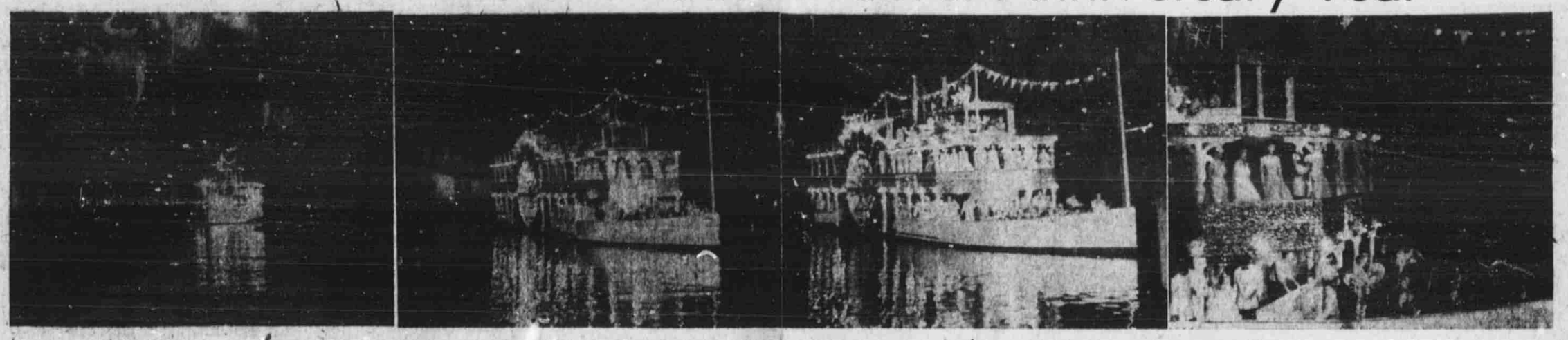
Here Comes the Showboat – Silver Anniversary Year



THE LOWELL LEDGER

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"I hope you are all well and enjoying the Showboat excitement", write Berenice Smith from Florida. Mrs. Smith has always been an ardent Showboat fan, and was always a member of the chorus during her residence here.

However, for the past three years she has lived a great share of the year in Florida, and tells us that she swims almost daily in the Gulf, and that some days the temperature of the water is "almost too warm sometimes".

Mrs. Smith, a former teacher in Lowell schools, is the widow of "Bill" Smith who was also a teacher in the local school system for many years. She wrote us to change her subscription address to Lowell as she was leaving Florida July 22, for Michigan and didn't want to miss the paper. By the time this is published she may be at her King st. home, reading this item about herself. Welcome home "Becky".

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What do you think of our new trash containers? Six of these nice white receptacles were placed on Main street last weekend, and President Peter Speerstra states he hopes that our Lowell folks as well as our Showboat visitors put them to good use to help keep our sidewalks and streets nice and clean of trash.

More of the receptacles will be ordered if the plan works successfully, stated Mr. Speerstra. The nice thing is that they arrived in time for Showboat. But the plan won't work unless WE make it work.

Housewives — Don't Wash Tuesday!

Tuesday, July 30, early in the morning, the men from the municipal utilities plant will be out flushing all water mains in the village system. So, Mrs. Housewife, don't plan to do any washing on Tuesday.

This work is done twice a year by the department, says Ernie Fenn, to help keep the water mains clear of any sediments which may have lodged in them.

If you ever cut your finger, or had a accident of some type while working for Root-Lowell Manufacturing company in the 1950-51 period you will remember a very charming first aid lady, named Margaret—and she has certainly been in the news lately.

Margaret Tremper (Mrs. Dr. Lawrence V. Tremper) has many friends here who remember her, and wish her a very speedy recovery from her harrowing experience in Russia. Mrs. Tremper was one of 5 Grand Rapids folks aboard a Polish plane which crashed some weeks ago near Moscow.

She arrived home last week, encased in a cast from above her waist to her left ankle and another enfolding her right leg.

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The Christmas Seal X-ray bus of the Kent County Tuberculosis Society will be located at Christiansen's Drug Store, 103 W. Main Street on Wednesday, July 31, from 9:30 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. Anybody in Kent County may come for this service but must first register with the nurse inside the store and have a tuberculin skin test before going into the bus.

Hostesses will be Mrs. James Cook and Mrs. Earl Nash, R. N.

LUMAN COGSWELL IN FAIR CONDITION

Blodgett hospital records list Luman Cogswell, Oberly drive, in fair condition, as of Wednesday morning.

Mr. Cogswell was taken to the hospital July 11, suffering from a gunshot wound in his mouth and throat.

Main Street Has Fire Scare

Lowell's West Main street store owners had a scare Sunday just afternoon when acrid smoke was sighted coming from the top of the buildings in the center of the south side of the first block west of the bridge.

Police Chief Frank Stephens was in the cruiser driving near the Ford garage when he saw the smoke, and rushed to the scene.

At first it was believed the fire might be in the building where Ralph's Furniture is located, but the old adage "where there's smoke there's fire" did not run true in this instance.

It was finally discovered, upon reaching the roof of the buildings, that the smoke was coming from a chimney in the Hill Shoe Store building. Investigation revealed that the proprietor of the shoe store was cleaning out the chimney stack which serves his building, and comes up between the two structures.

Hill was on the roof, watching the chimney to see that no trouble occurred. He stated he was wondering where the fire was when he heard the whistle, and was surprised to see "company" arriving on the roof of Ralph's building.

Rubbish Fire

Another fire alarm, Thursday afternoon at 3:30, sent the volunteers to 12846 Vergennes rd., the Florence Sweets residence, first house on the south side of the road east of Foxes Corners.

Mrs. Sweets was burning rubbish, and the fire got away from her and headed for a small forest of young pines. The blaze was quenched by the Lowell firemen.

Eaton Rapids Children Are Guests of VFW

Forty-five children, residents of the Veterans of Foreign Wars home at Eaton Rapids, and their housemothers and other attendants were guests of the local VFW for lunch Monday evening, after attending the opening performance of the 1957 Showboat.

The children are all from families of veterans, some who gave their lives on our country's wars, and others who are physically unable to support their children because of war-time injuries.

Ladies Serve

The ladies of the Veteran of Foreign Wars post in Lowell are serving lunches and dinners all this week when our town is crowded with Showboat visitors.

Sandwiches, salads and desserts are on the menu at noon, and in the evening ham and swiss steak dinner will be served.

After the show coffee and light lunches are also available, and this seems to be a nice place to meet some of the members of the Showboat professional talent.

Hemingsen Child Dies Tuesday Night at Home; Funeral Here Friday

Little Miss Patricia Ann Hemingsen, four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hemingsen, 832 Jefferson st., died at her home Tuesday evening, after an illness of about a year.

Besides her parents, Patty is survived by a brother Donald, age 7; and her maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Christiansen and paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hemingsen, all of Lowell.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Roth Chapel, with Rev. J. Marion DeVinney officiating; interment will be in Oakwood cemetery.

Trailerite Found Dead Sunday

Robert Brown, who lived in a trailer parked on the Horace L. Weeks farm, 12325 McPherson rd., was found dead Sunday afternoon about 12:30. Kent County Medical examiner Dr. G. E. Barofsky estimated Mr. Brown's age at approximately 48 to 50 years.

The deceased had requested Mr. Weeks to bring him some groceries when he went in to town, and Mr. Weeks stopped over to his trailer to check with him before leaving for Lowell. That was about 12:30.

Weeks discovered Brown sitting under a tree by the trailer, and when he could not arouse him he called Lowell Police Chief Frank Stephens.

Mr. Brown was employed by Arnold Fairchild. He has a sister, Mrs. Harold Morgan, of Sparta, where funeral arrangements are being made by the Hessell Funeral home.

Mr. Brown is also survived by a daughter, Mrs. Frank (Nellie) Monick of Ypsilanti; one stepdaughter, Mrs. Patricia Jacobs of Muskegon; two sisters, Mrs. Bert Yates of San Diego, California and Mrs. Morgan; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon at the funeral home, Alonzo Mohr officiating; interment is in Greenwood cemetery.

FORMER LOWELL PASTOR LEAVES FOR HOLY LAND

Rev. Philip Glotfelty, jr., former pastor of the Lowell Methodist church, and now at the Lawrence Avenue Methodist church of Charlotte, left Detroit Monday by plane for the Bible land.

Mr. Glotfelty will be overseas about a month, as a member of the American School of Oriental Research in Jerusalem. He will be joined in Jerusalem by Mrs. Glotfelty who has been visiting in Germany and other European countries since May, and will return to Charlotte in October. Mr. Glotfelty will be back home August 23.

Geo. Kleinheksel Funeral Services Friday at Cascade

Funeral services will be held at the Cascade Christian Reformed church Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock for George Kleinheksel, of McCords, who passed away unexpectedly Tuesday afternoon at Butterworth hospital after a short illness.

Mr. Kleinheksel returned from a trip to Georgia just two weeks ago, and as he was not feeling well, was checked by doctors and submitted to a gall bladder operation a few days ago. He seemed to be recuperating very well, according to his son John, who states the death was apparently a coronary.

Rev. Jacob Boonstra will officiate at the funeral rites; interment will be in Cascade cemetery.

Active in Store

Mr. Kleinheksel moved to McCords from Manton about 10 years ago to assist his son in the operation of a farm service store. The elder Mr. Kleinheksel was a farmer for many years near Manton.

He was born at Fillmore in Allegan county, and at the age of two moved with his parents to northwest Iowa—returning to Michigan when he was 17.

The deceased was a charter member of the Cascade Christian Reformed church.

