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# **Emmons Issues Special Warnings**

A warning was issued this week by Lowell Chief of Police Barry D. Emmons alerting homeowners against advertising and selling practices, which are here today and gone tomorrow, frequenting the area during this time of the season.

Emmons urges all area residents who are approached by suspicious fast taling salesmen, to contact his department immediately.

#### **CONSUMER ALERTS**

Leasing Systems International, Inc., a car buying organization is no longer in business. This organization formerly operated out of West Virginia. Anyone hearing of this company through mail solicitation or advertising, contact this office. Consumers are advised to avoid doing business with this organization.

This office recommends that consumers give much thought and devote some personal research before buying cars from wholesalers who are not regular dealers.

Fraudulent truck driver training schools; a Cease and Desist order has been issued by the Attorney General citing the illegal advertising and unlawful business practices of so-called truck driver training schools operating out of Indianapolis, Indiana, under several trade names such as: Worldwide Systems, Inc., Associated Systems, Coastway American, Great Lakes Development, Astro Systems, Empress.

The alleged schools advertised in "Help Wanted" columns in newspapers create a false impression that they are offering employment opportunities to qualified applicants who will be trained as truck drivers. In the event consumers see these ads, they are advised to contact the Attorney General's Office for a determination of whether or not the school is a legitimate operation.

#### CON SCHEMES

In the spring, the con man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of money. Emmons offers these special warnings on the following schemes:

The itinerant home repair contractor who re-surfaces roofs and driveways and claims that he is able to do this at a reasonable price because he "just happens to be in the area." The re-surfacing material will likely be creosote and reclaimed crankcase oil and, as happened in Detroit on March 7, 1973, the operator may not only be dishonest but may take violent means to steal the complainant's money if he refuses to pay the exorbi-

If confronted by this type of sales activity, refuse to do any business whatsoever. Get all the identification you can, especially the license number of the truck and notify the local police. We recommend that you deal with established merchants in your area for this type of service.

contractor who does gardening and lawn transplants. The same warnings apply in this case as in those of the itinerant home improvement case.



At a Special meeting Monday night of the Lowell City Council, approval was given the request of Mr. High Cosgrove for a three car length loading zone in front of the former Lippert Pharmacy.

A giant 'Parking Lot Sale' will be held this Friday and Saturday at Lippert's on East Main Street.

This is National School Bus Safety Week. These units carry the most precious cargo-your children. Celebrate this and every week by using extreme caution and safety at all times.

Only one case was heard in court Friday morning at the Lowell City Hall, with 63rd District Court Magistrate Gerard Shouse presiding. According to Shouse, court will be in-session each Friday at 10:30 a.m.

The American Legion Lanes on East Main Street will be closed April 27 to May 10, while the alleys are sanded, and resurfaced.

Children playing with matches in the woods in the Eastgate area summoned Lowell firemen on Saturday, April 14. Thursday, April 18, firemen were called to a car fire on Sibley Street; extinguished before firemen arrived, and again on Friday, April 20, firemen were called to the scene of an accident at the corner of Cumberland and Fulton.

#### Water Lowered

The Thornapple River behind the Ada Dam and the Cascade Dam will be lowered this Friday, Saturday and Sunday, April 27, 28, 29, for the purpose of maintaining waterfront property and any other work needed to be done in preparation for the coming sunitaer season.

ROSIE DRIVE INN—This week's special: Hot Dogs, catsup & mustard only, 20¢. Snax Pizzas, Sausage or pepperoni, 35¢, Cheese, 25¢. Sunday morning Breakfast Special: Sausage, Eggs, Toast, 96¢. Sunday morning only.

Beware of clothing salesmen representing tailors in the Far East. Remember that delivery may be difficult and satisfaction near impossible when negotiating with a party so far from your home.

#### LANDSALES

On April 1, 1973 Act 286, Public Acts of 1972 took effect according to Emmons. This is called the Land Sales Act and it provides among other things that:

 Sellers of land must convey to prospective buy-ers a property report which details information pertinent to the physical characteristics of the property being offered or sold.

2. Amenities which are promised such as paved roads, community houses, swimming pools and the like must be supported by cash in escrow, bonds, or irrevocable letters of credit.

3. Buyers have a five-day cooling-off period after signing a contract for the purchase of land.

Emmons recommends that any consumer considering the purchase of land make sure he gets a copy of the law and advice pertaining to it. Contact your legislator for a copy of the law, which contains both civil and criminal penalties.

# Chamber Office Is Info Center

Members of the Board of Directors of the Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce are often asked, "What does the Chamber do? Why do you have an office on

In addition to helping people find businesses and streets they are looking for, we have people come in asking for: entry blanks for the Showboat Talent Search, blanks for the Women of the Year contest, the red dots for bedroom windows (in case of fire), and many requests for places to rent. We are asked the schedule of the Lowell Railway, who's having a paper drive, where people can take collected glass and tin cans, etc.,

Some letters from the Chamber mailbox might help answer what we do, too:

We were through your pretty little city last Sunday. However, we were so disappointed, as all three of the fascinating looking antique shops were closed.

Would you be so kind as to use the enclosed paper shops are open? I would appreciate their addresses, al-

> Yours truly, Lansing, Michigan

**Lowell Chamber of Commerce:** 

Please send me information on your up-coming Showboat talent contest and your Queen Pageant.

Thank you Wayland, Michigan

I would appreciate some information on campgrounds in your area. Also, I would like to know when the Lowell showboat will be in town.

## Flint, Michigan

So, let the Chamber office know of your club activities and your schedule if you want us to pass the word along to the ones who inquire. People call and ask

# Talent Exhibits Win Accidents Injure Awards For Lowell Students

Seven Lowell High School students received awards Friday night in the 1973 Youth Talent Exhibit under the supervision of Mrs. Elizabeth Mulder.

First place in the Graphic Arts division under the category of silk-screening was awarded to Elizabeth Graham, a sophomore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Graham of 120195-52nd Street in Lowell.

Second place in silk-screening was awarded to Linda Callen, a sophomore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Callen, 3832 Honey Creek Avenue in Ada.

Pat VanSlyke, a freshman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Van Slyke, 1421 Parnell S.E. in Ada was awarded second place in the following categories: Block Printing; Small Home Furnishings; and General Metalwork. Miss VanSlyke was also awarded an honorable mention in General Metalworks.

Second place in the poetry division was awarded to Mary Roth, a freshman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Roth of 945 Marble Road, Route 3 in Lowell.

Honorable mentions were awarded to the following: Donna Godfrey, Block Printing; a senior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard V. Godfrey, 804 East Main Street in Lowell. Jay Singh, Poetry; freshman, daughter of Mrs. Ruth Singh, 1745 McCabe in Lowell. Julie Price, silk screening; a junior, daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. Kenneth Price, 8910 Wingeier in Alto. Tom Mendez, sail sculpture; a freshman, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Mendez, 5874 Morse Lake Road.

Lowell High School would like to extend its sincere congratulations to all students who participated in Youth Talent.

The Youth Talent Exhibit will be open to the general public through May 3rd.

#### Souvenirs!

Postmaster Charles R. Doyle disclosed today that Bowell postal customers attending the Lowell "Postal People Day," will be given attractive free souvenir en-

The souvenir envelopes, to be available in a limited quantity on a "first come" basis at the local post office April 30, will be imprinted or "cocheted."

In addition, the Postmaster said a quantity of cocheted envelopes will be prepared in advance bearing all 10 Postal People stamps. These "first day" covers as they are known to collectors, will be postmarked by nand with the local post office postmark and will be sold for only the actual charge for the ten stamps, or 80c, as long as they last.

## On Research Project

Thirty-one students and faculty of Grand Valley State Colleges left April 25 for a four-day research program in the Great Smoky Mountains National Park. Their practical studies of soils, landforms, and vegetation, as well as aquatic ecology and water quality, will be conducted in cooperation with the Naturalist Staff of the National Park Service.

"Data gathered for the Service will greatly add to the natural history of the park in studies never before undertaken," states Frederick Bevis of GVSC's College of Arts and Sciences department of environmental sciences, coordinating unit for the research trip.

Among the students from Grand Valley taking part is Robert Seeber of 8995 Conservation Road, Ada.



# No Called!

Theatre, Lowell.

The mystery picture last week proved to be a real stumper, as no calls were received to identify Donald Kyser, Bill Denick and Charlie Doyle.

In the picture featured the week of April 12 of the MacIntyre School, we listed the names incorrectly. They were: Sam Onan, Edmund Munroe, Vern Vosburg, Emmetta Onan Houseman, Hazel Kinyon Yeiter (teacher), Harold McIntyre, Lloyd Dawson, Marguerite Dawson, Viola Onan Schmidt, Carl Munroe, Ernie Aldrich and Charles Austin.

Identify this week's picture at noon on Friday by calling 897-9261.

SEE WALT DISNEY'S - "The Sword In SPRING CARNIVAL-May 4, at Alto The Stone" this weekend at The Strand School, 5 p.m. Alto Mother's Club. c1-3

# Area Residents

A Grand Rapids man was taken to Butterworth Hospital following an accident on Cascade Road last Wednesday. Ronald Beckwith, of 661 Turner, was westbound on Cascade Road near Timpson about 8:30 Wednesday, when he lost control of the pickup truck he was driving.

The vehicle went off the south side of the road and rolled twice before finally coming to rest on its top against a steep bank.

Beckwith was treated for a head laceration and minor injuries. The accident is still under investigation.



An assident on M-21 Friday night aint two people to hospitals for treatment of injuries. Lyle Martell, of 226 Rose Street, Grand Rapids, was eastbound on M-21 and apparently swerved into the path of a car driven by William Shepard, of 1235 Sibley, Lowell.

The incident occurred around 10 p.m. just east of Cumberland Avenue. Martell suffered arm fractures and lacerations and was taken to Grand Rapids Osteopathic Hospital.

Shepard was taken to Butterworth Hospital for treatment of numerous bruises and abrasions.

Hits Tree

Ethel Blanche Morris, of 3457 Alden Nash, suffered injuries as a result of a mishap Sunday. Apparently she was eastbound on Bailey Avneue, east of Fero, when she swerved to avoid colliding with a deer. She lost control of her vehicle and struck a tree head-on.

# Officials To Attend Municipal Meeting

"Cable Television-Experiences of Some Cities to Date" will be the first topic of general discussion at the Michigan Municipal League's Region V meeting in Belding at the Candlestone Inn Thursday, April 26. Attending this annual meeting, to begin at 2 p.m., will be mayors, village presidents, councilmen, and other officials from cities and villages within the counties of Ionia, Kent, Mecosta, Montcalm, Muskegon, Newaygo, Oceana and Ottawa.

Speakers for the first session will be Robert Bristol. Chairman, Cable Television Commission for the City of Fremont, and William Beauvais, Jr., City Manager,

The second general session topic, to begin about 3 p.m., will be "Organization and Functions of the State Regional Planning Districts." Presentations will be made by John Beck of the Executive Office of the Governor, and Robert Stockman, the Executive Director of the Kent-Ottawa Regional Planning Commission. The moderator for the general sessions will be Mayor John Geisen of Belding.

The second half of the afternoon program features concurrent interest sessions. Mayor Charles Clay of Newaygo will moderate the session on "Two Approaches to Providing Service to Outlying Areas: Annexation and a Metro Service Area Contract." Presentations will be made by Alan Davis, City Manager, Greenville, and Gerald Wensloff, City Manager, Big Rapids.

"City Approaches to Collective Bargaining and Labor Relations" serves as the second concurrent session, both of which begin at approximately 4:15 p.m. The presentations for this concurrent session will be made by Blaine E. Bacon, City Manager of Lowell, and Jack R. Clary, Partner in the Firm of Clary, Nantz & Wood, Labor Attorneys. The moderator will be Commissioner Lyman McLouth of Walker.

