NEWSSTAND PRICE 10 cents

Thrown From Car

Dennis Eldred

Killed In Crash

Dennis Eldred, age 13, of Freeport, was killed Tuesday morning when the car in which he was riding was

forced out of control, striking a tree. Driver of the car,

portedly taking her three daughters, Barbara, Chris and Sharon, along with the Eldred boy, to school.

The accident occurred 3/10 of a mile East of Jack-

son Road on M-50 when Robert Ackerson, age 16, of

rural Clarksville attempted to pass the Parente vehicle, hit an icy spot causing him to strike the Parente car,

.Mrs. Parente and her daughters were taken to Blod-

gett Hospital. The Ackerson boy was not injured. Mr.

and Mrs. Dorlan Eldred (nee Donna Geldersma) are the

All plans have been finalized for the "Moose Golden

Ball" to be held at the Lowell Moose Lodge on Satur-

day, March 3, at 9 p.m., according to Chancey Boyce,

He adds the advance sale of tickets indicates there will be a large crowd at this gala party, but that tickets will be available at the door for Moose members and

All proceeds netted from the Moose Golden Ball

will be contributed to the Mooseheart-Moosehaven En-

dowment Fund. This fund is a perpetuation source for

the two prime projects of Moose fraternal service to its members-Mooseheart, Illinois, the Child City, and

Moosehaven, Orange Park, Florida, the Moose home

lighting the social season of Lowell Lodge No. 809.

son will serve as narrator of the ceremony

The Golden Ball will be a semi-formal event, high-

While music for dancing will begin at 9 p.m., Mr.
Boyce urges all to be present at 11 p.m. when the special ceremony of the Golden Ball will be held. Carl Jack-

Others taking part are Red Baker, Master of Cere-

monies; Governor, Richard Sisson; Past Governor,

Dave Risner; Jr. Governor, Al Seeley; Prelate, Rick

sending it out of control.

parents of the fatally injured youth.

'Golden Ball'

General Chairman of the event,

This Saturday

Mrs. Patricia Parente, also of rural Freeport, was re-

Outstanding Student



Scot S. Jefferies, who is attending the University of Alaska at Anchorage, Alaska, was named the "Outstanding Student of 1973 in the State of Alaska" by the Alaska Surveying and Mapping Convention. He was selected from among 75 engineering students and presented with a trophy and a check for \$100 at their annual get-together.

Jefferies completed his sophomore year at Michigan State University and moved to Alaska in June of 1971. He has worked with the Bureau of Land Management survey parties for the

Lock Your Doors!

Lock your doors and windows if you are going to be away from your home for any length of time. Re-cently the Kent County Sheriff's Department has reported a tremendous increase in the number of burg-

Many homes have been victimized in the area, especially at night. Officers suggest reporting any suspicious

To report a suspicious car or a burglary, call the Kent County Sheriff's Department at 451-2811.

BIDS IN FOR SEWER PROJECT

City officials announced late Tuesday that the Kent County Department of Public Works, for the City, will award contracts on Wednesday to Gillesse Construction Company of Grand Rapids, the low endder at a total price of \$1,677-

Commitment Needed, Neath Tells Petitioners

Approximately 150 Lowell citizens turned out last Friday night to hear Attorney Joseph M. Neath, Jr., of the Grand Rapids Law firm of Warner Norcross and Judd, present his analysis of the Storm Water-Sewer Separation project and the alternative possibilities for a more equitable distribution of the imposed charges on the affected property owners.

The Special Meeting was the result of apparent efforts of a few of the 700 citizens who petitioned the city last year protesting the financing of the Sewer project and cost to the property owner.

Stating that in examining this project, after being given the assignment by a "few of your fellow citizens," their approach had been that "something had to be done" about the sewer situation.

Although they had studied no engineering plans, Neath said they had consulted with personnel of Wil-liams and Works, the chairman of the Department of Public Works, CPA Fred Sherk, fiscal advisor for the County of Kent in this issue, Charles Moon, bond counsel, Richard Cooper, who acts as counsel for the city, and had also met with the City Council and City Mana-

Neath summarized the history of the project, and the steps taken by the City on the recommendations of their advisors, from the 1968 inception of the pro-gram up the present time, pointing up areas believed to be less than desirable.

Advising that he didn't believe the intent of the people involved was to stop the project, but the primary concern seemed to be "is it being paid for properly-

Neath questioned the legality of the street improvement part of the program being thrown in with the Sewer project—but did concede it would be the logical time to do it as long as streets had to be torn up anyway. Boundary lines of the affected district came under scrutiny as did the wisdom of not refiling an amendment to the application to the Michigan Municipal Finance Comm on reflecting the funds to be received from the HUD grant.

Neath asserted that "I don't believe that anyone in the city government of Lowell from the Mayor to the Manager has demonstrated bad faith or a disregard for

He also informed the group there were several routes to follow in an attempt to arrive at a more equitable distribution of cost, but that it would take a serious commitment on their part in order to pursue the issue further.

The "serious commitment" carried strong implications of something in a monetary nature.

sion to be made.

The meeting ended with a kick, pass or punt deci-

Chase Manhattan Bank of New York was low bidder out of a total of seven bidders, on the bond sale Tuesday, with a total average interest rate of 4.6225% over the life of the bonds, 17 years. This was considered a very favorable bid.

for treatment of injuries. the concerns of the citizens."

hills Drive in Cascade

fore losing control of the car.

Careless driving was believed responsible for a two-car crash just before midnight Saturday. A pickup truck driven by Gary Schaner, of 4801 Coit, Grand Rapids, was struck by a car driven by Gregory Brown, of 317 Hillsdale in Lansing.

Barbara Gray, of 10881 Sconcewood, Lowell, was

Mrs. Gray was westbound on 28th Street when she

The vehicle struck a fire hydrant before finally com-

ing to rest after crossing the eastbound lane. The driv-

was thrown from the vehicle as it spun and landed

near the fire hydrant. Barbara Gray and her three-year-

old daughter, Josette, were taken to Blodgett Hospital

apparently struck a slippery spot on the roadway be-

thrown from the car she was driving after losing con-

trol of the vehicle on 28th Street just west of Thorn-

According to Kent Sheriff's Deputy Leroy McIntosh, the Brown vehicle was eastbound on M-21 near Taos Avenue when it pulled into the westbound lane in order to pass another car. Apparently there was a small hill which was a factor in the mishap.

Gregory Brown and his two passengers, Ladeidra Brown and John Brown were taken to Blodgett Hospital for treatment of injuries. John Brown was reported in good condition Monday with lacerations and frac-

Gary Schaner, and his passenger, Ralph Perry of 1918 Providence, Grand Rapids, were also taken to Blodgett Hospital. They were reported in good condition with head injuries and possible leg fractures. The mishap is still under investigation.

Two Car Crash

Injures Five



Don't forget the Lowell Area Jaycee's Public Auction March 2, starting at 7 p.m. in the former Lippert Building on Main Street.

Erb Lumber on West Main Street will host a twoday clinic (March 2 and 3) on ceiling installations. Friday's clinic will be in the evening 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. and Saturdays, 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

A new schedule of "open hours" has been an-nounced by the Showboat Restaurant on East Main Street. Closed Mondays, they will greet their customers from 10:30 a.m. to 7:45 p.m. on Tuesday through Saturday and 11:30 a.m. to 6:45 p.m. on Sundays.

Anyone who failed to pay their 1972 summer and winter taxes before February 28 will have to forward their payments to the Kent County Treasurer's Office at 300 Monroe, N.W., Grand Rapids.

A garage door was forced open and a battery charg-er was stolen February 22 at the Lynn Wittenbach residence at 705 Grindle Drive. The B & E and Larceny Complaint remains under investigation by the Lowell Police.

Lowell Police were called to South Division Street to investigate a property damage accident on February

A Police Dog, belonging to Mrs. Elizabeth Wieren-ga, decided to take the driver's seat, causing his owner to lose control of her car. No one was injured.

Get in gear gals! Imperial Motors on West Main Street will host their second "Women on Wheels" program, for four consecutive weeks, starting March 12. The Monday night sessions will teach you the basic mechanics to keep your wheels rollin'.

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Area Services Friday

World Day of Prayer

The Grand Rapids area unit of Church Women Unit-ed will celebrate World Day of Prayer, the international celebration of faith and unity among Christian women, this Friday, March 2, at 15 different churches in greater Grand Rapids area. Also, services will be held at eight (8) residence homes, nursing homes and Kent Community Hospital.

The theme of 1973 prayer observance is "Alert In Our Times" and expresses the intention of women to be aware of the crucial needs in the world and to be agents of God's reconciling love in those areas. In 1972-73 church women in the United States will translate their prayers into action through three areas of conern: health services, seeking ways of cooperating with professionals to deliver adequate health care to all per-sons; creating new life for inter-action with the rapidly growing community of Asian Americans in our country; and becoming alert to world trade problems.

This year the World Day of Prayer service was written by women of New Zealand. They explain the theme "Alert In Our Time" as their expression of these concerns: "Because of our isolation, there has always been a time-lag between us and more populous countries. This has given us time to prepare for social changes, for we tend to be onlookers, rather than participants. Our small population of under three million, our high standard of living, abundant food and temperate climate tempt us to live complacently. However, as Christian and thinking New Zealanders, we are greatly concerned with world problems of hunger, population explosion, fear of nuclear war, pollution environment, economic and social needs, both here and abroad."

Around the world women give their offering at this time to support programs, a few of which are: new project to broaden understanding of American Indians and to offer them training in significant skills; the completion of a five-year project to publish 100 new titles of children's books in five languages; a new program for women in the Caribbean to secure jobs, to broaden their knowledge of nutrition, and to improve their skills in native crafts; fellowship and services for international students and guests in the United States and a ministry for Americans working abroad; opening child care centers in a number of cities and towns throughout Mississippi; participation in a joint health venture to bring experimental programs in new careers for wo-

Area Services

St. Robert's Catholic Church in Ada will host the World Day of Prayer this year in the Ada-Cascade Area. Registration will be at 1 p.m., followed by a prayer service, and a special message by Msgr. Hugh Michael Beahan. Coffee in the Commons Room will follow. There will be no crib room or child care.

In Lowell

Three Lowell Churches, the First Congregational, St. Mary's Catholic and the First United Methodist, will unite for the ecumenical, international celebration of the World Day of Prayer this Friday at the Congre-

The Afternoon service, with the women of the area participating, will begin at 1:30 p.m.

In Alto

Six churches will unite together in observance of the World Day of Prayer at the Alto United Methodist Church. The program will start at two o'clock.

The churches taking part in the program will be the Freeport Methodist Church, Snow United Methodist, Bowne Center United Methodist, Hope Church of the Brethren, Freeport Wesleyan, and the Alto Church. Everyone is welcome to attend this service which will be highlighted by special musical presentations.

In Saranac

The United Church Women's World Day of Prayer will be observed at the Saranac Community Church at 8 p.m. on Friday.

An afternoon service will be conducted at the First Baptist Church of Ionia at 1:30 p.m.



The championship girl's basketball team of 1924-25 was identified last week by Mrs. Mildred (Jones) Stauffer of 5115 Bancroft Avenue,

Pictured were Leona Colby, Lucy Porritt, Genevieve Moore, Mary Alice James, Dorothy Kyser, Esther Benker, Lois James, Mildred Jones, and Mildred Evans, Coach.

All guesses for this week's mystery picture may be made at 12 noon on Friday by calling 897-9261. The first correct answer will win a year's subscription to the Ledger.

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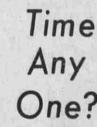
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If the Lowell Pre-Schoolers don't learn to tell time it won't be the fault of Charles Monks From material given to the class from Monaco Company of Grand Rap ids, Mr. Monks has fash ioned twenty clocks to be used by each one of the children in large group lessons. They spin the clocks

to get the "gears" working and move the red plexaglass hands around. Fran Hoag, pre-school

instructor, reveals that Mr. Monks has made her job of teaching about time and numbers much easier, for nothing makes a four-year-old more interested than to have



something of his "own" tables, and racks that to work with. She is also indebted to Mr. Monks

"action" in our Kent County Community Action Program.



Beginning Basic Pattern

The class, for four-year-old pre-school children, helps them learn to play and work together and successfully begin the basic pattern of making friends and getting ready for kindergarten.

Experienced Nursery class instructors, Arlene Schwacha, and Kay Blonshine, are the teachers. Both the YMCA Morning and Afternoon Nursery Classes meet on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday in the Nursery House of the First United Methodist Church.