Other than his son John Mr. Kleinheksel leaves a daughter, Juella Steenstra of Grand Rapids; 10 grandchildren; and a sister, Mrs. Minnie Poll of Grand Rapids. Mrs. Kleinheksel passed away two years ago.

The body is at the Zaagman Memorial chapel, Eastern av., in Grand Rapids.

Alto 4-Year-Old Loses Life in Coldwater River

Four-Year-Old Regan Eugene Reynolds, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rowland Reynolds, drowned Sunday afternoon in Coldwater river, about 100 feet behind his home at 10474 One hundredth av., S. E., Alto.

The youngster was playing in the backyard with his twin brother, Randy, according to deputies, and it is suspected that the accident occurred while the youngsters were trying to retrieve a ball which had fallen in the river.

Neighbors Help

The twin's father, hearing screams of the youngsters, rushed to the spot and pulled Randy to safety, but failed to find Regan. A group of neighbors assembled quickly and helped in the search for the body; attempts to revive the youngster with artificial respiration failed.

Funeral services were held at the Roth funeral home in Lowell Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Clifford Edwards of Bowne Center officiating; interment is in Bowne Center cemetery.

Besides his brother and parents, the youngster leaves his maternal grandparents, Mrs. Frances Sislock of Grand Rapids and Kenneth Jahnke of Bay City, and maternal great-grandmother, Mrs. Ward Boulard of Alto; his parternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Reynolds of Caledonia and great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Niemeyer also of Caledonia and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reynolds of Hastings.

MISSIONARY TO SPEAK TO LOWELL CHURCH

Miss Helen Kennech, who has served for nearly six years as a missionary in Japan, will speak in the Congregational Church Sunday morning, August 4th, at the 11 o'clock service.

Miss Kennech leaves in the Fall for additional duty overseas as a missionary.

THIS IS NATIONAL FARM SAFETY WEEK

Two Women Injured in Haying Accidents

Two separate accidents while area farmers were bringing in the hay have hospitalized two women—Mrs. Roland Depew of Morse Lake, and Miss Bonnie Cole of Snow ave.

Mrs. Depew was taken to Blodgett hospital Friday after suffering a bad fall while helping to unload hay. X-rays indicate she has a badly splintered bone in her right shoulder, which will necessitate her staying on the inactive list for some time. She is now recuperating at home.

Just for the Ride

Bonnie, 15-year-old daughter of the C. Lawton Coles, had been helping her dad with the haying for two weeks but last Wednesday she was "just riding around on the wagon for fun", as sufficient workmen were available and her help wasn't necessary.

But Bonnie might better have been working—she fell from a load of hay and crushed a vertebra in her back.

She is at Butterworth hospital where they expect to put her in a cast, after which she will be able to come home—probably later this week.

Bonnie will not be "riding on hay wagons" for some time.

Thieves Enter Barn—Take Farm Equipment

C. Oren Balcom of 205 Pleasant st. reported to Lowell Police Monday that a cultivator and other farm equipment was stolen some time last week from the barn at the old Jay Carter farm, which Balcom has purchased.

A one-horse cultivator is missing, and one section of a drag, wheels off of a garden tractor, and other metal and wheels are missing, says Balcom.

He told police he had been out of town for about a week, and noticed the theft upon his return.

Police are investigating.

MRS. ROBERT WARD LEAVES FOR ENGLAND

Mrs. Robert Ward of McCabe road, Ada, left Tuesday, July 16, for Birmingham, England, where she will spend the next 2 months visiting relatives and friends.

Prior to leaving Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Fairchild, Bailey dr., gave a farewell party for her where her friends and relatives gathered and presented her with beautiful going-away gifts.

Township Adds Amendments to Building Code

The Lowell Township board passed two new articles for the building ordinance at their monthly meeting July 8th.

The articles cover the operation of junk yards in the township and also animals and their housing.

In relation to the latter, pigs, goats, stock or cattle may not be housed in or adjacent to any platted area or settled territory, unless kept in a fenced area of not less than 2 acres, and cannot be closer than 100 feet from dwellings.

Concerning junk yards, they must be confined by a 7 ft. fence within 6 months after securing permits for same. Regulations concerning fires at junk yards, and license permits and fees, are also covered in detail by the article.

Both amendments to the building code may be read, in full, on another page of this week's paper.

Fred Pinckney, 72, Dies Suddenly Sunday

Fred Pinckney, 410 N. James st., passed away unexpectedly Sunday at Butterworth hospital, where he was taken late Saturday evening, after suffering a heart attack at his home. He had been in ill health about 10 days.

Mr. Pinckney, who was 72, was born in Keene township and lived most of his life in this area. He was a retired machinist. Up until four years ago he worked for the R. C. Allen company in Grand Rapids. Prior to that time he worked in Muskegon as a machinist.

Funeral services were held at the Roth Chapel Tuesday afternoon with Rev. Lon Hunt officiating; interment is in Oakwood cemetery.

Besides his widow, Elva, Mr. Pinckney is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Phoebe Baughman, Lowell; and Mrs. Elaine Hursfall and Mrs. Rena Lane both of Grand Rapids; two sons, Fred, jr., of Grand Rapids, and Tildon of Lowell; a brother Dewey of California and Fay of Grand Ledge and a sister Mrs. Anna Fairchild of Alto; also 14 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren.

MONEY ORDERS

. . . are still at the old low, low price. Buy them today from Rittenger Insurance Service. c-14

We Were Worried

Dismal, Damp, Dreary Monday Fails To Stop Silver Anniversary Showboat

Heavy downpours of rain deluged Lowell Sunday and Monday, and threatened the opening of the Silver anniversary year of the Lowell Showboat, July 22 right up until showtime, but for some reason the old faithfuls who love outdoor entertainment were undaunted and the largest opening-night throng in the history of the show were in the stands to enjoy the 109th performance.

The show went off beautifully for a first-nighter, despite the lack of time to get the mikes and lights in proper shape because of the rain. These problems were successfully solved by Tuesday night when the show went off at a highly polished pace.

In Tune?

A very bad sign—if you're superstitious—started off the show Monday, however, to horrify any old-timers: The band on the dock and the school band on the boat came in together on exactly the same key when the Robert E. Lee XXV pulled up to dock, and the professional musicians took over the theme of "Here Comes the Showboat".

Usually there is a little first-night faltering here, and a slight change in key. Such perfection as occurred Monday was almost enough to scare a sign-watching follower of Showboat. But the "sign" must have been a good one; we shouldn't worry so much!

It's a Thrill

"I never get over the thrill of seeing the boat come to the dock and hearing the cast singing 'Here Comes the Showboat'", said one steady customer of opening night—and it appears that this is not only one person's opinion.

The sight of the boat pulling in to the dock, and the beautiful decorations coming in to view as the Robert E. Lee turns her glittering side to the audience, is something not to be forgotten.

Perhaps if you have never seen the boat close up during the dismal non-Showboat months, when she is nothing but a few pieces of wood on some oil drums, you may not be able to appreciate the wonder of it all. But we didn't notice anyone in the crowd who wasn't attentively watching the spectacle with avid interest.

The Show

Enough of the boat—let's talk about the show. It was by far one of the cleanest cut programs we have seen—not an act seems to be out of line. There is a great variety of entertainment for the youngsters as well as the adults.

As usual, Admiral Carlton H. Runciman, interlocutor for the past 25 years, and his six endmen, Forrest Buck, Charles Doyle, Bernard Kropf, Carroll Burch, Walter Gumser and William Jones, have outdone themselves in trying to keep the show moving on a hilarious note.

Runci presides with his genial ability to put everyone at ease, and keep the pace moving. And the endmen start out the program with their rendition of "My Indiana Home", which few will recognize as the original number they once thought they knew. This is not meant disrespectfully, it's just that the boys have "altered" it a bit.

Veterans all, the black boys present their songs, backed by a 100-voice chorus, with great ability. Forrest Buck sings "On the Mississippi", and Charlie Doyle does "Rock-A-Bye Your Baby with a Dixie Melody", which Jerry Lewis recently revived on a national scale. Bernard Kropf sings and plays his saxophone to the tune of "Birth of the Blues", and Chris Burch does a fine job on "And They Called it Dixieland".

Bill Jones had some of us old-timers worried during his number when he brought out a full-sized trumpet to complete his number "Seven, Come Eleven", but when the boys came along dragging his little cornet (which he picked up during the war in Germany) we settled back and enjoyed this fine number.

By request, Walter Gumser is again bringing "The Battle Hymn of the Republic" to the show, and the audience as always, is happy to join in for an extra chorus.

Pro's are Good!

All the professionals are fine acts, but it appears by the end of the week Johnny Bachemin—probably unknown to most of us in this area—will be the top act. Monday night he was encored with great enthusiasm. He dances with all the rhythm of the Step Brothers, who were with the Showboat last year, but he has a style of his own, and plays a mean piano also.

Unscheduled Bit

A bit of unscheduled comedy was added to the Monday show when the first chimpanzee to appear in the Marquis family act took a dislike to the soot-black endmen, and was so disturbed the boys had to leave the stage. One endman tried to peak from the boat and view the chimp in his performance, but the little fellow caught him in the act, and his attention just would not remain on Mr. Marquis, or the peanut tidbits he was offering him to do a good job.

Great Family Act

Everyone from sonny to great-grandpa will enjoy the Vernon and Bunny act. The family of father, two daughters, (one age 3) and fours sons are artists in balancing tricks. Dad literally throws caution to the wind, but it doesn't bother the youngsters. As the second professional act they really pep up the show.

The first pros are the Lenore Sutton dancers, who have returned to Showboat after having visited us several times before. Their rhythm routines, and their later acrobatic number, are done with fine precision and skill.

Another professional act is "Debbie and the Diplomats", a quartet of three men and one girl—singing rock and roll, and some light classics.

