Citizens Protest Lack Of Action

Some 30 citizens turned out Monday night for the meeting of the Lowell City Council to protest the lack of action in securing senior citizen low cost housing for Lowell.

Spokesman for the group, Tom Bellows traced the requests of his group since May, 1969, and said that it appeared Lowell was no closer to securing low cost housing than nearly three years ago. Meanwhile, Bellows revealed, other cities in this area have been able to construct low cost housing for their older res-

There are many local residents who cannot afford to pay the high rents in private developments, but the \$45 to \$50 per month rent in government subsidizes would enable them to move out of their large old homes into more suitable quarters.

In response, Mayor Carlen Anderson and City Manager Blaine E. Bacon told the senior citizens that the city has made real progress with the plumbing, electrical, housing and associated codes which went into effect last spring. Until this was in effect, Lowell was not eligible for HUD funds.

Last October the planning consultant was given approval to spend \$500 to make preliminary application for HUD funds for housing and urban renewal. This has been made and this week the City Council has an item on the agenda to approve another \$2,300 for continued development of a workable program that will lead to approval for HUD's low cost housing and urban renewal.

Combining the two projects will enable the city to have sen-ior citizen housing centrally located-adjacent to the bank, post office, stores and other facilities older residents who may not drive can walk to.

The group was assured that steps are being taken to move ahead with senior citizen housing; a housing commission appointment is scheduled for the next meeting. This group would be charged with the responsibility of deciding the type and amount of housing the city can use.

Fire Chief Presents Letter

Fire Chief Frank Baker appeared at the council meeting to read an open letter to the council signed by all members of the fire department asking for a public apology from Councilman Jim Hall. The letter refers to statements Hall made at a house fire on January 23.

Councilman Hall replied to the Chief that all his remarks were not directed at individual firemen but at what he felt was lack

Several citizens at the meeting made statements defending

Above The Board

Discuss Millage **Election Briefly**

The coming March 6 millage election was discussed briefly at the opening of Monday night's School Board meeting, by members of the Lowell Area School Board, and at great length at the close of the meeting by a visitor, Kenneth Sandy of Route 2, Lowell.

In the board's discussion, Blaine Eccon was appointed to set up the voting machines. The suggestion was made to run a comparison in the local newspapers showing the people of Lowell the operating millage requested by surrounding school districts of comparable size as compared with the 12.5 mills to be voted

It was again firmly stated that this is not a millage increase. All operating mills have now expired and this is only to renew it at exactly the same rate.

Board members also suggested that any voter having any questions is welcome to call any member of the board at home at any time. It was wryly inserted by one member of the board that all calls after 11 p.m. be directed to Dave Miller.

However, at the close of the meeting when President Rob-ert Reagan asked if any of the visitors had anything to bring before the board, Mr. Sandy rose and began to speak. His first question was, "do you intend to continue financing

the Lowell Schools with a property tax in spite of the fact that that method is out of date or will soon be out of date?" Dr. Reagan answered that while there is a great deal of talk

in the legislature about doing away with this method of financing schools, as yet nothing has actually been done to change it so it is still the only method available. Whereupon Sandy re-stated the question saying that if they pass the millage and the State comes up with another method of financing then the school would have money from both

sources and the taxpayer would pay double.

Supt. Leonard Sinke then interrupted saying that in no way could that happen. Referring to the fact that the board levies

the millage one year at a time, Sinke explained that requesting 12.5 mills for the next three years does not mean that the full amount has to be levied each year. As proof of this he cited the last two years when the full amount was not levied either year.

Sinke went on to assure Sandy that when and if the State Legislature changed the law financing schools, the millage would automatically stop. "Laws do not go into effect overnight, however," the superintendent said, "so in the meantime this is the only method open to us to finance the schools." Most State laws take effect on January 1 of any given year

and millage always expires on that same date. Therefore, with the board only levying the millage one year at a time, there would be no overlapping of payments if a better method of financing becomes law.

Sandy had a lot more to say in criticism of the board ranging from stating that the custodians' salaries were too low to pay their own taxes to taking a swipe at the necessity of the new Mid-

"We don't need such frills as inside bathrooms if we can't afford them," he said, "the present Junior High building could be remodeled at a lot less money than it's costing to build a new

Whereupon Dr. Reagan said the board had a remodeling figure but that the big increase in enrollment made that impor-

"I don't want to make myself misunderstood. I want the best education we can afford but what bothers me and what worries me is how are we going to run a first class school in a dying city. Families are leaving Lowell because of the employment here," Sandy continued.

Adding that his children were well educated in Lowell, Mr. Sandy presented a typewritten sheaf of papers to the board listing his views for their further consideration.

Supt. Sinke gave a brief report on the present condition of this year's school budget saying that he thinks the financial pic-ture is in good shape. "Considering the fact that the State, like they did last year, is going to short change us again, I still think that we are going to finish in the black," he concluded.

Dr. Siegle reported on the Alto Sanitary Drain meeting say-Continued on Page 2

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fire department gave the city and surrounding rural areas.

The council as a whole left their reply to City Manager Bacon who read a letter from the Kent County Fire Commission commending the local fire department and pledging the support of the commission to the firemen.

County Commissioner Fred Clancy was in the audience and stated that he was a member of the Fire Commission and he personally felt that the Lowell Fire Department was a fine organiza-

Fire Chief Baker reported that since the Fire of January 23 there have been five new volunteers hired to serve on the fire department.

Other Council Action

Only a single bid was received on the 1970 Plymouth police car and the same for the dump truck, so the Council voted to reject both bids and take the vehicles to auction sales next

Set Friday, February 25 at 8 p.m. as the time for a public hearing for changing the zoning ordinance to set up a skilled care nursing home district; change zoning of area north of Heffron Street in Young Addition to permit construction of a skilled care nursing facility; vacate part of North West and North

Received notice that the Department of Natural Resources has placed the library-Y building at the corner of Hudson and Main on the historical building register.

Authorized the city manager to present legal questions on a proposed agreement between the city and the Township of Lowell for sewer service to the city-attorney and to send the proposed agreement to the Planning Commission for study.

Authorized the purchase of a second unit of air pack equipment for the fire department.

Passed a resolution of appreciation for 16 years of service on the fire department by Clair Phillips who has retired because of

To Sing In Europe



Kevin Vezino discusses European tour with International

Kevin Vezino, son of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Vezino, 36th Street, Lowell, has been selected for membership in the International Choir which will tour Europe this summer.

Under the capable leadership of William Munroe of Muskegon Community College, the group will rehearse periodically throughout the year at Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp.

The students will assemble at Blue Lake in June for an 8-day period of intensive preparation for the performance tour which will take them to Holland, Belgium, Germany and the British Isles. Accompanied by a professional staff of 15, the international group is scheduled to leave Detroit on June 26th and jet to Amsterdam. Prior to their departure, the students will perform several times. Tentative concerts are scheduled in Grand Rapids, Muskegon, and the Camp.

The International Program is composed of 130 students from all over Michigan and neighboring states. Director of the International Program is Gretchen Stansell.

Tear Gas Ends **Party Shoot Out**

Four guys and a gal partying in a housetrailer early Sunday morning at 2502 Lowellview Avenue, were evicted from the premises by a tear gas bomb, when an apparent shoot-out drew the authorities to the scene.

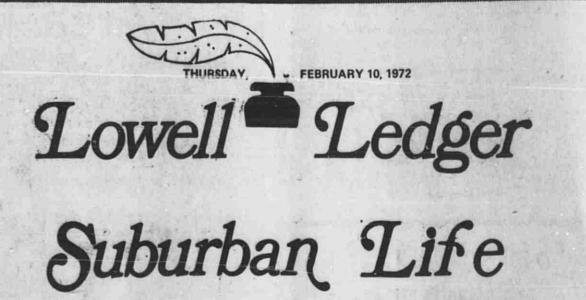
As the party progressed, one of the gentleman became irritated, grabbed a gun, and threatened to shoot his fellow companions. One of the party-goers escaped from the trailer and mmoned the police to the scene.

Denied entry, the authorities resorted to the use of tear gas, but when applied, they were smoked out as the gas cylinder struck the stove and ignited a small fire.

Firemen of the volunteer unit for the City of Lowell were quick on the scene to enter the trailer and prevent further dam-

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Drug Abuse Seminar

The Trip Back"

"The Trip Back," a movie centering around Drug Abuse will be shown at the second open seminar sponsored by the Drug Abuse Anonymous Committee of Lowell tonight (Wednesday,

To be shown in the Lowell High School auditorium, the film will be viewed following several opening comments by the program's narrator Charles Lippert.

"The positive approach taken by the Drug Abuse committee, has assured us that Wednesday's presentation will be real interesting," Lippert revealed.

The film will be followed by an open discussion of the Operation Reach program initiated by the Boy Scout organization. Individual discussion groups will take part in the program for the "total involvement of all."

If you are interested in your child's future, don't miss the meeting tonight.

The DAA Number Is 897-8001

Barn Fires

Twenty cattle perished in a fire of undetermined origin early Saturday at the Carl Kropt farm, on Four Mile Road, near Al-

Kent County Sheriff's deputy Robert Blevins reported Mrs Jennie Kropf, 80, awoke about 5 a.m., looked out the window and saw her son's barn engulfed in flames.

Fire units from Grattan and Cannon Townships controlled the blaze so an adjacent barn and the farm house were only dightly damaged by the intense heat.

Besides the barn and animals, Kropf lost a large amount of

An estimated 60 head or more of Holstein cows succumbed to toxic fumes in one of two barn fires which did little structural damage to a building on the Stephen Sparks farm, Saturday evening, north of Saranac.

Saranac's volunteer firemen were first notified of the Sparks fire minutes after 10:30 p.m. but most of their equipment was at the scene of another barn fire reported at 9:30 p.m. on the William Warner farm, southwest of Saranac resulting in the death of six or more head of young stock.

In addition to the stock and barn loss, Warner's truck was destroyed in the blaze, along with a quantity of lumber stored outside the building.

Deadline Is Set For Purchasing Dog Licensés

Deadline for purchasing 1972 dog licenses without penalty is the last day of February.

Dogs six months or older require a license and also a rabies certificate should accompany the application form when coming in or when sending by mail. The certificate must be valid through the current year of 1972. Cost of dog license through February is: Male or Unsex dogs

\$1.50; Female dogs \$3. On or after March 1st, a penalty will be imposed on dog licenses. Male or Unsex dogs \$2.50; Female dogs \$5. Dog licenses can be purchased at the Kent County Animal

Shelter or from any city or township treasurer office. The Kent County Animal Shelter is opened Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Good Shovelers!

The persons responsible for keeping main street sidewalks free and clear of snow, should be given a pat on the back. Most of the areas along the business section have been cleared, making it possible for pedestrians to get where they're going without However, there are still a few who haven't found a hand to

the handle.

CHILLY 12 BELOW ZERO

After a three-inch snowfall Saturday night and a high of 22 degrees Sunday, the residents of the area arose Monday morning to a chilly 12 degrees below zero.

According to the records, the minus 12 temperature set a new record for February 7 readings. The previous low, minus 11, was recorded in 1951.



Typing classes are part of the YMCA and Lowell Area Schools attinued Community Education program.

Fails To Yield Right-of-Way

Failure to yield the right-of-way, resulted in a minor personal injury accident on North Hudson Street Saturday, February

A car driven by Ronald Kimble was traveling north on Hudson, when a car driven by Robin Weaver of Lowell failed to yield the right-of-way.

Edith Kimble complained of bumping her finger and a bump on the head. Miss Weaver was ticketed, by the Lowell Police. The Lowell Police were dispatched to M-21, just east of the City limits Thursday evening to administer first aid at the scene of another personal injury accident.

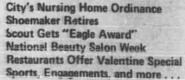
The accident is being investigated by the Kent County Sheriff's Department.



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Around The Area

imum depth reached toward the end of February 1971 when it peaked at 20.05 feet. River gauge readings taken last week placed the current depth at 10.15 feet.

Tina and Troy Steele are spending several weeks with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thoral Shaw of Lowell while their mother, Mrs. Dan (Leslie) Steele, is undergoing open heart surgery at Blodgett Memorial Hospital in Grand Rapids.

Mary Stevens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stevens of Low-ell, underwent surgery at Butterworth Hospital in Grand Rap-ids on Monday, February 7.

Mrs. Adelbert Odell and her sister, Mrs. Walter Schuman of Kendalville, Indiana, left Tuesday for Tokyo, Japan, where they will visit for three weeks with Sgt. and Mrs. Peter Manigold and daughter. Mrs. Manigold is the former Joyce Odell. The two ladies will spend a few days in Hawaii, enroute home.

Stanley Ford of Lowell and George A. Magoon of Hastings have taken over the former Auto Tag Inn at 1600 S. Hanover Street, Hastings, and have renovated it, and renamed it the

The new restaurant is specializing in short orders and home cooking. Ford was a cost estimator with Bell Fibre in Wyoming before entering his business adventure in Hastings.

Despite the frigid weather conditions Sunday, the sunshiny day brought the sky divers out. The landed on the snowy field at the Lowell airport.

Who stole Phil Johnson's skiis at the Cannonsburg slope Sat-

Glenn Johnson of Ada was the Class A winner in a 28-mile sled dog race Saturday and Sunday at Morrice. He finished the Douglas Houghton of Grand Rapids, Irv Page of Comstock Park and Cecil Houghton finished 1, 2 and 3 in Class B.

