

Winter was officially ushered in Tuesday, December 21, with clear skies, but cold!,

We also note that the Earth has been granted an indefinite reprieve from the calamitous tidal wave and utter destruction predicted for December 21, by a Chicago religious sect word reportedly being received from outer space at 4:45 Tuesday morning.

The commonest name in the Saturday afternoon, when over United States is Smith. The seven hundred noisy and happy next two are Johnson and Brown. youngsters were crammed in the newal. Our Christmas edition Jones is sixth. Williams and theatre to enjoy two hours of Miller rank above Jones, a sur- wonderful children's movies. The prising fact,

Just below Jones, in seventh were super-better than TV-Then comes Anderson, Wilson to Claus arrived with popcorn finance committee. and Taylor, to complete the first and candy it was a fitting climguess. Thomas, Moore, White Lewis. Allen is nineteenth.

hero and also a common name among S. andinavians. Among the twenty, six names end in the

One theory for the predominance of Smith is especially interesting. The name originally meant general mechanic or all that the Lowell stores have been "I am actually caught in the around engineer. In a primitive busy with eager shoppers, but silken seep of the sifting sands of community, this useful citizen that they still have fine ideas distress. Fortunately for you, hammered out the weapons and for Christmas gifts for those your bill was handed to me a few tools on which the tribe's continued existence depended.

During a war, Smith was too valuable a man to risk at the front. He stayed home and provided, or repaired spears, swords and battleaxes-not to mention shovels, fishhooks, and kitchen knives. A muscular and healthy man, he was likely to produce also a large family of little Smiths for the special programs plan-mitter, Bill Kerekes." who in turn learned to be useful ned. The vesper and afternoon mechanics, good housekeepers, special Christmas programs were Rollroad Man Dies and handy helpers. all well-attended, and all those

This information comes from a book, People named Smith, by H, Allen Smith (Doubleday.) worth while.

**Engagements Announced** 



Mr. and Mrs. Otis Wood anproaching marriage of their eight grades. daughter, Nancy Carole, to Ralph E. Brown, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Brown, 1038 Cass

Mrs. James F. Gee of Lowell, a Christmas song, starting with announces the engagement and the first grade rooms, and workdaughter, Nancy Helen, to Cpl. selections, under the direction of John F. Porritt, son of Mr. and John Scholten, choral director, Mrs. John W. Porritt, of Alto were followed by the Topette Sponded to a call Monday more. Mrs. John W. Porritt of Alto.

Cpl. Porritt has recently return.

Celebrate 50th Wedding Anniversary

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kyser of South Boston

are sponsoring an open house at the Grange hall on the 28th of

December, from 2 to 4 o'clock in the afternoon and from 7 to 9

o'clock in the evening, in honor of the fiftieth wedding anni-

versary of Mr. and Mrs. Kyser. All their friends are cordially

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**Everyone Busy** 

**Christmas Week** 

**Many Programs** 

In Christmas Mood?

Busy Day Sunday

Music at Creche

is a wondreful experience.

P. T. A. Program

LOWELL, MICH., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1954

IL ILOWILL JURDGER

### Bill's Annual Letter **Again Arrives in Time** For Christmas Edition

The following letter, penned December 20, was personally delivered to the Editor Monday morning by Bill Kerekes, a mu-The annual Christmas theatre party, sponsored by the Lowell tual friend of the Ledger staff Board of Trade and Strand and readers. Every year we all look forward to Bill's clever Thearte, was a huge success last thoughts which always accompany his annual subscription reit. We quote, in full:

children report that the pictures momentarily your notice of re-"Dear Jeff:-Though tabled place, is Davis—another surprise. no commercials! And when San-day and has been approved by the

ten. The next ten are difficult to ax for a wonderful afternoon. | finance to me December is the "In the prize ring of domestic This event would be a won- Blue Ribbon month in the Cavaland Martin lead off. Then come derful subject for a moving pic- cade of Bills Payable. The first Thompson, Jackson, Harris, and ture itself—or just plain snap of the month I waltzed out of my shots. But most of the men par- corner with an average bank roll Few people could guess num- ticipating in regulating the pro- and the glint of a cougar in my ber twenty. It is Neison—the ceedings reported that they were eye to be met by a stiff left from name of Britain's most popular too busy to even think about two life insurance concerns, hosa camera and preserving scenes pital insurance, light bill and an auto license fee. Just as I was sagging to the canvas I was straightened up with a vicious Doesn't this cold, snappy weather really put you in the Christmas mood? We understand Kris Kringle comes a smilin'.

people you have just "remember- seconds before I was counted out.

ed", and for those extra little "For me not to receive the Loitems which help to fill out the well Ledger each week, though it Christmas stocking and make would not constitute a local hurricane, it would actually be a very hard blow.

"Please accept enclosed remit Last Sunday was Christmas tance for my renewal that we Sunday in all the churches, and may both be happy during the enthey report crowded sanctuaries suing year. Your Obedient Re-

# participating agree that the hard Formerly of Lowell

work of preparation was well John Barkley, 80, formerly of Lowell, passed away last Sunday. December 19, at his winter home Musical programs between 8 in Missouri. Mr. Barkley was and 9 o'clock in the evening born on April 26, 1874, at the were begun Friday at the scene family homestead on M21, just of the Creche on the Foreman east of Lowell; he spent his en-Hatchery lawn, at the west en- tire childhood there, moving to trance to the village. A new Owosso after his marriage,

record player has been obtained He was employed by the Ann which reproduces the tone of the Arbor Roailroad at Owosso for secordings with a much better over twenty-five years, and was effect than the players used in a railroad man all his life. the past, and the setting, as us- He is survived by his widow; ual, is very effective. If you four sons, Glenn Barkley of Pleases Audience have not already visited this Grand Rapids, Dr. Joe Barkley of scene, provided for your enjoy. Grosse Pte., Bob Barkley of the members of the Lowell High

week. Take the whole family. It ley of M21, Lowell. Funeral services will be held the High school gym. at 2 o'clock Thursday at the Jen-Monday evening at the P. T. A. also.

