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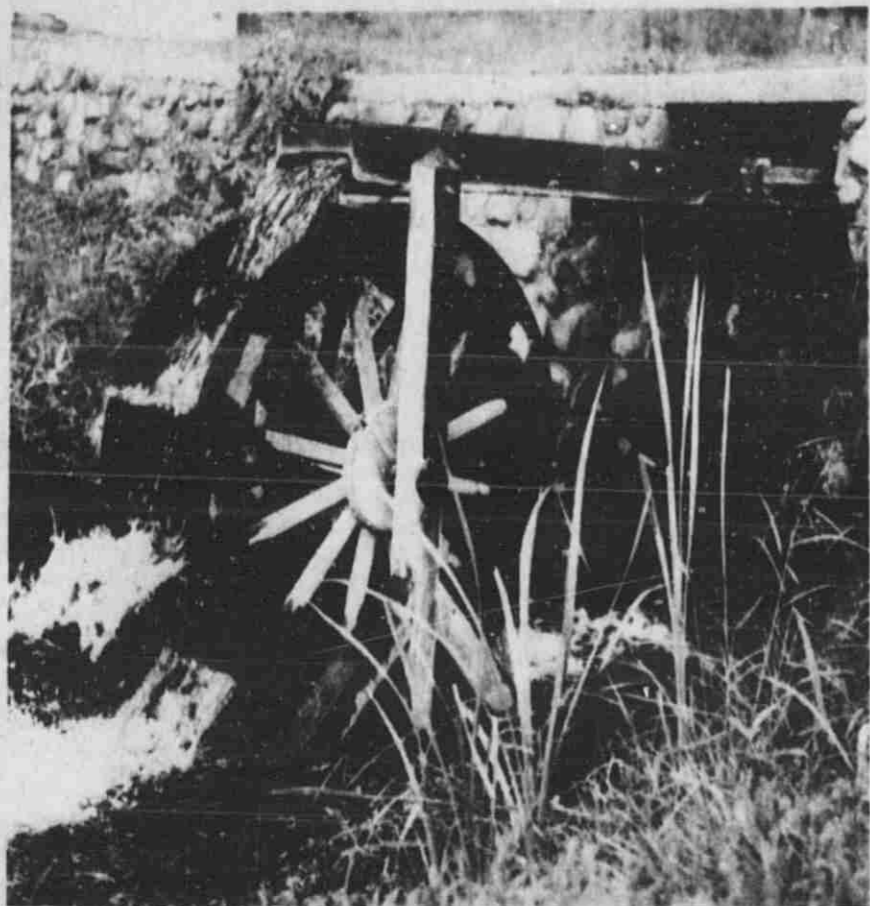
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**WHEEL, WHEEL** — There are many beautiful spots along Flat River and this unique waterwheel is one of them. Located above the Fallsburg Covered Bridge it has become a scenic subject for photographers, professional and amateur. This picture was taken in early Fall, but the photographers vow they will be back for a winter view of the water wheel. (Photo by Kevin Smith)

## Seek Clues to Theft from Ada Square Shops

Thieves who broke into the Ada Shopping Square and staged a series of raids in a supermarket, shops and offices are the objects of an extensive hunt today by Kent County Sheriff's Deputies.

The breaking and entering was discovered by Jack Kenniston, manager of the IGA market, when he reported for work Sunday. The break-in occurred sometime Saturday night.



I suppose you have to expect frost on the pumpkin when the calendar flips to the end of October... but I doubt seriously that the Smithy will ever really get used to the idea that you have to take the cold with the warm in this part of the country.

If I were to live my life over, chances are I would become a beachcomber on some South Pacific island paradise where it never gets hotter than 30 degrees... nor colder than 55 to 60!

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This is also the season when dark descends much too quickly and it becomes most difficult to see pedestrians.

We bring this to your attention this week because on Friday night the younger set will be out in full force tricking or treating.

If you must drive... please drive slowly. And carefully.

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Speaking of trick or treat, Hallowe'en sure isn't what it was when the Smithy was a pup. And that may all be for the best, too, come to think of it.

We lived out in a sparsely-settled area and there really weren't that many houses we could visit. So after an hour or so of "begging", most of the kids in the neighborhood would convene at one home and we'd all sit around sipping cider and eating donuts.

This, of course, was on Hallowe'en itself. For a few nights prior to the Big Night, we'd make the rounds with soap, what we called "window clackers" and an old pan with a spoon and raise more particular hobs than a small army!

Making those clackers was always a Hallowe'en ritual. For those not familiar with the item, it was made from an empty thread spool with notches cut in the edge. Usually a pencil or pen was inserted through the center and the spool would be wrapped with thread or string.

Then we'd go up to a house, press the spool against the window and pull on the string. The noise was enough to wake the dead!

Yep, Hallowe'en isn't what it used to be. Like we said, maybe that's just as well.

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While on the subject of seasons, don't you agree that we had a spectacular Indian Summer? The colors hereabout were something else again.

Tried to explain this to a few of our old cronies over Detroit way... but the only color they know is gray, like in smog! Thanks, but no thanks.

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Mrs. Andrew Vandenberg from Spaulding Avenue thinks a bird column is a good idea. Which should cheer up our friend John Ham. Anyone else?

## Auto Damaged in Saturday Crash

A two-car crash on Monroe Street near King sent Lowell police to the scene early Saturday morning.

According to the officers, a vehicle driven by Linda Marie Chivis, of 826 34th St., Wyoming, struck a car driven by Dale Leonard Finkler, of 413 Monroe. The Finkler car was badly damaged.

Mrs. Chivis was ticketed.

**ROSIE DRIVE INN** — This Week's Special: The Big Daddy, 49c. c-30

According to Deputy Larry Flynn of the Sheriff's detective squad, the crooks broke through a vent on the IGA roof and entered the compressor room. From there, they smashed a heavy door to get into the main store.

After locating the supermarket safe, the thieves moved it to the vegetable department, apparently to escape detection. They then broke the safe open the took an estimated \$500, but left tools, a crowbar, pieces of pipe and a broken mallet by the safe.

The marauders also entered the offices of Carrington, Johnson & Rittenger, Inc., and made off with 75 blank personal checks belonging to Robert J. Carrington.

The Carrington checks are numbered from 301 to 375, and the deputies warned business places to be on the lookout for persons trying to pass the checks.

Also raided was the Debonaire Shop, Inc., where Bernie Baer, the owner, said 60 checks were missing, and about \$100 and some merchandise was taken.

The shop took checks numbered 5828 to 5893 and used the Debonaire check protector to make them look authentic. Deputies also warned the public to watch for these altered checks.

Another business place that was hit was Jacques Beauty Salon, where \$15 in cash, a radio and clock were reported missing.

A barber shop at the shopping center also was entered, but nothing there was touched, officers reported.

## Believe Dryer Responsible for \$10,000 Blaze

A faulty clothes dryer was believed responsible for a weekend fire that caused approximately \$10,000 damage to a Cascade Township home.

Cascade Fire Chief Grover Buttrick said it took his department about two hours to extinguish the fire at the J. C. Mahoney residence at 3284 Thorncrest.

