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## One Killed As Plane Crashes



Wreckage of Cessna 172 that left passenger dead and pilot critically injured.

Power was temporarily cut to some homes in the Lowell area Saturday when a small plane hit a guide wire on a power pole and crashed. A passenger in the plane, Stanley Sorenson, 52, of 1302 Laurie Gail Drive, Lowell, was fatally injured and the pilot, Harold McKeage, 59, of 10300 Sayles Rd., Lowell, was taken to Butterworth Hospital where he is still listed in critical condition. McKeage suffered multiple fractures of the arms and legs, and possible internal injuries.

McKeage was making practice landings in a plane flown from the Lowell Airport, Specialist Aviation, Inc. The plane was owned by John Cornell of 1512 Three Mile Rd., Lowell, who rented the plane to McKeage about 8 a.m. On the final landing attempt, around 9 a.m., the plane hit the 9/8 inch guide wire, nosed to the ground, and flipped over in a field 1/4 mile north of Lowell on

M-91.

McKeage stated that he thought he was high enough to avoid the wires. The plane was going 70 MPH and accelerating at the time the guide wire was struck. The Cessna 172 was totally destroyed.

A witness, who is a pilot himself, observed the plane coming down and indicated that the engine sounded all right. There were no radio communications between the plane and the airport. McKeage holds a pilot license for single engine planes and has between 100-200 hours flying time since 1971.

Upon arrival of the police, the pilot was lying on the right wing and Sorenson was still in the plane. Sorenson was pronounced dead at the scene by Dr. Humphrey, medical examiner, and the body was removed to Roth-Gerst Funeral Home.

## A New Concept In Pre-School Education

A new concept in pre-school education is being tested at Lowell with the joint cooperation of the Community Action Program of Kent County and the Lowell Area Schools.

Commenting on the project, Elementary Principal Roger A. Buck cited the unusually rapid growth of the Lowell community in the past year as the prime reason school officials began to realize that in order to provide meaningful education in the lower grades, it is now necessary to work with the child and his parents even before he is of school age.

"We're not going at this half-heartedly," Buck said, "we have transferred one of our most experienced and capable teachers out of her regular classroom to work 100 percent with the pre-school program and, what is equally as important, with the parents of these pre-school children to explain just how a child can best be prepared for school and what they can expect as the years go on."

The Community Action Program, because of its basic interest in children and education, agreed to join forces with the Lowell Schools in financing the project and the Calvary Christian Reformed Church of Lowell has given classroom space in its chapel. Several local merchants have also volunteered necessary items to make a cooperative community project aimed at improving both learning and behavior in the classroom and in the community.

## Urge Continuance Of New Orleans Motif

The troubles of American cities are well known, but little has been said about how business is "rolling up its sleeves" to make their cities better places. A transformation is getting underway, especially in cities where there's room to grow and a more unified civic spirit.

Perhaps the most dynamic change in Lowell's 141-year history took place when the Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce pushed for a "New Orleans-Showboat" motif to attract new consumers and residents to the realms of its city. Massive plans were placed on the drawing boards, and area businessmen were asked to study the feasibility of participating in the renovation project.

The original plans to give Main Street a "new look" befitting its long established tradition as a Showboat town were unveiled by the Chamber in April of 1970. Since that time, seven businesses have incorporated the wrought iron grill work, pillars or other facade designs in their remodeling endeavors—Debonaire Shop, Eleanor's Fabrics, Drake Station, Lippert's, Lowell Cafe, Village Inn, and the State Savings Bank.

The first business to incorporate the classical New Orleans waterfront lines was Lippert's Pharmacy, on Main Street, in the center of the downtown area. This transformation turned a drab, common looking building into a showpiece, and according to the pharmacy's owner, Chuck Lippert, "it has helped my business by giving it a finesse of quality, not attainable by paint and a touch of color."

"We know people are taking an active interest in their hometown," Lippert remarked, "their daily comments are a way of letting us know they appreciate our part in improving their community."

