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LEDGER ENTRIES

Being a Collection of Various Topics of Local and General Interest

START WELFARE GARDENS

THE CITY of Ionia will plant 30 acres of land along Grand River flats into crops for use next winter of those on the welfare list. The land will be cultivated by welfare labor.

A good suggestion for Lowell, perhaps, and not necessary to remind that the work should start at once.

The city of Grand Rapids will have 2,000 welfare gardens. Lowell should have at least a few dozen.

County Agent K. K. Vining will cheerfully lend his assistance.

W. J. Smith of the Ag. Department of Lowell High School would be just the man to place in charge of this undertaking.

He knows how and has the necessary energy.

The Real Forgotten Man

Charles S. Reed (Rochester editor)—"Cutting the interest rate is the first bit of legislation proposed for the benefit of the forgotten man."

QUEENS OR SHUPERS?

THE ROTOGRAVURE section of one of the state's great newspapers last Sunday contained a picture of the Governor of Michigan partaking of a shupper of beer.

Here's a Poser

Tom Conlin (Crystal Falls editor)—"What I can't understand is that 3.2% beer is not intoxicating why is it necessary to set up such elaborate machinery to superintend its manufacture and sale?"

A SPELLING TEST

HOW ARE YOU on spelling? Good?—well, before reading the rest of this article, get a friend to call the words listed below and check up on yourself.

Separate, lose, ninety, privilege, villain, chautauqua, accomodate, all right, repetition, ecstasy, exhilarate, hypocrisy, indispensable, irrelevant, oneself, sacrifice, supersede, councillor and embarrass.

How many did you miss?

Branching Out

Malcolm Bingray (Editor Detroit Free Press)—"Twenty of the tree planters taken to Camp Custer have deserted. Sort of branching out for themselves."

LUCKY FOR ANNA

FROM whom did she give it? To whom did she give it? These are the questions one would naturally ask about a girl like Anna, who was recently admitted to Sunshine Sanatorium.

Her story is told in the last monthly report of the Grand Rapids Anti-tuberculosis Society.

Anna's father died of tuberculosis in their home 15 years ago and the surviving family had never been examined by anybody until Anna had a tuberculin test in Davis Technical High School when the society surveyed those students in 1931.

She had a positive reaction to the test and finally had her chest X-rayed by a local X-ray physician.

The glands in her lungs showed scars of a childhood tuberculosis which she no doubt received from her father 15 years ago.

Another X-ray in 1932 showed little change in her condition, but a third place made in March, 1933 proved that Anna, now budding into young womanhood, was in a dangerous period for infected girls, had developed an adult, progressive type of tuberculosis.

Time to plant petunia seeds, Gladys Lowell.

Three Marriages, Three Divorces before she is 24. The story of a young millionaire who is ready for American Week is told in the American Weekly, the magazine distributed with next Sunday's Chicago Herald and Examiner.

Job printing executed with painstaking care at The Ledger Office.

THE LOWELL LEDGER

and ALTO SOLO

LOWELL, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, MAY 4, 1933

NO. 50

Better Lowell Program Is On

The greatest campaign ever undertaken for the beautification and improvement of Lowell is under way.

The President of the Village, Mr. Verne E. Ashley, is putting his shoulder to the wheel and is active command of the undertaking, assisted by men who have been out of work for many months and who are working cheerfully and wholeheartedly, glad of the chance to be self-supporting instead of being cared for on the welfare list.

Mr. Ashley and his men began clearing rubbish and underbrush on the west side of Flat river Monday morning and the work is continuing without interruption.

There are one or two other places on E. Main-st. which also present unsightly appearance, and it is to be hoped that these, too, will be cleaned up.

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Live Stock Killed By Hail, Lightning

During the severe electrical storm Sunday night a 30-foot poultry house on the Elmer Gilly farm in Keene was destroyed killing several chickens.

Over 200 choice pullets were saved after being nearly drowned, The Phillips Bros., of Lowell are replacing the poultry house.

During the same storm the large barn on the Perry Walters farm, four miles north of Saranac was struck by lightning.

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DAN W. LIND, 59 KILLED BY GAS IN HIS GARAGE

WELL-KNOWN IONIA BANKER, SON OF MRS. KATE SWEET OF LOWELL, OVERCAME WHILE AT WORK ON HIS AUTOMOBILE.

