RETIREMENT NEARS - Mrs. Jame ormick, veteran postal employe at Ada, and her husband, for many ears with the Kent County Road sion, are both scheduled to retire this spring

Postal Aide, Spouse **Nearing Retirement**

One of the Ada Post Office's mostcharming employees, Mrs. James (Carol) McCormick, is soon to retire after twenty years of service. She will no longer grace the counters or sort the mail after April 21, but she is not leaving Ada her home.

Mrs McCormick will be joined in retirement a month later by her husband Jim, as he leaves his post as district foreman of the Kent County Road Commission. He will celebrate 43 years of service in April.

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Carol began her civil service career under Postmaster Mort Lampear when the post office was housed on the first floor of the Masonic Temple. She has watched the Ada station grow from Class C to Class A status. As Milt Hein. present postmaster, says:

"Carol was instrumental in show-



MOODS OF MARCH: Every now and again, the Smithy cleans off the desk, ps the clouds of confusion from his mind and just sort of rambles through one of the weekly offerings.

> This is one of those times. When this was written, we had not yet had a good spring rain . . . which may be for the simple reason that the "season" isn't officially scheduled to arrive until this Thursday afternoon.

There's nothing quite like a spring rain. ay the cares of w ries of the long, arduous winter months.

ing each new green-as-grass postmaster what and how to operate. We have appreciated having her with us; her smile will be missed

Mrs. McCormick was born in McCerds and attended grade school there. Later, she moved into her grandmother's home in Ada where she continued her schooling

Jim McCormick was born and raised on Three Mile Road in northern Ada Township and attended school at St. Patrick's in Parnell. He began his career with the Kent County Road Commission as a truck driver and moved up through the positions of operator to assistant foreman and finally to district foreman. The district covers most of seven town-

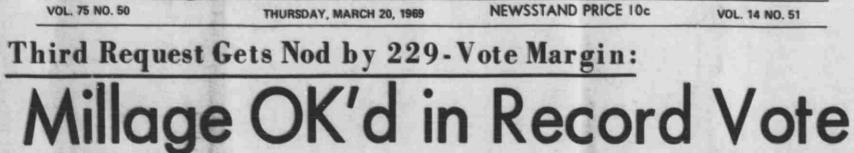
The couple has two sons, Bob, of Ada, and Pat, who lives in Lowell. They are also the proud grandparents of nine grandchildren.

The McCormick have no special plans for their retirement, but are looking forward to late spring and summer.

"We are leaving our jobs with both joy and regret," said Carol, "it's going to quite a change for us."

"At first, I think I will just loaf and enjoy watching others work," remarked Jim.

But they won't go away. They'll be around where their lifelong friends can stop and visit every day.



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Dawn of a New Day

The Board of Education today had been given a "go-ahead" by Lowell Area School District voters to resolve its financial problems and to conduct an adequate educational program for 1969-70 by a record turnout of the electorate.

Approximately 73 percent of the dis-trict's estimated 3,800 qualified voters turned out Monday under warm, sunny skies for a special millage vote and approved a seven-mill levy for one year by a plurality of 229.

Of the 2,791 votes cast, 1,486 residents gave the proposal a "yes" nod while 1,257 cast negative ballots. Twenty-five ballots were declared spoiled.

The turnout far surpassed the previous record set last November when a similar request was turned down by a 113-vote margin, 1,136-1,023, as 60.7 percent of the eligible voters went to the polls.

The board, through President Dr. Reagan, expressed gratitude for the outcome of the election with the following statement:

"The Board of Education is grateful for the expression of confidence in Monday's election. We are indebted to many organizations, people and representatives of the news media for their untiring efforts on behalf of the educational pro-

"The board has pledged in the past, by action and word, to diligently maintain an educational program that will produce maximum results at minimum cost.

"To all residents of the district, we reaffirm this position. We also encourage their continued interest in the conduct of school matters."

Dr. Reagan, referring to the date of the election, added that "this had to be the happiest St. Patrick's Day I've ever celebrated.

The board plans to meet to discuss fu-ture plans, one of which will call for seek ing a loan in Bane to cancel out an expected deficit of \$90,000 by the end of the current fiscal year.

The school system started the 1968-69 fiscal year with an accrued deficit of \$114,000. Economies effected under a semi-austerity budget will result in a saving of about \$20,000 by the end of June, audit rep

Restoration Drive Underway The historical association recently

A five-year plan to create a major tourist attraction in eastern Kent County was moving closer to reality today.

The project, which calls for restoration of Fallasburg village on the Flat River four miles north of Lowell, is expected to cost about \$750,000 when completed

The West Central Michigan Historical Association, formed in 1964, is the guiding organization behind the plan, which would recreate the village as it appeared in the 1860's.

Included would be re-construction of

Lowell Police Assist in **B&E** Probe

and inn, general store, carriage shop, saw mill and others.

is the Fallasburg covered bridge, one of the few in Michigan still in daily use.

A focal point of the area at this time

of Recreation Research, Inc., a Muske-



A record voter turnout was required to approve a third request by the Board of Education of the Lowell Area School District for additional operating millage.

There is little question that the board's final pre-election pledge to "hold the line" on expenses . . . while clearing up operating indebtedness . . . gained for it the confidence of many voters.

All seven members of the board, and school administrators as well, would do well to keep this pledge before them at all times.

The millage issue aroused emo of the community ... and shook it from apathy in a manner seldom experienced in the past.

acquired the services of William Krause

A year hence, the newly-voted operating millinge and that approved torse years ago will expire.

Only by carefully controlling expendi tures can the board retain confidence of the electorate and avoid any repetition of the recent turmoil.

It is little enough to ask.

gon firm, whose primary purpose will (Continued on Page 3)

I remember all too well those days, when we were among the younger genera tion, of walking to school with rain pelting us in the face and never, without fail, stopping to launch a homemade "ship" in a rain-swollen ditch.

This is the week that the annual high school basketball tournament, known among enthusiastic fans as "March Mac ness", rushes to conclusion at East Lan-SIND

There isn't a finer sports event, I don't believe, in the entire state and one that we covered many times in our days as a sports writer.

One time, back in 1949, Good Friend Wife was expecting at this time of year and we were in a real quandry. A local Class C school was en route to the state finals and, as the local sports editor, it was incumbent upon us to cover this great event.

So what happened? GFW chose the day of the finals to give birth to Kathy ... while we watched our local heroes lose on the big floor at Jenison Fieldhouse. Quite a day, that one!

March is the month, too, when the whole world seems to come alive. There's no greater feeling than to walk down the street and be greeted by a smile from the same person who, just short weeks ago, was too busy dodging snowflakes to pay much attention to anyone.

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Newspaper ads probably give more indication of the coming of spring than anything else. Especially those designed to attract those with green thumbs.

We don't profess any great wizardy in this department, but when plants set in the ground in spring bloom in summer, it's always a source of amazement . . . and a tribute to Mother Nature, not the Smithy!

*** Another harbinger of spring is when you drive down the street and see the nautically-inclined working on boats of all sizes and descriptions.

Yes, this is the good season, second probably only to Indian Summer. And we're sure glad it's finally here!

PANCAKE SUPPER - It's great eating at the LHS Varsity Club's annual Pancake Supper, Thursday, March 20, 5-8 p.m. at the high school cafeteria. Adults only \$1.50; 14 and under, 75 cents. Don't miss it! c-50

JAMES MCCORMICK

Safety Device to Be Installed

New safety devices have been ordered installed within 120 days at the C&O Railroad crossing on Main Street (M-21) in Lowell, scene of a fatal car-train accident last May.

The order came from the Michigan Public Service Commission, according to City Manager Bernard C. Olsen. The city will not be involved in paying any part of the installation, Olson says.

Cantilever arms with flashers will be placed at the crossing, where three Saranac residents were fatally injured on May 3, 1968 when the car in which they were riding struck a C&O freight train.

Olson informed the city council at Monday night's meeting that he has written the MPSC requesting further information on standards for installation of a flasher at the Foreman Road crossing.

CHIEF ON THE MEND

Chief Avery Block of the Lowell Police Department is convalescing at home from major surgery performed several weeks ago to correct a back injury.

Two measures pertaining to zoning

were approved by the city council dur-

Council approved passage of a zoning

Also approved was a request for re-

zoning on the south side of M-21 that

extended the industrial zone from Lin-

coln Lake road extended to the C & O

The latter will permit a Grand Rapids

ordinance which included up-dating of

the city's zoning map.

right-of-way.

ing its bi-monthly meeting Monday

night

Monday's election rules out tentative plans by the board to initiate half-day sessions and other austerity measures for the school system next Fall and will, additionally, permit expenditure of funds for vitally-needed maintainence and repair of buildings, especially the junior high and intermediate school facilities.

A minor incident was reported at Runciman Elementary School after the polls closed Monday night.

Mrs. Dorothy Flier, a leading critic of board and administration policies, reportedly requested that an immediate count be taken.

The request was denied by Mrs. Evelyn Wittenbach, chairman of the election board, who explained that election workers on duty throughout the day, would be given a short rest before completing their duties.

Mrs. Flier then reportedly requested that she be allowed to check the ballots. This request also was denied.

At this juncture, Superintendent James C. Pace was called upon by Mrs. Wittenbach to allow election workers to continue their work undisturbed.

Pace is reported to have asked Mrs. Flier to leave the immediate polling area, but without success. He then called for assistance from the Lowell Police Department, whose officers conferred with Mrs. Flier upon arriving at the school.

By mutual agreement, Mrs. Flier was permitted to remain in the building while the count continued, but she was not allowed to go near election workers.

ANTIQUE SHOW MAY 3RD

The sixth annual Antique Auto Festival and Swap Meet is scheduled to be held in Lowell on Saturday, May 3.

Co-sponsored by the Lowell Chamber of Commerce and the Grand Rapids Hobby Car Club of America, the affair will feature a full display of rare antique automobiles and other valuable antique items.

A 17-year-old Lowell youth has been arrested and another Lowell man is being sought on a charge of break ng-andentering in Ionia County.

Lowell Police assisted Ionia County Sheriff's deputies in recovering items that reportedly were stolen from a cottage located at 6591 Lakeview Drive on Long Lake in Ionia County.

Arrested on a warrant issued by the Ionia County Prosecutor's office was Timothy S. Verwibe, 17, of 430 East Main Street, Lowell. He was arraigned Tuesday morning in 64th District Court. Ionia, and requested examination. Examination date was set for March 26.

Also sought by Ionia officials is Thomas Doyle of Route No. 2, Lowell, who reportedly was last seen in the Detroit

Sgt. James Hutson, acting chief of the Lowell Police Department, said that he and Ionia County Sheriff's deputies recovered several articles missing from the cottage, including an outboard motor that had been sold.

An antique clock, camera and miscellaneous personal and household effects were recovered in Verwibe's apartment. Lowell police Tuesday morning also

assisted Ionia officials in arresting Kenneth Worthington of Ionia, sought on a bench warrant for failing to serve a jail sentence for a driving violation. In other police action, James B Mc-

Fall, 25, of 6022 Alden Nash, Alto was arrested Saturday on a charge of reckless driving. He was released from Kent County Jail on bond and ordered to appear before District Judge Joseph B. White.

Richard Peckham, 20, of 423 King Street, and Michael W. Hall, 19, of 604 Lincoln Lake Road, were ordered to appear before Judge White Wednesday following their arrest March 11 on a charge of minors in possession.



CAROL CLEMENZ STEVEN LESSENS Valedictorian, Salutatorian Selected at Lowell HS

Track. He is also a lectern for St. Mary's The valedictorian and salutatorian of the 1969 graduating class of Lowell Senior Church. High School were announced this week by

Steven enjoys playing and listening to the piano and guitar and is presently building a stereo radio and phonograph system since he enjoys listening to both classical and rock n' roll music.

He is looking forward to learning to water ski this coming summer.

Flight to Warmer Climes Gets Boys in Hot Water

Two 13-year-old Greenville boys bent on heading for warmer climes found themselves in hot water in Lowell early Monday morning instead.

Even before receiving a bulletin from Greenville police that the boys were missing, along with a car belonging to the parents of one of them, Lowell police had spotted them for questioning.

Several .22-calibre rifles and a large hunting knife were discovered in the

The boys told Lowell police they were running away from home and were planning to head for a warmer climate. They were released into the custody of their parents.

New Zoning Map Adopted firm, Plasti-Cove, Inc., to begin manufacturing operations in Lowell in a building located on the south side of Main Street at Lincoln Lake.

Council also acknowledged with thanks receipt of \$600 from Vergennes Township for participation in sharing the cost of maintaining the volunteer fire department in Lowell. A similar amount is expected from Lowell Township.

A request was received from Mel Bulk of 604 North Lafayette asking that the city vacate that portion of Marsack Street west of Lafayette.