The Harmonicats

The Harmonicats, who appeared in Ionia last year, have improved their act we think for the 1957 Lowell Showboat. No one can tire of the artistry of these three men on the harmonicas which are now electronically reproduced to make an entire new sound. Yes, they offer "Peg O' My Heart" as one of their numbers—it was scheduled, but before it came on the audience was calling for it.

All in all, from "Are You From Dixie" to "The Robert E. Lee", the Silver Anniversary of the Lowell Showboat is a fine show. Don't miss it.

Water Show

And, don't forget to be in your seat by 7:30 to see the Macatawa Beach Water Ski Club give their spectacular water show right up to boat time. They have some fine new stunts, and Charles Sligh himself will be here Friday and Saturday nights.

Free Ride, Kids

And, another "don't forget" is the return boat ride at 4:30 each afternoon, when the kids and their baby-sitters (mums too) can ride up Flat river to the loading dock—This is all part of showboat.

You ought to spend at least one night watching the boat load on Riverside dr., and take its trip down river too. That is always a thrill!

Bank Sales Up 220%

Savings Bonds Sales Soar as Lowell Goes Chain-Letter Happy

Lowell businessmen have been neglecting their offices for the past three weeks, and using their best sales techniques to promote the biggest chain deal to hit this town since the craze of the early thirties.

The "bond chain" is the main subject of conversation in this town nowadays. If two or more folks get together for a few minutes the topic soon gets around to "Have you got in on the big bond deal yet?"

Bank Reports

The Lowell State Savings bank reports their savings bond sales are up over 220 per cent from last month. For the first twenty days of July they have sold $5,622.50 worth of bonds. For the same period in June sales were only $1,724.90.

How many bonds have been purchased elsewhere by Lowell participants in the big plan cannot be determined.

Receives $3,800

One Lowell man says he has already received $3,800 in government bonds from the plan which he entered only a few weeks ago.

The chain plan promoters claim you can receive a total of $38,400 worth of bonds, that is the actual cash value of the paper; if held to maturity they would be worth $51,200.

The salesmen selling bond chain letters will give you the following pitch: You buy a letter for $37.50. It contains a list of 10 names. You type two more letters, after buying a fifty dollar bond for the first name on the list—leaving that fellow's name off your two new letters. You add your name as the 10th on the list, and go out and sell your two letters for $37.50 a-piece. You are right back where you started moneywise—you've spent $75.00 and you have taken in $75.00. Now, all you have to do is sit back and wait for your bonds to start coming in.

Same Old "Chain"

However, it must be remembered that this is the same old chain letter deal—if someone doesn't "pay out" you don't "get". Unless Utopia is really here, someone will get stuck.

In this particular plan, however, they have avoided breaking existing laws by personally selling the letters, and not sending them through the government mails. And, the fact that in order to receive a letter you must pay out some cold hard cash will urge you to keep the chain going, and not just drop the letter in a convenient waste basket.

The only way to break the chain is to fail to sell the letters.

The government is going to be pretty pleased with this sudden burst in bond sales—but what will happen about sixty days from now when these happy folks start cashing in their riches?

Tax Bill is Over Half Paid

The Lowell village tax bills, totaling $38,374.53, are over half paid, according to village treasurer Esther M. Fahrni.

Payment of the summer taxes have been coming in good, according to Mrs. Fahrni, and most everyone will be in before the July deadline, when the 3 per cent penalty will go on.

It pays to read the Ledger want ads.

Tennis Tournament August 2 Thru 4

The Lowell Lions Club will sponsor the annual Lowell tennis tournament again this year, it was announced this week by Bob Perry, local high school teacher and sports enthusiast.

Bob states that boys and girls of the immediate area, who attend Lowell high school, are eligible, and medals will be awarded to the winners and runners-up.

Groupings will be by age, 12 and under, under 15, and up to 18; separate contests will be held for boys and girls—six groups in all.

A new attraction to the annual event this year will be the mixed doubles (open) for netters 18 years of age and under.

At Recreation Park

The contests will be played at Recreation Park, and entry blanks may be obtained at Christiansen's Drug store, and also turned in there. The drug store will also display the schedule of events. Deadline to register is Saturday, July 27 at 10:00 p. m., says Perry.

SHOE CLEARANCE

Good variety of men's dress and casual shoes, regularly $8.95 and $9.95; now $6.95 at Coons.

Five Generations Have "Brought in Hay"

Seven year old Robert Seese, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orton Seese, helped his grandad this year with the haying. Grandfather—Floyd Foster states that Robert is the fifth generation to help with the haying on this family farm.

Mr. Foster, who owns a portion of the original 80 which his grandfather, Wesley Johnson, took from the government, states that he, and his dad, Walter Foster, worked in the haying, and now his young grandson is helping with the big summer chore.

The Foster farm is located on 52nd st., just a mile north and half mile west of Alto in Merriman District, Lowell Township.

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Mrs. Arie Leeman and Mr. and Mrs. George Boyenga attended the funeral of the former's aunt, Mrs. Bert Bennett in Allegan, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Hall of Swartz Creek and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Marsh of Hudson were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rogers the latter couple attending Showboat, Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Roth will entertain all of the employees of their Lowell and Hastings stores for a dinner at Lone Pine Inn and the Showboat in the evening on Thursday.

The Book Review Club held their annual picnic at Townsend Park, Wednesday and went to Bostwick Lake for swimming in the afternoon.

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Lowell Happenings

MISS AGNES PERRY—PHONE TW 7-7170

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Morgan of Indianapolis, Indiana are visiting the Rev. and Mrs. H. S. Martin a few days of this week.

Mrs. Dora Pletcher accompanied Mr. and Mrs. William Roth and son Billy to the Upper Peninsula to spend Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Jessie Graham of Grand Rapids spent the week end with the Earl Starbards and attended the Eustis picnic, Sunday at Fallasburg Park.

The Misses Dorothy Lather, Florence Taylor and Evelyn Kalesky of Traverse City were guests of Mrs. N. E. Borgerson for Showboat Tuesday night.

Mrs. Earl Starbard and daughter, Mrs. William Schreur called on Miss Laura Nicklin and others at Clark Memorial hospital, Wednesday.

Miss Agnes Perry called on Mrs. Ella Taylor and Mrs. Lula Lewis at Clark Memorial hospital, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Miller and Sharon, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Morris and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Miller of Lowell and Mr. and Mrs. Delma Richards of Comins attended the Richards reunion Sunday, at Olivet.

Mrs. S. R. Crabb and Mrs. Albert Duell were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Liskey of Grand Rapids. Later in the evening they all attended the wedding of Miss Linda Snyder and Robert Duell in Grandville. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lyndell Duell of Wyoming Park and the grand-son of the late Albert Duell of Alto.

Mrs. Alice Graham and Roy Myers returned Monday to the home of their sister, Mrs. Harry N. Briggs after visiting old friends in Bitely, Morley, Walloon Lake, and Petoskey.

Vern Freeman of Lansing attended the Haight reunion at Fallasburg Park, Sunday and remained over to attend Showboat Monday night with his brother, John and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Salasar and family of Greenville and Patsy Pestly of Pharr, Texas attended Showboat Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Paddock and daughter, Sharon of Coldwater are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Will Stone and attended Showboat, Tuesday night.

Miss Mary Horn and Mrs. Robert Hahn attended the Matinee of "The Ten Commandments", in Grand Rapids, Wednesday.

Mrs. R. D. Hahn, Mrs. Frank Battistella, Mrs. Lee Lampkin and Mrs. Earl Anderson attended the Antique Show in Saugatuck, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Weddie and daughters, Marlene and Jo Etta have returned to their home in Greensburg, Indiana after having spent two weeks with Mrs. Weddie's parents, the Rev. and Mrs. H. S. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert McNeilly of Elkton called on Lowell relatives Monday, and attended Showboat in the evening.

Mrs. Dora Pletcher and Mrs. Wm. Roth called on the former's sister, Mrs. William Porter in Grand Rapids, Thursday; also called on Mrs. James McCormick of Ada at St. Mary's hospital.

Miss Audie Post of Grand Rapids and Mrs. J. D. Aelick of Belding were over night guests, Monday at the Crabb-Duell home and enjoyed the opening performance of the Showboat.

Mr. and Mrs. Delma Richards of Comins are visiting this week at the Glenn Miller home.

Mrs. Blanche Braden of Jackson is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Roth this week, and will take in the Showboat.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ketchum were at Fremont for "The Old Fashioned Days" Friday and Saturday.

Gerald Henry of Grand Rapids was a Sunday guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norton Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Radd of Lafayette, Ill visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Starbard, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Raymor were called to Augier, North Carolina, Monday evening by illness of her grandmother, Mrs. Barbaur.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Whitney of Belmont were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Raymor.

Mrs. Harold Otzman of Detroit was a week end guest at the Adelbert Odell home.

E. C. Foreman, Harry Day, W. A. Roth, and John Arehart attended the baseball game in Detroit, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Pratt and son of La Marque, Texas, and Mrs. L. E. Pratt of Nashville were Saturday guests of Miss Ina Alger.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fonger attended the Chalmers School reunion near Sparta Sunday.

Miss [illegible] of Pontiac is spending the summer vacation with her sister, Mrs. Will Flynn. Robert Flynn and family of Dearborn are spending a portion of their vacation with his mother, and will attend Showboat.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Freyermuth accompanied her brother, Whitman Kiel and wife to Ann Arbor, Saturday for Mr. Kiel's final check-up, which was very satisfactory. Mr. and Mrs. Kiel are spending this week with the Allen Behlers of Lake Odessa.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. M. DeVinney, visited her father, O. D. Hilderley of Big Rapids, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Freyermuth attended the funeral of the three month old daughter of their nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dunn of Portland, Tuesday, in Grand Ledge.