#### program, and distributed candy to the children. A fine audi- WALTER FAMILY HOSTS ence of parents and friends were TO METHODIST CHOIR

on hand to enjoy the program The annual Christmas party of done, the band under the baton of sounce the engagement and ap provided for them by the first the Lowell Methodist church Orval Jessup, concluded the prochoir was held at the home of gram with a variety of festive chinist's mate second class, USN Houseman, Sharon Walker and Three Christmas selections were played by the Junior Band Wednesday evening. Over forty traditional carol melodies and an Timpson, of R2, Lowell, is served. Christman Wednesday evening. were played by the Junior Band under the direction of Orval Jesunder the direction of Orval Jeswere present to enjoy the boun- "pop" tunes.

Come Ci
Bradford.

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Bradford. Ave., Grand Rapids. The wedding sup, director to open the welldate has been set for Feb. 18, at the Lowell Congregational church.

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ed from overseas duty in Korea.

The couple both graduated from Lowell High school and attended Michigan State College.

The worlding will take a combined chorus in groom caused the alarm; how the state of the primaries. Per pointing the U.S.

First Fleet late in June.

Carrier Air Group 9, composed of four squadrons of the U.S.

Navy's latest jet fighter and attended of space heater in the liver in the liver

HOLD OPEN HOUSE ON SILVER ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Jessup will hold open house for Mr. and Mrs. Orval Jessup at 721 N. Jef-

er of the Kent ASC Committee, wishes to remind the Kent ASC Co-operators who are holding their 1955 Applications for Payment, to sign and forward them to the Kent County ASC Committee, 207 Spencer Street, NE, Grand Rapids, 5, Michigan on or before December 31, 1954.

Any 1953 Applications for Payment received in the Kent County ASC Committee Office, after capes. December 31, 1954, will not be el igible for payment.

BREAKS COLLARBONE AT SCHOOL PLAYGROUND

while playing with other boys on 28th with Evelyn Wittenbach, 3208 Timpson avenue. George Friday before the afternoon sessions began. He was treated by a local doctor, and taken to assurance that he's indispensable. Grand Rapids for X-rays where it



brighter as it comes to you this year.

Lowell Ledger

**Christmas Concert** 

ment annually by the Garden Cleveland; a daughter, Mrs. Fred school 90-voice choir and 55-

Choral director, John Scholten est cities in Japan. "Jingle Bells." Not to be out in December of the same year.

**Extend Invitation to** Parnell Midnight Mass

Visitors of all races and creeds versary. All the friends of the nell. The ushers will seat every in the Formosa area. Jessups are cordially invited to one. No reserved pews, The elec-

> beautiful with evergreen trees, there. holly wreath, Crib of Bethlehem, lights, candles, and red flowers. Prescious gold vestments will

> > O. E. S. News

Eastern Star luncheon and

can't leave well enough alone.

Current News Items **Enjoy Special Program About Our Servicemen** 

PFC Donald L. Stuart, 21, son a Christmas party in the parish after twelve noon, with all win- this sacred season may all of us Lore Club of Lowell, be sure to plan it some evening this ters, Geneva and Louise N. Bark- ned and varied program of R1, Clarksville, recently spent a comber 12. The Peckham group ever, mail will be dispatched as saying "Merry Christmas" to you and voice. Christmas music last Thursday at week's leave from his unit in of ladies were hostesses. A usual on both days. Korea at Kobe, one of the larg- Christmas worship service was nings & Lyons Funeral home, held the rapt attention of his two Stuart, regularly stationed in with Mrs. Herbert Harris at the states for corn acerage. At the oft-told, but one that never gows Santa arrived on schedule Owosso; interment in Owosso choral groups for every number Korea as a radio operator with plano, and two girls from the same time it ranks 10th in old. It is the great story in

from the impressive 8th century the 7th Infantry Division Signal Dorcas group, leading the sing- amount produced, according to which all of us can and do find processional to the very modern Company, entered the Army in ing. arrangement of the old favorite May, 1953, and arrived overseas An amusing, yet though-pro- Department of Agriculture.

The wedding will take place

January 8, 1955, at St. Mary's

Wish You a Merry Christmas"

thus ending this special program.

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First Fleet; and from Sept. 16 SUFFERS FALL to Nov. 12, the Hornet flew the flag of Rear Admiral S. C. Ring. ferson, Lowell, on Saturday, De. will be welcome guests at the USN, Commander Carrier Divis ing chores on his Montcalm avcember 25, from 4:00 to 10:00 p. Midnight Mass this Christmas ion 1 which was the U. S. Seventh enue farm, Emil Stauffer slipped m., to celebrate their Silver anni- Eve at St. Patrick Church, Par Fleet's Fast Carrier Task group on ice, and fell, cutting his face

Every effort is being made to bor, Hawaii, to take part in the make the stately old building Dec. 7th memorial ceremonies MRS. MERT SINCLAIR

**Auction Sales** 

clothed in red robes and white farm 1% miles east of Saranac tent. on the David Highway. George VanderMeulen, auctioneer; Al VanderLaan, clerk. See list in next week's Ledger.

Saturday, January 8, John F. A. 8:00 p. m. card party for all members and Crawford will offer for sale at of Vergennes st., Lowell, fell Please make reservations by the 41/2 miles southwest of Lowell, afternoon. the school grounds in Lowell last 5310 or Irene Keech, 9750. c-34 VanderMeulen, auctioneer; Harry Day, Clerk. More details will What everybody wants is the be announced later.

7:00 p. m.

# Congregational Women

Congregational church enjoyed be limited to sale of postage only of the Congress. Nevertheless at presented by Mrs. Robert Hahn,

voking short story was drama-John R. Timpson, aviation ma-and three little girls. Marilyn tized by Mrs. Charles Houseman, Come Christmas," by Roark

ing set after the choral program on May 11, 1954, the Hornet visfor the band numbers. For in ited Lisbon, Portugal; Naples, table. Mrs. Martha Hall and

Village Clerk.

EMIL STAUFFER

Last week Tuesday, while doand nose, and throwing his arm one. No reserved pews. The elections of the control MOTICE ASC COOPERATORS hour before services, and the Hong Kong, British Crown Colo- always managed to get around Henry O. Holly, Office Manag. echo chimes will repeat the carols inside the church. Special ed States from Japan, the Hor-

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

Mrs. Mert Sinclair was taken to Blodgett hospital Monday af-Wednesday, January 5, John ternoon, where she was resting

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Wednesday, Dec. 22-7th and Thursday, Dec, 23-High

Christmas.

### Our Congressman Writes About Jailed Airmen

By Gerald R. Ford, Jr., M. C.

