

## Questions and the Answers On School Bond Proposal

A story appeared in the Lowell Ledger for February 5, explaining the ramifications of the proposal to bond the school district for \$160,000. The article also informed the public that the issues of the Ledger for this week and next week would contain a question and answer section of data pertinent to the proposal. An attempt will be made to ask and answer all of the questions that are in the minds of the electors—including those that have been, or will be submitted to Board members and/or to Mr. Gumsier.

### I - Q:

**Q: The Election—When—Where?**  
A: The election will be held in the Lowell Village hall, at the corner of Main and Monroe streets, on Tuesday, February 24, between the hours of 7 a. m. and 8 p. m. inclusive.

**II - Q:**  
If an elector has not registered, may he do so?  
A: Yes—until 5 p. m. on Friday, February 13, 1959, with their respective township clerks. See the notice in this issue of the Ledger. Notices have also been posted on every school house in the district and in every township, any part of which is in the Lowell school district.

**III - Q:**  
Who may vote?  
A: All citizens who reside in any part of the Lowell school district (including those who are now a part of the district due to annexations or transfer of property) and who are 21 years of age or older, and who have resided in Michigan for at least six months and in the school district for at least 30 days, and who are registered in their respective townships, may vote on Proposal I; those who meet the above requirements and who (or their husband or wife) own property assessed for school taxes in the district, may vote on both Proposal I and Proposal II. Absentees

**IV - Q:**  
What are the proposals?  
A: There are two. They can be found in another section of the Ledger. However, Proposal I provides for permission to increase the fifteen mill limitation by four mills (which will not be done)—and Proposal II provides that the district borrow \$160,000 for the purpose of paying for an addition to the Runciman building, for schoolhouse sites, and for paying for additions to schoolhouse sites, and for the remodeling of school buildings.

**V - Q:**  
What would the levy be?  
A: The proposal to be voted on authorizes the Board to levy four mills on the state equalized valuation, to pay for the \$160,000 worth of bonds over a twenty-year period (in addition to the existing five mills now being levied.) However, this stipulation is included to meet the requirements of the Finance Commission; it also will make the bonds more attractive to buyers. In fact, however, these bonds will be paid, TOGETHER WITH THOSE OUTSTANDING ON THE RUNCIMAN BUILDING, within twelve years—and WITHIN THE FIVE MILLS NOW BEING LEVIED for the retirement of bonds—and this has been figured on the existing state assessed valuation of the district!!

**VI - Q:**  
How would it be paid?  
A: By issuing bonds over a twenty-year period and by binding all of the territory within the district whose citizens would pay the taxes. Citizens of other districts to be annexed would also help to pay for the bonds. The bonds will be callable—that is, they can be paid in advance if desired after 1962.

**VII - Q:**  
How does the financial condition of the Lowell district compare with others?  
A: Very favorably. If the proposal passes, the total indebtedness of the district will be \$350,000, or less than 5 percent of the valuation—a very healthy condition, which will help to sell the bonds at a low rate. The Board has called in \$40,000 of the bonds on the Runciman building—that is, they will be paid in advance. The outstanding bonds on this building will be \$190,000 as of March 1st. The proceeds of the levy on bonds can be used only for the retirement of those bonds.

## Engle Hanson, 88, Passes in Grand Rapids Hospital

Engle Hanson, 88, died Friday, February 6, in Sunshine hospital in Grand Rapids, after a long illness. Services were held Monday afternoon here, the Rev. J. Marion DeVinney officiating. Interment was in Oakwood Cemetery.

He is survived by a granddaughter, Mrs. Miles Bennett, a grandson, William Rogers, both of Ionia, and several nieces and nephews.

## Faculty Selects 1959 Exchange Student

Karla Burger, above, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burger of Cascade, has been selected to be Lowell's exchange student abroad next summer. She was chosen by a committee consisting of several Lowell High teachers and last year's exchange student Martha Stiff. Robert Thaler was chosen to be Karla's alternate. The exchange student is always a junior so that on returning, experiences can be related to the community during the senior year.

The judges who selected Karla include Mrs. Patricia Mullen, Mrs. Esther Lampen, Mrs. Anna Mae Roth, Martha Stiff, Kenneth Williams, Bob Perry and Stephen Nisbet. This committee made their choice on the following: the applicant's ability to adapt to different conditions, human understanding, outgoing personality, curiosity and responsibility, scholastic ability and the candidates desire to participate in the American Field Service program.

Other juniors who applied for the program were Jim VandenHout and Brian Hoag. The committee felt they had a difficult decision to make because these students were equally qualified.

Karla is eagerly looking forward to next summer. She says, "I hope to make many friends this summer, and will always remember that I am a representative of my school, community, and nation." She also stated that she felt that such student exchange programs were very important for international understandings.

After she submits her final application to the American Field Service, she will be notified of what country she will visit and her summer family.

What is A. F. S.  
The American Field Service program began in 1950. That year 9 teenagers were sent to France for the summer. Last year over 2,800 exchange students were sent from the U. S. to 20 nations all over the world.

The purpose of AFS is to further international understanding and friendship by the exchange of ideas, and by the sharing of good times together.

## William A. Roth Picked For Conservation Award

William A. Roth, dairy farmer near Ada, has been selected as the winner of the 1958 Herald Conservation Award in the Northeast Kent Soil Conservation District.

Mr. Roth became a district co-operator and developed a complete soil and water conservation plan ten years ago.

"At the time my conservation farm plan was developed with assistance from the U. S. Soil Conservation Service technicians, we were able to carry only sixteen milk cows and eight young cattle," says Bill. "Now, with increased feed production, we milk twenty-three cows and carry twenty head of young stock. We could carry at least three more cows if we had barn room."

Bill has had soil and water problems to overcome. Long slopes on his best cropland, and some steep slopes, present a water erosion problem. Some fields have heavy soil and others are quite sandy. He has 81 acres of the 160 he owns in cropland. The balance is in pasture land or woodland.

Ten years ago 27 acres of field strips six rods wide were established across the slope. While the strips run the short way across the fields because of slope direction, Mr. Roth would not go back to his former way of farming square fields. He still remembers the trouble he had with gullies before the strips were laid out.

Ten acres of rough, sandy land have been planted to pine for a forest and wildlife area.

Bill has divided the more sloping areas of heavy soil into three pasture fields. A regular pasture renovation program maintains productive grazing.

The Roths like their conservation crop rotation and feel that it is important part of their farm plan. "The rotation of corn, oats, and three years of alfalfa-brome has enabled me to do a faster soil building job and to get better hay seedings," Bill says.

Mr. and Mrs. Roth are active in community affairs, and you will find Bill at most farm meetings where soil conservation is on the program.

**SOUTH BOSTON EXTENSION TO MEET MONDAY AT 10:30**  
The South Boston Extension meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Lyle Condon on Monday, February 16, at 10:30 a. m.

Miss Jane Childs, Ionia County Extension agent, will give the lesson, "Growing Old the Modern Way."

A potluck will be served at noon. Please bring your own service and a dish to pass.

**HOLD SPECIAL SERVICES AT NAZARENE CHURCH**  
On Monday, February 16, at 2:30 p. m., Mrs. O. L. Nash will preside over a Missionary Rally which will be held at the Lowell Church of the Nazarene.

Rev. Myron Moford of Midland will be the speaker for the evening session when the District Sunday School rally will be held. The meeting will start at 7 p. m.

Lowell Beer Store open every day and evenings until 10 p. m. Sunday until 7 p. m. c-43

## Lowell Will Host Jr. High Basketball Tournament, February 17th and 19th

Lowell will be host this year to the Tri-City Junior High Invitational Basketball Tournament. The first round will be next Tuesday, and Thursday, February 17 and 19. The tournament is rotated among Ionia, Belding and Lowell. A trophy will be awarded for each

of the seventh and eighth grade tournaments. All seventh grade games will start at 6 o'clock and the 8th grade games immediately following.

**First Round Scheduled**  
In the first round on February 17, Lowell will play Belding in the Main Gym and Saranac will play Lyons Muir in the all purpose room. The winners will play February 24. On Thursday, February 19, Peewee will play Forest Hills in the Main Gym and Ionia will play Grand Rapids Lee in the all purpose room. The winners also will play February 24.

The winners of these four schools will play on Tuesday, February 24, and the finals will be held Wednesday, February 25.

**ADA CONGREGATIONAL TO SPONSOR FISH SUPPER**  
The Choir of the First Congregational church of Ada, Michigan, is sponsoring again this year a Blue Water Fish Dinner. The dinner will be held February 27, Friday night, in Fellowship Hall. Two servings 6 to 7 p. m. and 7 to 8 p. m.

## Former Bowne Township Supervisor Passes

Arthur J. Porritt, 89, retired farmer and former Supervisor of Bowne Township passed away on Friday, February 6, at his home, 9296 Nash Avenue, Alto.

