



"I just stopped around because I heard someone tell the editor he'd have to eat those words!"



Come next Monday night, there will be many among us who will heave a sigh of relief and, hopefully, get back to the business of what might be classified as "normal living."

That's when the decision on Lowell's school problems will have been reached, for better or for worse.

A controversy such as the millage issue can be good for a community. . .but it also can have dire side effect. There has been strong evidence that the latter is substantially true in this case.

If nothing else, the present difficulties have done much to awaken people to the fact that school problems are here today. . . not just in some far-removed district nor at some far distant date.

Many ill-founded rumors have been disspelled (though it must be reported, in all fairness, that others will persist) and there is a feeling of public awareness that bodes well for the fu-

As we started to say initially, the time of decision is at hand. Those among the readership whose interests lie elsewhere will be happy to hear that this problem will disappear from the headlines in future editions.

All that can be said has been said. Most of it has been said in the columns of this newspaper. We can only hope that we have been of service. . . win, lose or draw.

One of the more pleasant aspects of what we call normal living is just around the corner. . .namely, spring.

According to those much more learned than the Smithy, the vernal equinox (new there's a real expression) will arrive at 2:08 p. m. on March 20.

At that time, say astromomers, the sun will cross the equator, bringing about longer days than nights. ... and warmer weather too. Which, in turn, will cause the grass to turn green and that, of course, means the golf season will be upon us once again.

As those among the faithful are all-too-painfully aware, we have a particular affinity to the gentle art of stroking the small white spheroid around what used to be pastureland.

I doubt seriously that we gain much medical benefit from same, though certainly walking several miles per outing has got to be better for a person's health than other less-strenuous pur-

However, golf is, in my estimation, the finest form of mental therapy ever contrived. This may be for the simple reason that I seldom tee off with a specific score or goal in mind and, because of this, there is little cause to become provoked when things don't go too well.

Instead, I am most happy to just be out communing with nature and let the birdies, pars or bogeys (plus an occasional double or triple bogey) fall where they may.

LSD Attracts Students!

Junior high students in Lowell appear to be "addicted" to LSD.

In this case, however, LSD stands for "Let's Study Delinquency", a nine-week course to be conducted daily by members of the Lowell Police Department commencing March 31.

The course will be attended by 50 students as part of the junior high's unique elective curriculum.

A total of i 10 students registered for the class as a "first choice" and 93 others picked it as a second choice.

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Be Sure to Vote Monday!

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Vill Hold Line, Board Pledges

Recent increases in state equalized valuation in the City of

An analysis of issues at stake in next Monday's special millage

Entitled "Community At The Crossroads," the program fea-

Station officials say that Lowell was selected as subject mater-

election in the Lowell Area School District will be featured in a spe-

cial documentary scheduled for viewing this Thursday night (March

tures interviews with residents of the district . . . businessmen, far-

ial for the documentary inasmuch as issues involved in the matter

of providing education are typical of those being experienced by

mers, property owners, teachers, school officials and students.

Issue Featured on

13) on WZZM-TV at 8:00 p.m.

By a 6-0 affirmative vote, members of the Lowell Area School Board of Education offered further re-assurance to district residents comes effective June 30, indicated to the board Monday night that Monday night that it will hold the line on 1969-70 school operating tentative budget figures for 1969-70 call for an outlay of approximately \$1,390,000. expenses.

Board president Dr. Robert Reagan, calling for a rare roll call vote, received "yes" votes from William Jones, Dr. R. D. Siegle, Har- Lowell, plus anticipated increases in adjacent townships, can be exold Metternick, Dale Shade and Gould Rivette to the following motion submitted by Jones:

"Moved that the Board of Education does re-affirm its intent to levy only that amount of money, by virtue of millage up to seven mills, that is necessary to support an adequate education program."

The board is seeking voter approval for seven additional mills for operating expenses in a special millage election scheduled for next Monday, March 17:

Polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. at two voting sites -Runciman Elementary School in Lowell and Alto Elementary School in Alto.

Though absent from the city on vacation, the seventh member of the board, Dr. Donald Gerard, had indicated prior to his departure an intent to support the motion, according to Dr. Reagan.

While the roll call vote established a precedent, the board has in six of the past seven years, not levied the full amount of millage allocated or voted.

"It has always been our policy to levy only the millage required to operate the school system," explained Dr. Reagan. "This year, because we are attempting to reduce the deficit, the full amount was

Another record turnout is expected at the polls Monday. Two previous requests for additional millage were turned down in August and November last year. . . the latter by a 113-vote margin when 60.7 percent of the registered electorate turned out to reject a seven-mill request by a vote of 1136-1023.

The August election, for 3.3 mills, resulted in a 457-457 standoff when a recount upset an apparent one-vote victory.

Both requests, as is the case with Monday's election, were for

wo Men Killed

Area Crash

Dead on arrival at Butterworth Hospital were:

Tichelaar, 51, of 8808 Rickert Road, Saranac,

Lowell Monday afternoon.

dition at the hospital.

ident scene

Grand Rapids city limits.

proved Tuesday afternoon.

right side of the car in the ensuing crash.

Two area men are dead and three others hospitalized, one in

Richard Rutherford, 52, of 1424 Lafayette, Lowell, and Louis

The two dead men were passengers in a car driven by Mar-

vin McQueen, 39, of 11940 Potter Road, Lowell. McQueen and

Ormand Lyons, 45, of 131 S. Center, Lowell, are listed in fair con-

gennes, Lowell, was listed in critical condition Monday, but was im-

Police Post, the truck was westbound on M-21, commonly referred

to as "Accident Alley," and was passing another car in a no-passing

avoid a head-on collision. The truck sheared off both doors on the

from work. Tichelaar had been employed by the company exactly

State Police are continuing to investigate the accident.

December 11, 1964 in a head-on crash not far from Monday's acc-

three Saranac residents were killed in a car-train crash at the C & O

crossing in Lowell. Also killed on January 26, 1968 was a Lowell

woman whose car was struck head-on by an ambulance near the

Uninjured was William Whitney, 46, of Sparta, driver of the

According to trooper Richard Jarman of the Rockford State

McQueen's car, eastbound, apparently swerved to the left to

All five men were employees of Kelvinator and were returning

Rutherford's brother, John, was fatally injured on M-21 on

The fatalities were the first on M-21 since May 3, 1968, when

serious condition, following a car-truck accident on M-21 west of

school district across the state and nation. pected to bring in additional operating reveunues, Pace told the "However," he cautioned, "it will not produce the bonanza some people apparently seem to believe at this time. Our estimates indicate that about \$17,000 will come from the new assessments in the City of Lowell."

