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Area Outside Grand Rapids Makes Big Gain in Population, Report Reveals

The area outside the City of Grand Rapids made a gain of 74,000 in population, Carl B. Tuggle, director of the census revealed Wednesday that the total population in Kent County outside the City of Grand Rapids was 185,404; the county in Grand Rapids in 1950 was 176,515 while the outside area ten years ago only had a population of some 111,677.

Lowell Gains 340

The City of Lowell population was reported at 2,531 an increase of 340 over the 1950 total 2,191; about 100 of this gain was from the annexed area of Lowell Township so the actual gain in the old village was 240. This is almost the same gain that was made from 1940 until 1950 in Lowell when we increased 247 during that decade.

Cascade Shows Largest Growth

Cascade Township with a gain of 1,643 nearly doubled its population in ten years shows the largest growth in the area; Ada Twp. was second with a gain of 914 residents in the ten year period.

Census Figures in Area

Township or City	1950	1960	Gain
Ada	2,880	1,966	914
Bowne	1,166	1,102	64
Cascade	3,354	1,691	1,643
Grattan	1,332	1,022	310
Lowell Twp.	1,573	1,343	230
Vergennes	940	760	180
Lowell City	2,531	2,191	340

Local Dealers Display Gas Equipment At Masonic Temple, Friday and Saturday

Several Lowell Gas appliance dealers and the utility, Consumers Power Co., will have a full line of gas appliances and heating equipment on display at the Masonic Temple on Friday and Saturday, May 20-21.

Admission to the show is free and there will be a food demonstration on Friday from 7 to 8 p. m. and on Saturday from 2 to 3 p. m. Door prizes and refreshments for everyone. The show presented to reveal how natural gas can bring added comfort and convenience to your home, will open on Friday at 2 p. m. and remain open until 9 in the evening. Saturday the show opens at 10 a. m. and closes at 5 p. m.

Seven Uses in the Home

This sweeping alteration of the gas industry has borne fruit for the public. The single use of 1816 is gone; in its place are seven major domestic uses and about 25,000 applications in industry—all contributing to the growing demand for gas.

In the past few years three new home applications of gas have been introduced to the American family—all-year gas air conditioning, gas laundry drying, and gas incineration. These, with gas cooking, gas water heating, gas space heating, and gas refrigeration, comprise the seven servants the industry offers the home. Today three-quarters of all Americans depend on gas service in their homes.

More than 95 million gas appliances are in daily use. A constant flow of gas is essential to about 35 million families who cook with utility and liquefied petroleum gas; to more than 21 million who rely on gas to heat water; to four million who own gas refrigerators and to the more than one million who own gas dryers. More than 16 1/2 million homes are heated by gas, more than by any other fuel, and seven out of ten new homes built use gas heat.

Brooke Mullen, honor teen, is the 17 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mullen, Brooke is truly an honorable teen-ager. She has proven her great capabilities in the past four years of her studies at Lowell in many ways, majoring in English and Social Sciences and minoring in French and Science. Brooke feels (when asked about her favorite subjects) that speech class is the only opportunity in high school to learn public speaking, debate, and dramatics. She also states that speech class is very interesting and stimulating. English Composition, she goes on, is very important for college, one chance to write compositions, and to express oneself. French and Government are also her favorite subjects.

Brooke, being active in the Varsity Choir, Junior and Senior plays, Operetta cast, Girls' club, High School Band, Asian Council Roundtable at J. C., Debate team, and also being the vice-president of the French Club, an active Senior class member, L. H. S. News Editor, and just recently commentator for the Home Economics Style show, has proven she is one of the most talented and creative seniors to graduate from Lowell.

Her favorite hobbies and special interests include tennis, swimming, reading and traveling and assisting on school projects for the betterment of the school. In the words of Mrs. Gladys Bergin (Brooke's French and Speech teacher) "Brooke is a good worker, shows a willingness in everything, never complains, and seems to be very popular with her classmates."

This fall Brooke is entering the University of Michigan and will be working for a B. A. Degree in Foreign Languages and Social Sciences. Eventually she hopes for a career with the State Department here and abroad.

W. Doyle, L. H. S. News Editor

Over 200 Attend Y.M.C.A. Open House

Wives of the board members were hostesses on Friday and Saturday at Open House in the new offices of Lowell Y. M. C. A., located in the east half of the Library building.

Coffee and delicious home-made cookies were served to approximately 200 persons, including Mr. Kwan ChuKah from Korea, Mr. ChuKah was in Grand Rapids attending a meeting for Y. M. C. A. International and it was an honor to have him attend our Open House.

Ladies who helped serve the refreshments and act as hostesses were Mrs. George Dey, Sr., Mrs. C. A. Bradshaw, Mrs. Orval McKay, Mrs. Arthur Bieri, Mrs. Bernard Kropf, Mrs. Wm. M. Jones, Mrs. Charles Pierce, Mrs. James Drooger, Mrs. Thomas B. Hill and Mrs. Stephen Nisbet.

Brooke Mullen Active Senior



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The boys were together to plan their home-coming as they were to be released from the Air Force in thirty days. They had not seen each other since last spring when they rode back to their bases together after a thirty day leave.

Jerry's parents would appreciate any mail sent to him at this address: A 2-c Gerald L. Dalstra, A. F. 16538198, Carswell Air Force Base Hospital, Fort Worth, Texas.

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Appreciation Dinner For W. W. Gumser To Attract Area Leaders

The dinner honoring W. W. Gumser for his 34 years as superintendent of Lowell Area Schools on Tuesday evening, May 24, in the Runciman Building is attracting school and community leaders from the entire area. The dinner sponsored by the Lowell Rotary, Lions and Teachers Club will bring an estimated 300.

Master of ceremonies for the program will be the newly named Lowell superintendent of Schools, Stephen Nisbet. The program will have remarks from Gerald Rollins, President of the Lowell School Board; C. H. Runciman, Past President of the School Board; James Covert, President of Michigan Association of School Administrators.

Others on the list to make remarks are: William DeHart, Superintendent of Schools at Sparta; Don Kelly, President of Lowell Teachers Club and William Jones, Mayor of Lowell.

Last Rites Held For Former Lowell Resident

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Congressman Ford Makes Early Morning Call Here

When a prominent national figure contacts a group of citizens or an organization to enhance his own ambitions, the story becomes news and is splashed in bold headlines. However, when such an individual takes time off from a busy schedule to visit someone confined to his room the news reporters are woefully absent. This is a human interest story—of interest to area citizens.

United States Representative Gerald Ford is one of the busiest officials in government on a national level. His time is valuable and he has demonstrated time and again that as a member of one of the most powerful committees of the House he considers his country's business as a matter of the first magnitude. He is being considered as a candidate for nomination as vice-president, and to enhance his chances he could very well be "politicking."

He left a busy schedule to fly to Grand Rapids last Friday to participate in the State Republican convention. Soon after arrival on Friday he happened to ask the delegate from Lowell about Mr. Runciman's condition. Upon being told that "Runcim" was doing fine but in general was confined to his room, Mr. Ford straightway insisted that he must see his constituent. We happen to know that "Jerry" was extremely busy Friday night until 1:30 a. m. We also know that the only time the congressman could drive to Lowell was at 7 a. m. on Saturday—which he did. He returned to his duties in Grand Rapids and then flew back to Washington. This in essence is Mr. Ford. He is by nature concerned in the welfare of each of his constituents.

He could have publicized his candidacy by remaining in Grand Rapids looking after his selfish interests; he chose to visit a friend in Lowell. This is characteristic of "Jerry" but the headlines do not portray his personal traits.

