

Lowell Ledger Suburban Life

"Covering Area Happenings of People You Know!"

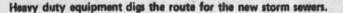
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Temporary Outages May Occur

With the \$1,800,000 Storm and Sanitary Sewer Program under construction, new and sometimes unpleasant experiences are felt by citizens as temporary outages of water, gas or electric services occur due to damages caused during construction.

Most of such "shut-downs" of service are not long in duration, but are inevitably felt by most citizens during such a program.

Probably the temporary loss of water service will be the most irritating problem during the all-summer long project as it proceeds. Many water mains will be re-located to allow sewers to be placed. During the reloca-tion of water mains (and individual water services) several city blocks may have to be shut down while re-pairs are made. Because of the magnitude of the project, little, if any advance notice of shut-downs will be made.

If construction crews are observed in your neighborhood, it might be well to draw several containers of water for the day.

In general, the Contractor, Gillisse Construction Company, will follow the schedule as listed below.

Construction began at Hudson and Hunt Street last Tuesday and will continue westerly on Hunt and streets north from Hunt Street and will progressively move south toward Main Street.

Also started last Tuesday was the large Storm Sewer at the south end of Washington Street. This is very large pipe and the work progresses more slowly. This section will continue north along Washington Street to Grant Street, then be followed, in general, by Sherman Street-Flat River to Washington, Avery Street-Washing-ton to Jackson Street, Jackson Street-Avery to North, Jefferson Street-Avery to Fremont, Front Street-Washington to Division, Division Street-Front to Avery.

This work will continue for approximately three months with concrete work, graveling and paving to follow pipe laying in approximately the same order.

Parking Problem

On occasions through the summer various streets will be torn up because of storm sewer separation. The Lowell Police Department will cooperate with citizens that have parking problems. If you are unable to park your vehicle in the normal manner in which you are accustomed, then on-the-street parking will be allowed for that duration.

Memorial Services Monday

Lowell's annual Memorial Day Parade Monday, May 28, will begin at approximately 9:30 a.m. at Richard's Park.

Marching veterans will assemble at the Lowell VFW Hall at 8:30, with all other units gathering at the Park at 9 promptly.

Forming the parade, besides the veterans, will be service organizations, antique cars, horses, boy and girl Scout units, Lowell School bands, and decorated bikes, and other colorful entries.

Due to confusion imposed last year, motorized bikes of all sizes have been excluded from the parade line-up this year.

Upon formation the band will wind its way down Main Street and up North Monroe Street to Oakwood Cemetery where the traditional 'memorial' service will he held

The Rev. Warren Holcomb of the Lowell Church of the Nazarene will deliver the main address.

Area families are cordially invited to participate in the parade or watch from the sidelines as high tributes are paid to the men and women who gave their lives so. valiantly, that we might live in peace.

In Cascade

The Memorial Day Parade in Cascade, sponsored by the McDonald-Osmer American Legion Post will be Monday at 9 a.m., at the Memorial Marker on the Cascade Bridge.

Special music will be provided by the bandsmen from Forest Hills Central High School. **Avenue of Flags**

Memorial Day Services will be conducted in Alto Monday, May 28 at the Bowne Center Cemetery at 8 p.m.

Reverend Richard Beach of the Alto Baptist Church will give the Memorial Day message.

This year the Alto American Legion Post No. 528 is starting an 'Avenue of Flags' to be placed along the drive into the cemetery.

The flags to be used will be those that have been presented to the families of deceased veterans. Each flag will be marked with the name of the veteran in whose memory the flag honors.

The Post plans to make this an annual event and

City To Back Showboat Seating

At a special meeting of the Lowell City Council Fri-day night, the Council voted to provide \$23,000 in city funds to buy new seating for Lowell Showboat Corporation.

The money is either to come from the city putting up \$23,000 in Lee fund securities for a bank loan or the city to purchase the seating with money now in a fund planned to improve city parks.

Members of the Board of Directors of Showboat first approached the Council two weeks ago and said they had to order the seating at once to have it available for this summer's show. The old seating was in-spected last year after the '72 show, and pronounced unsafe for another year. The new steel bleachers will provide about 2,000 seats and will be moveable.

Councilman Harold Jefferies, the only member of the council to vote against using city funds for Show-boat seating, said, "he felt that Showboat should provide at least one-half the money necessary from their \$19,000 of reserve funds. Showboat officers said they could not use this money because they needed it for reserves in case of a bad year.

Showboat officers agreed that they would try to repay the city over the next five years.



EXCHANGE PROGRAM

In observance of Michigan Vleek, Kent Intermediate Schools and area industries participated in an ex-change program Tuesday, May 22.

Superintendent of Lowell Area Schools, Leonard Sinke visited Attwood Corporation, while Donald Rocheleau, president of Attwood, went back to school.

BUSY HOLIDAY

Refuse Pick-Up

Normal City Refuse Collection services will also be interrupted. City Sanitation Crews will find it difficult or impossible to get to all streets on their regular schedules. They want residents to know that they are not forgotten and every reasonable attempt will be made to pick up refuse as soon as the streets are reopened.

On those streets which are closed to traffic, residents could take their refuse to nearby corners where there is access and the Sanitation Crews could then remove

Anyone having questions, feel free to contact Chief of Police, Barry D. Emmons, or the Police Department at any time. We will have to work together to see this project to the finish.



Almira Tisron correctly identified last week's mystery picture. They are Judy Vaughn, Mike Organek, Mike Fairfield, Addie Tower, ? Oesch, Judy Fairfield, Jane Organek, Jeanne Tower, ? Organek, Alice Tower, Jim Tower, Raymond Fairfield, Lonnie Tower, Susie Zalsma, Ron Topoloki, Dan Tisron, Christine Cahoon, Jim Tisron, Robert Tower.

This week's picture can be identified at noon on Friday by calling 897-9261.

One Car Crash Kills Two Lowell Men

Funeral services for two Lowell men killed in a onecar accident May 19 about 4 p.m. were held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at St. Mary's Church, Lowell.

Alfredo Gonzales, 23, and Ignacio Arias, 17, both of 11130-36th St., SE, Lowell, who died of multiple injuries, were passengers in a car driven by Joseph Arias, 25, of the same address.

Kent County Sheriff's Deputies reported the driver lost control of his vehicle on 36th St. SE, causing it to strike several trees before it rolled over. All five persons involved were thrown from the vehicle.

Mr. Gonzales is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Juan Gonzales, five brothers and severn sisters, all of

Mr. Arias is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I Isabel Arias of Mexico, four brothers, Joseph of Lowell, Jesus of Grand Rapids, one in California, one in Mexico; and two sisters, both of Mexico.

Burial will be in Lowell's St. Mary's Cemetery. The bodies were at the Roth-Gerst Funeral Home.

Other passengers admitted to Butterworth Hospital were Jesus Arias, 20, of Grand Rapids and Joseph Arias of Lowell, both reported in good condition Monday, and Ignacio Lopez, 29, of Lowell, reported in critical condition.

anyone having Memorial flags and would like them to be used is urged to contact Vernon Yeiter or any member of Post 528.

Carol Anderson Candidate For School Board

In filing for a post on the school board, Carol S. Anderson says, "I have long been interested in school and what it should accomplish for an individual child and, in fact, h have made an independent study to see what parents want from school. Nearly all parents say the same thing."

"To quote one-'An ability to reason-he needs to figure his income tax, to understand other people, to be a good reader-but above all, he

needs a feeling of self-worth so that he will want to keep trying in life." Another says, 'Tools with which to reason, think, and solve his problems. To have selfrespect. To be a good citizen.'

Mrs. Anderson agrees whole-heartedly with these viewpoints, and adds, "Although I believe in good buildings and such things as athletic programs, more time should be spent in determining where the children are now, what their needs are, and how to help them."

"Another reason I am running is that there are now three members on the present board from the Alto area and I feel there should be a wider representation. Mostly, though, I have a real desire to see that children feel good about themselves and school and what they are accomplishing."

Mrs. Anderson has children in school presently, twins Mark and Marsha in the tenth grade. She has a degree in psychology and journalism from Michigan State and has taught creative writing in adult education classes. Through the years, she has been room mother, librarian assistant in several school libraries, and been involved with Cub Scouts, Horizon Club, and Sunday School.

The Anderson family moved to Lowell from Grand Rapids in 1969 and were in Florida last year when her husband Kenneth W. Anderson, a civil engineer, took a leave of absence. They returned to Lowell in July 1972.

Mrs. Anderson's background is mainly in the writing fields and she has been collecting information for years on reading ability, feeling reading is the foundation of all school work. She has worked in advertising, radio, newspaper and magazine work. Her present free-lance work includes being correspondent for the Grand Rapids Press in the Lowell area.

During the period from 6 p.m. Friday, May 25, to midnight Monday, May 28, Michigan motorists, driving more than three million vehicles, will log an estimated 795 million miles during the upcoming Memorial Day Holiday Weekend.

This traditional kick-off for the summer vacation season is one of the heaviest traveled periods of the year. Drive safely, and "Bring Em Back Alive."

TREASURES UNFOUND

Several treasures were left unfound last week as Northern Propane Gas Company on West Main Street conducted an open house and treasure hunt.

Mrs. Robert White of Riverside Drive won the grand door prize, a portable gas grill, with Mrs. Mulder, Clay-ton House, Doris Boyd, Jim Munroe and Dale Herrold claiming other valuable prizes.

When the next treasure hunt takes place, be sure you're there to get in on the action.

BUSINESS EXPANDING...

Construction got underway this week for an expansion program at the Showboat Restaurant on East Main Street. The new addition will give the restaurant more seating capacity.

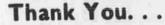
GRILL WORK ADDED...