According to Chief Buttrick, Mrs. Mahoney had placed clothing in the dryer and left the house. When she returned, heat and smoke filled the utility room and the fire was spreading to other parts of the house.



**CONSERVATION IN ACTION** — Lowell students have initiated conservation programs this year and one of them involves beautification of Bushnell Elementary School. While Brian Woodhead wields the shovel, fellow students Brenda Starkweather, Jay Rickert, Randa Carey, Kathy Rogers and Chris Bieri look on. At the rear are elementary coordinator Dirk Venema, Principal Roger Buck and teachers Mrs. Dolores Gabrión, Mrs. Sue Beute and Mrs. Kay Lake.

## FH Schools OK Record \$2.6-Million Budget

The Forest Hills school budget for 1969-70 has been approved.

The board approved expenditures totaling a record \$2,636,342, of which almost 60 percent will go toward teachers salaries. Approximately \$906,000 is to be disbursed for elementary instruction; \$303,000 for the junior high, and \$638,000 for the high school.

Special Education will cost approximately \$24,000; summer school and adult education, \$46,000; administration \$95,000; and health services, \$950.

Transportation budgeting is for \$175,000 with operation at \$254,000, maintenance

at \$50,000 and fixed charges and interest at \$67,000.

In addition, capital outlay stands at \$54,000 and transfer accounts at \$24,000.

Receipts were listed at \$2,630,000 with the largest group coming from local taxes amounting to \$1,275,000 and State aid at \$1,238,000. Fifteen additional teachers were added to the payrolls this year.

During the regular board meeting requests for the sale of the old Ada elementary school and the lease of the old Orchard View elementary school were tabled until Superintendent Robert Masten receives offers in writing.

A request by a travel agency for sponsorship of tours by the school board to take place during vacation periods was denied.

Board members felt that they had no jurisdiction over parents and student activities while on vacation.

The board members did note that they thought the foreign travel a valid suggestion and approved the idea of after-school classes for language and customs study.

Since fall the board has hoped to encourage interscholastic sports for the girls of Forest Hills. In this regard, letters were written to neighboring high school

boards. Official replies have been received from both Northview and Wyoming school boards stating that they are definitely interested in such a program.

The series I bond issue is due to go on sale November 4 for the \$700,000 issue. Bids for the junior high addition will be taken on November 20.

Three new teachers have been hired. Mrs. Jacqueline Karless was replaced by Mrs. Grace Gunn and Miss Karen Klomparns will be teaching for Mrs. Marian Black. Miss Louise Erber will shortly begin her career at Ada elementary as a fourth grade teacher.

## Petitions 'Over Top' in Cascade

It appeared today that Cascade Township officials will "go over the top" in solicitation of signatures for petitions calling for creation of a special assessment district to operate the Cascade Dam.

Supervisor Al Heemstra said that approximately 130 of the required 152 signatures have been secured.

"Naturally, we would like an even greater representation of the 227 who own property abutting the Cascade Dam backwaters," said Heemstra, "and we urge property owners to sign petitions at the township office if they have not already done so."

Heemstra said that Drain Commissioner Frank Bouma, who is operating the Ada Dam under a special Circuit Court order, has been requested to lower the Ada backwaters to permit inspection of the spillway weir and apron at the Cascade facility.

The Cascade supervisor said a recent inspection by Fargo Engineering of Jackson, which took place when backwaters of the Cascade Dam were lowered, indicated the latter facility "is in excellent condition."

The water was lowered 10 feet which is still 17 feet above the level of the Thronapple River before Consumers Power built the dam... and Heemstra said several residents reported that wells have dried up.

"Imagine what would happen if the dam was vacated and the river returned to its normal level," Heemstra declared.

Heemstra said that present projections indicate the special assessment district, if approved by eventual court order following an OK by property owners, could be created at a cost of 22 cents per front of benefitting property for the first year of operation.

Included in the first-year cost, he said, would be monies to repay the township for inspection costs.

Heemstra said he was gratified with the response of township citizens to the move to save the Cascade backwaters.

"We know now that folks are interested in saving the Cascade pond," he declared.

Heemstra said that much of the machinery for creating the special assessment district and for maintaining the dam under the Lake Levels Act should be set in motion smoothly once citizen approval is given.

"We are following almost to the letter the formula established in creating the Ada Dam assessment district," he noted.



**DOUBLE DOUBLE** — Twin cheerleaders may not be unusual, but two sets on the same squad is. Shown above representing Lowell High School are Lynette and Laurie Swan (front) and Sharon and Sheila Blossom.

## Chief Nabs Escapee

At about 4:30 Monday afternoon as Lowell Police Chief Barry Emmons was about to go off duty for the day, an "all-points" bulletin was issued from Ionia.

The broadcast warned law enforcement agencies to be on the lookout for an escapee from the Ionia Reformatory.

Chief Emmons was headed for home and had been on the highway but a few minutes when he noticed a young fellow who fitted the description of the escapee, trying to hitch a ride from westbound motorists.

The chief swung his car around, caught up with the boy, and ordered him into the car. The youth admitted he had "walked away" from the reformatory.

Emmons brought him back to Lowell, called Ionia and shortly after six o'clock turned the escapee over to reformatory authorities.

Which was a signal for the police chief to again head for home... and this time without incident.

## Planners Tailor West Side to Meet Expected Growth

Advised by Planning Consultant John Paul Jones that Lowell should anticipate a population growth of 2,000 in the Valley Vista area in the very near future, the city's Planning Commission set up boundary lines and zoning regulations for the area at its monthly meeting Monday.

The Planning Commission move followed recommendations submitted by a special committee made up of Commissioners Carlen Anderson, chairman, Philip Johnson and William Doyle.

The boundary lines for the Valley Vista area development were set with Aiden Nash as the west boundary, Gee and Foreman Streets at the north, the C&O railroad to the east, and M-21 (Main St.) on the south.

The special committee recommended that M-21 west be zoned for professional buildings only, with provisions for apartment buildings immediately north of the office buildings.

The area north and west of the office buildings and apartments should be zoned for single homes, the committee recommended.

The area west of the Root-Lowell plant and south of Foreman Rd., should be zoned from residential to industrial, it was recommended.

Douglas Dok, director of the Lowell

Development Co., indicated approval of the plan, but reserved final decision until engineers reviewed the recommendations for technical reasons.

In other action, the Planning Commission

denied a request of William DeVries for the rezoning of properties for construction of additional trailers adjacent to the Lowell Mobile Home Park which he recently purchased.

## Cascade Soldier Awarded Bronze Star for Valor

Outstanding heroism plus general professional performance in the conduct of his duties as a member of the United States Army have earned two impressive citations for Sgt. Victor S. Stanley.

Sgt. Stanley was awarded the Bronze Star with "U" Device for distinguishing himself in combat in Vietnam on September 4, 1969, when he brought his tank in close relationship to an enemy bunker and silenced their guns with effective close range fire from the tank.

He also exposed himself under combat conditions to move to the rear deck of the tank and put out M-79 fire. When the tank commander was wounded, Sgt. Stanley directed the vehicle's fire and personally eliminated a 51 caliber machine gun position.