Dan W. Lind, son of Mrs. Kate Sweet of Lowell, was found dead by a neighbor Tuesday afternoon, having been overcome by carbon monoxide gas while working on an automobile in his garage at the rear of his home in Ionia.

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Pay Teachers In Scrip Issue

The school teachers of Lowell school district No. 1 will be paid with Time Orders—a modified form of scrip—for the remainder of the present school year.

Whereas, the Board of Education of District No. 1 of Lowell Township, Kent County, State of Michigan, has outstanding in un-

Whereas, sub-division 2 of Section one of Act 26 of Public Acts of 1931 as amended provides that school districts may borrow in anticipation of collection of such taxes in amount not to exceed 80% thereof, and

Whereas, because of such uncollected tax and because of impounded school funds to the approximate amount of \$6,000 in The City State Bank, there now exists a shortage of funds to carry on the operation of the schools, therefore, be it resolved that said Board of Education do and hereby does authorize the issuance of time orders in the amount of \$6,400, which amount does not exceed 80% of such taxes uncollected.

Said orders to bear date of— and to mature on or before September 28, 1933, bearing interest at 1/2% per full month. Said orders are hereby prescribed by this Board of Education to be acceptable in payment of delinquent school taxes of this school district for any preceding fiscal year and in payment of the tax levied for the current year 1932-3.

It is resolved further that the president and secretary of the Board of Education of the school district sign and execute said orders in behalf of said district and said orders, when executed, be delivered to treasurer of school district and by him delivered in payment of obligations of the district.

The School Board has to its credit in funds past due the following: 1—State moneys, Turner fund, \$3,150; 2—Tuition, \$3,366; 3—Delinquent taxes for 1930, \$2,200; for 1931, delinquent taxes, \$5,895.33; for 1932, \$8,353.99; 4—Impounded in bank, \$6,013.41.

Total security in above items of \$29,984.93. In addition the primary school fund, which should amount to approximately \$6,000 in September which can be used if necessary to redeem the above orders. These orders will bear 1/2 per cent interest per full month and are due Sept. 28th of this year, or may be redeemed earlier. The scrip will be in denominations of \$1, \$5, and \$10. The "money" is now being made at The Ledger office.

Teachers Agree to Work Last Month on Half Pay—Total Cut on Salaries of \$13,000 in Two Years.

The Board of Education at its meeting Tuesday night fixed the date of June 2 for the closing of school. This means that there will be nine and one fourth months of school this school year and every effort will be made to close the year in a normal manner.

This was made possible by a mutual agreement made between the School Board and the teachers, which provides that the teachers will receive half pay for the last four weeks of school.

This means that the individual teacher salary for the school year 1932-33 has been reduced over 30 per cent.

The total budget for salaries in the past two years has been reduced from \$37,000 to \$24,500.

B. of T. Luncheon Friday Noon, May 5

President R. E. Springett announces a noon luncheon of the Board of Trade this week Friday noon, May 5. All members and other public spirited citizens are urged to attend.

Mr. Greg of Michigan State College will be the speaker. He will arrive in Lowell at 9 o'clock Friday morning, and with a committee of local citizens will make a tour of inspection of the city.

Mr. Greg will speak on "River Landscaping," a subject on which he ranks as an expert. Mr. K. K. Vining, county agricultural agent, will accompany Mr. Greg and be present at the luncheon.

Democratic Club Meets Friday Evg.

The Lowell Democratic club will meet again Friday night, May 5th at 8 o'clock in the City Hall.

Members should not miss this meeting as we expect to have with us Lieutenant Governor Stebbins and Atty. Gen. Mathews of Ionia, who will favor us with very interesting talks.

Brightening Up

Roscoe Starkey has bought the Freeman house on N. Lafayette-st., and is now proceeding with remodeling operations.

The interior of the Bannan barber shop is being remodeled and redecorated. The redecoration is in the hands of Charles Wood and that means an artistic job.

Odds and Ends Here and There

Fifty Points Picked Up and Pally Put By Our Peripatetic Pencil Pusher

Coal deposits in Ingham county, near Mason, may be tapped to contribute to Michigan's coal mining industry. Tests show a vein of extra good quality coal, 26 to 46 inches thick, lying within 20 feet of the surface.

The F. H. Swarthout family spent Sunday with relatives in Howell and reported hail stones as large as walnuts as they were on their way through Lansing. The children were scooping them up by the shovelful.