Mr. Porritt held the office of Township Supervisor for four years and also served the offices of township clerk, and township treasurer for several years. He was also a former director for the school board. Mr. Porritt was a member of the Freeport Masonic Lodge and the Bowne Center Methodist church.

He is survived by one son, Victor; seven daughters, Mrs. Dee Bryant, Mrs. Eugene Bryant, Mrs. William Fairchild, Mrs. Harvey Slater, all of Alto, Mrs. Lawton Cole of Lowell, Mrs. Lyle Armstrong of Orchard Lake, and Mrs. Don Wright of Dowling.

Also surviving is one brother, Charles of Grand Rapids; 11 grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted on Monday, at 2 p. m., at the Bowne Center Methodist church, Rev. William Reymders officiating.

Graveside services were conducted at the Bowne Center Cemetery by Freeport Lodge No. 451, F & A. M.

## January Violations Total 37 Justice Rittenger Reports

A total of 37 violations were handled by Justice Rittenger in January he reported this week. Of the violations, 23 were township, and 14 were village. Total fines and costs for the township were \$259.30 and for the village \$95.10. Violations were as follows:

- 3 Failure to have car under control
- 12 Speeding
- 1 Parking on highway
- 1 Excessive noise
- 2 Defective equipment
- 2 Interfering with traffic
- 1 Improper left turn
- 3 Improper overtaking and passing
- 1 Failed to yield right-of-way
- 1 Drove without headlights
- 1 Non stop for stop sign
- 2 No license plates
- 3 Drove on wrong side of road
- 1 Non stop for red light
- 1 Driving on expired operators license
- 1 Driving to left of centerline
- 1 No clearance lights on commercial vehicle

## Job's Daughters To Sponsor Spaghetti Dinner

All the romance and excitement of a night in Italy will be recreated by the Lowell Job's Daughters.

The special occasion is an Italian Spaghetti Dinner being served Saturday night from 5 to 7:30 at the Lowell Masonic Temple.

Pretend that for just one evening you are in an Italian Cafe. The soft music is floating through the air accompanied by the mouth-watering fragrance of Italian spaghetti.

The magic in the candlelight will surely conclude a wonderful evening.

## WILLIAM HOFFMAN ON DEANS LIST AT KALAMAZOO COLLEGE

The Deans' List at Kalamazoo College, Kalamazoo, Michigan, for the fall semester just completed is being announced today, recognizing students for high academic achievement.

The name of William F. Hoffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Hoffman, 7489 Pratt Lake Avenue, Alto, appears on the Deans' List for having received an average of 3.5 or better out of a possible 4.0 points. Mr. Hoffman is currently a junior at the college.

## APPOINT JOHN FREEMAN ON VILLAGE BOARD OF REVIEW

John Freeman has been appointed to serve on the Lowell Village Board of Review to take the place of Arthur Curtis, sr., who will be in Florida at the time of the meeting.

## 3 FOR A DOLLAR

Special—Friday and Saturday. Pie, Coffee Cake and Bread. Fluger's Lowell Bakery. c-43

## Two Resign As Showboat Directors

At a meeting last Friday the resignation of N. E. Borgerson, President of Showboat Inc. since its beginning in 1933. Also resigning is Theron Richmond who acted as secretary of the organization since the death of the original secretary, La E. Johnson.

A meeting is planned to elect new officers for 1959, as of now the President, Vice-President (Elmer Schaefer held this position until asked to retire from the board last fall) and Secretary.

Still on the board as directors are C. H. Runciman, D. A. Wingeier, George Dey, sr., Dave Clark, jr., Louis W. Kingsley and Kenneth Fletcher. Holding positions on the board also are President of the Lowell Board of Trade, Gurney Hahn and Commander of the Clark-Ellis Post of the American Legion, Lawrence Chesbro.

## Services Wednesday for George Blake, 89

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## Newcomers to Town

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Pruetz, 329 Monroe, Farm Bureau Agent, now assigned to this territory, moved to Lowell last week from Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Shinabarger and daughter, Gloria, have moved to 725 N. Vergennes Road. The Shinabargers are retired, and their daughter is a nurse in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight L. Hughes and children have moved to 915 N. Washington Street from Pontiac. Mr. Hughes is the area representative for the Carling Brewing Co.

## CYCLE CRUTCH COMPANY MEETING, FEBRUARY 13

The Cycle Crutch Company will meet on Friday, February 13, at the American Legion Building. Any interested persons are invited to attend. Company stock subscriptions will be offered.

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## Eight Candidates For Circuit Court Judge

In a county-wide primary election six candidates for the post for Judge of the Circuit Court will be nominated. These six will compete for the three Circuit Judgeships in the April election.

This is probably the first primary ever to pick so many judges for the circuit court at one time.

There is only one incumbent candidate, Fred N. Searl; Judges Thadus Taylor and Leonard Verdier have announced their retirement.

Candidates besides Searl are: Richard C. Annis, Evered C. Dudley, Stuart Hoffus, John G. Starr, Louis E. Simhauser, John H. VanderWal and Robert M. Verdier. For more information about the candidates see their advertisements in this week's paper.

## Figure Skating Instruction Sunday Afternoon at Rink

Mr. and Mrs. George Segar, former instructors of the Grand Rapids Skating Club, have kindly offered to come to the Lowell skating rink on Sunday afternoon, February 15, and offer instruction in figure and fancy skating. They are both well known in West Michigan for their ability and they will demonstrate and instruct from 3 to 5 p. m.

Mrs. Segar is physical education instructor at Aquinas College, also appearing in an exhibition and offering instruction will be Nancy Chamberlain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace M. Chamberlain of Comstock Park, who is majoring in physical education at MSU, and a former member of the Grand Rapids Figure Skating Club.

## Asked to Air Driving Grips

Carroll Burch, instructor of Driver Education at Lowell High School is currently taking a course in problems in education, conducted by Professor Mann of the highway traffic safety center, Michigan State University.

Mr. Burch has chosen the subject "Problem of Driver Annoyances," (driver behavior). Mr. Burch is interested in making a public survey of the things done by "other drivers" that annoy you when driving on our highways. He would appreciate it if anyone who reads this article and who drives a car on our highways would drop a card or letter to him, stating their pet "gripes"—or the things that other drivers do that are annoying—for example—keeping the bright lights or high beam on while following closely. This information can be sent direct to Mr. Burch, Lowell High School. Your name need not be signed.

If enough responses are received Mr. Burch will compile a list of the number of times each annoyance has been reported to him and this information will appear in a later issue of the Ledger.

## Cast Set For L.H.S. Annual Play March 12-13

Mrs. Anna Mae Roth, junior play director at Lowell High School, recently announced the cast for "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" to be presented Thursday and Friday, March 12 and 13.

Those appearing in the play are Roger Potter, Brooke Mullen, Jim VandenHout, Mary Dewey, Diane Hawk, Pat Sullivan, Sharon Dalstra, Bob Thaler, Nancy Fox, Clemenz, Jon Walter, Jim Green, Judy Hunter, Beverly Wepman, John Troy, Harold Richardson and Steve Fritz.

Student director is Karla Burger, and girl and boy prompter and understudies are Judy Posthumus and Brian Hoag. Various committees have been organized but chairmen have not yet been selected. Sponsors include Mrs. Roth, director, Mrs. Martin, tickets, Mrs. Bergin, publicity and Mr. Hagen, construction.

"Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" is a comedy written by Cornelia Otis Skinner and Emily Kimbrough, and dramatized by Jean Kerr. The story is about two young girls played by Diane Hawk and Mary Dewey, who sail to Europe and encounter many hilarious adventures. The story is based upon actual experiences of Cornelia Otis Skinner and Emily Kimbrough in the early 1900's.

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## ATTENTION MOOSE MEMBERS

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### Why Didn't They Pick Lowell For New Industry Location

Our home town is the most important place to each of us. It is here that our roots are deep. Many of us were born here and so were our children. We want them to grow up here and to work here. That's why economic and industrial development of our town is so important to us.

That's why we begin to wonder why an industry that takes a look at our town as the possible site for a new plant locates elsewhere. Most of us wonder why, but we don't make an effort to find out.

If we sought out the reason why our town was rejected, we might learn that we were not suited for the particular industry we invited to locate here. Conditions beyond our control might not have been suitable. That brings up an important point. Our advantages should be appraised so that we know what industries we can accommodate. Then we should seek out those types to present our case.

But, it's possible that the reason why we were not picked is because of conditions which we can correct. It could be that a neighboring town developed its advantages to a greater degree than did they. They may have municipal facilities which we lack. We can correct

### New Washington Review



Congressman JERRY FORD

All of us will agree that our national defense is too serious a matter to leave to partisan politics or to partisan analysis. Yet in past weeks we have had a report of words and reprisals of new legislation that the United States is militarily in danger unless this or that program, or weapon, or system is promptly developed or expanded.

As one who has been close to the Department of Defense for seven years as a member of the military appropriations subcommittee, I would like to make a few pertinent comments.