The United States and 46 other nembers of the United Nations have rightfully condemned Red China for holding 11 American airmen in jail in direct violation of the terms of the Korean Armistice. Only Soviet Russia and 4 nations behind the Iron Curtain defended the illegal action of the Chinese Communist regime. By an overwhelming vote the head "Total Christmas mail through of the U. N. was instructed to seek the immediate release of the Lowell Post Office will be these U. S. airmen who were shot twenty per cent heavier this down behind the lines while on a year than usual," George Hale. military mission during the Kor-Lowell Postmaster, told the Ledgean War. er Tuesday. Mr. Hale went on to say that this year the usual

Post Office Has

Record-Breaking

Christmas rush started before

cating the patrons of the Lowell

Big Week Reported

Mail Addressed Wrong

senders of the mail wrongly as-

Holiday Hours

lelivery by Christmas.

than usual.

the extra load.

**Christmas Mail** 

In the last few days there have been suggestions made from varithe fifteenth of December, indi. ous authoritive sources that the U. S. release 35 Chinese detain-Post Office were heeding warn, ees for the return of Americanngs that greetings and packages military and civilian personnel should be mailed early to assure lelivery by Christmas. In a source of the chinese Reds. Should the problem be resolved Monday, December 20, was the in this manner?

neaviest day so far this year, the Here is a bit of necessary backderks reporting that 16,000 letter ground information on this pronail cancellations were dispatch. posal. When Communist China ed. An ordinary day in Lowell entered the Korean War there Post Office consists of about 7, were epproximately 4500 Chinese 300 letter mail cancellations, they students in the U. S. About 450, or ten per cent of these students chose to return to China and the United States has let all but 35 The rush in Lowell, as we stat- leave for their homeland. The ed above, started before the fif- 35 Chinese who the U. S. will not teenth, and for the eight-day per- release are scientists and technilod from Monday, December 13, clans whose knowledge gained through Monday. December 20, here might help Red China mili-76,000 cancellations were hand tarily and possibly endanger our led. Parcel post for this same own national security. These period was also much heavier Chinese who want to go back are not imprisoned in this coun-Three temporary city carriers try. They must, however, reguhave been hired by the local larly report their whereabouts to office to handle the delivery of the U.S. immigration authorities. Legally under existing federal laws our government has every The local office has been flood- right to keep the 35 in the U. S.

ed with mail for parties living national interest. ly, Ada, Alto, Saranac, Clarks-On the other hand it is accuron the other hand it is accurately. Ada, Alto, Saranac, Clarks-ville and Belding. This mail, all greeting cards sent third class, cannot be forwarded without authority, and therefore it is being held in the local post office. Persons of these communities, suspecting that they may have mail of this type may obtain it by calling at the Lowell Post Office, or addressing a card to George Hale, Postmaster, authorizing the forwarding of this mail to you, with forwarding postage due. Most of these people have Lowell phone numbers, and the senders of the mail wrongly asrecently received prison senten-

sume that the mail therefore ces as alleged spies. Christmas in Washington should be sent to a Lowell route. Betty, our two sons, Mike and Jack, and your Congressman re-The Post Office will be closed grettably will not be in Michigan on Christmas day, in observance for the Holidays. The family is of the national holiday; and on in the Nation's Capitol so Dad Over seventy women of the Friday, December 24, service will can get ready for the new session

> and yours. The story of Bethlehem-the Michigan ranks 17th among newly born and the star-is one 1953 figures from the Michigan common ground and identical

### Lloyd Miller Chairman Annual Party



Wednesday the high school ell as a freshman with the class celebrated the close of school of 1955. He has been an F. F. A. for the Christmas season by hav- member for two years, and has ing an afternoon-long Christmas participated one year each in be worn by the Priest for the Mills will sell at public auction comfortably Tuesday morning. the Student Council. This year, year he is the representative Mass and the altar boys will be cattle and machinery on his She is confined to an oxygen as in recent years, instead of from the senior class to the exchanging small gifts the stud- Student Council. Last fall he was ent body put the money which Master of Ceremonles at the would have been used for these Homecoming Game. He also is gifts in a collection which is to be one of the group of Junior and 8th Grade Party, 7:00 p. m.; F. turned over to the VFW to help Senior boys who have been sefill the Christmas baskets that lected by the Lowell Rotary organization annually distributes Ciub to attend their meetings Robert Converse, 12, son of friends at the Masonic temple on public auction at his farm, cattle, School Christmas party in morn-to the needy families of the community.

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Get your free Jolly Santa's week's Teen-of-the-Week. Lloyd Helper set at your Motorola Who is 17, has born to Mr. and Dealer, Williams Radio and TV. Mrs. Ovid Miller of Clarksville much praise for sponsoring this worthy praise for sponsoring this worthy praise for sponsoring this worthy praise for sponsoring this make. Lowell Beer Store open every 632 N. Lafayette, Phone 9340 on March 12, 1937. After receiv worthy project which will make was revealed he had suffered a A hypochondriac is a guy who day and evening. Sundays until Lowell. Open Evenings 'til ing his elementary education at a happier Christmas for those

c34-35 Jennings school, he entered Low- in need.

SURPRISE HER WITH A CHRISTMAS GIFT OF GLAMOUR FOR HER LEGS: . .

SHEER SHEER BERKSHIRE STOCKINGS

Most wonderful of all stockings to give every

girl on your Christmas list. These fine full-

fashioned beauties mean more in glamour and

more in wear! For only Berkshire Stockings

have the pretty Nylace Top and Toe-Ring . . .

fabulous 2-way protection against runs from

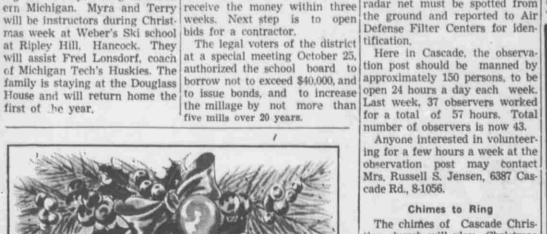
top to toe. Perfect gift idea, in Berkshire's

delightful new gif; box!

### School to Have Parties Accept Bid on Bonds Room mothers will work with For School Addition Cascade school No. 4 its own Christmas party Friday morning. The Mothers' club will supply to hear of the Mothers' club will supply the Mothers' club will supply the Mothers' club will supply the Mothe eachers to give each room of

oseph Fox and Nancy moved in 531.40 premium.

