, May 14th, for work on the lawn. Family potluck supper will be in charge of Mr. and Mrs. John Potter.

The Alton Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Wilbur Purdy Thursday afternoon, May 14. Secretary, Carrie Ford.

Perry Group of the Congregational Women's Fellowship will meet on Friday afternoon, May 8th at 2 o'clock in the home of Miss Agnes Perry.

The Evening Club will have their annual Spring dinner at Lone Pine Inn on Tuesday evening, May 12th. There will be a speaker from MSC.

Regular meeting of Blue Star Mothers will be held Wednesday, May 13, at Lowell City Hall at 8 o'clock. No potluck.

The Spring meeting of the Kent County Association of OES will meet in Cedar Springs on Wednesday, May 13, dinner at 6 o'clock. There will be an afternoon meeting beginning at 2 o'clock. It is hoped Cyclamen Chapter will be well attended.

The Pilgrim Fellowship of the Congregational church were in charge of the morning worship service Sunday, Phyllis Cole, Nancy Alice Oatley, Ronald Carney and Daniel Walker reported on the P. F. annual business meeting held recently in Detroit. The Girls' choir furnished music and the ushers were James and Robert Lind, Glenn Troyer and Jack Nash.

Watch for details in next week's Ledger. Fashion Show, May 21. Unusual, beautiful fashions to be displayed for your enjoyment.

## Food Handlers To Get TB Tests

Dr. J. D. Brook, health officer for Kent County, is calling attention to the fact that before July 1 all food handlers in Kent County will have to have an annual chest x-ray in an effort to prove they are free of active TB.

"An ordinance was recently passed by the Board of Supervisors, making this a mandatory procedure for employees of meat and grocery markets, restaurants, soda bars, taverns, hamburger stands, bakeries, and candy stores—in fact anybody who handles food", according to Dr. Brook.

## Lowell Clinic Tuesday

Next week on Tuesday, May 12, the Kent County Tuberculosis Society Microfilm truck will be in Lowell from 9:30 a. m. to 4:00 p. m. in front of Christiansen Drug Store at 103 W. Main St. It will be possible to have x-rays and tuberculin tests taken at that time which can be used to procure the food handler permit.

Other stops by the Microfilm truck in this area will be on Monday, May 11, at Alto from 9:30 to 12:00 a. m. and at Cascade from 2:00 to 4:00 p. m. of the same day. On Wednesday, May 13, the truck will be in front of the Ada Village Store from 9:30 to 12:00 a. m.

It will be necessary for high school students who wish to work during the summer in any food establishment in Kent County to have these permits and they too should take advantage of the opportunity to get these permits now.

## Thomas W. Byrne Dies After Long Illness

Thomas W. Byrne, 63, of Cannonburg, passed away Monday, May 4, at Veterans Hospital in Saginaw after a long illness. Funeral Mass was held at St. Patrick's church at Parnell Thursday morning with burial in St. Patrick's cemetery.

Surviving are his wife, Anna; two daughters, Mrs. Mary Grube and Mrs. Virginia Campbell.

## Lowell School to Hold Open House Wednesday

Lowell teachers have planned to be in their rooms on Wednesday, May 13th, between the hours of 7:30 and 8:30 to visit with parents and to display the work of the children. There will be many interesting exhibits. All teachers will be in their rooms until 8:30 at which time they will go to the musical concert put on by the high school choir under the direction of Miss Louise Hoffs.

## Lowell Sportsman's Club Sponsoring Working Bee

Harley York, president of the members who can take part in Sportsman's club, urges any working bee towards the completion of the club house to contact him specifying when they will be available. Any evening, Sunday or Thursday afternoon contact Harley York by phone.

## The N. L. Averys Return From Western Color Tour

Mr. and Mrs. Norton Louis Avery returned home this week from a color photography trip which took them through twelve states and Old Mexico.

They report the flowers beautiful this year through Arizona, New Mexico and Texas; the Dogwood in profusion in Tennessee and Kentucky.

Norton is on the program this week at the spring meeting of the West Michigan Tourist and Resort Association. The Averys have a busy schedule ahead for Michigan this summer.

## MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER HONORS SUSAN KRUM

Misses Pat Hovis and Maryalice Smith gave a miscellaneous shower for Susan Krum, May 2, at Zeta Tau Alpha House in East Lansing. Refreshments of ice cream, cookies, nuts and coffee were served. Mrs. Howard Krum, mother of the bride to be, was poured. A color scheme of pink and white was used in decorating the table. Many beautiful and useful gifts were received by the guest of honor.