Methodist Youth Group To Analyze TV Show

The Junior High Fellowship of the Methodist church will gather at the church at 6:30 Sunday evening for a trip to Saranac. They will go to the John Williams home where they will watch and analyze a television program in connection with their present unit of study, "He That Hath Eyes and Ears."

Refreshments will be served by Steve Ayres and Rick Bosworth. This will conclude the year's activities, except for a picnic in June honoring the eighth grade members of the group who will be promoted to the Senior High Fellowship in July.

Little League Meeting

Lowell Little League officers meeting Tuesday evening, May 24 at 8 o'clock in the City Hall.

Street Light Assessment Plan Delayed Again

The Lowell Main Street lighting program which was planned to be finalized at the Tuesday meeting of the council was delayed another week or two until the correct footage of property owners is established. Attorney Vander Veen said that the Kent County Abstract office may have the figures available by the end of this week but the council set no time for their action. The attorney also revealed at the meeting that Robert S. Tubbs Grand Rapids Attorney, has been employed by some of the Main Street property owners to fight the street light assessment district. Also presented was a copy of a petition being circulated by protestors of Main Street lighting asking that the property owners on Main Street only participate 25 percent of the cost of lighting and the entire city take over 75 percent of the cost.

Other Action

The council approved a parade by Nazarene Church Bible Class on Monday morning June 6, on the Main Street.

An adjourned meeting of the council was called for Thursday, May 26, at 7:30 p. m. to discuss changes in the zoning ordinance presented by planning consultant Raymond Mills. The city council authorized the donation of \$15,000 Life Fund earnings to the Swimming Pool fund.

Open Cut-Rate Meat Market Here Thursday

Jay Zandbergen and Ralph Holthrop of Grandville announced this week that they will open the former Sanitary Market at 205 East Main Street on Thursday, May 19 under the name Lowell Cut Rate Market. The business will be principally a meat market handling beef, pork, poultry and other meats in the good old fashion way of cutting the meat to your order or selling directly from the case. No packaged meats. They will have a direct connection with a Grandville slaughter house.

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Public Notice

Pursuant to a resolution passed by the City Council of the City of Lowell on the 17th day of May, 1960, the 6th day of June, 1960, is designated as the time Council will meet, hear and consider objections to the vacation of the following described streets:

1. Two blocks of Fremont Street west of Monroe Street.

2. Lafayette Street north of Sherman Street.

Written objections to such proposed vacation by the City Council may be filed with the City Clerk until the 6th day of June, 1960, at 5 p. m.

Laura E. Shepard, City Clerk

Fire Destroys Minges Home On 36th St. Thursday



Fire Thursday morning destroyed this two story farm home, garage, new car and tractor. Firemen from Lowell, Cascade and Ada battled several hours to bring the flames under control. The loss was set at \$15,000 which was reported to be covered by insurance.

Award Service Pins at R.A.M. Meeting Saturday

Lowell Royal Arch Masons were privileged to entertain some of the high masons of the Grand Lodge Saturday evening at the Masonic Temple to a delicious dinner served by Mrs. Donald McPherson and her co-helpers in a most efficient and convenient manner.

The distinguished gentleman, Willard Saur of Sparta, Grand Senior Warden, Grand Lodge of Michigan gave the message and greetings from the Grand Lodge.

Orlow J. Myers, Grand Secretary, Royal Arch Masons of Michigan, personally called on Lawrence Rutherford (who was unable to attend) at his home to present him with a 50 year pin.

Archie Ghareeb of Grand Rapids District, Deputy of District No. 19, P. H. P., assisted in the introduction of Past Masters and Past High Priests of the Ionia, Clarksville, Saranac, Ada, Rockford, Grattan and Grand Rapids, groups.

Donald McPherson, High Priest of the Lowell Chapter introduced his many guests assisted by his officers to bring the importance of the phases of the Orders giving their accomplishments in their Orders. Also the Grand Warden, Mrs. Ethelyn Warner of Ionia, Grand Chapter of Michigan, Order of the Eastern Star, was present to give the greetings of the Grand Chapter O. E. S. and the educational welfare and care of the children of the home in Adrian.

Miss Nancy DeRushia, Queen of Job's Daughters of Lowell, and present Matrons, Patrons, appointive Grand Officers, Grand Committee members and Grand Representatives were also present.

The 25-year members were asked to approach the Altar to receive their certificates presented by Gordon Johnson. They were: Charles I. Colby, Alto; Howard Krum, Route 2, Lowell; Howard Rittenger, Lowell; Henry Watson, Daniel Wingeier, Grand Rapids; Roy Richardson, Ada; and Wayne Young, Grand Rapids. Others who were eligible, but were unable to attend, were: Norman Borgerson, Bertus G. Klahn, Wesley Roth, Dr. John R. Stryker and McKinley Watson.

A life membership certificate was presented to Rex Anthony of Ada; and Lawrence Rutherford and Harry Shuter were honored with 50 year pins.

This is a night which will long be remembered by the nearly 200 Masons, wives, O. E. S. members and Job's Daughters who attended. Many thanks go to Donald, his family and the officers of the Royal Arch Masons for a delightful evening.

Orlow J. Myers, Grand Sec., P. H. P. Grand Lodge, gave the address of the evening, telling of the benefits of Masonry to the young men their many offices and officers.

GETS HELP FROM UNKNOWN WHEN REPORTING FIRE

Maynard Norris, a Highway St. resident next door to Mrs. Nellie Lewis who had a fire in her kitchen last week said that the fire evidently fouled up the telephone service in some way and was unable to get the fire department by dialing so he dialed operator.

A lady answered, not the operator, and when he told her his problem she got the correct address calmly and said she would call for help. Mr. Norris told us how much he appreciated the help and said he would like to thank the lady personally if she would let him know who she was.

DAVID DEBBINK CANDIDATE FOR SCHOOL BOARD POSITION

Petitions were being circulated for David Debbink, pastor of the First Congregational Church as a member of the Lowell Area School Board. The other announced candidates are the incumbents, Dr. Thomas Hill and David Coons. There will be four members elected in July. The last day to present petitions is Saturday, June 11th.

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

Harbor Springs Mayor Honored at Luncheon

Monday noon, Mayor Leslie Heinz and his wife of Harbor Springs were honored at a luncheon at the Masonic Temple. The mayor was here as exchange mayor of Michigan Week and our city head, William Jones and his wife were in Harbor Springs.

Chairman of the luncheon program, Elmer G. Schaefer and mayor pro tem of the city introduced Lowell manufacturers and community leaders to present gifts to the visitors and welcome them to the city. In the afternoon the mayor was taken on a tour of city facilities and Mrs. Heinz was entertained by Mrs. Elmer G. Schaefer at her home with a tea.

Jeff Geldersma, Kent County Fire Chief came to the fire from a meeting in Grand Rapids Township when he heard the calls on the radio. He said that he felt sure the fire started from a 1960 automobile in the garage. John Minges, owner of the car, said he had not driven it since the night before and he was in the garage on his way to work early Thursday morning and nothing was burning then. But it was evident that the fire started in the garage and spread to the house.

The loss was set by insurance adjusters at \$15,000, included the 1960 car, a tractor and the home and most of the furnishings. Mrs. Minges and her son John were offered a home further east on 36th Street owned by John Timpson to live in until their house is rebuilt.

'Norm' Sees Acts From Showboat on Paris Floorshow

'Norm' Borgerson writes from Bayonne, France, to the Ledger: We are visiting the sea shore (Atlantic) area of France on our way to Madrid. If you have started showboat toots, here is something—

We visited Night Club Lido in Paris the other night. It is the world's greatest—Merry go round, horses, seals, ice skating rink, real swimming pool, etc., and a 4 hour show. One of the biggest acts in Vaudeville (30 minutes) was Frank La Buse and his lady. They appeared on the showboat a few years ago. If you don't remember he was old, bald, plays the piano and piccolo. He slid down the piano top. The lady is a grand opera singer, and he was always playing tricks on her.

