

C. H. Runciman Announces Retirement After 38 Years on Lowell School Board

C. H. Runciman, member of the Lowell Board of Education since 1920, announced this week that he will not seek re-election to the board when his term expires this June. He has served as president of the school board for 36 years. Runciman was graduated from Michigan State Normal College in 1911. Before coming to Lowell in January of 1917, he was superintendent of schools in Millington and Grosse Ile for five and a half years. As head of the board during these many years, the Lowell school has felt the steady leadership and outstanding record of educational achievement. Mr. Runciman has handed diplomas to three generations of Lowell High graduates in his duties as president of the board.



In announcing his decision to retire, he said that it was time for new leaders to take on the responsibilities of education, but that his interest in the young people of the community would never diminish.

Gives Farewell Dinner
On Thursday evening of this week, Mr. and Mrs. Runciman will entertain the teachers, board members and staff of the school with a dinner at the Cascade Country Club.

Lowell Relays Today At Recreation Park

This afternoon (Thursday) is the running of the Lowell Relays at Recreation Park. Schools participating are Belding, Saranac, Ionia and Lowell. Field events start at one o'clock, and running events will begin at 1:30 or 2 o'clock. Several very outstanding performers will be participating in this event. Place ribbons will be awarded individual performers; a trophy will be given to the winning team; and winning relay teams will receive trophies.

On Tuesday afternoon qualifying rounds were held at Recreation Park for the hurdle and dash events. Qualifiers were:

- 120 yd. High Hurdles—Almy (B), :17.0; DeVries (L), :17.1; Ellsworth (B), :17.5; Bishop (I), :17.65 and Fuller (S), :18.6.
- 100 yd. Dash—Chickering (B), :10.6; Neustifter (I), :10.7; Harris (L), :10.75; Wood (B), :10.75; Stuart (S), :10.9 and Evans (B), :11.1.
- 180 yd. Low Hurdles—Inman (I), :21.3; Almy (B), :21.95; Ellsworth (B), :22.45; Fuller (S), :22.6 and Bishop (I), :23.05.
- 220 yd. Dash—Chickering (B), :23.8; Foss (B), :24.1; Inman (I), :24.15; Kutchey (L), :24.6; Stuart (S), :24.6 and Neustifter (I), :24.65.

Former Lowell Teacher Retires in Battle Creek

Mrs. Edith Bordine, who taught at the old South Ward School in Lowell many years ago, is retiring after 28 years of teaching. Mrs. Bordine, the former Edith Foster, and a sister of Mrs. Orval Jessup, was graduated from Lowell high school in 1922 and received her bachelor of arts and life teaching certificate from Western Michigan University. She taught at Ada and Lowell South Ward School following summer sessions there. She will retire from Battle Creek School system after teaching first grade in Franklin School for many years.

Nominating Petitions Due for Board of Education

The term of C. H. Runciman as a member of the Board of Education will expire on July 1, 1958, and in accordance with law the vacancy will be filled at the annual election which will be held on Monday, July 7, 1958. Those who wish to become candidates for the position must, in accordance with law, file nominating petitions with the secretary of the Board of Education before 4 p. m. on June 7th. Any qualified voter in the district whose name appears on the assessment roll and who is the owner of property so assessed is eligible for the Board of Education. The nominating petitions must be signed by at least fifty qualified electors who are registered in Fourth Class School District Number One Fractional, Lowell Township (Lowell Public Schools). It is to be noted that electors are not to sign petitions for more than one candidate this year. Only the names of those candidates who have qualified by filing these nominating petitions will have their names printed on the ballot. Nominating petitions are available at the high school office, or at Secretary Dr. Thomas B. Hill's office, 105 West Main Street, Lowell.

Kent Co. Service Club Dance Set For May 24

A dance, sponsored by the Kent County Service Club, will be held this Saturday night, May 24, in the Exhibit Building on the 4-H Fair Grounds in Lowell. There will be both round and square dancing beginning at 8 p. m. until 12 o'clock. Refreshments will be available.

LEGAL HOLIDAY

This bank will not be open for business on Memorial Day, Friday, May 30, 1958. We will be open Thursday, May 29, from 9:30 a. m. to 3:00 p. m. State Savings Bank, Lowell.

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ANTRIM—Named for County Antrim in Ireland. Organized in 1863.

Plan Annual Memorial Day Program, Parade

The annual Memorial Day program and parade to honor those who have given their lives in the service of our country will be held Friday, May 30. The two veteran organizations who are planning these services are the local post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion, Jessie Knapp and Lawrence Chesbro are the commanders of these groups, respectively.

All participating organizations will gather at Richards Park at 9 a. m. and will begin marching at 9:30, going through Main Street and continuing to the cemetery.

A fine program has been planned for this occasion which will include A. Cecil Houghton, who will be the principal speaker.

Watch for further details in next week's Ledger.

Lowell B&W Women Attend State Convention

Mrs. Lydia Johnson, representing District 4, and Mrs. Reta Martin and Mrs. Peg Bedell, delegates from the Lowell B&W club, attended the annual convention of the Michigan Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, Inc., May 16 through 18 at the Statler hotel in Detroit.

As this year marked the fortieth anniversary of the organization of the club, an especially fine program was planned for each session, including the highlights of her term, presented by each past State President.

At the convention banquet on Saturday evening, Mrs. Daphne Leeds, first woman to hold the position of Assistant Commissioner of Patents, addressed the group on "The Job Ahead."

Miss Elaine C. Barnes of Tulsa, Oklahoma, was the National representative and consultant at the convention, and addressed the Sunday luncheon gathering, preceding the installation of officers.

Being offered the privilege of association with such outstanding people is one of the advantages of affiliation with organizations such as the Federation of Business and Professional Women's Club.

Job's Daughters Sponsor Spaghetti Dinner May 24

Saturday night, May 24, from 5 to 8 p. m. the people of the surrounding area will have an opportunity to dine graciously in Italian style. The Lowell Job's Daughters are sponsoring a spaghetti dinner at the Lowell Masonic Temple.

The romance and excitement of Italy will be recreated by a violinist along with tables clad with checkered tablecloths. The magic touch of an Italian chef will assure you of excellent food absorbed in the mysteries of candlelight.

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V. F. W. Poppy Days Thursday Through Saturday

Mrs. Helen Ortowski is chairman of the Flat River Post VFW Auxiliary group that will be on Lowell Main Street, Thursday, Friday and Saturday for the annual Poppy Days. Your support is requested to aid in the work of this veterans group. Memorial Day is next week—let's start remembering now!

Track Squad Ties For Third At Regional

Last Saturday the Red Arrow track squad made a good showing at the Class 'B' Track Regional at Lee Field. The Lowell boys tied for third in the point standings with Hastings with 20 points. East Grand Rapids repeated as Regional champs with 66½ points. Godwin captured second with 24.

The Norm Gotschall-coached Arrows qualified five performers to attend the State meet this Saturday at East Lansing. They were Charlie Ryder, broad jump; Ken Spooner, mile run; Noel Smith and Dick Connors, half mile; and Don Dawson, quarter mile.

Ryder picked up the only Arrow field event points with a third in the broad jump at 19' 7", his best mark of the year. Junior, Ken Spooner put on a terrific finish to take a third in the mile by a stride with the fine time of 4:52.1. Godwin's Rog Humbarger captured first at 4:41, and Nelson of Hastings was second at 4:45. The winning time was only 5 of a second off the record of 4:40.5 set by Bob Carigan in the rain last year.