## LOWELL STUDENT NAMED TO ALBION DEAN'S LIST

Announcement has just been made by Albion that Miss Joan Wingeier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Wingeier of 520 N. Washington, has been named to the Dean's list at the college, a coveted scholastic distinction, recognizing her high standing during the first half of the spring semester. Miss Wingeier is a junior at Albion.

For Mother living, wear a flower. Bright. For Mother in Spirit, wear a flower. Corsages and Boutonnieres from 50c at Kiel's. Open Saturday evening, p2 and Sunday 10 till 2 o'clock. c2

## Current News Items

### About Our Servicemen

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Fuller of R3, Lowell, held open house Sunday, April 26, from 2:00 to 7:30 p. m. honoring their son, Pvt. 2 Walter A. Fuller, who left for the west coast Tuesday by Troop Train from Chicago. His wife, Judie, accompanied him as far as Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gilbert have received a new address for their son, Wm., which is Pfc. Wm. H. Gilbert RA16404270 MGS CER OPR Co. 304th Sig Opr. Bn., APO 301, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

Kenneth Merriman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Merriman, is enrolled in an eight weeks Leadership School and his new address is: Pvt. E2 Kenneth E. Merriman 55341414 5th Inf. Div. Hdq. Service Co. 7th EC BN Class 88, Indiantown Gap, Military Reservation, Pa.

Pvt. Roger W. Howell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Howell, Route 1, Freeport, recently spent five days in Japan on a rest and recuperation leave from the 2nd Infantry Division in Korea.

The vacation was part of the Army's policy of giving periodic rests to soldiers in the combat zone. Luxurious "R and R" hotels are located throughout Japan to accommodate the veterans.

Private Howell, a medical aid man with the 2d Medical Battalion Clearing Company, joined the 2d Division last September. He entered the army in November, 1951.

The Ledger received a letter from Leonard Hoag who recently entered the service and who is stationed at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., in which he writes he met Roger Tuskin and enjoyed a visit with him. Roger had seen Leonard's address in the local paper which enabled him to find him. Both boys are regular Ledger readers.

## Women Bowlers Close Season at Annual Banquet

Members of the sixteen teams comprising the Lowell Women's Bowling Association met at the Saranac Parish House Tuesday evening, April 28, for their annual meeting at which President Grace Taylor presided. Officers for the bowling year 1953-1954 were elected as follows: Esther Clemenz, President; Marie Mulder, Vice President; Muriel E. Abraham, Secretary; Marian Kutchy, Treasurer; Eunice Vanderveen, Sergeant at Arms.

Eighty-two bowlers enjoyed the excellent turkey dinner, cooked and served by the Evening Fellowship Group of the Saranac Community Church. Delightful dinner music was played by Walter Eickhoff on the Hammond Electric Organ furnished by Grinnell's Music House of Grand Rapids for the occasion. Mr. Eickhoff also accompanied the guests in community singing.

The tables were beautifully decorated with spring flowers, lighted candles and a colorful china, and each place was graced with a specially designed place card depicting a miniature lady bowler dressed in the colors of each team. President Grace Taylor, her officers and team mates are to be congratulated on the beautiful table appointments and the fine dinner menu.

Richard Beukema of Bob's Cites Service, Saranac, generously donated door prizes for the occasion and winners were Betty Lou Clark, Euzefa Potter, Ruth Helm, Betty Hawke, Winnie Snider, Delores Collins, Joy Tullis, Beverly Holst, Rosie Collins, Iva Kinyon, Jean Ridgway, Marie Mulder, Alva Ayers, Dorothy Wykoski, Thelma Poole, Eunice Vanderveen and Blanche Chen.

Two of the larger table bouquets were sent to Darlene Cahoon at Sunshine Sanatorium with the wish that she will soon be back with her bowling friends. As a gift from the bowlers Emma Quiggle, manager of the Bowling Alleys for the past season, was presented with two rose bushes for her flower garden.

Joan Hawley, a capable and witty Mistress of Ceremonies, introduced a laughter-provoking skit by Cora Stormzand and Rosemary Fonger; and the talented duet team Lynne Watson and Judy Schneider of Lowell sang two charming songs. Gloria Roth reported on prizes won at the State Tournament and other highlights of the week end in Saginaw when Lowell women bowlers competed in the State Bowling Tournament.