Jones noted to the board and a turnout of approximately 35



PERFECT RECORD - Superintendent Robert G. Masten congratulates Mrs. Mary Flynn, who last week retired after 10 years of accident-free driving with the Forest Hills Public School bus fleet.

Bus Driver Terminates Accident-Free Career

A decade of service to Forest Hills Public Schools has come to an end for Mrs. Mary Flynn.

Last week, much to her surprise, Mrs. Flynn was guest of honor at a party given by fellow bus drivers, members of the office staff and Superintendent of Schools Robert G. Masten.

The occasion marked Mrs. Flynn's resignation, with regrets, from the driver's corps. . . and the anniversary of 10 years of accident-free driving for the system.

She was presented with a gift certificate from Fenstemacher's Fabric Shop, a most appropriate gift since Mary's hob-

Things were far different when Mrs. Flynn started driving school buses for the district back in 1959. Her runs in those days called for 50 miles a day, compared to approximately 100 miles a day in recent years.

There were but 12 buses in the fleet a decade ago compared to 34 this year.

Mrs. Flynn recalls with fond memories the many hours spent in transporting children to and from classrooms. . . and, perhaps not as pleasantly, the mornings when it was necessary to clear ice and snow from buses for early morning trips on

Plan' March for Millage

A full-scale parade, carrying the theme of "March for Millage," will be held in Lowell this Saturday morning.

Under the auspices of the Citizens for Better Education, the parade is expected to include some 20 or more units, including representatives from every club and organization in the Lowell school

Marchers will assemble at Richards Park and will get underway at 10 a.m. along a route to Main Street, then east to Washing-

A special performance by the Green Hornets Junior Drum and Bugle Corps from Comstock Park will be one of the highlights, In addition, the Lowell High School band and Scarlet Troubadours Junior Drum and Bugle Corps color guard will be in action.

Antique cars from Grand Rapids and new automobiles furnished by local dealers will participate in the event. A number of youth groups and a special contingent from

the Lowell YMCA will be among the expected turnout of 500

Student groups from the school system will include members of the various athletic teams and extra-curricular activities classes.

Outgoing Superintendent James C. Pace, whose resignation be-interested residents, that the full millage picture will not be known for some time.

> "At this point, we are playing a guessing game," declared Jones. "We do not have all the facts on state equalized increases, on state aid, on teachers salaries and on bus transportation.

"Until these facts are known, we can only go on record to guarantee our voters that we will spend only that money necessary to retire the present deficit and to provide an adequate educational program for our children."

Jones then expressed the opinion that the board should reaffirm, officially, a similar stand taken during the December meeting and repeated in the January session.

Dr. Reagan concurred, noting that the board should depart from usual voting procedures in this instance. The roll call vote followed.

"We want the record to speak for itself that every member of this board, including Dr. Gerard, who is not present, had the oppor-

tunity to stand and be counted," said Dr. Reagan. Several items of business calling for cash outlays were tabled

pending the outcome of Monday's election. These included a request from Pace that repairs and preventive maintenance be considered for the junior high, intermed-

iate buildings and football stands. Plans for purchase of two new buses also were tabled, though the board authorized Pace to advertise for bids for purchase of the

vehicles, expected to cost about \$17,500. Pace told the board that changes in bus routes for this school

year has resulted in approximately 20,000 fewer miles than at a corresponding period of the 1967-68 school term.

In other action, the board:

Re-affirmed its bus transportation policy in turning down a request that afternoon kindergarten students attending Bushnell School would not be transported to classes;

Granted tenure to 13 teachers as required by the Teacher Tenure Act; namely, Mrs. Dolores Gabrion, Charles Johnson, Miss Virginia Kauffman, Ronald Moore, Harry Peacock, Mrs. Patricia Pierce, Mrs. Phyllis Reyburn, Darwin Sampson, George Stegmier, Mrs. Esther Teerling, Mrs Elizabeth VanderSee, Gilbert Woolworth, and Mrs. Marge Benedict;

Tabled and turned over to Metternick bids on a built-up roof for the intermediate school gymnasium;

Tabled a request from the Kent Intermediate Board that three properties be transferred to the Forest Hills School District and a fourth be transferred to the Lakewood School District pending results of a block transfer hearing held recently in Lansing; and

Accepted the resignation of Miss Kay Wood, third grade teach-

Police Nab Two at High Speeds

A pair of high-speed chases, both involving 22-year-old drivers, were terminated by cohesive police action during the past

Kent County Sheriff's deputies were called to handle an accident early Thursday morning when a Clarksville man ran off the road at a high rate of speed on M-91 while attempting to outdistance Lowell police.

In turn, Lowell police succeeded Sunday morning in blockading a Lowell-area motorist who was seeking to elude sheriff's deputies on 36th Street.

Gary R. Warner, 22 of Clarksville and a companion, 22-yearold James Mullinix of New York, were injured slightly when Warner's car left the road south of Lowell, hit a utility pole and rolled over several times in an open field.

Police report that Warner was observed in Lowell traveling at a high rate of speed. When local officers sought to arrest him, he sped away at speeds estimated at 100 m.p.h. The two men were taken to St. Mary's Hospital for treat-

ment Lowell police issued a ticket for reckless driving.

Roger A. Keech, 22, of 3250 Kissing Rock Road, was arrested after he was stopped by a blockade established by Lowell police at M-91 and 36th Street following a call for assistance by the Sheriff's Department. He was ticketed for reckless dri-

Delmer Kidder, 33, of Twin Lakes was fined a total of \$103 and sentenced to three days in the county jail after appearing before District Judge Joseph B. White on a charge of driving with license revoked. He was arrested in Lowell March 3.

New Construction in Ada Tops '68

Building permits for 1969 are running well ahead of figures for the first two months of last year in Ada Township.

Building Inspector Herman Stukkie reported to the township board at its bi-monthly meeting Monday that total valuation for permits issued to date is \$378?500, compared to \$100,000 at the same time in 1968.

Included is a permit calling for construction of the new Ada Community Reformed Church on Thornapple River Drive, valued at \$155,000. (See story on Page 6.)

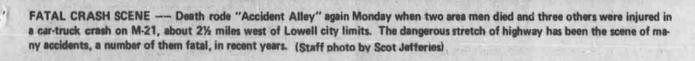
Additional permits were issued during the month of February for seven new residential dwellings and three additions and remodel-

Stukkie also outlined procedures required by the Kent County Health Department that a special sewer and septic tank permit must be obtained from the county before construction can begin on any property not located adjacent to regular sewer lines.