Mrs. Hannah Bartlett and Miss Edna Mason, in company with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bartlett visited the former's brother-in-law, Albert White and wife of Grand Rapids, on Sunday, finding him very comfortable and able to be about the house a little each day. Monday morning word came that he had passed away very suddenly without a moment's warning. Funeral was held Wednesday at 2:30 at the late home, 121 Page street.

Fishing licenses may be obtained at T. A. Gazzella's Novelty Shop at a charge for the service. The new fee is 50 cents. Mr. Gazzella wrote over 100 licenses from last Saturday afternoon to Monday forenoon.

Arthur Duffy, 34, of Lowell, suffered a severe laceration of the left foot late Friday when he struck the foot with an axe while chopping wood. He was taken to a Grand Rapids hospital.

Ionia county will be represented in Michigan's 20 reforestation camps by 70 young men, if the quota allowed it is filled. Enlistments are for six months.

Ernest Main of Nelson-tp. received many crushed bones when he was run down by his heavily loaded auto, which he cranked while it was in gear. He was taken to Butterworth hospital where it was found that all of his ribs on the left side were fractured, the clavicle and pelvis and a dislocated hip. The car did not stop until it struck a gasoline station.

Mr. Will Doyle of the King Milling Company, attended a meeting in Lansing Wednesday and Wednesday evening of the Michigan Feed Manufacturers' Association of which he is president.

The finance committee of the state administrative board reported for payment May 1, 10 per cent of the \$2,000,000 of the school money. A second release is scheduled for this week-end and additional releases will be made as rapidly as funds become available.

Says Gov. Comstock: "Invariably we have 50 applicants for one job and more often than not, 49 of them have not the slightest qualification for that job."

Hundreds of seventh and eighth grade rural students are taking an unusual interest in the legislative session. The house of representatives recently passed a resolution asking that the state superintendent of public instruction discontinue the holding of annual examinations for seventh and eighth grade rural students. The senate has not yet concurred in the resolution. Even if the senate does concur, Webster H. Pease, the superintendent of public instruction, has the necessity of obeying the law and the law provides that examinations be held. So those seventh and eighth graders who are anxious to win their diplomas are paying close attention to their review work and are not taking too much stock in the rumors of "no exams."

Rural Carrier to Go On Pension List

Newton L. Coons, veteran rural carrier of the Lowell postoffice, will retire from service June 1st, after having spent many years on rural route No. 5. On or about June 1st, the postmaster general's department, the route will be consolidated June 1. Rural carriers on routes 2, 3 and 4 absorbing the district, in line with the government's retrenching policy.

More information regarding the rearrangement of routes to be made June 1st will be published in an early issue of The Ledger.

Earl Curtiss Announces Change in Proposed Political Program

Well, neighbors, after my Dr. informed me my heart was not in the right place I decided to give up my dreams of the White House and Washington and may go on an extended fishing tour, not at the Rapids and camp of course, for Hoove caught all the fish down there—not one left. Now, I am planning on taking Franklin D., and Miss Perkins, secretary of Labor up to Torch Lake, Mich., there to give them instructions in political economy as Michigan has the acreage to work on. Then Frank and Miss P. will need some recreation to get ready for the strenuous duties of next winter and if they can follow me over hill and vale around Torch Lake for three months they will be too tough to burn. I shall try and get some of those haw-buck Senators to come and carry the fish and bait and get a little taste of agriculture by poisoning bugs, grubbing

stumps, spraying fruit, hoeing spuds, corn and beans, cutting hay, wheat, oats, barley and corn, and, if they don't object set some of those trees in the baby forest. Oh, yes, I can lay out a summer vacation for them that will cause them to vote for farm relief with a large V. Of course Milwaukee will be glad to furnish the beer. This may be tough on the women who accompany this aggregation of brains and fat, but reducing is one of the objects.

I may have trouble with Glass and Long, but I plan to have Glass work six hours, while Hoove sleeps, and vice versa. I plan to stop their regular salary and put them on thirty bucks per month, plus tents and fees thrown in. If I can only keep them on the job for three months they may be able to pass some laws for the good of all next session. The Dr. says this will be easier for me than being president, especially with a mixed breed of congressmen. If this plan succeeds I will give a report in full.

Best wishes of EARL CURTISS. Alto, May 1, 1933.