Don Dawson romped to an easy victory in the 440 in :53.9. Dick Connors took second in the first 880 race at 2:11. In the second 880 race Noel Smith was nipped in a photo finish and was awarded second place with a time of 2:08.7.

Brian Estes survived a fall in the low hurdles and finished fifth for the Arrows. In the prelims he ran a :21.8 to qualify. The Lowell medley relay team captured fourth spot with a 2:40.5 clocking. Boys on this team were Dick Harris, Don Dawson, Chuck Ryder and Jim White.

Next Thursday is the Grand Valley Conference meet at Lee Field. A good showing could move the Arrows into third place in the standings.

C. W. Johnson, 35-Year Member of Clark-Ellis Post 152, Passes Sunday

Clinton W. Johnson, a member of the Clark-Ellis Post 152 of Lowell for 35 years, passed away Sunday at the age of 67 in St. Mary's Hospital. Mr. Johnson, who resided at 616 Kellogg, S. E., in Grand Rapids, was a World War I veteran.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the VanStrien-Alman Funeral Home in Grand Rapids with Dr. Duncan E. Littlefair of Fountain Street Church officiating. Interment was in Woodlawn cemetery where the Clark-Ellis Post conducted the military services.

Mr. Johnson is survived by his wife, J. Lillian; two daughters, Mrs. Eugene Rumble of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Eugene Kiel of Holland; four grandchildren; one uncle and several cousins.

St. Mary's Parish Continue Drive

Catholics of St. Mary's Parish, Lowell, started last Sunday with a week-long Drive for the Diocesan Development Fund.

Early reports from team workers indicated that the response to the plea for support of the Fund by the Most Reverend Allen J. Babcock, Bishop of Grand Rapids, was equal to that of last year.

Leaders of Campaign organizations in 180 parishes of the Grand Rapids Diocese were confident that all solicitation would have been completed by Saturday.

No formal goal for the Drive has been set but clergy and lay leaders alike are hopeful that the overall amount of \$450,500 raised in 1957 can be duplicated this year.

As soon as sufficient revenues become available from the current Drive, construction will start on a \$150,000 Chapel and Social Activities building for Catholic students at Ferris Institute at Big Rapids.

Parnell Altar Society Holds Annual Banquet

The Altar Society of St. Patrick Parish, Parnell, will hold its annual Mother-Daughter banquet at 7 p. m. on the evening of Sunday, May 25, in the school auditorium.

Mrs. John B. Heffron is general chairman. Her assistants are Mrs. Joseph Nugent, Jr., Mrs. Floyd Mayo, Mrs. Harry Richmond, and Mrs. Richard Self. Mrs. Carroll Jakeway will be mistress of ceremonies.

Explanation of Annexations Effects Riverview, Mapes and Boynton Schools Vote on Joining Lowell School District

Within the next few weeks Riverview, Mapes and Boynton School Districts will vote on joining their districts to the Lowell School District. If the vote is favorable they will become a part of more than a dozen districts or sections of districts now making up the Lowell District. Because of the many questions that Lowell residents and members of the annexed districts have, the Lowell Board of Education presents the following annexation explanation and its effect as to costs on local taxpayers.

Must Belong to 13-Grade District

In accordance with current educational philosophy and procedure, it appears that by 1962 all children in Michigan will belong to a high school district. The trend is unmistakable. A few years ago there were about 7,500 school districts in the state, including the thousands of one, two and three-room districts known as primary districts.

Council Sets Tax Rate at 11 Mills

At the Village Council meeting Monday night, the village tax rate for 1958 was set at 11 mills on the equalized valuation, which is an increase of three mills over the 1957 rate. Last year some \$38 thousand was raised by local taxation but the new millage will increase it to an estimated \$53 thousand.

More income is necessary, the finance committee reported, because of the decrease in sales tax and other state taxes returned to the village.

Nonresident Water Rates

The water rate for customers not living in the village was also boosted by the village council. The new water rate for outside users of the utility will be 100 per cent more than the local rate. Only a few are affected; according to the records only 16 are nonresident customers. The new rate will make the minimum for 10 thousand gallons \$8 per quarter. For Oakwood Cemetery a flat rate of \$1.50 per outlet per quarter or \$6 per outlet for a year was established by the council. In the past, water has been furnished free to the cemetery.

The Board has felt that it is better to annex districts upon request for annexation than to wait until forced to do so by the state. Accordingly, the following districts, upon having made the request for annexation will vote on becoming a part of Lowell No. 13: Riverview, Mapes and Boynton. It is predicted that within two or three years over twenty other districts will request annexation to Lowell.

Commencement Exercises At Parnell, Sunday, June 1

Graduation exercises of the St. Patrick High School, Parnell, will be held June 1 with Baccalaureate Mass breakfast in the morning and commencement that evening.

Mass will be offered at 10 o'clock with the class of '58 going to Mass in a body for the last time. After Mass, breakfast will be served in the school auditorium by the freshmen and sophomore classes.

Rev. Joseph J. Zaskowski, Professor of English and Classical Languages at St. Joseph Seminary, will be the commencement speaker. The rest of the program will be as follows: Arnold Raaymakers, Chairman; Jean Jakeway, salutatorian; Earl Wosinski, sr., Parents Response; Rev. Gordon Grant, Pastor's Address; and Betsy Byrnes, valedictorian, the Farewell Address.

The commencement, which will be held at 8 p. m. in the church, will consist of the graduates being presented their diplomas by Rev. Gordon Grant.

'Curly' Writes About Rodeos

The Rodeo is America's fastest growing sport. Last year there were 13 million paid admissions, and rodeo is getting bigger and better every year.

The contestants in Rodeo are not paid. They pay an entry fee which is added to the purse donated by the Rodeo management. It is then split 4 ways to the top 4 men in each event. There are usually 5 or more contests. Rodeo is made up of 5 main events such as saddle bronc riding, bareback bronc riding, Brahma bull riding, bulldogging and calf roping. At other times such contests as steer roping, wild horse racing, wild cow milking, team roping and chuck wagon racing are a part of the Rodeo.

Every week until Rodeo time in Lowell there will be an article on Rodeo. July 3 there will be a night show and on July 4, a day show. These will be sponsored by the Lowell Lions Club for the Swimming Pool Fund.

W. S. C. S. TO HEAR SPECIAL SPEAKER

The Methodist WSCS will meet Friday, May 23, at 8 p. m., in the lounge at the church, Mrs. Rozelle Stanton, district treasurer, will talk on "Our Money and What It Does."

Mrs. Gerald Rollins is in charge of the program, and members of the Martha Circle will be hostesses.

Choirs to Present Spring Concert Tonight at 8:30

On May 22 at 8:30 p. m. in the Runciman Elementary Building, the Lowell choirs under the direction of Miss Ann Bloodgood will present their spring concert. There will be four choirs participating: varsity choir, general choir, junior high choir and the grade choir.

There will be no admission charge for the concert. It is hoped that many of the townspeople will be able to attend.

Poppy Days Are May 22 thru 24

This week end, May 22 through 24, you may honor the dead and aid the disabled by wearing a poppy. The American Legion Auxiliary of Lowell will be distributing poppies on the streets. These poppies are made by disabled veterans.

In remembrance of America's heroic dead and in helplessness for their living disabled and dependents, you are urged to wear a poppy.

