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Wouldn't you just know it... we wend all the way through winder without a code and then when sprig cubs in, the Smiddy cubs dowsd with a real lulu!

Woke up in the middle of the morning and head was all stobbed up. Reached into the medicine cabined for good old sure-fire cure-all... it was all gode.

Well, I said to myself, id's only a liddle code, probably will go away without gibbing me too much trouble.

Ha! You don'd know the Smiddy when he geds a code. Especially a sprig code.

I don't thing there's adything worse than a sprig code. Your bones all ache, your chesd is all plugged up and your node id like a leaky old fauced.

Most eberyone else goes around offering sympathy, bud they know bedder than anyone else they're glad id's you and nod them that has this code.

Habbing been through this before, we know id will be about three or four weeks before we get back to normal again. In the meandime, bear with us!

Having dispensed with that bit of nonsense, we are particularly delighted that Judge Joseph B. White thought enough of our publication to forward a letter of warning about what the District Court intends to do with traffic violators who run afoul of the law on M-21 between Grand Rapids and Lowell.

There isn't much question in the mind of anyone who has ever had the occasion to drive on this stretch of road that something needs to be done... and soon... to make it a safer highway.

What distrubs the most is that we have heard so much of plans dealing with the FUTURE of M-21.

I, for one, say that traffic safety engineers should give this stretch a thorough look-see. There have been too many accidents, a number of them fatal, over the past few years to continue to ignore the need for improvement NOW... not on some dreamy-dreamy distant date.

Judge White says his court will crack down on all persons found violating the law on this stretch of road.

Knowing the good judge, I believe him. And you had better, too.

The annual state high school basketball tournament has come and gone... and this one would have to rank among the best for good reading material.

Like little Marquette Bishop Bar... winning the Class D title in this, its final year, as a high school. And... loser of only two games in two years... both in the state Class A finals and both to Grand Rapids Ottawa Hills.

Not to mention No. 9 on a growing list of state titles for Class B River Rouge... and its fine coach, Lofton Greene.

Two weeks ago, we passed (with-out fanfare) into our second year of printing this weekly offering by the offset method.

Not being the type to stand still, we "celebrated" the occasion by offering a Page one new format, namely wider columns and a new type.

We're interested in knowing (1) if you like the new look and if so (2) for what reasons.

Showboat Issues \$5,000 in Grants

Grants totalling \$5,000 have been made by the board of directors of Lowell Showboat, Inc., to five local organizations.

Recipients of \$1,000 each were The Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 8303, the Lowell YMCA for the King Memorial Pool, Lowell school bands, Rotary Club and Lions Club.

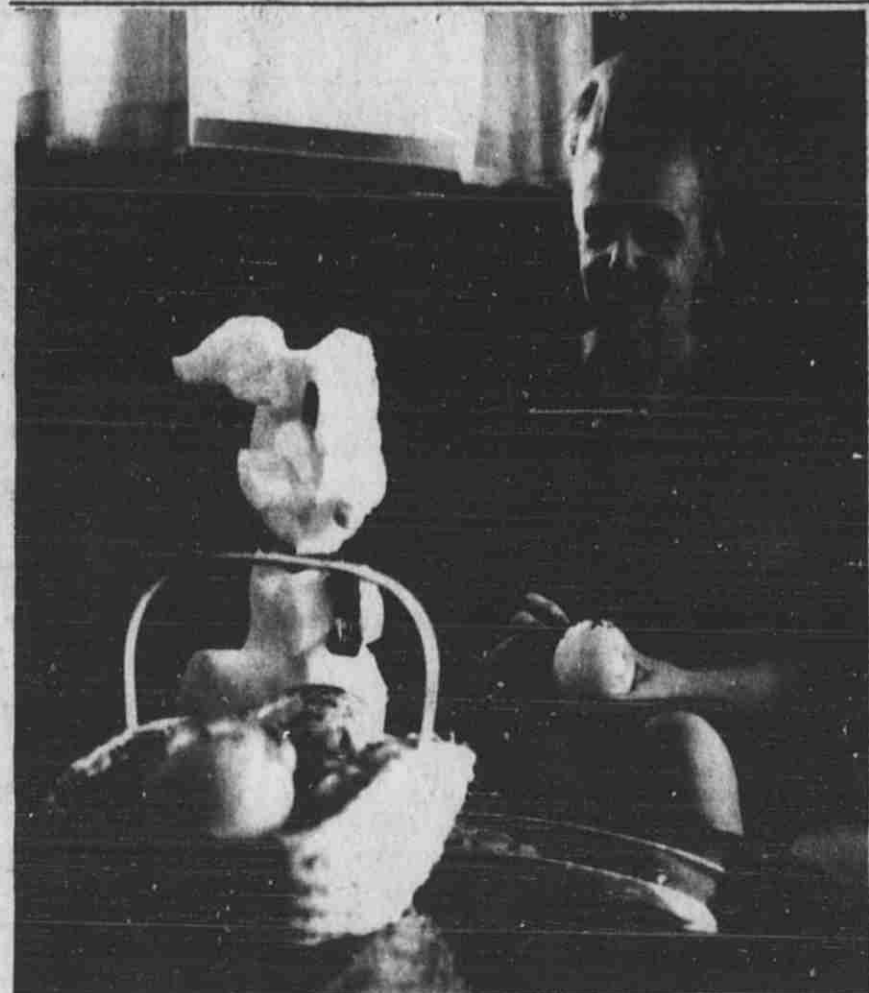
Directors said the grants were made "in appreciation for all the cooperation from these organizations in the last five years."

Most of the money granted was realized from the 1968 production of Showboat, which netted \$5,835.92 on a gross of \$54,227.64.

This year's Showboat is scheduled to be held July 21-26 and will star TV celebrity Milton Berle.

Elected as officers for the coming year at the March 17 meeting were William S. Doyle, president; James Cook, vice president; Mrs. Barbara Curtis, secretary; and Keith Caldwell, treasurer.

Errant M-21 Drivers Will Face Maximum Penalties, Judge Warns



MRS. JOSEPH GILLARD, JR.

Finds Unusual Hobby: Painting Glass Eggs

BY SHIRLEY DYGERT

Long lover of antiques (as her home testifies), Mrs. Joseph Gillard, Jr., has combined that interest with her hobby of painting to produce exquisite glass Easter eggs.

Many years ago, Mrs. Gillard was able to locate the large glass eggs that center in her collection. This type has become extremely rare. Indeed, even the smaller glass eggs that were once familiar on the American farm scene, are now difficult to discover.

Mrs. Gillard's artistic ability led her to take up painting glass several years ago and she still attends class once a week. In that time, however, she has not only become

proficient, but professional. She has been able to sell her work to buyers fond of delicate and detailed pieces.

Always looking for new materials and subjects, Mrs. Gillard tried painting her glass eggs and discovered that they made delightful objects for the holidays. Her only problem was to keep them from smearing since she works in oil paints.

Mrs. Gillard frequently goes in quest of an interesting tree branch. When "planted" in clay, this becomes a tree from which she hangs her decorated eggs by velvet ribbons.

Most of the decorations on Mrs. Gillard's eggs are of spring flowers, but she has made some for the Christmas season, too, which hang from the traditional tree or are placed in bowls for centerpieces. When each holiday is over, the eggs are carefully packed in tissue and saved for another year.

A few fortunate members of her family have been the recipients of Mrs. Gillard's art, but unless more glass eggs can be found, she finds she must turn to other articles to decorate.

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Pays \$103 in Fines to Avoid Jail Term

A Grand Rapids man paid fines and costs of \$108 rather than sit out a 30-day jail sentence after pleading guilty Monday to a charge of driving in Lowell while under the influence of liquor.

