

Among the first of the signs of spring is a dandelion blossom which Stanley Rathbun found on the lot at Superior Furniture plant Tuesday morning. It is a sturdy little yellow bloom which came right up through the snow like a crocus.

Stan was first to report a dandelion blossom last year, too, if we remember correctly. \* \* \*

Gerald Rollins, our genial insurance man and general all down. around helper in all good civic projects, is again using up space form of government to home in Blodgett hospital. Gerald unrule city or village lost by a vote derwent surgery for a splintered of 112 to 136. The proposal to bone in his knee a few weeks ago install a fluoridation system for and did not make the recovery drinking water also lost by a expected so was detained a week vote of 118 to 128. longer in the hospital before being released to home. After a The officers elected are: Presiweek of trying to get healed by keeping off the injured member Louis W. Kingsley; treasurer, he landed back in the hospital Fsther M. Fahrni; assessor, Har-Friday night for further treatdd F. Jefferies; trustees, Lylia ment Johnson, Orval McKay and Doug-

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They say you can't keep a good man down so you can expect Gerald back any day now. Jimmy, 2-year-old son of Mr and Mrs. Kenneth Yeiter, had a las Oatley

elected in Lowell.

Mrs. Johnson is the first wom-

an council member ever to be

Long a Lowell Resident

Laid to Rest Monday

Edward B. Clemenz, 83 narrow escape from serious injury Monday afternoon when caught in a car windw while waiting for his mother who was shopping in a grocery store. Jim-Terry, who were in the car be age of 83 years and 11 days, at brother got his head caught and had been a patient since January was hanging that way when the 8th, 1954. mother returned to the car. Her

Mrs. Yeiter says she has learned the hard way that youngsters are not to be trusted alone in a car, even for a few minutes.

letter the first of the week from for a number of years. He was Scouts will be a cookie sale Mar. 16-week training period. His which she tells us how much she enjoys the news of her home church. town folk and the doings at school. The subscription was a part of her Christmas present from her parents, Mr. and Mrs Byron Potter of R-3, Lowell. We are giving her address:

A/2c Catherine M. Brenk, 1630 Glen Keith Blvd., Baltimore, 4, Md.

#### **Complete Core Testing** At M91 Bridge Site of 19 years.

Core testing procedures which have been going on the past week at Lowell's M-91 bridge Bulleck of Holt Mich, officiating, pairman of Ada, has a credit of Tuesday Aged 53 Y Pollock of Holt, Mich., officiating, pairman of Ada, has a credit of



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About Our Servicemen

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Pvt. John T. Longanbach, 21,

son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Long-

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**Current News Items** 

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## LOWELL, MICH., THURSDAY, MARCH 11, 1954

# Lowell Red Arrows in Regional Tournament at Albion

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Friday night.

**George Kilgus Passes** 

**Heart Attack Fatal Election Quiet To Lyle Brail**, 33 In Lowell Monday Lyle Brail, 33, ill since last October, died Tuesday evening at

**Proposals Lost** E:15 from a heart attack at his home at 5473 Cumberland Ave. He had been employed in a

Lowell's village election was Grand Rapids furniture factory ery quiet Monday with an un-previous to his illness last fall pposed ticket for officers being since which time he has been elected and two proposals turned unable to work.

Surviving besides his wife, Maxine, are a daughter Sharon, The plan to change the present 10; a son, Gary, 8; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brail, a brother, Lawrence, and two sisters, Coleen and Marge, all of

> Services will be held Saturday ifternoon at 1:30 at Roth Funeral Home.

### **Girl Scout Troop Organized in Lowell** Sponsored by P. T. A.

A new Girl Scout group has been in the making for the past three weeks and now has been officially organized under the name of Lowell Girl Scout Troop

No. 113. Preliminary meetings have been held at the home of Mrs. Rex Dale at 403 N. Washing ton St., who is the leader. The

Lowell PTA is sponsoring the Edward B. Clemenz passed my and his 4-year-old brother, away Friday, March 5th, at the Troop and meetings are to b held each Tuesday afternoon at gan rolling the window up and the Clark Memorial Hospital, four o'clock at the home of their down and when the younger Grand Rapids, Mich., where he leader. Girls interested in joining should contact Mrs. Dale.

anbach, Rt. 1, Saranac, Mich., re-The membership consists of cently returned to Augsburg. Ger-Mr. Clemenz was one of 14 eight young ladies from the sevmany, with the 43rd Division's ulck action and Dr. Hill's ap children born to George and enth and eighth grades, and they 102d Regiment after completing pliance of oxygen probably saved Anne Heintzleman Clemenz at are: Jane Hoover, Sandy DeVries, the child's life. He was rushed Lawrenceville, Indiana, on Feb. Ruth Anne Ford, Bonnie Howard, to Blodgett hospital where he re-mained over night. 22nd, 1871. His early life was spent in Indiana until his mar-Dianne and Suzanne Dale, twin anbach, an assistant machine gunriage on August 22nd, 1904 to El- daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Dale. ner in the unit, entered the Army for some time. He was a lifeise Althaus of Lowell, Mich. Before moving to Lowell these Since that time he had farmed twin sisters had been Scout mem- in January from Fort Knox, Ky. in Kent and Ionia counties until bers and it was largely through

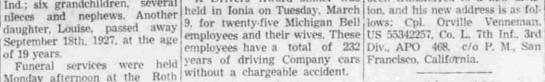
chasing a home at 730 E. Main has been formed. The Ledger received a nice st., and worked for the village One of the projects of the Girl

A/2c Catherine M. Brenk in of strong Christian faith, and a 13 to April 3, in which the girls address is: Pvt. David E. Butts, life member of the Methodist will all participate in the sale of 146 82 74, Plt. 199-Bn 6-Co. B. the cream-filled sandwich cookies USMC RD. Parris Island, South Surviving are his wife, Elise made especially for Girl Scouts Carolina.

(Lizzie), a daughter, Mrs. Glenn and bearing their national em-(Marie) Rickert of Saranac; blem.

three sons. Theodore of Grand Rapids, Wesley and Victor, both **Michigan Bell Drivers** of Lowell; a brother, Will, of Indianapolis, Ind.; a sister, Mrs. Emma Burkner of Shelbyville, A Drivers' Award dinner was been transferred to a new divis-Ind.; six grandchildren, several nieces and nephews. Another

Monday afternoon at the Roth without a chargeable accident.



**Commended at Dinner** 

years of safe driving, and

**Auction Sales** 

will sell at his farm 21/2 miles

Carson. Colorado.

Many Stars Visit **Cyclamen** Chapter

Cyclamen Chapter No. 94, OES, were hosts Friday evening to the Kent County officers with more than one hundred guests coming from the thirteen Chapers in Kent county, Ionia, Clarksville, Seminole Chapter of Seminole, Okla., and Charlevoix, in the Lowell Masonic Temple.

The President Frances Jefferes was escorted to the East with the Past Matrons of Cyclamen Chapter, forming two rows to the East from the Altar line with red

inder the direction of Mr. Orval roses for a canopy, after which lessup will compete at the Disthe president of the Past Matrons rict Band Festival in Grand Rap- Mrs. Frances DeGraw, with appropriate remarks presented the

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The Senior Band, a class B School at approximately 3:25 Saturday afternoon. Other Class B ratings include Belding, Fremont, Greenville, Coopersville, Grandille, East Grand Rapids, North Muskegon, Godwin, Grand Haven and Wyoming. The Class B required number is "Normandy". The band also chose "The Thunler Song" for its march and "Des a sight-reading room where it will play for the first time an overture and a march.

Junior High Band

be a TV skit presenting Richard The Junior Band, obtaining its Lester to introduce the panel and nembers from a class D Junior Lowell's starting lineup for the opening game in the regional High School will play at Ottawa were the Kent county officers.

Whitaker, 50; and Hoag, 34; top men in the Red Arrow team which day morning. Their selection for light regarding Mrs. Jefferies' has made a splendid success in basketball play so far this season. a march is "Little Champ" and whys and wherefores. Other This game was with Blissfield and the winner will meet Marshall on the overture-"Avalon Nights." Their required number is "Ran- the Misses Lynn Watson and Lois Enthusiasm ran high here Wed. dom Mill Overture." They, too. White, baton twirling; Ronald nesday afternoon when the Red will be required to sight-read an Jessup played a baritone solo Arrows left for Albion to play overture and a march but these

The public is cordially invited "Star of the East" on the bariwere school buses loaded with to listen to the many bands who tone accompanied by Ronald. high school fans but parents and have enthusiastically been pre- The Methodist choir conducted weeks. Besides the concerts in the organ gave several numbers the auditorium of Central and and for closing Judy Schneider,

Delicious refreshments were

From U.S. Navy Service **Of Nearly Four Years** 

Engineman 3-c William B. 'oster has received his discharge seconds brought up their score from the US Navy after nearly four years service and is spending some time at home with his

2nd st., R-2, Lowell.