Second act, Rudy Cardenas, the juggler, also on the showboat 5 years ago. These acts play in this show for several months and must be good. They don't use big headlines but they do everything to build up the acts like extra people, stage settings, etc.

Well, keep the old boat afloat and it seems to me that the farther you get from home the bigger and better Lowell seems to us. Good luck, Norm Borgerson

Nominating Petitions Due For Board of Education

The terms of Dr. Thomas B. Hill and David Coons as members of the Board of Education will expire on July 1, 1960, and in accordance with law the vacancies will be filled at the annual election which will be held on Monday, July 11, 1960. In accordance with provisions of a law becoming effective this year, two additional members must be elected to all fourth class school districts, making a total of seven board members in districts like the Lowell Area Schools.

The new law provides that in situations where a total of four members must be elected, two members must be elected for four year terms and two must be elected for three year terms. Incumbents may choose to run for the three or four year terms. (Subsequently, after 1960, the voters shall elect members for four year terms.) 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. 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 11, 1960. Petitions must indicate whether the candidate is running for a three or four year term. The nominating petitions must be signed by at least fifty qualified electors who are registered in fourth class school district number one fractional (Lowell Area Schools).

It is to be noted that electors are not to sign petitions for more than four candidates this year. Only the names of those candidates who have qualified by filing their nominating petitions will have their names printed on the ballot. Nominating petitions are available at the office of Secretary Thomas B. Hill, M. D., 103 West Main St., Lowell, or at the high school office.

Thomas B. Hill, M. D., Secretary Board of Education LOWELL AREA SCHOOLS

Sues City to Prevent Loss Of Junk Yard Permit

Harry DeMull has brought suit against the City of Lowell to prevent the loss of his license issued by Lowell Township to operate a junk yard on East Main St. A show cause hearing has been called before Circuit Judge Fred N. Searl for May 20.

Lowell City officials with their attorney and planning consultant met Monday and discussed this latest development. Present plans are to pass a zoning ordinance covering the new area, which according to the planner Raymond Mills place all the newly acquired land west of the former village limits in a residential and agriculture classification.

The suit of DeMull's is not viewed with alarm, the attorney stated, since permission to operate a junk yard issued by the township is only for one year so even if he should obtain an injunction to continue operation under his township permit it would expire on February 2, 1961.

Receive Quality Dealer Award for Second Year

Jackson Motor Sales announced this week that the Chrysler Motor Company has awarded them the quality dealer award for the second year. This insignia of dealers who fulfill their duties to the company and their customers in the highest tradition is given to only a very few Chrysler product outlets in the nation.

To be given this award the Jackson Motor Sales show outstanding performance in customer services and facilities. Orville and Leonard Jackson and the entire staff are to be congratulated on being honored for the second year.

Co-op Club Takes Tour Of Chicago, Illinois

The 1960 Co-Op Club of Lowell High School spent all day Friday, May 6, touring Chicago, Illinois. The club is composed of those students participating in On-The-Job Training.

The members have worked on candy sales, donut sales, etc., through the school year to earn money for the trip.

While in Chicago, the club toured the Chicago Sun Times, the Museum of Science and Industry. After completing their tours and shopping in downtown Chicago, the group attended the show "Please Don't Eat The Daisies," at the Chicago Theatre.

Present on the trip were nine members of the Co-Op Club and their advisor and chaperone, Chas. White.

MOTEL OWNERS GO TO FLORIDA; NEW OPERATORS

Mr. and Mrs. George Tanis, Rte. 2, Lowell, owners and operators of the Tanis Motel, left Tuesday for St. Petersburg, Florida, where they will make their home for the present.

They hope to purchase some land or a place in Florida and live there permanently. Their present address is 3211 - 6th Ave., N. St., Petersburg 13, Florida.

The Tanis Motel which is located on M-21 west of the city limits will be operated by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cook of Grand Rapids.

Public Notice

Pursuant to provisions of Act 184 of the Public Acts of 1943, as amended, please take note that the Township Zoning Board of Bowne Township, Kent County, Michigan, will hold a public hearing on a tentative zoning ordinance and tentative zoning map at the Bowne Township Hall on Thursday, June 9, 1960, at 8:00 o'clock P. M., Eastern Standard Time. The tentative text of the ordinance and the tentative map are on file with the Township Clerk at the Kent County Library in Alto, Michigan, and may be examined during regular library hours.

Evelyn Smith, Clerk of the Township Zoning Board of Bowne Township c5-6-7

Public Notice

To the qualified electors of Grattan Township: Please take notice that pursuant to Act 184 of the Public Acts of 1943, as amended, a special election will be held in said Township on Tuesday, June 7, 1960, between the hours of 7:00 o'clock A. M. EST and 8:00 o'clock P. M. EST for the purpose of voting on the question of whether to approve or reject a zoning ordinance heretofore adopted by the Township Board of Grattan Township. The text of said zoning ordinance and the zoning map are on file with the Township Clerk and may be inspected during any regular business hours prior to said election. The following is designated as the polling place: Grattan Township Hall.

S/ Doris Geldersma, Clerk of Grattan Township c5-7

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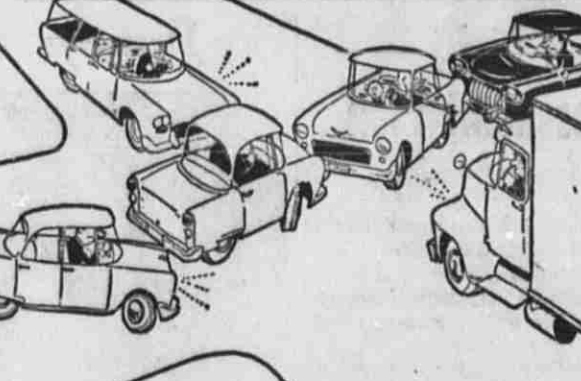
Honor Students at Albion College Event... Scholastic recognition was recently given by Miss Martha Mary Wittenbach, freshman daughter of Mrs. Annabelle Wittenbach of 10380 Bennett...

Snow 4-H News

Snow 4-H Club held their first spring meeting on May 5... and club members enjoyed a pot-luck supper at Snow Hall.

Despite inflation, a penny for most peoples' thoughts is still a fair price.

FREE FLOW OR FREE-FOR-ALL



COURTESY MAKES THE DIFFERENCE

Lowell Cidadezinha Tipica do Interior Estadunidense

This is a story about Lowell written by Stanford Bredshaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bradshaw of Vergennes, Stanford, an American in Washington, D. C. ...

MICHIGAN BELL Telephone Lines

"FANTASTIC"... That's the name and also the description of a "ship" built in the middle of a meadow by the Bell Laboratories. The "FANTASTIC" is a mock-up of the cable tanks and working decks of an actual cable-laying vessel...

Segwun Community Mrs. Jessie Rathbun

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Rash and sons Tommy and Darrell and Miss Marjorie Ritter attended the XVPS Banquet at the Civic Auditorium in Lansing Saturday...



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Now Dodge builds two great cars: low-priced Dodge Dart, luxurious '60 Dodge

Star Corners Mrs. Ira Blough

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boucher of Lake Odessa were Friday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Seese...

Amundsen is one of 20 high school science teachers carefully selected from a seven-state area to give special training at MSU during the 1959-1960 academic year...

Southwest Bowne Mrs. L. T. Anderson

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Griffin of Grand Rapids were Sunday evening guests of their nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Anderson and family...

Track Team Has Final Meet in Grandville

L. H. S. tracksters run their final Grand Valley dual meet of the 1959 season today (Thursday) facing Grandville at Wyoming's track. Field events begin at 5:30.