The Tim Willwerth family of Detroit and the Charles Housemans are spending a few days at Hess Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Smelker and sons of Grand Rapids were Wednesday night guests of the Anton Kropf family.

Mrs. VanDam of the Lowell Rest Home spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Ethel Jessup.

Mr. and Mrs. Draper Smith of Long Beach, California and Mr. and Mrs. Al Swart and Mrs. Weldon Smith of Silver Lake spent Friday evening with Mrs. Frank Marsh.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Jessup entertained Friday with a picnic dinner for the following relatives and friends, Mrs. Rosalie Fitzsimons and son, Morris from St. Petersburg Florida, Mrs. Helena Dintaman and two grandchildren and Floyd Foster from Alto, Mrs. Sally Martin and Ivan Darling and daughter from Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Sue Houseman accompanied Mrs. Howard Thurtell and boys to Buffalo to spend from Wednesday to Sunday with Mr. Thurtell.

Miss Eleanor McGarry of Flint and Miss Ruth Grieves of Ionia were week end and Tuesday night Showboat guests of Marion Bushnell.

The Rev. and Mrs. Keith M. McIver and children are leaving this week to spend a month's vacation with relatives in Canada.

A Daily Vacation Bible School was conducted last week at the Baptist Church, with a closing attendance of 143. The Church School held their annual picnic at Fallasburg Park on Saturday.

Mrs. Rosalie Fitzsimons and son, Morris Maxson who are visiting here from Florida, have been visiting friends and relatives in Lansing, Galesburg, Cedar Springs, Grand Rapids, and Alto.

Mr. and Mrs. Orren Sterken visited the Vaughn Ardis family of St. Louis, Sunday.

The Rev. and Mrs. Roger Rollins of Grand Rapids and the Bill Vickers family of Spring Lake were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Thorne spent last week in a cottage on Bass Lake near Hohor.

Mrs. Ethel LaBrecque of Grand Rapids spent Sunday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Anna Yardley.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Willwerth and Tom of Detroit spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Day.

Mrs. Clytie Spencer of Grand Rapids is visiting Miss Ina Alger several days of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Crawford of Kalamazoo were Showboat and over night guests of the Rev. and Mrs. J. M. DeVinney on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dolloway and family of Muskegon spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Donna Miller. The two oldest children, Molly and Kelly, are staying this week for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Wilcox owners of the Mocking Bird Trailer Park in Florida are visiting in Lowell for a short time. A picnic was held in their honor, Sunday at Fallasburg Park.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fahrni called on Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Heater of Ionia, Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Oosta and Mrs. Nick Waljer of Grand Rapids were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Sterken, Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Oosta and children, also of Grand Rapids, spent the evening with them.

Christine Sible of Ionia spent several days of last week with the Herbert Davis family.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Newell are spending this week at Mackinac Island.

The Richard Court family were guests Sunday of Dr. and Mrs. Maurice Court at Gravel Lake near Paw Paw.

Judy Schneider and Robert Conn of Grand Rapids spent Saturday afternoon and evening with Mrs. Arthur Schneider.

Marion Peacock of Saginaw is in the hospital there taking treatment for a gland infection.

Donna Jean Dreher of Syracuse, Indiana came Sunday to spend Showboat week with her cousins, the Howard Clacks. They all spent Sunday afternoon in Muskegon.

The Richard Curtis family spent last week at the Delmar Hotel in Grand Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. James Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Collins and children and the Wm. and Harold Collins families attended the Buttermore reunion in Ionia, Sunday.

Mrs. Ruth Bylenga and Mrs. Earl Wheeler and daughter of Grand Rapids, and Mrs. Melvin Court attended the wedding of Thomas Green, son of the late Byron Green, and Carol Ann Thurston at Ann Arbor, Saturday afternoon.

Art Carson of Ambler, Pa. is visiting his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bergin for two weeks.

Mrs. Gus Wingeier and grandson, Roger of Moseley called on Marguerite Blaser, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Boyenga visited Sunday at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Bauman in Caledonia.

Mrs. Jules Erler and daughters were guests of Mrs. Kay Erdley, Thursday at Barlow Lake.

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Riding on the Showboat Monday evening, up in the wheel house with Admiral Runciman, were two young newsboys, Alan Tran from the Belding Banner and David Houseman of Cannonsburg, who carries papers for the Grand Rapids Press. Newsboys, 1,600 in all, were invited from Belding, Rockford, Lansing, Kalamazoo and Grand Rapids.

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A dinner was held at the Runciman Elementary building Monday evening for members of the press who were among the special guests at the opening show. Belding was well represented by sixteen members of their staff and families, and were very easily recognized (the male ones that is) by their magnificent b e a r d s—advertising their Centennial celebration scheduled for August 30, 31, and September 1 and 2. Editor Art Elliott's waxed and beautifully curled mustache was the stellar attraction of the Belding group. Be sure to attend our neighbor's Centennial celebration.

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The Lions and Rotary clubs held a special combined meeting Wednesday with the Showboat acts as special guests. This was the regular weekly meeting of Rotary, but an annual event during Showboat week, of enjoying luncheon together, with an extra-special show brought by the members of the professional acts on 1957 show.

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Didn't it warm your heart to see the stretcher cases and the wheel chair patients who were brought out to the show Monday night? Special guests Monday at the opening performance of the 1957 show were patients from Mary Free Bed, Grand Rapids Handicapped Association, residents of the Veteran's facility, kids from Camp O'Malley, newsboys, and residents of the V. F. W. home at Eaton Rapids.

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Charles Sligh, one-time world champion water skiler, will be a member of the water skiing exhibition cast on Friday and Saturday nights of Showboat. Previous commitments will not allow him to take part in the show except for the last two nights. But he assures the committee that the youngsters he is sending to perform are the best, and will keep the audience's attention with their daring feats.

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Miss Judy Wotell of Ada, a member of the chorus, was officially crowned as queen of the silver anniversary Showboat at the Wednesday night performance.

Judy has already assumed most of her duties as queen, visiting dignitaries and asking them to attend Showboat, and appearing on radio and television.

But to make it official President Peter Speerstra placed a beautiful crown made by Mrs. Speerstra on Judy's very pretty head before the large throngs at the third 1957 performance Wednesday night, Grand Rapids night.

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Veterans night Tuesday found a great many distinguished guests aboard the Robert E. Lee XXV. Local V. F. W. commander Jack Crawford introduced Max McCairn, immediate past state commander of the V. F. W., from Mason, as well as other distinguished district officers, and Lawrence Chesebro, commander of the local American Legion post introduced Giles A. Reeve of Ecorse, the state commander of the Legion, elected last week in Grand Rapids.

ALTO NEWS

Mrs. Merle Meyer of Alaska spent Friday forenoon with her mother, Mrs. Fred Pattison.

Mrs. Fred Pattison is expecting Mrs. May Thorndike of Flint, formerly of Alto, to spend all day

Mr. and Mrs. Denton Wilcox entertained about 15 of Jeanne's fellow employees of the Dickerson Printing Co. of Grand Rapids with a picnic on their lawn Saturday evening. Additional guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Bancroft and Barbara and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bancroft.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hess entertained the former's cousin, Eugene Ricketts, wife and four children of Big Rapids over the week end. The Rickett's son, Michael remained to spend the week with the Hess boys.

Leonard Hoag Weds Wayland Bride Saturday

Miss Phyllis Paula Keller became the bride of Leonard Dale Hoag Saturday morning in SS. Cyril and Methodius Church of Wayland. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Keller, Gunnison SW. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Hattie Hoag of Alto and Ralph Hoag, Linton SE.

Rev. Fr. John A. Najodowski performed the marriage ceremony before an altar decorated with bouquets of white gladioli and chysanthemums.

For her wedding, Miss Keller selected a waltz length gown of Chantilly lace and nylon tulle. The fitted lace bodice had a pointed collar and long, tapered sleeves and the bouffant skirt fell over a tiered nylon tulle underskirt.

Her veil of English bridal illusion was held in place by a coronet of rhinestones and seed pearls, and she carried a Colonial bouquet of white carnations centered with red sweetheart roses.

Mrs. John A. Suchowolec, the bride's sister, attended as matron of honor and Miss Evelyn Keller, sister of the bride, and Miss Edith McCracken were the bridesmaids. Their gowns and headdresses were identical with those of the matron of honor, and they carried cascade bouquets of white and aqua carnations.

Mary Jo Suchowolec, the bride's niece, was the flower girl and David Wagar, the bride's nephew was the ring bearer.

John A. Suchowolec, the bride's brother-in-law, assisted as best man. Howard Hobbs was honorary best man. Garry McWhinney was the groomsman and Edward Keller and George Graham, Jr., seated the guests.

A wedding breakfast and evening reception were held in Kosciusko Hall. Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Wagar served as master and mistress of ceremonies. Assisting about the rooms were Miss Margaret McCracken, Miss Gloria Bigham, Miss Marcia Sutton, and Miss Patricia Miliszewski.

Following a wedding trip to Northern Michigan, Mr. and Mrs. Hoag will live at 340 Gunnison SW, after July 25.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Schregardus of Key West, Fla., Mrs. W. W. Gumser of Minnetonka Beach, Minn., and Mr. and Mrs. James Doll of Chicago.

Saturday with her. Friends would be welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Lemmon of Northville, Michigan were guests a couple of days with her sister, Mrs. Leonard Johnson last week.

Mrs. Neil Hoffman and children of Hudsonville spent several days at the Leonard Johnson home.

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Advertisement For Bids

Sealed proposals for the construction of sanitary sewers and water mains for the Village of Lowell, Michigan, will be received at the Village Hall until 2:00 p. m. (Eastern Standard Time) August 1, 1957, at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

The project consists of construction of approximately 630 feet of 6" water main and 1600 feet of 8" sanitary sewer, together with appurtenant work as shown on the plans prepared by WILLIAMS AND WORKS.