Sperry E. Roush, 62, of 1443 Van Auker SE entered the plea of guilty when he appeared before District Judge Joseph B. White. He was arrested in Lowell Sunday.

Alfred K. Pratt, 38, of 13019 4 Mile Road NE was scheduled to appear in District Court Wednesday to answer a charge of being disorderly by creating a disturbance. Lowell police arrested Pratt Friday.

Kent County Sheriff's deputies reported an accident at Thornapple River Drive and Cascade Road involving a car driven by Kimberly VanWyck, 15, of 6742 Tanglewood and Joseph Dauksza, 61, of 1118 Walker Road, Grand Rapids. The VanWyck girl and a brother, 12-year-old Brian, received minor injuries. The other members of the family, Jeff, 10, and Sherrie, 5, were not hurt.

Planners Nix City Hall Renovation

Plans for renovating Lowell's antiquated city hall are expected to be shelved at the next meeting of the city council.

The city's planning commission, after hearing from consultant J. Paul Jones and architect Donnelly Palmer, forwarded a recommendation at its meeting Monday night that council abandon the remodeling program and investigate the feasibility of constructing a new civic center.

The vote was unanimous among the seven commission members present. Jones pointed out that cost of renovation could run as much as two to three

Judge Joseph B. White of the 63rd District Court today warned motorists using M-21 that his court will impose severe penalties, including jail terms, for violations occurring on the stretch of highway known as "Accident Alley."

In a special letter to the Ledger-Suburban Life, Judge White said that "traffic offenses involving excessive speed, defective equipment, or negligent or careless driving in any respect which occur on M-21 from Grand Rapids to the county line will be dealt with to the limit of this court's authority."

Judge White's letter referred to a recent accident west of Lowell as "one more tragic incident in a long series of tragedies resulting from the apparent negligent operation of motor vehicles on M-21 between the cities of Lowell and Grand Rapids."

Two area men were killed in a head-on car-truck crash. The truck driver, William Whitney of Sparta, was arraigned in District Court on a charge of negligent homicide.

"Even prior to becoming Judge of the 63rd District Court," the letter continued, "I have over the years considered this road as quite possibly the most dangerous stretch of highway in West Michigan."

"I am personally deeply concerned over this recent tragic event and I wish to inform the general public that, as one of the judges of the District Court, I intend to actively assist the processes of law enforcement with particular attention to this area."

Judge White said his court intends to impose maximum fines for violations occurring on this stretch of M-21 "without exception, including the imposition of the jail sentences in aggravated cases, or in cases of drivers with driving records which carry prior convictions for moving violations."

The judge said he felt it was only fair to warn the public in advance on what to expect in the way of penalties for traffic offenses occurring on M-21.

Five persons have lost their lives on M-21 between Grand Rapids and Lowell in the last 13 months and police agencies have reported numerous personal and property damage accidents over the same period of time.

State Representative Martin D. Buth, in a speech in early 1968 before the Lowell Chamber of Commerce, said that the Michigan State Highway Department was formulating long-range plans to improve the 14-mile stretch of road, including a divided highway from Grand Rapids to Ada.

The latter would connect with the present one-mile stretch of dual roadway that exists in Ada.

MICHIGAN WEEK CHAIRMAN
Reno J. Maccardini, assistant general manager of Michigan Consolidated Gas Company, has been named Michigan Week regional chairman for Kent, Allegan, Barry, Montcalm and Ottawa counties.

Making the announcement was Edsko Hekman, deputy general chairman for Michigan Week activities in this section of the state. Dates of the 16th annual event are May 17-24.



COHO ARRIVE IN LOWELL - Bill McCarty of Lowell proudly exhibits a 10-pound Coho salmon caught in the Flat River below the Main Street dam last week while unidentified spectator looks on. McCarty released the fish moments later. It was the first Coho reported caught in local waters.

Enrollment Soaring; FH Weighs Future

Plans calling for construction of new senior and junior high classroom facilities and additions to existing buildings were being accelerated today in the Forest Hills Public School District.

The district has experienced a growth of 27 percent at all grade levels in the past four years with a 10 percent increase in student population anticipated for the 1969-70 school year.

Superintendent of Schools Robert G. Masten reports there have been a number of new enrollments since classes opened last fall.

"This is somewhat unusual for us," he stated. "Normally, we add just a few students between September and June... but nothing like the increase we've had this year."

A number of classes in the system are at the 30-student mark, considered to be maximum for best teaching results.

Long-range plans call for construction of a new high school facility, including a moderate-sized auditorium, which would be used to house the upper two grades of the senior high school. The present high school would be renovated and used for freshman and sophomore students.

The junior high was built with a specific plan for adding classrooms as needed, Masten said. He estimates that 10 new

rooms will be required to handle future enrollment.

Preliminary discussions on the master agreement with teachers are scheduled to get underway next Tuesday (April 1). Masten informed the Board of Education at its monthly meeting last week.

Tax Revenue Loss Scored

Ada Township officials were on record today as vigorously opposing a legislative decision that would mean a loss of \$3,500 in revenue to the township.

The board instructed Clerk Kenneth Anderson, at its bi-monthly meeting Monday night, to write a letter of objection to State Senator Robert Vanderlaan and State Representative Martin D. Buth protesting the state legislature's decision to repeal House Bill No. 2131.

This would call for repeal of the intangible tax placed on bank deposits, a portion of which is returned to township governments.

The letter of objection was to carry all signatures of the township board.

A report was received from the township planning commission that it had granted approval to rezone property north of M-21 just west of Grand River Drive from A-1 to planned development.

Further approval will be requested from the Kent County Planning Commission for rezoning of the property, which would be used as a site for a large multiple-dwelling project.

Plans for the condominium project were announced in February.

The board also approved Plats No. 4 and 5 for Adacraft Commons. The new plats will encompass 44 new lots for the homesites in the Adacraft Commons subdivision.

The annual township meeting was set for Saturday, April 5, at 1 p. m. in the township hall at which time the budget will be read.

Preparation for Tornado Season Vital, Says Red Cross

Killer tornados can't be stopped, but better preparation can help reduce the tragic toll of death and injury when they strike.

These were the words of caution received this week from John Leidlein, disaster chairman for the Kent County Chapter of American Red Cross, on the eve of Michigan's tornado season.

In 1968, tornados killed more people in the United States than all other weather-caused natural disasters, including hurricanes, other storms and flash floods combined.

"Some of the 139 persons who died might have been saved if precautionary measures had been taken to protect lives when the first tornado warnings were issued," declares Leidlein.

He pointed out that 10,000 families in 22 states suffered loss or damages to

their homes and other personal property because of tornados.

A stepped-up preparedness program called SKYWARN has been launched this year by the weather bureau in an effort to lower the death toll from tornados which strike most frequently in the spring months.

The American Red Cross is cooperating with the Office of Emergency Preparedness and the Office of Civil Defense in the SKYWARN campaign, which consists of 500 networks of tornado spotters made up of thousands of private citizens who report to weather bureau officials.

If the weather bureau issues a tornado "warning," this means that a tornado has actually been sighted. A tornado "watch" means that conditions are such that a tornado is expected to develop.

Leidlein suggests that residents keep

tuned to radio or TV for latest weather bureau statements. "If a tornado warning is issued, seek inside shelter immediately," he says.

There is no universal protection against tornados except caves and underground excavations, Leidlein explained.

"When time permits, go to a tornado cellar, cave, or a steel-framed or reinforced concrete building. Areas planned for use as tornado shelters should be located away from water and gas outlets, and should be kept free from debris. Shelters should be equipped with a pick and shovel. In all circumstances, stay away from windows," he adds.