Borgerson's Antique Shop on East Main Street, housed in the former Lowell Baptist Church, is undergoing a renovation job. Decorative iron grill work is being added to the front, and a new paint job will transform the building into something new.

ANNUAL CONVENTION ...

Amway Corporation of Ada will host their 14th annual distributor's convention May 24, 25 and 26. The new Center of Free Enterprise will be open for public tours 9 and 11 a.m. and 1:30 and 3:30 p.m. daily; except Saturday, Sunday and holidays. MUST BE RESIDENT TO RUN

Anyone circulating petitions and/or running for office of Lowell City Council must be a registered voter within the limits of the City of Lowell. Signatures on any petitions circulated by a non-registered person will not be accepted. Signatories also must be registered voters living within the City of Lowell.



I could write a thousand words, but none would adequately say 'thank you' for all the wonderful acts of kindness extended to me since my mishap.

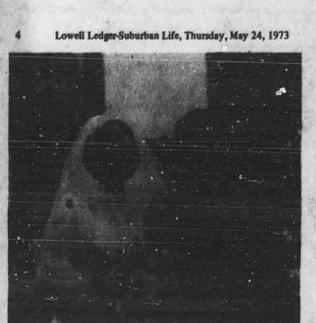
The cards, flowers, calls and help at home have made me fully realize, and appreciate more, what wonderful friends, neighbors and relatives I have.

The Editor

ROSIE DRIVE INN-This Week's Special: Pizza Burgers, 434. Family Nite Tuesday, 4 to 8 p.m. Hamburgers 254, Hippi burgers 554, French Fries, 194. Chocolate Sundaes, 254. Broasted Chicken with Potato Saled \$1.25, 5 to 8 p.m. only. Open 8 a.m. Sunday for Breakfast.







MR. AND MRS. MICHAEI. FALUSO **Vows** Exchanged

A 12:30 ceremony in St. Francis Xavier Church of Grand Rapids, April 28, united in marriage Miss Ilene Simcox and Michael Faluso.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. James Mc-Cormick of Lowell and Mr. and Mrs. John Faluso of Grand Rapids.

Maid of honor was Miss Lynette Swan. Bridesmaids were Chris Faluso, Laurie Swan, Mrs. Mary Tyson and Mrs. Sylvia Cassis.

Attending the groom as best man was Jim Lynch. Groomsmen and ushers were Greg Lafay, Fred Nichols, Joe Cucinella and Dave Nowak.

After a Florida honeymoon, the couple are making their home in Grand Rapids.



Rev. Earl Decker

897-8835

EASTMONT BAPTIST CHURCH

5038 Cascade Road

Rev. Robert McCarthy

David Farmer

Youth Pastor

BETHANY BIBLE CHURCH

3900 Fulton, East

Broadcast 10 a.m. - WMAX 1480

Pastor: Rev. Raymond E. Befus

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH - IN ALTO

Corner 60th & Bancroft Ave.

Wednesday Prayer Fellowship 7:30 p.m.

Richard A. Beach, Pastor

Telephone 868-3011

CASCADE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

(Disciples of Christ)

2829 Thornapple River Drive SE

949-1360

The Rev. Raymond Gaylord, Pastor

ADA CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

Rev. Ralph Bruxvoort, Pastor

8:15 p.m.

7:30 p.m.

9:45 a.m.

11 a.m.

7 p.m.

11 a.m.

9:50 a.m.

11:15 a.m.

6:00 p.m.

7:30 p.m.

10:00 a.m.

11 a.m. & 7:30 p.m.

9:15 & 10:30 a.m.

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5:00 p.m.

676-1698

9:30 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

6:00 p.m.

Word of Life

Sunday School

Morning Worship

Evening Worship

Morning Worship

Sunday School

Evening Service

Sunday School

Morning Worship

Youth Group Meetings

Sunday School

7152 Bradfield

Morning Worship

Sunday School

Evening Worship

Wednesday Service

Primary Church

Wednesday Training Hour

Special Sunday School Classes

The Ada Christian Reformed Church will be holding a special Sunday School program during this summer. The regular sessions of the church's Sunday School concluded with an awards program last Sunday, May 20.

For the summer the school will not have the usual consecutive lesson material but a different program each week. Programs will include film, chalk artists, object type lessons and Bible stories taught with pictures. At each session the adults will have coffee, with kool-aid and cookies for the children.

Adults and children will meet together so that this may be a truly family experience. Everyone in the comnunity from toddlers to adults are invited to the first session this Sunday, May 27.

Because of Memorial Day a group of patriotic songs and hymns will be sung. The school will be held at the regular Sunday School session time from 10:45-11:30 each Sunday morning.

B & PW Women Attend

55th State Convention

The Business and Professional Women held their 55th annual State convention, May 18 through 20 in Detroit. The convention was attended by over 600 members from all over the state. Attending from the Lowell area was Lylia Johnson, Irene Osborne, and Ilah Melle

The convention speaker was Judge Mary Coleman, who is a Supreme Court Justice, the first woman to ever hold this position. Judge Coleman spoke about reviewing cases in which she will be instrumental in form-ing new laws for the State of Michigan.

The Lowell B & P W Club is now open for member ship, and invite any interested working women to their installation meeting which will be held Monday, June 4, at the home of Marguerite Shaler of 503 N. Washington Street

A Few Openings

Mrs. George Herrity, director of the Day Nursery at Cascade Christian, has informed us that there are still a few openings for pre-schoolers at the 11:15-1:30 ses-sion on Monday-Wednesday-Friday. The tuition cost is \$22.50 a month. All other sessions are completely filled at this point.

A new teacher will be on the Day Nursery staff this fall in anticipation of a record number of 120 preschool children. Contacts should be made with Mrs. Herrity (949-0478) if there is interest on your part.

'Housing' Topic For

Senior Citizens Meet

The next meeting of Lowell's Senior Citizens, the Golden Swingers, will be June 4th at Bushnell School

from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. Thomas Bellows will speak about housing for Senior Citizens. The trip to Frankenmuth will be June 21. Anyone wishing information may call the club's president Emory Bowen at 897-8565.

CONCERT WITH SOUL

Attention young people! Come to a soul-searching concert on Sunday, May 27 at 2:30 p.m. at the Lowell Wesleyan Church. One performance only Let's all get some 'soul'-Young and old alike, let's close the generation gap. Admission free.

CASCADE CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

Sunday School

6631 Cascade Rd. Rev. W. Timmer

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New World Quartet To Sing Sunday At Lowell Nazarene

The New World Quartet from Olivet Nazarene Col-lege, Kankakee, Illinois, will arrive Saturday afternoon and will participate in services at the Lowell Church of the Nazarene, 201 N. Washington, Sunday. They will be featured during the Sunday School hour at 10 a.m.; worship service at 11 and the evening service at 7:30.

Jerry Batterbee, a Lowell High School graduate, will be speaking at the morning service. He sings bari-tone in the quartet along with Randy James, tenor, from Middletown, Indiana; David Vickery, lead, from Grand Haven; and Rick Colling, bass, from Unionville, Michi-gan. Their planist is Jim Forrester, from Ludington.

Randy James will be speaking in the evening service. Of interest is the fact that Rick Colling will be going to the Republic of The Philippines.

The quartet will be sharing what Jesus Christ has done for them and something of the excitement they have found in being a true Christian today. The host pastor, Rev. Warren E. Holcomb, and the

congregation extend an invitation to you to attend and share the blessings of these services.



Mr. and M.s. Gilbert Snieder spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrr. Clayton Dawson of Mansfield, Ohio, . . .

Mrs. Florence Jones Culver of Portage spent Tuesday visiting friends and relatives in Lowell. ...

Happy Birthday to-Jean Bewell, Marguerite Shaler, Janet Bailey, May 24; Phyllis Bieri, Joel Bieri, May 25; Laurie and Lynette Swan, Lucille Rittenger, May 26; Avery Block, May 27; Sandra Meredith, Lisa Thomas, May 28; Lois Kloosterman, Carolyn Blough, Joyce Gross, May 29 Marylyn Houseman, May 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Krebs will observe their wedding anniversary on May 27. May 31, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Neal will celebrate their anniversary.

Cornelius Paauwe remains a patient at Hackley Hospital in Muskegon where he underwent major surgery two weeks ago. Mrs. Jack Jonkhoff has been a recent patient at Butterworth undergoing treatments on her

OPEN HOUSE FOR NEW ARRIVAL

COME & WORSHJP

Worship Service

Sunday School

Friends, relatives and acquaintances are invited to meet Earl Richard King, the new little son, who has come to make his home with Richard and Ruth Ann King. An open house will be held in his honor at the home of Mrs. Everett Carey, 12656 Grand River Dr., Lowell, on Saturday morning, May 26 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH (LCA)

2700 E. Fulton Rd.

8:30 & 10:45 a.m.

9:30 a.m.

897-7514

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8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

ALTO-BOWNE CENTER

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Carter H. Miller, Minister

11353 60th St. Alto, 868-3131

ALTO - Corner Kirby and Harrison

BOWNE CENTER - 84th St. and M-50

VERGENNES UNITED METHODIST

The Rev. Philip Carpenter

"The Little White Church On The Corner"

Corner Parnell and Bailey

Morning Worship

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cer Mike Olson of the Lowell Police Department came and visited with the morning session and Officer John K. Blouw of the Kent County Sheriff Department visited with the afternoon session The children have been learning about friends through visiting with their friends at the State Savings Bank, The Lowell Bakery and The Police Department.



'Love Liberates' Sermon Topic

Sunday, May 27, "Love Liberates" is the sermon topic being preached by Elder High Priest Merril Champion at the 11 a.m. service of the Alaska Branch Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. Church School for all ages is held at 9:45 a.m. Instead of the regular Sunday evening service there will be a Book of Morman class at 7 p.m. The instruc-tor will be Elder L. J. McCaul.