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Poor Man Faces Sales Tax Bill

BY ELTON R. EATON
(Lansing Correspondent for Lowell Ledger)

Lansing, Mich.—With the time here, this was changed for final adjournment of the legislature fixed for May 20, there is a rush to dispose of the many hundreds of bills that have been introduced as well as pass some sort of a sales tax bill that will provide for the delinquent tax revenue that Governor Comstock says he must have. As indicated in the legislative program for the week, the sales tax bill would be the chief legislative subject for the next two days. The bill seems to be a general addition of 3 per cent on the value of the goods and services that Michigan has paid for in the past.

It is believed that the bill will be passed by the legislature on May 20. The bill would increase the tax on the sale of goods and services by 3 per cent. It is believed that the bill will be passed by the legislature on May 20. The bill would increase the tax on the sale of goods and services by 3 per cent. It is believed that the bill will be passed by the legislature on May 20. The bill would increase the tax on the sale of goods and services by 3 per cent.

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Michigan taxpayers are asked in a bill that has just made its appearance in the house to provide a pension of not more than a week to any needy person above the age of 65 years. A representative would have the state collect for this purpose and supervise its payment.

The notorious "beer" bill that has been huffed about legislative chambers for weeks and weeks has finally been made into law. Legislative observers declare that the future of the prohibition question in Michigan is entirely upon the success of this measure. Instances of fraud and embezzlement have been reported in Michigan outside of Wayne county since the passage of the measure. A bill to regulate the sale of beer in Michigan is being introduced by Representative Paul Teasdale of Flint.

In normal times nearly half the output of the U. S. Steel Corporation went into things used on the farms. It is going to help the farmer in many ways when the farmer can get a surplus to spend; though it is hard to figure much of a surplus so long as taxes absorb all that even the prosperous farmer gets. We know of farms that have heard of farmers giving their farms away to escape responsibility. This is not the kind of thing that we want to see. It increases the tax burden on the farmer. We do not think that is true. In our opinion, the farmer will be the first as well as the greatest beneficiary of any change in our currency system which minimizes the purchasing power of the dollar. The farmer's cost of production has not fallen anywhere nearly as much as the prices he gets for his products have fallen.

News Review of Current Events the World Over

Senate Passes Farm Bill With Inflation Amendment—Roosevelt to Ask Authority to Deal With War Debts—Herriot Enters Conversations.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

BACKED by the administration, by the big Democratic majority in the senate and apparently by the favor of a large part of the population of the country, the Thomas inflation amendment to the farm relief bill was an easy victory in the senate. With only one contentious addition the farm bill was passed by a vote of 74 to 26.

As for the war debts, they were first brought up by Mr. MacDonnell, who let Mr. Roosevelt know that Great Britain would like a downward revision; and their committee reported that the basis was laid of a clear understanding of the situation affecting the two nations, though no agreement was under way yet. This encouragement Mr. Herriot and his expert assistants to present the arguments of France for cancellation.

Then Mr. Roosevelt let the correspondents know that he was preparing to reconvene the senate to reopen the war debt settlements and negotiate a reduction of the 11 billion dollar European nations owed the United States. If he were vested with this power the United States would enter the London conference prepared to bargain for stabilization of currencies on a modern gold basis, renunciation of all war debts, and a reduction of all war debts, and a reduction of all war debts.

Members of the French delegation said the President had promised that the French parliament would postpone the debt installment due on May 15. The French parliament would ask the French parliament to pay the defaulted December 15 payment. As Mr. MacDonnell said good-bye to the White House, he and Mr. Roosevelt announced that they had agreed on the following:

An increase in the general level of commodity prices. Re-orientation of commercial policy. Reduction of tariffs, quotas and exchange restrictions. A program of public works. Expansion of credit. Capital expenditures by government to stimulate business. An international monetary standard. Improvement of the status of Missions.

PRIME MINISTER HERIOT of France said that he had been in Washington to talk with the President; Finance Minister Guido Jung of Italy and Hjalmar Schacht of Germany were on their way, and Japan announced that it would send a delegation to the League of Nations. An especially dangerous clause in the Thomas amendment is the one that would allow the president to devalue the gold dollar to the extent of 50 per cent. Senator Borah, an indignant, argued that this would be declared unconstitutional. It may be this power will never be exercised, but it is a power that it is well to have in the hands of the president.

WAR debts and reduction of armaments came to the fore in the White House conversations with the French president. The plan was presented by the French plan and it included the American continent on the ground that it was impossible at present to make the pact universal. Masagel suggested that the creation of a permanent legislative power of a commission which would determine violations of the armaments agreement. Concrete measures to prevent manufacture of civil airplanes for military purposes were presented by the United States, Canada, Argentina and Japan.