Prize money won in the Lowell Bowling Tournament was distributed to winners by Muriel Abraham, Association Secretary; Dolores Weaver, Secretary of the Lowell Jills' League gave out checks won by members and teams for the season and for Hi-Low Doubles night; and Doris Ellis, Secretary of the Sparkette League, disbursed the season's prize money for the nine o'clock league and for Hi-Low Doubles night.

A new 1953 Dodge 140 h. p. V8 Sedan is \$2578.88, delivered in Lowell with all taxes and license. Gould's Garage, Phone 9222, Lowell. c524

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Southwest Bowne Mrs. L. T. Anderson Mr. and Mrs. Roger Pitsch entertained Mr. and Mrs. Claire Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Anderson and Nick Pitsch of Lowell in a birthday dinner Sunday hon-

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Lowell High School Girl Grads A lovely graduation gift awaits you at our store. An exquisite Lane Miniature Keepsake Cedar Chest with lock and key is yours free. Come in!

WHITNEYVILLE Mrs. L. M. Douglas Mr. and Mrs. Herman Miller of Big Rapids called on her brother Fred Whitacre and wife and children Sunday evening. They were in the city on business.

Carl Graham has not been so well the past week or so. Different members of his family and sister and brother are helping at night to be with Mrs. Graham. Am sorry to report Jarold Raab underwent surgery last Friday on his spine. He is coming along as rapidly as can be expected.

Mrs. Vera Bates attended her cousin's party at the home of Mrs. Stanley Strong of Burton Rd., Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Buys called on Mr. and Mrs. Albert Syman of Grand Rapids Sunday afternoon. Betty Buys stayed with the children.

Callers of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Douglas this week were Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Demore of Burton Heights, Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Arden Douglas and children of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Otis L. Demore and Ruth of 72nd St.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bates and Bud of Grand Rapids called on Mr. and Mrs. Don Bates and Joyce Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Dahlie and father Mike Dahlie went to Holland Sunday afternoon and had lunch at home in the evening. Larry was guest of Roger Quigley for the day.

Mrs. J. G. Ballard and Mrs. Kenneth DeLeuw attended the Mission in Grand Rapids Sunday afternoon. They called to see young Stephen Ernest Forbes and family enroute home. The young man was born on Rev. Ballard's birthday, April 22.

Whites Bridge News Mrs. Mrs. VanOcker Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Noblin of Toledo, O., were guests last week of Ben Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Renee Shellstrate.

The Mothers Club met at the school this Monday evening. The new officers are president, Mrs. James Idema; vice president, Mrs. Harold Parrish. They are going to gather used clothing for a Greek family, at Mrs. Kuntz's home this Saturday from 10 to 12 a. m. This is in response to a letter with an appeal for help, received by Mrs. Kuntz. Mothers will meet Thursday afternoon, May 14, for tea at the Kuntz home. Will work on cancer pads from 1:30 p. m. on. Paper drive netted \$12.40. School will let out May 26. Picnic at Caledonia Park the 27th.

Callers of Mrs. Addie Campbell this week were Mrs. Hattie Sutphen and son Gilbert of Belding Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice La Claire and Harry Proctor of Grand Rapids Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. John VanderWerf called on their parents, Dr. and Mrs. Seth VanderWerf and Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kornejcek and his sister Mrs. Kryn Kalkman and husband all of Holland Sunday. All had been on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sauters were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Farney in Gd. Rapids.

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Lowell Happenings Agnes Perry, Phone 5170 Mrs. Rosella Yetter left Monday for Silver Springs, Maryland, where she will visit her sister's family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zens.

Miss Shirley Winks and her roommate from MSC spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Winks. Mrs. Phillip Giottolety accompanied the intermediate University of Michigan students on a hike Sunday afternoon. Their study theme is "Our World."

Mrs. Ruth Gaunt, Mrs. W. A. Collins and the Robert McCormicks of Ada called Sunday on Mrs. Dadd Gaunt of Ionia, who has recently returned home from the hospital. Mrs. Gaunt and Mrs. Collins were supper guests at the McCormick home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Conant of Marquette and Mrs. Myrtle Alexander were guests of Ann Marie and Lola Lee Alexander at the Spring Concert Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nyden and Nellie Jean of Detroit were Sunday callers on Mrs. M. E. Simpson.