Jane's Jabber

More Room To Learn!

The advantages possible through the concept of open classroom teaching were presented before a small audience of parents and others interested in the educa-tion of children last Thursday evening in the Lowell High School auditorium.

The husband and wife team of Dr. Vernon Feiock and their staff were enthusiastic advocates of the open classroom method of teaching the three R's. Dr. Feiock, formerly on the staff of Stanford University and former staff member of Westinghouse Edu-

cational Corporation, conducts concentrated courses for teachers in the areas of open classrooms, individual-ization of instruction and team teaching. Here from California, the team gave a condensed version of the three-day workshop at the evening ses-

sion. The group of educators (the staff are all teaching teachers) has conducted workshops across the country and also in Africa. Teaching children reading, writing and 'rithmetic remain the goals in the education process. How these goals are achieved can be the difference in making

According to Dr. Feiock and his staff, the open space classroom gives a greater flexibility in the use of teaching aids and techniques to help a child derive more enjoyment from the learning experience.

Citing the advantages of team teaching, Feiock noted it could be of particular benefit to the new teacher.

Teachers also become involved in decisions that affect

While stressing the greater diversity for group activi-ties in the open classroom, emphasis was also placed on the ability for more individualized learning. It was also underlined that open space does not mean freedom to do whatever the student wants, but

rather, open space allows for an orderly progression in the learning process with hopefully greater enjoyment.

"Noise can be a problem in the open classroom
Feiock stated, but, good planning usually takes care of this and also much depends on the attitudes of teach-

The cooperation and involvement of not only teachers and administrators, but also of parents, is paramount to the success of the open classroom concept. "Informed and involved parents are our best boosters and often are able to come forth with problem solving

The Feiock and associates workshop was sponsored by the Lowell Board of Education. The present Bushnell Elementary building, the new addition to the high school and particularly the new middle school have been, or are being constructed with the flexibility to allow for the open classroom activities and team teaching.

New Deadlines-

The following "new" deadlines will be used by the Lowell Ledger-Suburban Life in accepting news stories, photographs, advertisements, etc.

Photographs 4 p.m. Fridays News Stories 5 p.m. Mondays Classified Ads 1 p.m. Tuesdays Advertisements Noon, Mondays

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Initially Great Lakes Financial Corporation will be a one-bank holding company. It is intended, however, that it will become a multi-bank holding company as other banks become affiliated. Under present law, a bank holding company can own and operate companies other than banks, provided they are a financially related business. There are no immediate plans for acquiring such financially related companies, but this may occur at a later date.

Wed In Caledonia

MRS. RUSSELL E. DRAYTON

Exchanging marriage vows last Saturday afternoon in Caledonia United Methodist Church were Miss Ellen R. Z. Gillesse and Russell E. Drayton.

Their parents are Mr. and Mrs. Clayton C. Gillesse,

Spaulding Avenue, Cascade, and Mr. and Mrs. George B. Drayton of Caledonia.

The bride wore a floor-length gown of nylon lace fashioned with a ruffled yoke bodice, and high neck-

line. The gown was enhanced by a chapel train, with ruffled flounce. A Juliet petaled cap of Chantilly

lace edged with Venice lace and trimmed with seed

Miss Deborah Miller was the maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Miss Wanda Drayton and Miss Sharon Hall, with Miss Barbara Murphy attending as flower

Assisting the bridegroom as best man was Roy Rich-

ards. Seating the guests, and serving as attendants were

Following a reception at the Bavarian Haus, Mr. and Mrs. Drayton departed on a honeymoon trip to

Union Bank Gets

Preferred Name

Upon the formation of the Union Bank holding com-pany last year, the name Peninsular Holding Corpora-tion of Michigan was chosen. However, another name

was preferred at that time but was not available be-

isting corporation in Michigan.

cause the name was too similar to that of another ex-

Recently the preferred name became available and

the name of the Union Bank holding company is now

that this new name will more adequately describe the broad areas in which this holding company expects to operate and further, it will indicate the potential of a

broader range of permissable financial services, other

the Great Lakes Financial Corporation. It is believed

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Trucks

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Around Alto

Tuesday Film Features

The Alto Library, a member of the Kent County Li-brary system, during the month of March will show film features each Tuesday night.

Mrs. Linda Mosley, librarian has announced the list f films to be shown, starting at 8 p.m. each night: Tuesday, March 6-"The African Lion and His Realm," 19 minutes in running.

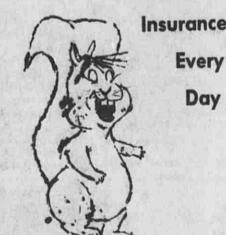
Tuesday, March 13-"Return to Florence," 27 min-Tuesday, March 20-"Centinel: West Face," 25 min-

Tuesday, March 27-Double feature, "Ponies," 15 minutes, and "Peter and The Wolf," 14 minutes.

AT SCHNEIDER MANOR

Mrs. Ethelyn Fairchild, formerly of Alto, has taken up residence at the Schneider Manor in Lowell. Her new address will be 725 Bowes Road, Apartment A-4. Lowell.

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Too Good To Miss!

1936 Crew Is No Mystery

Mrs. Marie Merriman of 6343 Bancroft Avenue, Alto, was the first person to correctly identify last week's mystery picture of the threshing crew in 1936. Working at the Joe Metternick farm were Keith Graham, Garce Tischer, Harvey Metternick, Erwin Merriman, Charles Wieland, Fred Roth and John Ingaman. Due to the lack of pictures for the Alto contest, there is no mystery picture for this week.

Area Farmers **New Members** of Association

the list of new members approved by the Board of Holstein-Friesian Association of America at its last meeting. Michigan had 33 dairymen among the 1,009 persons joining the world's largest dairy breed society. New York, Wisconsin and Pennsylvania led the fortyfour states represented on the list of new members. Michigan's new members join the ranks of over 26,000 people actively breeding Registered Holstein-Friesian cattle who enjoy a reduced rate when registering and transferring their animals. In addition, they gain a voice in developing policy for the breed by selecting delegates to their national convention as well as having rep-

resentation on the Board of Directors of HFAA. The goal of every member is to attain the title of "breeder" which, in livestock circles, suggests a special kind of dairyman, one who excels in improving the genetic base of his herd. This excellence is achieved through superior management and is complemented by the official performance programs of your National Association which evaluate production and functional conformation on each animal. The result: a more efficient dairy cow . . . a direct advantage to the producer and ultimately the consumer of milk and dairy pro-

New Holstein memberships from this area include: Dale and James Shade of Alto, and Gordon R. Wilcox

Wieland-Conyer Engagement Told

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conyer of Bremen, Indiana, announce the engagement of their daughter, Carol Ann, to William W. Wieland of Lowell. Parents of the groom-to-be are Mr. and Mrs. George Wieland of Lowell. A March 31st wedding is planned.

LEGION TO MEET

Post 528, American Legion of Alto will hold their monthly meeting at their hall on March 5. All members are urged to be in attendance. The meeting will start at 8 p.m.

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MRS. JAMES VENEKLASE

Chapel Wedding Unites Couple

Exchanging marriage vows Saturday afternoon in Cascade Christian Chapel were Miss Susan B. Dintaman and James E. Veneklase. Their parents are Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Dintaman of Alto and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin J. Veneklase of Dean Lake Road, Grand Rapids. A victorian gown of silk organza with chapel train and Nottingham lace on the bodice, collar, and full

sleeves was chosen by the bride. Her elbow-length veil was held by a Camelot capette of matching lace, satin ribbons, and seed pearls. She carried a colonial bouquet. Mrs. James B. McFall, sister of the bride was matron of honor. Bridesmaid was Miss Elva Whaley of Benton Harbor. Their gowns of burgandy velvet and pink chif-fon were similar to the brides. They also carried colon David W. Tortellet of Grand Rapids was best man.

Ushers were Robert Veneklase, brother of the groom and Kevin Courter of Clarksville. Mrs. Roger MacNaughton, sister of the bride, was

A reception was held at the Alto School auditorium with Mr. and Mrs. Terry Dintaman as master and mis-tress of ceremonies, immediately following the wedding.

How I Feel!

A philosophical acceptance of what will be, will be is contained in the following answer to the question In poetic form, it was written to Mrs. Cecile Croninger by Kathryn Murphy, a former Alto area resident.

"HOW I FEEL" My hair is white and I'm almost blind The day of my youth is far behind My neck is stiff; can't turn my head And I can't hear half that is being said.

My legs are wobbly; can hardly walk But, glory be, I sure can talk
And this is the message I want you to get
I'm still on deck and I ain't dead yet. My joints are stiff, won't move in their sockets And nary a dime is left in my pockets,

So maybe you think I'm a total wreck, And to tell the truth, I do look like heck. I've got enough to cover my back, I can carry my food in a paper sack, But still I just have lots of fun

And my heart with joy is over-run. By Kathryn Murphy Formerly of Alto, Bowne Area.

$\sim\sim\sim\sim\sim$ SCHOOL

LOWELL AREA SCHOOLS WEEK OF MARCH 5, 1973

MONDAY: Garden Salad Hillbilly Bread & Butter Diced Pears in Lime Jello

Sloppy Joes Pickles & Potato Chips TUESDAY: Whole Kernel Corn Assorted Fruit & Cookies WEDNESDAY: Chicken & Gravy on Noodles

Buttered Peas Rolls or Bread English Toffee Pudding with Whip Oven Fried Potatoes THURSDAY: with Pork Pickles & Catsup

Green Beans Red Jello with Fruit Grilled Cheese Sandwiches Baked Beans or Stewed Tomatoes Pickles, Carrots & Celery Chocolate Frosty Creme

Nutrition Week

The Grand Rapids Dietetic Association will be promoting National Nutrition Week, March 4 through 10, with a simple slogan, "Good Health Starts With Good Nutrition," according to Clara Bailey, President.

"While many things affect our health, proper nutrition is a basic requirement for good health," Mrs. Bail-

The local dietitians realize that many people have never been taught nutrition or have been "turned off" by all the details. With this thought in mind, they have come up with the suggestion, "Eat different colored foods with every meal."



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Ship'n Shore

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Bloodmobile To Be In Saranac Monday, March 5

Any persons who are not residents of Ionia County but who donate blood at any Red Cross drawing in Ionia County are automatically eligible for all benefits of the Red Cross Program. The coverage is good for one year from the date of donation and covers the complete blood needs of the individual and his, or her family.

Those persons needing blood and are eligible under such circumstances should contact Mrs. Joyce Wisner, Red Cross Blood Program Chairman of Ionia County. Mrs. Wisner can see that the appropriate administrative procedures are taken care of and answer any further questions that you might have.

The Red Cross blood drawing will be at the Saranac Community Church on Monday, March 5, from 12 noon to 6 p.m. Anyone between the ages of 18 through 65 is eligible to donate. An appointment is not neces-

For any further information you may call Mrs. Milton Slagh, 616-642-9436.

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'Welcome To Saranac'

State Central Committee Selects Emerson McCarty

Emerson McCarty of Saranac, owner of McCarty Advertising, has been elected a member of the Republican State Central Committee from the 5th Congression al District at the Republican State Convention held in Detroit February 16 and 17.

State Central is the policy making body of the party with members serving for a term of two years. Long active in local, county and state politics, McCarty is a former Ionia County Republican Chairman and was a delegate to the 1960 National Convention, the last Ionia County delegate to a national convention.

McCarty, along with County Chairman Larry Barley of Portland and Sarah Jane Hanson, committee secretary, were named to the 5th Congressional Committee. Mrs. Hanson was named Vice-Chairman of the 19 mem-

Barley, who headed the delegation to the state convention, reported that Ionia delegates supported from the beginning all the winning candidates and showed considerable interest in the work of the convention. Those elected from Kent County to State Central were Marba Perrott, Mrs. Francis Fisher and Jon De-

Board of Review Meetings Set. .

Any resident of Boston Township dissatisfied with the current assessment on their property may air their differences with the Board of Review at two forthcom-

Meeting in the Saranac Community Building on March 13 and 14, the Board of Review will correct assessments on such properties that are deemed out of ad-

At the meeting, the Township's Assessment Roll will be subject to inspection. The township's record compiled by Clerk Patricia Wyman shows the taxing ratios for Boston are:

Real Property – 48.33%; Multiplier – 1.03; Personal Property – 50.00%; Multiplier 1.00. The Board of Review will be in session 9 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4 p.m.; on both days.