The Red Cross listed these additional safety tips:

In open country—Move away from the tornado's path at a right angle. If there is

not time to escape, lie flat in the nearest ditch or ravine.

In office buildings: stand in interior hallway on a lower floor, preferably in the basement.

In factories: on receiving a tornado watch, post a lookout. When a warning is issued, workers should be prepared to move quickly to the section of the plant offering the greatest protection in accordance with advance plans. Advance preparations should be made for shutting off electrical circuits and fuel lines.

At home: the basement usually offers the greatest safety. Seek shelter under a sturdy workbench or heavy table. Do not seek shelter in areas immediately under heavy appliances on the floor above. In a home with no basement, take cover under heavy furniture in the center part of the house. Keep some windows open on the

side opposite the storm, but stay away from them. Do not stay in a mobile home if a tornado is approaching. Take cover in a ditch, ravine, or nearby strong building.

In a school—When a tornado watch is announced, someone should be assigned to be on the lookout for an approaching funnel cloud. Curtains should be drawn and blinds lowered and closed to minimize the danger from flying glass. If a tornado is sighted go quickly to an interior hallway on the lowest floor. Avoid the auditorium, gymnasium, or other areas with wide, free-span roofs.

In a shopping center—The center may have space clearly marked for an emergency shelter. Otherwise, take cover against interior walls or under sturdy counters. Do not take shelter in buildings with large, free-span roofs, and never seek shelter in a parked car.

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Disturbance 'Exaggerated'

Reports that she was responsible for a minor disturbance at Runciman Elementary School during the March 17 special school millage election were exaggerated, according to Mrs. Dorothy Flier.

"If there was a disturbance, it came when Mr. Pace said certain things that were not printable," said Mrs. Flier in reference to Superintendent James C. Pace.

Mrs. Flier said that she had requested the right to examine spoiled ballots "because I had contacted Mr. Metternick before the election and asked that I be recognized as a certified challenger. He assured me that I would be."

Metternick is secretary of the Lowell Area School Board of Education.

Mrs. Flier said she and several other interested citizens remained away from the immediate polling area so as not to interfere with the election procedure.

New Road, Bridge

A public hearing on a proposal to extend McPherson Street in Vergennes Township and to build a new bridge over the Flat River near Fallsburg Park will be held in the offices of the Kent County Road Commission on Tuesday, April 22, at 2 p. m.

The plan is part of a long-range project designed to create a primary road system from Grand Rapids to the Fallsburg area, according to road commission sources.

Extension of McPherson from Biggs Avenue to Covered Bridge Road would involve construction of a quarter-mile of new road at a still undetermined cost.

The new bridge, which would relieve much of the traffic on the Fallsburg covered bridge, is expected to cost about \$325,000.

Road commission officials hope to get the project started this summer.

MPSC Cites Need for Device

The Michigan Public Service Commission has ordered the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company to replace automatic crossing protection at its crossing with highway M-21 in Lowell with modern automatic flashing-light signals supplemented by additional signals on 20-foot cantilever arms.

The order was issued subsequent to an inspection of the crossing by Public Service Commission staff, along with representatives of the railway company, the Michigan Department of State Highways and the city of Lowell.

"Our investigation of this crossing, the scene of a recent fatal accident, reveals a traffic count of more than 7,000 vehicles daily," said Willis F. Ward, commission chairman.

"A study of the vehicular traffic volume, the volume and variety of railroad traffic, and the restricted visibility in the crossing quadrants, reveals a hazard factor which has developed which can be offset only by improved crossing protection," he added.

The new device is expected to be installed in the near future.

Moon Maps, Globe Scheduled Soon

The moon is getting to be such a close neighbor to us that maps of the moon are becoming more abundant. The National Geographic Magazine has just published its first map of the moon, and this summer a moon globe is scheduled to be put on sale by Rand-McNally.

A London department store has a lot of customers for a map that locates where unmanned space vehicles have already landed and symbols to show where the first human visitors will land, be they Americans or Russians.

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Business Highlights

Ada Floral Accepted for Wire Service

Ada Floral and Nursery owned by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gabriel, has been formally accepted as a subscriber of Florafax Delivery, Inc., one of the world's largest flower-wire services.

The company is located in Ada Shoppers Square, Ada.

Affiliation with Florafax provides member subscribers with a link to more than 7,500 other subscribers throughout the United States as well as Canada and South America. There are also outlets in more than 30 countries throughout the world.

Gordon Vander Till Ford Names District Aide

Congressman Gerald R. Ford has announced the appointment of Gordon E. Vander Till, Grand Rapids native and former consultant to the State Senate Business Committee, as his "man in the district."

Ford said Vander Till will begin functioning immediately as his full-time representative in Kent and Ionia Counties with a "full-time on-the-spot Fifth Congressional District contact."

Vander Till's headquarters will be the present Ford district office at 425 Cherry Street, S.E., Grand Rapids, but he will be available for service anywhere in Kent and Ionia Counties, Ford said.

Ford said he will arrange for Vander Till to be in various communities in the Congressional District during certain hours to talk with any Ford constituents having problems involving Federal agencies or wanting to express views on national and international affairs. These special office hours will be announced later.

"It is my hope," Ford said, "that through this means I will be able to provide the best possible service to the people of Kent and Ionia Counties, especially with regard to Social Security matters, veterans affairs, tax problems and military service problems."

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BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bump Jr., of 218 South Jefferson St. in Lowell, are proud to announce the birth of a baby girl, Lisa Ann. She was born on March 12 at Butterworth Hospital and weighed 11 1/2 pounds, 14 1/2 ounces. Mrs. Bump is the former Sandy Raynor.

Y-2C Dale Marsman and Mrs. Marsman announce the birth of a daughter, Audrey Lynn, born March 5 at Walter Reed Hospital in Washington, D. C. Mrs. Marsman is the former Diane Broome. Yeoman Marsman is on duty with the Navy Department at the Pentagon, after a tour of duty of Viet Nam.

Carol and Jim Lillie are proud to announce the arrival of a son, Michael Marvin, born March 21. Michael weighed 7 lbs., 2 oz. at birth.

Earlier estimates of passport applications put the level at 1.7 million. The figure through Nov. 19 was 1.6 million.

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New Honor Society Members

The Lowell High School honor society, at an initiation program held March 18th, welcomed 38 new members into their ranks.

The new members were selected by faculty members on the basis of character, scholarship, leadership and service.

New members are: Marva Anderson, Cindy Ball, Susan Bauer, Robert Sewell, Luane Blough, Dave Boone, Michael Blough, Mary Boush, Christine Barvata, and Jackie Brower.

Tim Conley, Susan Dey, Nancy Doyle, Margaret Feldman, Donald Graham, John Graham, Vicky Hagemeier, Kathy Haybarker, Patrick Goggins, Sharon Heacock, Shirley Krebs, and Chris Kropp.

Dale Kropp, Elizabeth Lomas, Kathy MacNaughton, Kay MacNaughton, Kris McKeage, Mitch McLaughlin, Delores Nordhoff, Judy Norton, Michael Potter, Esther Rogers, Jeanne Roth, Vicki Truax, Mary VanLaan, Alan Wingeter, Sally Roth and Karen Sandy.

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Girls Take Part in Pow Wow

Four Lowell Camp Fire groups participated in the 11th annual Pow Wow presented by the Keewano Council of Camp Fire Girls. The festival was held March 21 and 22 at the Northeast Junior High School.