The board also received notice that the report on a special survey to determine feasibility of creating a municipal water system for the township will be in its hands within 30 days.

Fire Chief Stan Osmolinski reported that his department has answered five calls for grass fires. He pointed out that dry weather has created a dangerous situation.

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No half days of school will be necessary or anythi else cut off which will be for better education May we still keep in mind the three words whi mean so muck: Trust, Faith, Confidence. This item was written by

> Chairman and Treasurer Concerned Parents and Taxpayers Vote 'No

Earl J. (Curley) McDiarmid

ON MARCH 17

returned home, by plane, from Rome, Italy Sunday evening where they nad spent the past

tended the funeral of mt in Holland.

y afternoon callers at ile Graham home were il Mrs. Tom Forward

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Haight of Whitehall were Wednesday and Thursday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Blocher.

meet at the school on Tuesday evening, March 18, at 8 p. m. The speaker for the evening will be Joe Lee, supervisor of the Child Welfare Services, of Gerry was the driver for the Knapp Avenue Creamery for

ily in the recent passing of her mother. Services were held

Kent County Farm Bureau Wo-mens Meeting at Greenridge Country Club last Wednesday

Church, This will be a potluck with each one bringing his own service and a dish to pass. Mrs. Raymond Wagemaker, district director of Grand Rap-

of Alto are busy making Indian Crafts to help celebrate Indian

and Mrs. James Green attend ed the Hunt-Royce wedding at



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of Marne were Thursday eve-ning callers of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fairchild.

Arlie Draper of the Larson before return Rest Home at Campau Lake the summer.

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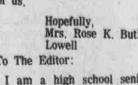
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everybody argues about is the money angle. Granted, taxes are high and making ends meet is rough, but the people are disregarding the biggest factor of all: the education of

a competitive spirit through athletics which again only an efficient and well-run school could provide. I have developed my physical self through physical education. I have had a wide selection of subjects to increase my learning capacity, and above all, I have been able to realize my dream of being a school teacher some to the effect that I would be

... You'll Always Save Here!"

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vide the best in education for their youth, with its many facets, I strongly urge you to stick to your convictions and through the words of former President Lyndon B. Johnson:

'Education is not a problem. Education is an opportunity."

I think the people of the Lowell Area School District should think twice before deciding to dump our present school board as suggested by the Concerned Parents and

states, and I quote, "Just one more little thought, certain ministers must have plenty to I get the impression that these folk would like for min-isters to live in some kind of

them or reality. Nothing would be more foreign to the teach-

flation with costs to all of us

too high, but a good educa-tional standard is really a must in this day of a tc:anical and fast-paced world. To go backward to a half day school program or otherwise severely restricted program will not im-prove the outlook for the fu-ture of our district youth. Therefore, when the seve

mill vote comes up March 17, I hope the Lowell Area School District members will remem-ber that this vote is for a one year period only, and that any further increase will have to e voted upon again.

A YES vote will get us out of our present financial deficit and still provide an adequate educational program for our

And I'm sure the school board realizes that school district members will be watching over the board's shoulder to see how the money is spent, for one of the good things to come out of this issue is the revitalized interest of school district members in the second district members in the opera-tion of their school

Mrs. Edwin Roth RR No. 3

In the midst of assemb more figures to assembling more figures to answer Mr. Reagan's and Mr. Coon's letters which appeared in your Feb. 27 paper, I, along with all other property owners in Lowell, received a few figures from the City of Lowell: namely an increase of 17½ percent in the assessment of real property. This reflected into millage is more than a 3 mill increase in school taxees.

I suggest that both the Con-cerned Parents & Taxpayers and the Citizens for Better Education save their money, close up shop, and cease advertizing. I feel certain that many of the Yes voters really don't want their taxes raised the equivalent of 10 mills and the School Board now have the additional funds that they

school district, and increased



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state aid should take care of our school needs for the fore-

editor in the February 27th issue of the Lowell Ledger, I saw only figures, nothing about what will happen to the future citizens of America. I don't

is signed, "the concerned parents and taxpayers." Concern-

Nancy Ellis

requested in the first millage The raise in valuations, plus the increasing tax base in the

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Cardinel Gives FH First State Crown

Would Tax **Pro Sports** in Michigan

State Representative Martin D. Buth (R-Comstock Park) and 23 other House members have introduced a bill which too. After the door receipts would impose a 10 percent were counted, the Ski Club and

onal sporting events. ally looking for new fair and equitable ways to raise revenue for the local units of gov-

reasurers after administration that this measure would raise lollars." Buth said "based on



9:30 to 1:30 and the Hi Lites Sunday 9-1 Andrew Gallen

LOU INN

This was the proud claim of Forest Hills High School today following victory by Larry Cardinel in the 127-pound finals of the state Class B wrest-'Pistons' Out-Whiz Whizzers

Whizzers proved that the in-ternal combustion staff will never be replaced by radio. The Lowell teachers (male) won over the disc jokeys, 78-

tax upon the receipts of pro- the Varsity Club was about Mr. Woolworth, master of the

The play came on a beautiful long pass down floor from Al Rowe, gym teacher, who

was attired in the latest wrest-ling headgear and a football teachers showed many sparkling plays. Larry Adams, practice teacher from CMU, scored
19 points and 17 rebounds. Buell Brinks, Army-bound phys
ed teacher, made 19 points and
12 rebounds, and showed a
most sensitive touch for tipins.

Athletic Director Ed Shy
says that the Rangers, leading the overall trophy standings by
nine points, have never been in a better position to capture the coveted award.

Still to be decided are league races in baseball, track, golf and tennis.

Coaches Jack Kempker and Harry Peacock, along with band director Bill Mills, displayed some sparkling passes

times, there were six men on

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The Lowell Pistons' victory Monday night over the WZZM

outcome.
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Forest Hills Sets Pace

in All-Sports 'Derby' and wrestling, plus a thirdplace tie in basketball and the
No. 4 spot in cross country,
have given Forest Hills High
School an excellent opportunity to claim the all-sports trophy in the Ottawa-Kent Red
Division.

Points are based on 14 for a championship, 12 for second place and so on down to two for seventh place.