Dr. Glenn M. Frye, assistant to district by defeating Greenville in Bishop Reed, will be the speaker the Ionia gym Saturday night benext Sunday at the Methodist fore a delighted crowd of Lowell

is being made in the special mis- this game Lowell had opened its sion work being done in Chile tournament play with a close de-Tuesday Aged 53 Years by the Methodist organizations. ciston over Ionia. Ionia, with a greatly improved team, and with the help of Bob Gemeund who played a stellar game for the Bulldogs, fought fiercely throughout the game and tied i up in the fourth quarter forcing an overtime from which Lowell emerged victorious. The tie score was 56 all and the final overtime score was 63-61. High man for Lowell in this game was George DeVries with 18, followed by Bob Grummet with 16, Granford Whitaker and Jim Wood William who enlisted June 27. with 8 each. Ray Hoag with 7. 1950, took his boot training at members were in attendance. and Doug Hartley with 6. High point man for Ionia was Ge. Great Lakes Navy Training cen- Arnith Stahl was chosen for the ter, then spent 17 months aboard DeKalb award, and three boys, meund with 27. This win qualified Lowell to the USS Alsea, patroling the Arnith Stahl, Lewis Condon and

-Nessena (Lee) Walter, Repr. William B. Foster Home

father, Floyd Foster of 11137

**Our School Bands** Will Compete In **District** Festival

The Senior and Junior Bands ids, Saturday, March 13.

two dozen red roses to Mrs. Jefband, will play at Central High feries. The other Kent county officers were introduced in the East by schools competing for division the Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and were given flower ceramic earrings and pencils for the gentlemen. Those officers present besides Mrs. Jefferies were: first vice-president, Henry Gruehow; second vice-president, Mrs. Theo Stevenson: third vicemesident. George Opdendyke; Pensionat", as a selected over- secretary, Florence Snay; marshure. In addition to these three all, Ann Smith; organist, Eva numbers the band will be led to Garnett; chaplain, Aura Speerstra. Mrs. Frances DeGraw, program

chairman, announced there would

the persons to be interviewed tournament at Albion was DeVries, 30; Wood, 35; Grummet, 44; Hills High School at 8:40 Satur- Many things were brought to numbers on the program were

> 'Annie Laurie'' accompanied on the piano by his father, Orval; then Mr. Jessup played

acted out "The Lord's Prayer" sung by Bruce Walter.

served in the diningroom with Mrs. Doris Roth and Mrs. Lylia Johnson pouring. Everyone left expressing their appreciation for a lovely evening.

## Honor Pvt. David Powell Leaving for Overseas

Pvt. David Powell who has been spending fifteen days at tome returned last Wednesday o Camp Kilmer, N. J., to report for overseas duty in Germany. Before leaving Mr. and Mrs. Paul Detmers entertained in his honor with a dinner. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Poudabush and Evelyn Powell. Tuesday night Mr. and Mrs. Detn.ers and children and LeRoy iolm were supper guests at

the Roudabush home and on Sun-

day a family dinner was enjoyed

at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gil-

bert Snieder in Dave's honor.

There were fifteen members of

the family present including Dave's grandmother, Mrs. A. H.

DeKalb Award at FFA

At a meeting of the Lowell

FFA Boys last Monday thirty-one

VanOrder of Middleville.

Arnith Stahl Receives

Following Long Illness the first game in the regional will not count in their final rattournament against the high-rat. ing. George Kilgus, 85, of Elmdale, ing Blissfield quint. Not only passed away Tuesday afternoon five week's winter training in following a long illness. He had been cared for in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ebe Wyntjes of Lowell,

long resident of this vicinity. in July 1953 and arrived overseas Surviving are his wife, Carries one daughter, Mrs. Ruth Kranen-David E. Butts, son of Mr. and berg, of Elmdale; a sister, Mrs. he came to Lowell in 1928, pur- their efforts that the new Troop Mrs. Howard G. Butts, of Ada has Lizzie Sherman of Portland; sevrecently joined the Marines and eral nieces and nephews, and will be in South Carolina for a two grandsons.

Services will be held Friday afternoon at two o'clock at Roth Funeral Home, burial in Bowne Center cemetery. Please omit flowers.

New address for Cpl. Robert D. Gillespie, ER16391098, Co. B., 106 Dr. Glenn M. Frye Engr. Bn., 31st Inf. Div., Camp **To Speak Sunday** Cpl. Orville Venneman has In Lowell Church

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District Championship Lowell's Red Arrows swept t the class B championship of their

Church. His topic will be "True rooters. Riches" relating the advance that | On the Thursday preceeding

friends left in their own packed paring for this event for many by Bruce Walter, David Coons at cars to watch Lowell in this important game. Blissfield's team has a good Ottawa, Class A bands and orch- Fatty Wittenbach and Mrs. Chas, season's record of 9 wins and 7 estras will be at South High Ellis known as the rythmic choir losses in the Lenawee County School Auditorium. Athletic Association League and placed third in the district. They

beat Adrian High school in the opening game of the district tournament 48-47, in a hotly contested game. At the near-closing time they were three points behind Adrian and in the last four

winnin 48-47. The second game was with Tecumseh which Bliss-

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field won 43-34.

the Michigan State Highway Department, are about completed, according to one of the men in charge.

They have been working on a raft driving holes in the river bottom to determine the types of soil on which the construction depend. No immediate plans are the post: in sight for a new bridge, how-

#### **Announce Topics for Open Forum Assembly** At High School Monday

15, at 10:00 a. m. The following Doyle, and Bruce Walter. Post pounds. is a complete list of topics to be Advocate, Jack Fonger and James ciscussed at this open-forum as LeDuc. sembly; and leaders of discus- Election will be held Tuesday sion

Explain Court System, Steve Hartley; Dances and Juke Box, Lester Kirby; Explain Grand Condon.

for Europe, Jack Alexander; As- a line. scssments for Assemblies, Orison Abel; Election of class officers held in the spring, Lee Walter.

Schedule for Better Pep Meet- the South Boston Grange hall. ings, Maureen Rankin; Safety, Welcome old and young. Singing (And Report of Lansing Confer- caller, good music, Saturday, Mar. ence), Floyd Shepard; Locker 13 and every two weeks thereaf-Clean Out, John Bergin. ter.

Hoag Brothers on Leave in Japan



with burial in Oakwood cemetery Wayne Schroder, Exchange Re-Flat River Post V. F. W. eleven years.

# Nominates Candidates

of soil on which the construction ing members were placed in nomof a new bridge would largely ination for the various offices in

Floyd Shepard will discuss the Kropf, and James LeDuc. Chap For the period the Smutz herd ka of Portland Ore. Safety conference he attended at lain, Harold Martin and Gordon had butterfat averages in 1951, Fast Lansing recently, in Lowell Hill. Trustees for three years, 460 pounds; 1952, 496; and in 1953 high school on Monday, March Fred Beckett, L. Tichelaar, King the average raised to 526.6 Thursdays afternoon at 2 o'clock

evening, March 16.

OPEN BOWLING

At Community Bowling Alleys, southwest of Alto at 7528 Timp-Valley Student Council, Merleen Lowell, Thursday 7:00 to 9:00; son ave., a list of Holstein and Friday, 7:00 to 11:00; Saturday, Guernsey cattle, milking equip-Football Scoreboard and Mag-2:30 to 11:00 and Sunday, 2:30 to 2:ine Sales, Ray Hoag; Clothes 10:00. Same low rates, 33 cents for Evence Law and some house day and Friday nights, April 1, his A. B. degree at Harvard Unic-46

> SOUTH BOSTON DANCES Round and square dances at clerk.

oats, corn, baled hay and straw, forward to by all who enjoy a Superintendent of the Grand day Week is "Foreign Countries" dairy equipment, etc., at farm lo- good play. cated at 11439 Finn rd., 4 miles north of Lowell on Vergennes av.

and Lincoln Lake avenue Lowell Boy Scouts **To Attend Aid-O-Ree** to McPherson st., then one mile west to Nash ave., then 11/2 miles At Monday night's meeting of north and a half mile west. Lowell Troop Boy Scouts plans George Vander Meulen, auctionwere completed for attending the eer. Harry Day, clerk.