Mrs. Beatrice Krum left Sunday to spend two months in

Master Sergeant and Mrs. John Friesner of California have been visiting friends and relatives in Lowell.

Walter R. Green, 1022 San Juan Drive, S.E., Grand Rapids has announced the formation of West Michigan Handling Company to serve the materials handling equipment needs of Western Michigan. The new firm will be headquartered in Grand Rapids, and will market the major materials handling equipment produced by the several divisions of American Chain & Cable Company, Inc., Bridgeport, Connecticut.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 9

The Lowell Women's Club meet Wednesday, February 9 at 1:30 p.m. Student Exchange Day with Mrs. Miller chairman. Mini report by Conservation chairman, Mrs. Denny.

Blue Star Mothers will have their next regular meeting Wednesday, February 9, at 8 p.m. at the American Legion Club rooms. The potluck dinner has been cancelled until a later date. THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10

The Martha Hall group of the First Congregational Church of Lowell will meet with Mrs. Jan Johnson on Thursday, February 10, at 10 a.m. The VFW Auxiliary of Lowell will hold their February meeting Thursday at 8:15, following a potluck supper at 6:30 p.m. Bring \$1 exchange gift for the Valentine's Party.

Louise Doyle will be the featured speaker at the February 10 Travel Adventure Series sponsored by the YFU at the senior high school auditorium. The program starts at 7:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11

Cyclamen Chapter No. 94, Order of the Eastern Star will meet Friday, February 11 at the Masonic Temple at 8 p.m. A "Fun Time" is planned after the meeting.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 12

Cupid's Caper, a dance sponsored by St. Rita's Guild of St. Mary's Church will be held at Shady Acres on Saturday evening, February 12, starting at 9 p.m.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14

The Business and Professional Women's Club of Lowell will meet Monday evening, February 14 with Mrs. Irene Osborne at

Clark-Ellis American Legion Post 152 will meet in their club rooms at 805 East Main Street on Monday evening, February

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15

Island City Rebekah Lodge No. 282 of Lowell will meet at the IOOF Hall Tuesday, February 15, at 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16 South Boston Extension meeting will be held Wednesday, February 16, at the home of Mrs. Stanley Gardner. An after-

Annual meeting of Ada Athletic Association Wednesday, February 16, 7:30 p.m. Ada Township Hall. Election of officers.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 22 VFW Flat River Post 8303 will meet Tuesday evening, February 22, at their club rooms at 8 p.m. Plan now to attend.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24

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several pounds when tires are hot from driving. ing that, as far as the school or any other property owner is con-cerned there will be a basic charge, plus a unit charge and lateral fee. The individual landowners will also be required to pay for

"The resolution has been passed and each property owner will have 18 months to hook-up after the installation is complete," he said.

The adult classes being held in the high school two nights each week under the joint sponsorship of the school and the YMCA are well under way, board members were told. Enthusiasm is high and the response has been terrific, both Don Kelly, Assistant Superintendent, and Rommie Moore, YMCA Director, reported.

The board agreed to seek bids from local dealers for the re-placement of buses 4 and 11. They also agreed to check into updating the specifications in view of the superior performance of the new buses purchased this year with bigger engines and

Some concern was also expressed over the theft of gasoline from parked buses at night and the transportation committee

Dave Wingeier reminded the board that the second public drug meeting will be held Wednesday, February 9, at 7:30 p.m., in the high school gymnasium. "Where Do We Go From Here and What Do We Do About It?" is the general topic. An excellent movie will be shown and work sessions will follow.

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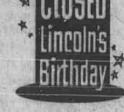
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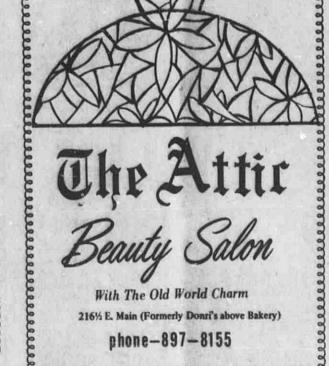
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Whenever there is concern regardint the calling off, delayed starting, or early dismissal of school, parents of children in the Alto elementary school are urged to listen to any of the following radio or TV stations: WION, WYON, WZZM, WLAV or W

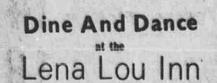
Please do not tie up the school's telephones; the needed in-formation will always be broadcast, if there is any change in the regular school schedule.

NAMED TO HONORS LIST AT MSU

Kathleen A. Hillen, a freshman student at Michigan State University in East Lansing has been named to the University's Honor list for the Fall Term.

A graduate of Caledonia High School, Miss Hillen has no preference in her course of studies. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Hillen, 8263-92nd Street, Alto.

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Engagement Told

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are the parents of the prospective bridegroom.

Miss Rodgers is a student at Western Michigan University.

Her fiance attended Michigan Technological University and is presently a student at Glen Oaks Community College. A June 10 wedding is planned.

Legion Auxiliaries To View 'The Poppy Story'

The regular meeting of the Fifth District Association, American Legion Auxiliary, will be held on Tuesday evening, February 15th, at the Neal E. Fonger Post Home, 2327 Wilson Ave. S.W., Grandville, Hostess Unit will be Grandville No. 179, and a 6:30

dinner will precede the 8 p.m. meeting.

Mrs. Elmer E. Fisher, District National Security and Civil Defense chairman has secured Mr. Ray Blett of the Kent County Sheriff's Department as guest speaker for the evening whose top-ic will be Nuclear Fall-out. Mrs. Rex A. Marquardt, District Pop-py chairman, will also present a series of slides entitled "The Poppy Story."

4-H Leadership Loan Officer To Training Session Conduct Interviews

A county-wide 4-H Recreation Leadership Training session will be held Saturday, February 12, from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at Huff School, 2286 Ball, N.E., Grand Rapids.

Each 4-H club is encouraged to send a team of teens to the county training meeting and an invitation is extended to any other youth organization that would like to send representative to do so. Any 4-H leader or interested adult is also welcome.

For more information on this program or other activities of the 4-H program you may contact Mrs. Phyllis Constance or John L. Marra, 4-H - Youth Agents at 728 Fuller, N.E., or call 456-4482 or 456-4483.

"The billing rate on variable interest rate loans closed after January 27, 1972, has been reduced to 7%," according to a statement by Hans T. Hagen, president of The Federal Land Bank of

The Board of Directors also reduced to 7% the billing rate on \$370,000,000 of 7k% variable interest rate loans outstanding effective as to interest periods beginning March 1, 1972, or

Mr. Hagen noted this was the third time in the past 14 months the Bank has reduced the interest billing rate by one

half of one percent.

"This action is in line with the Bank's policy of providing long term credit to farmers and ranchers on the variable interest rate plan at the lowest possible cost consistent with sound business practices," Hagen continued.

Paul Haller, manager of the Federal Land Bank Association of Grand Rapids, reported the interest rate drop would affect over \$15,000,000 in variable rate loans in the Grand Rapids'

Farmers in the area borrowed over \$10 million through the Grand Rapids' office in 1971, according to Manager Haller.

Vise is The Housewife

Federal Land Bank

Reduces Interest Rate

a sack lunch.

Robert F. Phillips, District Director of the Small Business
Administration, amounced today that a loan officer will again
be available in Grand Rapids on February 15 and 16 to conduct
interviews with prospective applicants for loans. This will be for
the purpose of interviewing small businessmen who wish to make
application for a business loan or to acquire information regard-

at Huff School, 2286 Ball, N.E., Grand Rapids.

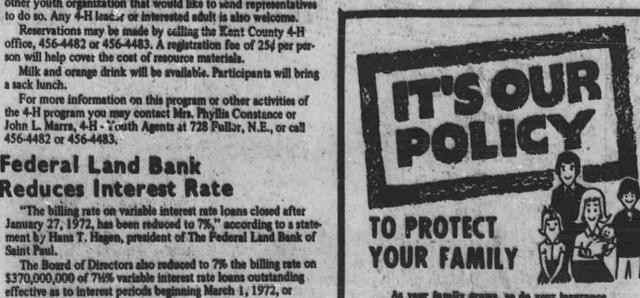
The program will cover ice breakers, active games, impromptu drama, song leading, puppetry, and folk dancing conducted by members of the teen recreation team who recently attended a training conference at Camp Kett.

The teen and adult advisors includes: Mrs. Henry Boorsma, Joyce Boorsma, Sheryl Moss, and Kathy Vanden Toorn, Wyoming, Mrs. Joseph Langkamp, Kristine Langkamp, Diane Bockstahler, Jim and Mary Hillen, Caledonia, Marlene Hass, Alto, Dave Pedley, Walker, Helen Ingraham, Rockford. Vonnie Moerland, Doneall and Darlene Hammond, Grand Rapids.

Each 4-H club is encouraged to send a team of teens to the application for a business toan or to acquire information regarding SBA's lending or other programs.

The SBA representative will be available from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Offices of the Defense Supply Agency, 965, North Division Avenue. Interested parties may call at 456-9607

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Green Bound Over To Circuit Court

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Vaughans Celebrate

57th Anniversary Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vaughan, sr., of 13537 Beckwith Drive, Lowell, were the guests of honor at a small family dinner at the Stage Coach in Grand Rapids, February 5, commemorating their

Mabel Remington and Harry L. Vaughan exchanged the vows of Holy Matrimony in 1915 in Detroit, and settled in their present home on Beckwith Drive in 1931.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan are both still very active, pursuing their hobbies and keeping the home fires burning. He is a retired paper hanger and interior decorator, and she grows African violets and loves to crochet.

Helping the Vaughan's celebrate the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Vaughan, Mr. and Mrs. George Emelander, Gladys



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nessmen will attend a day-long "High School Business Symposi-um" Tuesday Fe'ruary 15, at the Pantlind Hotel, Grand Rapids. The Symposium, one of a series conducted throughout the state by the Michigan State Chamber of Commerce, is designed to "help young people better understand the competitive free enterprise system," according to Harry R. Hall, President of the State Chamber.

Symposium moderator will be Noel Black, Manager, Government and Public Affairs, Amway Corporation, Ada, and members of the Government & Economic Education Committee, Michigan State Chamber of Commerce.

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Informs Contributors How Money Is Spent Kent County raised a total of \$2,365,203 for the United Fund

campaign. The three-part series which begins in this issue of the Lowell Ledger-Suburban Life is part of the United Fund's continuing effort to inform these contributors about how their money is being spent to help others. In 1971, one out of every three persons in Kent County re-ceived services from one or more of the 64 United Fund mem-

ber agencies. Three of these agencies—Goodwill Industries, the Hearing and Speech Center and the Association for the Blind—are highlighted in this series. Ann Jones was institutionalized at a state mental hospital in 1955 with a psychiatric problem. In 1970, during her 15th year at the hospital, she also became legally blind. With this dual disability, hospital officials did not think she could be returned to

the community even though her psychiatric problems had been fairly well remedied. The Association for the Blind heard of the problem and approached the hospital officials indicating their desire to have

Miss Jones placed in a comprehensive rehabilitation program in Grand Rapids. The hospital officials released her to the Association for the Blind and she entered into a comprehensive eight week program at the Association. Miss Jones adjusted well in this program and then was engaged in Goodwill Industries' vocational rehabilitation program on a part-time basis. It was soon discovered that she was capable

of functioning well and efficiently in the Goodwill cafeteria.

After four weeks of experience and training in the cafeteria, the Goodwill professional staff was able to place her at one of the local general hospitals. Miss Jones is now gainfully employed and living independent

ly in her own apartment.

Valid national statistics indicate that a rehabilitated handi-capped person pays back in federal income taxes alone ten times the cost of his personal rehabilitation. From an economic point of view, the saving of tax dollars in the single example of Miss Jones alone is astounding and significant. But far more importantly, Miss Jones has now had her personal dignity restored to her, in spite of her disabilities, and has become a productive member of the community

Cases similar to that are found time and again at the Tri-Agencies-Goodwill Industries, the Hearing and Speech Center and the Association for the Blind, all located in the 200 block of Sheldon Ave. S.E., Grand Rapids. These three organizations are the first United Fund member

agencies to combine certain operations in a joint effort to provide better services with more efficiency. The three agencies share a common administrator, Lauren Wondergem, and are located side-by-side near the downtown

area of Grand Rapids. They also have a common goal—to restore handicapped persons to meaningful and productive roles in so-Next week: More about the rehabilitation process and how

the Tri-Agencies stretch YOUR dollars in providing services for

Elizabeth Hayes Earns All-A Average At MSU

Twenty-one students from the Ledger-Suburban Life area have earned placement on the Michigan State University honors list for the fall term. MSU's total enrollment for the fall term as 41,649; 4,339 were named to the honors list.

To be eligible for the honors list, a student must achieve at least a 3.5 grade average for the term. Of the total, 662 received at least a 4.0 grade point average.

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Elizabeth J. Hayes of 7499 Sheffield Drive, Ada, a senior

studying Social Science, topped the area by maintaining an all-A average for the fall term.