Plans, specifications and form of contract may be examined at the Village Hall. Copies thereof may be obtained from the office of Williams and Works, 238 Ottawa Avenue, N. W., Grand Rapids 2, Michigan, upon deposit of $20.00 for each set of plans.

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Subcontractors, equipment manufacturers and others who do not submit bids to the Village and who return the plans and specifications within ten days after the opening of bids, will be refunded one-half of their deposit.

A certified check or bid bond in the sum of not less than 5% of the amount of the proposal, will be required with each bid.

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Logan News
Mrs. Harold Yoder

Mrs. Roger Curlin from Tampa, Florida spent Wednesday afternoon at the Wm. Porritt home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ganzel had supper at the Ovid Miller home Friday evening.

Elden and Deuane Miller along with several other young people from the Calvary Brethren church are attending camp in the Upper Peninsula. Lloyd Miller took a load of young people to camp Saturday and returned home, Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Yoder had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Kemerling in Kalamazoo, Saturday night then attended a Landrace meeting at the Loren Rodocker home at Niles Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Mishler visited the Jake Kauffman home Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Gray and Tommy and Mr. and Mrs. David Hoffman and family enjoyed a hamburg fry at Holland, Thursday.

Mrs. Wm. Johnson and Jerry were Sunday dinner guests of the David Hoffman's. Rev. Wm. Johnson is at camp in the Upper Peninsula.

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Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Aithen and children of Gibsonia, Penn., are house guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Foreman for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Wilcox of Bradenton, Florida, are house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roth for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sover and children of Chicago, Illinois are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hemingsen for a few days.

Mrs. Jennie Heering is visiting relatives in Grand Rapids for a week.

Ronald Butler of Grand Rapids spent the week end with Lester Bailey and mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Myckowiak attended a picnic at the home of Roy Shiels near Cascade Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard LaCourse and Skippy of White Cloud called on his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Taylor, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Baker and children and Mrs. Bert Baker spent Sunday with the Paul Baker family in Greenville.

Mrs. Florence Bailey spent Friday with Mrs. Herringa in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Roth and family are spending their 2 weeks vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Klapperich at Ontonagon, in the Upper Peninsula.

Don Fletcher of Mentor on the Lake Ohio and Tommie Duncan of Royal Oak spent a few days with their uncle Archie Duncan and family.

Alfred Hemingsen went to Minnesota last week where he has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Foreman and son, Jesse of Grand Rapids were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Foreman.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Koewers and children of Lowell, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hemingsen and baby of Vergennes spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hemingsen and the Richard Sovers family of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Taylor spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. F. Kinsey, near Sidney.

Mrs. Elizabeth Phillip of Lowell and Mrs. Fred Roth called on Mrs. Nellie McPherson.

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Snow Community
Mrs. S. P. Reynolds

The Cole reunion was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cole. About fifty were present to enjoy the delicious carry-in dinner. They came from Ann Arbor, Grand Rapids, Kent City, Kalamazoo, Hastings, Ada, East Lansing and St. Paul, Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Hoxie have moved into their new home which they have just built and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Douse of Grand Rapids have moved into the house vacated by the Hoxies.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Collins of Muskegon were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lewis.

Mrs. Richard Smith and son, Douglas are ill with the mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stowell and children of Hastings, called on Mr. and Mrs. Leo Pfaller Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blanding and children spent Sunday afternoon and evening with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hoffman of Hudsonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brown of Caledonia were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Reynolds, Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blanding entertained a group of friends and relatives, Tuesday evening in honor of their daughter Christie's birthday and on Saturday evening they entertained a group of relatives in honor of their son, David's birthday.

Jay Chaplin of Midland is spending this week with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Dalstra.

Gove Lake
Mrs. Leon Seeley

Remember the Snow school reunion Saturday, July 27, at Snow Community Hall. Pot Luck dinner at 1 o'clock.

Mrs. Rufus Gregory spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Elsie Cardinal, of Reed City.

The James Harker family of Muskegon were Sunday callers at the Rufus Gregory home.

Wally Buttrick is progressing satisfactorily at St. Mary's hospital where he is a patient. He would enjoy hearing from his friends.

Mrs. Sam Quiggle and Mrs. Ivah Phillips visited Mrs. Merle Coger at Grand Rapids Osteopathic hospital where she is convalescing from a heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bursley, sr., of Hart were Sunday callers at the John Pollice home.

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Segwun Community
Mrs. Jessie Rathbun

Mrs. Frank Gulliford returned home Sunday evening from an Eastern trip. She visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kohn and children in Hartford, Conn. Mr. Kohn is a minister of the Methodist church in Hartford. Mrs. Gulliford also visited in Providence, R. I.

Sunday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ketchum were Mr. and Mrs. Anton Hanan of Monore. Other Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Ketchum of St. Johns and Mr. and Mrs. John Hall from Sidney.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Morris and family and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Miller attended the Richard reunion at Pine Lake, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Johnson were Sunday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Nelson.

Thursday callers of Mr. and Mrs. John Jones were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Batz and children. Sunday afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woodcock and Mrs. Grace Maloney of Lansing, also Mr. and Mrs. John Husar.

Mrs. Beatrice Gilbert and Mrs. Carl Mollitor of Cascade attended the Doehler-Jarvis picnic at John Ball park.

Last Sunday Mrs. Beatrice Gilbert with other relatives attended a family get-together at Battle Creek, honoring the Donald Curtiss family from Florida.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Snieder with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Roudabush had an outdoor chicken fry at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmond Strong and sons Ernest and Richard of Wayland were Sunday afternoon callers of Jessie Rathbun.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Tusken spent ten days or more at Interlochen.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Snieder called on Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dortch Friday evening in Ionia.

Mrs. Emily Boyd is leaving this week for a visit with her sister, Mrs. M. J. Horton, in Detroit. ids,

Mrs. Rose Lowes, daughters and son of Grand Rapids were Sunday afternoon and evening callers of Mrs. Minnie Hawk.

Honey Creek News
Mrs. Leona Hunt

Pedro Club met at the home of Margie Sveodas. Prizes were won by Margaruite Gould, Margi and Edythe Andrews. Floating prize won by Hazel Knoop and Betty Lou Provonche.

The Jake Knoop's attended the King family reunion at Ideal Park last Tuesday evening.

A number of our pre-school children have been very ill with measles and chicken pox the last 2 weeks.

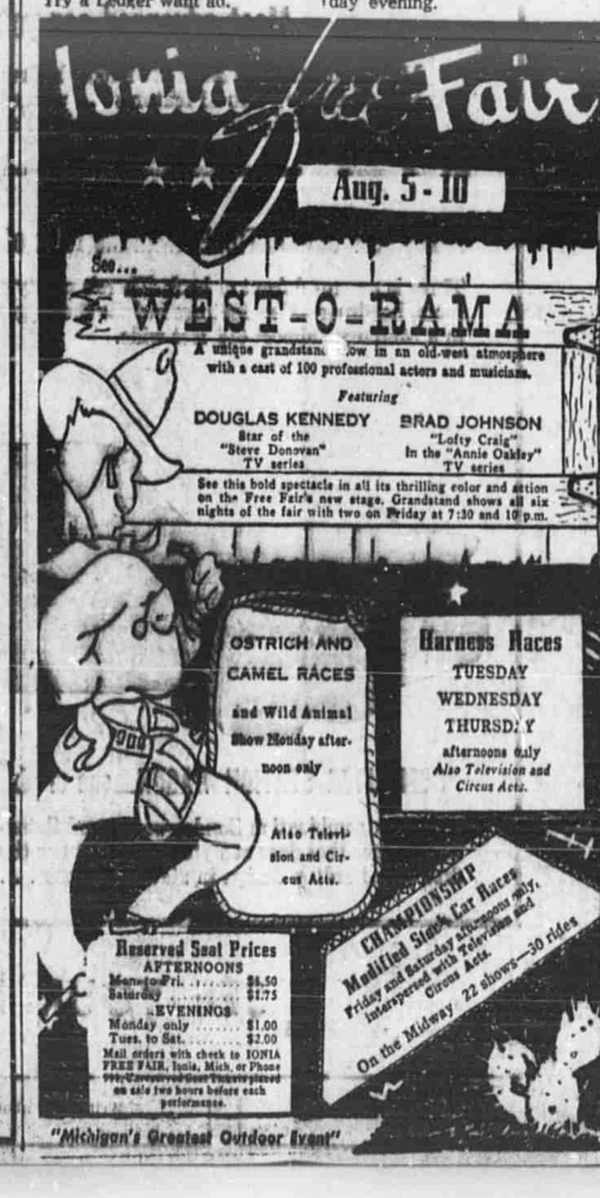
Bud Nowack is home from Fort Carson, Colo., where he took his basic training. He will be stationed at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., after his return on Aug. 2nd.

The Carl Nowack's held open house in Bud's honor on Saturday evening. A large number of friends and neighbors were present.

Young Joe Brown of Grand Rapids took our 4-H members, who have horses to the Horse Show at Allegan this past week, Jack and Judy Nowack, Maynard Baer, Dave Hammer, Leslie and Loyd Norwood, Susan, Mary and Rusty Jervis were members attending.

Elmo Bently from Bellingham, Washington, is visiting at his sister's Mrs. Carl Andrews and brother's Fred Bentley's on Cramton rd.

Mrs. Edythe Andrews held a shower for her sister Sharon Bentley and Peggy Johnston on Friday evening.



Harry Knoop's cousin, Robert King, from Waterbury, Conn., is visiting him.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Osborne took a trip across the Straits and down through Wisconsin the past week end.