Forest Hills' point accumulation stands at 45 with Wyoming Park and Wyoming Rogers tied at 36 each. Godwin Heights has 35 and West Ot-

They scored, too; 15, 8 and 7 points, respectively. Peacock took care of 13 rebounds. The Whizzers had a fine time in the losing cause. Some-

the floor-some players shot at the wrong basket-and passes were made to the wrong team. Even the referees took shots The Lowell Pep Band played during the half, and drew com-

ments from the appreciative disc jokeys, who abandoned warmup to listen to the band.

leights has 35 and West Ot-

ST. PATRICK'S

DAY SPECIAL

All Day March 17

team records during the sea-son, according to Matthews. Rangers mat squad were in action in the state finals, Jim Leyndyke reached the 103-lb. quarter-finals before he was eliminated. Randy Simon reinjured his shoulder in his opening match in the 175-pound bracket and was removed from competition by Matthews.



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art of our tradition for so ong, many of us don't realize that it can create problems in the hospital, nursing home or even the private home of the

sick person.

Among these problems: the psychological shock to the patient caused by those visitors who recall how badly so-and-so did under similar circumstances; who inquire if the doctor has ordered such-and-such a test (implying that he's a quack if he hasn't); who "sympathize" with the terrible way the hespital is run; who imply the hospital is run; who imply that the illness is not all that

who stay too long; those who visit when they have a cold, or visit when they have a cold, or have spent three hours in a tavern; those who sneak in out-side of the regular visitors' hours (thus disrupting meals, bathing or sleep); whose bois-terous behavior disturbs other patients in the room—or even on the same floor; and those who spend most of their time socializing with other visitors to the sickroom.

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Cascade

WHAT GIVES, MR. CONGRESSMAN?" — Nearly a dozen members of the Cascade Christian Church Youth

Fellowship received a briefing last Thursday in Washington, D. C., from Congressman Gerald R. Ford on what's doing in Congress and the Federal Government. Shown here with Rep. Ford in his office are, left to right:

Rosalyn Chipman, Mrs. Michael E. Vekasi, Jill Hansen, Jan Folkertsma, Curt Dykhuizen, Glenn Kimble, Dennis

Crum, Mrs. Kenneth Wilcox, Bob Charters, Greg VanStrien, and Rev. Raymond Gaylord. The church group's trip was part of the Michigan international Affairs Seminar and included a study of the United Nations in New

Helen; two daughters and two sons, Mrs. Robert (Jill) Faber, Mrs. Miles (Judy) Murphy, Jr., F. Byrne McMahon, Jr., all of Grand Rapids and J. 80, of Lowell, passed away Saturday at Butterworth Hospital in Grand Rapids.

two great great-grandchildren and several nieces and neph-

on Tuesday afternoon at the Roth Funeral Home in Lowell with the Rev. James Leitzman

F. Byrne McMahon of 525 North Hudson Street, Lowell, passed away unexpectedly on Thursday, March 6, at St.

elander of Belding, Sue Ellen and Mary Helen at home; his Toastmasters Club and an Eldparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans er in the Cascade Christian Tichelaar of Ada; three bro-

Patrick at home; eight grand-children and a brother, J.

on Monday morning at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Lo-

at 1 p. m. Thursday afternoon at the Ada Community Re-formed Church with the Rev. Sylvester Moths officiating. Interment in Pinckney Cem-

RICHARD RUTHERFORD

Richard Rutherford, aged 52, of 1424 Lafayette Street, Low-ell, was fatally injured in an automobile accident west of Lowell late Monday afternoon.

He is survived by his wife, Marion; one daughter, Julie Ann at home; two sons, Rich-ard and Stephen of Lowell; two sisters, Mrs. N. C. Theobald of North Ridge, California, Mrs. C. E. Martin of Grand Rapids and several niec-

at 3 p. m. Thursday at the Roth Funeral Home in Lowell. ORA MAY BOUWMAN

Mrs. Ora May Bouwman, aged 37, of 1845 Thornapple River Drive SE, passed away unexpectedly Monday at her She is survived by her husband, James P. Bouwman; four daughters. Beri, Nanci, Suzy and Jamie; her father, Ory Block of Holland; two brothers, John Block of Saugatuck and O. J. Block of Grand Rapids; two sisters-in-law, Mrs. Robert (Joan) Hendrickson and Mrs. Thomas (Bea)

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1871 by the members of the Methodist Episcopal Church and purchased by the Ada Community Reformed Church from them in 1903.

Demolition of the century-old structure is scheduled to begin about March 24th. The entire construction project is being handled by the Dan Vos Construction Company. Until the new church is finished, church services will be held in the all purpose room of the Ada Christian School.

Church Features Mission Talks March 16-23

Whitneyville Bible Church will be participating in the 1969 Bible Missions Conference con-ducted annually by the Grand Rapids School of the Bible and

10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. and

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of the Worldwide European Fellowship; Dr. Robert Foster, tend these meetings.

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The Liturgy - 10 A. M.

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Sunday School Youth Meetings Evening Worship Primary Church Coffee Hour 11 a. m. Church School 11:15 a. m.

Mary; two sons, Gary of Alto and Jon at home; one daugh-Lutheran Church 2700 E. Fulton Road Sunday Services 8:30 A. M. and 10:45 A. M. Sunday School 9:30 A. M. Nursery 8:15 A. M. 'til Noos

Lenton Services Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Welmers of Grand Rapids. Funeral services were held Raymond A. Heine, Pastor on Wednesday afternoon at the Vanderpool Funeral Chapel in Grand Rapids with the Rev. Raymond Gaylord of the Cas-cade Christian Church officia-Cascade Christian Reformed Church

6631 Cascade Rd., S. E. Rev. John Guichelaar Phone 949-9529 Interment in Pine Hill Ceme

Morning Worship 10:00 A. M. Evening Worship 7:00 P. M. Nursery Provided—Morning Sunday School 11:15 A. M. Forest Hills School News

Zaagman Memorial Chapel, the during the wee Rev. Edward A. Brigham of at 7:30 p. m.

