

It is hoped that on every street in Lowell, there may eventually be a haven for children needing a helping hand while on their way to and from school. This haven will be the home of a "Block Parent," identified by a card displayed in the front win-dow, featuring an upturned hand and the words "Block Parent" in bright red on a white background.

The initiation of the "Block Parent" program in Lowell is being undertaken by the Bushnell School Parent's Club, accord-ing to its president, Jack Hartley. Highly successful in other communities, the local club is striving to make it a very workable program within the community.

The "Block Parent" plan is centered around the block parent's home. These homes, located on each street in the community serve as refuges for children of any age in need of emergency help. It is legally the home of a private citizen, and the volunteer parents have no legal status except that of a responsible, sensible private citizen who has agreed to obtain aid in the event of an emergency, perhaps involving your child.

The plan can be likened to an insurance policy, it is there if the need should arise. It also affords the Police Department an extra pair of eyes. "A well-organized program, with proper leadership, can foster better relations among schools, churches, mu-nicipal authorities and citizens," Hartley revealed.

Hartley also commented that the program being introduced by the interested Bushnell parents, is a refuge for a child in the event of a menacing dog, bullies, alarming strangers, a sudden illness or accident, becoming lost, or a sudden and severe storm. It is not a police action, a supply for food or drink, a toilet fa-cility, a first aid station, a referee in squabbles, or a taxi service.

"Interest in this program is gaining speed, and signs to desig-nate participating homes are being distributed, and this phase of the project should be completed by the first of April," Hartley

At the present time, the campaign to get citizens to partici-pate in this program is being conducted on the West side of the city, but is hoped by the Bushnell club that the interest will be such that the signs will be requested by citizens, and/or an interested group on the East Side.



The public information meeting Thursday night for the storm water separation program for the City of Lowell drew a crowd of some 150 citizens. On hand to explain the project were David Depres, of the Kent County Department of Public Works, who will have charge of the construction and will turn over the project upon completion to the City. Also present were representatives of the State Health Department and the engineering firm of Williams & Works.

The \$1.9 million project was explained to the audience by the engineers as one of removing storm drains that are now hooked to the sanitary sewer system and installing a separate system that will take the storm water from the streets into the river and other natural drains.

In order to properly drain the streets, they will have to be regraded and surfaced with curbs and gutters to direct the water properly. This will be done on the eight miles of city streets affected in the program.

Cost to Property Owners

Property owners will be required to pay an imposed charge of \$1,000 for each property unit in the districts, plus a charge of 3c per square foot of lot area. This figures out for the average lot in the community to \$1,325, and may be paid over a period of 15 years. Only property owners in the area to be rebuilt will be required to pay this charge.

The city-at-large will pay an additional 4 mills property tax to finance the balance of the cost the first few years of the life of the bonds. It is projected that growth in the City and savings on street repair costs will make a lesser amount of millage required in succeeding years.

The project was well received by the audience and a series of questions were directed to the engineers and health department officials present. All members of the City Council, who have been studying the project for the past several years, explained

that they feel the storm water separation must be accomplished as soon as possible.

The City of Lowell, the council members explained, is under "cease and desist" orders from the Michigan Water Resources Commission to expand and improve its sewerage treatment plant so that 80% of the phosphates in the waste water will be removed before discharge into the Flat River. This improvement cannot be accomplished in the present plant if the sanitary sewer and storm collection systems are combined. The volume of water produced is much too great for the present plant to accommodate.

The present plant was designed for separate storm and sanitary sewer systems, and was built with the understanding that the separation would be made at an early date. This was in 1964 and the present project has been under study since that time; the phosphate removal order sets December 1972 as the deadline and the separation must be accomplished before that date.

Efforts are being made by the Department of Public Works, Williams and Works, and the City Council to secure Federal aid for the City in this project. Housing and Urban Development has taken the request under consideration, but no promise of help has been received. City officials are planning a trip to De-troit to bring our needs to the attention of HUD representatives and every other possible method of obtaining help from outside sources is being explored.

Under the present Federal budget, it appears there is no funding available but in the next fiscal year, beginning July 1, it is hoped there will be money available. Citizens have expressed their concern that this community is being neglected by state and federal officials in our time of need

Council members assured the citizens at the public meeting that action would be delayed on this project as long as there was any hope of state or federal help.

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Conduct Campaign For **Promoter Sues** School Bond Election Ada Township

Discussion at the regular bi-monthly meeting of the Ada Township Board centered around the law suit brought by Mr. and Mrs. Phil Simon against the local governmental body. Simon, who owns a sixty-acre site on the west side of Egypt

The Lowell Board of Education met with a group of interested citizens on Wednesday, March 24, in the High School auditorium to initiate a campaign for a school bonding election on

May 4. The Board has recently received approval of its preliminary qualification application. This permits the school to establish the issue and set an election date.



SCHOOL PLAY THIS WEEK-END

Lowell High School will present a musical comedy, "Plain and Fancy" March 26-27 in the auditorium.

The play, under the direction of Mr. Paul Balaam, involves a young New Yorker and his sophisticated girl friend. They drive down into the Amish country to sell a piece of property he has inherited but has never seen.

They run across a romance or two among the young genera-

Valley Road between Three Mile Road and Four Mile Road. has been requesting a change in the zoning of the area. Presently that locality is zoned Agriculture-3. Simon has asked the Planning Board for a change to P-1 which would make it a Planned Development zone.

The intention of the owners of the property is to erect a mobile home site. Drawings for a park which would include 386 mobile homes has been presented to the Township Board as well as the Planning Commission. Last month the latter group denied the change in zoning until the mobile home ordinance currently under consideration had been completed.

Unable to get a change in the zoning, Simon requested the township's Building Inspector, Herm Stukkie, to grant him a permit to erect the community house of the proposed mobile home park. This permit was denied because the property had not as yet been rezoned.

On March 16, the township board was served by representatives of Simon with an order to appear in circuit court before Judge Boucher within twenty days. The matter has been turned over to the Township's Attorney, Eugene Alkema, with the request that the right of the citizens of the township to a hearing on mobile home parks be considered.

The million dollar venture proposed by Simon would include a sewer lagoon and paved streets within the park. There would be some spaces for double mobile homes as well as the single units generally provided by such promotions.

In other action the board officers entered into a contract with the Board of Public Works of Kent County for the dumping of trash materials.

Discussion regarding the Kent County Drain Commissioner's request for larger conduits engineered for run-off water and drainage of excess amounts on Fulton Street near Amway Corporation was held with representatives of that company.

There are presently two small drains under the road which must be redesigned to alleviate additional drainage which has occurred since Amway expanded its facilities.

SPRING ART CLASSES

Spring Art Classes at the Lowell YMCA will begin Monday, March 29 and March 31. Classes will be held at the 'Y' office from 8 to 10 on Monday evenings, and 1 to 3 on Wednesday afternoons.

Whenever possible, sketch classes will be held out-of-doors; please be prepared by dressing accordingly.

The classes will last for eight weeks, and will be conducted by Mrs. Jan Johnson.

Granted Junier Membership In American Angus Association

Daniel O. Spitsbergen, 18, of Lowell, has been granted a junior membership in the American Angus Association at St. Joseph, Missouri, announces Lloyd D. Miller, executive secretary.

This new junior membership entitles the member to register purebred Angus at regular membership rates and to the privileges of the Association until the age of 21. At that time junior members are eligible to convert to lifetime memberships in the Association.

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At a special meeting Wednesday, committees were established to carry out the various aspects of the campaign. The most important immediate function is the voter registration campaign.

April 2 is the deadline for voters to be registered to vote on. this issue.



The "bomb threat" imposed on the Lowell School System last Friday afternoon, forced students, teachers and other personnel out of the buildings into a cold, wet climate, while authorities made a search into the validity of the call made.

The act alone, one of immaturity, is a serious offense, and parents should impress upon their children the importance of the matter, which costs the governmental unit, plus YOU the taxpayer, MONEY!

Area motorists are reminded that the deadline for purchasing new license plates is next Wednesday, March 31. State-wide, the sale of vehicle licenses is slow this year, which indicates that lastminute sales should increase to a high volume.

Don't be standing in line . . . get yours before the last min-ute rush, at the Western Auto Store on East Main Street.

In the interest of Ecology and the prevention of litter, some of the largest soft drink manufacturers in the state are raising their deposit charges on returnable bottles.

The traditional deposit of 2 cents a bottle has been in existance for the last 60 years by most of the companies involved in the new charge. One company is raising the bottle deposit 50 percent to \$1.50 per case.

Hopefully, this increase will encourage persons to return bottles to their dealers, instead of discarding them along highways and other public areas.

Thousands of children are accidently poisoned in the United States each year. And, for every accidental poisoning involving children, there is a responsible adult.

The theme of this year's Poison Prevention Week, March 21-27, is "Adult Responsibility."

Spring arrived officially at 1:38 Sunday, March 21, and with the help of the sun, the temperature managed to struggle up to 37 degrees. There is still some snow on the ground, and the predicted forecast for the remainder of this week shows little promise of any Spring-like weather.

The changing angle of the sun is bringing back the birds to the northern climate, and the Murch winds proclaim it's kiteflying season, but area residents are wondering when "Spring will really be sprung."

work in their flower garden. Instead, it found area youngsters knee-deep in snow, erecting the winter's traditional "snow man."

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FLUSH WATER MAINS

The City Water Department will be flushing water mains in the city, March 30 to April 2.

Centennial Board Meets Approves Official Seal

At a board meeting of the Fallasburg-Lowell Centennial Committee Tuesday norning, unanimous approval was given to accept the "official seal" designed for the group by Norton Louis Avery.

