

DRY DAY...

The water level between the Cascade and Ada Dams will be lowered approximately four feet over the weekend on May 7, 8 and 9.

It is expected that the water should be down to its lower level by daybreak on the morning of Saturday, May 8, and will be held there until sundown on Sunday, May 9.

If the weather is rainy during the two or three days preceding this weekend, Stanford M. Brown, chairman of the committee in charge of the Dry Day, will postpone the operation until the next dry weekend. According to Brown, rain storms as far away as Hastings and as early as the previous Wednesday could cause a postponement.

Extensive work, such as the installation of concrete retaining walls, should be reported to Brown at 949-3426, in advance in order to protect the materials from premature rising of the waters.



The town is putting on a new look—chin whiskers that is... as businessmen, farmers, the jet set, etc., show their support of the Lowell-Fallasburg Area Centennial.

It's amazing what a bunch of brush can do for some, and what it doesn't do for others... but in all sincerity, it's good to see the town folks so supporting of this centennial event.

May 17 is the deadline for filing petitions for the two openings on the Lowell Board of Education. The last day to register for the June 4 election of candidates is Friday, May 14.

The two positions open for candidates are now held by Gould Rivette and William Jones.

Area residents who escaped Michigan's winter months by trekking southward, are slowly returning home and relating to their friends what a wonderful winter they had in the balmy-sunshine climate.

They're arriving back just in time to get in on the centennial activities and join in on the Showboat promotions.

One of Lowell's oldest active residents is Glenn Ford, who can be seen daily strolling towards the downtown area to pick up his mail at Box 141, at the Post Office.

This Saturday, May 8, Glenn will celebrate his 90th birthday; let's help him celebrate by sending him a card.

Horsemen from all over the state will convene in Lowell this Saturday for an educational horse clinic to be held at the 4-H Fairgrounds.

Beginning at 9 a.m., the all-day clinic will be headed by Glen Heiney and Alice VanKleeve, professional horse trainers from Glen Arbor, Michigan.

It's "Clean-up Week" in the city, and residents are urged to spruce up their lawns and residence areas and get rid of their unwanted trash during this time.

The City's Sanitation Department is making daily pickups, during this week, of all articles placed at the curb.

When traveling northward out of town on M-91, residents are reminded that due to bridge repairs, a three-week detour is in effect for this routing.

The bridge, carrying traffic over the Flat River, is expected to be repaired by May 21.

Rose and Harold Ball are diligently working on a new business endeavor on East Main Street. The former owners of the Ball Floral Shoppe are transforming the old Cities Service station into an added attraction along Main Street.

Dark Brown trim highlights a golden mustard colored building that displays a unique design, typical of the Ball's artistic talents.



WILLIAM MILLS - Directs the award winning band in a performance at the school's Band and Choir Concert last week, prior to their entry into State Competition.

Bands Rated As 'Best In State'

Last Saturday, the 75-piece Lowell High School Band, under the direction of William Mills, competed in the Michigan State Band and Orchestra Association's State Contest at Portage Northern High School, and came home with a first division rating, "the best in the state."

The band, which also received straight first division ratings at the District Festival on March 13, played before three concert judges, and a sight-reading judge.

The bandsmen were judged on three presentations—a required number, "Prelude and Fugue in G Minor," by Bach, a march, "March Gradioso by Roland Seitz, and an overture, "Pageant," by Vincent Persichetti. All three judges gave them a first division rating.

On the two sight-reading requirements, the bandsmen were again awarded first division ratings.

Out of the fourteen different schools, all Class B, that were competing, Lowell had the only band to win straight first division ratings in all areas judged.

'Class A' Winners

"We're Number One," privately cheered the members of the Forest Hills Varsity Band.

The elevation followed the State Band Festival held Saturday, May 1, at Vicksburg during which the band earned a Number One rating, the highest rating an organization can achieve in a state contest. The band was competing in Class A competition.

To earn such a rating the musical group, directed by Marion Sanderson, was judged by four adjudicators. Three judgements were given the band on concert playing and one was on sight reading. Each judge in each category gave the Ranger band a Number One.

In a different contest held in Parchment the Forest Hills "Concert Band," composed of students from the ninth grade band and the junior varsity band received two Number One ratings and two Number Two ratings. This grants the band an overall rating of Number One. This combined group competed in the Class B contest.

Upon receiving congratulations, Director Sanderson said, "It was a great day and the students performed exceedingly well. Now we will have to continue to live up to this fine reputation."

The bands are expected to appear at FESTIVAL '71, which will be held at the high school on Friday and Saturday, May 14 and 15.



CONGRATULATIONS - Are in order for the fine group of musicians who brought home "the best in state" rating to the City of Lowell.

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Fred's Hard Work Pays Off

"They ordered me to come to work early today, and I thought it was kind of funny, but I had no idea that it was for something like this," were the only words that Fred Phelps could come up with last Wednesday morning.

Fred's comment followed a presentation made to him by Postmaster Charles Doyle, before his fellow employees and several guests. The presentation "The Superior Accomplishment Award" was given to Mr. Phelps by the United States Post Office for sustained above average performance of assigned duties for a period in excess of twelve months.

The award read as follows: "Mr. Phelps has been employed by the Lowell Post Office in the position of Custodial Laborer since 1962. During this time, he has performed his duties in a manner that is exemplary to his fellow employees.

"His assigned task of maintaining the Lowell Post Office building and grounds is accomplished in such an outstanding manner that we have been highly complimented by the citizens of the community. He is a loyal employee and is well above average in diligence and accuracy.

"He accepts any assignments where his supervisors consider his services can be used most advantageously.

Without exception, all duties have been performed promptly and in a very efficient manner. Mr. Phelps needs little or no supervision to insure that he works with maximum efficiency.

"The Lowell Post Office has received two superior ratings for good housekeeping and the "Outdoor Beautification" program. Mr. Phelps has been instrumental in obtaining these ratings. If this program had continued, I am sure we would have continued to receive awards because of the pride and outstanding performance of Mr. Phelps."



MRS. PHELPS - Looks on as Fred shows his unexpected guests the cake presented to him by his fellow employees.



"I didn't know I was that good," Fred replied, after receiving his award.

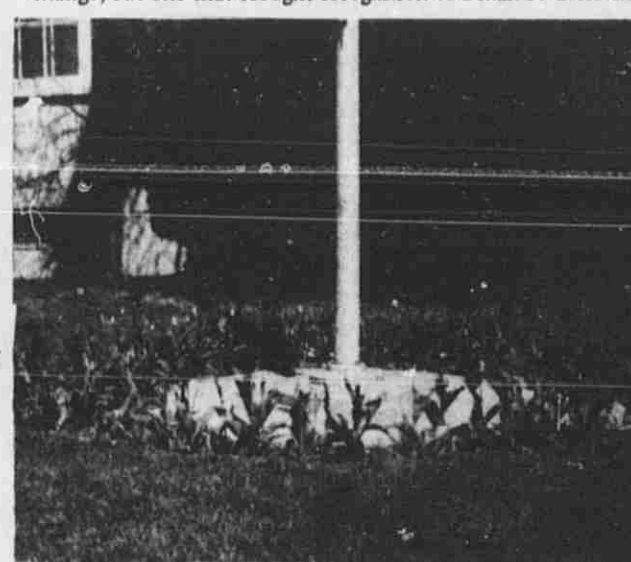
The award was only the first surprise bestowed on friendly Fred that morning. A check for \$120, a gift of the postal department, was given to the Phelps, plus Fred was the recipient of a pin denoting his accomplishment, and a caricature cake of Fred himself was brought forward by his fellow workers.

The sleek trimmed hedge bordering the postal office yard on North Broadway Street is a victim of Fred's pruning shears each Spring, and the tulips that bloom so heartily in the yard are prize-worthy projects of his abilities.

Before taking over the custodial duties at the Post Office, Fred was a mechanic, a trade which he had specialized in for many years, working for various automobile agencies in the area.