Other area students listed were Kathleen A. Hillen, Alto; Ann

E. Clark, Saranac; Loraine Cannon, Robert G. Hahn, Carl E. Rasch, jr., Jerald Thaler and Carol Wittenbach, Lowell.

From the Forest Hills area, 13 students maintained a 3.5 average. They were Hilma Volk, David Sherwood, Alan Stoga, Paula Marsman, Kenneth Mueller, Robert Pearson, J.L. Mahlebashian, Bonnie Marris, Lynell Evans, Sara Fudge, Cynthia Afendoulis, Dennis Bates, and Roland Bergdahl.

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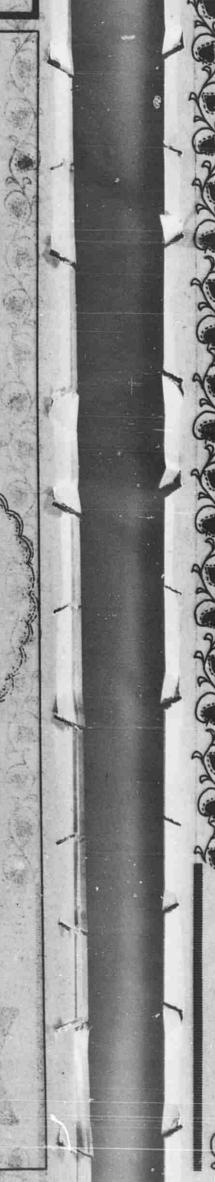
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Nazarene Bible Quiz Team Wins Competition

The Lowell Nazarene Bible Quiz team recently won first place in Bible Quiz competition with other area Nazarene Churches. Paula Kirby completed the quizzing with the highest individual score of all contestants.

Jerry Batterbee placed third highest. Because of their in-dividual high scores, Paula and Jerry will compete again on March 18 in Lansing with Nazarene Churches from all over

the western half of the state. The quiz team includes, back row, left to right, Jerry Batterbee, captain, Paula Kirby, Lynel Leitzman, and Bruce Wheelock, sponsor. Front row, Marjorie Wheelock, sponsor, Jean Batterbee and Cheri Kirby.

Chapel Lenten Services Begin February 16

In keeping with a tradition of many years standing, Cascade Christian Church will repeat its mid-week Chapel Lenten Services, beginning Ash Wednesday.

The first service will be Wednesday, February 16 at 7:30 p.m. Mother Bates of the House of Prayer (Spiritual) in Grand Rapids will be the guest speaker.

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Morning Worship Evening Worship

Primary Church

11 A.M.

(Youth)

6 P.M.

7 P.M.

7:30 p.m

Morning Service Sunday School

Christ Ambassadors

Evangelizate Service

Mother Bates will bring along special music from the church, as well as some of her members. The program is being conducted under the chairmanship of Mrs. Jerald Waldron.

Raphael Green Heads Congregator's Program

The Ada Congregational Congregators travel and adventure series presentation Saturday, February 12, will feature Raphael

Narrating the film "Amazing Switzerland," Green will appear in the Forest Hills High School auditorium at 8 p.m. Tickets may be purchased at the door. Additional informa-tion may be secured by calling Mr. and Mrs. Donald Johnson, 676-1836, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Collins, 676-2631, or Mr. and Mrs. Orison Weaver, 676-5811.

Ash Wednesday Ushers In Lenten Season

Ash Wednesday, February 16, ushers in the Lenten Season, and as an opener, the First Congregational Church of Lowell will The Rev. John Washington, a member of the Conference Staff, will share some Lenten thoughts during the program hour.

Women Accountants To Hear Attorney-at-Law

The Grand Rapids Chapter of the American Society of Women Accountants will hold their February meeting at Finger's Restaurant on Tuesday, February 15th. The social hour will begin at 6 p.m. with dinner being served at 6:30 p.m. Kent Vana, attorney-at-law, will be the guest speaker. His topic will be "Sex Rediscovered" or "Woman, Thine Opportu-

Reservations can be made for members and their guests by calling Bernice Derda — 453-4773 or Betty Frantz — 452-2224.

It's Their 50th

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Shade of rural Lowell will be the guests of honor at a 50th anniversary open house on Sunday, February 20, from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Clarksville Masonic Hall. Hosting the event will be their children, Dale of Alto, Mrs. Melvin (Yvonne) Gould of Comstock Park and Mrs. Harold (Ruth Ann) Metternick, jr., of Alto. Joining the celebration will be their 14 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. The couple request no gifts please, and no formal invitations

Save Your Newspapers!

When you get done reading this newspaper, save it! Don't throw it away. The Lowell Area Jaycees are going to have a pa-

The first three Saturdays in February, the 5th, 12th and 19th, the Jaycees will be canvassing the area for newspapers. No

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Church Of The Week

Potluck Dinner To Follow Morning Worship

Sunday, February 13, "Complete In Christ" is the sermon topic being preached by Elder Floyd LaLone at the 11 a.m. morning worship at the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Alaska. A potluck dinner will follow the 11 o'clock service in the lower auditorium. At 6:45 there will be a Priest Edwin Ford will be the speaker at the 7 p.m. evening

worship. Using as his sermon topic "Faith-The First Principle of the Gospel." Prior to these services at 9:45 a.m. Church School for all ages is held. Wednesday, February 16, 7:30 p.m. Midweek fellowship services, with Priest Marvin LaLone giving us thoughts for considera-tion with his theme "Is Anybody Listening." This is a Prayer &

Collect Used Books For Annual Sale

The Whatsoever Circle of Blodgett Memorial Hospital will sponsor its tenth annual used book sale March 21 through March 25 in Eastbrook Mall. The sale will be held daily from 9:30 a.m.

Proceeds from the sale, the largest of its kind locally, will benefit the X-Ray Department of Blodgett Memorial Hospital. More than 15,000 books have been collected at this time. They More than 15,000 books have been collected at this time. They include: complete sets of encyclopedia and other reference material; fiction, both hard cover and paper back; non-fiction, including travel, biographies, art, religion and philosophy; sports and hobbies; poetry and classical literature; children's books, text books, all levels; and Ideals, National Geographic and hard

Books are still being collected. If you wish to donate any books, please call Mrs. Donald Seekell 676-5961 or Mrs. Jon C. Forslund 676-9423.

Cartoonist To Speak

Robin Jensen, a religious cartoonist of national acclaim will be the guest speaker for a 7 p.m. potluck dinner in Cascade Christian Church's Fellowship Hall on Saturday evening, Febru-

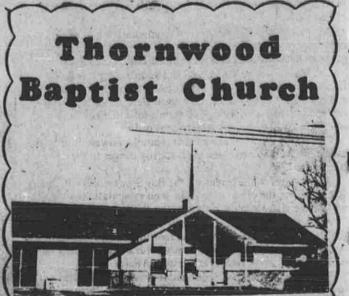
A member of the Art Department at Calvin College, Mr. Jensen tells the interesting story of his trek from agnosticism to a Adults, married or single, of all age brackets are invited to this gathering. Bring your own table service and a dish to pass.

CYF Dinner Is Saturday

Cascade Christian Church

Tickets for the CYF Chicken 'n Biscuit dinner Saturday, February 12, are selling like hot cakes. With only 300 tickets being sold for Emma Quiggle's menu of delight, reservations should be made early. Serving will be at 4:30, 5:30 and 6:30 p.m.

All profits from the dinner will be used to send CYF members to the International Seminar.



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This Sunday, February 13th, Gordon Blossom of Honey Creek Christian Boys' Home will be speaking at all services. Messages will center on

Court Of Honor

For the first time in the Ionia District Lowell's Scouting units presented their awards during one Court of Honor, as a

In keeping with Boy Scout Month, Cub Scout Units 3102 and 3188 joined Boy Scout Troop 102 and opened the doors of Scouting to show in one immense view the panorama of the Scout movement in Lowell.

As William Kephart (Scout Executive of the Grand Valley Council) pointed out in his capacity as guest speaker, "The life of the scout is a multitude of self-appointed tasks." The many Merit Badge achievements attest to the fact that Scouting is a combination of fun, adventure, and comradship—that to the young boy is a game with a purpose.

If a young boy wants the experience of scouting he may start on the trail of achievements at the age of eight by learning the law of his pack and make the Cub Scout Promise. Thursday night, February 3, eight new Bob Cats and their parents were accepted into the Cub Scout units of Lowell that can lead them down the long trail of give-and-take that builds

and developes the scout spirit. There is an ultimate goal for every young boy that comes into scouting, one that appealed to the imagination and captured the hearts of boyhood around the world many years ago.

"To become a man that is strong in character, healthy in body, skillful with his hands, and keen of mind, ready to be of help to other people." The young scout will follow many trails that will be filled with opportunities to learn these many skills.

From Bob Cat to Wolf, from Wolf to Bear and on into the Webelos Den that will prepare him for the true adventure of out-door life as can be the experience of the Boy Scout.

There were 10 Tenderfoot badges awarded on this night that brings the young boy into the Scout ranks that begin with Ten-derfoot, Second Class, then First Class.

Merit Badge subjects expose the boy to many crafts and hob-bies and outdoor skills. By earning these badges, the boy con-tinues his upward climb in Scouting toward the ranks of Star, Life and Eagle Scout.

By living up to the Scout Motto of being "Prepared" the Eagle Scout now stands apart from his comrades that have yet to receive this honor, and accepts the Eagle badge, the emblem

Approximately 400 parents and scouters attended the Court of Honor to witness the presentation of many awards and badges from the young Bobcats through the Eagle Scout Badge.

Cub Master Duane MacDonald and awards chairman Bob Ellison made presentations of eight Bobcats, eight Wolf Badges, and seven Bear Badges along with seven Weblos awards, also accepted by the boys of Pack 3102 were a total of eight Gold and Silver Arrows with 14 achievement badges.

Cub Master Art Bieri and awards chairman Edward Storm-zand of Pack 3188 presented eight activity badges to their We-

At this point in the ceremony the Boy Scout leaders of Troop 102 took over the program to make their presentations after reading the requirements of each of the classes.

Art Benedict and Chuck Sherman passed out eight Tender-foot badges, and four second class, four first class, 1 Star and one life badges. In addition to these awards the Troop present-ed 91 assorted Merit Badges and Leader Awards.

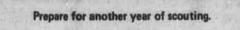
Three Junior Assistant Scoutmaster Awards were passed out to Mike Hines, Kraig Haybarker and Mike Nowak, three past Eagle Scouts to come from Troop 102. Many of the Scouting adults were recognized during the program with a total of 40 Certificates of Appreciation being accepted by the back bone of Scouting in the community of Low-

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Lessens were escourted from the audience by the three Junior Assistant Scoutmasters to the stage where they joined their son George for the Eagle Award Ceremony. This important and serious matter was the climax of the com

Many months of various efforts on the part of the boy and his leaders have been culminated into this very proud moment

for George and his parents. It was a beautiful ceremony placed against a giant replica of the Eagle Scout Badge with George Lessens standing straight and proud as his mother placed the emblem of the highest and most coveted award in all Scouting.

It is the last major step in the advancement program. If scouting has not at this point achieved its purpose in the building of character, in the training of leadership, in the practice of service, it probably never shall.





George Lessens gets Eagle Award.

Happy Birthday, Boy Scouts... **And Thanks** For All You've Done!



Bill Nowak, Scoutmaster

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Lowell Scouts pick up Awards

Scouts To Present Doin' Our Thing'

The South Kent District of the Grand Valley Boy Scouts of America will be doin' their thing at the Eastbrook Mall Saturlay, February 26.

On that day, the scouts will observe their 62nd anniversary of scouting by presenting a program of action "Doin' Our Thing," from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Eastbrook's Mall, at 28th Street and the East Beltline, will

be buzzing with activities, as the scouts go into action with games, hobbies, first aid, camping exhibits, physical fitness, merit badges, Cub Scout Crafts, and Webelos activity badges. Bring the entire family, everyone is welcome, to learn more about the scout's pioneering skills, obstacle courses, axe yard, ndian dances, and many, many more activities Do your thing, by supporting the Cub and Boy Scouts on Saturday, February 26, at Eastbrook Mall.



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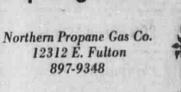
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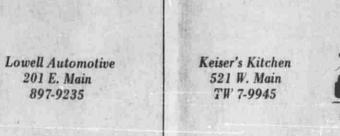
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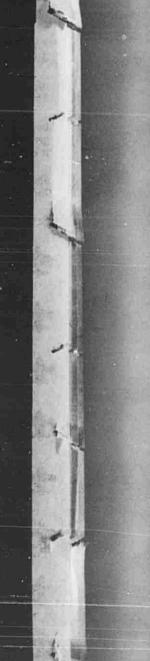
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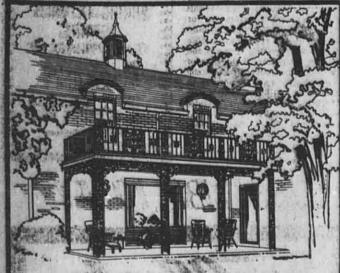
House and Sonate Republicans have settled on Thursday, day 18, 1972 as the date for their annual Republican Legisla tive Dinner to be held in the Landing Civic Center. The announcement of the \$100 a plate fund raising dinner was made today by House Republican Leader Clifford H. Smart (R-Walled Lake) and Senate Majority Leader Robert VanderLaan (R-Kentwood) This and That

Now that the first full year of the television ban on cigarette dvertising has gone by, what were the results? Did cigarette moking drop sharply as expected? Quite the contrary. Domestic cigarette consumption didn't drop at all; it rose 3.3 percents.