In other board action, the orders for seals, coins, and plates were approved and several new committee chairmen were announced. Phyllis DeVries will be the Women's Participation Division chairman, while Mrs. Deil Smit will serve as chairman of the Sunbonnet and Dress Division. Chairman of the Celebration Belles committee will be Mrs. Delores Laux.

The Operating Capital Division is working hard to secure the help and funds needed to make this year's Centennial celebration a complete success. If you would like to assist in any way, contact Blaine Bacon at the Lowell City Hall.

Contributions, under \$20, should be made to Charles Lippert, treasurer of the organization, or redeemable shares in denominations over \$20 can be secured upon request.

In an endeavor to have all the information available that they need to bring recognition to past and present residents, a Hospitality Information form is being distributed by the Committee.

Headed by Mrs. Dennis Brenk, 414 North Monroe Street, Lowell, the committee is seeking information on past residents. such as where do they presently live, and during what period of time did they reside in this area.

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in the process, they manage to fix things up so that everybody is in love with the right party at the end.

Heading the cast are Dan Spitsbergen, portraying the New Yorker, and Merry Manigold as his girl friend.

Other cast members include Pete Walters, Sally Doyle, Cindy Adams, Kevin Hoag, Gary Weemhoff, Cindy Froese and Bob Reynolds.

Night performances will begin at 8 p.m. and one Saturday afternoon performance at 1:30.

To Mark 100 Years **Of Capitular Masonry**

Plan now to help Hooker Chapter No. 73, Royal Arch Masons, of Lowell, to celebrate their 100th Anniversary on April 17 in the Masonic Temple.

Celebrating 100 years of Capitular Masonry, festivities will begin with a social hour and registration at 5:30 p.m. The background music for this part of the program will be offered by Harold G. Freeman, Director of Music at St. John's Parish, on the harpsichord, a 16th century instrument.

Dinner will be served promptly at 6:30 p.m. by the mem-bers of the local Order of the Eastern Star. A program will follow, featuring a concert by "The Singing Lads," the treble section of St. Luke's Choristers.

This is a famous boy's choir, which has the distinct honor of wearing with their vestments the crown of the Royal School of Music in London, England. The boys come from St. Luke's Parish and are under the direction of Choirmaster George N. Tucker.

The evening will also be highlighted by a timely address by Charles C. Rademaker, Most Excellent High Priest, Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of the State of Michigan.

Reservations for this anniversary program are now being tak-en, and can be made by contacting Clark Parsons at 10380 Grand River Avenue, Lowell. The deadline for reservations is April 10.

Alto Farmer Named 'Manager Of Year'

A Kent County dairy farmer has been named one of 20 Michigan Farm Managers of the Year by Michigan State University.

Joseph Oesch, 12877 Eighty-fourth Street, Alto, will be honored Thursday evening, March 25, during Farmers' Week at MSU in East Lansing.

Oesch, who participates in Telfarm (MSU's computerized farm record keeping program), will be cited for "efficient organization and operation of his farm over the past three years." His operation ranked in the top three percent of all 1,400 Telfarm participants.

Oesch farms 350 acres and milks over 70 cows. He raises about 200 acres of corn, 100 acres of hay and some 50 acres of wheat. According to Robert Knisely, Kent County extension agricultural agent, the most impressive feature of Oesch's operation is "the fact that annual milk production averages over 15,000 pounds per cow."

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Royce Story, local car dealer, makes an informal presentation of film packet to Bob Perry, Driver Education Director at Lowell High School.

Driver Education Films Donated To School

An Educational Filmstrip Packet, donated to the Driver Ed-ucation Program at Lowell High School, has been received, according to Bob Perry, Education Director of the local program. The packet, donated by the Ford Motor Company, has been made available to Michigan public, private and parochial high

schools. The filmstrips were presented to the school on behalf of the Ford Motor Company by their local representative, Royce Although Ford and its dealers provide filmstrip packets for

classroom driver education to high schools throughout the country, this donation, along with others to be given in Michigan, will be the company's largest single contribution of such materials in one state.

A total of nearly 4,200 packets will be distributed in Michigan in cooperation with the Michigan Driver Education Association and the Michigan Department of Education, and will cover all of the state's nearly 700 high schools.

Michigan is one of only three states in the United States enrolling 90 percent or more of its eligible students in an approved driver education program.

"This donation is Ford's contribution to increasing the quality of such instruction and making sure the Lowell students are prepared for the many hazards they may face on the road," Story commented.

According to Mr. Perry, there are six different packets, covering 25 topics, including entering the freeway, right and left turns, the basic passing maneuver, controlling skids and emergen-

The filmstrips, in color and black-and-white, use time-lapse photography and action can be frozen at critical points for analysis and group discussion, Perry revealed. Designed primarily for classroom use, the packets can be used effectively for independent study.

SCAVENGER HUNT ENTHUSIAST LOOKS FOR CAMPAIGN BUTTON

Remember when "scavenger hunts," were the thing of the times, and you were required to go from door-to-door and seek such oddities as thimbles, old maps, half-smoked cigars, etc. Engrossed in such a project at the present time is Mrs. Fred Durkee of Freeport, Michigan, who has one item left on her list, that of a campaign button advertising either Thomas E. Dewey or Harry S. Truman.

Mrs. Durkee, the former Gail Lipscomb of Alto, is on the hunt" with a Hastings group. If you can be of assistance to her, she'd appreciate you calling her sister, Mrs. Bonnie Graham at 897-8729, and arrangements will be made to retrieve the item, which will be returned to you upon completion of the

Lowell Ledger-Suburban Life, March 25, 1971 Michigan Bell Asks For Rate Increase

Michigan Bell Telephone Company today asked the state

Public Service Commission to approve a \$59.7 million annual rate increase and requested that \$19.9 million of it go into effect as soon as possible but no later than July 1.

Lloyd J. Haynes, Michigan Bell vice president, said the company needs partial rate relief immediately because "our financial condition will only deteriorate further while awaiting a final decision on our overall request.

Haynes said Michigan Bell last year earned substantially below the 7.95 percent rate of return authorized by the MPSC. and that January and February results have shown no improvement. He added that the partial increase would help bring the company closer to that level.

In its new application, the company has requested a rate of return of about 9.3 percent which Haynes described as "realistic and necessary" in today's changed economic climate. The higher return, he added, is "essential for the company to continue provide quality service."

In its filing with the MPSC, Haynes said the company is proposing that rate increases be applied to residence and business services and to one-time charges including installation.

He said the company plans no increases on present rates for local message charges, interzone calls or on long distance calls within Michigan. Present rates would also be held on some other items including special services for the handicapped, and mobile telephone and teletypewriter equipment. The total effect of the company's \$59.7 million request

would be an 11.3 percent increase in Michigan Bell's intrastate revenues. However, the proposed boost on affected services would amount to about 19.5 percent.

Statewide, the immediate first-stage rate increases would range from 25 to 40 cents a month for one-party flat-rate residence service, and from 20 to 30 cents a month for two-party flat-rate residence service. Installation and other one-time charges which are now \$8.80 would be \$9.35.

The monthly increases differ in amount because rates vary by community depending on the number of telephones in the local calling area.

Under the company's proposal, the second-stage increases would add an additional 60 to 85 cents a month for regular one-party flat-rate residence service, and from 45 to 70 cents a month for two-party flat-rate residence service. Installation and other one-time charges would rise an additional \$1.15 to

\$10.50. In the testimony submitted to the MPSC, Michigan Bell said that a favorable decision on its overall request would enable the company to restore to its construction program some important modernization projects that have been postponed because of money problems.

These would include a more rapid conversion of older cen-tral offices to modern Electronic Switching Systems as well as a plan to offer improved rural service.

The \$14.8 million increase granted Michigan Bell last August by the MPSC was the company's first increase in 10 years.

Credit Union Membership

Shows Seven Percent increase

Michigan's nearly 1,200 credit unions climbed to 1,844,000 in total membership in 1970, a gain of 7 percent, according to

the Michigan Credit Union League. The League, statewide association of credit unions, said 121, 000 new members were added to the 1,723,000 figure of 1969. The number of Michigan credit union members has more than

doubled from the 902,000 in 1960. Total assets of Michigan credit unions in 1970 increased \$131 million over the \$1,457,000,000 of the previous year.

Savings climbed nearly 12 percent to \$1,344,000,000, and loans were up some 6 percent to \$1,255,000,000.

CAMPFIRE GIRLS

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The Aowakiya Campfire group met at Mrs. Eickhoff's home on March 10, and decided on what they'd do at their next

After the meeting the girls in attendance played "What's My Line.



This Saturday, March 27, is the last of the "Reel World" children's film programs at the Lowell Library. If you have not previously participated, this is a film which should not

Based on Robert Lawson's prize-winning book, "Rabbit Hill" is a story with a moral a-out Goorgie, a little rabbit, and all his animal friends who live at the Hill. Since the old owners left, Rabbit Hill has been run down. Then the animals hear that "new folk" are coming to the "big house" at the top of the hill, and wonder what it will mean to their lives. The newcomers allay the worries of the animals when they dis play their interest in them.

"Rabbit Hill" is cast with real animals from the Stamford, Conn. Zoo, and as these "stars" perform, children will learn about different animals by viewing their habits. The film is one of the award-winning series of the Children's Theatre produced by NBC.

Starting time is 10:30. There is no admission charge; but since space is limited, it's a good idea to pick up an advance ticket at the Lowell Library.