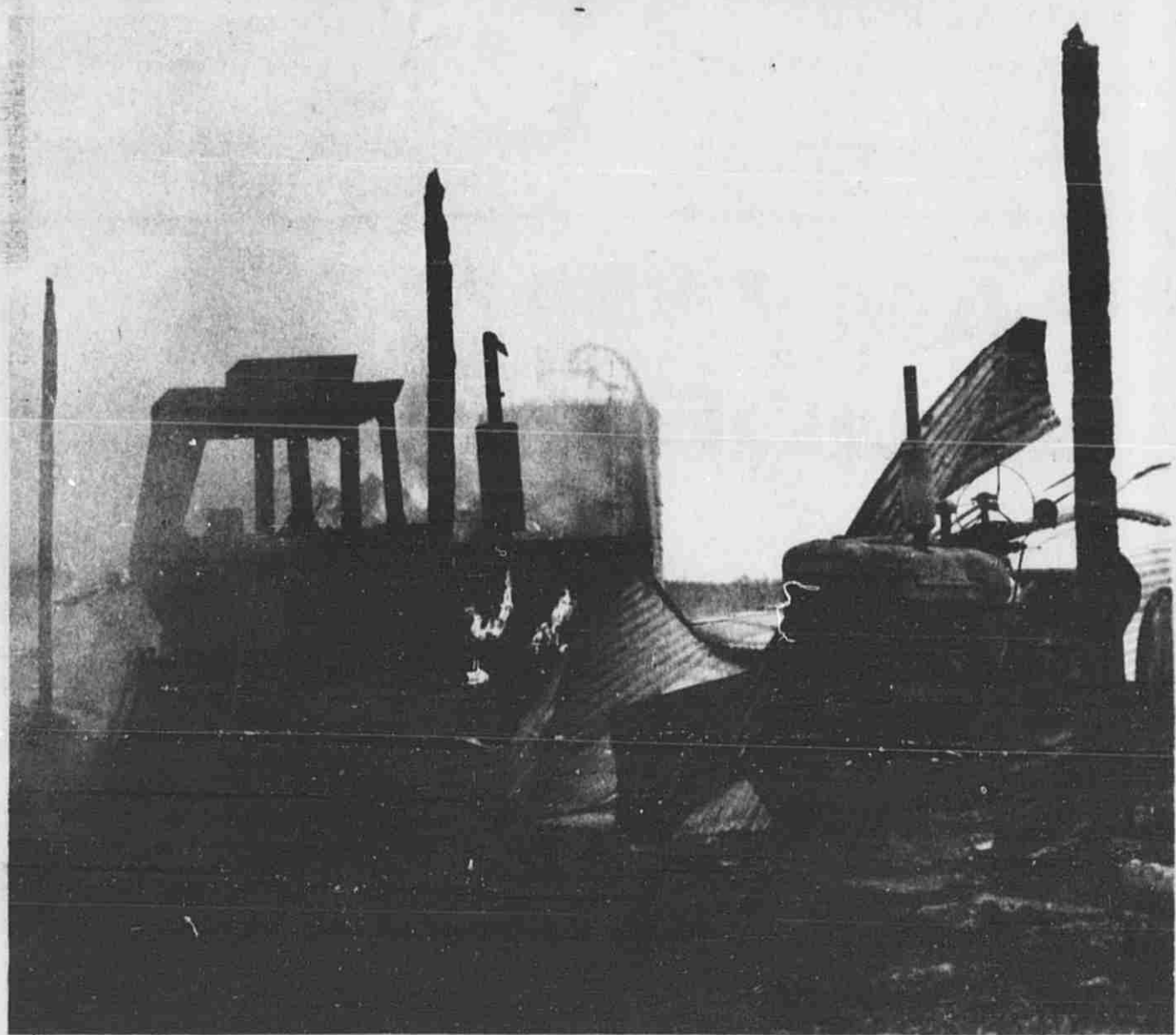
When he's not greeting morning customers at the post office, maintaining the clean post office building, or working in the yard area, Fred keeps busy at home, 415 West Main Street. His spare time is spent taking care of his activities with the V.F.W. Post of Lowell, Moose Club and other community projects.

From a "grease thumb to a green thumb," that's quite a change; but one that brought recognition to a man so deserving.



THE TULIP BED - At the base of the Flag Pole in the Post Office yard is one of Fred's green thumb projects.

FIRE LEVELS COOK'S BARN



An early morning fire of undetermined origin leveled the pole barn on the James Cook farm, 12691 Vergennes Street, April 29. The burned remnants are all that is left of the building, farm tools and hay that were engulfed by the flames. Estimated loss to the Vergennes Township farmer falls in the vicinity of \$35,000.

Kindergarten Round-Up May 12, 13 And 14

The kindergarten round-up dates have been set for May 12th for the Alto area, May 13th for people living in the Lowell city area, and May 14th for those who live outside of the city area.

The round-up will be held in the all-purpose room in the Alto building, and in the all-purpose room of the Bushnell building for the Lowell area on May 13 and 14.

Parents are urged to use the following schedule when they bring their kindergartners to this round-up. Those whose last name begins with:

A-D attend at 8:30	M-P attend at 1:00
E-H attend at 9:30	Q-T attend at 2:00
I-L attend at 10:30	U-Z attend at 3:00

A birth certificate should accompany each child attending the round-up. This experience has proven to be very helpful in years gone by as it helps both the parents and the school to adequately make plans for the coming school year.

School Board Agenda

The Agenda for the regular meeting of the Board of Education, Lowell Area Schools, to be held on Monday, May 10, in the Senior High School library at 7:30 p.m. includes:

Selection of election workers, June Election (Annual School Election), Building Proposal, Teacher resignations, School Audit, Cluster Program, Title III Purchases, Athletic Insurance; Voting Member—Kent Intermediate School District, North Central Report, Title I Summer Program, Principals' Contracts, and Negotiations Report.

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Juniors Selected As Boys' State Candidates

Each year the Lowell High School faculty is asked to select four outstanding boys from the Junior Class to represent Lowell at the Wolverine Boys' State.

The boys, chosen on the basis of leadership, citizenship and sportsmanship, are: Dave Wisner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wisner; Jeff Brower, son of Mrs. Marion Brower; Dan Pierce, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pierce; and Denney Thomet, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Thomet.

Wolverine Boys State is designed as a practical experience in the problems of self-government as operated in Michigan. The boys have the opportunity to put the theories of American Government into actual practice. Its purpose is to develop the responsibility of leadership; to prove the advantage of citizenship; and to promote the art of clean sportsmanship.

These young men are sent under the sponsorship of four local service organizations — the American Legion, Rotary, Lions Club and one is sponsored by the County-wide Legion. The thirty-fourth annual assembly will be held on the campus of Michigan State University from June 16-23, 1971.

Kid's Art Lessons

The Lowell YMCA is offering a class in art for all boys and girls in 5th through 8th grade beginning Thursday, May 13. Classes will meet at the "Y" office for four weeks at 3:30 p.m. and will be held outdoors whenever possible.

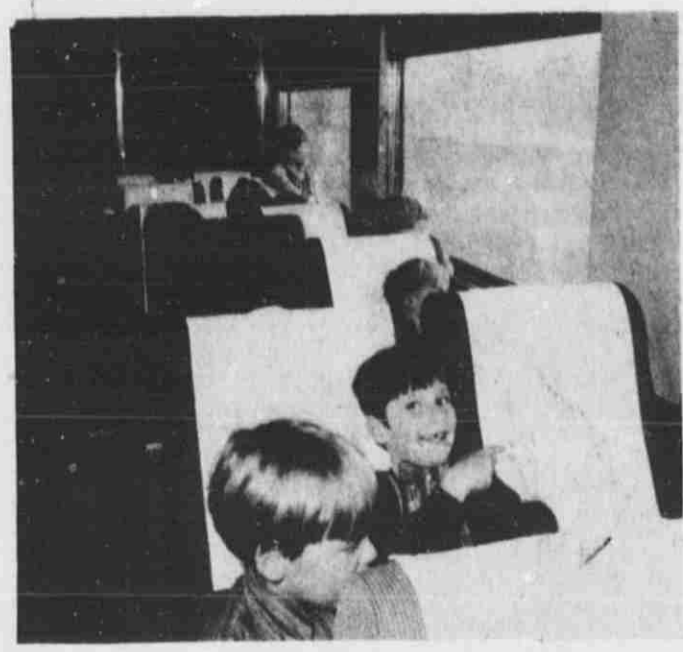
Each class will be 90 minutes in length and cover techniques in charcoal and water color. There will be a maximum of 15 registrations and participants are urged to sign up as soon as possible.

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LAST TRAIN RIDE



Billy Goetz and Drew Lakotos on the last train to Lake Odessa.

The last train ride to Lake Odessa and in ninety-five percent of the cases, the first train ride to anywhere, was taken by the kindergarten children of Thornapple School.

Seeing the city from the inside out, seeing the countryside from the back end of the train and away from the expressway, was an experience that almost no kindergartners had known. They were studying "transportation" in their class. They knew all about buses and trucks, but trains were unfamiliar objects. Chickety, clack, said the trains in the storybooks, but until you've been on one and heard that noise for yourself, you really never will quite understand the language that the engines speak.

When the kindergarten teachers at Thornapple School realized that most of the classroom had never had the chance to board a railroad car, they organized the outing. Some parents acted as chaperones while others agreed to meet the youngsters at their final destination.

Approximately fifty-two children, most of whom had never been that close to a train, took that final journey on the C&O-B&O from the Freeman station to Lake Odessa. Most scarcely bothered to look down from the high windows into the upturned faces of passengers and their friends who boarded at the one stop at Kalamazoo Avenue.

The travelers were pleased to see fathers waiting for them at Lake Odessa and only looked back as the train moved off toward Lansing when prompted. With television and the space age, it is indeed a new era.

Senior Class Gift To Marsiglia Fund

Concern for a fellow student, Randall Marsiglia, prompted the Senior Class of Forest Hills High School to donate its Class Gift of funds to the Marsiglia Therapy Fund.

Randall, who is a seventh grader in the Forest Hills Junior High School, suffered a paralyzing back injury in March and the Seniors are anxious to have a part in his rehabilitation.

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Forest Hills Hi-Lites

BY SHIRLEY DYGERT

Mark your calendar now! Invitations will soon be sent to all Forest Hills athletes for the All Sports Banquet to be held this year on May 20 at Adrian. Parents and family members of athletes may attend through reservations.