Interment in Chapel Hill Me-

Lyle DeArmond of 6469 Wen-dell SE passed away Monday morning at Osteopathic Hospi-tal in Grand Rapids at the age

Mr. DeArmond was mainten-

ance supervisor of the Forest Hills School District and in

charge of the transportations system. School was dismissed

on Wednesday morning at 11

a. m. to enable teachers and

bus drivers to attend his fu-

neral.

and Jon at home;

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Orchard View School 3-Mile at Leffinwell, N. E. Morning Service 10:00 A. M. Sunday School 11:00 A. M. Christ Ambassadors (Yaw.h) 6:30 P. M. Evangelistic Service 7:00 P.M. Rev. Daniel Roehl, Minister

Calvary Christian Reformed Church 1151 West Main Street Services—10 A. M. & 7 P. Sunday School 11:10 A. **Everyone Welcome**

First United Methodist Church Main at Division Rev. Robert Webber, Pastor

Sermon:

"A Critical Situation

Hudson and Spring Streets Rev. Ervin Hyde Services at 8:45 & 11:00 A. M. Church School at 9:45 A. M. Classes for All Ages Over Two Nursery During 11:00 Service Worship Service __ 11:00 A. M. Church School ____ 9:45 A. M.

Ada Christian Reformed Church 7152 Bradfield St.

Morning Worship 9:30 A. M. Sunday School 10:45 P. M. Evening Worship 7:00 P. M. Rev. R. A. Bruxvoort, Paster 676-1698

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Sunday School 9:15 & 10:30
Youth Group Meetings 5:00 Bible Church Warm Welcome Awalts You Paster-Jee Everett Morning Worship and Junior Church 10:00 A. M. Nursery Provided Sunday School 11:15 A. M. Young People Meeting 6:45 P. M. Evening Worship 7:45 P. M. Thursday Prayer 7:30 P. M. Raymond Gaylord, Pastor Robert Cueni, Asst. Pastor

West Lowell United Brethren Church West Grand River Drive Rev. Lloyd Dawson Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Morning Worship 11:00 A. M. Prayer Service Wed. 7:30 First Baptist Church

Sunday School 10:00 A, M.
Worship 11 A, M, & 7 P. M.
Youth Fellowship 6:00 P. M.
Wednesday Family Prayer
Fellowship 7:00 P. M. First Baptist Church
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Church of the Nazarene 201 North Washington Rev. James E. Leitzman Ada Community Reformed Church

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Young People and
Juniors 6:45 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30 P. M.
Supervised Nursery During
All Services. 7227 Thornapple River Drive Morning Worship. 10:00 A. M. Sunday School. 11:20 A. 26. Evening Worship. 5:00 P. M. We invite you to make this community church your church home. Welcome to all! Come and Worship With Us

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ton Mote, Sunday were his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. James Van Ottern of Lansing. Mr. and Mrs. James Willette and son Michael, the Fred Sawd

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ean Geiger and children were

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son, Mrs. Bertha Porritt and

laughter, Martha Welfare and

Judy Porritt attended the Jun-

and Ellen Welfare were on the program. It was a fine rendi-

tion of the skill of these stu-

dents and their instructor Mr.

enjoys very much. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Anderson

spent Sunday with their cou-cousin, Mrs. Julia Fighter of

Hastings. They took her to din-ner at the hotel in celebration

of her 87th birthday. Raymond Howard, son of

Mr. and Mrs. George Howard

has recently become a Certi-fied Public Accountant. He

Raymond lives in Birmingham and has two daughters. Since graduation he has been associ-

Pioneer Girls

ruary. We then had a party. Then we met on the 17th for

our regular meeting. Also we met on the 24th. We did more

Diane Barrus

ior-Senior Band Concert at Caledonia Thursday evening. Theresa and Marie Anderson

as Mrs. Stahl does everyday Dee Bryant of Bowne visited Ira Blough Wednesday after-noon. Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Miller of Clarksville were Sun-Seese of Freeport was a Satof Hastings were Saturday aft-ernoon visitors at the Harold She recently spent several days at the Grand Rapids Osteo-

Mrs. Floyd Burkey and Mrs. Paul Burkey of Hastings were

Thursday callers at the Fran-cis Shaffer home,

ves and friends at Good-

Star Corners

Mr. and Mrs. James Lore of Eaton Rapids were Sunday

Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Krebs of Lowell were Oesch of Clarksville and John and Lorie Watson of Grand

Martinez of Clarksville were Mr. and Mrs. Ira Blough called at the Ivan K. Blough home at Lowell Saturday aft-Social Club at the home of

at the home of Mrs. Doris Ber-

Zoet were among the group that met at Freeport United Methodist Church for World

Mrs. James Brock and son, parents, the Keith Bowmans, she has a new car which she

Blough homes Sunday.

Notice is given that the Ada Township Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on March 20, 1909, at 7:30 o'clock, p. m. in the Township offices located at 535 Ada Drive, S. E., Ada, Michigan, on the question of rezoning the following described property from R-1 to P-1C Planned Development - Natural Resources Zone:

All that part of the NE¼ of the SW¼ of Section 21, T7N, R10W, Ada Twp., Kent County, Michigan, lying North of Pettis Ave., and 467 feet west of the center line of

Maps showing the area proposed to be rezoned are on file at the Township offices and may be examined at any time during normal business hours prior to such hearing. ADA TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION Oliver L. Robins, Secretary

Public Notice

An Ordinance Amending the Zoning Ordinance for the Township of

ings, to regulate and limit the density of population, to control the use of temporary buildings and to provide for the parking of motor vehicles, to provide for non-conforming uses of property and for said purposes to divide the Township into districts, and to provide for the administration and enforcement of this Ordinance and penalties for the

That an ordinance entitled as aforesaid be amended by amending Section 2.2 of Chapter 2 to make the following changes on the map entitled; "The Zoning District Map of the Township of Grand Rapide";

(1) To rezone the property which is located on Cascade Road and which is described as follows:

"That part of the West one-half of the Southeast one-quarter of Section 36 Town 7 North, Range 11 West, described as follows: Commencing at the intersection of the centerline of Cascade Road (US 16) and the West line of said Southeast one-quarter of Section 36; thence South along the West line of said Southeast one-quarter a distance of 771.95 feet; thence East 498.4 feet; thence North parallel with the West line of said Southeast one-quarter of Section 36; 696.3 feet to the centerline of Cascade Road (US 16); thence Northwesterly along the center line of Cascade Road to the Place of beginning. Excepting therefrom the West 165 feet of the North 148.5 feet and subject to an easement on the North side for highway purposes, from "A" Residential to "C-I" Planned Office District."

Passed and approved by the Grand Rapids Township Board in regular session March 4, 1969 to take effect April 14, 1969.

Walter M. Marks Courthouse Ionly, Michigan PUBLICATION ORDER File No. 118,378

from Tuesday until Saturday at Hazard, Ky., where they joined several others working on a Children Orphanage Pro-ject, which care for many poor children of that mountainous

Earl Aubil of Moline and David Hoffman of Legan were Friday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Wingeler.