FEBRUARY ACTIVITY REPORT

Calls and complaints investigated during the month of Febru-ary included 136 Running violations issued; 25 Property dam-age accidents policed; 12 Personal injury accidents policed; 1 Parking violations issued; 33 Stolen property complaints; 2 Lar ceny complaints; 4 Doors or windows found open.

Two fire calls; 2 Arrests; 12 Warrants; 5 Court cases; 4 Dog complaints; 5 Property destruction complaints; 1 Disorderly persons; 3 Prowler calls; 3 Emergency messages delivered; One assists to other departments; 5 Assists to citizens; 22 Family trouble complaints; 3 Juvenile arrests; Total miles driven. 5.671

DRUNK & DISORDERLY

Being intoxicated in a public place brought about the arrest of Kenneth Errol Gould, 32, of 2802 Gulliford Drive, Lowell. Gould was arrested at 9:10 p.m. on Wednesday, March 17th, and lodged in the Kent County Jail. Gould pleaded guilty before Judge Joseph White of the 63rd District Court and received fines and costs totaling \$63.

BOMB THREAT

A 15-year-old boy has been arrested following a bomb threat phoned into the Lowell Senior High School last Friday, March 19th. As a result, students were dismissed from school for the remainder of the day. The Juvenile boy has been charged with a felony, and will

be turned over to juvenile authorities.

TURNED OVER TO WYOMING P.D. Arrested at 11 p.m. on Sunday, March 21st, were Thomas John Agema, 20, and John Steven Agema, 18, of 459 Prestwick

S.E., Grand Rapids. Found in their possession were several lanterns, flashers, and construction barricades stolen from the Wyoming area. The Wyoming Police Department is presently investigating

the thefts in a mutanes & Buis a steriore 35. Very high Al Eckman of the owner Lowell Police Department @ Immaturity

Five Day Plan To Stop Smoking

the thirty-fifth FIVE DAY PLAN TO STOP SMOKING will 3-9 at the LIFE LINE HEALTH CENTER, 309 Division, S. The evening sessions will be from 7:15 to 9 p.m. Dr. Wynton Bunnell, M.D. who is Medical Director of the

Michigan Veterans Facility will conduct the five evening meet ings. Films related to smoking and health will be shown, testiimonials given, and personal control booklets will be given to all attending. Call 454-1378 or 534-1903 for reservations.



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Forest Hills Hi-Lites

BY SHIRLEY DYGERT

This is the weekend of the Cascade-Thornapple PTO paper drive. Get rid of old newspaper, no magazines though, by placing them in the metal bin at D&W in Cascade. They don't have to be bundled, making the helpful work that you are doing that much easier.

Young people's success stories are great to report and here is one just chock full of outstanding events. This is about Dick Palmer, son of Lois and Donn.

First, he was selected as one of eight political science majors to attend the Alma-Washington Workshop this week. He will have private conferences scheduled with VIP's such as state senators and representatives, department heads, and leaders of interest groups, i.e., AFL, Chamber of Commerce. The students are being accompanied by Chairman of Political Science Depart-ment, Dr. John Ogria.

Dick is also a Junior Class representative on the Student Coun-cil and serves on the budget and finance committee. He will help formulate the budget for student activities for the coming year. In addition, Dick is a member of the Varsity debate team that placed second in the Great Lakes Cross Question Tournament in Battle Creek and third in the Michigan Intercollegiate Speech League Tournament at Eastern Michigan. In February Dick was chosen to attend a symposium on the Presidency at the Airlie House in Virginia. Only one hundred colleges were invited to send one representative each. All of this was topped by a 4.0 scholastic record! Congratulations, Dick.

This is the week that seven students and their chaperones from Cascade Christian Church are attending the International Affairs Seminar in New York and Washington. The C.Y.F. members left Saturday by car for Dearborn and flew from Detroit to New York. All of the money for the trip was raised by the students with the addition of \$300 from the

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Those attending this year are: Sharon Davenport, Connie Masten, Paula Gessner, Susan Ginebaugh, George Teachman, Matthew Smith, and Craig Wilcox. With them as chaperones are Holly Brandsma and Evelyn Schurtz. ...

Five weeks of bowling for the girls' team at FHHS will be concluded next week in a match between the Rangers and the team from West Ottawa. The second team will play against Godwin. Other teams in the competition are East and Wyoming. If you want to cheer them on, the girls will be playing on Tuesday, March 30, at Park Lanes at 4 p.m.

Have you been hoarding that scrap metal for S.T.O.P., the Students To Overcome Pollution? They will have their drive this weekend. The philosophy behind this group is to recycle as much waste material as possible. For information regarding places to drop off your scrap metal or for pick-up service, call Nancy Matthews at 949-2054.

... Ed Buell, President of the Thornapple Lions has announced that the organization will again sponsor a boy to represent Forest Hills High School at the annual Boys State of Michigan, Lion Bob Dangl will be the chairman of the Faculty Selection,

The directors of the Lions voted to contribute a share of the cost of portable sight-saver equipment which may be used in this area when needed. The equipment will be used to test for the need of eye treatment and correction.

Lion Dave Gerst would like to thank all in the community that have given their old eve lenses. These have been cataloged and used where needed. More will be accepted at any time. Leave them at the O-Brien-Gerst Funeral Home on Cascade Rd.

State Festival

A number of Forest Hills High School Students will attend the State Solo and Ensemble Festival to be held Saturday, March 27 at Mt. Pleasant. Under the direction of Marion Sanderson, the students who have been preparing for the event are: Jackie Schmidt, Mike Schulze, Sue Hufford, Marcia Van-Horn, Jeff Shuster, Sue Tepper, Janet Ward, Carol Van Artsen, Heather Chadwick, Tim Heldt, Ric Troll, Paul Sherwood, Jim Lacioni, John Sullivan, Greg Hoyle, Bill VanderPloeg, Keith VandenBerg, Mike Martin, Ruth Cook.

Brad Berry, Carl Reynhout, Chip King, David Demorest, Steve Afendoulis, Lauri Cook, Lisa Dole, Claire Chadwick,

Greg Osbeck, Wright McCarger, Kathy Marmon, Sunde Wag-ner, Terry McMahon, Kathy Osbeck, Sarah Gaylord, and Sue



MRS. JAMES R. HOLES

Miss Bonnie L. Rosenberger of Alto became the bride of James R. Holes of Middleville on February 28. The double-ring ceremony was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alwyn Rosenberger of Alto, with the Rev. Richard Beach of the Alto Baptist Church offici-

Attendants for the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. George Faunce, Jr., sister and brother-in-law of the bride. A reception was held immediately following the ceremony. The newly-weds are residing in Middleville.

Miss Postlethwaite To Wed Lt. E. James Boyd

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Postlethwaite of 1152 Murray Avenue, Ravenna, Ohio, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Joyce Lynn to Lt. E. James Boyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Boyd of 14200 - 28th Street, S.E., Lowell. Miss Postlethwaite is an alumni of Ravenna High School and

is a junior Biology major in Medical Technology at Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio. Her fiance received his B.S. degree in Chemistry from Michigan Technological University, where he was associated with Sigma Phi Epsilon Social Fraternity, and received his master's

degree in Business Administration from Bowling Green State Lt. Boyd is presently serving with the United States Air Force in Pilot Training at Randolph Air Force Base, Texas.

A September wedding is being planned by the couple:

BBB Warns Return Of Old Home Improvement Schemes

It has been reported to the Better Business Bureau that companies in this area are using an old sales talk called a "Model Home Pitch." The pitch goes like this: "If you allow us to side your home, we will use it as a model to sell other people and will do your home at a discount or big

savings to you." Sometimes salesmen go as far as to say they will pay the homeowner for all sales made from his model home. In years past, it was common to hear of a salesman flowering up the

pitch by telling people that the siding would be free. There are numerous variations to the basic pitch. If this pitch is used in advertising or as a sales talk, the prac-

tice is deceptive and should put the consumer on alert. Also, it may be a violation of the State Contractors' Law. The Bureau is requesting that the Attorney General's office investigate and asks that the public advise the Bureau of any such sales attempts. Another scheme which is starting in Grand Rapids involves

waterproofing basements. A repairman is advertising to repair leaky basements. The material he is using is not designed to accomplish the purposes for which he has been known to con-

tract. The repairman demands payment in advance. It has been reported to the Bureau that he has charged \$150 to \$200 for work that other contractors state would usually run around \$30 to \$50. The product is a wall cement paint for inside basement walls. The paint is designed to stop scepage but not prevent flow through cracks or loose mortar between blocks. Nor is it designed for basement floors as it will not stand the usual wear of foot traffic.

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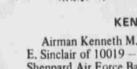
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A recent graduate from Machinist's Mate School at the Naval Training Center at Great Lakes, Illinois was Navy Petty Officer Third Class Leo J. Hunt He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hunt, 12421 Foreman Drive, Lowell.

Army Warrant Officer David E. Ruge, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis E. Ruge, Route 1, Belding, recently received the Air Medal near Can Tho, Vietnam. Warrant Officer Ruge earned the award for meritorious service while participating in aerial flight in support of ground operations in Vietnan Ruge's wife, Gayle, lives on Route 1, Lowell.

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KENNETH M. SINCLAIR

Airman Kenneth M. Sinclair, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth E. Sinclair of 10019 - 68th Street, S.E., Alto, has graduated at Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas, from the United States Air The airman, who learned to repair specialized heating, com-

pressed air, and petroleum systems, is being assigned to K.I. Sawyer Air Force Base, Michigan, for duty with the Strategic Airman Sinclair is a 1970 graduate of Caledonia High School.