Wednesday, May 30, 7:30 p.m., Midweek Fellow-ship Service with Priest Marvin LaLone giving us thoughts for consideration, with his theme, "Let Us Love One Another."

Vacation Bible School June 25-29, in the evenings at the Alaska Branch of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 7 p.m. till 9 p.m. Three-year-olds through 14 years of age. Theme, "Created by God."

SNOW UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

3189 Snow Avenue between 28th said 36th Streets (east Steve Beach, pastor 897-8008

Morning Worship Sunday School (all ages) Youth Group "Think Snow"

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE-LOWELL 201 North Washington

Rev. W. E. Holcomb Church School **Morning Worship** Jrs. Teens, Adults **Evening Service** Mid Week Service (Wednesday)

> Nursery Provided Come and Worship With Us

ADA COMMUNITY REFORMED CHURCH 7227 Thornapple River Dr. - 676-1032

Morning Worship Sunday School Evening Worship We invite you to make this

Community Church your Church Home. Welcome to all!

EASTMONT REFORMED CHURCH Corner Ada Dr. & Forest Hills Parsonage - 4637 Ada Drive - 949-1372 Sunday School

Rev. Simon Nagel "The Church Where There Are No Strangers" WELCOMES YOU

LOWELL ASSEMBLY OF GOD (A Charismatic Church) Services held at Lowell High School Auditorium Worship

Evening Worship Tuesday Bible Study (1401 Sibley)

Sunday Revival Time Broadcast WFUR-AM **Sunday Revival Time Broadcast**

WFUR-FM Rev. Melvin F. Goble-Ph. 897-8895

Morning Service **Evening Services** 6:00 p.m. **CALVARY CHRISTIAN REFORMED** CHURCH OF LOWELL 1151 W. Main Street **Rev. Bernard Fynaardt, Pastor** Phone 897-8841 10:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m. Norship 11:15 a.m. Sunday School Supervised Nursery During All Services WELCOME, FRIEND! FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF LOWELL (Member United Church of Christ) N. Hudson at Spring St., Lowell F. Ervin Hyde, Minister 10:30 a.m. Church School 10:30 a.m. Morning Worship (Cribbery and Nursery provided) THORNWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH Buttrick near Thomapple Rd., Ada

> SUNDAY SCHOOL WORSHIP SERVICE EVENING GOSPEL SERVICE 6 P.M.

ST. MATTHEW LUTHERAN CHURCH **5125 CASCADE RD., SE**

11:00 a.m. Morning Worship Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Pastor: Rev. James E. Henning Phone 942-9091 Nursery provided

Nursery Care Provided Raymond A. Heine, Pastor FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF LOWELL 621 East Main "Fighting Creatively" Worship **Church School** Nursery during both services and Church School Dean I. Bailey, Minister

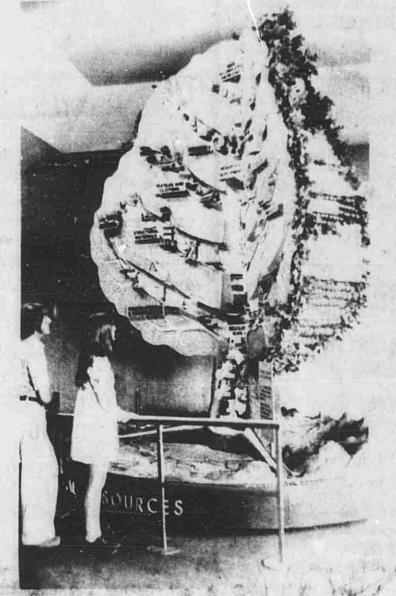
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Robert Nelson, Minister 10 A.M. 11 A.M.



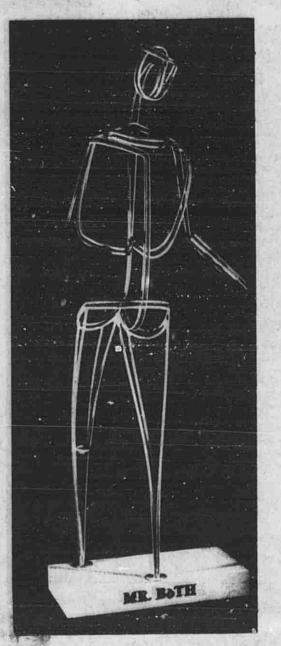
WELCOME AMWAY DISTRIBUTORS **14th Annual Convention** May 24, 25 & 26, 1973



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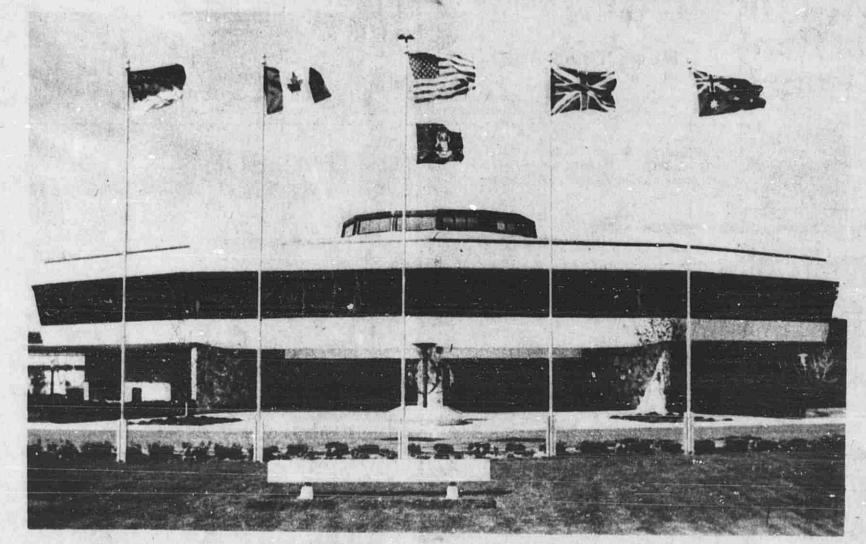
The Tree of Economic Life visually demonstrates how and what is produced in the U.S. climate of Free Enterprise.

The dedication of the Center of Free Enterprise will be a highlight of your convention. The building, the exhibits, and the educational program are slated to become leading tourist attractions in West Michigan



The audio-visual "Mr. Both" dramatizes each person's role as both producer and consumer and our responsibilities as each.

The Center of Free Enterprise is a testimonial to the success of each individual Amway distributor who sets his own goals and achieves them under the free enterprise system.



The Center of Free Enterprise is open to the public. Free tours at 9 and 11 a.m., 1..30 and 3..30 p.m. daily except Saturday, Sunday and holidays.



enterprise 'Amway The verbal battle has been strong; accusations many, interest intermixed and opinions split. If-Rix Robinson were here to witness all the war dances being held because he picked this particular area to settle in, he would probably have conceded by now to the fact that "Custer was the first man to wear

an 'Arrow' shirt. Interest has been so intense that comments from

LEGAL NOTICES

STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF KENT IN RE: THE MATTER OF No. 14327 ESTABLISHING THE NORMAL) LEVEL OF EAST LAKE

ORDER TO PUBLISH NOTICE AND SERVE NOTICE

At a session of said Court held at the Hall of Justice in the City of Grand Rapids, Kent County, Michigan, on the 3rd day of May, A.D. 1973. PRESENT: THE HONORABLE GEORGE V. BOUCH-

ER, Circuit Judge. FRANK W. BOUMA, Drain Commissioner of Kent County, having filed his Complaint asking the Court to determine the normal level of East Lake pursuant to the provisions of Act 146 of the Public Acts of 1961, and the Court being fully advised in the premises. NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of George Cook, attorney for the petitioner,

IT IS ORDERED AND ADJUDGED, that Friday, the 13th day of July, 1973, at 11:00 o'clock A.M. be and the same is hereby assigned as the date on which this Court shall hear proofs and allegations of all parties interested and shall consider and review the de scription of lands within the special assessment district and upon which day the court shall determine the level of East Lake, to be established and maintained.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED AND ADJUDG-ED that a copy of this Order be published in the Lowell Ledger once each week for eight (8) successive weeks prior to the 13th day of July, 1973. AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED AND ADJUDG-

ED that copies of this Order shall be served by certified mail at least three (3) weeks prior to the 13th day of July, 1973, to each person whose name appears on the latest Township Tax Assessment Rolls as owning lands within the special assessment district at the address shown on the roll and upon the Michigan State Conservation Department AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED AND ADJUDG

ED that the Kent County Drain Commissioner make available for inspection to all interested parties all engineering surveys and data heretofore compiled by him at his office in the building located at 1500 Scribner N.W., Grand Rapids, Kent County, Michigan.

GEORGE V. BOUCHER. Circuit Judge ATTEST: A TRUE COPY JACK BRONKEMA, CLERK Charles J. Zils, Deputy

Examined, Countersigned & Entered Jack Bronkema, Clerk Charles J. Zills, Deputy Clerk

near and far have beat from the tom-toms . Historian Homer Burch of Rockford, widely known for his factual material states "without any question in my mind, the rock's original site was within 25 feet of where Robinson's homestead stood . . .'

Two Lowell students, Dick Sorenson and Joe Kissinger used the issue for an indepth study as a civics' project-finding several answers questioning area residents and studying charts, their most important finding was the fact that no sewer line runs under the site, but is actually several feet away.

They witnessed the rock's final move to its resting place (camped overnight) only to return to Lowell to find the marker here draped with the wording "Lord, Save This Rock From Amway ... The act of someone who apparently wants to carry

the issue further after the peace pipe had made the Letters from former Ada residents, pro and con,

showed that people settled on another reservation still care about their native happenings . Ben Smith, retired engineer, who's tribal stance, charging like a herd of buffalos, felt he had a good com-

plaint and he wasn't about to be defeated by the Am-way tribe.

