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Lowell Will Welcome 23rd Annual Fair

Board Decides '57 4-H Fair Site Will Be Lowell; Name Special Committees

week, it seems very appropriate counties to hold a Tri-County fair school. and fortunate that the Ledger is on the Berlin fair site. able to announce the decision of the 1957 Kent County 4H Fair Board in favor of returning to study of the offer, but decided that Lowell for their 23rd annual fair for the good of the 4H club pronext August.

The decision, announced by William Rupp, county agricultural agent, was reached when the directors met and also named com-

The site action for the 1957 fair was necessary after the Berlin Fair tion of Mrs. Glenn Marvin of Cas-



ing hands. Quinton Neubecker has sold his place on the Main street bridge to two Grand Rapids men, Melvin D. Bulk and Carl Van-Setters, jr.

The new owners appeared at the council meeting Monday night to secure their approval of the liquor license transfer.

This is National 4H Week, March 2 through 9, and many Lowell merchants have expressed greetings throughout this issue of the paper. We too want to compliment this forward-looking organization of youth, which has as its main goal the cultivating of better citizens for the world of to-

We can't forget the workers either, the leaders who teach these youngsters their crafts, and their ideals.

First Grass Fire

Lowell had its first grass fire of the year Tuesday, when Asa Kelley of Emery drive phoned in an alarm. Mrs. Charles Gould, who lives in the tenant house behind the Kelley home was burning rubbish, which set the grass afire, and the depart ment was called.

Fire Chief Baker reminds residents that when cleaning up yards, etc., in the spring, permits must be obtained to set open fires—and he or Police Chief Frank Stephens can issue

Extreme caution must be used in burning over land, and because of the dry conditions last fall fires could quickly spread out of control. Don't be careless.

Lowell had to call the Sheriff's rier, driving west to Muskegon, mity in dairy buildings.

Firemen stated the fire was con- and election of officers. tion when one of the duals went the place. The program begins at ley basement.

The alarm was sounded about 8:15, and police had their hands full keeping traffic flowing by the

This week being National 4H, tion to Kent, Ottawa and Muskegon

Make Thorough Study The Kent board made a thorough

gram the fair should be continued at Lowell. Veterans Return

E. L. Phelps of Cedar Springs vas appointed to fill the Fair Board vacancy left by the resigna-Association had extended an invitawas one of the first 4-H members in Kent County. The club program District Festival started when he was about 16 years old, and he has been active in club work ever since. At present Phelps is a beef leader of Court-land Cannonballs 4-H Club.

Another new member on the Fair Board is Clarence Klahn of Lowell. Klahn, too, was one of the county's first 4-H members and helped in getting the fair established at Low-

E. W. Ruehs of Caledonia, Fair Board president, named the followng committees for the 1957 fair: Barnum, Grand Rapids, Chairman;

Utilities, Buildings, and Grounds man. Lowell. Outdoor Concessions-Bert Nokes,

tonides, Lowell. Farm Implements-Jim Fales,

Advertising and Fair Premium Book-Tom Walquist, Grand Rap- first division, ratings are eligible ids; Ken Cranmer, Sparta. Health and Sanitation-Mr. and on April 27, at Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Clarence Klahn, Lowell. Others are: Foods—Tom Walquist, Grand Rapids; Indoor Commercial Exhibits—Charles Hill, Lowell; Housing-Mrs. Paul Robe, Rockford; Livestock Exhibit Co-serve Police force started a course ordinator—E. L. Phelps, Cedar of study in line with police work, grams-Ann Campau, Ada.

March 13 Dairy Meeting to Discuss Herd Improvement general police work.

Anyone interested in the dairy George DeGraw, William Richard, business should find helpful infor- Herman S. Kline, Edward Barrus, mation at the Kent county dairy im- Richard Martin, Louis W. Kingsprovement program, March 13. Bob ley, Charles Shaw, Dave Clark, Kelley, county dairy agent, says jr., Charles Hunn, Earl Barker, latest information of dairying.

The new Michigan Grade A milk comb and Duane Raymor, law will be discussed by Kenneth VanPatten, Michigan State University specialist.

Forage feeding is the topic of dairy department.

10 a. m.

FOLLOW THE CROWD

School to Close Friday Afternoon

Lowell public schools will be closed Friday afternoon to allow teachers to attend the Kent County Institute that day at Grandville

The meeting in Grandville starts at 1 o'clock and so classes here will end after the regular morning

Mrs. Ann Landers will be the main speaker at the mass meeting, and at 1:55 the different sections of grades and classes of study will meet in separate groups to discuss their specialized problems, etc.

Senior Band Will

The Lowell High School Senior Band will compete at Grand Haven this Saturday in the District Seven Festival of the Michigan School Band and Orchestra Association.

They will play three numbers (one of which is required of all Class B Bands before three will be served at the conclusion of both of whom would be very happy of five divisions. They then play two numbers they have never seen Lowell B&PW Schedule before, for another judge.

A combination of the ratings will determine their final classification. Budget and Finance-Mrs. Chas. Each Class B Band is allowed 25 minutes to set up chairs, get on that Ralph J. Zinn will be gues Paul Robe, Rockford; Ann Campau, the stage, play and get off the speaker at a public meeting of the

Tom Lyons, Lowell; C. H. Runci- are: Zeeland at 10:00, followed ported by a film and followed by by Grandville, Rockford, and God- a question and answer period. win Heights in the morning. At | This will be of particular interest Rockford, Chairman; Lester An- White Lake, Lowell at 2:30, Mona- to all business women gue, Belding, Cedar Springs, Fremont, East Grand Rapids, and Arthur M. Krensky & Co. Inc.

North Muskegon at 5:10. Bands receiving superior, or Exchange. to compete at the State Festival invitation to all to attend this open

Last Tuesday night Lowell's Re-Springs; and Entertainment Pro- under the auspices of the Kent County Sheriff's department.

The men will meet for four weeks, on Tuesday evening, and will learn traffic direction, the art of self-defense, and will study the well Air Force Bese. Lorna is an laws of arrest, as well as other Those men attending are

For Next Year's Sub-Teen Problems The regular meeting of the Lo- Exchange Student

well Parent-Teacher association The Lowell Rotary Club is seekwill be held Monday evening, March 8, at 8 o'clock, at the allpurpose room of the Runciman open their home for one school year to the foreign exchange stu-Elementary building. interesting program for dent who will visit Lowell next adults has been planned, with a year for the 1957-58 term at the

LOWELL, MICH., THURSDAY, MARCH 7, 1957

penel composed of eighth grade high school. The club voted January 30 to students and parents to discuss sponsor another student, after the problems of the sub-teen. The panel will be moderated by having already financed the stay R. L. Court, with four parents, in Lowell of Miss Elke Gildhoff, Richard Schlernitzauer, Mrs. Wila young German girl from Hamliam S. Doyle, Francis C. Camburg who is making her home this pau and Mrs. Kenneth Pletcher year with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald

Dr. Orval McKay is chairman eneration. of the committee in charge of the Eighth graders on the panel will be Lola Lee Alexander, Galen next year's student, and is seeking volunteers for the Lowell Pletcher, Larry Keiser and San-

To make the meeting more at-

speaking on behalf of the older

Aceting on Investments

Parent-Student

Panel to Discuss

Mrs. Bernie Bedell, President of Lowell B&PW Club, announces club March 11. His subject "In-Other Class B bands competing vestment Groups", will be sup-

Mr. Zinn is with the firm of members of the New York Stock

Mrs. Bedell extends a cordial meeting, which will be held at the Club Rooms at American Legion Hall, 800 East Main Street, Monday evening at eight o'clock

**** **News of Servicemen** ****

An Alto servicewoman, Lorna J. Foster, has just arrived in Alabama, where she will be stationed with the 3818th WAF Sqd., Max-Airman third class. She states that when she left Wy-

oming the weather was below zero, and it was quite a change when she arrived at Alabama, where the mercury read 70.

Pvt. Gayle N. Wolfe, US55578628, sey.

Let's Do Better in the Tournament!

Forage feeding is the topic of Dr. Pat Ralston, head of MSU Arrows Beat Wyoming to Insure Lowell had to call the Sheriff's Dr. Jewell of the State Depart-department for help Tuesday night ment of Veterinary Medicine will Company in Cellar of G-V Standings

means to join the folks buy- were headed only briefly, never the road, just between Highland surance Service. Try our service son Abel, who tallied 19 in the once, you'll come back.

in directing traffic on East M-21, discuss new dairy building plans to Last Friday night the Red Ar-time margin. Although outscored just inside the city limits of Low- be made available to farmers, rows climaxed a dismal season, but the final two periods, the Arrows' Merchandising Club ell, when a Commercial Car Car- which should increase the unifor- finished the regularly scheduled lead was sufficient enough to al-

season on a winning note by down- low an 8-point victory margin. caught fire with a load of nice The Dairy Improvement Associa- ing Wyoming Park, 73-65. This Orison Abel's 26 points is the The Merchandising class of Lotion will have a business meeting victory gives the Arrows a 3-12 highest single game production by well High School, visited Superior fined to the tires of the trailer, March 13 is the date, and 4-H ence mark which ties them with maintained his 11.3 points average noon, along with their instructor. overall record and a 2-10 confer- an Arrow this season. Len Fase Furniture Company Monday afterand apparently started from frie- Camp Vining at Bostwick Lake is the Wyoming Vikings for the Val- by netting 14. Jim Carr scored 9: Charles White. Utilizing a pressing defense Tony Stormzand, 5; John Norton, ager of Superior, spoke to the throughout most of the game, the 3; and Keith Fase, 2. Bob Van- group on modern techniques of

the curve, on the north side of ing money orders at Rittenger In-Wyoming away to a comfortable 46-27 half- the Arrow reserves, but it was not of a manager's part in knowing

Arrows took an early lead and Dam scored 27 for the losers.

enough as they lost a 51-46 thriller. Jim Lawrence added 11. FINAL G. V. STANDINGS

1956-1957

Godwin

This past week has been spent Most village streets except those in long hard practice for the gruenight Greenville and Ionia square

increased some \$4,600 but the over- \$6,000 to rebuild generators in ing monies saved during the war brought two 6'3" forwards, Steve preparation for making the plant years. There still remains about DeVries and Jim Lawrence, and automatic operation in 1957, This \$10,000 to be repaid for rebuilding a guard, Jim Williams, up from Martin 86; Louis Kingsley 76; Marchangeover will cost an estimated M-21 and M-91; also the new con-\$45,000 but is expected to save struction on south Broadway and Kempker will probably stick to his Ottawa streets this fall, amount-usual lineup of Fase, Abel, Carr. 3. Increased labor costs and ing to about \$3,000 still has to be Ryder, and Collins or Norton for

If the costs can be held in line Unless more money is raised The Arrows could surpirse a lot slowdown in traffic through the for the coming year and major by taxation, or by borrowing and of people in the tournament, so village how much the police de- maintenance items are not neces- pledging road funds there will be watch for something unusual and partment has accomplished during sary, the utility should get back little resurfacing or new constructure unexpected

An education is what you have c-46

Rotary Seeks Home To Set Hearing Date In Village Labor Dispute

sometime this week.

Rellins, North Hudson st. lage is willing.

couple who would like to give home to "our visitor". lowing the program, Refreshments by Dr. McKay or Gerald Rollins,

to answer any questions which one might have about the program, Mr. Rollins told the Ledger that it is a wonderful experience which he would highly recommend to any

family The A. F. S. usually requires that also recommend that the chosen family have a "brother or sister" of like age, although, as you know, an exception was made in the case of the Rollins family.

SUIT MILEAGE

Get maximum wear with minimum upkeep with a Style-Mart suit, Only \$50 at Coons.

George Sutton, Labor Hearings

officer, told the Ledger Tuesday that no date has been set as yet for the fact-finding hearing in the dispute between the Utility Workers Union of America and the Viling American parents who will lage of Lowell. He did say, however, the date will probably be set

Village President pro tem, William Jones disclosed to the council

recognize the union, unless the vil- ty and state boards of education sall districts.

tractive to the youngsters, the business meeting will be held fol-A very light turn-out is expected formed us that he would seek his the proposition of annexation, but

Monday, March 11, when village second term as village assessor by only property owners may vote on voters will have an opportunity to holding a write-in vote campaign, the proposal of levying taxes in select their village officers. However, there will be no con- this job by also running "on pay for the outstanding bonds. If

that the "American parents" be an tions open-in fact, one job was average family, in all aspects, and going a-beggin, that of village assessor. petition for this job, and Theo filed as a trustee candidate under

> well township supervisor. However, when this nomination went to Ray Rittenger in the recent filed under the Citizen's party.