KENNETH D. WENGER

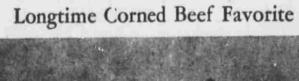
Navy Seaman Kenneth D. Wenger was graduated from Fire Control "A" School at the Naval Training Center at Great Lakes,

LEO J. HUNT

DAVID E. RUGE

RANDALL J. McCLURE Navy Petty Officer Third Class Randall J. McClure, was

scheduled to arrive at his homeport of Newport, Rhode Island, on March 23, aboard the destroyer-tender USS Grand Canyon. McClure has been on a five-month deployment to the Mediterranean. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McClure of



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Next time you're stumped for something to fix at lunchtime or what to serve guests for a late evening snack, try corned beef. Taste tempting sandwiches of corned beef, for example, are nu-tritious and a definite departure from oftentimes monotonous

meals. In addition to being a delicious "change of pace" food, corned beef is economical, according to home economists at Spencer Foods, one of the nation's leading beef processors. It's a good way to stretch the family food budget. The meat, usually packaged in three to five pound sizes, is available in both mild and old-fashioned cures to please any palate. Best of all, it's easy to prepare: Simply cover with water and simmer 40 minutes per pound. If you wish, prepare ahead of time and store until ready to use.

Serve hot or cold. The Reuben Sandwich and its sister, the "Rachel", are uni-versal favorites family and guests always enjoy. **Reuben Sandwich**

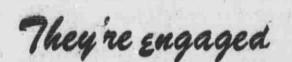
1 pound sliced, cooked Speacer corned beel Soft butter 2 slices dark rye bread 6 slices Swiss cheese 1 can sauerkraut, drained Spread butter on bread. On each of 6 slices, arrange a slice of Swiss cheese, several slices of corned beef and a portion of sauer-kraut. Top with remaining buttered slices. Serve hot or cold. If desired, brush sandwiches with melted butter and brown on riddle until cheese is melted.

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GRAND RAPIDS





Miss Dorothy Claeson is engaged to wed William Atkinson of Lowell, as announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carigon of Lowell. The bridegroom-elect is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William At-

kinson of Lowell. The engaged couple are planning an April ceremony

CONSUMERS POWER EXPLORATION SUBSIDIARY ANNOUNCES TWO GAS DISCOVERIES

Northern Michigan Exploration Company, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Consumers Power Company, announced today its participation in two apparently significant natural gas discov eries. Northern Michigan has a 25% ownership in a discovery made at North Freshwater Bayou, about 100 miles west and slightly south of New Orleans. This well was drilled in a joint venture with Quintana Production Company, and has been tested at three and one-half million cubic feet of gas per day. It second indicated discovery has been made by Northern Micl an in a 50%-50% participation venture with Amoco Productio Company. The well is about 20 miles southeast of Traverse City, Michigan. Volume of the reserves involved remains to be

Commenting on these discoveries, Consumers Power Senior Vice President John B. Simpson said, "It is highly gratifying to see that our efforts to help solve Michigan's severe shortage of natural gas are beginning to show results. However, it is extremely important to note that even if both of these discoveries prove substantial in terms of gas reserves discovered, this will not affect our immediate gas supply situation in Michigan for at least the rest of this year."

(The Wall Street Journal reported Thursday that an offshore Louisiana wildcat well blew out this week after reaching a gas reservoir at 3,900 feet. No oil pollution was reported, and the story indicated a fire was not likely. In its first offshore venture. Northern Michigan owns a one-eighth interest in the tract on

which this well is being drilled.)

925 W. Main St. Lowell 897-9293

Lowell Ledger-Suburban Life, March 25, 1971 Failure To Sign Tax **Return Delays Refund**

So far this year 13,062 Michigan taxpayers have not re-ceived their expected tax refunds simply because they failed

to sign their federal income tax returns before filing them. Since an income tax return is a legal document, it must be signed before the Internal Revenue Service can process it and issue a refund, Thomas A. Cardoza, District Director of Internal Revenue for Michigan, said this week. Signatures of both husband and wife are required on joint returns, he add-

To help reduce the number of missing signatures, Form 1040 shows the signature line-and other error-prone information areas-highlighted in red ink.

Other causes of delayed refunds are missing Social Security numbers, arithmetic mistakes, and failure to follow instructions accompanying the tax forms.

LAWN CARE AND EXERCISE -

TWO BIRDS WITH ONE STONE Get two birds with one stone by treating your early spring

lawn care program as a chance to get outdoors for some fresh air and exercise. A few hours with a lawn rake will provide the exercise and

give your lawn a head start by removing accumulated dead plant materials.

According to Michigan State University extension turf grass specialists David P. Martin and Robert C. Shearman, dead grass, leaves, small twigs, etc., will stop fertilizers from doing their job. They can build up as thatch - a layer of dead plant material between the grass blades and the soil surface, often lead-

ing to lawn diseases and poor turf health. Once over with the rake in the early spring also helps your grass green up faster. You will have a better looking lawn and the turf will get a head start on weed seeds which will germinate later in the spring as temperatures rise.

A session with the lawn roller can improve the physical fitness of yourself and your lawn. Not only will it develop strong shoulder, back and leg muscles, but it will ease lawn tasks throughout the rest of the year. According to the MSU turf gasss experts, rolling irons out

rough areas caused by freezing and thawing. This reduces the chances of scalping the high spots with your lawn mower. For best results, Martin and Shearman recommend rolling

early in the spring while the ground is still moist. Later rollings when the soil is dry won't level the lawn. They also caution homeowners to avoid excessivly heavy

ollers on clay soils. A roller that weighs too much will compact heavy soil and hold back good lawn growth and turf health later in the summer.

Janet Bjork Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bjork of Clarksville announce the engagement of their daughter Janet, to Fred H. Lange, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lange of Ionia.

Miss Bjork is a 1970 graduate of Lakewood High School, and her fiance, a 1968 graduate of Ionia High School, returned from service in Vietnam in November, and is presently employed at at Universal Metal Products in Saranac.

A Spring wedding is being planned.

Jane's Do's And Don'ts For An Earlier Spring

1. Though 24 hours may have elapsed without some snow flakes, don't put the snow shovel away.

2. The sun may be shining brightly and sidewalks clear, but don't venture very far without your boots - this has be known to bring on a snow storm within a matter of an hour.

3. Don't be tempted the first time the temperature climbs above 50 degrees to put the red flannels, ski trappings, etc., away with the idea they won't be needed again this year. This definitely could bring on a blizzard, the likes of which you

wouldn't believe! 4. Do leave salt, shovels, sand and scrapers in the car until at least May 15th.

5. Do, please abide by these above suggestions 'cause I'm sick of winter!

COMING EVENTS

THURSDAY, MARCH 25

Lecture series on Social Concerns. 9:30 a.m. at Ada Christian Reformed Church. Nursery provided.

English-Western Horseman's Association will hold an election of 12 adults and six juniors to act as a board of directors for the coming year.

The meeting will be held on Thursday, March 25, at 8 p.m. in the Rockford High School. Riders and Trainers from Lowell, Forest Hills, and Rockford make up the current membership.

FRIDAY, MARCH 26

The Thornapple Unit of the League of Women Voters will meet this Friday, March 26, at the home of Mrs. Campbell Steketee, 2000 Thornapple River Drive. The 9:30 morning meeting replaces last week's postponed event due to bad weather.

The Awana Club of the Lowell Baptist Church will hold an "ox-roast" this Friday evening, March 26, at seven o'clock for

MONDAY, MARCH 29

their Parent's-Son Night.

Past Noble Grand's Club will meet at the IOOF Hall Monday, March 29, at 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31

Lenten Book Review at the Lowell YMCA at 10 a.m. The Rev. Father James Thelen will be the speaker. Coffee will be served at the beginning of the hour. THURSDAY, APRIL 1

The Vergennes Cooperative Club will meet April 1 at 1:30 p.m. at the home of Freda McKinnie with Marian Yates as cohostess. A showing of some Spring time fashions will be the

APRIL 2 AND 3

"Happiness Is" will be the theme of the annual African Viot Show to be held April 2 and 3 at the Chadwick Memorial Garden Center in the Grand Rapids Public Museum, Open to the public, the show will be held on both days from 10 a.m. to

Airport Improvements To Cost \$5.6 Million

Michigan is expected to have the largest airport construction program in its history this year, the Aeronautics Commission of the Michigan Department of Commerce reported last week. Airport Construction projects costing upwards of \$30 mil-

lion are expected to be placed under contract during 1971, Aeronautics Director James D. Ramsey said. One of the improvement projects expected to be started this year, providing local funds are available to match federal and state funds, is the extension and strengthening of the east-west runway, taxiways, terminal apron and other facilities at the

Kent County Airport. The cost of the improvements will be \$5.6 million, and will enable 727 jets to land at the airport which is located at 5500

44th Street, S.E. Although dates for contract letting are not yet firm on any of the proposed projects, Ramsey said nearly a dozen major air rovement programs are in the final stages of design and bids will be opened as soon as financial arrangements are com-

The Aeronautics Director said this year's airport improvement program will be nearly twice as large as it was last year because of increased federal appropriations under provisions of the National Airport Development Act approved by Congress

Michigan will receive an estimated \$15 million in federal airport funds during 1971 compared to \$7 million last year.