Region V officers are: Mayor Carlen Anderson, Lowell, Chairman; John D. White, Councilman, Big Rapids, Vice Chairman; Kenneth White, City Manager, Neway-

Representing some 454 member cities and villages throughout Michigan, the Michigan Municipal League serves to unite members in collectively striving for home rule and promoting higher standards of municipal government.

BAKED GOODS SALE - April 28 at State Savings Bank & Eberhard's, 9:30 a.m. Lowell Camp Fire and Blue Bird

## Second Entrant Is Talented Dancer



MISS MARMON

The Lowell Area Jaycees are proud to intro-duce Miss Kathleen Ann Marmon as a contestant in the third annual Miss Lowell Showboat Scholarship Pageant.

Kathy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Marmon of Forest Hills.

She has played French Horn in the Varsity Band for three years and has won a scholarship to Interlochen Music Camp as well as being a member of the Grand Rapids Youth Symphony.

Kathy is also quite a talented dancer and may use this skill in her talent presentation for the Pageant.

We welcome Kathy to this year's competi-

# BIRTH

A boy, weighing seven pounds and nine ounces, was born April 17, at 11:21 a.m. at the Ionia County Memorial Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Miller of Lowell.

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Forest Hills Central Varsity Choir To Sing 'The Creation'

The Forest Hills Central Varsity Choir, under the direction of David Gillett, will be performing "The Creation," by Haydn at the Mayflower Congregational Church on Robinson Road, Sunday, April 29. The organist for the presentation which starts at

2:30 p.m., will be Alice Lantinga. Admission is free and everyone is cordially invited. Twenty-four selections will be sung by the choir, featuring several soloists. They are:

"In The Beginning," Dan Ellinger; "And God Saw The Light," Ed Bender; "Now Vanish," Skip Shea; 'The Marvelous Works," Sue Fay; "And God Said, Let The Waters," Dave Hainer; "And God Said, Let The Earth," Donna Anderson; "And The Heavenly Host," Tim Gehling.

"And God Said, Let There be Light," Shannon Compton; "In Splendor Bright," Skip Shea; "The Heavens Are Telling," Karen Stevens, Tim Gehling and Doug Ellinger; "And God Said, Let The Waters," Kim

"And God Created Great Whales," Mike Teska; "And The Angels," Mike Teska; "Most Beautiful Appear," Pat de Aguirre and John DeShane; "The Lord Is Great," Sue Fay, Skip Shea and Mike Teska. "And God Said, Let The Earth," Dan Pearson;
"And God Created Man," Ed Bender; "In Native Worth," Skip Shea; "And God Saw Everything That He Made," Doug Ellinger.

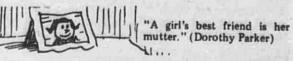
"On Thee Each Living Soul Awaits," Kim Zimmer, Ed Bender and John DeShane; "By Thee With Bliss," Deanne, Veverica and Dan Ellinger; "Of Stars The Fairest," Sue Elsner and Dan Ellinger "Graceful Consort," Jane Westerbrink and Dan El-linger; and "Oh, Happy Pair," Kim Zimmer.

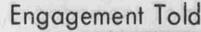
#### Reserved Campsites

The Michigan State Senate on April 4 passed and sent to the State House a resolution authorizing implementation of a campsite reservation system in Michigan State Parks, Senator Robert VanderLann (R-Kentwood) announced.

The resolution, sponsored by VanderLaan, will permit the Department of Natural Resources to operate a campsite reservation system on an experimental basis for two years, effective January 1, 1974.

"Reserved campsites have been in demand in Michigan for a number of years," the Senate Majority Leader pointed out. "This system will set aside 50 percent of the sites in all state parks for campers who wish to make provisions before traveling."







CATHERINE ASPLUND

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Asplund of Lowell would like to announce the engagement of their daughter, Catherine Ruth, to Bruce D. Barger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Barger of Clarksville.

Miss Asplund is a 1972 graduate of Lowell Senior High School. Mr. Barger is a 1971 graduate of Lakewood High School and is currently serving in the South Pacific with the United States Navy An August 4 wedding is planned

#### Recipe Corner

Easy Onion Rings

For a different treat at meal time try these easy-tofix onion rings. They are a good variety for any meal-

1 large onion 1½ teaspoons sal % cup enriched corn meal 1 cup milk ¼ cup all-purpose flour 1 egg beaten

Slice onion horizontally into ¼ inch slices; separate to form rings. Let stand in cold water for 15 minutes Combine dry ingredients. Add milk and egg. Drain onion rings, coat each with flour and dip in batter, draining off excess. Fry in hot deep fat (375 degrees) until golden brown, turning once. Drain on absorben paper. Sprinkle with salt. Serve hot.

#### Makes four servings Budget Dish . . .

Canned tuna coupled with a packaged dinner rich n domestic cheeses is a combination both light on the budget and heavy on important nutrients, especially protein. During this Lenten season, turn your main course dishes into family treats, beginning with a tastetempting meal-in-a-dish seafood and cheese casserole-

Maritime Macaroni

1 7¼ oz. pkg. Macaroni & Tomato slices Cheese Dinner 1 7 oz. can tuna, drained, 1 cup soft bread crumbs

¼ cup Parkay Margarine, ¿ teaspoon onion salt Kraft Grated Parme-4 teaspoon pepper san Cheese

Heat oven to 350 degrees. Prepare Dinner as directed on package except using ½ cup milk. Add tuna, onion salt and pepper; mix lightly. Place half of macaroni mixture in a 10 x 6 inch baking dish; top with tomato slices. Repeat layers. Sprinkle liberally with the Grated Parinesan Cheese. Toss bread crumbs with margarine and place around edges of dish. Bake at 350 degrees, 20 minutes. Makes 4 to 6 servings.

#### Area Students Make Academic Honors List

Ferris State College has honored 1,217 students for scholastic excellence during the winter quarter by naming them to the Academic Honors List. To be named to the Academic Honors List a student must earn at least a 3.25 average on a 4.0 basis and carry a full academic load. A full load is defined

as 14 quarter hours of credit. Students named to the list from this area include: Andrew Stuart, Clarksville; Thomas Hecht, Saranac; Kenneth Paap, Ada; Jane Reagan, Patricia Curtis, Low-

Linda Carrick, Robert Datema, Daniel Gillessee, Larry Rood, Douglas Seidman, and Leonard Sypkens,

"LOVE ... CAREFULLY"

The theme of the 1973 fund drive for Planned Parenthood Association of Kent County is "Love . . . carefully-Plan(ned) Parenthood" announced Jack Oosting, In 1972, Planned Parenthood's patient load increas-

ed over 50% and continues to grow. Since federal fund-

ing for the program has not been increased in 1973, the

agency hopes to raise 50% more than last year from private contributors. The goal of the drive is \$56,443. These private monies will help bring to the county \$382,000 in federal funds made available by the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare through the Kent County Health Department. "In effect," Mr Oosting stated, "each private dollar brings approximate-

ly \$7 to the county family planning program, an invest-ment hard to match anywhere."

#### EDITH LAWRENCE PASSES

Mrs. Edith Lawrence, aged 77, of Lakeland, Florida, and formerly of Grand Rapids, passed away Sunday morning in Lakeland General Hospital after a short ill-

Surviving are her husband, Frank Lawrence; one son, Neil Lawrence of Ada; four grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Beatrice Ghent of

Services will be held Wednesday at 2:30 at the Zaagman Memorial Chapel, Rev. Richard L. Ford officiating. interment Restlawn Memorial Park.

DROUTH PREDICTED

Britain is threatened with a drouth over the next few months on a scale seen only twice in the last 170

Some British scientists predict the entire Northern Hemisphere is undergoing a change of climate bringing colder, drier weather, perhaps for 30 years.

# LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF KENT

MARIE E. MOON, No. D-20416 ORDER TO ANSWER ROBERT D. MOON,

On the 26th day of March, 1973, an action was filed by Marie E. Moon, Plaintiff, against Robert D. Moon, defendent, in this court to grant Plaintiff an

absolute divor 1, IT IS HE BY ORDERED that the defendant. Robert D. M on, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 1st day of June, 1973; Failure to comply with this order will result in a judgment by default against such defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this court.

ROMAN J. SNOW.

Dated: March 26, 1973. VanderVeen, Freihofer & Cook, P.C. Attorneys for Plaintiff By George R. Cook 1125 W. Main Street Lowell, Michigan 49331 Tele,: 897-9218

Examined, Countersigned & Entered JACK BRONKEMA, CLERK

JACK BRONKEMA, CLERK c52-3

> Timothy J. Conroy 430 Union Bank Building Grand Rapids, Michigan PUBLICATION ORDER File No. 124-283

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the Coun-ESTATE OF ROY LOVEJOY

DECEASED IT IS ORDERED that on June 1, 1973, at 9:30 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Grand Rapids, Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Douglas Lewis, at 601 Cambridge, S.E., Grand Rapids, Michigan prior to hearing.

Publication and service shall be made as provide by statute and Court rule. Date: March 9, 1973.

A. DALE STOPPELS. Judge of Probate

No. D-20579

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

Register of Probate Gerald M. Henry Attorney at Law

403 Federal Square Building Grand Rapids, Michigan 4950; ORDER OF PUBLICATION STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF KENT GAIL M. ELLEN. Plaintiff

JERRY DALE ELLEN,

At a session of said Court held in the Hall of Justice, in the City of Grand Rapids, Kent County, Michigan, on this 18th day of April, 1973. Present: HONORABLE GEORGE Circuit Judge,

In this case an action was filed on the 18th day of April, 1973, by the Plaintiff, Gall M. Ellen, for an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony. IT IS ORDERED that Defendant, Jerry Dale Eilen, shall appear and take such action as may be permitted by law on or before the

13th day of June, 1973. Failure to comply with this Order shall result in a default judgment against the Defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court, GEORGE V. BOUCHER. Circuit Judge,

ATTEST: A TRUE COPY Harold J. Bertelson Deputy Clerk Examined, countersigned and entered by me: HAROLD J. BERTELSON Deputy Clerk GERALD M. HENRY Attorney for Plaintiff 403 Federal Square Building Grand Rapids, Michigan 49502

STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF KENT BARBARA L. CLARKE, No. D-20556 Plaintiff ORDER TO ANSWER

JOSEPH R. CLARKE,

On the 16th day of April, 1973, an action was filed by Barbara L. Clarke, Plaintiff, against Joseph R. Clarke, defendant, in this court to grant Plaintiff an absolute divorce.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the defendant, Joseph R. Clarke, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 25th day of June, 1973; failure to comply with this order will result in a judgment by default against such defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this court.

JOHN H. VANDERWALL Circuit Judge

By: George R. Cook Business Address: 1125 W. Main Street Lowell, Michigan 49331 Phone: 897-9218 Examined, Countersigned & Entered JACK BRONKEMA, CLERK Kenneth L. Wiley, Deputy Clerk Attest; A true copy. Jack Bronkema, Clerk, Kenneth L. Wiley, Deputy

Vander Veen, Freihofer & Cook, P.C.

Dated: April 16, 1973.

Attorneys for Plaintiff

# Around Alto

# Spring Carnival Is May 4

Remember all the good times you used to have when you went to a school carnival? The excitement when you strolled the cake walk; the prize you won from the fish pond; and the trinket you won throwing the bean

This and much more will be revived Friday, May 4, at the Alto Area School, when the Mother's Club presents their annual School Carnival. When the kitchen opens at 5 p.m. there will be good

food for all, with the wide variety of activities getting underway at 6 p.m. Planned for the entire family, everyone is cordially

#### More News Needed

All items for the Alto Area Happenings should be phoned into the Ledger 897-9216, or mailed to Box 128, The deadline for news is noon on Tuesdays. Keep us

#### **LEGION TO MEET**

The May monthly meeting of Post 528, Alto American Legion, will be held on May 7, at their hall in Alto.