The citation continues: "His valorous actions contributed immeasurably to the thwarting of the enemy force. Sgt. Stanley's bravery, aggressiveness and devotion to duty are in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflect great credit upon himself, his unit, the 25th Infantry Division, and the United States Army."

Sgt. Stanley was also awarded the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious achievement while serving in Vietnam.



**SGT. STANLEY**

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Stanley of 5412 Cascade Road SE.

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## Community Calendar

**Monday, November 3:**  
Cascade Township board meeting, 8 p.m., township hall.  
Lowell Township board meeting, 7:30 p.m., township hall.  
City of Lowell Council meeting, 8 p.m., city hall.  
Vergeries Township board meeting, 8 p.m., township hall.

**Tuesday, November 4:**  
Grand Rapids Township board meeting, 7:30 p.m., township hall.

### Promotion Announced

Amway Corporation of Ada today announced the promotion of Richard A. Myers, of 1103 Kearsaw SE to manager of the sales and promotional Aids Department.

Since joining Amway in 1965 Myers has established a system for organizing all company sponsored meetings throughout the United States and Canada, and also as general chairman of Amway's last two annual international conventions.

A native of Baltimore, Md., he has lived most of his life in Grand Rapids. He attended Ottawa High School and Davenport Business College. He also served in the U. S. Navy for four years. The Myers family includes his wife, Barbara, and their two children.

### FAMILY BOWLING

Tips on how the whole family can enjoy the growing sport of bowling are offered in George Sullivan's new book, "The Complete Book of Family Bowling," which is now available at the Kent County Library, Lowell Branch.

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## School Board

Regular Meeting October 13, 1969.  
Meeting called to order at 7:35 p.m. by President Reagan.

Roll Call - Members Present: Reagan, Metternick, Gerard, Jones, Rivette, Siegle, Shade.  
Members Absent: None.

Motion by Rivette and second by Metternick to approve the minutes of the Regular Meeting held on September 8, 1969.

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

Motion by Siegle and second by Gerard to approve payment of bills as listed.

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

### OLD BUSINESS

1. Motion by Gerard and second by Siegle to adopt the budget revised on October 7, 1969, as the official school budget for the 1969-70 school year.

Ayes: Rivette, Shade, Gerard, Siegle, Jones, Metternick.

Nays: None.  
Motion Carried.

2. Opening of bus insurance bids.

Bidder Company Bid  
Mr. Colby Colby Insurance No Bid  
Mr. Noffke State Farm No Bid  
Mr. Dale Johnson Farm Bureau \$2,068.20  
Mr. Peter Speerstra Johnson \$2,951.89  
Mr. Jack Beggs Spencer, Ritinger \$3,034.00

Motion by Rivette and second by Shade to turn bids over to the Insurance Committee with power to act.

Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

(The Insurance Committee chose the lower bid by Farm Bureau.)

### NEW BUSINESS

1. A general report was given by the following faculty members on vocational education: Mrs. McMahon, Mr. Brennan, Stegheuis, Rivers and Gilbert.

2. Motion by Metternick and second by Shade to authorize the high school administration to issue a limited number of athletic passes to those full-time employees who request them from the high school office on the day of a game and for that game only; also, to issue a limited number of passes to those citizens of the community who donate much time and service.

Ayes: 6. Nays: 1. Motion Carried.

3. Motion by Rivette and second by Siegle to purchase and install a fire door between the boiler room and cafeteria room as directed by the insurance company. Costs will be compared and we will do the best we can.

Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

4. We have received approval of our Title I program for a total of \$14,401.

5. The Type A special education program has been approved. The amount depends upon the enrollment as of December 15, 1969.

6. Motion by Siegle and second by Metternick to hold Graduation on Sunday, June 7, 1970.

Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

7. Mr. Bacon, City Manager, reports that 925 feet of sewer along school frontage is going to be installed. The total cost of the 925 feet would be \$3,422.50. If the school chose to participate, its share would be \$2,867.50 and could be paid in five installments. The school is not legally obligated to pay this assessment since it did not petition to have the work done. Mr. Bacon also stated that the school is not obligated, but that sometimes schools do participate.

Motion by Rivette and second by Gerard to not participate in paying for the sewer installation.

Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

8. The procedure of renting facilities to community groups who use school regularly (Lowell YMCA, Alto Men's Club, etc.) was reviewed.

9. Visitors were recognized.

Motion by Shade and second by Siegle to adjourn at 10:15 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,  
Harold Metternick Secretary

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Failure to have the doctor's order for drugs filled was either open ("I couldn't afford it right then") or hidden ("I must have lost it somewhere"), but it often reflected a fear of illness that was greater than the fear of pain. You'd be surprised how many people are convinced that they have a hidden cancer, and will not be comforted by a pill or by any other explanation of their discomfort.

Sometimes a medication is so unpleasant that the patient stops taking it. Or, as Dr. Bertman Moss points out in "Caring for the Aged," a stout or elderly person may find it too difficult to self-administer a suppository. Instead of leaving the medicine on the shelf, the patient should call the doctor and ask to have another drug prescribed, or for another method of taking the medicine. It may be better taken after a meal instead of before, or with milk instead of water, or as a solid tablet instead of as a liquid.

And very often, as soon as the patient feels better he "forgets" to take the medicine needed to keep his disorder in line.

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## Valiant Efforts to Save Girl Prove Fruitless

A 17-year-old Ada girl is dead despite valiant efforts of a neighbor couple and the Cascade Township Fire department's rescue unit to keep her alive.

Patricia Hirt, a senior at Forest Hills High School, was pronounced dead by Kent County Medical Examiner Henry Kruelen at Blodgett Hospital at 12:45 Saturday afternoon.

Cascade Fire Chief Grover Buttrick said his department managed to keep the girl alive with a resuscitating machine after Joseph Popma and his wife, Alberta, applied mouth-to-mouth resuscitation following an accident of unknown nature in the Birb home at 7461 Thorncrest SE.

The Popmas found the girl after her brother, Charles, rushed from the home seeking assistance.

According to Buttrick, it was at least twenty-five to thirty minutes before an ambulance was on the scene. One vehicle had been immediately dispatched, but had mechanical trouble on the way so that another ambulance had to be sent, delaying the victim's arrival at the hospital, Buttrick said.

## Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

Though the Cascade Township meeting held to discuss the future of the power dam was well conducted, the people were limited in the time allotted for discussion, thus preventing an in-depth exploration of salient alternatives.

One man, addressed as "Larry" by the chairman, mentioned a pertinent point centered on Consumers Power Company's stake in the final decision. He was not afforded sufficient time to go to the root of his thought.

Legally, there seems to be no question concerning Consumers right to remove the dam and return the water level to its original course. Since this is a profit-oriented business, we should not seek aid based on moral issues, if indeed, there be one. On the other hand we should not be placed in a position of fearful intimidation with the threat of demolition.

The problem should be viewed objectively by the people of the township, the county, and those most directly affected—the property owners with frontage on the impoundment and Consumers Power Co. Consumers is concerned with economy for their company. The people are concerned with both cost and economy for themselves, as well as the esthetic benefits.

