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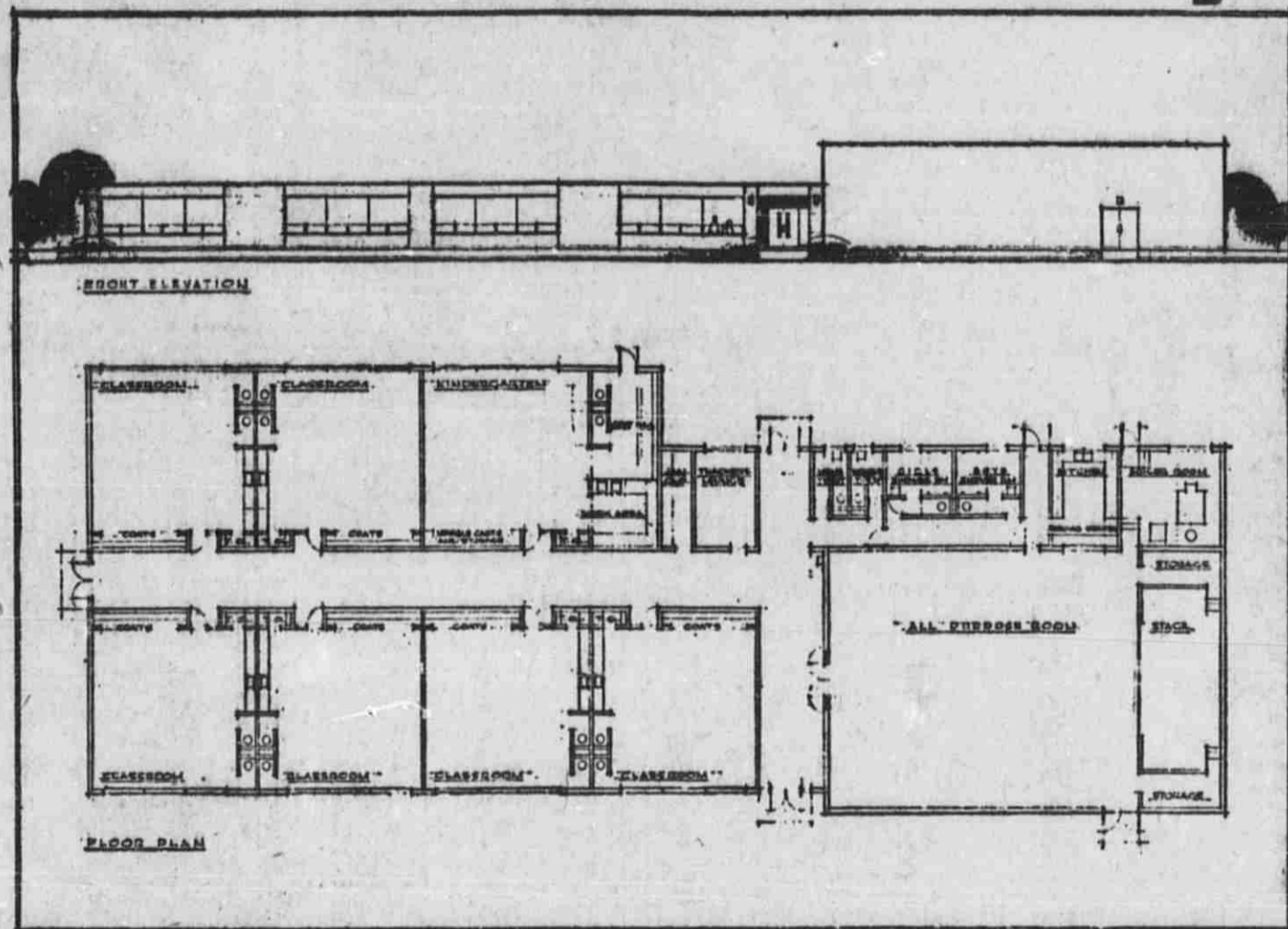
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LOWELL, MICH., THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1961

Plans Ready for Bowne Area Elementary School



Rittenger Wins Supervisor Race

Ray Rittenger won the only contest in the Lowell Township Republican Primary Monday defeating Frank L. Stephens 268 to 74. Rittenger picked up his big win for his third term as supervisor with only 343 voters going to the polls, out of 755 registered voters.

The other candidates received the following vote: Clerk, Mrs. Dolores Collins 310; Treasurer, Doris Boyd 301; Trustee, Ernest Roth 299; Justice of Peace, Fred Loveland 285; Board of Review, Lloyd Yelter 284.

School of Missions To Hear Speaker

Rev. Paul Albery, pastor of the Central Methodist Church of Muskegon, will be the speaker at the School of Missions Sunday evening at the Methodist church. Mr. Albery was formerly pastor of the Trinity Methodist Church in Grand Rapids. He recently returned from a trip around the world. In connection with his trip he visited a large number of mission stations in various parts of the world.

Mr. Albery will show pictures as well as report on his trip. Sunday night's session of the School of Missions will be the last session of the 1961 school. As usual it will begin with a potluck sandwich-jello-cake-or-cookies Sunday night lunch at 8:30. The Lydia Circle of the Woman's Society will be in charge and will furnish table service, coffee and milk for the children.

First Grade Students Honor Mothers at Tea

Mrs. Dee Schneider and Mrs. S. VanWeelden's first graders honored their mothers and friends at a Mother's tea on Tuesday, February 14 in the Runciman Elementary All-purpose room. The two first grades presented a Circus and the song version of the "Little Red Hen." Each child enacted a part of the Circus or the Little Red Hen, complete in costume.

Reports First Robin

Despite weather predictions and the thermometers dropping to near below zero, William Keech of Kissing Rock Avenue, Lowell, was almost believing the old saying that "Spring is just around the corner." Friday morning when he saw a robin strolling around in his yard. This is the first robin reported to the Ledger this year, and we might add, it's a little early to return from the south.