Annually our committee hears and interrogates the executives of the Executive Branch to initiate and administer the defense program. The Congress must double-check the plans and administrative action, and make certain that the taxpayers' dollars are well spent. Neither branch of the government has a monopoly on information or wisdom but both must and can work together for a stronger and better America.

The people of the United States are afforded whatever amount is really required for our national defense. In fact, we cannot afford anything less. I can assure you that the President had this in mind when he submitted his budget, and that the Congress should be guided by the same principle when it makes the appropriations.

### Governor Favors Income Tax

By G. Moman Williams  
Governor of Michigan

Michigan needs a tax program which will provide financial health for our state for years to come. This week I presented to the legislature proposals for new taxes which I am certain will accomplish this purpose. If this program is adopted it will put an end to the State's recurrent money crises, which have finally brought us very close to bankruptcy.

The program I placed before the legislature calls for a corporate profits tax of 5 percent with a rate of 7 percent on financial institutions to produce \$110 million; a personal income tax with rates graduated from 2 to 6 percent, to raise \$100 million.

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### Vote For Overed C. Dudley For Circuit Judge

★ Honest  
★ Impartial  
★ Capable

"Ask Those Who Know Him"

PRIMARY ELECTION — MONDAY, FEB. 16

### Teach Real Estate Law

Teach Real Estate Law beginning February 2

Joseph B. White, Grand Rapids attorney, will teach Real Estate Law in Grand Rapids this semester. It is announced by Charles H. Hill, supervisor of the University of Michigan's state-wide program leading to a Certificate in Real Estate. The course, a required one, is being given with the cooperation of the Grand Rapids Real Estate Board.

### Schools Can Help Pupils Obtain Jobs

Teachers have a real responsibility to guide pupils who have no intention of continuing education beyond high school but want to be prepared for "some kind of job."

Prof. John M. Trytten (PHD) of the University of Michigan says, "Serious confusion exists in our country as to the proper standards for these pupils, and they are in a great majority."

### Care and Feeding of the Family Car

Care and feeding of the family car—these terms are synonymous. Your car is fed well when you maintain good shape. How well do you feed your car?

According to the Automotive Research Council, there are five regular feedings necessary to keep your automobile in top flight running condition.

### Women Better Patients, Says Family Doctor of Year

"Women are better patients than men," according to Dr. Lonnie A. Coffin, Family Doctor of the Year by the American Medical Association, for instance, when helping epidemic-hit Farmington (Iowa) people in and around rural Farmington, Iowa, Enriched by 41 years of country doctoring, he is also a man who speaks his mind, a pilot-skipper with his own plane, and a "topper" of the daily cigar—"I've given it up several times since then."

### Finest Enlistment Choice Of 10 Occupational Areas

The U. S. Army is now offering the finest enlistment choice in its history, according to M-Sgt. Carl S. Joram, local Army recruiter.

Under the new plan, you can choose the exact Career Group in which you would like to receive training. Called the "Choose It Yourself" Vocational Training System, the new plan offers a young man the opportunity to choose serving in an Army Career Group that satisfies his own desires and aptitudes. The plan offers more than 50 Career Groups to choosing from.

### Tabquamenon Falls' Top Attraction For Tourists and Geologists, Too

Tabquamenon Falls northeast of here, in addition to scenic beauty, are also especially interesting to both amateur and professional geologists.

The Falls and the Tabquamenon Falls State Park itself, have been selected as one of Michigan's top attractions in a survey of University of Michigan faculty and staff members.

### Now Girls... Now Girls...



Does your heart flip when your heart approaches? Yeah? Then shuffle right down here and get a matching set of Tie, Socks and Tie-Tie, with a SURPRISE GIMMICK for your Valentine.

### February Cleanup

THESE ITEMS ARE TAKING UP ROOM IN THE STORE THAT WE NEED FOR OTHER THINGS. ODDS AND ENDS. INCOMPLETE SIZE RANGES.

Dress Shirts Colored White  
Jackets Mens and Boys  
Union Suits  
Slacks  
Work Pants  
Wool Shirts

### Plastic Bags Can Keep Mittens Dry

To keep the children's snow mittens clean and dry during outside play, try covering them with plastic bags, suggest extension home economists at Michigan State University.

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Clear plastic bags, available at many store counters, may be secured with elastic bands. The clear containers, in which many vegetables now come may also serve as mitten covers.

### Coons

Coonfruit are so-called because they sometimes grow in clusters.

### ROLLER SKATING

Every minute's packed with pleasure as you glide round our rink to continuous music.

Hours:  
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WAX PAPER 2 ROLLS 43¢ Cheer Detergent 1-LB. PKG. 33¢

Keyko Margarine DEAL PACK QUARTERS 2 1-LB. CTNS. 47¢ Spic & Span 1-LB. PKG. 31¢

Reynold's Wrap ALUMINUM FOIL REG. 25 FT. ROLL 31¢ Drefl Detergent 1-LB. PKG. 77¢

Tide Detergent GIANT PKG. 77¢

Rinso Blue SPECIAL PACK \$1.33 VALUE KING SIZE 99¢

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Grandville Here Friday
Lowell Five Squeak Past Kalamazoo
University High Here Saturday, 69-68

A revitalized Lowell High basketball quintet, fresh from a 68-68 win over Kalamazoo University High last Saturday, takes on a rugged Grandville five this Friday, Feb. 13, in a home contest for the Arrows. The last meeting of the teams saw the Arrows downed 49 to 44. Since that time, however, Coach Norm Gotschall's reserves have been coming through in fine style. Showing the most marked improvement have been Dick Ward, Steve Fritz and Carl Eckman, all juniors. The Lowell crew is presently dwelling in the Grand Valley cellar and would like to move up a notch or two. Reserve action begins at 7.

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COMING EVENTS

Fish Dinner—Saturday, Feb. 21, 8 p. m., sponsored by the Women of the Moose.

Each Circle of the Methodist Church will meet in the lounge at 1 p. m., Feb. 19. Mrs. T. J. Wessell and Mrs. Gerald Rollins are hostesses. Devotions will be given by Mrs. Orval Jessup.

The Child Guide Study group will be held February 19 at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Lilia Traler, 36th Street, with Mrs. Evelyn Barnes as co-hostess.

Next regular meeting of VFW Relief Corps will be Wednesday, February 18, at City Hall, followed by card party at 8 o'clock.

V. F. W. Auxiliary will meet Tuesday, February 12 at VFW hall at 8 p. m. followed by Valentine Social for revealing Secret February 12, beginning at 7 o'clock.

St. Rita's will meet on Wednesday, February 18 at 8 p. m. at St. Mary's church.

St. Rita's of St. Mary's Church will sponsor a Bake Sale on Saturday, February 14, at Weppner's Clothing Store, starting at 9:30 a. m.

The Women of the Moose will hold their business meeting on Wednesday, February 18, at 8 p. m.

The Morse Lake-McCords Farm Bureau will meet at Morse Lake schoolhouse, Friday, Feb. 13 at 8 p. m. Hostesses, Mrs. Roland DeWitt and Mrs. Robert Clark.

Jolly Community Club will be held, February 18, at 1:30 p. m. at Mrs. Louis Smith on M-21.

In loving memory of our mother, Mrs. Jessie Jones, who passed away February 14, 1958. The Children

In loving memory of Carl Vernehan who passed away two years ago. Sadly missed by Margaret Veneman and Family and Sisters

Card of Thanks: I wish to thank my friends and neighbors for the flowers and plants and the many cards and letters I have received during my stay in the hospital and since I came home. I have enjoyed them so much. Eva Engle

Card of Thanks: I wish to thank the employees of the Kent County Road Commission, Calcedonia Garage, for the plant and all those who sent cards and visited me while in the hospital and during my convalescence at home. John Erickson

Card of Thanks: Post is regularly stationed in Michigan as a rifleman in Headquarters Company of the division's 21st Infantry. Overseas since January 1958, he entered the Army in August 1957 and completed basic training at Fort Dix, N. J.

Education Outdoors

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\*\*\*\*\* BUCK SHOT \*\*\*\*\*

A proposition is something you should never end a sentence with. We haven't mentioned basketball in the Redford News since we felt very discouraged. The Gowlin game didn't make us feel much better. However, the boys showed us of jussie in the University High contest. Allan Eckman, Don Dilly, and Dick Ward hit a sizzling 60 percent. Steve Fritz and Dick Ward seem to be showing considerable improvement. The members of this team are accurate shooters. Eight boys are hitting over 30 percent. We do a credible job on the boards. Our two main weaknesses are defense and driving skills. However, we can do a long way with the little life. We think this team has a lot of possibilities, and we hope they can play before tournament time.

