

THE COST OF CROP CONTROL

JUST WHAT the new Crop Control Act will do for the average farmer remains to be seen. Like...

Lowell Makes Big Cut in Debt During Past Year

Municipal Plant Nets \$14,738.53

On page seven of this issue of The Ledger will be found the annual financial statement of the Village of Lowell for the fiscal year ending January 31, 1938.

HONORS TO ST. PATRICK

ON MARCH 17 the people of the Irish race revere the memory of St. Patrick. This famous personage...

SPRING REPAIRS

AFTER the storms of winter, one of the first jobs is to look over the home place and see what repairs it needs.

THEY GET RESULTS

A MAN who has placed more than \$75,000,000 worth of newspaper advertising in the last 20 years...

SHY CHILDREN

A PATHETIC news story from Waco, Mo., tells how a 12 year old boy perished from exposure.

A Family Washing in 1918

Started Smelt Fishing Sport

Because a husband who had been ordered to draw a part of water for his family wash hauled up a pair of fish instead...

SAFETY ORGANIZATION

THE NATIONAL SAFETY council is now represented by organizations in about 50 cities.

East Michigan Potatoes

East Jordan is usually the scene

Lost Titles Total Thousands Annually

In the rush to serve the public just before the March 1 deadline for the purchase of 1938 automobile license plates...

Motor vehicle owners are deprived from exercising ordinary legal rights in connection with their cars...

Complications sometimes follow in the wake of applications for duplicate titles.

The last of the outstanding bonds will be retired in 1944 when the final payment on the Paving bonds comes due.

In the Sinking Fund is a cash balance of \$9,664.75 which will be used to help pay off other obligations during the coming year.

Municipal Light & Power plant net earnings showed an increase over last year; this year's net earnings being \$14,738.53 against \$14,741.41 for last year.

Standard Oil Company of Indiana has become distributor for Quaker State Oil Refining corporation.

Standard Oil is recommending Quaker State oils and greases, he said, as the highest quality, best advertised nationally and most widely distributed Pennsylvania lubricants.

Grand Sire to Speak at Odd Fellow Meeting

A large representation from Lowell and the surrounding county is expected to attend a regional conference of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows and affiliated branches at the Civic Auditorium.

Overcoats at Bargain Prices

We still have about 15 Overcoats which can be bought at a very low price rather than pack them away.

Rotary Sponsoring Dad-Son Banquet

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Kent Farm Bureau Adopts Resolution Of Local Interest

The annual meeting of the Kent County Farm Bureau was held in Grand Rapids last Friday at which time the following resolutions of local interest were unanimously adopted:

We commend the administration of the State Farm Bureau by the Board of Directors and Secretary-Manager, Clark L. Brody.

We also commend County Agent, K. K. Vining and Eleanor Densmore, Home Demonstration Agent, and approve the policies of the Kent County Board of Supervisors in providing adequate financial resources for continuation of the work.

We commend the Honorable J. Neil Lamoreaux, Senator from the 17th district and Honorable Earl A. Pennington, Senator from the 16th district, also Representatives Chas. Feenstra and Maurice Post, members of the House of Representatives, second and third districts, for their loyalty and support to the policies of the Farm Bureau and organized agriculture.

We commend the Consumers Power Company for the extension of electricity to the rural districts of Kent County and request them to seriously consider a reduction to three consumers to the mile without any financial contribution except the guarantee per month per mile.

We believe that the sales tax should not be disturbed at the present time on account of the revenue being necessary for the maintenance of state government and contribution to education, direct relief, old age pensions, etc.

We approve the referendum petitions circulated by the Supervisors' Association and urge our members to use every effort to defeat the bills by voting "no" at the November election.

We also approve the circulation of initiative petitions provided for complete county control and administration of all forms of aid and assistance. We pledge our support to a county-wide committee organized for such purposes.

Thursday, Mar. 10, Joe Penner in "The Life of the Party" with Gene Raymond, Parkyakarkus, Victor Moore, Harriet Hilliard and Helen Broderick; also comedy, "Oh, What a Knight," "Frotting Throats," cartoon, "Air Hostess" and Fox News.

Friday and Saturday, Mar. 11-12. The mighty Tarzan who knew only of the jungle. A beautiful white girl who knew only the law of love. Together they face untold terrors of the African night, Edgar Rice Burroughs' latest masterpiece "Tarzan's Revenge" with Glen Morris and Eleanor Holm; also "Life Begins With Love" with Jean Parker and Douglas Montgomery.