What's the real price of a quart of milk?

In terms of the average amount of work required to buy a quart of milk, the "price" is 70% less today than it was 45 years ago.

Table with 4 columns: Year, Average per quart of milk, Average hourly wage, Minutes to earn money to buy a quart of milk. Data points for 1914, 1929, 1947, 1953, 1958, 1959.

Michigan Milk Producers Association OWNED AND OPERATED BY 10,000 MICHIGAN DAIRY FARMERS

Robert L. Amundsen, National Science Foundation Traveling Specialist

Teacher from Michigan will present special lecture-demonstrations during a visit to Lowell High School next week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Krebs and family and Miss Mary Watts spent Sunday at Luther.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stahl and Mrs. Donald were Sunday evening guests at the Charles Krebs home.

Amundsen, a physics and chemistry teacher at Illinois Central High School, is on leave from his regular teaching duties for one year to participate in the National Science Foundation-M. S. U. program.

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May is Safety Month—Check Your Car... Check Your Driving... Check Accidents!

Grattan 4-H News

The Grattan 4-H club met at the Town Hall on Thursday, May 12. New officers elected were: President, Kathleen Golder, vice-president, Sharon Bowman, secretary-treasurer, Sandy Geldersma, Reporter, Sharon Jure.

Michigan State Highway Department engineers are making a comprehensive study of the state's highway needs to update a long-range study made in 1955.

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In the concluding match of the Doublets Match games held this season at the Legion Lanes in Lowell, the defending Monarchs of the Mountain, Ed Steffens and Leo Keech, retained their title and can now sit out the summer with no further threat to their throne until next Fall when the matches will resume.

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DIGGING FOUNDATIONS and light building. Septic tanks and drain fields installed, water lines bored and d connected. Carlton Wilcox, Clarksville, OW 3-3091. e18 t

TRUCKING EVERY THURSDAY to Lake-Ontario stock sale. Call George Francisco, TW 7-7818. e16 t
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SPRING IS HERE! Cement gravel delivered in Lowell, Ionia, Grand Rapids, Ada, and other points. Weeks, R-2, Gee Dr., Ph. TW 9-2927. e2-8

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 Due to a serious car accident we are compelled to live in a smaller home and will sell at Public Auction the following at our home located 1/2 mile West and 2 1/2 miles South of Alto at 7950 Timpson Ave., Saturday, May 21, at 1 p. m. Household Goods—1955 Norge 741, refrigerator, self defrosting and top freezer space; 1955 Norge electric range with oven; 1955 Norge automatic washer; also wringer-type washer; 1954 Montgomery Ward chest type 13.5 cu. ft. freezer; 1955 Philco 21-in. console television; 1958 Montgomery Ward combination Radio and Hi-Fi console record player; Bed chrome kitchen set with 4 padded chairs; small walnut drop leaf dining table with 4 white leather upholstered living room suiteavenport and chairs; light grey upholstered chair; Nylon stretch seat covers for all; 2 black upholstered rockers; 1 high-back green hickory; knee-hole walnut desk and chair; 2 matched 1 odd end tables; light blue 2 piece bedroom suite (bookend headboard) double chest with mirror; also all-mirror vanity; 5 piece mahogany bedroom suite, bed, vanity chest; floor lamp; 2 desk lamps; 4 table lamps; bookcase; 12x15 Axminster rug with pad (light brown, flowered); 2 sets of table linens unburned living room drapes; 1 set for living room window, one for small window. Not many small items. Can be on time. Terms—Cash, settlement must be made day of sale. Not responsible for accidents. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnson, Owners. George VanderMeulen, auctioneer; C. J. Geldersma, clerk.

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Showboat Garden Club
 Hours Talks on Roses
 The second meeting of the 1960 Showboat Garden Club was held on Monday, May 9, at the home of Mary Ann Ayres. President Clara Callier presided over the business meeting at which there were 13 members and guests present. Two new members were introduced, Mrs. Jane Blough and Mrs. Kay Marsh.
 After the business meeting, program chairman Ruby Leonard introduced the guest speaker for the evening, Miss Mary Lyons, a member of the Grand Rapids Rosarian Society.
 Miss Lyons, who is a teacher in the Grandville Schools, presented an interesting talk on the care and planting of roses. She herself grows roses and estimates that she has about 150 roses in her garden. She explained the many ways to plant and fertilize roses, when to trim and how, as well as methods of obtaining control and spraying to care for roses while in bloom in order to produce the best roses. Miss Lyons also emphasized that it is always wise to buy the best roses rather than the sale roses for in roses as in other things, one gets what one pays for. Many interesting and helpful suggestions were given to the members and much enjoyed by all present.
 After Miss Lyons' talk which was followed by a question and answer period, the feature for the evening "Lighting up the Outdoors" was given by Mildred Lind. This concluded the evening and refreshments were served by hostess Mary Ann Ayres and co-hostess Armstrong.
 The next regular meeting of the Showboat Garden Club will be held on Monday, June 13, 1960. The meeting will include a tour of the Victor Tidd and Norman Bergerson Gardens which should be at their loveliest with many roses in bloom at this time. Hostess for the evening will be Mildred Lind and members are to meet at her home before 8 p. m. in order to begin the tour together. The feature for the evening will be "Facts, Fun, Fancies and Flowers" to be presented by Mary Ann Ayres. All members are urged to attend and enjoy this tour. Guests are also invited.

South Boston
 Mrs. Belle Young
 Mr. and Mrs. Herman Friedell of Detroit were Sunday afternoon and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Price and family.
 Mothers Club of Logan School enjoyed dinner at Pleasant Point Restaurant in Hastings Tuesday evening.
 Bruce Alderick, a former resident of this vicinity has been appointed mail carrier on route 2, Clarksville.
 South Bell School had their picnic Sunday at Fallsburg Park attended by most of the patrons and pupils. Wednesday, May 18, will be the last day of school for the year. Mrs. Towsevery will return as teacher next year and Mrs. Allen the primary teacher, will teach in Clarksville.
 Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wittenbach, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Postma of McAdams, went on trip Sunday to Sturgis and Paw-Paw. At the latter place they visited the Keith Smith family and on the return home called on Mr. and Mrs. Ed Postma.
 Mrs. Verne Klahn and Mrs. Ray Rittenger were numbered among the country club women who were who were on the mystery trip to the Kalamazoo and Battle Creek.
 Mrs. Jim Shaffer, Mr. and Mrs. David Miller and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bernar Hewitt and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Miller and family were Sunday evening callers at the Har-Oldi home.

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births
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coming events
The Merriman Community Farm Bureau will meet at Friday evening, May 20, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Merriman.

Named Salutatorian of Saranac Senior Class
Carolyn Jean King, formerly a student of the Lowell Public Schools has been named Salutatorian of the Senior Class of Saranac High School...

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College News
Judi Ellis, a Sophomore at Alma College, took part Sunday in the dedication ceremony for the national "Books for Africa" project...

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I wish to express my deepest thanks to my many friends and family for the cards, plants and prayers and to the friends who looked after my family during my recent illness in the hospital.

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Card of Thanks
The Clare Shepard family wishes to express their appreciation for the acts of kindness of Rev. J. Marion De Vinney and Rev. Robert Lignell, relatives, neighbors and friends during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father, Gladys M. Shepard.

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Lowell Council Proceedings

Regular session, Monday evening May 2, 1960 in the Council Room of the City Hall.

Council was called to order by Mayor William Jones at 8:05 p. m.

Roll Call: Councilmen, Burch, Dey, Fonger, Jones, Schaefer.