County Plans Polio - Immunization Clinics for Children Age 1 to 14

will have an opportunity to take shot. He goes on to explain: advantage of polio-immunization First shot: Given any time after clinics which will be held for them 1 year of age up through 14. at Ada and in Lowell, sponsored by the Kent County Health depart- month or more than 1 year aller two candidates have filed with the

The clinic in Lowell will be at the St. Mary's school, and will be months after second. for all Vergennes and Lowell township schools as well as Bowne No. 4 fractional (Alto). The date has been set for Friday, March 29, bewill be held on April 26.

On Wednesday, March 6, there was a clinic at Ada school, for children of Forest Hills district, and Township school. Ada Christ-Clifford Loesch, Darwin Nellist, Co. N. U. S. Army, Signal School ian school, Cascade township Richard Linscott, Edward Lis- Regt., Fort Monmouth, New Jer- schools, and Michigan Oak school.

All Shots Available

Dr. W. B. Prothro, County Health officer, stated these are only two scheduled throughout the county. They are for children who need

Visits Local Factory

merchandising, which, in his 20 26 16 11-73 words, is nothing more than good

Steve DeVries had 18 points for He also stressed the importance what the consumer wants, and the anticipation of how much he will buy, in order to keep his plant working at an efficient level.

Mr. Lee enlightened the members of the class on the many 1 opportunities which exist in merchandising, and encouraged those 4 with certain abilities and interests 6 to enter the ever-growing field.

10 Sharpshooters' Scores TUESDAY MARCH 5

Rifle Scores-Offmanu Ken Nevins 66; Dick Schlernit-

Dick Linscott 80; Lyle Covert 76; the following night, Saturday, for Schlernitzauer 64; Bill Cook 60. TUESDAY FEBRUARY 26

Rifle Scores-Sitting Cannonsburg road. Trude Schlernitzauer 94; Dick Kneeling Position

PUBLIC NOTICES

There will be a meeting of the George, William, Daniel, and parcel of land. Bob Thaler Lowell Village Zoning Board of James the latter is the father of The original farm homestead is understand they have not applied

on Monday night that investiga- been closed for a consecutive two- come to join the Lowell district. tion has revealed that workers of year period as of June 30, 1957, a municipality have few rights un- such district must join another disder Michigan Labor laws; they can-trict, by mutual agreement, before Department of Public Instruction, not strike, cannot force the village the school year begins in Septem- requesting authority to proceed to bargain on hours, wages, senior- ber. ity or working conditions or even If this is not done, then the coun- McIntyre, Star, Valley and Pear

McBrides, McIntyre, Star, Valley, Pearsall Lowell School System Invites Five Districts to Consider Annexation Here

districts have been invited to be-

The procedure set up by law provides that if any school district has districts to know that they are wel-

must assign such district to anoth-

Assessor Will Seek Re-election

Expect Light Turn-Out Monday

test in the vote inasmuch as there stickers" a write-in vote for Mr. both proposals pass by a majority are only the required number of Bailey would be tantamount to elecpersons on the ballot for the posi- tion.

township primary, Mr. Bailey in-

Youngsters of this general area their first, second or third polio

first inoculation Third shot: Not less than

Parents Most Sien Dr. Prothro also stated empha-

tions are essential to afford school known to be preventable.

Only One New Name

All other village offices are be-No one else filed a nomination for one—Byrne McMahon, who has ing sought by incumbents except Bailey, present assessor, did not the People's party, Mr. McMahon districts except those from Star seek re-election as he was running as well as M. Jack Fonger and are now attending Lowell schools. on the Republican ticket for Lo- Frank Battistella, will run for the three trustee jobs open.

The latter two candidates have Each year three trustees must be elected to two year terms on Although no law now exists which the village council, Carl Munroe, compels the annexing of primary whose term expires this year, is districts which are now operating, not seeking re-election.

Other Candidates

ing re-election, will be: Esther school district within a very few Fahrni, treasurer, Citizen's ticket; years, Peter Speerstra, president; and Second shot: Not less than 1 Laura Snepard, Clerk-the latter People's party.

Will Purchase Range With Card Party Funds

A St. Patrick's Day eard party under the joint auspices of Lowell ginning at 9:00. A second clinic participate in the clinic a signed B&PW Club, Women's Club, and request must be submitted by his Garden Lore Club will be held at guardian, or he must be accent the Club Room at American Le-

children protection against polio, be used toward the purchase of a this number and it is safe to prement aimed to prevent all diseases by many civic organizations as a 1,000. meeting place.

In accordance with law and by er operating district and neither action of the local board of educa- district may refuse such an assign tion, five neighboring closed school ment The Lowell board has never in come a part of the local school tended to force such annexation, but, on the other hand, wants the

officers of the neighboring closed

Seek D. P. I. Approval Resolutions have been sent to the with the annexation of McBrides It is expected that such approval will be received within a few days

and then founal resolutions, to gether with the procedure to be followed, will be sent to the officers of these districts. Elections must be held in these districts by printed or mimeographed ballot All qualified electors may vote or In the event no other party seeks excess of the fifteen mills to help vote, then each of such districts voting in favor becomes an integral part of the Lowell system with all the privileges and responsibilities accruing to the citizen residing in the Lowell system.

The grade children in all of these

Others Interested

The Lowell board has received inquiries concerning annexation from several other neighboring schools which are now operating it is very likely that by rewards or penalties such districts will be Other names on the ballot, seek- forced to join a neighboring high

High School Bill

In fact, a bill has been introduced at Lansing which would provide that every boy and girl in the state must belong to a high school district.

The laws and procedure, now in effect, which govern the annexing of closed or operating districts, the transfer of property from one district to another and the consolidation of districts are very complex and all are in need of clarification on many points.

A few years ago there were over 7,000 school districts in Michigan Proceeds from the party are to Today there are less than half of schools, and Michigan Oak school. But this clinic is only a part of the range for the kitchen of the first year-around program of the depart-floor club room which is now used this number and it is sale to pre-

of 22 rural Kent Clinics being Five Generations of Hefferan Have Lived on Cannon Farm



The three persons pictured above represent the third, fourth and fifth generations of the James Hefferan family to live on the 80 acre tract of land originally settled out of the wilderness (now Cannon) back in 1817, Cam Hefferan, grandson of the original settler, is pictured left, with "Sarge", the farm's dependable dog. Next is

Cun's son, Giles, who lives in the homestead farm house, 4760 Giles n. e., and his young son, Robert. This is the second in a series of centennial furm stories which will appear in the Ledger concorning a group of 37 family farms in a concentrated area around Parnell.

Among the many Michigan cen-War; he died in the South from of Grand Rapids, and Mrs. Ann tennial farms concentrated in the fever, which claimed so many of May Hill, Lowell off. The two winners clash at 8:30 Trude Schlernitzauer 75; Dick four townships north and west of the soldiers during the war be-Lowell, is the Camellus (Cam) tween the states. His body was re-Hefferan place in Cannon about turned to Parnell cemetery. two miles west of Parnell, on the

Those Were Taxes?

acres, but was first settled in 1847 east side of the road, and the large for a few feeder cattle, and some by James Hefferan who took up maples and pines there today were general grain crops. 80 acres of this wonderful farm planted by James Hefferan, sr. Trude Schlernitzauer 86; Mar-land area, When James came here A comparison of property taxes is garet Martin 80; Ed Laux 76; from New York state the country very interesting on this farm, show-tention that the Clare Ford farm Dick Martin 76; Louis Kingsley 67. had only a few trails across it, ing a tax receipt for \$3.14 dated in Vergennes township was not listand there was a large Indian settle- 1855, and covering the 80 acre ed among those centennial farms tract; the 1956 tax was consider- in our article last week, ment only a few miles south. James had five sons: Edward, ably higher. \$176-for the same

School Sports Reporter Appeals, Friday, March 8 at 5 the present owner, Cam, and was now the home of Cam Hefferan's for their certificate, and this farm p.m. in the Lowell City Hall, The only six years old when the elder son, Giles, his wife, and children, was not listed among those which Usually the first screw that gets meeting is called regarding the James moved his family to the Robert 4, and Mary 5. The grand- Mr. Downes had contacted in the proving the town's sewer and wat- loose in a person's head is the one application for building permit of Cannon "wilderness". Most of these son of the early settler of this Parnell area, Harold Lind, 322 N. Washington st. sons also bought up farms in this farm makes his home on the west Laura E. Shepard, same vicinity, which are still held side of the road. This residence

Ledger want ads bring results. James was a veteran of the Civil two daughters, Mrs. Delores Joyce gational church.

Sell Dairy Herd

decided to quit dairy farming. The The present farm consists of 176 The farm home was built on the present plans of the Hefferans call

The herd of milk cows were

sold last fall, when Mr. Hefferan

It has been called to our at-

This farm, Route 1, Lowell, 4 Mile road, was settled in 1838; we

in the family.

Cam Hefferan's grandfather, was built in 1913.

Remember this Date! April 12.

Remember this Date! April 12.

Blue Water Fish Dinner. Congre-Remember this Date! April 12.

Are We Standing Still?

Village Holding Its Own in Battle Against Inflation

The net worth of the village has

increased slightly and expenditures

are no greater than revenue. The full report is on page 9 and 10 of compared to 1955 with a net of this issue. at the electric utility the engine and generator that had gone ten \$9,000 over 1955. years without a overhaul has been

completely reconditioned.

ing only \$2,214 in capital expenditures compared to \$13,399 in the 1955 fiscal year. While the police department had some \$800 in increased costs, the at least \$5,000 a year. department picked up \$3,000 more fringe benefits. in fines than in 1955. The citizens themselves can see by a general

the past year. Another bright spot in the picture or more for 1957. is the economical way that the sanitation department is operating, rendering a better than average service for a community of this size and keeping the village looking

Net earnings at the Lowell Municipal utility are down some \$30,000

No Progress in Water and Sewer Utility

Earnings Down at Utility

only \$17,182. This decrease of net recently reconditioned by the ling state tournaments. This Fri-Considerable long-term mainten- revenue, while the plant showed a State, or Kent County are badly day at 7:00 the Arrows meet zauer 66; Bill Cook 38; Ralph ance work has been done during growth of gross earnings of over in need of repairs. Revenues to Belding in the first round of the Townsend 55; Trude Schlernitzauer the year in cleaning sewers; and \$10,000, is due to several causes. the street department are inade- Ionia District tournament at the 55. 1. Increased fuel oil cost, up quate to finance the major re- Ionia gym. At 8:30 the same

Sewer Utility declined \$1,750 in new revenues. If the community spic and span. The department 1956 while expenditures increased wants to move ahead it must indioperated at a cost of only \$6,965, a a thousand dollars. This has held cate its willingnes to finance im- left after you have forgotten all saving of \$2,000 over 1955. This was back any new construction on the provements.

In the battle against inflation with principally due to having completed pay-as-you-go plan; capital exits higher costs and more or less paying for the truck and land, but penditures were only \$4,201 some Grandville fixed income, the Village of Lowell this department is a real asset to \$5,000 less than was expended in Lee Godveals that it is about holding its the citizens. Only by borrowing can any Rockford

amount of new construction be Lowell accomplished in this department. Wyoming Streets Need Repair!

surfacing necessary. 2. Major maintenance work on In 1955 the street department diesel engines and generators spent some \$30,000 more than in the following night, General fund expenses in 1956 \$6,000 and at the hydro plant some 1956, but this was mainly by us-

> paid. to a normal net earning of \$40,000 tion in 1957.

To summarize the village position, we are standing still; at best, no progress can be made in im-Gross earnings of the Water- er mains, roads, or parks without that controls the tongue.

Bern Collins, 8; Chuck Ryder, 6; William Lee, general sales man-14 13 22 16-65 common sense.

Village Clerk. in the family.