Something is fascinating about fishing with a bobber. Tuesday, the boys' actions are most important in the winter time when fish are less active. (due to cold water). They catch and release the bobber; most especially sensitive, and the least steady movement may mean that a big one is trying your bait for lunch. Television is not nearly so fascinating as bobber antics. A dancing bobber, the heart beat faster regardless of the age of the body that contains the heart. A youngster will stare at a bobber with the hope youth, and a wild twinge of excitement will overcome him if the bobber so much as twitches. Sometime watch the hope of any outdoor sports fan. Off into space, and if the pupils of his eyes are dancing with memories—perhaps he was a bobber fisherman.

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Engagement Announced

James B. Cook, Lowell, has been accepted for membership in The Holstein-Friesian Association of America by recent action of the Board of Directors. An altitude high of 2,919 members were admitted to the national Holstein organization during 1958. They bring total membership to 46,764 a figure without precedent in dairy cattle history.

Many highway accidents will be eliminated when people learn that our modern cars come equipped with everything but brains.

Read the Ledger Want Ads.

ANNUAL ITALIAN SPAGHETTI DINNER Sponsored by Job's Daughters Lowell Masonic Temple Sat., February 14 Adults — \$1.00 Children — 75c

Bus Schedule — NOW IN EFFECT — To Grand Rapids — 1:30 P. M. Direct 2:30 P. M. via Lansing 3:45 P. M. Direct To Flint — 1:30 P. M. Direct 2:30 P. M. via Lansing 3:45 P. M. Direct To Lansing — 1:30 P. M. Direct 2:30 P. M. via Lansing 3:45 P. M. Direct ALL SCHEDULES OPERATE DAILY UNLESS MARKED OTHERWISE

STRAND THEATRE LOWELL—MICH. Thurs., Fri., Sat., Feb. 12, 13, 14 "The House on Haunted Hill" And Once at 8:10 "The Cosmic Man" The Spectacular Shock Pictures You've Seen Advertised on TV Sun, Mon., Tues., Wed., Feb. 15, 16, 17, 18 Matinee Sunday at 2:00 P.M. Love and Laughter

BIRTHS Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Robert J. Vandertol, formerly of Lowell, now of Okemos, California, announce the birth of a son, James Robert, at Base Hospital, Feb. 6. Mr. and Mrs. William Brann are the parents of a son, Mitchell Dean, born at Butterworth hospital in Grand Rapids, Michigan, Feb. 5. A son Mark Christopher was born to Mr. and Mrs. Philip G. Gribble, at Okemos, Pa., on February 9. The new arrival is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Oris Greenowood, Jr., and has been named Oris Kent.

BAPTISMAL SERVICE Frank Charles Leasure, six-weeks old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leasure, was baptized Tuesday night at 6:30 in the Lowell Methodist church by Rev. J. Mark DeWitt. Mr. and Mrs. Zuni Leasure are his Godparents. The grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Fox of Omaha, Nebraska, were here to attend the baptismal service.

HONORABLE AT SUPPER BIRTHDAY PARTY, FEBRUARY 14 A surprise birthday party for Mr. and Mrs. Harold Raymer was given by their daughter, Shirley, Sunday afternoon. Those guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson and children, Isabel Edwards, Elizabeth Veneman, Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Raymer, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Raymer, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gehlhoed, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sloan, Mr. and Mrs. James Serne all of Lowell, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Telfs and children of Belding. Also in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. Martin Postma, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Gehlhoed and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Edward VanderLaan all of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gehlhoed and Danny, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stimmler and Tommy all of Ada, and Harold Carigan, Jr. of Elmdale. Refreshments were served and they received many lovely gifts.

RAVENNA LIVESTOCK SALES Prices for Feb. 9, 574 head of Livestock, 37 consignments of Poultry and Rabbits Veal — up to \$42.25 cwt. Beef Steers and Heifers — up to \$26.10 cwt. Beef Cows — up to \$20.30 cwt. Beef Bulls — up to \$24.30 cwt. Feeder Cattle — from \$17.50 to \$23.50 cwt. Hogs — up to \$17.20 cwt. Sows — up to \$15.10 cwt. Feeder Pigs — from \$9.00 to \$16.00 each Hay — from 37c to 77 1/2c bale Straw — from 25c to 30c bale

RAVENNA LIVESTOCK SALES Art Steward Auctioneer

FOR THE BEST IN '59... SHOP OUR DAILY FOOD SPECIALS! Armour's Ham String Portion lb. 37c BUTT END 49c Center Slices lb. 79c Pork Chops, end cut lb. 39c Pork Roast lb. 39c No. 1 Pork Sausage lb. 35c SL Bacon, end cut lb. 29c FARMER PEET'S Frankfurts lb. 55c ALL OTHER MEATS AT LOW, LOW PRICES

Breast-O-Sea Tuna 3 CANS 89c Sliced Potatoes BUTTERFIELD Carrots 2 bunches 21c GREEN GIANT Peas 2 300 case 33c

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Lowell Social Briets

Mrs. Katherine Remington of Grand Rapids, was a luncheon guest Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. George Hale. Mrs. John Thomas spent from Wednesday through Friday with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Robinson of Grand Haven, returning home with Elizabeth Phelps, who was in Grand Haven on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Jessup of Rockford, are spending a few days at the Oval Jessup home. Mrs. Charles Armstrong and sister-in-law, Miss Peggy Candler of Grand Haven, visited Mr. and Mrs. Vern Armstrong and Lowell friends last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hall spent the week end in Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Athlen Simpson were Sunday dinner guests of the family, Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Robert J. Vandertol and while there will help care for the new grandson and other grandchildren.

Joseph Mark, three weeks old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Callier, has been in and out of Blodgett hospital the last week. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shook of Calcedonia, Michigan, were Saturday night and Sunday guests of Miss Sharon Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Radford attended the funeral of Edward Green, Sunday afternoon in Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Conn of Merick, Michigan, visited his parents at Grand Rapids, and her mother, Mrs. Arthur Schneider of Lowell, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Laus of Ionia called on Mr. and Mrs. William Lax, Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Nick Kloosterman, who has undergone surgery at Osteopathic hospital in Grand Rapids, is making a good recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Starbuck, Lake Odessa, called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Starbuck on Saturday. Mrs. Wesley Roth had dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Roth in Hastings on Monday night.

Mr. E. Bowen has moved to 403 Monroe Street, Sunday called on Mrs. Bowen were Mr. and Mrs. William Hitchcock and children, Mrs. and Mr. Lyle Baker and children and Mrs. Sandra Fonger and family of Spring Lake, last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Elmer of Lowell, and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace of Marne were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Owens in Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Davern called on his mother, Mrs. Christine Davern of Alpine, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pines of Grand Rapids, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. L. E. DeVries is improving as well as can be expected from her recent illness. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clarke called on Saturday afternoon on his sister, Mrs. Mary Boland of Boone Center.

Mrs. Marion DeViney spent Saturday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Hilderley of Big Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Freeman were at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Romaine of Comstock, on Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Norman Bergerson of Big Rapids, spent the week end at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Auburn Olin and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bergerson. Mr. and Mrs. Jules Eler visited on Sunday, at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Heffelder of Ionia.

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Registration Notice NOTICE OF LAST DAY FOR REGISTRATION FOR Special School Election to be held by School District No. One, Township of Lowell, Michigan, Ada, Bowen, Cannon, Cascade and Vergennes, County of Kent, Townships of Keene and Boston, County of Ionia, State of Michigan (A Fourth Class School District), Tuesday, February 23, 1959.

To the qualified electors of school District No. 1 Fractional, Township of Lowell, Ada, Bowen, Cannon, Cascade and Vergennes, County of Kent, Townships of Keene and Boston, County of Ionia, State of Michigan (A Fourth Class School District), Tuesday, February 23, 1959.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, that the last day and hour on which persons may register in order to be eligible to vote at the special school election of said school district to be held Tuesday, February 23, 1959, is:

At 5 o'clock p. m., at the Public School Building, Ionia, Michigan. Information concerning the qualifications of electors and registration may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Schools in the High School building, in the village of Lowell, Michigan.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION Dated at Lowell, Michigan January 30, 1959. THOMAS B. HILL, Secretary, Board of Education c-42-3

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Segun Community

Mrs. Lulu Knopf spent last Sunday with Mrs. Eva Amels in Muskegon. Mrs. Evelyn Briggs of Grand Rapids, was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Stevens and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Nelson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Johnson attended the Commandery Winter Ball in Ionia, Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Storing of Eastmont spent Friday with Mrs. Jessie Rathbun. Ed did some pressing and painting for a couple of days.

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Ado Township Primary Lists One Contest
The township primary election Monday, February 16, for the Republican Party lists only one contest, Henry Fae is unopposed for supervisor; Blanche Lovelace, for clerk; and Neal Vandepoerle for treasurer.

Emdale Mrs. Ira Sargeant
With King Winter still in full power with its antics of snowing, blowing, and drifting, caused the Mothers' Club of the Lake School district to cancel their Bar-B-Q Supper which was to have been held Saturday evening as the school yard had a heavy depth of snow and the roads which had been plowed open led to no space along the roadside to park cars.