First Aid-O-Ree to be held at Tuesday, March 23, commenc- Godwin school, Grand Rapids will begin, Monday, Mar. 15 at ing at one o'clock, Lester Daw. next Monday. All Scouts wishing the V. F. W. Post Club rooms son will sell a list of farm may to go will be at the city hall at on East Main St. in Lowell. chinery, cattle, feeder pigs, feed, 6:40 ready to start.

etc., at his farm located at 9635 Bob Ulrich showed some colored one, sponsored by the V. F. W. Portland rd. in Ionia county; 2 slides from last year's Boy Scout Auxiliary, men and women alike. miles north and 1½ miles west of Jamboree at Santa Anna, Calif. It Mrs. Olive Pennock will be in-Clarksville. George Vander- was also revealed that the local structor for the course and the Meulen, Auctioneer, Chas. Colby, clerk. Troop are interested in purchas. ouly cost will be the book. It ing a good used canoe and all are will be a 22 hour course with

on the lookout for one for sale. 2 hours each Monday evening Anyone who knows of an avail. from 7 p. m. to 9 p. m. Please ROTARY CLUB ELECTS NEXT YEAR'S OFFICERS able canoe is asked to notify and call Mrs. Fern Kelley at 5572 At last week's Rotary luncheon Scout or one of the committee. (r Mrs. Lucile Ridgway if you

Elmer Schaefer was elected pres. men. ident for the next year. Other Tuesday night the boys went

Shown in the picture from left to right afe Major Erwin Hoag officers elected are, Gerald Rol- swimming in the Y. M. C. A. and Pvt. Leonard Hoag, brothers who are stationed in Japan and lins, vice president; Frank Battis- at Grand Rapids. who are spending some of their leave together. In a letter to the tella, secretary; John Abrahams,

Ledger from Leonard he writes that it is certainly good to have some- treasurer and Earl Evans, serone from one's own family to run around with in a strange land. geant-at-arms. Installation of the learning the tricks of the trade or your old favorite gabardine, They met the first week after Leonard's arrival at Yokohama.

pairman of Lowell, has a credit of 2150 Buttrick av., Ada, passed away at her home early Tuesday morning. Gold Cup Award Goes Surviving are her husband,

Mrs. Eva DeGood, aged 53, of

To Roy T. Smutz Herd Gerritt; one daughter and five sons, Mrs. Ralph Schipper, Royce

Mr. and Mrs. Roy T. Smutz DeGood of Grand Rapids, Howthe post: For commander, Wesley Adri-For commander, Wesley Adri-herd in the Kent Dairy Herd Im-and Marvin DeGood of Otsego, William and Marvin DeGood of Ada. Dale ever, and the report of this sur- anse, Harold Dawson and Jack provement Association, this week DeGood at home; eight grandvey will be filed for future use. Fonger. Senior vice commander. received the Valley City Milling children; her mother, Mrs. Fran-Fonger. Senior vice commander, Claude Ridgway and John Troy. Junior vice commander, Gerald Skelding, B. C. Dawson, J. B. Hawk and Lester Sherman, Quar. Bernard termaster, John Troy Bernard company, made the presentation. Marble, Minn., and Phillip Stra-

> Funeral services will be held at the Zaagman Memorial Chapel, Rev. Bernard A. VanSomeren officiating. Interment Cascade

cemetery. Saturday, March 13-Begin-'Father was a Housewife' ning at one o'clock Ed Johnson

Senior Play April 1-2 Japan, Philippines, Chile, and in the negative Wednesday night at vas active in both FFA and 4-H ir by Friday. "Father Was a Housewife" is served in the United States Army 8:30 p. m., the winner to play club work and had some choice This is the time of year when the title of the Senior play to be in 1918 and 1919, after which he Marshall this coming Friday.

hold goods. See list in this week's and 2. Father will be played by versity in 1921 and graduated Ledger. George VanderMeulen, a uctioneer. Al VanderLaan, is also a physician, will be en. S. T. B. in 1923; Also took gradu-Birthday Week p46 acted by Jenett McPherson. Oth- uate studies at Boston University

ers in the cast will be announced and Cambridge University in Friday, March 19-Having de next week. Rehearsals now in England. cided to discontinue farming Vir- progress reveal some unusual

Traverse District.

Frye Sunday morning.

First Aid Classes Open in Lowell Monday Night theme.

A series of classes in First Aid ond, Ireland at Linda Townsend's; Gould Rivette.

These classes are open to everymus'; and fourth, Germany at the home of Patty Arehart.

inclusive.

Lowell V. F. W. Post Clubrooms at 7 p. m. Monday, March 15.

COLORFUL TOGS

Seems a lot of men are so busy Luxurious, comfortable tweeds new corps will take place in July. that they never learn the trade. \$33.95 to \$48.50 including tax at to get a mink.

and the Arrows came through The last two years he has been delegates to represent the group when the chips were down by de. stationed at Guantanamo Bay, at the State Convention in East feating the Hornets 55-43. High Cuba. He underwent extensive Lansing March 23, 24 and 25. point man for Lowell was Grum. Diesel engineering during his The money from the Almanac

n Egypt, Palestine, Europe, Eng. with 14, and Wood with 10. land and Scandinavia, as well as The Arrows now hit the road tended Lowell schools and was a Quarterly subscription sale, and

certificate of production of 2488

**Birthday Week Dinner** an average of 414 a year. A

The Sixth Grade Campfire herd of seven females has devel-Girls will celebrate Birthday oped from his original project.

public auction implements, cattle, hilarious comedy is being looked and Benton Harbor, and was four o'clock. The theme of Birth- friends for a short time while de- where he will undergo the Cobalt

to anyone wishing to hear Dr. dies, are planning a four-course

land, Holland and Germany. The centerpieces, exhibits and some costumes will carry out the

have been active in collecting the The dinner schedule is as fol-

third, Holland at Judy Posthu-

Birthday is March 12 to 19 yet reported. John Archart, Jr., Jan Christine,

LAST RITES TUESDAY FOR GEORGE E. NEAR, 88

Funeral services were held Tuesday for George E. Near, 88. retired Clarksville farmer who

would like to enroll or be at the

Clarksville cemetery.

A general invitation is extended their leader, Mrs. Albert Lamb pursuits in the industrial world. will be there about three weeks. dinner representing Israel, Ire- BOY SCOUTS REPORT ON

drive in Lowell the Boy Scouts well.

lows: first course, Israel, at the donations for this cause under home of Beverly Wepman; sec. the direction of Scoutmaster

According to Jay Boelens,

and Terry Shepard are the lead-

#### CLARKSVILLE BOOSTERS TO HEAR ROBERT LALLEY

The Booster club of Clarksville died Saturday at the home of his school will hold its regular meet. 5:30, Lowell Congregational daughter, Mrs. Fred Cool, resid ing at the school house on Tues- church. Homemade pies and ing near that village. The serv- day, evening March 16, at 8 rolls. Sponsored by Pilgrim Felices were in Pleasant Valley o'clock. Robert Lalley from the lowship. Adults \$1.25, children. church and burial was made in Detroit branch of the FBI will 65 cents.

talk on "A Day with the FBL" Everyone is welcome. Come Two gallons of 1954 gasoline Only a woman can skin a wolf whether you have children in are equal in power to three gal-

school or not, you are welcome. lons of 1925 fuel.