TAX NOTICE

The summer and winter taxes are due and will be turned in to Kent County as delinquent if not paid by March 1, 1961. Esther M. Fahrni, City Treasurer c45

Johnson defeated Walter Wingeler by only 2 votes, 54-52. The other officers nominated: supervisor, William Lott; clerk, Mrs. Evelyn Smith; treasurer, Warren Berg; board of review, Orley Burns.

KEENA WINS IN ADA
In a close race with 746 voters turning out in Ada Township Monday for the Republican Primary election Carl Keena was nominated over three other candidates for the supervisor's post vacated by Henry Fase who is retiring.

In an extremely close race Neal Vandepoel incumbent treasurer, defeated Kathryn Sytama by 4 votes; 369 to 365. In the other contests Kenneth Anderson won the trustee post; Ed McCormick was easy winner of the board of review post. For Constable, Darwin Nellist, R. E. Rooker, Ralph Averill and Don Biermier were nominated to the four openings.

The Ada vote was as follows: Supervisor: Carl Keena 302; Richard Lynch 271; Fred Bradley 130; Allison Board 82.
Clerk: Blanche Loveless 630.
Treasurer: N. A. Vandepoel 369; Kathryn Sytama 365.
Trustee: Kenneth Anderson 454; Robert Ward 287.
Justice of Peace: Mrs. Mona Rooker, 639.
Board of Review: Ed McCormick 476; Robert F. Rhoades 184.
Constable: Darwin Nellist 428; R. E. Rooker 402; Ralph Averill 415; Don Biermier 399; Ron Boersma 270; P. Vandenberg 268.
Republican Township Committee: Jay Van Andri; Nell Weathers; Leon McVoy.

CASCADE TOWNSHIP

Only 211 Cascade Township voters turned out Monday in the Republican Primary to rename all incumbent officers who were candidates and unopposed. In the only contest Ben Zoodama, Cascade Hardware merchant, won the post on the board of review, defeating Francis Campau and Earl Bentley. The vote was as follows: Supervisor Gerrit Baker 192; Clerk Edna Omer 198; Treasurer Lee Patterson 195; Trustee Minor Cook 198; Justice of Peace Ernest Clark 181.
Board of Review: Ben Zoodama 75; Francis Campau 69; Earl Bentley 62.
Constable: Gerrit Schruer 4; Adrian Gilder 3; L. J. Hawkins 1; Frank Atherton 1.
Highway Commissioner: Harold Minor 1; Peter Price 1.
Township Republican Committee: James Timmons 1; Mrs. Mary Timmons 2; Mrs. Ann Campau 1; Mrs. Evelyn Clark 1.

AUCTION SALES

Martin Koert
As I have other business I will discontinue farming and sell at public auction the following on the farm located 5 miles Northwest of Ada on Pettis Ave. (North of River) or 3 1/2 miles East of East Beltline on Knapp St. to corner of Pettis, Northeast of Grand Rapids on Saturday, March 4, at 12:30: 36 Holsteins, Milking equipment, Farm equipment and misc., Hay and Oats. Martin Koert, owner; George Vander Meulen, auctioneer; Al VanderLaan, Clerk. See complete list in next week's Ledger.

FRI. & SAT. BAKERY SPECIAL
Our regular high quality fried cakes 39 cents a dozen. Fluger's Lowell Bakery. c45

Plans have been prepared and the Lowell School Board has indicated that a vote to approve a bond issue will be held at once if the merger of the Bowne area schools passes in a special school election, Tuesday, February 28. Six school districts: Sweet, Merriman, Logan, Alto, Bowne Center and Morse Lake, are voting on this merger. The building pictured here would consist of a glass and brick structure similar to the Runciman Elementary building with seven class rooms and an all-purpose room with stage, kitchen and shower facilities. Every class room would be a self-contained unit.

State Education Man At Alto

Roger Boline of the Department of School Organization (a subdivision of the Michigan Department of Public Instruction at Lansing) will be present as an advisor and resource person for the Public Meeting in the Alto Grange Hall Friday, Feb. 24.

The meeting which is scheduled for 8 p. m. is to be concerned with a discussion of the proposed annexation of 6 Alto Area schools. Future tax rates with and without annexation will be dealt with in particular.

Mr. Boline will be present to outline what is to be expected in the way of State Minimum requirements for schools and Department of Education recommendations as a result.

Eugene Covey to Address Baptist Family Night

Members of the Lowell Baptist church will hold their family night this Saturday, February 25. The program for the evening, beginning at 8 p. m. in the church will be a film, entitled "Operation Abolition," shown by Eugene Covey of Ada, Michigan.

This film is a 40 minute documentary taken by news cameramen, both inside and outside the City Hall during the House Committee on Un-American Activities hearings in San Francisco, in May, 1960. It was subpoenaed by the House Committee from the TV Cameramen for the purpose of giving the American public a true picture story of the first serious Communist inspired student riots on American soil.

Court room scenes are shown in which hard-core Communists, who had been subpoenaed by the House Committee for questioning, were necessarily evicted from the court room because of their behavior. Hundreds of students were incited to riot by a mere handful of acknowledged Communists, specially trained in agitation tactics.

After the showing of the film there will be a question and answer period. All members and friends of the church are cordially invited to attend the Family Night and hear this very interesting and informative speaker.

This vote on Tuesday, Feb. 28 will be the first attempt to establish a feeder school so that children below junior high school may stay in their own community to attend classes. If this vote is unsuccessful then Lowell will construct new elementary space in the city and bring the children here as the school districts decide to join a high school unit.

Only the preliminary drawings for a building have been submitted and rough estimates of the cost set a figure of some \$205,000 on the cost of this building. If all six districts should merge with Lowell then the 5 mill tax they would raise for funding and site purposes the same as the rest of the district would pay for this elementary building in about 15 years. So actually they would only be paying for their own school, and the taxpayers in Lowell would be paying for their facilities here.

Location of School
Many statements have been circulated in the area about the location of the school if built; the truth of the matter is the site will be left to a citizens committee from the Bowne Community to recommend a site or sites to the board of education. About 10 acres are needed school officials reveal, and a good central location is necessary.