The 6th grade girls gave their original play, "The Slumber Scare," as a part of the program. Members of the 5th grade group demonstrated the making of beeswax candles, the 4th graders showed how to trim coat hangers as gifts, and the 7th grade Junior Hi girls worked on knitted slippers to be presented to crippled children as their service project.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Brake and Mrs. Dewey Faris and family, Debby, David, Vickie and Bobbie attended a birthday dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Dean Stadel and Dale on Messer Road in Carlton, honoring Dale on his birthday.

The Orton Kaufman family of Goshen, Ind., were Saturday evening and overnight guests of the Donald Kauffmans. They are cousins.

Mrs. Doris Sawdy and Miles Sawdy made many trips to see Mrs. Miles in the last week at Butterworth Hospital where she was a medical patient for a week. Mrs. Sawdy was released and returned to her home and is improving.

Mrs. Lucille Abels, Mrs. Mabel Thompson and Mrs. Ethel Blank were the Alto guests of the Donald Kauffmans. They are cousins.

Mrs. and Mrs. Emery Benedict of Greenville and the Jim Geiger family of Lake Odessa were Sunday guests of Mrs. Vera Geiger.

Mrs. Vera Geiger received word of the death of her late brother's widow, Mrs. Logan (Zeller) Strong of Massillon, O., Sunday.

Forest Hills instrumental music students who attended the State Solo and Ensemble Festival Saturday, March 22, after qualifying in district competition in February returned with a large number of honors.

Proficiency 2 winners were Scott Stevens, 98 percent, Sandi Zosdena, 90 percent and Bruce Tepper, 90 percent. Proficiency 1 winners were Mary Lancione, 92 percent; E. O. B. School, 92 percent; Jan Jones, 97 percent; and Gary Missad, 85 percent.

Proficiency contestants placing second division were Nancy Larson, proficiency 3 (which means very difficult, advanced work), Kevin MacInnes, Todd Bruinoff, and Chip King, all entering Proficiency 1.

Placing first division in the solo division was John Sullivan.

Ensembles which placed 1st division were: Flute Quartet—Kathy Osbeck, Nancy Larson, Niki Rose, and Jan Jones. Flute Duo—Sue Shea, Sandi Zosdena, Percussion Quintet—Bob School, Nancy Larson, Bob Taylor, Bill Vekas, Kevin MacInnes, Woodwind Quintet—Marcia VanHorn, Holly Chadwick, and Chip King.

Serving as accompanists: Mary Sndedn, Jan Jones, Holly Chadwick, and Scott Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn S. Kauffman of Alto were Sunday evening guests of their son, Donald and family of Bell Road.

Mr. and Mrs. James Secord of Middleville and Mrs. Clyde Ziegler of Wayland and Ron Neeb, local were Sunday evening visitors of their parents the Floyd Neebes.

The Easter Rev. Lee Palmer and family of the U.B. Church here spent a two week vacation in Florida and arrived home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Neeb spent Monday at Charlotte with her aunt, Mrs. Eva Gousha, who had returned home after spending the winter with her daughter in Detroit. Mrs. Neeb spent the day at Woodland with her son Marvel and family.

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An American drug company recently conducted a survey to see how much we spend on six common skin disorders: acne, dermatitis, eczema, fungal diseases (such as athlete's foot), psoriasis and warts. The study included only prescription drugs, but the annual total was over 100 million dollars.

In addition, millions more are spent on other skin disorders, such as hives and impetigo, and on over-the-counter lotions and remedies, such as zinc oxide and calamine. Despite the wonder drugs and new treatments, skin disorders are still a major medical problem.

Dermatologists have some helpful advice for those suffering from such disorders:

1) If a rash or sore continues after the suspected cause has been removed, or if any growth bleeds, becomes sore, increases in size, or changes its color or appearance—seek medical help. Applying home remedies may only mask the true condition, or convert a simple problem into a chronic one.

2) Avoid scratching as much as possible, since this speeds up inflammation. Calamine lotion is better than a back scratcher.

3) To avoid a rash spreading or re-occurring, discard or disinfect anything that has come in contact with the affected area.

4) Never borrow another person's medication. Both your condition and your reaction to the drug may be different.

5) If you have a dry skin itch, you may

Netters Launch Busy Schedule for Rangers

Tennis has been added to the spring sports schedule at Forest Hills High School, bringing to four the number of varsity teams competing in the

Ottawa-Kent Red Division.

The net team will be under the direction of Elliott Pearce and will get a head start on other squads when it launches the campaign next Thursday (April 3) with a non-conference dual match at Lowell.

Coach Ed VanDam's golf team, which has won the combined dual-conference title in each of the last four years since Forest Hills entered O-K competition in this sport will open defense of its crown at West Ottawa on April 7. Home matches will be played at Forest Hills Country Club.

Coach Gerry Hendrickson, assisted by Frank Rosengren, will send the Rangers' track team into action on April 8 with a non-conference meet at East Grand Rapids. The lone home action is scheduled against Rockford on April 10. All O-K conference meets will be held at Kentwood High School with field events getting underway at 5:30 and running events at 7 o'clock.

The varsity baseball team will again be under the tutelage of Chuck Matthews with Jim Wagner handling the re-

serves. Both squads will open the season at Rockford on April 7 and will square off against Kentwood in conference action on April 9.

The varsity spring sports schedule follows:

GOLF

APRIL — 7, at West Ottawa; 10, Wyoming Park (H); 14, at Rogers; 17-18, Eight-team tournament at FHCC; 21, Kentwood; 24, at Godwin; 28, Hudsonville; 30, Hudsonville.

MAY — 2, at Caledonia; 5, at Wyoming Park; 8, Rogers; 12, at Grandville; 15, at Kentwood; 16, Regionals at FHCC; 19, Godwin; 21, at Hudsonville; 23, Conference tournament; 26, State finals. (All matches start at approximately 4 p. m.)

TENNIS

APRIL — 3, at Lowell (3:30); 7, at Godwin (2:00); 9, Rockford (4:00); 14, at Northview (4:00); 16, East Christian at Franklin Park (3:45); 17, Kenowa Hills (4:00); 24, at Zeeland (4:00); 28, Lee (4:00); 30, Northview (4:00).

MAY — 5, at Kenowa Hills (4:00); 12, Zeeland (4:00); 14, at Le e (4:00); 16, Conference at Holland; 17, Conference at Godwin if postponed; 23-24, regional tournament.

JUNE — 6-7, State finals.

TRACK

APRIL — 8, at East Grand Rapids (4:00); 10, Rockford (4:00); 14, at Kentwood (5:30 and 7); 18, Rogers at Kentwood (5:30 and 7); 21, Wyoming Park at Kentwood (5:30 and 7); 25, Hudsonville at Kentwood (5:30 and 7); 28, Godwin at Kentwood (5:30 and 7).

MAY — 2, Wyoming Optimist Relays; 5, West Ottawa at Kentwood (5:30 and 7); 10, West Ottawa Relays at Holland; 12, Conference preliminaries at Kentwood (4:00); 13, Conference finals at Kentwood (5:30 and 7); 17, Regionals; 24, State Finals.

BASEBALL

APRIL — 7, at Rockford (2:00); 9, Kentwood; 11, Hudsonville; 15, East Christian; 16, at West Ottawa; 18, Wyoming Park; 21, at Northview; 23, at Caledonia; 25, at Rogers; 30, Godwin.

MAY — 2, at Kentwood; 3, Lowell (doubleheader at 1:30 and 4); 7, at Hudsonville; 9, West Ottawa; 12, at Kelloggsville; 14, at Wyoming Park; 19, Northview; 21, Rogers; 23, at Godwin; 28-31, Wyoming Invitational at Kimball Stadium. All games start at 4 p. m. unless otherwise designated).