The decrease is attributed to the Michigan speed law that went into effect January 3, the addition of to effect January 3, the addition of the American Supersons will be supersons with the supersons will be supersons will be supersons will be supersons with the supersons will be supersons with the supersons will be supersons will be supersons will be supersons with the supersons will be supersons wi more than 200 State Police officement by call police agencies, statewide safe-all police agencies agen their safety consciousness miles of travel will be under 6.0, Gary Strouse,

show that as of December 31, figure available, totaled 25.3 bil-school that afternoon. 1956, there were 1,725 persons who lion miles, a three per cent in- Mr, and Mrs. Mahlon Estes died in Michigan traffic accidents crease over the same period in went calling Sunday on Mr. and inal figure is expected to be about

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Mrs. Eva Engle

Mrs. Nancy Nordhof

lying. It was the best safety complete figures have been re- South Lowell Circle, March 21, in which Michigan is grouped. reduction in deaths and a two per Jane Graham, Mrs. Helen Witten-

is the most important check the lowest ever recorded in the Mrs. Ila Sawnson will attend state. Travel for the first 10 the county institute Friday, March Provisional State Police figures months of the year, the latest 8, at Grandville, There will be no

Several families in and about Karen Estes with a group from oseley are ill with the mumps the Elmdale Nazarene church at-Mr. and Mrs. Dell Ford and tended a church conference in

Donna Jean called on Carl Bliss Lansing Sunday.
In Ionia, Sunday.
The 6th, 7th, and 8th grade stuwell, Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Briggs Mrs. Swanson, participated in the SCOUT EXPOSITION WILL Mrs. Briggs of Lowell were Sun- Ada, The pupils sang "Ol' Texas" Both the Cub Scout and Boy

Aspiration plus perspiration en- bands and wives would have to teaches the boys.

cd3+f ables a man to reach his goal. fight with strangers. STEP INTO THE 4-H PICTURE...

Exposition, at which the cubs will also have a booth.

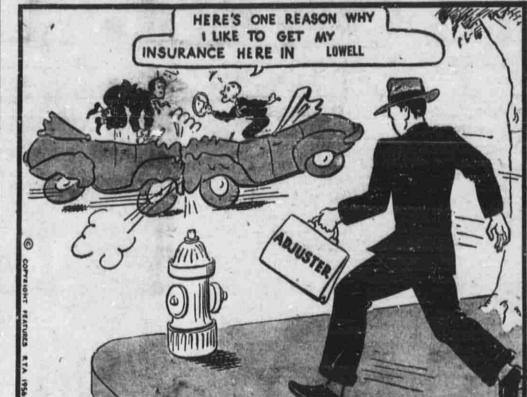
Dick Kraft, a former boy scout, and a veteran of four years with the U. S. Marine Corps, is back home in Lowell, and attended the boys, and help the leaders; he hopes to become a scout commit-

Jim Howard and Tom Evans, members of Scout Troop 102, have been appointed junior assistants to the scoutmaster, and will help all leaders with the details, of the weekly meetings as well as other

G. V. C. SENUS WORKER TO LOWELL MEETING

WEBELOES HAVE COMPASS PATROL: COOK-OUT

Al Goodwin, leader of the newlyformed Webeloes pack of 101/2 and 11 year olds, said that 12 boys and himself enjoyed an interesting com pass patrol Saturday morning, and



Patient Taxpayers Should

Raise a Ruumpus, Says Brown . . .

Clear-thinking Nelson Brown, bent upon raising taxes and inthe Mason editor, adds his bit this venting new ones. Lansing's city Mrs. Briggs of Lowell were Sunday callers at the Chris Kropf day callers at the Chris Kropf home.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. George Eidelbuss, nee Olive Clark, who were married recently.

The habit of striking back when adversity hits you is sure to be a Mrs. Gus Wingeier called on Mrs. Gus Wingeier cal

one day last week.

Money may talk, but the amount Mrs. Howard Kropf expects to enter Butterworth Hospital for an above a whisper.

Money may talk, but the amount most of us handles barely speaks according to Ted Walker, co-cubmaster. They will cost 50c but will c entitle the holder to go to the exposition and see the many skills which this important movement which the councilment which the councilmen used.

"On every hand, from Washington, from Lansing and most other state capitals, and from city halls, siders economy anymore. They

The Boy scouts were asked to choose their "subject" for their booth, and have submitted four choices, one of which will be given them as their particular theme for this order: Packs, Compass, Map also did some work with flag sigthe exposition. They asked for, in Reading, and Fire Building-Cook- nals.

Mr. Goodwin states the boys got to save some of the third of his through half of the alphabet in their lesson on the flag-signals used by es. The Den mothers held their regu- the Navy, and will work on the re- "Any person who works for \$3,lar meeting Monday night, and vot- mainder signals at a later meeting. 500 a year (\$67.30 per week) now ed to dispense with the regular packmeeting this month, in lieu day evening, at 7 o'clock, at the sales taxes, income taxes, properof the extra work to be done on the cabin.

Art Meur from the Grand Valley Council office, attended the Scout meeting Monday night and which will be held May 24 through 26 at Allegan, and will be a local counterpart of the national jamboree which is held every year and

The Allegan camp-out will be very interesting and elaborate. Each troop is afforded a 100 x 100 and each area must have an appropriate gateway. Mr. Meur suggested the Lowell boys construct a showboat for their gateway, to properly mark Lowell's important ummer attraction.

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Carol Fahrni is visiting relatives

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fahrni are funds to support a girl through Mrs. Paul Wittenbach entertain- help from a public agency, usually ed the past matrons of the Clarks- a welfare department. But the girl end with his parents in Detroit, states a girl is eligible for public

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igan Department of Health said Bob Knowles of East Fulton en- Miss Marion Bushnell spent the word that her grandson, Phillip S. have returned from a three-week family.

the department's engineering division, revealed that during 1956 licenses were issued for 434 trailer vack of Ada Sunday.

The lesson for the month, engage a birthday dinner honoring gave a birthday dinner honoring forty-five day furlough. Phillip has his hand.

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also issued permits for construction of 107 new parks with 4,707 parking sites.

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hotel at Clifford Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gephart last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Court, and the Richard Court family were sunday. Mr. Gephart has accepted a position as office unanager for the Michigan of Dr. and Mrs. Maurice Court of Paw Paw, Michigan. Dr. Court's family have a Rapids. recently moved to Paw Paw where

day against acne, youth's mys- and Mrs. Jerry Owens and Lyn- mal clinic. The Lowell Courts In nine cases out of ten, the Mrs. Louise Schneider, and Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Smith condition can be cured without her sister, Mrs. Grayson Newark tertained for dinner and support and husband from Jackson at on Sunday, Roger, David, ar tended open house for Dr. A. V. Helen Fitzpatrick of St. Johns. Patronize Ledger Advertisers. Wenger's eightieth birthday at Wednesday and Thursday caller their home in Grand Rapids, Sun- at the George Boyenga home were day. This was also to honor Mrs. Melvin Bauman and son Melvi

from Grand Rapids, and Mr. and Zahm's 75th birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Boerma Mrs. Alton Voss from Howard sited his cousin, Edward Boer- City, Mrs. Vercel Bovee and baby, Sinclair and Mrs. Charles Kellogg Cheri Lyn came home from Butcalled Wednesday on Mrs. Olive terworth hospital, Saturday.

The Dick Peckham family are moving this week into the former

Miss Ida Robison of Alma is Claude Staal home on North Hud- spending ten days with her siste

and her daughter Mary will return to their Lowell apartment.

Cecil Good of Saginaw spent

Saturday with his mostly a few spent spent the week end with his sister in-law, Mrs. W. A. Hall, and the

Melvin Boerma,
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Boyce were
Newton L. Coons is moving thi udustrious, serious-minded citi- week end guests of the Gerald week from Charlotte to the home zenship gives the nation deep confidence for the future, During National 4-H Club Week, March 2.9, we told Under Same In the Collins of the Gerald Week from Charlotte to the head of his daughter, Mrs. Marcus F man in Eaton Rapids.

Mrs. Lya Linton spent two weeks man in Eaton Rapids.

Mrs. Lya Linton spent two weeks in Florida with friends from Alto, Miss Lettie Kinyon was take the confidence of the Gerald week from Charlotte to the head of his daughter, Mrs. Marcus F man in Eaton Rapids. 2.9, we join Uncle Sam in con. Mrs. Anna Fairchilds and son from Blodgett hospital to General

only in our community but there called on Mr. and Mrs. Claude throughout the nation.

Her condition remains about there called on Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ford, Mr. and Mrs. Claude The following four new patients. man, Mrs. and Mrs. Gerald Fineis, entered the Lowell Rest Home s. Charles Smith, Mrs. Rozella Grand Rapids; and Mr. and Mrs. Yeiter, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hunt, Howard Coley of Lowell. nome to call on Dick Fairchild's Leo Miller and Mrs. Lavina Trib

"buddy", and enjoyed a delicious bey in Grand Rapids Saturday. chicken dinner with the John Linning for roller skating. Mrs. Mary Bowler's niece, Mrs. Carl Andre and husband of Grand Rapids, and his niece, Gretel Lam-

> St. Robert's church in Ada Saturday night.
> About fifteen Blue Star mothers attended a School of Instruction at Portland Tuesday. A group of thirteen from Methodist church went to S Paul's Methodist church in Grand

Rapids Sunday evening to hear Dr. Paul Morrison of Lansing speak, Mr. and Mrs. Orren Sterker were Sunday guests at the Oosta-Waljer home in Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. William Brow and children of Grand Rapids and Mrs. William Cowles and son, Ted, of Belding, were Sunday visi-

tors at the Whitfield-Bozung home Mrs. Byron Weeks returned home from Blodgett hospital Sat-Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Collins spen

Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Loron Rusco in Grand Rapids.
Miss Maude Vanarsdale of Pontiac is spending from Friday to Will Flynn, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clarke visited her sister, Mrs. Eula Goodsell in Grand Ledge Sunday.

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spent the week end in Mt. Pleasan and Saturday they went ice fishing evening the Gilberts called on Mr and Mrs. Earl Molliter in Cascade. Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Morris and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Foreman in Muskegon.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Mullen and Mr. and Mrs. Will Mullen cailed Sunday on Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stephens and Mr. and Mrs. Harley Mullen in Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Strong of Eastmont were Saturday evening callers of Mrs. Jessie Rathbun. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Johnson Mr. and Mrs. Russell Condon.

of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Seymour

and Mrs. Clarence McIntyre spent be the first to call us this Thursday, correctly there for six years. The farm has been under Clarence McIntyre were Mrs. whose farm you think it is, If you are the first ing with a cross breed of Durocs and Yorkshire. Lessie Stewart, Mrs. Lorna Naum to call with the correct answer, you receive a gift

Ronnie Stevens, of Kankakee, On Tuesday, March 5th, Mrs. controlled horsepower that caused to start the night before. Illinois, spent the week end with lottie Anderson will celebrate her half of last year's traffic fatalihis parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emer- 81st birthday. "Congratulations". ties.



Last Week's Mystery Picture Was Boston Township Farm

identifying the mystery farm picture above? The rules are simple, just phone the Ledger, after 1:00 p, m. on Thursday, and tell the operator

young children, are the owners of the mystery farm receive the attractively-framed photograph cated on Peck Lake rd., 31/2 miles southeast of was made. We don't know whose place it is-Lowell, in Boston Township, Mrs. Richard Stewart we are waiting for you to call and tell us, Getof Route 2 was the first to call with the correct ting back to last week's mystery farm, it is the identification of the aerial photograph. Who will old Gilbert place, and the Wessells have been



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were Sunday dinner guests of day afternoon. Frank Ryder, Wesley Griffin and Grand Rapids were Saturday sup-Mr. and Mrs. Rowland Ryder of Larry Seese spent Friday after-Lowell were Thursday supper noon with his grand-mother, Mrs. guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ryder. Raymond Seese. His parents, Mr. Dorthy of Hastings came Sunday supper guests at the Seese home

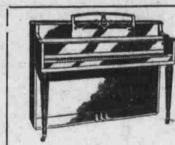
Mr. and Mrs. Denton Wilcox and Cascade, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Daw-Wallace Emmons was a lunch Robbin's wedding anniversary. per cent of its guests were six noon.

feet or more tall, an Indianapolis Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Hoffman Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wingeier. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Porter of Out of each 100 youngsters en- Belmont were Monday dinner ering school, 80 finish grade guests of their parents, Mr. and college Mrs. John Krebs and Mrs. Ger

Krebs called on Mrs. Clare Krebs and children at Lowell, Friday

sary for Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Eash, son of Grand Rapids were Sur-Sunday afternoon.