The building besides furnishing classrooms for about 180 students would provide a community center for activities of the area. All the facilities of the Lowell school such as physical education, music, art and other special subjects would be provided in the Bowne school.

If the voters in the six districts approve the merger, immediate steps will be taken to hold a bond vote. Even with prompt action the construction of a school of this size will require a full year; this means that the building would not be available for classes until the fall of 1962.

Y.M.C.A. Grade School Basketball Standings

Team	Won	Lost
Cougars	5	1
Saranac Spartans	4	2
Hot Rods	4	2
Warriors	4	2
Globe Trotters	3	3
Pistons	3	3
Saranac Wildcats	1	5
Alto Celtics	0	6

The Cougars and the Warriors will play an exhibition game during the half of the Grandville-Lowell Junior Varsity game this Friday evening. Team members are to report to Allan Eckman at the ticket desk by 6:30.

Members of the Cougars are Joe Gotschall, Pete Osborne, Terry DeWitt, Phil Schneider, Jerry Thompson, Ron Olson and Mike Kline. The Warriors are Tom Fonger, Keith Buck, Steve Wessell, Jerry Thaler, John Lind, Rick Peckham and Charles Doyle. The teams are coached by Steve Ayres and Ty Wessell of the "Y" Leaders Club.

Howard Watrous Passes Suddenly; Services Friday

Howard D. Watrous, aged 56, passed away unexpectedly at his home, 805 Lafayette Street, early Wednesday morning.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2 p. m. at the Roth Funeral home. The Rev. David Debbink, of the Congregational Church, will officiate and interment will be made in Oakwood cemetery.

Mr. Watrous is survived by his wife, Norma; three sons, Richard of Grand Rapids, Guy in the United States Army, and James at home; three daughters, Mrs. Ted (Jean) Albrecht of Coopersville, Marian Louise at home and Mrs. Juanita Roth of Lowell; two sisters, Mrs. John Blackford of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Claude Coats of Sioux St. Marie, Michigan; one brother, Judson of Ann Arbor; nine grandchildren; several nieces and nephews; and a host of friends.

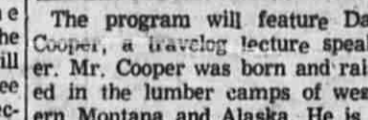
He was born February 29, 1905, in Grand Rapids and has resided in Lowell for the past twenty-one years.

Mr. Watrous has been employed with the Michigan Bell Telephone Company for the past 38 years, and was a member of the Telephone Pioneers and the Loyal Order of Moose, Lowell Lodge No. 802.

Friends may meet with the family Thursday evening, between 7 and 9 at the funeral home.

Travelogue Speaker To Address Lions

The Lowell Lions Club will be hosts to the ladies at their second annual "Ladies Night" Saturday, February 25th, in the Runciman Elementary building at 7 p. m. It is expected that there will be 200 members and guests present.



The program will feature Dan Cooper, a travelogue speaker. Mr. Cooper was born and raised in the lumber camps of western Montana and Alaska. He is a natural humorist and is in great demand on the lecture series. Mr. Cooper has had two films on network television and has appeared several times on "Bold Journey."

Hot Lunch Menu

Monday—Mashed potatoes, hamburger gravy, cinnamon rolls and butter and fruit.
Tuesday—Pork casserole, bread and butter, Harvard beets, frosted bars, fruit juice.
Wednesday—Macaroni & cheese meat slices, bread and butter, head lettuce salad and jello.
Thursday—Meat loaf, scalloped potatoes, cole slaw, bread and butter.
Friday—Fish and meat sandwiches, tomato soup, relishes and apple pie.

BARBARA COURT STUDENT-TEACHING AT BELLEVILLE

Barbara Court, a senior at the University of Michigan, is student-teaching this semester at Belleville High School near Willowrun. She is teaching chemistry to Juniors.

A 1957 graduate of Lowell High School, Barbara will graduate from the University in June.

Raise Tax Base to 50%

Bank Open House Well Attended

The open house at the State Savings Bank last Thursday was attended by hundreds of Lowell area people as well as many members of banking firms in this area.

The many who attended were taken on a tour of the bank by members of the staff and the facilities were carefully explained. Flowers were given to the ladies and gifts for the men and children.

Nazarene Giving \$142 Per Person for New Record

Per capita giving of \$142.37 set a denominational record in 1960 in the Church of the Nazarene. The increase was nearly \$7 per person over the preceding year.

Giving for all purposes climbed to a record \$45,350,000, an increase of \$3,170,000. The total was \$42,180,000 in 1959.

The annual statistical report released by Dr. S. T. Ludwig, Kansas City, general secretary, showed that membership increased to 318,588. This was a net gain of 7,289 persons.

The denomination started one new church a week or a net gain of 45 during the year and a total of 4,741 churches on Jan. 1, 1961. Gains in membership also were recorded for 1960 by the Sunday School, Foreign Missionary Society and the Young People's society.

American Samoa and Denmark were among world areas in which new Nazarene work started in 1960. At year-end, the denomination had more than 450 full-time missionaries in 42 world areas.

Special offerings for world missions at Thanksgiving and Easter each exceeded \$1,000,000. Commenting on the report, Dr. Ludwig said: "Total giving for all purposes during 1960 exceeded anything we have done as a denomination. The \$142.37 per capita figure also was a church record."

"The membership gain of 2.34 percent, while not quite up to 1959, was better than we had expected in view of our quadrennial world assembly held last June in Kansas City."

Bowne Township Resident Albert Bleam Passes

Albert Bleam was born in Waterloo, Ontario, Canada, August 28, 1885, the son of Dilman and Lillie Speatzel Bleam. He passed away at the age of 65 at Butterworth hospital, Grand Rapids, Michigan, February 13, after a brief illness.

At the age of six months his family moved to the farm in Bowne Township, Kent County, where he spent the rest of his life, with the exception of two years, which he served in the U. S. Army in World War I.