# 4-H Style Revue Is Rescheduled

April 30 is the new date for the Kent County 4-H Knitting Style Revue. Bad weather forced the rescheduling of this event.

The public is cordially invited to this second annual program at Rockford High School on Monday, April 30 at 7:30 p.m. The event is planned to give knitting and crocheting members further opportunities to display their project work and develop the skill of modeling

The committee planning the event includes Mrs. Arden Helms, Walker; Mrs. George Redman, Comstock Park; Mrs. Lee Gillet, Caledonia; Mrs. Henry Boorsma, Wyoming; Mrs. George Ellcey, Grand Rapids; Mrs. Cary Purcey, Rockford; Mrs. Herman Sharphorn.

Grand Rapids; Mrs. John Bueche, Wyoming. For more information on the 4-H knitting project or other areas of the program, please contact Mrs. Phyllis O. Constance, Room 101, Federal Building, 110 Michigan N.W., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49502

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# **Beach Elected** President Of Tri-River

Student Council

Dave Beach, a junior at Lowell High School, has been elected president of the Tri-River Student Council for the 73-74 school year. This is the first time Lowell has been represented in the president's chair of the Tri-River Student Council.

Dave is the son of Reverend and Mrs. Richard A. Beach of Alto and has lived in Alto for almost eight years. After having served as a sophomore representative and currently as vice-president of the Junior Class. Dave plans to seek the presidency of Lowell High Student Congress.

In addition, Dave is a member of the Lowell Chapter of National Honor Society and plans to study Nuclear Engineering at Michigan Technological Univer-

Dave enjoys sports and has participated in football, golf, wrestling and baseball.



# Shooting Sunday

Alto Sportsmen Club shooters will be at the 'trap' this Sunday for a few practice rounds. Taking Easter Sunday off, the Club facilities will be open to all interested persons this Sunday. The shooting site is located on Timpson Avenue. just off 60th Street.

# SCHOOL

**LOWELL AREA SCHOOLS** MONDAY: Beef Stew

Cottage Cheese Buttered Rolls or Bread Strawberry Jello with Whip Barbeques TUESDAY: Pickles and Potato Chips Whole Kernel Corn Choice of Fruit

WEDNESDAY: Oven Fried Chicken Whipped Potatoes with Gravy Green Beans Rolls or Bread Chilled Fruit Cup

THURSDAY: Chili and Crackers Cabbage Salad Johnny Cake with Syrup

FRIDAY: Macaroni and Cheese Buttered Peas Raisin Bread & Butter Chocolate Frosty Creme

#### Townships Cannot Charge For Fire Protection Calls

Townships do not have authority to charge for fire protection calls, Atty. Gen. Frank J. Kelley said in an

Answering a request for an opinion by Rep. Roy L. Spencer, R-Attica, the attorney general said townships may finance fire protection service only through appropriations or by special assessments approved by a ma-

Kelley said the rules for financing of fire protection are set down in a 1951 public act and that "the law does not provide authority to charge for a fire protection service call."

#### BITS O' BUSINESS

A total of 201 companies had 1972 sales in excess of \$1 billion, the largest being General Motors with \$30.4 billion, accordi. g to Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith . . . The railroads set new records for freight car utilization last year. Individual car mileage rose 5.1 percent from 1971, to 56.1 miles a day.

Living In Santa Ana



MRS. MACK TRUAX

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Charles (Mack) Truax are making their home at 1400 W. Warner, Santa Ana, California, following their marriage on March 31. The bride, the former Val Margaret Rich, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rich of Ada.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Truax of Granby, Colorado, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blatt of Alto are the groom's par-The bride's attendants were Laurie Swan and Bar-

bara Freeman. Assisting the groom were Dan Pierce and Dennis Thomet. Ring Bearer was Tim Blatt. Kirk and Lee Rich seat-

The four o'clock ceremony in the Alton Bible Church was followed by an evening reception at Shady Acres, with Mr. and Mrs. Craig Rich presiding as master and mistress of ceremonies. The newlyweds are both graduates of Lowell Senior

#### STONE CHURCHES & MONASTERIES

Using colored slides to illustrate his lecture, Sarkis S. Saryan will present a program entitled "Armenian Stone Churches and Monasteries, 4th to 14th Centurles" in the Grand Rapids Public Museum East Building Multipurpose Room at 3 p.m. Sunday, May 6. It is open to the public without charge.

Lowell Ledger-Suburban Life, April 26, 1973

#### LANDSCAPING? USE VINES .

Vines can add much to your home landscape, acording to Michigan State University horticulturists. Use them for screening, covering dull expanses of

wall and for other decorative effects. Many of these plants can climb trellises or wire frames, and some climb solid walls.



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# Platform Shoes Driving Hazard

Fashion-conscious Michiganians bent on wearing stylish three-to-five-inch platform shoes could represent the latest driving safety hazard, according to Automobile Club of Michigan.

"The new platform creations, which the ladies and some men are buying by the thousands, are probably the worst driving shoe ever created," warns Arthur C. Gibson, Auto Club Safety and Traffic Engineering man-

"It is very difficult to shift the foot from the accelerator to the brake in an emergency while wearing these elevated shoes," Gibson explains, "Add these shoes to the voluminous and cuffed bell-bottom slacks flapping around the ankles just waiting to snag the heels, and there is a real driving problem for both men

"Anyone who has seen a person try to walk in platform shoes must wonder how he or she can possibly drive an auto in them," he adds, citing the recent story concerning a New York fashion editor who recently fell on her platform shoes and broke an ankle.

Several Detroit-area secretaries who wear platforms

complain that when the soles become wet they keep slipping off the accelerator and brake pedals. Gibson believes this traffic safety problem will be-come worse since a check of leading Michigan shoe stores shows platforms outselling conventional shoes by at least seven to one in some areas with three-and fiveinch platforms gaining in popularity.

#### "YOUTH TALENT" EXHIBIT **EXTENDED AT PUBLIC MUSEUM**

The "Youth Talent" show featuring exhibits from Grand Rapids and Kent County students in the seventh through the twelfth grades, will conclude Sunday, May 6. The exhibit contains works of art, handicrafts, natural history, and collections.

Students are requested to pick up their exhibits

Open 11 a.m. to 10 p.m.



Litter Pick-Up Costs Rising...

Maintenance trucks and crews by the hundreds will be moving slowly along state highways in the next few weeks, collecting bottles and cans and rusted-out mufflers and all the rest of the accumulated litter of win-

It's what the Department of State Highways calls a "full-width pick-up." Three-man crews retrieve all the litter on the highway and highway right-of-way and stuff it into sacks or toss it into dump irucks. The motoring public will pay a record \$1.2 million

this year for litter pick-up along the 9,250 miles of state highways. About \$700,000 will be for cleaning up after litterbugs. The rest would have to be spent anyway for retrieving loose stones, tree limbs, dead animals and other debris.

"From what we see, the volume of litter along the highways is just as heavy as ever, despite public inter-est in reducing pollution," said Joseph F. Oravec, the Highway Department's chief maintenance engineer. Again this year, the Department will hire more than 200 young people in June, mostly from inner-city areas, to keep the roadsides clean in urban areas and

perform other maintenance chores during the summer.

Engaged To Wed



MARY McKEE Mr. and Mrs. John McKee Jr. of Birmingham an-nounce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Caro-lyn, to Leon Edward Wenger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ly-

Miss McKee attended Banff School of Fine Arts & Northern Alberta Institute of Technology specializing

in photography. Mr. Wenger graduated from Lowell High School and is a graduate of Michigan Technological University, Houghton. He is project engineer of Dearborn Division in Department of State Highways A June wedding is planned.

Jeff Phillips, Valerie Phillips, Teresa Tidd, Al-an Johnson, Danny Dav-is and Blaine Loweiz.

Story Hour

Creative

Time

Story hour each Tuesday afternoon at the Lowell Public Library is not only a reading adventure for these four-year-olds, but a creative time as well. Here they display their flower carrying Easter bunnies, and Easter baskets made at the last session

Anyone wishing to enroll four-year-olds for next fall, may do so now. There is no charge, but classes are imited to 12 pupils.

Story hour classes for this season will end May 8.

Watch for our summer schedule of story hour en-tertainment. The summer reading club will be resumed again this year, with the aid of our Friends of the Li-

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# Rev. Glotfelty To Retire In June

The Rev. Philip R. Glotfelty, jr., will retire from the ministry in June at the session of the West Michigan

Once assigned to the Lowell Methodist Church, Glotfelty will end 47½ years in the ministry. Mrs. Glotfelty has served 21/2 years, making a total of 50 years in active ministerial service. They plan to make their retirement home on Lake

Bible Prophecy Sermons

Arthur F. Gibbs, former minister in Hawaii, Alaska, The Caribbean, and many parts of the United States, and Canada, will present a series f Illustrated Bible Prophecy Sermons and the Screen in color at the Alaska Congregation of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 8147-68th Street (near Whitneyville Road) Alto (near Alaska).

The title for the April 26, Thursday evenings illustrated lecture is "Christ Visited America after Easter." Other titles for Friday through Sunday, April 29, are "America in Prophecy," "End of the Dispensation," "God Prepares for the Second Coming." Services each evening 7:30 p.m. The Sunday, 11 a.m. service will be "In Times Like These"

Illustrated Hymn sings will precede the evening services. Pastor Robert Loesch and his congregation in-

#### Alcohol Conference

"Lady on the Rocks," a social drama, will be one of the highlights of a Conference on Alcoholism for the Clergy, to be held at the Pantlind Hotel, May 9th. The play was commissioned by the National Council on Al-coholism and depcits the symptoms and progresssion of alcoholism, one of the most untreated, treatable diseas-

The main thrust of the Conference will be to acquaint the clergy with the disease concept of alcoholism and the resources within the community to help the alcoholic recover. "The alcoholic is a totally sick person-mentally, emotionally, physically, socially, and spiritually. The parish pastor should be a key person on the treatment team," according to Dr. W. B. Prothro, Kent County Health Department Director.

#### WALK FOR THE WORLD'

Morning Womhip Evening Service

Word of Life

"Walk for the World," the theme of the Spring Youth Rally of Grand Rapids District of the United Methodist Church, will find the United Methodist Church of Lowell, Snow, Bowne Center, Alto and Vergennes hosting the special event this Saturday, April 28 with an anticipated participation of 500 youth from 76 churches walking 15 miles to raise \$5,000 for World Disaster Relief.

Each walker is sponsored by an individual, group, or business. The walk will originate at the Lowell Methodist Church and will proceed to Fallasburg Park with a stop for lunch at the Vergennes Methodist Church.

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## Church Women United Come Together For May Fellowship Day

Church Women United of Grand Rapids area will come together Friday, May 4, to celebrate MAY FEL-LOWSHIP DAY at True Light Baptist Church, 900 Thomas, S.E. Coffee and Registration will be at 9:30 a.m.; Fellowship Service at 10 a.m. For luncheon reservations at \$1.50, call Mrs. Lamar Reevers at 363-1640; Mrs. Hannah Reed at 532-3555; or True Light Baptist Church office at 452-0406 between 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. Make reservations by May 1st. Nursery care will be provided; bring sack lunch and 25¢ per child, milk will be furnished.