VALLEY CHAPTER OES TO MEET MARCH 7

Valley Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star will meet on Wednesday, March 7 for their regular meeting. Birthdays for the months of January, February and

Council Studies Bridge Conditions

Bridge conditions brought about a lengthy discussion at the January meeting of the Saranac Village

Council President Tullis revealed that a recent inspection on the North Bridge, by Williams & Works. over the river, showed some deterioration is apparent, and recommended local necessary repairs as soon as

Approving the expenditures, the Council turned the discussion to bridge signs and overloads. A determination was made to use more signs at the bridges, to stop heavier traffic. In other Council action a liquor license transfer

from Bowes to Fuller was approved; a study was deemed necessary to secure more information on the tank and pump needed by the Fire Department; and a price study on replacement of the truck burned out was or-

Approval of the Saranac Jaycee's May Day Bust and Carnival was tabled by the Council until same is gained by local businessmen. With no further business on the monthly agenda,

CONGREGATORS TO HOLD **DINNER MEETING MARCH 1**

Council adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

A dinner meeting will be held March 1 by the Congregators Club, at the Fellowship Hall of the Saranac

Host and hostess for the evening will be Wallace and

Officials' Directory A directory of federal, state and local elected offi-

cials representing 12 Western Michigan counties is now available from United Fund and Community Services. The directory includes listings of members of the U. S. House of Representatives, the U. S. Senate, the Michigan Senate and House of Representatives, county commissioners, county boards and committees and township supervisors for each of the 12 counties.

Addresses and telephone numbers are included for all listed officials for whom the information was avail-The directory does not list city officials, since names would change in the spring elections, according

to Paul W. Aardsma, director of the UFCS Research The directory covers Allegan, Ionia, Kent, Lake, Mason, Mecosta, Montcalm, Muskegon, Newaygo, Oce-

ana, Osceola and Ottawa counties. The directories may be obtained from UFCS, 500 Commerce Building, 459-6281.

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Each company is run by the members with several advisors on hand for any of the problems that may arise. Members decide on what product to make, make the products themselves, and sell them to the public for a profit. This is where the member gains experience, for in almost any business, something has to be sold.

Graveside Services Held For Maine S. Walters

Graveside services were held at Lowell' Oakwood Cemetery Sunday afternoon, February 25, for Maine S. Walters, aged 72, of Flint.

Mr. Walters, a retired employee of the Genesee County Road Commission, passed away February 23 at Hurley Hospital in Flint. He was born June 19, 1900,

He is survived by one sister, Mrs. Hazel Freidell of Lansing; two nieces, Mrs. Mona Bearden of Flint and Mrs. Carol Painter of Linden; one nephew, Dean Freidell of Lansing; five grandnieces and nephews.

EARACHES, HEAD COLDS CAN LEAD TO HEARING LOSSES

The severe head colds and earaches many children contract during the winter months should not be taken lightly, as they can lead to serious and even permanently handicapping hearing losses.

St. Anthony's Church

Rev. Harold Feltman 642-2551

Mass Schedule- Saturday, 5:15 p.m. Saturday, 7:30 p.m. Sunday, 7:00 a.m.

Two Proposals Face Forest Hills Voters

pired. Renewal of this tax is imperative as it represents 40% of the total school operating budget and also qualifies Forest Hills for state financial aid. This proposi-

Why For One Year? The State Supreme Court has

to a more equitable distribution of funds. Several plans

are being promoted that are different than past practice.

told the legislature to change the financing of schools

We have no crystal ball; but do believe we can better

advise the public on an extended program next year.

We have been advised to be prepared to finance schools

under present conditions as a new plan probably will

Have We Considered Increased Valuation in Next Year's Budget? We are expecting a 17 million dollar in-crease in valuation. Under present conditions we re-

ceive the operating tax from 6½ million of this increase

and the state subtracts the income from the other 111/2

million from our state aid. The increase in valuation un-

What Will Be Added To The School Program If The

Millage Passes? The 15 mill renewal is to maintain what

we now have and it will not add to or improve our pro-

gram. Not only have our operating expenses been be-

low average, but our operating tax has been 8%, or 2

mills, below the state average. Renewal of the 15 mills

How Is The Money Spent? This year Forest Hills operating budget is \$3,950,000.00. We have 326 employ-

operate and maintain, 78 bus routes per day, etc. Here's

ees to pay, 4,700 students to educate, 9 buildings to

der present conditions does not cover the increased

costs for next year. Our present per student cost is

\$150.00 below county average. Renewal of this tax

tion does not increase the tax rate. However, taxes

would be increased on those properties which have

their valuations increased this year.

not be in force by next September

rate will not improve the situation.

will not change this picture.

Vote March 5

Voters in the Forest Hills School District will go to the polls March 5, to cast their 'yes' or 'no' vote on two

The first will be the one year renewal of the 15 mill operating tax, and, the second, additional money for an improved school. In making the residents of the district fully aware of the pending situation in the district, and the antici-

pated plans to be incorporated if the needed millage is approved, the Board of Education has offered the following facts for the voter's evaluation: PROPOSITION I: The One Year Renewal of the 15



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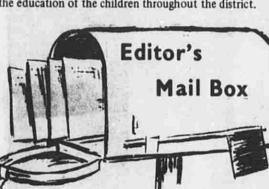
Professional Salaries, 67.6%; Instructional Expense, 7.4%; Administration, 3.2%; Transportation, 5.7%; Operation, 9.5%; Insurance & Interest, 3.0%; Maintenance. 1.7%; All Other, 1.9%. Detailed budget facts and next year's budget proections are available at the Board of Education office

and we will send you a copy. PROPOSITION II: Additional Money For An Improv-

your vote on March 5th! ber is 676-9188 Ask Favorable Vote

The Citizens for the Millage have for the past weeks been attempting to show the Forest Hills electorate the importance of this election. They, along with the Board of Education, are encouraging all registered voters to become informed of the issue and to vote on March 5th. Over 5,000 pamphlets have been distributed

The Citizens for the Milalge are asking for a favorable vote so that the schools may continue and improve



the "energy crisis" that seems to be upon us. Since my major at Grand Rapids Junior College is Natural Reources, I often rub elbows with some very ardent en-

The general concensus of these individuals is that he problem of an "energy crisis" should be further researched to be sure that this problem is not a put-on by the power companies. They point out that Consumer's Power Company has recently engaged in television commercials that are misleading to the public in that they

Just wanted to present another side.

Monday, March 5th

Forest Hills Citizens for the Millage

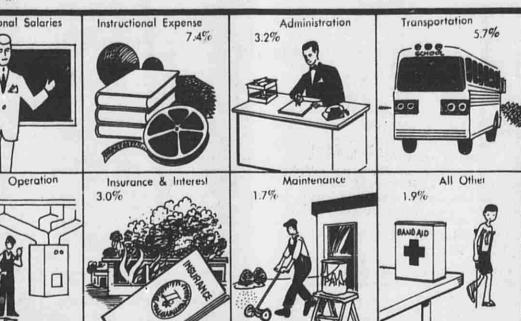
Developmental Reading. Thirty percent of the For est Hills elementary students are reading below grade level. To improve this situation special reading teachers would be employed. New equipment and materials would be purchased. Students with reading problems would meet in small groups with the teachers several times a week. This would be in addition to their regular reading instruction. This will benefit the entire school system as the majority of the problem students

in high school have undeveloped reading skills. Elementary Physical Education. Special teachers, trained in the area of physical, muscular and perceptual development would be employed. Equipment and materials necessary to support the program would be purchased. This is not an athletic program. Training and development in these areas are directly related to the physical aspects of reading, writing and arithmetic.

This program also supports health and safety instruction. Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds. To operate at a below average cost it has been necessary for certain aspects of the school program to be short changed. Several buildings and all of the grounds are poorly maintained because of lack of personnel and equipment. Such a practice becomes regressive and a false economy. The employing of more maintenance personnel, the contracting of more specialized maintenance and more equipment are a necessity if we are to have buildings and grounds that are usable and attractive. Remembera stitch in time saves nine.

IN A NUT SHELL

The election is Monday, March 5, Polls are open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. Grand Rapids Township, City of Grand Rapids and City of Kentwood residents vote at the Collins School. Ada, Cascade and Cannon Township residents vote at Central High School. Voters must be registered with their city or township clerk. Absentee ballots are available at the administration building until



for those residents who wish to further study the situaiton. Please pick up the information or call 676-9188

ed School.

On a separate ballot there will be a two mill request to improve the present school program. This is an additional two mills and, if approved, is earmarked for spe-

2 p.m., March 3rd. Please become informed and cast If you have questions call 676-9242, 676-1786 or 676 9423 some evening. The administration building num-



Recently an article appeared in "Jane's Jabber" about

epresent the environmentalists as radical bumble heads

Also the environmentalists feel strongly that the oncept of an "energy crisis" is a play by the power ompanies to gain sympathy from the public to gain upport for their nuclear power plants on Lake Michigan and other areas around the state. Many feel that the power companies are pressuring the public into deling which they prefer, clean air and water, or an air onditioner as well as any other electrical appliances. Who is really right in this matter is difficult to deermine. One thing is certain, time will tell.

Sincerely, Steve Harrington

Vote For Your Schools

Lowell Ledger-Suburban Life, March 1, 1973

WINS FIRST PLACE

WOTV, Channel 8, is the recipient of a First Place award by the "National Association of Television Program Executives" at their annual meeting in New Orleans. The award was presented to Program Manager, Marvin Chauvin for the locally produced television program, "The Buck Matthews Show."

FOREST HILLS **PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

KENT COUNTY, MICHIGAN

Notice of Special School Election

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF FOR EST HILLS PUBLIC SCHOOLS, KENT COUN-TY, MICHIGAN:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, That a special election of Forest Hills Public Schools, Kent County, Michigan, will be held on

Monday, March 5, 1973

and that the polls of said election will be kept open continuously between the hours of 7:00 o'clock a.m. and 8:00 o'clock p.m., Eastern Standard Time on that day.

ALSO TAKE NOTICE, That the polling places for the election will be the regular voting places in each election precinct in the school district as follows:

Precinct No. 1: Collins School, 4368 Heatherlane, S.E. Grand Rapids Township, Kent County,

Room, 5901 Hall Street, S.E., Ada, Township, Kent County, Michigan. ALSO TAKE NOTICE, That the following

Precinct No. 2: Forest Hills High School, Multi-Purpose

two propositions will be submitted to vote of the electors at said special election:

Proposition to increase tax limitation in Forest Hills Public School District, Kent County, Michigan, for the years 1973, 1974 and 1975 for enrichment of present school programs:

Shall the limitation on the total amount of general ad valorem taxes imposed upon real and tangible personal property for all purposes in any one year in Forest Hills Public Schools, Kent County, Michigan by Section 6 of Article 9 of the Constitution of the State of Michigan, be increased by 2 mills on each dollar of assessed valuation of such property as finally equalized, for the years 1973, 1974 and 1975 for enrichment of present school

Proposition to increase tax limitation in Forest Hills Public School District, Kent County, Michigan, for the year 1973 for school operating purposes:

general ad valorem taxes imposed upon real and tangible personal property for all purposes in any one year in Forest Hills Public Schools, Kent County, Michigan, by Section 6 of Article 9 of the Constitution of the State of Michigan, be increased by 15 mills on each dollar of assessed valuation of such property as finally equalized, for the year 1973 for school operating purposes?

ALSO TAKE NOTICE, That all qualified and registered electors of the school district are entitled to vote with respect to said two pro-

ALSO TAKE NOTICE, of the following statement by the County Treasurer of Kent County, Michigan, of all voted increases in the total tax rate limitation in any local units affecting taxable property in the said school district and the years such increases are ef-

STATE OF KENT COUNTY TREASURER AS TO VOTED INCREASES

STATE OF MICHIGAN)

COUNTY OF KENT

I, JOHN L. DAMSTRA, the duly elected, qualified and acting Treasurer of the County of Kent, State of Michigan, hereby CERTIFY that all of Forest Hills Public Schools (Grand Rapids School Dist. No. 15 FRL) is located within the boundaries of said County of Kent and that, at the date hereof, the records of this office indicate that there are voted increases in the total tax rate limitation, in local units, affecting the taxable property in said

Voted Increases Years Effective Ada Township Cannon Township 1.0 mills 1970 to 1973 incl.

Grand Rapids Township By School Dist. dated February 12, 1973

February 21, 1973.

Schools, Kent County, Michigan.

