

Relief Available Here This Community Aids Tornado Victims; Local Police Serve in Disaster Area

One truckload of clothing left Lowell last week for the stricken families of the Standale area, and another half a truck load, all sorted, is ready to go, according to Lowell Police Chief Frank Stephens.

Mr. Stephens also delivered 184 cans of fruit and vegetables and a generous supply of dried foods which were collected by the Lowell Home Demonstration Groups. These were delivered to the Congressional parsonage of Comstock Park to be distributed among the homeless victims of that area.



Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newell wrote us this week that they will leave Tucson, Ariz., this week for a nice vacation trip before returning to their Lowell home for the summer. They will visit Oak Creek Canyon, Grand Canyon, Santa Fe, New Mexico, and then head for Lowell.

April 12, 1955, was a memorable day—it was the day of the dramatic announcement that the Salk anti-polio serum had been pronounced a success. The serum was stated to be "safe, efficient and effective, and 80-90 per cent perfect" according to the Polio Evaluation Committee compiling reports at the University of Michigan.

The "season" is once again upon us. Let's hope that soon everyone will be inoculated against this dreaded paralytic disease.

March was a rather poor month in Lowell, "newcomerwise". Not a single new family moved to town. But Village Hostess Glad Bergin finally called us up Monday morning, having visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williams at their apartment 115 1/2 E. Main st.

Mrs. Williams is from Lowell, Massachusetts; he is from Clarksville, and is employed at Superior Furniture factory.

It's nice to receive a complimentary letter from a satisfied customer. The Lowell Municipal Utilities received a very nice note from Mrs. Ralph Gauger, who lives on M-91 north of Lowell, thanking them for the "fine service we received the night of the storm. We really appreciated the ones who worked through the night so we could have use of our electricity."

The Bieman didn't report into Lowell office until 8:45 Wednesday morning—they worked all night restoring Lowell power.

Refresher Course Offered Nurses

A refresher course for nurses, especially geared to the needs of the woman who has not been active in nursing in recent years, is being offered free of charge by Butterworth hospital in Grand Rapids.

Registrations are now being taken, and seven meetings will be held on Mondays and Thursdays, starting April 16 through May 3. Classes will be conducted in the hospital's main auditorium.

In the main, the course will include recent developments in drugs and solutions; latest nursing concepts, and related information.

HOUSEWARMING SURPRISES AYRES FAMILY

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ayres and Carol were pleasantly surprised Saturday evening when 25 friends called on them at their new home, and presented them with a lovely gift.

The Ayres have just recently moved to 209 Grand St., in Lowell. Patronize Ledger Advertisers

Lowell Moose Host District Meeting

ning a Moose Frolic at the Lodge on that day.

To be honored will be Carl A. Weis, Grand Herder of the Legion of the Moose, of North Aurora, Ill. He has offices in Mooseheart, Ill., the home of the fraternity's chief city. Mr. Weis is also National Civic Affairs Chairman for the Supreme Lodge.

Mr. Weis was born and educated in Columbus, Ohio, and also attended the Greer Aeronautical College of Chicago and the Ohio State University. He served as Governor of the Columbus Moose Lodge, and is Past President of Ohio State Moose Association.

In 1937, while living in Kalamazoo, Michigan, he became secretary of Lodge No. 88. Later that year he was named an auditor of the Supreme Lodge, and in 1949 he was appointed Chief Auditor. During World War II he served overseas in the 20th Armored Division.

Little Kaufman Child Fails to Revive After Delicate Heart Surgery

Funeral services will be held at the Roth Funeral Chapel this afternoon (Thursday) at 2 o'clock for little Linette Fay Kaufman, 8-month-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Kaufman, 1149 Flat River drive, who passed away at Ford Hospital in Detroit Monday following a delicate heart operation.

Rev. D. E. Weitz will officiate at the services, and interment will be in Oakwood cemetery.

The child had been hospitalized at Ford since December, and her heart condition had been discovered only 3 days after her birth. Linette Fay lived only 5 minutes following surgery.

Surviving besides her parents are her paternal grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kaufman and maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Daverman, all of Lowell.

Hold Paper Drive All Day Saturday

Lowell Boy Scouts and adult leaders will be canvassing the town and surrounding country for paper this Saturday, April 14. Starting at 9:00 they will go house to house, and pick up papers left at the curb.

If you are unable to have the paper at the curb, call TW7-9990 after 5:00 p.m. and arrangements will be made to have the truck stop at your home and call for the donation.

A semi for loading the collection will be parked at the Rutherford Canning factory, and you may bring your paper to this point if you so desire.

The boys have had two very successful drives this year, both netting them over \$150. The monies have been used to purchase a canoe, and also to help in the general upkeep of the Scout building.

Attention Scouts: Members of the Lowell Scout troop are asked to be at the Rutherford lot at 9 o'clock so that the collection can be started promptly.

Nab 12 Speeders During March, Justice Reports

Twelve persons were stopped for speeding, and taken before Justice Howard J. Rittenger's court during the month of March; also, two were fined for improper overtaking and passing. These are only 14 of the total 25 cases handled by Justice Rittenger's court last month.

Thirteen of the 25 violations were in the township, while 11 were inside village limits. One warrant was handled.