This year's theme, "As Hand Touches Hand," will celebrate the spirit of Christian women as they reach out in volunteer services in their local communities. Our area women will have the opportunity to meet and hear Reverend Gerald O'Connor, the new Executive Director of G.R.A.C.A. (Grand Rapids Area Center for Ecumenism)

Since the first May Fellowship Day observances in 1933, it has been traditional for church women across the country to use the first Friday in May to emphasize the creative and healing relations that are possible among people in every community. Each year, Church Women United has found new ways to express God's love for all people through just relationships in

This May Fellowship Day will be a salute to the volunteers from local units of Church Women United who have initiated programs in health care, in education for children and adults, in services to the aging and to the imprisoned. Volunteers are working as monitors of legislation, as advocates for self-help programs, and as educators in the areas of consumerism, ecology, peacebuilding, international trade, and human rights.

In addition, for the past eight years, Church Women United has been a major partner in WICS (Women In Community Service), which is the nation-wide coalition of women's groups dedicated to helping young women from poverty backgrounds to achieve a fuller life. Vol-unteers have channeled more than 49,000 young women into the Job Corps and provided supportive serv-

ices to 220,000 others. Protestant, Roman Catholic, and Orthodox women from over 2,000 local units of Church Women United will come together in their local communities on this

first Friday in May. In their worship celebrations they will dedicate themselves to work in partnership with their neighbors-mothers who must give up a day's work when their children are sick, lonely old people who have no transportation to the clinic, undernourished children of farm workers who have yet to see a doctor or a dentist; girls who have dropped out of school only to discover that there are no jobs for them; young women who have yet to hear of the training that is available to them through agencies such as the Job Corps, and still other young women who have been trained but now need a supporting hand to get them on their feet; fathers who cannot get work because they cannot read, mothers whose lives are limited because they have never learned to read, teenagers who drop out of school and out of society because they do not know how to read.

### Guest Speaker

Mike Simonson will preach at both worship services this Sunday at the Cascade Christian Church. The guest speaker is a ministerial student and 1973 graduate at Grand Valley State College.

The public is invited to attend this special celebration.

# Awana Olympic Time Is Here!

The Awana Olympics will be held April 28 at 1:30 p.m. in Jenison High School. Honor trophies will be awarded to Greg Burton, Joe Barnes, Dolly Gerard and Sandy Bulliss, club members of the First Baptist Church of Lowell, at this time.

Tickets for the Olympics may be obtained from Warren Johnson by calling 897-8719. It is hoped all parents will support this activity.



THURSDAY, APRIL 26

The Cherry Creek Nursing Guild meeting will be held Thursday, April 26 at 1:30 p.m. at Cherry Creek

#### FRIDAY, APRIL 27

Cyclamen Chapter No. 94 O.E.S. will hold its Open Friendship Night Friday, April 27, at 8 p.m. at the Masonic Temple in Lowell. Come and enjoy the evening with us as a special evening of entertainment has been

#### SATURDAY, APRIL 28

Lowell Camp Fire Girls and Blue Birds will hold a sale of baked goods starting at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday, April 28, at the State Savings Bank and at Eberhard's. Come early for a good selection!

The 39'ers of the Lowell Congregational Church will hold a dinner meeting in Fellowship Hall Saturday, April 28, at 6:30 p.m. Bring White Elephant, own table service and dish to pass.

The Ionia Star Twirlers will have a dance, Saturday April 28, from 8 to 11 p.m., at Rather School, south of Ionia on Tuttle Road. All square dancers welcome. Potluck after dance. Don Fell: Caller.

#### MONDAY, APRIL 30

Lowell Business & Professional Women's Club will meet Monday, April 30 at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs.

#### TUESDAY, MAY 1

Island City Rebekah Lodge No. 282 of Lowell will meet Tuesday, May 1, at the IOOF Hall at 8 p.m.

Flat River Post, 8303, V.F.W., will meet at their hall at 8 p.m. on Tuesday, May 1.

#### WEDNESDAY, MAY 2

The Ada Christian School Mother's Club will hold their annual Spring Salad Luncheon at the Ada Christian School Gym, Wednesday, May 2, at 11:30 a.m. There will be a nursery provided.

#### THURSDAY, MAY 4

Vergennes Cooperative Club will meet Thursday, May 4 at 1:30 p.m. at the home of June Wittenbach with Edith Roth as co-hostess. The program will be "Our American Festivals." Beatrice Krum, chairman.

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Last Travel Feature Shown This Saturday

The last feature of the Travel and Adventure Series sponsored by the Congregators of Ada Congregational Church, will be given this Saturday, April 28. Narrating "Voyagers Forever" (Montreal to Alaska) will be Phil Pemberton, who will take you on an epic canoe trip for a total of 7,000 miles in

184 days. "Voyagers Forever" which will be presented in the Forest Hills High School Auditorium at 8 p.m. sharp, is a classic example of a man's heroic struggle against

Pemberton's travels will take you through the dangerous white water Rapids of four rivers; make you mar-vel at the absolute solitude and ruggedness of a 150 mile portage; and show you the beauty of the wilds from Montreal to Alaska. Tickets for the conclusion of the Congregation's 8th annual showing may be purchased at the door.

# Evangelistic Crusade

Features Daniel Roehl Special Evangelistic services April 24-May 6, at the Lowell Senior High School Auditorium are being sponsored by the Lowell Assembly of God Church.

The Rev. Daniel Roehl will conduct the services nightly at 7:30 p.m., which will feature the King Crusaders on April 28 and the McClain Quartet on May 5. Everyone is welcome. For free transportation, call 897-8895.

#### Youth Sunday

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Rev. Robert McCarthy **David Farmer** Youth Pastor

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Making their home in Las Vegas, Nevada, are Richard Karl Van Bennekom and his bride, the former Loretta Hall of Saranac. Married April 14 at St. Anthony's Church in Saran-

ac, the couple spoke their vows of Holy Matrimony before Father Jack Findlay at three o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall and Mr. and Mrs. August Van Bennekom, all of Saranac, are the couple's par-

The bride entered the sanctuary, at the arm of her father, attired in a floor-length white gown, fashioned with long sleeves and a fitted bodice, appliqued with white beads. Her cathedral train, edged in lace, matched her veil of illusion.

Connie and Carol Scheid were maid of honor and bridesmaids, respectively. They were attired in pink floor-length gowns. John VanBennekom was best man with Charles

Hall, jr., serving as groomsman. Ushering the guests were Jerry Rose and Mike Gould. After an evening reception at the Union Hall in Belding, the newlyweds departed for Las Vegas, where the groom is stationed with the U.S. Airforce.

# St. Anthony's Church

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Former Saranac Resident Terri Klein Becomes Hazel West, 82, Dies

Mrs. Hazel O. West, 82, of Belding, formerly of Saranac died April 21 at Ionia County Memorial Hospital, following an extended illness.

She was born November 2, 1890, at Gowan, the daughter of George and Myrtle Peasley. She had lived in Grand Rapids moving to Saranac where she lived 20 years; the past four years with her daughter on John-Her husband, Wilbur West, preceded her in death in

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Beatrice Veltman Emelander of Belding; eight grandchildren; 13 greatgrandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren; and a half brother, Kenneth Peasley of Vestaburg.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at the Morris-Roetman Funeral Home in Saranac, The Rev. James Frank officiated and interment was made in Otisco

# WELCOME TO SARANAC

#### News 'Drop Box'

Any news items from the Saranac area to be insert ed in the Lowell Ledger-Suburban Life can be deposited in the 'drop box' at Olive's Sport & Bait Shop in Saranac or mailed to 105 N. Broadway Street, Lowell All items, plus photographs are welcomed. Olive's Bait Shop at 75 Bridge Street is open six days a week, 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. Closed Wednesdays.



Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bowen of Saranac are the proud parents of a son born April 20 at the Ionia Couny Memorial Hospital. He weighed six pounds, 71/2

A son born to Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Koss of Battle Creek on March 20 has been named Ari Koss. He joins a brother, Micy, 8.

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# **Ugly Dog Contest**

North Keat Mall will hold its Second Annual Ugly Dog Contest within the Mail on Saturday morning at 10 a.m. . . . May 5. The ugly dog contest was a howling success last year, and the Mall has been asked to repeat it as the participants and spectators enjoyed the fun and mersiment so much.

Miss Klein is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Klein of 136 Jackson Street and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond J. The Ugly Dog contest is divided into seven categor-Trieweiler of 5020 Page Road, Saranac are parents of

Mrs. Roger Trieweiler

SS Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Ionia was the setting April 6 for the wedding of Terri Beth Klein and Roger Neal Trieweiler, with Father Jack Findlay offi-

Guests were ushered by Robert Swiger and Colin

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose a

white starched chiffon gown featuring a high neckline, full bishop sleeves, bonded by deep cuffs of embroider

ed lace extended from the neckline to the bottom of

her gown. The full skirt was attached to a fitted bodice

and a full train. Her chiffon veil of four tiers was held

in place by a starched crown of embroidery and seed

She was assisted by Denise Sue Theisen as maid of honor, and her bride's maids were Sue Grumiaux and

Kathe Williams both from Saranac and Anne Marie

were white baskets of yellow daisies, orange sweet-

sa and Timothy Haskins was ringbearer. Altar boys were Lionel and Mark Haskins from Saranac.

**ENTERTAIN SENIOR CITIZENS** 

"A pre-Easter luncheon was served to 29 senior citi-

The day was concluded by the awarding of a door

Upwards of 1,000 state grants are still available for

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but lack the necessary financial means, according to a

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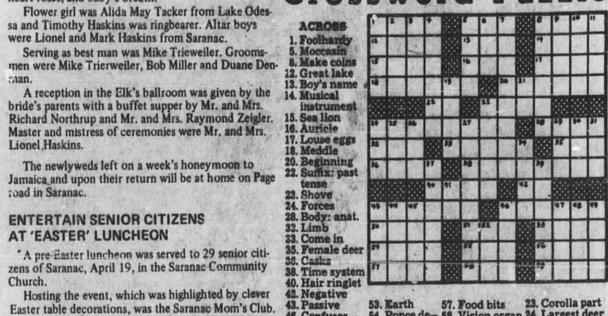
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 Dog With The Longest Ears
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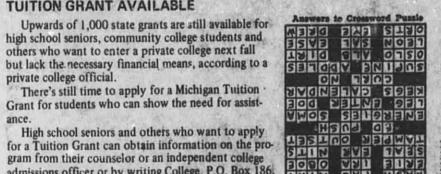
5. Dog With the Shortest Legs 6. Dog With the Longest Hair 7. The Ugliest Dog

To enter your dog, simply call the North Kent Mall (363-7791) and tell the category you wish to have your dog entered in. There will be many prizes offered in each category, so no dog needs to leave with empty

Acting as judges for the contest will be a milkman, a dog catcher and a postman. Don't wait another minute ... enter your FIDO NGW.

# Crossword Puzzle





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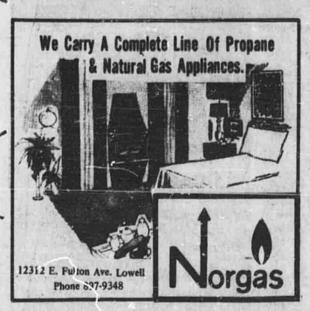
# School Board

Board of Education Regular Meeting April 9, 1973. Meeting called to order at 7:42 p.m. Members Present: Siegle, Wingeier, Metternick, Kropf, Miller, Mullen.