This-and-That

Donations of German shepherd dogs for training and use in department's tracking program are again being sought by Michigan State Police, Col. John R. Plants, director, report-Potential donors are requested to contact their nearest State ice post for more information

one of the country's foremost authorities on Abraham Lincoln, Dr. R. Gerald McMurtry will be the featured speaker at the state's GOP "Lincoln Tribute-72", February 11th at the



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The National Organization for Women (NOW), a new civil rights organization pledged to work actively to bring women into full participation in the mainstream of American society, will have an organizational meeting on Wednesday, February 9, 7:30 p.m. at the YWCA, 25 Sheldon, S.E., Grand Rapids.

Governor William G. Milliken Tuesday announced that the City of Wyoming will receive \$18,400 from the Bureau of Outdoor Recreation to purchase 9.52 acres of land located on laughey Avenue in Wyoming. The land will be used for outloor recreational activities and will be known as Kelloggsville

This-and-That A. H. Aymond, Chairman of the Board of Consumers Power Company, today was named President of the Company for an interim period in succession to the late James H. Campbell, who died suddenly of a heart attack January 24. The Board of Directors, meeting in Jackson, requested the Chairman to assume additional duties as President to comply with Michigan law, and to allow time for unhurried selection of a new President. Mr. Aymond has been chairman of the board and chief executive officer since 1960. He now adds the responsibilities of President and Chief Operating Officer.

This-and-That

The teamwork of the Kent County Medical Society with police and firemen in providing high quality emergency medical care is described in a feature article in the January issue of Mich gan Medicine, monthly journal of the Michigan State Medical Society. The article, first in a series on county medical society involvement in community programs, describes the program which began seven years ago with first aid training courses for police and firemen.

Richard J. (Rick) Lampert has been named as TV 13's new sports editor, according to the station's news director Jack Hogan. Lampert, 24, will report on local, national and internation al sports during Eyewitness News broadcasts at 5:30 and 11

--- Births

Dr. and Mrs. James D. Jackson announce the birth of a son February 3 at St. Luke Hospital in Marquette. Scott Donavan weighed seven pounds and one ounce. His mother is the former Cheryl Lynn Watterson.

Scott's proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lisle L. Watter

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Richardson of Lowell are proud to announce the birth of a son, Dale Everett, born at Butterworth Hospital, January 19, weighing eight pounds, seven and

The proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Tudor and Mrs. Ethel M. Yeiter, all of Lowell. Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Dooling, 6149 Ardmore, Jenison, an-

nounce the birth of a son, Patrick on January 24 at the Grand Rapids Osteopathic Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Sybrant Dykhouse, II, are the proud grandpar-ula

Our Men

Michael Stevens, who is stationed at Wurtsmith Air Force Base, Michigan, has been promoted to Airman First Class. The airman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stevens of

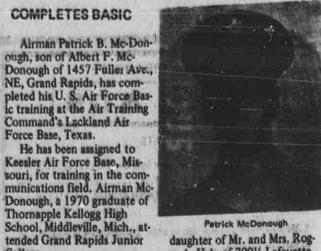
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MICHAEL STEVENS

Sergeant James R. Meeuwsen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert wsen, 10890 Grand River Drive, Lowell, has re-enlisted in the U. S. Air Force after being selected for career status. Sergeant Meeuwsen, a fire protection specialist at Lajes Field, Azores, was approved for re-enlistment by a board which considered his character and job performance. He is assigned to a unit of the Military Airlift Command which provides global air-

The sergeant is a 1968 graduate of Lowell High School. His wife, Sally, is the daughter of Delores Myers, 1073 Beach Drive,



daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger A. Hale of 7091/2 Lafayette,

Airman First Class Bert D. Gardner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rob-ert H. Gardner of 4785 S. 39½ Mile Road, Cadillac, has arrived

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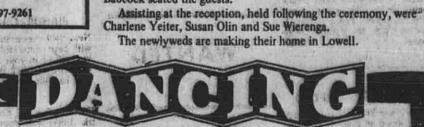
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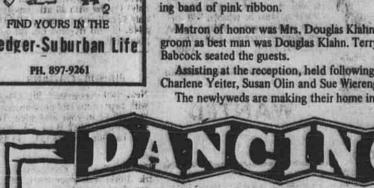
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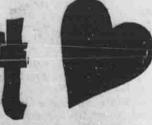
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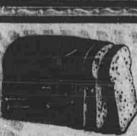
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Regular session, Monday, January 17, 1972 in the council som of the city hall.

he meeting was called to order by Mayor Carlen E. Andern at 8:01 p.m. and the roll was called: resent: Mayor Anderson, Councilmen Hall, McCambridge.
Absent: Councilmen Jefferies, Mueller. IT WAS MOVED by Councilman McCambridge, supported

Hall, that the minutes of the January 3, 1972 meeting be apoved and the reading waived.
Councilman Jefferies entered meeting at 8:02 p.m.)

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Hall, supported by Mc ambridge, that the bills payable, totals of which are listed erewith and had been presented to Council members with the genda, be approved and warrants issued, with the exception of the \$153.40 invoice from Michigan Grand River Watershed

Yes: Councilman Hall, Mayor Anderson, Councilmen Jefferes, McCambridge. No: None.

General Fund Major Street Fun Local Street Fun \$19,093.61 357.42 338.09 Lee Fund Agency Fund 135,000.00 1.417.23 9.157.91

Bids on the city's requirements of gasoline for the period of February 1, 1972-August 31, 1972, were opened and read by the Manager. He recommended acceptance of the low bid, submitted by Standard Oil Company, of 14.2¢ per gallon. Delivery would be by the local distributor. Then IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Jefferies, supported by

fall, that the bid of Standard Oil Company in amount of 14.24 er gallon for the City's gasoline requirements for the period of february 1, 1972 through August 31, 1972, be and hereby is ac-

Yes: Councilmen Jefferies, McCambridge, Hall, Mayor Ander-

Manager Bacon read all agreed on changes that were being made to the proposed Nursing Home Ordinance, comparing them with the original paragraphs which Council agreed would

IT WAS THEN MOVED by Councilman Hall, supported by refferies, that the following ordinance governing and regulating nursing homes within the City of Lowell be and the same is

Ordinance No. 59

The City of Lowell ordains:

1. That section 14-1 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Lowell be contained in a new article in Chapter 14 to be num-2. That the Code of Ordinances of the City of Lowell is greby amended by adding a new article in Chapter 14 to be pered Article II, which said article shall read as follows:

ARTICLE II: NURSING HOMES Sec. 14-11 Scope

The provisions of this article shall apply to any place where adult persons are housed, cared for, boarded or furnished Sec. 14-12. Definitions.

As used in this article, the following words, terms and hrases shall have the meanings herein ascribed to them: (a) Nursing Home. The term "nursing home" shall mean shment or institution other than a hospita having as one of its functions the rendering of heal-

ing, curing or nursing care for periods of more than twenty-four (24) hours to less than fifteen (15) inlividuals afflicted with either mental or physical lness, injury, infirmity or abnormali (b) Home for the Aged. The term "home for the aged"

a hospital, hotel or nursing home which provides room and board to less than fifteen (15) non-trans ent unemployed individuals sixty-five (65) years (c) Nursing Facility. The term "nursing facility" shall

nean an establishment or institution other than a hospital which provides either or both of the follow ing services for fifteen (15) or more persons: the rendering of healing, curing or nursing cares for periods of more than twenty-four (24) hours to indivi-duals sixty-five (65) years of age or older.

(ii) provides room and board to non-transient unemploy ed individuals sixty-five (65) years of age or older. Hospital. The term "hospital" shall mean an establishment defined in section 2(c) of Act No. 139 of the Michigan Public Acts of 1956, as added or amended being section 331.652(c) of the Michigan Compiled

ec. 14-13. License Required.

No persons shall establish, maintain, operate or conduct within the City of Lowell a nursing home, home for the aged or nursing facility without having obtained a license from the Lowell City Clerk to operate such a home.

Sec. 14-14. Exceptions.

The provisions of this article shall not apply to the care of persons in the immediate family of the owner or operator of a home. Immediate family shall include his mother, father, child, grandmother, grandfather, brother or sister.

When computing the number of persons for which a place is licensed, all persons who are aged, infirm or otherwise accommodated as patients, roomers or boarders, shall be counted, even though they may be members of the immediate family. Sec. 14-15. Application for License.

An application for a license to operate a nursing home, home for the aged or nursing facility as defined in this article shall be made at the office of the Lowell City Clerk upon forms to be provided by said City Clerk. A processing fee of Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00) shall be collected by the City Clerk from the applicant

at the time of receiving said application. Sec. 14-16. Processing of Application.

The City Clerk, upon receiving said application, may there-upon grant or withhold a license to such applicant. No such license shall be granted, however, until the premises have been inspected and reported on favorably by the fire chief, health officer and building inspector. The City Clerk shall designate on the license the maximum number of persons which may be accommodated in the nursing home, home for the aged or nurs-

The license continues in force for one (1) year from the date

Sec. 14-18. Revocation of License.

Whenever the City Clerk shall determine that the licensee is n violation of any of the provisions of this article, then said City Clerk shall have the power to suspend or revoke such li-cense by giving seven (7) days' written notice to the licensee.

Sec. 14-19. Appeal from Revocation or Suspension.

The holder of a license which has been suspended or revoked under this article may appeal the suspension or revocation by giving written notice of his intent to appeal to the City Clerk within five (5) business days after receiving the notification of the the suspension or revocation. The City Clerk, upon receiving said notice, shall forward a copy of the same to each member of the city council within three (3) business days following receipt of the same. The city council shall thereupon meet with in twenty (20) days following the original notification of suspension or revocation in order to determine the merit of the appeal. The holder of the license which has been suspended or revoked shall be given an opportunity to speak, either by himself or through his attorney, and he shall be given an opportunity to present all other material and relevant evidence concerning his right to the license. The city council can call whatever other persons it desires to make reports concerning the revocation or suspension. The City Council shall render a decision in the matter within thirty (30) days following the original notification of

Sec. 14-20. Display of License.

Any license issued pursuant to this article shall be posted in a conspicuous place in the place for which the license is issued. Sec. 14-21. Inspections.

The fire chief, health officer or building inspector may enter upon the premises for which a license is sought or has been issued hereunder, at any reasonable time for the purpose of in-

Sec. 14-22. Refusal of Entry.

Any applicant or licensee who shall refuse entry to any of the persons named in this article may have his application denied or his license revoked for such refusal.

Sec. 14-23. Rules and Regulations.

The following rules and regulations shall be the minimum standards required for the operation of establishments or institutions licensed in this article:

(1) The number of persons accommodated in a nursing home, home for the aged or nursing facility shall not exceed the number for which the license is issued. (2) The use of the words "city licensed" or other words having similar meaning is prohibited unless the estab-lishment or institution is being operated under a current valid license.

(3) No establishment or institution licensed under this article shall, by name or otherwise, create the impression that it is a hospital unless in fact it meets the legal definition of a hospital.

(4) The administrator of the establishment or institution shall be financially stable, of good moral character and in good physical and mental health. The administrator and all persons in supervisory or other responsible positions shall be adults.

(5) All persons employed to give nursing care or to at-tend patients or residents shall be at least sixteen (16) years of age.
(6) When the administrator leaves the establishment or

institution where bed patients or nursing care pa-tients are accommodated, he shall delegate his responsibilities to a competent person who is an adult, not a patient in the establishment or institution.

(7) The nursing care in nursing homes and nursing facilities shall be supervised by a graduate nurse, a licens-ed practical nurse, a doctor of medicine, a doctor of osteopathy, or such other person as may be authorized by the statutes of this State. (8) No licensee shall accept for care a person who has

been diagnosed as having active tuberculosis or serious (9) No licensee shall undertake to provide any type of

care other than that for which he is licensed. (10) All personnel employed by the establishment or in-stitution, including the administrator, shall be in

good health and free from any communicable disease. (11) All personnel employed by the establishment or in-stitution, including the administrator, shall have a chest X-ray or T.B. skin test annually. The results of such tests shall be filed with the City Clerk with the application for license and before the renewal of li-

(12) No beds for patients use shall be set up or maintained in excess of the number for which an establishment or institution is licensed.

(13) No administrator shall be licensed to operate more than one nursing home, home for the aged or nursing facility at any one time.

(14) No license shall be issued for a nursing home, home for the aged or nursing facility in a trailer or mobile

Sec. 14-24. Buildings and Equipment. All buildings shall be constructed and maintained in a safe and sanitary condition. Said buildings shall be constructed and

maintained in conformance with all State and local building codes and zoning provisions of this Code. Sec. 14-25. Plans and Specifications.

Plans and specifications for new buildings and for additions or major changes to existing buildings shall be approved by the fire chief, health officer and building inspector before issuance of a building permit.

Sec. 14-26. Building Maintenance.

The exterior of all buildings shall be maintained in good re-pair as to construction and finish. The interior of said buildings shall be maintained in a clean and habitable condition and shall be suitably decorated. Floors shall be finished or covered with a material which is easily kept clean and sanitary. Sec. 14-27 Steps and Porches.