A total of \$386 in fines and court costs were collected, of which \$145.50 represent the 13 township violations, and \$240.50 were charged to the 11 village offenses.

Other violations are: Failure to reduce axle speed; improper use of farm commercial plates; failure to stop in assured clear distance; operator's license; turning so as to interfere with traffic; expired registration plate; 2 non-stop for stop sign; unnecessary use of horn; U-turn in no-U-turn zone; and a warrant for reckless driving.

Plans Complete For Annual Syrup Festival

Plans for the 16th Annual Maple Syrup Festival to be held Saturday, April 14, at Vermontville, are now completed, and will include the appearance of Vic Hyde from Niles, an instrumentalist who has appeared in shows with many of the big names in the entertainment world. Festivities will include a children's parade at 11:00 a.m. and will feature the famed Lansing Boys "File and Bugle Corps". The main parade will follow at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Even Governor G. Mennen Williams will be there, to crown Miss Margaret McLaughlin queen of the entire day's program.

School Hot Lunch Menu

A baked ham sandwich starts out the menu for the Lowell Public Schools Hot Lunch program for next week, April 16 through 20. This will be complemented by cake fruit, milk and bread and butter.

On Tuesday, Chop Suey with rice will be served, with cookies, jello, milk and bread and butter. Meat loaf with catsup, vegetables, and banana cream pudding for dessert has been planned for Wednesday. Thursday will be baked ham, celery sticks, cherry cobbler, and a wedge of cheese; and on Friday they will have a tasty salmon loaf, with buttered vegetables and cookies. Of course milk, bread and butter will also be served with these three lunches.

All lunches are 30 cents. If milk is purchased to go along with a sack lunch it is only 3 cents. And the good old favorite, hot dog lunch is available every day.

SHARP

Come in and ogle our spring jackets. We doubt if you can resist 'em. Coons.

Cong. Ford Visits Alto Tornado Area



Saturday morning Congressman Gerald R. Ford visited the areas around Alto which were hit by the tornado Tuesday night, April 3. He is pictured above with Leo Smith, who operates the Livingston farm on 8th street. The Livingston house was severely damaged by the twister, and the barn and silos were completely destroyed, along with dozens of trees.

Congressman Ford was in the area to explain the federal aid that is available to those who need it. He stated that the Red Cross was standing by with cash grants to those that need money for clothing and emergency needs.

The Farmers Home Administration can offer 20 year loans at 3 per cent interest to repair or rebuild buildings wrecked by the storm. The Administration's Grand Rapids office, headed by Jay Hansen is in the Our Theatre building, 735 Leonard St., N. W.

Loans are also available from the Small Business Administration and the Federal Housing Administration.

Accompanying Ford on his tour was Supervisor Fred Pattison, Deputy William Reynhout, Ledger Editor Harold Jefferies and Suburban Life Editor Kenneth Ezinga.

Village Mailmen Get New Uniforms

The three village mail carriers will soon be sporting very official looking uniforms to wear while slipping letters in your mail boxes. Rex Collins, Bill Dawson and Paul Kerekes, have each received a \$100 allowance from Uncle Sam with which to purchase their finery, which includes a smart grey suit, contrasting shirt, and maroon tie. The outfit is also trimmed in maroon.

The uniforms must, by regulation, be purchased in April; so he's looking forward to seeing your mail carrier decked out in his new duds. In the past it has been up to the individual mailman to buy his own uniform.

Up to this time Paul Kerekes has been the only carrier of the three completely uniformed. He has worked for the post office 15 years, but has only been a village carrier since 1948. Bill Dawson became a fulltime carrier two years ago; and Rex has been a substitute carrier for the past six years.

You'd Never Know They Had Tornado Damage

A passer-by would not necessarily know that the Messmore farm on US-16 just east of M-50 had been hit hard by the recent tornado that whipped through this area. Although they lost their barn, and the farm home was uninhabitable because of severe roof damage, Glen Vos, who runs the farm, told us this Tuesday morning that things were almost back to normal.

In less than a week's time contractors had rebuilt the entire barn and roofed the home. The fast working contractors were men who had previously contracted for Dr. Messmore, and were highly commended by Mr. Vos.

School Bus Damaged in 36th Street Crash

A veteran Lowell School Bus, fondly called old "No. 1" by the students, hit a rut on 36th street last Friday afternoon, damaging the axle disabling the steering mechanism in such a way that the driver, Kenneth Williams, lost control, and they ended in the Vernon Hunter lawn at 10886 36th st.

The bus could not be driven from the scene, and another was called to continue returning the bus load of students to their homes. No one was hurt in the accident. The older bus was being used in place of the usual one which was laid up for minor repairs.

Residents on 36th street state that many times ruts and chuck holes in the road are hidden after the road has been scraped, and that they believed this probably what happened in the case of the bus.

The bus is being repaired by a local garage, but no estimates have as yet been made as to the cost of repair.

Things being as they are, so far as sitters and maids go, a willing mother-in-law is a blessing these days.

Local 4H's Prepare for Panorama

Two Lowell girls will open the Tuesday afternoon program of the 4H Club Panorama which will be presented by the Kent County 4H organizations for the third time in Grand Rapids. Dates of the event are April 17 through 19, and the afternoon program beginning at 1 o'clock starts out with a Share the Fun act by Cara Lee Croninger and Sheila Olin.