REUSING to accept the Norris seat bill as a substitute, the President announced that the operation of the Muscle Shoals will be taken over by the federal government. The President announced that the operation of the Muscle Shoals will be taken over by the federal government. The President announced that the operation of the Muscle Shoals will be taken over by the federal government.

Alaska Adams

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WISCONSIN has the honor of being the second state to ratify the constitution. It was the first to do that by unanimous vote. The constitution was ratified on the 23rd of September, 1848. It was the first to do that by unanimous vote.

REPUBLICAN Federal Association is the name given to the organization just formed by prominent in the Hoover administration. The organization is the name given to the organization just formed by prominent in the Hoover administration.

Time to plant petunia seeds. Gloria Lowell.

Warmed buttermilk or vinegar with clean copper, brass or bronze. After cleaning, rub with oil and polish with dry flannel.

To thoroughly clean upholstery or rugs, use the suds of a mild soap and water. Use only the suds applied with a cloth or brush. Rub with clear water. The heat and moisture will swell the fibers of the wool and remove the dirt.

Only if you have Pontiac's size and weight and engine in your car, can you expect to really get your benefits out of the car. Pontiac is a typical General Motors car—outstanding for value in the low price field—and a good car to buy.

McQUEEN MOTOR CO. Main Street, Lowell, Michigan. Now at the Elton Hotel. Pontiac is a typical General Motors car—outstanding for value in the low price field—and a good car to buy.

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ARE FEATURING... Soup 4 cans 25¢. Golden Bantam Corn Raisin Bran 2 1/2 lbs. 12¢. Pea Soup 5 cans 12¢. Daily Egg Brand Poultry Feeds. Scratch Feed 100-lb. bag \$1.19. Baby Chick Feed 100-lb. bag \$1.39. Mash 50-lb. bag \$1.49.

SOMEONE IS ABOUT TO GET A JOB. A job is open! The employment manager runs through his list of qualified men and considers several. One of them has a telephone and can be reached quickly. He gets a first chance. Other things being equal, the applicant or former employee who can be reached by telephone is quite likely to get first call.

VERY LATEST. A smart and easily-made outfit. The outfit is illustrated as made of flower printed crepe in bright colors.

Homemaker's Corner. Warmed buttermilk or vinegar with clean copper, brass or bronze. After cleaning, rub with oil and polish with dry flannel.

Whites Bridge. children spent Saturday with relatives in Lakeview. Mr. Van Orsdel of Greenville spent part of the week at Ted Vanocker's.

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SUGAR 10 lb. 45¢. POSTS GRAPE-NUT FLAKES PREMIUM QUALITY. Chipso 2 for 25¢. BREAD CRUMBS. SALMON 2 cans 29¢.

FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES. NEW PEAS 3 pounds, 25c. NEW POTATOES 6 pounds, 19c. HEAD LETTUCE, size 60 2 for 13c. RADISHES 3 bunches for 10c.

Mabel Hall. TEACHER OF PIANO. In Charge of Branch Studio of BERGER SCHOOL OF MUSIC. Studio—613 Vergennes Rd. Phone 231.

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This and That From Around the Old Town

Richard Court of W. S. T. C. spent the week-end with his home folks. Jas. Manning and Charles Alexander made a business trip to Ionia Monday. Mr. Charles McIntyre is able to be out in a wheel chair a portion of the time.

Miss Grace Warren is making an extended visit with relatives in M. Clemons. Matthew Finis of Lansing is spending a few days with his brother, P. J., and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Gowan of Grand Rapids, spent the week-end with relatives in Lowell. Mrs. Mary Wingeler is spending the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Winger and family at Shiloh.

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SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

LOWELL BAPTIST CHURCH. The Thirty-five Peppys went to the Grand Rapids museum and Art gallery. The church is holding a series of evangelistic services at 7:30. Young Peoples Bible class Friday evening 7:45.

Mr. L. M. Veiler is the latest addition to the staff of the Lowell Ledger. Miss Zeona Rivette was home from M. Pleasant over the week-end.

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W. C. Hartman. Phone 38. 215 W. Main St. Hickory Hollow. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gramer of Lowell and Mrs. Erna Pickney and Mrs. Lovina Hunter spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Vanderlip.