"When someone first mentioned Lowell to me, before I came here," Lippert continued, "the only thing I knew about the town was the fact that the famous Lowell Showboat was held there. Showboat is one of the city's drawing attractions; this



Children using candles to light a hut built in a hay mow is listed as the cause of a \$7,000 barn fire Sunday afternoon at the Robert Barnes residence at 3333 Segun Avenue. Lowell Fire Chief Frank Baker declared the barn a total loss, along with a tractor, a loader, and an outboard motor.

Baker reported the Alto Fire Department assisted in keeping the blaze under control. No one was injured.



Cafe's "New Look" drawn business.

could lead to new concepts, if the businessmen pattern their buildings along these lines."

At the corner of West Main and Broadway Streets stands the Lowell Cafe; the second business to carry out a vast New Orleans exterior. When finished, it was, and is an eye-catcher to all who pass by. The cafe's proprietor, Doretha Norris feels the

building's new look "has definitely improved my business." Most noticeable, she revealed, is the pick up of "first time" or out-of-town customers.

"Putting on a good front, isn't enough," she emphasized, "when the back is falling to pieces, you might as well do a complete job." And she did—all sides of the building, plus the interior was completely remodeled, offering her customers a two-in-one improvement.

Eventually, she hopes to fix the upper portion of the building to match the rest, and thinks the other businesses should follow along the Showboat theme.

Slowly, but surely, the idea is catching on—but is of the utmost importance in making the community a drawing attraction to local and transient trade sinking in.

While traveling through Gaylord (a small northern community) this summer, several of the Chamber's members were greatly impressed with the way the city had "gone all out" to improve the overall appearance of its downtown area.

According to one Gaylord businessman, he really wasn't in a financial position at the time to participate, he was hesitant about the investment, and looked skeptically at the outcome. But with new ideas, comes progress, so he decided to take stock in an idea that has boosted Gaylord's economy—and generated his business into an additional expansion program. "If you expect to get anything out of your community, you've got to put something into it—for me, it's my living and I'm proud of my part in the renovation happenings."

Last week several members of Lowell's Chamber met to ignite action for continuation of the New Orleans idea. "These things just don't happen overnight," the Chamber explained, "but the sooner we get our feet off the ground, we'll be able to realize the full results—like Gaylord."

Whatever the outcome, the determination drive is there, and if the Chamber has its way—Lowell's "new look" will not be just talk, but a fact!

## 'Retired To Action'

Wednesday night, April 12th, the Lowell Area Jaycees presented their Distinguished Service Award to Stanley N. Gardner, a man who has "retired to action." The DSA presentation was the Jaycee's first effort to give proper recognition to deserving individuals of our community and is the highest award the Jaycees can annually present.

Stan and his wife, Doris, were guests of honor at the banquet held in Lowell's Masonic Temple. Presenting Stan with the DSA plaque was Norm Veliquette, the Jaycees' president. Mayor Carlen Anderson, representing the city, offered his congratulations and thanks to Stan for his meritorious service to the community. Rev. Dean Bailey, minister of the First United Methodist Church and vice-president of Lowell's Ministerial Association, was present to offer invocation and as Stan's nominator.

Dr. Raymond Huldin, Junior Chamber International (JCI) Senator and Grandville physician, was the keynote speaker for the program. Dr. Huldin, a prominent citizen of Grandville who is active in community affairs himself, spoke to the some thirty-five present on the subject of leadership.

Stan Gardner, who was born and raised in New York, celebrated his 67th birthday this past Saturday, April 8th. He was an employee of the Texaco Corporation for thirty-seven years, where he served in various capacities within the organization. In his final years with the company, he was a District Representative in Cleveland, Ohio. Although only a resident of Lowell since 1965, his love and devotion to this community is amazing. He continues to serve when others use the excuses of age and weariness and "deserved rest"—he continues to serve his adopted community.

Stan has been very supportive of the efforts of the Lowell YMCA. He recognizes the potential and worthfulness of endeavors with our children and youth and is always among the top persons in recruiting Sustaining Memberships. Stan also recognizes the problems of the aging and serves capably and well on the Schneider Manor Board.