On June 4, 1920, he was united in marriage to Ruth Zook at Hastings, Michigan.

About nine years ago he accepted Christ as his Saviour and has since attended the Calvary Brethren Church when his health permitted.

He leaves to mourn his departure, his wife, Ruth; four daughters, Mrs. Howell (Lillian) Newstrom of Freeport, Mrs. Ben (Wima) Reser of Caledonia, Mrs. Howell (Velma) Minges of Ann Arbor, and Mrs. Boyd (Marion) Noviskey of Lowell; one brother, Arthur of Cascade; one sister, Mrs. Angeline Skedgell of Nashville; twelve grandchildren; and a number of nieces and nephews. One sister, Adeline Overholt, preceded him in death in 1914.

Members of the program committee are Carl Christensen, Clinton Christoff and Stephen Nisbet. The Pledge to the Flag will be led by Dr. Herbert Mueller and Rev. David Debbink will deliver the invocation.

Plan To Elect Jaycee Officers Tuesday, Feb. 28

Lowell's newest service club the Junior of Chamber of Commerce being organized here by the Ionia group will hold an election of officers on Tuesday, February 28.

The club this week adopted its constitution and by-laws. There are 32 men now attending the meetings. Anyone young man between the ages of 21 and 35 who would like to attend meetings of the club are invited to call Charles Kelley at TW 7-9838 for more information.

Y.M.C.A. Presents Series of Lenten Book Reviews

Mrs. C. A. Bradshaw, on behalf of the Program Committee of the Lowell Y.M.C.A. Board of Managers, has extended an invitation to area residents to attend the Lenten Book Review Series to be presented each Wednesday during March in the "Y" lounge. An effort has been made to arrange the schedule to accommodate everyone.

It is sincerely hoped that all interested persons will be able to take advantage of this opportunity for additional Lenten inspiration to Christian living. There is no charge—come and bring a friend.

Schedule
March 1, 10 a. m., "The Joyful Beggar" by Louis DeWohl, Mrs. Keith Tapley.
March 8, 7:30 p. m., "She had a Magic" life of Mary Slessor by Brian O'Brien, Mrs. Hugh Vanderveen.
March 15, 7:30 p. m., "The Day Christ Died" by Jim Bishop, Mrs. Chas. B. White.
March 22, 10 a. m., "Kitty—My Rib" story of Martin Luther's wife by Jane Moll, Mrs. George Story.
March 29, 10 a. m., Lenten Devotional by a local minister.

Save this schedule. If transportation is desired, please call the Y.M.C.A. TW 7-7375.

Cub Scouts to Hold Blue and Gold Banquet

The Cub Scouts Blue & Gold Banquet will take place Thursday evening, Feb. 23, at 6 p. m. at the Runciman Elementary Building. The families of the Cubs are invited to attend.

There will be a few awards given and presentations of pins will be made to Den Mothers and their assistants. Rev. David Debbink will give the boys a short address.

On Tuesday evening, February 28, at 7 p. m. there will be a Den Mothers meeting at the home of Mrs. Edward Laux on Grindie Drive.

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Suggestions Pay Off for Dan Miller



Daniel D. Miller, right is shown entering the State Savings Bank to deposit his \$872.64 of suggestion earnings. With him is his family, left to right, Gary, Mrs. Miller and their daughter Sharon. Miller was one of the employees of General Motors Diesel Equipment Division in Grand Rapids to get a substantial award.

ment will be double the previous assessment.

According to the council, taxpayers will not pay any more dollars on the average than before when we were equalized or penalized for not having high enough assessments by some 12 percent.

The theory behind raising the tax base to the 50 percent figure, which is generally acceptable to the state, is that we will not be equalized or penalized this year. There is no assurance that we won't be; but our representatives on the Kent County Board of Supervisors will have to protect our interests in this unprecedented move.

On the average in Kent County, figures of from 17 percent to 37 1/2 percent are being quoted as present units of government are using as the assessed valuation. The Lowell council met with the Kent County Board of Equalization head, Donald Linn last Friday and came to the meeting Monday night determined to use the ultimate figure for our tax base.

Reappraisal Base for Tax
The just completed reappraisal of the city by the Doane Appraisal Service who have come up with a total true cash value which is very close to the real estate portion of the \$6,823,812 state equalized figure. The assessed valuation of the city in 1960 was \$2,992,170.

Assessor Bernard Olson said on Monday that most of the Lowell Businessmen have filed their personal property tax forms and they were being processed so the cards on these will go out with the real estate notices.

Board of Review
The council Monday set the time of the Board of Review meeting in Lowell at Tuesday and Wednesday, March 7 and 8 for the first meetings when all protests of assessments must be filed. The second meeting when only those that have appeared at the first meetings may appear will be held on Monday, March 13. If more time is required than the days designated the board will continue in session.

The board of review members, Harold J. Englehardt, W. A. Roth, and Theron Richmond, will be paid \$100 for serving; this action was taken by the council on Monday evening.

CONTINUES EDUCATION AT FORT REILLY, KANSAS
Miss Elaine Dawn Walker, formerly of Naples, Italy, who attended school here in Lowell for her past several months, is now completing her education at Fort Reilly, Kansas, where her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Frazier are stationed.

Before coming to Lowell, Miss Walker attended the Sherman Log Military school in Italy. During her stay here, she resided with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Tanner.

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Grattan Caucus
For the first time in 12 years Grattan township Republicans have nominated a slate of candidates for the township's offices.

The party's first caucus since 1949 was held here Saturday morning to nominate candidates for the April 3 election. Leo Wittenbach is the Republicans' choice for supervisor.

Incumbent supervisor Roy McArthur was nominated by Grattan Democrats at their caucus Saturday afternoon.

Completing the Republican slate are: Frank Hessler, clerk; Harold Kison, treasurer; Joseph Jakeway trustee; Carrol Smith, Justice of the peace, and Walter Wittenbach, board of review.