Henry's Drug Store. 203 E. Main St. Lowell, Mich. Secure Tickets Before Boarding. EAST DAILY WEST 7:35 a.m. 8:55 a.m. 10:35 a.m. 12:35 p.m. 3:35 p.m. 5:35 p.m. EAST SUNDAY WEST 7:35 a.m. 10:35 a.m. 12:35 p.m. New Low Prices on Bound Trips.

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We have been very proud of our Sunday night services during the past year. This year we have not had any special speakers or special programs, yet the services have been largely attended.

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This coming Sunday night we are going to have a song feast, which will include the singing of all the real old Gospel hymns of which we all love and know. Both the Senior and Junior choirs will sing, and the pastor will preach an interesting sermon.

If you like to hear or sing the old hymns or if your church does not have an evening service, you will be cordially welcomed. The services will begin at 7:30 p. m. instead of 7:00 from now on.

—Contributed.
West Keene
By Mrs. F. A. Daniels

Mrs. Loveta Hunter of Saranac came Thursday for a visit at Ernest Pinkney's and other Keene friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Daniels were Sunday afternoon callers on Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sage of Cook's Corners.

The Sunday night storm took a portion of the barn roof from the late Kelsey Denton farm, now owned by his daughter Pansy, Mrs. Gerrit Krombein.

Mrs. Ray Parker is busy looking after sick relatives. Her mother, Mrs. Chris. Geher, having pneumonia, and Mrs. Geher's sister, Mrs. Minnie Kilgus, is also very ill with pneumonia, and Mrs. Kilgus' son Will is in Grand Rapids hospital with bursted appendix, and his niece, Miss Friedli, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Friedli in Detroit is in Ford hospital with pneumonia. Mr. Parker's mother, Mrs. Ed. Parker in Lowell, is very poorly and Mrs. Ernest Friedli's son Paul, near Saranac, is convalescing from a serious injury when his team ran away in Ionia recently, and threw him against a cement culvert.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pinkney entertained with a 7 o'clock dinner Tuesday evening in honor of Mrs. Loveta Hunter and the birthday of Ernest Pinkney. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. O. Vanderlip, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ellison, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Benedict, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Daniels, Alvah Pinkney and Kenneth Parker.

Garden Lore Club

The club met April 25th with Mrs. Harold Englehardt and members enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon. Mrs. P. J. Fineis, our vice president, was in charge of the program and was very much surprised when Mrs. Lewis Yeiler read a poem that was composed and read by Mrs. Fineis about six years ago when the club consisted of only twenty members.

Mrs. Wm. C. Doyle gave a very interesting talk about her visit to the National Flower Show in Miami recently. She told of seeing a display of orchids imported from South America valued at \$100,000. She also told that our Michigan delegate received second prize on flower composition.

Mrs. Shepard showed members a Japanese flower arrangement, using first three flowers and then kept adding until she had the bowl filled, after which Mrs. Foreman held a flower arrangement contest, the prize being won by Mrs. Eugene Carr.

The next meeting of the club will be at the home of Mrs. B. A. McQueen Tuesday, May 9. Mrs. Wm. Doyle will be in charge of the program. An outside speaker will discuss various garden problems.

Members are requested to bring plants for an auction sale to be held that afternoon. Club members are looking forward to the Garden tour and tea which will take place during the time the iris and tulips are in bloom.

So. Lowell Busy Corners

By Mrs. Howard Bartlett

Mrs. George Weiland and Mrs. Harold Rittenger were Grand Rapids visitors on Saturday.

William Kilgus was taken to Blodgett hospital Thursday night by George and Walter Weiland. It is reported that he is resting favorably. Neighbors send sympathy to Mr. Kilgus and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Williams and son were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rittenger.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bartlett were in Grand Rapids Friday and were in Belding and Greenville on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rittenger visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Taylor in Berlin township on Sunday night.

Mrs. Howard Bartlett visited Jack Achesons Saturday afternoon.

William Murphy, Sr., who has been living in Grand Rapids, expects to be at the C. G. Weiland home this week for an indefinite period.

To Buy, Sell, Rent or Swap Use Ledger Want Column.

More Local News

Robert Stiles, who has been very sick with pneumonia, is well on the way to recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Condon and children and Mrs. Golby were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert House at Trufant.

Mrs. Florence Stiles has moved her beauty parlor to the Strano theatre block, where she is nicely located in pleasant quarters.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sennema of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Bieri were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bleser.