Outside steps and porches shall be provided with handrails and shall be maintained in a clean and safe condition. Each inside stairway shall be provided with a handrail and suitable treads and shall be adequately lighted at all times.

Sec. 14-28. Hallways, Corridors and Landings. Hallways, corridors and landings shall be free of obstructions

and shall be adequately lighted at all times. Sec. 14-29. Lighting of Rooms. All patients' rooms shall be furnished with not less than one (1) ceiling light fixture operated by a wall switch and shall have

not less than two (2) electrical wall or baseboard outlets located on separate sides of the room Sec. 14-30. Basements

Basements in establishments or institutions covered by this article shall be dry, light, well ventilated, clean and free from refuse and odors. No basement may be used for the care of pa-

Sec. 14-31. Heating Paints.

Each nursing home, home for the aged or nursing facility shall be provided with a safe heating plant, capable of maintaining a temperature of seventy-two (72) degrees in all rooms used Scc. 14 32. Sanitation

Sanitary facilities shall be safe, adequate and consistent with the standards required for residential housing under this Code.

Water supply, plumbing, sewage and drainage shall comply with
the State laws and this Code. If the water supply is from other than a municipal source, the licensee must furnish to the City Clerk, at the time of initial application and at any other time required by the City Clerk, a water analysis issued by a qualified governmental agency or private testing laboratory showing said water is suitable for human consumption.

Sec. 14-33. Bathroom Facilities Modern handwashing and bathing facilities with both hot and cold running water shall be available for use by patients. All toilets and bathrooms shall be provided with adequate mechanical or natural ventilation in accordance with this Code.

Sec. 14-34. Ventilat All rooms used for living, sleeping, and food preparation and serving shall be clean, light and well ventilated. Ceilings shall be of such height and outside window space shall be of such areas as will comply with this Code.

Sec. 14-35. Door and Window Covering All openable doors and windows of the building shall be properly equipped with screens designed to keep said building free from vermin, insects and rodents.

Sec. 14-36. Location of Sleeping Accommodations No patient residing in any establishment or institution licensed hereunder shall be permitted to sleep on other than the ground floor; provided that if there are no less than two (2) stairways leading from the second floor to the ground level, pa-tients may be permitted to sleep on said second floor if the liensee secures the approval of the fire chief and said approval is noted on the license issued by the City Clerk; and provided fur ther that if the establishment or institution is a nursing facility, patients may sleep on the third floor if there are no less than wo (2) stairways leading from the third floor to the ground level and if the licensee secures the approval of the fire chief and said approval is noted on the license issued by the City

Sec. 14-37. Roof Materia! The roofs of all establishments or institutions licensed hereunder shall be covered with spark resistant materials. This section shall not be construed to require the replacing of any roof on an existing building already in use as a home for the aged at the time of the adoption of this Code, if in the judgment of the inspecting officer, it is in a satisfactory state of repair. However, the provisions hereof shall apply to the recoofing of such existing structures and to the construction or remodeling of buildings to be used for such homes. Sec. 14-38. Egress.

Every building used as a licensed establishment or institution shall have at least two (2) means of egress to the outside. Sec. 14-39, Incinerators.

(1) If approved, commercial type incinerators used in es-tablishments or institutions licensed hereunder shall be located in rooms separated from the rest of the buildings by one-hour-rated fire-walls and ceiling. Any openings to such rooms will be fitted with B-1 labeled fire door and frame.

Approved dom stic-type incinerators of two (2) bushel or less capacity may be used in furnace rooms. 14-40. Fire Extinguishen

Each floor of all establishments or institutions licensed hereunder shall be equipped with at least one (1) fire extinguisher of such type and size as has been approved by the fire chief. However, the fire chief may require that additional fire extin-guishers be placed at designated locations in the building. No license shall be granted under this article unless the fire chief's requirements are met by an applicant. Sec. 14-41. Storage of Combustible Mat

Oxygen and nitrous oxide shall not be stored in the same room with any combustible agent. Provisions shall be made for racks to protect cylinders from accidental damage. No open flame or smoking shall be permitted within a room in which Sec. 14-42. Rooms and Beds

All sleeping rooms shall be suitably arranged and properly equipped to meet the needs of patients. A minimum of sixty (60) square feet shall be provided for each bed. All beds shall be separated by at least three (3) feet at any point. No beds shall be placed in corridors, in hallways, on landings, in living or dining areas nor in kitchens or basements. Sec. 14-43, Ill Patients.

Patients who are critically ill or dying shall be provided with rooms separate and apart from other patients.

Sec. 14-44. Clothing Storage Space.

Each patient shall be provided with a wardrobe or storage space and drawer space of sufficient size to meet his reasonable

Sec. 14-45. Sleeping Arrangements. Individual standard beds with springs and clean mattresses not less than five (5) inches thick shall be provided. Cots and roll-away beds shall not be used.

Patients who are not bedridden shall be provided with sitting room or living room privileges on the main floor. A comfortable chair shall be provided for each patient.

Sec. 14-47. Physical Examination Requi Each patient admitted to a licensed establishment or institution shall be examined by a physician before admission or within seven (7) days after admission. A patient admitted before examination shall be isolated from other patients until cleared by ing physician. Such pre-admittance examination shall include a chest X-ray or T.B. skin test.

Sec. 14-48 Medical Supervision facility shall be under the continuing supervision of a licensed physician. The operator of the home or facility shall be responsible for arranging for prompt medical care as required.

Sec. 14-49. Treatment Plan.

Nursing homes and nursing facilities shall require an admitting diagnosis and a treatment plan to be recorded promptly for each natient admitted. ec. 14-50. Medical Treatmen

All medical treatment shall be under the specific or standing orders of a licensed physician. Any telephone orders from a hysician shall be written and signed on the record by the person in charge and countersigned by the physician at the time of Sec. 14-51. Accident

All accidents shall be immediately investigated by the home diministrator and any corrective measures indicated shall be

Sec. 14-52. Mentally Disturbed Patients. Patients diagnosed by their attending physician as temporarily mentally disturbed or senile shall not be unduly restrained or confined. Any confining doors shall be provided with means of visibility into the room. An attendant shall be constantly on duty and shall, where necessary, feed, dress, bathe and properly care for such patients.

Patients who are senile, retarded or otherwise deficient menilly to the point that they are not in control of their actions shall not be allowed outside the building unless accompanied by an adult person who is responsible for the patient, provided that said patients may be allowed outside the building for recreation

without adult supervision if they are enclosed on the property of the licensed establishment or institution by a fence approve

Sec. 14-53. Cleaning of Rooms. Rooms shall be clean and sanitary at all times. Bed linen shall be changed throughout following the discharge of each

Sec. 14-54 Personal Grooming.

Routine nursing care shall include care of skin, bathing at least twice weekly, oral hygiene, washing and daily grooming of hair and turning of patients to prevent pressure sores. Hand and feet of patients shall be kept clean at all times and fingernails and toenails shall be trimmed at least once weekly.

ec. 14-55, Daily Cleanliness. Hands and face of bed patients shall be washed before break-fast and hands shall be washed before other meals. Men patients shall be shaved at least twice weekly unless they request other-

Sec. 14-56. Incontinent Patients. Incontinent patients shall be kept dry and changed as needed day and night Sec. 14-57. Personal Hygiene.

Bed pans and urinals shall be furnished upon request or as needed. Bed pans, urinals and commodes shall be kept clean,

free from odor and cared for by an attendant. Sec. 14-58. Visiting Hours. shall be allowed to visit the critically ill and dying (if so authorized by the attending physician) at any reasonable time.

Sec. 14-59, Call System. An individual call system or hand bell shall be provided for all bedridden patients.

Sec. 14-60. Accident or Serious Illness.

In case of accident or serious illness of any patient, the administrator shall immediately notify the person or agency who placed the patient in the establishment or institution. Medical attention shall be immediately given. In case of death, the person or agency placing the patient in the establishment or institution shall be notified immediately.

Sec. 14-61, Drug Handling. Each nursing home and nursing facility administrator shall provide a cabinet equipped with a secure lock for the storage of drugs and prescriptions. All drugs and prescriptions shall be kept within this locked cabinet and the key shall be made available to only those persons authorized to handle and dispense prescriptions to individual patients.

Sec. 14-62. Prescription Contents.

The contents of all individual prescriptions shall be kept in the original container bearing the original label, which label shall show the prescription number, date filled, physician's name, directions for use and patient's name.

Sec. 14-63. Narcotics and Barbiturates. Narcotics and barbiturates shall be received only on individual patient prescription and shall be kept in locked storage as reuired in section 14-61. Sec. 14-64. Dispensation of Drugs and Prescriptions

No person shall dispense or administer drugs or prescriptions to patients unless either licensed to do so or authorized to take such action by the attending physician.

Sec. 14-65 Unused Narcotics and Barbiturates. Unused portions of narcotics and barbiturates shall be returned to the Department of Pharmacy, State of Michigan, Lan-

(1) Morphine and its derivatives.

(3) Any synthetic pain reducing drug which comes under the classification of a narcotic. A copy of the transmittal letter shall be made a part of the

Sec. 14-66. Unused Drugs (Exclusive of Narcotics and Barbitu-All unused portions of any patient's prescriptions, exclusive of narcotics and barbiturates, shall be immediately destroyed or returned to the prescribing physician and an appropriate notation of such destruction or return shall be invested on the naon of feturn shan be inserted on the pa-

tient's records. Sec. 14-67. Records of Medications. An accurate and adequate record shall be kept of all medications given to any patient.

Sec. 14-68. Stock of Drugs No stock of narcotics, barbiturates or prescription legend drugs shall be kept on the premises other than those obtained on prescription for the individual patients unless the establishment or institution possesses State and Federal drug and nar-

All food handling, including preparation, storage and serving shall be accomplished under sanitary condition. Food shall be wholesome and adequate to meet the needs of the patients. Sec. 14-70. Equipment.

All equipment for preparation, storage and serving shall be clean and well maintained Sec. 14-71. Laundry and Clothing. All patients shall be suitably and adequately supplied with othing. Such clothing shall be laundered, ironed, marked and

Sec. 14-72. Towels and Washcloths Individual towels and washcloths shall be provided for each atient and shall be changed twice a week or oftener if necessary. Bed linen, including sheets and pillow cases, shall be provided for each patient. Such bed linen shall be changed weekly ory patients, twice weekly for bed patients, or oftener if required. Each bed shall be made daily with two sheets. nkets shall be furnished when required by climatic conditions.

ec. 14-73. Charts and Records. Each administrator of a numing home, home for the aged or nursing facility shall, in addition to standard nursing charts, maintain the following records on each patient:

(1) Patient's name. (2) Patient's date of birth ... (3) Patient's last address. (4) Date of admission.

(5) Religion (if any). (6) Church and Pastor (if any).

(7) Name, address and telephone number, if available, of next of kin or person responsible for admission.

(8) Name, address and telephone number of patient's

(9) Verbal or written orders of the attending physician. (10) Date of discharge or death.

(11) Cause of discharge or death. (12) Such additional information as may be prescribed or found necessary or desirable. sec 14-74. Moving of Patients. Patients shall not be moved from one establishment or insti-

tution to another without the prior knowledge and consent of ment agency, institution or person responsible for the welfare of the patient. Sec. 14-75. Record of Accidents.

A record of all accidents involving patients shall be kept on file. The results of examination and the treatment prescribed by the physician attending patients who have had accidents shall als be recorded.

Sec. 14-76. Religion The comforts of religious ministrations shall be made available to all residents and patients.

A report of any fire occurring in the home shall be filed with the Lowell Fire Department within twenty-lour (24) hours after the occurrence. Sec. 14-78. Effective Date

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect ten (10) days Continued on Page 11

City Council Proceedings

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after publication in full in the Lowell Ledger. Even though the Ordinance is effective as aforesaid, existing facilities shall have six (6) months from the effective date within which to comply with any physical requirements, such as a change in existing buildings.

Yes: Hall, Jefferies, McCambridge, Anderson.

Notices from Michigan Public Service Commission regarding ailroad crossings and recommended improvements for Foreman Road and South Hudson crossings were read by the Manager. He recommended that the City protest the recommended in-stallation of tract activated side-of-street flashing-light signals and gongs on Foreman Road crossing at this time; he favored it when the new school is built. He recommended that halfroadway gates not be constructed and no construction be done until 1973.

The Manager recommended that none of the proposed improvements be made on the South Hudson Street crossing, alough he favored furnishing a 7-day traffic count.

Council concurred in the Manager's recommendation, directed him to so communicate with the Public Service Commission. Naming of a Legislative Contact man from the City to the Michigan Municipal League was deferred pending full complement of council members at an official meeting.

Manager Bacon read the proposed Lease Agreement between Lowell Area Schools and the City of Lowell whereby the School would lease a certain parcel (legal description of both properties is set forth in the Agreement) to the City for purposes of water expansion; and the City would lease to the School a parcel for IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Hall, supported by McCambridge, that the proposed Lease Agreement between Lowell Area Schools and the City of Lowell be entered into and the

Mayor and City Clerk authorized to affix their signatures for the City of Lowell. Yes: Councilman Hall, Mayor Anderson, Councilmen Mc-Cambridge, Jefferies.