As a member of the Lowell Rotary Club, he was named "Man of the Year" in 1967. He has worked with the Lowell Showboat Corporation since 1965, serving in various capacities. Last year, he assumed the total responsibilities of the ticket distribution system.

Stan has also been a "strong right arm" in the work of the First United Methodist Church. In the past two years, he has taken over a sagging financial budget and has led the church in two years of a balanced budget, while increasing monies available for benevolence programs.

Stan has a great variety of interests—his home on Ware Road is a bird sanctuary—his garden is, you might say, his love for persons, young and old, results in many endeavors to serve them—spiritually, physically, recreationally, and economically.

"For Stan," observes Rev. Dean Bailey, "no job is too small or demeaning, or too big for him to tackle with enthusiasm and assurance. Many talk of community service, but Stan does it."

"Not by our efforts alone is tonight's program possible," Veliquette stated in his welcome, "but because this community has citizens who have given distinguished service and also because others in the community, who are not Jaycees, were willing to nominate candidates for the award."

The Lowell Area Jaycees are proud to have been able to recognize and honor Gardner with their Distinguished Service Award. They wish, also, to thank the nominees, the nominators, and the community for making their first DSA banquet a success.



Norm Veliquette meets with Stanley and Doris Gardner in their home at 11234 Ware Road to inform Stan of his selection to be the recipient of the Jaycees Distinguished Service Award.



A male juvenile was arrested April 6 by the Lowell Police Department in connection with the robbery of Art's TV and Bedell Jewelry on East Main Street last week. All the merchandise taken in the night-time robbery has been recovered, except two of the watches. The boy was released to his parents, and referred to the Kent County Probate Court for action.

Wilhelm Wolfgang Prout, swerving to avoid a head-on collision, struck a fire hydrant on South Hudson Street Sunday afternoon, causing several area residents to go without water until emergency repairs could be made. According to witnesses, Prout's action was necessitated to avoid hitting the unknown vehicle, the Lowell Police revealed.

This Saturday morning at 9 a.m. all Teens of the Lowell area are invited to assemble at the Lowell Teen Center on East Main Street to participate in a city-wide clean-up project. The morning will be spent cleaning the streets (picking up papers, etc.) and assisting any businessman who might need their "free" services. At noon, the workers will be served a free lunch by a group from the Cascade Christian Church.

Two juvenile boys, who first admitted some of the B-B gun vandalism, later changed their plea, in connection with damages at Wittenbach's, Newell Manufacturing, St. Mary's School and the Asplund residence. Four guns were confiscated from the boys by the Lowell Police. Despite their later denial, they were charged with discharging a gun in the City Limits, and have been referred to Probate Court.

At the Zoning Board of Appeals meeting Monday night, unanimous approval was given to Anthony Stormzand, for a car sales lot on West Main Street, and a nod of approval was given to Newell Manufacturing's plans to expand.

The Michigan Commerce Department's Public Service will hold a public hearing April 26 on proposed safety improvements at two Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad crossings in Lowell. The City objected to the proposed improvements at Foreman Street and the south Hudson Street crossings on the grounds the work would put a severe financial hardship on the community.

The Postal Service is again reminding area mailers not to use the words "city" or "local" in their mailing addresses. Since the concept of Area Processing Mail, which started the first of March, all mail received from collection boxes in Lowell, Ada, Alto and Saranac, has been processed in the Grand Rapids Sectional Center Post Office.

**NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF LOWELL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION**  
The annual meeting of the Lowell Savings & Loan Association will be held at Coon's Clothing Store on Monday, April 17, 1972, at 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of electing two directors and such other business as may come before the meeting.  
c1 David F. Coons, Secretary

ROSIE DRIVE INN — This Week's Special: Neal Burgers, 49¢. Family Nite Tuesday, 4.8. c1

APPOINTMENTS AVAILABLE — Lowell Barber Shop. Fridays only — Call Fred, TW 7-8102. c1 & 3