A peace treaty was made last Wednesday morning when the huge boulder was dropped back into its site where it was placed in 1927, paying tribute to the area's first white settle

And so the story goes! Or does it? Will it end here? Will the Indians honor the peace treaty and prevent further uprisings? Let's hope so.

THE ROCK IS LIFTED . . . For a journey back across the street.

Grover Lamport, 80, Ada Resident Passes

Grover C. Lamport, aged 80, of 3887 Kehoe NE, Ada, passed away May 19 at Kent Community Hospital

in Grand Rapids. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Jack (Donna) Wright of Wyoming, two stepsons, George Pearce of Melvern, Iowa, and Wayne Eckstrom of Redwood City, California; 10 grandchildren; several great-grandchildren and one sister, Mrs. Velma Ingram of Chicago, Illinois. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Kuiper Funeral Home in Grand Rapids. Interment was made in Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens, under the auspi-ces of Grattan Lodge No. 196 F&AM.

Services Wednesday For James Ford, Aged 76

James Ford, aged 76, of 11555 Potters Rd., Lowell, passed away Monday morning, May 21, at his home and was taken to the Roth-Gerst Chapel.

He is survived by his wife, Elizabeth; one daughter. Mrs. Donald (Virginia) Anderson, of Lowell; two sons, Robert of Lowell and James W. of Grand Rapids; two brothers, Glen and Harry of Lowell; two sisters, Mrs. Maggie Jensen of Greenville and Mrs. Carrie Condon of Lowell and nine grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday, 2 o'clock at the chapel, The Rev. Elton Mills officiating. Interment Alton Cemetery.

William Bieber, 84

Succumbs; Rites Held

William P. Bieber, 84, of 2505-84th Street, Byron Center, passed away May 17 in Cherry Creek Nursing

He is survived by a son, Ivan Bieber of Lowell; and a daughter, Miss Arline Bieber; four grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Funeral mass was offered Saturday morning at 11 o'clock in Visitation Church, North Dorr. Interment Visitation Cemetery.

ALBERT HOPKINS III PASSES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Albert F. Hopkins, III, of Ada, Michigan, passed away after a long illness, May 17, 1973. Surviving are

his wife, two daughters, six grandchildren, and one great-granddaught Cremation followed. Memorial services will be held

at a later date. Arrangements by Metcalfs.

Sympathy Extended

Sincere sympathy is extended to the Hollis Brillhart family, formerly of Lowell, in the death of his father, Clayton A. Brillhart, 81, of Grand Rapids. A retired greenhouse owner, Mr. Brillhart died at his home Saturday of a heart attack.

THURSDAY, MAY 24

The Cherry Creek Nursing Home Guild meeting will be held Thursday, May 24, 10 a.m. at the Nursing Home.

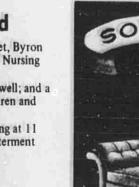


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Lowell Ledger-Suburban Life, Thursday, May 24, 1973

Daniel Tisron, 24 **Dies Suddenly**

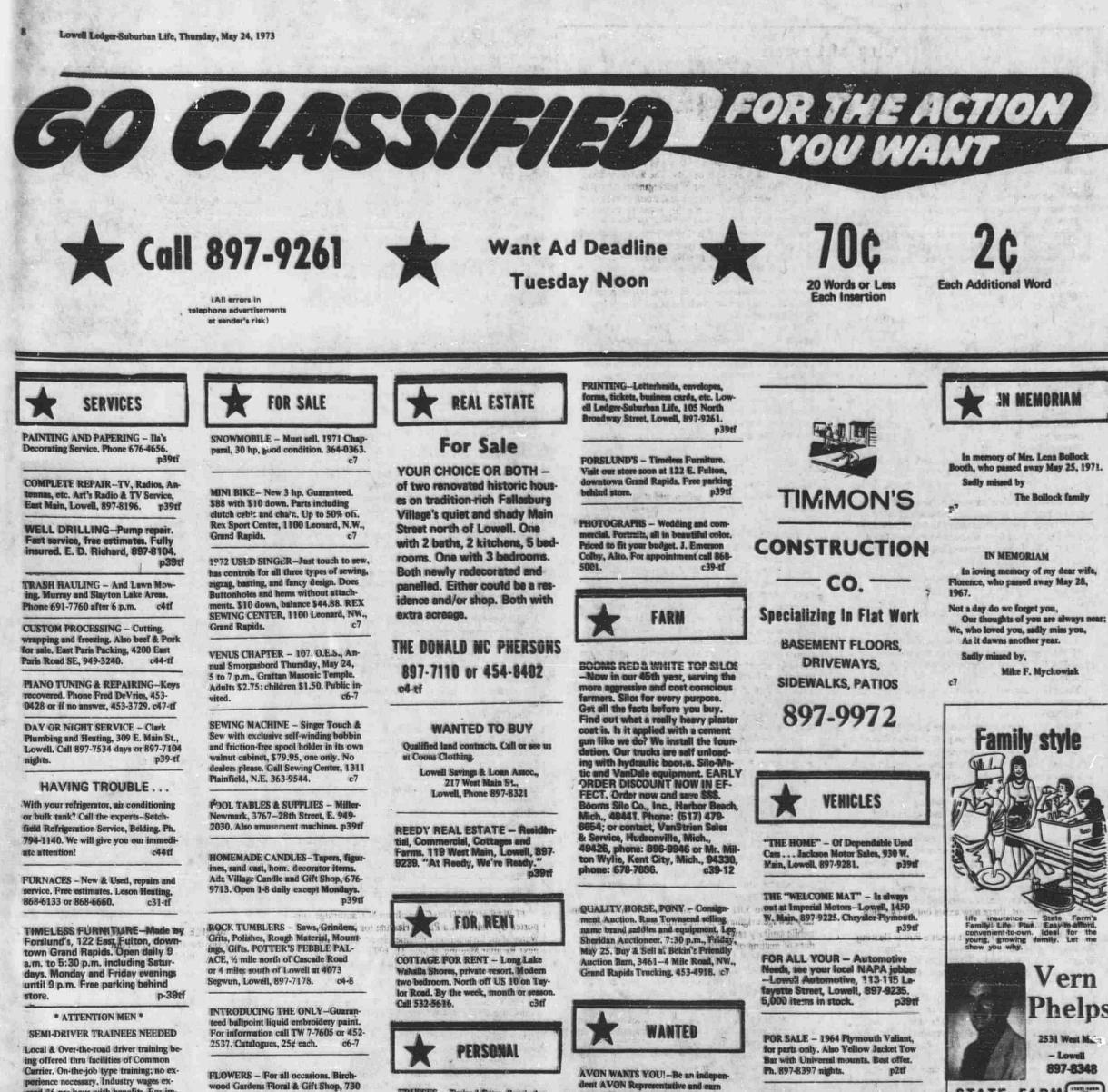
Daniel Tisron, aged 24, of 12653 Belding Rd., Belding, passed away suddenly Saturday, May 20, at his nome, and was taken to Roth-Gerst Chapel.

He is survived by his wife, Olive; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Tisron of Lowell; one son, James Christopher at home; two brothers, Elmer and B. James, both of Lowell; two sisters, Mrs. Edwin (Margaret) Baron of Walker and Mrs. Lulu Manciu of Lowell. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at the chapel with the Rev. Dean Bailey of the First United Methodist Church of Lowell officiating. Interment Oakwood Cemetery.

Ernest Schroder Passes Ernest O. Schroder, 67, of 10659 Cherry Valley, Caledonia, passed away suddenly early Monday morning at the home of his brother, Wayne Schroder of Sayles Rd., Lowell.

Besides his brother, he is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Alden (Elvis) Scott of Hancock, and Mrs. Lizzy Fischer of Grand Rapids; several nieces and nephews, Mr. Schroder reposes at the Jonkhoff Caledonia Community Funeral Home where services will be held Thursday at 1 o'clock. Interment Lakeview Cemetery. Friends may meet the family Wednesday, 7-9.





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City of Lowell Council Proceedings

Regular Council Meeting of May 7, 1973. Mayor Anderson called the meeting to order at 8:00 p.m., and the Roll was called. Present: Councilmen, Hall, Jefferies, McCambridge,

Mueller and Anderson. Absent: None IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Mueller, support-ed by McCambridge that the minutes of the Regular Meeting of April 16, and the Special Meeting of April

23 be approved as written and the reading waived. Unanimously carried.

IT WAS THEN MOVED by Councilman Jefferies, supported by Hall, that the Bills and Accounts Payable be allowed and warrants issued. Yes: Hall, Jefferies, McCambridge, Mueller and An-

NO: NORC.	
BILLS AND ACCOU	NTS PAYABLE
General Fund	\$21,863.71
Equipment Fund	4,727.33
Local Street Fund	3,916.96
Major Street Fund	6,651.58
Water Fund	9,881.22
Sewer Fund	19,116.20
Cemetery Fund	522.00
65 Water Debt Retire. Imp	prov. Fund 3,598.90
65 Sewer Debt Retire. Imp	prov.

Fund 10,420.75 Mr. Kenneth W. Anderson, of Williams and Works, was called upon to present the tabulation of bids for the 10" water main to be installed in Amity Street. He stated that bids had been received on Friday, May 4, at 10:00 A.M. He then presented the following tabulation, showing the major differences.

Segard Co. R.W.D. Contractors, Inc. Contract \$16,922.95 \$20,110.75

> Gillissee Construction Co. \$20,567.50

A discussion by Council and Mr. Anderson followed. IT WAS MOVED by Councilman McCembridge, supported by Hall, that the low bid of \$16,922.95 by the egard Co, be accepted. Yes: Hall, Jefferies, McCambridge, Mueller and An-

No: None.