The minutes of the last regular meeting of April 13 and of the adjourned meeting of April 23 had been mailed to Council Members.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Schaefer, supported by Burch, that the reading of the minutes be dispensed with and that they be approved as amended. Yes, Burch, Dey, Fonger, Jones, Schaefer, 5.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Mrs. A. Yardley was present to protest a bill from plumber on repair of water main leading to her house.

Arthur Curtis presented a petition signed by 18 residents of his residential area requesting either curbing or a manhole to care for the flooded condition that exists on Lincoln Lake Avenue in front of his residence. He stated a willingness to participate in either method which would correct the condition.

Mrs. Edward Wittenbach, Grindle Drive, requested correction of the mud-and-water hazard on and adjoining her property.

All three requests to Street Superintendent Westbroek for immediate attention and recommendation to Council.

The clerk reported communications from:

1. Signed resolution from Vergennes Township Board approving

annexation of Boyevna property to the City of Lowell, Filed.

2. Request for proxy vote from United Park City Mines Company. (Mailed)

3. Petition for blacktopping Avery Street from Jackson Street east, signed by George Staal. To District File for consideration.

4. Notice from County Clerk of June 7 election on:

a. Airport Bonding proposition

b. Tax-rate Limitation Increase Proposition for Airport Bonds

5. Grand Rapids City Planning Director approving plans for three residences to be erected by Grand Rapids contractor. Clerk directed to inform contractor of approval.

6. Inquiry from Standard Oil Co. of Detroit on planned special assessment project. Tabled for completion of assessment plans.

7. Assessor's report; total, real and personal for City of Lowell \$2,862,170. (Filed)

8. Sales tax (\$457.28) for period ended 3-31-60 received May 2, 1960.

9. Request from Michigan State Highway Department for official transfer of funds from Mayor to Local Streets for annual report. (See MOTIONS)

10. Bids on blacktopping for street program (2). To Street Chairman Fonger for tabulation and presentation at next Council meeting.

11. Building permits issued as follows:

John Lusk, Residence on Alden Nash Ave.

Harold Ball, Greenhouse, 517 E. Main.

12. Raymond W. Mills, Planning Consultant, on zoning of newly annexed area. (See MOTIONS). Discussion.

13. Letter from Attorney Vander Veen presenting facts, opinion and recommendation on the construction of a junk yard. (See MOTION)

14. Michigan Week Chairman met Airport Breakfast. (To Board of Trade president)

Other subjects discussed:

1. Main Street Special Assessing. Attorney to consult with Manager of County Abstract office for ownership and exact footage. (See MOTIONS)

2. Mayor's Day plans.

3. Attorney Vander Veen to prepare amendment to Building Code for next Council meeting.

The clerk reported deposits since last meeting:

General

Sale of maps \$ 50

Building permits 8.00

Parking fines 28.00

Death certificates 9.00

US Post Office 10.00

Delias - Bevan 30.00

Eberhard Foods 10.00

Humble Oil & Refining 40.00

State of Michigan 34.00

\$169.50

Street

City-Lowell General Fund \$53.83

Lee

Bankers Trust Co. \$154.80

Manufacturers Trust Co. 12.00

\$166.80

Bills payable since last regular meeting of April 19

General

Payroll ended 4-24-60 \$ 601.74

M. M. Rood & Co. 8.50

Wayne Hoag 25.00

Mich. Hospital Service 125.22

Williams & Works 112.00

Mich. Bell Telephone Co. 37.33

Turwell-Palma Co. 154.80

Arwell, Inc. 15.00

Copy Papers, Inc. 2.00

E. V. Frise & Co. 134.67

Ransman Co.-Oil Div. 14.15

Richard Wiersma 30.00

McQueen Motor Co. 4.73

The Lowell Ledger 363.68

Federal Reserve Bank-Det. 147.65

Lowell Light & Power 71.45

City-Lowell Street Fund 253.83

\$2,862,170

RESOLVED, that the \$4,366.50 Motor Vehicle Highway money transferred to the Street Fund on November 8, 1959, \$1,123.98 be transferred from the Major Streets fund to the Local Streets Fund, and a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the auditor of the Local Government of the Michigan State Highway Department at Lansing.

Yes, Burch, Schaefer, Dey, Fonger, Jones, 5.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Dey, supported by Schaefer, that \$1,000 be transferred (One Thousand Dollars) from the General Fund to the Street Fund for the purpose of paying current bills:

FURTHER, that the bills be allowed and warrants drawn.

Yes, Burch, Jones, Dey, Fonger, Schaefer, 5.

Nays, 0.

On motion of Councilman Schaefer, the meeting was adjourned at 11:50 p. m.

Approved: May 17, 1960.

WILLIAM M. JONES, Mayor

LAURA E. SHEPARD, Clerk

Light & Power Petty Cash	\$6.08
Donald M. Oakes	120.00
Lowell Light & Power	107.30
	\$2,374.90

Street	\$ 510.80
Mich. Hospital Service	156.85
Lowell Light & Power	53.77
Federal Reserve Bank	137.30
Lowell Light & Power	11.88
Light & Power Petty Cash	21.22
	\$811.83

Water & Sewer	
Light & Power Petty Cash	\$ 6.20
Bill Haysimer	27.60
Lowell Municipal Utilities	510.80
Haviland Products Co.	89.00
Ellis & Ford Mfg. Co., Inc.	72.00
Traverse City Iron Works	65.09
East Jordan Iron Works	64.40
City of Lowell	29.83
Water & Sewer Deposit	2.50
Retains	6.90
Get's Hardware	6.90
	\$446.32

GRAND TOTAL	\$446.32
	\$4,122.73

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Dey, supported by Schaefer, that we proceed with the plans for zoning the newly annexed area to the City of Lowell as outlined by Consultant Raymond Mills and hire him for a maximum of four meetings, as set forth in his letter to Donald Oakes, dated April 15, 1960.

Yes, Fonger, Schaefer, Burch, Dey, Jones, 5.

Nays, 0.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Schaefer, supported by Dey, that the Special Assessment Lighting Program be tabled pending accurate figures of ownership in assessed area, from the Kent County Abstract Office, until May 15, next Council meeting.

Yes, Jones, Burch, Dey, Schaefer, Fonger, 5.

Nays, 0.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Fonger, supported by Burch, that Council see the service of the school census taker, for taking of the dog census, at a rate of 20 cents per dog.

Yes, Jones, Dey, Fonger, Jones, Schaefer, Burch, 5.

Nays, 0.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Dey, supported by Fonger, that building plans of contractor Marshall Herche be accepted according to recommendation of Grand Rapids City Planning Department and Mr. Herche so informed.

Yes, Jones, Dey, Fonger, Schaefer, Burch, 5.

Nays, 0.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Dey, supported by Fonger, that Attorney Vander Veen inform Mr. DeMull of West Main Street that his construction and operation of a junk yard was undertaken illegally, for reasons stated in "A" of his attorney's opinion (which is typed below) and therefore he will be restrained from continuing operations:

(A) The license was improperly issued. The resolution adopted by the township board in Section 3, an applicant for license to operate a junk yard is required to deliver to the clerk \$25 and a signed application in the form set out. Mr. DeMull never filed any signed application for a license to operate a junk yard. This application requires, among other things, that the area to be used as a junk yard be described in terms of both length and width. Judging from the action taken by the township, there was no such limit described even in Mr. DeMull's oral request for a license.

Yes, Burch, Schaefer, Dey, Fonger, Jones, 5.

Nays, 0.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Schaefer, supported by Dey, that the next regular Council meeting be held on May 17, instead of May 16, which is Mayor's Day.

Yes, Burch, Dey, Fonger, Jones, Schaefer, 5.