Republican nominees for constable are Walter Jenks, Dewey Francisco, George Green and Kayren Mason.

Democratic nominees include: James Byrne, treasurer; Ligouri Nugent, clerk; Frank Donovan, justice of the peace; George Malone, trustee; Harry Clark, highway commissioner; Maurice Gledersma, board of review, and Loyd Malone, delegate to the county convention.

Nominated for constable by the Democrats are Pat Burns, Robert Sherman, William Adams and James Schone.

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Mrs. Edie Cox

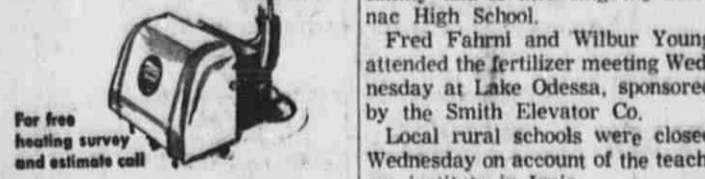
We are glad to hear that the Bloomer is better. Mrs. Roy Bloomer entered the hospital for surgery. We wish her a speedy recovery.

CONVERT TO GAS TODAY!

Recent callers and visitors at the Verne Klaim home were Mr. and Mrs. John Sterick, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Roth, Mrs. Mamie O. Berne and son Scott, Mr. and Mrs. John Bos and Philip Sene.

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Junior High Basketball Teams Report Outcome

Bruce Odell made 2 field goals and 2 free shots. Gary Krog 3 personal fouls, 1 field goal, Jim Cook 3 field goals and 1 free shot. Terry Hiehan 1 field goal and 1 personal foul. Total score 20.

South Boston
Miss Belle Young

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Camp Fire Girls

A special camp party honoring girls selling 50 boxes or more will be held Friday, February 21, at the East Congregational church in Grand Rapids. The following girls from Lowell who will be attending: From the 6th grade W-C-124 group are Helen DeHann, Kay Conover, Kay Johnson, Susan Johnson, Diana LaBine.

Logan News
Mrs. Harold Yoder

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Weaver and family were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Danne Deardorff.

Snow Community
Mrs. S. P. Reynolds

Don Walker, lay speaker, will preach at Snow Church Sunday morning, Feb. 26. It is hoped there will be a good attendance at this service.

Star Corners
Mrs. Iva Blough

George Krebs of Alto went to Section 10 Lake Sunday to remove his fish shanty, but thought he would try his luck first—the result being that he speared 3 pike, one measuring 28 inches and weighing 13 pounds and 2 measuring 21 in. and weighing 9 pounds each. How about a delicious fish supper?

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Lowell Area Social Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phelps, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Phelps of Cedar Springs were Sunday dinner guests of their sister-in-law Mrs. Elizabeth Phelps.

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Grappers Lose By One Point

Last Wednesday the local grappers put on one of their finest performances in almost defeating the Rockford Rams. The wrestlers put on an excellent exhibition as they fell short 24-22. In the 103 lb class Jim Bonn started it off for the Arrows as he won on a dec. 14-3. In 120 Mike Foss came through with a dec. (13-4). Phil Sanders in 144 pinned his man in the third period. Brady won on a dec. 13-7. Down 24-14 with two weight classes left the grappers, if they could have gotten two pins they could have tied, but could only come up with 8 points to fall short 24-22.

Library Corner
Cor. Main & Hudson

Library patrons will soon be making use of a new section of the library when they come in to select new or favorite books. For this week Henry Koewers is building more shelves in the south room. This will enlarge the space for reference books and move the new books back into the front room. Students and those doing research work will appreciate the added space in the main room. Perhaps some day we can stretch the children's room to better accommodate our young readers.

Alto Community News

Discuss Business in the Home of Extension Class
The Bowne Center Extension class met Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cleveland. Thirteen ladies were present. The lesson, "Business in the Home," was given by Mrs. Ivan Blough of Lowell. Valentine refreshments were served by Mrs. Cleveland and Mrs. Lois Nash. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ivan Blough in Lowell. Topic will be "Color in the Home."

Foreman Taylor
Mrs. Edna Taylor

Mr. and Mrs. Moll Heering of Grand Rapids were Wednesday dinner guests of Mrs. Betty Baker. Mr. and Mrs. Winton Wilcox and family were Sunday lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Denton Wilcox and boys at Alto.

THE LOWELL LEDGER
LOWELL, MICH., FEB. 13, 1961

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Earl V. Colby, Alto
Office Phone: UN 8-3961
Charles I. Colby
Office: Clarksville
OW 3-3231 Mich.

Moseley-Murray Lakes
Mrs. Eva Engle

Eleven young people from the Alto church spent the week-end at Good News Camp near Gladwin, Mich. They were accompanied by Rev. Tulstare of Alto.

Govs Lake
Mrs. Leon Seelye

July Norton spent the week-end with Jaklyn Moerdyk in Grand Rapids.

Red Arrows To Play Final
Valley Game

The Red Arrows will play their final game in the Grand Valley next Friday, February 24, 1961. At that time, the Grandville Bulldogs will invade the Arrow's small gym. In the last meeting of the two clubs the Arrows won 51-64. At that time, at one time in the third period and bowed to the Rockford Rams last Friday by a score of 69-65.

Sixteen Victories—No Defeats
Eighth Grade Team Ends Season; Wins Belding Tournament & Trophy

The eighth grade team captured a shiny new trophy for the year's best basketball team by winning 16 games and losing none. The team, coached by Coach Jerry Smith, finished the season with a record of 16-0. They won the Belding Tournament last week. In both games the local team held commanding leads by the end of the first quarter and substituted freely throughout the final three quarters.

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3% Interest
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OPEN MONDAY THRU SATURDAY 9-12 and 1-4
Closed Thursday Afternoon
Independent Banking
Friendly, Personal Service

Methodist Church News
Under the chairmanship of Val Watts, the Alto Official Board met at the church on Monday, February 13. The following night the Bowne Center Official Board met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Winger. Mr. Winger is the chairman of the Board.