In the Crusade for Freedom and hoped that he would soon be BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. George A. Mcchairman, the Scouts have to date Inerney (Zeona Rivette) of Torturned in some \$40 with some not onto, Ontario, on March 8, a girl,

IRISH STEW

Monday March 15, starting at

To Mr. and Mrs. Rex Crout, on ers, in the amounts turned in so March 7th, at Blodgett hospital, far. It is still not too late to give. a boy, weighing 7 pounds, 8 ounces, named Roger Rex.

ay Greenville Saturday night cast coast New York to Florida. George Anderson were selected

sale should be turned in next Before enlisting William at Monday, as well as the Farm

Japan, Philippines, Chile, and for the Regionals at Albion play member of the FFA here. He the seed blanks are due to be

cattle which he left to the care all FFA members have a lot to Remember-follow the Arrows! of his father while he was away. do and when all unfinished busi-John Bergin-reporter His original 4-H calf matured in- ness should be completed before

to a valuable cow which holds a the spring rush.

pounds of butterfat in six years. FRANK PECKHAM TRYING NEW CANCER TREATMENT Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peckham

are most appreciative to all the William is taking a little vaca people who have made possible

ciding whether to give full time treatment for cancer, and the girls, under guidance of to his herd or to follow other He left about 2 weeks ago and He had his first treatment Mon-

day night, March 1st. The doc-CRUSADE FOR FREEDOM tor gave him lots of encourage-





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Gary De Armond was rushed of appendicitis. An emergency Carly be Armond was fushed of appendichts. An entegency operation was performed at 2 a. to Costeopathic hospital by his fair operation was performed at 2 a. m Gary came home Friday af-ternoon and is recovering rapid by. The extension is a victory for Swerving his car to avoid hit-ting the Cascade school bus, car-rying kindergarteners home at noon, Edward J. VandenBerg, Hall st., Thursday noon crashed into a tree at the side of the rollistics at the cascade school bus, car-rying kindergarteners home at noon, Edward J. VandenBerg, Hall st., Thursday noon crashed into a tree at the side of the rollistics at the cascade school bus, car-rying kindergarteners home at noon, Edward J. VandenBerg, Hall st., Thursday noon crashed into a tree at the side of the rollistics at the cascade school bus, car-rying kindergarteners home at noon, Edward J. VandenBerg, Hall st., Thursday noon crashed into a tree at the side of the rollistics at the cascade school bus, car-rying kindergarteners home at noon, Edward J. VandenBerg, Hall st., Thursday noon crashed into a tree at the side of the rollistics at the cascade school bus, car-rying kindergarteners home at noon, Edward J. VandenBerg, Hall st., Thursday noon crashed into a tree at the side of the rollistics at the cascade school bus, car-rying kindergarteners home at noon, Edward J. VandenBerg, Hall st. Thursday noon crashed into a tree at the side of the rollistics at the cascade school Mar. 1.



OUT AHEAD with the highest-compres-

## Cascade Community News By Mrs. Roger Wykes Jr.

correspondent for the Ledger

Swerves Car Into Tree

Attend Church in a Body

weeks.

# cade rd., will be the Cascade

while Mrs. Roger Wykes is in lory, in Mount Dora, several Cascade district to the school Ada postmaster, who relayed it 
 ves Car Into Tree
 tees, each to consist of 2 mem-bers from each of the 7 districts
 read in question. The extension is a victory for

The accident occurred at 5670 Hall st. where Lyle De Armond, driver of the bus, had turned in-to the Paul Roy driveway in or-cer to turn around. The accident occurred at 5670 Hall st. where Lyle De Armond, driver of the bus, had turned in-to the Paul Roy driveway in or-cer to turn around. The accident occurred at 5670 Hall st. where Lyle De Armond, bildings, Existing el-ementary schools; additions. High school, Buildings, Karl G. Keck, Tommy C, Ray. 2, School funds to how application of the bilding and the provide the st. Patrick's Square the school No. 4. this Saturday night. Project of the parents of Cascade-Martin Cub Scout Pack 3284, the dance funds to how application of the start of the s der to turn around. Mr. VandenBerg, who was coming home to lunch from construction work at the Cas-cade Christian Reformed church parsonage, saw the bus suddenly and fearing it was backing into his path, swung instantly to the tion, Mrs. John Hamer, James A. his path, swung instantly to the opposite side of the narrow road, into the deep snow, hitting the Community trade areas, R. Dale Community trade areas, R. Dale Charters, Robert Cribley.

The bus, which had not left the Fales of the Area Studies divis- of the Wayside Reading club, ion of the Michigan Dept. of Grand Rapids, and their guests. Public Instruction. Mr. Fales Mrs. Lester C. Doerr, a club

Scout Troop 334 will take part ent a number of instrument so-Mar. 15, in the South Kent dis- lcs. Mrs. Robert Cheney, kin: trict annual First Aid-O-Ree, for dergarten teacher, will accomscouts under 14, at Godwin pany the performers and also school. The scouts are studying provide background music durand practicing for the event, ing the tea. Mrs. James Dunne when troops compete against is in charge of the decorations, ach other in first aid techniques. which will include shamrocks in Two Explorer scouts (boys over some form. A freewill offering 4) from each troop will judge will be taken according to Mrs. he contests. Don Kleinhans and Joseph Stepek, chairman of the

side to benefit the process of the p Home Group Studies Hats sale to benefit the proposed sale, which started Monday, Cascade Home Demonstration will continue for 3 weeks and group will meet with Mrs. I J. anyone not contacted, but wishongstad, Thornapple River dr., ing to buy the new type, longeresday Mar 16 Hostesses are burning bulb is asked Mrs, Russell Edison and Mrs. Scoutmaster Vernon J. Reyburn.

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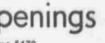
evening, Mar. 18, at Cascade

Charles Rogers has sold his end with his parents, Mr. and Clemens to call on Mr. and Mrs.

Mrs. Alice Dennie of Hastings, Eastmont, visited her parents, the week end with Joanne ad spent the week end with Lowell Mr. and Mrs. John F. Roth, Sun- companied them as far as Howell

Grand Rapids, spent Saturday Hastings, called on friends and Lansing, called Sunday on the evening with Mr. and Mrs. Don relatives in Lowell, Sunday. Herbert Elzinga family.

boys visited Mr. and Mrs. Victor roe Merrill in South Lowell. visited Saturday afternoon at the Thomas and Harry Thomas, also Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vanden Mr. And Mrs. Kenneth R. Smith Hout of Lansing attended a fam-sister, Mrs. Frank Carpenter in



Cathryn Mouw of Holland. Sat urday evening visitors were Mr and Mrs. Marvin Stahl and fan

ily of Clarksville. Mrs. Glenn Swift and daughter Marilyn will attend the gradua tion exercises at the Naval hospi tal at Great Lakes, Thursday, a which time Miss Cecilia Bibble will be graduated.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cariano o Lansing, visited Saturday at the Paul Cariano home.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren K. Lus of Lansing, were dinner guests of their sister, Mrs. Rosella Yeiter aturday evening, after they attended the wedding their neice, Miss Caroline Lusti, and Lt. Jerry Trout of Detroit, a he Fountain st. church in Grand

Capt. and Mrs. Charles Horn nd children of Lansing, were Sunday afternoon callers at Mrs. Verna Yeiter's home, and also alled on Mrs. C. H. Horn. Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Sterker were Sunday guests of Mr. and

Mrs. Henry Stehouwer in Gran Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Free imers of South Lowell Sunday ernoon and evening, were Mi Mrs. Frederick Beimers rrell and Barbara Jean, M Mrs. George Plumton, M

d Mrs. Bill Wood and son Sco Grand Rapids. Miss Carolyn Groenenbo ft by plane Sunday for Los At les, Calif., for an indefin y with friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. John Fahrni a. ended a family dinner honorin eighty-second birthday Mrs. Fahrni's mother, Mrs. An

ind at her home in Ionia Sun Richard Dygert and family c Grand Rapids, were Sunda lests of his sister, Mrs. Anton

Sunday visitors at the H, L yser home were her sister, Mrs. laurice Quigley and husband and e Robert Bishop family from rand Rapids.

Mrs. Rudolph Verplanck of Edmore, spent Monday with Mrs. Albert Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Plumb of Frand Rapids, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. 1 lenry and called on her cousins Mr. and Mrs. Albert Martin.

Mrs. Ida Krum, and Mrs. Rose argwell of Coopersville, were nday guests of Mr. and Mrs. larold Bargwell in Grand Rap-Mrs. Bertha Schwab accompany

ed Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schwab of Saranac to West Olive, Sunday. Mrs. Rose Watrous has return ed to her home with Mrs. Bertha Schwab after having been care

or at the Olin rest home. Robert Cahoon was home fro unshine Sanitorium Sunday. sister and family, Mrs. Mile Porter and the Cahoon childre for whom she is caring, from Greenville, spent the day with hem at the Jesse Cahoon home. Mrs. Arthur Schneider, Bo nd Judy spent Sunday with the Don Merrill family in Watervliet James Clouse of Wayland was he week end guest of his mother Mrs. Howard Clack and family. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Boerma e ertained Sunday with a fam inner honoring the birthday o

hei, son Clarence of Grand Rap

Mrs. Fanny Walcott of Grand | THE LOWELL LEDGER, LOWELL, MICH., MARCH 11, 1954 Rapids was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goodridge Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown of Ionia, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Vern Arm-

ler called on Mrs. Lydia Smith

Mr. Mrs. Bert Purchase. Mr. and Mrs. El Czapek of Grand Rapids, who was spending where she visited her parents.