There were about forty that attended church services Sunday evening at Alto. There will be services each Sunday evening at 7:45. Rev. Wenger, pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Converse of Belding, called on their grandmother Sunday evening and brought her a basket of lovely delicious fruit. We are glad to know that Mrs. Church is beginning to show a little improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Boylan returned Wednesday noon from Florida, where they spent the winter. Mr. Boylan was confined to the house for ten weeks the past winter, due to an accident. Mr. Boylan has not been in the best of health. They will soon be O. K., we predict, now that they are back home.

About forty-five relatives of Clyde Condon dropped in Tuesday evening to help him celebrate his birthday. Seven tables of progressive euchre were in play, and the honors were won by Aggie Condon and Merrill Day. Most long hands were played by Essie Condon and Bill Condon. After a lunch of sandwiches, fried cakes and coffee served by the hostess the guests departed for their homes wishing Mr. Condon many more birthdays.

The Keene Good Will club will be entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Royal Sparks for the May meeting, Wednesday May 3rd. Pot luck supper.

May Fashbaugh and Grace Jones motored to Benton Harbor Thursday, returning Monday after spending the week-end with Fred Fashbaugh.

Mrs. William Garfield received word of the death and burial of her uncle, Clarence Teft, who was buried at Vestaburg last Sunday.

Maggie Carr enjoyed last week in Lansing with her daughter, Mildred Carr.

Isabel Larsen of Grand Rapids, and friend, Darral Streeter of Rockford, were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vego Larsen.

Rose Brestley spent several days of last week with friends and relatives in Ionia.

Mrs. Frank Aldrich will return to Lake Odessa to the home of Altha Wolford after spending nearly all winter at the R. H. Dodds home.

Keene Sunshine Club The Keene Sunshine club met April 26th, Wednesday afternoon for regular meeting at the home of Amelia Dormer of Ionia, Rose Brestley, assistant hostess. Nine members present and three guests. Meeting called to order. Opening selection upon the Victoria. Club repeated Lord's prayer and sang a club song. Scattering Sunshine.

Business meeting convened. The ladies played Keene, each lady that keenoed received a prize. There were six prizes given. A fine pot luck supper. Club adjourned for next meeting in May at Sarah Davenports. Everyone enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon.

In Memoriam
In loving but sad remembrance of our dear husband and father who left us one year ago May 5, 1932.
Mrs. Charles Cahill and Children. (p59)

"I hear that the widow Warner recently went under a peculiar spell."
"What was the nature of it?"
"She was married to Prince Djordjadze."

Social Events

Reception for Newly Weds

Saturday evening found the home of Clyde Francisco the scene of a lively reception given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. George Francisco. Sixteen tables of progressive pedro were played. Honors going to Blanche Kelley and Charles Krum, consolation to Bernice Francisco and Thomas Weekes. Refreshments of ice cream and cake was served at 12:30 to about one hundred and thirty guests, some of them came from Flint, Kalamazoo, Hickory Corners, Clarksville, Grand Rapids and Belding. Many very beautiful gifts were left and best wishes to the bride and groom.

Last Thursday evening a shower was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Stahl in honor of Mr. and Mrs. George Francisco. About 100 guests were present. The bride received many beautiful and useful gifts.

Married

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of A. J. Porritt at high noon April 30, 1933, in the presence of the immediate family, when his daughter Grace became the bride of Lyle G. Armstrong of Detroit. The ceremony was read by his mother, Reverend Lucy Armstrong of Detroit. They were assisted by Victor and Edythe Porritt, brother and sister of the bride. The bride wore white satin and carried a bouquet of roses and sweet peas. The bridesmaid wore green taffeta, and carried a bouquet of pink sweet peas.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brezina and Dr. and Mrs. H. P. Goffredsen entertained the P. D. club at the home of the latter Thursday evening, honors going to Mrs. E. E. Sigler and Mr. Brezina.

Mrs. D. A. Wingeler entertained the Book Review club at her home Tuesday night. Mrs. Robert Hahn gave a review of G. B. Shaw's latest book: "The Adventures of a Black Girl Seeking God."

Mrs. F. A. Gould assisted by Mrs. Wesley Roth, entertained the Jolly Eight at her home Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Treva Speers and Mrs. Alice Denie held high scores in euchre which was the past time game.

Mrs. R. M. Shivel and Mrs. V. E. Snell entertained the rose group of the Garden Lore club at the home of the former Monday evening.