The cast side of the city has been platted to permit street access to the edge of the Flat River, council noted,

One of the considerations for this

with the request, in view of possibly setting precedent, and recommended that Bulk seek a variance in zoning instead.

bridge across the river in the north part

of the city. Council members declined to go along

with long-range development of all the streets in mind. platting is eventual construction of a

Principal Carl J. Hagen.

been named the salutatorian.

valedictorian.

the Latin Club.

ties in Band.

icine

Carol Clemenz, daughter of Mrs. Victor

Steven Lessens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan-

During her high school years, Carol has

been a member and officer of the National

Honor Society, Future Teachers Club and

She has also been a member of Band,

Pep Club, Play Committees and cast, An-

nual Staff, and Solo and Ensemble activi-

Her special activities include coin col-

lecting, embroidery, swimming, and music

Carol plans to attend Western Michigan

Steven will be attending the University

of Michigan to enter the study of pre-med-

He was president of the Sophomore

Club. His other activities include Forensics.

Annual Staff, Varsity Choir, Varsity Chib

All-School Play, Football, Basketball, and

Class and is now president of the Latin

(flute, saxophone, and piano). Aiso, she

has been a member of UMYF at church.

University and major in mathematics.

Clemenz and the late Mr. Clemenz, 830

West Main Street, Lowell, has been named

iel Lessens, 517 Elm Street, Lowell, has

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DOORS OPEN - It will be open house this Friday at the new headquarters of Ada Heating and Plumbing on Thornapple Drive in Ada. Owner Cornelius (Corny) Heemstra holds the door open while Gerry Zimmer, All Heemstra and Ed Steffens look on.



DALE KRUEGER Salesman of the Year

Giving credit where credit is guished Salesman Award in due is the spirit of the Cham-1 the form of a trophy this year. ber of Commerce of greater Grand Rapids, Thereby Dale Krueger received the Distin-

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Open House The new quarters of Ada Plumbing and Heating at 7195 Thornapple River Drive in Ada will be on view to the public at an open house on Saturday, March 21, from 2 to

Owner Cornelius Heemstra and his staff urge the public to attend this gay event. Door prizes, refreshments and an expert analysis of water samples will be featured.

Local Firm

Gets Award Employees of Michigan Bottled Gas at Lowell received an award for "Excellence in Safey" at the company's annual ter just passed is not too bi Manager's Conference held in and should be done as soon a Minneapolis last week.

Joe Hines, local district man ager, accepted the award on behalf of the employees.

"The Lowell District employ ees competed with other company operations in Michigan for this award," commented Board Chairman, Ross K, Albon, "and deserve recognition for their efforts toward the achievement of our company's overall safety goals."

Guernsey

Milk Mark

Lone Oak Gallant A Beverly a five-year-old registered Guernsey cow owned by Allen Roth of Lowell, has completed an official DHIR actual production record of 12,160 pounds of milk and 556 pounds of butterfat, in 305 days, two times a day milking, according to The American Guernsey Catilking, according to tle Club.

Tht testing was supervised by Michigan State University.

Community Calendar Monday, March 24: Ada Township board meet ng. 7:30 p. m., township City of Lowell planning commission, 8 p. m., town-

Police Beat (Editor's Note: This col-

umn is authored by mem-bers of the Lowell Police Department and will appear as a regular feature. Your comments will be appreciated.)

The purpose of this column is to inform citizens of the history and necessity of laws and the hazards and dangers that exist all about us.

It is not intended to be used or controversial subjects and opinions, but merely to serve as a guideline for problems confronted in the daily lives of many residents.

major problem, especially at this time of year, is fire, Fire prevention is, of course, one of the primary steps to be taken in solving fire prevention rules and prop er escape routes are a must

It is also important to check all fire safety equipment reg-ularly. A small fire can be handled without loss of property or life if the proper equip ment, in working condition, is

Recently, damage occurred when a small fire spread after three fire extinguishers were found to be not in working or-

Littering is another big problem . . . and one that would not exist if people would just stop and think of the consequences.

Lowell is a beautiful city and a large part of its beauty is due to the fact there are

The job of cleaning up pers and other trash after a snowy season such as the win-

However, one form of litter ing that can be dangerous is that of throwing glass and metal objects on the highways.

jail and or a fine of \$100 can be handed out for littering. If littering causes malicious dec struction of property, the courts may also order restitution by the offender to the

property owner. Therefore, a word of caution. Think twice before tossing anything from the car 1 could result in heavy all concerned.

Applicants Sought for **MCSC** Posts

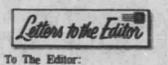
M. Powell (R-Ionia) has announced that applications will be accepted until further notice by the Michigan Civil Ser-vice Commission for jobs in accounting, office work and youth supervision.

Written tests for the pos ions will be scheduled each the number of applications warrants an examination and applicants will be notified in advance.

Jobs in two employment lev-el of all categories are open. The categories and yearly sal-ary ranges are as follows:

Child care worker, \$5,325 to \$6,950; boys' supervisor, \$6,100 to \$7,550; account examiner, \$6,775 to \$9,250; general clerk, \$4,325 to \$5,750; typist clerk, \$4,425 to \$5,990; and stenogra-pher clerk, \$5,300 to \$7,660.

Representative Powell said that additional information about these and other state employment opportunities is a-vailable by writing to the De-partment of Civil Service in the Lewis Cass Building, Lan-



In behalf of the Lowell Chap ter of The Blue Star Mother I wish to express our thanks for the article written up in the Ledger.

We are looking for new members and this may encourage some of the mothers to join.

Sincerely, Mrs. J. P. Parker Personalized matches are valiable at the Ledger of-

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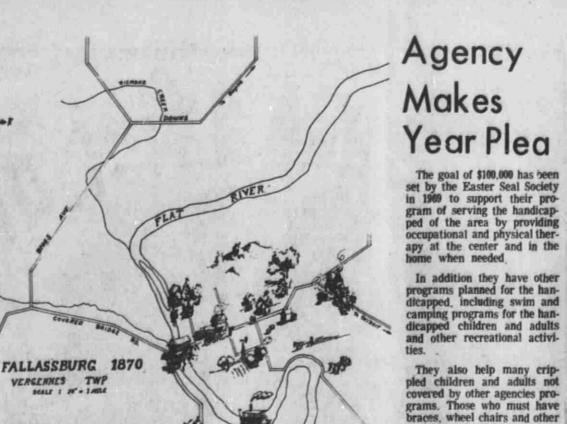


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A s seeing --

the Fallasburg School and preserve it as

The Vergennes Co-operative Club ex-

pressed interest in the project as did

many other local residents. Following

a meeting in November of that year, it

was decided that the restoration task was

too great for the Vergennes organization

and the historical association came into

being the following May with Dr. Ruth

WCMHA officials feel that raising the

initial \$6,000 may be the most difficult

project. If, following the survey, it is

foundations and large companies to soli-cit investment monies for the long-range

will require acquisition of land, construct

tion of a campsite and trailer park, in-

area and construction of a moderate-

sized restaurant in or near the village.

Funds received from operation of

Krause has indicated that initial steps

stallation of hiking and riding trails in the

feasible, plans are to contact various

etermined that the village restoration is

Herrick as its first president.

equipment or therapy turn to the "Do Something" Easter Seal Society in their time of Watch the mails for your Easter seals and help this wonderful program of good works.

MAY USE PARASITES TO CONTROL BEETLE

> Over 100,000 French parasites have been propagated at Michigan State University and released throughout Michigan and the northeastern states as a possible "natural" control of the Dutch elm beetle.

> In an effort to find varasites to control the discase-producing beetle, MSU is cooperating in research in Austria, France, Germany, Holland, Switzerland and Yu-



Voted Favorite **Teacher by** Junior High

The honor of being selected by his students as "My Favorite Teacher" has been accorded to Lloyd Wepman, son of Mrs. Molly Wepman of 723 North Monroe, Lowell.

He received a plaque from the Detroit News following the vote of the students at Farm-ington Jr. High School where he is now teaching.

Lloyd was graduated from Lowell High School in 1962 and received his teaching degree from Central Michigan Univer-sity at Mount Pleasant. He

A memorial resolution honoring former Michigan Gover-nor Wilber M. Brucker has been introduced in the House by State Representative Stan-ley M. Powell (R-Ionia). Governor Brucker, whose distinguished public career also included service as Secretary of the Army during the Eisen-hower Administration, died last October at the age of 74. nor of Michigan in 1930 and

GR Man Killed on Area Road pronounced dead on arrival at Blodgett

for 1969 . . . was recorded Saturday night when a Grand Rapids man was killed on 28th Street between Lowell

Kent County Sheriff's deputies said that Ralph North, 24, of 333 Visser St.

North's car struck a utility pole headon after it left the road on a turn about a quarter-mile east of Buttrick. He was

Gregory home last week

spent last weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert and son. Mr. and Mrs. Jack DeVries

Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Seeley, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Seeley

spent several days with Rev. and Mrs. Robert Folkert and family in Addison. They spent a day in Adrian also. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Seeley were Saturday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hendricks in Sand Lake



676-9441

east of Lowell.

Protective **Devices** Not

warns Dr. Richard Pfister Michigan State University agricultural engineer. protective frames are needed. but we do not recommend homemade protective frames. nor do we distribute plans," e comments "A farmer might construct

the most durable frame possi ble, and it would still be sub ject to failure because of improper positioning of the fram and the fastening hardware.

Any adaptations that might weaken the fastening hardware should be avoided, he says A farmer can purchase

frame or cab designed to fi the particular tractor mak and model he drives, notes Pfister, Manufacturers maintain a list of tractors that their frames or cabs fit

Resolution **Pays** Tribute to Ex-Governor

served through 1932. Prior to that he served two years as

these facilities would then be used to bring about the step-by-step plan lead-ing to completion of all phases of the

terested families in the Forest Hills School District. If you think you might be interested in being a host fam-ily, please contact Mrs. Neil Weathers, 676-4401 for further information.

The fifth fatality of the year on area roads . . . and the 11th in Kent County

and Cascade.

S.E. apparently lost control of his car at high speed while driving on 28th be-tween Snow and Buttrick Avenues.

Gove Lake

676-4855 Mrs. Leon Seeley Robert Gregory of Grand Rapids called at the S. T. Seeley home and also the Rufu

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Westwood and Ann of Kirksville, Missouri

and family of Rockford were

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REVIVE VILLAGE – This sketch, by Lowell artist Jan Johnson, shows several features of Fallasburg Village that the West Central Michigan Historical Association hopes to restore in a proposed \$750,000 project that would take five years to complete. (See story on Page 1)

Restoration Drive Underway

an historical site.

(Continued from Page 1)

The report will cost \$6,000, accord-

ing to WCMHA officials, of which only

one-tenth has been raised by member-

ship dues and pledges of interested in-

The society, starting this month, is

ndeavoring to raise most of the remain-

ing balance to permit completion of the

As envisioned by its designers, the

village would become a major attraction for tourists with additional facilities such

as a stage coach depot, steamboat, muse-

um, church, camera and art shop, apoth-

The stage coach depot would be a re-creation of the edifice that once marked

the village as a stopping place of coaches

unning between Detroit and Grand Rap-

Area residents, many of them descend-ants of pioneer families, would staff com-

pleted facilities and be attired in costumes

The WCMHA was created in 1964 when it was learned that Norton L. Avery

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Have you there in about be-ing a host factory for a teen-age exchange student this next year? The Youth for Understanding

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and Edwin Mueller planned to acquire

ecary and restaurant to be added.

lating back to the 1860's.

be to produce a feasibility report.

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HARD AT WORK at the Easter Seal Center, 217 South Division, are, left to right, Madilene Green and Linda Yonkers, preparing the mail, and Harold Laug, Neil VanWeelde of Coopersville and Clare Carey of Lowell, all volunteers, sorting and tying the nearly 150,000 letters to be mailed in the Grand Valley area in the near future.

For Amateurs

Constructing a tractor rollbar or crush-resistant cab is no job for a home workshop,

Michigan attorney general.

Less than a week before, two area men died in a car-truck crash on M-21

A 17-year-old Alto youth escaped without injury when he lost control of his car on 52nd Street near Quiggle Mor

Pat Hobbs of 5540 Morse Lake Road

Nights - 453-4028

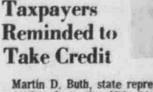
BATTLE HIGH PRICES Rattling against higher price es, many purchasing agents are trying to cut their gosts by using foreign suppliers, geting substitute materials, or changing suppliers. Even so, the latest survey shows that 57 per cent of the purchasing igents are passing along all or part of the price boosts to ustomers of their companies.

contrast with only 19 per two years ago

ABANDONED CAR RATE INCREASING

Abandoned cars, or, if will drop-out autos, are on the increase

Some eight states are con sidering legislation to curb the problem. According to one esimate, cars are abandoned in larger cities at the rate of one every 30 minutes.



sentative from the 90th District, reminds taxpayers, when filing their 1968 state income tax returns, to be sure to take property tax credits

State law permits taking a percentage of a taxpayer's property tax as credit on h state income tax.

For example, a person pay ing \$400 in local property to es will be able to claim \$42. as a credit against the Mich gan income tax. Buth emphr sized that this is a against the tax and not income deduction

He also stated that a portion of the city income tax can be taken as a state income ta credit.

Buth, a member of the House Taxation Committee, explain ed, "this was the Legislature's method of granting property tax relief when the Legislature adopted the state income tax

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Plan Sunrise Service Easter Morning at Civic

Plans for the 35th Annual Interdenominational Easter Sunrise Service have been nounced by Rev. Ralph E. Robrahn, pastor of Jamestown Reformed Church.