When Kraigh Collins says, "See you in the funny papers," he usually means it. Hope you didn't miss "Up Anchor" last week. There was something there for salesman and commercial people as well as sailors and cruising people. Both the soap company and the boat yard that Ada's Ahah worked into the cartoon are well known throughout the U. S.

If you want to follow fashion's trail, the upcoming style show to be presented by the Forest Hills Swim Team Booster's Club, may have just the very thing for you. Men's attire, as well as dress for younger boys and girls and their mothers, will be featured. Hold Friday evening, May 14, for the event.

A five month's recycling program for glass containers totaled fifteen tons of material collected by the Girl Scouts of Troop 482. They were able to earn Ecology badges for their intensive efforts.

The collecting at local grocery stores has come to an end for the next few months, due to the loss of truck pick-up service. Warehouse space has been provided for another season of glass gathering beginning next fall.

In the meantime, the sixth graders of the troop will hold a clean-up on Saturday, May 8, at Fallsburg Park. Congratulations to those who so willingly did their Good Deed for all of us.

Help! Have you an hour to spare? Or an hour to give? One hour for Muscular Dystrophy would help the cause and your feeling of self-involvement. Sometime on or before May 25 marchers will be needed to cover your own territories. Please call Pat (Mrs. George) McClellan at 676-9213 after 5 p.m. if you can take a block or maybe fifteen houses. You'd make her happy, but what's more you'd make yourself a better neighbor.

The funds collected aid a hundred research projects for the cure of muscle disease throughout the world. The nationwide network of clinics includes one here at Biogen Hospital in Grand Rapids. It gives essential and direct services to patients and their families.

Children's art from the Forest Hills Schools is on display this week at Eastbrook Mall. Take a moment to see the exhibit; the charm of the work is worthy of a Rembrandt.

It's Twirl Week at FHHS. On Monday the Freshmen won the riddle contest and arm wrestling began. Tuesday was Miss Irresistible's day and Wednesday was the time for the Famous Slave Auction and the voting in the Mock Elections.

Thursday is Dress-Up Day and time for collections for the Penny King and Queen. On Friday it will be Mix-Up Day with the order of the classes scrambled. There will be an assembly during which a mighty drinking (rootbeer and grape pop) contest will be held. The Arm Wrestling Championship Match will be held at that time as well as a view of a huge pyramid. The Mock Election Awards will be granted just before the jousting contest.

But the biggest day of all will be Saturday. That is Olympic Day. The festivities and ceremonies will begin at 1 p.m. The traditional Tug-of-War over the swamp and the infamous greased pole event from the past will share honors with Tip-A-Canoe, a piggy back race, a three-legged race, and a wheelbarrow race. Finally there will be shrieks of laughter over the pole struggle event and a daring chariot race in the form of tricycles and wagons.

June 25-30 has been set as the dates for the collection of papers and cans by S.T.O.P., Students to Overcome Pollution. Begin saving now!

Colleges Name Honor Students

The Academic Honors List and the Dean's List for the Winter Term has been announced at Davenport College of Business, Grand Rapids, and three students from Lowell have won the honor of being placed on the lists.

Miss Mary Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson G. Smith, Route 1, Lowell, was named to the college's Academic Honor List. She earned a 3.5 grade average or better. Those placed on the Dean's List, earning a 3.0 grade average, were Miss Janet Kyser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kyser of Route 3, Lowell, and Miss Kay MacNaughton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald MacNaughton of 1011 North Hudson Street, Lowell.

Michigan Tech
A total of 358 students achieved placement on the winter quarter Dean's List at Michigan Tech University by earning a grade point average of 3.5 or higher.

Students from the Forest Hills-Lowell area named to the honor listing include:

Michael L. Appel, Electrical Engineering, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Appel, 3100 Leonard Street, James L. Huyser (all A's) Civil Engineering, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Huyser, 1510 Lanchashire, S.E., Curtis L. Thon, Civil Engineering, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon S. Thon, 613 Forest Hill, S.E., and David K. Boone (all A's) Electrical Engineering, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Boone of Lowell.

Miami University
The Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, Campus Dean's List for the winter quarter, comprised of all undergraduates who registered averages of B or above for a course-load of 12 hours or more totals 4,109 names.

Maintaining a 3.0 average or better to earn placement on the "Honor Listing" was Elizabeth Jo Hayes, 7499 Sheffield Drive, S.A., Ada.

Grand Valley State
Two hundred twenty-two Grand Valley State College students were named to the Dean's List at the end of winter term 1971.

Students honored for their academic achievement on the list maintained a 3.50 to 4.00 (all-A) grade point average in their term course work.

Among those named to the GVSC winter term Dean's List was David L. Smith of Lowell, who achieved a 4.00 average.

Michigan State University
A total of 4,186 students were listed on the Michigan State University honor list for the winter term.

To be eligible for the honors list, a student must achieve at least a 3.5 (B plus) grade point average in the term.

Area students placed on the MSU honors list included: Belding - Fred C. Bowen, Mechanical Engineering; Jane Klackie, Elementary and Special Education. Forest Hills - Roland Begelahl, Stephen Tourre, Robert Bourke, James Eardley, Douglas Edgerton, Lynell Evans, Ellen Make, Clayton Hardiman, Jane DeWitt, Susan Campbell, Kenneth Mueller, Jack Molenkamp, Robert Pearson, Sherill Smith, Alan Stog, Janice Veneklas, Hilma Volk, and Gary VanZerden. Lowell - Roger MacNaughton, Loraine Cannon, Carl E. Rasch, Jr., and Jerald Thaler.

Students Can Avoid Withholding Taxes

Students with jobs who may be exempt from federal income tax withholding on their wages this year should notify their employers, Thomas A. Cardoza, District Director of Internal Revenue for the state of Michigan, said today.

Working students who qualify under the tax law for exemption from withholding, Mr. Cardoza advised, should fill in and submit a Withholding Exemption Certificate (Form W-4E) to their employer by May 1. Exemption certificates filed for 1970 expire April 30.

Students who did not owe any tax last year and expect to owe none in the current year should so certify, Mr. Cardoza said. This would eliminate the need to file a tax return next year unless there has been tax withholding and the student wishes to recover it.

Single students with income of less than \$1,700, and married ones filing jointly with income of less than \$2,350 will not owe any federal income tax for 1971, Mr. Cardoza said.

RONALD MOYKKYNNEN ATTENDS ADVANCED INSURANCE SCHOOL
Ronald F. Moykkynen, FIC, 9514 Blue Water Hwy., Lowell, district representative in this area for Aid Association for Lutherans recently attended an advanced sales training school at the home office in Appleton, Wisconsin.

The school consisted of special study in advanced life underwriting and its application to estate planning. Moykkynen is a graduate of the Fraternal Sales Training Program, and a member of the Ernest L. Krieger Agency, Saginaw.

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May Is American Bike Month



SAFE BIKE, SAFE DRIVER... That's the goal of American Bike Month this May. Thousands of bicycle retailers will be offering free safety inspections and literature in celebration of Bike Month. Others will be cooperating with local police, civic, service and social organizations in conducting community-wide bicycle safety programs to make sure that all youngsters' bicycles are in good operating condition. Parents should make sure that their children know and observe the rules of the road when cycling. Free copies are available at most bike retailers throughout the month of May.

SMILE... SMILE... SMILE!

Michigan Week will soon be here!

May 15-22 are the dates of the 18th annual Michigan Week. These are the now-famous eight days when Michigan citizens go all out to tell the world their story—that Michigan people have a great deal to be proud of, that Michigan is a great place to live, work and play year-round.

"Michigan—Land of Hospitality," the Michigan Week theme, emphasizes the friendliness which we as representatives of Michigan should constantly exemplify. Michigan's beautiful landscape and natural resources, though lying in themselves need a helping hand, the extended hand of Michigan people bidding a wholehearted, personal welcome.

It's up to us to show newcomers and visitors that Michigan is hospitable, and we can only do that by being alert to the daily opportunities. If your welcome smile is a little bit rusty, practice it a while. A smile or friendly greeting doesn't cost a cent, but it can pay big dividends in boosting Michigan's image as a gracious host state.

So—smile at your neighbor, your waitress, your deliveryman—be gracious to your family, your co-workers, your fellow citizens. Smile your way through Michigan Week and on through the year. Hospitality is habit-forming. It's a good habit and it can mean a lot to Michigan.

Babysitting Instruction Classes Offered At Y

The Lowell YMCA announced today that it will be offering babysitting instructions beginning Monday, May 10, at 7 p.m. Classes will be held in the home of Mrs. Vince McCambridge, 1027 Lincoln Lake Rd., for five weeks.

Classes will be 90 minutes in length. Successful participants will receive diplomas at the conclusion of the series. The class is open to any boy or girl 12 years or going into the 7th grade and up. Registration is limited to a first come first serve basis. So sign up now, at the "Y" office as there is a limit of 15 registrations.

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Candidate For Degree

University of Michigan students who expect their degrees this spring attended the University's commencement ceremonies Saturday, May 1.

Although an estimated 5,600 students expect their diplomas this spring, only the candidates for the doctor of philosophy, doctor of musical arts and doctor of education degrees were awarded their diplomas at the Saturday commencement exercises. Others will receive their degrees later.