Other events that afternoon will be selections by the Polka Dots of Caledonia, a Junior Style Review, Knitting Style Review, Dress Review Winner announced, and the Dog Show.

In the evening the Grand Rapids Chamber of Commerce will hold a banquet to honor the 4H Leaders of Kent County.

A parade is planned for Wednesday after which the exhibit displays in the Civic Auditorium will be open to the public. Even Lassie will be there, and the famed canine will also allow two of her puppies to be presented to some lucky boy or girl.

All in all, it promises to be a very busy three days for the local 4H's who will be taking part. From the program Tuesday afternoon to the Grand Review and selection of the King and Queen, anyone interested in 4H will find much entertainment at the Third Annual Chamber of Commerce will hold a Panorama.

First Grass Fire Friday; Spring's Here to Stay!

Whether or not the weather indicates "Spring is here" for more than one day at a time, we know it is here in earnest now. The Lowell Fire Department was called to its first grass fire of the year Friday afternoon.

The firemen were called to the Ellsworth Raymor home, 611 N. Jefferson. Mr. Raymor was burning some rubbish and the fire spread to the grass, getting out of control. The volunteers quickly put out the blaze before any damage was done.

Tank Truck Repaired

The tank truck, which has been out of service for some months, was recently repaired, and even received a brand new coat of "firemen's red" paint, just in time for the grass fire season which is now upon us.

Must Have Permit

Residents are reminded that they must obtain a permit before starting an open fire.

Damage caused by fires can be assessed to the faulty party, according to Police Chief F. L. Stephens; in case of injury to a person this is considered a felony.

To Install Light At Main-Hudson Week of May 21

The long-awaited traffic signal light at the intersection of State Highways M-91 and M-21 in Lowell (Main and Hudson streets) will be installed the week of May 21, the Ledger was informed Wednesday morning.

Ralph Shoemaker, a Lowell resident, who is District Traffic Engineer for the State Highway Department, said the work has been held up because of the shortage of steel poles. This pole must be set in cement, and then the final installation of the light can be made. The entire job should not take longer than a week.

Showboat Garden Club To Meet April 16

A busy meeting has been planned for the members of the Lowell Showboat Garden Club when they meet at the home of Mrs. Glendon Bovee on April 16th. The meeting will be called at 8 o'clock; Mrs. Bernard Kropp will be co-hostess.

Topic of the evening is "Watch These Plants", prepared by Mrs. Clark Fletcher and Mrs. Arie Leeman. A discussion on the shrub of the month, the magnolia, will also be discussed by Mrs. S. J. Ayers.

As a part of the year's program the club will feature a flower arrangement at each meeting, prepared in secret by two of the members. Many beautiful and unusual ideas are anticipated by members.

It may be necessary to complete some work on the table decorations for the district meeting of the Michigan Federated Garden Clubs to be held in Lowell April 18. And members are reminded that the deadline for making reservations for this meeting is Saturday, April 14. Members may still secure registration blanks from Mrs. Ayres, if they did not obtain one at the last club meeting.

Dorcas Group Plans Mother-Daughter Banquet

The Dorcas Group of the Lowell Congregational Church will sponsor a Mother and Daughter Banquet at the church on Tuesday evening, April 24. A ham dinner will be served, and will begin at 7 o'clock.

Everyone planning to attend must have a reservation. To make a reservation call Janice Copeland, TW7-7303, or Colores Collins, TW7-7841.

Expenses for the banquet will be defrayed by a free-will offering, to be taken at the dinner.

Laura Hunn Elected Tretthora President

Laura Hunn was elected president of the Tretthora Group of the Campfire girls at their April 5 meeting.

Serving with her will be Judy Fuller as vice-president, Audrey Weitz as secretary, Alice Smith treasurer, and Darleen Mayou will be the scribe.

On May 14 there will be a P. T. A. program in which the Campfire girls are to participate. It will be held at Recreation Park. On the 24th of March the group held a bake sale and earned \$8.21.

KENT JR. FARM BUREAU WILL MEET TONIGHT

The regular meeting of the Kent County Junior Farm Bureau will be held Thursday (tonight) April 8 at 8:00 at Vergennes Hall.

Anyone interested is cordially invited to attend, new members are needed.

Recreation will follow the business meeting and refreshments will be served.

David Crebs Reporter

Lowell Beer Store open every day and evening, Sunday until 7:00 p.m.

Lowell P. T. A. Seeks New President; Progress Reported by Safety Council

A concerted effort has been by the nomination committee of the Lowell Parent-Teacher association to obtain a candidate for president of this group for the school year 1956-57, but as of the regular April meeting Monday evening no person had been secured who could devote a portion of his time to this important job.

Although a sincere search was made, the committee reported to the Ledger that they did not feel they had contacted all the capable candidates, and if any such a person would step forward and volunteer to take the job, it would of course be very much appreciated.

Life Resident Dies Saturday

Mrs. Emily Murray, who passed away Saturday, April 7, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Agnes Watson of Lowell, was laid to rest Monday afternoon in the Snow Cemetery just one quarter of a mile from her birthplace.