The service will be held at the Grand Rapids Civic Auditorium, Easter Sunday, April 6 at 6:30 a. m. Details on the main speaker and musical program will be announced later.

The program is sponsored by Christian Endeavor, an international, interdenomination al and interracial society.

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Last Friday night the scouts had a campout. This campout was all about First Aid. On Saturday the boys cleaned up the cabin and then took a hike downtown to watch the pa-ade. When they got back they ate lunch and went off on their first aid problems. There were close to 50 boys present

Boy Scouts

with about 3 or 4 fathers with On Monday night we prac-ticed our marching for Mac-kinac Island. This went pretty After marching every-went inside and we had good. After marching every-body went inside and we had some older boys read about outing out of an older Scout

On Tuesday class is being started down at Jackson Motors. It is Automotive Safety Merit hadge. This merit badge will teach the boys all about the car. It starts at 7 p. m. Mark Ritzema, Scribe

BLUE BIRDS

The 3rd grade Happy Blue Birds met on March 11 after school.

We made pictures for a mov ie we are going to give for 1st grade girls in April. Officers for March are pres ident Carol Peckham, Secre tary Carol Scharaswak, treasurer Barbara Miller, Mrs. White treated us with candy bars. Thank you, Mrs.

The Happy Bluebirds met on March 4 after school with Mrs. We had as our guests Mrs.

Schneider and her 3rd grade Busy Bluebirds. We practiced our songs for the Dad-Daughinquet. Then we playe

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FORMER EAGLE SCOUT and Post Advisor, Don Heaven, left, has accepted the responsibility and hallenges inherent in the establishment of a new Explorer Scout Post at Cascade Christian Church He is planning many activities interesting to boys in the 14 years and older group. New members for the troop are being sought and any boy interested in joining should attand the meeting at the church on Monday evenings from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Shown with Heaven are Ralph Kimble and George

EASTMONT BAPTIST

Sunday, March 23, Morning worship 11 a. m. Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Evening service 7 m. Young People's groups 5:45 p. m.

Monday, March 24, There will be a Father and Son Banquet at North Sveden House at 7 p. m., speaker Rev. King The annual Missionary Conerence will be conducted on

March 23 through March 30th evening meetings during the week will be at 7:30 p.m. TRINITY LUTHERAN

Saturday, March 22, 10 a.m. Junior Choir, 11 a. m. Bell Choir.

Sunday, March 23, Morning worship 8:30 and 10:45 a. m. Sunday School 9:30 a. m., all ages. 9:30 a. m. Inquirers' Calls in Pastor's study. Luther League 6 p. m. Wednesday, March 26, Mid-

week Lenten Service 7:30 p.m. ADA CONGREGATIONAL

worship and Sunday School 10 Monday, March 24, Boy Scout Troop 290 meets at 7:30 to 9 p. m.

CASCADE CHRISTIAN

7 p. m. After the Youth Meeting, Sgt. Donald Harrington, of the Sheriff's Dept, will show a film Years" to the CYF, 7 p. m. Evangelistic Program Instruction meeting

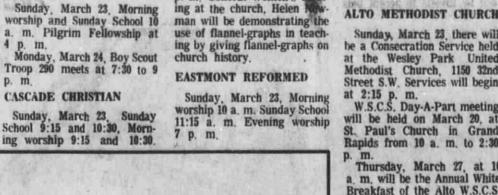
in Fellowship Hall. Wednesday, March 26. Midweek Lenten Service in the

Chapel at 7:30 p. m. Music provided by the Forest Hills High School Choir. R.L.D.S. ALASKA

Sunday, March 23, 9:45 a.m. Church School, 11 a. m. Guest speaker for morning worship Elder Guy Kramer of Greenville. Junior church worship ages 7 through 9 during 11 a. m. service. 7 p. m. Evening worship, speaker teacher Robert Loesch.

Wednesday, March 26, 7:30 p. m. Mid-week worship service, speaker to bring the les son Deacon Robert Onan,

Thursday, March 27. 7:30 p. m. General Women's niesting at the church, Helen New



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work and sewing projects. CASCADE CHRISTIAN REF Sunday March 23 19 a. I

norning worship, 11:15 a.m. Sunday School, catechism, 8 & 9 grades. 3 p. m. Junior and Senior Choir, 4:30 p. m. Young People's Society. 7 p. m. Eve-

ning Worship Wednesday, March 26, 1:30 m. Golden Hour Society 7:30 p. m. Calvinetts and Calvinists Cadets, 8 p. m. Men's **Bible Fellowship** ALTO BAPTIST CHURCH

The Ambassadors, musica messengers from Grand Rap-ids School of Bible and Music.

will appear in concert at the Alto Baptist Church on Sunday, March 23, at 7:30 p. m The public is cordially The Boys Stockade will hold

an Outing at Camp Kaskitawa on March 28 and 29. ALTO METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday, March 23, there will at the Wesley Park United Methodist Church, 1150 32nd Street S.W. Services will begin at 2:15 p. m. W.S.C.S. Day-A-Part meeting will be held on March 20, at St. Paul's Church in Grand Rapids from 10 a. m. to 2:30

Thursday, March 27, at 10 a.m. will be the Annual White Breakfast of the Alto W.S.C.S. Mrs. Thelma Hahn of Lowell will be guest speaker. Mrs. Carlos Page of Grand Rapids will also be present.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH OF LOWELL March 22, God &

Country Boy Scouts meet with the pastor at 9 a, m, at the Darsonage **Confirmation Class** meets at 10 a. m. in the church fellowship hall. Underground Railroad Coffee House for senfor highs and college age 11:45 p. m. in the Ed. Bldg

Sunday, March 23, Church 8:45 and 11 a. m. (Baptism at the 11 o'clock service) Church School, 9:45 a. m. Membership Orientation Class 9:45 a, m at the parsonage

Monday, March 24, "Ques-tions People Ask About Religion" group meets at the parsonage at 8 p. m.

Page presiding.

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The annual Cub Scouts Olympics were held Saturday after-noon in the Ionia high school gymnasium. More than 200 scouts from nine Cub Packs of the Ionia District participated in the 10 Olympic events. Edward Sandri, chairman of the event, awarded ertificates to each of the Cub

Packs participating. von by pack 3084 from Jefferson School, second place went to pack 3071 from Saranac and third place honors went to pack 3085 from Emerson School.

winner and Champions of the Oympics are the Cub Scouts from pack 3082, sponsored by St. Peter and sponsored by St. Peter and Paul Home and School Coun-cil, Awards will be presented to pack 3082 at their next

Campfire Girls

Meeting March 11 of Aowakiya Campfire group. President Jan Champman called the meeting to order. Then we said our Wood Gatherer's De-

We talked about selling tick-ets for the Campfire Pow Wow. Virginia King brought the treat. All members were at the meeting. Then we played 7 up and Simon Says. The meeting was dismissed.

Joy Buche The KiLoPo Campfire group met March 17. We elected oficers, President Joni Hanson vice-president Paula Hewitt

Cemetery in Parnell,

Eastmont Baptist Church -5038 Cascade Road-

Morning Worship Sunday School Youth Meetings Evening Worship Primary Church For Ages 4 through 8 Rev. Richard Gilaspy

> St. Michael's Episcopal Church

The Liturgy - 10 A. M. Nursery and Sunday School through 12th Grade

Cascade Christian Church

Morning Worship 9:15 & 10: Sunday School 9:15 & 10: Youth Group Meetings 5:6 Raymond Gaylord, Paster 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 Come and Worship With U

First Baptist Church -In Alto

Corner 60th & Bancroft Ave. Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Worship 11 A. M. & 7:30 P. M. Youth Hour 6:30 P. M. Wednesday Prayer Fellowship 8:00 P. M.

Ada Community Reformed Church 7227 Thornapple River Drive evening Worship. 5:00 P. M.

We invite you to make this community church your church home. Welcome to all!

First Congregational Church of Lowell United Church of Christ

Services at 8:45 & 11:00 A. Church School at 9:45 A. M. **Classes for All Ages Over Two** Nursery During 11:00 Service

Hudson and Spring Streets Rev. Ervin Hyde . 11:00 A. M. Worship Service Church School 9:45 A. M. Nursery Provided

Morning Worship 19:00 A. M. Evening Worship 7:00 F. M. Nursery Provided-Morning Sunday School 11:15 A. M. **Eastmont Reformed** Cor, Ada Dr. & Forest Hills The Church Where There Are No Strangers" WELCOMES YOU Services: 10 A. M. & 7 P. M. Sunday School: 11:15 A. M.

Wednesday, March 26, The Charge Conference, 7:30 p.m. in the Ed. Bldg., Rev. Carlos

Ionia Cub Scouts **Olympic Event**

VIOLA GUMSER of 706 Riverside Drive wife of W W. Gumser, former Superintendent of Schools in Low-

ell, passed away at her home Sunday morning Mrs Gumser taught school in Elkston, Mt. Clemens and Detroit prior to her marriage and later in the Low ell school system. She was the President of the Women's Club of the county. ides her husband she is survived by one son, Walter,

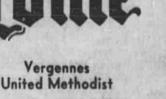
three grandchildren Walter III, Tara Lee and M. Scott: sister, Mrs. Otto Soehner niece. Eileen Mcthin of Lowell. Funeral services were held at the Roth Funeral Hone on afternoon with the

Rev. . Ervin Hyde of the First Congregational Church of rather pale children in the group but as interest mounted Interment in Oakwood Ceme tery

couldn't leave if I wanted DOROTHY KENT "'It's very interesting but stinks" and "I didn't like it Mrs. Dorothy B. Kent, aged at first but then I realized i 339 Gunnison Avenue was just muscle and bone. SW in Grand Rapids passed It proved to be an unusual away on Wednesday evening, March 12, at St. Mary's Hossession of show and tell, ineresting to students and the eachers alike. survived by three Robert J. Kent, Jr., Jo-W. and David L.: eight dchildren: three brothers, LOWELL John, Justin and Joseph Ke-CITY of Parnell; two sisters Mrs. Robert Myler and Mrs. James Fox of Parnell. MELVIN ROGERS Funeral Mass was offered **Owner and Operator**

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Pastor: Rev. Phil Carpenter Morning Worship 10 a.m.

Sermon

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Church 11:00 A. 9:45 A. 5:45 P. 7:00 P. M. 11:00 A. M.

Rev. R. A. Bruxvoort, Pastor 676-1698

Rev. John Stanley, Jr., Vicar

tichard A. Beach, Paston

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Ada Studeni Hunts Fox Viola Marie Rather Gumser for Bounty

Wes Bigelow, a fifth grade student at the Ada Elementary School is a "bounty hunter." pending his spare time huntfox for which he receives bounty from the state Because he felt it would be of interest to the other dents in the pursuit of scienti fic facts, he brought a ca cus to school for further stud The students of Mrs. Vaden Mrs. Davis', Mrs. Rivers' Mr. Loncore's 5th and grades watched the auto performed by Mrs. Jean der. Wes' teachers. The complete respiratory s tem, digestive system, ston ich, intestines, diaphragm a were removed and ex-

plained to the there were some group but as interest mounted the students became so engrossed the color returned to their cheeks. Some of the comments were:

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Evening Worship 7:45 P. Thursday Prayer 7:30 P. 1

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Road Development in Area Periled by Fund 'Raid'

State Highway Commissioner Richard F. Vander Veen said to- a serious impact on highway development in western Michigan. nance patrols on Interstate highways. day that the Governor William Milliken's desire to spend constitu- Governor Milliken has recommended that \$1.6 million be trans- "If the governor's request is granted, it is very possible that tionally-earmarked highway funds for State Police patrols could have ferred from the State Highway Fund to the State Police to help fi- the door would be opened to further raids on the highway fund."



WORK STARTS ANEW - The coming of spring found construction re-started on the I-96 interceptor connecting Lowell with the inter state highway. The project is scheduled for completion before summer.

Applications Sought for State Jobs

The Michigan Civil Service Commission is now accepting applications for state jobs in the personnel management and custodial work, according 1 State Representative

A March

icers, with annual salaries that range from \$8,000 to \$15,-

Custodial positions available and their yearly pay scales, are as follows: Janitor, \$5,650 to \$6,500: janitor foreman, \$6. 00 to \$7,000; and custodial foreman, \$6,350 to \$8,000.

Written tests for the custodi been scheduled for April 19. An oral appraisal may be required for e personnel openings, in addition to an evaluation of education and experience

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have been announced by Holstein-Friesian Association of America

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Included on the list of long f butterfat in 2,808 days; ownd by James B. Cook, Jr., Lo-

Representative Powell suggested that persons interested in more complete information ilities and salaries of ment opportunities should contact their local state employ-ment office or write the Michigan Civil Service Department in the Lewis Cass Building.

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Members Present: Jones.

Members Absent: Gerard

ond by Shade to approve the

minutes of the regular meet-ing of February 10, 1969.

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion

Motion by Jones and second

by Siegle to approve payment bills as listed.

Motion by Jones and second

Rivette to authorize Mem-

Fund checks in the absence

OLD BUSINESS

the built-up roof on the Inter-

by Member Metternick,

mediate School gym for study and recommendation on bids

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

Motion by Jones and sec-

6. Nays: 0. Motion

to sign General

Motion by Rivette and sec-

Metternick, Reagan,

Roll Call

Carried

Aves:

Shade

far this year.

of Member Gerard.