Mayor Anderson then opened the Public Hearing on Extension of Sanitary Sewer on part of James Street. The City Manager read the prepared plan for Sani-tary Sewer to be installed. The estimated cost for construction would be \$3,816.00 which includes the 20% for engineering and contingencies.

The Sewer Service had been requested by Mrs. Lorna Franks. There would be three beneficiaries, Mrs. Franks, Mr. Jim Briggs, and Mrs. Anne Battistella.

There were several James Street residents present with questions pertaining to cost of residents already hooked up to sanitary sewer, and whether separation of storm and sanitary sewer would now be involved. It was also noted by several residents that a new

larger water main is needed to the end of James Street with a fire hydrant, there now exists only a two inch main with no fire hydrant. The Manager was instructed to set a Public Hearing

for Necessity of Water Main Installation on James Street for the next Regular Meeting of May 21, and to publish notice of same, and r.epare an estimate of

Mr. Charles Lippert, Dr. Clark Vredenburg, and Mr. Jack Beggs of the Lowell Showboat Inc. Board wen present. Mr. Lippert presented a plan to replace the bleachers used for the annual performance of the Lowell Showboat. The bleachers being considered are mobile and could be set up easily.

At this time, the Showboat Inc. does not have the necessary funds to finance the purchase. They asked that the City help finance the purchase of approximate ly \$23,000.

A discussion by Council followed, in which the possibility of using Lee Fund monies on a loan basis, rather than an outright gift, or Revnue Sharing Funds.

Mayor Anderson then appointed a committee of Dr. Mueller, Vince McCambridge and Manager Bacon to work with the Showboat Board to try to come up with a solution to the finance problem. The City Manager was directed to get an opinion from City Attorney, Richard VanderVeen, on use of Revenue Sharing Funds

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James B. Flickinger, and the "Emergency" ordinance to be adopted before construction of the Storm and Sanitary Sewer Separation Project.

A discussion followed.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Jefferies, supported by Hall, that the following ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE CON-NECTION OF PREMISES TO THE SEWAGE DIS POSAL SYSTEM OF THE CITY OF LOWELL, MICH-IGAN; TO PROVIDE FOR THE IMPOSITION, COL LECTION AND ENFORCEMENT OF FINES AND MPRISONMENT, FOR FAILURE TO CONNECT: AND TO PROVIDE FOR OTHER MATTERS RELA-TIVE TO SAID SYSTEM AND TO THE USE THERE-

THE CITY OF LOWELL ORDAINS:

Section 1.01 Whenever used in this Ordinance, except when otherwise indicated by the context: (a) The term "County" shall be construed to mean the County of Kent, in the State of Michigan.

(b) The term "City" shall be construed to

mean the City of Lowell and the legislative and governing body thereof. (c) The term "sawage disposal system" and "system" shall be construed to mean the Lowell San-

itary and Storm Sewage Disposal System. (d) The term "available public sanitary sewer

shall be construed to mean a public sanitary sewer system located in a right of way, easement, highway, street or public way which crosses, adjoins or abuts apon the property and passing not more than 200 fect at the nearest point from a structure in which sanitary sewage originates.

(e) The term "structure in which sanitary sewage originates" or "structure" shall be construed to mean a building in which toilet, kitchen, laundry, bathing or other facilities which generate water-carried sanitary sewage, are used or are available for use for household, commercial, industrial or other purposes

section 1.02 Public sanitary sewer systems are essential to the health, safety and welfare of the people of the State and the City. The Water Resourcmission of the State of Michigan has determined that the combined sanitary and storm sewer system presently existing in the City is not in the best in-terest of the people of the City or of this State and that it is necessary for this City to construct facilities to separate said combined systems. The connection to available public sanitary sewer systems at the earliest, reasonable date and the disconnection of all storm water therefrom is a matter for the protection of the public health, safety and welfare and necessary in the public interest which is declared as a matter of legis-

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ative determina Section 2.01 The present separated sanitary, and the sanitary portion of the sewage disposal system shall be used for the collection and transportation of sanitary sewage only. Downspouts, footing drains, weep tile, or any conduit that carries storm water or ground water, alone or in combination with sanitary sewage, shall not be connected to the system, directly or indirectly. Industrial and commercial waste shall be discharged into the system only in compliance with the standards and regulations of the County.

Section 3.01 Structures in which sanitary sewage originates located in the City in the area served by the system for which there is an available pub lic sanitary sewer shall not be used or occupied, after the effective date hereof, unless said structures are connected to the separate sewage disposal system: Provided, that structures within the City in which sanitary sewage is originating on the effective date hereof or in which sanitary sewage originates before completion of the system shall be connected to said system within 18 months after the completion of the system, but in any event on or before August 1, 1975. Plats for premises subdivided into three or more lots or parcels, after the effective date hereof, shall not be approved on behalf of the City and none of said lots or parcels shall be improved by the erection of a struc-ture thereon unless lateral sewers to serve all of said lots or parcels and to connect same to the system are available as part of the system or shall be installed at private cost (or the estimated cost thereof deposited with the City) in the manner, size and location approv ed by the County and the City.

Section 4.01 When the structure in which san itary sewage originates has not been connected to an available public sanitary sewer system before use and occupancy or within the 18-month period provided in this Ordinance, the City shall require the connection to be made forthwith after notice, which may be by first class or certified mail or posting on the property to the owner of the property on which the structure is located. The notice shall give the approximate loca tion of the public sanitary sewer of the system which is available for connection of the structure involved and shall advise the owner of the requirements and of the Ordinance.

Section 4.02 This Ordinance shall be known and may be cited as the "City of Lowell Sewer Connection Ordinance.

Section 5.01 Where any structure in which sanitary sewage originates is not connected to an available public sanitary sewer system within 90 days after the date of mailing or posting of the written notice, the provisions of this Ordinance shall be enforceable through the bringing of appropriate action for injunction, mandamus, or otherwise, in any Court having jurisdiction. Any violation of this Ordinance is deem to be a nui

Section 6.01 Any person, firm or corporation convicted of disposing of sewage in a manner contrary to the provisions of this Ordinance, or failing to connect with an available public sanitary sewer as provided herein, or in any other way violating the provisions of this Ordinance, shall be guilty of a misd and subjected to a fine of not to exceed \$100.00 or imprisonment in the County jail for a period not exceeding 90 days or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the Court, together with costs of said prosecution.

Section 7.01 If any section, paragraph, sen-tence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance shall be held invalid, the same shall not affect any other part of this Ordinance.

Section 8.01 All ordinances and resolutions or parts thereof, insofar as the same may be in conflict herewith, are hereby repealed.

Section 9.01 This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency ordinance which is immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety and shall become effective immed ately upon publication.

Adopted by the City Council of the City of Lowell, County of Kent, Michigan, this 7th day of Kay A.D., 1973.

Yes: Hall, Jefferies, McCambridge, Mueller and Anderson.

No: None. Absent: None.

Mr. Dave Clark, Jr. of Clark Plumbing and Heating was present and explained a request of J. P. Burrough and Son, Inc. to construct a storm sewer drain across City property to Flat River.

A discussion followed.

The following resolution was offered by Councilman McCambridge, supported by Mueller for adoption. WHEREAS, the City Council has received a request from J. P. Burroughs and Son Inc. to construct a storm

sewer drain across City owned property, and WHEREAS, the City would be responsible for main tenance of said storm drain after completion,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council grant permission only for construction of a storm drain across City property to Flat River, contingent upon seceipt of a permit from the Department of Natural Resources.

Unanimously carried.

Police Chief Barry Emmons then reported back to Council on securing an animal warden. He recommended that \$2,000 be placed in the budget to cover wages. The animal warden would average about 40 hours per month at a pay rate of \$2.75 per hour. He would be required to pick up dogs, keep records for Court purposes, and to issue citations for violations. The City presently has a vehicle which could be used for pick up of animals, with the fitting of a cage donated by Street Supervisor, Tom Ford. A building is being repaired to house the animals, which was used before for the same purpose. A uniform would be supplied for the job.

Chief Emmons recommended that the City hire Gary Rasch, who is a commissioned reserve police of ficer, and who has volunteered to take the position.

Emmons also reported that the Kent County Animal Shelter will train Mr. Resch in the proper handling of animals, and will provide equipment for catching an-

Also, the 63rd District Court will assess the amount of cost for appearance tickets issued and will be handled at the Friday morning Court Sessions at the City

The City Manager then recommended that the program be tried for a period of time, to judge success. Councilman Mueller commended the Chief for an excellent feasibility study of the problem, and MOVED

that the program be adopted as outlined, supported by Yes: Hall, Jefferies, McCambridge, Mueller and Anderson.

No: None. The City Manager then stated his request to pur-chase a \$1,545, 00 Yazoo Master Mower for cemetery up-keep, with a floating type blade system that will move easily over the contour of the graves without

scalping the grass. IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Mueller, that the purchase of the Yazoo Master Mower be allowed, supported by Jefferies. Yes: Hall, Jefferies, McCambridge, Mueller and An-

derson. No: None.

Also requested were the purchase of an I.B.M. Selectric typewriter for the City office, and 5,000 feet of copper tubing to have on hand for repair of water services when the Sanitary and Storm Sewer Disposal System is installed.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Jefferies, supported by McCambridge, to authorize the purchase of the typewriter and the copper tubing. Yes: Hall, Jefferies, McCambridge, Mueller and An-

derson. No: None.

Manager Bacon then read a letter from the Kent County Board of Commissioners in reference to matching use of County Revenue Sharing monies for Fire Departments.