N. McCords-E. Cascade
Mrs. Effie Cox

Mrs. Nettie Quiggle is visiting at the Charlie Quiggle home for several days.

Mrs. Bessie Baker of Lowell was a guest of Mrs. J. Cox Friday. Also Saturday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kaufman of Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Mary Wilson and son were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hank Finkbeiner, Sunday of Caledonia.

Mrs. Cora VanderStlope and

Mrs. George VanderStlope of Grand Rapids were guests Wednesday of Mrs. J. Cox.

Mrs. John Cox had dinner with Mrs. Mary Wilson and Philip, Monday.

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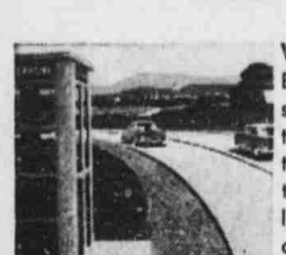

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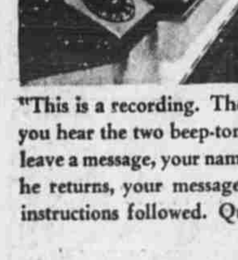

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Jolly Community club met last week Wednesday afternoon at Fallasburg Park. Not many were present but a good time was had by all there. Next meeting will be August 21, in the afternoon again, at Fallasburg Park, at the same place. Bring own beverage, and pot luck supper.

Bunco club will be held August 1 at the home of Deil Smit on her lawn. She will supply the refreshments. Bring your tables and other supplies.

Mrs. Roy Kimball was a Sunday dinner guest at the Elmer Hale home.

Roanne Gage was a week end guest of Nancy Collins in Lowell.

Mrs. Duras Olin returned from a week's stay at their farm at Kalkaska.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thompson spent Sunday at Fenwick with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Scheid of Williamston were Saturday and Sunday guests at the Jake Hoover home.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Hendricks and family spent Sunday in Lake Odessa with the Earl Hendricks and A. J. Young families.

The Eugene King family of M21, the Paul Potters and Art Stiles of Belding and Ralph Wheatons of Greenville, enjoyed a picnic dinner and some fishing Sunday at Wabasis Lake.

Mrs. John Smith, with the Lyle Jackson family had a picnic dinner Sunday at Long Lake.

Mrs. Lorraine Tran and children of Grand Rapids were Sunday guests at the Robert Anderson home.

The L. J. Hansons, Duange Hanson family, and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hanson, all of Greenville, and Mrs. Ruby Hanson, had potluck supper Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith.

Mrs. Gladys Dieterman was a Monday afternoon guest of Mrs. Maxine Potter.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hoddinott and son of Cleveland, Ohio, came Wednesday afternoon to the Ed Potter, sr., home and stayed until Sunday afternoon. They called on all the Potter relatives and on Friday they, with the Ed Potter, seniors, had dinner with the Ralph Wheaton family in Greenville. Guests Friday evening at the senior Potter's home were Byron and Susie Potter of South Lowell.

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FINAL ADMINISTRATION ACCOUNT

State of Michigan—The Probate Court for the County of Kent.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office, in the City of Grand Rapids, in said County, on the 10th day of July, A. D. 1957.

Present: HON. JOHN DALTON, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of JOHN D. YEITER, Deceased.

Dan A. Wingeier having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate, for the allowance of fees, and for the allowance of all things therein contained.

It is Ordered, That the 14th day of August A. D. 1957, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition;

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Lowell Ledger, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

JOHN DALTON,
Judge of Probate

A true copy,
C. R. LAWTON,
Register of Probate.

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Public Notice

Amendments to Township Building Ordinance of Lowell Township, Kent County Michigan:

The following new articles have been incorporated in the Lowell Township Building Ordinance.

Article 10. Animals and their Housing:

No accessory or other building, nor open space, shall be used for the housing or keeping of such animals as pigs, goats, stock or cattle within any platted area or settled territory or adjacent to the same unless the owner or keeper shall keep the same on a fenced area of not less than two acres and house them not closer than one hundred (100) feet from the dwelling, or dwellings of other persons, such animals and the places in which they are kept shall in all circumstances be kept in a clean sanitary condition in such manner as not to be offensive to the community and they shall not be fed on collected or drawn-in garbage or refuse.

Article 11. Junk Yards:

(1) Junk yards shall be fenced in with 7 ft fence within 6 months after securing permit for same.

(2) Burning old material.

Before burning old materials from wrecked cars and other debris the owner shall first contact Fire Chief of either Village of Lowell or Alto.

(3) License Permit and Fees:

A fee of $25.00 shall be charged for permit for one year to operate a junk yard of any description and operate according to regulations and conditions so stated. These regulations and conditions enacted thereunder shall within 5 days after their adoption and before it shall take effect and be published by posting the same in 3 conspicuous places in Township. Any person, firm, association or corporation which shall operate such an establishment without a license or shall violate any regulation shall be deemed guilty of misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding $100.00 or by imprisonment in the County Jail not to exceed 90 days or by both such fines and imprisonment in the discretion of the Court. (CL 29 Sec. 9768).

Esther M. Fahrni,
c-14 Township Clerk.

South Lowell
Mrs. Nancy Nordhof

The Sweet School reunion will be held August 4th this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stahl were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wieland.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wells spent the week end visiting relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Oliver and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jenks of Ortonville and Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bartlett of Lake Como, Fla., are visiting in the neighborhood and are staying with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wieland.

Sunday evening the Eric Strand, Walter Wieland and Geo. Wieland families enjoyed a wiener roast at Jordan Lake in Lake Odessa.

Another neighborhood visitor, Mrs. Kate Wissman of Fowlerville is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Wissman and will also spend a few days with the Elizabeth Wissman family.

Henry Hall is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Barnes and family.

David Barnes celebrated his 8th birthday, Tuesday, with a family party.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Preston attended a school reunion at Fremont, last Sunday.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Zerfas enjoyed swimming and supper with the Vernon Preston family.

To make the picture complete Mr. and Mrs. Thayer Denney, Shirley Preston and Ruth Preston were home for the week end. So the entire Preston family was in the community last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Beyer and Mr. and Mrs. Justin Palmbos called on the Robert Barnes family last week Wednesday.

John Aussicker, 84, Dies at Ionia

John Aussicker, 84, passed away at Ionia Memorial hospital July 19. Mr. Aussicker was a former Lowell area resident, having owned a farm west of Lowell for many years. Recently, however, he has made his home with the Hubert Fryover's in Portland.

Mr. Aussicker operated a saw mill years ago and also owned a threshing rig which traveled this area.

The farm where the deceased formerly lived is now owned by Mr. Fryover and is rented by Mr. and Mrs. Elvert Baird.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Dykstra Funeral home, in Holland; interment in Ventura cemetery.

Recent callers on Robert L. C. Jones who is recovering from a recent illness where his aunt, Mrs. Libbie Greggs and Mr. and Mrs. John Gowdgwaard of Cannonsburg, A. D. Smith of Belding, the Leonard Jury family of Greenville, and Chris Jensen from Crystal.

Mrs. Otha Frack of Ann Arbor was the guest of Mrs. Celia Williams several days of last week.

Financial Report for School District No. 2 River School, Ada, Michigan

GENERAL FUND RECEIPTS

Cash on Hand July 1, 1956	$ 362.08
Current Tax Collected	1,132.87
Delinquent Tax Collected	33.88
Interest on Delinquent Taxes	1.35
State Primary Fund	1,324.05
State Aid 1956-1957	3,241.32
	$6,095.55

GENERAL FUND DISBURSEMENTS

Salaries Board of Education	$ 89.00
Administration Supplies and Expense	26.44
Census Expense	10.00
Salaries of Teachers	3,770.00
Tuition Expense	1,200.00
Text Books for School	36.57
Other Instruction Expense	2.56
Fuel and Utilities	193.41
Operation Supplies and Expense	21.65
Maintenance of Bldg., Grounds	27.48
Insurance Expense	32.57
Transportation Expense	385.00
Auxiliary Expense	13.62
	$5,808.30
Cash on Hand July 1, 1957	$ 287.25
	$6,095.55

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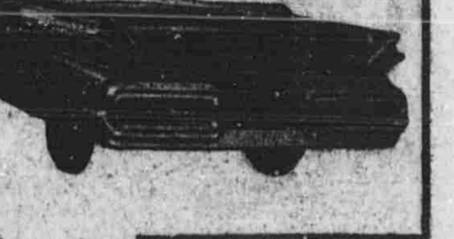

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CHOIR PLANS CONCERT SUNDAY, AUGUST 25

The choir of the Alto Methodist church will present a special concert of religious music at 8 o'clock in the evening Sunday, August 25.

ADD TOHEAD ARTICLES BOWNE CENTER 4-H CLUB MEETS AT CHAPEL HOME

The Bowne Center 4-H food preparation and food preservation class met with their leader, Mrs. Gordon Stahl, at the home of Julie Chapel, Tuesday afternoon, July 16.

A demonstration on making a chocolate layer cake was given by Beverly Aldrich and Julie.

A business meeting following the demonstration, and refreshments were prepared and served by the third-year members of the group.

The next meeting will be next Tuesday afternoon, July 30, at the Linton cottage, at Gun Lake—Joan will be the hostess.

ICE CREAM SOCIAL

An ice cream social will be held at the Hope Church of the Brethren, located on M50, Friday evening, July 27, starting at 6 o'clock. Home made ice cream and cake will be served. c-14

GARDEN CLUBBERS PICNIC

Twenty-two members and guests were in attendance at the Annual Alto Garden Club Picnic at Rheus Park, Alaska Wednesday. After a sumptuous dinner at one o'clock Vice-President Freda Russell called the meeting to order for a short business session. Plans for the Flower Show in August were discussed and other necessary business disposed of. Mrs. Floyd Thompson then introduced several lively games and stunts which provided a delightful afternoon.