Mrs. Peter Voss is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Boyenga, with whom she has made her home for the past year. Mrs. Tim Conant and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bennett and two sons of Battle Creek were Sunday callers at the Ray Alexander home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry VanSulchen and daughter Flora of Gd. Rapids and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kingsley, Sr., of Berkeley, were Saturday callers on Mr. and Mrs. Neil Blakeslee. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Parker of Battle Creek and the Milan Porter family of Greenville visited Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cahoon Sunday.

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**South Boston**  
Mrs. Belle Young

Mr. and Mrs. Norman King and family were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Ozel Johnson home at Strynna, Mich.  
Mr. and Mrs. Tony McCall, Mr. and Mrs. Bert McCall and family, all of Lake Odessa, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Palmer.  
Messrs. and Mesdames Carl Wittenbach and Claude Harter spent Sunday in Muskegon with the James Harter family.  
A number of St. Joseph's Extension club members plan to attend Rally Day in Ionia Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson are the engagement and coming marriage of their daughter, Eleanor Evelyn, to Mr. Wayne E. Stuart. The wedding will take place early in June.  
Mrs. June Palmer, Mrs. Mabel Tucker, Mrs. Mildred Wittenbach and Mrs. Helen Wittenbach attended the OEL reception at the Masonic Temple in Lowell Thursday evening.  
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**Ada Community News**  
MRS. TOM MORRIS—PHONE ADA 4831

**Spring Dealer Meeting**  
The Ada Oil Company Spring Dealer Meeting was held in Saranac Monday evening with 200 guests in attendance. A delicious dinner was served by The Day Fellowship at the Community Church, Saranac, followed by two interesting films and discussions.

**45th Anniversary**  
Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Boylan of Grand River Drive were pleasantly surprised last Sunday evening when about 50 friends came with well filled baskets to celebrate the 45th wedding anniversary.

**Ada Locals**  
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wilde of Saranac were guests of the community church at the YWCA last Friday night. The Ladies' Christian Fellowship of Oklaheon attended the YWCA last Friday night.

**Verdennes 4-H Boosters**  
Friday, May 8th, the Verdennes 4-H club will hold its first summer meeting. Any person from ten to twenty years of age may join in the month of May. Meetings are held 2nd and 4th Fridays of each month at 7:00 p. m. at Verdennes town hall.

**Cascade School on TV**  
Pupils of the 7th and 8th grades at Cascade School No. 4 had the time of their lives last Friday when they went by bus to Detroit, appearing on television and watching the Tigers break their losing streak in a win over Philadelphia.

**Lowell Township Board of Cascade Township**  
We the undersigned property owners on 36th Street located between US Highway 15 and Buttrick Avenue do petition to have the zoning standard changed from a C rating to a B rating on said portion of 36th Street.

**Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wilde**  
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wilde of Saranac were guests of the community church at the YWCA last Friday night. The Ladies' Christian Fellowship of Oklaheon attended the YWCA last Friday night.

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**Snow Community**  
Mrs. B. Reynolds

**Snow Methodist Men's Group**  
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**Established alfalfa-brome, alfalfa-brome-Ladino and Ladino-brome pastures that suffered winter damage should have 200 to 300 pounds of 0-20-20 fertilizer per acre this spring, advises Dr. Milo B. Teas, farm crop specialist at Michigan State College.**

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- SPARKLE GELATIN DESSERTS** 7 FLAVORS 3 pkgs. 17c
- Preserves** Ann Page - Peach 2 lb. jar 40c
- Tomato Soup** Ann Page 3 1/2 lb. can 29c
- Whitehouse Milk** Evaporated 4 can 49c
- Iona Tomatoes** 2 1/2 lb. can 27c
- NEW POTATOES** U.S. No. 1 FLORIDA WHITE SEBAGO 10 lbs. 53c
- Oranges** California Seedling Navel Large, 1/2 Size 50c
- Asparagus** Fresh, Tender 2 lb. box 39c
- Onions** New, Texas Yellow, U.S. No. 1 5 lb. box 29c
- Radishes** Fresh, Crop 2 lb. box 15c
- CHEDDAR CHEESE** MILD 1 lb. 59c
- Sunnybrook Eggs** Large Grade "A" 64c
- Silverbrook Butter** 95 Butter lb. 71c
- Ched-O-Bit** American Cheddar Food 2 lb. box 83c
- Onion Spreads** Swift's 2 1/2 lb. pt. 35c
- MOTHER'S DAY CAKE** ROSES IN SNOW, JANE PARKER each 79c
- Cup Oakes** 3 1/2 lb. box 35c
- Heart Cake** 95 Butter lb. 29c
- Pecan Rolls** Commercial - Jane Parker, 1/2 lb. box 49c
- Blueberry Pie** Jane Parker, 1/2 lb. box 40c
- NORTHERN TISSUE** 3 rolls 25c
- PAPER TOWELS** Northern roll 18c
- CORN STARCH** Staley's Regular pkg. 15c
- CUBE STARCH** Staley's, Laundry 12-oz. pkg. 15c
- GREEN GIANT PEAS** 8 1/2-oz. can 13c
- CREAM STYLE CORN** Green Giant, Golden 17-oz. can 19c