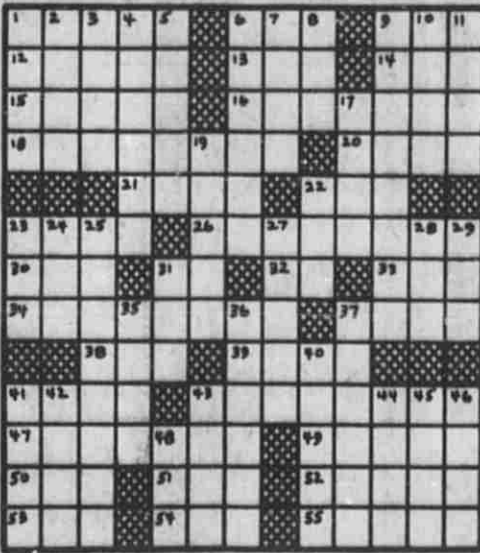


MATMEN HONORED — Coach Chuck Matthews is shown congratulating four members of the Forest Hills High wrestling team for their 1968-69 season efforts. Undeclared state Class B champion Larry Cardinel (127 pounds) receives a warm handshake while Steve Shuster (outstanding freshman award), Jim Leyndyke (Ranger award winner) and Craig VanSluyters (most improved wrestler) look on.

Crossword Puzzle Offer Boat Classes for Area Youth

ACROSS

1. Perspiration
6. Forbid
9. Seed vessel
12. Cut meat
13. Compass point
14. Hail!
15. Useful thing
16. Times to come
18. For it
20. Went down
21. Russian ruler
22. Affirmative
23. Strikes lightly
26. Helping to cure
30. Turkish title
31. Electrical current
32. One
33. Fasten
34. Bed frame
37. Thaw
38. Shelter
39. Arrived
41. Source
43. Tales



53. Dance step
54. Building wings
55. Frozen rain
19. Light comedy
22. Japanese coin
23. Flap
24. Grow old
25. Portable locks
27. Woman's title
28. Be ill
29. Permit
31. Devoured
35. Brittle
36. Oak fruit
37. Of the mind
40. Main spars
41. Gather crops
42. Bones: anat.
43. True
44. Coal product
45. Rapier table
46. Shipped
48. Pastry

Answer to Puzzle



Mustang Club Sets Rally for April 20

The Mustang Club of Grand Rapids has announced plans to hold its fourth annual Mustang Rally on Sunday, April 20.

Contestants will start from Jack Keller Ford at 206 Jefferson SE at 1:30 p. m.

Anyone interested in rallying may enter. It is not necessary to be a Mustang owner to be eligible. Call 458-1461 or 897-9871 for information.

Entry fee is \$3 per person or \$8 per car with all proceeds from fees to be donated to the Salvation Army.



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Sports

6 Lowell Ledger - Suburban Life, March 27, 1969

LITTLE LEAGUE Notes

The Thornapple Valley Little League has set two dates for boys to sign up for the season at the old Cascade Township Hall Saturday, March 29, from 9 a. m. till 12 noon and Tuesday, April 1, 6:30 p. m. to 9 p. m. All registrations will be taken on these two dates. No registrations will be accepted after April 1.

Any boy who will reach his 9th birthday before December 1, 1969 and does not reach his 13th birthday before August 1, 1969, is eligible to play Minor or Major League Baseball.

Each boy must be accompanied by a parent or guardian and have his birth certificate. A fee of \$3.50 will be charged each boy. For each additional boy in the same family, \$2.00 will be charged. This fee is to buy hats and replace the candy sale. If any boy cannot afford to pay his \$3.50 fee, a way will be found to pay it. Contact Robert Dangle prior to registering if the fee is a problem. Phone 868-5542.

Small Crowds Worrisome to Club Owners

Play ball—and sell those tickets!

Thinner crowds worry owners of baseball clubs. In the National League, for instance, there's been a drop in attendance for the past three years.

It's hoped the game will get livelier and draw more fans this year. For one thing, batters will have a better chance to swat the ball now that the strike zone has been made smaller and the pitcher's mound has been lowered. More action is what the fans want—and colorful big stars.

It was a sad day when Mickey Mantle retired.

O-K Red Stars Led by Godwin

Champion Godwin Heights, which roared through the Ottawa-Kent Red Division basketball season with a perfect mark for the second straight year, dominated all-conference campaign.

Dana Snoop, whose 25.0 scoring average topped the circuit, was joined on the first team by Phil DeZwaan and Fred Roh. In addition, the Wolverines placed Jose Hernandez on the second team.

Rounding out the No. 1 squad were Les Zommermand of W. Ottawa and Jim Garvelink of Rogers.

Greg DenBoer of Kentwood, whose 16-per-game rebound average was tops in the conference, headed up the second team. He also posted a 21.1 scoring average to rank second in the circuit.

Lynn Loncki of West Ottawa, Bob Barker of Wyoming Park and Rogers' Phil Burke also were honored with positions on the No. 2 unit.

Snoop was the lone repeater from the 1967-68 all-conference squad.

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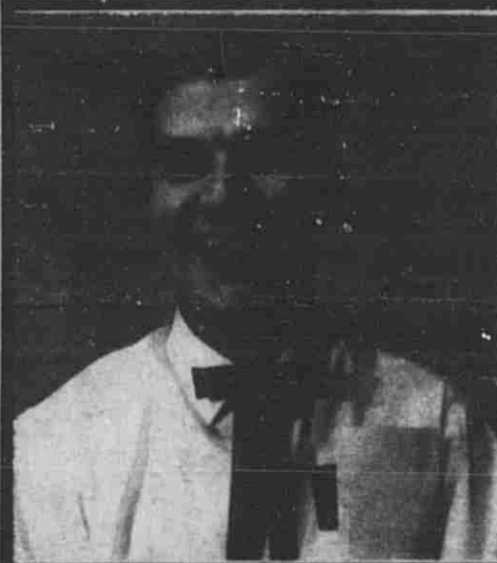
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- Boneless Stew Beef.....lb. 69c
- Rib Steaks.....lb. 78c
- Club Steaks.....lb. 86c
- Hamburg.....lb. 49c

Pork

- End Cut Chops.....lb. 59c
- Loin Cut Chops.....lb. 98c
- Center Cut Chops.....lb. 88c
- Pork Steak.....lb. 68c
- Pork Cutlets.....lb. 69c
- Loin End Roast.....lb. 58c
- Quarter Pork Loin Mixed Chops.....lb. 69c
- Whole Loin.....lb. 59c
- Boston Butt Boneless.....lb. 58c
- Link Sausage.....lb. 76c
- Fresh Picnics.....lb. 36c

Smoked Meats

- Thrifty-Pak Bacon.....lb. 49c
- Whole Picnics.....lb. 44c

Lunch Meats

- Bulk Large Bologna.....lb. 49c
- Bulk Weiners.....lb. 49c
- Bulk Ring Bologna.....lb. 49c

Poultry

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- Cut Up Fryers.....lb. 37c

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ANNUAL TOWNSHIP MEETING

TOWNSHIP OF ADA

will be held

SATURDAY, APRIL 5 1969

at Ada Town Hall-1:00 p. m.

FOR THE PURPOSE OF TRANSACTING SUCH BUSINESS AS SHALL PROPERLY COME BEFORE THE MEETING

A Public Hearing will be held on the Township Budget for the coming year

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Kenneth Anderson, Clerk

ANNUAL TOWNSHIP MEETING

TOWNSHIP OF CASCADE

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at New Administration Building 1:30 P. M.