### Eastmont Baptist To Host Round Robin Conference

Eastmont Baptist Church, 5038 Cascade Road, S.E. will begin an eight day missionary conference on Sunday, April 16 and will continue through Sunday, April 23. Rev. Manny Woods from Sao Paulo, Brazil, will be the speaker at both services Sunday. Rev. Woods is well known in this area, and will have much to tell about the large Jewish community in Sao Paulo.

will be bringing the message on the closing day Sunday, April 23. Morning services are at 11 a.m. and evening at 7 p.m. In addition to the services listed above there will be a father and son banquet at Maplelawn Baptist, at which time Rev. Carmichael will speak. The ladies will be entertained at a Salakama at 12:30 on Thursday, the 20th. Mrs. James Carpenter, the president of the Eastmont Baptist Ladies' Missionary Fellowship will be moderating a panel made up of all the missionaries in the conference. They will be discussing Missions in A Changing World. The young people will gather at the Alaska Baptist Church for a breakfast at 8 a.m., Saturday, April 22.

#### OPEN LETTER from

DAVID GERST

Dear Friends,  
Man is basically a social creature who lives his life in fellowship with others. At no time does he need an expression of this supporting fellowship more than at the time of mourning. Jesus said, "Blessed are they who mourn for they shall be comforted." He certainly was referring to the comfort afforded by our relatives and friends as He was of God's supporting presence.

Respectfully,  
*David Gerst*

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### 'Consider Him' Sermon Topic

Sunday, April 6, "Consider Him" is the sermon topic being preached by Priest Lloyd DeVormer at the 11 a.m. morning worship at the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints of Alaska. There will be special worship service for the 10, 11, 12-year-olds at 11 a.m. in the lower auditorium. At 6:45 p.m. there will be a Hymn Sing. At the 7 p.m. evening worship, High Priest Dirk Venema is teaching a class on "The Greater Endowment." Prior to these services, at 9:45 a.m., Church School for all ages is held. Wednesday, April 19, "I Know Christ Will Help Me In Time of Need," is the theme being used by Priest Carroll MacInnes at the Midweek Fellowship service at 7:30 p.m. This is a Prayer and Testimony Service.

### UMYF To Serve Fish Fry Supper

The United Methodist Senior High Fellowship is serving a Fish Fry Supper in the church dining room on Friday, April 14, from 5 to 7 p.m. Fish, chips, salad, and homemade pie will be offered at the following prices: adults, \$1.75; children under twelve, \$ .75; children under five, free. Tickets are available at the church office or from any member of the UMYF. Proceeds from the supper will be used to provide scholarships for a variety of summer camping programs.