GRAVESIDE SERVICES TODAY FOR SANDRA EVERLING

Graveside services were held at 10 o'clock this morning (Thursday) at Oakwood Cemetery for Sandra Lynn Everling, 5-day-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Everling (Dolores Mayo) of Route 2, Lowell. The Rev. Norman Woon officiated at the services.

The baby was born prematurely May 15 at Butterworth hospital and passed away May 20.

Paternal grandparents of the child are Mr. and Mrs. Richard Everling of Route 2, Lowell, and the maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gross of 618 Vergennes Road.

VARIETY

Plenty of variety in slacks, from cotton cords to worsted flannels, \$4.95 to \$15.95 at Coons.

Junior-Senior Banquet and Prom At Lowell High Is Great Success

The Junior-Senior Banquet and prom held last Friday evening was a great success. It was attended by juniors, seniors, faculty members and administration members.

The invocation at the banquet was given by Father Strahan, and Lloyd Norwood served as toastmaster. Noel Smith, the junior class president, welcomed the seniors and other guests; and James White, the senior class president, gave the response to the welcome after which W. W. Gumsier, the guest speaker for the evening, gave a short talk.

Entertainment Featured

The banquet entertainment consisted of songs by a sextet composed of Sylvia Dykhuizen, Marsha Versoor, Martha Stiff, Truman Stahl, Frank Pissal and Ken Spooner; a piano solo by Bonnie Howard; a "story-in-dance" by Mimi Kustecer and Martha Wittenbach, and a guitar duet by Ray Murray and Marvin Vanden Heuvel.

The theme of the dance was "Chez Paris" and the decorations centered about a large Eiffel tower in the middle of the floor. On the walls Parisian scenes were depicted in murals and the ceiling was a night sky dripping with stars. There were fully blossomed trees (handmade by hardworking juniors, of course) to add the touch of spring and park benches for weary dancers to sit on. If one was thirsty there was a "side-table cafe" complete with little tables with red and white checked cloths and candles in jars. Punch and cookies were served by sprightly waiters (again in the form of sophomores).

Sheila Olin and Stuart Thomet, the king and queen of the festivities reigned over the dance which lasted until midnight.

The dance music was provided by Henry Baar and his orchestra. As many of the decorations as possible will be left intact for the alumni dance which is sponsored by the senior class and will be Friday, May 23, at 9 p. m.

Martha Wittenbach, L. H. S. Reporter

Sparks From Train Cause Four Fires

The Lowell Fire Department responded to four grass fires along the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad tracks Tuesday morning. A diesel engine on the freight train was said to be the cause when sparks were thrown out from the wheel bearing onto the dry grass. There were five other fires started by the train between Greenville and Lowell.

First blaze in this area was on the railroad tracks between property owned by Wesley Roth and O. E. Bieri on Route 1. The second was near 28th Street and two were between 28th and 36th Streets, one of which covered about a quarter mile and also burned part of a nearby wooded area.

Fire Chief Frank Baker said that the wind was strong, causing some difficulty. Lowell Fire Department, with the aid of fire engines from Ada, Griffin, Saranac and Kent County, fought fires from 10 a. m. to about 2 p. m. There were no extensive damages reported.

Dorcas Group to Sponsor Mother-Daughter Banquet

The Mother-Daughter Banquet of the Lowell Congregational Church will be held May 27 at 6:30 p. m. The dinner, sponsored by the Dorcas Group, will be served by their husbands.

Mrs. Rex Collins and Mrs. Gurney Hahn have arranged a program of "Bridal Fashions in Review," a display of wedding gowns dating from 1904 up to the present time. The dresses will be modeled by the women of the church.

Mrs. Neil Dadd and Mrs. Clare Bryant are in charge of the dinner and Mrs. Richard Copeland and Mrs. Ron Story, the decorations. Mrs. Marcel Kropf is ticket chairman.

TOWN-COUNTRY EXTENSION TO MEET TONIGHT, MAY 22

The Town and Country Extension Club of the Michigan State University will meet this Thursday, May 22, at 8 p. m. with their hostess for the evening, Mrs. Ed Stormzand. Co-hostess for the evening will be Mrs. Ron Fish.

Project for the evening will be a ball-point party. Members are asked to please be on time for this meeting.

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HONOR TEENS



This week's Honor Teen is Allen DeVol, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen R. DeVol, Jr., of Ada. He is one of the top 12 in this year's graduating class. Allen has a B average for his four years of high school and has frequently made the Honor Roll. After studying algebra, geometry, history, science, biology, government and English courses, he finds that he likes European and United States history best.

Allen has decided to make a career in the field of mechanics, which has interested him for some time. He also may attend Grand Rapids Junior College and take a liberal arts course, although he hasn't applied for admission.

Sports are particularly interesting to Allen, especially baseball which he participated in during his sophomore and junior years.

Notice to Advertisers and Correspondents

Because of the Memorial holiday next week end the Ledger will be printed on Tuesday, May 27. Therefore all news items from correspondents and advertising copy must be in our hands no later than Monday, May 26. We will appreciate your usual fine cooperation.

Ledger want ads bring results.



Glen Carlton, 22, 8767 Bailey Drive, Ada, was hospitalized in Grand Rapids Sunday afternoon with a brain concussion when his car struck a culvert abutment on Parnell Ave., a half mile north of Two Mile Road and demolished the car flipping it over onto the top. Traffic was blocked on Parnell Rd. for some time. The ton-size culvert, hit by the right side of the car, was moved 14 feet from its foundation. Carlton was removed from the car, where he was pinned, by a passing motorist and walked around at the scene of the accident. He was taken to Blodgett hospital by ambulance and discharged on Monday.

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Stor Corners Mrs. Ira Hough... Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Martin and two sons of Michigan City...

Southwest Bowne Mrs. L. T. Anderson... Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Keeney of Elsie were Sunday guests last week at the Leon Anderson home...

South Boston Mrs. Belle Young... Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Condon accompanied the William Condon to Dayton, Ohio, over the week end...

RENEWED VIGOR for the truck industry was evidenced Thursday (May 15) when Ed McDanns (left), Sales Manager Trucks, Dodge Division, greeted (left to right) Orville Jackson, Leonard Jackson and Charles Hosenauer...

Police Plan Extra Shifts For Holiday... Following the same holiday schedule as in recent years, pass days of Michigan State Police officers will be cancelled and patrol shifts lengthened over the Memorial day week end.

New Baby is A 'Rival' to Pre-Schooler... When you walk in the door with a new baby, it may seem like a grand entrance to you, but it can be pretty miserable for your pre-schooler...

Farm Business Good Customer For Industry... Michigan's agricultural industry is a good customer for the many products and services of the state's non-agricultural businesses.

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the Roger Pitsch home, in getting part of their home ready to be moved back to live in this summer...

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hahn spent Friday night and Saturday in Hart, Mich. Book Review Club met Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Thomas B. Hill...

Mr. and Mrs. George Butler, Jr., a daughter, Edith, of Grand Rapids, and Mrs. Freda Davam of Peawawa were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Butler...

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kuyers of Grand Rapids spent Sunday evening at the home of Mrs. Helen H. Kuyers...

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122,610 paid the toll when their cars left the road.

OBITUARY
 William Vernell Bewell
 Funeral services were held Saturday, May 19th, in Millington, Mich., for William Vernell Bewell, 54, who died unexpectedly Wednesday, May 14th, at St. Joseph's hospital in Flint, Mich.