Baptist Church News
Special music for Sunday will be presented by the choir in the 11 a. m. worship service, and in the evening service by Dana Dittman and Priscilla Marquardt.

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WE GIVE GOLD BELL GIFT STAMPS ON GAS AND OIL
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Phone TW 7-9888 Lowell

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CHECK OUR WINTERTIME WONDERLAND DEAL RIGHT NOW!
Yes sir! For about the price of two new shirts each week (\$11.00), you can be driving your own brand-new 1961 Ford Falcon! If you have an above-average trade-in, your payments can be even lower. Your present car, in any event, will probably more than cover the down payment. And this price includes a Fresh Air heater, oil filter and luxurious nylon upholstery. Collision and comprehensive insurance costs also included for one year. Example shown above includes all carrying charges and may vary slightly with individual dealer's pricing policies.

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Telephone Lines
By BERLE SLACK, Manager
AN ENCOURAGING WORD for parents whose teenagers seem to talk on the phone for hours. Child psychologists say they're only trying to banish moods of depression and raise their spirits. Adolescents, it seems, are particularly vulnerable to depression. And telephoning is one way they avoid feeling "down." Perhaps the best psychology for parents is to get their teenagers an extension phone of their own—it costs just a few cents a day. Or, better yet, a separate line. It can raise the spirits of the whole household!

Mercury Values
Sample these 6 famous Mercury values...
EXTRA ROOM. Mercury's famous room gets better with age. Mercury's new room is a real winner. It's got a new V-8 and Super Economy "V" motor, water doors, and a bigger trunk. (32 cubic feet).

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HURRY! SAVE A BUNDLE ON A WINTERTIME WONDERLAND DEAL!
Your Wintertime Wonderland Special—this '61 Falcon Tuxedo with all its money-saving ways! See it drive it... own it now at a substantial saving!

Laundry Lugging
YOU CAN FORGET ABOUT TIRESOME
IF YOU GET AN AUTOMATIC CLOTHES DRYER
An Automatic Clothes Dryer eliminates the unpleasantness that has always been a part of hand-laundering clothes. No more lifting, juggling, stooping, stretching and pinning; no more weather-worn or basement clothesline-confusion. Using an Automatic Clothes Dryer is simply an easy, economical, efficient way to get the job done.

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SEE YOUR CLOTHES DRYER DEALER SOON!
PUBLISHED BY CONSUMERS POWER COMPANY

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to be the downfall of the local club. Lowell appeared to be out of the game at half time when the score was Belding 19, Lowell 9. With Joe Melie leading the way Lowell fought back and just when victory seemed a possibility, 3 of Lowell's starting five, including Melie, fouled out of the game. Joe Melie was high point man for the game with seventeen points.

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Grattan Township
Mrs. C. J. Geldersma, Clerk
Jeff's Tackle & Bait Shop
From 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

JAY BOLENS FORD, INC.
149 So. Hudson
now available in the popular-price range!
3. MERCURY MONTEYER
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A NEW HOME TELEPHONE service is now available from Michigan Bell. It's called Home Interphone. Here are some of the wonderful things you can do with it: talk by phone from room to room; the person you call answers "hands free"; answer the door from any phone (via a microphone-speaker by the door); "hold" and transfer incoming calls to another telephone in the house by using the telephone to page the person being called. Home Interphone is a new Bell Telephone product that makes your telephone service more useful and convenient than ever.

Sandra Somerville Becomes Bride of James Vanden Hout in Evening Rites

The First Congregational church of Ada was the scene of the marriage last Tuesday evening at 7:30 p. m. of Miss Sandra Marie Somerville and James Walter Vanden-Hout. Rev. Alvin C. Brewer officiated at the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Robert B. Somerville of Ada and Mrs. Marie H. Somerville of Scottsdale, Arizona. The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shaw of Lowell.

The bride was attended by Miss Nancy Fox, maid of honor and Miss Jerilyn Molly Brian, bridesmaid.

Richard Clark Ward of Lowell was best man. Ushers were Patricia L. Sullivan and Gerald C. Boone of Lowell and Larry Wingeier of Alto.

Mrs. Alice B. Gaynor and the Women's Fellowship group assisted at the reception held in the Fellowship Hall.

The couple will reside in Lowell.

THE LOWELL LEDGER, FEB. 23, 1961

Read the Ledger Want Ads.

Church of the Nazarene

901 N. WASHINGTON — LOWELL, MICHIGAN

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Sunday Evening 7:30 P. M.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 P. M.

A Friendly Church With a Reason For Existing

Welcome One and All

Kenneth Culver, Minister

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Prices for Feb. 20, 920 head of livestock, 56 consignments of poultry and rabbits.

Veal up to \$41.25 cwt.
Beef Steers and Heifers up to \$24.00 cwt.
Beef Cows up to \$17.00 cwt.
Beef Bulls up to \$19.90 cwt.
Feeder Cattle from \$14.30 to \$22.50 cwt.
Lams up to \$18.50 cwt.
Hogs up to \$18.90 cwt.
Sows up to \$17.50 cwt.
Boars up to \$12.60 cwt.
Feeder Pigs from \$10.50 to \$24.75 cwt.
Hay from 23c to 50c bale
Straw from 25c to 33c bale

WANTED — 500 FEEDER PIGS

EVERY MONDAY AT 4 P. M. TO BE SOLD AT HIGHEST MARKET PRICES.

The sale has the largest number of buyers paying the highest market prices for your livestock.

Valuable Free Gift given away at 9:00 o'clock every Monday night. Must be present to win. You are always welcome to attend the sales every Monday even though you do not have anything to sell.

We operate the Ravenna Livestock Sale on Monday, the Big Rapids Sale on Wednesday and the Fremont Sale Friday. For prompt and courteous trucking service call E. COOK, phone OR 6-1173 Ada. Bonded for your protection. SALE STARTS AT 5:00 P. M.