Christmas program at Cascade | 21/2%.





ply a box of candy for each puter bids to the board of Cascade Philip Haight, 13, 4930 Cascade The recent installation of the with cases for greater accesibilities C. Doerr will have charge of il. Following the parties, school school No. 4 Monday night for Rd., was struck by a car Friday new, larger drains along US16 at ty. will be dismissed until Monday, the sale of bonds to raise \$40,000, morning before daylight as he Cascade recalls to one life-long January 3, for Christmas vaca. The money is to be used to add was riding his unlighted bicycle resident a time around the turn

The winning bidder offered was demolished. urday at 10 o'clock. A Christ-bonds maturing 1956 through The driver of the car, Fred now belonging to the Buttrick mas program by the Sunday 1962 at an interest rate of Houseman, 36th St., was passing family, and Rob Patterson, busischool will follow at 11:15 a. m. 24%, and 24% for bonds matwo cars going toward town, ness man on the east side of Casfor bonds maturing 1965 plus a ahead of the cars and invisible to to go on the other side of the

premium of one dollar. winter in Florida, going first to 1956 through 1960 at 21/2%, 1961 The accident points up the need adjacent property.

Christmas party. Mrs. Fox was %. The first figure is consider. Thornapple Ground Observer The culverts were made of wood, to give for her Sunday school ed very good, according to Rusclass of nine-year olds Wednesday. She planned a supper, before the Youth and Adults'
Christmas program at Cascade 212%.

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Corps observation post is in need of volunteers, Post Supervisor Hollis Parker announced this week. Mr. Parker stressed that there is a continuing need for side. (hristian church in which the The agreement with Paine, ground observers all across the

The C. H. Turners are spend on the county equalized valuating the holidays skiing in north tion. The school board should planes. Planes which escape the highway putting tile on each ern Michigan. Myra and Terry receive the money within three radar net must be spotted from side of the road.

number of observers is now 43. Anyone interested in volunteer ing for a few hours a week at the Mrs, Russell S. Jensen, 6387 Cas-

Chimes to Ring The chimes of Cascade Chris ian church will play Christmas Christmas Eve. Mrs. Joseph Fox is chairman of the vesper music Chi Rho and CYF youth groups have decorated the church with greens and ribbon bows Ten babies and little childs

Defense Filter Centers for iden-

and their parents took part the service of dedication of chi ren and consecration of paren at Cascade Christian church Sun ay morning.

House Being Moved The Stephen DenHouten ho 6400 block Cascade Rd., is bei moved to a lot on Burton west of the school, to allow ro for the sharp curve on U. S. to be shortened. Mr. DenHou en, who owned and occupied the house many years before selling it to Arthur Kern, will regain wnership at the new location.

He plans to repair and remodel it. Fire Department Notice if there is any household in ascade township which has not new single number of the Casade Fire Department, Fire Chief Sybrant Dykhouse asks them t see or call him as soon as poss ble. The new number, GL-4-5544. is now in use, along with the five old numbers, but after Jan 1, will be the only number used



If you are short of cash, Lowell Loan's plan makes it easy for you to get extra cash during this holiday season. You'll be able to get enough for generous gifting, but still be able to pay in convenient monthly terms.

Come in to see us today and take the pressure off for a really festive

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### Cascade Community News MRS. ROGER WYKES, JR .- PHONE 99-6503

MR. STARKE RECALLS

EARLY DRAIN DISPUTE

two classrooms and a teachers' to school. He was taken to the of the century when drains along Christmas morning worship room to the present school build- hospital with injuries, but no the same road were the subject bones were broken; the bicycle of a great dispute. It seems that G. P. Starke, owner of the store turing 1963 through 1964, 1 1 1 when young Haight, who was cade road, each wanted the drain Mr. Houseman, suddenly swung load. The water then was car-Mr. and Mrs. Sol Wanrooy left Second best bidder was Maclast week Tuesday to spend the winter in Florida, going first to

the west coast. Mr. and Mrs. through 1965 at 21/8, plus a for bicyclists to carry lights during the hours of darkness, which at least temporarily, for the nato the Wanrooy's Thornapple Paine, Webber, Jackson and is required by law, and to observe ural watercourse came on the River Drive home Thursday, and Curtis effective interest (which safe driving rules scrupulously. east side of the road, and accordalthough not entirely settled, by Sunday they were trimming their tree in readiness for the %. MacDonald-Moore was 2,307.

Thereapple Ground Observer the matter was not yet settled.

Webber is to spread four mills country because of the inability Tempers seethed, but the con-

Rex Kingsland is building an | Rev. and Mrs. Herbert C. Bar- Mt. McKinley in Alaska is the | in California, is the lowest-280 addition to his hardware store on nard will spend the Christmas highest altitude in North American feet below sea level. with a steel roof, the fireproof Taylor, Indianapolis, Ind. Mr.

street. Of Wylite block, week end with Mrs. Barnard's ica, 20,300 feet. Death Valley parents, Dr. and Mrs. George O. ling will double the floor Barnard will conduct the Christspace and make possible a more mas Eve family service at Casextensive stock of hardware, cade Christian church. Rev. Les-



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FARMER PEET'S, Full Shank Half

Smoked Ham 16. 59;

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CREAMERY FRESH

MICH. COTTAGE CHEESE 16. 28¢

2 lb. loaf 89 ¢

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GUARANTEED FRESH

**EGGS** 

GRADE A LARGE

dozen 43¢

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CHASE & SANBORN

COFFEE

4-oz. jar 99 g

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10-15 lb. Sizes \$55¢ Beltsvilles \$59¢

Peschke's Smoked Picnic & 35¢

Fresh Capons PLUMP & TENDER 16. 59% Swanson Chicken Pot Pies .. 25¢ Fresh Sliced Bacon VALLEY 16. 49# Swift's Premium Franks & 49¢

Fresh Oysters Kroger Fres-Shore pint 89¢ OCEAN SPRAY JELLIED OR WHOLE Cranberry Sauce 2 -- 39¢

FRUIT COCKTAIL 303 can 27# GREEN GIANT PEAS 303 can 21# 2 No. 21/2 cans 29#

Roasting Chickens OVEN-RRADY IS. 59

Michigolden Ducklings

Oven-Ready Geese

STEWED TOMATOES 303 can 21 ¢ ASPARAGUS SPEARS No.1 can 19#

Strawberries 2 10-oz. tins 53¢ Corn or Peas

9-oz. 49¢ 3 24-oz. bils. 29 g KROGER
Gelatin Desserts 3 pkgs. 20¢ Salad Dressing

REG. SIZE \$1.99 Walnuts 2-lb. cello 85¢ Brazil Huts 1-lb. cello 55¢ Filherts 1-lb. cello 39¢