Nays, 0.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Dey, supported by Councilman Fonger, that the following resolution be adopted:

RESOLVED, that the \$4,366.50 Motor Vehicle Highway money transferred to the Street Fund on November 8, 1959, \$1,123.98 be transferred from the Major Streets fund to the Local Streets Fund, and a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the auditor of the Local Government of the Michigan State Highway Department at Lansing.

Yes, Burch, Schaefer, Dey, Fonger, Jones, 5.

Nays, 0.

On motion of Councilman Schaefer, the meeting was adjourned at 11:50 p. m.

Approved: May 17, 1960.

WILLIAM M. JONES, Mayor

LAURA E. SHEPARD, Clerk

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IN HOMETOWN AMERICA



South Lowell Mrs. Nancy Nordhof

Sweet School Community picnic is this Saturday, May 21, at Sweet School. It will be a potluck dinner at 12 o'clock. Mrs. Swanson will furnish the punch and Wallace Lee will be furnished by the school board.

Mrs. Leroy Bradshaw and son Richard of Lansing were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl McDiarmid.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kilgus called on the Earl McDiarmid Sunday. Earl McDiarmid entered Butterworth hospital Monday for major surgery.

Mrs. Margie Pitter returned to her home from the hospital Sunday. Mrs. Henry Hall is staying with her during the day.

Fourteen guests from Battle Creek called on Eng Strand Friday evening to remind him of his birthday Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barnes visited the Justin Palmus family of Zeeland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Prys and family of Victoria, Ill., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wells.

Sunday callers of the Alvin Wells of Marne, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carlson of Grand Rapids and Mr. and Mrs. James Flannery of Byron Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Clark called on Mr. and Mrs. George Wieland Sunday evening.

Kathryn Hendershot and niece visited Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Wiseman Sunday. They took a stroll over to the Peterson yard to view their beautiful tulips and to chat with Mr. and Mrs. Peterson.

Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. Dyer of Caladonia called at the Merritt Wiseman home.

THINGS TO COME

Starting that barbecue fire will be easier this summer thanks to a new chemical jelly soon to be marketed; an amount the size of a golf ball is squeezed onto the charcoal.

Speaking of golf, a Michigan company is introducing a golf ball cleaner in the form of a small chemical-lined sack into which the ball is dropped and water added; working the ball around inside the sack makes it clean and shiny.

For schools, offices and homes there's a new vinyl-on-cork wall material built so that holes made by nails or tacks will disappear despite repeated use.

Recently placed on the market is a swimming pool selling for under \$1,000; it has 265 square feet of swimming area, the maker says.

Increase in Rabies Reported in Michigan

A sharp increase in rabies among both domestic and wild animals in the first quarter of the year, with 14 of 18 cases reported occurring in March, has prompted the Michigan Department of Health to remind people to be sure their pets are vaccinated.

Dr. Donald Coohan, the public health veterinarian in the acute communicable disease section, said the 18 cases in the first three months were 11 more than were reported in a corresponding period last year.

A large number of cases of rabies among skunks this early in the year is unique, according to Dr. Coohan.

Counties in which cases have been reported are Allegan, two cats; Alpena, a skunk; Clinton, a skunk; Genesee, two dogs; Isabella, three skunks and a dog; Kalamazoo, a cat and dog; Manistee, a dog; Mecosta, a skunk and dog; Muskegon, a dog; Saginaw, a dog; and Van Buren, a skunk.

Stepped-up activity of both domestic and wild animals in the spring increases the possibility of further spreading of the disease.

In order to help keep rabies from continuing its unusually high incidence, the health department recommends the following preventive measures:

1. Rabies vaccination of dogs and cats.

2. Increased control over stray dogs and cats in communities.

3. Keeping pets from running at large.

4. Leaving wild animals, particularly skunks, alone.

Members of the armed forces who died at sea are honored on Memorial Day at some U. S. ports, where tiny ships filled with flowers are set afloat.

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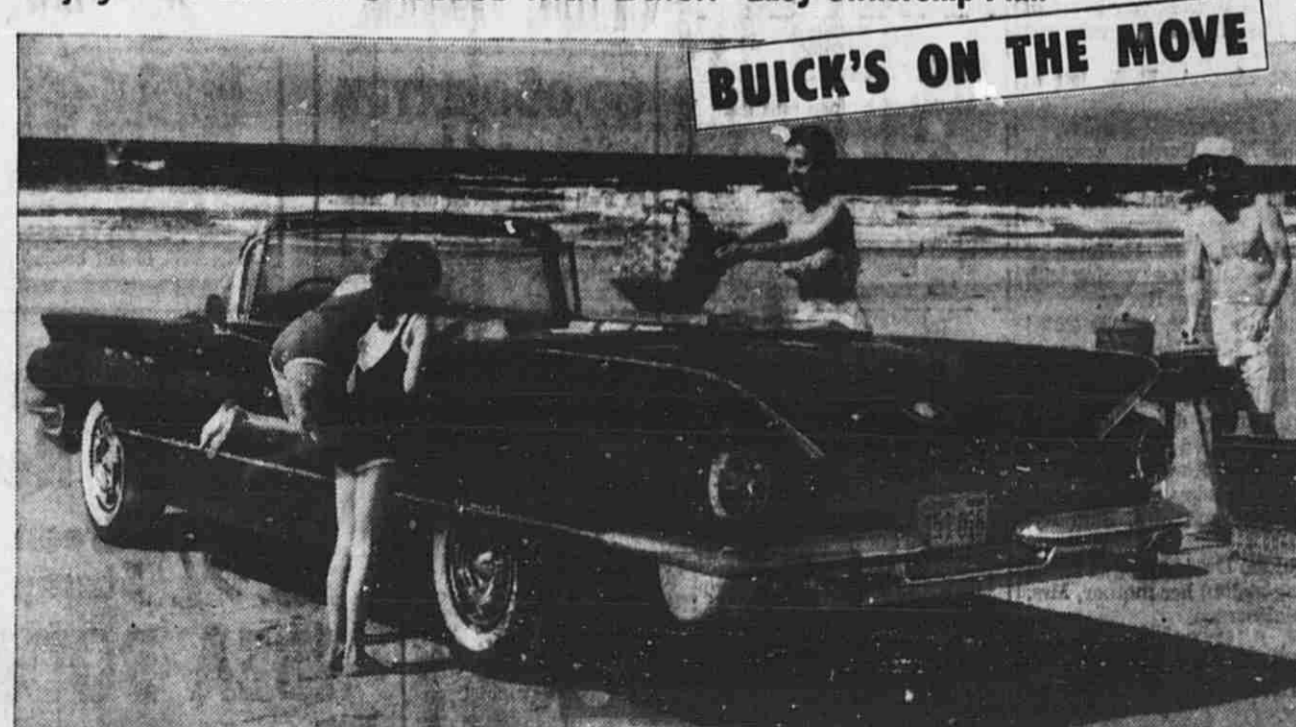
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Alto Community News

Last Rites Held For Mrs. Jennie VanderMeer

Mrs. Jennie VanderMeer who made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Peter VanderHeuvel for several years died Thursday in Las Vegas, N. M., where she had been with her son since she left Alto. She leaves her son, M-Sgt. Richard K. Donley of the air base at Albuquerque, N. M. The body arrived in Grand Rapids Monday. Funeral was from the Eggebeen Funeral Home Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Burial in Oak Hill cemetery.

Mother-Daughter Banquet Hears Talk on Antiques

About 60 mothers and daughters attended the Mother's Day Banquet Wednesday evening and were served a delicious chicken pie dinner by the Methodist men.

Our president, Mrs. Gail Gould of Lowell called us to order and Mrs. Wm. Rensiders gave the devotionals and Mrs. Fleet of Freehold, formerly Beulah Hayward and an aid member gave a toast to the daughters. Mrs. James Green honored the mothers and her daughters. Mrs. Robert Grummet and Linda Green remembered us grandmothers pleasantly.