Star Corners Mrs. Ira Blough
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Maibach and three children of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Al Kabe and family of Bay City, were week end guests at the David Winger home on Sunday evening. A dinner was served in the dining room with Mr. and Mrs. Schrenk and family of Lake Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Anni Winger, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Faldman and family also guests.

Public Notice

NOTICE OF SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION
SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1 (FRACTIONAL) TOWNSHIP OF ADA, BOWNE, CANNON, CASCADE AND VERGENNES, COUNTY OF KENT, TOWNSHIP OF KEENE AND BOSTON, COUNTY OF IONIA, STATE OF MICHIGAN (A Fourth Class School District):

To the qualified, registered electors of School District No. 1, Fractional, Townships of Lowell, Ada, Bowne, Cascade and Vergennes, County of Kent, Townships of Keene and Boston, County of Ionia, State of Michigan (A Fourth Class School District):

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, That a special school election will be held on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1959 in the Village Hall on East Main Street in the village of Lowell, Michigan, to elect school directors, and that the polls of said election will be kept open continuously between the hours of 7 o'clock a. m. and 8 o'clock p. m., eastern standard time, on said day, for the purpose of voting upon the following two questions:

QUESTION NO. 1
Shall the total tax rate limitation on the total amount of taxes which may be assessed each year against all property in School District No. 1 Fractional, Townships of Lowell, Ada, Bowne, Cascade and Vergennes, County of Kent, Townships of Keene and Boston, County of Ionia, State of Michigan, a fourth class school district, be increased, as provided by section 21, article 10 of the Constitution of the State of Michigan, by four tenths of one percent (4 mills) of the assessed valuation, as equalized, of all the property in said school district, for a period of 20 years from 1959 to 1978, both inclusive, for the sole purpose of paying interest and principal on bonds of said school district, aggregating not to exceed \$150,000 in principal amount to be issued to pay for schoolhouse sites, additions of territory to schoolhouse sites, an addition to the Runelman elementary schoolhouse and for the remodeling of school buildings?

QUESTION NO. 2
Shall School District No. 1 Fractional, Townships of Lowell, Ada, Bowne, Cannon, Cascade and Vergennes, County of Kent, Townships of Keene and Boston, County of Ionia, State of Michigan, a fourth class school district, borrow the sum of \$150,000 and issue its bonds therefor for the sole purpose of paying for schoolhouse sites, additions of territory to schoolhouse sites, an addition to the Runelman elementary schoolhouse and for the remodeling of school buildings?

ALSO TAKE NOTICE, That the board of education of said school district has estimated the amount of money necessary to be borrowed to pay for said schoolhouse sites, additions of territory to schoolhouse sites, an addition to the Runelman elementary schoolhouse and for the remodeling of school buildings to be the sum of not to exceed \$150,000.

ALSO TAKE NOTICE, That all registered school electors of said school district, who have resided within said school district at least thirty days next preceding said election, possessing the qualifications provided for qualified electors in section 1, article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Michigan, may vote on said Question No. 1, but only such persons having the qualifications of registered school electors of said school district who have property assessed for taxes in any part of said district or the lawful husbands or wives of such persons, as provided in section 4, article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Michigan, shall be entitled to vote on said Question No. 2.

ALSO TAKE NOTICE OF the following statements by the county treasurers of the counties of Kent and Ionia, State of Michigan, of all voted increases in the total tax rate limitation, in any local units, affecting the taxable property in said school district, and the years such increases are effective:

I, HENRY ROMYN, the duly elected, qualified and acting treasurer of the County of Kent, State of Michigan, hereby CERTIFY that a portion of School District No. 1 Fractional, Townships of Lowell, Ada, Bowne, Cannon, Cascade and Vergennes, County of Kent, Townships of Keene and Boston, County of Ionia, State of Michigan, a fourth class school district, is located within the geographical boundaries of said townships of Lowell, Ada, Bowne, Cannon, Cascade and Vergennes, County of Kent, Townships of Keene and Boston in said County of Ionia, State of Michigan, in local units affecting the taxable property in that portion of said school district

in said townships in said County of Kent as follows:
The territory of former School District No. 5, Township of Cascade, County of Kent, State of Michigan, now within the boundaries of said School District No. 1 Fractional, Years Effective, 1959-1971, both inclusive.
Dated at Ionia, Michigan January 26, 1959

KATHLEEN MALONEY County Treasurer of the County of Ionia.
BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION Dated at the Village of Lowell, Michigan February 2, 1959.
THOMAS B. HILL, Secretary of the Board of Education 65-44

HENRY ROMYN County Treasurer of the County of Kent, State of Michigan.
Leder want ads bring results.

I, KATHLEEN MALONEY, the duly elected, qualified and acting treasurer of the County of Ionia, State of Michigan, hereby CERTIFY that a portion of School District No. 1 Fractional, Townships of Lowell, Ada, Bowne, Cannon, Cascade and Vergennes, County of Kent, Townships of Keene and Boston in said County of Ionia, State of Michigan, in local units affecting the taxable property in that portion of said school district

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VOTERS OF LOWELL and VICINITY
ELECT RICHARD C. ANNIS - CIRCUIT JUDGE -
Annis understands people and their problems as well as the law. As a judge all legal matters coming before him will receive honest, conscientious, able and considerate attention.

HELP YOURSELF, YOUR CITY, AND YOUR COUNTY
VOTE FOR ANNIS FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE (Non-Partisan)
Qualifications: Two years' experience as judge on Way Labor Board. Attorney for four townships (He is well versed in municipal and rural problems). Thirty years continuous experience as counselor and trial lawyer in the various courts of the city, county and state.

ELECT John H. VanderWal CIRCUIT JUDGE of Kent County
Member of the firm of Linsey, Shivel, Phelps & VanderWal Attorneys of Grand Rapids, Michigan

While it is our boast as Americans that we have a government of laws and not men, it still is true that in every legal situation there is a human equation. Mercy will temper law and equity must prevail. A judge should be devoted to man as well as to law.

A judge should know the law: He should have sound reasoning powers; He must be fair and impartial; He must know people and like people, and be sympathetic to their problems; He must be unselfishly civic minded.

Mr. VanderWal has been associated with me for over 28 years, and I sincerely recommend him to you for this office. - R. M. SHIVEL

Primary Election, Monday, Feb. 16 (Pol. Adv.)

Mosley-Murray Lake Mrs. Eva Engle
Martin Davis and his cousin, Mrs. Lillian Muthart were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dell Ford and Donna Jean.
Last week's callers at the Claymills were Mrs. George Tompkins, Mrs. Marian Green, Mrs. Robert Winger, Martin Davis and Dell Ford also Rev. and Mrs. Mills were recent callers.
Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Engle spent a week ago Sunday in Muskegon. Mrs. Lula Kropf of Lowell spent the day with Mrs. Engle and the Engle children.
Mrs. Harold Weeks is ill with the flu.
Steven Ruegger of Lansing spent Saturday with his brother, Frank Ruegger and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Dell Kropf, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Kropf called on their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Kropf, Sunday.

Gov. Lake Mrs. Leon Seelye
Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Shimmel and Tom attended an open house for Mr. and Mrs. Harold Raymer in Lowell, Sunday. It was given by their daughter in honor of the birthdays of Mr. and Mrs. Raymer.
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Norton and family entertained Mrs. Lee Norton and family of Cascade, Miss Carolyn Stanley of Grand Rapids, for dinner in honor of the fifth birthday of Larry Norton. Birthday cake and ice cream completed the dinner and Larry enjoyed opening his many gifts.
Mr. and Mrs. Darold Seelye attended the dance given by the Credit Union of the Michigan Red Telephone Co., Friday evening at the Boat and Canoe Club in Grand Rapids.
Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Seelye and

TV NEWS
FROM BALLPLAYER TO RIFEMAN
How does a baseball player become a TV actor? Chuck Connors, star of the TV series "Rifeman" admits that one incident made him switch careers.
Chuck said it developed when he was playing first base for the Los Angeles Angels and doing TV interviews between games. A talent scout offered him a job in a movie, "Pat and Mike." "They paid me \$500 for my first day's work in that movie," Connors explains. "I figured they'd made some mistake on the adding machine, but I stuck the check in my pocket and shut up. Sure enough, the next day they gave me another \$500. 'Baseball,' I told myself, 'just lost a first baseman!'"
When Polly Bergen was summoned to join the "To Tell the Truth" panel, she couldn't even get the answers right during the auditions. But Producer Gil Fates decided he wanted her anyway. Polly recalls that, during the first four weeks of the panel show, she didn't make one right guess. She went to Fates and told him she wanted to quit. "Polly! Polly! You can't. We didn't hire you to get the right answers."
TV BRIEFS: Maurice Podoloff, president, National Basketball Association speaking of TV's effect on pro basketball: "Boys all over the country, especially tall boys, have their eyes set on pro basketball careers. I see the common denominator for the whole business."
Chuck Connors, TV's "Rifeman" "You see a guy with a neat haircut in Hollywood, and you know he's out of work."