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> llustrated talk on their tip thru Blaser were Mrs. Glenn Adgate men between the ages of 181/2 and he Western states last summer from Saranac and Mrs. Gus Win- 25 to enlist in the United States pefore the Cheerful Doers Monday geier and Mrs, Rob Wingeier from Army Reserve for a period of six evening. The pictures were ex- Moseley. slides of Nothern Michigan. Arizona, is coming Friday to 51/2 years in a local reserve unit. Mrs. Orval Jessup spent Thurs- spend a few days with her sister. This was announced by Major

who have been spending the win- in New Hudson. ter in Palm Harbor, Florida, ar-

Mrs. A. C. Blaser. They will also visit friends in Lansing before returning to their home in Cedar-ville. Michigan Edith Hapeman, and her sister, ers of Den No. 7, took the boys

their daughter's home in Com- Mrs. Ethel Yeiter spent from stock Saturday and later went to Friday to Monday with her daugh- "There are only two kinds of

and family of Lansing.
Miss Donna Geelhoed was a Nixon-Autographed Books for Kent

spent the week end with their sis- Major Young states the pro-

local reserve unit, will allow the Each boy was given a bag of individual to continue his educa-

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You Can't Stop a Gifted Child

annonball as to stop a gifted him." child when he's going someplace," He continues, "Other systems says Warren Ketcham, associate have been used for handling the rolessor of education at The Uni- problem of what to do with bright "Bright children," he explains, one seems set on is keeping the have a burning curiosity about bright children segregated in spenings. They have a persistence cial classes with special teachers. and drive toward their own goals This system just doesn't do any

According to the educator, "In one experiment, a large They learn things so quickly that group of superior children were they are frequently accused of not divided into two matching groups. having a long attention span. They One group was put in special do many things at once. They flit classes. The other group was not. about and adults think they don't At the end of several years the finish the things they do and that two groups were tested. Neither they will never learn anything group knew more than the other well because they don't practice one." it. In most instances, upon close According to the educator,

examination, you'll find they have "Bright children are sometimes earned it a long time ago. No overlooked because people don't nildren should be educated in get on people's nerves." thools, Professor Ketcham says. He goes on, "Most adults like People must realize that every-children to be well-behaved and one is different from everyone quiet. Many children with belowelse. The task of schools and pa-average intellectual ability prove every child, whether he is extra follow directions. These children "The system used at the Uni-trouble, and practice and practice versity School," Professor Ket- at their lessons." cham says, "is to keep all the These views were outlined children in the same classes and Professor Ketcham at a Parenttry to have enough different ma- Teacher Association meeting

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ple cannot understand, either, why ject. It is here in this pool where haps this article will help provide children will first come into conlevel; here is where your kids will swimming pool consists of these swimmers-good swimmers. basic items: (1) an adequate bathhouse; (2) a filter room; (3) a There are many things concern-

Well, when you realize the amount constructed along the lines as preof "digging" your committee must scraled by the AAU and the NCAA erial and equipment needed, much derwater lights be used? Should the pool be constructed of fabricated steel, fiberglass, gunite or pour-Let's look at the bathhouse. You ed concrete? There are many things

annot construct a public pool in your committee must decide uptely necessary, and very expensive! This portion of the pool project consists of these items, to cles. Readers are advised to keep name a few: two separate dress- reading this paper so that they ing rooms, toilets and javatories, might be kept better informed. As utility and first aid room(s), and a member of this community the swimming pool will be your prospace for checking clothes. two shower rooms, as it is absolutely necessary that each swimmer take a thorough shower clean-sing before entering the pool. Ray Engle. Regulations as prescribed by the Lowell Pool Committee Department of Health must be

stringently adhered to not only in maintaining the bathhouse but in wilding it, as well. Often, three chocolate sauce flavored with to four persons are needed to oper- ground cinnamon.

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Mrs. S. P. Reynolds

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Mrs. In Blough and Mrs. Alex Wingeier, Mrs. Ira Blough and Mrs. In Blough and Mrs. It all the deceased of the court at the fermine trimmed with seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of the mrs's meeting to be held at the church the ceased are required to present their claims of the court at said frobate Office on or before the maintain and demands against said deceased.

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daughter's wedding a navy blue Mr. and Mrs. Mike Blanding home in honor of Roger's birthday. sage was of pink rosettes. Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. John Blanding, Oth-cently with Mr. Baber wore navy blue with white er Saturday afternoon visitors at Blough, accessories and a crimson rosette the Blanding home were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fox received news

Following a buffet luncheon at of Ionia. to the control of the City of Grand Rapsaid County, on the City of Grand Rapsaid County, on the City of Grand Rapsaid County, on the City of Grand Rapn, in said County, on the Changed to a grey wool sheath of all other control of Hastings dress with matching jacket and Mrs. Claudia Fuller of Hastings Present, HON. JOHN DALTON, Judge of lighter grey accessories, accented were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. Prebate.

In the Matter of the Estate of
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her petition praying that a certain instrument in writing, purporting to be the last
will and testament of said deceased now on
file in said court be admiristration of said estate
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were dinner guests Sunday of Mr.
and Mrs. Claude Cole.

Mrs. Bonnie Hoover and daughters of Mapes District spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Richard Smith.

Mrs. Lucy Cole and Mrs. Edna

Lowell Township 1957, from 9:00 a, m, to 4:0 On Monday and Tuesday, March p. m. for the purpose of review-1 and 12, 1957, from 9:00 a, m. ing the tax rolls. 4:00 p. m., the Board will meet c-44-45 Township Clerk Ada Township at the Lowell City Hall, to hear omplaints of any person whose To the residents of Ada Townoperty is assessed thereon, or ship:

his agent, and on sufficient The Ada Township Board of Re ause being shown shall correct the view will meet Tuesday and Wedseessment as to such property in nesday, March 5th and 6th, 1957, uch manner as in their judgment from 9:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. will make the valuation thereof reat the Township Hall, 555 Ada latively just and equal.

Esther M. Fahrni

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Tuesday, March 11 and 12, 1957. Lowell Village from 9:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. for To the taxpayers of the Village of the purpose of reviewing the assessment roll

The Board of Review of the Village of Lowell will meet Monday his claim before the Board at that and Tuesday, March 11 and 12, time. 1957, at the Lowell City Hall, from 9:00 a, m, to 12:00 Noon and c-44-45 Township Clerk from 1:00 to 4:00 p. m. each day, Bowns Township for the purpose of reviewing the To the taxpayers of Bowne Townassessment rolls, and will hear any claims which property owners ship:

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Township Board of Review will
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Township Clerk at the Vergennes Township Hall, Cascade Township for the purpose of reviewing the To the taxpayers of Cascade assessment roll.

Any property owner may bring his claim before the Board at that time.

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To the taxpayers of Grattan each said days, for the purpose of reviewing the assessment roll. Notice is hereby given that Grat- Any property owner may bring tan Township Board of Review will his claim before the board at that meet at the Grattan Township Hall time. Tuesday, March 5, and Monday M. J. Vanderveen, and Tuesday, March 11 and 12, c-44-45 Township Clerk

Bloomer attended a 4-H Leader's passed away after a severe stroke THE LOWELL LEDGER, LOWELL, MICH., MARCH 7, 1987 meeting at Bostwick Lake Mon- a week ago. Mrs. Blough was a

and daughter went to Fort Gor- "A lazy man likes to think that ion last Wednesday and spent two it is just his way of conserving lays with their son and brother, energy. Douglas, returning home Sunday night. Doug was graduated from

will be stationed at Fort Bliss. Mr. and Mrs. Merle Aldrich and family of Evart spent Sunday with ner parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shernan Reynolds, and they all and Mr. and Mrs. John Blanding and uldren were dinner guests of Ar, and Mrs. Alex Robertson of

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Mrs. Ira Blough

Billy Hoffman and two friends

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Charles at Tampa, Fla. Mr. Beavwere Sunday dinner guests of Mr. Sunday evening guests were of Engineering by such instruction attempts to develop the abilities of the student along lines which will allow him to progress with the advancing field of engineering.

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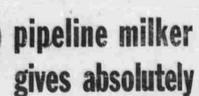


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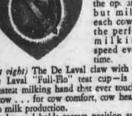
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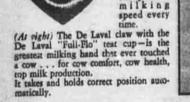
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weeks with Mr. and Mrs. George few days last week with Mrs. and Mrs. George few days last week with Mrs. and Mrs. George few days last week with Mrs. and Mrs. George few days last week with Mrs. and Mrs. George few days last week with Mrs. and Mrs. George few days last week with Mrs. and Mrs. George few days last week with Mrs. and Mrs. George few days last week with Mrs. and Mrs. A While there they visited many ham, While there they visited many ham.

Places of interest including the Saturday evening visitors of Me Center were Sunday guests at the served by the ladies. Apacalia Trail through the moun- and Mrs. Shirley Ward were Mrs. Darwin Hendricks home. ains: the copper mines and the Gertrude Tibble and Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. James Baird were SPECIAL SPEAKER Williams Air Base at Tucson; also Kenneth Tibble of Grand Rapids Tuesday guests last week of the

ted the Mormon Temple at Mesa. Weaver last week Tuesday. Mrs. Geneva Barkley. They saw the Marcopa Inn Hollis Brillhart reviewed the book Celia Boss entertained the Young where the Chicago Cubs spend "Life Without Father." where the Chicago Cubs spend the winter. One day they visited and had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Duthler and Jeri Lee spent last weck with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Gerritt Stukkie and Bernie at Elmhurst, Ill., Jerry spending the week-end there, Mrs. and Mrs. Glen Shea of Ada were Sunday supper guests at the Elmer Hale home.

Duthler returning home with him.

Mrs. Ale Mrs. Ralph Wheaton of Gerritt Stukkie and family are

Mrs. Glennn Chaffee and Mrs. moving to California in the near guests at the Ed Potter, sr., and Alice Ward arrived home Friday, Mar. 1 after spending two weeks Mr. and Mrs. John DeGraaf of ning guests at the Ed Potter, sr there they were dinner guests of of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stukkie. Dieterman Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bogdanik on Mr. and Mrs. Dan VanWormer Mr. and Mrs. James Dec

Mrs. Dick Beaver left last week Homer Morris. Sunday by plane to visit her son Mr. and Mrs. Homer Morris were the Eugene King family and er will join her this week when and Mrs. Wayne VanWormer at and Roger Stiles of Belding.

Other Ada News

Mrs. Glenn Chaffee and Mrs. drive.

Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Reams.

Saturday night dinner guests of

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Tronson, c46

Patty, Ruth and Bobby of Morley

Miles Fase, who was a patient

Butterworth hospital three

spent Sunday with her parents,

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Chaffee.

Mrs. Howard Henderson.

Walter Afton of Kent City.

Grand Rapids were Sunday vis-

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YELLOW

PAGES

er, Mrs. Grace Whaley.

Sunday and spent the day with daughter of Big Rapids were Sun-

Kitson of Bostwick Lake, Mrs. Jennie Grant of Dutton and

were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Frank Averill received

holt at Alto. spend several weeks with his Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ward were daughter, Mrs. Joe Oswald.

weeks following a serious opera- Mrs. Mary Wilson and son were

isited their son Robert and fam- Heinye of Fennville, Sunday,

itors of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard a Sunday guest at the J. Cox home

tion was able to return home in Lowell Saturday,

night dinner guests of Mr. and the past week.

ton were Sunday afternoon and Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Nellist of Mrs. Francis Reams.

McBain spent the week-end with en look intelligent and worthy his brother, Willard and wife, an artist's pigments? Miss Joyce Marks, daughter of Mrs. Percy Marks returned home Mr. and Mrs. Russell Marks, of with them after spending three McBain was honor guest at a weeks with her son. bridal shower given by friends in Grand Rapids Saturday night. On a business trip to Victoria, B. LYLECOVER Those from Ada attending were C.

I wish to thank my many friends

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Mrs. Effie Cox

Ike Wood and Ida Sinclair

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wilson and

Mrs. Nettie Quiggle of Ada was

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and Art Stahl.

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much appreciated.

Mrs. Willard Marks, Mrs. Roy Mrs. Robert Ward and Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Ralph Averill, Alice Ward of Grand Rapids vis-Mrs. Wm. Serne, and the honor ited Mrs. Louie Good of Caledonia **Plumbing** guest's mother, Mrs. Russell Sunday afternoon, Marks and grandmother, Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Weaver who resided in Ada for the past three years, have moved back to Lowell in their home on Riverside Tom Morris motored to Lansing Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pike and

the Harry Chaffee family.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Reams. His mother Jennie Pike Everything in Plumbing and Logan News Mrs. Harold Yoder

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis BRIDAL SHOWER HONORS Blough, an 8 pound 11 ounce girl, MISS KATHRYN STAHL amed Martha Ann, at Butter Some of the ladies of the Cal-

S. Keene - N. Boston

People's club Saturday evening.

Mrs. Mary Potter

emphasized the need for expanded Christian education facilities to called at the Dan Kauffman home on Monday to help celebrate the MANY INTERESTING SIGHTS

Mrs. Webb Ward and grand-daughter Sharon DeVries have returned home after spending three weeks with Mr. and Mrs. George Weeks with Mr. and Mrs. George few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. George few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. George few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. George few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. George few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rickert spent Friday evening with Mr. and few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rickert spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rickert spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rickert spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rickert spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rickert spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rickert spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rickert spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rickert spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rickert spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rickert spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rickert spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rickert spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rickert spent Friday evening with Mr. and Wrs. Games were played after which the bride-to-be opened her were Saturday meets at Margaret which the bride-to-be opened her which the bride-to-be opened her which the Dan Kauffmi on Monday to help celebrate the Christian education facilities to meet increasing demands.