Sunday and Monday, Mar. 13-14. "Love and Hisses," laughs and kisses, music and mimes, and all these stars are in it. Walter Winchell, Ben Bernie, Simone Simon, Bert Lahr, Joan Davis, Raymond Scott and many others; also comedy special, Charlie Chase in "Man Bites Love Bug"; cartoon, "Keeper of the Lions" and Pathe News.

Tuesday and Wednesday, Mar. 15-16. "The Man Who Cried Wolf" with Lewis Stone, Barbara Reed and Tom Brown; also "Over the Goal" with June Travis, William Hopper and Johnnie Davis. Pathe News.

Thursday, Mar. 17. A musical funfest with the easiest, funniest and the most gorgeous girls. The Thrill of a Lifetime" with the Yacht Club Boys, Ben Blue, Eleanor Whitney, Betty Grable, Johnny Downs, Dorothy Lamour and Larry Crabbe; also comedy, "Heir Today," "Travel," "Mexican Mural," cartoon, "Saw Mill Mystery" and News.

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Sunday, Mar. 20. A musical funfest with the easiest, funniest and the most gorgeous girls. The Thrill of a Lifetime" with the Yacht Club Boys, Ben Blue, Eleanor Whitney, Betty Grable, Johnny Downs, Dorothy Lamour and Larry Crabbe; also comedy, "Heir Today," "Travel," "Mexican Mural," cartoon, "Saw Mill Mystery" and News.

Monday, Mar. 21. A musical funfest with the easiest, funniest and the most gorgeous girls. The Thrill of a Lifetime" with the Yacht Club Boys, Ben Blue, Eleanor Whitney, Betty Grable, Johnny Downs, Dorothy Lamour and Larry Crabbe; also comedy, "Heir Today," "Travel," "Mexican Mural," cartoon, "Saw Mill Mystery" and News.

Tuesday, Mar. 22. A musical funfest with the easiest, funniest and the most gorgeous girls. The Thrill of a Lifetime" with the Yacht Club Boys, Ben Blue, Eleanor Whitney, Betty Grable, Johnny Downs, Dorothy Lamour and Larry Crabbe; also comedy, "Heir Today," "Travel," "Mexican Mural," cartoon, "Saw Mill Mystery" and News.

Wednesday, Mar. 23. A musical funfest with the easiest, funniest and the most gorgeous girls. The Thrill of a Lifetime" with the Yacht Club Boys, Ben Blue, Eleanor Whitney, Betty Grable, Johnny Downs, Dorothy Lamour and Larry Crabbe; also comedy, "Heir Today," "Travel," "Mexican Mural," cartoon, "Saw Mill Mystery" and News.

Thursday, Mar. 24. A musical funfest with the easiest, funniest and the most gorgeous girls. The Thrill of a Lifetime" with the Yacht Club Boys, Ben Blue, Eleanor Whitney, Betty Grable, Johnny Downs, Dorothy Lamour and Larry Crabbe; also comedy, "Heir Today," "Travel," "Mexican Mural," cartoon, "Saw Mill Mystery" and News.

Friday, Mar. 25. A musical funfest with the easiest, funniest and the most gorgeous girls. The Thrill of a Lifetime" with the Yacht Club Boys, Ben Blue, Eleanor Whitney, Betty Grable, Johnny Downs, Dorothy Lamour and Larry Crabbe; also comedy, "Heir Today," "Travel," "Mexican Mural," cartoon, "Saw Mill Mystery" and News.

Saturday, Mar. 26. A musical funfest with the easiest, funniest and the most gorgeous girls. The Thrill of a Lifetime" with the Yacht Club Boys, Ben Blue, Eleanor Whitney, Betty Grable, Johnny Downs, Dorothy Lamour and Larry Crabbe; also comedy, "Heir Today," "Travel," "Mexican Mural," cartoon, "Saw Mill Mystery" and News.

Sunday, Mar. 27. A musical funfest with the easiest, funniest and the most gorgeous girls. The Thrill of a Lifetime" with the Yacht Club Boys, Ben Blue, Eleanor Whitney, Betty Grable, Johnny Downs, Dorothy Lamour and Larry Crabbe; also comedy, "Heir Today," "Travel," "Mexican Mural," cartoon, "Saw Mill Mystery" and News.