County Commissioner, Arnold Wittenbach, who is Chairman of the Kent Co. Fire Commission was present, and explained briefly the County's plan.

The City of Lowell has about \$2,630 worth of needs in capital outlay. The County hopes to be able to match funds on a "Half and half" basis, but will have to wait until all facts are weighed from the County-wide area to be included Manager Bacon stated that \$1,500 has been budget-

ed for Fire Department expenditures. IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Mueller, supported by Hall, to authorize the Manager to report \$2,630 worth of needs to the Kent County Board of Commis-

Yes: Hall, Jefferies, McCambridge, Mueller and Andemon. No: None.

Two letters were then read by the City Manager from the Department of Natural Resources. The first in reference to classification of Wastewater Treatment Plants by May 30, 1973. Lowell's treatment plant presently has a capacity to serve a population of 4,000. Classification of the plant will be deferred until completion of a report by engineers.

The second letter from the D.N.R. dealt with salt rules, to which the City already complies.

Also, a letter was read from the Michigan Municipal League, in reference to the Annual Meeting to be held in Grand Rapids, September 5 through 7. Mayor Anderson then referred back to the request

for new water service on James Street and asked that a hearing be officially set. IT WAS MOVED by Councilman McCambridge, sup-

ported by Hall, that a Public Hearing for Necessity of Water Main Installation on James Street be set for the next Regular Meeting of May 21, 1973. Yes: Hall, Jefferies, McCambridge, Mueller, and An-

No: None

The Manager's Report was read. Manager Bacon presented the 1973-1974 Budget to Council, and reported that construction of the Storm Sewer Separation Project would start about May 14 on Hunt Street and South Washington Street.

Manager Bacon then stated that because of health and safety standards, a house located at 920 N. Hud son Street should be condemned. The house has been vacant for several months, but is open and accessible to neighborhood children. The house is structurally dangerous

A discussion followed. Manager Bacon read Section 10 of the City Charter, that the owner of the property be ordered to repair or remove the house. If not complied with, the house will be boarded up, and then a court order obtained to have it torn down, with the cost charged to the properv owne

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Jefferies, supported by Hall, that the City Manager be authorized to comply with the City Attorney's suggestion to alleviate the problem.

Unanimously carried. Manager Bacon then announced that the City Pri-

mary Election is scheduled for Tuesday, August 7. There are two council terms of four years, and one council term for two years to be voted upon. The terms of Carlen Anderson, Dr. Mueller and Harold Jefferies expire next January 1st. Petition forms are available at the City office and

must be filed by 4:00 P.M., Tuesday, June 19, 1973. There were no remarks from the audience.

There were no Council remarks or reports. IT WAS THEN MOVED by Councilman McCam-

bridge to adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 10:33 P.M.

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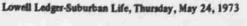
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MOBILE TRAVEL TRAILER UNITS-From all over the state camped out over the weekend at the Lowell 4-H Fairgounds.

TO STUDY IN CANADA

Roger Haskins of 4636 Burton Street, has been accepted by the graduate school of the University of Manitoba, Winnipeg, Canada, where he will continue in studies of metallic mineral deposits. Haskins will receive the B.S. degree in geology from Grand Valley State College.





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Grand Rapids Press' an-nual Hole-In-One Tour-

ney over the weekend. doc's best shot landed 3 feet, 10 inches from the hole, placing him 11th

Doc's shot was a good one! The winner of the pro' division Jerry Berles used the same iron, but his winning shot fell 5 feet, 2½ inches from the ... A league for elementary through Junior High

tudents, sponsored by the Lowell YMCA, will tee off at 10 a.m. Wednes day, June 20, at the Arrowhead. ...

As the season ripens, the weather improves and the golfers are get-

ting that ole feelin', scores are beginning to improve. The Moose's Wednes-

No official standings have been released todate for the Attwood League, but we under-stand the scores haven't been up to par!

The Antecki brothers seem to be the duo to beat as they start off the early season with 10 big ...

Congretulations to Ray Benedict of Alto who also participated in the Hole-In-One Tournament at Riverside Park in Grand The 10-year-old son

of Mr. and Mrs. Art Benedict of Alto, hit two good shots near the ...

What's the scoop! We need more items for Golf Chatter. League secretaries, get on the ball and phone in leading teams, best scores, etc., to 897-9261.

and June 1; 4 to 5 p.m. Conducted by Tennis Coach

Cook of Lowell for providing the tractor and machinery.

Clinic No. 2: Boys and Girls going into grades 3 through 6, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, June 5, 6 and 7. Conducted by Mark Webber, Tennis Coach at

League Tennis Team," There will be a training clinic for volunteer tennis helpers.

Hanus Scores Number Three

Flying Phil,-Hanus that is, made it Victory number three Saturday night as he romped home ahead of the finest field of cars thus far this season at Crystal Speed-

In addition, the largest crowd of the year was on hand to witness Phil's victory drive. Fast Time of the evening went to Doug Bowen, but

it was "Flying Phil" that carried the flag in the dash. Heat race honors went to Randy Miller, Roger Doolittle Rick Newland, R. J. Covey, and Loren Hendrick. The Austrailian Pursuit was a real wing dinger with only two cars running at the checker, Jack Caswell, and Doug Bowen wiped out the field in this thriller.

The Semi had its share of action also, and a brash of spins and minor mishaps failed to curb the battle for the flag, and it was a three way race all the way, with

Rick Newland finally taking his second checker of the night, followed by Jerry Piper, and J. Simmons. Following Hanus in the feature were Jack Caswell, Dan VanderVeen, Bill LeBaton, Doug Bowen, Jim Threthway, Fred Smith, Al Bates, Jim Thompson, and Wayne Kaiser

This Saturday night will be kiddies night, and there will be a clown and funny car on hand to help enter-tain the youngsters in addition to their being able to ride around the track with their favorite drivers.

Thornapple

Baseball Scores

May 5th	Cougars 1 vs. Bearcats 5, Rink wp.
May 7th	Midgets 1 vs. Bulldogs 4, Kenworthy w
way 8th	Cancelled
May 9th	Cougars 6 vs. Buildogs 3, McKay wp
May 10	Loncers 23 vs. Midgets 6, McClelland w
May 11	Beercats 12 vs. Buildogs 3, Hofine wp.
May 12	Make up game
	Hawks 4 vs. Bearcats 7, Renk wp.
May 14	Hawks vs. Midgets. This game was playe
	under protest to be played at a later dat
May 15	Cougers 5 vs. Lancer 4, M. McKay wp.
May 16	Bearcats 29 vs. Midgets 5, wp Rink
May 17	Buildogs 16 vs. Lancers 9, R. Koepke w
May 18	Hawks 10 vs. Cougars 7, J. Grochowals
May 19	Protested game played
	Hawks 12 vs. Midgets 3, Petchauer wp.

MIDGET DIVISION

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On Monday, May 14, the Angels beat out the Twins 6 to 1, winning pitcher, Allen Smith. Thursday, May 17, the Twins took the White Sox

14-11 with two homers by Brian Hansen and Ken Friday, May 18, the Angels trounced the Devils 18-8. Winning pitcher was Steve Wetlich and a home run

by Allen Smith.

'Dusty' Moto Draws Crowd

Lowell's representation at Egypt Valley's Moto-Cross Sunday afternoon was sparce, as only two riders had their bikes in shape for a good afternoon of 'dust' On his 125 Penton Kelly Holst finished his three heats in good position, for seventh place overall. De-spite the fact that statistically he finished about 5th overall, inadequate scoring and protests placed Holst further down the line.

In the same class, competing in his third moto of the year, Albert Kline was forced out of competition with a broken gas line. Unable to get their bikes back in fine form for Sunday's challenge, which drew over 300 riders and throngs of spectators were John Korte, Gary Kropf and Bert

The next moto will be June 10 at Portland.

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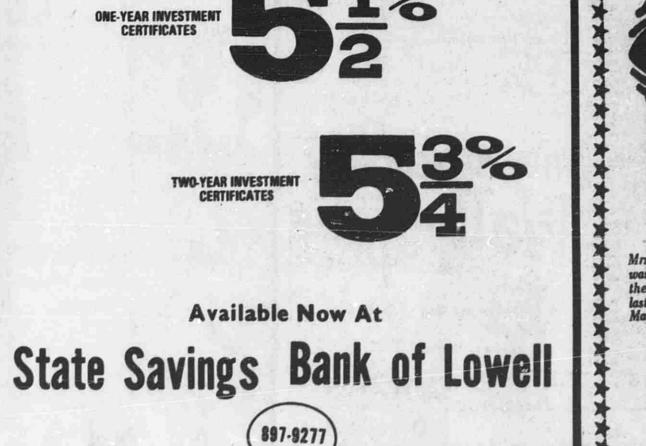
On Sunday, the Super Stocks will return for their Big Spring Championship race, a fifty lap thriller to round out the holiday weekend. Time trials both nights begin at 6:30, with racing at 8-come early and enjoy the show. HOLIDAY **GET THE**

> ATA TA TA A Mrs. Byron Weeks was the winner of

the Stuffed Dog last Sunday evening May 20.

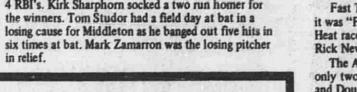
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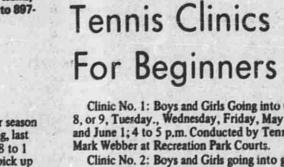
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Call the Lowell YMCA 897-7375 for more informa-



A pack of Haig Ultra day night league, slow Golf Balls was won by getting sterted, is picking up enthusiasum. Dr. Robert E. Reegen, DDS, of Lowell in the

Using a nine iron the

in the tourney, which saw over 500 persons tee off.