Members Absent: Reagan. Motion by Miller, seconded b Kropf, to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held on March 27,

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. Motion by Miller, seconded by Kropf, to approve payment of general fund bills as listed. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. Motion by Miller, seconded by Mullen, to approve payment of building and site bills as listed. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. OLD BUSINESS

Motion by Metternick, seconded by Mullen, to amend the motion made at the March 27 meeting awarding the bid to Dykema Bros. for \$21,902 to read \$16,929.75. (This is due to the necessity of changing the route of the sanitary sewer extension.) Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. Motion by Wingeier, seconded by Metternick, to accept the transportation committee's recommendation and accept the low bid of Royce Ford for three bus chassis at a purchase price of \$16,494.00



Ayes: 4, Nays: 2. Motion Carried. Opposed Miller,

Motion by Mullen, seconded by Metternick, to accept the transportation committee's recommenda-tion and accept the low bid of Ward Body for three bus bodies at a purchase price of \$13,410.00 Ayes: 4. Nays: 2. Motion Carried. (Opposed by Kropf, Siegle).
(Mr. Kropf stated that he was not against the low

bid but against proposed single bus runs.) 4. Motion by Mullen, seconded by Metternick, to allow a variance regarding our current policy banning overnight trips of mixed groups and permit the senior class to go on an overnight trip to Cedar Point. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

5. A report was given by Mrs. Mullen on the community college meeting. She expressed concern about getting enough information to people for a favorable vote. There will be three issues on the ballot-one to establish a college; one to elect trustees; and one for millage to run the college. Mrs. Mullen stated they were encouraging people from the Lowell area to run for a trustee post and would also like to find someone to serve on the executive committee. She said she thought it would be difficult to pass the millage in this area because of raised evaluations and sewer assessments.

#### NEW BUSINESS

1. A report was received from Gary Gilbert on Cooperative Occupational Training. At the present time there are 74 students involved in the program. Students are allowed to work from 15 to 35 hours a week. They are released two hours from school time for which they are given one credit. Mr. Gilbert presented the board with a written policy asking for its adoption. Dave Wingeier, board member, commented on the restriction concerning students working for their parents.

. Discussion on the new elementary school was limited. Concern was expressed regarding building on our Bushnell site. Further information is needed relative to census, enrollments, etc., before final decision

. Motion by Mullen, seconded by Kropf, to designate the Michigan National Bank, Old Kent Bank, and Wayland State Savings Bank, along with Loweli State Savings Bank as official depositories of school

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. . Mr. Kelly reported on the selling of the two old buses to St. Patrick's School and the Lowell Baptist Church. The order in which future buses will be disposed of is: YMCA: Honey Creek Christian Home; Wesleyan Church; Scouts; South Boston Bible Church; St. Patrick's School; Fir. t Baptist Church of Lowell. Motion by Mullen, seconded by Metternick, to go into executive session. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

6. Following executive session the board agreed to al-

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low a student who had been expelled from school permission to take driver training. This was contingent upon the student's abiding by all school rules and regulations.

7. Motion by Kropf, seconded by Mullen, to adjourn

> Respectfully submitted, Harold Metternick. Secretary

# Speaker To Address Golden Swingers On Consumer Protection

at 10:20 p.m.

The next meeting of Lowell Senior Citizens, the Golden Swingers, will be May 7 from 5:30 to 7:30 at Bushnell School. Potluck supper.

An exceptionally good program is planned. A lady from the Attorney General's office in Lansing will speak about Consumer Protection. This should be of interest to all of us. After the speaker Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Blanchard of

Ionia will show pictures of Japan. So mark May 7 on your calendar. We'd like a good crowd out.

#### **Band Concert Sunday**

"A musical adventure from the U.S.A. to Russia," is offered by the Grand Valley State College Concert Band, under the direction of Daniel Kovats, at the Louis Armstrong Theatre, Calder Fine Arts Center, Sunday, April 29 at 3 p.m. The concert, entitled, "From Sousa to Shostakovich," is open to the public free of charge.

Among the students taking part in the GVSC Con-cert Band tour of "Sousa to Shostakovich" music, as well as the April 29 concert at Grand Valley is Marlene Fletcher of 936 N. Hudson Street, Lowell.

"BOAST" SIGNS OKAY

#### ON STATE HIGHWAYS

Watch

Volcano

Paradise will qualify, but Hell won't, under new State Highway Commission guidelines on "civic pride" slogan signs at city and village limits.

The commission has adopted a new policy which will allow cities and incorporated villages to have slogans on official state highway signs marking city and village limits, except on the state's high-speed, heavily

their annual Cook's Tour of Kitchens with a "Spring Walking Tour of Cascadia" on Thursday, May 10, from 1 to 4:30 p.m. Unusual and exciting highlights of this tour are a collection of authentic 18th century antiques, a twostory foyer fountain, a water color wall mural of the

Plan Spring Walking

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Homes to be presented are those of Dr. and Mrs. Paul Fatum, 45 Park Hills Drive, S.E., Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wright, 50 Lakeview Drive, S.E., Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Evenson, Jr., 2925 Midland Drive, S.E., Mr. and Mrs. Roger Oetting, 2930 Oak Hollow Drive, S.E., and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Frenell, 2950 Oak Hollow Drive,

Chairman of the Cook's Tour is Mrs. Albert B. Lee. Serving on her committee are Mrs. Jack Roberts, Mrs. W. R. Frenell, Mrs. Enos N. Denham, Mrs. W. C. Deaver, Mrs. Richard Vanderlaan, Mrs. Henry Vandermaas, Mrs. D. R. Smith, Mrs. Darwin Weersing, Mrs. Richard Waffle, and Mrs. Adrian Winters.

Tickets may be purchased from Guild members or by calling Mrs. Lee, 458-6621, or Mrs. Waffle, 532-2497. (Tickets will also be sold at each home on the tour day.)

Proceeds from the Cook's Tour this year have been designated to purchase a Stryker Stretcher for the Emergency ward and a heart pump for Intensive Care. These are the only wards at Blodgett Hospital that do not have a guild (or guilds) supporting them.

#### UNION BANK ANNOUNCES **NEW OFFICER APPOINTMENTS**

Promotion of four men and one woman on the staff of Union Bank and Trust Company, N.A., including one Vice President have been announced by James W. Carpenter, President.

They are, James E. McKay to Vice President, Betty L. LaRiviere, Peter J. DeWitt, Lee C. Koets and Fred S. Missad, Jr. to Assistant Vice Presidents.

Although Easter Rabbit visited the children in the Lowell Pre-school, giving them an opportunity to color and hunt Easter eggs, some of the biggest Oh's and

Prior to watching the eruption they had been up to ashioned the volcano, so it was no wonder that when Mrs. Hoag told them that it would erupt they expected But, by using ammonium dichromate, magnesium fire and smoke spewed into the air. And the best part was that when it was all over they could wake up the sleeping volcano by filling the can at the top with the

All the pre-schoolers would like to take this oppor-tunity to thank the dentists Dr. VanderSteop and Dr. Karl for taking time out of their busy schedule to clean gratis it enables the program to spend some money to actually get some work done on the children's teeth. If anyone is interested in filling out an application for a four or five-year-old for next year, please call 897-8763 anytime, 897-7554 in the afternoon, and 897-

U. S. Air Force Staff Sergeant Alexander K. Stephen of 3343 Pettis Avenue, Ada, has arrived for duty at Wasserkuppe, Germany.

ice. He previously served at Davis-Monthan Air Force Base, Arizona, and has completed 12 months combat The sergeant attended high school in Scotland, Grand

Rapids Junior College and the University of Arizona.

# & GIRL SCOUT

DID YOU KNOW

That Cadette Troop No. 2 has done and planned so many things. We've had a party for the people at Cherry Creek Nursing Home; and went camping at the Boy

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right ingredients and have another eruption. and examine the children's teeth. As this was done

9146 after 5 p.m. Alex Stephen On Duty In Germany

Sergeant Stephen, an administrative technician, is assigned to a unit of the Air Force Communications Serv-

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Annual Poster Contest

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cond annual "Be Kind to Animals" poster contest spon-

sored by the Humane Society Guild of the Humane So-

promote humane education during "Be Kind to Ani-

Entries will be judged by local art teachers on the

Posters must be rendered in crayon or paint on

white or manila paper no larger than 12 x 15 inches

and no smaller than 8 x 11 inches. The contestant's

three age categories: five through seven years, eight

Entries must be submitted to the Humane Society

will be notified of where and when prizes will be award-

ed. Winning entries will be displayed at the Eastbrook

Mall during "Be Kind to Animals Week." Only prize-

Pet Adoption Center, 1890 Bristol Road, NW., Grand

Rapids, no later than Wednesday, April 25. Winners

be printed clearly on the back of each entry.

through 10 years, and 11 through 13 years.

name, age, school, home address and home phone must

Attractive and appropriate prizes will be awarded in

basis of their originaltly in interpreting the "Be Kind to

mals Week" May 6 through 12.

winning entires will be returned.

Animals" theme.

ciety Pet Adoption Center, Purpose of the contest is to

# WATER MAIN **IMPROVEMENTS AMITY STREET**

CITY OF LOWELL, MICHIGAN

Sealed proposals for construction of Approximately 1,600 lineal feet of 10" water main and related work will be received in the office of

City Manager 301 Main Street Lowell, Michigan 49331

10 a.m. (Daylight Saving Time) Friday, May 4, 1973 at which time and place proposals will be pub-

licly opened and read aloud. The Engineer's estimate for this contract is \$16,000 to \$18,000.

The bidding documents may be examined at the offices of City Manager, Lowell, Michigan Williams & Works, Grand Rapids, Michigan

and obtained at Williams & Works, Inc. 250 Michigan Street, N.E. Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503 Deposit for each set of bidding documents will be \$5.00 and will not be refunded.

A certified check, bank draft or bid bond in the sum of not less than five percent (5%) of the amount of the proposal will be required with each bid.

City of Loweli

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION

OF THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE LOWELL AREA SCHOOLS Counties of Kent and Ionia, Michigan

FOR THE REGULAR ELECTION TO BE HELD ON

MONDAY, JUNE 11, 1973

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF SAID SCHOOL DISTRICT:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a Regular Election will be held in said school district on **MONDAY, JUNE 11, 1973** 

Act 269, Public Acts of Michigan, 1955, as amended, provides as follows: "The Inspectors of Election at any annual

or special election shall not receive the vote of any person residing in a registration school district whose name is not registered as an elector in the city or township in which he resides . . . "

The last day for receiving registrations for said regular election will be

Friday, May 11,

1973. Persons registering after 5:00 p.m. on said day will not be eligible to vote at said regular election. Persons planning to register must determine when the City and Township Clerks' offices will be open for registration.

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

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

HAROLD METTERNICK, Secretary, Board of Education

Boy Scout Troop 102 went on a campout. They played games like capture the flag and made fire tables to cook on. Twice a month is merit badge night. Scouts may work on the Environmental Science

merit badge or Communications merit badge. A pistol match is coming up on May 6. The money earned from this will help earn money for summer camp for the boys.

John Schneider, Scribe



Fishermen are reminded to carry their season's license with them. Here an angler is checked by a Conservation official.

# Paving Racket

"Many thousands of dollars will be wasted this spring and summer by Michigan people who think they're getting something for next to nothing when, in reality, they're getting nothing for something," warns Walter Tervo, executive secretary of the Michigan Asphalt Paving Association, Lansing.

Tervo was referring to the annual "gypsy paving racket" in which bands of itinerate gypsies go house to house about this time of year offering to re-surface your driveway with a tar-based substance for a few dol-

Actually, a worthless paint compound, similar in appearance to the sealing compound used by reputable firms, but lacking proper chemical ingredients, is used by the band, Tervo stated. "Cost usually is whatever the market will bear, and,

in the past, threats of physical violence have been used against people who complain or threaten to talk to au-"Reputable paving firms would do a far better job

at less cost than that extorted by the gypsies working the racket," said Tervo. "Anyone approached should first check with their local police, Better Business Bureau or our association's state office before agreeing to the work," he said.