Removal of the dam by Consumers would be costly and would deprive the township, the schools and the county

## Lowell Firm Cited for UF Pledge

The 80 employees of the Newell Manufacturing Co., of Lowell, who contributed to the 1969 United Fund drive, were cited today for outstanding donations in the industrial field, according to Melville R. Biswell, general UF campaign chairman.

"This Lowell firm's employees increased their gift ten-fold in 1969," Biswell said. Also given credit by UF officials is the work of local Rotary and Lion clubs, who are in charge of solicitation of area industrial and business firms.

The 1969 United Fund drive had reached 63% of its goal as of last weekend, but official figures as of Wednesday of this week indicated that over 70% of the \$2,275,000 had been attained.

Mrs. Samuel Tamminga, UF residential division chairman made an appeal today to all out-county solicitors in the residential sections to report the results of their calls as soon as possible.

Volunteer workers are reminded that they may drop off reports at any branch office of the United Fund, at the bank of Union, Old Kent, Central or the Michigan National Bank or at campaign headquarters, Lyon St. at Division, in Grand Rapids.

## Errant Motorist Picks Wrong Crash Target

There's an old saying that goes "never strike an officer."

Apparently it's one that Arthur R. Ketchpaw of Houseman N.E. failed to learn well.

At 7:28 a.m. Sunday, Deputy Ron Dittmar of the Kent County Sheriff's Department was stopped at a red light at the corner of the East Bellline and Fulton. Glancing in his rear-view mirror, he saw a car approaching at a great rate of speed.

The car slammed into the rear of the cruiser and caused extensive damage. Deputy Dittmar suffered whiplash and Ketchpaw received chest bruises and head abrasions when almost thrown through the window.

Dittmar reports that the driver did not appear to be very steady when removed from the car. After release from the hospital, Ketchpaw was arrested for driving while under the influence of liquor.

### NEW CONTROL DEVICE

Soon on the market: a pocket-sized thermostat that a home owner can carry around from room to room to control his furnace by radio.

of half a million or more dollars in tax base. Retention of the dam will preserve at least half that base even if the assessment levied against the dam were eliminated. Future growth would be encouraged by its retention, and ultimately make up the write-off.

Consumers Power Co. could well afford to place an amount equal to the cost of demolition in a trust to the township or county and the interest income would serve to largely offset the annual maintenance cost. The savings of tax base would more than cover the difference, through continued tax revenue.

Consumers would lose nothing more than the cost of demolition which they would lose if it were destroyed and the people of Kent County would retain the benefits they have enjoyed as a supplement to the power companies operation for many years.

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RETURNS POUR IN - Congressman Jerry Ford is literally swamped by the return of questionnaires from Kent and Ionia county residents which the U.S. representative had sent out several months ago. Key issues of 1969 were the subject of the questionnaire.

## Ada Board to Consider City Water

The possibility of eventually hooking up with Grand Rapids for extension of water and sewer lines occupied much of Monday night's bi-monthly meeting of the Ada Township board.

The board indicated it will consider future negotiations for the two vital services following a recommendation that this avenue be the most feasible system for Ada Township.

Although it was felt that no immediate urgency is due, there is the possibility that the time will come when the present sewage lagoons will be overtaxed, board members noted. The question raised for discussion with the Grand Rapids engineers was whether the sewage could be pumped to that city.

Ray Bruggink of Moore and Bruggink was present and reviewed studies that his firm has been making for the township. This included a feasibility study of an extension to the present line on Ada Drive west as far as Paradise Lake Road, a distance of 4,610 feet. To go beyond further would require a lift station, according to Bruggink.

His recommendation was that the township complete its plans and apply for grant assistance in the spring. All communities requesting this kind of state aid must have their plans on file by September 15, 1970. Allocations of money from the anti-pollution bond issue will be made the following January.

Water also came under discussion as a possible storage tank located in question. Five dollars a month at present rates.

## South Boston Mrs. Belle Young

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Fahmi visited in the Ionia Memorial Hospital Sunday.

Mrs. Ray Ruttenberg of Greenville spent a couple of days last week with Mrs. Myrtle Klahn.

Mrs. June Fahmi and Carol attended the golden wedding open house for Mr. and Mrs. Nihil Cross (Lillian Geiger) at Etrian Sunday, October 14.

Mrs. Ray Leese of Grand Rapids called on Belle and Alice Young Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wittenbach assisted with the registration of delegates at the state Grange meeting in Ionia last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Blough and daughter spent the weekend in Missouri where Arthur took part in a motorcycle contest.

Marcia Guild is visiting her sister, Mrs. Dennis Fahmi.

South Boston Extension club met Tuesday at the Mrs. June Fahmi home with a good attendance. Following the 1:30 potluck dinner the lesson on "Deo-arama" was given by Mrs. Fahmi and Mrs. Eldora Graham.

The local Farm Bureau group, known as the Jolly Neighbors, was represented by the following members at the 53th anniversary meeting Monday evening in the Rafter School building at Ionia: Cecil Taylor, Gerald Kyser, Chas. Austin, Wayne Stuart, Paul Wittenbach and wives, also Evan Graham, Wilbur Young, Mrs. Myrtle Klahn, Mrs. June Fahmi and Carol and Mr. and Mrs. Sawbe.

## Mobile Home Park Sold to Comstock Park Man

The purchase of the Lowell Mobile Home Park by William DeVries of Comstock Park has been announced. The park has been owned and operated by Mrs. Mildred (Kloosterman) Belovs for many years.

DeVries, 33, is active in civic and church groups in Comstock Park where he lives with his wife and four children. His hobbies are fishing and hunting.

He has ten years experience in the mobile home business and is a partner with his father, William J. DeVries, in another mobile home venture, Pioneer Park.

DeVries, who took over on September 1, said there will be no changes in policy.

## Celebrate Silver Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Danoski of 715 Chrysler Street, Kalamazoo, observed their silver wedding anniversary recently by renewing their marriage vows at St. Mary's Catholic Church there.

Friends also surprised them with a party at the Knights of Columbus Hall and generous unexpected gifts: their nuptial vows on Oct. 4, 1944 in Lowell.

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Mrs. Neal (Florence) VanderPearle was appointed a Deputy Treasurer and duly bonded. The clerk and deputy clerk were also bonded.

In explanation of 1969 property taxes, a mileage sheet showing breakdowns of various figures will be printed on the backs of tax bills, Clancy reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Intrain are pleased to announce the arrival on October 20 of a son, Gregory Joseph, weighing nine pounds. Mrs. Intrain is the former Mary Alice Speerstra.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Abel are proud to announce the birth of a daughter, Angelina, weighing 7 lbs., 10½ oz. The Abel's are Saranac residents.

## THRILLS ADVENTURE

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- "Alpine World U.S.A." JOHN FOWLER SATURDAY, JANUARY 10, 1970
- "BALI" CHRIS BORDEN SATURDAY, JANUARY 31, 1970
- "Scotland Afore Ye" JONATHAN HAGAR SATURDAY, MARCH 7, 1970
- "KANTUTA" EDUARD & NINA INGRIS SATURDAY, APRIL 4, 1970
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Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Fahmi visited in the Ionia Memorial Hospital Sunday.

Mrs. Ray Ruttenberg of Greenville spent a couple of days last week with Mrs. Myrtle Klahn.