COMMUNICATIONS a. Lowell Chamber of Commerce thanking the City for its cooperation with regards to Main Street Christmas decorations.

b. Michigan Aeronautics Commission re deadline for federal aid requests. Manager Bacon will appear before the Aero-nautics Department on January 18 in an effort to procure

not expect to participate in a grant for phosphorus remov-

c. Michigan Department of Resources stating Lowell could

MANAGER'S REPORT a. Report of Zoning Board action at its January 14 meeting. b. A grant for storm sewer-sanitary sewer separation will be considered on Tuesday, January 25, 1972, results of he consideration will be made known the first week of

c. Advertisements made for sale of old cruiser and dump truck (February 7). d. Sample ordinances on hand for methods of charging for

water-sewer connections. A written report will be prepar-Councilman McCambridge read a letter addressed to him from the local YMCA requesting \$2,000 contribution from the City of Lowell in fiscal 1972-73 and a \$2,500 contribution in fiscal 1973-74. Referred to Manager for consideration in budget. IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Hall, supported by McCambridge; that the City Clerk's letter of retirement at end of the current fiscal year be accepted and Council's appreciation of the Clerk's past efforts be hereby expressed.

The Mayor adjourned the meeting at 9:12 p.m. Approved: February 7, 1972. CARLEN E. ANDERSON, LAURA E. SHEPARD, Mayor

Senior Citizens And Veterans

Of Vergennes Township Sign-up for Homestead Tax Exemptions will be held at the Ver-gennes Township Hall, corner of Bailey and Parnell Roads, every rday from 1 p.m. until 5 p.m. starting January 29 through Feb-

For further information call 897-7244.

Public Hearing

special meeting on Friday, FEBRUARY 25, 1972 at 8 p.m. in the Council room of the city hall, 301 East Main Street, The purpose of the hearing is to listen to all interested per-

 Proposal to amend the Zoning Ordinance by adopting a new Zoning District to be known as "N-1 Nursing Facili-ty District." Proposal to amend the Zoning Ordinence by changing

from the A-2 One Family Residential and D-1 Industrial District to the N-1 Nursing Facility District the following described percel: Part of Lot 17, Lots 15, 16, Part of Lot 50, Lots 51 and 52 of the Young Addition of the City of Lowell; also part of Lots 12, 13 and 14

of the Young Addition of the City of Lowell. Proposal to vacate the North 323 feet of North West Street and the North 447 feet of Center Street.

New Highs Reached At Union Bank

Union Bank and Trust Company, N.A. reached new highs at year end 1971 in total resources, deposits and capital accounts, according to James W. Carpenter, President.

For the first time the financial reports have been audited by independent certified public accountants and include the consolidated operations of the bank, its subsidiaries and an affiliate from which the bank leases its Main Office building. Net income was \$1,691,000, up nearly \$200,000 and consolidated earnings per share were \$5.64 compared to \$4.97 in 1970, an increase of

The banks total resources reached \$323,245,364 up 11.3% from year end 1970. Total deposits increased \$29,996,436 and reached a record \$283,452,472. At year end Capital Funds of the bank were \$17,897,963. Carpenter reported total loans outstanding of \$154,927,007 up \$5.3 million. The main thrust came from an increase in installment loans which jumped 4.3% over 1970 figures. The bank paid out \$8.9 million in interest to depositors

which set another record, Carpenter said. Cash dividends paid to stockholders totaled \$480,000. During the year the bank organized a new leasing company,

Uni-Lease Company, to provide various types of lease financing. Two new branch offices were opened towards the end of 1971, one at Breton and Burton and the other at Alpine and During 1971, a year which brought considerable economic

change, people of the Grand Rapids area continued to increase

their liquid savings at a substantial rate. This growth can contri-

bute to future economic recovery by increasing the supply of

Billie Blue Held Over One Week

"The Ballad of Billie Blue" will stay at Studio 28 for one more week. The exceptional response "Billie" has received, has made it imperative to hold over for a second week, however, the final showing will be Tuesday, February 15, when "Billie Blue" goes to Minneapolis-St. Paul and a statwide premiere there

"The Ballad Of Billie Blue" is being called better than "The Cross and the Switchblade" by many of those who have seen both. "Had we known this would be the response, we would have allowed for a longer run," Dr. Plekker explained, "but it is impossible to pre-determine the demand for any motion picture, and Grand Rapids was the very first showing anywhere."

NOTICE

LOWELL CITY **TAXPAYERS**

The last date to pay 1971 School and County taxwithout a penalty, is February 14, 1972, at 5 p.m. Beginning Tuesday, February 15, 1972, 4% will be added to the winter tax.

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ERIC ESTRADA : "Justin Weeks" - Featuring MARTY ALLEN :: "Harvey Tripp"

Survey Employment Situation Here

A number of households in the Ledger-Suburban Life area will be interviewed during the week of February 14, for a survey of employment and unemployment conducted by the Bureau of the Census, Robert G. McWilliam, Director of the Bureau's Data Collection Center in Detroit, announced today.

This is a monthly survey conducted nationwide by the Bureau for the U.S. Department of Labor. A sample of households is scientifically selected to represent a cross section of all households in the United States. The employment and unemployment statistics which are bas-

ed on results of this survey are prime indicators of the economic

health of the Nation. The December survey showed that 80.2

million persons were employed and 4.7 million unemployed. After allowance for usual seasonal patterns, both were virtually unchanged over November. Information supplied by households participating in the sur-

vey is confidential by law and is used only to compile statistical Census Bureau interviewers who will visit households in this area include: Shirley A. Ford and Mrs. Lucy Hall.

Brock To Address Lincoln Day Dinner Senator Bill Brock, dinner chairman, announced that some

1,000 Republican workers and voters are expected to attend this

year's event to be held on Thursday, February 17 at 7 p.m. in the Grand Rapids Civic Auditorium. Serving with Fisher on his committee will be John Galbraith and Mrs. Jack (Barbara) Spalding as ticket co-chairmen; Mrs. James (Norma) Gaskin, Arrangements; Mrs. Bill (Francis) Fisher on program and Donald E. Wieringa for promotion. All Kent County voters are cordially invited and further information or

\$5.00 tickets may be obtained by calling 459-0141. Busy B Blue Birds

The Busy B Blue Bird group meets every Wednesday night at 4 p.m. with their leader, Mrs. Tate. Her assistants are Julie Bodtke and Donna Bregg. Blue Bird members are Abby Jacqman, Becky Vegter, Lisa Eickhoff and

Their activities include making turtles and candles and play-

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> stion of heirs. Publication and service shall be made as provided by statute and Date: January 21, 1972

AND DETERMINE HEIRS

A. DALE STOPPELS, Judge of Probate /anderVeen, Freihofer & Cook By: George R. Cook Attorney for Estate 1125 W. Main Stree Lowell, Michigan A true copy. ROLAND R. ROBEY,

VanderVeen, Freihofer & Cool 1125 W. Main Street Lowell, Michigan 49331 Court for the County of Kent **PUBLICATION ORDER** HEARING ON CLAIMS

File No. 122,801 State of Michigan, The Probe Court for the County of Kent ALVIN H. BERGY, IT IS ORDERED that on Ap 13, 1972, at 9:30 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Grand Ray ids, Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said decassed are required to prove that claims. Creditors must file sworn

Publication and service shall b made as provided by statute and Court rule. Date: January 27, 1972. A. DALE STOPPELS Attorney for Estate 1125 W. Main Street

Register of Probate 430 Union Bank Building Grand Repids, Michigan PUBLICATION ORDER File No. 122-962 State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Kent

IT IS ORDERED that on Feb M. Halloran for appointment of an administrator, and for a deter-Publication and service shall be made as provided by statute and Court rule. Date: January 28, 1972.

Judge of Probate Attorney for Petitioner 430 Union Bank Building Grand Rapids, Michigan A true copy. ROLAND R. ROBEY, Hegister of Probate

Lowell Ledger-Suburban Life, February 10, 1972

MISS ANN PAULSEN

Engaged To Wed

Announcing the engagement of their daughter, Ann, to Don Carroll, are Mr. and Mrs. Emil Paulsen of Belding. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Carroll of Lowell are the parents of the degroom-to-be. The engaged couple, both graduates of Lowell High School, are to be married on April 1st.

Legal Notices

Lowell, Michigan 49331

Michigan, a hearing be held on

VanderVeen, Freihofer & Cook 1125 W. Main St., Vander Veen, Freihofer & Cook Lowell, Michigan 49331 PUBLICATION ORDER 1125 W. Main Street

PUBLICATION ORDER File No. 122,933 FINAL ACCOUNT State of Michigan, The Prob File No. 121,354 Court for the County of Kent State of Michigan, The Probe Estate of Court for the County of Kent Estate of ROY WILCOX. GUS WINGEIER IT IS ORDERED that on Merch IT IS ORDERED that on Fe 2, 1972, at 9:30 A.M. in the Pro-

held on the petition of Stanley Executor, for allowance of his Wingeler for probate of a purported will, and for appointment made as provided by statute a Court rule. Date: January 24, 1972 A. DALE STOPPELS.

Vander Veen, Freihofer & Cook By: George R. Cook Attorney for Estat 1125 W. Main St. Lowell, Michigan A true copy. ROLAND R. ROBEY, Register of Probate

> VanderVeen, Freihofer & Cook 1125 W. Main Street, Lowell, Michigan 49331 File No. 122,934 State of Michigan, The Prob

Estate of VICTOR'S, PORRITT. IT IS ORDERED that on Feb ruary 24, 1972, at 10:00 A.M. in Rapids, Michigan, a hearing be held on the petition of Edythe H. Bryant for appointment of an administrator and for a determine-Publication and service shall be made as provided by statute and

Vander Veen, Freihofer & Cook Attorney for Estate 1125 W. Main Street Lowell, Michigan A true copy. ROLAND R. ROBEY,

Vander Veen, Freihofer & Cook, 1125 W. Main Street PUBLICATION ORDER HEARING ON ACCOUNT File No. 122,218 State of Michigan, The Probe Court for the County of Kent

IT IS ORDERED that on Marc 9 1972 at 9:30 A.M. in the Pro bate Courtroom, Grand Rapids. Publication and service shall be made as provided by statute and

By: George R. Cool Attorney for Estate 1125 W. Main Street Lowell, Michigan ROLAND R. ROBEY 1125 W. Mein Street File No. 122-869

By: George R. Cook Attorney for Estate 1125 W. Main Street A true cooy. ROLAND R. ROBEY, Register of Probete

claims with the court and serve a copy on Michigan National Bank, Co-Executor, at P.O. Box 1886, Grand Rapids, Michigan 49502. Lowell, Michigan A true copy.

Estate of FLORA TRAVIS,

MAXWELL J. HALLORAN, rusry 28, 1972, at 10:00 A.M. in | the palition of Arien Travis, AGthe Probate Courtroom, Grand ministrator, for allowance of his Rapids, Michigan, a hearing be Final Account. held on the petition of Bernice Publication and Court rule. Date: January 31, 1972 RICHARD N. LOUGHRIN Judge of Probat

A. DALE STOPPELS, A true copy. Register of Probate

gage and interest and all sums do under said mortgage immediate due and payable, At the date of this notice than gage the sum of \$12,932.41 while sum bears interest at 8%% per law has been instituted to recov the debt secured by said more gage, or any part thereof, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale cor tained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and pro vided, and to pay said amoun with interest, as provided in said mortgage, and all legal costs, charg-043-65 es and expenses, including the attorney fee allowed by law, and all taxes and insurance premiums

MORTGAGE SALE

Defaults have occurred in the

conditions of a certain mortgage

executed by Denton W. Wilcox and Jean M. Wilcox, husband and

wife, to Lowell Savings and Loan

Association, a Michigan corpora-tion, of Lowell, Michigan, dated

July 12, 1966, and duly recorded

July 20, 1966, in Liber 1652

page 570, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Kent Coun-

ty, Michigan, By reason of suc

defaults, the undersigned elects to declare and hereby declares

the whole of the principal sun

sale, said mortuage will be fore closed by sale of the mortgaged premises, at public vendue to the highest bidder at the East front door of the Lobby of the Hall o Justice 333 Monroe, N.W., Grand Rapids, Michigan, on FRIDAY MAY 5, 1972, at 9:30 o'clock in the forenoon, EST. The prem covered by said mortgage are situsted in the City of Grand Rapare described as follows: The North 225 feet of the South NW % of Sec. 4. TSN, R9W Bowne Township, Kent Count for highway purposes over the West 33 feet thereof. The length of redemption period

VanderVeen, Freihofer & Cook Lowell, Michigan 49331 PUBLICATION ORDER HEARING ON CLAIMS State of Michigan, the Probat Court for the County of Kent Estate of GEORGE B. KERR

IT IS ORDERED that on April 13, 1972, at 9:30 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Grand Rap-ids, Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said in competent are required to prove sworn claims with the court an serve a copy on Carlton Kerr Guardian, at 980 Vine Street Adrian, Michigan 49230, prior to made as provided by statute and

Court rule. Date: January 26, 1972

A. DALE STOPPELS VanderVeen, Freihofer & Cook,

after sale is six months. A. DALE STOPPELS, Vender Voen, Freihofer & Cook By George R. Cook Attorneys for Lowell Savings and Lean Association Dated: January 31, 1972 Register of Probate c42-44

119 lb. wrestler Mack Truax against a Cedar Springs opponent.