Mrs. Dora Pletcher spent the Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Boerma

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# Our regular meeting was held on Saturday evening, March 6, and family have moved into the with a large attendance and all O'Beirne house recently vacated officers present except one. Fol. by the Birkey family. lowing a delicious birthday supper at 7:30 we had our business and Ralph Dodds worked on Bosmeeting, during which we ballot. ton township Board of Review ed favorably on applications for work in Saranae Monday and membership; listened to reports Tuesday, also two days of last of various committees; voted to enter the Community Service pro-ject for a three-year period; vot. Grand Rapids, are visiting in the and our home ec, chairman June relatives here, they write that well Sportsman's Club dinner cance.

with South Boston on Saturday, South Bell district. March 20, we lifted our regular Orson Melle is drilling a well urday evening, April third with Carol visited the Paul Bryant

Grange Reporter Ethel Yeiter.

trouble getting it bark.

South Boston

Miss Belle Young

d on the Blue Cross referendum; Hawaiian Islands. On a card to Fahrni reported that plans are the weather there is perfect and nearing completion for the Lo- fruit and flowers are in abun-

which will be served on March an Due to weather conditions, there was no school Wednesday Since Pomona grange will meet or Thursday of last week in the

meeting for that date. This will on the Condon farm on US16. be a daytime meeting with din- Willard Lawrence and family ner at noon. All members are are moving from the Eaton farm urged to attend. Our next regu-lar meeting will be held on Sat. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fahrni and

potluck lunch unless otherwise family, and his father, Fred Bry-

used to but we have just as much pediment among children chewing gum.

STARTERI

Money may not go as far as it The most common speech im-

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Conant in 5 o'clock dinner honoring Ray-

relatives in Lowell, Sunday. Mrs. Ethel Yeiter spent Thursday afternoon and evening with

The Jules Erler family were

Russell Smith at Spring Lake. Howard White spent several days of last week in Charlevoix. Mrs. Abe Verwys and little daughter Dena returned to Lowell with him to visit her sister. Mrs. Matthew Briggs and friends. She attended O. E. S. Friendship night on Friday when she met

Mrs. Austin L. Coons and Miss Marion Bushnell spent the weekend at the Spiritual Life Retrea at St. Mary's Lake.

bor spent several days of last week in Lowell visiting his brother Frank nad calling friends



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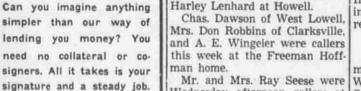
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John Krebs home. Mr. and Mrs. their aunt, Mrs. Walter Wieland It was her birthday.

Alto Locals

Micheal K. Blough spent a in December so that she plans to Sunday callers at the Glenn ies and tea served by Mrs. Clare tently, Mrs. Everett Cary was

use of Clarksville, had Sunday Chapel and daughter. Office: 3231 Clarksville ter Mrs. Francis Wakefield en- neth of Grand Rapids and Mr. c44-47 Office: 2421 Res.: 3151 Grant Harrison, Mrs. Lincoln Mr. and Mrs. Robert Slater and ygert, Miss Genevieve Graham Donna.

and Mrs. Keith Hinckley. Mr, and Mrs. Alger Dygert and Rosie Matternick called on her ygert Sunday afternoon.

the Earl Colby home a few days Sunda last week but she became ill with Mrs. Augusta White and Miss

home Sunday afternoon and day afternoon Mrs. Minnie Bouck evening while the Keisers visited called on her niece, Mrs. Val their daughter, Mrs. Lee Vanda-water and family of Reed City. past week. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mrs. Della Silcox is not very well. Nagle called on the Pattisons Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bergy and Sunday of Bowne Center.

flew to Cuba and spent one week whom we express our sorrow.

and Carey Burrows called on Mr. Jamestown Saturday. and Mrs. O. L. Lyons of Lowell, Eleanor and Mary Jeanne Van-

ardson and mother Mrs. E. Rich- Paul Hilton for her daughter the Howard Lite home to help

Alto Community News

 Mrs. Ivan Blough and Mirs. Har
 Copies were printed.
 Wieland are the welcoming committee at the Alto church will first meeting of the Alto church will meet Added the Alto church meet Adde Mr. and Mrs. Francis Seese spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harley Lenhard at Howell. Chas. Dawson of West Lowell, Mrs. Don Robbins of Clarksville, and A. E. Wingeler were add. A. E. Wingeler were a if possible as the new year books Mrs. Alex Neil of Caledonia et, Gale Phillips, Sheryl Watter-

hursday evening guests at the Bobby and Mary Lou Paul visited her mother, Mrs. Floyd Yeiter as Vreelend will give the lesson on visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth about 100.

couple of days with grandpa and open the Beauty Parlor in her Loveland home were Mr. and Wingeier and Mrs. Cleveland. Very much surprised to meet an grandma Blough last week as his home again and will be taking ap Mrs. Wilbur Livingston and children of Grand Rapids and Keith

pital. She was brought nome<br/>Sunday much improved.Mrs. Gordon Fleet and Mrs.<br/>Ervine Ostrander of Freeland,<br/>Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kauffman<br/>called on Mr. and Mrs. Orvin Al-<br/>lerding at Freeport Monday after<br/>noon. Mr. Allerding is not very<br/>ill at this writing.Mrs. Gordon Fleet and Mrs.<br/>Bowman.Bowman.<br/>Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thaler of<br/>Green Lake, were Sunday dinner<br/>guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lin-<br/>ton and Joan. Mr. and Mrs. My-<br/>no AMrs. Denton Wilcox were<br/>ill at this writing.Such has been the development<br/>of our modern power resources<br/>the average American family to-<br/>day has the equivalent of 40 ser-<br/>wares sons of Clarksville. In<br/>the evening they all called on<br/>Mrs. Carlton Wilcox and new lite after a three weeks usits<br/>made out of chaos, we now haveMrs. Gordon Fleet and Mrs.<br/>Bowman.Bowman.<br/>Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thaler of<br/>Green Lake, were Sunday dinner<br/>guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lin-<br/>ton and Joan. Mr. and Mrs. My-<br/>ron Sherrington and children<br/>the former's brother Hazen, wife<br/>were evening luncheon guests.<br/>Mrs. Ernest Jubeth returned<br/>Sunday to her home in FerndaleSunday to her home in Ferndale<br/>Sunday to her home in FerndaleMas the equivalent of 40 ser-<br/>ton and Joan. Mr. and Mrs. My-<br/>ron Sherrington and children<br/>the former's brother Hazen, wife<br/>the former's brother Hazen were evening luncheon guests.<br/>Mrs. Ernest Jubeth returned<br/>the subeth returned<br/>the subeth returned<br/>the former's brother Hazen were were subeth were were were we made out of chaos, we now have Mrs. Carlton Wilcox and new lit- after a three weeks visit with Il the material to create several tle son at Butterworth hospital. her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mr. and Mrs. Harold Scott vis- Tilkins. Other visitors through ed the latter's sister, Miss Jane the week were Mr. and Mrs ibbils, also her uncle and aunt George Wellfare, Mrs. Gotlieb Ir. and Mrs. Frank Broderick in Weeber and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer sing Sunday. Mr. Broderick Bush all of Hastings; Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Booby, of Eaton Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lachinet Rapids; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hazel, nd granddaughter Cynthia Dyk- of Lake Odessa and Mrs. L. M.