Mrs. Murray, who was 90 years of age, was born at the homestead home of her parents, Uriah and Mary Snow, located on Snow avenue at 28th street. Mr. and Mrs. Snow were the second white settlers of Cascade twp., following the Buttricks of Cascade, who settled across Grand River from them.

The deceased was the youngest of 9 children. Her entire life was spent in Cascade and Lowell townships.

The funeral services were held at the Roth Chapel in Lowell, under the auspices of the Cyclamen Chapter No. 94, Order of the Eastern Star. Mrs. Murray was a life member of this Lowell chapter. Rev. Norman Woon also officiated at the services.

Until her confinement thirteen years ago, the deceased was very active in the Lowell Congregational Church, of which she was a member. She also belonged to the Rebekah Lodge.

Surviving besides Mrs. Watson are a son George Murray of Chicago, seven grandchildren, and eleven great grandchildren.

HOPE BRETHREN CHURCH PLANS TEA APRIL 17

There will be a Frances Willard tea sponsored by the W. C. T. U. of the Hope Brethren Church on M50 on April 17 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The church is located just east of Freepport road.

Mrs. Russell Hartzler will show pictures of Germany, taken last summer during her sojourn there.

Screw Anchor

A new screw anchor holds with a lock-washer grip where a screw won't, and can be applied to hollow type wall, floor, or ceiling. It can be used for many purposes, such as stair rails, electric fixtures, and fans. Low in price, they are easily applied and extremely useful.

Applied to the roof of a building, heat-repellent paint is reported to lower interior temperatures as much as 45 degrees. This "air conditioning" paint reflects heat, light, and infrared waves from its white surface, and has been applied successfully to steel, wood, aluminum, glass, asphalt shingle, and masonry.

"Of course opposites attract. A lot of hard cash is in soft hands."

Lowell Clubs Prepare for Meeting



The charming little birdhouses on which the three ladies above are concentrating their efforts, will be a part of the decoration theme at the annual meeting of the Federated Garden Clubs of Michigan, Region No. 4, when they convene here in Lowell on Wednesday, April 18. Pictured extreme right is Mrs. Edward Kiel, chairman of decorations and corsages, and in whose home the above picture was taken. Working with her are Mrs. J. E. Rannan, on Mrs. Kiel's right, chairman of Registration, and Mrs. Robert Crouch, who, with Mrs. Harold Wittenbach, is in charge of favors.

The day's events, which will be attended by an expected 200 garden club members from as far north as Pentwater, and as far south as Holland, will include registration and coffee from 9:30 to 10:20 a.m.

A business meeting will follow at 10:30, at which Mrs. W. Harold White, Regional Director, will preside. Mrs. Jack Fonger, President of the Showboat Garden Club, will welcome the visitors.

At the luncheon meeting at 12:30 James Jones of Grand Rapids will speak on "Landscaping the Home Grounds. Mr. Jones has 8 years experience in landscape and design service in Grand Rapids, and

has lectured on television, as well as conducting classes at the Putnam school at the Y. W. C. A.

Local Chairmen

Other committee chairmen who are working diligently to make this regional meeting a success are: Mrs. Orrin Sterken, Reception; Mrs. Jack Munroe, morning coffee; Mrs. Jack Fonger, program; Mrs. Lawrence Armstrong and Mrs. Charles Clarke, Ways and Means; and Mrs. Howard Claek and Mrs. Arle Leeman, luncheon. Mrs. Ralph Shoemaker and Mrs. Gerald Rollins are general co-chairmen of the entire event.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy J. Adams and children of Mt. Pleasant spent Sunday with the Harold Buck family.

Ionia Drive-In Theatre

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Lowell Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Benedetti and daughters of Belding called on Mrs. Will Huffman, Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Weller of Niagara Falls, N. Y., visited relatives and friends in Lowell over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Robinson have returned from a week visit with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Alley in New Orleans. They also called on friends in Owashtown, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Evans and Mrs. Gerald Rollins attended Rotary Club Charter night at Kalkaska, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick DeVinney came from Albi Saturday to play the organ for the Owens-Kindra wedding Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith of Detroit spent Sunday with her mother Mrs. Iva Linton, and with friends in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Story who has been under observation in Blodgett hospital the past week will submit a major surgery Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira McCall of Chicago spent Friday, Saturday and Sunday at their Lowell home.

Miss Janet Boyce of Livonia was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Boyce last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Good of Muskegon visited his grand-parents Mr. and Mrs. James Collins, Sunday.

Blodgett Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith a son Ricky Alan. Weight 8 pounds 12 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Co's of Lansing spent Tuesday afternoon with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cole. Week end visitors at the Cole home were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ingersoll and children of Hastings and Sunday evening the Cole's and Ingersolls were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Pfaller of Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith of Hastings and Mr. and Mrs. John E. Smith of Middleville called on Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Snyder and sons of Kalamazoo were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Reynolds.

Thirteen men attended Men's group at Snow Church Thursday evening and greatly enjoyed the pictures shown by Gordon Johnson of Lowell and the fish and chips supper furnished by Ray Hesche, Sr.