Junior BYF was held at the Dan Kauffmi on Tuesday evening of last week. Games were played after which the bride-to-be opened her which the bride-to-be opened her which the bride-to-be opened her which the Dan Kauffmi on Tuesday evening of last week. Games were played after which the Dan Kauffmi on Tuesday evening of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rickert spent of the Dan Kauffmi on Tuesday evening of last week week in the Dan Kauffmi on Tuesday evening of last week week with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rickert spent of the Dan Kauffmi on Tuesday evening of last week week with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rickert spent of t

the proud parents of a baby boy, Grand Rapids were Sunday dinne through the desert trail to Nogal- and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Covey.

Charles Baird family in Hopkins.

The Ex Librius Book Club of Agusta White of Saranac was a man A. Hoyt at the morning wor- helped celebrate their son, Dan's, and family of Clarksville were man A. Hoyt at the morning wor- helped celebrate their son, Dan's, and family of Clarksville were man A. Hoyt at the morning wor- helped celebrate their son, Dan's, and overning guests.

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and in the afternoon called on Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Quiggle. Mrs. Henry Brown called or WHEN folks began to learn that you can get a big new Buick Special. Mrs. Nettie Quiggle at Ada, Suntoday for just a few dollars more than the price of a gam of East Lowell were dinner guests at the Mary Wilson home, smaller car-wow!

They've been flocking into Buick showrooms ever since! And they discovered a double surprise. The Theo Shaw ramily have Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs.

dream car of the year to drive.

Because this new Buick is more than just a whale of a lot of automobile for the money. It's also the most completely changed Buick ever built - brand new in body, in styling, in chassis, in everything from road to roof and bumper to bumper.

Even more - it's completely changed in performance. You, at this wheel, boss a brand-new engine 'way up in horsepower, torque and compression ratio.

You, in this trim beauty, have the instant response of today's brilliant new Variable Pitch Dynaflow.* You, in this saucy traveler, are holding rein on the

And if you can afford any new car, you can afford a Buick. So-drop in today! New Advanced Variable Pitch Dynastow is the only Dynastow Buick builds today. It is standard on ROADMASTER, SUPER and CENTURY-optional at modest

WHEN BETTER AUTOMOBILES ARE BUILT BUICK WILL BUILD THEM

See Your Authorized Buick Dealer

Brand-MEW SYNAPLOW PERFORM the pitch

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it buzzes when you reach

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preset for yourself.

You won't want to

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WS ENGINE

- More Power

Highest horsepower, torque

and compression ever

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optional at extra gost on other Seeles

Annual Financial Statement of the Village of Lowell Michigan

Michigan, as submitted by the Clerk at the close of Additions during the year: Water works . \$ 3,290,49 business, December 31, 1956. 911.17 4,201.6€ anitation Department Approved and ordered published at the regular Operating labor meeting of Village Council held Monday, March 4 Less Allowances for depreciation for 1956. Land fill labor asoline and oil Truck maintenance Land maintenance Approved by the Finance Committee: FUND ACCOUNTS AND TAXES RECEIVABLE William M. Jones, Jr. Jay Boelens December 31, 1956 M. Jack Fonger LEE FUND - CASH WILLIAM M. JONES, JR., Balance in bank, January 1, 1956 Village President Pro Tem RECEIPTS: From dividends on investments LAURA E. SHEPARD. Village Clerk \$ 9,459,12 SBURSEMENTS: High school band BALANCE SHEET - DECEMBER 31, 1956 Transferred to General fund for: 4H Building-Roof Election expense Sports program . 125.00 Parks 1.396.21 Parks and buildings 500.00 Football field Baseball field General fund \$ 12,562.87 Balance in bank, December 31, 1956 \$ 5,880,64 Richards park 2.284.64 Lee fund 5.880.64 2,612,50 SINKING FUND ateway lights . Act 87 Highway Construction fund 1,767.13 RECEIPTS: Bank charges 1.501.97 U. S. Government bonds-Street fund 2.500 00 DISBURSEMENTS: 16,000,00 To General fund for interest-on Water \$ 46,985,34 Surety Bonds . CAPITAL ASSETS: Employees' Welfare \$ 2,612.50 Village general 91,047.98 ROAD FUND Hospital Insurance Parking lot nce, January 1, 1956 and December 31, 1956. Less allowances for depreciation. 92,667.92 99,817.73 MOTOR VEHICLE HIGHWAY FUND Investment in electric utility . \$496,472,47 nvestment in water and sewer utility 234,260.05 From State of Michigan for major streets\$ 10,715.50 Lee fund investments From State of Michigan for local streets..... 6,680.98 Taxes receivable From State of Michigan for street construction. 884.45 \$975,020.82 City Hall . Police Department To street bank account. ..\$ 18,000.00 LIABILITIES AND EQUITY Park land . Transfer to Act 87 Highway Construction Fund. 884.45 18,884.45 Park building CURRENT: Employees' taxes Due water and sewer utility Due electric utility 2,352.12 RECEIPTS \$4.517.50 Transferred from Motor Vehicle Highway Fund RESERVES: From State of Michigan for Construction. Lee fund improvements \$101.804.28 \$ 1,767.13 Taxes receivable 1956 tax revenue reserved for 1957 TAXES RECEIVABLE EQUITY—representing book value of Village property, less liabilities and reserves... 849.858.76 59.98 State funds for major streets \$975,020,82 Delinquent taxes for 1955 53.20 State funds for local streets Delinquent taxes for 1956 74.80 Black top permits . Special assessments for 1951 improvements STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY \$ 271.23 Year Ended December 31, 1956 DISBURSEMENTS: Balance, January 1, 1956 . \$830,371.11 LEE FUND SECURITIES Administration Expended for capital assets-Village General. 2,214.37 Ice control ... Expended for capital assets-Street department 3,573.45 Snow removal General fund excess revenues 15,687,56 Chemical Corn Exchange Bank, New York 1364 \$66,836,00 \$851,846.49 New York Trust Co., New York 13,850.00 Bankers Trust Co. New York Street department excess of disbursements United States Trust Co., New York 1,731.00 Manufacturers Trust Co., New York Record keeping Allowances for depreciation American Home Assurance Company 540.00 Street department 6,095.44 18,413.47 Golden Cycle Corp. (of Colorado Springs) 324.00 onopah Mining Co., Nevada 350.00 \$833,433.02 United Park City Mines Ice control . Add increase in net book value of Village United Gold Mines Maintenance owned utilities: Dr. Jackpot Mining Co. Painting Electric utility \$ 8.545.43 Patching Water and sewer utility 7,880.31 Snow removal Balance, December 31, 1956 \$849,858 76 GENERAL FUND Sweeping REVENUES AND DISBURSEMENTS Tree trimming NOTE: The increase in net book value of Village-owned electric utility Record keeping is the result of the net income of this utility reduced by no-charge Year Ended December 31, 1956 services rendered by the utility for the Village as shown below: Net income of electric utility ... Major streets: \$ 35,597.96 Property taxes Less value of services contributed to the Village Administration Electric current for street and other lights. 3 6,116.68 Intangible tar Chloride 3,264.59 4H Grounds . Liquor tax . Cleaning catch basins Grading and gravel Christmas lighting 732.12 289.80

City Hall rent ... 380.03 8.637.39 Gasoline tax refund Building permits Library building rents NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DISBURSEMENTS: One-half of the 1956 property tax levy was set aside by the Village General Officers: Council to pay for 1957 expenditures up to the time 1957 taxes will be collected. For 1955,the Village Council also set aside one-half of 1955 property tax levy for 1956 expenditures. Accordingly, the current year's revenue reflects property taxes for a full year (one-half of 1955 and Board of Review Health Officer Improvements in electric utility plant consisted chiefly of addi-Building Inspector tions to the lines and services. A summary of capital asset accounts Police Chief \$683,892.90 Night watch 869.20 3,751.01 Car Expense 23,017.00 321.99 \$711,852.10 39,565.56 Fire Department Fire Chief ... \$672,286.54 Fire truck expense

Maintenance of street lighting

Revenue from property taxes:

Electric Utility: Net book value, January 1, 1956

Diesel engine production

distribution equipment

Less allowances for depreciation for 1956.....

Net book value, December 31, 1956.

General equipment

Additions during the year

one-half of 1956).

Operation of street lighting and signal

Net income retained—this increases the value of

the investment in Village-owned electric utility

Year Ended December 31, 1956

Transfers from Lee fund 3.578.48 Interest on United States bonds Rent from Park buildings and grounds . 1.177.00 From townships for fire protection . 703.24 TOTAL REVENUES \$ 69,466.66 \$ 525.00 3,465.00 420.00 300.00 225.00 \$ 7,992.90 .\$ 3,587.00 4,554.90 Truck repair and maintenance 2,896.30 Roadside development 336.41 1.469.62 Tree trimming 55.87 Record keeping 255.76 442.68 13,598.54 Other Street Expenditures: Sidewalk rebates Curb and sidewalk repair 276.25 Street signs . 2,797.00 Other street work 37.90 F. I. C. A. taxes

\$ 4,825.69 6.965.57 131.70 800.88 27.94 3.492.23 Other special events . dunicipal garage fuel funicipal garage lights Municipal garage maintenance Michigan Municipal League 1,179.80 Employer's F. I. C. A Principal and interest on 2,685.00 15,262.16 water works bonds . \$ 53,743.73 Less expense allocation to street fund 2,179.00 Total General Fund Operating \$ 51,564,73 901.41 164.76 2,214.37 TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS .\$ 53,779.1 EXCESS REVENUES OVER DISBURSEMENTS.....\$ 15,687.56 STREET FUND REVENUES AND DISBURSEMENTS Year Ended December 31, 1956 State funds for M-21 and M-91... 10.715.50 6,680,98 156.50 TOTAL REVENUES \$ 26,752.07 88 34 Storm sewers and basins 19.71 257.09 12.55 106.12 \$ 1,278.15 962.59 231.31 66.92 27.42 Storm sewers and basins 1,136.03 39.82 913.22 5.993.81 \$ 653.90 1.674.60 378.11 Patching . 1,356.15 Snow removal 449.32 2.338.58 Storm sewer repairs Gasoline and oil Truck repair and maintenance Roadside development Record keeping 620.36 10.521.83 Local Streets: 568.46 Administration Black top . Chloride 1.149.70 Cleaning catch basins Grading and gravel 1,004.44 Painting . 52.24 Patching . Snow removal 121.04 Supplies . 1 288 00 Storm sewer repairs 148.20 Gasoline and oil

214.97

1,870.64

75.55

Hospitalization . Miscellaneous 451.77 4,502.20 Total Operating Disbursements CAPITAL DISBURSEMENTS: M-21 Improvements Major Street Improvements ... Equipment purchased 581.14 3,573.45 TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS . 34,967.78 Excess disbursements over revenue. \$ 8,215.71 **ELECTRIC UTILITY** BALANCE SHEET - DECEMBER 31, 1956 UTILITY PLANT: Electric Plant at original cost . \$1,207,804.20 Less: Accumulated allowances for depreciation. 535,517.66 \$672,"86.54 CURRENT: Co-h-current account -construction account dept retirement 5,696.35 United State Bonds-construction account 40,000.00 United States Bonds-debt retirement 15,000.00 Accounts receivable—customers, less \$1,290.96 reserve . Receivable from the Village 2,352,12 Receivable from water and sewer utility 9,065.14 Receivable from Lowell School District No. 4.174.99 Prepaid Insurance 1,426.78 137,206.34 \$809,492,88 LIABILITIES CAPITAL: Net equity (surplus) owned by the Village of Lowell \$496,472.47 ONG-TERM DEBT: Revenue certificates, 24%, maturing March 1, 1958 . ..\$ 15,000.00 Revenue certificates of 1955, 31/4, maturing \$15,000 in 1958, \$30,000 annually thereafter to 1965 and \$25,000 in 1966 . 250,000.00 265,000.00 Current maturity of long-term debt \$ 30,000.00 Accounts payable 7,609.04 Accrued old age and sales to 846.61 Accrued interest Customers' deposits 6,485.60 48,020.41 \$809,492,88 STATEMENT OF INCOME Year Ended December 31, 1956 INCOME: \$ 1,125.00 Village residential sales 81.196.32 Village commercial sales 86,550,28 Rural residential sales . 53,680,80 Rural commercial sales . 13.354.34 Discounts and penalties collected Interest-United States Bonds 369.70 Miscellaneous electrical revenue Value of current for village street lighting. 6,116.68 Total Income \$244,266.59 OPERATING EXPENSES Hydraulic generation .\$ 17,058.89 Diesel generation 115.506.29 Distribution 12,000.54 Customers' accounting 3 198 64 Administrative and general 30,172.55 \$177,936.91 39,565.56 217,502.47 Total Operating Expense \$ 26,764.12 Operating Income OTHER DEDUCTIONS: Interest on revenue certificates 9,581.30 Net Income \$ 17,182.82 STATEMENT OF EQUITY alance, January 1, 1956... \$487.927.04 Add net income for the year 17.182.82 \$505 109 26 Less value of services contributed to the Village 8,637.39 Balance, December 31, 1956 \$496,472.47 SCHEDULE OF OPERATING EXPENSES Year Ended December 31, 1956 HYDRAULIC GENERATION