## Church Services

<b>ASSEMBLY</b> Calvary Memorial Assembly of God 2230 3 Mile Road N.E. Morning Service 10 A.M. Sunday School 11 A.M. Christ Ambassadors (Youth) 6 P.M. Evangelistic Service 7 P.M. Rev. Daniel Roehl, Minister	<b>CHRISTIAN REFORMED</b> Ada Christian Reformed Church 7152 Bradford 676-1698 Rev. Ralph Bruzsvort, Pastor Morning Worship 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.	<b>EPISCOPAL</b> St. Michael's Episcopal Church 2965 Wyckoff Dr. SE Rev. John Ferguson Minister-in-Charge Holy Eucharist 10:00 a.m. Child Care Provided	<b>Methodist Church</b> Snow United Methodist Church 3189 Snow Ave., S.E. Morning Worship 10 a.m. Church School 11 a.m. Rev. Wayne C. Barrett 455-5767 "A Friendly Family Church"
<b>BAPTIST</b> First Baptist Church - In Alto - Corner 6th & Bancroft Ave. Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. & 7:30 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Fellowship 7:30 p.m. Richard A. Beach, Pastor Telephone 868-3011	<b>CHRISTIAN REFORMED Church of Lowell</b> 1151 W. Main Street Rev. Bernard Pyramand, Pastor Phone 897-8841 Worship 10:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m. Sunday School 11:15 a.m. Supervised Nursery During All Services WELCOME, FRIENDS!	<b>LUTHERAN</b> St. Matthew Lutheran Church Temporary Meeting Facilities Cascade Elementary School Burton St. and Cascade Rd. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Lenten Worship Thursday 7:30 p.m. Pastor: Rev. James E. Fleming 1070 Welches, SE Phone: 949-7696 Nursery provided	<b>NAZARENE Church of the Nazarene, Lowell</b> 201 North Washington Rev. James E. Laitman Church School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Jr. Teens, Adults 6:45 p.m. Evening Service 7:30 p.m. Mid Week Service (Wednesday) 7:30 p.m. Nursery Provided Come and Worship With Us
<b>CHRISTIAN</b> Cascade Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) 2829 Thompsons River Drive SE 949-1360 The Rev. Raymond Gaylord Pastor Morning Worship 9:15 & 10:30 Sunday School 9:15 & 10:30 Youth Group Meetings 5:00 p.m.	<b>CHRISTIAN</b> First Baptist Church of Lowell 2275 West Main Street 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Family Prayer Fellowship 7:00 p.m. Rev. Earl Decker For transportation or Spiritual Counsel, Call 897-8835	<b>METHODIST</b> First United Methodist Church of Lowell 621 East Main 897-7514 "The Real Thing" (Rev. Bailey) Worship 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Church School 9:45 a.m. (Nursery during both services and Church School). Dana I. Bailey, Minister Hartwell Gossney, Assoc. Minister	<b>WESLEYAN</b> Wesleyan Church 1069 Lincoln Lake Rev. A. C. Yates Sunday School 10 a.m. Morning Worship 11 a.m. Youth Service 6 p.m. Evening Service 7 p.m. Wed. Prayer Service 7:30 p.m. Sunday School 10:00 a.m. "Christ Is The Answer"
<b>BIBLE</b> Bethany Bible Church 3900 Fulton, East Morning Worship 9:50 a.m. Broadcast 10:00 a.m. WMAK 1480 Sunday School 11:15 a.m. Evening Service 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m. Pastor: Rev. Raymond E. Befus	<b>CONGREGATIONAL</b> First Congregational Church of Ada (In Fellowship with the United Church of Christ) 7339 Bronson SE 676-5281 Rev. C. Jack Richards Pastor Morning Worship 10:00 a.m. (Nursery Care Provided)	<b>METHODIST</b> First United Methodist Church of Lowell 621 East Main 897-7514 "The Real Thing" (Rev. Bailey) Worship 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Church School 9:45 a.m. (Nursery during both services and Church School). Dana I. Bailey, Minister Hartwell Gossney, Assoc. Minister	<b>WESLEYAN</b> Wesleyan Church 1069 Lincoln Lake Rev. A. C. Yates Sunday School 10 a.m. Morning Worship 11 a.m. Youth Service 6 p.m. Evening Service 7 p.m. Wed. Prayer Service 7:30 p.m. Sunday School 10:00 a.m. "Christ Is The Answer"



Mrs. Gordon Wilcox and daughter, Lynn, study testing program at their farm home on Bailey Drive.

### Named Member Of Family Test Group

Mrs. Marsha Wilcox of Bailey Drive, rural Lowell, has been named a member of the Family Test Group of the Farm Journal Magazine, according to Miss Gertrude Dieken, Women's Editor. The 500-member-family who make up the group are selected for their special skills and interests in some phase of farming, homemaking or community work. They are located all across the country. As a member of the Family Test Group, Mrs. Wilcox will help the editors of the national Farm magazine by acting as a sounding board for editorial ideas, and by reflecting local opinions, problems and customs. This service supplements travel and farm visits by the 30 editors of Farm Journal and helps make the magazine more useful and timely for its three million readers. Mrs. Wilcox's involvement in the test program, requires co-operation from her entire family—her husband, Gordon, and her three children, Lynn, 10, Mark, 7, and Paul, 3. They test recipes, try different laundry products, report on wedding and farm supplies, and give opinions on matters that are pertinent to the farm family.