Carried

Siegle, Mettern Shade, Rivette,

NEW BUSINESS lar Meeting March 10, 1969. . Motion by Rivette and sec-

ond by Shade to approve the transfer of the properties of Faulkner, Dunn, and Lynch from Lowell to Forest Hills provided said transfer takes place on July 1, 1969; that the transfer of the Corl property from Lowell to Lakewood be tabled for further information. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion

2. The Board accepted, with regret, the resignation of Miss Kay Wood effective at the end the school year 3. The Board agreed not

rticipate in the Title III NDEA this year due to a lack Motion by Siegle and second by Rivette to accept bids

Ayes: 6 Nays: 0. Motion in the purchase of two new passenger buses un-A discussion was held on the til 4:00 P.M., April 9, 1969. income and expenditures thus 6. Nays: 0. Motion Ayes:

5. Motion by Metternick and cond by Rivette to place the ollowing teachers on tenure lores Gabrion: Chai Virginia man; Ronald Moore; Harry Peacock; Patricia Pierce; Darwin Sampson; Phyllis Reyburn; George Stegmier; Esther Teerling; Elizabeth Vander-Zee; Gilbert Woolworth; and Marge Benedict. 6. Nays: 0. Motion Ayes:

6. Action on the tenure status of E. Robert Breining was tabled for an executive session. 7. The Board agreed to fol-low the transportation policy and refused a request to transport noon kindergarten stu-dents from the west side of Lowell to Bushnell School, 8. Motion by Jones and sec-ond by Rivette that the Board of Education children to the

of Education affirms that they will only levy that amount of millage, up to seven mills, that is necessary to support an ade-quate educational program. President Reagan requested a roll call vote.

Yeas: Jones, Siegle, Metter-nick, Reagan, Shade, Rivette, Nays: None. Motion Carried 6 to 0.

9. Member Rivette reported on the Tri-River League Meeting he attended. 10. High School Principal

Hagen reported on the meet-ing he attended regarding the law and student behavior. 11. Mr. David Miller request-ed that the Board consider mailing a newslatter to energy mailing a newsletter to every residence in the district. There were 24 visitors at the

meeting. Motion by Jones and second by Shade to adjourn at 9:50

Respectfully submitted. Harold Metternick, Secretary

Shirley Dygert wants so-cial items for her column, The Forest Hills Highlights Please call her, 676-3721.

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Vander Veen said

to the safety and economic well-being of our citizens."

Vander Veen, a Grand Rapids attorney, said the people of Michigan sealed the door to diversion of highway funds when they amended the State Constitution in 1938, and he added that this anti-diversion view is reiterated in the Constitution of 1963. "To the best of our knowledge, this is the first time that governor of Michigan has proposed the diversion of highway funds in a budget message to the Legislature," he said.

"I admire Governor Milliken's concern for safety, but the fact is that the most effective means of improving highway safety is through the construction and improvement of highways. "Governor Milliken readily acknowledges that we have obso-

lete roads and a compelling need to expand highway facilities, and that a rapidly growing travel demand has exceeded our ability to provide sufficient highway facilities. "These views are inconsistent with the diversion proposal, es-

pecially at a time when we are meeting less than 40 percent of the needs of our primary and secondary highway systems." Vander Veen said the Governor's statement that the \$1.6 million would scarcely build a mile of rural freeway "is unrealistic because the state cannot afford to take the money out of con-

struction. "To do so would cost the state \$14.4 million in federal aid if taken from the Interstate program, or \$1.6 million in federal aid if taken from the primary and secondary program," Vander Veen

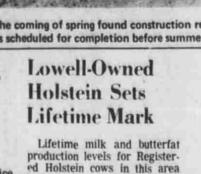
Relating the \$1.6 million to other highway department programs, Vander Veen said it represents about 25 percent of the money spent annually to protect the public's substantial investment in highways, or 40 percent of the annual expenditures for spot safety

improvement projects.



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been established for submis- gram is sponsored by the Assion of applications for open competitive and promotional minations for these posi-There are five employment levels open for personnel of-

"Last year, diversion advocates sought \$11.4 million for the State Police and another \$6 million for driver education. If the door is opened for one purpose, I assume it could be opened for others. "The effect of these diversions would be to seriously delay long overdue highway improvements, and this would be detrimental

Vander Veen said it is possible that the Commission could make sufficient cuts in the Department's administrative budget, but he added that considerable belt tightening has been done already.

(Editor's Note: The letter published below refers to a student-sponsored newspaper published in Grand Rapids and circulated on college and high school campuses in the Grand Rapids area.)

Lowell Ledger - Suburban Life, March 20, 1969

etters to the Editor

To the Students of Forest Hills High School who support and supply the Student's Free Press with material both literal and by merit of their examples

After reading Volume 2, No. 1. I have these comments to

To No. 1294 your criticism of your coach is deplorable! For once, Forest Hills could hold their head high b merit of their victories on th field, You, No. 1294, did not accomplish this by yoursel neither did the team, without the coach

Your long hair is un-becoming, most of the time dirty and unkernpt. Don't you know it sickens most of the girls now? How simple-minded and egotistical to compare yourself to Christ! The comparison would end at the long hair and beard. He was kind, gentle. merciful, understanding and ossessive of many more qualities which you and your simple kind lack

And, when did school-time become nap-time? This is Kindergarten stuff. But then, judg ing by the quality of your wri ing, you're still back there. I Forest Hills High is so bad perhaps a transfer to Thorn apple is in order,

Whether you like it or not, rules are set up to govern any body. The absentee call-in is a good rule and does not vio-

late anyone who is not viol ting

About teaching since when do the un-educated judge the educated? Persons like you do not give an educator the opportunity to "get thru." You don't want to learn. Your descriptive profanity illustrates your progress in learning and your immoral background. I doesn't take any amount of inelligence to express one's self v being vulgar

If, which I don't believe two-thirds of the student body composed of your kind. then feel sad for our commu nity and our school and dis gusted with parents whose byproducts you are. For, to a degree, parents have tolerated looseness of moral attitudes somewhere along the way.

As for the one-third you say are concerned with their grades, I commend them! This, young fellow, is why they are school. How do you overlook such a simple point? And further, why do you deny them the right to attain their goals when you demand it for your-

If Forest Hills High lacks in anything as far as being a good high school, it is the fault of you and your kind. Put the blame where it belongs. Your kind is corruptive of decent education

You use a number in signing your article, which indi cates a cowardliness at becom ing implicated In other words. you are (since you like namecalling) an anonymous loudmouth!

Mrs. Beatrice M. Wagar

Collegiate Newsletter

WILL GRADUATE

State College students who are Lowell. the end of the 1969 winter term, one is from Ada and four are from southeast Grand

The students are: Edith Pettis of Ada, BA, English; H. Lawrence Allyn, BS, psy-chology; Robert Chrisman Caldwell, BA, German; Douglas W. Lugthart, BA, sociology and Mary E. Wreford, BA, English

SOCIETIES ELECT

Following the election of officers in various sororities and fraternities at Alma College, three students from this area will serve their clubs as officers during the coming

Frederick Rugg, a 1967 grad-uate of Forest Hills High School has been elected Social Chairman of Delta Sigma Phi Fraternity. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Rugg of 541 Greenbrier SE.

ay Davies, a 1965 graduate of Forest Hills High School, has been elected Pledge Mas-ter of Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity. Jay is the son of Mr. Mrs. John H. Davies of 256 Greenbbier Street SE.

Mrs. Richard L. Ford of 330 Alger SE, has been elected vice president of Delta Sigma Phi Fraternity. He is a 1966 graduate of Greenville High

MAKES DEAN'S LIST

James M Koert son of Man tin Koert of 5688 Knapp St., Ada, was named to the Dean's List of Hope College in Holland for the first semester of the 1968-69 academic year.

LOWELL MEN PLEDGED

Steven James McClure and David L. Roth of Lowell have been pledged by Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity at the University of Michigan in Ann Ar-

Both honor graduates of Lowell High School, class of 1968, reshman at the U of M, Roth is majoring in architec-

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> **MSU LISTS GRADUATES** Over 1,200 students were graduated from Michigan State University at its winter term ment exercises held March 9th in East Lansing.

Brenda J. Moscove of Route Lowell, was awarded her MA in Business Distributive Teacher Education; Ronald J Lubbers of 2456 Normandy Dr. SE, MBA in Accounting and Phyllis M. Mosher of 1901 louseman NE, BA in Special Education

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Home Show

The Grand Rapids Home Builders Association and the Builders Exchange of Grand Rapids and Western Michigan will co-sponsor the 31st annual Greater Michigan Home and Garden Show in the Civic Auditorium March 24-29

The show opens next Monday at 6 p. m. with doors opening to the public at 2 o'clock Tuesday through Friday. On Saturday, March 29, it will begin at noon.

Stage shows are scheduled nightly at 7 and 10 p.m. in iddition to a matinee performance on March 29 at 4 p. m.

An unusual display, called the "Gallery of Homes," will occupy the Black and Silver Room of the Auditorium with nearly 20 of the GRH3A members participating in exhibits.

An Early American kitchen and dining area, incorporating the latest in modern appliance es, will be a central feature of the display.

PRESIDENTIAL LETTER SURPRISES PUPILS

There was quite a bit of excitement recently when a letter from the Whitehouse ar rived at Orchard View'school Addressed to the pupils of Miss Kirkwood's class, President ture and McClure in psychol- Nixon had written to thank the class for their letter of con Mrs. Gerald R. McClure of successful term as president.

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Foresz Hills Hi-Lites

BY SHIRLEY DYGERT

Quote of the week: A GOLF BALL CAN BE A BEAUTIFUL THING, DON'T KNOCK IT! Fred Beck * * *

There they go again. . off and running last Saturday were the members of the Party Time Club, From 9 to 12:30 at the Fairground Stables they mbined a "Wearing of the Green" party with a special Equestrian Show.

Committee members, Virg and Elaine Kendall, Curt and Eileen Amundson, Bob and Jo Burnham and Jim and Joanne Coretti, knocked themselves out decorating. They produced a canopy of green and white crepe paper, baskets of artifi-cial flowers, and white picket fencing around the bandstand. By the time the first arrivals showed, the committee gals were ready in green skirts and white blouses and the fellows wore green armbands and ties. Thoroughly enjoying them-selves at tables covered with shamrock cloths and centered with green candles and pots of gold were Pat and Janice Barr, Bill and Dottie Black-Bob' and Jo Burnham. and Floyd and Nan DeVos. Studying the leprechauns on the wall were Tom and Elaine Horning, Dean and Dolores Bernie and Helen Mohr, Lorce and Steve and Louise Norman. Later, when it was time for Irish coffee and sandwiches from Paddy's Pig, recapping the evening together were: Paul and Barb Pappas, Howard and Nancy VandenBerge

and Donna Van Haren and Dick and Carolyn Lynch. * * * March is Childrens' Art Month and all of the elemen- for a visit with relatives and tary children beginning with kindergarteners in the Forest Mr. and Mrs. Jim May and Hills schools have been invited to display their work under

the school banner at Eastbrook Their show will be on from March 16 through the 29th. It is a general display with work n various media and delightful originality.

Last Friday seems to have been quite a birthday date in our area. Among the dozens of guests at a party for Brenda Carew was Stan Grochowalski, himself celebrating the day.

so watch your bird feeders when he is around

he congratulated his next door neighbor, Marilyn Darling, on her birthday too, He publicly announced that she is the best cookie baker in the Oliver

* * *

Nine FHHS students in the Drama Club will be members of the cast of Agatha Christie's "The Unexpected Guest" to be presented March 28 and

Laura Warwick will be played by Linda Parish who is also the student director. Todd Brunhof will appear as Michael Starkweather. June But-trick as Miss Bennet, Bud Os-

Also in the cast as Henry Angel will be Rick Lanning; as Sgt. Cadwallader, Greg Hoyle; as Inspector Thomas, Hollis Locke; and as Julian Ferrai, Joe McCarger. Biodgett Hospital.

Tickets can be purchased through the school office, 949-

his parents with the news that honorary fraternity of mathematicians. He is a student at

studying the feasibility of a new refreshment stand will make a report. All this and coffee too? Anyone interested in the sports program of the high school, whether you have a student on a team or not, is welcome.

* * * The Gilded Lilies, a group of gals who started out taking nature walks together last year, didn't want to quit during the winter. They organized as an investment club and after the usual stumbling begin-nings, began to make sense of the operations. Now that it is spring (the Vernal Equinox is March 20

at 2:08 p. m.) they again plan to hit the trail. Now they will meet twice a month, once to walk through the greens and maybe reduce a little and once to talk about their greens and maybe increase them a little

* * * John Banta has compl his undergraduate work at Hiram College and is now in the U. S. Air Force Reserves at Lackland Air Force Base, Tex-

* * * Unfortunately some of signs of spring include the sound of fire sirens night and Save a trip to the dump with your trash and you may end

a while

The

her parents. Mr. and

Mrs. Iva McIntyre was vis-ited over the weekend by Mrs. Needa Dawson of Sunfield, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stev-ens traveled down from Green-ville to be grouped and the second

ville to be supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Stevens

up with a trip to your insur-

ance man or worse.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Wilcox of Eastmont will be airborne for California on March 21st friends including ex-residents their girls, Kathy and Becky. The May family are now residing at 13742 Gimbert Lane, Santa Ana, California, 91705. Herb and Virginia will also make a trip to Peoria, Illinois, to visit Spencer, Brenda and Bradley Wilcox newly installed at 1609 North Bigelow, Peoria,

* * *

Illinois, 61604.