Mrs. Elmer Yeiter entered Blodgett Hospital last week to receive treatment for extremely high blood pressure.

Alto Community News
MRS. CLAUD SILCOX—PHONE UN8-4281

HENRY JOHNSON TURNS TO POETRY ON NATURE

Former Bowne township supervisor Henry A. Johnson has written a 12-verse poem entitled "Nature's Lessons", which depicts some beautiful and well-worded thoughts on the wonders of our world.

Now retired from his township duties and those of Kent County Road Commissioner, Mr. Johnson is not only content to write poetry, but is also spending most of his spare time compiling on authoritative history of Bowne Township.

Mrs. Lucy Huntington entertained her grandchildren, the Huver children, of Kalamazoo last week.

WINGEIER SISTERS HOST STAR FARM BUREAU

The Wingeier sisters of Wingeier Ave. opened their beautifully remodeled home Tuesday evening to entertain the Star Farm Bureau.

Twenty-seven members and families were in attendance. Chairman Dave Wingeier conducted the business meeting after which Enoch Carlson led a lively discussion on "Arab land and our farming future". The entertainment was provided by Alfred Wiegele who played several numbers on his accordion and accompanied for community singing.

Delicious refreshments served by the three Wingeier sisters were greatly relished by the guests. The next meeting will be the annual picnic at Dutton Park, probably on August 20.

Alto Baptist Church

The Congregation was delightfully surprised Sunday to find a lovely organ installed in the church for a demonstration. It added so much to the beauty and enjoyment of the services. The church has had an organ fund for less than a year and approximately one-third of the cost of the organ has already been given.

Sunday morning Pastor Marquardt will speak on "The Royalty of Meekness", continuing his series of messages on the Beatitudes. A trio composed of Mary Jeanne Vanden Heuvel, Rev. and Mrs. Marquardt, will sing "Following Jesus".

In the evening service music will be provided by Rev. and Mrs. K. W. Marquardt from Steamboat Rock, Iowa, who with their family will be visiting in Alto. The Rev. Kurt Marquart is the brother of the local pastor.

On Thursday evening the ladies missionary society of the Alto Baptist Church will be the guests of the ladies of the Lowell Church at a Missionary Meeting. They will hear Miss Carolyn Hovingh who has returned from Africa.

Prayer Meeting

The Rescue of Helen Priscilla Stam was the story given at the Children's Prayer Meeting on Wednesday at the Alto Baptist church. After the song service and prayer by each of the children, refreshments were served. At that time prizes were given to the children for their effort in the recent contest with special awards given to the winners.

Other Alto News

Mr. and Mrs. Elner Mosbeck of Chicago and Miss Audie Yeiter of Mishawaka, Ind. were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Watson. Their mother, Mrs. Jennie Yeiter has been placed on the critical list at the Lowell Rest Home where she is a patient.

Mrs. E. L. Timpson accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Clyde Kirschenman of Portland to Columbus, Ohio where they visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Joseph Lee and family over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Silcox attended a picnic dinner at the Chaterdon Snow Lake cottage Sunday honoring the Chaterdon's wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bieri and two little daughters of Lowell were also present.

Mrs. Merle Rosenberg returned from Blodgett hospital Saturday and is feeling quite well. On Sunday the R. D. Bancrofts and Denton Wilcox's took a complete dinner to the Rosenberg home and Marguerite was able to enjoy it with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Silcox and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Keiser spent Wednesday with the Lee Vandawater family who were vacationing at Wolf Lake north of Baldwin.

Kelvin Potter celebrated his 10th birthday Friday by having a party. 16 boys and girls were his guests and all had a happy afternoon with games and "yummy" eats. He was the recipient of a number of nice gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wheeler and children spent the week end with Mrs. Wheeler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lacer of Rodney. On Sunday, Mrs. Wheeler attended a picnic and reunion of her class in High School which was held at School Section Lake County Park. Ralph Wheeler who had spent the week with his grandparents returned home with the Wheelers. James Wheeler's brother Jerry is working at the Alto Garage.

Mrs. E. Wickstead, Mrs. Lawrence Scott and Mrs. Kenneth Sinclair took twelve 4-H girls in the Child Care Class to the Methodist Community House in Grand Rapids Monday afternoon. They went to observe the methods used in the Day Nursery and spent a very profitable and interesting time there.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Graham entertained the latters daughter, Mrs. Cleo Briggs and children of Quincy for a few days. Tommy Briggs spent last week with his grandmother, he will return home with his mother and brother, Dickie will remain to visit the Graham's this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Richardson and new little son, Jeffrey Paul of Hatch Hallow were Monday evening visitors of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fiarchild and mother, Mrs. Anna Fairchild were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Fay Pinckney of Grand Ledge.

Among those from this locality who attended the wedding of Leonard Hoag and Miss Phyllis Keller of Wayland which was solemnized in the St. Cyril Methodius Church in Wayland Saturday morning were Mr. and Mrs. Robert McWhinney, Carol and Patty and Mrs. Anna Fairchild, who were also guests to a lovely dinner served by Mrs. Boyd McWhinney in Wayland. Other who also attended were Mr. and Mrs. Garry McWhinney and the Paul Dintamans.

The Alto Fire Department got a call Monday noon to a fire in Ray Glover's housetrailer which is parked on the rear of the Bergy Bros Ware House lot. The fire was in the TV set which was destroyed and the interior of the trailer was partly burned.

Mrs. Clair Flynn attended a breakfast for World Book representatives at the Holly House Restaurant Tuesday morning.

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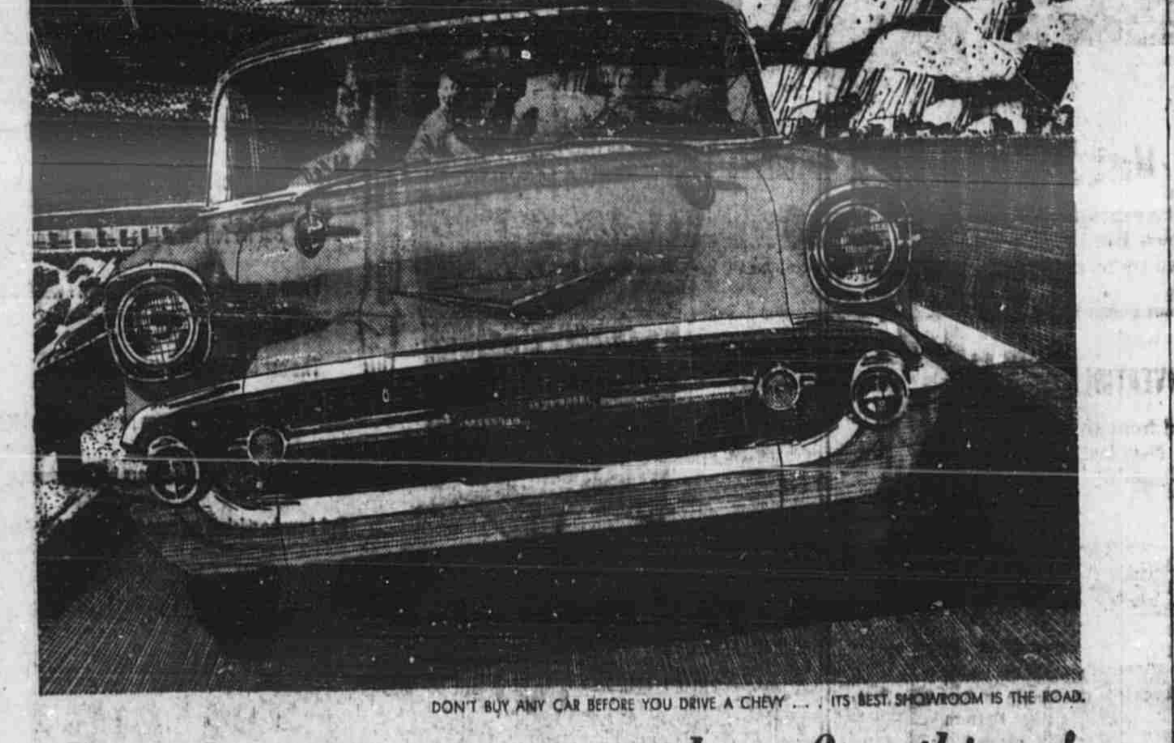

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KRAFT **Orange Juice** 3 46-oz. cans 79¢