Vernell was born June 20, 1904, near Horton Bay in Charlevoix County, to William Henry a n o r n and Mary, Myrtle Bewell, and was the third of four children. He was married February 1, 1932, to Theresa Elizabeth Kern and has three male heirs in Millington.

Surviving besides his wife, Theresa are a son, William Vernell Bewell, now of the U. S. Navy; a daughter, Ramona at home; two brothers, Millard of Grand Rapids; Richard of Lowell; four sisters, Mrs. Helen M. Bewell, Mrs. Mary O'Connor of West Coast, Mass., Mrs. Dorothy Durkee of Flint and Mrs. Myrtle Bewell of Taylor Center.

Funeral services were held under auspices of the Old Fellows Lodge 1226 in Millington on Saturday.

Arthur Lee Kimble
 Arthur Lee Kimble, 21, of Saranac died in Ionia County Memorial hospital Tuesday, May 20, at 10 p. m. Born in Saranac February 27, 1935, he was the son of Clifford Kimble and Mrs. Henry Ferns of Saranac. Arthur was married November 27, 1957, to Eula Mae White.

Surviving are his wife, Eula; his father, Clifford Kimble; his mother, Mrs. Henry Ferns; one brother, Ronald and four half brothers; his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kimble of Saranac and his maternal grandmothers, Mrs. John Dawson of Lowell.

Funeral services are to be held Friday, May 23, at the Morris Funeral Home at 2:30 p. m., with Miss Vera Evans officiating. Interment will be in Saranac cemetery.

More Resorts to Display HDA Signs This Year
 More Michigan resorts will display the HDA sign this summer than ever before, the Michigan Department of Health announced today. "HDA" stands for "health department approved."

About 2,200 of the approximately 5,000 resorts eligible to display the sign have voluntarily qualified to display it. This number represents an increase of about 200 over the places displaying the sign a year ago.

This is the sixth year that the state and local health departments have offered the HDA sign to motels, tourist cabins and summer resort hotels that conform with state health standards. In a few counties restaurants also voluntarily participate in the program.

To the tourist, the HDA sign signifies that the resort has a safe water supply, good sanitary facilities, and adequate buildings and adequate facilities for handling of sewage.

The sign also means that if there are swimming facilities they are reasonably safe, and the insects, poison ivy and other nuisances are controlled.

The HDA sign is 22 inches wide and 18 inches high with the distinctive HDA emblem painted in a green and gold color combination. The letters "HDA" are reletterized so they can be seen at night. Resorts usually display the sign near the highway alongside their name sign.

Resort owners can still qualify to display the sign this season by applying to their local health department for details.

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MISS SUSAN POTTER
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 Those from this way attending the bridal shower for Miss Susan Potter at her parents' home were: Eddie F. Miller, Mrs. George Raimier and baby, Mrs. Paul Potter and Donna, Mrs. Eugene King and Carolyn and Mrs. Celia Boss and Mrs. Mary Potter.

Susan received many beautiful and useful gifts. Games were played and refreshments were served. The men spent the evening with Eddie Potter in the home.

A birthday surprise was given Mrs. Mary Potter Monday afternoon when Mrs. Melvin Lewis and Mrs. Lena Luz walked in to her home with a lovely birthday cake and ice cream to celebrate both the birthdays of Lena and Mary. Mrs. Lewis made the lovely cake. This is the first year the two ladies have celebrated their birthdays together.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Murray and son spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Murray. Sunday afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. LaBieu and Mrs. Ella Ward. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shaw of Ada were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hale and family. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hale and family of near Clarksville were Sunday evening guests of the Glenn Rickards in Grand Rapids. Their

BUCK SHOT by Norman Gotschall

Never have we been more pleased with athletic performance than with our boys at the regional track meet. It is a fine honor to place in a track meet with 14 schools, most of whom are bigger and have better facilities. Don Dawson, Dick Connors, Noel Smith, Ken Spooner and Charlie Rydler will be going to the state track meet Saturday. They may not place, but believe me there will be no other boys trying for first any harder - these kids have great hearts.

Surviving besides his wife, Theresa are a son, William Vernell Bewell, now of the U. S. Navy; a daughter, Ramona at home; two brothers, Millard of Grand Rapids; Richard of Lowell; four sisters, Mrs. Helen M. Bewell, Mrs. Mary O'Connor of West Coast, Mass., Mrs. Dorothy Durkee of Flint and Mrs. Myrtle Bewell of Taylor Center.

Funeral services were held under auspices of the Old Fellows Lodge 1226 in Millington on Saturday.

Arthur Lee Kimble
 Arthur Lee Kimble, 21, of Saranac died in Ionia County Memorial hospital Tuesday, May 20, at 10 p. m. Born in Saranac February 27, 1935, he was the son of Clifford Kimble and Mrs. Henry Ferns of Saranac. Arthur was married November 27, 1957, to Eula Mae White.

Surviving are his wife, Eula; his father, Clifford Kimble; his mother, Mrs. Henry Ferns; one brother, Ronald and four half brothers; his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kimble of Saranac and his maternal grandmothers, Mrs. John Dawson of Lowell.

Funeral services are to be held Friday, May 23, at the Morris Funeral Home at 2:30 p. m., with Miss Vera Evans officiating. Interment will be in Saranac cemetery.

More Resorts to Display HDA Signs This Year
 More Michigan resorts will display the HDA sign this summer than ever before, the Michigan Department of Health announced today. "HDA" stands for "health department approved."

About 2,200 of the approximately 5,000 resorts eligible to display the sign have voluntarily qualified to display it. This number represents an increase of about 200 over the places displaying the sign a year ago.

This is the sixth year that the state and local health departments have offered the HDA sign to motels, tourist cabins and summer resort hotels that conform with state health standards. In a few counties restaurants also voluntarily participate in the program.

To the tourist, the HDA sign signifies that the resort has a safe water supply, good sanitary facilities, and adequate buildings and adequate facilities for handling of sewage.

The sign also means that if there are swimming facilities they are reasonably safe, and the insects, poison ivy and other nuisances are controlled.

The HDA sign is 22 inches wide and 18 inches high with the distinctive HDA emblem painted in a green and gold color combination. The letters "HDA" are reletterized so they can be seen at night. Resorts usually display the sign near the highway alongside their name sign.

Resort owners can still qualify to display the sign this season by applying to their local health department for details.

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ELECT MRS. ARIE LEEMAN TO CLAR PRESIDENCY

On Wednesday, May 13th, the Lowell Women's Club closed its year's activities with a delightful luncheon meeting at Lone Pine Inn. At the business meeting officers were elected for the coming year.

The retiring president, Mrs. Robert C. Church, presented the report to Mrs. Arie Leeman, newly elected president, who in a charming speech of acceptance also thanked Mrs. Church in behalf of the club for her untiring services during her term of office.

MISS JUDY SCHNEIDER HONORED AT SHOWER

Miss Judy Schneider was honored Friday evening with a miscellaneous shower by Mrs. Don Dickerson. About fifteen relatives and friends were present to enjoy an evening of games and the opening of gifts by the bride-to-be. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

Excessive speed is the most frequently reported violation among drivers involved in fatal traffic accidents, according to the National Safety Council.

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Howard Peckham Writes New Book, 'The War for Independence'

"The War for Independence," a new book by Howard H. Peckham, former citizen of Lowell who will speak at commencement, has just been published by the University of Chicago Press. The book is a concise military history of the Revolutionary War, which is the latest addition to the University of American Civilization series. "The War for Independence" has a more objective approach than earlier books on the same topic which were marred by chauvinism—extreme patriotism.