Alexander Robertus Todd, internationally known British scientist and winner of the 1957 Nobel Prize in chemistry, was the commencement speaker at the Saturday ceremony.

In attendance at the ceremonies was Mrs. Ann Stirling Johnson of Lowell, who expects to receive her Master's degree in Social Work in May.

Mrs. Johnson is the daughter of Mrs. Donald Mullen and the late Donald M. Mullen of 203 North Jefferson Street, Lowell.

Junior Band's Concert

The Junior High School Bands, under the direction of Patricia Corey, will present a "pop" concert on Thursday evening, May 13, at 8 p.m. This concert, the third for the bands this year, will be held in the Intermediate Gym.

The "B" Band will be playing such pieces as "Gentle On My Mind" and "King of the Road." "A" Band, Medley from Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid, Bacharach and David Popular Medley No. 1 and Richard Rogers. A symphonic portrait for concert band. The Activity Band, an extracurricular band that meets 2 lunch hours a week and on Saturday, will also be featured, playing popular music.

The bands are very enthusiastic about giving this "pop" concert. They really enjoy playing this music, and after all, the first and primary purpose of music is enjoyment, according to Miss Corey.

Awards for the Most Valuable Player and Most Improved Player will be presented at this concert.

There will be no admission for this concert.

Cascade Building Permits Total \$474,000

Although no legislative decisions were made during the monthly meeting of the Cascade Township Board, several discussions regarding recommendations were fruitful, according to Lee Patterson, supervisor.

The board heard Building Inspector, Bill DeWitt's report that in the month of April permits were issued for a total valuation of \$474,000. All but two of the permits were for residential building.

The board received the Planning Commission's recommendation to grant the request of Foremost Insurance to rezone property they own east of its present building to D-1. This will be developed into an office park complex. The company had also presented plans for construction of a new office building on its property. Both requests received approval of the board subject to review by the township's attorney.

The Planning Commission had also sent forward a request to approve Cascade Terrace No. 4 which is adjacent to Cascade Terrace No. 3 on the north side of 30th Avenue. This area will encompass approximately twenty lots for residential building.

The Planning Commission also submitted amendments it wants to see in the Mobile Home Ordinance. These amendments were written in conjunction with a citizens' committee. The board approved the amendments subject to the review of the township's attorney.

An informational report regarding steps to be taken by the Kent County Airport Authority in building the new runways was read. Discussion of numerous complaints by private property owners regarding motor bikes and mini bikes using such property ended with the possibility of future action.

Patterson, a member of the Kent-Ottawa Planning Commission, discussed the water-meter planning department of that organization. Federal grants to municipalities depends upon use and plans for hardware plants, including water, sewer, and related facilities.

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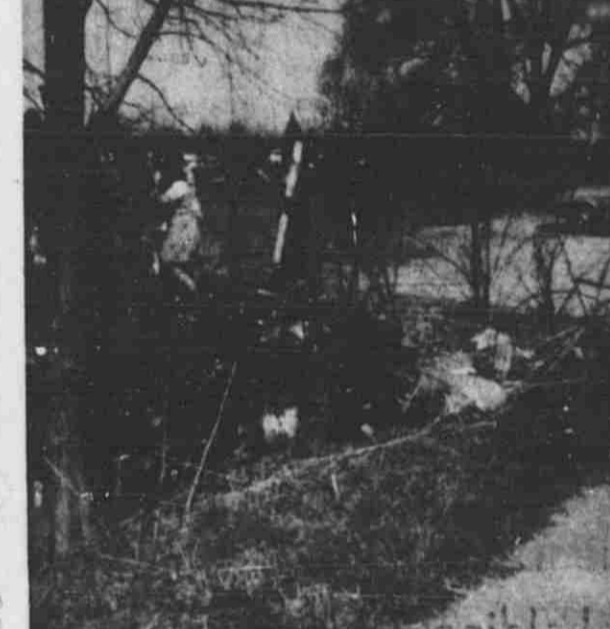
LITTERING DEBRIS - Along the Flat River, behind the junior high school, is being picked up by sixth grade science students.

"Concern For Our Environment" the topic of discussion for Miss Lynne Stal's sixth grade science students prompted a "clean-up" project to complete their Earth Week activities.

During the second hour class period, the students embarked on the banks of the Flat River to remove the discarded remnants that marred the area. Everything from cardboard boxes to automobile remains were extracted by the students, who managed to scrape the river bed of its hidden remains.

A sixth hour clean-up project was undertaken by the students, who picked up discarded papers, bottles, etc., that littered the area around the Junior High School.

The debris collected by the students was placed in plastic bags and taken into the class room where it was evaluated before departure to the junk yard or the city dump.



SIXTH GRADE STUDENTS - Rid the school yard of trash as Earth Week project.

To Appear At "Bandarray" May 18

On May 18, the Grand Valley State College Concert Band will be hosts for "Bandarray" featuring the well-known trombonist, Buddy Maro. Several high school bands will be attending the instrumental clinics in the afternoon and one band from each class AA, A, and C, will be performing at the evening concert.

Any bandsman wearing his uniform will be admitted free. Tickets will be sold at the door of the GVSC fieldhouse.

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Husbands May Be Awarded Alimony

KNOW YOUR MICHIGAN LAW

By Attorney General Frank J. Kelley

This is a public service article explaining in general terms a provision of Michigan law. Individuals who wish to determine the effect of any law upon their private legal affairs should consult a private attorney.

Husbands may now be awarded alimony, and mothers as well as fathers may be required by court order to pay child support, under a new Michigan law. Regarding a long overdue by many members of the bench and bar, this statute, passed by the Michigan legislature as Act 182 of the Public Acts of 1971, for the first time declares as a matter of law that "in every action... brought for a divorce... or separation... the court... may require 'Either Party' to pay alimony for the suitable maintenance of the adverse party." This may include costs and attorney's fees for the divorce or separate maintenance action.

The statute goes on to provide further that the court shall have jurisdiction, in entering judgment in such cases, to require either parent to pay an appropriate child support allowance for the support of each child until he or she reaches age 18, or, in exceptional circumstances, beyond that age.

In arriving at a pro party settlement, the court may now, under this statute, award such part of the real and personal property coming to either party during the marriage, or the value thereof, to either party.

Amounts awarded in child support by the court constitute a lien against the real or personal property of the party required by the court to pay such child support.

Thus, it is now the law in Michigan that a husband may be awarded alimony, and that the mother as well as the father is liable for child support.

There have been no cases appealed under the new statute, but in at least one recent case in Genesee County, a disabled father who was awarded custody of five minor children in a divorce case occurring prior to the effective date of the act, has now obtained a court order requiring his former wife, an automobile worker, to pay child support, together with the costs of the action. A sum allocable to the husband's costs of maintenance of the house in which he and the children dwell, and his subsistence needs, was included in the child support order, on the basis that the father is the custodian of the children, and hence his maintenance and support are necessarily included in the child support order.

Whether this is a victory for the Women's Liberation forces, for the beleaguered males, or a realistic if somewhat belated recognition of the rights of the children, we leave for the reader to ponder and determine.

Harvest 31,000 Acres

Kent County farmers harvested 31,000 acres of Corn for grain in 1970, according to Arvin Budge of the Michigan Crop Reporting Service.

Production amounted to 2,162,000 bushels, an average of 69.5 bushels per acre. This compares to the 1969 crop of 1,734,000 bushels from 26,700 acres.

POLICE REPORT

TWO-CAR ACCIDENT

A two-car accident on Lincoln Lake Road and Fallsburg Park Drive occurred on Friday, April 30th.

First Driver, Mary Louise Hall, age 16, 604 Lincoln Lake Road, was issued a ticket in violation of basic speed law when she failed to negotiate a right turn onto Lincoln Lake Road. She was southbound on Fallsburg Park Drive.

Mary Hinz, 4355 Causeway Dr., Lowell, was an injured passenger in the Hall car.

The driver of the second car, Agnes Lee Miller, 36, 10829 Sparks Road, Lowell, and her passenger, Angelina Shippy, 58, of the same address, escaped with minor injuries.

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GRASS FIRES

It's dry... and this is one of the main factors leading an unattended fire to easily spread out of control; possibly resulting in monetary losses to buildings and properties.

A rash of grass fires since the first sign of Spring have kept Lowell firemen on their toes; sometimes making more than two or three runs in one day.

Despite the intermittent rains that have hit the area, the moderate winds have dried out the grass and foliage, making them a target for flame consumption.

Recent fire runs made by the volunteer squad of the Lowell Fire Department include:

April 14, Grass fire at the C & O Railroad tracks in Vergennes Township.

April 20, Grass fire at the Earl Kenyon residence on Gullford Drive, Lowell Township.

April 23, Grass fire at the William Langdoe home at 13184 Grand River Drive, Lowell Township.

April 25, Tool shed fire in Lowell Township at the James Rush residence, 1751 Cumberland Drive.

April 21, A gas leak set a tractor fire belonging to Elmer Smith of Lowell Township.

No Checks For License Plates Until July 1

Even though a bill to allow vehicle owners to pay for license plates with personal checks has been signed into law, it will be July 1 before checks may be accepted by Secretary of State branches under provisions of the new law.