Decessed

IT IS ORDERED, that on May 15, 1899
at 9:30 A. M. In the Probate Courtroom, Grand Rapids, Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims, Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Harold J. Englehardt, P. O. Box 158, Lowell, Michigan 49331.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by statute.

class mates of Lowell, attend-cd Drama Day at Michigan at Lansing Saturday evening. Mrs. Freeman Hoffman accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Paul

and daughters were Sunday dinner guests at the Ovid Miller home at Morrison Lake. Mrs. Freeman Hoffman moved into her new home Satur-

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Blough

VanderVeen, Freihofer & Cook 1125 W. Mein St. Lowell, Michigen 49331 FUBLICATION ORDER HEARING ON CLAIMS File No. 118,379

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Kent

A. DALE STOPPELS
Judge of Probate
By: George R. Cook
Attorney for Estate
1125 W. Main Street
Lowell, Michigan
A true copy

A true copy, ROLAND R. ROBEY Register of Probete c49-51 VanderVeen, Freihofer & Cook 1125 W. Mein St. Lowell, Michigan 49331 PUBLICATION ORDER DETERMINE HEIRS

File No. 118,563

J. CLIFF HATCH Probate Courtroom, Grand Rapids, Michigan, a hearing be held on the petition of Bernard J. Kropf to de-termine the heirs at law of said de-

DONNA STERKEN, Publication and service shall be made as provided by statute and Court rule.

Date: February 20, 1969.

A DALE STOPPELS Judge of Probate VanderVeen Freihofer & Cook By: George R, Cook

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Notice of Special Election

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE

Lowell Area Schools Kent and Ionia Counties, State of Michigan

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Specie Election will be held in the Lowell Area Schools in the Counties of Kent and Ionia and State of

o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of voting on the following proposition:

may be assessed against property in the Lowell Area School be increased as provided by Sec. 6 of Article IX of the Constitution of Michigan of 1963 by not to exceed 7.0 mile for property for the purpose of using the proceeds of any taxes levied hereunder to provide funds for the operation of the

Precinct 1 - Runciman Elementary School Lowell, Michigan

Precinct 2 - Alto Elementary School Alto, Bowne Township, Michigan

This notice is given by order of the Board of Education, Lowell Area Schools.

HAROLD METTERNICK, Secretary.

Amendments to Residential Zoning Requirements and to Chapter 18

districts; provided, however, that no single or two family esidences shall be erected on a lot less than two (2) acres residences shall be erected on a lot less than two (2) acres and provided further single family dwellings shall be subject to the requirements for set-back, side yard, rear yard and minimum floor area as provided for in "R-1" Residential District; and further provided that two family dwellings are subject to the requirements for set-back, side yard, rear yard and minimum floor areas as provided for in "R-2" Residential District.

a minimum of 1550 square feet on the first floor.

2. A one-story house with full basement shall have a minimum of 1400 square feet on the first floor. 3. A multi-level dwelling must have a minimum area of 1800 square feet, exclusive of basement, of which 1000 square feet shall be on the first floor.

with the light or ventilation of any other structure. These restrictions shall not apply where the building site is in excess of one acre, except that no access building shall be so constructed on any building site so as to interfere with the light or ventilation of any structure on any neighboring

a. Every dwellinig shall have two side vards the width

jecting beyond same, whichever is nearer the boundary of the lot. The same shall apply to set-back from front lot line except where such shall result in requiring the structure to be set back further than that of adjacent existing like struc-

a. No one-ramity dwellings shall be built or used within this district upon a lot having a width of less than 100 feet frontage on the building line, and a minimum of 10000 square feet. No two-family dwelling shall be built or used within this district upon a lot having a width less than 130 feet frontage on the building line and a minimum of 20000 square

by the Planning Commission and among other things is found to be in character with the neighborhood. The one additional accessory building must conform architecturally with the neighborhood and shall not exceed 240 square feet in area without the prior approval of the Cascade Township Planning Commission and the Cascade Township Board. It shall be so constructed as not to interfere with the light or ventilation of any other structure. These restrictions shall not apply where the building site is in excess of one acre, except that no access building shall be so constructed on any building site so as to interfere with the light or ventilation of any structure on any neighboring parcel of land.

5. Floor living space area measured on the outside perimeter, exclusive of breezeway and garage, shall be as follows:

lows:

a. A one-story, single family house without full basement shall contain a minimum of 1400 square feet.

b. A one-story, single family house with full basement shall have a minimum of 1200 square feet.

c. A two-story, single family house must have a minimum of 1400 square feet, exclusive of basement of which 900 square feet must be on the first floor.

d. In the case of two-family dwellings, the minimum areas set out in subsections (a), (b), (c) and (d) above shall be increased fifty (50) percent.

e. The first floor of any residence shall be that on which the main entrance to the residence is located.

the main entrance to the residence is located.

9. Other Requirements::

a. All of the requirements of Sections 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 11, and 14 of Chapter 9 shall apply to the "R-2" Residential District.

Chapter 18, add the following:

11. Conditions For Occupancy Permit Of A Dwelling:

No occupancy permit shall be granted until the dwelling is finished. A residence shall be considered finished when all its structural components and its entire exterior is completed and has had any protective finishes which are to be used thereon applied thereto and its kitchen, dining room, living room, one bathroom, all bedrooms to be occupied, entrance hall and all passageway areas connecting such rooms have completed wall structures, ceilings and floors. The electrical, heating and plumbing facilities required for the commerced rooms shall be completed. Where soil contours are other than level or have been changed as a result of construction, such measures shall be completed as are necessary to stabilize the soil. The Building Inspector shall have the right to waive one or more of the above requirements for a period not exceeding ninety (90) days, provided the building is judged to be safe for occupancy.

12. Condition For Occupancy Permit Of Buildings Other Than Residences:

No occupancy permit shall be granted until the building

Than Residences:

No occupancy permit shall be granted until the building is finished. A non-residential building shall be considered finished when all its structural components are complete and its exterior wails are completed including all exterior finishes and materials to be applied thereto. However, it may be occupied for a period of six (6) months without such exterior finishes or materials provided the Building Inspector has obtained a written committment that the finial finshes or materials will be applied within said six month period. All sanitary facilities which are to be used on occupancy shall have been completed and all electrical work shall have been inspected for adequacy and safety. Where soil contours are other than level or have been changed as a result of construction, such measures shall be completed as are necessary to stabilize the soil, Basic landscaping and the paving of all driveways and parking lots shall be completed within nine (9) menths of occupancy and the Township Board may authorize the Biulding Inspector to demand the posting of a bond not to exceed Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars to assure completion thereof.