Mrs. June Fahmi and Carol attended the golden wedding open house for Mr. and Mrs. Nihil Cross (Lillian Geiger) at Etrian Sunday, October 14.

Mrs. Ray Leese of Grand Rapids called on Belle and Alice Young Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wittenbach assisted with the registration of delegates at the state Grange meeting in Ionia last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Blough and daughter spent the weekend in Missouri where Arthur took part in a motorcycle contest.

Marcia Guild is visiting her sister, Mrs. Dennis Fahmi.

South Boston Extension club met Tuesday at the Mrs. June Fahmi home with a good attendance. Following the 1:30 potluck dinner the lesson on "Deo-arama" was given by Mrs. Fahmi and Mrs. Eldora Graham.

The purchase of the Lowell Mobile Home Park by William DeVries of Comstock Park has been announced. The park has been owned and operated by Mrs. Mildred (Kloosterman) Belovs for many years.

DeVries, 33, is active in civic and church groups in Comstock Park where he lives with his wife and four children. His hobbies are fishing and hunting.

He has ten years experience in the mobile home business and is a partner with his father, William J. DeVries, in another mobile home venture, Pioneer Park.

DeVries, who took over on September 1, said there will be no changes in policy.

Mrs. Neal (Florence) VanderPearle was appointed a Deputy Treasurer and duly bonded. The clerk and deputy clerk were also bonded.

In explanation of 1969 property taxes, a mileage sheet showing breakdowns of various figures will be printed on the backs of tax bills, Clancy reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Intrain are pleased to announce the arrival on October 20 of a son, Gregory Joseph, weighing nine pounds. Mrs. Intrain is the former Mary Alice Speerstra.

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# Arrows Seek 3rd Win in Friday's Grid Finale

The 1969 season comes to a close this Friday night for Lowell High School's football team with 16 departing seniors scheduled to make their final appearance in Red and White mole skins.

To say the least, it has been a frustrating campaign for the Arrows... with a mere 16 points separating the difference between a possible championship in the Tri-River Conference or an also-ran position.

"I don't believe I've ever gone through a season quite like this one," explained head coach Al Rowe. "The attitude of the players has been one of champions and they have played well enough to win it all. Most of the mistakes belong to the coaching staff."

The record heading into the finale against Cooperville at Recreation Park at 7:30 p.m. is two wins, four losses and one tie... the latter against Rockford, which wrapped up its third straight Tri-River championship last week.

This will also mark Cooperville's final league grid appearance. Next season Cooperville will join Rockford as members of the Ottawa-Kent Conference.

Lowell's fourth defeat came last Friday at the hands of Belvidere by a 26-20 score and it was simply a matter of too much Dave Loper for the Arrows.

Loper passed and ran the Redskins to the triumph and Belvidere's huge line broke through to stop Lowell runners on several crucial plays that changed the complexion of the game.

Loper connected on six of seven passes for an impressive 145 yards and even his other pass found a receiver in the form of Lowell's Jim Herbel.

The interception came immediately after Lowell had moved to an 8-0 lead midway in the opening quarter. The Arrows took the kickoff and marched 53 yards to paydirt on 12 plays.

Halfback Pete Olson broke over tackle for the score from one yard out and gathered in a pass from Quarterback Mitch McMahon for two points. Olson also caught an 11-yard pass from McMahon during the drive.

## LHS Statistics

	L	B
First downs	13	12
by rushing	6	9
by passing	5	3
by penalty	2	0
Yards gained rushing	79	154
Yards gained passing	100	145
Passes attempted by	14	7
Passes completed by	8	6
Passes intercepted by	1	2
Opp. fumbles rec. by	0	2
Punts	4	1
Punting average	31	35
Yards penalized	13	40
Lowell	8	0
Belvidere	0	12

Late in the quarter, Belvidere pinned Lowell deep in its own territory following an exchange of punts and Ray Smith's second punt was returned by Loper to the Lowell 25. Five plays later, Loper pegged a nine-yard TD strike to Halfback Ben Nelson. The attempt for extra points failed.

Belvidere took the lead for good with 2:29 left in the half when...

## LHS Harriers Fourth

Lowell High School's cross country team placed fourth in the Tri-River Conference meet held last week at Green Ridge Country Club.

The Red Arrows picked up 106 points, well behind champion Sparta, which added the conference title to its 7-0 dual meet record by scoring 36 points. Rockford was second with 77 points and Cooperville third with 81. Sparta's Steve Okonen was clocked in 9:53 to take individual honors.

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Loper again passed for nine yards, this time to End Roger Jackson, but the Redskins again failed to convert the extra point.

Lowell had one opportunity just before the intermission to cash in on a Belvidere fumble, which was recovered by Guard Gordy Kelly, but after a McMahon pass to End Ted Hoeselt gained five yards to the Belvidere 7, the Redskins forward wall chased McMahon for a 14-yard loss as time ran out.

Belvidere wasted no time getting on the scoreboard in the second half. On the second play from scrimmage following a pair of penalties against both teams, Loper connected on a pass to Jackson good for 57 yards and six points.

Lowell came back to make it 16-14 with 4:35 left in the third quarter, driving 69 yards on 13 plays, including passes good for seven and 17 yards from McMahon to flanker Denny DeWitt and excellent ball carrying by Olsen and Fullback

# Sports

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**HIGH HURDLER** — Fullback Ken Roth leaps over the outstretched leg of teammate Pete Olson (23) and gets some blocking help from Denny DeWitt (10) en route to an eighty-yard gain against Belvidere. Despite this effort, Lowell High dropped a 26-20 decision to the Redskins. Photo by Kevin Smith.

## Lions Face Spartans in 'A' Title Playoff

Forest Hills Lions will meet Godwin Spartans this Saturday night at 7:30 at Kellogg Field in a Class A playoff for the South Kent Recreation League football championship.

In the Class B playoffs, Forest Hills Badgers drew a bye and will play at a later date.

Last Saturday, Forest Hills Rangers defeated Newhall Lions by a whopping score of 32-0 in Class A. Until that time the Lions had been the league leaders. Don Wilson, hard-running fullback, scored three Ranger touchdowns on runs of 35, 11 and 15 yards. The other touchdowns were made on passes of fifty-five and sixty yards from Steve Heneveld to Steve Hiestutter.

The Forest Hills Lions shut out the Kentwood Camibals, 26-0. Don Bigelow scored one of the touchdowns, another came with an intercepted pass by Tony Grochowalski who went fifty yards to cross the line and Dan Falkner's pitch-out to Tracey Collins set up a touchdown by Mike Van Aman.

In Class B, the Forest Hills Jets tripped the Kentwood Redskins, 19-6. Dave Whittenbach made two touchdowns, one on a fifty yard run. Steve Vickers intercepted a pass and ran sixty yards for a TD. In another B game, Forest Hills Badgers defeated Wyoming Cowboys, 34-0.

The Forest Hills Rams lost to the Lowell "Y", 6-0.

The Kentwood Cougars, a Class C team, blanked Forest Hills Wildcats, 14-0, and Kentwood Wolf Pack beat Forest Hills Commanders, 20-13.