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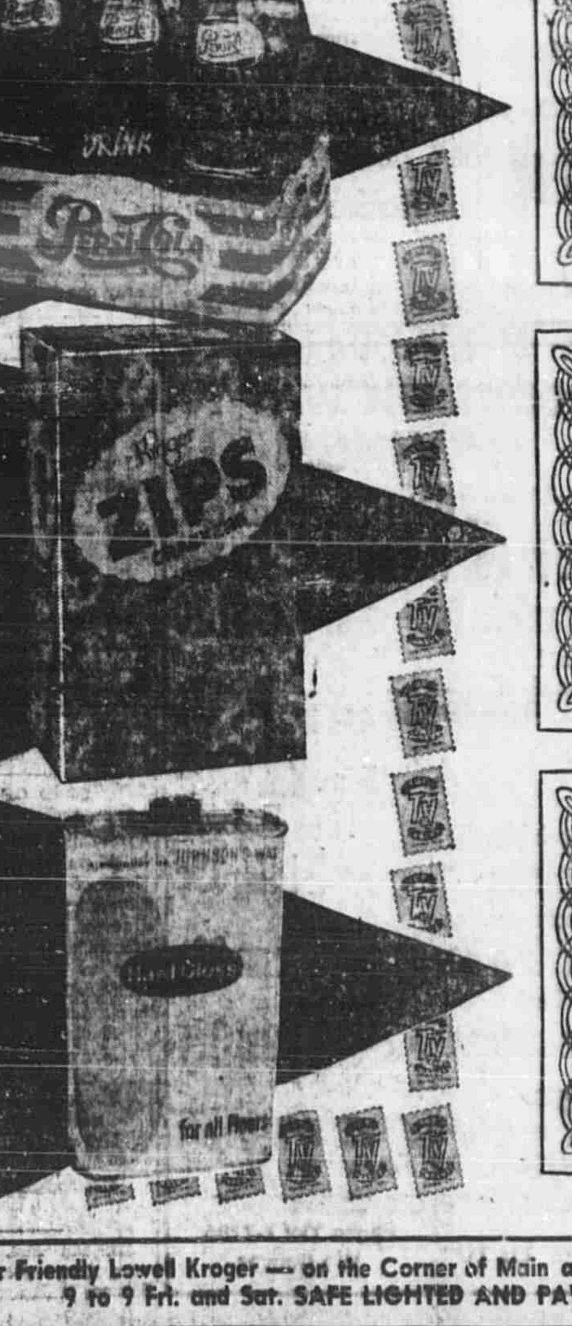

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BRIDE-ELECT HONORED AT SHOWER TUESDAY

Mrs. Darrel Hesche and Mrs. Grant Higgins were co-hostesses at a bridal shower, July 16 at the former's home, Route 3 Lowell, honoring Miss Glenna Higgins.

Assisting were Mrs. Art Hessler and Mrs. Paul Jones of Belding, Mrs. Ray Hesche, jr., of Lowell and Mrs. Roberta Richardson of Ionia.

There were 28 guests attending enjoying games and refreshments.

Miss Higgins who was the recipient of many lovely gifts will become the bride of Raymond Byrne of Belding, July 27 at Green Corner's Baptist Church.

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Heat Claims Two In Chimp Act

Two chimpanzees in the Marquis and Faimly act of the Lowell Showboat died Monday, apparently from heat exhaustion.

The act arrived in Lowell Friday evening, having driven from Las Vegas, Nevada, where they last appeared. The chimps are housed in an air-conditioned trailer, parked by the home-ec house near the grandstand, on Lafayette st.

One of the little fellows became sick Saturday and a Lowell doctor was called. Then another one fell ill. It is believed the two may have taken some water which was not pure, or disagreed with them, during their trip to Lowell from Nevada.

Perhaps the comforts of our modern age have spoiled the little fellows. At any rate, post mortems were to be taken to ascertain the cause of their death.

Not in Act

One of the deceased chimps was newly-purchased and in the process of being trained for the act, according to Mr. Marquis. The other held only a minor part. There are eight remaining members of the "family", and some of them have been under Mr. Marquis' care for over 13 years.

The act originated in England, and has enjoyed great success. Last summer the Showboat tried to obtain them for the 1956 show, but they were booked for three months at Radio City Music Hall in New York City.

FLORIDA GROUP HOLDS ANNUAL LOWELL PICNIC

The Annual Eustis, Florida, picnic was held Sunday at Fallasburg Park with about fifty-eight attending from Port Huron, Portland, Remus, Hudson, Swartz Creek, Hickory Corners, Grand Rapids, and Lowell.

An interesting letter from Mrs. C. M. Himebaugh who is visiting her son in Guatemala was read to the group. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Ray Rogers; Vice-President, Ralph Story; Secretary and Treasurer, Bertha Mersum of South Haven.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Bartlett (nee Louise Hoffs) of Dexter, Mich., announce the arrival of a daughter, Cathy Lou, July 6, weight 7 pounds, 6 ounces. Mrs. Bartlett is a former vocal instructor at Lowell public schools.

Ann Marie and Lola Lee Alexander returned Sunday from W. M. U. in Kalamazoo.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ronald R. Stevens

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald R. Stevens are pictured above following their marriage June 14, at the First Church of the Nazarene, Huntington, Indiana. The couple will make their home in Kankakee, Illinois. The bride, the former Dorette Jeanene Morris, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Morris of Huntington. Mr. and Mrs. Emerson H. Stevens of Lowell are the parents of the bridegroom.

News Representative Needed in Ada

The Lowell Ledger and Suburban Life are in need of an alert news representative for the Ada area—perhaps there is someone in Ada who has always wanted to get their thoughts in print.

We need someone who is willing to make contacts locally and get the news—someone who feels that the community service they are rendering by doing this work is partial pay, in addition to the nominal fee these papers can offer.

Please contact Harold Jefferies, TW 7-9281, if you are interested.

COMING EVENTS

The annual meeting of the Alton Cemetery Association will be held Tuesday evening, Aug. 6, at 8 o'clock at the Alton church.
Cora E. Ford, Sec.

Snow WSCS bake sale at Gee's Hardware, Friday, July 26, from 10:30 to 3:30. Orders will be taken. TW 7-7686 or TW 7-9725. c14

Vergennes Cooperative club will meet Thursday, Aug. 1. Hostess Mary Bennett. Roll Call—favorite recreation.

The annual meeting of the Alton Church Society will be held at the Alton church on Tuesday, Aug. 6, at 8 p. m.

The Lowell W. S. C. S. will have their picnic dinner one o'clock Friday, July 26, at the home of Mrs. William Kerekes. Bring own table service and a dish to pass. Beverage will be furnished.

The Lowell Loyalites old-time picnic will be held at the shelter house at Fallasburg park Aug. 7, 6:30 p. m.

The annual picnic of the Cheerful Doers will be held in the church dining room at 6:30 Monday, Aug. 5, followed by the regular meeting. Please bring own service and a dish to pass. The committee will furnish rolls and tea.

The Lila Group will meet Thursday, Aug. 1, 2 p. m. at the parish house.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank everyone for the kind deeds they did, for the flowers, cards, those who called on me during my stay at the hospital and since my return home, the employees of the Kent County Road Commission garage at Ada for the beautiful roses. Many thanks.
p14 Mrs. Tildon Pinckney, sr.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear husband, father and grandfather, Emmett Needham, who passed away one year ago, July 23, 1956.
Mrs. Emmett Needham
Miss Barbara Needham
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stuart
Christine and Carol
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CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my friends and relatives for remembering me while I was in the hospital, and convalescing at home.
p14 Jeannie Schneider

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our neighbors, friends and relatives for all their kindness shown to us during our recent sorrow. Also the pall bearers and Rev. Steinkamp for their services.
p14 Mrs. Earl Jones

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deep appreciation to all our friends and neighbors for their kind expressions of sympathy, cards, and flowers sent during the illness and death of our beloved Mother and grandmother, Mrs. Pearl Bieri. Also to Rev. DeVinney for his many calls and words of comfort in our hour of sorrow.
Stanley Bieri
Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Bieri and Family
Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bieri and Family
Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Biggs and Family
Mr. and Mrs. John Husar
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Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bannan were dinner guests of the Bill Bannans of Jackson on Sunday.

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Pvt. 1/c Gerald M. Gibbs, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Gibbs, 908 E. Main, has been in Honolulu about a month. His mailing address is RA16536142, C Battery, 2nd FA Bn, RKT—HOW, 21st Artillery, APO 25, San Francisco, Calif.

Pvt. Lewis O. Todd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer R. Todd, Route 3, Lowell, recently was assigned to the 56th Quartermaster Battalion in Germany.

Todd is a supply handler in the battalion's 565th Company. He entered the Army in July 1956 and received basic training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

Dale Johnson of Alto who is stationed in Germany has a new address. It is: SP3 Dale L. Johnson, US55555490, H-S Co., 1st A. R. B., 41st Inf., APO 28, New York, New York.

FAMILY OF HARRY VAUGHN HONOR HIS BIRTHDAY

A family get-together and outdoor picnic was enjoyed Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vaughn in honor of Mr. Vaughn's seventieth birthday.

All of their family were present. Those from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Vaughn and family of Clauson, Mr. and Mrs. George Emelander and two sons from Hudsonville, and Mr. and Mrs. William Vaughn and daughter of Ionia.

CALLED TO CALIFORNIA BY MR. MC CARTHY'S ILLNESS

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Henry will be in Glendale, California, for an indefinite period, called there by the illness of their uncle, Paul McCarty.

Mr. McCarty is a native of Lowell, and a former vaudeville entertainer. He has lived in California for the past 25 years.

Mrs. Gerald Henry of Grand Rapids, returned home last Wednesday after helping care for Mr. McCarty; he is now in a Glendale hospital.

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 31
Morning, Lightweight Horse Pulling; Afternoon, Tractor Pulling; Evening, Movieland Animal Stars

THURSDAY, AUG. 1
Morning, Heavyweight Horse Pulling; Afternoon, Harness Racing; Evening, WLS National Barn Dance Show

FRIDAY, AUG. 2
Afternoon, Harness Racing; Evening, Variety Show

SATURDAY, AUG. 3
Afternoon, Talent Show with 4H Club Youth, Marcia Strong Dancers and TV Cowboy Buck Barry; Evening, Stock Car Races

MISS SHIRLEY BRUINEKOOL HONORED AT SHOWER

Miss Shirley Bruinekool was honor guest at a bridal shower Tuesday evening, July 23, held at the Ada Reformed church.

Mrs. Carl Duthler, Mrs. Harold Engen and Mrs. Elliot Bruinekool were hostesses. The bride-elect will be married August 16 to Benjamin Yorelmek, jr., of Benton Harbor.

After several amusing games Miss Bruinekool opened her many beautifully-wrapped packages which were placed on a table decorated in green and white.

About 35 guests were present to admire the lovely gifts and enjoy the refreshments which were served by the hostesses.

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