United In Marriage



THE COVERSTONS

Mary Charlene Kellogg and Douglas Murray Coverston were united in marriage Friday, April 6, in an evening ceremony at the First United Methodist Church

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Charlie K. Thuston of Lowell and Mrs. Patricia Shelton and William Coverston, both of California. Attending the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie K.

Following the reception held at Shady Acres, the newlyweds left for a honeymoon in the Bahamasa

# NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING Of Necessity For Sanitary Sewer In

James Street A Public Hearing will be held in the Council Room of the Lowell City Hall at 301 East Main Street, Lowell at 8:00 p.m., Monday,

May 7, 1973. The purpose of the Hearing will be to hear affected property owners and residents on the proposal to install a sanitary sewer in James Street from a point about 235 feet north of the Center of Main Street north 150 feet.

> Blaine E. Bacon, City Clerk

Classifieds Are Great!

Coaches Harper and Rivers accept special Ro-tary awards made to the 'championship team.' The presentation was made by the Rotarians at their noon luncheon on April 18.

## **Nothing Beats** Homemade

Fight high food prices by preparing casseroles with-out box mixes, baking your own pies and buying pop in returnable bottles.

In some instances you could throw away deposit bottles and still save money, compared to the price of one-way bottles. If you find returning deposit bottles a nuisance, why not give your youngster or a neighbor's some business experience? In fact, since carbonated beverages have very little nutritional value, save money by not buying pop at all.

Main Dish mixes to which you add the most expensive ingredient-meat-are another impractical purchase. Although most of the mixes are convenient and tasty, the cost is reveral times that of the chief ingredient, usually noodles, macaroni or potatoes.

Macaroni and other extenders cost about 15 cents a pound. The money you saved by not buying a mix will buy another half-pound of hamburger. Invest a couple dollars in a few basic spices, and you can use them in casseroles for a year or more. Also, don't spend 39 cents a pound for bread crumbs. Make them at home from unused crusts.

Sweet rolls, cakes, pies and cookies can be baked at home for less. Even some cake mixes cost less than ready-baked products. You may even find a special satisfaction in preparing casseroles without helpers and

#### **DECLINE IN PARTICIPATION**

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Food and Nutrition Service reports that slightly more than 545, 800 low-income persons in Michigan received food assistance during November through programs operated in cooperation with the State Departments of Social

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LUMBER

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Miss Agnes Linsley continues her recuperation from broken hip at Kent Community Hospital.

Ralph Kimble and Denise Alman were united in marage April 14 in the sanctuary of the Cascade Christian

Recently released from the hospital were Glenn Bailey and Dorothy Kerekes. Still hospitalized are Mable Scott, Max Nigh, and Ida Yeiter at Kent Community and Ariel Sisson in Pompano Beach, Florida.

Barbara Kelly graduated from Western Michigan University April 21.

Roger Tuskin, accompanied by son, Mathew, of Kansas City, Missouri spent the Easter weekend with his mother. Bessie Tuskin, and visited his uncle, Clifford Klumpp, both residents of Schneider Manor.

We Goofed-On our birthday list last week, we er-roneously omitted the name of Craig Essick, who celeorated his birthday on Easter Sunday, April 22. Along with our apology, Craig, comes our special Happy Birthday wishes.

Happy Birthday to-Vernie Munroe, George Noteware, April 26; Shirley Smith, Ruby Roth, April 28; Jonathan Pratt and Davis Adrianse, Bud Thurtell, April 29: Mari Denick, May 1.

Start our May birthday list off today by calling in the names of your friends and relatives to 897-9261

Mr. and Mrs. James Cook, jr., will celebrate their wedding anniversary on April 29. The Carlen Andersons and Raymond Zandstras have anniversaries coming up

Mable D. Scott of 604 E. Main Street has been released from the hospital and is reportedly well on the road to recovery after suffering a broken hip seven weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. White have returned to their home in Grand Rapids from a winter's stay in Florida. Before returning to Michigan, the White's visited former Lowell residents, Bill and Madelyn Christianson in Palmetto, where Ken and Ann Smith were

Ten Dozen Eggs Found

The Easter Bunny greeted some 20 youngs ters at an 'egg hunt' las Saturday, sponsored by

the Flat River Snowmo

bile Club of Lowell.

Ten dozen colorful Easter eggs were the main object of a 'hunt' last Saturday, as the Flat River Snowmobile Club of Lowell entertained their children and grandchil-

In the wooded area around the Jaycee & Flat River Snowmobile Clubhouse on Burroughs Road, the eggs

were hidden, and all were found by the 20 hunters. Finding the most eggs and claiming sole possession of first place was Casey VanderMeer, jr. A four-way tie for second place resulted when David Adrianse, Debbie Scheck. Roger Stauffer and Lynn Green filled their baskets with the same amount of eggs.

Egg hunters Travis and Beanie Marshall and Glenice Pitsch tied for third place honors.

Not to be left out, the younger children, who were delighted by the appearance of the Easter Bunny (Beanie Marshall) also found time to do a little hunting. Jackie Marshall and Cathy VanderMeer shared first place prizes in this division.

Assisting at the hunt, an annual event of the Club were Jack and Julie Condon, Jim Timmons, Ed and Faith Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Marshall, Casey and Nancy VanderMeer, George Scheck, Lucille Adrianse, and the Minges.

# Stamps Issued Honoring Postal Employees

Lowell Postmaster Charles R. Doyle announced plans today for "Postal Week" to be celebrated here April 29 through May 5. On April 30, the Lowell Post Office will highlight

this observance with activities that dramatize the important roles performed by Postal People as they move the mails. Postmaster General E. T. Klassen said the Postal Week observances are "an appropriate occasion for

recognition of the vital responsibilities assigned to the mail service and a valid time to take stock of the challenges which must be jointly met by postal people and by the millions of citizens throughout America who depend upon the mail as an essential part of their personal and business lives."

As part of the observance, the Lowell Post Office will join with the nation's 31,000 other post offices in issuing 10 special stamps honoring postal employees. The Lowell Post Office will mark the occasion with special First-Day-of-Issue observances, simultaneous

with similar ceremonies to be held in Washington by

Postmaster General E. T. Klassen.

Ten new Postal People stamps will be placed on sale here in conjunction with the local observance. The attractive new stamps-the first such comprehensive set specifically honoring postal people—will be on sale at the Lowell Post Office. "As the Postmaster General said in his message, we need the "informed understanding, cooperation and support" of every citizen. I think that we have this to an exceptional degree in Lowell, and part of the purpose of Postal Week will be to show our Appreciation," Postmaster Doyle said.

#### **GOREE GRADUATES FROM** INFANTRY TRAINING SCHOOL

Marine Pvt. Darrel L. Goree, son of Mr. and Mrs. George S. Goree of 820 Neland SE, graduated from Infantry Training School at the Camp Pendleton Marine Corps Base, California. His training included the firing, operation and main-

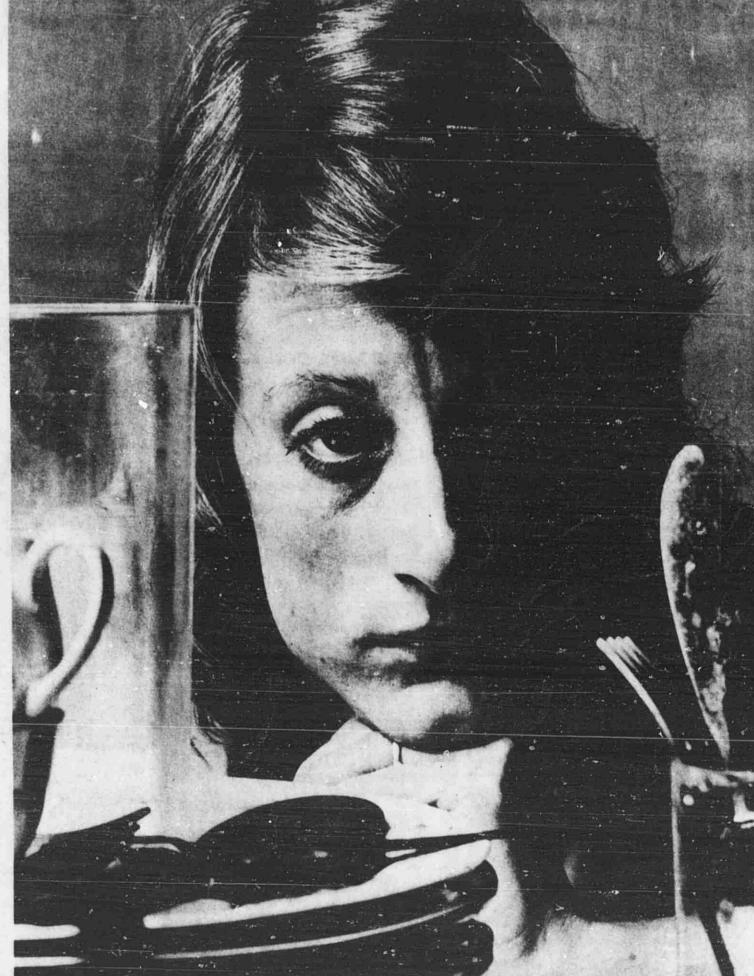
tenance of infantry weapons and related equipment.

poor little old lady on a bicycle! Now, if I can avoid derailing my derailleur and can manage to stay out of the way of big yellow buses, I may live long enough to hear "Gee, Mom, you finally got the hang of it, didn't you?"

#### Cinema Club To Meet

The Grand Valley Cinema Club will hold its monthly meeting Wednesday, May 2, at 8 p.m. at the Pinery Park Lodge, 2301 DeHoop Avenue, S.W.

gram "Filmmaking at Educational Park" presented by





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UNION BANK

Jane's Jabber

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Long ago (in ancient times), I remember riding a kid die car, and then a little red car with pedals that you pumped to make it go, and finally a two whoeled bicycle-all of which I had no trouble mastering . . . as I

"Whatever happened to the good old standard bicycle?" I asked silently, as I was being checked out on my five-speed bike.

"When you change gears, take the weight off the pedals, but keep pedaling. . . No! No! You're going too slow. Get a little more speed before you change gears. Okay, now change . . . keep the pedals going or you'll ruin the derailleur!... Derailleur? "I thought trains got derailed," I said, ... but nobody laughed.

Maybe I should sign up for a driver's training course thought. It is difficult to be taught by a member of the family, 'they' say.

While being able to shift to a lower gear makes pedaling easier, one has to anticipate the need well in advance. But, for the novice (me) by the time I think I might desire a lower gear, I've already hit the uphill grade, and then it's too late! Easing up on the pedals, but still keeping them in

motion and moving the shift lever at the same time, is a little like the "patting your head and rubbing your Bicycling is not only good exercise, but like walking, provides a different perspective and a greater awareness

One would not consider most of the streets of Lowell to be classed as hilly, but when riding a bike, even the slightest grade can put a strain on long unused leg muscles. Pot-holes and puddles are to be avoided-the first being hard on wheels-the second-messy on

A bicyclist should travel as far to the right side of the road as possible, especially if there is much traffic A rear-view mirror is helpful in spotting cars approaching from behind. I think mine is a magnifying mirroryou have no idea how monstrous a yellow school bus looks bearing down on you from the rear. The space between two parked cars saved me that time-although. I'm sure the bus driver had no intention of hitting that

"Well, why not? I passed kiddie car, you know!"

A short business meeting will be followed with a pro-

Meyers & DeBold

#### LHS-SPORTS SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25 Track-Greenville at Lowell Baseball, Tennis-at Belding (Game time 4 p.m.) THURSDAY, APRIL 26

Baseball, Tennis-Coopersville at Lowell, 4 p.m.