Some of the little models taking part in the children's style show "Wonderland of Fashion" One of his gifts was a bag of sunflower seeds . . this has nothing to do with the fact that his nickname has long been "Eagle." He just hap-pens to like them as a snack so walch your bird factor. Rennett Sheree Rosendahl and Susie Rice. Others are Ann: Dan Wallace was also re- Woodrick, Shelia Wosinski, eiving many happy returns Lori Rysbyk, Alice Hutzel and

More of the little folk are Andrew Albertson, John Cros-by, Ricky Bennett, Steve Andriese, Joey Graves and Lori Magoon. Finishing up the list Woods section, Congratulations are Wendy Long, Beth Brum-all. meler, Jill Pearson and Mary Therese Schmuker, Narrating the show will be Mrs. Jack Godron better known to the wee ones as the

> fame. Hospital

former "Miss Jean" of

Notes trick as Miss Bennet, Bud Os-molenski as John Warwick, and Sue Niles as Mrs. War-wick. Also in the cast as Henry Angel will be Pick Jenemary



MRS. FRANK SCHUELLER

Lowell Lamplighte BY PATT BAMERICK There's something about the

coming of spring that seems to urge people to get out and visit friends and neighbors that perhaps they haven't seen in Mrs. Richard Gard and son of Grand Rapids visited with

Please be careful,

The Lowell Lions roared at their annual ladies night Saturday. Roughly seventy peo-ple gathered at the Comet in Grand Rapids to enjoy a de-licious meal and an arranged licious meal and an extremely entertaining talk presented by the inimitable Buck Mathews. Good food, good fun. Sounds

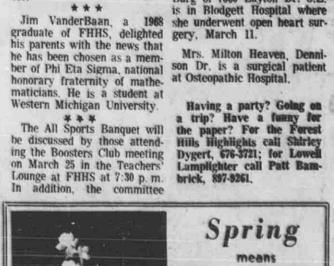
Cinderella On Stage

The young dancers of the "hornapple Children's Ballet have been hard at work the past few weeks preparing their production of "Cinderella."

Included among the 40 members of the corps de ballet, ranging in age from 8 to 17, are little Kim Friesen of Ada and Pam Martin of E. Grand Rapids, Pam will dance the title role of Cinderella,

ning this year's garden. It's a wonderful thing to look out in your yard and the yard's of others and see flowfrom Cascade, Alto and Kent-wood,

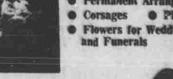




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tongué and throat? The stem of sweet peas contains a poi-son that causes a form of parthrough the school office, 949-2410, or from any club mem-ber. * * * Jim VanderBaan, a 1968 she underwent open heart surpoisons are: Narcissus bulb, the root and seed of Four O'clock, Ivy leaves, Oleander

leaves, any part of Lily-of-the Valley, Burning bush leaves, the underground stem of Iris, the seed of Pinks, the fruit of Mock Orange, the Bittersweet burry, the Castor Bean seed, Foxglove leaves and Bluebon-nat seeds net seeds.

Forest Hills School News

Junior High Dance-"Green Scene"-7:30 to 10. The student council is sponsoring the dance. The music will be provided by Epithet Group. Parents pease pick up students promptly at 10 p. m.

Monday, March 24, is the last day of the Junior High magazine drive. Help support this drive by renewing sub-scriptions through a student or obtaining new subscriptions to-day, this has been a most successful drive.

The Inter-mural basketball tournament between the home rooms is now going through the elimination games. It takes about two weeks to complete the playoffs between the 2

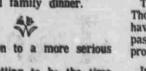
stay at the home of her son, Sam. Sam and family make their home on Fallasburg Rd. And then-Mr. and Mrs. Rob-* Now on to a more serious It's getting to be the time of year when the old green thumb commences to itch and gardeners all over this coun-try of ours begin to settle down to getting bulbs and seeds collected and start plan-ning this year's graden

yard's of others and see flow-ers. Let's not have any tra-gedy to mar the beauty. You may well be saying to yourselves, and rightly so, what could possibly be tragic in regard to a flower garden. Well, several things, espe-cially if there are small chil-dren around.

Did you know that one tulip bulb contains enough poison to

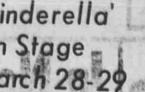
There is poison enough in "elephant ear" to cause a painful swelling of the musce-ous membranes of the mouth,

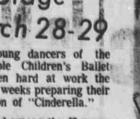
kill a man?



been past regular gadabouts this past week. Mrs. Rosella Yeiter recently returned from a week's like a great evening.







Public Notice

Notice is hereby given that the Cascade Township oning Board of Appeals will meet at 9 a.m., March 22, 1969, at the township administration building, 2800 Orange Street S.E., to consider the request of Tommy Ray for a variance in setback for a new dwel ling at 1594 MacNider S.E. to permit the dwelling to be aligned with existing adjacent dwellings.

> Peter P. Price, Secretary Cascade Twp. Zoning Board of Appeals

Star Corners

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fox and Lois Kaye were Sunday din-ner guests at the Kenneth Mey-er's home at Freeport, in honan evening caller. or of the Fox wedding anni-

Mr. and Mrs. Alex McPherson and son, Rob of East Laning, were Sunday afternoon nd lunch guests of their randparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Wingeier. Dee Yeiter was riday evening visitor Mr. and Mrs. Lance Caston family of Grand Rapids visited the John Kreb's sugar



Mr. and Mrs. Ivan K. Blough

and family of Lowell, Mrs. Ira

Krebs, John Krebs, and Mr.

ended the Overholt-Seese wed

ding reception at Hope Church

of the Brethren Saturday eve-

Mr. and Mrs. David Winge-

ier with their guests. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wiegand of Chi-cago, Ill., visited their son,

laney, at Saginaw Monday,

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Kauff-

nan returned home from their

lorida vacation on Saturday. fr. and Mrs. Charles Maile

inch guests, also several oth-

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Daw-

son of Lowell, Mr. and Mrs.

Lester Dawson of Clarksville

were Thursday evening guests of Mrs. Freeman Hoffman to

Mr. and Mrs. George Krebs accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Jack VanDyke of Grand Rap-

and Mrs.

anson and son, Jeffery, were

Also Sunday evening guests. Mrs. George Krebs, Mrs. Francis Shaffer, Mrs. Ira Blough and Mrs. Carl Fox

were among several other lad-ies that attended a bridal shower for Miss Wanda Over-

hold at the Orton Seese home

Mrs. Lloyd Miller and daugh-ters attended the Blough-Todd

edding at the Bowne Men-

noon. In the evening Mr. and

nonite Church Saturday after-

Mrs Miller and daughters at-

tended the Overhot-Seese wed

ding and reception at the Hope

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hoffman

and Mary, Mr. and Mrs. Tru-

nan Stahl all of South Bowne

enjoyed ice cream and cake at

the Lloyd Miller home Friday

evening in honor of Mrs. Free-

and Mrs. Dale Hoffman,

Don Hoffman

Church of the Brethren.

and Mrs.

hursday evening.

do, Ohio, Sunday visited the Cheese and Mrs. Russ

elebrate her birthday.

ds to Toledo, Ohio,

man of Kalamazoo spent

week with the home folks.

friends called, Lois Kauff-

family of Grand Rapids, Sally Meyers of Lowell

Sunday afternoon and

and Mrs. Francis Shaffer

Mr. and Mrs. Georg



4-H FAMILY OF THE YEAR

A plaque designating the six member family of Mr. and Mrs. John Folkertsma as the 1969 "4-H Family We Honor" was presented to them recent ly at the Michigan 4-H Leadership Training Center near Tus-

The Folkertsmas were cited for the working-together rela-tionship of the family mem-Their togetherness features amily camping trips and family involvement in 4-H nature

projects. The children, Jaclyn, Janis, Jill and John, Jr., have many 4-H awards and honors to their credit. Mr. Folkertsma is a Kent County 4-H project chairman and both he and his wife are 4-H Club leaders.

REPEAT MARRIAGE VOWS and Mrs. Orton Seese and Wanda Jane Overholt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Overholt of Clarksville, were united in marriage Saturday evening March 15, at the Hope Breth ren Church of Clarksville by The Rev. Heisler, Mr. Sees is on a 21-day leave. while waiting orders for overseas duty

ALTO SCOUTS VISIT CARS OF YESTERYEAR

Alto Cub Scout Pack 3389, Den 2, took a look into the past Tuesday, March 18, when they toured the Woodland Cars of Yesteryear Museum in Cas-

cade. Den 1 is practicing Indian Sign language ALTO FIREMEN REPORT

MANY GRASS FIRES The Alto Fire Department has answered many grass fire calls in the past few weeks. Now that spring is just around the corner and we all have the urge to dig out, let's be just a little more careful when we burn our trash, etc.

Other Alto News Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fairchild motored to Wayland Sunday afternoon where they called on

Mrs. Clara McWhinney. Mrs. Dygert is spending some time visiting her sister, Mrs. Audie Yeiter in South Bend,

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard John son were Sunday dinner guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Johnson and family to celebrate Dale's birthday. **Marilee** Grummet

ed Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wieland to Alma Sunday where called on Dr. and Mrs. William Roth. Sunday callers at the Jack Neubecker home were Mr. and Mrs. Steven Neubecker of Harris Creek and Mr. and Mr. Fred Neubecker of Cascade.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kissin-ger of Mt. Pelier, Ohio were weekend guests of Mr. & Mrs. Orton Seese. The gentlemen were buddles while in the ser-

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ebert of Fowlerville were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Tobias. Mrs. Virginia Shurlow of Grand Rapids was an evening caller. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Blocher and Paul Paquette will leave Wednesday for a short trip to Florida before going to Can-

ada for the summer. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Romer and family have moved into the Silcox home on 64th St. Mrs. Helga Wester, Mrs. Minnie Klink, Mrs. Jennie Vanden Heuvel and Mrs. Florence Richardson attended the Ladies Auxiliary meeting at the Michigan Christian Home on Boston Street last Tuesday af-

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Dur kee and family were Sunday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Linton Janet

Mrs. R. J. Linton accompany ied Mrs. John Postema to Washington D. C. this Monday

Complied Laws-168.361, Act 104A Section 361) Townships, Annual Meetings, Time, Notice, Abolition-There shall be an annual meeting of the electors of each township on the Sat-urday preceding the first Monday in April of each year, be-tween 1 o'clock and 8 o'clock p. m.; the time and place of shall be determined by the township board

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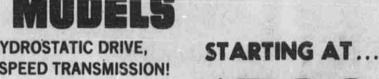
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tle Mary Alice Hoffman of Logan Lake were Saturday mornng callers of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Julius West Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Clark were in Lansing Sunday visit-Mr. and Mrs Clark and family Alvin Bergy, Mabel and her sister, Mrs. Harry Lunsford of Grand Rapids call-

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BUDGET for the coming year

NEW MICHIGAN LAW, AMENDMENT PASSED IN 1956,

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clerk, shall, at least 14 days but not more

Mrs. Evelyn Smith, Clerk

a few days. Mrs. Truman Stahl and lit-

ed on Mrs. Marie Porritt in

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Yeiter

and Mr. and Mrs. Cariton-Fair-

brother attended church serv-

ices at the Fountain Street

Church Sunday morning and

later were dinner guests of Mr.

and Mrs. Val Watts at the

of Earl Behler in Cas-

home were

Mr. and Mrs. James Green

were Sunday guests of Mr. & Mrs. Seymour Dalstra on

Fairchild

Clark and

Grand River Drive.

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MEETING TOWNSHIP OF BOWNE

Cardine Honored at Fete

Accolades were plentiful and well disbursed, but in the final analysis the "star" of the Forest Hills High School wrestling banquet was the man who occupied the limelight throughout the 1968-69 season.

When introduced by Coach Chuck Matthews, assembled parents, relatives, coaches and fellow wrestlers rose to give 127-pound state Class B chamtion Larry Cardinel a standing ovation.

"What can I say about this guy that hasn't already been said," exclaimed Matthews. "He did everything you could ask and more."

It was a foregone conslusion that Cardinel, a senior, would receive the Outstanding Wrest-ler Award. Craig Van Sluyters was honored as the Most Im proved Wrestler; Jim Lendyke won the Ranger award and Steve Schuster was named outstanding competitor on the freshman team.

The Rangers posted Matthews classified as a "one in 10 years" season, winning all 17 dual matches. In this espect, Forest Hills shared billing in the state with using Gabriels and Durant. Sparked by Cardinel's title run, the Rangers finished 12th among 130 Class B teams in the state finals.