Station Labor .\$ 7,180.50 Supplies and expense 282.51 Structures and improvements 601.04 Reservoirs, dams and waterways 623.33 Prime movers and generators 7.201.44 Accessory electric equipment 568.80 Miscellaneous power plant equipment. Rents, property taxes ... 103.37 \$ 17,058.89 HESEL GENERATION: Station Labor .\$ 15,326.27 Operation, supervision and engineering 3,621,48 Engine fuel 79,515,39 Lubricants . 4.502.83 Station supplies and expense 1,018.75

Structures and improvements 637.56 Fuel holders, producers and accessories 1,112.00 Engines ... 8,233.34 Generators 894.83 Accessory electric equipment 83.75 Miscellaneous power plant equipment 560.09 \$115,506.29 DISTRIBUTION Station Labor \$ 1,424.35 Operation, supervision and engineering 21.73 Station supplies and expense 152.75 Operation of overhead lines 785.83 Removing and resetting line transformers 584.21 Services on customers' premises 351.06

118.46

566.36

5,115.46

1,113.58

Removing and resetting meters Maintenance, supervision and engineering Poles, towers and fixtures Conductors and devices . Line transformers and devices

Continued on next page

says a University of Michigan hole to hole.

The schooling The schooling up is enough rea-ment of current bills. Prof. warren w. wisby offers son (aside from laying yourself these tips for taking perch through the ice:

Because the perch travel in Schools, you'll probably either hit duplicate his catch, you'd probasis. schools, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation, you'll probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation with a probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation with a probably either hit duplicate his eatch, you'd probation with a probably either hit his eatch, you'd probation with a probably either hit his eatch, you'd probably either hit his eatch,

Lowell Council Proceedings

Jones, jr., at 8:00 p. m.

\$ 4.538.00 were read and approved.

9,327.24 Police Chief Frank L. Stephens'

1,728.97 ture from the Michigan Water Re-

24,907.47 Council was in agreement to Ron's Shell Service

9,592.14 permit installation of a fire signal H & H Chevrolet

2,668.63 device in the Lowell Municipal Kent County Treasurer

present to present a grievance on Wayne Hoag

committee who will meet with

\$263,648.95 them, together with Superintendent

146,151.02 Moore, on February 20.

east of Lowell,

proposed the formation of a joint

was discussed; tabled.

9,065.14 The following were named, and

742.00 will be asked by Library Chair-

of one bid necessitated all being

referrred to the Finance Commit-

\$279,067.19 Council-employee group for labor

ty would exist on the part of the Roth & Sons Company

electrical service on their rural line. Referred to Light and Power

Trustee Boelens proposed a The Rollins Agency

\$ 4,102.25 ing clear the reason for the re-Rittenger Insurance Serv.

meeting of council and all Village Peter Speerstra Agency employees for the purpose of mak-Socony Mobil Oil Co.

cent lay-off and bringing to light R. G. Haley & Co., Inc.

impounding fee from \$2.00 to \$5.00 Approved: March 4, 1957.

the economic picture, Monday Crystal Refining Co.

President pro tem William M. have been sick with the measles Rool Call: Trustees Thompson, Village-Lowell Street Dept.
President Speerstra, Trustee BatP. B. Gast & Sons Co.

Light & Power

P. B. Gast & Sons Co.

Light & Power Receiving 323 67 party at the school that day, Her suggestions: The minutes of the last regular water & Sewer Deposit Ref. 10.00 mother, Mrs. Horace Myers, treated and of the Neptune Meter Company 50.08 for a suggestions:

149.10
Indiana, will speak at the Hope
S1,133.48
Brethren church on Saturday,
March C. March - Utilities plant on receipt of writ- Village-Lowell Street Fund \$ 39,565.56 ten acknowledgement from the installing company that no liabili- Lowell Municipal Utilities

Ball Floral Company 5.15 over there,
Wittenbach Sales & Service 98.43 Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Krauss sands in the area. Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Belke were Christiansen Supermarket \$ 295.46 operating the large sugar bush on If in schools:

13.15 and the delicious supper were is not available. 52.20 Mrs. Gaytha Kime and daughters. 3.177.09 Joyce and Lois, Mr. and Mrs. If in factories and industrial plants: 250.00 ceived a number of nice gifts.

o. m., February 25, set as tenta- Light & Power Deposit Ref. 110.00 88.13 13,897.94 tive date. Trustee Boelens also Light & Power payroll 3,149.58 On motion of Trustee Munroe, A request to increase the dog Council adjourned at 10:10 p. m. Bids were opened on the Village fleet insurance. The wide variance President protem LAURA E. SHEPARD,

Village Clerk is about the way it works.

That doesn't tell the whole

Regular session, Monday evening, February 18, 1957.

Tornadoes, the most violent and spectacular storms produced by michigan growers made a large mature, are a menace to the life and property of almost everyone meeting on Thursday, March 14, living between the Rockies and the Atlantic. They occur in the eastern nutrition-high diet of America at the home of Mrs. Gottleib Roth. 12,000.54 resident pro tem William M.

Solution and Maintenance second on the second of the second o

Operation & Maintenance | the past week. | But in knowing what to do when a tornado is observed may mean tonal yield of navies. | The past week was so per cent of the difference between life and death even though there is no universal recipes for home-made bean recognition. \$ 8.88 ber 8th birthday on February 28, protection against them except in caves or underground excavations, soup to warm tummies large and was the guest of honor at a little such as the so-called "cyclone cellar." Regardless, here are a few small on these cold winter days

secsion of February 4 and of the special session of February 11 were read and approved.

Police Chief Frank L. Stephens' reports covering the periods of January 20-February 2 and February 2 and Februar

*** Street Fund Payroll ending 2-16-57 to the local payroll ending

ture from the Michigan Water Resources Commission. (To Sup't Moore)

3. Michigan Department of Health reproposed air pollution legislation.

Council was in agreement to 2.14 Permit installation of a fire signal device in the Lowell Municipal Utilities plant on receipt of written and the source of the county Treasurer Utilizer-Lowell Street Fund Utilities plant on receipt of written and the source of the county Treasurer Utilizer-Lowell Street Fund Utilities plant on receipt of written and the many sources Commission. (To Sup't March 9. Lecturers will begin at 10 a.m. and also again following the noon hour. Mr. Schrock was in charge of the carload of heifers which was shipped from the various churches of Michigan to overseas. While across he visited portions of Germany and Russia and the source of the carload of heifers which was shipped from the various churches of Michigan to overseas. While across he visited portions of Germany and Russia and the source of the carload of heifers which was shipped from the various churches of Michigan to overseas. While across he visited portions of Germany and Russia and the source of the carload of heifers which was shipped from the various churches of Michigan to overseas. While across he visited portions of Germany and Russia and the source of the carload of heifers which was shipped from the various churches of Michigan to overseas. While across he visited portions of Germany and Russia and the will not help to get excited. People have been killed by running out into streets and by turning back into the living out into streets and by turning back into the hilled by running out into streets and by turning back into the hilled by running out into streets and by turning back into the hilled by running out into streets and by turning back into the hilled by running out into streets and by turning back into the hilled by running out into streets and by turning back into the hilled by running out into streets and by turning back into the hilled by running out into streets and b

2,000.00 the hiving conditions, ways of livs 32.66 7.50 report a tornado, as your individual request may tie up telephone lines urgently needed to receive special reports or to relay advisories to radio and television stations for dissemination to thou-

and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Sargeant as and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Sargeant were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Lott.

Orvie Stahl has started his work \$3,382.29 season of 1957 by beginning with syrup making. He has started production of that good sweet syrup, of the house may be open to help reduce damage to the building.

\$ 295.46 operating the large sugar oush on the George Metternick farm.

1,555.01 Mr. and Mrs. Horace Myers entertained Sunday evening in honor tertained Sunday evening in honor of their daughter, Jennie's, 8th birthday. Among those who attended and enjoyed the evening tended and enjoyed tended

79.14 Marvel Neib, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd On receiving a tornado warning, a lookout should be posted to 127.40 Livingston and sons, Ross and 115.10 Steven, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Sar475.80 geant, Ray Stahl and Mr. and Mrs. 67.88 Clare Stahl and family. Jennie re- moved to sections of the plant offering the greatest protection.

Cites Need for Improved Health Service A strong plea for improved com-zation of all usable community re-

State Health Commissioner, who eal disease, especially gonorrhea, warned against a let up in efforts among teen-agers calls for "imalso said that much needs to be nity action." He said about one done to face up to newer health out of six cases of gonorrhea are problems.

cal health department directors, Ledger want ads bring results.

Re-enforcing Rod Earl J. McDiarmid Pick Up Service

Cooperation of

Polio in Michigan will be on the 24 hours! way out as soon as the reluctance of adults to obtain protective in-

SHEET METAL WORK

Look, Still Popular With Furniture Buyers

Soft curved lines and the natural dent Sunday evening, and show a wood look will continue to be the film entitled "Friends of the Vil-Mary Shipley, home furnishings Alto Community Grange was

into today's small houses.

The Scandinavian influence is meet with us on March 21. Next articularly popular, Miss Shipley meeting will probably be held in

orange as accents. Ciarksville al snacking, but for main meals, Lucille Watts and Marilyn John Mich not too functional. Along with fad son.

Look at NEW IDEA spreaders before you buy Finest you can buy yet cost no more

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FIRST in Value FIRST in Sales Come in and look at New Idea before you buy ----------

Alto Community News

WARD BOULARD HAS Alto Churches COBALT TREATMENTS bor, for cobalt treatments.

MRS, CLAUD SILCOX-PHONE UN8-4581

Phase One of Operation Armori. "The masked shrew finds its was instrumental in seeing that seven out of every 10 children in the one through 14 age group cheady have received two doses of polionyelitis vaccine. Another 16 make its acquaintance first hand. It's seen so seldom by man that dren already have hed the three recommended doses.

In a large part, the vaccine used for the synthesis of dry leaves or grasses may be in or under small piles of grass or brush."

They and the pleasure of visits was distributed through the State and Federal funds. It was addistributed through the State and federal funds. It may so most of it was administered by private doctors of medicine, Dr. Altland said.

CLARK

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According to Professor Burt. "The maked shrew finds its thand. The searce of the brushy and grass, and the professor is quick to vouch for the maked shrew lag as about one-tenth of a gram."

The professor is quick to vouch for the maked shrew weighs about one-tenth of a gram."

The professor is quick to vouch for the maked shrew long and all reported a contingent of the professor is quick to vouch for the maked shrew she and need in the professor is quick to vouch for the maked shrew she and need in the professor is quick to occide the many way detrimental to the in the professor is quick to vouch for the maked shrew she conting season. Four to 10 may be born in each litter, a kneed the professor is quick to vouch for the maked shrew's gas about one-tenth of a gram."

The professor is quick to vouch for a few weeks.