Walnuts 1-lb. cello 33 / Mixed NUTS 1-lb. cello 49 / Peanuts 3 pkgs. \$1.00

PASCAL CELERY TANGERINES FLORIDA JUICE ORANGES

KROGER B. 95¢ LATE HOWE **OCEAN SPRAY FRESH** FRESH YAMS

turned to the Veterans hospital daughter of Cotulla, Tex., are in Saginaw Wednesday of last spending a few days with Mrs. week is suffering from a nervous Itol Dalstra and other relatives condition, but is improving. He in the vicinity. Mrs. Dalstra spent will have to remain in the hos- Sunday with them at the home pital several weeks. His oldest of her mother, Mrs. Belle Sinstal and her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Forman and children of Muskegon and Jury of Greenville called to the Belding were Sunday callers at Jones home Friday to see him not knowing that he had returned to the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Rad-Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Rad-Mr. and Mrs. Carl Taylor, par-ford called Sunday on Wilbur of Grand Rapids are having a Norris of Blue Lake, who is a Rad-Mrs. Allen Lasby, in Norman Borgerson Jr. is home Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Lasby, in Norman Borgerson Jr. is home Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sunday.

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(Thursday) with their cousins,
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Martin.

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Mr. and Mrs. Althen Schrouder of Grand Rapids were Sunday dinner guests of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mullen and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Holliday in Lanson.

Miss Arleen Bryant, a student at the U, of M. is spending the holiday vacation with the Edward Kiel family.

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Mrs. Anna Yardley spent from Mrs. W. A. Collins Mrs. Finday to Sunday at the home of Mrs. Arbor, Muskegon, Grand Rapids, in Lowell and Grand Rapids.

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Mrs. Anna Arbor for a two-weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Andre and Mrs. Mrs. Sepending the holidays with relatives in Lowell and Grand Rapids.

The Roth family, numbering 41, held their preChristmas dinner Sunday at the home of Mrs. Mrs. F. M. Newell was the Mrs. F.

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Mrs. Anna Yardiey spent from
Mrs. W. A. Collins
children of Greenville visited her
spend the Christmas vacation, also Philip III from Albion college. Edwin Y, Marshall family, Gera- in Flint, Mrs. Allen is a patient and Mrs. Emerson Stauffer in hoon, Sunday. tyn and Dale Marshall returned in the Hurley hospital there.

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Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Davenport

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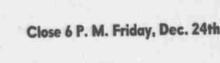
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Mrs. Ruth Wells returned of Lansing Thursday.

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of this week.

Mrs. King attended the South Boston extension club Christmas forenoon, at said probate office, be is hereby appointed for hearing said its further Ordered, That public notice is further Ordered, That Passage Island Is

home of Mrs. Lyle Condon, were petition;
It is further Ordered. That public notice thereof be given by publications of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Lowell Ledger, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

JOHN DALTON, Judge of Probate.

A true copy:

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State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Kent.

At a session of said court, held at the probate effice, in the City of Grand Repids in said County on the 15th day of December, A. D. 1754, Probate.

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Probate of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Kent.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stahl and son Vurl are entertaining with a Christmas dinner, Among those attending will be Mr. and Oscar Nummer and Dick Boone attended the V. F. W. Christmas probate.

Mrs. Charles Stahl and all of the Indian and Indian also their children and families also the children and families also t Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Rogers

fees, and for the allowance of all things householders Club with a Christ- Mr. and Mrs. Don Bannister t fen o clock in the forenon, at said mer Miller have received the per and children's party last season's greetings from them, Thursday evening, at Belding. thearing said petition; giving this address as the Reiter it is further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weaks previous to said day of hearing, in the lowell tedger a newspaper printed and linculated in said county.

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Tra Sargeant attended the Ionia and Florence Hauserman, low.

County Pomona Grange meeting

Everyone enjoyed the exchange and Christmas party at the Lake-

Mrs. Ira Sargeant

C. R. LAWTON,
Register of Probate.

ROLAND M. SHIVEL, ATTY.
FINAL ADMINISTRATION ACCOUNT

C23-35
Scholars of the Lake School are
giving their Christmas program
on Tuesday evening of this week.

On Tuesday evening of this week.

Sunday callers were Mr. and

MARIE GODFREY, Deceased.

Harry Day having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate, for the allowance thereof the residue of said estate, for the allowance thereof the residue of said estate, for the allowance thereof the residue of said estate, for the allowance thereof the residue of said estate. nias party Friday afternoon. and family and Clair Compton Friends of Mr. and Mrs. El- attended the VFW Christmas sup-

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and the ladies packed boxes of the Vernor and Louie Seeley Mr. and Mrs. Fred Franks have Monday returning Wednesday. daughter and Shirley Wert were Mr. and Mrs. William Dickens fruit and home made cookies, families. left for Texas to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Franks have Monday returning wednesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hartley

D. J. Shear of Lowell, spent
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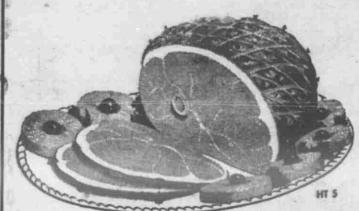
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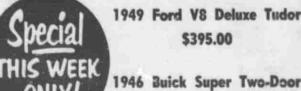
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THE LOWELL LEDGER, LOWELL, MICH., DEC. 23, 1954

Mrs. Anna Fairchild, Mrs. V Emergency surgery for remov. L. Watts, Mrs, Minnie Bouck and alal of her appendix and gall Mrs. Curtiss Floyd enjoyed a bladder was performed on Mrs. luncheon Friday noon at the R. D. Bancroft at Butterworth home of Mrs. Fred Pattison hon-hospital Saturday night. Reports oring the birthday of Mrs. Florfrom her today (Monday) indi- ence C'Harrow, A beautiful birth- CHRISTMAS PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pattison family entertained the former's er.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sherry and Courter of Elmdale.

OIL BURNERS

Eunice Courter. Mrs. Alan Clinton Blocher, Sunday evening. Clinton Blocher, Sunday evening.

Mrs. H. D. Smith and her comdand with her.