RANKS AMONG TOP 10

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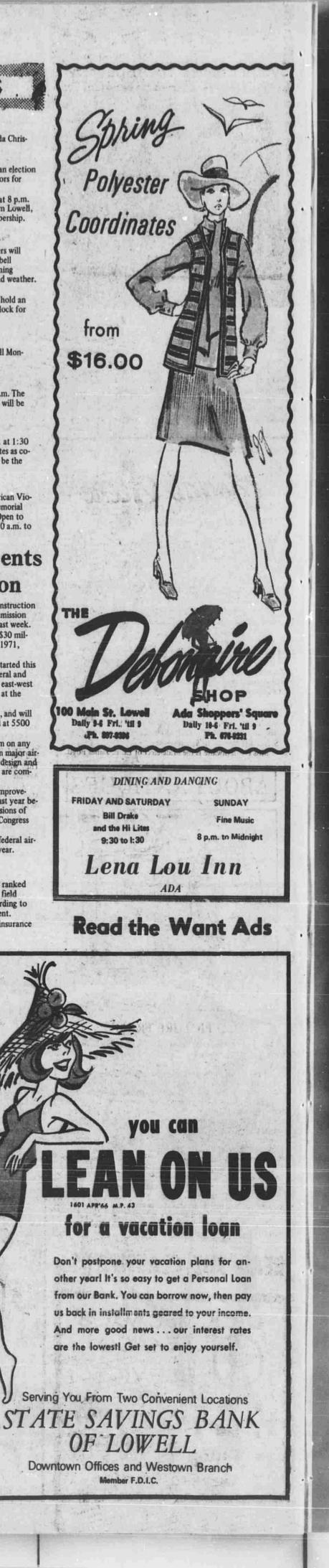
Lowell life insurance specialist Robert M. Dyn Boer ranked 4th among Mutual Of New York's 4,800-man ustional field force in the number of policies sold during 1970, according to an announcement by J. McCall Hughes, MONY president. Mr. Den Boer is associated with the life and health insurance company's Grand Rapids agency.

Springtime is Ten cents per copy on newsstands. By Mail, \$4 paid in advance in Kent and Ionia Counties: \$5 elsewhere Phone (616) 897-9261 SPECIAL VALUE TIME Carol Lawrence, Editor At Walter's Lumber Mart **Special Introductory Offer** THE BIG 192 Sq. Yds. Indoor-Outdoor Carpet 100% Olefin Fibre **Rust-Gold** Color Sq. Yard 17 WALTER'S **Regularly Sold** - A -\$5.00 Per Sq. Yard LUMBER MART SURE-GRIP GRADER









Symphonettes To Appear



THE SYMPHONETTES

A program of "Sacred Music" will be given this Sunday, March 28, at 7 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of Lowell by a musical group from the Grand Rapids School of the Bible and

"The Symphonettes," a 12-voice ladies' ensemble will present a program, open to the public, which will include anthems, hymn arrangements, gospel songs and spirituals. Special selections as performed by soloists, duets and trios will also be highlighted in this special service. An instrumentalist will be featured in each section of the program.



Mrs. William Bouck (nee Louise Grover) and daughter, Amber Rae, have left to join her husband in Pensacola, Fla., where he will be commissioned in the Naval Reserves in May. Accompanying her on the trip down were her mother, Lila Grover, and her sister, Judy Huver. The Bouck's new address is: 990 Old Cory Road, Apartment

Donna Green is a surgical patient at St. Mary's Hospital.

407, Pensacola, Fla. 32508.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Vosburg are returning to their home on Grand River Drive after spending the winter in Indio, California. House guest of the Vosburgs while there were Mrs. Alpha Reynolds and Mrs. Gladys Leveley of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Richmond of Santa Barbara and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Fairchild of Fallbrook, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Boydand Janet spent the weekend in Bowling Green, Ohio, as the guests of Miss Joyce Postlethwaite. Also as guests were Miss Postlethwaite's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Postlethwaite of Ravenna, Ohio. Mrss Postlethwaite is the of ide elect of Lt. E. James Boyd.



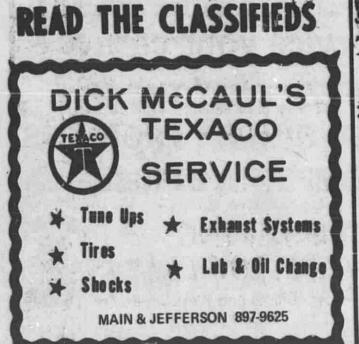
OLD PICTURE FRAMES

That old elaborate frame around the picture of a ong-forgotten relative can add new dimensions to one

Mirrors brighten and expand walls. At very little cost you can have the glass in the frame silvered. Gild the frame with gold or silver paint or give it an antiqued finish with one of the special kits you can buy from a paint store. Antiquing isn't as easy as it looks, but with a little practice you'll have what you

For collectors of miniatures, here's a tip; make a plywood box a couple of inches deep and the size of the opening at the back of the frame. Line the interior with fabric, wallpaper or paint the box a color which will complement your room; even put a mirror at the back of the box. Shelves can be added, too.

Glue or nail the box to the back of the frame and you have an ideal place to show your miniatures - on the wall and safe from breakage. You might even put a small socket and bulb inside so you can light up the whole display.



OBITUARIES

AXEL CARLSON

Axel Carlson, aged 82, of 9775 Hastings Road, Clarksville, died Monday a.m. at Kent Community Hospital in Grand Rap-

He is survived by his wife, Anna, and one son, Jack D. Carlson of Edmore, five grandchildren, four brothers; Alfred and Enoch of Alto; Elmer of Lowell and Erwin of Comstock Park; one sister, Mrs. Lydia Anderson of Alto.

Mr. Carlson was born in 1888 in Sweden, the son of Par Carlson and Elsa Hogman, and came to the U.S.A. in 1901 and had been a resident of the Clarksville-Alto area since that time. He married the former Anna Hansen in 1942.

He was a member of the Grace & Truth Church in Grand Rapids. Funeral services will be held Thursday at 1:30 at the Clarksville Bible Church with the Rev. Bert Baker officiating. Burial will be in Bowne Center Cemetery. Mr. Carlson will repose at the Pickens Funeral Chapel in Clarksville.

SPENOR JOHNSON

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 1:30 at the Calvary Brethren Church for Spenor E. Johnson of Route 2,

The 73-year-old Alto farmer passed away Friday morning, March 19, in Blodgett Hospital, Grand Rapids. Interment was made in the Bowne Mennonite Cemetery. Services were conducted by the Pickens Funeral Home of Clarksville.

Mr. Johnson is survived by his wife, Myrtie; two daughters, Mrs. Clarence (Evelyn) Ehlert of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Gayford (Doris) Feasal of Lowell; one son, George of Freeport; and 11 grandchildren

He is also survived by three brothers, Carl of Charlotte, Harry of Rockford and Leonard of Alto.

ELSIE I. STARKWEATHER

Mrs. Elsie I. Starkweather, aged 53, of Lowell, passed away unexpectedly Tuesday, March 23, in Butterworth Hospital, Grand Rapids.

She reposes at the Roth Funeral Home in Lowell, where friends may meet the family Thursday evening from 7 to 9 p.m. Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock with the Rev. James Leitzman officiating. Burial will be made in Chapel Hill Cemetery.

A resident of Lowell since 1951, she has been active in the Nazarene Church for many years. Besides her husband, Earl, she is survived by five sons, Garv

of Jenison, Bruce and Craig of Lowell, Kirk of Spring Arbor and Ross of Bangkok, Thailand; two daughters, Mrs. David (Su zanne) Beute of Lowell, and Sheryl at home; fifteen grandchildren and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Start.

One brother, Lewis Start of Grand Rapids and three sisters, Mrs. Betty Kuhlman of Newaygo, Mrs. Sylvia Houseman of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Virginia Onan of Alto also survive.

CLARA L. THOMPSON

Mrs. Henry (Clara) Thompson, aged 75, of 10082 Baker Street, Route 2, Alto, passed away at her home Wednesday, March 11

Funeral services were held Saturday, March 13, at the Leonard-Osgood Funeral Home in Hastings with interment being made in Bowne Center Cemetery. The Rev. C. William Martin was the officiating clergyman.

She was born in Hastings September 11, 1895, the daughter of Maury and Hattie Moore, attended Jones School, and married Henry Thompson of Bowne Township September 29, 1916. They were lifelong farmers on the original homestead on Baker

Mrs. Thompson was a member of the Bowne Center United Methodist Church and the Women's Society of Christian Service of that church.

Surviving are her husband, Henry; three sons, Frank of Freeport, Gerald of Lake Odessa, and Willis of Grand Ledge; 12 ndchildren: four stepiren; nine great-grand children; and one sister, Mrs. Floyd Walters of Hastings.

JAMES F. WINSLOW

James F. Winslow, aged 83 of 5239 McCords Road, Route , Alto, passed away Thursday evening, March 18, at Butterworth Hospital in Grand Rapids.

Funeral services were held Monday at the Jonkhoff Caledonia Chapel at one o'clock with the Rev. Royle Bailard and the Rev. C. W. Baker officiating. Burial was made in Whitneyville Cemetery

Mr. Winslow is survived by his wife, Alma; three sons, Clarence of Caledonia, Edward of Virginia, and James of Grand Ledge; four daughters, Mrs. Marilyn Anthony of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Laureta Walsh and Mrs. Barbara Wolf, both of Caledonia, and Mrs. Shirley Tiedt of Grand Ledge. Also surviving are 26 grandchildren; four great-grandchil-

dren; two brothers, Fred of Greenville and Stanley of Ohio; and one sister, Mrs. Alice Wilcox of Dearborn.

Awana Ciub Plans 'Ox-Reast'

The local Awana Club has completed plans for an "Ox-Roast," which will be the highlight of their Parent's-Son Night. Recognition will be made of each boy's achievements in the club. Norman Kaddatz, an outstanding Awana leader will be the special guest.

This event will be held in the Lowell Baptist Church at 7 p.m., Friday, March 26.