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Minor Cook, Clerk

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Marshe Bouwkamp, Clerk

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ALTO FIREMEN SPEND BUSY SUNDAY

The Alto Firemen were kept busy Sunday trying to take care of all the grass fires around the community as well as assisting the Fire Dept. Department.

Luckily someone driving by the Tichelaar home on 32nd Street noticed a grass fire closing in on their buildings, called the fire department and assisted other passers-by to put the fire out.

The family returned home later from church to find their home and buildings still there although the surrounding area had been completely burned. Only two years ago their home burned down.

So the rain came and the boys will most likely spend a few days.

GARDEN CLUB BLOSSOMS

Wednesday, March 19, the Alto Garden Club met at the Methodist Church at 12:45, for the first meeting of the year, with a potluck dinner, which included many goodies making it a most delicious dinner.

The tables were decorated with beautifully arranged spring flowers.

Twenty-eight members were present and four guests. New members were accepted at this meeting.

Mrs. Raymond Wagemaker of Grand Rapids gave a very interesting talk on garden clubs.

ALTO MOTHERS' CLUB

The March meeting of the Alto Mother's Club was held Tuesday, March 18, at 8:00 p. m. in the school's All-Purpose Room.

Speaker for the evening was Joe Lee, Supervisor of the Child Welfare Services of the Kent County Welfare Department. Mr. Lee gave an interesting talk on child abuse and neglect in Kent County and how his department deals with the problem.

He also wrote through-

ANNUAL TOWNSHIP MEETING

TOWNSHIP OF BOWNE

will be held

SATURDAY, APRIL 5 1969

at Bowne Town Hall-1:00 p. m.

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Mrs. Evelyn Smith, Clerk

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

All interested persons are advised that the construction of a new road in Sections 23 and 24, Vergennes Township, Kent County, Michigan, near Biggs Ave. to Covered Bridge Road, to be known as McPherson St., and the construction of a new bridge crossing Flat River on said McPherson St., is being planned by the Kent County Road Commission.

Information and plans for the above improvements are available for public inspection, and copying at the Kent County Road Commission Office; 1590 Scribner Avenue, N. W., Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Under provisions of Federal law, any citizen who would be affected by the proposed improvement is hereby notified that the Kent County Road Commission will hold a public hearing at the Kent County Road Commission Office, 1590 Scribner Avenue, N. W., on Tuesday, April 22, 1969, at 2:30 p. m., at which time he will be given the opportunity to be heard concerning the location and economic effect of the project upon the area.

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ANNUAL TOWNSHIP MEETING

TOWNSHIP OF GRATTA

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SATURDAY, APRIL 5 1969

at Grattan Town Hall-1:30 p. m.

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James A. Byrne, Clerk

LEGAL NOTICES

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Lowell, Michigan 49321
PUBLICATION ORDER
DETERMINE HEIRS
File No. 118,467
State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Kent.
Estate of
J. CLIFF HATCH
Deceased

IT IS ORDERED that on April 10, 1969, at 10:00 A. M. in the Probate Courtroom, Grand Rapids, Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on the undersigned at least 10 days prior to the hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by statute and Court rule.
Date: March 10, 1969
A. DALE STOPPERS
Judge of Probate
By: George R. Cook
Attorney for Estate
1125 W. Main Street
Lowell, Michigan
A true copy.
ROLAND R. ROBEY
Register of Probate c68-51

VanderVaan, Frathofer & Cook
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Lowell, Michigan 49321
PUBLICATION ORDER
HEARING ON CLAIMS
File No. 118,479
State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Kent.
Estate of
PRISCILLA RICHMOND
A/K/A PRISCILLA READ
Deceased

IT IS ORDERED that on May 29, 1969, at 9:30 A. M. in the Probate Courtroom, Grand Rapids, Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims, and at which hearing the heirs of the estate will be determined. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on the undersigned at least 10 days prior to the hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by statute and Court rule.
Date: February 26, 1969
A. DALE STOPPERS
Judge of Probate
By: George R. Cook
Attorney for Estate
1125 W. Main Street
Lowell, Michigan
A true copy.
ROLAND R. ROBEY
Register of Probate c68-51

CITY ELECTION

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That an Annual Election will be held in the

CITY OF LOWELL

Kent County, Michigan

Mrs. Carol Wells, Clerk

ANNUAL TOWNSHIP MEETING

TOWNSHIP OF VERGENNES

will be held

SATURDAY, APRIL 5 1969

at Vergennes Town Hall-2:00 p. m.

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ANNUAL TOWNSHIP MEETING

TOWNSHIP OF GRATTA

will be held

SATURDAY, APRIL 5 1969

at Grattan Town Hall-1:30 p. m.

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LEGAL NOTICES

VanderVaan, Frathofer & Cook
1125 W. Main St.
Lowell, Michigan 49321
PUBLICATION ORDER
DETERMINE HEIRS
File No. 118,467
State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Kent.
Estate of
J. CLIFF HATCH
Deceased

IT IS ORDERED that on April 10, 1969, at 10:00 A. M. in the Probate Courtroom, Grand Rapids, Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on the undersigned at least 10 days prior to the hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by statute and Court rule.
Date: March 20, 1969
A. DALE STOPPERS
Judge of Probate
By: George R. Cook
Attorney for Estate
1125 W. Main Street
Lowell, Michigan
A true copy.
ROLAND R. ROBEY
Register of Probate c68-51

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PRISCILLA RICHMOND
A/K/A PRISCILLA READ
Deceased

IT IS ORDERED that on May 29, 1969, at 9:30 A. M. in the Probate Courtroom, Grand Rapids, Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims, and at which hearing the heirs of the estate will be determined. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on the undersigned at least 10 days prior to the hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by statute and Court rule.
Date: February 26, 1969
A. DALE STOPPERS
Judge of Probate
By: George R. Cook
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1125 W. Main Street
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CITY ELECTION

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That an Annual Election will be held in the

CITY OF LOWELL

Kent County, Michigan

Mrs. Carol Wells, Clerk

ANNUAL TOWNSHIP MEETING

TOWNSHIP OF VERGENNES

will be held

SATURDAY, APRIL 5 1969

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Card of Thanks

To those who attended Mrs. Gurner's funeral, and those who in other ways expressed sympathy, admiration and respect for a life of usefulness in the community and family, I can only extend sincere and profound gratitude. Such an outpouring of sympathy and love will help sustain those left behind.

The family deeply appreciates the expressions of sympathy. To the pastor we express our sincere appreciation for a thoughtful and appropriate sermon.

We wish to thank the Alto Fire Department, neighbors and those who helped at our grass fire while we were at camp.

Mr. & Mrs. James Tichelaar
-c51

Card of Thanks

We would like to take this means of saying thanks to those who donated blood for our son Randy's heart surgery February 18 at Blodgett Memorial Hospital.