The New York Times said, "It is fitting that the history of the war should be written by Howard Peckham, As director of the William L. Clements Library at the University of Michigan, he has guided many a writer's research in the British manuscript collections... it is an excellent account of causes, events and results, supported by detailed bibliographical notes."

The big weapon was the will to win. Mr. Peckham relates in the final chapter as he determines the reasons for the American victory. "The answer is not to be found in material at all. Therefore, it must be looked for in intangibles—idealism, faith, self-sacrifice, determination."

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We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our relatives, friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness, floral tributes and expressions of sympathy shown to us at the loss of our dear husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather, Otto Conrad. We especially wish to thank Rev. J. MacIn DeWolfe for his message of comfort; Mrs. A. Wittenbach for the consoling music; members of the Grand Rapids Synagogue who served as bearers; the Blue Star Mothers; Relief Corps and the VFW Auxiliary.

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I wish to thank my many friends who extended their expressions of sympathy at the time of my father's death.

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COMING EVENTS

V. F. W. Auxiliary meeting Thursday, May 22, Post chambers. All past-chairmen are urged to bring their checkbooks to the newly-appointed chairmen. Also all members are urged to attend so plans for the Poppy Sale and for marching on Memorial Day may be completed. 45

Lowell High School Alumni Dance will be held in the gymnasium, May 23, at 9 p. m.

American Legion meets Monday evening, May 26, at the hall.

The Past Noble Grand Club of the Rebekah Lodge will meet Monday evening, May 26, at 7:30 p. m. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Mildred Potter. Hostesses will be Mrs. Minnie Hawk and Mrs. Mildred Potter.

The Deborah Group will meet May 26, at the home of Mrs. Jeanette and Thurlwell with Mrs. Herbert Davis as co-hostess. Mrs. Clinton Christoff will be in charge of the program and Mrs. Leonard Jackson will give the devotions.

The Merriman Community Farm Bureau will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Zade on Friday evening, May 28.

Memorial Service Held For Former Resident

A memorial service honoring Mrs. Jack Maier, the former Mrs. Gibson of Lowell, was held May 15, on the Justus Gage school grounds in Dowagiac. Mrs. Maier was principal and sixth grade teacher at the school at the time of her death on April 12, 1957.

The service was held near the memorial plaque and flowers were planted on the school grounds and was attended by many friends, relatives, teachers and pupils. Rev. Hilden Pinckney, Jr., officiated with the Guided Missiles Division.

Pic. Pinckney had to show the students how they were to be taken to Detroit last Saturday to attend open house at the Detroit Wayne Nike site as their son, Pic. Pinckney, Jr., is stationed there with the Guided Missiles Division.

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News of Servicemen

Army Pvt. Walter K. Bowman, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter K. Bowman, 9000 Morse Lake rd., Dowagiac, Michigan, is completing his military equipment maintenance and repair course at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

Bowman entered the Army last December and completed basic training at Fort Knox, Ky.

A 1956 graduate of Caledonia High School, he attended Michigan State University. Bowman was employed by the Somerville Construction Company in Ada before entering the Army.

R. LEES HOST AT PARTY HONORING THEIR GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Lee were hosts to a group of relatives Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Nichols of Kam, Pa., who were their house guests from Thursday to Monday.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Bieri, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bieri, and son Stephen, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Faulkner, Miss Dorothy Billinger from Grand Rapids, Mrs. Leona Rosenberg and Lynn from Clarksville, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Laver from Ada, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Juhl family from Belding, and Mr. and Mrs. Holly Hand from Ada. Lowell guests were the Lawrence Bieri and Byron Nichols families and Mrs. Frances VanderWeele.

A picnic dinner was enjoyed on the lawn.

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Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Hahn wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Gretchen Jeanette, to the Reverend Edward A. Hinely of Chicago, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Menzie Hinely of Hart, Michigan.

Mr. Hinely is a graduate of Michigan State University and Chicago Theological Seminary. For the past four years he has been minister of the Warren Avenue Congregational Church in Chicago. Miss Hahn received her Masters Degree from the University of Michigan last January, and is now teaching in Chicago.

The couple are planning to be married the afternoon of July 4th, in the Lowell Congregational Church.

ATTEND OPEN HOUSE AT DETROIT WAYNE NIKE SITE

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MERRIMAN CEMETARY ASSOC. TO HOLD MEMORIAL SERVICE

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The Rev. Clifford Edwards will be the speaker. Glenn Vetter is in charge of the program.

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Use Caution With Treated Seeds

Many lots of field seeds that have been treated with various poisonous compounds do not bear adequate warnings so that seedsmen, farmers and the general public take proper precautions in handling, according to the Michigan Department of Agriculture's seed testing laboratory at Lansing.

Mercaptan-treated seed grains must bear a "poison treated" label and be stained with a color contrasting with the natural color of the seed. This makes the treated seed easy to recognize should it become mixed with untreated seed entering food or animal feed channels. Even so there is a hazard because of the fumes given off by mercaptans which are volatile.

In the opinion of the chief seed analyst, John Garver, unusual care should be used in handling treated seed, particularly mercaptans that can be absorbed through skin contact or breathed into the lungs through vapors in a poorly ventilated place.

Many seeds like hybrid corn, vegetable seed and small seeded legumes and lawn seeding mixtures are often treated with certain sulphur compounds. Although these are actually not toxic like mercaptans and organic phosphates, Sulphur compounds are irritants to many persons, and some persons are highly allergic to them. Better labeling of treated seed to inform persons of the dangers is Mr. Garver's suggestion.

"It appears," said Mr. Garver, "that many seedsmen are failing to fully inform the user to take adequate precaution when using treated seed. Some individuals could suffer a bad reaction from seeds treated with these compounds."

Think not so much of what you eat, but of what you eat; but, of the things which you eat, so, the best, and reflect, how eagerly they would have been sought if they had not met — Marcus Aurelius.

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MEMORIAL DAY

We Honor Their Memory

Not long after the end of the Civil War, the women of the South began visiting the graves of the soldier dead in their communities and decorating them with the first flowers of spring. Many Northern soldiers had been buried where they fell, and the Southern women placed memorial bouquets and wreaths on their graves as well as upon those of the Confederate soldiers.

It was not until May 30, 1868, however, that Memorial Day became a formal observance, under the auspices of the Grand Army of the Republic, organization of the Union veterans. Over the years, the day has become one for the honoring of all American military dead.

Ground squirrels who are very industrious eaters, can be trapped just outside the entrance to their tunnels. They spend a lot of time running in and out as they feed says.

For a Dutch crumb garnish, mix 1/2 cup butter with 1/2 cup dry bread crumbs and brown lightly according to Anita Dean, foods specialist at Michigan State University. Use Dutch crumbs to garnish vegetables. That golden brown color and good butter flavor make vegetables "lickle the taste buds" of most every member of your family.

Want to clean out your garage or attic, phone TW 7-6861 to place an ad in the Ledger.

Trapping Is Best Gopher Mole Control

Moles and ground squirrels are "traps" in an overnight camp, hike, and a cook-out," says W. Robert Dixon in a 16-page booklet, "How to Get the Most from a Family Vacation," recently published by F. E. Compton and Company, Chicago.

The cost for this sort of vacation is not high," he points out. "Your first problem is to select an area or a camp site which will satisfy the whole family."