RAVENNA LIVESTOCK SALES

George Wright Auctioneer RAVENNA, MICHIGAN J. Paul Herman Manger

births

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Koster, Timpon Ave., are the proud parents of a baby girl born February 14 (Valentine's Day) at Blodgett hospital. The new arrival weighed 6 pounds 8 ounces.

A girl, Mary Victoria, weighing 8 pounds 6 ounces, was born February 12 at Blodgett Memorial hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lacie, Jr.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Darold Seelye on Saturday, February 11, at the Grand Rapids Osteopathic hospital a baby girl, Denise Michele, weighing 9 pounds 12 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. George Roberts of Murray Lake are happy to announce they have a new son, Timothy James.

Mr. and Mrs. Deloss Bean are the proud parents of a baby girl, Peggy Len, weighing 7 pounds 6 ounces on February 10 at Butterworth hospital.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Blocher of Alto, a fourth son, Timothy Martin, February 7, at Butterworth hospital.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the Lowell City manager, Bernard Olson, also the Lowell City employees, Howard Antonides, Arnold Totch, Ken Morgan, James Ryder, O. Raymor, Robert Steward and George DeGraw for the contribution given me at the time of my husband's death. Many thanks.
Mrs. Orlie Grindle and family c45

CARD OF THANKS

Our heartfelt thanks and deepest appreciation are extended to our friends, neighbors, and relatives, for their cards, flowers, and many other acts of kindness shown us during the illness and death of our husband and father. We especially wish to thank the Freeport VFW and Root-Loewell Mfg. Co. for their help; the Freeport WMA and the Calvary Brethren WMC for the lunches served; and Rev. Geger and Rev. Ovenshire for their comforting words. Your kindness will always be remembered. May God bless you all.
Mrs. Albert Bleam
Mr. and Mrs. Howell Newton
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Reser
Mr. and Mrs. Howell Minges
Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Novitsky
and the Grandchildren p45

CARD OF THANKS

Our deep appreciation and heartfelt thanks to our relatives, neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy shown during the illness and at the death of our beloved husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather, Orlie Grindle. We especially wish to thank Rev. Kenneth Culver, for his message of comfort; those who acted as pallbearers; and the ladies of the Nazarene church who served lunch. To all who sent beautiful floral tributes and helped in so many other kind ways. Also Roth and Sons for the care and thoughtfulness at the time of our sorrow.
Mrs. Orlie Grindle, Sr.
Mr. and Mrs. Tildon Pinckney, Sr.
Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Grindle
Mr. and Mrs. Clement Grindle
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Covell
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith
Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ward,
Nancy and Douglas
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ellison
Billy and Dickie
Mr. and Mrs. James Riggie
Mr. and Mrs. Tildon Pinckney, Jr.
Chris and Debbie
Orlie Grindle, Jr., and Terry Lee Sharon Kay Pinckney and Cindy Sue c45

We often wonder whether the politicians believe one-half the things they say.

Board of Review Notices

City of Lowell
The Board of Review of the City of Lowell will meet Tuesday, Mar. 7, 1961, and as many days thereafter as necessary from 9 a. m. to 12 noon and 1 p. m. to 4 p. m. at the Lowell City Hall for the purpose of reviewing the assessment roll and hearing complaints of property owners claiming to be aggrieved thereby. All complaints must be in writing on standard forms which will be furnished on request by the City Assessor and to be completed and returned to him before 9 a. m. March 7, 1961.
B. C. Olson, City Assessor c45-46

Grattan
To the taxpayers of Grattan Township:
Notice is hereby given that Grattan Township Board of Review will meet at the Grattan Township Hall Tuesday, March 7 and Wednesday, March 8 and Monday and Tuesday, March 13 and 14 from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. for the purpose of reviewing the tax rolls.
Mrs. C. J. Geldersma, Township Clerk c45-46

Lowell Township
To the taxpayers of Lowell Township:
Notice is hereby given that Lowell Township Board of Review will meet at the Lowell Township office Tuesday and Wednesday, March 7 and 8, 1961; and Monday and Tuesday, March 13 and 14, at the City Hall, 9 a. m. to 12 noon and 1 p. m. to 4 p. m., for the purpose of reviewing the tax rolls and to hear any claims which property owners may bring before the board.
Dolores Collins, Township Clerk c45-46

Bowne
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Evelyn Smith, Township Clerk c45-46

Ada
To the residents of Ada Township:
The Ada Township Board of Review will meet Tuesday and Wednesday, March 7 and 8, 1961, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. at the Ada Township Hall, 555 Ada Dr., in the Ada Village.
Also hearings will be held Monday and Tuesday, March 13 and 14, 1961, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. at the hall for the purpose of reviewing the assessment roll. Any property owner may bring his claim before the Board at that time.
Blanche Lovells, Township Clerk c45-46

CASCADE BOARD OF REVIEW TO MEET
The Cascade Township Board of Review will meet Tuesday, March 7 and again on Monday, March 13 from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. in the Cascade Town Hall.
Mrs. Edna Osmer, Cascade Township Clerk c49-50 SL c-45-46 L

One trouble with growing older is that it gets progressively tougher to find a famous historical figure who didn't amount to much when he was your age.

CITY OF LOWELL Registration Notice

FOR SPRING BIENNIAL ELECTION MONDAY, APRIL 3, 1961 TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF LOWELL County of Kent, State of Michigan

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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will be at her office as noted below, on Monday, Mar. 6, 1961 — LAST DAY The Thirtieth Day Preceding Said Election

as Provided by Sec. 3, Chapter 3, Part II, P. A., 306, 1929, and Sec. 1, Chapter 3, Part II, P. A. 1939, Act 31, P. A. 1941, Act 291, P. A. 1945 and Act 108, 1951. From 8 o'clock a. m. until 8 o'clock p. m. on said day for the purpose of REVIEWING the REGISTRATION and REGISTERING such of the qualified electors in said TOWNSHIP, CITY OR VILLAGE as SHALL PROPERLY apply therefor. The name of no person but an ACTUAL RESIDENT of the precinct at the time of registration and entitled under the constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election, shall be entered in the registration book.