Cascade Township

at Grand Rapids, Michigan JOHN L. DAMSTRA

Kent County Treasurer THIS NOTICE is given by the order of the Board of Education of the Forest Hills Public

Mary Helen Price

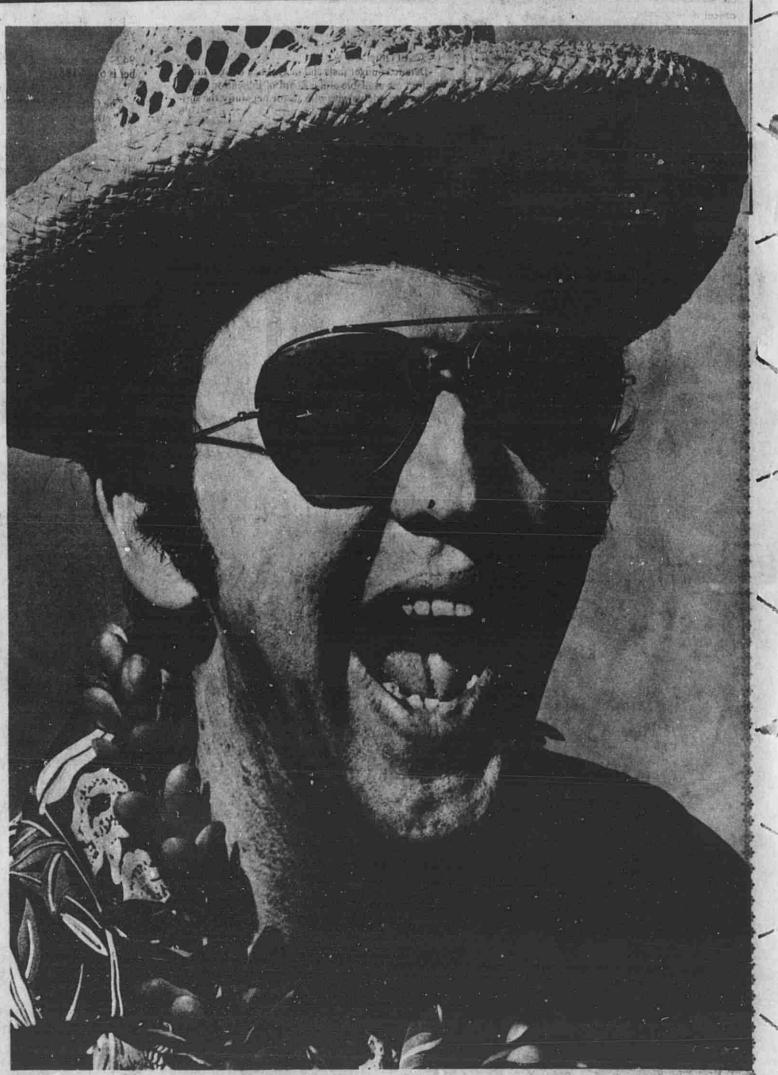
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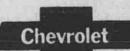
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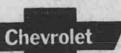
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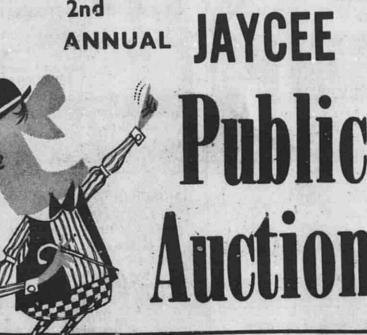
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Experience helpful, but not necessary.

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perience. Ambitious and self-motivated.

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In Memoriam

In loving memory of my father, Jacob A. Miller, who passed away March 4, 1958 (15 years ago) and my mother, Agnes A. Miller, who passed away (

years ago) March 1, 1966. Their daughter,



CARD OF THANKS We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness shown to us in our sorrow at the passing

> Mrs. William Olson Asplund Family Chilvers Family

CARD OF THANKS To each and everyone who remem bered me with cards, flowers and acts of kindness following my accident . . . goe

Mrs. Betty Ruth (Maloney) Jenser

Real Estate

my sincerest thanks

CASH! — If you are willing to dis-count your Land Contract, I will pay cash for it. Phone 456-8224. REEDY REAL ESTATE - Resider tial, Commercial, Cottages and Farms. 119 West Main, Lowell, 897-9239. "At Reedy, We're Ready."

> **WANTED TO BUY** Qualified land contracts. Call or see us at Coons Clothing. Lowell Savings & Loan Assoc., 217 West Main St.,

Lowell, Phone 897-8321



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Suburban Life

AUGUST PONITZ,

by statute and Court rule Date: February 2, 1973.

430 Union Benk Building

Grand Rapids, Michigan A true copy. ROLAND R. ROBEY, Register of Probate Vander Veen, Freihofer & Cook, P.C. 1125 W. Main Street Lowell, Michigan 49331

PUBLICATION ORDER

ESTATE OF ART C. BIGGS, DECEASED A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Grand Rapids, Michigan, a hearing be held on the petition of Herbert El-

by statute and Court rule. Date: February 9th, 1973.

Register of Probate Timothy J. Conroy 430 Union Bank Building Grand Rapids, Michigan

ty of Kent ESTATE OF ARTHUR J. HOGAN SR. ARTHUR J. HOGAN, DECEASED

> M. Hogan for probate of a purported will, and for appointment of a fiduciary, and for a determination of Publication and service shall be made as provided by statute and Court rule. Date: February 16, 1973.

Timothy J. Conroy 430 Union Bank Building Grand Rapids, Michigan A true copy. ROLAND R. ROBEY,

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Lowell Ledger-Suburban Life, March 1, 1973

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430 Union Bank Building Grand Rapids, Michigan PUBLICATION ORDER State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the Coun-ESTATE OF

DECEASED IT IS ORDERED that on March 13, 1973, at 10:00 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Grand RApids, Michigan, a hearing be held on the p S. DoBosz for probate of a purported will, and for appointment of a fiduciary, and for a determination of

Publication and service shall be made as provided A. DALE STOPPELS, Judge of Probate Timothy J. Conroy

c45-47

PETITION TO SELL REAL ESTATE File No. 123, 958 State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the Coun-IT IS ORDERED that on March 15, 1973, at 9:30

zinga, Administrator C.T.A. for license to sell real estate of said deceased. Persons interested in said estate are directed to appear at said hearing to show cause why such license should not be granted Publication and service shall be made as provided

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

PUBLICATION ORDER File No. 124,525 State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the Coun-

IT IS ORDERED that on March 30, 1973, at 10:00 A.M. In the Probate Courtroom, Grand Rapids, Michigan, a hearing be held on the petition of Grace

Register of Probate

A. DALE STOPPELS,

Decorating Service 676-4656

PROMPT, COURTEOUS SERVICE

The top five churches in the Disciple are:

	Members			Aut
Cascade		54		
Christian	840	15	83	98
Bridgeport,				
Saginaw	855	41	50	9
Paw Paw	132	3	41	44
Dearborn	273	11	29	40
St. Joseph,				
Riverview	227	5	31	36

The Cascade Church, on the other hand, in per capi ta giving, ranked twenty-first.

Promotes 'Family Night

The Ada Christian Reformed Church has instituted a family night once a month which meets the first Sunday of every month directly following the 6 p.m. evening worship service. All the families including the children are invited to stay. This family night includes a potluck supper.

The Vesper Guild furnishes the coffee and punch. Various speakers are brought in to present a program. At the February night, talent was from within the church, Dr. and Mrs. Ron Van Valkenberg showed slides and described the highlights of their recent trip

This Sunday, March 4, a missionary couple (the La-Ven's) from Uraguay will be presenting their work. For the April meeting Rev. and Mrs. Herman Teitsma, new directors of the Jelema House in Grand Rapids, will be

The Jelema house which is located at 523 Lyon N.E., aids those with alcoholic problems.

Men's Club Busy With Work Bee

ted a program to recondition the pews of the church through a "work bee."

With their new project getting started on February 22, the group will continue to work each Thursday evening at the church, until the pews are done. Helping hands would be appreciated.

Smith, secretary-treasurer; and Wayne Spillane, director serving a two-year term. The men also voted to match dollar for dollar for

youth to attend church camps and state meetings.

ASH WEDNESDAY SPEAKER

Saranac, will be the guest speaker at the Lenten Dinner on Ash Wednesday, March 7, at the First Congregational Church of Lowell, beginning at 6:30 p.m. Everyone is cordially invited to the dinner and to hear Rev. Mendenhall speak.

Communion Service, 'Grace Abounding'

Thursday night, March 1, at 7 p.m. the Zioneers will meet at the home of Don Jousma. Elder Owen Ellis will show slides on the Book of Mormon. Sunday, March 4, High Priest Merrill Champion will be the speaker at the 11 a.m. Communion Service, using as his sermon topic "Grace Abounding," held at the

Alaska Branch of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ Of Latter Day Saints. Church School for all ages is held at 9:45 a.m. Come and join us in the fellowship of singing together at the song service at 5:45 p.m.

"A Closer Walk" is the sermon topic being preached by Elder Floyd LaLone at the 6 p.m. evening worship. Wednesday night, March 7, at 7:30 p.m. the Midweek Fellowship meets. The theme will be "Loving Each Other," with the speaker Elder Robert Johnson In charge is High Priest Dirk Venema and assisting

Priest Gerald Roark and Elder L. J. McCaul. There will be a Father-Son Banquet Saturday night, March 17, at 6 p.m. at the church. The price will be Adults, \$2 and children 10 and under, \$1. Please see Rog Fogg for tickets, 891-1159.

There will be a branch roller skating party at Lowell on Monday night, March 19, from 7-9:30 p.m. The price will be 65¢ for admission and 35¢ for rental of

Large Crowds Anticipated At Four Day Crusade

The countdown is underway for the Rev. Bob Harrington's 4-Day Crusade scheduled at the Grand Rapids Civic Auditorium, March 10-13th. Services will begin nightly at 7:30 p.m.

"From the response we have received," Mr. Harrington said, "we are anticipating large crowds." Bro. Bob will be making appearances on television programs seen in the area and will also be heard on local radio stations as well as making other appearances during the Crusade

Rev. Harrington has just returned from evangelistic crusades in Ft. Myers, Florida; Wichita Falls, Texas; Hobbs, New Mexico and each Crusade was an overwhelming success.

Former Lowell Woman, Mrs. Ethel Yeiter Dies

Mrs. Ethel May Yeiter, 83, formerly of Lowell, died Thursday, February 22, at Grand Rapids Osteopathic

She was born May 4, 1889, in Cecil, Ohio, the daughter of Lewis and Ella Schwab. She married Joseph Yeiter of Lowell, December 22, 1908, and he died May 14, 1929. Mrs. Yeiter, a member of the First Congregational Church of Lowell, more recently resided at the Provincial House in Hastings, before she was transferred to Grand Rapids.

Surviving are three sons, Robert of Belding; Edward of Grand Rapids; Kenneth of Lowell; two daughters, Mrs. Ivan Blough, and Mrs. Malcolm Stuart, both of Clarksville; 17 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Jessie Donley of Ligonier, Indiana.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at the Clarksville Bible Church. The Rev. Elwood Norton of ficiated and burial was made in Merriman Cemetery,

Strong Churches Build



Happy Birthday to-Ruby Leeman, Caryn Lynn Miller, February 27; Mike Webber and William Lomas, Dennis Wissman, February 28; Tom Ragains, March 1: Pearl Roberts, March 5. Tom LaBine, March 3. Surprise your friends and relatives by adding their name to our birthday list. Just call 897-9261.

Mary Walsh is now a resident at St. Ann Home, 2161 Leonard N.W., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49504. She would enjoy hearing from Lowell friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cooper attended the Faith Ex-ploration meeting at St. John's United Church of Christ in Grand Rapids Saturday.

In the hospital-Mrs. Claude (Lucille) Ridgway, Grand Rapids Osteopathic; Peter Leeman and Fredric Beachler, Blodgett Memorial; Karen DeLoof, Shriner's Hospital, Chicago; Max Nigh and Ida Yeiter, Kent Com-

Mrs. George (Sharon) Miles of Lowellview Avenue is an operative patient at Butterworth Hospital in

----- Births -----

A baby girl, Wendy Marie, was born February 10 at Blodgett Memorial Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Ken Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor of Cascade are the

proud grandparents.

An eight pound boy was born to Corporal and Mrs. Gail Schmidt of Santa Ana, California, on February 6 He has been named Marcus Victor. Corporal Schmidt will return to this area around

Welcoming them home will be Marcus' grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Fosburg of Clarksville and Mr. and Mrs. William Schmidt of Sparta.

They're Engaged



MARY DELMAR

Mrs. David Delmar of Lowell has announced the engagement of her daughter, Mary Elizabeth, to Randy G. Hamp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daryl W. Hamp of Murray No wedding plans have been made.