Monday, Mar. 28. A musical funfest with the easiest, funniest and the most gorgeous girls. The Thrill of a Lifetime" with the Yacht Club Boys, Ben Blue, Eleanor Whitney, Betty Grable, Johnny Downs, Dorothy Lamour and Larry Crabbe; also comedy, "Heir Today," "Travel," "Mexican Mural," cartoon, "Saw Mill Mystery" and News.

Tuesday, Mar. 29. A musical funfest with the easiest, funniest and the most gorgeous girls. The Thrill of a Lifetime" with the Yacht Club Boys, Ben Blue, Eleanor Whitney, Betty Grable, Johnny Downs, Dorothy Lamour and Larry Crabbe; also comedy, "Heir Today," "Travel," "Mexican Mural," cartoon, "Saw Mill Mystery" and News.

Wednesday, Mar. 30. A musical funfest with the easiest, funniest and the most gorgeous girls. The Thrill of a Lifetime" with the Yacht Club Boys, Ben Blue, Eleanor Whitney, Betty Grable, Johnny Downs, Dorothy Lamour and Larry Crabbe; also comedy, "Heir Today," "Travel," "Mexican Mural," cartoon, "Saw Mill Mystery" and News.

Thursday, Mar. 31. A musical funfest with the easiest, funniest and the most gorgeous girls. The Thrill of a Lifetime" with the Yacht Club Boys, Ben Blue, Eleanor Whitney, Betty Grable, Johnny Downs, Dorothy Lamour and Larry Crabbe; also comedy, "Heir Today," "Travel," "Mexican Mural," cartoon, "Saw Mill Mystery" and News.

Friday, Apr. 1. A musical funfest with the easiest, funniest and the most gorgeous girls. The Thrill of a Lifetime" with the Yacht Club Boys, Ben Blue, Eleanor Whitney, Betty Grable, Johnny Downs, Dorothy Lamour and Larry Crabbe; also comedy, "Heir Today," "Travel," "Mexican Mural," cartoon, "Saw Mill Mystery" and News.

Saturday, Apr. 2. A musical funfest with the easiest, funniest and the most gorgeous girls. The Thrill of a Lifetime" with the Yacht Club Boys, Ben Blue, Eleanor Whitney, Betty Grable, Johnny Downs, Dorothy Lamour and Larry Crabbe; also comedy, "Heir Today," "Travel," "Mexican Mural," cartoon, "Saw Mill Mystery" and News.

Dad-Son Banquet Is For Entire Community

Complete arrangements have been made for the first annual community Father and Son banquet which will be held in the school gymnasium on Tuesday, March 22, at 7 o'clock.

The main attraction will be the movies which will be shown and explained by Ben East, Outdoor Editor of the Grand Rapids Press.

The pictures are actual photographs of hunting and fishing expeditions in Canada and are very interesting. The toasts will be given by C. H. Runciman, Sr. and C. H. Runciman, Jr. One will toast the "Dads" and the other will return the compliment to the "Sons."

There will be no other speeches but community singing and other musical numbers will be part of the program. The dinner will be served by William Christiansen and he promises a feed long to be remembered. All expenses incidental to the banquet will be paid by the Rotary Club.

Tickets are \$1.25 for father and son and may be secured from Ed. Kiel at the Palace Cleaners or at the school. Fathers who have no sons and sons who have no fathers may attend and they may secure a son or father for the evening by contacting Mr. Kiel or the school.

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Ben East, outdoor editor of the Grand Rapids Press, will give an illustrated lecture, "The Land of Midnight Twilight," as a feature presentation on Tuesday evening, Mar. 22, in the new high school auditorium at the Father and Son banquet which is being held under auspices of the Lowell Rotary Club and cooperating churches.

During this trip Mr. East encountered bear, moose and other arctic wild life, including the fowl and fish of that region. It was an expedition in a little explored country and the Grand Rapids editor was able to bring back a vivid account of his adventures through the use of a motion picture camera.

All farmers residing in the adjacent territory are invited to attend the banquet with their sons.

Ed. Kiel is in charge of the tickets, which are on sale at the Palace Cleaners. Two tickets for \$1.25, single tickets, 65c.

Village Election Next Monday

The annual village election occurs next Monday. Because of the fact that there is but one ticket in the field, many voters may think that it will make no difference if they do not vote.