Matthews praised his squad for what he called "total ef-

"I've never had a group so dedicated to practice and to every meet," he declared. Singled out for honors in

addition to Cardinell, Leyndyke and Van Sluyters were Tee Witeke, Bob Roy, Randy Simon, Jim Olsen and Mike Krause Freshman coach Frank Rosengren introduced his squad. Also in attendance was Paul

Northuis, who piloted the junfor high mat team during the

Interest in the state baskettournament ... especially the Class B portion ... drop-ped off sharply for area fans over the weekend when both Godwin Heights, the O-K Red Division charming and Rock vision champion, and Rockford, winner of the Tri-River title, fell from contention in the regional finals, Godwin lost to Holland Christian, which earlier this year

contender by whipping peren-nial favorite River Rouge High in regular-season competition. Rouge continues to roll and our long-time friend, Lofton een, appears ready to challenge for another in a long list

* * * general realignment of area prep leagues is in the offing with a special study committee now surveying schools interested in joining forces with the proposed three-divi-

If it all comes to pass, the division in the O-K would include Forest Hills High and several other athlepowers in the immediate

Don't take too much stock in all those reports of Tiger losses in Florida. Spring train ing games are unimportant . hough management would like to see a few more wins in order to bolster season ticket

sales. The Tigers may not be as good in '69 as a year ago, but they still should be good enough to win under t divisional set-up.

RETAIL SALES CLIMB 5 PERCENT OVER '6

For retailers at least, 1969 is off to a good start. Through Feb. 5. department store volume had shot past last year's volume by 15 per cent. Still, economic forecasts remain muddled and there is considerable disagreement among the economists on the outlook for both the first and second

Better times are ahead for Forest Hills High in basketball if results of the 1968-69 season game mark of 24 while Hene- high 20. are used as a criteria.

Both junior high teams finished with successful records and the freshman squad, which was involved in several close ly-contested games, finish with a modest 8-10 mark,

The varsity which finished with a 9-9 record, will lose most of its starters, but can be expected to receive much assistance for the 1969-70 cambaign from the junior varsity despite the latter's 4-13 mark recent campaign

Coach Chuck Ullery's eighth raders, who last year went undefeated in 10 starts at seventh graders, posted a 9-2 mark and emerged as cham of the Newhall Tournament

Jerry Southland's seventhgrade squad also registered a 9-2 record with both losses coming in overtime . . . 54-48 to Godwin Heights and 35-33 to of the PGA since 1962 follow-Kentwood, the latter in tournament action.

Both junior high squads established new team one-game scoring records during the season, the seventh graders netting 53 points against Newhall and the eighth graders meshing 63 against Hudsonville.

Greg Gutos was the consistent scorer for Coach Southland's quintet, scoring 128 points, 24 more than Bill Wagner. The latter set team records for most free throws in a game (6) and season (21).

Other members of the team who were listed as starters month was 159 uring the season were Rob Nanzig, Steve Henneveld, Gordy Osmun and Mike VanAman.

Randy Lanning Bill Heneveld and Dave Slater compris-ed the "Big Three" for Coach

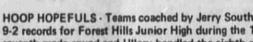
in 1964 February's fatalities broug the state's road toll to 281 for the year so far, compared with 277 in the same period in 1968. Delayed death reports will add slightly to the provisional Feb-Ullery's eight-grade unit. Lan- ruary and two-month totals. see ... JACK ... at **DYKHOUSE & BUYS**

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ing the 1968-69 season accordng to final statistics disclosed by Coach Jack Kempker.

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sion Ottawa-Kent circuit.

It is proposed that realign-ment take place in time for the 1971 football season. draft

August 16. FHCC also has a new head . Tom Leamon, who was gave evidence of a tourney pro . amed to the post recently. The WMDGA is made up of 15 member clubs, includin Cascade Hills, John Bazuin Cascade has been re-elected a president of the organization. * * * Speaking of golf, it will be interesting to see just how the second and third holes at Ar

rowhead GC play this year Gene and Vince Kaye starte work late in the fall designe to switch the tees and greens of the two short par-4 holes. ***

Pity the poor Pistons. They can't win for losing, yet they-'re not losing enough to even gel a shot at Lew Alcindor of UCLA in the National Basket ball Association college player

HOOP HOPEFULS . Teams coached by Jerry Southland (top) and Chuck Ullery produced 9-2 records for Forest Hills Junior High during the 1968-69 season. Southland piloted the seventh grade squad and Ullery handled the eighth grade quintet. (Photos by Scot Jefferies)

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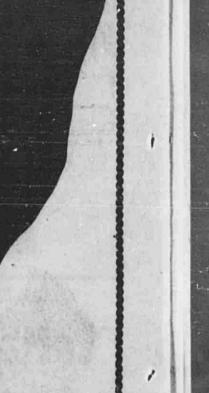
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Fonger Tops Arrows, **Final Stats Reveal**

Senior Captain Curt Fonger topped 12 categories and shar- 20-6 average for sophmor emerged as the all-around ed one other for the full seastandout for the Lowell High son and led in six departments School's basketball team dur- on a single-game basis.

> Fonger was the squad's leading scorer with 403 points in 18 games for a 22.2 average

Lowell Ledger - Suburban Life,

veld chipped in with 137, twice

Named Pro at Cascade

Celestino, 31, has been elevated to the position as head pro at The latter resigned several weeks ago to take over a similar position near Battle Creek.

sistant to Stuart for three years. He was also assistant Only the third pro in the 47year history of Cascade Hills, Celestino has been a member

Fort Bliss, Texas, during his Michigan had 146 traffic deaths in February, only one

month a year ago, according to the State Police provisiona It was 10 more than Febru-ary's average of 136 in the five-year period 1964-68. Michigan's all-time high for that

was third in point production ning topped all scorers with was third in point production 165 for the season and a one- with 105, including a game-

> Scott Vorel and Joe McCormick, both of whom missed action due to illness, were other members of Ullery's starting five with Kraig Kynstra. Lee Champion and Dan Wilder as primary replacements.

Coach. Paul Leavenworth's ninth graders were led by Steve Vonk, who posted a nifty 15.9 scoring average with 286 season points. He twice hit the 29-point mark and had five other efforts at 20-plus. Jeff Van-Strien produced 101 points and John Rose and Ron Reed 88 each Jerry Ross was team in rebounds with 167

The freshmen also lost three of their top players when Ted Zuiderveen, Terry Dosenberry pro for three years in White Plains, N. Y. and Bob Warner were advanc-ed to the junior varsity. Zuiderveen played in only two games before moving up, scoring a sizzling 39 points against West Ottawa in one of them. Warner was the top rebounder during his seven games on the squad, hauling in 26 against Wyoming and 23 against Hudsonville.

> Ron Vanderbaan, later elevaled to the varsity, was leading scorer for Coach Ed Van Dam's JV's with a 12.2 average, followed by Warner with a 10-2 mark, Al Heneveld (9.4), uiderveen (9.2) and Mark Anderson (8.7).

Dirk Van Westrienan and Warner shared rebounding honors with 10.2 averages, though VanWestrienan, with a full season's play, was No. 1 man overall with 162 rebounds to 82 for Warner

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ebounds, 133 of them on defense, to top the team in this

DeWitt set the one-game coring high for the season Canoe Club in Grand Rapids when he netted 40 against Sparta, DeWitt, who led in season total for field goals attempted (366) and made (139). also set one-game marks in both categories in the same game when he sank 17 of 39 FGA's.

Center Steve ebounder in three single-game categories, all inst Ionia when he hauled in 11 offensive caroms and 14 on the defensive boards his personal mark of 25.

Fonger was the season paceetter in assists with 44, although Guard Craig Wittenbach came up with the onegame mark of six against Cedar Springs

Both Fonger and Wittenbach ashioned season averages o 4 percent from the field, the ormer with a mark of 133-for-302 and the latter with 76-for-173. Fonger fired in 11 of 16 against Belding for the game high.

Fonger was the leader of a possible 576 minutes of service. DeWitt was second best in this department with 504 despite the fact he fouled out of four games, a dubious 'honor" that he shared with Forward Blair Cahoon.

game and season honors for producing held-ball situations finishing with 24 for the campaign, including a mark of six

raged 78.2 points on offense and held opponents to 72.2-pergame in posting a 13-5 record. including an 11-3 mark in the Conference and a second place spot behind undefeated champion Rockford

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Speaking after the meet on veteran's legislation benefits will be James V. legrini, DAV National Ser Officer from Detroit.

Taxpayers Overlooking **Rent** Credits

Revenue Departmen officials have called state in come taxnavers' attention to a provision in the state incom ax law which many are over

which they maintain their res idence may obtain a credi against their state income ta: for a nortion of the rent na or occupancy but they mu ibmit with their return a co tificate signed by their land ninutes played, turning in 541 lord, certifying the amount of rent paid." commented Clau ence W. Lock State Revenue

> many returns claiming the cre dit but without the certificat ttached. This is required and credit cannot be owed unless the certificate ac

the signed certificate with him when requesting as-

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Lowell Ledger - Suburban Life, MArch 20, 196



SATURDAY, APRIL 5 1969 at Ada Town Hall-1:00 p. m.

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> ANNUAL TOWNSHIP

MEETING **TOWNSHIP OF GRAND RAPIDS**

> Kent County, Michigan will be held

SATURDAY, APRIL 5 1969

at Grand Rapids Township Hall 1836 E. Beltline, N. E. -1:00 p. m.

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City of Lowell Council Proceedings-

or no written objection was filed with the Clerk. The Manager stated he recommended The meeting was called to order by Mayor Arnold A. Wit-tenbach at 8:04 p. m. and the roll was called: Present: Councilmen Ander-son, Jefferles, Mrs. Myers, Mayor Wittenbach action be taken on this proposal, and on a proposal to include in the Industrial Classification a parcel of land south of M-21 formerly known as the Chevrolet Garage, after a drafted Ordinance is presented to the City Attorney for per-usal. Action would probably be taken at the March 17, 1969

Regular meeting, Monday evening, March 3, 1969 in the council room of the city hall.

dayor Wittenbach.

8:05 p. m.)

ers, Wittenbach, No: None,

General Fund

Sewer Fund

Agency Fund Cemetery Fund Water Fund Street Fund

Bills Payable

General Fund

Water Dept. Street Dept. Sewerage Dept.

COMMUNICATIONS

1. Proxy request from Bank-ers Trust New York Corpora-

2. Request of Kent County

Lowell participation in the 1969 Library Support Formula in

the amount of \$1,711.60. (See MOTIONS).

3. Notice from Chemical

Bank New York Trust Com-

pany that the name has been

shortened to "Chemical Bank.

Their letter states there is no

necessity of changing stock certificates to the new name.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

1. Public Hearing on a pro-

posal to adopt the updated Zon-

ing Map dated December 1968:

Library Board for City

tion. (See MOTIONS)

Storm Sewer Fund

Absent: Councilman

IT WAS MOVED by Coun-

cilman Jefferies, supported by Anderson, that the minutes of

the Feb. 1, 1969 meeting be and hereby are approved as presented. (Councilman Rey-

olds entered the meeting at

Yes: Councilmen Jefferies.

Reynolds, Anderson, Mrs. My-

The Clerk reported that de-posits as follows had been made since the meeting of February 17, 1969.

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246.88 3,753.93

859.2

\$3,029.37

910.73

711 00

693.70

187.50

75.00

NEW BUSINESS 1. Opening of bids on Police Cruiser: The Manager opened bids on a 1969 Police Cruiser

from local dealers Royce Ford. Jackson Motors, McQueen Mo-tor Company and Wittenbach Sales and Service. (See MO-Naming of member

Board of Review. Last mem-ber appointed failed to qualithereby necessitating naming of a new one. (See MO-

3. Under discussion was the ment of an administrative position for code enforcement, assessing, various lities now and sundry andled by the Manager, Councilwoman Myers urged ap-pointment of a qualified per-son to such a position. Coun-Iman Jefferies favored hiring a qualified person for code enorcement and other administrative duties but on a per Schlernitzauer be and hereby diem basis. The Manager cited is named for a three-year term the State requirement of as-suming a uniform chart of ac- said term expiring June 30, counts which will be mandatory throughout the state in 1970. He added that rules and ons on reclaiming cemstery lots need to be enacted the same is true in the realm of storm sewer installations, as well as in other categories. The natter was on the agenda so council members could keep it in mind and eventually arrive at a solution MOTIONS & RESOLUTIONS

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Anderson, supported by Mrs. Myers, that the bills Payable be allowed and warrants

Mrs. Myers, Wittenbach, Reynolds. Jefferies. No one was present to protest No: None

Public Notice

At a regular meeting of the Grattan Township Board held on the 11th day of March, 1969, the following Ordinance was

GRATTAN TOWNSHIP

INOPERABLE MOTOR VEHICLE ORDINANCE An Ordinance infregulate the outdoor storage of in-operable motor vehicles in the Township of Grattan and to provide for the issuance of permits and to provide for penalties for the violation thereof

THE TOWNSHIP OF GRATTAN ORDAINS:

SECTION 1. Storage of inoperable motor vehicles or parts hereof

It is hereby declared to be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to store, place, or permit to be stored or placed any inoperable motor vehicle or any part or parts of a motor vehicle on land located in the Township of Gratof a motor vehicle on land located in the Township of Grat-tan, except as the same may be expressly permitted under the provisions of the Zoning Ordinance of the Township of Grattan, unless said inoperable motor vehicle or part or parts of a motor vehicle shall be kept in a wholly enclosed garage or other wholly enclosed structure; provided, how-ever, that any owner or occupant of said land may store or permit to be stored one such inoperable motor vehicle for a period of not to exceed thirty (30) days if such motor vehicle to resident of the same and unavided for a period of not to exceed thirty (30) days it such motor vehicle is registered in bis, her, or its name; and provided. further, that any such owner or occupant, in the event of hardship and upon ravment of the fee hereinafter provided, may secure a period from the Building Inspector of Grattan Township to extend such period of fifteen (15) days for an additional neriod of not to exceed thirty (30) days for any one such inoperable motor vehicle. This ordinance shall not be construct to provide a priod of fifteen of inopernot be construed to permit the parking or placing of inop-erable motor vehicles on any street area in the township or in any front yard as such is used by the Zoning Ordinance of Grattan Township.