Lowell City Hall

Mrs. Laura Shepard, Clerk

Daily Monday thru Friday 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

coming events

Hooker Chapter No. 73 at their regular chapter meeting on March 11, will do Past Masters Degree Work. All are urged to attend.

Mary Warner of the Clark Memorial Home will celebrate her 90th birthday, Feb. 27. A card shower would be appreciated.

All members of the Rebekah Lodge are invited to bring their family and friends to the February potluck supper on February 28, at 6:30 p. m. at the IOOF Hall. Committee, Mrs. Lafayette Tanner and Mrs. Charles Clarke. Regular Lodge meeting follows at 8 p. m.

The Lila Group of the Congregational church will meet with Mrs. Anna Yardley at her home Thursday, March 2, at 1:30 p. m.

Congregational Women's Fellowship—Church women and friends—you are invited to share our program on Africa this Friday, February 24, at 1:30 p. m. in the church dining room. This program is sponsored by Social Action Committee. Refreshments by Dorcas Group.

You are cordially invited to attend the Euchre party at the Rebekah Hall on Friday, March 3. Come and have fun.

The Joseph Wilson Relief Corps No. 49 Supper Night at 6:30 in the American Legion Club rooms, Wednesday, March 1, inspection and visit of department president.

Vergennes Co-operative Club will meet Thursday afternoon, March 2 with Mrs. Peg Ryder.

South Boston Grange is having a chicken supper Tuesday, February 28, serving from 5:30 to 8 p. m. No charge, but a free will offering will be taken at the table.

Job's Daughters will hold a school of instruction and the inspection of the Bethel at the Masonic Temple at 7:30 on Monday, Feb. 27.

The American Legion will meet Monday evening, February 27 at the hall.

The Past Noble Grand Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Peter Mulder next Monday, February 27, at 7:30. This will be a birthday party honoring the January, February and March members.

The Alpine Riding Club will be sponsoring a square dance Saturday, February 25 at the Sparta Community Center. Dancing from 8 'til 12 p. m. Lee Bileth is the caller.

B&PW Rummage Sale—Rear of Bernie Bedell's barbershop, Main St. on the bridge. Worth your while to attend. Thursday through Saturday, February 16, 17 and 18.

Lowell Library Hours—Tuesday, 9 a. m. to noon; 1 p. m. to 8:30 p. m. Friday—1 p. m. to 8:30 p. m.; and Saturday afternoon from 1 to 5 p. m. c26f

CASCADE TOWNSHIP NOTICE

Cascade Township Board will entertain bids for insurance on the vehicles named below at their meeting in the Town Hall on Monday, March 6, 8 p. m. Open only to residents of Cascade Township, all bids must be presented personally:

1941—Packard Emergency vehicle, pub. lib. 25 to 50 thousand, prop. dam. 10 thousand, one year.
1957—International John B. Fire Truck, pub. lib. 100 to 300 thousand, prop. dam. 25 thousand, 16,000 comprehensive, 250,000 deductible collision, one year.
Mrs. Edna Osmer, Cascade Township Clerk c49-50 SL c45-46 L

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our beloved husband, father, son and brother, Monroe (Pete) Geldersma, who passed away suddenly one year ago, February 26, 1960. Sad and sudden was the call. Of one so dearly loved by us all. The bitter grief, the shock severe, it was to part with one so dear. Though your smile is gone forever, And your hands we cannot touch, We will always have fond memories.

For we loved you very much. We often sit and think of you, And speak of how you died. To think you couldn't say goodbye, Before you closed your eyes. Sadly missed by wife, Mary Ann; children, Karen, Kenny, Ronnie and Paul; mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Geldersma, Brothers and Sisters. c45

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deep appreciation and heartfelt thanks to our relatives, friends and neighbors for the flowers, masses and considerations. Especially all their kindness that helped alleviate our sorrow during the illness and at the time of the death of our dear husband, father, son and brother, Donald Lind.

Mrs. Dorothy Lind
John, Gordon, Gerald and Marty
Mr. and Mrs. James Lind
and Children
Mr. and Mrs. Edgar (Lucille) Arend
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lind
Mr. and Mrs. Ed (Helen) Hopp
Mrs. Marjorie Potter
Mr. and Mrs. Lester (Marian) Cousseu c45

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Pratt - Fairchild Engagement Told



Miss Norma Pratt and Ace Fairchild are betrothed and planning a March 11 wedding. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Price, Colfax St., Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fairchild are parents of the bridegroom. Miss Pratt is a graduate of Creston High School. Mr. Fairchild is a graduate of Lowell High School, and is a senior at the Kendall School of Design.

MANY THANKS FOR SUPPORT I want to thank my many friends and fellow citizens who turned out Monday to support me for supervisor of Lowell Township. Their votes and confidence in me are much appreciated.
Ray Rittenger c45

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks and appreciation to all those who helped us at the time of our fire, and the many kindnesses extended to us following the fire.
Mr. & Mrs. Clifford Dalstra and family c45

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10:00 A. M. — The Crucifixion
The Apostles' Creed: "He was crucified"
7:30 P. M. — "Today, With Me in Paradise"
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11:15 A. M. Bible School — 7:00 P. M. Youth Fellowship
8:00 P. M. Worship — The Exposition of First Thessalonians
Wednesday 8 P. M. — Prayer Meeting
"Holding forth the Word of Life" Phil. 2:16

First Congregational Church

(Affiliated with the United Church of Christ)
HUDSON AND SPRING STREETS
REV. DAVID H. DEBBINK, B. D., Minister
REV. N. G. WOOD, B. D., Pastor Emeritus
Sunday School 9:45 A. M. — Worship 11 A. M.
Sermon: "God Whom We Seek and Worship"
REV. DAVID DEBBINK, PREACHING
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8:45 and 11 A. M. Morning Worship
Sermon: "Don'ts For Lent"
(Nursery for small children at 11:00) c49 tf

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