A double ring ceremony was solemnized in the Lowell Methodist church Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. April 7th, uniting in marriage Jeanne Blaser Kindra and Gerald D. Owens. The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Albert Blaser. Mr. Owens is the son of Mrs. Sylvia J. Owens of Royal Oak.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Shimmel and Tommy were Easter dinner guests at the Joe Geisboed home in Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Quiggle and Roger were Easter dinner guests at the D. N. Garrison home in Cascade.

Richard DeVinney played a prelude of organ music and accompanied the soloist, Mrs. Charles Turok of Paducah, Kentucky, who sang, "Whisper Thou Goest" and "Milk and Honey".

The bride was given in marriage by her father, and was attired in a gown of length dress of ice blue crystaline, fashioned with an empire waistline. The bodice of her gown was of chantilly lace over ice blue nylon, trimmed around the scoop neckline with seed pearls. She wore matching gloves of lace. The bride carried a crescent nosegay of calla lilies and hyacinths.

Mrs. Joseph E. Pous of Grosse Pointe attended the bride as matron of honor, wearing a blue tulle and lace dress with matching accessories.

Mr. Owens served his son as best man. Ushers were Harold J. Owens of Detroit and Thomas E. Owens of Saginaw, brothers of the groom.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Blaser chose a street-length gown of mauve silk with matching accessories. She wore a corsage of lavender cymbidiums.

Mrs. Owens chose a mint green silk gown with matching accessories. Her corsage was of green cymbidiums.

A reception following the ceremony was held in the church parlors. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smutz of Columbus, Ohio, presided as master and mistress of ceremonies. Assisting were Mrs. J. G. Hagaman of Coderville, Mrs. R. C. Brent of Highland Park, Mrs. Wallace Graham and Mrs. Richard Courser of Grand Rapids. The wedding cake was decorated with blue icing, following the bride's theme of blue.

The couple left on a southern wedding trip. They will be at home at 520 W. Highway st., Lowell, Michigan.

N. McCards-E. Cascade Mrs. Effie Cox

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Quiggle of Ada visited at the Charlie Quiggle home the past week.

Mrs. Mary Wilson and son were Easter dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wilson and Son.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wilson and son spent Sunday at the home of Will Wilson and family of Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Regan Sr. visited their son and family in Middleville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bentley were in Grand Rapids Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. David Rippe and daughter of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cox and family and Fay Degeod were visitors at his parents home Sunday.

Miss Geraldine Huff and Bill Klunderman of Grand Rapids were dinner guests at the J. Cox home Sunday.

West Lowell Mrs. Melvin Court

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hutchinson and Mrs. Rose White of Lowell were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin VanDyke.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Schmidt were Friday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dawson were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jackson of Parnell.

Joe Roberts went by plane to Miami Florida Saturday to attend the funeral of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Myers were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Del Kropp.

R. A. Schmidt and family of McCord's were Sunday guests of their parents Mr. and Mrs. Claude Schmidt.

Grove Lake Mrs. Leon Sealey

Mr. and Mrs. Eva Robinson of Lansing spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Gregory. Mrs. Robinson is Mrs. Gregory's sister-in-law. Mrs. Robinson's daughter Mrs. Russell Burghy and children of Lansing were Sunday afternoon and evening visitors at the Gregory home and Mrs. Robinson returned to Lansing with them.

Mrs. Elizabeth Shimmel spent Sunday in Lansing with Mrs. Louise Groender.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Buttrick and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Rolyn and family in Kalamazoo. Sympathy of the neighborhood is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Robert White in their bereavement for the death of Mrs. Whites father, Mr. Arthur Blain of Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert White were Friday dinner guests of the Harold Buttrick family.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sealey, who spent several weeks in Fla. and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Folkert Susan, and Philip of Kalamazoo, Iowa were Sunday callers at the S. T. Sealey and Leon Sealey homes.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pollice of Mr. Clemens were Easter dinner guests of the John Pollice Sr. family.

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Star Corners Mrs. Ira Blough Mrs. and Mrs. Harold Krebs and daughters were Tuesday evening visitors at George Krebs home.

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Nancy Ward named to Southern P. & T. F. OUB Mrs. Nancy Ward, president of the Senior Pilgrim Fellowship of Ada Congregational Church, has been selected to join a Southern tour with 11 other Michigan young people, and visit mission schools in Indiana, Kentucky, Tennessee, Georgia and Alabama.

Mrs. Francis Reams spent the last week-end visiting her nephew, Mrs. Lester Harter at Big Rapids. Mrs. Mable Goss of Lovell is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Anderson.

Honey Creek News Mrs. Leona Hunt Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tucker of South Bend Ind. visited over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bendley.

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MEMBER OF PANORAMA EXHIBIT Mrs. Nancy Nordhoff is preparing for the 4th Panorama April 15-19. It can't help but be a success what with members of our community, Jane Potter, Dolores Shaffer, Karen Bates, Patty and Bruce Rittenberg, Lawrence Wittenbach, Julia and Jean Stand, Preston, Donna and Fred Wiseman, Norma and Bill Wieland, displaying their many art projects.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Jackson and baby of Belding were Sunday dinner guests at the John Smith home. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith, and Rheta will attend the M. R. T. A. meeting at Traverse City Friday and Saturday.