All members were present except Mrs. Sydnam and Mrs. Huntington who were away. Mrs. Glen Swift of Lowell spoke very interestingly on antiques and was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Robert Andrews, also of Lowell. We all enjoyed several solos to mothers by Mrs. Keith Graham accompanied by Mrs. Val Watts. The tables were pretty with spring flowers arranged by Virginia Reynhout.

Read the Ledger Want Ads.

Returns Home From Southern Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. George Huntington of Grand Isle, La., brought their mother, Mrs. Lucy Huntington home on Thursday, driving the 1400 miles in two days. Lucy visited there for two months and reports a wonderful time. George is a helicopter mechanic for the Humble Oil Co. It is called Standard Oil here, and is leasing land for drilling in Boston and Vergennes Twp. A picnic and welcome home dinner was given Lucy Sunday.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Peter Huver and family of Kalamazoo, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. and family of Sparta, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Foster and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dursum of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Robert Ellen and daughter, Lois of Ada and Mr. and Mrs. George Huntington who are visiting a few days before returning to La.

W. S. C. S. TO HEAR GUEST SPEAKER; HOLD TEA
Vivian DeEtam of Grand Rapids will speak at the W. S. C. S. Friday, May 27, at 7 p. m. at a Mother and Daughter Tea at the Alto Methodist church.

SISTER PASSES AWAY IN DENVER, COLORADO
Mrs. B. R. Sydnam of Alto received word that at her sister, Mrs. May H. Shanks, passed away May 12, 1960 in Denver, Colorado. She was 93 years old. Mrs. Shanks had been ill three months. Funeral service was held Monday, May 16 from the Moore Funeral home, Denver, Colorado.

Mrs. Mildred Tobias accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Leo Blocher of Cascade to a Mother-Daughter tea and program at the Eastmont Baptist church, Friday evening. This church an US-16 near Grand Rapids and has just recently been moved and reported very lovely.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fairchild visited Mr. and Mrs. Dale Rankin at the home of the latter's son, Robert at Gibson City, Ill., over the week-end.

John Wakefield appeared on a panel at Junior College last Thursday.

ALTO GARDEN CLUB TO MEET WEDNESDAY, MAY 18

The Alto Garden Club will meet Wednesday with Mrs. Clair Kauffman of Bowne Center, May 18th. Hope Sargeant and Edna Harig will auction plants and other useful articles.

SYMPATHY EXTENDED

We extend sympathy to Mrs. Evelyn Potter whose grandmother, Mrs. Mary Ransford, 95 of Lowell passed away Thursday.

Three daughters survive, Mrs. Orley Rulason, Mrs. James Denton and Mrs. Louis Jones; and twelve grandchildren and 9 great-grandchildren. Services were Saturday at Roth Funeral Home with burial in Oakwood cemetery.

MORSE LAKE SCHOOL TO HOLD ANNUAL PICNIC

The Morse Lake School community picnic will be held Friday, May 27, at the school grounds.

The affair will get underway about 11:30 and a potluck dinner will be held. In the afternoon competitive games under the leadership of Laurel Hobbs, will be held. The people of the community are cordially invited to attend, as this is planned to be a community affair.

Methodist Church News

The 4th Quarterly Conference for the Alto and Bowne Center Churches will be held in the Alto church, Wednesday, May 18, at 8 p. m. Rev. Keith Avery, Grand Rapids District Superintendent, will preside. Sunday, May 22, Rural Life Sunday will be observed in the morning Worship at 9:45 a. m. Church School 11 a. m.

The Grand Rapids District Conference will be held Tuesday, May 24, at 7:30 p. m. in South Methodist church, Grand Rapids.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service will have their Mother-Daughter Tea in the Church Dining Room at 7 p. m., Friday, May 27. The Young Adult Group will have a party in Fallsburg Park Lodge Saturday, May 28, at 8:30 p. m.

Bowne Center

The Grand Rapids District Conference will be held Tuesday, May 24, at 7:30 p. m. in South Methodist Church, Grand Rapids. Morning Worship at 11 a. m. Church school 10 a. m.

Other Alto News

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Graham were her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Briggs and three of their boys, Danny Lee, David and Dale Alan of Reading, Michigan. In the afternoon Mr. Graham's uncle, Orin Graham of Lowell, called on them.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Wakefield were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Freeman and Judy of Kent City, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Harrison and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harrison and children were also Sunday callers of the Wakefields. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Purchase of Lowell spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pattison.

Baptist Church News

The repair work on the steeple of the Baptist church is nearing completion. It is expected that the work will be finished this week.

Sunday services include Sunday school at 10 a. m., Morning worship at 11 a. m. and in the evening the new time is 7:30. Special music will be furnished on Sunday by the choir in the morning and in the evening by orchestra and a trombone duet.

Ascension Day Service will be held at the Baptist church on May 26. The regular prayer meeting will not be held next week. This special service will stress the importance of the ascension of Christ compared with Christmas and Easter. Meeting time is 8 p. m. The public is invited.

The Quarterly Association meeting of the Grand Rapids Association of Regular Baptist churches will be held at Jackson, May 24. Monday evening the Pioneer Girls surprised their Pilgrim guide with a coin shower on the occasion of her birthday. Mrs. Glenna Nelson was given the cards at the regular meeting and requested to use the money for a new Pioneer Girls uniform.

Next Monday night the boys Stockade will have a track meet during the game time of their meeting. All boys ages 8 through 11 are invited to attend. The meeting begins at 6:30 and is out at 8 p. m.

Alto Community Grange will meet Friday evening, May 20, at the hall. Roland Dewep will have charge of the program.

Lawrence and Florence Richardson visited Sunday afternoon with the latter's brother, Clint Brewer and wife of Zealand.

Mrs. Claud Silcox was home over the week-end and visited the Chatterboxes at their cottage at Snow Lake on Sunday.

Miss Susan McWhinney was a visitor of her father, Garry McWhinney and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McWhinney and family for the week-end. Garry Lee McWhinney, Jr., is spending the week with his grandparents.

The Misses Carol, Patty and Susan McWhinney were Saturday morning callers of Mrs. Donald Dalman and family of Hastings. The Alto School students, parents and friends will enjoy their school picnic this Thursday, May 19.

Alto, Ada and Cascade Fire Departments were called to help Lowell try to save the John Minges home on 36th St. Thursday. A new car and tractor and garage were also lost.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Scott called on Mrs. Frank Fairchild Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fredlie of Detroit were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clair Flynn. Their Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Orley Burns. In the afternoon they drove to Hastings to visit Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Benton.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bergy and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bergy had Sunday dinner with their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kegerreis of Caledonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fairchild attended the Spartan Convention in Grand Rapids, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Houman of Ohio were Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fairchild. Merle Rosenberg and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rosenberg spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bennett of Middleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pattison and Mrs. Nell Baldwin of Grand Rapids were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pattison.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sterzick and Mr. and Mrs. Val Watts attended the Civic players production, "Tiger by the Tail," Friday evening.

Phillip and Susan Brock of Lansing are visiting their aunt, Mrs. James Wheeler. Ralph and Jamie and the Brack children are having a fine time.

Mrs. O. E. Meyer took her mother Mrs. Fred Pattison mushroom-

Snow Community

Mrs. S. P. Reynolds

Snow W. S. C. S. will hold their Spiritual Life and business meeting Wednesday evening May 25 at the home of Mrs. John Blanding at 7:45.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Idema and family of Moline were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bertran and Peter Fisher of Grand Rapids spent the week-end with the Bertrons.