However, it is a gesture of approval for the work of our officials if all citizens would go to the polls next Monday and so express themselves by their vote.

The annual financial statement, published in this issue, shows that village affairs have been economically managed, and as President Arehart said at the recent meeting of the Board of Trade, "If citizens will lend their cooperation by not demanding too much for expenditures we can be entirely out of debt by 1942 or soon thereafter."

It is an encouraging sign when a public official makes that kind of appeal.

With one exception, all of the candidates are up for re-election, as follows: Arehart for president, Johnson for clerk, White for treasurer, Bergin for assessor, and Christiansen, Roth and Rutherford for trustees.

Reading Contests Scheduled Next Week

Turnship reading champions and runners-up will meet next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday in sectional contests to determine a representative for the finals, which will be held over radio station WOOD early next month.

The contest is held in three divisions with pupils competing in third and fourth, fifth and sixth, and seventh and eighth grades. Outside judges are planned for the sectional contests, which will be held under the sponsorship of the Rural Teachers Club. A book will be given each sectional winner at the contest.

The Teachers Club is presenting a plaque to the winner of the finals in each division.

The schedule of contests is as follows: Monday, Mar. 14—South-east Section at Alto school (Bovne No. 4 fr.); Lester Bailey, chairman.

Tuesday, Mar. 15—East Central Section at Cannonburg school (Cannon No. 2 fr.); Clara Lyndrup, chairman.

All contests begin at 2:45 p. m.

ADA BOY, COMPANIONS PLEAD NOT GUILTY

Lawrence Sargent of near Ada, and Orion Bridge, Greenville, Tex., pleaded innocent to charges of being accessories before the fact in the holdup-slaying of a tavern proprietor at Port Washington, Wis., several weeks ago.

Fred C. May of Traverse City pleaded innocent to first degree murder. Trial for the three men was adjourned for one week.

BREAK FOR TROUT FISHERS

Trout fishermen will get two special breaks from the calendar this year.

Important Facts Concerning Next May Tax Sale

Auditor General George T. Gundry, asked the State press to aid in correcting some misinformation concerning the May tax sale procedure by the taxpayers.

Gundry stated that he believed that most of the difficulty lay in a misunderstanding of tax sale procedure by the taxpayers.

RED & WHITE

THE BEST THE MARKET AFFORDS

Evaporated Milk Red and White 3 tall cans 20c

CALIFORNIA DRIED PRUNES Bulk lb. 5c

A. B. Soup Tomato or Vegetable can 5c

Corn Flakes Red & White large box 9c

Beet Sugar Michigan 10 lbs. 55c

Red & White Coffee lb. 27c Catsup . . . tall bottle 10c
 Blue & White Coffee lb. 23c Pink Salmon 2 tall cans 25c
 Green & White Coffee lb. 17c Am. Family Soap 5 bars 26c

Rinso Lux Large Rinso 21c **SPRY** SHORTEXTING One pound can 21c

Lux Soap 4 bars 25c **3-lb. Economy Size** 53c

SOUTHERN RED RIPE Tomatoes lb. 10c

Head Lettuce Fancy crisp large hds. Ea. 7 1/2c

Cabbage . lb. 5c **Oranges** doz. 19c

Gr. Beans lb. 12 1/2c **Apples** Delicious 5 lbs. 19c

LAMB STEW This is not mutton lb. 9c

Bacon Squares lb. 17c **TIP TOP** Pig Hearts 2 lbs. 25c

Hamburg 2 lbs. 35c **OLEO** Veal Stew lb. 13c

Veal Roast lb. 20c **2 lbs. 25c** Pork Sausage 2 lbs. 35c

MILD CREAM Cheese lb. 19c

Branded Beef Ribs . . . lb. 13c

Branded Chuck Roast . . . lb. 20c

Branded Pot Roast . . . lb. 18c

Branded Rolled Roast . . . lb. 25c

Weaver's Food Market

. . Famous for Foods . .