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character. "No one can rightfully accuse this creature of being inany way detrimental to the interests of man, Its food consists almost entirely of small animals which likely would be injurious to the interest of small animals another national church figure will which likely would be injurious to the interest of man, Its food consists almost entirely of small animals which likely would be injurious to the injur

with Frank Laubach on the Point son Russell and wife. 4 program in India. He will be

taining Pomona Grange which will

hall, Mrs. Lawrence Headworth

its choir practice last Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wingeier; the choir was glad to have Mrs. Keith Bowman back as their director and began work on their Palm Sunday and Easter music. The next practice will be held Sunday afternoon, March 17, at the church at 2:30 in the after noon-all interested are urged

Methodist church will hold its March meeting Tuesday, March 5th, at the home of Mrs. Glenn The Methodist Church began its observance of the Lenten season.

from March 3-10; by celebrating the sacament of communion. children of Kalamazoo were week end guests of Mrs. Huver's mother,

lope Church Welcomes

announces two interesting and im- day afternoon, portant visitors at two separate occasions this week end.
On Saturday, March 9, Rev. Sunday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claud SII
Eighteen guests were present to

These strews are found throughout the state wherever conditions
are favorable. They are more
abundant in the Upper Peninsula problems, and composed of farm Rapids and Mr. and Mrs. Robert and everything was delicious. An Mr. and Mrs. Claude Silco bureaus, granges, and the farmer's Courter of Lansing. Mrs. Hale, who enjoyable feature of the evening Mr. and Mrs. Carl Keiser

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence, Rich- MRS. GARRY McWHINNEY took Walter Bowman to MSU at

Rev. Ronnie Moore, pastor of and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. guest of honor at a baby shower home Friday evening to spend the the Hope Church of the Brethren, Clinton Brewer of Zeeland, Sun-given by Mrs, Richard Johnson week end. and Miss Helen Ritter Saturday, Leon Anderson, Mr. and Mrs

Ward Boulard of Bowne Center Mark Schrock will be at the is in University hospital, Ann Archivech, located on M-50 just east Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Sillengtheen guests were present to enjoy the entertaining games, after which the guest of honor opened which the guest of honor opened of Alto from 10.00 a. m. to 2.20 per the control of Alto from 10.00 per the bor, for cobalt treatments.

His address is 3 W, care of Uni
P. m., giving an illustrated lecture

Alto, from 10:00 a. m. to 3:30

Mrs. R. D. Bancroft were Mr. her many useful and appropriate gifts. Delicious refreshments were

Time may be money but it



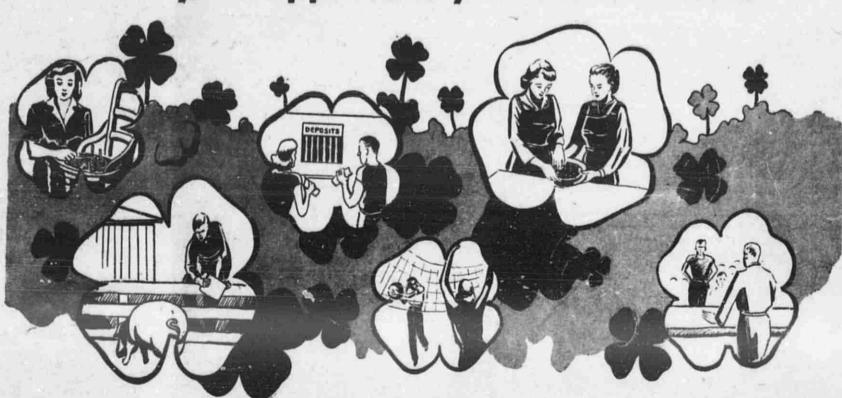
Keith Bowman home. The men



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STATEMENT OF NET EQUITY

Balance, January 1, 1956

-if you know how to catch 'em," a school, he can follow it from the Motor Vehicle Highway Fund need for these services, and for would have the same effect. Prof. Warren W. Wisby offers son (aside from laying yourself Yeas, Boelens, Munroe, Fonger, be found and what they have to up their roads and repair and per-

Winter Perch Sweet Meat for Anglers

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H. Rittenger Transfer from Village \$2,000.00 The ever expanding number of help given one human being by General Village General George Archart

2.000.00

3.12 Stevenson. Even the newest dic- with a job, a home and wholesom Water & Sewer Fund \$2,283.96 words that picture our roads. discipline of living up to the con-

usage, but now it is only one of While the mainpurpose of pro-Tonopah Mining Company \$9.17 many terms we all use. There are bation is to adjust offenders to expressways and freeways, thru- the family unit and to community ways and skyways, turnpikes and standards, and to protect society. It was moved by Trustee Boe- toll roads, lens, supported by Trustee Fon- But no matter what they are tion from a dollars and cents 3,737.86 ger, that the Village of Lowell ap-3,033.72 19,328.46 prove the transfer of the license tal. They are indispensable ar-

in the name of John Young, on teries of communication and average cost for care in a corres-\$ 5,880.31 West Main Street, to Urban Key-ser and Geraldine DeVos, both of Grand Rapids, Michigan, since the ways are lifelines of the economy— tional institution is about \$1,5000 per year per inmate. The actual cos5 of probation in criminal Village has at no times received they are used for the movement courts now ranges from \$20 to aobjections to such transfer. of goods and as recreational gate- round \$150 per case per year. Yeas, 4; nays, 0. Carried. | ways. | That doesn't tell the whole | Along these roads are built a story, of course, but the amount

It was moved by Trustee Mun-roe, supported by Trustee Fon-Robert Louis Stevenson would have year through the proper use of \$226 379 74 ger, that the matter of purchasing found out of his range of know- probation is in the millions. 7.880.31 extended coverage insurance for ledge. These businesses have the balance of the Light and Power buildings not already so covered, be referred to the Finance Combe referred to the Finance

which only horsedrawn carriages probation.

ple are found to ride thereon, and signed to meet the needs of the

rpetuate it, and keep it alive." firm, friendly and understanding

others are raised up to repair and individual. Supervision amounts to

onary does not contain all the recreation. Along with this goes th

254.34 words to describe roads would be another; replacement in normal

26.50 another source of surprise for circumstances so far as is possible,

Highway had been in general ditions set by the court.

lions of mobile Americans every them. Both in the federal Conday-food, shelter, refreshment, gress and in many states, bills recreation, comforts, souvenirs, will be introduced this year It was moved by Trustee Fon- supplies. In fact, every step taken either rule all private busine ger, supported by Trustee Thomp- toward making our highways more ses off the major roads or preven to the Street Funds for the pay- the notices along the way to mo- Yes, to Stevenson, who noted the torists telling them where they can drive of a free people to raise

pending upon whether you're lucky enough to spud your hole over a school.

Don't laugh at the old timer who chops two or three dozen holes who or three dozen holes who is fishing.

The pending upon whether you're lucky enough to spud your hole of jobs and accounting for more wants of the people who upon the needs and of jobs and accounting for more wants of the people who upon the needs and lowed and checks drawn:

Yeas, Thompson, Boelens, Munch he would be amazed to learn that roe, Fonger, 4; Nays, 0. Carried the people who upon the needs and lowed and checks drawn:

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is about the way it works.

After a person is convicted, the probation and parole officers inneeds, the Commissioner said: Think how amazed Robert Louis offense for which he or she was to be done to curb discases such Stevenson, poet-essayist of the late convicted. They also look int the as cancer, heart disease and dia-nineteenth century, would be if he character and background of the could see the modern maze of offender and make their report to to any one profession or agency highways that serve America's 75,000,000 motorists.

In 1896 he wondered about the leading the court of the parole board.

After it gets the report, the court decides whether to put the offender magnet-power of a highway, on in jail, set a fine, or prescribe

tion" and "parole" for persons.
convicted of a crime....but you didn". know the details of how the system works.

This is really a scientific matter and I may not have the whole story but, as I understand it, this is about the way it works.

munity health services was made sources." today by Dr. Albert E. Heustis, Dr. Heustis reported that vener

Speaking at the eighth annual age group. Commissioner's Conference of lo-

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Relative to the Opening and Closing of the Polls The Polls of said election will be open at 7:00 o'clock a. m., and will remain

LAURA E. SHEPARD, Village Clerk

Eats More Than Its Equal Weight Each 24 Hours Believe it or not, there's one Michigan mammal that eats more than its own weight in food every

Tiny, Active Shrew

oculations of Salk vaccine can be eliminated, J. K. Altland, M. D., less than four inches—one and one Day of Prayer

oculations of Saik vaccine can be eliminated, J. K. Altiand, M. D., President of the Michigan Health Council, predicted today.

"Operation Armor of the Michigan Health part of the adult shrew is usually gan State Medical Society is helping to break through the armor of teenagers and young adults who have not had the polio inoculations they need to escape the disease," Dr. Atland said.

"The eyes are small, inconspicuted with the armor of teenagers and young adults who have not had the polio inoculations in the program are the Bowne Center by the program are the Bowne Center by the hostesses." The University of Michigan. "The swall is elicitate, almost been cively highly for its vigorous polio immunization program which was given the name "Operation Armor of the name "Operation Armor of the mame" "Operation Armor of the Michigan President to the President to the Michigan President to the Willow Associated President Pres

ciety highly for its vigorous pollor immunization programs which was given the name "Operation Are mor" and urged the cooperation of all parents, young adults, news papers, radio and television stations in the campaign.

These little mammals are average pollor and the control of the barber shop, the control of the barber shop, and the clearly provided for the property of the prop

rofessor at Michigan State Uni- pleasantly entertained at the Glenn ersity, who recently returned Loveland home Friday evening. from the Chicago furniture mar- About thirty members were pres ket. French Provincial furniture ent, among them Mr. and Mrs. is still very poular, she points out. Austin Bowman and baby who This includes small scaled and now live near Sparta, Roll call was nine-looking pieces which fit answered by telling an amusing Little or no wrought iron is be- Freda Russell was program chair-

ing used, but there is a growing man, A progressive game of orass, wood and gold. Black is and fun. ops, she points out, but not the Plans for refinishing the floor thin wrought iron look. Instead in the hall were discussed chrome, aluminum and magnesi- and it was decided to sand and um are taking over the black met- varnish the floor prior to enter-

chairs with the rounded look and a semidetached back and seat. METHODIST CHURCH NEWS The upholstered part is also semi- Alto and Bowne Center Color-wise, there seems to be a tian Service of the Bowne Center A current trend to very low din-will be program chairman for the

observing the Week of Dedication

Alto Farm Equip.

style trend for summer furniture. lage". Telling what is now on the market for summer furnishings is

leclares. This is evidenced by the hall. Date, March 15th.

ing tables and chairs is explained month; the dinner committee will by Miss Shipley as good for casu- be headed by Bertha Porritt, Edpoints out that furniture is not wina Wingeier, Frances Porritt,

The Clark Circle of the Alt

Mrs. Lucy Huntington. Carl Cleveland was in Kansa City, Mo., from Tuesday until Fri-Mr. and Mrs. Carl Keiser visited Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Dygert of Kalamazoo Monday and Tuesday

which likely would be injurious to be on hand to enlighten those pres- Mr. and Mrs. Richard LeVal- at the church. cultivated crops if not checked by ent. He is Fred Christman, who ley and small son of Ionia were. The Methodist Men's pancake erase, shrews," he says.

has served as national publicity
These shrews are found through
the says.

has served as national publicity
parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. D. Smith.

Thursday night was very well pat
In loving memory of our mother

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Thursday night was very well pat-Mr. Christman has also served turned to Grand Rapids with her Ron Watts of numerous Italian

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COVICE

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members of the congregations both also visited the Seymour Hesches at 9:00 and at 11:00 will register and Reuben Lees. their attendance



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Letter From Arizona **Tells of Lowell Folks**

Dedication" service at the Metho-moved from Lowell about a year dist church this evening (Thurs- ago to make their home in Phoenix, day) at 7:30. The service is a part Arizona, have written us a very of the observance of the "Week of interesting letter of their recent Dedication" which in Methodist visits with many former Lowellchurches corresponds to "One ites, occasioned by vacationing

to renew their Ledger, and also The main feature of the service wished that we expressed their this evening will be a new motion "best regards to our friends in picture, entitled, "A Stranger in Lowell", Their letter contains much the House". The public is invited. interesting news, and we quote in

Week the front doors of the church "Last Wednesday, the C. E. Radhave been unlocked and the Sanc- fords and Ken Ganes of Grand tuary heated each day from 9 a. Rapids arrived here enroute to L. m, until 9 p. m. so that worship- A, and Thursday night Sue Housepers may drop in at any time for man came over with the Bob Warprayer, meditation or dedication. ners. As you can imagine Lowell The observance of the Week will was the major topic of discussion. conclude Sunday morning when While the Radfords were here we

> "To top off making the rounds of Lowellites in these parts, we drove Sue down to Royden Warners in Tucson and visited Dick Koewers while there.

"Incidentally, in case you hadn't heard, Dick joined the law enforcement agency at Tucson in the pastor at Lowell Church of the Letter to the Editor the work.

any of the good Michigan snow so we took them in the mountains plenty of it. It wasn't long before garet Court is the accompanist. they admitted the thought of going "down hill" to Phoenix seemed quite inviting."

CARD OF THANKS I wish to thank neighbors and

relatives for the cards sent me on my birthday. Mildred Ellison

sent to me while I was in the

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Dossie Leece

RAVENNA LIVESTOCK SALES

hospital.

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Hogs	up	to	\$17.70	cwt.
Sows				
Boars	up	to	\$11.70	cwt.
Feeder Pigsfrom \$9.				