Stuart HOFFIUS for Circuit Judge
3 years Prosecuting Attorney, Kent County, P. D. I.
20 years Legal Experience in All Courts
NON-PARTISAN
Vote February 16th (Pol. Adv.)

EGYPT GRANGE NEWS
The regular meeting of Egypt Grange will be held Friday evening, February 13th. This evening we are going to have the pleasure of hearing Miss Martha Still tell us of her stay in Finland, where she spent last year as an exchange student. She is also going to show pictures of her visit.
This meeting will be open to the public and everyone is cordially invited to come and spend a pleasant evening with us at the Grange.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a Primary Election will be held on Mon., February 16, 1959
At the respective polling places hereinafter designated below:

For the purpose of placing in Nomination, Candidates for the following Offices:
Judge of the Circuit Court
Supervisor - Clerk - Treasurer
Trustee - Justice of the Peace
Board of Review - Constable
Highway Commissioner
Township Party Committee

Notice Relative to Opening and Closing of the Polls
Section 1—On the day of any election the polls shall be opened at 7:00 o'clock in the forenoon and shall be continued open until 8:00 o'clock in the afternoon and no longer. Every qualified elector present and in line at the polls at the hour prescribed for the closing thereof shall be allowed to vote.

LOWELL TOWNSHIP CITY HALL Esther Fahni, Clerk
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VERGENNES TOWNSHIP TOWN HALL Arvil Heilman, Clerk
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Foreman Road Mrs. Edna Taylor
Adelbert Odell, Roger and Bruce attended Farmers Week in Lansing Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ryder called on Mrs. Florence Bailey and Lester Sunday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kerr left for Florida, this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Wilcox and family of Clarksville, were Sunday evening lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Winton Wilcox and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Mike Myczkowski were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Myczkowski in Grand Rapids, the occasion being Mrs. Mike Myczkowski's birthday. In the afternoon they visited the Art Gallery and museum.
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ryder spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bendshaw at Fallsburg Park.
Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Taylor called on Mr. and Mrs. Harvey H. Myers in Hastings, Saturday evening.
Miss Bernadette Ryder of Western Michigan College, spent the week with her parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ryder and Geraldine. Geraldine took her to Kalamazoo, Sunday evening.
Mrs. Betty Bay and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Baker of Greenville, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Heilman, the occasion being Betty Baker's birthday.
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ryder were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holly at Caledonia.
Mr. and Mrs. Leo Haybarker and children of Lowell, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Heilman, the occasion being Kathy's birthday.
Kathy and Keris Haybarker of Lowell, were Saturday overnight guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Heilman.

Which Industry Now Batters the Living of 3 Out of 4 Michigan Families?
...Here Are Some Surprising Facts About The Trading Stamp Industry
So far, whenever our nation's economy has needed expansion, a new industry has sprung up to help the country go ahead.
The automobile industry, employing millions, was followed closely by the development of radio and radio broadcasting to make more millions of jobs. Then came the airplane industry, air conditioning, plastics, television, frozen foods, to change our lives more.
The trading stamp industry, while not new, belongs to this expansion group and has been one of the fastest growing of all. Today it batters the living of more than 3 out of 4 Michigan families who save trading stamps.
Obviously, an industry affecting such a large proportion of Michigan's population must bring far-reaching benefits for Michigan's economy. And it does. In 1957 the trading stamp industry bought \$9,816,000 worth of products from Michigan manufacturers. In one way or another, it provided employment for 1,016 Michigan people in many different industries.
The people in the trading stamp industry, its merchandise and redemption stores, its warehouses and transportation and all the activity that goes on within it are integrated economically everywhere within our state.
This means plain that the trading stamp industry along with the 1,600,000 Michigan women it serves has become, like other expansion industries, a living, vital segment of Michigan's economy.
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Bacon 2-lb. Pkg. 99¢
COUNTRY CLUB Butter 1-lb. Solid 49¢
GOLD MEDAL PILLSBURY, ROBIN HOOD Flour 25-lb. bag \$1.79

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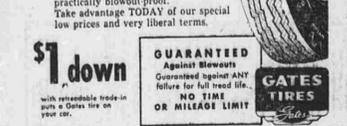
U.S. No. 1 MICHIGAN SAND GROWN Potatoes 25-lb. bag 50¢
Michigan U.S. No. 1 Delicious APPLES 4 lb. bag 39¢
KROGER WHOLE WHEAT Bread Loaf 15¢

North Bay Tuna Fish 5 cans \$1.00
Dinner Macaroni Kraft 2 7/8-oz. pkgs. 35¢
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With King Winter still in full power with its antics of snowing, blowing, and drifting, caused the Mothers' Club of the Lake School district to cancel their Bar-B-Q Supper which was to have been held Saturday evening as the school yard had a heavy depth of snow and the roads which had been plowed open led to no space along the roadside to park cars.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Maibach and three children of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Al Kabe and family of Bay City, were week end guests at the David Winger home on Sunday evening. A dinner was served in the dining room with Mr. and Mrs. Schrenk and family of Lake Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Anni Winger, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Faldman and family also guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Kauffman and daughters were Saturday evening guests at the Dan Walker home where they all enjoyed picnics which were taken of Mackinac Bridge and several other of upper Michigan, when on their vacation this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Kyser and family of Greenville, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Kyser and family of Sugarbush Lake enjoyed dinner Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kyser and Barbara and Daylene. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reiger of Freeport, were afternoon callers.

Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson visited relatives of Stanton, Sunday.
We learn that Mrs. Ben Zoet has been gaining each day and was able to be taken Saturday to the home of her daughter, who lives in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Erin Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson attended the funeral services of their cousin, Arthur Johnson, which were held Wednesday afternoon at the Roth funeral home.

The regular meeting of the West Campbell Club which was to have been held this week, Thursday, at the home of Mrs. Ruth Fuller, has been cancelled. Date of meeting will be announced later.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvel Neeb, Leon Normington, Mr. and Mrs. Don Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb Roth were the only ones of the Ionia Pomona Grange degree team who were able to enjoy the social evening Friday evening, February 6. Condition of roads and sickness caused the others to remain home.

Mrs. Francis Shaffer called on Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Eash Friday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Clair Kauffman called on Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown at Holland, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Seese called at Ira Bloughs Friday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Francis Shaffer were Sunday dinner guests at the Jack Craig home near Clarksville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Maibach and family of Detroit, were Saturday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Winger.

The Winger sisters entertained a large group of friends at a light refreshment Saturday evening in honor of the Maibach family of Detroit, and the Al Kabe family of Bay City.

Spencer Johnson attended the meetings of Farmers Week at the M. S. U. last Tuesday and Mrs. Johnson spent the day with her son, Mrs. Sarah Tisher of Lansing.

**Snow Community**  
Mrs. S. P. Reynolds

Snow P. T. A. will be held on Friday evening of this week at the schoolhouse as it was postponed because of the weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lewis of Lowell, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hesche, sr. Supper guests of the Hesche's were Mr. and Mrs. James Hall of Eastwick Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hesche, jr., and children of Saranac.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fox spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Pat Shimmel of Hopkins.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fox of Grand Rapids, were supper guests Sunday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cole.

Douglas Antonides and Mrs. Gary Daverman were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Fairchild of Bailey Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brown and

**SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION**  
DONALD KLINE, S.C.S. Editor

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. White of Grand Rapids, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. James VanDyke and children of Jenison, called on Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blanding and children were dinner guests Sunday of John's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Blanding, sr., of Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fuller and son of Hastings called on the Claude and Lawton Cole families Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Robertson and children were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Hill-dahl of Williamston.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Snyder and sons of Kalamazoo, were overnight guests Saturday night of Mr. and Mrs. John Blanding and dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Robertson.

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Lawton Cole from her many friends and neighbors in the death of her father, A. J. Porritt of Bowne Center.

not just as important as is any one of the fertilizer elements," states Dr. R. L. Cook, M. S. U. Soils Dept. Soil aeration helps to make more minerals available to plants. Soil bacteria are more active when they have enough oxygen. They are then able to break down or decompose organic matter and to make more plant food available.

"Flow plant or minimum tillage which allows crops to use more oxygen is one of the most profitable conservation practices we can use," says Dr. Cook.

Speaking of snow as a source of moisture in conservation farming, Dr. Charles E. Kellogg, Soil Scientist of the S. C. S. observed that snow is windrowed and packed in many parts of the Soviet Union.

Dr. Kellogg spent more than a

**GREAT AMERICANS**



month last year on his second trip to Russia. He says that large parts of the Soviet where rainfall is relatively low and snowfall abundant, the above practice is done two or three times each winter.

How old is the muck and peat on your farm? R. E. Lucas, Extension Soil Scientist at Michigan State reports that the lower layer of a peat bog in Michigan was found to be 7,000 years old.