Freezer Failure?

Knowing what to do in a power failure can save food in your freezer. Use the following precautions to prepare for and handle such an emergency. Have on hand several extra fuses and a list of local

reputable repairmen and dry ice suppliers. When the reezer stops, check immediately for the cause of the problem. You may simply have to replace a fuse. If the problem is power failure, avoid opening the freezer. Food in a fully loaded freezer will usually remain frozen for two days; in a less-than-half filled freezer, for one day. If possible, add dry ice to the freezer,

Enters Amvets Pageant

handling with gloves to avoid burning your hands.

Miss Anne Marie Koepke, a 1971 graduate of Forest Hills High School, has entered the Wyoming Amvets "Miss Wyoming Scholarship" pageant.

The fourth entry in the pageant, Miss Koepke is 5 ft. 6 inches tall, weighs 116 pounds, and will do a dramatic act with dance and song for her talent presentation. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Koepke.

A Cordial Invitation to Attend EVANGELISTIC SERVICES February 25-March 4

Held at

7:30 each evening-Sunday 11 a.m.

LOWELL CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE 211 N. Washington St., Lowell, Michigan W. E. HOLCOMB, Pastor



REV. W. G. STOCKER Evangelist-Singer

Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.
Evening Service	7:00 p.m.
Word of Life	8:15 p.m.
Wednesday Training Hour	7:30 p.m.
Rev. Earl Dec 897-8835	ker

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH - LOWELL

EASTMONT BAPTIST CHURCH 5038 Cascade Road Rev. Robert McCarthy

9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11 a.m. **Evening Worship** 7 p.m. Primary Church 11 a.m. David Farmer Youth Pastor

BETHANY BIBLE CHURCH

3900 Fulton, East 9:50 a.m. Morning Worship Broadcast 10 a.m. - WMAX 1480 Sunday School 11:15 a.m. **Evening Service** 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m. Pastor: Rev. Raymond E. Befus

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH - IN ALTO Corner 60th & Bancroft Ave. Sunday School 11 a.m. & 7:30 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Fellowship 7:30 p.m.

CASCADE CHRISTIAN CHURCH (Disciples of Christ)

Richard A. Beach, Pastor

Telephone 868-3011

2829 Thornapple River Drive SE 949-1360 The Rev. Raymond Gaylord, Pastor Morning Worship 9:15 & 10:30 m.m. 9:15 & 10:30 a.m. Youth Group Meetings

5:00 p.m.

9:30 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

ADA CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH 7152 Bradfield Rev. Ralph Bruxvoort, Pastor

Morning Worship

Sunday School

Evening Worship

5125 CASCADE RD., SE Morning Worship Sunday School

2700 E. Fulton Rd.

Sunday School Nursery Care Provided Raymond A. Heine, Pastor

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF LOWELL 621 East Main

8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Church School 9:45 a.m. (Nursery during both services & Church School) Dean I. Bailey, Minister

ALTO-BOWNE CENTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Carter H. Miller, Minister 11353 60th St. Alto, 868-3131 ALTO - Corner Kirby and Harrison **Morning Worship**

Church School BOWNE CENTER - 84th St. and M-50 Morning Worship Church School

VERGENNES UNITED METHODIST Corner Parnell and Bailey The Rev. Philip Carpenter Sunday School & Fellowship 10 a.m. "The Little White Church On The Corner"

SNOW UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 3189 Snow Avenue

between 28th and 36th Streets (east) Steve Beach, pastor 897-8008

Morning Worship Sunday School (all ages) Youth Group

5:30 p.m.

10:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

God Loves You!

201 North Washington Rev. W. E. Holcomb Church School **Morning Worship**

Evening Service 7:30 p.m. Mid Week Service (Wednesday) 7:30 p.m. Nursery Provided

EASTMONT REFORMED CHURCH Corner Ada Dr. & Forest Hills Parsonage - 4637 Ada Drive - 949-1372 10:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m. Sunday School

11:15 a.m. Rev. Simon Nagel "The Church Where There Are No Strangers"

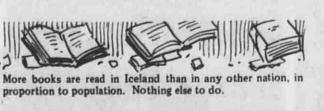
ADA COMMUNITY REFORMED CHURCH Rev. Charles B. Wissink

7227 Thornapple River Dr. - 676-1032 Morning Worship 10:00 a.m. Sunday School 11:20 a.m. **Evening Worship** 7:00 p.m.

We invite you to make this Community Church your Church Home, Welcome to all!

> 1069 Lincoln Lake Rev. A. C. Yates

Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Youth Service 6:00 p.m. **Evening Service** Wednesday Prayer Service Sunday School Bus Pick-Up - 897-8304 "Christ Is The Answer"



NOTICE

BOARD OF REVIEW 1973 TO THE TAXPAYERS AND PROPERTY OWNERS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BOWNE

THE BOARD OF REVIEW of said TOWN-SHIP will meet at the Bowne Township Hall, Alto, Michigan.

Monday, March 12

from 9:00 o'clock A.M. until 12:00 o'clock noon and from 1:00 P.M. until 4:00 o'clock

Tuesday, March 13

from 9:00 o'clock A.M. until 12:00 o'clock noon and from 6:00 o'clock P.M. until 9:00

For the purpose of reviewing the assessmen roll and hearing any objections thereto.

Evelyn Smith,

NOTICE

BOARD OF REVIEW 1973 TO THE TAXPAYERS AND PROPERTY OWNERS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ADA

THE BOARD OF REVIEW of said TOWN-SHIP will meet at the office of the Supervisor at 555 Ada Drive, Ada, Michigan.

Monday, March 12

from 9:00 o'clock A.M. until 12:00 o'clock noon and from 1:00 P.M. until 4:30 o'clock P.M.

Tuesday, March 13

from 9:00 o'clock A.M. until 12:00 o'clock toon and from 1:00 o'clock P.M. until 4:3 o'clock P.M.

For the purpose of reviewing the assessment roll and hearing any objections thereto. The tentative figure for equalizing is 1.10.

> John H. Forshar, Supervisor Township of Ada

NOTICE

CITY OF LOWELL

BOARD OF REVIEW MEETINGS

The City of Lowell Board of Review will meet in the Council Room of the City Hall, 301 East Main Street on

Monday, March 12, 1973 from 9 a.m. to 12 noon and from 1:39 p.m. to

Tuesday, March 13, 1973

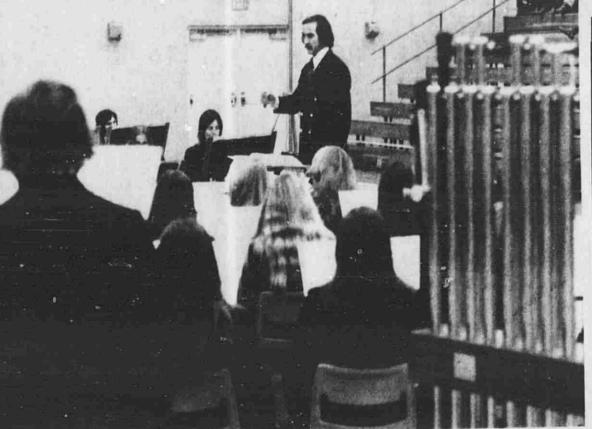
during the same hours, to hear all persons wishing to review their Real and/or Personal property assessments.

5 p.m. and will continue on

the following tentative assessment ratios and multipliers be published. The information published is based upon the 1972 ratios and multipliers as corrected by information gathered and prepared by the Kent County Bureau of Equalization. Such multipliers may be increased or decreased prior to the meetings of the Board of Review for 1973.

> Blaine E. Bacon **Lowell City Assessor**

c46-48



William Mills brings his senior high band to life at a concert given last Wednesday night.

City Treasurer City of Lowell

Lowell Ledger-Suburban Life, March 1, 1973

NOTICE TO

LOWELL CITY

TAXPAYERS

Paying Summer & Winter Taxes will be

The deadline for obtaining 1973 Dog License-

February 28, 1973

After that time payment for such taxes shall

be made to Kent County Treasurers' Office,

Betty J. Rogers,

300 Monroe N.W. Grand Rapids, Mi. 49502.

The Board of Review of Vergennes Township

will meet at the Vergennes Township Hall on

Monday, March 12 Tuesday, March 13, 1973

from 9 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4:30 p.m. for the purpose of reviewing the tax roll and hearing all claims.

Irene Osborne Vergennes Township Clerk

Area Students On **CMU Honor List**

the academic honors list at Central Michigan University for the 1972 Winter semester. In addition, 870 students have been honored for achieving straight "A" averages

"Everyone should be

trained in first aid, for

your own sake and for

the sake of your family and neighbors."

Perhaps one of the

most famous examples

of a man putting a know-ledge of first aid to good use is the Story of the

found in the tenth chap-

ter of Luke in the New

Pictured is Art Farley,

Instructor of the current

YMCA-Community

Schools First Aid Class

The Class meets on Wed

nesday evenings at Low-ell High School.

Good Samaritan, as

To be eligible for the academic honors list, a student must have a cumulative grade average of "B" or better for his entire college career.

Included on the winter honors list are some 3,494 dents from Michigan. Forty-six students from states other than Michigan and 10 students from foreign countries are also on the honors list.

Area students achieving honors were among 14,317 enrolled at the University for the semester which ended December 15. They are: Ada-Daniel Breehen, 5900 Four Mile Road, fresh-

man. Alto-Louise E. Hoffman, 13664-Eighty-fourth Street, junior. Forest Hills-Jena Chamberlain, 3828 Cascade Road,

junior; Harvey Comrie, 4700 Braeburn, senior; Richard Dommer, 415 Greenbrier, freshman; Diane Flaherty, 1324 Woodcliff, sophomore Kenneth Kurt Ray, 1594 MacNider, sophomore; Donald Richardson, 2136 Wilshire Drive, junior; Jamie

VanOosten, 3330 Midland Drive, freshman.

Lowell-Sharon Bauer, 369 Flat River Drive, freshman; Susan Bauer, 369 Flat River Drive, junior; Luanne Marie Blough, Route 2, senior; Mitchell A. McMahon, 1234 Shepard Drive, junior; Anita Ellen Hahn, Alden Nash Avenue, sophomore

Saranac-Scott Hubble, 6696 BlueWater Highway, senior; and William Alan Kimble, 288 Weeks Road,

NOTICE

BOARD OF REVIEW 1973 TO THE TAXPAYERS AND PROPERTY

THE BOARD OF REVIEW of said TOWN-SHIP will meet at the Cascade Township Hall, 2900 Orange, S.E.

OWNERS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF CASCADE

from 9:00 o'clock A.M. until 12:00 o'clock noon and from 1:00 P.M. until 4:00 o'clock

Monday, March 12

Tuesday, March 13 from 9:00 o'clock A.M. until 12:00 o'clock noon and from 1:00 o'clock P.M. until 4:00

o'clock P.M. and on succeeding days until all For the purpose of reviewing the assessmen roll and hearing any objections thereto. The tentative figure for equalizing is 1.00

> Edward L. Meyer, Clerk Cascade Township

THURSDAY, MARCH 1

Vergennes Cooperative Club will meet Thursday, March 1 at 1:30 p.m. at the home of Eleanor Kropf with Harriette Fansler as co-hostess. Ruth Bergin will present a program entitled "Our Irish Heritage."

SATURDAY, MARCH 3

Fish and Ham Supper, Saturday, March 3, at the Masonic Hall in Clarksville, serving from 5 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Sponsored by the Masons and Eastern Star.

SUNDAY, MARCH 4

The Knights of Columbus, Bishop Haas Council 4362 of 5830 Clyde Park Avenue, SW is sponsoring their annual Spaghetti Dinner on Sunday, March 4th, serving from noon till 6 p.m. Proceeds from the dinner are used to carry on their Councils and community sponsored affairs throughout the year.

MONDAY, MARCH 5

The Golden Swingers of Lowell will meet for their regular meeting on Monday, March 5, 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. Bring a friend - and a dish to pass.

St. Mary's Altar Society will meet at St. Mary's

School Monday, March 5, at 8 p.m. A full evening of 'dubbs' bridge. Co-hostesses Sharon Zigmont and Phylis Lessons. Everyone welcome. Annual meeting of the Lowell Woman's Bowling

Association Monday, March 5, 7:30 p.m. Tournamen prize money will be awarded. Please plan to attend. Women of the Moose, Chapter 1388, Lowell, will

conduct their monthly Chapter Night meeting on Mon-

day, March 5, at 8 p.m. at their clubroom. TUESDAY, MARCH 6

Flat River Post 8303, VFW, will meet at 8 p.m. on Tuesday, March 6, in their clubrooms on East Main

meet Tuesday, March 6, at the IOOF Hall at 8 p.m.