HOW BOUT THAT Drawn for The Lowell Ledger and the Lowell Board of Trade by Ralph Teo.



South Boston Mrs. Belle Young Lewis Mick plans to discontinue farming and is having a sale of livestock and farm equipment on Wednesday.

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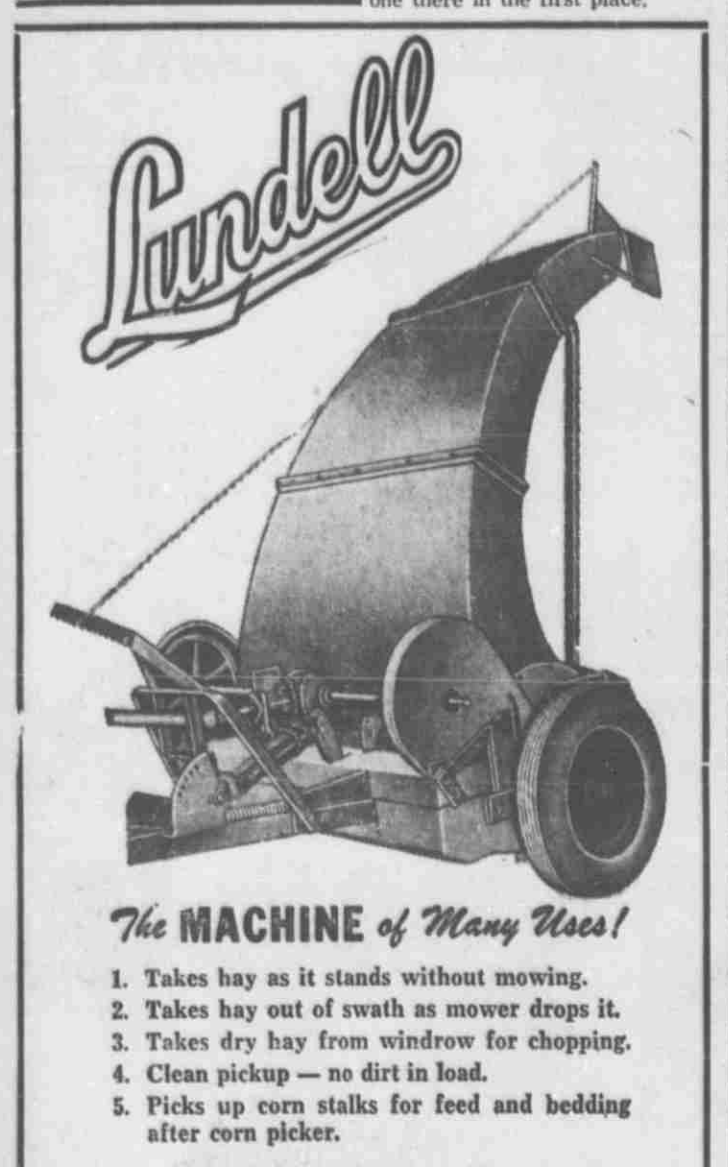
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APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR
State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Kent, held at its Probate Office in the City of Grand Rapids in said County, on the 11th day of March, A. D. 1966.

STANLEY J. TIMINIS, Deceased.
In the County of Kent, Michigan.
The undersigned, Clerk of the Court, do hereby certify that the will of the above named testator, as the same is on file in said Court, is a true and correct copy of the original as the same is on file in said Court.

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U-M Doctor Outlines First Aid Procedure for Burns, Bad and Minor

While prevention is always the best treatment for burns, a few simple safeguards can help prevent scalding and promote prompt healing when they do occur, according to a University of Michigan medical specialist.

Open flames which ignite clothing, boiling fluids, and hot metal surfaces like stoves or irons are often the cause of burns in the home, says Dr. Paul Hodgson, assistant professor of surgery at the University of Michigan Hospital.

Minor first and second degree burns—identified by reddening of the skin and blister formation—should be kept clean and protected from irritation or infection, the doctor warns.

He suggests these burns be soothed gently with a mild soap and cotton, then dressed lightly with gauze or left open. If only an ointment is used, it should be a light application of a mild, bland ointment such as sterile vaseline.

Foreman Road Mrs. Edna Taylor

The W. S. C. S. will hold a baked goods sale at the Lenox Studio Saturday April 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Hearing of Grand Rapids called on Mrs. Bert Baker and Mrs. Hearing Sunday. Later they all went to the Louis Baker home in Lowell.

Fred Roth and Ernest Althaus went to Battle Creek Sunday to visit Mr. Althaus' daughter Mrs. Bill Bergess and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hemmings children of Lowell called on Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hemmings Sunday. A. M. and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Kowers and Carol of Lowell accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Odell and children to Grand Rapids Sunday where they called on Mr. and Mrs. Austin Munson and then drove to the tornado area at Rockford.

Mrs. Sam Ryder accompanied a group of women to Hastings Friday where they judged 4H work. Mr. and Mrs. John Vos and children were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Heilmann Friday night and Debbie stayed over night and Saturday with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Taylor called on the Ralph Kinsey family near Tofant Sunday. The Kinsey's were in the path of the tornado but were not hurt. Their house and barn were ruined.