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# Douma New Coach

Edward R. Douma, coach of Shelby High School's 1970-71 and '71-72 class C state bas ketball champions, has been named head basket ball coach at Alma Col-

The appointment of Douma to replace William G. Klenk, who resigned earlier this year after six seasons as the Alma basketball coach, has been announced by Dr. Robert D. Swanson, preside of the college.

Douma is presently the head tennis coach at Western Michigan University where he is a graduate student, and last winter he coached Western's junior varsity basketball

Douma began his coaching career at Lowell High School in 1966 and during his two years there was the head tennis and junior varsity basketball coach as well as an assistant in football. In 1968 he took over the head basketball coach

ing post at Shelby, and

in four years at Shelby

Michigan Conference

ed a record of 73 wins

his teams won four West

played on the Knights' After graduation from Calvin he played with the championships and compilsemi-pro Grand Rapids Tackers from 1966 thru and 11 losses. Douma was also Shelby's head golf



football. He served as the school's athletic director in his final two years

A graduate of Western Michigan Christian High School in Muskegon, he was a starting guard on that school's 1962 state championship team. Also an outstanding performer at Calvin College, Douma was an All-Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association (MIAA) basketball selection there in 1964-65 and '65-66 and 1963-64 and '65-66 MI-AA title-winning teams.

Judo... A Growing Sport

Judo, "The Gentle Way," is a growing sport in Michigan YMCA's. Pictured is part of the Lowell YMCA Judo Club that practices every Saturday morning 9 to 10:30 a.m. in the high school gym. Harold Barnes is instructor for the club.



Karate Class Enthusiastic

There was an enthusiastic turnout for the first session of the Lowell YMCA Karate Class. Taught by Vic and Pam Weeks, who are ranked Brown Belt, this YMCA class meets Saturday mornings 10:30 to 12 noon at the Lowell High

Black bass opener in a waters except Lake St. Clair and the St. Clair and Detroit

MAY 31

Archery-spearing season on

rough fish closes in certain

JUNE 2

JUNE 23

ms throughout the state.

FISHERMAN'S CALENDAR

Start of spearing and archery season on suckers, carp, and certain other rough fish in non-trout streams and a few designated trout streams of Upper Peninsula. Fishing resumes on muskellunge, northern pike, and walleyes

in north part of Lake Huron. Lake St. Clair and the Black bass season extended to Lake St. Clair and the St.

Opener for fishing norther pike and walleyes. \*\* Hookand-line action also starts on muskellunge except in Lake St. Clair and the St. Clair and Detroit rivers. (Muskie season in those waters gets under way June 2).

Roth Sparks WMU Scrimmage

Western Michigan University's annual Spring foot-ball scrimmage last Friday was given the added spark it needed when running back Ken Roth scored two

Roth, who scored on a four yard plunge and an eight-yard pass from quarterback Paul Jorgensen of Greenville, led the No. 1 Brown unit to a 29-7 victory over the Reserve White squad. Formerly of Lowell, Roth began his football ca-

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Wins First Place

Trophy In Karate
Members of the Shorin Ryu Karate School in Grand

Rapids were invited to participate in an interschool

tournament at Muskegon Community College last Thursday evening by Ernie Leib, 5th Dan Black Belt.

Local participants were Mr. and Mrs. Vic Weeks, teachers for the local YMCA Karate classes. This tour-

nament presented an opportunity for them to be cor-ner judges in the Junior, White and Yellow belt spar-

ring divisions. This is a vital part in their preparation

Mrs. Weeks also participated in Brown Belt Kata

competition. This time the competition included both

men and women together, with Mrs. Weeks winning the

The tournament results will be covered in a future

issue of Black Belt Magazine. Trophies were presented to first place winners, with second and third places re-

Yellow Belt Kumite (sparring) competition.

The school also took first place in Junior, White and

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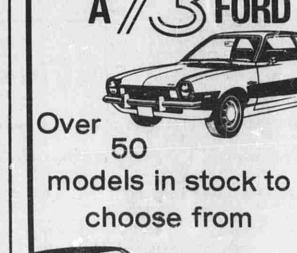
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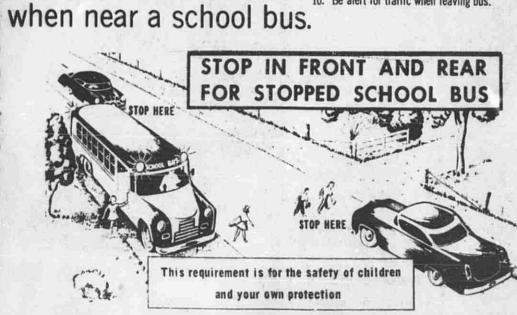
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# Cadet Softball Starts Saturday

Cubs Pinewood Derby

their gratitude.

Brian DeBold and Doug Meyers won top awards dur-ing the annual running of Cub Scout Pack 3012's annu-

DeBold was heralded as the grand champion, and

Preliminary winners were Rodger Kammers, Den 1;

Michigan High School's 1973 spring district baseball assignments have been made public by the Michigan

In the Class B districts tournament assignments include the following: at Greenville High School—Alma, Belding, Big Rapids, Elsie-Ovid, Greenville, Ionia, Lowell, Remus-Chippewa Hills, St. Johns.

At Hastings-Hastings, Lake Odessa-Lakewood,

In Class A, Grand Ledge and Lansing Waverly, both in the West Central conference, will play their tourna-

In Class C, Saranac will play with others at Ravenna while Pewamo-Westphalia and Portland High Schools

In Class D the district tournament will be at Port-land St. Patrick High School. Assigned there for play

are Ashley, Dansville, Fowler, Lansing Capitol City Christian, Morrice, Portland St. Patrick, Pottersville

and Webberville. Louis Lascala, principal of the High

School, will be the tournament manager at St. Patrick. The state finals tournament locations are-Class A.

Grand Haven High School; Class B-Roosevelt High

School, Wyandotte; Class C-Coldwater High School; and Class D-Port Austin High School.

will play among others at Ithaca High School.

Rusty Towne, Den 2; Rick Serne, Den 4; Greg Smith,

Den 5; Brian DeBold, Den 8; Kevin Kaminski, Den 9.

Meyers was presented with the best design award.

al Pinewood Derby last week.

High School Athletic Association.

Charlotte and others

ments at Lansing-Everett.

Shown above is last year's Cadet Softball League champions — the Crows. Many of these boys will return to the same league this year which starts this Saturday,

From the Webelos, Mark Almas placed first, with

Over 50 parents, friends and leaders were on hand

A special 'thanks' from the Cubs were given to the

Den Mothers and Webelos leaders who were so instru-

mental in making the derby run smoothly, and again

provide competitive achievements for all contestants.

each event with preciseness, the Cubs also extended

To the Haybarkers, who took on the task of judging

at the Runciman School to watch the cars, made by

Larry Heffron finishing a very close second.

the Cubs, take their runs down the ramp.

The Cadet softball program is for 0, 7 and 8-year-old boys. A boy must be at least 6 years old before August 1, 1973. If a boy is 9 years old before August 1, he must play in the Little League program.

Practices will be held the next three Saturdays from 1 to 2:30 p.m. at Richard's Park. Following the three-week practice schedule, all boys will be placed on teams. The cost is \$4 for YMCA members and \$5.50

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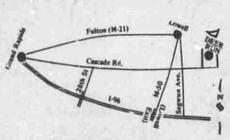


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tive main event victory followed by Rick Knotts, Ed VanderLaan, Jim Aldrich, Terry Senneker, and Jeff

Heat race winners were Phil Poortenga, Bill Cox, Aldrich, Sensiba and Bill Wittington. Australian pur-

suit race honors were captured by Eding and Aldrich.

Eding and Bob Senneker won the fast car dash events.

insolation feature race honors went to Dave Cutler.

Howe was the fastest of 64 qualifiers with a 17.38

seconds dash around the one-half mile Marne oval. Don

Roberts escaped serious injury when his car hit the con-crete retaining wall in the first lap of the hectic late

The YMCA-sponsored girl's softball program started last Tuesday when the eight through 10-year-olds as-

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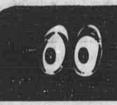
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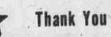
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Thornapple Community

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part in Grand Valley State Colleges' first "Model United Nations," on-campus, April 26-28. Registration will begin at 9 a.m., Thursday in The Commons building for all students and their advisors, who have already been immersed in studies and planning sessions for the delegation activities of the event. Keynote speaker at a combined dinner-meeting, attended by over 235 Western Michigan high school students April 27, will be Ruth Phillips of the U. S. State

Students from Forest Hills Central, and their advisor, Frank Rosengren, will attend the Model United Nationa as delegates representing China and Portugal. Advisor Paul Leavenworth of Forest Hills Northern, with his assembly of students, will represent USSR.

Will Introduce Bill To Cut Drug Prices State Representatives Joseph Forbes (D-Oak Park) and Lynn Jondahl (D-East Lansing) said they will intro-

duce major legislation April 30 to drive down the price

that first proposed the legislation, Rep. Jondahl pointed

sion or a struggling young couple with children, such a savings can often make the purchase of a necessary but

costly drug financially possible," Rep. Jodahl explained.

gan the first state in the nation to require drug stores to

"The city of Boston has mandated price posting for

publicly list their prescription drug prices for the con-

several years," Rep. Forbes said. "Consumers there

claim that it has served to make prescription drugs a

more competitive item, driving the price down. There

is no reason posting should not have the same effect

Both of the Lansing lawmakers stressed the importance of grass roots citizens' support for this legislation

erful one with enormous financial resources," Rep.

any effort to promote price competition that might

Jondahl said. "They can be expected to oppose bitterly

"But if we can get the average consumer whose pocketbook will be helped by this bill, to demand ac-

tion from his representatives in Lansing," Rep. Forbes

Citizens interested in the passage of this bill should

Mrs. Marie Newark, 71, of Ruskin, Florida died Fri-

Mirs. Newark was a retired social worker for the fed-

eral government, living in Jackson, Michigan for several

said, "then we will win this fight to cut drug prices."

write their state representatives.

MRS. MARIE NEWARK

**DIES IN FLOR!DA** 

FORMER LOWELL RESIDENT

"The pharmaceutical manufacturers' lobby is a pow-

of a particular drug by as much as 65%.

sumer's benefit.

here in Michigan."

if it is to become law.

park or public building or conduct himself in any pubof prescription drugs in Michigan. The legislation would allow pharmacists to offer consumers the medically identical generic version of a drug in place of a more expensive brand name drug. Drug stores would also be required to post the prices of the (i) Beg in any public place. 100 most prescribed drugs at each drug counter to enable customers to shop for bargains by comparing pric-(k) Engage in peeping in the windows of any

"We think it is time Michigan consumers had the chance to purchase prescription drugs at the lowest possible price," Rep. Forbes said. "And we believe this bill will provide that chance by introducing meaningful exposure of his or her person. price competition into drug stores." (n) Engage in any act of prostitution or gross Quoting from a price survey conducted in February of this year by the Michigan Citizens Lobby, the group

out that the proposed measure could cut down the cost (p) Attend, frequent, operate or be an occu-pant or inmate of any place where prostitution, gam-bling, the illegal sale of intoxicating liquor or narcotics, "For example, Equanil, a well known brand of the commonly used tranqualizer, Meprobamate, carries an average price in Michigan of \$8.50 for 100 tablets. However, the same quantity of the generic version, which mitted or conducted. is medically and chemically identical to Equanil, sells (q) Disturb the public peace by loud, boisterfor only \$2.95. To a senior citizen living on a small pen-

ous or vulgar conduct. (r) Permit or suffer any place occupied or condisorderly persons. If enacted, the Forbes-Jondahl bill would make Michi-

charge of his duties as such.

mation in connection with any arrest or investigation. (u) Knowingly make to any police officer a fictitious report of the purported commission of any

other person in the nighttime, without authority or the permission of the owner of such premises.