Woman's Club

On Wednesday, March 2nd, the Lowell Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Theron Richmond, with the President, Mrs. W. W. Gumsier, in the chair. Routine matters of business were taken care of and the election of officers resulted in the continuing in office of all incumbents: President, Mrs. Gumsier; First Vice Pres., Mrs. B. E. Quick; Second Vice Pres., Mrs. Chas. Foster; Recording Secy., Mrs. John Lalley; Treasurer, Mrs. A. R. Smith; Corresponding Secy., Mrs. Wm. Burdick; Parliamentarian, Mrs. H. J. Coons; Press Correspondent, Mrs. F. F. Coons. Mrs. John Taylor and Mrs. Burdick were elected membership on the Bd. of Directors, and Mrs. Gumsier as delegate to the State Federation with Mrs. Quick as alternate. Mrs. Gumsier spoke feelingly of the loyal cooperation of the club members, expressing her deep appreciation.

Miss Audie Post, chairman of program committee, then announced a trumpet solo by Mrs. Bruce Walter, who played "My Song of Songs" by Clay Smith and as an encore, "In a Persian Market". Mrs. Walter plays beautifully and her accompanist, Mrs. Cox, gave her support in her usual finished style. The music was a delight to all.

Miss Post now introduced the guest speaker of the day, Mrs. O'Keefe, who had chosen as her subject, "Architecture", and addressed us at some length with very evident knowledge of her subject. Having travelled extensively through Europe and read widely, she spoke with authority on the details of Egyptian, Roman and Grecian architecture of ancient days, all of which reached the peak of perfection in the Age of Pericles. Following the Gothic invasion, the Gothic left their impression on most of European architecture down to the time of the Renaissance, the Gothic being characterized by pointed arches and stained glass. Its highest development is found in cathedrals with their fine floral designs in stone. Mrs. O'Keefe cited St. Mary's church in Lowell as a typical example, except that it is in wood. Then followed vivid description of some of the most noted cathedrals of Europe—examples of the best in Gothic—located in England, France and especially Belgium, whose people surrendered in the World War to save their beautiful buildings and art treasures.

Typical of our own country is the skyscraper or office building which has a beauty all its own, many examples of which have been erected by the renowned one-time Lowellite, the late Ernest Graham. With a vote of thanks to Mrs. O'Keefe for her interesting and most interesting discourse, the club adjourned.

Social Events

West Vergennes Extension Club

The West Vergennes Home Economics Extension Class met with Mrs. Thelma Roth on Feb. 25. Due to illness, only five members were present. A very interesting lesson on curtaining windows was given by the leaders.

The time and place of the next meeting will be announced later.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Folkersma, South Westside avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Thelma to Clark Morse, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard J. Morse, Lowell. No definite date has been set for the wedding.—Kalamazoo Gazette.

Shivels, Doyle's Entertain

Atty. and Mrs. R. M. Shivels and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Doyle entertained with a bridge-supper in Grand Rapids Sunday evening. There were eight tables in play. Prizes going to Mrs. E. C. Foreman, Mrs. H. P. Jotfredsen, Paul Kellogg and B. A. McQueen.

Tenth Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Carr entertained last week Thursday evening with a surprise party for Mr. Carr, Russell Carr of Grand Rapids, honoring their tenth wedding anniversary. There were about fifteen guests present, all leaving lovely gifts. Cards were the diversion of the evening.

Social Brevities

The Book Review Club met last week Tuesday evening with Mrs. Warner Roth, Mrs. W. W. Gumsier reviewing "The Citadel" by A. J. Cronin.

The Fortnightly Club met Tuesday evening with Mrs. Virginia Beach, Mrs. Ruth Aehart assisting.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Sayles were hosts to the Old Time Club at their home on E. Main-st. Saturday evening. Twelve members being present. Cards were played, high honors going to Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Ricker and congratulations to Mrs. Lyle Condon and Earl Dowling. Everyone enjoyed a good time and the lovely potluck supper.

Stability

The temptation to feel, with Hamlet, that "the time is out of joint" is common to many of earth's inhabitants today. And unquestionably, sometimes with less provocation, sometimes with more, such has often been the opinion in the past. Men normally desire safety, stability, security, and have looked for them in human governments, persons, investments, positions, professions, and achievements of all kinds.

But have they found these things? No! Not in any material plans or possessions, however humanly wise or good, have permanent safety and security been found. Certainly not in what we call our times have these been experienced. And that makes all the more interesting a statement which has stood in Isaiah for more than two thousand years: "Wisdom and knowledge shall be the stability of thy times," he said. Not gold, nor armaments, nor organizations and unified materiality, but "wisdom and knowledge" alone bring stability.