Church Dews

RLDS CHURCH, ALASKA

Sunday, March 28, there will be no Church School or 11 a.m. service because of the District Conference at Crestview School, 540 Russwood, N.E. in Grand Rapids. There will be a 9:30 a.m. prayer service at the Conference and a 2:30 p.m. business meet-

At the 7 o'clock worship service, at the church, High Priest Merrill Champion will be the speaker. At 7:30 on Wednesday, March 31, the Midweek Fellowship Service will hear Elder Robert Johnson speak on "Freely Have Received and Freely Shall I Give."

Thursday, April 1, there will be an Easter Breakfast at the church at 9:30 a.m. Please have your reservations to Bonnie Colburn (698-8567) by Sunday, March 28.

George Njein of Lawrence, Kansas, will be a guest of the church on April 4 through 16th. He was born of Lebanese par ents in New Zealand, but at an early age returned to Lebanon. He will conduct special services at the church on April 4, 6, 9, 11, 14 and 16. As an author and publisher of a book "Insights Into the Book of Revelations," he will conduct a study class on April 5, 8, 12, 13 and 15. All are cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Christian Youth Homes

To Hold Annual Meeting

Wedgewood Acres Christian Youth Homes will hold its annual meeting Tuesday, March 30, beginning at 8 p.m., at the South YMCA located on 44th Street, S.W. Judge John P. Steketce will give a report on the White House Conference on Children. Following the main speaker various reports will be given, and a film will be shown depicting the activities in the four homes. Wedgewood Acres Christian Youth Homes is a residential treatment agency for boys and girls referred by the juvenile court for placement. The two agencies - Wedgewood Acres for Boys and Christian Youth Homes for girls merged in 1970.

Board members rotating off the board are Cornelius Ball, Mrs. Richard Boelkins, Richard DeVos, A. C. Engleman, Richard Parramore, David Post, William Van't Hof, Henry Velzen, Dr. Floyd Westendorp, and Casey Wondergem. Gerald Vander-Tuig will serve one more year as president.

Alton Bible Church To

The 17th Annual World Wide Missions Conference will begin Sunday, March 28th - April 4th at Alton Bible Church at 3 Mile and Lincoln Lake Roads. The conference is held in conjunction with seven other churches.

Eight different missionaries will be heard each night at 7:30 and Sundays at 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. from Zambia, Europe, Taiwan, the Philippines, Columbia, Virginia and Ohio under the theme, "Is It Nothing To You?" Terry and Yvonne Miller working with the Jews under the

ton Bible Church this year.

luck at noon The public is cordially invited.



ASSEMBLY CALVARY MEMORIAL ASSEMBLY OF GOD

2220 3-Mile Road N.E. 10 A.M Morning Service Sunday School 11 A.M. **Christ Ambassadors** (Youth) 6 P.M. Evangelistic Service 7 P.M.

BAPTIST

Corner 60th & Bancroft Ave.

Worship 11:00 a.m. & 7:30 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Fellowship

Richard A. Beach, Pastor

CHURCH 5038 Cascade Road The Rev. Richard Gilaspy ning Worship day School outh Meetings evening Worship rimary Church For Ages 4 through 8

OF LOWELL 2275 West Main Street

Sunday School10:00 a.m.Worship11:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.Wednesday Family Prayer
Fellowship7:00 p.m.

Rev. Earl Decker

BIBLE **BETHANY BIBLE**

CHURCH 3900 Fulton, East "Holding Forth the Word of Life"... Philippians 2:16 10:00 A.M. Morning Worship Sunday School 11:15 A.M. 6:00 P.M.

Evening Service Wednesday Service 7:30 P.M. Pastor: Rev. Raymond E. Befus



7:30 p.m.

Telephone 868-3011 **EASTMONT BAPTIST** 11:00 a.

9:45 a.m. 5:45 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 11:00 a.m. FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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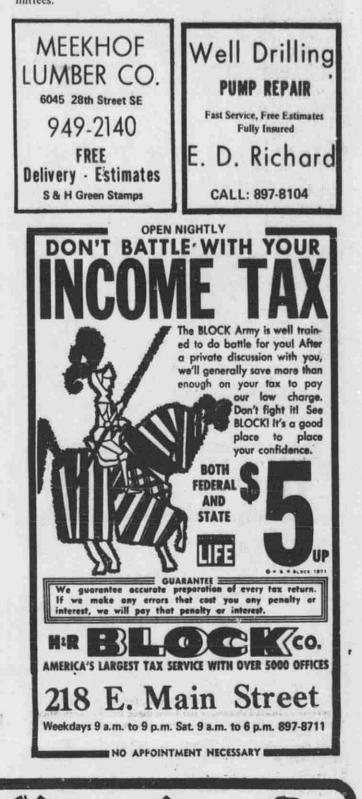
A highlight of the Conference is the all-day meeting held this year at Langston Church on Weanaday, March 31, with a pot-

Lowell Ledger-Suburban Life, March 25, 1971 Lions Schedule Open Air Market In June

Getting ready for spring cleaning? If you find anything one level above trash, perhaps it will have a value to someone who will attend the Thornapple Valley Lion's Flea Market to be held Saturday, June 12th.

Don't plan on giving your old items to the Lions, keep them and sell them yourself. The Lions are opening the Youth Park on Thornapple River Drive to other groups or individuals who would like to be part of the sale.

Reservations for spaces are being taken by Jim Walquist. Call him at 676-9274. Hugh Weaver, Stuart Bradley, and Jim Timmons have been appointed by President Ed Buell as general chairmen of the event. All members are being assigned to com-



lome to L'hurch CHRISTIAN CONGREGATIONAL CASCADE

CHRISTIAN CHURCH (Disciples of Christ, 2829 Thornapple River Drive SE 949-1360 The Rev. Raymond Gaylord 9:15 & 10:30 Morning Worship Sunday School 9:15 & 10:30

Youth Group Meetings 5:00 p.m. CHRISTIAN REFORMED

ADA CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH 7152 Bradfield 676-1698 Rev. Ralph Bruxvoort, Pastor 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship Sunday School 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

CALVARY CHURCH CHRISTIAN REFORMED 1151 W. Main Street Rev. Bernard Fynaardt, Pastor Phone 897-8841 10:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m. 11:15 a.m Sunday School

Supervised Nursery During All Services WELCOME, FRIEND CASCADE CHRISTIAN

REFORMED CHURCH 6631 Cascade Road SE Phone 949-0529 The Rev. John Guichelas Morning Worship Evening Worship 10:00 a.m 5 p.m. Nursery Provided - Morning Sunday School 11:15 a.m.

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FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF ADA In Fellowship with the United Church of Christ)

7339 Bronson SE 676-5281 **Rev. C. Jack Richards** Pastor Morning Worship 10:00 a.m. (Nursery Care Provided)

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF LOWELL United Church of Christ Hudson and Spring Streets Rev. F. Ervin Hyde, Minister Church School with classes from Nursery through Sr. High 9:45 A.M.

Morning Worship 11:00 A.M. (Cribbery and Nursery provided). EPISCOPAL

ST. MICHAEL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH 2965 Wycliff Dr. S.E. The Rev. R. Craig Bell Vicar

Holy Eucharist 10:30 a.m. Child Care Provided

LUTHERAN TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH (LCA) 2700 E. Fulton Road

Sunday Services 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Church School at 9:30 Nursery Care Provided Raymond A. Heine, Pasto

ST. MATTHEW LUTHERAN CHURCH Temporary Meeting Facilities Cascade Elementary School Corner of Burton St. and Cascade Rd. 11:00 A.M. Morning Worship Sunday School 9:30 A.M. Lenten Services Wednesday evenings 7:30 P.M. Pastor: Rev. James E. Henning 1070 Waltham, S.E. Phone: 94º 7696

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Local Holstein Receives **Food Production Credits**

A report of milk production levels attained by dairy cows in the area has been received from Holstein-Friesian Association of America. The actual food production output, recorded in the DHIR program, by these local Registered Holsteins

Mardic Mary Duchess Janeland 6496092, a four-year-old in the herd tested for James B. Cook, Jr., Lowell, produced 21,480 lbs. of milk and 739 lbs. of butterfat in 358 days. Rustic Posch L Maid 6310637, a five-year-old, produced 22,410 lbs. of milk and 785 lbs. of butterfat in 305 days;

Rustic Michigan Ri-Val Maid 6738107, a three-year-old, had 17,390 lbs. of milk and 692 lbs. of butterfat in 355 days. Both are owned by Michigan State University, East Lansing. These new production figures may be compared to the

estimated annual output of 8,821 lbs. (4,103 quarts) of milk and 325 lbs. of butterfat by the average U. S. dairy cow, notes the National Holstein Association. Production testing is made available through the coopera-

tive efforts of the state and local testing associations and Holstein-Friesian Association of America. Dairymen enrolled in the program pay for the service.

Hosts Captains 'Coffee

Mrs. John Gerhart, 762 Lincoln Lake Ave., had a "coffee" in her home last Thursday with the Vergennes area American Cancer Drive captains.

These women, with their teams, will be calling on the homes in this rural area during the month of April.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. John Sawka of Kentwood are happy to announce the birth of a daughter, Christine Ann, weighing 7 lbs., 4 oz. at Butterworth Hospital on March 11, 1971. Mrs. Sawka is the former Mary Ann Hoover of this city.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mirs. Martin Schneider of Vergennes Road, on the birth of a son, Martin Parker, born March 22, weighing 8 lbs., 5 oz. at Butterworth Hospital.