Seventeen youth from the Lowell area completed the recently offered 4-H Tractor Safety Program. The three week course was under the leadership of Walt Stevens of Lowell and Ron Vickers of Ada in which 4-H members learned the safe methods for operating a tractor and its machinery. Appreciation was given to Jim Pictured left to right: standing, Greg Canfield, Scott Lierman and Jim Wepe; kneeling, Walt Stevens, Don Vickers, Don Stevens, David Dean, Steve Wyse, Fred Dean, and Ron Vickers; sitting, Kent Groenenboom, Mark Estes, Craig Stevens, and Ron Metternick.

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Two Idaho State University assistant profesors of sociology have been accepted for a special summer program at the University of Chicago for teachers of under graduate social work. They are Ann Stirling (Mullen) Johnson and D. D. (Dave) Davison,

who were both awarded stipends by the University of Chicago for the program which runs June 18 to July 10, 1973. Only 25 persons were admitted to the program from the United States and Cana-

The program is con-



A phone call to this number: 451-8301 could save

the lives or prevent property damage. It's a special "hotline" set up to provide informa-

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A single call to the information center will record

the digger's name, location of the proposed excavation

site and the date the work is to begin. Then-within 48

hours on non-emergency requests-underground lines within the stated area will be staked out.

This number is not to be used to report accidents.

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companies, lawn sprinkling concerns, plumbers, trench-

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ets, well diggers, television installers and excavating

equipment suppliers-are urged to take advantage of

Excavations that expose or damage facilities should be

reported directly to the organization concerned.

Grand Rapids area. The service is the result of a joint

ernmental units.

MRS. JOHNSON ducted by the School of Social Service Administration. The two ISU fac-

Showboat Pageant June 2

The Lowell Area Jaycees would like to introduce the last three contestants for this year's "Miss Lowell Showboat" Scholarship Pageant, Peg-gy Elaine Moore, Kristy Jo Kern and Pamela Sue Fratzke.



PEGGY

Miss Moore is the daughter of Walter and Margaret Moore of Belding. Peggy loves to play guitar and sing in her pare time. Her interest in people and outgoing personality has led her naturally into acting in school where she is a veteran of several plays. This attractive senior plans to attend John Wesley College in the Fall of this

ALL SALES CASH & FINAL



School where she is active in many different sports. She enjoys golf and tennis and is involved in school politics, too, having been Vice-President of her class for the last three years.

Pam is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. LaVern Fratzke of Forest Hills. Pam plans on showing off her skill with the bow and arrow in this year's competition. After graduation she plans on attending Western Michigan University. Miss Kern is also quite a active in sports both in

All of the young ladies competing this year would ove your support. The ompetition will be June 2 at the Lowell High School Auditorium, Each young lady will be trying to win the title of Miss Lowell Showboat and thereby win the right to try for the title of Miss Michigan. Everyone is in-

MONDAY - FRIDAY

8 a.m. - 5 p.m.



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This central information and stake-out service is the result of a joint project involving the Michigan Bell Telephone Company, Michigan Consolidated Gas Company, the City of Grand Rapids, the City of Wyoming and Kent County. Municipalities and utilities not participating in the program must be notified individually.

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Mrs. Johnson, daugh-

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Both have extensive

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the daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. Gary Kern of Beld-

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by going to the Barbizon

School of Fashion when

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arship of \$240 and the

maintenance grant of \$400 for the five-week

A traditional observance which contributes to the

appearance of Lowell streets and roads-"Mailbox Improvement Week"-will be held May 21-26, according to Postmaster Charles Doyle. "Mailbox Improvement Week" has long served as

the starting signal for special community efforts to repair, repaint and make other improvements in the security and appearance of rural and suburban curblinetype boxes in the Lowell area, "Postmaster Doyle said. "Because more Americans receive their mail today on rural routes than ever before, "Postmaster Doyle added, "Mailbox Improvement Week" is even more im-

portant now than when first observed generations ago in rural areas and small communities." Almost 43 million individuals are served today by about 31,000 rural carriers.

TO THE GAS CUSTOMERS OF CONSUMERS POWER COMPANY **NOTICE OF GAS RATE HEARING AND NOTICE OF HEARING ON MOTION FOR** PARTIAL AND IMMEDIATE RATE RELIEF

On April 18, 1973, Consumers Power Company filed an application with the Michigan Public Service Commission with supporting testimony and exhibits in Case No. U-4331, which requests authority to amend its gas rates so as to increase its gas revenues by approximately \$50,400,000 on an annual basis and, at the same time Consumers Power Company filed a Motion for Partial and Immediate Rate Relief which seeks authority, on an interim basis to amend its gas rates so as to increase its gas revenues by approximately \$33,729,000 on an annual basis. On April 18, 1973, Consumers Power Company also filed an application in Case No. U-4332 with the Commission for authority to increase its rates for the sale of electric energy. At the hearing hereinafter noticed, the application to increase electric rates, Case No. U-4332, will be heard concurrently with the application to increase gas rates, Case No. U-4331. In its application, Consumers Power Company has stated that significant increases in the cost of capital, gas, taxes, wages, equipment, materials and supplies have had a serious adverse impact upon the earnings level of its gas business and that it has not been able to attain the level of earnings in its gas business found to be reasonable in the prior gas rate

order of the Michigan Public Service Commission. The Michigan Public Service Commission has scheduled hearings on the applications filed in Case Nos. U-4331 and U-4332 and on the Motion for Partial and Immediate Rate Relief in Case No. U-4331 and has ordered that

notice be given that: A. A prehearing conference be held at 9:30 a.m. on June 6, 1973, in the offices of the Commission, Law Building, Lansing, Michigan 48913, for the purpose of exploring and, if possible, agreeing upon matters which will expedite the proceedings in Cases No. U-4331 and U-4332, including the following:

1. Determining the parties to the proceeding, the nature of their appearance and the positions they are taking in the proceeding.

- Simplifying and defining the issues. Obtaining admissions as to, and stipulations of,
- the facts not remaining in dispute, the authenticity of documents, and matters of public record. 4. Determining the number and identity of wit-
- 5. Specifying the schedule for the exchange of proposed exhibits and written testimony, and the reduction of oral testimony to written form.
- Establishing procedures for the hearing. Specifying a further schedule of dates of hearing. Expediting any other matters that may aid in the

orderly conduct of the hearing and the disposition of the proceeding A public hearing will be held at 9:00 a.m. on

July 2, 1973, in the Auditorium of the Law Building, 525 W. Ottawa, Lansing, Michigan for the purpose of taking statements from ratepayers and representatives of consumer groups. Hearings will commence at 9:00 a.m. on July 3, 1973 and continue July 5 and 6, the week of July 16 and the week of July 23, 1973, in the offices of the Commission, Law Building, Lansing, Michigan 48913 for the purpose of offering in evidence the direct cases of

Summary of Proposed Final Gas Rate Increase

Consumers Power Company in Case Nos. U 4331 and U-4332, and cross-examining such direct cases of Consumers Power Company. C. A public hearing will be held on Consumers Power Company's Motion for Partial and Immediate Rate Relief at an appropriate time during these rate proceedings following the conclusion of the cross-examination of the direct case of Consumers Power Company and the receiving of the report of the Staff of the Commission. Notice of the precise date, time and place of said public hearing will be mailed to all participants of record in the July 2, 1973 public hearing and in the hearings commencing on July 3, 1973 in Case No. U-433

D. The Commission, on its own motion during the course of these proceedings, Case Nos. U-4331 and U-4332, will carry on an investigation and hearing into the existing rates, charges, revenue deficiencies or excesses, services, practices, procedures and operations of Consumers Power Company, and this investigation and hearing will not necessarily be confined to matters contained in Consumers Power Company's applications but will include all matters pertaining to the reasonableness and justness of its rates, charges, operations and practices as may be necessary to enable the Commission to determine whether the existing or proposed rates and charges are unreasonable and excessive and should be reduced or altered

E. Any party seeking to intervene in this proceeding, in accordance with Rule 11 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, shall file with the Commission, at least five (5) days prior to June 6, 1973, an original and eleven copies of the petition to intervene together with proof of pervice upon Consumers Power Company.

F. Consumers Power Company, on or before June 6, 1973, shall serve upon each intervening party a copy of the written direct testimony of its proposed witnesses and proposed exhibits as filed with the Commission and proof of service shall be filed with the Commissio on or before June 6, 1973. G. Public hearings shall be held, in addition to the dates aforementioned, at such times and adjourned dates as shall be determined by the presiding officer until the matter has been fully heard.