True knowledge, really helpful knowledge, consists in understanding spiritual and eternal facts. If all men everywhere would consciously reflect the wisdom of divine Mind, the intelligence and integrity, the far-seeing judgment and complete kindness of that Mind, there would be no more confusion and distress, no more hate and fear, no more warfare and insecurity. But all men are not consciously doing this, nor do the majority seem yet ready to do so. Therefore, those of us who are in a measure spiritually ready, must do our part particularly well, that we may lead the world to see that it is not primarily our times but our thinking, that is wrong.

He who dwells on high, who habitually keeps thought above the sordid and material, the dishonest and the low, dwells in the divinely mental atmosphere above the fears and disturbances of so-called mortal mind. He who understands even partially that God is omnipotent, the one and only real power, and that God is knowable and available, has in this understanding a sure defense, a rock of stability.

The fear of losing good, the belief in fluctuating good, produces a sense of insecurity, begets instability. The individual who understands that the one changeless Good is the everlasting source of all true life, happiness, provision, security, and stability knows no fear.

How safe and undisturbed was Jesus in spite of the great disturbances, ignorance, and poverty which also characterized his times? Was not this because of the spiritual conviction expressed in his statement, "I and my Father are one"? His spiritual wisdom, his selfless, loving knowledge of good, gave him a sense of his own and every man's eternal security as an individual idea in Mind, forever safe from harm.

Today, mankind must learn that not in matter but in Spirit is true safety; that it is hate and fear, selfishness and materiality that make for instability, and that love and wise co-operation, fearlessness, the ever-lasting helplessness, bring security. Learning this, they will begin to appreciate as a present possibility the heaven defined on page 587 of the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, thus, "Heaven: Harmony; the realm of Spirit; government by divine Principle; spirituality; bliss; the atmosphere of Soul."

Then the nations will see that true riches are mental; that valuable possessions are spiritual; that a country's real need is not geographical expansion, but an expanding mental horizon. Then they will realize that the only necessary armament is the assurance of good founded on the rock, Truth; that the only seeming enemy is evil—ignorance of God; that the only needed weapon is the love of God intelligently applied, and that spiritual wisdom, the knowledge of God constitutes the only stability of our own or any other time.—The Christian Science Monitor.

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Card of Thanks

We wish to thank Rev. Claus and Rev. Barksdale for their comforting words, our friends and neighbors who so kindly sent flowers and those who donated the use of their cars during our recent bereavement, the death of our dear wife and mother.

Chris Fahrni and Family.

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So. Boston Grange

The regular meeting of the Grange was held last Saturday night. After the meeting, ten games of pedro were played with eight tables in the lineup, honors going to Irene Tapley, Ira Sargent, Lyle Bovee and Claude Harker. A potluck supper was served after the games.

On Saturday night, Mar. 19, a program under the direction of Mrs. Lyle Bovee and the Misses Mildred Kyser and Gladah Sargent. This will be the first of a series of community meetings and it is hoped there will be a good attendance. Potluck supper after the program.

CARD OF THANKS

To our neighbors and friends, to the Whitneyville Ladies Aid Society, and to the employees of the Corduroy Rubber Company, we wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation of their kindness, beautiful flowers and sympathy in our late bereavement, the loss of husband and father.

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More Local News

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Clifford Evans entertained at his home Sunday the following guests, Misses Lella and Grace Dennie and Gladys Kinyon and Harold Green of West Lowell and George Miller of Alto.

Lawrence Rutherford will leave some time next week on a brief automobile trip to California. Mrs. Rutherford, who has been spending the winter in Los Angeles, will return with him.

Tuesday visitors at Mrs. Anna Yardley's were Mrs. Oma Shear and family and Mrs. Bessie DeVine of Whites Bridge, Mesdames Minnie Shear, Jennett Shear, Emma Bradley and Luthera Verlin of Knapp Avenue.

Sale of the home on South Hudson-st., owned by Mrs. Pearl Long of Clarkville to Mrs. Maud Shabram of Grand Rapids was completed last week and Mrs. Shabram is now living at her new residence. The sale was made through the A. R. Smith Real Estate Agency.

Mrs. Bessie Baxter, Mrs. Eola Titus and three daughters of Penn Yan, N. Y., came Friday to visit the former's sister and mother, Mrs. Anna Yardley and Mrs. Ridgway. They spent Wednesday with their sister, Mrs. Allen in Flint, returning to their homes on Thursday.