Mrs. Helen Fuss rec'd word of the former's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Wats. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wingeler of Pals were Sunday dinner guests of the Wats'.

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The shed was too far gone to save but the firemen kept the fire from spreading to the barn which was near by as it is estimated at about \$2,000 partly covered by insurance.

The fire originated from a heat lamp which was being used in a farrowing pen to keep little pigs from becoming chilled. The pigs and mother were rescued from the shed.

Other Alto Items
Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Sullivan and son of Centerville and Mrs. Julia Fichter and Mrs. Nellie Conway of Hastings were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Rosenberg. Recent callers of Mrs. Rosenberg were Mrs. Bert Blank and Mrs. Fred Cook and Mrs. Amos Miller all of Pleasant Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Denton Wilcox and family were Sunday evening lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Kerr of Bailey Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Blocher and son are spending a three week vacation touring through the western States. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Strouse and family of Hastings were Sunday guests at the Clinton Blocher home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Workman and daughter of Dutton and Fred Foss were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Postman of McCords and Frank Moll of Blendon.

Rev. J. G. Ballant of Whitneyville attended a meeting of the Clarkville Ministerial Association held at Grace Brethren Church near Clarkville Monday.

Sunday callers at the James Green home were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Fleet and son Clare Fleet and wife all of Freedland. Mr. and Mrs. Manard Hunt of Clarkville spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. James Green.

Mrs. Mina Bruce and Mrs. Ora Lee Kenyon were hostesses for the Clark Circle meeting held at the Methodist Church Tuesday.

Marconi, inventor of the wireless telegraph, received the Nobel prize for physics in 1909.

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Brownies

1/3 cups Brownie Quick Mix 1/3 cup Milk
1/2 cup Chopped Nuts or Raisins 1/2 cup Melted Butter or Margarine
1 Egg, well beaten 1 teaspoon Vanilla

1. Place mix in bowl. Add nut meats or raisins and mix.
2. Beat egg in another bowl. Add milk, melted butter and vanilla. Gradually add to mix, beating well after each addition.
3. Turn into a well greased 9x9 in. pan and bake in moderate oven (375 Deg. F.) 20 to 25 minutes, or until cake springs back when it is lightly touched with fingers. When cool cut in squares. (Yield: 16 brownies)

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Weddings Announced

Stowell-Lock
Miss Delores J. Lock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pleun Lock, 4681 Ada dr., became the bride of Alan R. Stowell, on March 24th. The ceremony was performed at the Methodist Church in Richmond, Ind. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Stowell of Lansing are the parents of the bridegroom.

Washburn-MacFarland
David Lee Washburn and Miss Corrine MacFarland were married March 31, at the Grace Methodist Church of Flint. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Washburn formerly of Lowell. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lenora Rivett, also of Flint. After enjoying a wedding trip to Washington, D. C., the couple returned to Flint where they will make their new home.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest thanks and appreciation to all our relatives, friends and neighbors, especially to the ladies of the O. E. S. and Rebekahs and W. R. C. for their many kindnesses, also the pallbearers and Rev. Woon, since the death of our dear mother and grandmother, Mrs. Emily Murray.

"In my Father's House are many mansions" Our Blessed Saviour said, And to prepare for us this glorious place, He traveled on ahead. Mother too has traveled on, All free from pain and care, To dwell in God's many mansions. She's waiting for us there.

By Agnes Watson
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Watson and Family
Mr. and Mrs. George Murray and Family.

"A woman's definition of a girl is any woman her own age."

COMING EVENTS

The Perry Group of the Congregational Women's Fellowship will meet in the parish house on Friday afternoon, April 13, at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Martin Houseman will be hostess.

Vergennes Farm Bureau will meet at the hall Tuesday evening, April 17, with Mr. and Mrs. Oris Groenboom as hostess.

The Priscilla Group of the Methodist Church will meet Wednesday, April 18, at 8:00 in the church lounge. The program will be a book review given by Mrs. C. A. Bradshaw.

The American Legion Auxiliary at Legion Community Building will meet Monday night, April 18, 8 o'clock.

The Morse Lake-McCords Farm Bureau will meet at the Morse Lake school on Friday evening, April 13, at 8:00 p.m. Miss Marian Schoolland will show pictures of New Mexico, and nature slides. Hostesses will be Mrs. Lisle Clark and Mrs. Glenn Yeiter.

Women of the Moose, will serve a swiss steak dinner for the Legion of the Moose 108, Sunday, April 15, at 5:00 p.m. The dinner will be followed by a dance and entertainment.

Swiss Ladies Aid will meet in the home of Mrs. Ira Blough near Alto on Thursday afternoon, April 19.

The Three M's will meet at 8 o'clock Thursday evening, April 12, with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Clack, Program chairman, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Rollins, have asked that everyone bring along a baby picture of himself.

Mothers' Club of Riverview school will have a baked goods sale at Hahn's Hdwr. Friday, April 20th starting at 3:30 p. m. c51-52
Hi Lo Gun Club will have open shooting Sunday, April 22, starting at 10:00 a. m. (weather permitting) 4 miles north on Lincoln Lake rd.