Pollen grains found in different layers show the type of trees which grew there when the layers were formed. Pollen grains have a shell which is highly resistant to decomposition. Now the measurement of natural radio carbon (carbon-14) will tell the age of the layers. The pollen grains tell the kinds of trees and the climate which produced the different layers of muck and peat.

**Placed on Honor Roll at Oliver Nazarene Church**

Miss Ruth Preston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon E. Preston, Route 2, Lowell, has been placed on the First Semester honor roll at Oliver Nazarene College, Kankakee, Illinois. It was announced today by Dr. Willis E. Snowberger, Dean of the College.

The honor roll is made up of students with an average of B or above.

Ruth is a student at Oliver Nazarene College where she is enrolled in Pre-Med.

She also was given special recognition on the Dean's List for obtaining superior work having obtained a grade average of 3.35 or above.

**STOP AND THINK**

People wouldn't be running around in circles if they took time to study all the angles.

One thing can be said for today's power. It has plenty of by-product.

**Logan News**  
Mrs. Harold York

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sisson and family were Saturday evening visitors of the Bill Wieland's a week ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Krebs and daughters spent the afternoon and evening with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wieland and family a week ago Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Blough and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Canfield and Debra Rae.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Boynton spent the week end at the Dan Kauffman home.

Marguerite Kauffman, Lottie Hoffman, Grace Hoffman and Margaret Yoder attended WMC at the home of Lydia Miller Friday evening.

Verle Stahl returned home from the hospital Sunday. We wish her much better health and hope she doesn't have to return to the hospital for a long time to come.

Mary Lou Mathews and Carol Owens, Eldon Mathews and girl friend were Sunday afternoon callers at the Harold Yoder home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hewitt and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hewitt and baby and Mr. and Mrs. David Miller also visited in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Yoder and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Foster and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Runnelton of Lowell, and Mrs. D. R. Mearns.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnie Stahl and family, Vernie Stahl and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Seese and family were Saturday evening guests at the Kenneth Blough home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sells and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ovid Miller and family. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hewitt and Billy Yoder and David Hoffman went to the Miller home and all enjoyed to begin with.

Mrs. Leona Thompson spent Monday morning with Lottie Hoffman.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hoffman and family were Thursday evening supper guests of Mrs. Frank Graham.

Rev. Larry Gagner and Ruth Ann Tyler were Sunday dinner guests of the David Hoffmans.

**Alto Children to Receive Fluoride Applications**

Again this year, the topical fluoride applications will be available for children in the Bowne Township area at the Alto School next summer. This program will be held in cooperation with the Grand Rapids-Sent County Health Department. Children currently in grades 2, 5 and 8, and preschoolers of ages 3 and 4 are eligible for the program. Topical fluoride applications can reduce tooth decay up to 40 percent in a group of children.

For additional information about this program and to secure forms to enroll your child, call Mrs. Paul Dittman, 6096 Bancroft, at UN 4-2532.

A bad book is as much of a labor to write as a good one; it comes as sincerely from the author's soul.

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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 16—  
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FOR  
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TOWNSHIP SUPERVISOR  
16 Years Experience  
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**WRITES FROM AIR BASE**

Mrs. Cecile Croninger received a letter from her son, Charles, from Barrow Air Base in Florida. Charles reports that he has had a grand total of three hours and 21 minutes of flying and is getting the hang of it.

He is enjoying his trial runs and is glad that they have nice long wide runways. His address while he is stationed in Florida, will be A-Charles H. Croninger, 1621235, Box 854, 3303 Pilot Training Group, Barrow Air Base, Florida.

**FORWARD PROGRESS**

Experiences of the past should pave the highway to the future, rather than creating a road block. Read the Ledger Want Ads.

**RE-ELECT RAY W. RITTENGER**  
Supervisor  
Lowell Township  
Primaries  
Feb. 16, 1959

- Supervisor Lowell Township
- Life-long resident of Township
- Discontinued dairy to devote full time to office when necessary
- Attended every meeting of Kent County Board of Supervisors
- Served on Equalization and Apportionment Committee first year
- Served on Kent County Drain Committee second year
- Recently appointed member of Board of Determination by County Drain Commissioner
- Helped promote purchase of new fire truck for Lowell Township and Village
- Interested in all veterans problems, also knows the problems of farming and business

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**Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hatch** were Sunday dinner guests of the letter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bohler of Lake Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kreiman and son of Detroit, were guests at the William Fairchild home on Saturday and Sunday. On Sunday they accompanied the Fairchilds to the Cross-Miller Funeral Chapel in Caledonia, to pay their final respects to the family of Arthur Porritt. Also guests at the Fairchild home over the week end were Rose Marie Sinclair of Ohio, and Meri Sinclair of Flint.

Bob Keeshan, TV's Captain Kangaroo, "One important lesson try to teach my own children is that gentleness in a person doesn't necessarily indicate weakness."

**Alto Community News**  
MRS. CLAUD SILCOX — PHONE UN 8-851

**Alto School News**  
The children's Valentine party will be held Friday afternoon at the school house, February 13, at 1 p. m.

The children will only go to school until 11:30 on Thursday afternoon, February 12, because of a teachers meeting.

Sandra Coulter has come back to school after having her tonsils out.

Mary Sue Bowen of the first grade is out of school and Donna Stier of the 4th grade and Donna White of the Kindergarten.

The children have been working on Valentine decorations for their rooms.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith's children's party was Sunday and the anniversary all clipped in together and presented them with a box of chocolates and a card signed by all the children.

Nancy Yelzer, Reporter

**Methodist Church News**  
World Day of Prayer services for churches in the Southeast Kent, Freeport and Clarksville area, will be held in the Bowne Center Methodist church, Friday, February 13, at 2 p. m.

Rev. Reynolds' sermon topic for Sunday, February 15, will be "The Cost of Following Jesus."

Thursday, February 19, the South Lowell Circle are serving a turkey dinner at the church. Children from the Sweet School will be served at 12 noon at a charge of 20 cents for children under 12. Adults will be served at 12:30 at a charge of \$1.00 each. Public invited.

Joint choir practice at the Alto Church, Wednesday, February 18, at 8:15 p. m.

**Bowne Center**  
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Young Adult Fellowship will meet Saturday, February 14, at 8 p. m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hawkins.

Rev. Reynolds' sermon topic for Sunday, February 15, will be "The Cost of Following Jesus."

Monday, February 16, the W. S. C. S. will serve an Election Day dinner in the Hall at noon. The meeting will be held in the afternoon. Joint choir practice Wednesday, February 18, in the Alto church at 8:15 p. m.

Bert Sinclair and family of Marquette were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Bryant.

**Alto Mothers' Club News**  
The Alto Mothers' Club sponsored a Hobos Supper February 5, at the Alto Firehall. The decorations on the tables were Kerene lanterns, knapsacks and tin cans. The front of the hall was arranged in a hobo scene with two hobo sitting with trees all around and sitting by the fire cooking their meal. Margaret made a train to go on the screens behind the hobo. We had a hobo parade which the children liked. Five cents a grab and they really liked that. It was made like a train with tin cans hanging around it.

We served one hundred and forty-two people in the firehall.

We want to thank all the people who were very nice in helping us with the supper and getting it ready.

Mothers Club will meet this Tuesday at the school, February 10.

**Baptist Church News**  
Thursday evening the monthly meeting of the Baptist Ladies Missionary Society will be held at the church at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. William Courter is the hostess for the evening. Ladies are requested to bring their mending supplies along.

The new Junior department of the Sunday School will hold a Valentine party at the church on Friday evening at 7:30 p. m. All boys and girls ages 9 through 12 are invited to attend.

Sunday morning the pastor will be bringing a message on the Parable of the Wheat and the Tares. This is the second in a series of messages on the parables of Matthew 13. Special music will be presented for the service by Mr. Janet Van Wyck. At the 8 p. m. evening service the orchestra will present a musical number. The message will be from the book of James chapter 5, "The Advent of the Lord."

Wednesday and Thursday, February 18 and 19 will mark the annual Sunday School workers Institute in which the local church participates. Sessions are open to the public and are to be held at the Calvary Baptist church in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Swift Winger and Mrs. L. L. Watts were Saturday afternoon callers of Mrs. Anna Fairchild.

Mrs. Ken Overholt of Caledonia, was a Sunday afternoon caller of her sister, Mrs. Ray Linton, and family.

**"Patriotic Party" Enjoyed** by Clark Circle Members

The Clark Circle of the Alto Methodist church enjoyed a "Patriotic Party" for their meeting, Thursday, February 5, at the church. A delicious dinner was served by the hostess, Mrs. Ora Lee Kinyon, after which each member read an article on either Washington or Lincoln. Mrs. Tom Scott had on display the Discharge Certificate of a relative, Mr. Washburn. Mrs. Lisle Clark displayed a wedding dress and Mrs. Reynolds showed the canteen and hat case carried by her uncle, George Cooper.

Several letters written by Civil War soldiers were read and other articles of that period were shown. The tables were beautifully decorated with flags and red hearts.