Secretary of State Richard H. Austin, who proposed the measure, said that some branches reported "citizens were trying to obtain their plates and paying by check."

"We're still in the cash business until July 1, I'm afraid," said Austin.

The Secretary of State praised the Legislature and the Governor for what he described as "prompt action on this most important legislation."

Torchbearers To Herald Festival '71

On Saturday, May 15, bystanders are apt to see an Olympic type relay race from the Covered Bridge in Ada, through the Village, up Ada Drive and onto the grounds of Forest Hills High School.

Torchbearers will run to FESTIVAL '71 to open the Saturday ceremonies of the Arts and Trade Fair being held by students and faculty of the entire school system. A final torch will burn constantly throughout the day's festivities.

According to David Port, organizer of FESTIVAL '71, bundles of applications have been turned in and are being processed. Among the works of arts to be shown is clothing-in-fashion will be paintings, drawing, photography, macramé, stitching, hooked rugs, and sculpture.

Twenty-one performing acts will entertain visitors to the event which is open to the community both Friday and Saturday. The talent for performers includes a string quartet, several dancers, some vaudeville routines, a dog training act, a woodwind quintet, piano selections, two choirs and three amateur movies.

There will be a candle exhibit, decoupage, art in wax, old cars, and a display of student blueprints combined with model houses built from these prints.

Starts Road Painting

Lane marking on Michigan's 9,251 miles of state highways will begin shortly in the southern part of the state, the Department of State Highways has announced.

The annual renewal of highway lane markings will be increased by about 20 percent this year due to the marking of freeway edges for the first time. While center-line markings always have been applied to freeways, outside edge markings have been applied only in exceptional locations where contrast has been poor.

Social Notes

Louise Schneider, Ella Bannan, Larua Kerekes and Mable Scott visited Amber Sterken in Farwell at the Ardus Nursing Home.

Mrs. Sterken is recovering from a broken hip and would enjoy hearing from her Lowell friends.

To Tour Europe With Special Band

Along with a multitude of other similar background experiences, Dave Demorest and Wright McCargar will tour Europe together this summer.

In July, the Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp International Band, composed of 72 young musicians selected from hundreds who auditioned, will tour on the Continent.

Dave and Wright are both fifteen years old, both sophomores at Forest Hills High School, both in the Varsity Band, both in the Grand Rapids Youth Symphony, and both play French Horn. They were born two days apart.

Accompanied by eight supervisors and directed by Professor Leonard Falcone, retired director of bands at Michigan State University, the Blue Lake Band will leave July 1 and return July 28.

The European tour will include travel and concerts in Holland, Germany, Switzerland, Belgium, Austria, and Italy.

The Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp is the second largest summer camp of the arts in Michigan. It provides instruction in music, drama, dance, and art for 1,400 students each summer. It is located about fifteen miles northeast of Muskegon.

Dave, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Demorest, Eastmore, S.E., and Wright, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George McCargar, Jr., Glenn Dr. S.E., have been attending monthly rehearsals throughout the winter and spring. The band will assemble at Blue Lake in June for a ten-day period of ever-more intensive preparation for the tour.

Prior to their departure, the students will present several "Bon Voyage" concerts at the camp and in Muskegon and Grand Rapids.

Plays With Concert Band

Marlene Fletcher has been active in the Grand Valley State College concert band this term. April 21-23 the band toured southern Michigan (Niles, Battle Creek), and April 29 they went for a one-day tour in northern Michigan.

The title of the program presented was "Contemporary Concerts for the Concert Band" including music written from 1960 to the present.



Wright McCargar, left, and David Demorest make plans for European Tour.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- Step
- First man
- Tapistry
- Explorer
- Makes resolute
- Disintegrated
- Palm leaf
- Address to lady
- Juana
- Prestige
- Japanese coin
- Refuse
- Ruins
- Dogs
- Extreme
- Having lines
- Public square
- Woody plant
- Color
- White flakes
- Mycetical king
- Arabic garment
- Coupled
- Cattle herder
- Periods
- Silkworms
- Resorts
- Places
- Herbs
- Plant juices
- Dose
- Knocks
- Cease
- Examination
- Fish
- Peaceful
- Asian cattle
- Distant
- Carps
- Rocky hill
- Grievous
- Knock
- Map
- Wisdom

Answers to Puzzle

DOWN

- Sermonize
- Exist
- Peaceful
- Attempt
- Calendar
- Judge
- Instrument
- Glove
- Map

Musical Messengers To Appear Hear



THE MUSICAL MESSENGERS - Will appear at the First Baptist Church of Lowell at seven o'clock Sunday evening, May 9.

A unique musical program employing singing, narration and colored slides will be presented at the First Baptist Church of Lowell Sunday evening, May 9, at 7 p.m., by the Musical Messengers.

An interdenominational group of volunteer Christian people, the Musical Messengers represent seven different churches in the Grand Rapids, Kalamazoo, Holland and Lansing areas.

The group was formed in October 1966, and since have

made musical presentations on radio and television, in rest homes, hospitals, jails, gymnasiums and restaurants, as well as churches.

Two eight-day tours during vacation periods have permitted visits to be made by the group to other areas of the state. Their travels exceed 25,000 miles per year.

A cordial invitation has been extended to the public to hear this group.

FIRST IN EVANGELISM

The recently released 1970 edition of the year book of the Christian Church, Disciples of Christ, revealed the figures in the areas of evangelism (winning others to Christ and the church) and Christian Stewardship.

Among the 44 reporting churches in the Michigan Association of Christian Churches, the Cascade Christian Church stood first in Evangelism.

The Cascade Church, which has 689 resident members, recorded 42 baptisms for the year, and registered 64 transfers for a total of 106 members received during this period.

The Bridgeport Community Christian Church was second in Evangelism with 95; Flint Central, third with 56, and Detroit, Central Woodward, fourth with 40.

In Stewardship, the Cascade Church ranked 27th with a total giving of \$92,026, \$133.56 per-capita giving. Kalamazoo Central ranked first with \$114,520 total giving, \$444.44 per-capita giving.

His 'N Hers

Mr. and Mrs. Roger L. Kropf of 12024 Four Mile Road are happy to announce the birth of a baby girl, Barbara Ann, weighing 8 pounds, 6 ounces, on April 24th.

Gary and Sheila Gilbert are proud to announce the birth of a son, Patrick Richard, born April 9 and weighing 8 pounds, 10½ ounces.

Youth Convention To Convene In Cascade

Cascade Christian Church will be hosting the annual State Youth Convention of Michigan Disciples of Christ on Saturday and Sunday, May 15 and 16.

The theme for this year's gathering is "Amazing Grace." The youth in attendance will be asked to examine their religious faith and outlook.

On Saturday evening, the entire youth convention will move to the Campus Teen Center on South Division Street in Grand Rapids where the evening will be spent bowling, shooting pool, etc., in the club's facilities.

A special program of folk music will be presented Sunday morning, after which the youth will share Sunday School and church services with the congregation.

In advance preparation for the convention, church officials are seeking homes to accommodate the visiting youth. If you can be of assistance in this area, please contact the church.

Robert M. DenBoer, a member of the Grand Rapids Association of Life Underwriters, and Life Insurance Leaders of Michigan, will attend the Life Insurance Leaders Sales Spectacular and Annual Meeting on May 7th at Stouffer's Northland Inn, Southfield.

Mr. DenBoer, a representative of Mutual of New York, is a second year member.

Cascade Christian Church To Hold Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Cascade Christian Church will be held Tuesday, May 11, at 7:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the Church, according to Robert Cribley, congregational chairman.

The purpose of the annual meeting is two-fold: there will be an election of officers, and the adoption of the 1971-72 church budget.

In addition, there will be a reception for new members. Cake and coffee will be served preceding the meeting. Every member of the church is being voting rights, and should make a special effort to be present.

Ada Retired Citizens View Film May 14

An honor winning film will be shown at the next meeting of the Ada Retired Citizens Club. The Michigan Outdoor Writers' judged "The Way of the Trout" as the best outdoor film of the year. The picture has also won similar awards nationally and has appeared on television with excellent ratings.

The meeting, which will be open to the public, will be held on Friday, May 14, at 1:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the Congregational Church. This date is to be noted for the Friday showing of the film. Usually the club meets on Thursday and will again following this special program. Coffee and cookies will be served.

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WINS CREATIVE WRITING CONTEST

Miss Mary Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Frank Hall of 604 Lincoln Lake Road won first place for creative writing in the 23rd annual Youth Talent Contest sponsored by the Grand Rapids Public Museum.

The competition in the contest comes from all the schools, both public and parochial, in the Kent County area.

Mary's story entitled "Solomon, Linus, Tara and the Wind" is a fantasy about a stuffed tiger, a toy horse, a foam owl and the wind.

Along with the honor involved in winning the contest, she will also receive a monetary award.

Mary said that her interest in entering the contest "was inspired by the work I'd been doing in my creative writing class in high school."

Taking second place in the contest was Miss Amy Lake, with a poetic entry entitled "Sound of Silence." Miss Lake, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Lake of 1809 Parnell Road, is also a member of the creative writing class.

Miss Hall's winning entry was as follows:

SOLOMON, TARA, LINUS AND THE WIND

I have a special place, my hideaway, a retreat from the world. When I feel lonely, up to my room I go, my small enclosed corner where I can sit, hidden from view and think my thoughts.