Mrs. John Raglin and Mrs. Ray Bennett of Lyons were Friday lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wittenbach and Mrs. Leo Bloomer of N. McCords was a Saturday afternoon caller at the Wittenbach home.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Quiggle of Gove District spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fox and Mrs. Wilson Purdy and Mrs. John Allen of Belding were afternoon callers at the Fox home.

Mrs. Jennie Antonides spent the past ten days with Mrs. Lena Wakebeek of Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dennett of Cascade called on Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Reynolds Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Pesoyan of Grand Rapids called on Mr. and Mrs. Alex Rozek and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bertran Sunday afternoon.

Benjamin VanHof and John VanWyk of Calvary Underdominational church of Grand Rapids called on G. C. Richards Monday evening. Mr. Richards is in a wheel chair but otherwise is enjoying good health.

Elmdale

Mrs. Ira Sargeant

One hundred and seventy were in attendance to enjoy the delicious meal and impressive program at the Mother-Daughter banquet at Hope Brethren church last Wednesday. The decorated tables carried the theme of "April Showers bring May flowers," and each guest was given a small corsage as a memento of the occasion. Guest speaker, Mrs. Mary Guy gave a most impressive talk bringing out a number of thoughts pertaining to "This is a Changing World." Frank Townsend with his staff of efficient helpers, prepared a lovely meal which was served by the younger men of the church, under the leadership of Raymond Wieland.

Thursday evening a bridal shower is being given in honor of Miss Sally Eash at the Fellowship room of Hope Brethren church.

Saturday, May 21, the District Women's Rally at Camp Brethren Heights, to which a number of the members of Hope Brethren plan on attending, will be held.

Saturday, June 4, the adult class of Hope Brethren, are sponsoring a chicken Bar-B-Q. Serving will start at 5 p. m.

Both Hope Brethren and Nazarene churches are sponsoring softball teams. Each team are having starting practices this week.

Mrs. Nellie Krauss and Mrs. Edna Lott attended the Clarksville Chapter O. E. S. Past Matrons meeting last Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Nelson of Clarksville.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Craig and children Mark and Debra, spent the week-end with relatives of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Sargeant were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Wilma Wieland and daughter Darlene and children of Freeport.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Patterson and daughter of Grand Rapids were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Myers and family. The men went fishing during the afternoon and each caught his limit.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Stahl and children of Lake Odessa were Sunday evening callers of their uncle Horace Myers and family.

Rev. and Mrs. Rommie Moore left Monday on a two weeks vacation and visited with the for-

ing Friday. A picnic lunch and mushrooms and steak made a delicious supper.

Mrs. Sally Martin is taking her son Stebbie to Grand Rapids Monday and Friday for further check-ups.

mer's parents of the state of Virginia.

The last meeting of the year of the Mothers Club of the Rosenberger school, will be held on Friday night of this week at the schoolhouse, at which time Dan Kauftman will show a variety of slides. Each family attending are requested to furnish sandwiches and a dish to pass, also furnish their own beverages.

Mesdames Leatha Kyser, Hope Sargeant and Helen Allyson, were among those who attended the regular meeting of the West Campbell Club Thursday at the home of Mrs. Mildred Stalter.

Drew road from the Kent-Ionia line is undergoing a remodeling job, the major portion of the trees including the Maple which served as a directional post for many years at the corner of Elmdale and Drew Roads being one of the victims. The road is to be graded in the near future and then put into preparedness for blacktopping in 1961.

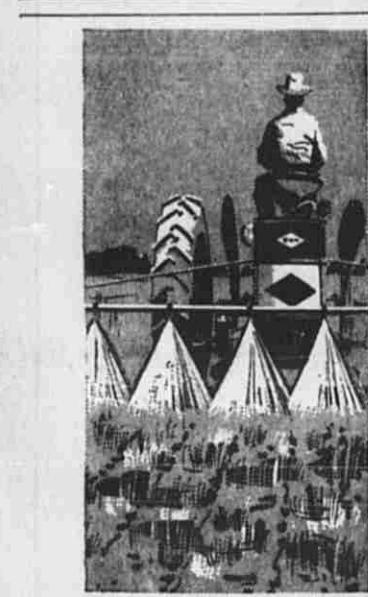
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The Old Timer
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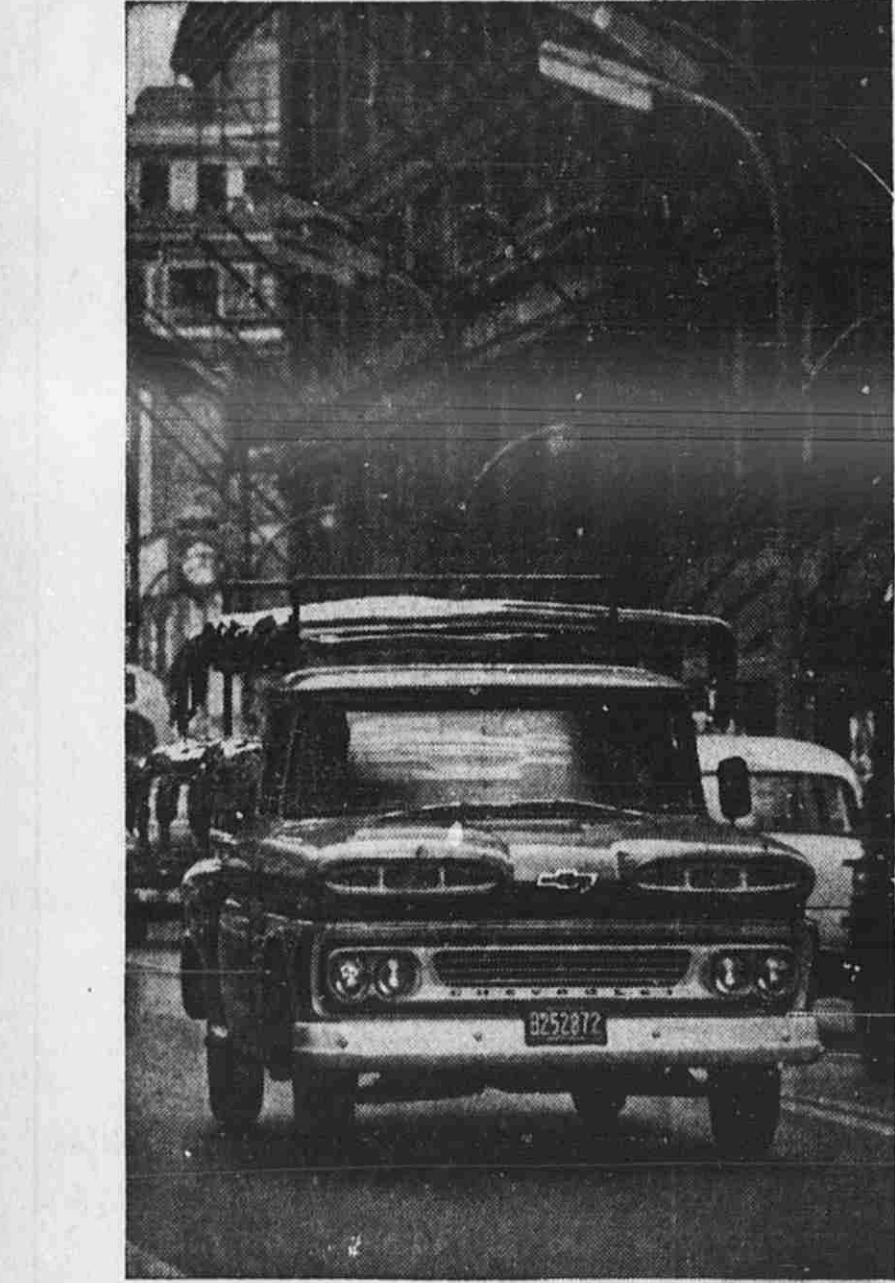
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