Island City Rebekah Lodge No. 282 of Lowell will

Camp Keewano Will

Open 53rd Season Mrs. Robert H. Beahan, Camping Coordinator, announced at a Camp Committee meeting held February 25, that registrations for the 1973 season of Camp Kee wano, the resident Camp Fire Girls Camp, will be open March 5. Camp brochures will be mailed to all registered members on March 1. Brochures will be available

to others on request. Camp Keewano, comprised of two hundred fifty acres of beautifully wooded land including thirty acre Lake Tawa, is located seven miles west of Hesperia, Oceana County, Michigan, and seventy miles from Grand Rapids.

Any girl from six to seventeen years of age, whether a member of the Camp Fire Girls or not, may attend Camp Keewano. On July 1, the Camp will open for its 53rd season and will be in session for seven periods of one week each, closing August 18.

Registrations may be made now by mail or in person at the Camp Fire Girls' Headquarters, 1269 East Beltline, N.E., Grand Rapids, (the first building North of Leonard Street). Five dollars will reserve a place in the the period of their choice. Girls registering by May 15th will be given a Camp Keewano sweatshirt free of

The Board of Review

of Lowell Township

will meet at the Lowell Township Hall on Tuesday, March 6

from 9 a.m. to 12 Noon, and from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Also on Tuesday, March 13, 1973 from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. and from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. for the purpose of reviewing the tax roll and hear-

The tentative Real Property assessment ratio

Multiplier - 1.100 Carol L. Wells

Lowell Township Clerk

Senior Citizens and Veterans Of City Of Lowell

If you are a Senior Citizen and were 65 years of age, or older, on December 31, 1972, you may be qualified for the Senior Citizens Tax

If you are a Veteran receiving a pension or disability pay, or a widow of a veteran, you may be eligible for a Veteran's Tax Exemption on a portion of your property taxes for 1973. Application may be made in person at the City Hall, 301 East Main Street, prior to the adjournment of the Board of Review on Tuesday, March 13, 1973.

If you have any question as to eligibility, please call City Hall, 897-8457

Blaine E. Bacon, City Assessor

Active Baptisms Transfers Total

Ada Christian Reformed

After an organizational meeting, the Men's Club of the First Congregational Church of Lowell have initia-

At their recent meeting, the group also elected a new slate of officers-Herman Jansma, president; Jerry

The Rev. Edwin Mendenhall of Community Church,

Strong Communities

COME & WORSHIP

Sunday School 9:30 a.m. **Morning Service** 10:30 a.m. **Evening Services** 6:00 p.m. CALVARY CHRISTIAN REFORMED

CHURCH OF LOWELL

CASCADE CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

6631 Cascade Rd.

1151 W. Main Street Rey, Bernard Fynaardt, Pastor Phone 897-8841 10:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m. Sunday School 11:15 a.m. Supervised Nursery During All Services WELCOME, FRIEND!

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF LOWELL (Member United Church of Christ) N. Hudson at Spring St., Lowell F. Ervin Hyde, Minister Church School Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.

(Cribbery and Nursery provided) THORNWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH Buttrick near Thornapple Rd., Ada Robert Nelson, Minister SUNDAY SCHOOL 10 A.M.

WORSHIP SERVICE 11 A.M. **EVENING GOSPEL SERVICE** ST. MATTHEW LUTHERAN CHURCH

Nursery provided

11:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. Pastor: Rev. James E. Henning Phone 942-9091

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH (LCA)

8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship Service 9:30 a.m.

> 897-7514 "Faking It Is a Spin-Out"

9:45 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 9:45 a.m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE-LOWELL 10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. Jrs. Teens, Adults 6:45 p.m.

Come and Worship With Us

WELCOMES YOU

WESLEYAN CHURCH

7:00 p.m. 7:30 p.m.

Act 165 of Public Acts of 1971 requires that

Real Property Ratio 44.75 Multiplier 1.12 Personal Property Ratio 49.54 Multiplier 1.01



and Monday, March 12, 1973

ing all claims.

and assessment mutliplier required by P.A. 165 of 1971 are Ratio - 50%

Notice To

Exemption on a portion of your property taxes for 1973.

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The State District Basketball Tournament (No. 51) will be held at Lowell Senior High School this year, with six Class B teams competing—Belding, Cedar Springs, Greenville, Lowell, Rockford and Sparta. An early morning breakfast Monday morning saw Sparta draw a bye to await their game on Wednesday, March 7, against the winner of the opening round. When the tournament gets underway at 7:30 p.m. Monday, March 5, the Red Arrows of Lowell will face

the Hawks of Cedar Springs. Greenville will meet Rockford on March 6, with Belding meeting the winner of this game on Thursday, March 8. After two rounds of play, the two remaining winning teams will meet in the championship round Satur-

day, March 10. All games start at 7:30 p.m. Bob Perry, athletic Director at Lowell High, revealed that a trophy will go to the championship team and 15 medals will be awarded at the conclusion of the fin-

All officials for the tournament have been assisted ry revealed, and the action should provide the best in basketball. by the Michigan High School Athletic Association, Per-

Season Is Halted

Poor weather conditions, causing an unsafe ice surface, forced the cancellation of the ice races, for motorcycles last Sunday.

Finding the ice too thin for racing, the sponsoring clubs, the Searchers from Alto and Nite Hawks of Grand Rapids, termed the 1972-73 season ended.

BIG TIME WRESTLING

There will be another Big Time Wrestling program presented at the Civic Auditorium in Grand Rapids,

The main bout is unique in that it is a special type of match. It is called a "Chain Death Match." Meeting in this Chain Death Match will be Killer Brooks opposing Tony Marino. In a chain death match the opponents wrists are attached to a set of chains seven feet long. Falls and disqualifications do not count. The only way a match can be terminated is when a participant can't answer a ten count.



STATE FINALS

FRI. AND SAT., MARCH 2 AND 3 All Seats Reserve Phone 456-5363 Main Floor: \$3.00, \$3.25, \$3.75, \$4.00 Balcony: \$3.25, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.09



Open

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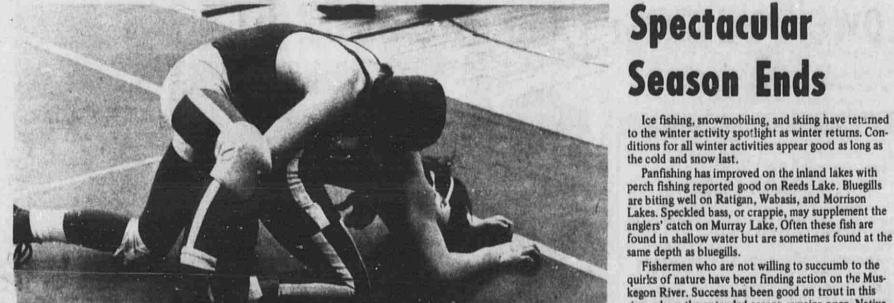
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Superior Performances Win District **Tourney For Lowell Matmen**

Nine In Regionals Lowell Grapplers combined their wrestling skills and enthusiasm with their ability to work together as a team and took the first place honors in the District Wrestling Tournament, held here last Saturday.

The District Tournament is a single elimination tourney in which two rounds of wrestling (preliminaries and finals) take place in each weight class. At the end of the second round of wrestling, four unbeaten wrestlers remain in each weight division. These wrestlers are then entered in the Regionals.

The team scoring was calculated as follows-one point was awarded a team each time a wrestler on the team recorded a victory, and an additional point was given if the wrestler had pinned his opponent and an additional ½ point was given if the wrestler had won by 10 or more points.

The following are the results of the first round of wrestling for Lowell; 98 lb. Gary Weimer recorded a first period pin; Dick Laughlin outdid his 105 lb. op-ponent 13-8; Dale Dawson produced a pin, 112 lb. division; Bob Helmer attained a second pin over his chalenger; 126 lb. Jerry Gauger was victorious in an overtime match 5-0; Jerry Kropf pinned his 132 lb. opponent in the first period; 138 lb. Ron Lyons wrestled to Bob Ignasiak, 145 lb., was defeated in a 9-6 deci-

sion; John Curtis recorded a first period pin; 167 lb. Bob Grummet lost in a 9-2 decision; Gordon Klahn was pinned by his 185 lb. opponent; HWT Mark Nauta produced a second period pin.

At the end of the preliminaries the Arrows were

leading in total team scores just slightly ahead of Alma,

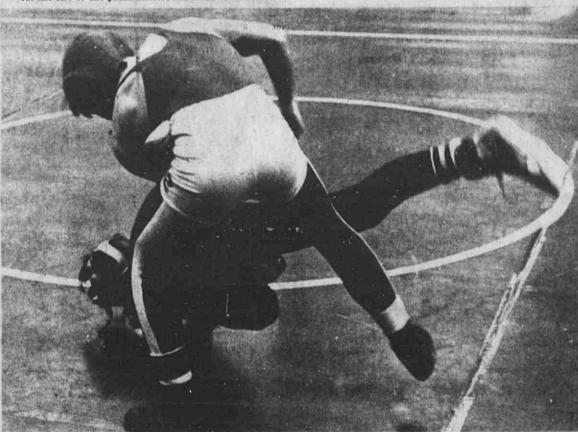
Of the nine Lowell wrestlers who entered the finals the following five went on to qualify for Regionals by winning their last match of the day—Gary Weimer completely out-wrestled his 98 lb. opponent 20-4; Dick Loughlin pinned his 105 challenger; 112 lb. Dale Dawson gained a pin; Bob Helmer pinned his 119 lb. opponent; 132 lb. Jerry Kropf won on a decision.

Final Scores

Following the second round of wrestling the final team scores were announced as follows: In first, Lowell-24, Alma-221/2, Montrose-181/2, Ovid-Elsie-18, Durand-1514, Midland-1214, Grand Rapids Northview -12½, Okemos-11½, St. Johns-10, Lakewood-10, Holt-10, Corunna-10, Chesaning-91/2, Greenville-61/2,

The Red Arrows' ability to place nine of their twelve grapplers in the final round of wrestling and the fact that the Arrows recorded nine pins during the tournament are two of the main reasons for Lowell's first place standing in the District.

Regionals Saturday Those Red Arrow wrestlers who qualified for Regionals will be traveling to Alma this Saturday, March 3, for the MHSAA Regional Wrestling Tournament. The starting time will be 12 noon with the finals at



With a neck crushing blow, Dale Dawson rams his adversary's face into the mat. He eventually won by a pin.

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Redskins Win By One Point

The Saranac Redskins' basketball team hit for 31 points in the final quarter and rolled over Fulton 83 to 60 Tuesday in a non-league encounter on the Red-

Saranac, 3-11 for the season, topped Fulton 23 to 17 in the first period, while Fulton, 8-10 came back to tie the score at 35 all at halftime as the Pirates outscored the Redskins 18 to 12 in the second stanza. Saranac moved up by five after three periods 52 to 47, as it tossed in 17 points to 12 for Fulton. In the final quarter Saranac poured in 31 points to 13 for the

Burdette Gunden tossed in 20 points for Saranac, to lead all scorers, while Mark Mason dumped in 16 and Randy Butcher hit with 15.

In the shooting department, Saranac hit on 32 of 66 shots to 14 of 60 for Fulton. At the charity strip Fulton connected on 32 of 43 as compared to 19 of 36 for the winners. In rebounds Saranac pulled down 30 with Randy Butcher getting 11.

TCAA Standing

Portland Central Montcalr Maple Valley Carson City SARANAC

In the junior varsity contest Fulton won 64 to 38 s Mike Winsor tossed in 17 points. John Hubbard led

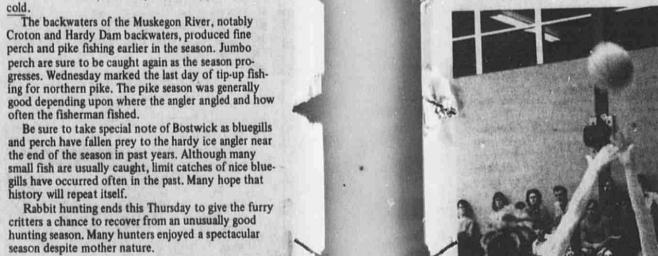
surprising 62-61 victory.

throws in the final seconds of the game to produce a Up and down the court, Murphy and his fellow Arrows pressured Lakewood, who held a commanding

scoring tactics, came back strong in the third period, scoring 12 of his game's 23 high points.