As soon as I turn the knob to enter my room, I feel a rush of cool air. The Wind has come in my windows to greet me. Like a long, lost friend completely engulfing me in a gentle caress.

I reach for my matches and light my candle. The glowing candle flame beckons to the shadows and draws them to my side on the floor. I light my incense and inhale the smells of all my favorite places and of times gone by.

Slowly sinking over to join my small circle is Linus, my stuffed Tiger with the Lion's mane, his ginger hair on his back and his whiskers are tangled. With graceful pride he seats himself to my right.

Linus speaks in a purring tone, "I'm glad you've come."

I raise him up and set him on the sofa. At the sound of unshod plastic hoofs trotting toward us, we both turn and greet Solomon, my plastic blow-up steed in his shining armor. He sits, carefully placing his making sure satchel wounds received in many a battle with dangerous dragons, on the soft rug to my left.

With his voice a trifle hoarse, he begs forgiveness for missing last night's tea. All is forgiven, and soon he is drawn into the circle.

A flutter of soft foam wings and Tara the tannish brown owl, with the shiny green eyes, completes the private circle.

"Don't slay your tea, Tara, Solomon is going to tell us about his battle with the black Coochie," I said quietly.

Solomon's tail twitched with impatience, as the rest of us sat silent, even our friend the Wind settled to listen. The black Coochie, the cat with the yellow eyes, is the enemy of us all.

Solomon speaks, his hoarse voice varying in pitch, "I was lying down on my rug when I felt a small paw step onto the rug. I frightened me so I let out a slight squeal. The next thing I knew Coochie was attacking my tail section, where I'm blown up. I had to think fast, so I let out a loud squeal when his paw opened with claws and hit me. The squeal scared him so that he slid onto the tile and ran out the door."

"Aye," said the Wind blowing his cool breath over us again, "Coochie doesn't know that we live as he does."

We all laughed together and drank our tea, all but the Wind for he doesn't like the taste.

"Oh, what a gay group are we," hooded Tara.

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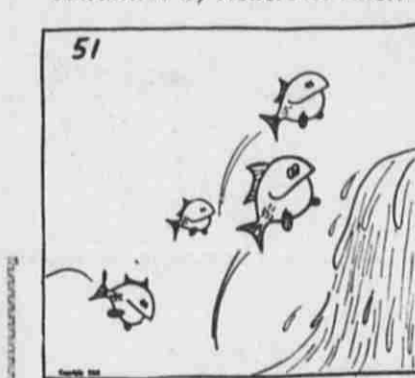
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City of Lowell Council Proceedings

Regular session, Monday evening, April 19, 1971 in the council room of the city hall.

The meeting was called to order at 8:04 p.m. by Mayor Jeffries and the roll was called:

Present: Anderson, Jeffries, Mueller, Reynolds.
Absent: Mrs. Myers.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Anderson, supported by Mueller, that the minutes of the April 5, 1971 meeting be approved, as amended by the Clerk, and the reading waived.

Yes: All.
No: None.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Mueller, supported by Reynolds, that the bills payable (copies of which had been furnished to Councilmen with the agenda and totals of which appear below) be approved and warrants issued:

General Fund	\$5,050.63
Equipment Fund	931.60
Agency Fund	2,617.84
Lee Fund	22.32
Major Street Fund	63.60
Local Street Fund	63.60
Water Fund	383.12
Sewer Fund	245.12

Yes: Mueller, Anderson, Reynolds, Jeffries.
No: None.

(Mrs. Myers entered meeting at 8:12 p.m.)

NEW BUSINESS

1. Opening of bids on Police Cruiser. Manager Bacon stated only two bids had been received. Prior to opening of the bids Councilman Anderson stated that in his opinion so many alternates are asked for, that the responsibility for making a decision, falls on Council, who are not qualified to make the best judgment. It then became a political involvement. He then MOVED that the bids be dismissed and the Manager directed to advertise for new bids, without alternates. His motion gained no support.

Councilman Myers expressed the opinion that the Police Chief should allow to make the decision on the alternates (either a two- or four-barrel carburetor, and air conditioning).

Manager Bacon stated he and the Police Chief had agreed that if a four-barrel carburetor could be procured at the same price as a two-barrel, then only would it be purchased. He favored air-conditioning in the cruiser, thought it would pay in the long run.

Councilman Mueller stated in his opinion air conditioning would be an expensive item and asked the Police Chief for his comments. The latter stated he would much prefer a four-barrel carburetor for city driving, that some residents have cars that can go faster than the police cars, that he thinks air-conditioning would keep the men in the cruisers for law enforcement and that he would like the best equipment for his department.

Mueller stated the expense of air-conditioning is just another expense that the City runs into constantly. Then

IT WAS MOVED by Councilwoman Myers, supported by Mueller, that the cruiser be purchased with the four-barrel carburetor and air conditioning, and the bids opened.

Yes: All.
No: None.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilwoman Myers, supported by Mueller, that Council accept the low bid of Thomot Chevrolet for a 1971 Police Cruiser issued in compliance with specifications, to include a 4-barrel carburetor and air conditioning, at a cost of \$2,610.54, including the trade-in.

Notice Of Last Day Of Registration Of The Qualified Electors Of The Lowell Area Schools For The Regular Election To Be Held On Monday, June 4, 1971

To The Qualified Electors Of
Said School District:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a Regular Election will be held in said school district on Monday, June 4, 1971.

Act 269, Public Acts of Michigan, 1965, as amended, provides as follows:

"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..."

The last day for receiving registrations for said regular election will be Friday, May 14, 1971. Persons registering after 5:00 o'clock p.m. on said day will not be eligible to vote at said regular 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 Michigan, 1965, as amended, registrations will not be taken by school 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 interested school electors.

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

HAROLD METTERNICK,
Secretary, Board of Education

OUR MEN IN SERVICE

ROBERT BARNABY
Army Private Robert L. Barnaby, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Merton L. Barnaby of 11092 Keystone Drive, N.E., Lowell, recently was assigned to the 3rd Armored Division near Friedberg, Germany.

Pvt. Barnaby is serving as a truck driver in Company C, 3rd Battalion of the Division's 32nd Armor.

He entered the Army in September, 1970, and was last stationed at Fort Knox, Kentucky.

GARY BOWEN
Private Gary H. Bowen, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emory H. Bowen, 3329 Johnson Road, Belding, has completed eight weeks of basic training at the United States Army Training Center, Armor, at Fort Knox, Kentucky.

He received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, combat tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

Pvt. Bowen, a 1969 graduate of Belding High School, was employed at Fisher Body in Lansing, before entering the Army.

MARK WITHERELL
Private Mark A. Witherell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arlyn L. Witherell of 11300 Grand River Drive, Lowell, recently completed eight weeks of basic training at the United States Army Training Center, Armor, Fort Knox, Kentucky.

Witherell received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, combat tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid and Army history and traditions.

WILLIAM J. ATKINSON
Eight weeks of basic training at the U. S. Army Training Center at Fort Knox, Kentucky, has been completed by Army Private William J. Atkinson.

Besides instructions in drill and ceremonies, weapons and map reading, Private Atkinson was taught combat tactics, military courtesy, and first aid procedures.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Atkinson of 11492 Grand River Avenue, Lowell.

STAN A. MILANOWSKI
Army Private Stan A. Milanowski, 20, son of Mrs. Tillie Milanowski, 3897 Buttrick Avenue, Ada, recently completed eight weeks of advance individual training at Fort Jackson, South Carolina.

Pvt. Milanowski received instruction in the tactics and techniques of the infantry. He also became a specialist in handling such weapons as the M-16 rifle and the M-60 machine gun.

LYNN R. LOCKHART
Enjoying a home visit with relatives and friends, prior to being reassigned to another Army post is Private Lynn R. Lockhart.

Lockhart's visit follows his completion of eight weeks of basic training at the U. S. Army Training center at Fort Knox, Kentucky.

Combat tactics, map reading, weapons and first aid are a few of the instructions received by Private Lockhart during this training period.

His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Russell Lockhart of 9119 East Fulton Road, Ada.

JOHN E. FRIEBNER
Technical Sergeant John E. Friebner, has been supporting the South Vietnamese Laotian operation to cut the Ho Chi Minh trail.

Sergeant Friebner, son of Mrs. Harold Holz of Tallwood Court, Sylvania, Ohio, is an aircraft maintenance technician at Da Nang AB, Vietnam, a forward operating base for U. S. Air Force operations aiding the South Vietnamese in their campaign to disrupt enemy supply lines.

The sergeant provides essential service primarily for F-4 Phantom operations of the 366th Tactical Fighter Wing. Unit fighter-bomber crews fly tactical air strikes from the north coast installation to support the allied ground forces.

Sergeant Friebner is a 1951 graduate of Lowell High School. His wife, Gail, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Wheat of Route 3, Lowell.

CITY MANAGER'S REPORT
1. Simple ordinance regulating sale of liquor on the premises on hand, which will give Councilman authority to study the possibility of obtaining funds for Public Works Assistance via a 12-County West Central Michigan Economic Development District, if all counties agree to merge in said district.