Sunday visitors to see their sisters and mother at the Yardley home were Levi Ridgway and family of Muskegon Heights, Guy Ridgway and family of Sparta, Cell Ridgway and family of Greenville, Mrs. Hattie Haynes and sons of Cedar Springs, Mrs. Oma Shear and family of Whites Bridge, Arthur Ridgway of Clarkston, Mrs.

CALENDAR of COMING EVENTS

Don't forget the Father and Son banquet at the high school gym March 22. Ben East, well known wild life writer, will be speaker. Plan now to attend.

The Keene Jolly Community Club will meet with Mrs. George Denton on Wednesday, Mar. 16.

The next meeting of the Lowell Woman's Club will be held in the Home Economics Department at the high school on March 16 at 2:30 p. m. when Miss Ellen O'Conner will be hostess.

The regular meeting of Cyclamen Chapter, No. 94, will be held Friday evening with a potluck supper at 6:30 and meeting at 7:30. Mrs. Florence Bychman, Associate Grand Matron, will conduct a School of Instruction.

Triple C Circle will meet with Mrs. Carl Freyermuth at 2:30 Friday afternoon.

Segwan Community Club will entertain in South Ward school Friday, Mar. 18, at 8 o'clock. Club will serve hot baked potatoes with butter and hot coffee, free. Bring service, sandwiches and one other dish. There will be a good program in honor of St. Patrick's Day. Children must be accompanied by parents.

The first meeting of the Garden Lore Club will be held on April 5. Mrs. P. J. Fineis, program chairman, is planning an interesting meeting.

Don't forget the South Bell school PTA to be held at the school house on Friday evening, Mar. 11. Pleasant Valley will present their play. Potluck supper and election of officers. Everyone welcome.

The Rosenberger Dramatic Club will present a three-act play, "Small Town Romeo," at Alto Grange hall Thursday evening, Mar. 17, at 8:15. Admission 10c and 20c.

Basketball

Lowell 34, Greenville 27

Loose guarding on the part of the Lowell team during the second half of their game with Greenville nearly cost them the district championship. The first two quarters found the Averymen playing a classy brand of ball while ringing up a 14-2 lead at the end of the quarter and increasing it to 20-8 at the intermission.

In the last half the Greenville outfit proved you are never licked until the final whistle by challenging them up from all angles and coming within four points of tying up the ball game. At this crucial moment of the game three long shots by Captain Fonger and Phelps put the game on ice for the locals and took all the remaining snags from the Greenville attack. Kyser again was high for Lowell with 14 while Fonger and Phelps contributed 6 and 8. Burgess was the big noise for Greenville by connecting for 14 points while his team mate, Falling, also collected 11.

Do not weaken the muscles, dull the brain, or discourage the heart by thinking you are a martyr. Probably your real trouble is that you aren't busy enough.

If you see a person making a blunder and volunteer to set him right, you are an extrovert, says a psychologist. Does extrovert mean the same as countryman?

Georgia Tries Again

LOS ANGELES . . . Pretty Georgia Coleman, former Olympic and World's diving champion, who practically lost the use of her legs following an infantile paralysis attack, again takes to the water for her first workout since her illness. She predicts that it won't be long before she resumes her old form.

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4-H CLUB NEWS

The Nimble Fingers Club of Lowell community was organized early and has been holding its regular meetings every week at the home of the leader, Mrs. Orin Graham. There are twelve members, Ruth, Doris and Marjorie Lyons, Theresa Rollins, secretary; Elaine Foster, vice president; Doris Sterrick, Ethel Hinkle Bernice Straus, Margaret Eefgen, Lucille Preston, treasurer; Dorothy Barry and Dorothy Wingeler, president.

The girls are getting along fine. They are working on their dresses now and looking forward to Achievement day.

Dorothy Wingeler, Pres.

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 BEN BERNIE
 Simone SIMON

Love AND Kisses

Chas. Chase in "Man Bites Love Bug." Cartoon and News

FREEHOLD, N. J. . . . When the custodian of the County Court House here ordered newboy Raymond Trotter out of the building, Raymond found a friend indeed. He was none other than County Sheriff George Roberts who made the 13-year-old boy a Deputy Sheriff. Here's Raymond, badge and all, IN the Court House — and just try to throw him out!

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