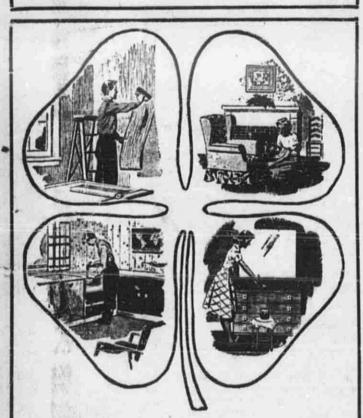
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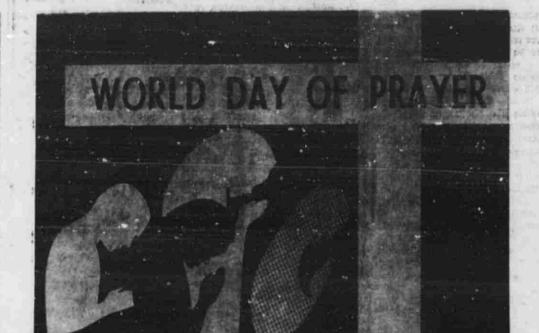
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NATIONAL 4-H CLUB WEEK, MAR. 2 - 9

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The Lowell Church of the Nazarene will host the observance of World Day of Prayer this Friday, March 8, when members of the women's organizations of the Lowell Congregational and Methodist churches will cooperate with the Naz-arene church women in holding the annual serv-

ice, Mrs. Fred Kenyon, chairman of the 1957 program, states the worship service will begin at 2 o'clock, and everyone is invited to attend, and join the world wide observance of a day of thought-

Mrs. H. S. Martin, wife of the

very happy here in the 'land of the Soioists are Mrs. Charles Ellis and sun." Doug and Neil were lamentnear Flagstaff where there was lead the group singing, and Mar-letter.

be "Who Shall Separate Us".

"Working of His Power" is the Roberts. Others taking part are Ledger, and during his student the town where I grew up and J. Mrs. Fred Kenyon, who will read the scripture, Mrs. Elmer Buck who will offer the special prayer requests, and Mrs. Hattie Lind, Mrs. tivities. Ruby Leeman and Mrs. Charles DeYoung, who will bring special

Mrs. Oscar Nelson, Mrs. William Uyterschout, Mrs. Archie Duncan I wish to thank my friends and and Mrs. Harry Weimer will serve neighbors for the cards and flowers as ushers.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my friends and neighbors, Snow WSCS, Cyclamen Chapter, Rebekah Lodge, for plants and the many letters and cards sent me during my hospitalization. Words cannot express my deep appreciation. Mrs. W. V. Burras

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capacity of deputy sheriff. He says the hours are long but he enjoys the hours are long but he enjoys war's World Day of Prayer will College Student Wonders If He Should Try Mountain Snow "As for the Grimwoods, we're presenting the afternoon program. Plan to Return to Lowell for Career

trinting because they represent ing to develop a business there. what the youth of Lowell has to with their future.

Engagement Announced



Pilmore-Chesebro

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pilmore Chesebro of Lowell. An April wed- me this is real progress. ding is being planned.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Staal annouce the engagement of her daughter, Charlotte Jeanne Condon to Carl Shores, son of Mr.

South Boston Grange

festivities beginning with a bountiful supper being served at 7:30 ple, which number included some cause it is the only method of thirty or more visitors from Danby getting the facts into every home. and Lakeside granges.

which will be held on Friday eve-ning, March 15: Jean Kyser, Rachel Condon, Doris Normington and Crystal Tucker.

A very interesting program followed the business meeting with Good of Caledonia,

On the evening of March 15 there will be a Civil Defense program sponsored by the South Boston Farm Bureau and South Boston Grange and the following films will be shown: "A New Look at the H-Bomb"; "Let's Face It" and "In Time of Disaster". Refreshments will be served after the program. Unless otherwise solicited, grange members will please bring sandwiches and jello for the lunch. This is a most thing, but they promise meat sandthese times of unrest and disaster, wiches and carrot sticks with fruit so anyone in the community is

The next dance will be held on Saturday evening, March 9, with eating Salmon fritters on Friday, Pearl Roth's committee serving the refreshments. The dance will jello. The only thing wrong with begin at 9:00 p. m. and end at that menu is the vegetable, spin-1:00 a. m. which will be a half ach, which many children really hour earlier than heretofore.

most cordially invited to come,

Cary Stiff, jr., now a sopho-, out of the exclamation point-is more student at Dartmouth, and a progress so infrequent in Lowell ing the fact that they didn't have trio will also be provided by Suz- Lowell high school honor gradu- that it is treated by delighted suranne Jacobi, Sharon Walker and ate, has written the Ledger a very prise? The rate at which Lowell school house Friday evening, Mar. started Monday night were made Mary Kay Winks. Mrs. Martin will interesting and thought-provoking is developing is of great interest to 8, 8:00 p. m. Hostesses. Mrs. El- up mostly of people who asked for

Cary, who is the son of Main when I must seriously prepare for "Working of His Power" is the street women's store proprietor entering into the business world. Cary Stiff, has worked at the Naturally I would like to work in days here was one of the more know the people and their tastes Groups." American Legion hall, active students, taking part in and customs. But if Lowell shows 8 o'clock. most of the extra-curricular ac- no signs of expansion, it would be foolhardy for me or any other We think his ideas are worth college graduate to consider try-

> "Oh, you might be able to point face when deciding what to do out several instances where the town has shown signs of growth "I read with interest last week's in the past few years: the new issue of the Ledger, especially the elementary school, perhaps; the Main street column which had proposed new lamp posts; possibly that little article titled "Progress new generators at the light plant. is noted on Main st.!" or some- But are these accomplishments thing like that. I got a big kick true progress? Everyone knows new generators were a necessity;

the present lamp posts will not gregational church will meet at building is admittedly only a temporary measure, not a preparation for the future. And when are some of the structures on the Main st. bridge going to be torn down and rebuilt completely? And what happened to the American Legion Community center and the ome a fact rather than a fig- bold credit to the community and the Showboat Corporation and the service clubs like the beautiful,

very real pool over in Chesaning? "I read almost every week in munities surrounding and neigh-Paris township is formulating plans for a new shopping center; the Forest Hills high school, a of Rural Route 1, Fowler, an thing of the near future, will connounce the engagement of their geal a large, heavily populated daughter Edith Ellen to Max district that will rival Lowell. To 15-ounce daughter, Karen Sue, at

"Lowell is no longer entirely a farming community. It must recognize the fact that it is a "suburb" (and I hate to use the word) of Grand Rapids. More and more people are moving out of the big and Mrs. Frank Shores, Plans are what is Lowell doing these days to being made for an April 6th wcd-capture some of that shifting popcity and all its congestion. Just

"Perhaps, in their lethargy, the citizens of Lowell don't realize they have not seen much progress ga, jr., 9474 Bailey dr., at Blodon Main street for quite some time. Regular meeting was held on Who can make them aware of this William Jay, weighing 8 pounds, Saturday evening, March 2; the fact? It is my belief that the Low- 111/2 ounces paign for Lowell improvement be-It is liable to be a controversial undertaking, but controversy leads Reports were given and the following kitchen committee was appointed to act at the next meeting in this case. Sincerely Cary P.

Hot Lunches

Went without lunch today, so every single meal planned by the singing by the entire group, vocal Hot Lunch program for next week and harmonica selections by Bert Hot Lunch program for next week at Lowell Public schools sounded thanson, and some extremely interesting films shown by Orlo the reason, perhaps they will sound very good to you too: Monday: Hot pork sandwich,

cheese, mixed vegetables, and pineapple upside down cake. Scalloped potaties and meat loaf, always a favorite, will be served Tuesday, along with green beans, bread and butter, and Jello for des-

sert.

All kids like Chili, with a green salad, corn bread, and cookies. That's the Wednesday menu.

But no one cou'd complain about with mashed potatoes, muffins and do like to eat. How about you?

COMING EVENTS

Regular meeting of Cyclamen Chapter, 94, OES, will be Friday, March 8, at 8 p. m. at the Masonic c45-46 Temple.

Alton Ladies Aid will meet at the hane of Mrs. Wilbur Purdy, Thursday afternoon, Mar. 14. We will reveal our secret pals. Bring gift costing about 50 cents.

Evening club will meet with Ani- p. m. at the City hall, Mar. 12. The program will feature "Talking Hands", by the Don Mul-

The Lila Group of the Congregational Women's Fellowship will meet in the church dining room, March 7, at 2:00 p. m.

The regular Women's Club meeting will be held Wednesday, Mar. ing plant.

Masters, round and square dancing, for benefit of building fund.

Bureau will meet at Morse Lake

Public invited to March 11 meeting of B. & P. W., to hear Ralph

Regular meeting of Lowell Lodge No. 90 F&AM Tuesday, March 12, 7:30 p. m., at the temple. Work in the E. A. degree. Lunch will be served.

Snow WSCS will hold their

monthly supper at the hall on Wednesday evening, Mar. 13 with Mrs. Henry Brown and Mrs. Kenneth Fox as hostesses. Serving will begin at six o'clock. The Dorcas Group of the Con-

support the weight of a ladder the home of Beverly DeMull, 8 and a man; the new elementary o'clock Tuesday evening, Mar. 12. St. Rita's Circle will hold a rummage sale at the City Hall,

> March 28, 29, 30. Euchre party, Saturday, Mar.

9, Legion Hall, 8:00 p. m. Friday, Mar. 15, will be Friendyouth center? How long before the ship night at the Lowell Eastern swimming pool is going to be- Star, when Cyclamen Chapter will ment of the imagination-a real Temple at 8 o'clock, Interesting program planned.

The three M's will sponsor a family night at the Methodist church Thursday, March 14, at the Ledger and the Suburban Life 6:30. Bring table service and dish about some expansion in the com- to pass. Coffee will be furnished. Program: Pictures shown by Mr. boring to Lowell. Ada's popula- Hartzler, who will also relate his tion increase outdid Lowell's; experiences in European relief work.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. George Graham,

Blodgett hospital, on February 28. To Rev. and Mrs. Robert Folkert (nee Genevieve Seelev) of Keosauqua, Iowa, a girl, Sally Louann, weighing 6 pounds, 10 ounces, February 6.

To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beckett, capture some of that shifting popfrom the Army.

> To Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wierengett hospital, March 2, a son,



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First Aid Classes **Organize Monday For Civil Defense**

City Hall to form classes in first defense unit the neighboring area aid, which will be held each Mon- of Grattan, Vergennes, Lowell and day evening, from 7:00 to 10:00 Bowne townships.

ta Walters, as hostess, Tuesday, The course takes 18 hours of work, which means the classes will extend for six weeks.

instructor of the women's class, shown to me since my accident. and a representative of the American Red Cross, Harold Ballast, will instruct the men's group.

It is getting to be "that time" 13, promptly at two o'clock in the again, the blustery winds of March club room. A good attendance is are here, and the tornado season desired as the president has several is again in sight-after Lowell's special matters to bring before the close brush with the terrible twissusiness meeting. Later, members ters last year, and after what hapwill visit the Runciman Bean Sort- pened to our neighbors in Alto, and those near Grand Rapids, lo-Remember this Date! April 12. cal civil defense units are gather-ing up steam to re-organize a sol-Blue Water fish dinner, Congregational church. Congregational church. C46-49 problems.

When over 200 citizens met last McDonald-Osmer Post No. 415, American Legion will sponsor a May 8th (when the possibility of dance Saturday, Mar. 23, 8:30 p. m. another April 3 storm was very at the Am Vet Post No. 30 hall at imminent) registration cards were Campau Lake. Music by Max Music filled out by all those who wished to volunteer for various civil dec46 fense duties.

These names were all catalogued The Morse Lake-McCords Farm and put on file for future use. The first-aid courses which me as I have reached the stage mer Yeiter and Mrs. Glen Yei- this training for civil defense

Loan Equipment?

Frank Stephens, local leader in this work, states he still needs the names and addresses and telephone numbers of more folks who own chain saws, trucks, bulldozers, cranes and station wagons, and would be willing to bring this equipment to the aid of any disaster.

Other volunteers are needed for communications, police reserve, street cleaning, fire fighting, home nursing, mass feeding, Ground Observer Corps, staff and organization, rescue squads, housing, nur-

ses aid and first aid workers, office and clerical workers. As was mentioned last year at the big civil defense meeting, "It is better to have civil defense without disaster than a disaster without civil defense."

LINE CHARGOS IN

CHAIR MARS

THE SHELL

Mr. Stephens is not just appeal-Sixteen men and fifteen ladies ing for volunteers in Lowell, but were present Monday night at the would like to include in our civil

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