> mer with Mrs. Lincoln Dygert Mr. and Mrs. Henry Slater's and Miss Genevieve Graham. Sunday company were Mr. and Mrs. John Brannan and daugh- Mrs. Ernest Bates and son Kentertained with a luncheon Wed- and Mrs. John Arehart of Lowell nesday for the pleasure of Mrs. and Mrs. Lucy Huntington and

> ons Tom and Allen called on the daughter, Mrs. O. E. Meyer of ormer's mother Mrs. Lincoln Alaska Monday and attended the extension class at the new Cale-Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Steeby of donia town hall where the lesson Grand Rapids, called on their was on trimming hats. Mrs. Patgrandmother, Mrs. Lydia Steeby at the Dygert home Sunday. Henry Neimeyer who celebrated Miss Mable Bergy assisted at their 50th wedding anniversary

the flu and had to return home Lora Bowen of Saranac, called on for the latter part of the week. their sister, Mrs. Fred O'Harrow Mr. and Mrs. Claud Silcox vis- at the Pattison home Tuesday afted the former's mother, Mrs. ternoon and Mrs. Doris Roth Della Silcox at the Carl Keiser was her Saturday caller and Sun-

nesday Feb. 24 for their cousin, Dowling Sunday afternoon. Caledonia, and a few years ago Miss Constance Smith return- moved to Hastings, He passed aed from a very enjoyable vaca- way in Pennock hospital, leaving tion in Florida Saturday. She a daughter Lucille and family, to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Vanden Mr. and Mrs. Art Benedict, Heuvel attended the funeral of Fred Russell of Bowne Center, their niece, Ruth Ann TerHaar at

denHeuvel attended the birthday Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rich- dinner given Sunday by Mrs.

and seller get together.

### Bowne Extension Class Hears 'Citrus' Report

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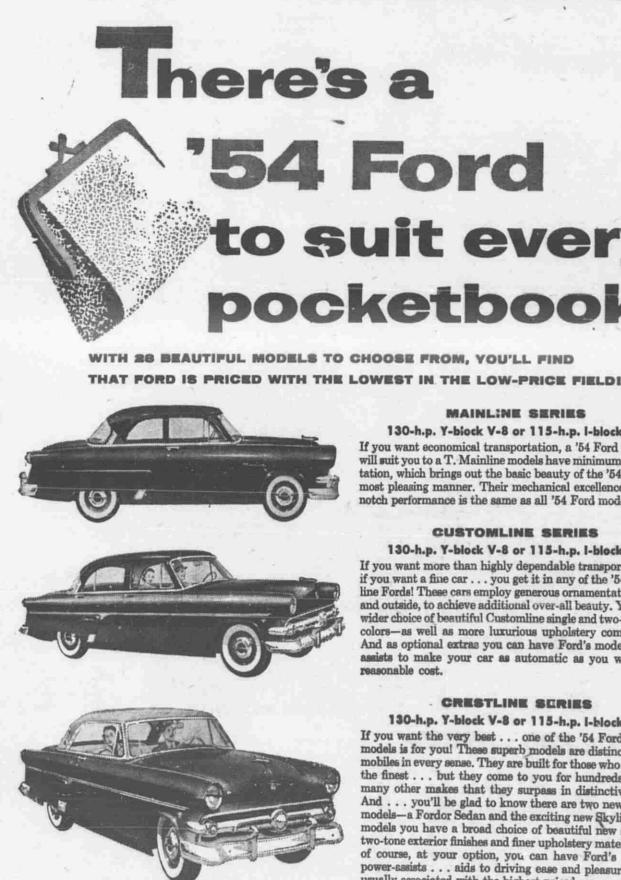
AT BOWNE CENTER CH. Dr. Edith Dorrell of Grand Ran ids was guest speaker at the Com-munity World Day of Praye. Service at the Bowne Center Methodist Church and others. She spoke of the needs among methodist on prayer. Mrs. L. M. Headworth, president of the Bowne Center Ms. S. C.S. Conter Ladies WSCS service Bowne Center WS. C. C. S. C. MC Filter and the Main the Center Ladies WSCS service Bowne Center WS. C. C. S. C. MC Filter and t

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Headworth, president of the Bowne Center ladies WSCS serv. ducted the service assisted by Mrs. Robert Martin of Hope Mrs. Nahr Blough and Mrs. Har. old Krebs, Mrs. Alvin Bergy and

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and Dorothy of Kalamazoo, were Mrs. Adah Thompson Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. afternoon, finding her not Wm, Kilgus last Sunday. Mr. well. and Mrs. John Miller and Freddie of Clarksville, spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kilgus. Sunday afternoon calllers were Mr, and Mrs. Robt. Ritenger and son of Lowell.

Mr. nad Mrs. Loyal Mullen were Sunday dinner guests of her sister, Mrs. Isabelle Fron of Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Huiser and Peggy of Zeeland spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Barnes and sons. Mr.

Mrs. Wm. Barnes in Zeeland. Virs. Clarence Strouse and baby John Tesch, Jr., of Grand Rap-ids, were Sunday callers of Mr. Finn Road, on and Mrs. John Tesch and Mrs. Rachel Strouse. Mrs. Strouse is feeling a lot better and is up and round now.

Mrs. Ray Rittenger spent Wed esday with Mrs. David Sterzich Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rittenger were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Parsons.

Miss Vicky Nickerson enrolled n the 7th grade at Sweet school

Monday. Her parents have tal en over the Lucky Inn. When I called Dorothy Witten

tach to see if she had any new she said she didn't but that Rue did take her out to supper the show the other night. I as ed if they were celebrating any hing special but she said no, unless it was because she had liv in this fine neighborhood for 12 years. It was news to me and think a very nice reason and way to spend an evening.

Saturday evening, Mr. Mrs. Vern Klahn visited Major Boyd O'Beirne who had a chance to spend a few hours with his mother. He is a jet pilot instructor at Wichita, Kans. Monday evening Mrs. M. O'Beirne and Scott and Gladys Waterman called on Mr. and Mrs. Vern Bob and Mary Lou Paul of At-

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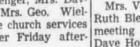
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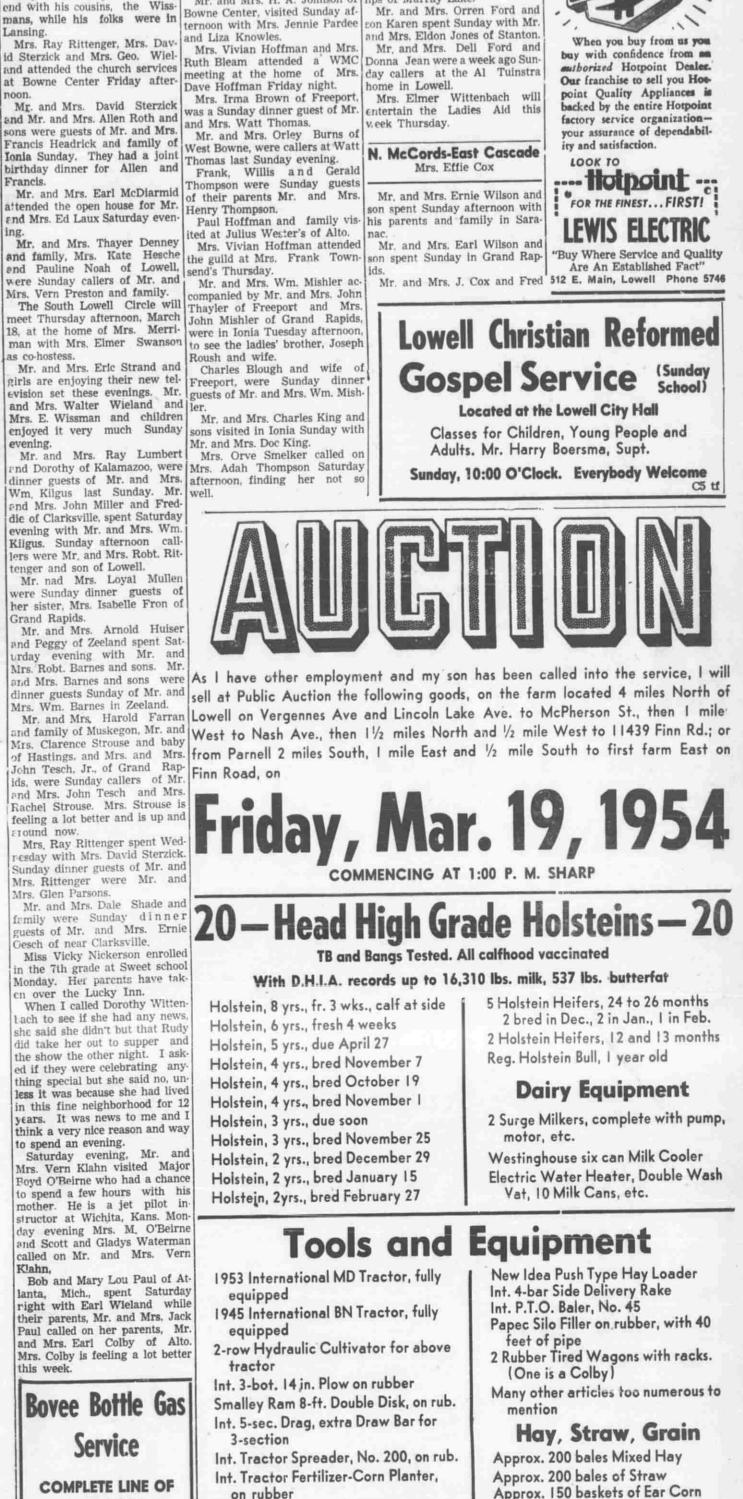
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Holstein, 5 yrs., due April 27