PETER P. PRICE Chairman, Cascade Township Planning Commission

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Her fiance is a student at Grand Rapids Junior College. The wedding is planned for



zitta of 3412 Leonard Street NE proudly announce the engagement of their daughter, Jennie J., to Michael L. Chat-

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Child Study Club Dinner to Hear Judge

Kent County Juvenile Court will be the speaker at the Low-ell Child Study Club's Annual husband and wife dinner.

Judge Steketee is a third generation lawyer in his fam-ily, following his father and grandfather in the profession. He has been on the board of Villa Maria, Kent Oaks Hos-pital, and the D. A. Blodgett Homes for Children, and has been steering committee chair-man of Big Brothers in Grand Rapids. He is also the Netherlands Vice Counsul for the Michigan area.

The dinner will be held at 6:30 on Thursday, March 20, at the Methodist Church House. The menu will include roast beef, roast pork, and turkey.

The public is invited. For reservations, call Mrs. Robert Barnes at 897-7425 or Mrs. Martin Johnson at 897-8194

Hospital Notes

Everett Ladd, developer of Adacroft Commons, was seriously injured last week when he was thrown from his horse. He is in Blodgett Memorial Hospital recovering from mul-tiple fractures and lung com-

Read the Want Ads

Forest Hills Hi-Lites

Sure'n begorra, it's coming up on that Green Hat day again and it's time to tell about the wee people once

A leprechaun is known to have many crocks of buried treasure. It's pretty hard to catch him, but if caught, he can be forced to reveal the secret of their locations.

The big thing to remember is that he will vanish if one takes one's eyes off him. He tricks the one who has caught him into looking elsewhere and the minute human eyes are off him, poof ... he's gone.

Your bees are swarmin and goin' off with themselves," he cries or, "The cows are in-to yer oats." And he who looks to save his property, never sees the leprechaun or dinds the treasure

There was once a man who was not thus tricked, but got so far as to capture the lep-rechaun and compel him to lead the way to the very bush in the field where the gold was buried.

But the man had no spade to dig, so he took off one red garter and tied it to the bush in order to recognize the spot again. He politely libertated the leprechaun and ran back for a spade. He was gone only three minutes but when he returned, there was a red gar-ter on every bush in the

There is a great who-dun-it murder mystery coming up on March 28 and 29. It will be a presentation by the FHHS Dra-ma Club entitled, "Unexpected Guest" by Agatha Christie and under the direction of Mrs. Bennett and John Catzere.

Richard Warwick was murdered and his wife, Ann. was found with gun in hand. There is a whole slew of other suspects too with motives galore. Someone is guilty, but who? Tickets can be purchased from cast members or by call-

Adults: \$1.00, students \$.75. And speaking of the theatre, the Twenty-Four Club enjoyed a real boff bit on Saturday when everyone trooped off to

ing the school office, 949-2410.

see "Funny Girl" together Following the show the mem-bers spilled into Doris and Art Barnes' home for a huge des-sert-smorgasbord served by a generous commitee. Pies, cakes, and other yummies of many descriptions filled the crowd after which several varieties of liqueurs received the

Muriel Perschbacher appeared in an elegant theatre suit trimmed with fur, but her glory was almost outshone by Eric DeWall who captured his own audience by testing every dessert on the groaning table. Betty was the jogger in the family, but early birds may look for him from now on.

Tables laden with food and strenuous work-outs are reminders that the Wrestling Banquet is Thursday night, It will honor Coach Chuck Mathews and his assistant, Coach Rosengren whose unbeat en record is one to be envied. Larry Cardinal came back from Lansing as a State Champion and we have many regional and district champs as

Remember, those who are attending: bring your own ta-ble service, two dishes to pass, and sterling appetities,

dancing pleasure Bob **Mattison** and the Matti-Sondra Trio Saturdays 9:30 to 1:30 LOWELL MOOSE LODGE

BY SHIRLEY DYGERT

For St. Patrick's Day, Mary FitzGerald (Who else but an Irish gal) gives us this suggestion: Mouse De Menthe, Make up two packages of lime or lemon flavored gelatin, substituting creme de menthe for 1/4 C water. Chill until it mounts, whin fronts. Fold in mounds, whip frothy. Fold in 2 C dessert topping or whip-ped cream sweetened. Chill in 5 Cup mold. Serve with sliced strawberries.

Just back from Mexico City where she was taking a special course in archeology at the University with weekends devoted to sun-worshipping, is Jane Martinez. She was the house guest of her aunt and uncle while there. Her memories are many for they entertained constantly with can-dlelighted dinners and rosegardened teas.

Although we couldn't find anyone just back from Ireland, we did hear from Jack Zoltun who was in England last week on business. He had time to visit a few art galleries which inspired him to work harder on his hobby, painting.

As far as the Wearin' O the Green, there'll probably be a lot of that at the luncheon Friday to be given by Lucille Watrous. She is expecting Glor-ia Market, Syl Gamble, Joyce Smith, Hattle Roberts, and Jo-

The table will look like spring with greens and violets as the dominate colors in the settings and the certerpiece.

HelpWanted: Openings for King, Lover

Men—if you have a desire to be king and a flair for dra-matics the Thornapple Com-munity Theatre is looking for

Still needed for their upcoming production of "The King and I" is someone to fill the role of the King, Also unfilled at the present time are the roles of Tuptin's lover, a young man in his twenties, and Sir Edward, a distinguished-looking man between 35 and 50

Auditions for the parts will be held on Monday, March 17, at 7:30 p. m. in the Cascade Township Hall.

If you are interested in the parts and cannot make the au-dition, please call Gerrit La-main, 383-4509, or Barb Wep-man, CH 5-2874, after 5 p. m.

Begin Magazine Order Drive at FH Jr. High

Students of the Forest Hills Junior High School have em-barked on their annual magazine subscription drive the pro-ceeds of which are used to purchase extras for the sch not included in the school bud-

In the past such items as special gym equipment and re-medial materials have been obtained in this manner,

School officials remarked that customers who have received special offers from the magazines through the mail may use them on this school

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ding Anniversary, Friends and relatives are invited to gather at the church from 2 to 5 p. m.