The T. N. T. club was entertained Thursday evening, April 27th at the Vergennes Grange hall by Harry and Lester Stauffer, Donald McPherson, Lawrence Biggs and Lew Morse. The next meeting to be a "weenie" roast at Fallasburg park, May 11th. Bring own "weenies." Meet at M. E. church at 6 o'clock p. m. sharp. There will be transportation for all.

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This Column for Trout Fishermen

Monday, May 1, saw the opening of the trout season with many local anglers on near and distant streams. Those who went farther north report streams swollen from Sunday's downpour. Those who tried the home streams had about as good luck as those who traveled many hours' journey. But the lure of distance is great and the joy of anticipation is greater.

A. F. Zwerner knows his Science, but not so his trout. On May Day, properly equipped with fly rod, reel and a magnificent assortment of flies he hid himself to a near-by trout stream. My, what a catch! Beginner's luck was with him. Proudly he displayed his catch to first one and then another as he wended his way homeward, only to be greeted in each instance by either a stony stare or a side glance of uplifted eyes which spoke of superior wisdom piscatorially and even scorn on the part of the beholder. At last a sympathetic friend told him the unvarnished truth. His creel contained chubs and bullheads. Dejectedly A. F. Z. finished his homeward journey, a sadder, wiser man, but henceforth, a true disciple of Isaac Walton.

Wesley A. Roth and Paul Kellogg dipped their lines in the Pine. Lady Luck was not with them to much extent. Too much rain.

Ben Kerekes, Ralph Whinnery and Vine Hunter also tried their luck on the Pine. Ben came home with a creel containing 15 speckled beauties, which is all the law allows. Some folks are never satisfied with less.

The legal fraternity was represented by Messrs. Linsey and Shivel, Judge Brown and others at the Shivel cabin on the Cedar. Haven't heard what luck.

The Rev. R. W. Merrill, who took to himself the admonition once given to Peter to become a "fisher of men," invariably takes the opening day of the trout season to become a "fisher of fishes." Others in this party included M. D. Hoyt and L. J. Rickner of Lowell and Dr. L. D. Benedict of Ionia. There being a dominion in this party it was but natural that they should go to the River Jordan. At this writing the party have not yet returned. Some fishermen are real persistent.

A. H. Stormzand and Merritt Miller spent from Monday until Wednesday on the Jordan. They report pretty good luck.

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Logan

By Clare Vandewerker

Daniel Zook and family, with Mrs. Fanny Zook and her sister from Indiana, visited at Albert Bleam's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Roth and Mr. and Mrs. London of near Clarksville were guests of Clarence Trowbridge and family last Wednesday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. Wilkins of Freeport, Ada Snyder of Elmdale, William Kauffman and wife of Bowne Center, were Sunday visitors at S. S. Weaver's.

Howard Life has rented Mrs. Louise Mishler's house and he and family are preparing to move from Caledonia to this place soon.

John Overholt, wife, and Mrs. E. Lite went to the home of David Heffebower of near Lake Odessa last Wednesday and found Dave very seriously ill with pneumonia. Mrs. Overholt, and Homer, Mrs. E. Lite and Ruth Kauffman went to see David Sunday and found him not much improved.

Stephen Irish and wife of near Eaton Rapids were week-end guests of Mrs. Irish's brother, Samuel Cannavan and wife.

Lloyd Zerbe, wife and children went to near La Grange, Ind., Monday to see Mrs. Zerbe's grandfather, John Miller, who is seriously ill with gangrene in his foot. Mrs. Andrew Blough accompanied the Zerbes.

Wilbur Tyler and wife were Sunday guests of Wesley Blough and wife of Freeport.

George Francisco and wife of near Moseley, Lee Francisco and

Ether Stahl of Lowell, Ralph Stahl and family of near Bowne Center, visited their parents, Emanuel Stahl and wife Sunday. Mrs. Andrew Blough and Hobart of South Bowne, were Sunday dinner guests at Ray Seese's.

Miss Mammie Tyler and Delton Tyler visited Mrs. Dedie Myers and son Adon of Freeport, Sunday.

Samuel Cannavan and wife, with Mabel Lite were in Grand Rapids Monday.

Lee Bryant and wife were Sunday evening guests at Ray Seese's. Emanuel Stahl and wife entertained with a shower for their daughter, Mrs. George Francisco and husband last Wednesday evening. Over fifty were present and the newly wedded couple received many fine gifts.

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