According to the University professor, there are many possibilities for this sort of family vacation. If the family has no special sites in all the state and national parks. The Director, National Park Service, Washington, D. C., can furnish detailed information on the facilities available and the cost at each park.

After selecting a camping area you must decide what to take. If your family is taking its first camping trip it will soon discover that a good deal of information is needed for a successful venture. These items are necessary: knife, ax, cooking gear, food, rope, tents, insecticide, first-aid equipment, bedding, and clothes."

He reminds that the family should be familiar with good health and safety practices. To increase the family's enjoyment, a nature study book would be of value.

If the family has had no previous experience in camping, plans should be made to go through the camp routine step by step. This can be done in the back yard or by making a practice overnight camp.

Professor Dixon advises that specific assistance be given to the person should understand which equipment he is responsible for. Many of these assignments can be made on the basis of interest. However, there is merit in rotating responsibilities. In this way each person and a team, slanted toward every phase of camping. Children should be taught to use equipment properly to avoid accidents," he says.

"Many leaders in the field of recreation encourage this kind of family vacation. If the project is well planned the family will have an experience that will be remembered and treasured for a long time. You can have a good time on a camping trip but only if you are properly prepared," he concludes.

Ancient Waterway Again Courses Michigan Mitten; Spurned by Boating

The past and present glide side by side on the quiet waters of Michigan's Inland Water Route. This ancient waterway that has been the Michigan Mitten for centuries played host to Indian canoes. It watched the lumberjack trip the hardwood from its banks. It heard the echoes of excursion boat whistles at the turn of the century.

Now another era dawns. For the scenic cruise route again is open to deep water pleasure craft, and if a small group of dedicated persons in Cheboygan and Emmet counties, by way of the Inland Water Route one day will sever the entire tip of Michigan from the rest of the state with a thin blade of steel.

From the tiny village of Conway on Crooked Lake—just three miles from the Lake Michigan shoreline—waterway extends through sleepy streams and broad lakes all the way to the Straits of Mackinac beyond the lake at Cheboygan. And now the entire route has been dredged to accommodate boats up to 65 feet long. The fantastic feat of boating promises to keep these historic waterways flourishing with vacationers afloat, according to the Michigan Tourist Council.

But this is just another chapter of the Inland Water Route story, a story which was old when Rome was sacked by the Goths, and which for hundreds of years Indians used this inland passage to avoid the choppy waters of the wind-over-tops. With a handy portage from Little Traverse Bay to Crooked Lake, where the village of Conway now stands six miles from the water, they could move leisurely across Crooked Lake to Crooked River, Burr Lake, Indian River, Wadley Lake and Cheboygan river to Lake Huron. The country was alive with game and the Indians considered the area something of a health spa and summering place.

They had great faith in the healing powers of the artesian waters which seeped from the bosom of the timber cutters the shores of these lakes and streams were dotted with small Indian villages.

Then came the axe and the crosscut saw to chew their way across the land from Maine to Oregon. They hit into the great hardwood and pine forests of northern Michigan and filled these waters with logs for the rafts which had sprung up along the Inland Route, the Tourist Council says.

But even while the land was being logged off the tourist found bathing suits, not gossip, reveal the family skeleton these days.

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Here's How You Can Plan Camping Trips

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DO YOU LOCK THE DOOR?

A certain businessman wanted an assistant. He had two men in view, and the day came for him to make a decision. He called into his office one of the two men, and asked him to go to the door and see if the door was locked. "Yes, sir," said the man, and he said, "Mr. Smith, lock the door and sit down; I want to talk to you."

After talking to Smith for a few minutes and explaining that he needed an assistant in his fast growing enterprise, the businessman hesitated and said to him: "Are you sure you locked that door?"

"Yes, sir, I locked it; but I'll go and see if it's locked," was Smith's answer. It was locked.

"Very well," said the businessman, and dismissed his man.

The other man had been in view, and he had said to him: "Enter, Jenkins, I have given you some instructions as had been given to Smith. Then he sat down and listened.

Suddenly the businessman stopped talking and said to him sharply: "Mr. Jenkins, are you sure you locked that door?"

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Lowell Council Proceedings

Regular session, Monday evening, May 5, 1958. Council was called to order by President pro tem Fonger at 8:05 p. m.

Roll call: Trustees, McMahon, Fish, Day, Doyle. Absent: President Jones (attending Mayor's Day in Flushing), Trustee Battistella.

The minutes of the last regular session of April 21 were approved as reading.

Building permits, as follows, were issued since last meeting of April 21: Royce Story, residence, 217 Brook Street; Mrs. John Dalstra, remodeling fire escape, 429 High Street; Frank Carr, erector, 227 Broadway, 200 Center; and Sam Kopp, metal roof over porch, 138 West Street.

Communications were read from 1. Michigan Municipal League: Regional Meeting, Muskegon, May 14.

2. City of Escanaba re: Annual Clerks' meeting July 18.

3. Michigan Liquor Control Commission re: SDM license for Margaret Weaver, 822 Vergennes Road (to Police Committee).

Subjects discussed were: 1. Police Chief's request for new flag for City Hall and his request to make alley back of A&P one way, going East. (To Police Committee).

2. Vacating King Street, East 1 from Jackson, To Attorney VanderVeen.

3. Question of proposed parking area adjoining Curtis Laundry Building to be erected, To Police Committee and Street for study in conjunction with Police Chief.

4. Changes for sanitation pickup at Post Office. Clerk directed to invoice same monthly, as supermarkets.

5. Request of Mrs. Donald Lind, representative of Showboat Garden Club, to use room in Library Building for meetings and displays, granted, pending on approval of Library Board.

6. Rebuilding same Light and Power line. Tablet.

7. Bids on each basin at Front and Washington Streets tabled on recommendation of Water and a Sewer Chairman.

8. List presented to clerk for filing, of non-Village residents receiving Village water.

9. Water and Sewer Chairman reported that sewer cleaners are in town working on Riverside Dr. and one block on South Jefferson. Deposits dating from April 21, 1958.

General Transfer from Lee Fund \$1,000.00 Building Permits 6.00 Sanitary farm rent 25.00 Salvaging permit 10.00 \$1,041.00 \$7,380.19

Snow Community Mrs. E. P. Reynolds

Snow Methodist Men's Group will meet at the church on Thursday evening, May 29th. Refreshments and entertainment will be provided.

Snow W. S. C. S. will meet on Wednesday evening, May 28th at the home of Mrs. Richard Smith for their business and Spiritual Life Class.

Mrs. Claude Cole had been seriously ill, but is reported as improving rapidly. Callers to see her over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. John Vanden and family and Mrs. Claudia Fuller of Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Cole of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Sid Baarda of Grand Rapids.

Owing to the critical illness of my husband this column will be very short this week. I am glad to state that Mr. Reynolds is at home after undergoing surgery at Biogent hospital and is slowly improving. Callers to see him over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Merle Aldrich and children of M. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Snyder and sons of Kalamazoo, and Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Kurts of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martin of Indiana and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Bush of Fruitport were Sunday visitors at the Richards-Baker home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Richards have the sympathy of their many friends in the deaths of their sisters, Mrs. Richards' sister, Mrs.

Motions and Resolutions It was moved by Trustee Doyle, supported by Trustee Day, that \$1500 be transferred from the Motor Vehicle Highway Fund to the Street Fund for the payment of current bills.

Yes, Fish, McMahon, Doyle, Day, 4; Nays, 0.

It was moved by Trustee Day, supported by Trustee Doyle, that the bills payable since last regular meeting be allowed and checks drawn.