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## Prep Grid Standings, Results

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Rockford	5	W	6
Greenville	4	L	0
Belvidere	4	W	1
Cedar Springs	3	W	1
Sparta	3	L	0
LOWELL	2	L	0
Cooperville	2	L	0
Comstock Park	2	L	0
Forest Hills	1	L	0
Kenwood	1	L	0
Hudsonville	1	L	0
Rogers	0	L	0

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# Rangers Unbeatable on Road; Offensive Line Finally Jells

There are more than a few professional coaches... the Lions' Joe Schmidt among them... who should ask Frank Rosengren what it takes to win on the road.

Four times this season, Rosengren has led his Forest Hills football team to victory away from the friendly confines of the home field.

Of course, Rosengren might like to know, in return, what it takes to win at home... where the Rangers have dropped all three encounters to date.

Forest Hills boosted its season record to 4-3 with a 34-32 win over Hudsonville last Friday and will seek to clinch a winning mark for the 1969 campaign in another road contest this Friday night at West Ottawa. The Rangers then close out the season on November 7 with a home clash against O-K Blue Division champion Northview.

Rosengren had high praise for his offensive line, which barely resembles the unit that opened the season in September.

"The work of Jim Gallagher and Clarence Jagt at right end and right tackle really has been outstanding... especially when you consider that neither had much experience before this year," said Rosengren.

"We also got a great offensive game out of guys like George McCarg and Jim Meier at the guards, Bob Roy at center and Dick Powell and Dave Buell at the other tackle and end," he added.

Guard Tom Ewing and Halfback Ken Strohmeier won Rosengren's praise on defense along with Meier and Roy.

Fullback Craig Wynant turned in the biggest game of his prep career as the 175-pound junior fullback smashed for four touchdowns and 234 yards rushing on 29 carries.

Included was a 14-yard off tackle romp that gave Forest Hills its clinching touchdown with less than eight minutes remaining in the game.

That made the score 34-24, but Hudsonville cashed in on still another score with 3:45 to go before Forest Hills managed to run out the clock with the aid of a 34-yard fourth down run by Halfback Doug Griffith.

Griffith added 181 yards rushing on 20 carries to Wynant's outstanding contribution as Forest Hills piled up a whopping 440 yards on the ground.

Wynant's first score came in the first quarter on a 17-yard burst over center that culminated a quick 70-yard drive in seven plays. Wynant also scored the extra points to give the Rangers an 8-0 lead.

Quarterback Randy Vruggin passed to End Gary Bosch for 13 yards to put Hudsonville on the board and ran the extra points across for an 8-8 tie.

Wynant blasted over center early in the second quarter and rambled 96 yards to the Rangers' second score, then ran the extra points again for a 16-8 lead.

However, a Vruggin-to-Randy Lammers pass for 13 yards and a successful extra point run knotted matters again at 16-16 midway through the second stanza.

The first of two interceptions by Strohmeier set up Wynant's third TD run, good for seven yards, that enabled Forest Hills to take a 22-16 lead to the locker room at halftime.

A seven-yard payoff pass from Quarterback Ron VanderBaan to Halfback Bill Vekasi boosted the margin to 28-16 but Vruggin ran 25 yards around end for another Hudsonville score to make it 28-24 late in the third period.

A second interception by Strohmeier deep in Hudsonville territory gave the Rangers excellent field position for their final tally, on which Wynant went 14 yards off tackle.

Vruggin passed to Lammers again, this time for 26 yards, then ran the extra points to close the gap to 34-32.

VanderBaan turned in a strong effort at quarterback, completing six of nine passes for 62 yards.

Wyoming Park emerged as O-K Division champion, stretching its conference record to 6-0 while snapping Godwin Heights' win streak at five, 24-8, in their title showdown game.

	FH	H
First downs	16	10
by rushing	12	6
by passing	3	3
by penalty	1	1
Yards gained rushing	440	146
Yards gained passing	62	94
Passes attempted by	9	15
Passes completed by	6	6
Fumbles by	2	0
Fumbles recovered by	3	1
Yards penalized	2	2
	50	15
Forest Hills	14	6
Hudsonville	8	8

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### POWDER PUFF FOOTBALL

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On Friday afternoon at 3 p.m., the Forest Hills High School football field will be the scene of a much-anticipated Powder Puff football game.

Senior and junior girls will be pitted against each other in an exhibition game for which they have been practicing for three weeks.

Although the name of the game has been touch-football, the participants have returned home from the practice sessions mud covered and begrimed.

Coaches Roger Worfel and Fritz Chapel have been working to perfect their teams for the championship contest. Both are teachers at the high school.

Playing for the seniors are Janet Berg, Karen Zimmer, Sue Witzel, Carrie Ellis, Carleen Smith and Debbie Scoles along with Sandy Krampe, Colly Doyle, Kathy Ward, Karen Pitcher, and Jean Chamberlain.

The junior team will see Becky Grant, Chris Bishop, Shirley Abrbing, Barb Berry, and Debbie DeVieger on the field with Sue Riddings, Dawn Rich, Judy Trompen, and Sara Seidman. In addition, Gwen Jones, Joanne Valenti, Cheryl Huisgen, Rudi Behler, and Karen Fratke are planning to give their all for the team.

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"If you are a man unaccustomed to physical exertion and you must hunt, be moderate and reasonable in the exertions which accompany it.

"Again and again, it has been demonstrated that men in poor physical condition incur an increased risk of heart attack—sometimes a greatly increased risk—when they undergo intense physical exertion," says Dr. Green.

"One thing you should do now is get an examination from your doctor and, with his approval, begin some moderate exercising."

He listed some other reminders for hunters: Don't run to duck blinds or after game. Don't get chilled or overheated. If you kill a deer, don't try to drag or carry it out yourself. Don't stay out until you are exhausted. Don't spend the night drinking and playing poker, but if you do, take it easy the next day.

If you have a heart condition or are taking medication, tell other members of your party. Don't hunt alone. Don't overclothe yourself; choose lightweight but warm clothing.

"All these don'ts," said Dr. Green, "perhaps add up to another don't: Don't suffer a heart attack."

### Schedule Book Fair

The Annual Book Fair, sponsored by the Collins-Martin PTA, will be held at the two schools on November 5, 6, 7 and 10.

Children will be able to select and purchase books from 9:11-30 a.m. and 1-3:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, but will only be able to purchase them during the morning hours on Monday, November 10.

The book fair, held in cooperation with the Allen Book Store, enables the schools to order new books from the process.

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## JR. HI-Y CLUBS NAME NEW OFFICERS

The seventh and eighth grade Jr. Hi-Y clubs, sponsored by the Lowell YMCA, elected officers for the 1969-70 season at a recent meeting.

Selected as officers of the seventh grade club were: president, Mike Hendrick; vice president, Scott McNeal; secretary, Chris Briggs; and treasurer, Jim Hall.

Members of the eighth grade club voted into office were: president, Mike Blough; vice president, Ken Thomet; secretary, Kevin McMahon; and treasurer, Phil Gerard.

The Hi-Y club program is for boys in the seventh and eighth grades, approximately 12 to 14 years of age. Its members are interested in promoting the best and most worthwhile activities including service-to-the community, money-making projects, and special activities.