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This week's honored teen is a speaker and a fine one too. Judy Wotell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wotell, Gladys Avenue, Cascade, and a junior at Lowell High School, has proved recently that among her many talents, her ability to speak publicly and convey a convincing argument pleasingly is very well developed.

As a project for her English class Judy chose to do an oration on "Should the Legal Voting Age be Lowered to 18?" She did so well that her talk was included in a school assembly, the local Rotary and Lions clubs' programs, and on station WION, Ionia. Also, along with some seniors in Special English she entered the Annual Regional Speech Contest where out of eleven contestants in the oration division, she placed 5th.

Busy Student
Besides these recent achievements Judy is active in many phases of school and community life. An honor roll student all three of her years in high school, Judy

from the BENCH

By Buck Gotschall

The Lowell Spring sports are off to a nice start. Lowell defeated Rockford in tennis and baseball while the track team defeated Belding in a non-conference meet. We have over a hundred boys out for spring sports so we believe part of the credit should go to some of our Farmer parents. Many of the dads are having to work a little harder, and many of the Mothers are having to keep those suppers hot all because they want their son to have the opportunity to gain the benefit of athletics.

We recently heard of a mother who phoned the doctor and exclaimed, "Doctor, rush over here my son has swallowed a fountain pen. The doctor replied, 'I'm sorry madame, but I will have to take care of several patients before I can come.' 'But doctor,' pleaded the woman, 'what shall I do in the mean time?' The doctor replied, 'I guess you'll have to use a pencil.'

Coach Bob Perry caught several walleyes over the week-end—they must be hitting.

Trout season will soon open. Fishermen will have a much better excuse this year when they bring home an empty creel. They will be fishing for trout that have more "education". Last year there were considerably more trout sent to school. The conservation department has found that it may pay off. When the trout are fed in the rearing ponds they are trained to hide if they hear a splash or see movement—if they don't, they receive an electric shock. So you wives shouldn't be too hard on luckless fishermen this year!

Last year Leonard Fase smashed two hurdle records. Two other fellows have shown signs of wanting to leave their names in our high school. Junior Bob Caragon ran a 2:8 half mile, and Sophomore Geo. Henderson was clocked at 56 seconds in the 1/4 mile. The Lowell track squad is filled with good freshmen, sophomores, and juniors; next year should be Lowell's big track year.

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We wish to express our deepest appreciation to everyone who gave us such good help the night of the recent tornado, and to all who have aided us in countless kind ways since then.
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We wish to extend our thanks to the many friends and neighbors for their cards and many acts of kindness after my recent accident.
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Mortality Rate Low as State's Birth Record Mounts to 195,999

Provisional figures released by the Michigan Department of Health show that, while more babies were born to Michigan mothers in 1955 than in any previous year in history, the infant and maternal death rates were the lowest ever recorded.

A grand total of 195,999 births were reported in Michigan last year. Previous high was in 1954 when 192,104 babies were born—3,895 less than in 1955.

While this new record for births was being set, all time lows in infant and maternal deaths were also recorded. The infant death rate last year was 24.8 per 1,000 live births. This compares with 62.8 in 1930.

Maternal deaths plummeted to a low of 3.1 per 10,000 births. This compares with a death rate of 60.4 in 1930, or a reduction of 95% in 25 years.

Comparing births in Michigan to deaths at all ages the department reports that for every ten persons who died in 1955, only 19 were born.

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Lowell Track Team Trounces Belding In First Meet of Season; 71 1/2 - 37 1/2

Lowell turned in an impressive victory over Belding Tuesday evening. The Arrows won by a score of 71 1/2 to 37 1/2. Coach Gotschall believes it was Lowell's depth that won. Although Lowell and Belding split first and third places, Lowell took all of the second places except one.

Placing for Lowell were: Shot Put, Perry Vanderveen, 2nd; Dick Froese, 3rd. Pole Vault, Leonard Fase, Charles Dykhuysen, Charles Ryder, 3-way tie for first. Broad Jump, Jerry Pollice, 2nd; Don Dawson, 3rd; Bob Caragon and C. Ryder tied for first. 120-yard High Hurdles, Leonard Fase 1st; Keith Fase 2nd. 100-yard Dash, Bob Whitaker 2nd; Don Dawson 3rd. Mile Run, Toby Watters 2nd; Pat Cole 3rd. 440-yard Dash, George Henderson, 1st; Charles Ryder 2nd. 180-yard Low Hurdles, Leonard Fase, 1st; Keith Fase 3rd. 220-yard Dash, Bob Whitaker 2nd; Don Dawson 3rd. Half Mile, Bob Caragon 1st; Ken Canfield 2nd.

Excellent early season times were recorded in the high hurdles (16.2), half mile (2:08.4), and the quarter mile (56.0). The Arrows open their conference season with

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Green-Starkweather
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Richards of Lowell wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Elaine Mary Green, to Gary Earl Starkweather, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Starkweather, also of Lowell. The young couple have set June 22 as their wedding date and the ceremony will take place at 7:30 p.m. in the Lowell Church of the Nazarene. Miss Green is a student at the Grand Rapids Comptometer School. They both attended Lowell schools. After their marriage they will make their home in Lowell.

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If husbands would learn shorthand, their wives wouldn't have to repeat their reproaches so often.