Holstein, 3 yrs., due soon

equipped

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3-section

on rubber

Holstein, 4 yrs., bred November 7

Holstein, 4 yrs., bred October 19

Holstein, 4 yrs., bred November

Holstein, 3 yrs., bred November 25

Holstein, 2 yrs., bred December 29

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Holstein, 2yrs., bred February 27

1953 International MD Tractor, fully

1945 International BN Tractor, fully

2-row Hydraulic Cultivator for above

Int. 3-bot. 14 in. Plow on rubber

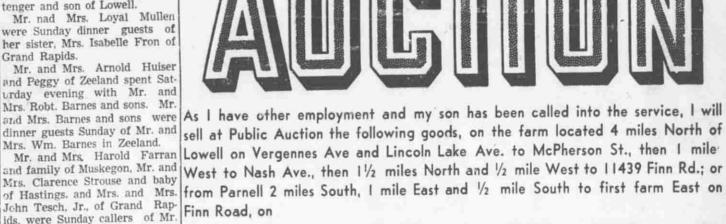
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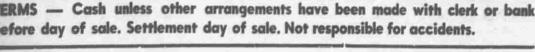
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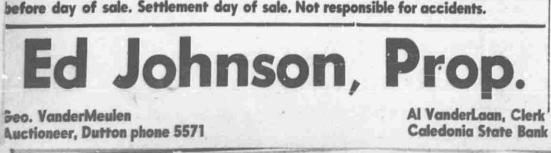
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Harry Day, Cler State Savings Bank, Lowell











# Ada Community News MRS. TOM MORRIS-PHONE ADA 4831

The Standale Lions Club and ard Rand and family. the Ada, Cascade Thornapple Valley Lions Club received their Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris, Wr. and Mrs. Walter Afton at-the Elipian comparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mor-ris. Chiner glests of their grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mor-sunday after spending a week with his brother Louis in Brad-Valley Lions Club received their<br/>charters at the Pantlind Hotel,<br/>Friday evening, Mar. 5. More<br/>than five hundred members from<br/>western Michigan attended this<br/>meeting.Mr. and Mrs. Walter Alton at<br/>tended the Finlay cemetery as-<br/>sociation dinner last Saturday.<br/>David, little son of Mr. and<br/>Mrs. Gene Rooker of Rockford, is<br/>spending several days with his<br/>grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bern-<br/>G. A. Dodre, Prevident of Lionsris.ris.with his brother Louis in Brad-<br/>enton, Fla., who has been very<br/>ill.With bit brother Louis in Brad-<br/>enton, Fla., who has been very<br/>ill.Mrs. Robert Taylor was a Sun-<br/>Mrs. Mae Simmons of Grand<br/>Papids was a guest of her broth-<br/>cr. Mr. and Mrs. Orvie KelloggMrs. Robert Taylor was a Sun-<br/>day dinner guest of Miss Francis<br/>Dutmers in Grand Rapids.<br/>Mr. and Mrs. John Averill ob-<br/>weith set Sunday

S. A. Dodge, President of Lions ie Rooker.

A fine dinner and entertain- emergency leave by the serious Gerald Jasperse, who has been local club now has fifty-three ritt DeGood. be Mar. 22.

were present were Rev. and Mrs. guests at the Kamp home were Sunday guests at the Leo Jas- Mr. and Mrs. Dorr Glidden Thornapple Valley Club who and Mrs. Pete Kamp. Other Company. William Reynders, Dr. and Mrs. Mrs. Elizabeth Kuiper and twins perse home were their son Jerry have been very ill with the flu J. C. Foshee, Dr. and Mrs. Paine, Karen and Kenneth on Saturday, and family and their daughter the past two weeks. They are Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fitzgerald, and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hoek- Mrs. Adrian Vereeke and family Mr. and Mrs. Clair Anderson Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Verdier, stra all of Grand Rapids, on of Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Campau, Mr. Bellowship Family Sunday, Mar. 14 is Pil-ter Maxine and grandson Larry Elton Smith of Caledonia, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Somerville, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Orville Summers, grim Fellowship Family Sunday, VanDort were Sunday dinner Mr, and Mrs. Bernard Heller Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kennedy, Mr. All parents of the P. F. are urged guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney of Buffalo, N. Y., spent a few and Mrs. Robert Ross, Mr. and to attend church Sunday morn- Eacon in Grand Rapids. Mrs. Robert Wagner, Mr. and ing. There will be a potluck sup- Sunday night dinner guests of their honeymoon with Mrs. Marshall Boelding, Mr. and per at 6:30 for the young people Mr. and Mrs. Walter Afton Jr. Mrs. Gordon Svoboda, Mr. and and their parents followed by a were Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ander-Mr. and Mrs. Roger Pitson and Mrs. Gordon Svoboda, Mr. and program presented by the Pil- son, Marjory and Donald of Kent family and the Claire Anderson Mrs. David Wallace, Mr. and grim Fellowship of the Congre City and Mr. and Mrs. Walter family enjoyed a turkey dinner Mrs. Clifford Courtright. Martin rational church.

The Thornapple Guild of the 9 to 5 o'clock. Ada Town hall, Saturday, Mar. Cpl. Robert Gillispie who is sta- places in Texas. 13 at 10 a. m. Anyone wishing tioned at Camp Carson, Colo. Sunday guests at the Webb and the past week, ill with the flu. arrange to have it plcked up. e.so said the weather was very family of Bailey Dr. McCords.

of Grand Rapids were honor servicemen's items. guests at the home of his brother The Finlay cemetery Ass'n, ing at St. Petersburg, Fla. lerson and Daryl.

Charters on March 5 motored to Kalamazoo last Sun-day to visit her niece Mrs. Leon-Control March 5 day to visit her niece Mrs. Leon-Control March 7 day to visit her niece Mrs. Leon-Control March 7 day to visit her niece Mrs. Leon-Control March 7 day to visit her niece Mrs. Leon-Control March 7 day to visit her niece Mrs. Leon-Control March 7 day to visit her niece Mrs. Leon-Control March 7 day to visit her niece Mrs. Leon-Control March 7 day to visit her niece Mrs. Leon-Control March 7 day to visit her niece Mrs. Leon-Control March 7 day to visit her niece Mrs. Leon-Control March 7 day to visit her niece Mrs. Leon-Control March 7 day to visit her niece Mrs. Leon-

at Norfolk, Va., is, home on Elgin.

ient completed the evening. The liness of his mother, Mrs. Ger- cmployed at High Point. North members. The next meeting will Ronnie and Jack Kamp of has been transferred back to Rapids who has been visiting his

Members and their wives from end with their grandparents, Mr. by the Grand Rapids Varnish Troy, the past two weeks, re-

to hear from his friends. His first of the week.

their twenty-fifth wedding anni- at the Egypt Grange Hall. Mar. son Bob and daughter-in-law, with the former's parents, Mr. ersary. Those present were C. A delicious ham dinner was Doris. their son James and daughter served. The following officers Mary Ellen and James' fiancee were re-elected: president, Rond Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth An- known as the Finlay Cemetery long. Sincerely, Association.

dinner glests of their grand- initiation.

last Sunday. International, gave a very fine Mr. and Mrs. Allie Schmidt Mr. and Mrs. John Boersma versary with a few friends at speech on "Lionism Throughout and Diane spent Sunday evening and children of Grand Rapids Lena Lou last Saturday evening. the World", he having just com- with his parents, at Dorr. spent last Sunday with her pleted a tour of most of the F. A. Marvin DeGood stationed mother, Mrs. Lydia Miller and

> Carolina, for the past 18 months. Grand Rapids spent the week- Grand Rapids. He is employed grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John

Mrs, Lydia Stilson and daugh-

Afton Sr.