Mrs. Alan Clinton Blocher, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Amos Sterzick Mrs. Fred Pattison; Second, Mrs. mittee served ice cream containing little candy Christmas trees. Mrs. Floyd Hunt, Judy and the

this vicinity, was also a dinner arm to mend.

right leg which was injured No-

They were Tuesday evening suping on Jan. 7 will b eheld at the
per guests of Augusta White and home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer
LOOK for it in the Ledger Loren Bowen of Saranac.

Alto Community News MRS. CLAUD SILCOX-PHONE ALTO 4531

latter's fiance all of Grand Rapids, were Sunday callers at the of treating accidents for our Chas. Deming, president cd at the coffee table. latter's fiance all of Grand Rap-Bob McWhinney and Paul Dinta- local doctor, H. D. Smith. Ray MUSICAL PROGRAM AT

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Depew Logan Lake Farm Bureau

Harrow at the Pattison home, lowed the supper. The next meet- Wingeier home.

cate that she is coming along day cake featured the luncheon. There was a large crowd of A most happy event of the very well considering the seriousness of the operation. She was able to eat dinner Monday and seemed to be feeling fairly well, when Jeanne visited her.

Miss Joan Aert's room will present a Christmas program in their room at the Alto School on Thursday afternoon, All parton Thursday afternoon, The Parton Thursday afternoon, Thursday afternoon, Thursday afternoon, Thursday afternoon, Thursday afternoon, Thursday afternoon, In spite of the cold weather the home of Mrs. Frank Fair-Day of the Alto Carden Culb at the Christmas in the Christmas on Thursday afternoon, All parents of the Primary pupils are ents of the Primary pupils are Mr. and Mrs. James Green and and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pattison entertained the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Green of near Lowell for dinner Sunday The Edward Pattisons were afternoon callers of the Wayne Schroders in Lowell.

There were also numerous Smaller prizes, games, etc., also a bag of candy and nuts for each cone, which the youngsters thoroughly enjoyed. The loud speaking, also much enjoyed, and Mrs. Watts played one of the oldest courser of Elmdale.

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His. Fred Pattison, Second, Mrs. Ing little candy Christmas trees and dozens of delicious and gally adorned Christmas cookies were served with the ice cream. Mrs.

Rittenger of South Lowell was ALTO METHODIST CHURCH Mr. and Mrs. George Tobias sharpening an axe when it slip. A musical program of outand Mrs. Robert Vidervol and pcd, nearly severing a finger. Standing merit was presented beguests of their daughter and sis-ter, Mrs. Leo Blocher and hus-of Mrs. Sam Quiggle of Gove and at a pre-Christmas dinner Lake, who had broken her right ald directed the Cantata in her Sunday. Miss Harriet Haight of arm in a fall. The fracture just usual very capable manner and Whitehall, a niece of Mr. Bloch- above the wrist was set and Mrs. Mrs. V. L. Watts played the er's who is visiting relatives in Guiggle is now waiting for the piano accompaniments for all

nd Roger attended the meeting Logan Lake Farm Bureau en- session and the community owes f Kent Pomona Grange at Car- joyed the hospitality of Mr. and a deep obligation to these faithof Kent Pomona Grange at Carlisle Grange Thursday night. An especially interesting part of the program was an interview with a Japanese war bride, who has been in this country only 11 months and who told about Holiday customs in her native Japan.

Frederick Pitsch was operated on Monday morning at Blodgett hospital to repair damage to his right leg which was injured No-

fall while at work at the General The Grangers who 'slipped" have sold their tavern to George Motors Stamping Division of Huber, Hunt & Nichols, Inc., of had a very pleasant time, alpects to take possession of the though not many cared to get business, Jan. 3rd. Sunday eve-Mrs. Lettie Shilling of Fre out in the storm. All enjoyed ning fourteen friends of the mont, Ohio, was a recent visitor the adequate potluck supper and Browers gave them a farewell of her mother, Mrs. Florence the exchange of gifts which fol- chop suey supper at the Dar

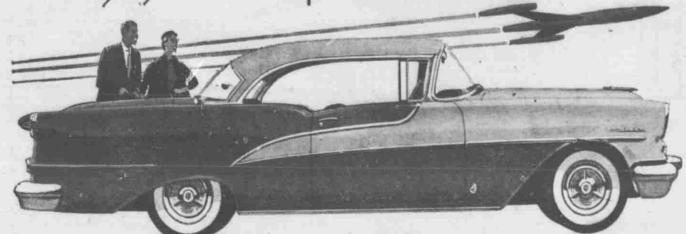
CARD OF THANKS my stay in the hospital and since If you don't know your way out Be kind to the girl you married of a ticklish situation, you ought -the wife you save may be your wish to thank everyone who my return home. Arthur Porritt not to get in one. ily remembered me during c-35



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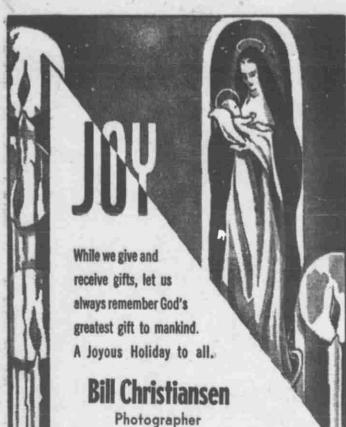
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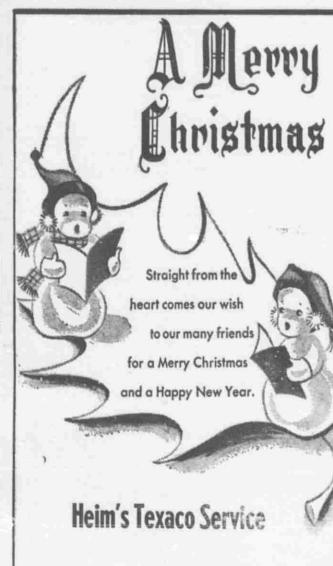