SECTION 2. PERMITS.

Upon Application duly made by the registered owner of a motor vehicle and upon a showing of hardship, which hardship can be eliminated by an extension of time as herein permitted, the Building Inspector of the Township of Grat-tan is hereby authorized to issue the rermits referred to in Section 1 hereof. No such permits shall be granted for suc-cessive weeks for any one motor vehicle. A fee of One Dol-lor while he officient of the such such such and lar shall be collected for each such permit so issued, and shall be paid into the general fund. **SECTION 3. DEFINITIONS.**

(a) Motor vehicles are hereby defined as any wheeled vehicles which are or are intended to be operable as self-

ropelled vehicles. (b) Inoperable motor vehicles are defined as motor vehi-cles which by reason of dismantling, disrepair, or other cause are incapable of being propelled under their own pow-er, or are unsafe for operation on the streets and highways of this State because of inability to comply with the State Motor Vehicle Code.

SECTION 4. CONSTRUCTION.

This Ordinance shall not be construed as repealing any ordinance now in effect or bereafter made effective relating to the keeping of rubbish, litter, garbage, refuse, trash or junk, but shall be construed as supplementary to any such ordinance as well as to any statutes of the State of Michigan relating thereto.

SECTION 5. NUISANCE. The presence of an inoperable motor vehicle or parts of a motor vehicle in visition of the terms of this ordinance is hereby declared to be a public nuisance.

SECTION 6, PENALTIES. Violation of this ordinance shall be a misdemeanor pun-ishable by a fine of not more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100) or by imprisonment in the County Jail for a period of not to exceed ninety days or both such fine and imprison-ment. Each day that such violation shall continue shall con-stitute a separate and distinct violation of the provisions of this ordinance

SECTION 7. SEVERABILITY. The provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared to be severable, and if any clause, sentence, paragraph, section, or subsection is declared to be void or ineffective for any reason, it shall not affect any other part or portion hereof.

SECTION 8. EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall be effective on the April, 1969.

JAMES BYRNE **Grattan Township Clerk**

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Reynolds, supported by Jefferies, that the City Clerk be and hereby is authorized to sign and return the Proxy re-quest of Bankers Trust New York Corporation. Yes:

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Jefferies, supported b Mrs. Myers, that the Lowe City Council do indicate to the Kent County Library Board its intention of participating in the 1969 Library Support Formula in amount of \$1,711.50, same to be paid in fiscal 1969-70. Yes: Councilmen Jefferies Anderson, Mrs. Myers, Wittenbach, Reynolds.

T WAS MOVED by Coun cilman Anderson, supported by Mrs. Myers, that the low bid of McQueen Motor Company to furnish a 1969 Police Cruiser for the City at a price of 1,978.00 (including trade-in of 1967 Plymouth), which Cruiser will be a Plymouth 4-Door Fury, be accepted and the award made, PROVIDING the bid meets specifications. Yes: Councilman Anderso Mrs. Myers, Councilmen Jef-feries, Reynolds, Wittenbach. No: Noné,

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Reynolds, supported by Jefferies, that Richard F.

1971 Yes: Councilmen Reynold Jefferies, Mrs. Myers, Wittenbach, Anderson, MANAGER REPORTS

1. The American Legion has

their iterest in the garage building stands roviding the City assumes le gal costs and allows them rights above the stands 2. The Manager stated there was no adverse intention to impending school ward the e'ection when the notices of assessment went Councilmen Anderson, out to city real property owners. He Board of Review meets law on the first Tuesday after

the first Monday in March and when a property owner's assessment has been changed by the assessor, said owner mus be notified of the change b first-class mail. He related t Council that he had placed an issessed value on each piece of real property at a figure o 17.5 percent above the 1969 assessed figure, which would bring the assessed figure in line with the County Equaliza-tion Board's penalty. He added that on personal property the County placed a 3.37 per-

cent higher figure than the City had for 1968. Myers Councilwoman marked that the railing on the north side of the "Y" building ing.

s still not in place. The Manager stated that the con-tractor has advised he will Court rule. ractor has advised he will have it installed very shortly. present to request that the hole By: George R. Cook "Y" Director Bambrick was existing in the driveway to the

"Y" lot be filled in, that it causes damage to mufflers and tailpipes of most cars that enter the lot. Referred to the

Public Notice

At a regular meeting of the Grattan Township Board held on the 11th day of March, 1969, the following Ordinance was adopted:

GRATTAN TOWNSHIP ORDINANCE ADOPTED MARCH 11, 1969 EFFECTIVE APRIL 24, 1969

An ordinance to prevent, reduce or eliminate blight, blighting factors, or causes of blight, within Grattan Township, and to secure the public health, safety, and general welfare by prohibiting the accumulation of trash and junk or either of them on premises other than in property designated public dumps or licensed junk yards, and to provide penalties for the violation of said ordin-SECTION 1. TITLE.

This Ordinance shall be known and cited as the "Grattan Township Trash Ordinance.

SECTION 2. DEFINITIONS

(a) The terms "'trash" and "junk" are used synony mously and each as herein used shall include the following: mously and each as herein used shall include the following: Used articles or used pleces of: iron, scrap metal, auto-mobile bodies or parts of motor vehicles, stoves, parts of machinery or junked or discarded machinery, used lumber which may be used as a harborage for rats, ashes, garbaige, industrial by-products or waste, empty cans, food contain-ers, bottles, crockery, utensils of any kind, boxes, barreis, and all other articles customarily considered trash or junk and which are not housed in a building. (b) The term "person" as used herein shall include any person firm or corporation.

erson, firm or corporation. SECTION 3

It shall be unlawful for any person to accumulate, place, or allow or permit the accumulation or placing of tranh or junk on any premises in said township, except in a dump duly licensed by the State of Michigan or in a junk yard duly licensed by the Township of Grattan. SECTION 4

Any person who shall violate may of the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not to exceed One Hundred (\$100) Dollars or by imprisonment in the Kent County Jail not to exceed ninety (80) days, or both such fine and imprisonment, together with court costs, in the discretion of the court. Each day that such violation occurs shall constitute a separate offense.

If any word, sentence, paragraph or provision of this Ordinance is held invalid, it shall not affect the rest of the

Ordinance shall take effect on the 24th day of April, 1969.

JAMES BYRNE, Clerk of Grattan Township



meeting shall be held.

Courthouse Ionis, Michigan PUBLICATION ORDER File No. 118,378 State of Michigan, The Probat Court for the County of Kent. Estate of

Deceased IT IS ORDERED that on May 29, 969, at 10:00 A. M. in the Probate m, Grand Rapids, Michiga be held at which all cred tors of said deceased are required t rove their claims, and at which he ng the heirs of the estate will be d nined. Creditors must file swor claims with the court and serva copy on Cecil S. Morris, 2937 Hav ley Highway, Saranac, Michigan, pr or to said hearing. Publication and service shall

Manager. The meeting was adjourned

Approved March 17, 1969

ARNOLD A. WITTENBACH,

LAURA E. SHEPARD

EGAL NOTICES

VanderVeen, Frsihofer & Cook 1125 W. Mein St. Lowell, Michigen 49331 PUBLICATION ORDER

DETERMINE HEIRS

File No. 118.563

Estate of

J. CLIFF HATCH

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17 IS ORDERED that on April 10, 1959, at 10:00 A. M. in the Probate Courtroom, Grand Rapida, Michigan, a hearing be held on the petition of Bernard J. Kroof to de-termine the heirs at law of said de-

Publication and service shall be

made as provided by statute and

March 10, 1989

A. DALE STOPPELS Judge of Probate By: George R. Cook Attorney for Estate 1126 W. Main Street

Walter M. Marks

JAMES H. BURKHOLDER

Lowell, Michigan

ROLAND R. ROBEY

Register of Probate

A true copy.

State of Michigan, The Pro Court for the County of Kent.

IT IS ORDERED that ou

City Clerk

at 9:17 p.m.

Mayor

Date:

made as provided by statute an Date: February 28, 1969 JOHN P. STEKETEE Judge of Probat By: Walter M. Marks Attorney for Estate

Courthouse Ionia, Michigan

IT IS

A true copy, ROLAND R. ROBEY

Estate of PRISCILLA RICHMOND

a/k/a PRISCILLA READ

29, 1969, at 9:30 A. M. In the Pro

the court and serve a copy or

Michigan, 48834, prior to hear-

A. DALE STOPPELS

Date: March 6, 1969

Attorney for Estate 1125 W. Main Street

Register of Probats c49-51

Lowell, Michigen

A true copy, ROLAND R. ROBEY

Register of Probate

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VenderVeen, Freihofer & Cook 1125 W. Main St. Lowell, Michigan 49331 PUBLICATION ORDER HEARING ON CLAIMS File No. 118,379 State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Kent

bate Courtroom, Grand Rapids, Mi chigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are re-quired to prove their claims. Credi-tors must file sworn claims with the court and source and source

Publication and service shall be

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SECTION 5.

provisions of this ordinance. SECTION 6.

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Mrs. Carol Wells, Clerk



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Don't Keep Those Items in 'Cold Storage'—Use a Want Ad!

Card of Thanks

CARD OF THANKS Our deep appreciation and heartfelt thanks are extended to our wonderful friends and neighbors for the wonderful deeds of kindness, expressions of sympathy and beautiful flor al tributes at the sudden passing of our dear husband, father and son, Louis E. Teche-

Mr. Louis E. Tichelaar and children Mr. & Mrs. Hans Tichelaar and family

CARD OF THANKS want to thank my daugh-

ters and granddaughters for their plant. Also Pastor Gary Goster and the Alton Bible Church for their prayers and plant during my stay in the

hospital. Also my friends and neighbors for their cards and

p-50 **Ray Fullington** CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our relatives, friends and neighbors for the thoughtful floral tributes and expressions of sympathy luring our sorrow, the loss of our dear mother and grandmother, Zelma Griffin, We especially thank Rev. Leitzman and Rev. Hyde for their words of comfort, the ladies who served lunch, and all who sent in lood, the many cards, letters prayers, to the organist and Roth Funeral parlor.

Mr. & Mrs. Ray Griffin Mr. & Mrs. Ron Grummet Mr & Mrs. John Fortuna and all the grandchildren

In Memoriam

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear father and grandfather, Don Phillips, who passed away six years ago, March 26, 1963.

Sadly missed by Children, grandchildren Great-grandchildren

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our mother, Mrs. Anne Smith, when assed away one year ago. March 19. Your memory stead ied us through the difficult days. The Family

IN MEMORIAM n loving memory of Vena Ruegseger, who passed away so suddenly March 20, 1954. She has crossed the bridge

to a fairer land, And yet she still is near, Each memory brings her very close To those who hold her dear.