Mr. & Mrs. Gys VanDenBrink
Coopersville, Michigan
-c51

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YOU WILL FIND—All your garden supplies at Walter's Lumber Mart. c51

FOR SALE—1964 Chevrolet pickup 4 to 1 ton, low over payments or best offer. Phone 897-7331. c51

RUMMAGE—And Second Best Sale at Ada Christian School, March 29, 9:30 a. m. c51

FOR SALE—1964 Chevrolet pickup 4 to 1 ton, low over payments or best offer. Phone 897-7331. c51

8-YEAR-OLD GELDING—Well broke, good tempered horse. 6-year-old registered appaloosa mare, good 4-hr horse. 866-6822. c51

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GARAGE SALE—To be held Friday and Saturday, March 28 and 29 from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. 513 E. Main Street. Clothing, junior petticoats, regular misses sizes; also boys clothing. c51

NEW—Corner cupboard, \$35; new lady's sultan, \$55; '61 Dodge 4-door excellent condition, some repair, \$80; 3rd building scaffolds and plans \$40; golf clubs and bag, left hand, \$65; and 4 aluminum siding channel, 5¢ a ft. Call after 4 p. m., 897-6485. c51

PORD IN TRACTOR—3 pt. hitch, double bottom, 1000 cu. yd. capacity, scoop, blade, disc. \$700. 898-5832. c51

PIANO TUNING—And repair service. Registered craftsman, member of Piano Technicians Guild, Call GL2-6868 or 241-3700. c68

LIVESTOCK TRUCKING—Lake Odessa Auction, Tues. St. Johns Auction, Wednesday. Call Miller & Church, Belding, 794-1947. c68

TRUSSES—Trained fitter, surgical appliances, etc., at Koss Rexall Drugs, Saranac, Michigan. c68

DIAMOND—Phone needed, \$3.38. Williams Radio-TV-Maria, 128 N. Hudson Street, Lowell, Phone TW 7-9340. c68

SHOP SATURDAY—At Walter's Lumber Mart, 925 West Main Street, Lowell, Call 897-9261. Open daily until 4:00 p. m. Fridays until 5. c68-1f

TV ANTENNAS—\$6.95, double coaxials, Williams Radio-TV-Maria, 128 N. Hudson Street, Lowell, Phone TW 7-9340. c68

CUSTOM BUTCHERING—Cutting, wrapping and freezing. Also beef and pork for sale. East Paris Packing, 420 East Paris Road SE, 949-3240. c68-1f

FIGHT—Muggings, assault, purse snatching, illegal lottery, Carry Fatman Spray. Instant protection. Attacker is immediately helpless, \$2.99. Legal to possess—Lifetime to life—Lasts indefinitely. Home delivery anytime. 948-1110, Fatman Enterprises, Inc. c68

SERVING SERVICE—Two 13-year-old girls, Friday thru Sunday, to assist serving meals and clean up. 674-8252. c68

CHEVROLET—1966, 4 door, used but not abused. Six cylinder, stick Phone 676-1669 after 5 p. m. c68-1f

1965 DODGE POLARA—Convertible. Power steering, power brakes, wiper tires. Excellent condition, 10,000 miles remain on warranty. \$1,300. 949-1376 after 4 p. m. c68-2f

For Rent

APARTMENT FOR RENT—171 Valley Vista Drive, Lowell. 1 and 2 bedroom, air conditioned, carpeting, refrigerator, stove and heat furnished. Blood Center. 454-9471. c68f

RUG SHAMPOOR—For rent at Walter's Lumber Mart. Removes dirt a d stains the easy way. c68f

FIELDS TO RENT—For spring crops. 897-7105, 5334 Segum St., McDiarmid's. p-51

TWO BEDROOM—Bangalow, available April 1st. Cascade area, references. 948-3858. c51

Valley Vista

New 3 bedroom ranchers available to qualified buyers for \$200 down and \$100 per month including taxes and insurance. Call:

1963 OLDS DYNAMIC 88—Turquoise axle, automatic transmission, air conditioning and brakes. Very good condition. 676-7774. c51

ALUMINUM FLAT—Bottom boat, 12 feet, \$80. Large fiberglass patio roof, \$75. 676-6822. c51

PONTOON BOAT—Weers, 23 ft. with 8 1/2' deck and railings, steel pontoons. 15 hp. Evinrude motor, very good condition. Private yard, 5795, Call 949-1373. c51-2f

SEWING MACHINES—Repaired. Parts for all makes. All work guaranteed 15 years of service in area. Call 676-1040 after 5 p. m. c51

1961 FORD—Station wagon; good condition; 8175. Can be seen at 125 Custer Parkway SE, Easton, 897-1017. p51

FOR SALE—Good used kitchen equipment. Private yard, TV, double kitchen sink, 7207 Thornapple River Dr. Ada. c51-2f

WEDDING GOWN—A-line with detachable train, like new, size 10. Phone 949-7076. p51-1f

FOR SALE—By owner. Large commercially zoned lot with 1000 sq. ft. of building. 297-foot frontage on M-21.

Star Corners

Mrs. Ira Blough
868-2585

Mrs. Lena Schultz of Grand Rapids called at the Francis Shaffer home Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Don McNiche and baby girl of Orleans were Saturday dinner and afternoon guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Wingeier. Mr. and Mrs. James Wilyard and daughters of Bowne were evening visitors.

Yolanda and Pamela Miller were Saturday overnight guests of their grandmother, Mrs. Freeman Hoffman. Mr. and Mrs. Ed DeWinter of Grand Rapids were also evening visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Seese of Freeport were Wednesday evening visitors at the George Krebs' home. Miss Mary Lou Vaughn of Orleans, La., was a Saturday caller. Mr. and Mrs. Clark Carlson of Sparta were Sunday afternoon and supper guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan K. Blough and family of Lowell were Sunday evening lunch guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Blough, in honor of the latter's wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Morrison of Saranac were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Calvin Seese home.

Alex Wingeier visited John Watts at Bowne Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ovid Miller of Morrison Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Blough, Mrs. Tom McDough and Lisa were last week callers of Mrs. Freeman Hoffman.

Mr. and Mrs. Verle Stahl and family had Sunday dinner with their mother, Mrs. Kenneth Stahl, later all visited Kenneth at the hospital. We are pleased to report the latter is improving and able to take some nourishment and is more alert.

Mrs. Freeman Hoffman was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Stahl.

J. C. Schonalmeyer of Marcellus was a Tuesday morning caller at the Harold Seese home. Mr. and Mrs. Otto Colvin and daughters of Hastings were Friday evening guests.

Mrs. Ida Fox of South Bowne was a Sunday dinner guest of her son, Carl and wife, and Lois Kaye, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fox were afternoon visitors.

Rev. Beulah Poe of Alto called on Mr. and Mrs. Ira Blough Saturday. Miss Mae Whitman and brother, Wilbur of Holland were Sunday afternoon visitors.

With Our Servicemen



HONORED - Chief Master Sgt. Robert D. Eickhoff of Lowell is shown receiving the Air Force Commendation Medal (First Oak Leaf Cluster) from Colonel Floyd H. Trogdon in ceremonies at Hanscom AFB, Mass.



PFC WILCOX

Pfc. Jeffrey S. Wilcox, Forest Hills High School graduate of 1968, took his basic training at Fort Knox, Kentucky. His AIT was at Fort Sill Oklahoma and he left from there for Viet Nam on January 14, 1969. He is now stationed out of the AnKhe base camp at QuiNhon.

Jeff is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Wilcox, 2036 Thorncrest Drive, S.E.

His address is: Pfc. Jeffrey S. Wilcox, US 34988602, C Btry, 2nd BN, 17th Arty, APO San Francisco, 96294.

Army Private Jerald L. Graham is assigned to Company E, 10th Battalion, 5th Brigade, in the United States Army Training Center, Armor (USATCA) at Fort Knox, Ky.

He will spend the next two months learning the fundamental skills of the soldier in today's modern, action Army.

Following completion of basic training, PVT Graham, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Graham of Lowell, will receive at least an additional eight weeks of either advanced instruction or on-the-job training to qualify him in a specialized military skill.

Tom Bishop has a new address. Friends may write to him at: Sgt. Thomas Bishop, AF 16879580, CMR No. 2, Box 14945, APO, San Francisco, California, 96201.