Any boy in the Lowell area interested in joining either of the clubs can obtain further information by calling Al Eaman, club advisor, at 897-9672.

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Becky Mockerman, Reporter

Legal Notices

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PUBLICATION ORDER File No. 119-493

IT IS ORDERED that on November 18, 1969, at 10:00 A.M. in the Probate Court, Grand Rapids, Michigan, a hearing be held on the petition of Marion E. Rutherford for appointment of an administrator for a decedent of her estate.

DALE STOPPELS Judge of Probate

Notice

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on November 17, 1969, between the hours of 7:30 P.M. and 9:00 P.M., the Grand Rapids Township Zoning Board will hold a public hearing at the township offices located at 1536 East Beltline Avenue, N.E., Grand Rapids, Michigan, concerning an Ordinance to amend the Zoning Ordinance for Grand Rapids Township.

1. Permit the construction of apartments and townhouses meeting specified requirements, in a transition area, within 360 feet of the side yard or rear yard of any property which is zoned for commercial or industrial uses...

Public Notice

GRAND RAPIDS TOWNSHIP NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Act 188 of the Public Acts of 1954 Grand Rapids Township intends to make a public improvement by the construction and installation of sanitary sewers and water mains abutting the following described street:

Midland Drive from East Beltline Avenue to the east end and in private property to the east line of Cascadia Dells No. 1 Plat.

The estimated cost of the improvement is \$62,515.

The township further proposes to create a Special Assessment District to pay for the cost of the construction and installation of sanitary sewers and water mains in the above-described street to consist of those lands in Midland Drive from the East Beltline to the east end and in private property to the east line of Cascadia Dells No. 1 Plat, which includes the following properties:

For Sanitary Sewers: Lot 15, Cascadia Dells Plat, Section 26, Town 7 North, Range 11 West, Grand Rapids Township, Kent County, Michigan.

For Watermains: Lots 57 to 72 inclusive, Cascadia Dells No. 1 Plat, Section 26, Town 7 North, Range 11 West, Grand Rapids Township, Kent County, Michigan.

A map showing the properties to be made into this Special Assessment District, plans for the construction and installation of the proposed sanitary sewers and water mains and estimates of the cost thereof are on file with the Township Clerk and may be examined at the Township Hall, 1536 East Beltline Avenue, N.E., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49505.

Ada Congregational Sponsors Film Series

Once again the travogue series that is annually brought to this community by the Ada Congregational Church will give armchair views of sights and adventures around the world.

On Saturday, November 22, at 8:00 p.m. Robin Williams brings "Eternal Rome" to the multi-purpose room of the Forest Hills High School.

Other film and their showings will include John Ford's "Alpine World, U.S.A.," Chris Bonden with "Bali," and Jonathan Hagar presenting "Scotland Afore Ye."

The unusual film "Kantuta" will be shown by Edward and Nina Ingis followed by the exciting "Welcome New Zealand" with Bob O'Reilly.

A season ticket plan which allows the holder to use his admissions as he wishes will cost adults \$6 for six admissions and students \$5.00 for the same number of seats.

For further information call or write to: Mrs. Roe Niles, 4803 Luxemburg S.E., Grand Rapids, 949-3115; Mrs. Orson Weaver, 7369 Thornapple River Drive, Ada, 676-5811; or Mrs. Donald Johnson, 6039 Hill, Grand Rapids, 949-1831.

Members Plan Festivities Honoring Anniversary

The members of the Elm Dale Church of the Nazarene will celebrate the 50th anniversary of the church on November 2.

Services will be held all day, with something special planned for each one from the children's service at 10 a.m. The Junior Choir will sing at the 11 a.m. service.

Spooking at the afternoon service, beginning at 3 p.m., will be Dr. Fred J. Hawk, District Superintendent. Robert Stiles of Sparta will present special music at this service.

Lunch will be served at the Clarksville Fire Barn following the afternoon service for those who would like to attend.

Several former pastors are planning to attend the evening services beginning at 7 p.m. Special music will again be featured.

A cordial invitation to attend is extended to everyone by the planning committee.

METAL FOR THE MADAM! Gowns created from copper, brass, aluminum and stainless steel appeared recently in a Philadelphia fashion show.

Obituaries

Funeral services for Roy T. Spickler, of Lowell, were held at 1 p.m. Tuesday at the Roth Funeral Home, Interment Oakwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Spickler, at age 85, passed away Sunday in a Lowell nursing home.

He is survived by a son, Robert; three grandchildren; several nieces and nephews.

Services for George M. Zvoivas, a well known chef in the Grand Rapids and Battle Creek area, were held Saturday at the Roth Funeral Home, with the Rev. Apostolos Andrews officiating.

At age 70, Mr. Zvoivas passed away in Battle Creek. He served with the U. S. Army Quartermaster Corps in World War II.

Surviving are two brothers, Tony of Lowell, and Chris of Greece; several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services for Mrs. Fronia I. Troyer, 72, were held at 3 p.m. Saturday at the Roth Funeral Home, with the Rev. John Troyer officiating.

Mrs. Troyer passed away last Wednesday at her home, 226 Center St., Lowell.

She is survived by her husband, Clarence; a son, Glenn of Cadonia; two grandchildren; and a sister, Mrs. George Berni of Mukwonago, Ill.

Funeral services for Ernst A. Schubert, of 705 N. Jefferson, Lowell, passed away Saturday in Butterworth Hospital.

Mr. Schubert, formerly of Lake Odessa, was employed at Attwood Corporation.

Services were held at 3 p.m. Tuesday at the Roth Funeral Home, the Rev. Dean Bailey officiating.

He leaves his wife, Gertrude, and a daughter Christine.

At the 25th annual Ohio State Hereford Show held recently at Lancaster, Ohio, Egypt Valley Farm of Ada won championship awards with a summer bull yearling named EV Regulator and a spring yearling called Miss Baroness.

CHURCH NEWS

Thursday, October 30, 7:00 p.m. Class on "Survey of the Old Testament." Will meet at the home of Fred and Ann Jousma instead of at the church.

Sunday, November 2, No services will be held at Alaska Branch because of the District Conference at the Union Avenue Church. The first service starts at 9 a.m.

Monday, November 3, 7 p.m. Zioners will have a worship service at Marvin LaLone's home. Skylanders meet at the church at 7 p.m.

Tuesday, November 4, 7 p.m. Zion League meeting at the home of Marvin LaLone.

Wednesday, November 5, 7:30 p.m. Midweek Fellowship Service.

ALTO FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH The U.M.Y.F. will meet at the Keith Graham home at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, October 31 for a prayer.

On November 1, at 7:30 p.m. the U.M.Y.F. will meet at the home of Mary Wendt. Marsha Rodgers will be in charge of the program. There will be an offering given for UNICEF.

Bowen Center will have a Council of Ministry meeting at the Richard Hawkins home on November 4th at 7 p.m.

The White Circle will meet on Wednesday, November 5, at 8 p.m. at the home of Crystal Berg. Hostesses: Crystal Berg, and Ella Watson. Program: Jean Hostetter. Devotion: Ethelyn Fairchild.

Six men for Wolf and Bear ranks have been formed and a Webelos group has been organized. A number of Bob Cats candidates will be taking rank at the first meeting.