basement Saturday, Mar. 13 from son left Friday morning for a Grand Rapids called on their sonsouthern trip. They expect to be in-law and daughter, Mr. and

to contribute please have your 11 miles from Pikes Peak, say- Don Ward home were Maurice, We are sorry to hear Terry tem there by 9:30 or call Mrs. ing he has started working on Ward and family of Ionia and Mr. Sheehan is again home from his ienry Reinersma 3976, she will the job Engineer Training. He and Mrs. Hubert DeVries and school work on account of illness.

were Saturday night dinner storms, the wind blowing over Mr. and Mrs. James Jordon of home. guests of her son Mr. and Mrs. nine trailers, besides doing other Traverse City were guests of Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Anderson John Krum and Mrs. Cook in damage. Bob will be very glad and Mrs. Clifford Courtright the and Mr. and Mrs. Claire Ander-

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Anderson (sometimes known as North Mrs. Alice Ward of Grand Rap- Mrs. Kieth Bowman, June, Milast Sunday, Mar. 7 observing Ada) held their annual meeting ids spent the week-end with her chael and Galien spent Sunday

## CARD OF THANKS

y and Pat and Ellen of Muskegon ur Canfield. The various commit- ing my confinement in Blodgett and daughter Marie. r, and Mrs. Fred Hendricks cen reported. It was decided to hospital. I am improving and E. Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. crect a sign at the cemetery, hope to be home before very ob Anderson of Grand Rapids Ecreafter the association will be long. Sincerely-Mrs. Katie mith Simile: As difficult as chas-- c46

Mr. and Mrs. Bob McCormick Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hicok were were Saturday evening guests at the Michigan State College in of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hansen in Lansing last Friday evening where their son Robert graduated Lions Clubs Receive Mr. and Mrs. Homer Morris Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Morris, from a short course in dairy prod-

Schmidt and Diane were Sunday ter 202 Mar. 17, There will be

served their 26th wedding anni

#### Southwest Bowne Mrs. L. T. Anderson

Little Freddie Keller of Grand

and baby were Sunday evening

Sunday with their parents Mr. Mrs. Clifford Courtright, Martin Fatonar church, will hold a Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cramton and Mrs. Leon Anderson. Second-best sale in the church and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Richard- Mr. and Mrs. C. Staskewicz, of

Congregational church is spon- Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gillisple gone about a month. They will Mrs. Edward Hillen and baby soring a bake goods sale at the acceived word from their son, visit New Orleans and various Kathleen, Sunday. Mrs. Hillen has been confined to her home

Mrs. Madeline Hillen spent Mr. and Mrs. Orvie Kellogg unpredictable. Had been in dust Mr. and Mrs. Joe Atherson and Wednesday at the Edmund Hillen

son and daughter Marie, were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Anderson address will be found in the Mr. and Mrs. Leon DeVoy of Sunday dinner guests last week Honey Creek road are vacation- at the Robert and Mrs. Zetha Anderson home in Grand Rapids.

and Mrs. Elroy Smith of Wayland. It was her father's 80th

birthday Miss Betty Larson of Grand Rap- land Depew; vice president, Mrs. I wish to thank my many Mr. and Mrs. Michael McGihn s, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Ingland Lottie Svoboda; secretary, Mrs. friends for the beautiful cards, were Sunday evening guests of nd Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Donnal- Alice Anderson; treasurer, Arth- plants and flowers I received dur- Mr. and Mrs. Claire Anderson

Difficult

ing the devil out of hell with a Mrs. Katie Smithblowtorch.



10 THE LOWELL LEDGER, LOWELL, MICH., MARCH 11, 1954

# Try them tonight



Read the ingredients on the King Pancake Sack

... it's made with Milk!

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## Lee Walter Displays S. C. Scrapbook



This year the Lowell High School Student Council is trying to get record of the events made by various LHS activities, from newspaper articles which have been clipped and pasted in a Student by the four-year term proposal Council scrapbook. This serves as a record of the year's events for are the members of the Legislafuture students. Seen above with the scrapbook is Nessena (Lee) ture. Lieutenant-Governor, Sec Walter, sophomore representative to this organization.

COMING EVENTS

The Perry group of the Congre-gational Women's Fellowship will award for being an outstanding meet in the home of Mrs. L. E. student DeVries, 713 N. Washington, on Friday afternoon, March 12, at two o'clock

has been in band since she was The Swiss Ladies Aid will meet on Thursday, March 18, at the a fifth grader. Last summer she officials should go before the peo-William Mueller home on Ver. went to the State Band School ple every two years on the basis gennes rd. The ladies will cele. at M. S. C. Even though her time of their records and that the peobrate the birthday of one of their has been taken up by her Stud- ple won't know next November members, Mrs. Elise Mueller who ent Council work and junior whether the men and women will be ninety years young on the cheerleading. Lee still has found they elect will serve two years or ollowing day. fect scholastic record.

Lee's favorite pastime is water sideration at the same time. The Priscilla Group of the Lowell Methodist church will be sports. As a dinner she would hostess to the Mary Group and take pork roast with schneiboon- tion for the people and we are sure the Martha Group Wednesday, en as an extra. She loves straw- that your Representatives at Lan-March 17, at 8:00 o'clock at the berry shortcake for dessert.

# VERGENNES FARM BUREAU **Proposal Goes On** November Ballot

One of the important questions before the Legislature is that of cussion will be "Organizing Fire four-year terms for major State Insurance for Members Only." and County officers.

CARD OF THANKS A proposed constitutional I wish to thank relatives and amendment providing for fouryear terms has passed the Senate and is before the House. If the al calls, flowers, and cards dur-House approves by a two-thirds ing my stay in the hospital and (67) vote, the issue will go on the rest home. They are appreciated ballot in November for you to beyond words to express c.46 approve or disapprove.

In effect, it means this: If the people should vote on the question and if the constitutional amendment is adopted, whoever is elected on Nov. 2, will serve four years instead of the present two years. It means that the election in 1956 would be limited to President of the United States. Vice-President of the United States, Congressmen, non-partisan judicial offices and some local offices

Affected in State and County Those who would be affected

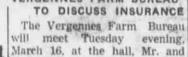
retary of State, Attorney General, Lee, the daughter of Bruce and Auditor General, State Treasur Anita Walter, was born on Jan. er, and Superintendent of Public uary 22, 1939, in Lowell. She Instruction on the State level, as received all of her education and Clerk, Sheriff, Treasurer,

in Lowell. In the eighth grade Prosecuting Attorney and Regis-Lee won the American Legion ter of Deeds on the county level. Those who favor the proposed constitutional amendment say that it would provide more stabil.

Since entering L. H. S., she ity in government and give offihas been a member of the Junior cials a better chance to develop Girls' Club and the chorus. Lee and carry out their programs.

Opponents declare that elected time to maintain her nearly per- four years because the four-year term proposal will be up for con-

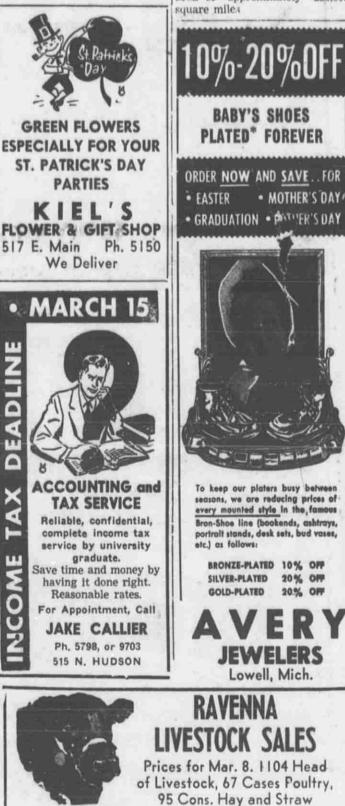
> This is a very important quessing would be pleased to hear



# Mrs. Orie - Groenenboom, host and hostess. The topic for dis-

Hunn.

friends for telephone and person-The Army maintains elemenmy and high schools for dependent children in four ma-Jor overseas commands dispersed throughout the world over an Rose Watrous area of approximately 250,000



Fifth Grade Campfire

The Fifth Grade Campfire Girls

held their meeting in the class-

room and elected the following

President, Judy Fuller; vice president, Sandra Gibbs; secre-

tary, Jayma Wolfe; treasurer, Sandra Gibbs; scribe, Laura

Laura Hunn, Scribe

officerst



# Four-Year-Terms

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