For their April meeting the group will have a "Table Aue. Am."

**GRADUATES FROM ART SCHOOL IN CALIFORNIA**  
Mr. and Mrs. Swift Winger received a letter from their daughter, Mrs. John Gilbert of Palo Alto, California, recently stating that the Gilbert's daughter, Charlotte, had graduated last week with an Art Degree from San Jose State College with departmental honors and with distinction.

Miss Gilbert lived with her grandparents, the Wingers, several months and attended Marywood Academy while her father was in the service and her mother was teaching school.

**BOWNE CENTER CHILDREN** APPEARED ON TELEVISION

Many local folks enjoyed watching the Bowne Center school children who gave an exhibition of square dancing on the Show Barry TV Show over WOOD Saturday morning. Edwood Winger was the caller and the children gave a show which was certainly a welcome relief from the current rock and roll sessions.

Those who furnished transportation for the young dancers were Dan Walker, Mrs. Clara Kaufman and the teacher, Miss Patty Jilowett.

**TED ZIMMERMAN** SETTLE IN WASHINGTON, D. C.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ted Zimmerman are now nicely situated in an apartment in Washington, D. C., where Mr. Zimmerman is employed as a government job. Mrs. Zimmerman (Mary Jeanne VandenHeuvel) is a teacher in the public schools of Washington, D. C., where she is also employed as a government job. Mrs. Zimmerman is employed as a government job. Mrs. Zimmerman is employed as a government job.

**Other Alto News**  
Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Richardson were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bowman of Caledonia. Sunday evening the Richardson's accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fairchild, to Calverton, to call at the Cross-Miller Funeral Home, where the remains of Arthur Porritt of Bowne Center are in state. Later the Richardson's were lunch guests of Dick and Bernice.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wheeler and children visited their parents in Rodney, Sunday afternoon.

**THE LOWELL LEDGER, LOWELL, MICH., FEB. 12, 1959**

Mr. Fred Pattison received a letter from Mrs. Nellie Timpon who is having a lovely vacation with her son, John and wife, in Fort Meyers, Florida. They are staying in a cottage and report that the fishing is very good in the Gulf.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Keiser attended funeral services for a friend Chester Brown in Grand Rapids, Saturday afternoon, and later were supper guests at the Henry Kuipers home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Linton and their employees at the lumberyard, Mrs. Mildred Tolias and Harold Metterick attended a banquet at the Black and Silver Room at the Civic given by the Michigan Retail Lumbermen's Association last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Linton and family attended the wedding of Mrs. Linton's niece, Miss Carolyn McCarty and Donovan Barabell, Saturday morning in the St. Joseph Church in Leighton.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Strick had as their Sunday dinner guests the letter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Warren White and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Fleet of Presland, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Green and Linda. The Greens and the Fleets were all Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gurnett. Mrs. Fleet and Mrs. Green were Sunday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Schantz and Mrs. Winnie Stovridge of Hastings.

**Three Contests** In Bowne Twp. Primary Election

There are three contests for township office in the Bowne Township Republican Party Primary election, Monday, February 16. For the office of supervisor William Lott, appointed to fill the vacancy when Fred Pattison resigned to take office as County Drain Commissioner is opposed by Charles Timpon. Mrs. Evelyn Smith incumbent clerk, is opposed by Enoch Carlsson; Warren Bergy has no opposition for treasurer. For the office of trustee, Irvin Rodgers is running against Kenneth Sinclair. Frances Seese has no opposition for the post on the Board of Review.

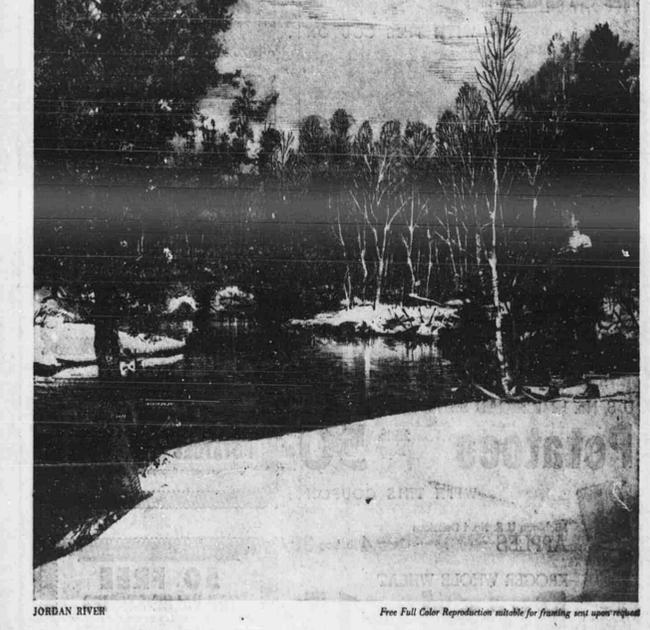
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**Chunk Tuna** Save 8c Can ONLY **25¢**

**Cottage Cheese** 1-LB. CTN. **19¢**

**Tree Sweet "Indian River" Frozen Orange Juice** 5 6-OZ. CANS **99¢**

**U. S. No. 1 McIntosh Apples** 4 29¢ SPY APPLES 4 lbs. 39¢

**Elbo Macaroni** 2-lb. pkg. **25¢**

**Pumpkin Pies** Pet-Tite Frozen 8-in. each **39¢**

**Fish Sticks** Booth Frozen **3 8-oz. pkgs. \$1**

**Quick Biscuits** Fill sbury or Ballard **2 pkgs. 19¢**

**Instant Dry Milk** New! Spartan 8-qt. size **59¢**

**Cocoa Krispies** New! Kellogg's 9 1/2-oz. pkg. **33¢**

**M'Mallow Creme** Hip-O-Lite Deal 2 8-oz. jars **27¢**

**Stewed Tomatoes** F&F Flavor Perfect **6 303 can \$1**

**Demings Recipe PINK SALMON** 1-LB. CAN With Coupon **39¢**

**Maxwell House Vacuum-Pack COFFEE** 2 L.B. CAN With Coupon **\$1.25**

# HONEST SAVINGS

1809 *Lincoln's Birthday* 1959  
 SESQUICENTENNIAL

From the humblest beginnings to the highest office within the gift of the nation, Lincoln in his own life epitomized both the unlimited opportunities and noble responsibilities that bespeak the finest ideals of American citizenship.

TABLE RITE  
**Sliced Bacon**  
**49** <sup>c</sup>/<sub>lb.</sub>

Hills Bros - Maxwell House -  
 Chase & Sanborn or Manor House

**COFFEE** Your Choice **69** <sup>c</sup>/<sub>lb.</sub>

TABLE RITE  
**Cheese Spread** 2 lb. Box **59** <sup>c</sup>

FRESH  
**BROCCOLI**  
 LARGE BUNCH **29** <sup>c</sup>

PICTSWEET FROZEN  
**Squash** 12 oz.  
**2 for 29** <sup>c</sup>

TABLE RITE  
 FRESH ROLL  
**Pork Sausage**  
**37** <sup>c</sup>/<sub>lb.</sub>

LEAN FRESH  
**PORK LOINS**  
 WHOLE or RIB HALF  
 Cut Up Free  
**47** <sup>c</sup>/<sub>lb.</sub>

Fresh  
**Rhubarb** 2 lbs. **29** <sup>c</sup>

Tube Tomatoes or  
 Cello Spinach **19** <sup>c</sup>

MICHIGAN FRESH DRESSED  
**Frying Chickens** **35** <sup>c</sup>/<sub>lb.</sub>  
 M.D.O.A. Inspected PAN READY

BREAST-O-CHICKEN  
**Chunk Tuna** 3 for **87** <sup>c</sup>

**Nestle Morsels** 6 oz. **23** <sup>c</sup>

**Rival Dog Food** 16 oz. 3 for **35** <sup>c</sup>

MUSSELMAN'S - 303 Size /  
**APPLE SAUCE**  
**2 for 23** <sup>c</sup>

Large  
 Modess or Kotex  
**39** <sup>c</sup>

**JELLO**  
 All Flavors  
**6 for 49** <sup>c</sup>

Jiffy Biscuit  
 Mix Large 40 oz.  
**29** <sup>c</sup>

I.G.A. FAMILY  
**FLOUR**  
 25 lb. Bag  
**\$1.69**

Elbow Macaroni or  
 Elbow Spaghetti 2 12-oz. pgs. **33** <sup>c</sup>

PICTSWEET - 10 oz.  
 MIXED Vegetables or Cut Broccoli **2 for 35** <sup>c</sup>

WITH \$5.00 FOOD ORDER OR MORE  
 COUNTRY FRESH  
**Cottage Cheese** **9** <sup>c</sup> COUPON  
 1-LB. CARTON  
 COUPON EXPIRES FEB. 14

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**JELLY ROLL** **29** <sup>c</sup>  
 SPECIAL  
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