Marine Private First Class Jeremy R. Berg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Berg of 1871 Grand River Drive, Ada, is serving with the First Battalion, First Marine Regiment, First Marine Division in Viet Nam.

After entering the service on April 3, 1968, he completed his basic training and Leadership Orientation Candidate school at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri. He took further training at Ford Ord, California and Fort Benning, Georgia and was stationed at Fort Jackson, South Carolina as a training NCO.

Sgt. Cross is a 1967 graduate of Forest Hills High School.

NOTE CHANGE OF ADDRESS: SN, Patrick R. Myers, B 586476 USS Snotomish City, LT 1126, HP Guam, FPO, San Francisco, Calif., 96601.

Chief Master Sergeant Robert D. Eickhoff, 1042 Biggs Ave., Lowell, Mich., has been awarded the Air Force Commendation Medal (First Oak Leaf Cluster).

The presentation was made by Colonel Floyd H. Trogdon, vice commander of the Air Force Electronic Systems Division (ESD), Hanscom Field, Bedford, Mass.

Sergeant Eickhoff was cited for his work on communications security at the various computerized automatic data processing facilities of the Air Force Eastern Test Range, Cape Kennedy, Patrick Air Force Base, Fla.

A veteran of over 20 years military service, CMSgt Eickhoff entered the Air Force upon graduation from the Lowell Public High School.

He was assigned as a cryptographic maintenance superintendent with ESD's Deputy for Communications from a tour of duty in Turkey.

Sergeant Eickhoff and his wife, Doris, have a son, Robert F., 14.

His father, Harvey M. Eickhoff, resides at 4130 Buttrick Ave., Ada.

Bernard Vander Berg, 412 Forest Hills Road S.E., has completed his tour of duty in the U. S. Army. He served for 14 months in Viet Nam, in the city of Saigon. He is a graduate of Christian High School and attended Calvin College for one year before enlisting.

Airman Ross K. Starkweather, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl L. Starkweather, 116 S. Jefferson, Lowell, has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. He has been assigned to duty in the supply field. Airman Starkweather is a 1968 graduate of Lowell Senior High School.



DONALD L. DAWSON

SPC Donald L. Dawson was recently graduated from the "Hawk Organizational Maintenance Supervisory Course" at Ft. Bliss Texas. Dawson had been attending the course for a 37 week period on the technical aspects of all major items of the Hawk Btry. maintenance concepts and supply procedures.

At the completion of the course, Sgt. Dawson was appointed Warrant Officer in the Army Reserve and called to active duty on the same date. He will then go to Ft. Sill Okla. for two weeks of Officer Orientation courses.

Following a 30 day leave at his El Paso home, he will proceed to his overseas assignment in Korea where he will be assigned to (KMAG) Korean Military Advisory Group as chief advisor to the South Korean's on the Hawk Missile System.

Fort Bliss, Texas is the largest "Air Defense Center" in the free world. Mr. Dawson served in Korea in 1962, Viet Nam in 1965 and at Homestead Air Base Florida in 1966.

Dawson, a former local resident, graduated from Lowell High School in 1958 and joined the Army in that same year. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Johnson of 13515 Grand River Drive in Lowell, he is married to the former Frances Burtle of Lowell.

Army Private First Class David L. Stock, 20, son of Mrs. Beulah M. Neilson, 7672 Knapp, Ada, was assigned Feb. 15 to the 63rd Armor at Ft. Riley, Kan., as a tank crewman.

Coming Events

Fish and ham dinner at the Clarksville Masonic Temple on Saturday, March 29, serving 5 to 8 p. m.

Joseph Wilson Relief Corps No. 49 will hold their regular meeting on Wednesday, April 2nd. Potluck dinner at 6:30 p. m. Guest and inspector will be Past Department President Agnes Hyde of Grand Rapids.

Annual blue water fish dinner at the Ada Masonic Temple, Friday, March 28th. Serving from 5 to 7:30 p. m. Call Martha Szudzik 678-1854 or any member of the Masons or Eastern Star for tickets. Also available at the door. Served country style.

Cyclamen Chapter No. 94, OES will hold a special meeting for the ceremony of initiation this Friday evening, Mar. 28, at 8 p. m. All members are invited to greet the new members.

The Vergennes Cooperative Club meeting is postponed from April 3rd to April 10th. Island City Rebekah Lodge will meet on Tuesday, April 1st. Please try to come.

Annual Easter bake sale sponsored by St. Mary's Altar Society. All home baked goodies at Christiansen's Drug Store, Saturday, April 5.

The Alto Fire Department is planning a public open-roast on Saturday, April 12. Starting time will be 4 p. m. until 7. Beef will be furnished by Dave Wingeier and is to be prepared by Austin Miller over an open fire. All proceeds will go for fire Department Equipment. More information at a later date.

Forest Hills School News

The Dramatic Club under John Cazier will present "The Unexpected Guest" by Agatha Christie on Friday and Saturday at 8 p. m. in the Multi-Purpose Room.

Friday the Senior Class will observe Government Day in the Fine Arts Center at Calvin College—five local high schools will take part in this program under the sponsorship of Michigan State University. Besides Forest Hills, the seniors from Kentwood, Kelloggsville, Ottawa High and Marywood will participate.

There will be 15 panel and discussion groups by the various schools. Forest Hills will have groups on Water Pollution, Drugs and Narcotics, and Civil Rights.

Civic leaders and authorities in their field will comprise the panel. A representative from the Government from Detroit will be present to speak on drugs.

Students setting up the programs for Forest Hills are Joe McCarger, Cindy Klapp, Brian Jeltema, Glen Collins, Judy Wilcox, and Bob Titcombe.

Note Sharp Increase in Tax Refund

An increase in the state gasoline tax early in 1968 and a boost in the weight tax for 1969 vehicle licenses produced record fourth-quarter returns to Lowell from the Motor Vehicle Highway Fund.

Kent County's share for the fourth quarter was \$1,189,747.

Snow Area

Mrs. S. P. Reynolds

Mrs. Bessie Dennett of Cascade, Mrs. Kenneth Fox, Mrs. Lloyd Bertran, Mrs. Seymour Dalstra and Mrs. Alice Reynolds attended the Day Apart service held at St. Paul's United Methodist Church 1st Thursday.

Sunday evening Mr. & Mrs. Lloyd Bertran visited Mr. and Mrs. William Fisher of Grand Rapids to see their aunt, Mrs. Jennie Fisher of Kaycee, Wyoming, who is visiting there at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. David Fluger and daughter of Lowell called on Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fox Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Blanding of Grand Rapids spent Saturday with their nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John Blanding.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fox were supper guests Friday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson of Lowell.

Sue Miller of Caledonia and Bill Yarrington of Lowell called on Mrs. Bob Miller Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Bessie Dennett of Cascade and Mrs. Alice Reynolds called on Mrs. Mary Wilbur of North Lowell Friday afternoon.

Saturday evening callers at the Kenneth Fox home were Mr. and Mrs. John Slater of Forest Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Dalstra and children were dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Dalstra.

Scouts Find Litter Control Discouraging

The boys of Scout Troop 290, Ada Congregational Church under the leadership of Donald Johnson undertook a civic clean up project last Saturday when they cleaned up litter along Colner Avenue and Hall Street from Cascade Road to Ada Drive.

In a short span of approximately 2 miles they collected enough litter and trash to completely fill a pick-up truck. Among the trash and litter were a goodly number of beer bottles and cans, baby crib mattress and an old discarded motor which was just tossed from cars.

It proved to be a rather discouraging endeavor though as upon inspection on Sunday, already there were many beer cans and litter along the same route.

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