**Michigan State College dairy specialists are working with Michigan Dairy Herd Improvement Association officials on a program to put DHIA records into a modern business setup. This will help make the records more useable.**

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**Grazing in Woodlots**  
woollet apiece lost 132 pounds in 12 weeks.

**Speakers from Michigan State College will take part April 22 in the rural division program of the 22nd annual Michigan Safety Conference, April 22-23, at Grand Rapids Civic Auditorium.**

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LARGE 48'S ICEBERG head 19¢ 2 DOZ.

**Potatoes** lbs. 45¢

**Special Events**  
Herald Spring In April, May

**Fishing and Mushrooms**  
The two-month calendar opens with a smelt jamboree at Escanaba, April 10-12. This will be followed in April by a maple syrup festival at Vermontville (18). Annual Sports Show, Kalamazoo (2nd week), mushroom hunts, Gaylord (18-May 16), National Trout Festival, Kalkaska (24-26), opening of trout and lake fishing season (25), Fishing Festival, Nahma (26), 60th Annual May Festival, Ann Arbor (30-May 3).

**Food Show, Kalamazoo** (1st wk) Trout Fishermen's Festival, Big Rapids (2), Blossom Festival, Benton Harbor-St. Joseph (3-9), Tulip Festival, Holland (13-16), Bear River Canoe Race, Walloon Lake-Petoskey (16), beginning, week-long, muskie tournament, Lake St. Clair (19), Blessing of the Blossoms, Traverse City (24), Wild Flower Festival, Trout Lake (4th week), Miss Oceana Pageant, Rothbury (29), Trout Festival, Roscommon (29-31), Opening, Illuminated Castles, Escanaba (30).

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**Mr. and Mrs. Jim Green of Alto**  
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**Mr. and Mrs. Cliff VanOcker**  
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Mary Potter

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ALTO SCHOOL NEWS. The Alto School picnic will be held May 21st at Fallstar Park.

BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS. Sunday being Mother's Day there will be a special program and recognition made of some of the mothers present.

ALTO COMMUNITY NEWS. Friends of Ensign Ronald Watts were very happy to hear that he was not among those injured when his ship, the destroyer USS James E. Keyes, was hit by a Communist shell while in the Wonsan Harbor on Sunday, April 19.

LEGION MEMORIAL SERVICE. The Alto American Legion Post No. 528 will hold a Twilight Memorial Service in Bowen Center Cemetery May 30 at 8 o'clock.

On Sunday, May 17, the Post will, as is their custom, attend the Alto Baptist church in a body.

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### Wolverine 4-H Club

The meeting of the Wolverine 4-H club was called to order at a neighboring school April 28, and the following officers were elected:

President, Gordon Wilcox; vice president, Dan Goldner; secretary, Jeanne Lipscomb; treasurer, Susan McPherson; reporter, Jenett McPherson; recreation committee, Sheila Olin, Marcia Goldner, Keith Blanding and Peter McPherson.

We decided not to have a food stand at the Fair this year and to earn money by having bake sales. We then signed up for our projects and received our booklets on them.

Our leaders are: Virgil Goldner, general leader; Mrs. Auburn Olin, and Mrs. Blanding with the help of the girls' mothers. Junior leaders are Dan Goldner, dairy; Gordon Wilcox, swine and crops; Susan and Jenett McPherson, Home Economics. New members are Keith Blanding, Bonnie Condon, Jeanne Lipscomb and Vernon Nanta. Junior members, Kathleen Goldner and Nancy Nanta.

Our next meeting will be May 12 at McPherson school. Jenett McPherson, Reporter

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our neighbors, friends, Post Office employees and patrons on Rural Route 2, who were so very kind and tendered their many expressions of sympathy during the illness and death of our husband, son and brother, Merle Dawson. To the Blue Star Mothers, Rebekah Lodge, Joseph Wilson Relief Corps and all who helped with the dinner we are deeply grateful.