MR. AND MRS. LODIE SHEAR

An open house will be held on Sunday, March 16th, in the First Congregational Church of Lowell basement honoring Mr.

and Mrs. Lodie Shear on the

occasion of their Golden Wed-

Coming

Events

The Lowell Swim Team Par-

ents Club will hold a meeting

Wednesday, March 19, at the Lowell 'Y.' One parent from

each family represented on the swim team is asked to at-

tend, as many important mat-ters are to be discussed.

The 26th annual public rela-

tions dinner meeting of the American Society of Women Accounts will be held Tues-

day, March 18 at the Women's

City Club. The speaker will be Mrs. John B. Martin.

The second Lenten Book Re-

view will be held on Wednes-

will review "Bridge of Love." Refreshments will be served.

meeting Tuesday, March 18.

on Tuesday, March 18th.

Interdenominational Couples Bible Study and Fellowship.

Second meeting will be the second Friday, March 14th, at

the Art Bieri home on M-91 at

8 p. m. Note change in date! For information call 897-7555.

Blue Star Mothers will hold their regular meeting at the club rooms on March 12 at 8

Snow Farm Bureau will hold their monthly meeting on Fri-day, March 14, at 8 p. m., Snow Christian Cnter. Mrs.

The annual meeting of the Planned Parenthood Associa-

tion of Kent County will be held on Thursday, March 27, at 7:45 p. m. at Herpolsheim-er's Kent Room. Following an

election of officers Douglas E. Stewart will speak on "Popu-lation Growth and the Urban

A pancake supper sponsored by the Lowell High School Var-sity Club will be held Thurs-

day, March 20, in the high school cafeteria. Serving from 5 to 8 p. m. Public invited.

Clare Carey, hostess,

iness meeting

after the meeting

The third Lenten Book Re-

area where he farmed and worked for the city of Lowell until they moved to Battle Creek in 1942. Following his retirement five years ago, they returned to Lowell and bought a home at 430 North Division Street

ter-in-law, Mrs. Ivan Shear of East Paris; 11 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

All Kinas of Fun Books In Library

You don't have to be a beachcomber to enjoy the book day, March 12, 7:30 p. m. at the YMCA, Mrs. Hester White on driftwood arrangements at the Lowell Public Library and you'll find various sized pieces of driftwood readily available view will be held on Wednesday, March 19, at 10 a. m. at the Lowell "Y." Mrs. Virginia Fonger will review "To God With Love." Refreshments will at a local florist for your ex

The variety of topics cover-ed by the books at our library, both fiction and non-fiction, is one reason that the circulation The Island City Rebekah Lodge will hold its regular is constantly increasing" according to Mrs. Evelyn Briggs

There will be a social hour The Lowell library, part of the Kent County Library Sys-The Golden Chain Farm tem is one of the seventeen Bureau will meet with Mrs. Marian Yates at 8:30 p. m. "close to home" member libraries in the county. Other areas are served by the two bookmobiles operated by the

Cyclamen Chapter No. 94 will hold their regular meet-ing on Friday, March 14th. This easy accessibility is another factor in the fantastic Annual Fish Dinner, Friday, 173 percent increased circula-March 28th, at the Ada Masontion in the past ten years. ic Temple. Serving from 5 to 7:30 p. m. Public invited.

Take advantage of the material available in your local library, or if you want some-thing different, Mrs. Briggs will be glad to obtain it for

ATTENDS CONVENTION

Mrs. Joan Gary, owner of the Ada Dog n Suds drive-in, recently returned from the an-Women of the Moose will meet on Monday, March 17th, at the clubrooms for their busnual national convention held in Chicago.

Celebrate Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Shear were married on March 19, 1919 in Ionia. They lived in the Lowell

Joining them in their celebration will be their family, a daughter, Mrs. Ernest Col-lins of Lowell; a son, Junior Lee of Battle Creek; a daugh

Sale Planned for Eastbrook Eastbrook Mall will be the

Fletcher.

location this year of the eighth annual Used Book Sale spon-sored by the Whatsoever Cir-cle of Blodgett Memorial Hospital

The sale will be held from 9:30 a, m. until 9 p. m. daily from March 26 through March

Books are still being collected for the sale. If you wish to donate books at this time, please call Mrs. John H. Shackelford, Jr., 949-5113, or Mrs. Peter J. Armstrong, 454-2413.



ifornia. They will spend time travelling through California, winding up in Oakland, where They will meet her brother,

William Lind, And then-it's off to the land of the hula.

sparkling beaches, and acres and acres of lush green vege-tation, Hawaii. All in all they'll

be gone a month, Bon voyage

And speaking of travellers— Bob and Carol Reagan spent a weekend in the Bahamas re-

cently—on business so they say—but it seems to me some-one mentioned golf? Actually

they were there to attend the National Dental Convention.

Norton Avery, famed in these here parts for his outstanding

scenic photography, was the guest speaker at the Showboat Garden Club Monday, where he showed some of his slides

on wild flowers, trees and shrubs. The Meeting was

held at the home of Ona

Four generations gathered to-gether Friday at the home of

Mrs. Ulah Moore, There to

spend the day were her daugh-ter, Catherine Howden of Car-leton, Dolores Whiting, her granddaughter, and Mrs. Whit-ing's son, Jefferey, represent-ative of the fourth generation.

Annual Book

The Whiting's are from Mon-Off we go!-or off they go, to be more accurate Esther and Jack Fahrni have taken to the air, first stop Cal-

Kay and Kathy MacNaughton were the guests of honor at a recent slumber party that turned out to be a surprise

birthday party.
Ginny Ridgway was hostess to the gala evening. Other guests joining in the fun, and not much sleep, were Linda Block, Patty Story, Diane Beimers, Peggy Ross, Darla Maloney, Shirley Krebs, Sandra Parker, Sandra Linda Rama, Jan Rayburn and Linda

Cheryl Fish, Chatham Street, has been chosen by the Grand Rapids Junior College band as their representative in the Miss Junior College pageant, Cheryl will compete with 13 other girls from the college on Sat-urday evening at the St, Cecil-ia Auditorium in Grand Rap-



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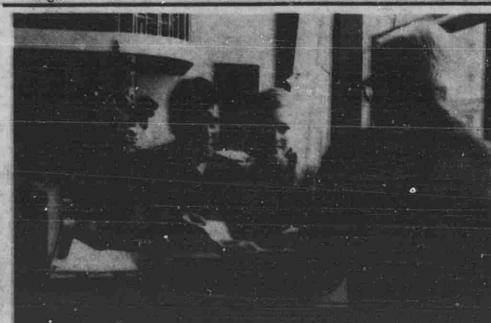
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