The Red Arrow Wrestling team pushed their season record p to 15-4 when they whizzed past Cedar Springs and Greenville

Then on Saturday the Arrow matmen nabbed a second place n the Central Christian tourname Gary Wiemer took second in the 98 pound division, taking a arst round bye, a pin in the semi finals and then falling 7-0 to

eve Bushman, the champion from Coopersville. One hundred and five pound Junior Dale Dawson found the mpetition stiff. Dawson won the first round, fell in the semianals, then took two straight victories in the consolation matches for a third place.

Senior George Mauric wrestling 112 lb. division fell in the first round to the eventual second place winner and again in the

Mack Truax was defeated in the first round but came back with a pin and a decision for a third place in the consolations. Sophomore Ken Rasch was defeated in the first round by the eventual second place winner and was defeated finally in the con-

The Arrows only first round elimination came when Jerry Kropf was defeated by Ron Dean of Central.

Senior Kraig Haybarker grabbed a second place for Lowell and Junior John Curtis took a pin and a decision in the consolations The 155 lb. division was heavily contended and Senior Perry

Beachum fell in the first round and in the consolations. Gordon Batey grabbed a first round victory, was defeated in the semi-finals, took a win and a loss in the consolations for a

Arrow Senior Paul Klifman took three straight victories for Lowell's only champion spot of the day. Klifman won on two pins and a 2-0 decision in the finals. Senior Dave Wisner took two wins in the heavyweight divi-

sion and one loss in the finals for a second place and bringing the Arrows into a second place with a score of 65½ points, 10 and one half points below Central High School in number one Earlier in the week the Arrows came near a defeat at the

hands of Greenville. The score was deadlocked with two matches to go. The 185 pound division was forfeited to Lowell and Dave Wisner finished off the match with a pin, leaving the Arrows out front 29-17.

Against Cedar Springs the Arrows took the first four weights for a 13-0 lead, then Cedar picked up a decision and a pin to trail by five. The remainder of the match saw Lowell taking four divisions to Cedar's two for the 27-17 victory.

Lowell Vs. Greenville

98-Gary Wiemer, won, Pin; 105- Dale Dawson, won 5-2; 112-George Mauric, lost 8-2; 119-Mack Truax, lost 4-6; 126-Bob Helmer, lost 8-1; 132-Jerry Kropf, won 6-0; 138-Kraig Haybarker, won, 6-0; 145-Bucky Curtis, lost 5-2; 155-Gary Barber, tie, 4-4; 167-Gordon Batey, lost 3-4; 185-Paul Klifman, won, Forfeit; HWT.-Dave Wisner, won, Pin.

Lowell Vs. Cedar 98-Gary Wiemer, won 6-0; 105-Dale Dawson, won 16-0; 112-George Mauric, won 7-0; 119-Mack Truax, won 7-0; 126-Bob Helmer, lost 5-1; 132-Paul Mauric, lost Pin; 138-Kraig Haybarker, won, Pin; 145-John Curtis, lost 4-0; 155-Gary Barber, tie 6-6; 167-Gordon Batey, won 11-4; 185-Paul Klifman, lost 5-4; HWT.-Dave Wisner, won 7-2.



Sophomore Paul Mauric wrestling 132 pound division against Cedar.

Red Arrows Give Jackets Good Sting

"We couldn't play them at a better time is what Varsity bas-ketball Coach Jerry Meredith offered when asked about the upming game against conference leader Greenville. The Arrows went into the face off against Greenville with a good record after two consecutive wins over Belding and Car-

son City the week before. Greenville had picked up 11 straight victories and led the Tri-River conference before meeting Lowell. Greenville's winning streak was not broken by the Arrows but was in doubt several times during the game.

The Arrows got off to a slow start while the Yellow Jackets started their scoring with 18 points in the first period to lead Lowell by ten. Steve Bullard was the Yellow Jacket's push, tak ing nine of the first period points.

Then Greenville's coach began singing those second period

The Arrows pulled together a rally led by Senior Pat Herblet who could be best described as the work horse of the night, that shook the Yellow Jackets and the bleachers. It was the Arrows' defense that pulled the score together, a full court press that grabbed a lot of turnovers and forced Greenville to lose

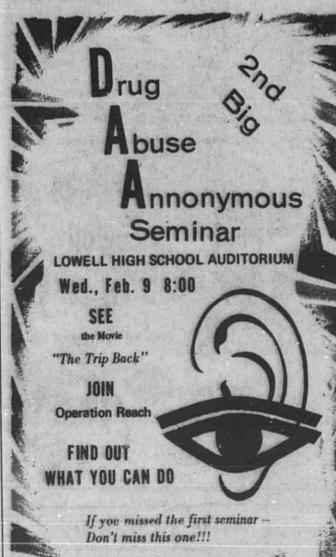
The Yellow Jackets were shaken up and fought back wildly, The Arrows converted 15 out of 19 possible points from the hit for 17. Rebounding was a key factor. Rusty Steffens commanded 14 of the Arrows' 30 rebounds to pace the team. The score was 35-35 at the half with both teams at each

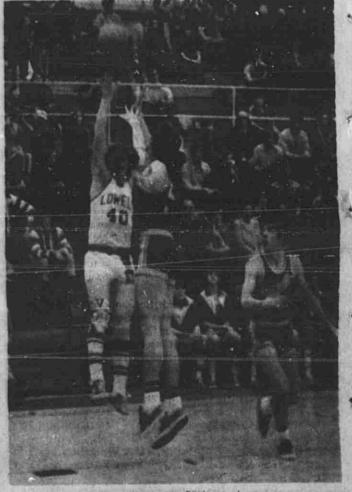
Greenville came back in the third quarter, using fine teamwork and taking points away from the Arrows easily and held an eight point lead going into the final period, hitting 57% from

The Arrows fought back and picked up nine fouls which Greenville turned into the mainstay of their final period, scoring and took their 12th consecutive win, 64-84. The final score was hardly indicative of the game Greenville led by 10 points with two minutes left and the Lowell team began substituting. Meanwhile, Greenville kept with the original team until several seconds left as to run up the score and keep

Next week the Arrows meet Cedar Springs there, Friday, and Ionia Tuesday night also there, 8:00.







League leading and undefeated in Conference play Green-ville rolled into Lowell for a game with the Red Arrows last Friday night and the JV's Arrows were ready for them. Lowell jumped to a 9-2 lead early in the first quarter and held it for

Lowell led 20-11 at the end of the first quarter with Jeff Pierce getting 11 quick points. Halftime saw the score at 37-31,

The running and pressing Red Arrows continued to play havor with the high-powered Greenville offense and Lowell led 52-47 at the end of three quarters. Both teams put on a fourth quarter offensive display with each team scoring 22 points, but it was enough for a Lowell victory.

Willie Harden led all scorers with 26 points, while Tony Mal-colm and Jeff Pierce added 19 and 18 respectively. Coach Mi-chael Clark credited teamwork, hustle and great desire behind

He pointed out that great defensive efforts by all players was a major factor in the win. Don Phillips and Dave Powers combined to hold the Yellow Jackets high scoring center to only two points. Lowell's variety of pressure defenses combined with a fast breaking offense was too much for Greenville. Greenville is now 8-1 in the league tied with Lakewood for first place. Lowell is now tied for second with a 4-4 record in

Lowell will travel to Sparta on Tuesday night and Cedar Springs on Friday night for important Tri-River league games. They will play at Ionia next Tuesday night in a non-league tilt, Game times are 6:30 p.m.

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Two For We . . . One For Thee

Last Friday night the West Ottawa Panthers managed to score only six points in the first twelve minutes of the second half in learning why Forest Hills leads the O-K Red Conference n team defense. The game ended with the Rangers having doubled the Panther score at 80-40.

Moving out of his January slump Bill Heneveld pumped in the first eleven Forest Hills points boosting his team to a 20-14 first quarter margin.

Forest Hills outscored the Panthers 23-6 in the third quarter with Kraig Klynstra leading the way with ten points. Frustration continued as the Panthers were held scoreless for the first four minutes of the fourth quarter. The Forest Hills defensive demons had nasty thoughts of completing a shutout quarter before Gorman's basket broke the slump.

Coach Larry Wilson flooded the court with Ranger subs at this point before cruising to the 80-40 victory. One might say that Forest Hills had broken the back of the cat. Offensively the Rangers sank twenty-four of thirty free

throws and were twenty-eight of sixty-two from the floor. Heneveld finished with 21 points while Klynstra had 17, Lanning 10, Rick Wagenaar 8, and Vic Switzer 7. Gorman led the Panthers

Wagenaar retained his status as the league's leading rebound-

er pulling down 17 caroms complimented by teammate Klyns-

Wilson said, "We were defensively super in the second half making them take the long shots and picking up several key steals. This was our best overall game of the year.' Tuesday night the Rangers entertained Grandville. Friday night's contest is at the Godwin fieldhouse where Forest Hills will match skills with the dangerous Wolverines.

Guess What? . . . JV's & Freshmen Win Again The Forest Hills reserves made it 12-0 last Friday night when they bounced West Ottawa 71-51. Tom Bean and Bill Wagner

kept their customary positions as team leaders scoring 27 and

The early stages of the contest were tight with a 19-19 first quarter deadlock and a slim five point Ranger margin at the half. Wagner brought down 15 rebounds from his pivot position. Gordy Osmun had five assists.

Tony Grochowalski hooped nineteen of twenty-two field goal attempts in leading the Ranger freshmen to their eleventh consecutive victory of the year. The final score was Forest Hills 79, West Ottawa 44. Grochowalski finished with 40 points for a freshman record.

At Forest Hills

Rangers Pin Seven In 50 To 11 Rout

Forest Hills took advantage of seven pins enroute to a 50-11 drubbing of Jenison in a non-league wrestling match last Thursday night. The victory gives the Rangers an overall dual record of 8-2. The Jenison squad is in their first year of varsity mat

The match featured an oddity with the bouts progressing from heavyweight to the 101-lb. class instead of vice-versa. For est Hills won the first nine matches taking a 42-0 lead.

est Hills won the first nine matches taking a 42-0 lead.

Hwt.—Dennis Hill (FH) pinned Miluisis (J) 1:32; 188—Jim

Stevens (FH) dec. Bob Muusse (J) 4-0; 170—Gordy Simon (FH)

pinned Wyngarden (J) 3:22; 158—Paul Grabarek (FH) pinned

Kox (J) 0:59; 148—Don Ashley (FH) pinned Wilson (J) 1:44;

141—Brad Gregory (FH) pinned Schlek (J) 3:34; 135—Sandy

Kingsland (FH) pinned Carmichael (J) 1:10; 129—Jim VanHaren (FH) dec. DeKoorne (J) 5-2; 122—Keith Appleback (J) dec.

Rich Dommer (FH) 2-1; 115—Vida Bartoletta (J) pinned Mick

Jaffas (FH) 5:22; 108— Craig Neidenthal (FH) pinned Shrebe

(J) 2:31; 101—Dan Missad (FH) draw; Dan Dumont (J) 2-2.

For Stevens, Kingsland, VanHaren, and Jaffas the rout pro vided their first experience in wrestling at the varsity level. Nei-

denthal earned the Ranger Award. On Thursday, February 10, the Rangers will close out their dual schedule when they travel to Wyoming Park for a non-league match. The O-K Red Conference Meet will be held at Forest Hills on Saturday, February 12, with dual meet cham pion Grandville expected to dominate.

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New Group Organizes Sno-mobiling Fun

Snowmobiling has become one of the fastest growing out-door sports. The entire family has found a way to enjoy the snow and scenery. But with every sport there are a few who abuse their privileges and give the sport a bad name. The Forest Hills Sno-Mobile Association has formed to promote the good of snowmobiling and organize the snowmobilers of the

Some months ago Don VanderHoff and Vance Pettenger tacked signs up in local businesses seeking the cooperation of local showmobilers. Response at first was slow, only a dozen people showed up for the first meeting. Since then, however, the response has been overwhelming. Seventy-five member-ships have been filled and another twenty-five are waiting to live in the Forest Hills School district.

The group has had monthly meetings since October and has met with the Kent County Sheriff's Department who have explained the new snowmobile laws. The president of the Forest Hills Snowmobile Association is Don VanderHoff, vice president is Roger Matthews, secretary is Vance Pettenger and the

The association has established several committees thus far. They are the trails, safety, and programs committees. The trails committee is currently in the process of securing land "rights" for snowmobile trails. Twenty miles of trails has been acquired

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so far in an effort to keep land open for snowmobilers. Only members of the Forest Hills Sno-Mobile Association will be allowed on these trails. Any snowmobilers using the trails that are not members will be asked to leave. By having only members of the association using the trails they will better be able to self-police themselves and keep the areas clean. After all the trails have been acquired they will be marked and mapped out,

The safety committee is interested in the education of the snowmobiler. New laws regarding snowmobiles have been passed this year and the snowmobiler must know what they are and what they mean. The Forest Hills Sno-Mobile Association will soon be sponsoring a snowmobile education program required for snowmobilers between the ages of 12 and 16. This program will be open to the public for a

The programs committee has been busy planning a snow safari for this past weekend. Fifty to seventy-five machines were expected to participate in the 52 mile trek from Sparta to Croton. The program committee is also planning the first fund raising event for February 19. The First Annual Snow Party will be held at the Shady Acres Farm, 10336 Bailey Drive. Everyone is invited, snowmobiling will start at 7 p.m. and the dance starts at 9 p.m. The cost is \$5 a couple and there will be live music. Funds from this event will go for costs of the association which include printing, trail markings and education.