Registrations are still open to boys eight to ten years of age who are interested in the Cub Scout program.

Card of Thanks

A hearty thanks to all those who helped make our fund-raising luncheon for your fellow man a heart-warming event. It proves to each of us that we have always known, "Love gives and has a heart, a big one. Thanks again and hope to see you the 11th of November at the home of George Day."

I would like to thank my many relatives, friends and neighbors for the lovely cards sent to me while I was in the hospital and since I came home; also for the gifts and other acts of kindness shown me since my return home.

I would like to thank the women of the Moose for the lovely gifts and cards during my stay in the hospital for the birth of my twins. I would also like to thank them for the lovely cards and plant.

I wish to express my appreciation to those who expressed sympathy I received upon the death of my father. They were deeply appreciated.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks and deep appreciation to our relatives, neighbors and friends for flowers and cards and other acts of kindness shown to us at the time of the death of our husband and father, Axel M. Fairchild. We especially want to thank Rose Carpenter for his words of comfort to the pallbearers for their services.

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## State Jobs Available

The Michigan Civil Service Department is now accepting applications for a wide variety of state jobs, according to State Representative Stanley M. Powell (R-Ionia).

A November 3 deadline has been established for submitting applications for the positions, all of which are available on an open competitive basis. An evaluation of education and experience will be an important factor in judging applicants. Written tests are required for some jobs, and these have been tentatively scheduled for December 6.

The available positions and yearly salary ranges are: Physical therapist, \$8,200 to \$10,950; Power plant firemen and operators, \$7,000 to \$10,000; Construction safety inspector, \$8,750 to \$10,800; Groundsmen, \$6,000 to \$7,450; and Tourist information clerk, \$5,800 to \$6,950.

In addition, applications are also being taken for a special youth employment program. Special trainees are being sought for the New Careers Training Program. Salaries for these jobs range from \$4,050 to \$4,850 and there are no educational and experience requirements, and no written examination is necessary. Trainees must be under 22 years of age as of October 20, 1969. Persons accepted will be trained for more specialized jobs in state government. These positions are located in the Detroit area.

## Coming Events

The Band Boosters Rummage Sale will be at the VFW Hall on October 30 and 31 and November 1. Winter clothing, toys and books.

Public is invited to a card party at Legion Hall on Wednesday, Nov. 5 at 7:30 p.m. sponsored by the Women's Relief Corps. Come one, come all.

The Lowell Rebekah Lodge meets Tuesday night, November 5. Members, we expect a good turnout, please.

The Saint Cecilia Society of Grand Rapids will present a style show "Modes and Melodies" on Saturday, November 8, 2 p.m. at the Knollcrest Fine Arts Center. Fashions by Jacobson's.

Turkey dinner, Sunday, November 9, upstairs in the Moose Hall. Serving begins at 3:30 p.m. A project of the Lowell Moose Lodge Civic Affairs Committee. Proceeds will be used for this year's helping hand Christmas baskets.

The Vergennes Cooperative Club will meet Saturday, November 1 at 12:30 p.m., Vergennes Methodist Church for a luncheon meeting.

Hostesses are Ellura McPherson, Retha Seaman and Angela Cary. Program is a Christmas showing of decorative gifts and ideas.

Lowell Band Rummage Sale, October 31 and November 1, VFW Hall, Lowell. Items to sell and clean rummage are needed. Pick up service call 868-5201, 897-9131 or 676-3891.

The Tri-Town Conservation Club is having a "Turkey Shoot" and pancake breakfast at their club house at Big Crooked Lake on Sunday, November 2. Starting time for the Turkey Shoot is 10 a.m. and the pancake breakfast is 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. All you can eat. Public invited.

## SBA Rep on Hand

Robert F. Phillips, regional director of Small Business Administration today announced that the loan officer will be in Grand Rapids on November 4-5-6 to meet with small businessmen to discuss SBA programs.

The SBA Representative will be available from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the offices of the Greater Grand Rapids Chamber of Commerce Office. Inquirers are encouraged to bring financial information, balance sheets and operating statements to the interview.

Interested parties are asked to call the local office of Congressman Gerald Ford at 456-9747 to arrange an appointment.

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Airman Thomas J. Steendam, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Steendam of 3750 McCabe Ave. NE, Ada, has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. He has been assigned to Sheppard AFB, Tex., for training in the transportation field. Airman Steendam is a 1969 graduate of Lowell High School.

Airman Richard J. Hutchinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Hutchinson of R.R. 2, Lowell, has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. He has been assigned to Keesler AFB, Miss., for training in the administrative field. Airman Hutchinson is a graduate of Lowell High School.

Roger D. Powers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Powers of Lowell, is at present taking his basic training with the Marine Corps at San Diego, California.

A 1967 graduate of Lowell High School, Roger attended Michigan State University in East Lansing. Following his basic training, he will receive advanced electronic training from the Marine Corps.

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## Wins \$100 Savings Bond in Service Decal Contest

A \$100 savings bond has been awarded to Sgt. Arnold J. Swiderski of the 804th Civil Engineering Squadron by Brigadier General Archie S. Mayes, deputy chief of staff for Civil Engineering, Headquarters Strategic Air Command.

Sergeant Swiderski, a 1966 Forest Hills High School graduate, was given the bond for his winning design in the SAC Fire Prevention Decal Contest.

The design, a flame on a circular figure with superimposed lettering reading, "Do No Leave This Equipment Unattended," was selected from 53 entries.

The decal will be placed on all cooking ranges in SAC family housing units. General Mayes said: "The sergeant designed a versatile decal that will apply not only to cooking ranges, but to anything that could cause a fire if left unattended."

Sgt. Swiderski is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Swiderski, McCords Avenue, Alto.

Captain Charles E. Klatt, 27, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Klatt, Route 1, Beiding, completed the armor officer advanced course Sept. 23 at the U. S. Army Armor School, Ft. Knox, Ky.

U. S. Air Force Sergeant Kent G. Cadey, son of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Cadey, 2494 Normandy Drive, is on duty at Bien Hoa AB, Vietnam.

Sergeant Cadey, a radar operator, is assigned to a unit of the Pacific Air Forces. Before his arrival in Southeast Asia, he served at Elgin AFB, Fla.

U. S. Air Force Airman First Class Peter C. Thomson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Thomson, 3209 Softwater Lake Dr., is on duty at Perrin AFB, Tex.

Airman Thomson, a weapons mechanic, is assigned to the 4780th Air Base Group, a unit of the Aerospace Defense Command. He has completed a tour of duty in Vietnam.

Marine Cpl. Lawrence N. Padgett, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Padgett Jr., of 7316 Kettle Lake Drive, Alto, is presently serving at the Marine Corps Air Station, New River, at Jacksonville, N. C.

Electrician's Mate Fireman Thomas J. Oberlin, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Oberlin of 4303 Bedoki Drive, Lowell, is attending the Basic Electrician's Mate School at the U. S. Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

During the ten-week course he will learn the fundamentals of shipboard electrical circuits, basic atomic theory, transistor theory, amplifiers and magnetic amplifiers.

Before entering this school he attended a six-week basic electricity course at Great Lakes.

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