(z) Minor in Possession of Alcoholic Liquors: No person under the age of eighteen (18) years shall purchase, or knowingly possess or transport any alcoholic liquor, or knowingly possess, transport, or have under his control in any motor vehicle any alcoholic liquor unless said person is employed by a licensee as defined in Public Acts 1952, No. 227, as amended, and

day, April 6 as a result of injuries sustained in a traffic SECTION III. Any person, firm or corporation who shall vio-late any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be A former Lowell resident, Mrs. Ruskin is survived by her husband, Grayson; a daughter, Mrs. Shirley Kops guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, of Jackson; three sisters, Mrs. Frieda Stanton of Bradshall be punished by a fine of not to exceed Five Hunenton, Florida, Mrs. Louise Schneider of Lowell, and dred Dollars (\$500.00) together with court costs, in Matilda Gorte of Lyons; two brothers, Oswald and

This Ordinance shall be effective thirty (30) days after publication hereof, April 19, 1973.

Kenneth Anderson, Township Clerk

ids were delegates to the 4-H Veterinary Science Tour of the Upjohn Company at Kalamazoo April 25. Included in the days activities were a tour of the pharmaceutical production facilities, laboratories and

Kim Thome, Comstock Park; Pat Van Slyke, Ada;

Kay Perry, Rockford and Steve Christians, Grand Rap-

research facilities. The tour was planned to provide the young people with new ideas for experiments and activities in the 4-H veterinary project and to recognize members with a sincere interest in the field.

Marra, Kent County 4-H Youth Agent.

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Pvt. Rick Niel Onan is now stationed near Frankfort, Germany. His new address is: 362-60-2167 Co. C 95 TL MPBn. APO New York 09031, General Delivery

Ada Township

Disorderly Conduct **Ordinance** 

An Ordinance to prohibit disorderly conduct and other miscellaneous offenses. SECTION I. DEFINITIONS The term "Public Place" as used in this chapter

place of business or assembly open to or frequented by the public, or to which the public has access. SECTION II. ACTS PROHIBITED No person shall:

on any person.

(a) Commit an assault, or an assault and battery

(b) Engage in any disturbance, fight, or quarrel

shall mean any street, alley, park, public building, any

(c) Be drunk in any public place or under the influence of any narcotic drug in any public place. (d) Engage in any indecent insulting, immoral, or obscene conduct in any public place. (e) Insult, accost, molest, or otherwise annoy

either by word of mouth, sign or motion, any person

in any public place. (f) Collect or stand in crowds, or arrange, encourage, or abet the collection of persons in crowds for unlawful mischievous purposes in any public place to the annoyance or inconvenience of others. (g) Jostle or roughly crowd persons in any

street, alley, park, or public building.

ic place so as to obstruct the free and interrupted passage of the public. (i) Wilfully destroy, remove, damage, alter or in any manner deface any property not his or her own.

(h) Loiter on any street or sidewalk or in any

inhabited place. (1) Swim or bathe in any public place in the (m) Make any immoral exhibition or indecent

indecency (o) Solicit or accost any person for the purpose of inducing the commission of any illegal or immoral

or where any other illegal business or occupation is per-

trolled by him to be a resort of noisy, boisterous, or (s) Obstruct, resist, hinder, or oppose any member of the police force, or any office in the dis-

(t) Knowingly furnish to any police officer or other official a false name, false address or false infor-

(v) Trespass or unlawfully remain upon the premises of another to the annoyance or disturbance of the lawful occupant or his agent. (w) Prowl about on the private premises of any

(x) Throw or propel any snowball, missile or object from any moving automobile. (y) Wrongfully throw or propel any snowball, missile or object toward any person or automobile.

is possessing, transporting or having such alcoholic liquor in a motor vehicle under his control during regular working hours and in the course of his employment.

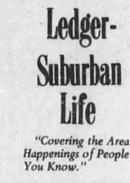
the discretion of the court. SECTION IV.

The foregoing Ordinance was adopted at a regular meeting of the Ada Township Board held on April

years and has resided in Florida for the past seven years. Ten cents per copy on news stands. By Mail, \$4 paid in advance in Kent and Ionia Counties; \$5 elsewhere.



Ezinga, 2558 Linda, SE. was among the 46 Michigan State Police candidates who were graduated as probationary troopers in ceremonies for the 84th Recruit Class, April 18, in the Lansing Na-



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> Sympathy is extended to the family of Mrs. Herman (Catherine) Damstra of Lowell in the death of her mother, Mrs. Alice Wiersum, 80, of Grand Rapids, April 19.

Lawrence Bieri, both of Lowell.

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# Revenue Sharing, What Is It?

The federal revenue sharing program initiated by Congress in October 1972 provides for the distribution of \$30.2 billion to the nation's 39,000 state and local governments over a five-year period. A total of \$147.9 million was distributed to local units of government in Michigan during December 1972 and January 1973. Checks were being mailed out last week for the first federal revenue sharing allotments for the period January 1 through June 30. Michigan state and local governments will be reciving approximately one-half the amount to be allocated for the six-month period.

Michigan state and local units of government will be receiving more in federal revenue sharing this year than last because of the formula adopted by Congress which increases the amount annually by \$300 million during the five-year period.

The revenue sharing program cost the federal gov-ernment \$5.3 last year and will increase to \$6.5 billion in the final year of the program.

Michigan's share of the recently mailed checks is \$63,401,701 with the state receiving slightly less than one-third the total and the rest going to county, city, township and village governments. The total allotment for all units in Kent County if \$1,795,653.

Federal revenue sharing theoretically was initiated to give local governmental units more control of money to be spent in their own communities.

Federal revenue sharing is proposed to come in two forms: General and Special (or block) grants. However, 'block grants' are not anticipated before 1975.

Political leaders of local governments have broad authority to use 'general' revenue sharing funds as they see fit.

Block grants are proposed to be for earmarked purposes. The theory is that as the federal categorial bureaucracy is broken down, local units of government can receive like dollars with broad, rather than narrow limitations. For example, localities could receive block grants earmarked for "manpower" or "community development" to offset collapsed federal programs in areas of job training or subsidized housing and other physical (capital) improvements.

The future of certain social service programs under OEO, HUD, HEW, and others, has been made uncertain because of the loss of federal revenues for local communities that will substantially exceed the monies to be received from general revenue sharing.

As a result, social agencies could have to curtail some programs such as those services available under the the United Fund and Community Services' agencies.

Pros & Cons of Revenue Sharing

Pro Can eliminate certain congressionally authorized programs (possibly for political purposes), resulting in inadequate appropriations because of fiscal

Can eliminate a proliferation of categorical programs resulting in expensive and overlapping ad-ministrative units at the federal, state and local

Can result in greater economies, increased efficiency of administration and greater effectiveness in getting the services to individuals in need at

Permits local determination of priorities. Permits long range planning at the local level for

Re-establishes and enhances the role of the voluntary sector by reducing Federal controls over local social services.

Cons Future uncertain-making long-range planning dif-

Proliferates tax resources for support of areawide social services among an unprecedented number of local governmental units.

May tend to perpetuate numerous autonomous units of local government contrary to trends toward metropolitan areawide government.

Substantially reduces local governmental support for social services both in terms of dollars and in understanding of needs.

Some concern over whether local governmental units will be able to determine priorities wisely.

Capital Improvements Lead Revenue Sharing Priorities

According to a recent study conducted by R. Thomas Martin district extension agent for public affairs with the Michigan State University Cooperative Extension Service, capital improvements and equipment have been the top priority for the use of federal revenue sharing funds in Michigan.

Over 220 county, city, village and township governments were included in the study.

The most popular priorities, according to the survey, were road improvement, public buildings, and the purchase of new police and fire equipment. Road improvement was found to rate top priority among the state's township officials, while courthouse or jail projects were reported by over one-third of the counties.

Several reasons can be given for the emphasis on capital improvements: (1) The enormous capital need of Michigan's local communities, (2) The temporary nature of the revenue sharing program, and (3) The "nonrecurring" nature of such expenditures.

Over one-third of the local units reporting indicated no determination of priorities had been made, as yet, for use of their revenue sharing money.

# Elmer Yeiters To Celebrate 50th

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer C. Yeiter, Morse Lake Avenue, Lowell, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house, Sunday, April 29, from 2 to 5 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Finkbeiner, 7028-100th Street, Caledonia.

Friends and relatives are cordially invited. The couple requests no gifts.

## Achieve Straight A's At Michigan State

Joanne Lowetz of 938 Lincoln Lake Avenue, Lowell, was among a total of 552 students at Michigan State University who achieved a 4.0 or "straight A" average during the winter term. Of the honor students, 437 were from Michigan.

Joanne is a senior at MSU, majoring in elementary and special education.

Also maintaining all A's were Roland Bergdahl, Brian Jeltema, and Paul Sorenson of the Forest Hills area.

#### Observatory Opens Doors For Visitors

The J. C. Veen Observatory will be open to visitors from 8 to 10:30 p.m. on Saturday, May 12 and Friday, May 25. Guests are welcome both nights without

There will be telescopic observations if the sky is clear, with inspection of equipment and periodic showings of the movie, "Voyage Through the Universe," regardless of weather conditions.

The Observatory is located at 3308 Kissing Rock Avenue, southwest of Lowell.

# Party To Climax **Euchre Season**

The YMCA Spring Euchre Party will be held Saturday, April 28, 7:30 p.m. at the Bushnell All-Purpose Room. This climaxes the Euchre Club season and tro-phies will be awarded the top woman player, the top man player and the couple with the highest number of

Cost will be \$1.00 for tournament couples and \$2 for guest couples, and guests are welcome.

Please call the "Y" office no later than Thursday, April 26, to make your reservations. Mr. and Mrs. George Fansler, Mrs. Olive Collins and Bill Heim are acting as host couples and making all arrangements.

We all had a great time at our last Euchre Party—

let's all come and make this one just as good!

## Is 'Miss Wyoming'

Kimberly Jo Zimmer, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Jack Zimmer of Ada won the annual Miss Wyoming Amvet's Pageant, April 14.

A senior at Forest Hills Central, the new "Miss Wyoming" chose a modern dance routine for her talent

She also won the swim suit segment of the pageant. **RECORD FARM SIGN-UP** 

Enrollment in the 1973 Feed Grain and Wheat Program surpassed the record enrollment in the 1972 program. This announcement was made by Walter Wittenbach, Chairman of the Michigan State Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation (ASC) Committee.

In Michigan over 61,500 are signed up in the Wheat Program and over 64,000 farms in the Feed Grain Program. The farms enrolled in the Wheat Program represents 72 percent of all Michigan farms with wheat al-



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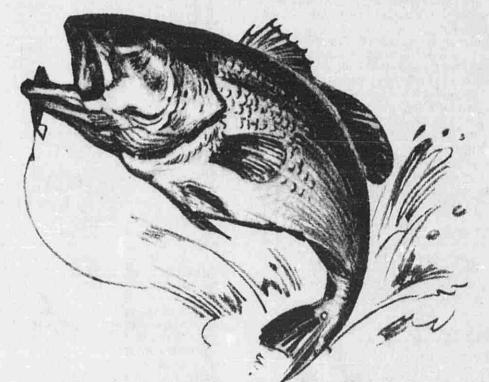
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Baked Potatoes-Sour Cream, Choice of Salad. SATURDAY, MAY 5

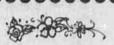
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