Frances Dawson  
Laura Dawson and family  
Frank Houghton p2

### CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot express the deep sense of gratitude that we feel toward the host of friends who joined us in commemorating our fiftieth wedding anniversary. Your part in making this a memorable occasion fills our hearts with an appreciation of our many friends.

Your abundance of good wishes, your flowers, gifts, cards and calls have touched us deeply. For all of these and for our lovely "Trees of Gold" we extend our many, many thanks. These expressions of your friendship are a joy that will live in our hearts as long as life lasts. We are overwhelmed.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Jones p2

### CARD OF APPRECIATION

I wish to sincerely thank my many friends for all the cards, flowers, cigarettes and visits received while confined in the hospital the past few weeks.

Frank L. Keiser c2

Before she will summon a parent, a six-year-old wants to know more whys and wherefores about your telephone call than even a private secretary would dare to ask.

### LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Chaffin of Alma and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Krum and Susan were dinner guests of Robert Chaffin in Lansing Sunday.

Mrs. Gertrude Read has returned to her home near Lowell after spending the winter at Penn Yan, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. John Winks attended the Kentucky Derby last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zolliker and baby of Detroit spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Thorne.

Callers on Mrs. Will Cosgriff last week were Mr. and Mrs. John Watts and Mary of Bowne, Mr. and Mrs. William Graham of Belding, Mrs. Frank Finney and Mrs. Warren Roush of Hastings and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hoffman and Dannie and Mrs. Jennie Pardee and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mischler of South Bowne.

Miss Jean Butterfield of Mt. Clemens was a Friday overnight guest of Mrs. David Coons.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Frye and children of Carson City called on her mother, Mrs. J. P. Freeman Sunday.

Two carloads of young people accompanied by the Rev. Philip Giotfely and Gerald Rollins attended the Michigan Conference Youth Convocation Sunday afternoon at the Ionia Free Fair grounds.

Mrs. Joe Batey of Grand Rapids is spending this week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Ida Krum.

Frank L. Keiser was brought home Tuesday from Blodgett hospital where he has been confined for the past three weeks. While there he submitted to a major operation and is recovering as well as can be expected.

Mrs. Frank Keiser and son Larry and Miss LaDena Rinard visited Mr. Keiser at Blodgett hospital last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. John Evers of Morenci, Michigan, visited Don Keiser Tuesday evening. Mr. Evers was in service with Don while he was stationed at Fort Richardson, Anchorage, Alaska.

Mrs. Ethel Vandenhout spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Pauline Stuart and family at Clarksville. Sunday afternoon they all went to Grandville to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ward Vandayke and family.

### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP AT M. S. C.

Berthena Ann Clinton of Lowell High School has received one of a total of 455 entrance scholarships which have been awarded to high school graduates from 76 Michigan counties by Michigan State College, according to J. Robert Stewart, M. S. C. scholarship director.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ottenwess, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Pratt of Grand Rapids were Sunday guests at the Ed Pratt home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Barry of Lansing were week end guests at the Chris Kropf home. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown and Mrs. Lizzie Kropf were Sunday callers.

Mrs. Phillip Sayles and Mrs. Huestom of Tampa, Fla., are spending a few days at the Gordon Frost home. They are planning to spend the summer in Grand Rapids.

Carl Kropf has purchased the Leon Weekes farm at Murray Lake.

Mrs. Iva Fritz will teach the Engle school west of Lowell this coming year.

### Star Corners

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Sunday School—10:15 a. m. Austin Bowman, Superintendent.  
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Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Hoffman and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Graham at Clarksville.

Rev. and Mrs. McDonald and Carla were Wednesday afternoon callers at the Mishler-Nash home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wingeler were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wingeler near Moseley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Krebs and David visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Porter at Grand Rapids Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nash were

Sunday evening visitors at Clare Porritts.

Billy and Larry Hoffman attended a Youth Rally at Ocella, Ind., Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan K. Blough and Michael visited their grandmother Mrs. Hattie Barber and other relatives at South Boardman Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Clair Kauffman accompanied several other ladies to the OES meeting at Lowell on Thursday.

Mrs. Francis Shaffer had the misfortune to fall and fracture her leg Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Christopher and daughter Linda of Grand Rapids were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Heasley and daughter.

Mrs. Alma Fingleton of Hastings was a Thursday supper and evening guest at A. E. Wingeler's.

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