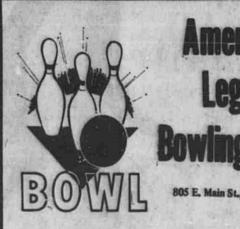
With the help of organizations like the Forest Hills Sno-Mobile Association the sport of snowmobiling will prosper. This is a good, healthy sport, those who have never tried it don't know what they are missing.

Saranac Redskins Drop Central Montcalm Game

In TCAA action Friday night, the Saranac Redskins dropped their home encountered 78-65 to a fast scoring Central Mont-

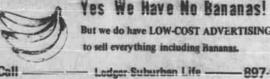
Mark Miller topped the loser's score with 25 points, while Randy Butcher chipped in with 16 and Mark Mason added 14. Adding to Saranac's total was Dave Vroman with eight and Brian Kelly with two. Don Vroman, Saranac's starting guard, injured his leg in the

first half and did not return to the court. Friday's loss left Saranac in the cellar of the TCAA standings with one win against seven losses. This Friday the Redskins will travel to Portland to face the league leaders.



No Open Bowling February 12 and 13

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Behind-The-Scenes

Lowell Ledger-Suburban Life, February 10, 1972

When the Golden Gloves opened their training sessions for the 1972 bouts at the Grand Rapids Civic Auditorium, several pro-fighters turned trainers and promoters swung into action to get the eager boxers prepared for their steps into the ring. One such man behind the scenes is Charles (Gabby) Mc-Crath, known to many in the Lowell area in his role as a bartender at Young's Tavern (now the Village Inn) and the part he

played in the soft and baseball leagues in the Alto and Caledonia

McCrath's sister, Mrs. William Wierenga still resides in Lowell at 125 South Division Street, and takes a varied interest in his new role with the Golden Gloves.

McCrath can be found behind the scenes working with such pro-trainers as Jim Flynn, Wes Ramey, sr., and Wes Ramey, jr., as they make the final adjustments for the semi-final City bouts Wednesday night at the Civic.

If you are in a dull routine, and looking for something different in the way of entertainment or competitiveness, the Golden Gloves is the place to be.

The annual event, sponsored by Furniture City Post 258, American Legion, of Grand Rapids, is a saga of blood, sweat, sometimes tears, the agony of defeat, and the wave of victory. Each fighter from the 112 lb. class to the heavyweights, open or novice, charge from their appointed corners to the center of the ring where they meet the gloves of their challengers... the aftermath could be a judge's decision, a technical knock out,

or a "just the right punch" knock out. Wednesday night's card will see 18-year-old Terry Flynn in action for the first time this season. Flynn twice City Champion

and state-runner up will fight in the open division of the 147-Mike Swiger at 139 lbs. is a past State Golden Gloves Cham-pion and twice State AAU title holder. Kevin Cole, twice Gold-

en Glove Champion will seek the 1972 title at the age of 20. Many newcomers have entered the Civic ring this year, with many of them winning their first fight at the opener on February 2. Bill Bonney, a Flynn product, won a judge's decision, after pounding his way through three consecutive three minute rounds. He has a lot of gusto, and stands a good chance of making it all the way.

Twenty-seven bouts were on focus Monday night at the Civic with ten TKO's being scored, the rest were all decisions. The best fight of the night saw William White of the Midtown Athletic Club decision Michael Dinkins of South Haven. Both novice fighters fought to the bitter end, and received a standing ovation from their ring-side fans.

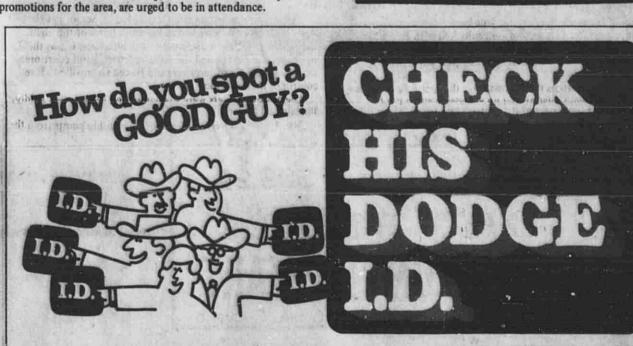
The bouts Wednesday night will start at 7:30 p.m. The City finals will be Monday night, February 14. The State finals slated for Friday and Saturday, February 18 and 19.

Ada Athletic Association To Elect New Officers

A new slate of officers will be elected at the February 16 meeting of the Ada Athletic Association. Meeting in the Ada Township Hall at 7:30 Wednesday evening, the officer's election will be the main item on the agenda.

All residents of Ada Township, who are interested in sports

Charlie McCrath, a man about town, plays an important part City Finals February 14 All Seats Reserved Phone 456-5363 State Finals - February 18 & 19





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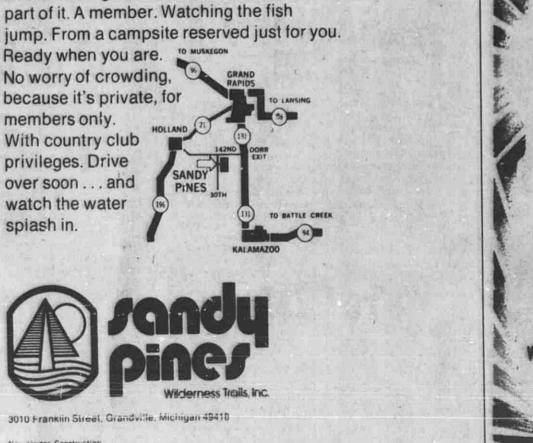
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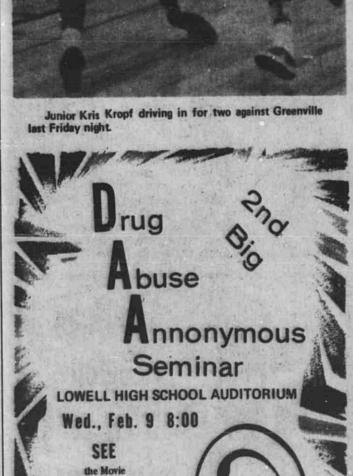
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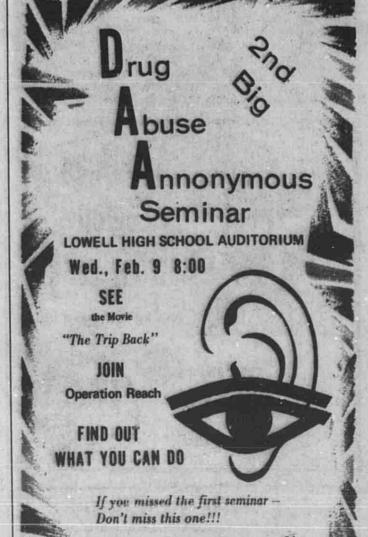
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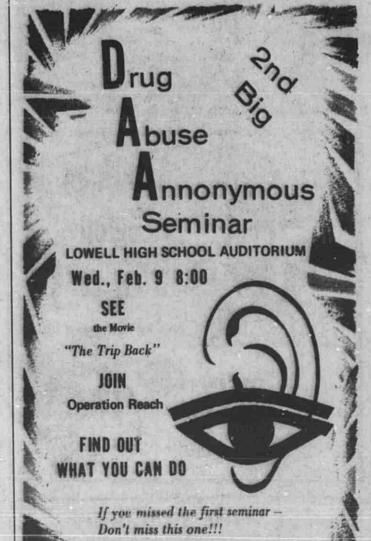
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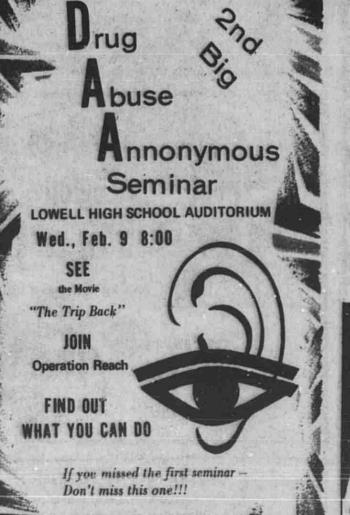
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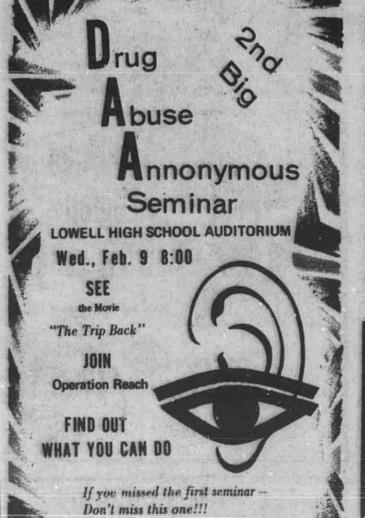












Shoemaker Retires . .

Ada Park To Carry His Name

Ralph S. Shoemaker, an Alma High School graduate who obtained a \$16-a-week job as a highway sign painter in the lean Depression days of early 1930, will retire February 12 after 42 years with the Department of State Highways.

He retires as traffic engineer for the 11-county Grand Rapids
Highway District, a post he has held for 21 years. Prior to his
appointment as Grand Rapids district traffic engineer, Shoemaker had been given many statewide supervisory assignments in traffic signing, pavement marking, traffic controls and engineer-

He wrote the Highway Department's first instructional man-

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ual adopted for statewide use in pavement markings and sign painting. He also headed up Michigan's first federal aid high-way signing project, aimed at reflectorizing all traffic signs on the state highway system.

In recognition of his many contributions and more than four decades of service, the State Highway Commission L is authorized the naming of a roadside park in his honor. The five-acre, wooded park is on the south side of M-21, three miles east of Ada in Kent County.

The roadside park formerly was named in honor of Frank J. Halliday who retired in 1961 as senior engineer for the Grand Rapids District.

In addition to countless innovative contributions to Michigan's traffic safety, Shoemaker has long been active in community and fraternal affairs.

He recently was elected vice president of the Michigan Elks Association, the traditional step before elevation to presidency of the statewide Elks. He is a past exalted ruler of the Grand Rapids Elks Lodge.

Shoemaker helped found the Western Michigan State Employees Credit Union, which he served as chairman of the board for four years, 1957-61.

He and his wife, Gladys, parents of two sons and two daughters, reside at 3192 Jeanlin Dr., S.E., Grand Rapids—in a home he built himself in his "spare time."

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Louise Doyle prepares for her travel adventure series at the Lowell Senior High School Auditorium Thursday night at 7:30 p.m. Her topic will be "The Philippines."

Events Calendar

FOREST HILLS SCHOOLS

Thursday, February 10-Girl's basketball, West Ottawa, here. Girl's bowling, Middleville. Wrestling, Wyoming Park, Away, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, February 11-Basketball, away, Godwin. Saturday, February 12-Varsity Wrestling, OK conference. Monday, February 14-Girl's basketball, Wyoming. Girl's bowling, East Grand Rapids.

Tuesday, February 15-School Board meeting, 8 p.m. Thursday, February 17-Girl's bowling, Lee. Winter band concert, multi-purpose room, 8 p.m.

LOWELL AREA SCHOOLS

Thursday, February 10-YFU Travel series, Louise Doyle, "The Philippines," 7:30 p.m., senior high auditorium. Friday, February 11-Basketball, Cedar Springs, There. Saturday, February 12-Fifth and sixth grade basketball, Coopersville, Here.

Monday, February 14-Junior High Valentine Dance, 7 to 9

Tuesday, February 15-Basketball, Ionia, there. Wednesday, February 16—Wrestling, Coopersville, there.
Thursday, February 17—Junior High Basketball tournament,
Wrestling, Ionia, there.

Achieve Straight 'A' Average

Luanne Matje Blough of Route 2, Lowell, and Kurt Kenneth Ray of 1588 MacNider, S.E. have achieved straight "A" averag-es for the 1971 Fall semester at Central Michigan University, Mt. Pleasant.

Miss Blough is a sophomore at CMU and Ray is a freshman. They were among approximately 3,100 students named to the academic honors list at the end of the term.

Students from the area named to the academic honor list, cumulating grade averages of "B" or better, were Amy Lake, and Joanne Vader, Ada; James Herrick, Scott Hubble and William Kimble, Saranac.

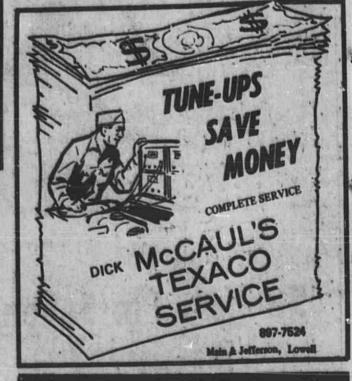
Susan Bauer, Luanne Blough, Linda Clark, Mitchell McMahon, Barbara Place and Anita Hahn, Lowell; Sheliey Allen, Jena Chamberlain, Jo Lanham, James McBryde, Kurt Ray, Mary VanHouten and Mary Walker, Forest Hills.

A breaking and entry report at Mel's Ber on West Main Street is still under investigation by the Lowell Police Department.

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