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FINAL ACCOUNT

Court for the County of Kent

PUBLICATION ORDER

File No. 120,236

Estate of

ANTHONY M. ZOOVAS,

Deceased

IT IS ORDERED that on April

15, 1971, at 9:30 A.M. In the Pro-

bate Courtroom, Grand Rapids,

Michigan, a hearing be held on

he petition of George R. Cook,

for allowance of his Final Ac-

Publication and service shall be

made as provided by statute and

A. DALE STOPPELS.

Judge of Probate

Court rule.

By: George R. Cook

Attorney for Estate

1125 W. Main Stree

ROLAND R. ROBEY

Register of Probate

Stewart A. Christian, Jr.

1201 McKay Tower

Grand Rapids, Michigan

Lowell, Michigan

A true copy.

State of Michigan, The Probate

Gerald M. Henry 400 Federal Square Building Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503 PUBLICATION ORDER File No. 121-628 State of Michigan, The Probati Court for the County of Kent Estate of GUY FORD.

Deceased IT IS ORDERED that on April 21, 1971, at 10:00 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Grand Rap ids, Michigan, a hearing be held on the Petition of Arlene Kerekes for the appointment of Richard Kerekes as Administrator of said estate, and for a determination of Publication and service shall be

made as provided by statute and Court rule. Date: March 17, 1971. A. DALE STOPPELS,

/s/ Gerald M. Henry Attorney for Petitione 400 Federal Square Building

Grand Rapids, Michigan 4950 A true copy. IOLAND R. ROBEY Register of Probate

Vander Veen, Freihofer & Cook 1125 W. Main Screet Lowell, Michigan 49331 PUBLICATION ORDER HEARING ON CLAIMS File No. 121,433 State of Michigan, The Pr Court for the County of Kent Estate of DORA KAY DOYLE

Deceased IT IS ORDERED that on June 10, 1971, at 9:30 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Grand Rap ids, Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said de ceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors-must file swor claims with the court and serve copy on John L. Doyle, M.D., at

5780 Stony Brook, S.E., Grand Rapids, Michigan, prior to hear Publication and service shall be made as provided by statute and

Court rule. Date: March 12, 1971 A. DALE STOPPELS Judge of Probate

VanderVeen, Freihofer & Cook By: George R. Cook Attorney for Estate 1125 W. Main Street

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Lowell, Michigan A true copy.

Attorney for Peter Mendels, Administrator 849 S. Ottillia S.E. Grand Rapids, Michigan ROLAND R. ROBEY Register of Probate

PUBLICATION ORDER File No. 121,510 State of Michigan, The Probat Court for the County of Kent GERTRUDE MENDELS Deceased IT IS ORDERED that on June 9th, 1971, at 10:00 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Grand Rap-

ids, Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said de ceased are required to prove their claims and heirs will be determined. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Peter Mendels, at 849 Ottillia S.E., Grand Rapids, Michi gan, prior to hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by statute and

A. DALE STOPPELS Judge of Probate Stewart A. Christian

Court rule. Date: March 10, 1971.

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Lowell Ledger-Suburban Life, March 25, 1971 Spring Brings Water

Hazards To Roads

"Watch for water on highway pavements," the Department of State Highways warned motorists this week. When ground is still frozen in early spring, melting roadside snows often run the wrong way - onto highway pavements. Freezing night temperatures then turn the pavement water into

Water, itself, is a highway hazard, Department engineers warn. At 60 miles an hour or more, water can cause a car to hydroplane, raising the front wheels off the pavement with resulting oss of control.

Until Old Man Winter has been definitely ousted from the 1971 scene, the Department recommends that all wet spots on highway pavements be approached with extra caution.

Drivers To Sign-Up In Forest Hills Area

Applications for students who will be age fifteen by June 1, 1971, for Driver Education classes to be held this coming summer, will be accepted at the Forest Hills High School between Thursday, March 25 and Friday, April 2.

The classea are open to all students, who meet age requirements and who live in the Forest Hills area, regardless of whether they are students at FHHS or other schools.

THE SOYBEAN POTENTIAL

From obscurity in the 1930's the little soybean has grown to prominence in the 1970's as the nation's number one export and its second-largest cash crop. In the last 20 years U.S. production has more than tripled, to over 1.1 billion bushels an-

"Past experience and evaluation of the future indicate clearly that the vast potential for soybeans has by no means been fully achieved," said Scott E. Cramer, president of Swift Edible Oil Company. "The potential for soy protein as a protein fortifier in a wide variety of foods has barely been scratched, and the potential for soybean oil can also excite the imagination.

Swift Edible Oil, a major processor of soybeans, is a division of Swift & Company, a diversified international corporation with major interests in foods, chemicals, insurance and petrol-

"The soybean is approximately 80 percent protein by weight," said Mr. Cramer. "The production of protein is going to be the name of the game in years ahead. The world just now is feeling deep hunger pains and nutrition suddenly is a popular conversation topic even in affluent America.

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HEARING ON CLAIMS

File No. 121,417

Court for the County of Kent

Estate of

ANNABELLE DEMERLY.

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Judge of Probate

Date: March 4, 1971,

By: George R, Cook

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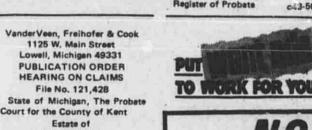
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EMMA G. LANGLANDS Deceased IT IS ORDERED that on June

10, 1971, at 9:30 A.M. In the Probate Courtroom, Grand Rapids. Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and at 119 copy on Doris M. Wingeler at 119 Alten N.E., Grand Rapids, Michilda, to, Michigan 49302, prior to hearclaims with the Court and serve a Publication and service shall be a ling. made as provided by statute and

Cours rule. Date: March 12, 1971. A. DALE STOPPELS, Judge of Probate VanderVeen, Freihofer & Cook By: George R. Cook

Attorney for Estate 1125 W. Main Street Lowell, Michigan A true copy. ROLAND R. ROBEY, Register of Probate c49-51



ADELINE M. KIEL Deceased IT IS ORDERED that on Jun 3, 1971, at 9:30 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Grand Rapids Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceas ed are required to prove the claims, Creditors must file sworn

claims with the court and serve a copy on Charles E. Kiel, Admin istrator, at 317 North St., Lowel Michigan, prior to hearing. Publication and service shall b made as provided by statute and Court rule, Date: March 4, 1971 A. DALE STOPPELS.

Judge of Probate VanderVeen, Freihofer & Cook By: George R. Cook Attorney for Estate 1125 W. Main Street Lowell, Michigan

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New Life In Keyboard Industry Revolution Probable In Musical Education

Recording star Roger Williams (left) and Tom Decker, inventor, look over Decker's computer console system for teaching

DALLAS, TEX. - A computerized plano and organ teaching technique suggests a coming revolution in the instruction of instrumental music. It is being marketed by famed pianist and recording star Roger Williams, Humanics, Inc. and International

He said he is dismayed that a closed-circuit television a professional artist, I've lookscreen and keyboard, all con- ed at dozens of courses and

"But you can't get any spec by lights. The multi-faceted ific teaching methods across console not only provides aud. because every teacher has his o-visual instruction, but also own individual ideas and disstudent in question and an-swer format. "Our computer method is a short cut. At the end of each lesson at the center, the stu

system already has taught he is given a copyrighted book housands of persons of all of all he has learned and pracages. As an example of its speed and effectiveness, a pu-the next lesson. At the end eaves" with both hands by choose to specialize in classi cal, pop or rock playing.

"We don't intend to turn

The aerospace and air trans-port industries, working under a voluntary program, have developed a new combustor for burning fuel that virtually elim nates smoke plumes from jet engines. All jet transports will be equipped with the new combustors by the end of 1972.

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ON TUESDAY, MAY 4, 1971 TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF SAID SCHOOL DISTRICT: PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a Special Election will be held in said school District on Tuesday, May 4, 1971.

Act 269, Public Acts of Michigan, 1955, as amende provides as follow 'The Inspectors of Election at any annual or special election shall not receive the vote of any person

residing in a registration school district whose name is not registered as an elector in the city or township in which he resides " " ". egistrations for said specia

election will be Friday, April 2, 1971. Persons registering after 5:00 o'clock p.m. on said day will not be eligible to vote at said special election. Persons planning to register must determine when the City and Township Clerks' offices will be open for registration

Under the provisions of Act 269, Public Acts of Michian, 1955, as amended, registrations will not be taken by chool officials, and only persons who have registered as general electors with the appropriate Township or City Clerk of the Township or City in which they reside are registered school elector

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education of the Lowell Area Schools, Counties of Kent and Ionia, Michigan.

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HAROLD METTERNICK, Secretary, Board of Education



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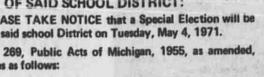
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HOLLOWAYS BECOME MEMBERS OF HIGHLANDS PARENTS' ASSOCIATION

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Holloway, 8570 Conservation Road, Ada, have automatically become members of the newly-organized Parents' Association of the Highlands School in Avon Park, Florida, because their daughter, Dorothy (Dani), is currently attending the school.

The purpose of the Parents' Association is to assist the Highlands School in the achievement of its overall objectives and, in particular, its growth and improvement, Raymond H. Stokes, president, has stated.

Parents will be kept informed about the school's program and operation so that they can readily identify the areas of need and recommend ideas for future development.

HOME AND GARDEN SHOW THIS WEEK The 1971 Greater Michigan Home and Garden Show will be held in the Grand Rapids Civic Auditorium on March 23rd hrough 27th.