The score hung in balance during the fourth quarter as the lead changed hands, with each team fighting for the ball, and exerting more court pressure, downed Murphy's winning tally.

With Lakewood losing their last three Tri-River games, the Arrows (7-4) now share second place with



Week-end Woes For Those In Snow.

Spectacular

Panfishing has improved on the inland lakes with

found in shallow water but are sometimes found at the

Fishermen who are not willing to succumb to the quirks of nature have been finding action on the Muskegon River. Success has been good on trout in this

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pockets at bends in the river for the greatest success.

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the cold and snow last.

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season despite mother nature.

A cabin in the north woods, near Irons, was the home-base, over the past weekend, for several mem-bers of the Flat River Snowmobile Club of Lowell, and

Greeted by two feet of snow, the riders took their scenic tours, totally unaware of the "cheery" weather conditions back home. Making the trip were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Priebe, Mr.

and Mrs. John Minges, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Young, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Marshall, Wes and David Adrianse, and several non-members. For all, except one member of the party, it was an ideal weekend filled with lots of riding and club chattering. The anonymous member, plagued by mechanical failures, just shook his head in disbelief when he

paid his final tally for 'rush' services, and griped "I could have gone to Alaska, for that price." But, he wasn't the only one who found trouble-enroute home, ice glazed roads caused one truck and trailer to veer into the ditch; some stopped because of visibility; and all made the normal 2½ hour trip in a slow

While this was going on, the remaining members of the club were enjoying the warmth of the club house fire, in-between outings, amidst snow flurries and in-

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Lowell Surprises Lakewood 62-61

The Yellowjackets from Greenville claimed the Tri-River Basketball title Friday night after Lowell elimina-ted their league leading contenders, Lakewood, with a

Again, it was Dan Murphy who put the polishing touches on Friday night's game, hitting on two bonus

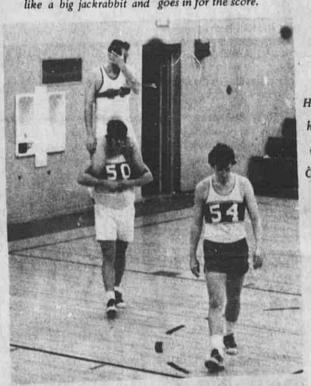
lead at the end of the half. Murphy, rejuvenating hi

Rounding out Lowell's scoring, in the double figures was Kris Kropf, who played a good game in hitting

the Vikings. Sparta follows with a 5-6 record; Belding



Bernie Harden cavorts through a crowd of Lakewood Vikings with feet flying like a big jackrabbit and goes in for the score.



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Faculty Against Jr. High

Friday night March 2, the "Fabulous Faculty" of the Lowell Junior High School will play host to the 8th grade A Basketball team. The faculty team will be out trying to avenge the heart-breaking loss it suffered

Preliminary games on the agenda are as follows: The 5th grade vs. the 6th B team; 6th grade A vs. 7th B; 7th grade A vs. the 8th B.

Starting time for the initial game will be 6 p.m. with the main event scheduled to begin at 8 p.m. Proceeds from the family night basketball games go to our medical and dental care funds.

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Youngest City...

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ty Library System with a headquarters library at 775

What City Is It?

This city has a population of about 21,000. It is

es and bookmobiles circulate more than one million

Board of Education Regular Meeting February 12,

Meeting called to order at 7:40 P.M. Roll Call- Members Present: Reagan, Siegle, Win-

geier, Metternick, Kropf, Mullen.

Members Absent: Miller Motion by Kropf, seconded by Mullen, to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held on January 23,

1973, as corrected Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. Motion by Kropf, seconded by Siegle, to approve building and site bills as listed.

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. Motion by Wingeier, seconded by Metternick, to approve general fund bills as listed. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

OLD BUSINESS

1. 1. Details of the sewer extension to the middle school were discussed. The board will pay for the entire cost of the connection, as estimated, to the Root-Lowell sewer; the city offered to pay the difference if the board agreed to connect with the larger Foreman Road sewer. The board agreed. The city will not require a connection fee for the high school addition, in lieu of the board paying for the middle school sewer

2. Board members Miller and Metternick were appointed to work with the city council to draw up plans for joint building usage. The board requested they be informed of any meetings that are scheduled.

3. Motion by Wingeier, seconded by Siegle, to accept the following change orders to Add Acousti-Lead above demountable partitions between middle school classrooms C-26, C-28, and C-29; revised plans for C-3, D-5, C-4, and C-5; C-5, C-6, C-7, C-8, D-7 and D-6. (Board information attachment 1A, B, C, D)

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. Donn Palmer was at the meeting and described chang-

4. Motion by Wingeier, seconded by Metternick, to reject change order No. 4, (high school, Visser Bros.) to add lightning protection to the roof of the mechanical balcony.

Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Motion Carried (1 Abstention) 5. Motion by Kropf, seconded by Mullen, to accept change order No. 3 (Middle School, Grand Rapids screen fro cabinet hardware not included in General Contract or Millwork bids).

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. 6. Motion by Mullen, seconded by Siegle, to accept the proposal to carpet the high school counseling and administrative areas, estimated cost \$1,780, less cost

Ayes: 5. Nays: 1. Motion Carried. 7. Motion by Metternick, seconded by Kropf, to reject the proposal to carpet the High School north wing, estimated cost \$2,828.00)

Ayes: 5. Nays: 1. Motion Carried. 8. Motion by Wingeier, seconded by Mullen, to accept change order No. 3 for \$1,679.70. This change order was made to meet the fire marshal's requirement on relocation of quad classroom No. 156 doors and re-

lated work in the senion high school addition.

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

9. Motion by Mullen, seconded by Metternick, to accept change order No. 9 for \$4,943.40 to Dykema for additional excavation on the high school site; money to be taken out of the high school building contingency

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. 10. The board accepted information on the Affirmative Action Program and the Forest Hills' policy and re-

 The proposed bidding policy was discussed. Several suggestions were made, and the board appointed Mr. Kropf to meet with Mr. Sinke to work out a final

12. The proposal on high school credit for courses taken at the Kent Skills Center was discussed. Presently, our students receive two credits, whereas all schools contacted allow three, Mr. McMahon, high school principal, stated he felt this would create a greater interest in students attending the Skills Center. At this time there are 20 to 25 openings permitted Lowell that are not being filled. Mr. Gould, high school director of guidance, stated many students had a misconception of the Skills Center, thinking it was for poor students. He stated the real purpose was to give students an opportunity to learn a vocation and get placement in that

13. The Kent Intermediate School Board has placed the issue of a Community College on the annual election ballot. They have requested the appointment of two people, one a board member, from the Lowell area to work on this committee. President Reagan appointed Dave Wingeier and Dr. Robert Kyser, with Harold Metternick and Mrs. Don Bergy as alternates.

14. Motion by Siegle, seconded by Mullen, to post-pone the hiring of a business manager at this time. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. 15. Motion by Kropf, seconded by Mullen, to accept the superintendent's recommendation that fifth graders in the Alto attendance area be allowed to attend the

Alto School for the 1973-74 school year.

Ayes: 6, Nays: 0, Motion Carried. Mr. Sinke stated that probably several families living on 36th Street who have kindergarten and fourth grade students this year will be asked to have their children attend Lowell schools next year. Final plans are presently being formulated to keep class loads at Alto

16. Motion by Siegle, seconded by Kropf, to reject bus bid for bus No. 21. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

17. Motion by Siegle, seconded by Kropf, to reject bus bid for bus No. 25 Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

18. Motion by Metternick, seconded by Siegle, to authorize the transportation committee to contact charitable organizations and make a recommendation as to disposal of buses 21 and 25.

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Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. 19. Mr. Kelly presented information on Vecta in-

NEW BUSINESS

1. Motion by Mullen, seconded by Siegle, that the superintendent be authorized to issue Lowell High School G.E.D. diplomas to students having successfully passed the General Educational Development test (state standard) and fulfilled board requirements concerning attendance, graduation of class, educational credits, etc. All diplomas are to be signed by the superintendent and the board president Aves: 6, Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

2. Motion by Metternick, seconded by Siegle, to authorize the superintendent to purchase a time clock for each building.

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

3. The Lowell Area School District has been informed by the Bureau of Workmen's Compensation, Department of Labor, it is being named as a co-defendant in a suit being made by Ray Murray against Steelcase Cor-

4. The Lowell Area School District has been notiffied by the Circuit Court of the County of Kent, that one of its bus drivers has been included in a suit involving a boy who was waiting for a bus and ran in front of a car and was severely injured.

5. High school principal, Dennis McMahon, gave a report on curriculum changes that are being proposed for the high school. He stated the majority of high school classes next year will be one semester classes. The main advantage to one semester classes is that students will have the opportunity to choose from a wide variety of classes. It should also help the student to keep from being bored by having the same subject all year. Over sixty changes in course offerings are being proposed, plus some changes in graduation requirements concerning physical education, English, and

6. M.A.S.B. has offered to provide negotiating help for any school district wishing to avail itself ot his service. Board members requested that we table this until the next meeting.

7. Items discussed at the last joint council meeting with teachers were (1) teachers attending graduation; (2) personal business day denial; (3) use of paraprofessionals; (4) duties of tenure coaches; (5) Vecta inservice plans: (6) use of sick days; (7) question of coaches driving buses.

8. Our insurance company, Farm Bureau, has requested we demand a physical examination for all employees. We are presently paying \$7.00 per examinaion for all bus drivers.

Motion by Kropf, seconded by Mullen, that we require a physical examination for all new employee Ayes: 6, Nays: 0, Motion Carried.

9. We have been informed by the United States Equal Employment Opportunity Commission that Mrs. Irene Collings, a junior high school teacher denied tenure last spring, has filed a charge of employment dis-

10. Motion by Siegle, seconded by Metternick, that we hire Mrs. Sue Beute to teach half-time at Runciman, as recommended by Superintendent Sinke. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

11. Mr. McMahon reported that replies from the student congress survey were in and he had been informed by student congress members that they would not be asking for any changes in the dress code this year. Mr. McMahon complimented the student congress for its

12. The transportation committee reported that building plans for the bus garage were ready for bidding, and requested that the architectural firm of Mo-Millen, Palmer and Fritz be authorized to seek bids. The committee also met with two bus drivers who were requesting additional pay for time driven on kindergarten runs. It was the agreement of the bus drivers' association and the board committee that this request be

Motion by Kropf, seconded by Siegle, to accept the transportation committee's report and recommendations.

Aves: 6. Navs: 0. Motion Carried. 13. Mr. Sinke recommended sending high school and middle school principals to Atlantic City to examine furniture and equipment for new buildings, provided this could be kept within high school and middle

14. Motion by Kropf, seconded by Mullen, to go in-to executive session to discuss expulsion of two high

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. 15. Motion by Mullen, seconded by Kropf, to go back into regular session.

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. Motion by Kropf, seconded by Mullen, to adjourn

Respectfully submitted, Harold Metternick, Secretary

Rangers Lose By Narrow Margin

The Rangers of Forest Hills Central dropped their Fri-day night cage encounter against South Christian High

School by one point, 33-32. The low scoring, slow starting game saw the Rangers take a late first quarter lead (8-6) and grip a three point advantage at the half (18-15).

Keeping the pace, as they watched the South Christian Sailor take command in the final period, the Rangers didn't fare well, as the ball just wouldn't go through the hoop. Connecting on only 12 of 49 field goal tries, the Ranger's scoring was led by Jack Sherry with nine

Lose By Three A game long lead, held by Forest Hills Northern was overcome in the final minutes of play Friday night, as the Vikings from Wyoming Park, fought back, and tak-

ing a 71-69 win. The half saw the Huskies ahead 41-34, and still leading at the end of the third quarter 54-52. Two free throws in the final seconds gave the win to the Vikings. For Northern, it was a 'hot' night despite defeat. Tom Bean topped all scorers with 26 and team-wise the

Cagers sank 31 of 38 free throws. Rod Lanning aided the Huskies cause with 20 big points, while Doug Everse hit for 13.

Wyoming and South Christian continue to share the O-K White league lead, with Forest Hills Central gripping third with a 9-4 record. The standings find Northern a fifth place tie with Godwin (4-9).

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At the Gavin Lake Hockey Rink, action has been tough for the past few weeks.

Area Hockey 'Pucks' Away

videnced of late by two area teams, the Bratwood Bruins of Lowell and Parnell hockey team.