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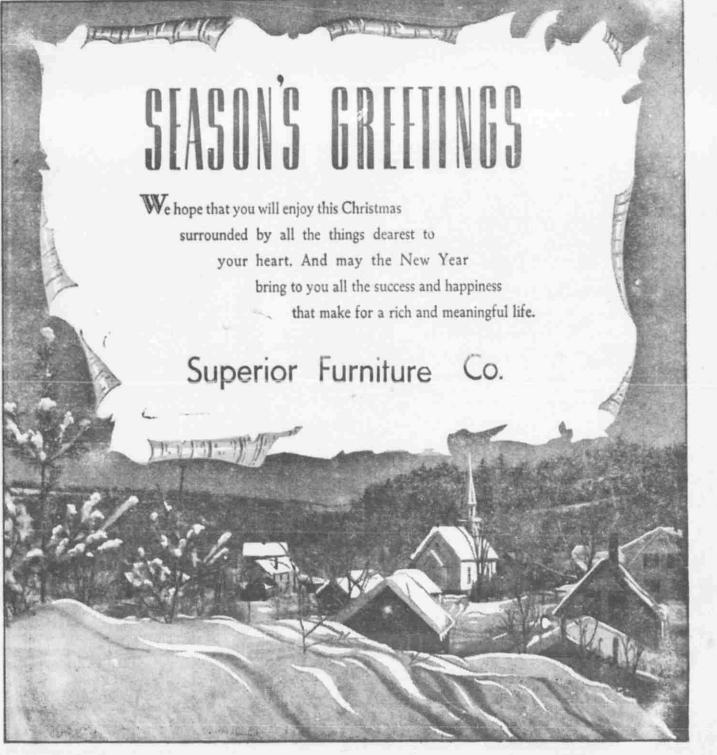
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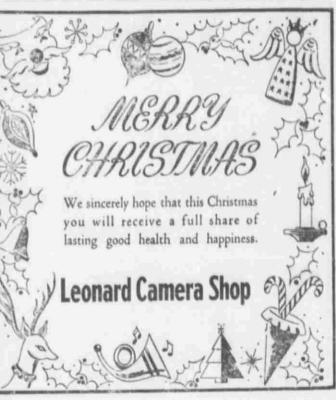








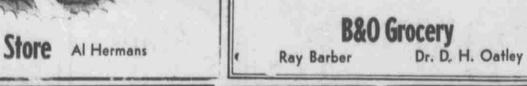














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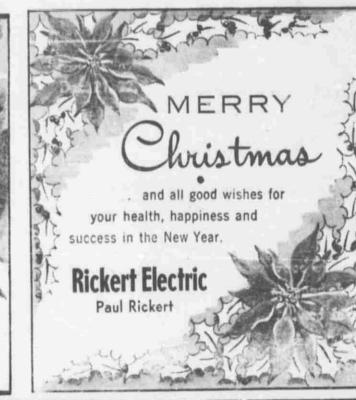




Harold Englehardt













Grand Rapids spent Saturday and daughter Pam were Sunday to Blodgett hospital last week have their Christmas party Dec. evening with Mr. and Mrs. Cliff evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wednesday where he underwent 23 at 7:30 p. m. They plan to surgery. He is getting along go caroling, using a truck for

party Saturday night for her Girl Scouts Troop 45 for their Mrs. Lucy Griswold, who lives ments and games. brother, Mr. and Mrs. Doug beautiful Christmas wreath made at the Ray Averill apartment, Mrs. Eliza Faulkner is very ill EGYPT EXTENSION GROUP Hoekzema who is in the navy by them and their leader, Mrs. submitted to surgery at Butter at the home of her daughter, ENJOYS ANNUAL PARTY and stationed at Sanford, Fla. Warren Rich.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Svoboda Mrs. Grace Whaley, Ada lientertained with a Christmas brarian wishes to thank the Ada in a few days.

The Ada Town hall for refresh-

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The tree, laden with Secret Pals and their guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rooker of Grand Rapids were Sunday dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fitch paid Mrs. Bernie Rooker. Mr. and Mrs. Leona Guilliford, a Christmas visit at the Michigan Veterans Facility last Sunday.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Grover Eugene Morris, Sandra, Shelia and Pamela of Loweil and Mrs. Allie Schmidt and Diane of Dorr.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fitch paid Mrs. Harry Fitch paid Mrs. Harry Fitch paid a Christmas visit at the Michigan Veterans Facility last Sunday.

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The next Extension meeting vill be Tuesday, Jan. 18, 1955 at 1:30 a. m. in the home of Mrs. Enapp Lamphear, lesson on Curtains and Draperies." Mrs. Belle Taylor and Mrs. Mabel Gross will give the les-

GENE DIETZ INJURED WALKS INTO SCHOOL BUS Gene Dietz, 6, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dietz of Ada, suffered scalp lacerations and bruises Thursday morning when he walked into the side of a moving school bus near his home. Gene was apparently looking behind him at an oncoming car, and walked into the path of the bus, driven by George Cook, 41, of Grand River Drive,

Basketball News The Ada High Basketball team played another scrimmage with Oakview at Ada, on Wednesday, December 8, 1954. Again, Ada won with a score of 86-58. The Ada High Basketball team played their first regular game on Friday, December 10, 1954, with Burr Oak at Ada. The teams were evenly matched, but again, Ada won with a score of

Twin Girls Honored Mrs. Florence and Miss Nellie honoring the twin girls, Mary Alice and Marie Pauline, born December 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson of Grand Rapids. The little ladies received many dainty and lovely gifts. The hostesses served refreshments to 14 guests following games and opening of gifts.

Nathan Neesley of Buttrick rd., Mr. and Mrs. Walter Afton, was called to Clearwater, Fla., Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cram-

last week, by the sudden death of ton, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Richardis mother, Mrs, Winifred Nees- son enjoyed a Christmas get-Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Anderson Robert Morris Saturday night. worth hospital last week. Mrs. Jack Nelson on Snow Ave.

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HE LOWELL LEDGER, LOWELL, MICH., DEC. 23, 1954

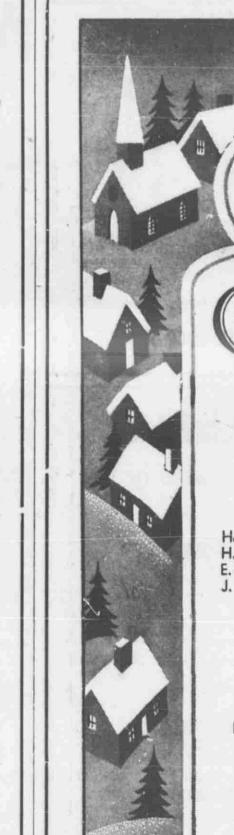
Alice Anderson, Mrs. Ethel VanDerWerf and Mrs. Erma Sumniers.