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formed Church RCYF is planning a paper drive of May 17th. Please help us out by saving your papers. Tele hone numbers will be

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Lowell. Phone TW 7-9340. c40-tf TV ANTENNAS — \$6.95, dou-ble conicals, Williams Radio TV-Marina 126 N. Hudson

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5 DODGE POLARA - Con- Lowell Ledger - Suburban Life, March 20, 1969 vertible. Power steering power brakes, wide-track tires. Excellent condition. 10,-000 miles remain on wat ranty, \$1,300, 949-1376 after 4 p. m. c50-5

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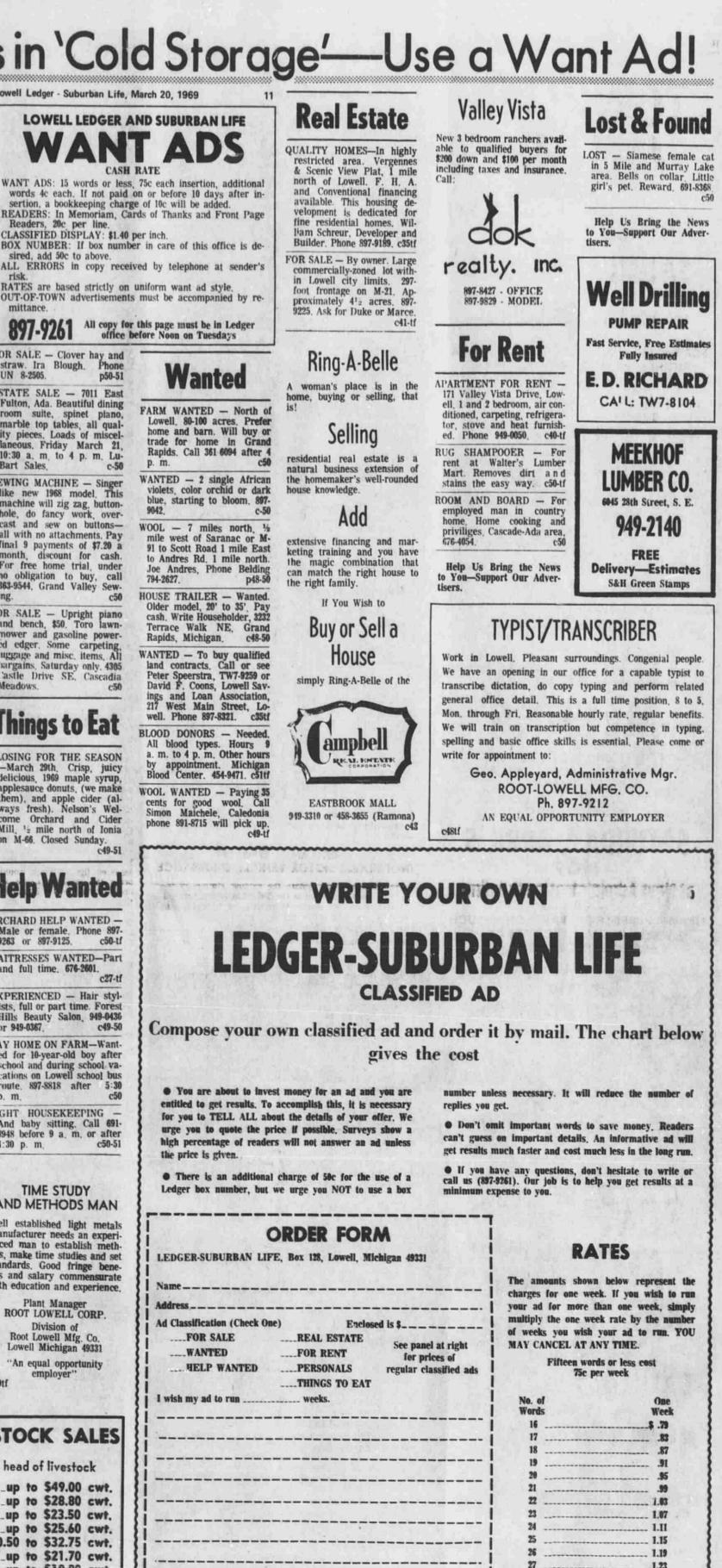
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Sgt, James W, Vanden Hout has reported back to Walter Reed General Hospital after spending a thirty-day convalescent leave with his family. Sgt. VandenHout was wounded January 24th while serving with a reconnaissance platoon of the Americal Division near Quang Ngai, Vietnam.

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AIRMAN HARRY

Airman Clifford L. Harry son of Clifford H. Harry, 2146 Daylor Drive NE, has completed basic training at Lack-land AFB, Tex. He has been assigned to Sheppard AFB, Tex., for training in the wire maintenance field.

Electronics Technician Sea man Steven J. Sveadas, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sveadas of 13684 Beckwith Dr., Route 3, Lowell, is attending

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the basic Electronics Technician School at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

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SP-4 CRAIG DE MINCK

Specialist 4th, Craig R. De-Minck, who received his basic training at Ft. Knox and his AIT and specialized training in Artillery Mechanics at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, has just sent word to his parents that his

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles DeMinck, Wen-dell St. His wife, Judy (nee

Area recipient of the Bronze Star with a "V" for Valour

Doug earned his award as a result of his heroic actions when his patrol stumbled into a mine field in Viet Nam, He is credited with saving the lives of two seriously wound-

S. W. Bowne Mrs. L. T. Anderset

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. George How-

ard were the Sunday dinner guests last week of Miss Margaret Gougherty of Grand Ra-pids, the latter's brother Claire was also a guest. Mr. and Mrs. Claire Anderson spent Sunday evening last week with Mrs. Gertrude Glid-

den. She is gaining nicely from her recent surgery. Mrs. Bertha Sheehan is vis-

iting at the home of her son, Michael and family. Mrs. Rhena Damouth and George Lentz were Sunday evening guests at the Leon Anderson home

Mr. and Mrs. George How-ard and Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald were Saturday evening dinner guests of Miss Elizabeth Kegle of 48th St. Miss Lucy Young, Miss Mar-garet Gougherty and brother, Claire of Grand Rapids, were also guests.

Janice and Kathleene Pitsch spent Tuesday and Wednesday last week with grandpa and grandma Anderson, due to the conferences at Kettle Lake

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Bowman enjoyed Sunday dinner at Schensils in Roger's Plaza and spent the afternoon with their daughter, June

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Bowman attended the funeral of a friend at Wayland Saturday and called on their sister-in-law, Mrs. Ruby Smith.

Snow Area Mrs. S. P. Reynolds

Mrs. Bob Miller came home Thursday afternoon after two weeks in the hospital at Royal Oaks for an operation for ap-pendicitis. Her mother, Mrs. Bertran spent the two weeks with her

Callers the past week at the Kenneth Fox home were Mrs. Menno Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Urban Lipps of Lowell. Mrs. Seymour Dalstra was a Wednesday dinner guest of Mrs. Ruth Slocum of Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Cole called on Mr. and Mrs. Alden Cole of Richmond, Mrs. Vivian Ingersoll at Bronson Hospital, Kalamazoo, and Mrs. Claudia Fuller of Hastings Sunday afterneen

Connie Miller of Caledonia spent the weekend with Mrs. Bob Miller, Dennis Miller was also a visitor at the Bertran

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fox called on Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson of Lowell on Wednesday evening and on Mr. and Mrs. John Overholt of Clarksville Thursday eveni Mr. and Mrs. James Green of Alto were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Dalstra Mr. and Mrs. Jack Van Hes-teren and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Aldrich of Mt. Pleasant. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Snyder and son, John of Kalamazoo, and Mrs. Sherman Reynolds were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. John Blanding. Mr. and Mrs. David Fluger and daughter were supper guests Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fox and Sunday dinner guests at the Fox home were Mr. and Mrs. Don Fox of Comstock Park. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Antonides attended the funeral of their brother-in-law, Richard Rutherford, last Thursday.



<u>____</u> FAMILY TRADITION - William G. (Whitey) McPherson of Lowell is shown with State Senator

Robert VanderLaan as he performs his duties as a senate aide. The 19-year-old McPherson's grandfather, father and brother all have been active in government affairs.

Follows Family Tradition

The scion of a prominent Lowell family is walking in the footsteps of his grandfa-ther, father and brother these days.

SEN. ROBERT VANDERLAAN

He is William G. (Whitey) McPherson, 19, who is learning the inside workings of state government this year as a senate aide, named by Sen. Rob-ert VanderLaan (R-Grand Ra-

Hold Drive

A sure sign of spring is the advent of a paper drive, and Lowell is preparing to hold it's first one for the spring season.

The drive will be run by the 4-H group sponsored by Kay Lake, with the money from it to be used to help pay for a trip to Mackinaw Island planned for this summer.

ADA HEATING & PLUNBING

Several trucks and station wagons will be available to pick up donations, including a semi that is to be parked in the high school parking lot on April 5 for those who would find it more convenient to drop' their papers there;

As senate aide, he works closely with Sen, VanderLaan, Majority Floor Leader, and other senators in distributing and filing senate bills and

> "In the time he has been here, Bill has been one of our most valued aides," said Sen. VanderLaan, "He is very intelligent, energetic and accom-modating. His immaculate appearance and pleasing manner have made an excellent impression on the senators, staff and visitors with whom he comes in contact."

Young McPherson comes by his interest in government ho estly. His grandfather, Mel-ville B. McPherson, was a Michigan State University trustee and a member of the state tax commission. He was also a Republican candidate for nomination as governor of

the freshman class at Michi-gan State in 1924 and was a delegate to the Republican state convention. He also was a candidate for state representative and has been secre-

tary of the Kent County School Board An older brother, Melville Peter McPherson, now a sen-

ior at George Washington Uni-versity law school, was a sen-ate aide in 1958. Young McPherson, who was active in athletics and many extra-curricular activities in high school as well as 4-H and church work, won a trip to Washington, D. C., and was runnerup for the National Club Congress dairy award. Last summer, he flew to Alaska to do missionary work with 43 Methodist youth selected from all over Michigan.

degree in agri-business at the Michigan State University and later hopes to earn his law degree. Somewhere along the way, he expects to serve for

Coming **Events**

Fish and ham dinner. Clarks-ville Masonic Temple. Satur-day, March 29, serving 5 to 8 p.

Judge John P. Steketee will speak on "Kids in Trouble" at the annual Loweli Child Study Club banquet to be held at 6:30 p. m., Thursday, March 20, at the Methodist Church House, Public is invited. Please call 897-7425 or 897-8194 for reservations

Past Noble Grands Club will Tast Noble Grands Club will meet on Monday, March 24, 7:30 p. m., at the home of Agnes Watson. Maude DeVries

The Ada Athletic Association will hold its annual meeting Thursday, March 27, at 8 p. m. in the Ada Town Hall,

The Scarlet Troubadours will hold a bottle drive on Saturday, March 22, from 9 a m to 2 p. m. For pick-up, call between 5-7 p. m., 897-8310, 897-9850, 897-8133, and 897-9872.

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His father was president of

Currently, he is seeking his

direction of Robert Azkoul, will present a musical pro-gram at the East Paris Reformed Church at 9 p. m., Sunday, March 23.

The Kent County Chapter of the Michigan Diabetes Association will have its March meeting the 25th, at 7:30 p. m. at Blodgett Hospital in the Guild Room. The program will be conducted by Mr. Ted Gamble and Mrs. Cary Tuttle, and is entitled "Where do we go from here "

Kick-off Dinner for the 1969 Lowell Y.M.C.A. Membership Drive to be held at the Lowell Methodist Church, March 25th, at 6:30 p. m.

The third program in the YMCA's Lenten Book Review Series will feature Mrs. Virginia Fonger, who will review "To God With Love" by Jean Reynods Davis. The review will begin at 10 a. m. at the YMCA office. Refreshments will be served before the re-



Ada Farm to Be Site of Meeting

Holiday Farms in Ada will be the site on April 4 of a special meeting for interested cattlemen in the area.

The informal session starts at 7 p. m. and is designed to acquaint cattle owners with way to measure many of the genetic differences in their cattle that make for higher profits in the business and to explain how the results can be used in a practical breeding program,

The Michigan and American Angus Associations and Michigan State University will sponsor the meeting. Representa-tives from both will speak

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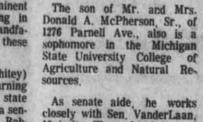
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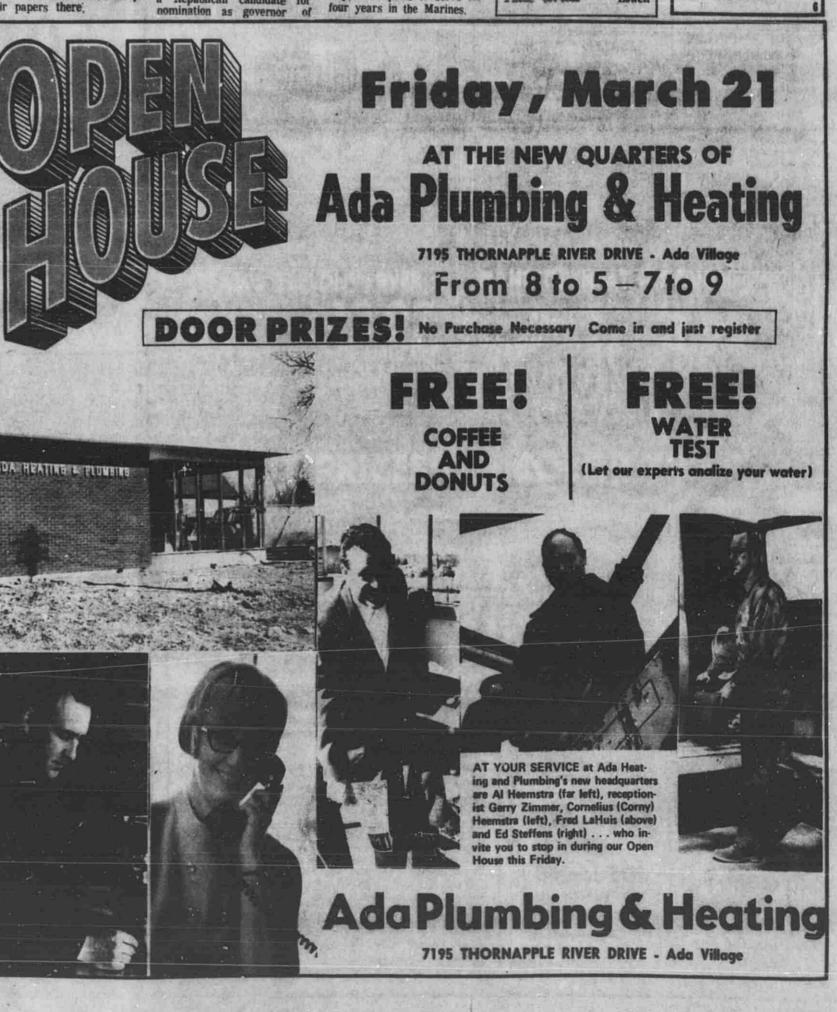
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