Gavin Lake is where the action is, and in the first league game, the Bratwood Bruins won with a 10-5 decision. The 'Brats' Kai Nurmio, an exchange student from Finland, scored a majority of the Bruins' goals. Star performances were given, behind the armor of a goalie, by Jim Radle of Parnell and Perry Beachum of Lowell at the second battle between the two warring

While winning's the object of the game, more important than the final score is the fact that everybody spots the next day. Parnell's team roster includes Bob Morris, Karl Higgins, Jim Radle, and the brother combinations of

gets a chance to play, have fun, despite a few sore

Brian and Tim Stroosnyder and Karl and Kurt Yost. Playing for the Bratwood Bruins are Kris Kropf, Rusty Steffens, Jerry Kropf, Kevin McMahon, Nick Sullivan, and their star stick handler defensive man, skater and shooter, Kai Nurmio. The Bruins have also had the help of Perry Beachum, Ed Steffens and Jim

As long as the ice holds and the teams remain in a battling mood, more mighty duals are planned with a possible new contender, the Alto Blazers.

Redskin Cagers Down Fulton

Saranac's Cagers ripped Central Montcalm 81 to 80 Friday night as Burdette Gunden dropped in a field goal with five seconds to go in the contest. The win enabled the Redskins to move out of the TCAA cellar with a 2-9 record.

Saranac had four players in double figures, including Bob Parks whose 20 points took the game's honors. Randy Butcher had 17, Dave Vroman 15, and Gunden 11. The rest of the Saranac scoring was Mark Mason eight, Don Vroman six, and Dale Lake and Mark Miller

Saranac hit on 13 of 18 shots in the airst quarter and out-ranked Central Montcalm 26 to 22, as Parks tossed in 10 points and Butcher eight. In the second quarter C M outpointed Saranac 16 to 11 to take a 38 to 37 lead at the half. Both teams were hot in the third period with Saran-

ac coming out on top 27 to 26 to tie the score at 54 all. The Redskins hit 12 of 19 shots in the period with Dave Vroman collecting nine. In the final quarter Saranac outpointed Central 17 to 16. Parks tied the score at 79 all with 38 seconds left on a basket, and after Dave Jackson put Central ahead 80 to 79 with 0:32 remaining, Gunden hit his

winning bucket. For the contest Saranac hit on 34 of 70 shots as compared to 32 of 80 for the losers. At the foul line Central

made 16 of 26, while Saranac made 13 of 23. Central Montcalm won the junior varsity game 55 to 36 behind 18 points by Kevin Erskin. John Hubbard and Tim Parks led Saranac with 13 points each.

Ice Causes Crash

Two Lowell residents suffered minor injuries following a mishap Saturday morning on Pratt Lake Road north of 36th Street. Robert Reyburn of 2502 Loweliview, was driving on Pratt Lake Road when he lost con-

trol of his car on ice and went off the roadway. The car finally came to rest after striking a post, a mailbox, a tree, then crossing the roadway, and striking two more trees.

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It's Farmer's Day

Some 115 members and guests attended the Annual Farmer's Day Dinner co-sponsored by the Rotary Club and State Savings Bank at noon on Wednesday, Febru-

Entertaining the group was the Lowell High School Drama Department, with Ivan Haney directing. They presented an excerpt from their current play, "Barefoot in the Park." The High School Chamber Choir, under the direction of Paul Balaam, presented a con-

The program concluded with music by the High School Jazz Band, under the direction of Bill Mills. King Doyle, Farmer's Day chairman, greeted the visiting farmers, along with Club president, Charles Doyle. Dining in the First United Methodist Church of Lowell, the Rotarians and farmers enjoyed a rare get-to-

Mother, Daughter Injured

An accident on M-21 near Pettis Avenue sent a

Delores Lathem, 11338 Ann Street, Lowell, and

Fulton when the driver went off the right side of the roadway and lost control, striking another car. The driver of the other car, David Kaat, of 2811 Wyoming in Wyoming, tried to avoid the collision but was



Enjoy Indoor Pool

It's fun to swim where it is nice and warm. For the past eight weeks the Lowell YMCA has taken a group to the Grand Rapids YMCA Indoor Pool for a Saturday afternoon swim. Lowell youngsters who rode the YMCA bus each week are pictured above, along with YMCA pool guards, Farrell Bulwa and Tamara Stoker.

Beginning Saturday, March 10, the YMCA will have winter swim lessons for intermediate through advanced swimmers. This is open to all ages, girls and boys, through age 18, and a youth must be able to swim the length of the pool (25 yards) in order to participate in this set of swim lessons. Class size will be limited to

The YMCA bus will leave the high school parking lot at 12:45 and return at 3:15 p.m. each Saturday, March 10-April 28. The fee, which must be paid at time of sign up, will be \$4.50 for YMCA members and \$5.50 for non-members

The class will include swim practice workouts, and instruction in stroke improvement

mother and her young daughter to Blodgett Hospital for treatment of minor injuries suffered Sunday after-

her 10-year-old daughter, Linda, were eastbound on

unable to swerve due to the slippery conditions.

Ball NE, and its 17 member libraries. It also has bookmobile service to 12 locations. Its annual circulation is in excess of 680,000 volumes. Story hours, book discussions, and audio-visual programs are regular events on a busy calendar. Lowell library is one of the memprobably the youngest city in the county since it was incorporated in 1967. The city is a mixture of residential, commercial and industrial areas. Woodland Mall is its only shopping area. Two important streets run through this city. They are 44th Street and 60th Street.

YMCA

Answer to last week's puzzle: GRANDVILLE. Lowell Library Hours: Monday, 12-5:30; Tuesday, 12-8:30; Friday, 1:30-8:30; Saturday, 10-5:30. Phone Member of the Kent County Library System.

Name It!

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Pictured is part of the Visit Ice Arena group of Lowell young-sters who went skating last Friday at the Grand

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He is a member of Trinity Lutheran Church and is an associate of the Ernest L. Kreiger Agency, Saginaw.



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Spend An Evening At The Strand

Once was the day when entire families got spiffed up for their weekly treat, a trip to the local theatre. But, times have since changed.

Now, it's a constant battle between theatre owners and the boob-tube to see who can provide the most attractive movie of the week.

Strand Theatre of Lowell has been meeting the chal-lenge headon, by providing a wide variety of top movie entertainment, for all ages, over the past year.

For the youth, there has been oriented Walt Disney features; the adults, more films covering a wider age span; matinees, when available, that fit certain situations . . . plus the friendly atmosphere of a night at the

The change in variety has found many old and new faces, again, enjoying a social night out before the wide

Coming Up ...

Always open to suggestions, and encouraging same, the Strand's management this weekend opens a new series of forthcoming films with "Elvis on Tour." The flick on Elvis Presley's life will share the screen with a "Three Stooges" featurette.

The weekend of March 9-11 will show 200 pounds worth of St. Bernard trouble in an hilarious film "George." An afternoon matinee on March 17 and 18 will bring to the screen the ever popular "Adventures of Huck Finn." In the evening (March 16-18) it will be "Cabaret," winner of 10 academy award nominations.

"Snoopy Come Home" will be the matinee feature March 24-25, with Clint Eastwood in "Dirty Harry," the nightly feature on March 23-25.

A preview of Walt Disney World will be shown prior to "Snowball Express" on March 30 and 31, and April

Enter Now ...

This week the Strand starts another feature-a "Lucky Box" drawing. The contest rules are simple and you could end up winning a free pass.

All you have to do is: fill out the coupon found elsewhere in this edition and deposit it in the "Lucky Box" in the lobby at the Strand on your next visit.

You can enter as many times as you like. All entries must be filled out in advance, on Ledger coupons only. The first drawing, to give away 10 tickets, will be held on March 25, so start clipping and dropping your entries

The winning names will be published in the Ledger, and the winners can pick their tickets up at the news-

paper. See you at the Strand . . .

Services Thursday For Leonard Andrews

Leonard Andrews, aged 82, of 727 Chatham, Lowell, passed away Monday at Butterworth Hospital, and was taken to the Roth-Gerst Chapel, Lowell.

He is survived by his wife, Ruby; one son, Robert of Grand Rapids; one sister, Mrs. Grace Soper of Everett, Washington and two grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 11 a.m. at the Roth-Gerst Chapel. Rev. Dean Bailey officiating. Interment Oakwood Cemetery.

The family will meet friends at the chapel, Wednesday, 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Mr. Andrews lies in state at the Roth-Gerst Funeral Home.

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SUNDAY

Engagement Told



LORETTA LYNN HALL

The engagement and forthcoming marriage of Miss Loretta Lynn Hall and Dick K. VanBennekom, has been announced by the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall of Saranac.

The future bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. August VanBennekom, also of Saranac.

Miss Hall and her fiance are planning an April 14

Above The Board Comments On Inservice Session

"It's the most helpful three days I've had since I started teaching.'

"It's been my experience that a lot of inservice sessions are more or less general and you don't get as much specific help from them as you'd like, but this was really good."

"I know they cautioned us to move slowly, but I'm so enthused I'd like to change my whole room right

"I was pleasantly surprised, but it really depends on

what the system does with it." These were only a few of the comments that followed last week's three-day inservice session for Lowell teachers to promote open classroom, team teaching and individualized instruction in this area.

Parents also attended a special Thursday night session where they were apparently pleased to hear that teachers today should know and use all techniques, both old and new. "Learning centers, contracts, team teaching and open classroom are all excellent and important strides in education," Dr. Feiock contended, "but a good teacher must use all techniques, both old and new, which will help the individual student learn to the best of his ability."

As far as individualized instruction is concerned, this was defined as each student doing that which works best for him, either alone or with a group.

Approximately 200 parents attended the night sesslides and listened to individu al members of the California instructors in the auditorium and later broke up into smaller groups for specific questions and answers.

It was apparent throughout all three days that the Lowell Board of Education spent their money well in bringing the group here and that the knowledge gained will be put to effective use in both the newly constructed areas and the older more structured facilities.

Former Lowellite Hazel Kropf Dies

Friends were saddened Monday to learn of the death of Hazel A. Kropf, former Lowell resident. Mrs. Kropf passed away in Tampa, Florida but had made her home in Dearborn Heights since 1945.

Born December 3, 1897, she was the daughter of Rodney D. and Lillie Stocking, prominent business people, operating a music store on Main Street for over 50 years.

Graduating in 1915 from Lowell High School, she attended Michigan State Normal at Ypsilanti and taught school for five years, two of them in Lowell.

In 1923 she was married to Walter J. Kropf and to this union were born four children. For many years Mrs. Kropf was a member of the Lowell Congregational Church Choir, where her father

was organist for over 50 years. She was a past president of the American Legion Auxiliary and was also on the staff of the Lowell Ledger for three years when the late Rem Jefferies was editor.

She was a great-grand niece of Rix Robinson, Low-ell's first white settler and her grandfather, Rodney Robinson, is said to have planted the first wheat field in Vergennes Township. Her paternal grandfather, Fidius Stocking, built the first road between Lowell and Saranac following the old 'turkey trail'. A great-grandmother, Clarina Robinson, was one of Lowell's earliest teachers and was post-mistress at Fallasburg when that community was a thriving village.

Mrs. Kropf is survived by three sons, Rodney of Livonia, Walter of Sandusky, Ohio, and Charles of Alexandria, Virginia; one daughter, Mrs. Robert (Carol) Burchfield of Flint and eight grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 1:30 p.m. at the Roth-Gerst Chapel in Lowell with Reverend Dean Bailey officiating. Interment Oakwood Cemetery

Jaycettes Plan Benefit Brunch

The Lowell Area Jaycettes are sponsoring a Pancake Brunch on Sunday, March 4, from 9:30 til 2 p.m. Proceeds will go for community service projects.

The Brunch will be held at Keiser's Kitchen. Darlene Cahoon has donated the use of the kitchen for the Sunday benefit.

BITS O' BUSINESS

Franchise operations now account for nearly one-third of all retail sales . . . Production of man-made fibers reached a new high in 1973 of 7,321 million pounds, an increase of 19 percent from the previous high of 6,153 million pounds in 1971.

At the Court of Awards two weeks ago, many awards were given out. Every one enjoyed a talk given by a Grand Rapids minister.

The Scouts are now working on Skill Awards and Merit Badges at the weekly meetings.

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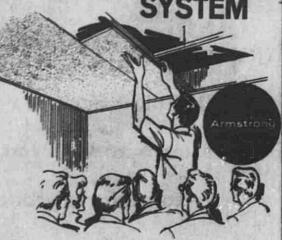
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