Charles Morris, who was adding the property of the property Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Grover



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#### BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dale Mil-'er on December 19, at Columbia hospital, Milwaukee, a son, uled for Thursday night at weighing 8 pounds. Mr. Miller Thomas school, has been cancelis the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wes- led because of measles. ley Miller.

To Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mer- spending a few weeks with their daughter, on Dec. 19.

### IN MEMORIAM

years ago, December 26, 1949.

Along US-16 Cecile Croninger are entertaining the measles,

## The Christmas program sched-

Mr. and Mrs. Will Klahn are

rill of Watervliet a 9 lb. 2 oz. son Carroll and wife in Warsaw, New York. Mrs. Floyd Yeiter was a dinner guest of Mrs. Roger Wykes,

In loving memory of Lloyd of Cascade, at the Grand Rapids The Francis Campau family

### Wing Mirror

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### COMING EVENTS

The December meeting of the 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Wm. Huffman, with Mrs. Lewis Jones co-hostess. This is the revealing of the secret pals meet-

28 at 8 p. m. Each member bring day and she accompanied them a 50c gift.

Attention Lowell High School students and classes of 1952, '53 Cotton Ball at City Hall 10:00 p. m. to 1:00 a. m. Orchestra, Hale attended the Shrine Christconfetti, balloons, lunch.

Open Bowling Wednesday 9 to night. 11 p. m.; Friday and Saturday 7 Mrs. Ethel Beachum, a former

### Cub Scout Pack Meeting

Regular Cub Scout Pack meetin the Methodist Parish Hall, Rapids, and the boys displayed and prewhich they have been making cau group Tuesday evening. between the pack-members were tertained the Amaranth Social also exchanged, and Cubmaster Club, twenty in number Sunday Gerald Rollins was presented with a gift from the boys. Treats were distributed to the children, and the meeting disbanded early in order to allow all to attend the P. T .A. program in which most were participating.

### Walter Family Program

The Deborah group of the Congregational church held their regular December meeting Mon. Rapids and little daughter visitday evening also, beginning at ed Saturday afternoon in Keene 9 o'clock, Special feature of this, with her mother Mrs, Carl Jenmeeting was the presentation of sen. Mrs. Arnold has been em-Rruce Walter family. Mrs. Wal. signed because of illness ter gave a short explanation of Mrs. Mary Oneail is ill at her ty of the year at the Peter Buth the origination and grouping of home on North Hudson. home in Grandville. One of the carols, and 12 selections were Buth girls and Robert Campau presented in vocal quartets, trios Christmas Trees and solos, ending with an instrumental medley, and a finale Are Dangerous y the entire group.

Over 30 members of the Dewhich refreshments were served. er heartily approves of a list Mystery sisters were later re of twelve recently published by vealed, and new names for the the firemen of Jackson, Michito both the right and the left coming year were drawn. As gan, regarding the handling of side of the car, and is attached many of the ladies had previous the most-necessary but mostby means of turnbuckles and ly attended the cub pack meet-clamps. ling, and P. T. A. program, this List of Precautions was a busy, busy day!

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### Lowell News

Connie and Kay Williams of Grand Rapids spent several days Past Noble Grand Club will be of last week with their grandheld Monday December 27, at mother, Mrs. Arthur Schneider. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bauman and children of Elkton visited unday at the George Boyenga

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mead of Mulliken and Mr. and Mrs. St. Rita's will meet with Mrs. Frank Austin of Vermontville Stanley Rathbun, Tuesday, Dec. called on Mrs. F. A. Gould, Sunto the Olin home to call on Mrs. Linda Loucks.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Witten and '54. Free New Year's Eve hart, Dan Wingeier and daugh bach, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Brillter Joan and Mr .and Mrs. Geo. mas dance at the Masonic Temp le in Grand Rapids, Saturday

to 11; Sunday 3 to 10. Also, free resident of Lowell, was initiated instructions Wednesday and Fri- into the White Shrine of Jeruday evenings. Special rates for salem at the Masonic Temple teenagers, group of 20 or more. in Ionia, Thursday evening, Mrs. c-30tf C. E. Radford and Mrs. George Hale attended the initiation. service.

Mrs and Mrs. Charles Young were Sunday dinner guests of ing was held Monday evening the Grant Balkemas in Grand

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Weeks sented to their folks the gifts entertained the Star Farm Burfor their December project. Gifts Mr. and Mrs. George Hale en-

> Miss Lois Bieri has completed her three months of training in Chicago and has returned to

Blodgett hospital. Mrs. Louise Schneider and Robert called Sunday on John

Williams at Butterworth hospital where he recently underwent surgery

Mrs. Esther Arnold of Grand a special program on Christmas ployed the past several weeks at carols by seven members of the St. Mary's hospital, but has re-

borah group were present to en. don'ts published at Christmas callers of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin joy this special program after time, and Fire Chief Frank Bak-

These are the precautions: 1. Buy a fresh tree. Be careful of trees described as "fireproof." Chief Baker says he knows of no effective fireproofing of trees.

place until you're ready to set it

Saw off diagonally at least an inch of trunk and keep the tree standing in a container of water when you put it up. Be sure the container always has

4. Keep the tree well away from fireplaces, radiators, tele-vision sets, strong electric lights or other sources of heat. 5. Never use candles for light-

ing. Use only electric lightsand first, check them carefully for defective wires or sockets. 6. Be careful not to overload an electric circuit with the tree

7. Turn off the tree lights if there's to be no one in the room for any length of time. Never leave the house with the tree lights on. 8. Use noncumbustible decora-

tions. 9. Be sure metalic icicles or other decorations don't touch

light sockets. Don't Operate Trains Don't operate trains of other electric toys under the tree;

they might cause sparks, 11. Move the tree lights if the tree needles near the bulbs turn brown. When the needles start falling in large numbers, get rid of the tree.

12. Dispose of the old tree outdoors. If you burn it, be sure the area is safe from harm. Don't burn the tree in the furnace, stove or fireplace. A dry tree burns with almost explosive vio-

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The U. B. Church will have their Christmas tree and program Sunday evening at 7:30, Dec. 26 Mr. and Mrs. Fred McDonald spent Sunday in Three Rivers with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Stinton and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Beathy and new baby.

West Lowell

Mrs. Melvin Court

Season's

Greetings

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Huver spent last week end with relatives in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Nesbitt of There are lots of do's and Grand Rapids, were Thursday

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