2. Copies of program for Region V meetings in Greenville on April 22 were distributed to Councilmen.

On motion of Mrs. Myers, supported by Reynolds, the meeting was adjourned at 9:35 p.m.

Approved: May 3, 1971.
HAROLD J. JEFFRIES, Mayor
LAURA E. SHEPARD, City Clerk

17th Annual Antique Auto Tour June 12-13

WOOD-AM-TV Stations will sponsor the 17th Annual Antique Auto Tour, the oldest tour of its kind in the country. The tour is scheduled to take place this year June 12-13, and the antique autos will journey from Grand Rapids to Lansing.

The antique autos and the members of the tour will assemble Saturday morning, June 12, at 7:30 a.m. at the Old Kent Bank parking area, Number 1, Vandenberg Center, in downtown Grand Rapids. At 9 a.m., WOOD Radio and Television will simulcast a half-hour show prior to the start of the tour. Approximately 130 antique vehicles will journey to Ionia for a coffee stop, courtesy of the Chamber of Commerce, arriving at approximately 10:45 a.m.

After leaving Ionia, the tour will continue to St. Johns, where arrival time is estimated at 12:15 p.m. The tour will parade through the city and members will enjoy a luncheon stop and costume judging will take place at the County Courthouse. Members of the tour will leave St. Johns via Route 27 at 3 p.m., arriving in Lansing at 4 p.m., where members of the tour will be staying at the Old Hotel.

Sunday, June 13th, the tour will leave Lansing at 8 a.m., via Route 43. The tour will stop at Lake Odessa, 9 a.m. for coffee and refreshments. The tour is scheduled to arrive at its starting point of the previous day at 12 noon for lunch. At 1:30 p.m., WOOD-TV will present a half-hour color show, featuring the winners of automobile classifications and costume judging.

Honor Students
Ferris State College has honored 1,482 students for scholastic excellence in the winter quarter by naming them to the Academic Honors List.

To be named to the Academic Honors List, a student must maintain at least a B average while carrying a full academic load. Area students maintaining a B or better average for the term were:

Ada: Kevin Collins, 6174 Grand River Drive, Health Sciences and Arts; Betty L. Hefferan, 8624 Cannonsburg Road, Business; Michael A. Scott, 2600 Honey Creek, Technical and Applied Arts.

Alto: Christine M. Porritt, 11422 - 84th Street, General Education.

Forest Hills: Bryan J. Clifford, 4865 Aylesworth, Business; Thomas E. Gleason, 3226 Patterson, S.E., Business; Michael A. Long, 850 Emerald, Health Sciences and Arts; Larry J. Purcay, 3305 Three Mile Road, Business.

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SCHWACHA SETS RECORD...34

Next time Greenville has an undefeated season going they'll steer clear of Lowell. Last year the Arrows produced Greenville's only loss of their title season, making a black mark on their 12-1 record.

Monday, the Greenville coach and team were sent home with their tails between their legs after Lowell spoiled their previous 7-0 record by tying the 3rd in state team 2-4 to 2-6.

Greenville had its chance to bounce out of the match when Arrow Golf Coach, Al Rowe, asked the Greenville coach and team if they would like to postpone the match until the weather would cooperate. They gave the go-ahead signal and signed their own death sentence.

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'Wings of Gold'

Marine Sgt. Lawrence Y. Lyle, husband of the former Crystal A. Hayward of 10092 Fulton Road, Ada, is serving with the Third Marine Division in Okinawa.

PVT. JERRY LEE KINYON
The address of Pvt. Jerry Lee Kinyon is now 367-58-9122, Co. B, 8th Bn., 4th Trp. Bdr., Fort Knox, Ky. 40121, Platoon No. 3.

Marine Second Lieutenant T. Joseph Shanley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Shanley of Three Frye Street, Lowell, has received the "Wings of Gold."

The Wings designate Shanley as a Naval Aviator, after he qualified with the Helicopter Training Squadron No. Eight at the Naval Air Station in Pensacola, Florida.

LYNN R. LOCKHART
Enjoying a home visit with relatives and friends, prior to being reassigned to another Army post is Private Lynn R. Lockhart.

Lockhart's visit follows his completion of eight weeks of basic training at the U. S. Army Training center at Fort Knox, Kentucky.

Combat tactics, map reading, weapons and first aid are a few of the instructions received by Private Lockhart during this training period.

His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Russell Lockhart of 9119 East Fulton Road, Ada.

JOHN E. FRIEBNER
Technical Sergeant John E. Friebner, has been supporting the South Vietnamese Laotian operation to cut the Ho Chi Minh trail.

Sergeant Friebner, son of Mrs. Harold Holz of Tallwood Court, Sylvania, Ohio, is an aircraft maintenance technician at Da Nang AB, Vietnam, a forward operating base for U. S. Air Force operations aiding the South Vietnamese in their campaign to disrupt enemy supply lines.

The sergeant provides essential service primarily for F-4 Phantom operations of the 366th Tactical Fighter Wing. Unit fighter-bomber crews fly tactical air strikes from the north coast installation to support the allied ground forces.

Sergeant Friebner is a 1951 graduate of Lowell High School. His wife, Gail, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Wheat of Route 3, Lowell.

CITY MANAGER'S REPORT
1. Simple ordinance regulating sale of liquor on the premises on hand, which will give Councilman authority to study the possibility of obtaining funds for Public Works Assistance via a 12-County West Central Michigan Economic Development District, if all counties agree to merge in said district.

2. Copies of program for Region V meetings in Greenville on April 22 were distributed to Councilmen.

On motion of Mrs. Myers, supported by Reynolds, the meeting was adjourned at 9:35 p.m.

Approved: May 3, 1971.
HAROLD J. JEFFRIES, Mayor
LAURA E. SHEPARD, City Clerk

VanAndel Writes... Paper On 'Phosphates'

A paper on the problems of phosphates in laundry detergents, "Phosphates - The Cure Worse Than The Disease?" written by Jay Van Andel, Chairman of the Board of Arway Corporation, headquartered in Ada, Michigan, will be included in an upcoming Senate subcommittee hearing on air and water pollution.

Mr. Van Andel received notification from U. S. Senator Edmund Muskie, chairman of the Air and Water Pollution Subcommittee. The subcommittee will be holding hearings shortly on Senator Muskie's bill on product testing, and "Mr. Van Andel's paper will be included in the printed records of the hearings."

The paper, which has been reproduced by Arway as an eight-page booklet, explains that while phosphates and other chemicals are considered a water pollutant, hasty action to find substitutes should be carefully weighed.

Mr. Van Andel advocates Federal control of chemicals which may pollute waterways when used in household detergents and other products, that the chemicals allowed by the Federal government be only those easily removed from waste water, and that it become mandatory for municipal and industrial sewage treatment plants to install necessary equipment for removing approved chemicals.

Senior Division, Director: Mr. Mathews, 949-3268. This league will not start school is out and will be played in the city of Grand Rapids).

American Legion Ball: Thornapple Valley Lions Club, 15 and 16-year-old league team. Thornapple Valley Lions Club, 17 and 18-year-old league team. League Directors will report scores and standings for each game each week.

"An accident in cold water can easily prove fatal," warns David Clark, water safety chairman of the local chapter. "More fishermen drown during May than during any other month," he adds. He attributes many of these deaths to a person's inability to save himself in cold water. Even an expert swimmer can drown if his arms and legs become numb.

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STYLE SHOW AT EASTBROOK

What's new on the current style scene? For fashion's sake an unusual evening's entertainment for families will be the coming spectacular forecast of summer's styles.

In an immense show designed to appeal to men and children as well as fashion conscious women, seventy-two models from the Forest Hills area will parade before their peers on Friday, May 14, at 9 p.m. in the Eastbrook Room and Schensul's Cafeteria.

The all-encompassing presentation will feature a smorgasbord of fashions from sports to formal attire. In some cases, whole families will be participating in the enormous undertaking which will be interlaced with delightful commentary by Buck Matthews.

Fifteen stores will be contributing a colorful variety of wearing apparel in the "Eastbrook Fashion Forecast." In addition, a number of Eastbrook and area merchants are contributing door prizes, decorations, and patron contributions.

Attractive seasonal decorations will be provided by Eastern Floral and Woolco, The Sound Room has offered background music and a microphone, and make-up will be by Merle Norman, Cosmetics.

The artfully designed costumes will be contributed by Wurzburg's, Stekete's, Gantos, Lerner Shop, Winkleman's, George Bullis Men's Store, Woolco, Bill and Paul's Sporthaus, Niemeyer's, Gingiss Formal Wear, Christopher's Apparel, Maternity Modes, Baker Shoe Store, Muller's Shoes, and Parklane Hosiery.

Outfitted from head to toe in the latest attire the models will include a number of family groups such as Charles Vandenberg and children, Cathy, Bob, Tom, and Jim; Ronald Broersma and Pam, Kim, and David; Thomas Rens with Robin and Tia; Roger Matthews and Nancy and Sue; Mr. and Mrs. Randall Preston and Kim and Lynne; William Orr and Kim; Paul Wetherbee and Jeff; Mr. and Mrs. Donald VanBullichem and Karen; Gary VanderLende, coach of the Forest Hills swim team, Mrs. VanderLende, Greg and Dan; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Strazisar, and Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Frost.