Yes, McMahon, Fish, Day, Doyle, 4; Nays, 0.

On motion of Trustee McMahon council adjourned at 10 o'clock.

Approved May 19, 1958. WILLIAM M. JONES, JR. President LAURA E. SHEPARD Clerk

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Michigan Quizdown

Can you answer these questions about the Water Wonderland state?

1-WE'VE JUST CELEBRATED MICHIGAN WEEK... BUT REMEMBER TOURISTS VISITING IN MICHIGAN ALL YEAR ROUND... MAKE THEM WELCOME... HELP MICHIGANS TOURIST INDUSTRY GROW... RIGHT NOW IT'S ONE OF THE STATES... LARGEST INDUSTRIES.

2-ONE OF MICHIGAN'S MOST BEAUTIFUL ISLANDS WAS ORIGINALLY KNOWN AS KATLISNAK ISLAND. THE FRENCH SET LARGE TRAPERS OF FUR AND BEAVER TO MAKE IT HABITABLE. WHAT IS THE NAME OF THIS ISLAND TODAY?

3-ON ONE OF THE GREAT LAKES FREIGHTERS LOAD UP TWO MILES OUT FROM SHORE. A CONTINUOUS OVER-WATER BUCKET CONVEYOR SYSTEM EXTENDS ALL THE WAY TO SHORE. DO YOU KNOW THE NAME OF THIS GREAT LAKE AND THE MICHIGAN CITY WHERE THIS TAKES PLACE?

4-WHERE CAN YOU SEE WITHOUT SIGHTING MICHIGAN? ANSWER: IN THE MICHIGAN QUIZDOWN sponsored by MICHIGAN TOURIST COUNCIL, No. 3

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Segun Community

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Dawson were Mr. and Mrs. B. Linton from Garden City and Mr. and Mrs. John Phelps of Livonia.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Morris were Mr. and Mrs. Roger Barkena and family of Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stranks and Linda spent the week end at their cottage on Twin Creek near Lathrop.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Callahan and family of Freeport were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Callahan.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ketchum, Maxine Austin and son, Jimmie visited friends and relatives in Stanton Saturday evening.

Donald Dawson and Richard Conors left Monday morning with the rest of the High School Seniors for a meeting and luncheon at guest speaker's Grand Rapids at Chaplain Corp.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Avey, on TV series: "This much I have learned about TV series: If you're going to be in one—be the star."

Cyril Ribbard on television for youngsters: "Television should be rationed. I'm not against TV for children, just as I'm not against champagne for adults. But one cannot live on either for long."

Danny Thomas, self appraisal: "I'm a toothless lion. I roar a lot. But I realize my mistakes and apologize a second later. Such a man needs a woman who can be firm. Otherwise people will think I'm not only yell—but beat her, too."

West Lowell Mrs. Melvin Court

"CORRECTION" Mr. and Mrs. Bob A. Phillips and family were recent callers of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dawson ("and" Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Phillips. "Sorry."

Mrs. Marvin Haver and daughter Mary Jo, attended the mother and daughter banquet at St. Mary's Hospital evening.

Jo Bever, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bever, came home from the hospital Wednesday.

Mrs. Sabie Baker called on Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Baker of Ionia Saturday afternoon. Lyle was painting a barn and fell, breaking a bone in his foot and will be in a cast for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Haver entertained with a family dinner Sunday in honor of their son, Bob's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Court called on Rev. and Mrs. David Warner Wednesday evening, and on Sunday called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rittenger of South Lowell.



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Luxurious "Bridge" Across Lake Michigan



THE CLIPPER SAILS AGAIN!—Photo shows the beautiful 261 feet 55 Milwaukee Clipper in service this summer again between Milwaukee and Muskegon, Michigan. By taking this ship with their automobiles placed on board, motorists avoid having to drive all around the southern end of Lake Michigan, thus saving 240 miles. That's why the popular Clipper is called "the bridge" across the lake. It connects Highway 10 on both sides. It is also popular for one-day cruise vacations for passengers without cars.

VEGETABLE GROWERS:

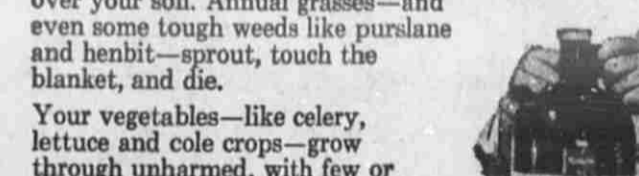
Here's a weed-killing "blanket" that can save \$20 to \$90 an acre on hand-weeding

We call it Vegadex, and it works a new way. You only have to spray it on once—at planting time. Vegadex forms an invisible chemical blanket over your soil. Annual grasses—and even some tough weeds like purslane and henbit—sprout, touch the blanket, and die.

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Before you plant your next crop, stop by your Monsanto Farm Chemicals Dealer—he'll give you an informative new folder on Vegadex.



Michigan Growers

VEGADEX KILLS—purslane, annual bluegrass, bull grass (goose grass), crab grass, foxtails, pigweed, barnyard grass, lambsquarters.

VEGADEX IS SAFE FOR—celery, lettuce, cabbage, broccoli, brussels sprouts, cauliflower, collards, kale, mustard, spinach, turnip greens, snap beans, lima beans, soybeans, garden beets, sweet corn.

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Outdoor Holiday advertisement with illustrations of people picnicking and a large headline.

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**Zimmerman - VandenHewel
Voices Spoken Saturday in Alto**

The Alto Baptist church was the scene of a lovely wedding Saturday, May 17, at 2:30 in the afternoon. The Rev. E. F. Marquardt officiated at the double-ring ceremony which united in marriage Miss Mary Louise VandenHewel and Lester L. Zimmerman. The bride wore a white tulle dress with satin cummerbund and carried a basket of roses and lily of the valley. Groom Peck of Eaton Rapids, a friend of the groom, served as best man; and Carl Lachniet, brother-in-law of the bride, was the other attendant. Raymond Murray and Marvin VandenHewel, brother of the bride, were ushers.

The bride's mother wore a mint green dress and a corsage of red roses. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Keim were Master and Mistress of Ceremonies at the reception held in the Alto Grange Hall following the ceremony. The beautiful wedding cake was baked by Mrs. Lawrence Richardson and served by the bride's sister, Mrs. Carl Lachniet. Others assisting at the reception were the Misses Sharon Dintman, Gayle Lipscomb and Margaret Ritter.

The couple left on a trip to several New England states and upon their return this week will reside at 532 College, S. E., Grand Rapids. Mrs. Zimmerman is a graduate of Lowell high school with the class of 1955 and Mr. Zimmerman was graduated from Coloma high school. Both attended Baptist Bible Institute in Grand Rapids.

BAPTIST NEWS
The Saturday evening youth meeting of the Baptist young people will feature a quiz on the first two chapters of Philipians and a message by the pastor. Meeting time is 7:30.

Sunday morning worship service is at 11 o'clock. The message, "Bestowed Blessings" will be given by the pastor. At the 8 p. m. evening service special music will be provided by the church orchestra and a duet, Esther Everling, trombone, and Katherine Merriman, saxophone.

Vacation Bible school will be held at the Baptist Church June 24 under the direction of "Uncle Mel" Nelson of the Rural Bible Mission. The closing program of the school is planned for Friday night, June 6. Transportation will be provided to any who shall need a way to attend.