### Methodist Missionary To Show Slides

The Reverend Eugene O. McGraw, a United Methodist missionary who has been a teacher and school administrator, pastor and district superintendent in Malaysia for almost thirty-five years will present a slide program on Monday, April 17, 8 p.m., Fellowship Hall at the United Methodist Church, Lowell. Mr. McGraw, whose United States home is Centerville, Indiana, has returned to the States for furlough prior to retirement. For the past four years, he has been principal of the Methodist High School, a co-ed high school in Penang, Malaysia. During this term, he erected a new school building consisting of twelve classrooms, library, Hall, laboratories, etc. The school curriculum was expanded to include a full commercial stream to teach shorthand, bookkeeping, typewriting, etc. In 1971, a Lower Sixth Form was started—this is more or less the equivalent of the first year of a two-year Junior College course. Mr. McGraw first went to Malaysia as a missionary in 1936 and first served as a teacher in the Methodist Boys' School, Kuala Lumpur and pastor of Wesley Methodist Church, Klang. After a year and a half in Kuala Lumpur, he was appointed Principal of the Anglo-Chinese School, Sitiawan, and pastor of Wesley Methodist Church in Taiping. He joined the Malaysia Annual Conference in 1937 and was ordained Elder in 1939. In 1941, he was married to Miss Louise Leonard, a teacher in Treacher Methodist Girls' School, Taiping. The McGraws have a son and a daughter, both married and living in the U.S. During World War II, Mr. McGraw served for two years as pastor of the Wilbur Memorial Methodist Church at White Swan, Washington, on the Yakima Indian Reservation. In 1946 he began a five-year term in Sibu, Sarawak, at teacher, principal, pastor and district superintendent. After that the McGraws spent two more terms at A.C.S. Sitiawan, and a term in the Methodist English School, Malacca, before the recent assignment in Penang. Mr. McGraw was born in Falmouth, Indiana. He graduated from Centerville High School, earned his B.A. degree at Earlham College, Richmond, Indiana, and his B.D. at Oberlin Graduate School of Theology, Oberlin, Ohio. He was pastor at Mt. Comfort, Indiana, Methodist Church for a year before going to Malaysia. He did graduate study in Social Case Work at the University of Southern California, Los Angeles, and took courses in Education at New York University. While living in Sitiawan, he was a founding member of the Rotary Club there, and has been a member of the Rotary Club in Penang.



Church of the Week Eastmont Baptist Church

### Retired Citizens To Assemble In Ada

Retired citizens of Ada and the surrounding area will assemble at the First Congregational Church of Ada this Thursday, to commence a program of activities. Last year's programs proved so successful, that the retirees are looking forward to weekly meetings this year that will feature film showings, picnics, parties and social get-togethers. Thursday's meeting, the first this year, will start at 1:30, with a coffee hour starting around three o'clock. If you're retired, join in, you'll find the benefits to your satisfaction.

### Annual Warning

It is now time-getting on toward spring—for the Michigan Heart Association to issue its annual warning that unaccustomed exertion can trigger a heart attack for the soft, overweight, unexercised American. Whether chopping wood or charging on a tennis court, begin exercising moderately and regularly for the sake of your heart.

### Surgery Scheduled For United Methodist Church

Surgery is scheduled for the United Methodist Church when 1,000 lay and clergy delegates from 86 nations gather in Atlanta (Georgia) Civic Center, April 16-29, 1972. Whether the operation will be open-heart surgery, a relatively minor face-lift, or something else depends on action by the delegates to United Methodism's first quadrennial, world-wide General Conference to be held in the deep South. The delegates will work at the rather extensive alterations to be cared for by a restructuring of the church's general boards and agencies, re-stating of its doctrinal standards, re-stating of its social principles, re-thinking of the total ministry of the church in this day, and changing its attitudes toward the role of youth, women, and various minority groups.

#### BIGGEST ATTENDANCE

The biggest Sunday School attendance in the 108-year history of Cascade Christian Church was established Palm Sunday with 281 accounted for at two Sunday School sessions.

*Fish Fry!*  
**Supper**  
Friday, April 14  
5 to 7 p. m.  
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