Also assuming the poses and attitudes of models will be the mesdames: Jack Keller, Dwight Russell, John Wandas, Thomas Evert, Lloyd Lindland, Donald Cooper and Daniel Albertson.

The younger set will be represented by Karen and Claire Horning, Donna and Cheryl Bunda, Nicki and Mary Beemsterboer, Barb and Jenny Wassink, Bart, John, Bruce, and Karen Bacon, and Lauri Slaughter.

Other fashion-wise models will be Marti Griffith, Julie Fudge, Cindy Linscott, Joyce Bean, Joel Crouse, Lisa Schooley, Laurie Westover, Diane Schelling, and Kerry Van Keulen.

Also traipsing best bib and tucker array will be Vicki Yankovich, Cindy Winter, Kathy Marmon, Gina Casolaro, Nancy Hagerman, Tracy Grigware, Paula Elliot, Debby DeVlieger, and Sue Stack.

The proceeds from this gigantic display will be used to purchase equipment for the Forest Hills Swim Team, whose pool is located just off Forest Hill Road. This is not to be confused with the school system which has no pool. Donations for tickets may be given to members of the Forest Hills Swim Team Boosters Club.



Fashions galore . . . all varieties . . . all styles will highlight the May 14 Style Show staged by the Forest Hills Swim Team. Paul Wetherbee, Pam Broersma, and Karen Bacon (seated) model fashions at Saturday's rehearsal.

Loopholes Appearing In Revenue Sharing

Loopholes are beginning to appear in President Nixon's "special revenue sharing" plan. The Administration proposal is a new way of distributing school aid money with more flexibility to the states on how tax dollars should be spent.

One hundred Categorical elementary and secondary education programs, all programs in the 1965 Elementary and Secondary Education Act, would be eliminated and replaced by broad federal guidelines to use the money in five general areas: (1) aid to federally-connected schools, (2) education of the handicapped, (3) vocational education, (4) aid to the disadvantaged, and (5) general support services such as textbooks and other instructional materials.

The plan proposes more than a new way of channeling funds. Draft proposals now call for several substantive changes in present law:

- 1) States would be permitted to transfer 30 percent of the funds from any one of the five categories to any other.
- 2) The governor of a state would designate an agency to administer the funds appropriated under this act.
- 3) States would be required to submit grant proposals.
- 4) States would automatically receive 70 percent of their compensatory aid money regardless of their compliance with comparability guidelines. This would ease the rule requiring districts to spend comparable amounts of state and local money on all students.
- 5) Aid to federally-impacted school districts would no longer be assured.

The National Education Association's reaction has been cool. The NEA made three main points: (1) education programs could be streamlined within the federal bureaucracy without eliminating existing grants; (2) states already have great flexibility to meet local needs since they direct 93 percent of all school funds; (3) education programs will atrophy unless authorizations committing the government to a certain level of support are written into the bills. The Council of Chief State School Officers has also reacted cautiously to the Nixon plan.

Prototype School Of The Future

Kirk Road elementary school in Greece, N. Y., a suburb of Rochester, is a new kind of public school — an "open" school in which students move freely and select for themselves the methods and materials they use to learn.

There are no classroom walls. No desks confine the students and no bells regulate their activities. Teachers do not stand in front of classes with prepared lessons. Rather, they assist the children as individuals, assuring that the freedom, sound and motion they enjoy is purposeful activity.

The New York State Department of Education staff considers Kirk Road to be a prototype school of the future.

While Kirk Road is noteworthy as a learner-centered school, it also serves as an example of how an innovative school district can use community resources in education. In this instance, the resource was industry; specifically, Eastman Kodak Company.

Kirk Road, now three years old, was designed architecturally as an "open" school. But there were difficulties in implementing the open school concept. Greece educators asked Kodak's Learning Systems Laboratory to help make it work.

Kodak people and school personnel changed the physical arrangement of the school. They also worked out the management system that gives the students freedom and responsibility for their own learning while keeping the teachers in control and enabling them to be accountable for the students' progress.

CENTENNIAL NEWS

The list of persons purchasing redeemable and non-redeemable stock certificates continues to grow. New purchases include Dok Realty Inc., A. D. Grover, Thelma Roth, Robert Reagan, D.D.S., Historical Society, Robert Steward, Judson Wilterink, Molly Wepman, Mrs. William Christiansen, Ladd Building Co., John and Gladys Thorne, James Rittersdorf, Lowell Development Co., and Bruce McQueen.

For those interested in obtaining either souvenir non-redeemable or redeemable stock Certificate, please contact Clark Vredenburg or the Centennial Headquarters (across from the bank).

Charter No. 1 has been issued to the 1st Centennial Belle's Chapter to be organized.

Following closely on the heels of the Fallsburg gents, the lady folk have pledged themselves to unite and support the Covered Bridge Celebration Activities.

The Fallsburg Belles include the following: Ruth Worthington, Betty Mitchell, Hazel Worthington, Mrs. George Tison, Grandma Wright, Lorraine Guild, Bonnie Graham, Becky Grummet, Ruth Mitchell, Eileen Richards, Mrs. Firmie Fairfield, Dorothy Dalton, Ruth Tyler, Gloria Ignasiak, and Virginia Kinny.

Chapter 3 Amway-Lowell Girls: Beatrice Bailey, Marv Kay Nelson, Bonnie Lou Howard, Lily May Vroma, Pearl F. Murphy, Karen Lyon, Nana Parker, Judy Weeks, Sherry Kinsley, Rita Ritz, Connie J. Cheesebro, Kathy Doyle, Nancy A. Court.

Belle Group No. 2 Root-Lowell Belles: Mary Phillips, Phyllis DeVries, Pat Wittenbach, Helen Tichelaar, Vickie Hale, Bertha Bryant, Lillie Pastle, Marge Hartley, Rosmary Hartley, Lorraine Meeuwse, Glyda Young, Marion Novisky, Vera Sherman, Myrtle Godfrey, Myrtle S. Beckett, Esther Ketchum, Genevieve

Wert, Zeona Ingersoll, Jo Willard, Gladys Hartley, Bessie Tusken.

Headquarter News

Since opening last Wednesday afternoon, the office and store have been humming with activity! Ida Benson, temporarily filling in as store clerk, reports many people are entering into the spirit of the Celebration as indicated by the purchasing of hats, ties, dresses, and other wearing apparel.

We Now Have a Phone! For Centennial Business
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Zelma Pearson will be taking care of the office during the day.

Hours until further notice will be 10 a.m. to noon and 1 p.m. until 4 p.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Donna Janowiak will supervise Centennial Headquarters during the evening hours.

Reservations for your Centennial Cook Book can be made at Headquarters.

William Janowiak has consented to serve as Concession Chairman. Any group or person wishing to set up stands or rides, please contact Bill.

The Jail for the Kangaroo Court is now under construction!

Block letter signs denoting Centennial Headquarters, should be appearing this week.

Our Sterling Silver Commemorative Coins will be arriving within a week. There will be a limited amount of these coins struck. The Corporation plans to auction off coins No. 1 thru 6, then after that they will go on sale to the public. More on the subject next week.

Antique Bronze Coins will also be struck and ready for sale at the same time the Silver Coins go on sale.

FOREST HILLS MAKES GRADUATION PLANS

Commencement for the graduating Class of 1971 at Forest Hills High School will be held on Friday, June 4, at 8 p.m. in the Grand Rapids Civic Auditorium.

This will be the eleventh graduating class from the high school and will honor 293 students. One hundred and thirty-five girls and one hundred and fifty-eight boys will receive their diplomas following addresses by Valedictorian, Barbara Ann Clark and Salutatorian, Jo Ann Valenti.

Class Officers for this year's senior have been President, Kristine Bishop; vice president, Randolph Rouse; secretary, Julie Stovall, and treasurer, Barbara Ann Clark.

Senior members of the Student Council were: President, John Price; vice president, William Vekasi; secretary, Karen Fratzke; treasurer, Jo Ann Valenti; and members: Jan Shearer, Vincent Bussita, Jr., Sarah Seidman, and David Bulson.

A United States Air Force Academy appointment has gone to Timothy Arn Nielsen. The University of Michigan Regents Alumni Award was granted to Barbara Ann Clark and the Michigan State University Vocal Award was granted to Cynthia Kay

Afendoulis.

An Alma College Scholarship was given to Ronald VanderBaan and a Freshman Scholarship Award at Western Michigan University went to Cynthia Afendoulis.

From the Board of Trustees of Olivet College, a scholarship was granted to Jan Trabka with a vocal award to Central Michigan University going to Cynthia Afendoulis. A Michigan National Cosmetologist Association scholarship was granted to Janet Schmitt.

Michigan Competitive Scholarship certificates of recognition went to Wayne Van Arsen, Ronald VanderBaan, William Vekasi, Richard Vorel, Craig Wynant, and Joy Zoodsma.

An award from the Daughters of the American Revolution was given to Jo Ann Valenti.

An Honors Assembly will be held on Wednesday, May 19, at 8 p.m. in the multi-purpose room at the high school which will give credit to seniors in all phases of high school activity, including the National Honor Society, music departments, athletics, year book forensics, and drama.

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