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Annual Banquet Is Crowning Feature Of Alto White Circle
Alto Methodist White Circle held its annual Mother and Daughter Banquet in the Church Dining room Wednesday evening. This is always the crowning entertainment feature of the year and this year was no exception. The supper, the dainty favors, the unusual and cunning table decorations all complemented and supplemented a most excellent program. All committees participating in the working out of this pleasurable event are certainly to be congratulated.

The mothers and daughters were welcomed by Chairman Florence Richardson and Mrs. E. L. Timponson gave the invocation. Mrs. Richardson introduced the Toastmistress, Pauline Watts who called on Barbara Wittenbach to lead in a song set with Mrs. John Behler at the piano in which all took part. Pleading toasts, all in rhyme to mothers and daughters followed, given by Gail Gould and Violet Cleveland. The guest speaker, Mrs. John L. Smith, of Grand Rapids gave a very poetic and comprehensive talk illustrated with the subject "We find Him there". Mrs. Smith's adept use of these pictures aided materially in the efficacy of her message.

Free chest x-rays will be offered the public on Tuesday, May 27, at the Alto Frozen Foods in Alto in the Christmas Seal X-ray booth of the Kent County Tuberculosis Society between 9:30 and 11:00 a. m. In the afternoon the boys will be located at Duffler Ford Sales in Caledonia where the hours will be from 1:00 to 4:00 p. m.

Everybody please register with the nurse inside the building and have a tuberculin skin test before going into the box. Pre-school children may be brought for tests at this time. Reports will be mailed in about three weeks.

ENTERTAINS GRADUATING CLASS OF 1911 FRIDAY

Mrs. Glenn Lyster entertained 12 members of her 1911 Ionia Co. Normal Graduating Class at a 7 o'clock carry-in dinner Friday evening. The ladies present were Gertrude Bettrau of Muir, Wretha Johnson of Lake Odessa, Viola Mutch of East Lansing, Lena Keusch of Portland, Lulu Gibson of Hastings, Jessie Himbs of Ionia, and Fanny Morton of Grand Lodge. Mrs. Alice Smith was also a guest and brought a former teacher of the class, Mrs. Edith Hawley of Ionia. The hostess' daughter, Mrs. Helen Craig, and her daughter, Jackie of near Clarksville and Miss Melva Mutch of East Lansing served the dinner. This was a very happy occasion for these former classmates.

Callers through the week and on Sunday at the Alvin Bergy home were Miss Frances Porritt and Mrs. Wm. Puritt of Bowne, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Bergy of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Harry Lunsford and children of Grand Rapids. On Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Bergy and Mable attended Open House at the Wm. Misher home near Freeport who were celebrating their Golden Wedding Anniversary. On the way home the Bergys called on Mrs. Mary Bouland and family.

WICKSTEADS MAKE HOME IN SEATTLE, WASH.
Mrs. E. L. Timponson received a letter from Mrs. E. Wickstead Saturday stating that the Wicksteads didn't locate in Nogales, Ariz., as they planned when they left Alto. When they reached Nogales, Mr. Wickstead was offered a better position in Seattle, Wash., and so they went on to that city and are now living at 415 West Blaine, Seattle 99. They had formerly lived in that city and have a large number of friends there.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pattison and Jack Jirkovic called on Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Meyer of Ada, Thursday. Sunday dinner guests of the Pattisons were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pattison of Holland and Mrs. John Schroeder of Caledonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Silcox spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Valda Chatterton at Snow Lake. On the way home they called on a cousin, Leo Croft, who with his partner has purchased and recently opened a restaurant in Belding.

Mrs. Clyde Kirschman of Portland was a Thursday visitor of her mother, Mrs. E. L. Timponson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lichter and family of Grand Rapids and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reynolds and Tom had their first picnic of the season at Riverside Park in Grand Rapids Sunday.

BOWNE 4-H CLUB ORGANIZE GIRLS' TEAM
The girls' softball team of the Bowne 4-H Club held their organizational meeting Thursday evening, May 15, at the home of Wm. C. VanHuyningen, Jr., on McCords Rd.

After a brief game of volleyball the girls held their meeting. Carol McWhimney was chosen as their captain for the year. Julie Chapel was elected to represent them on the recreational committee and to act as secretary.

Their first practice of the season was held on Wednesday evening, May 21. The second practice will be held Thursday evening, May 29, at 6:30 at the Bowne Center school.

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School Picnic Today

Alto school will have their annual picnic at Fallside Park on Thursday of this week, May 22. Potluck dinner at 1:30. Please bring own beverage. Ice cream will be furnished. Everyone in the community is invited.

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR JEFF
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cleveland entertained the members of Jeff's class at school with a party honoring his 9th birthday Tuesday afternoon. The young folks had a most hilarious time and Jeff received nice gifts in honor of the occasion. The refreshment table was made very attractive by a gorgeous cake decorated with miniature sail boats.

ELECTED TREASURER
William F. Hoffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Hoffman, 1485 Pratt Lake Ave., Alto, has recently been elected to the office of treasurer of the Alto Kiwanis Club. He will hold this office during the school year, 1958-59. This year he has served the society as sergeant-at-arms. Mr. Hoffman is a sophomore at the College.

ALTO GRANGE DISCUSSES TORNADO PRECAUTIONS
Alto Community Grange had a discussion on "Tornado Precautions" led by Alvin Bergy, Friday evening. Roll call was answered by relating some reminders of the tornado two years ago and some freak actions of the storm at that time. Plans for entertaining Kent Pomona Grange on June 19 were discussed. Mr. and Mrs. Roland Dewey and Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Stautfer were chosen to attend the Insurance meeting at South Boston Grange on Wednesday evening, May 21.

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Other Alto News
Mrs. Clair Flynn and Mrs. H. D. Smith attended the Lowell Women's Club at Lone Pine Inn Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wingler of Grand Rapids visited at the Dan Wingler home Sunday afternoon.

Word was received by the Clinton Bloehers, Saturday, that their grandson, 11-year-old Tommy Blocher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Blocher, who now live at Clovis, N. M., had undergone an appendectomy that day and that the appendix was ruptured. No further word regarding his condition has been received.

Christie Stauffer was a Friday overnight guest of Rose Marie Mettermick.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Gaby of Battle Creek spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Slater. Mrs. Slater is improving and is now able to be up part of each day. Mrs. Slater spent Wednesday with her.

Paul Bruce, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bruce, is confined to his bed with nephitis. His condition is somewhat improved.

Mrs. H. D. Smith was one of the hostesses at the Open House of the Kent County Library at its new location at 710 Fuller St., Monday afternoon, and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Keiser spent the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. Lee Vandavater and family in Battle Creek and on Sunday attended First Communion of their grandson, Paul.

son spent the week end in Shady Side, Ohio, visiting relatives. The latter's mother, Mrs. Grace Craig, who had spent three weeks in Shady Side and surrounding area at the home of her brothers and other relatives returned home with the Richardsons.

Mrs. Dorel Pletcher and daughter, Betty Dewey, went to Tiffin, Ohio, Friday to spend the week end with Mr. Pletcher, who has a construction job in that locality.

Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Johnson were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Martin and family of Grandville and five other dinner guests of Vern and Doris and family, honoring the birthdays of Vern and John Teseh.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Clarke of Lowell called to see the new baby, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fairchild attended the Cleveland-Detroit ball game in Detroit Thursday.

Garry Lee McWhimney, Jr., infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Garry McWhimney, was released from Butterworth hospital last Thursday. At the present time he is staying with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. McWhimney.

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