Based on the theme " ... On Dutch Street," the show is open daily, and to the public. For more information on this annual event, see the advertise-

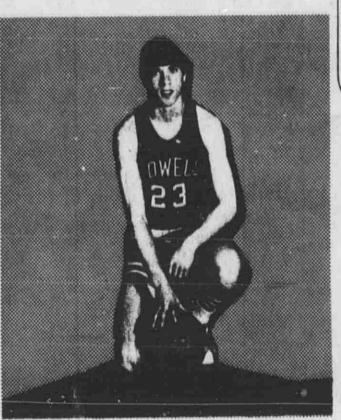


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Dewitt Gets Berth On All-Conference Team

The 1970-71 Tri-River All Conference Team was picked last Monday night, and Lowell landed one first team berth.

Greenville dominated the season-end honors by placing their entire starting lineup on the 10-man all league team.

Coopersville followed with two players with Lowell, Sparta, and Belding, placing one each.

Denny DeWitt took Lowell's only first team position. Joe Rinard, a junior, and Pete Olson both received honorable mention

DeWitt was the Arrow's high scorer, setting a new Lowell High School four-year mark. He totaled 356 points this year. Rinard topped the Arrows with 184 season rebounds and came in fourth in total team scoring with 164 points.

Olson, a senior, led the team with his 50 steals and 63 assists.

Chuck Barber, Greenville's 6-4 junior center, tied Rex Hansen, Coopersville's 6-5 senior, forward, in the balloting for most valuable player and was placed on the all-league team along with team mates, Roger Ballard, Steve Bullard, Dennis Griffith and Paul Jorgensen.

Hansen was joined by team mate, Doug Hendrickson of Coopersville and Kevin Bird of Belding and Dan Kik of Sparta.



Forty Go Out For **Forest Hills Baseball**

Forty baseball players are on the roster for the Forest Hills teams. Eighteen of them are listed for the Varsity under Coach Chuck Mathews. His two managers will be Tom Vonk and Dale Ferwerda.

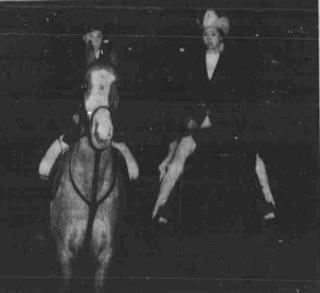
Assistant Coach Jim Wagner will line up twenty-two ball players with his manager, Steve Scherbinski. The schedule calls for twenty-three games before the district play-offs. Two double-headers will be played and the team will participate in two Invitational tourneys.

The first game scheduled will be at Hastings on Thursday, April 8, at 4 p.m. The remaining Varsity schedule, according to Coach Mathews includes (All games played at 4 p.m. unless otherwise noted):

Monday, April 12	Central	There
Tuesday, April 13	Zeeland	Home
Monday, April 19	Northview	There
Wednesday, April 21	Rockford	There
Friday, April 23	East Grand Rapids	Home
Tuesday, April 27	East Christian	Home
Wednesday, April 26	West Ottawa	There
Friday, April 30	Grandville	Home
Saturday, May 1	Ottawa Hills D/H	Kimble Field
		l p.m.
Wednesday, May 5	Godwin	There
Friday, May 7	Kentwood	Home
Saturday, May 8	Union D/H	Valley Field 1 p.m.
Wednesday, May 12	Rockford	Home
Friday, May 14	East Grand Rapids	Away
Monday, May 17	West Ottawa	Home
Wednesday, May 19	Grandville	There
Friday, May 21	Godwin	Home
Saturday, May 22	Wyoming Invt'l.:	Kimble Field
Monday, May 24	Kentwood	There
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Saturday, June 12	Regional Tourney	N. 1 24- 10
Saturday, June 19	State Tourney	
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ALL-SPORTS BANQUET

The date has now been set for the annual Forest Hills All Sports Banquet at which members of all teams are honored. On Thursday, May 20, at 6:30 p.m. the dining room of Adrian's Ramona Terrace will once again hold a record crowd as parents and coaches salute athletes and cheerleaders.



The difference between the English and Western horseman, in attire and rig, is shown by Kim Cox (left) of Grand Rapids, and Carol Munson of Ada.

Track Season Gets Underway April 3

There are sixty-seven boys out for the Forest Hills track team according to Coach Frank Rosengren.

On Saturday, April 3, at 10 a.m. the Ranger squad will have an opportunity to open its season along with twenty-five to thirty other teams in an Invitational at Kentwood

The following Saturday, April 10, the team will participate in the Lowell Relays. Coach Rosengren and Assistant Coach Andy Seif are preparing their teams for a schedule that will include six home meets.

This year the O-K League is trying to space meets at individual schools as often as possible in the manner of other sports. The Varsity Track schedule for this season is as follows (the meets will be held at 5:30 and 7 p.m., unless otherwise noted):

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Saturday, April 3	Kentwood (Indoors)	10 a.m
Tuesday, April 6	Sparta	Home,
Friday, April 16	Rockford	Home
Monday, April 19	East Grand Rapids	Home
Friday, April 23	West Ottawa	There
Monday, Apirl 26	Make-up date	
Friday, April 30	Grandville	Home
Monday, May 3	Godwin	Home
Friday, May 7	Kentwood	Home
Monday, May 10	Hudsonville Unity	Home
Wednesday, May 12	Make-up date	
May 14 & 15	Regional Meet	
Monday, May 17	Conference Prelims	Kentw
Tuesday, May 18	Conference Finals	Kentw
Saturday, May 22	State Meet	1.0

Monday, May 24 Junior Varsity Invitational Junior Varsity Invitational Make-up Tuesday, May 25

JUNIOR OLYMPICS

Five Forest Hills students will be participating in the Junior Olympics at Cobo Hall in Detroit on Saturday, March 27. They

A recently formed organization, unique in its scope, is the English-Western Horseman Association. Until now riders of each classification have belonged to groups formed only for their own speciality. The new direction is an exciting concept for

Form English-Western Horseman's Association

both English and Western riders. The association, which will select a board of directors at an open meeting on Thursday, March 25, is comprised of men and women, youth and adults. Over one hundred and fifty members have attended former meetings with more memberships available

The membership represents at least five counties, Kent, Ot-tawa, Allegan, Muskegon, and Kalamazoo. Local stables as well as individuals have memberships.

The organization, the only one of its kind in the country as far as the originators know, is dedicated to better horsemanship. Its aims are to improve quality of shows and personal equitation. To do this, it is hoped that clinics and workshops under the direction of qualified instructors and lecturers will be made available as well as field trips and special training in the technical aspects. Close cooperation with Michigan State University and other horse associations is expected to be of benefit.

This month's meeting will be held at Rockford High School at 8 p. m., March 25. Miss Debbie Coale of Ada will address the group on "The Behavior of the Horse.'

Additional information on the Association can be secured from Acting Chairman, Jerry Boynton, 866-2578.

Exhibits Will Highlight Spring Show Saturday

Rocketry, ceramics, archery are among the projects being exhibited at the Kent County 4-H Spring Show this Saturday, March 27 at Walker Junior High School.

Members from clubs throughout the county will participate in the annual evaluation and recognition program in the cafetorium at 1 to 4:30 p.m. A wide variety of projects are explored by club members and the purpose of the Spring Show is to provide them the opportunity to see what other members are doing and discuss their own achievements with a knowledgeable evaluator. The public is invited to attend the program to view the accomplishments of the 4-H members.

Committee members planning the event include Reg Willemsen, Ada; Lee and Edward Gillet, Caledonia; Bill Hart, Belmont; Ken Becker, Rockford; Cleo Anders and Mrs. Mark Thome, Comstock Park; Walt Pedley, Mrs. Cornelius Lam-bregtse, Mrs. Bruce Vredevoogd and Mrs. Jerry Warren of Grand Rapids.

The 4-H - youth program is the youth division of the Mich-igan State University Cooperative Extension Service. For more information about the 4-H youth program, contact Alan Snider or Mrs. Phyllis Constance, 4-H - Youth Agents, 728 Fuller N.E., Grand Rapids, phone 459-4471.





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will be among two hundred and fifty students from the state who will be competing in archery.

Coach Chuck Mathews will be chaperoning Lee Champion, Bill Dangl, Lori Mathews, Ron Block, and Doug Grant at the all-day shoot. All of the archers have qualified in their respective age brackets in former tournaments both locally and nationally.

Beware Of Kite-Eating Trees, Poles, Wires

Somewhere in your neighborhood lurks the terrible-tempered, kite-eating tree. Its appetite for string, glue, paper and thin wooden strips is insatiable.

What's worse is that it may devour its own weight in just one good, gusty, sunny day, without fear or favor among its true friends - the kids who fly those kites.

Gordon L. Carson, Consumers Power Company's Grand Rapids Division Manager, has the clue for discovering the whereabouts of that indiscriminate kite-eater. "You will recognize the kite-eater by the small pieces of string dangling from its limbs or the various pieces of colored paper impaled on its branches," Mr. Carson said.

"It's bad enough to have a tree with such a dietary deficiency, but even worse are the poles and wires which account for the loss of hundreds of kites each spring," he said.

The danger here, as Mr. Carson points out, is that kites, when flying near electric wires, pose a danger far more serious than any kite-eating tree; especially those kites which have metallic string or other metallic parts.

"The rules are simple," he said, "but children have to be reminded each year."

Here are his five rules of kite-flying safety:

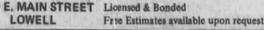
1. Fly your kite away from streets and highways. 2. Fly your kite away from electric wires, telephone wires and TV antennas.

3. Do not use a kite which is made with metal parts. 4. Use cloth or plastic string to fly your kite. Metal or wire

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