H. The rate increases described in this notice have been requested by Consumers Power Company. The Aichigan Public Service Commission may either grant or deny the requested increases or may grant lesser of greater increases than those requested. Jurisdiction of the Commission in this matter pursuant to § 4 of Act 419, P.A. 1919, as amended (M.C.L.A. § 460.54); Sections 4, 6 and 6a of Act 3,

P.A. 1939, as amended (M.C.L.A. §§ 460.4, 460.6, 460.6a); and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 1954 Administrative Code, as amended, No. 54, R 460.11 et seq. Summaries of the proposed final and interim rate changes showing the requested increases by classes of service in terms of dollars and percentage are set forth below

Annual Operating Revenue Normalized 12 Mo. Ended **RESIDENTIAL SERVICE** Dec. 31, 1972 Proposed Residential Service Rate "A" \$196,702,508 \$218, 166, 882 **GENERAL COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL** SERVICE Commercial & Industrial Rate "B" and Resale Rate "R-1" 69,796,875 81,492,110 COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL SERVICE Commercial & Industrial Contract Rates "C" and Resale Rate "R-2" Commercial & Industrial Seasonal Service 74,302,490 86,392,991 Rate "E" 25,616,993 31,319,597 Commercial & Industrial Interruptible Service Rate "F" There are pre-Commercial & Industrial Outdoor Light Service Rate "GL-1" 20 211 22,844 Miscellaneous Gas Revenu 3, 126, 238 2,616,431 **Total Operating Revenue** \$369,625,316 \$420,010,855 Summary of Proposed Interim Gas Rate Increa **Annual Operating** Normalized 12 Mo. Ended Cec. 31, 1972 RESIDENTIAL SERVICE Proposed Residential Service Rate "A" \$196,702,508 \$210,779,720 GENERAL COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL SERVICE Commercial & Industrial Rate "B" and Resale Rate "R-1" 69,796,876 77,693,973 COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL SERVICE Commercial & Industrial Contract Rates "C" and Resale Rate "R-2" 74,302,490 82,544,865 Commercial & Industrial Seasonal Service Rate "E" 25,616,993 29,737,749 Commercial & Industrial Interruptible Service Rate "F" Commercial & Industrial Outdoor Lighting Service Rate "GL-1" There are presently no customers on this 20,211

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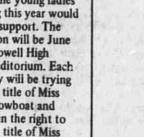
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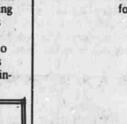
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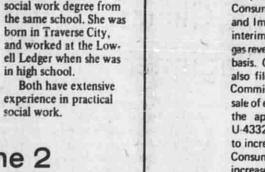
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and out of school. As well as playing basketball







'Hotline' Could Save Lives Or Damage Mailbox Week

Lowell Ledger-Suburban Life, Thursday, May 24, 1973

Trudi Feenstra Promoted Trudi M. Feenstra, daughter of Mrs. Henry Feen-stra of 1922 Burton St., SE, has been promoted to major in the U. S. Air Force.

Major Feenstra is an intensive care staff nurse at the U. S. Air Force Academy hospital.

A 1950 graduate of Grand Rapids Central Christian High School, she received her training from Blodgett Memorial School of Nursing and her B.S. degree in 1966 from the University of Colorado, Major Feenstra is a member of Sigma Theta Tau.

CYCLIST INJURED

Ronald Brink, 31, of Grand River Avenue, Lowell, was treated at Ionia County Memorial Hospital Sunday for a compound fracture and dislocation of the right little finger after a motorcycle mishap at Clark's Motor Speedway.



Revenue I	ncrease			
Amount	Percent			
21,464,374	10.9%			
1,695,234	16.8			
2,090,501				
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5,702,604	22.3			
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Amount	Percent			
4,077,212	7.2%			
7,897,097	11.3			
8,242,375	11.1			
4,120,756	16.1			
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(610,765) 3,728,920	(19.2)			
3,728,920	9.1%			

Consumer Power

Lowell Ledger-Suburban Life, Thursday, May 24, 1973 Dog Show Here This Saturday

The Grand Rapids Kennel Club, a member of the American Kennel Club, will hold a dog show this Sat-

urday, May 26 at the Lowell 4-H Fairgounds. Mrs. Ralph Mueller, publicity chairman, stated 800 dogs have been entered and all dogs will be competing for championship points.

Judging will start at 9 a.m. and will continue until the 'best in show' have been decided by a panel of 13

judges. Dogs will be shown in both in-door and out-door

Food and beverages will be provided by 4-H service clubs on the grounds Admission is \$1 for adults and 50 ccnts ror children.



S & H GREEN STAMPS

Club Plans 3 - Day Sale

The 'race strip' used by the Flat River Snowmobile Club of Lowell, during the winter, was the scene Sunday for their May meeting.

With the clubhouse facilities being utilized by the Jaycee's, the meeting was moved to the great outdoors, where the sun was a where the sun was a welcome addition. All officers were present for the meeting which

finalized plans for the club's annual 'new 'n used sale' to to be held June 7, 8 and 9 at the VFW Hall in Lowell. Members were urged to leave their used clothing ar-

ticles for the sale at the Griffiths on Center Street or the Adrianses on Smith Street. New items, handwork, etc., should be deposited with Mrs. Winnie Snider on East Fulton. All items wel-

With all pertinent business settled, the members enjoyed a potluck dinner before embarking on an after-

noon of fun and games. The 'Tri-Sport' cycle from Doug's Small Motors prought to the meeting by John Minges proved a challenge for everyone to try when they weren't playing

ball or darts, or flinging the flying saucer. Wayne and Virginia Will were winners of the adults' gift, with Betty Fugitt claiming the mystery gift, and Casey VanderMeer taking home the children's gift.

Sunday, June 17, the club will meet again at the club house for a business meeting and potluck dinner.

AVOID BODY DAMAGE

Avoid much of the body damage caused by other car doors by parking further out when shopping at malls or shopping centers. Most shoppers squezze in and out of the nearby spaces and their cars are battered on both sides by careless drivers flinging open their LAST PLAY PERFORMANCE - This Friday, May 25, the Lowell Senior High Drama class will present its last performance for the school year. Come and see "Alas, Babylon" with an all-star cast. The entire set is designed by the students and constructed under the supervision of director Ivan Haney.

Joan Homer Attends Real Estate Institute

Joan Homer of Lowell was among the 75 persons attending Real Estate Institute II which was held May 14-18 at the Pantlind Hotel in Grand Rapids.

The Institute is presented by the Real Estate Program of the University of Michigan Extension Service and Graduate School of Business Administration and is part of the state wide program in real estate educa-

Courses in the program lead to a U-M Certificate in Real Estate which is approved by NAREB and MREA as meeting the academic qualification toward the Graduate, Realtors Institute designation. The Institutes are one-week programs which offer a concentrated version of some of the courses offered in the fall and winter semesters around the state.

Mrs. Homer is the real estate representative for the Transue Realty Company of Lowell.



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TO THE ELECTRIC CUSTOMERS OF CONSUMERS POWER COMPANY **ELECTRIC RATE HEARING**

On April 18, 1973, Consumers Power Company filed an application with supporting testimony and exhibits with the Michigan Public Service Commission in Case No. U-4332, which requests authority to amend its retail electric rates so as to increase its retail electric revenues by approximately \$36,100,000 on an annual basis. On April 18, 1973, Consumers Power Company also filed an application in Case No. U-4331 with the Commission for authority to increase its rates for the sale of gas. At the hearing hereinafter noticed, the application to increase the gas rates, Case No. U-4331 will be heard concurrently with the application to increase electric rates, Case No. U-4332. In its application, Consumers Power Company has stated that significant increases in the cost of capital, fuel, taxes, wages, equipment, materials and supplies have had a serious adverse impact upon the earnings level of its electric business and that it has not been able to attain the level of earnings in its electric business found to be reasonable in the prior electric rate order of the Michigan Public Service Commission

The Michigan Public Service Commission has school uled hearings on the applications filed in Case Nos. U-4331 and U-4332 and on the Motion for Partial and Immediate Rate Relief in Case No. U-4332 and has ordered that notice be given that:

A. A prehearing conference be held at 9:30 a.r.t. on June 6, 1973, in the offices of the Commission, Law Building, Lansing, Michigan 48913, for the purpose of exploring and, if possible, agreeing upon matters which will expedite the proceedings in Case Nos. U-4331 and U-4332, including the following: 1. Determining the parties to the proceeding, the

nature of their appearance and the positions they are taking in the proceeding. Simplifying and defining the issues.

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position of the proceedings. A public hearing will be held at 9:00 a.m. on July 2, 1973 in the Auditorium of the Law Building, 525 W. Ottawa, Lansing, Michigan 48913, for the purpose of taking statements from ratepayers and representatives of consumer groups. Hearings will commence at 9:00 a.m. on July 3, 1973 and continue that week

on July 5 and 6, 1973, the week of July 16 and the week of July 23, 1973 in the offices of the Commission, Law Building, Lansing, Michigan 48913 for the purpose of offering in evidence the direct cases of Consumers Power Company in Case Nos. U-4331 and U-4332, and crossexamining such direct cases of Consumers Power Company.

C. The Commission, on its own motion during the course of these proceedings, Case Nos. U-4331 and U-4332, will carry on an investigation and hearing into the existing rates, charges, revenue deficiencies or excesses, services, practices, procedures and operations of Consumers Power Company, and this investigation and hearing will not necessarily be confined to matters contained in Consumers Power Company's applications but will include all matters pertaining to the reasonableness and justness of its rates, charges, operations and practices as may be necessary to enable the Commission to determine whether the existing or proposed rates and charges are unreasonable and excessive and should be reduced or altered. D. Any party seeking to intervena in this proceeding,

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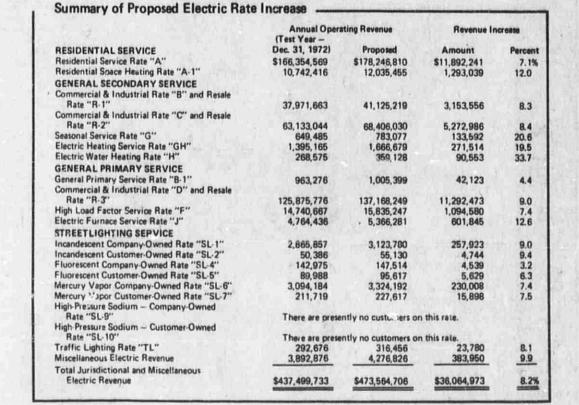
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F. Public hearings shall be held, in addition to the dates aforementioned, at such times and adjourned dates as shall be determined by the presiding officer until the matter has been fully heard.

G. The rate increase described in this notice has been requested by Consumers Power Company. The Michigan Public Service Commission may either grant or deny the requested increase or may grant a lesser or greater increase than that requested.

Jurisdiction of the Commission in this matter is pursuant to Sections 1, 2, 6, 7 and 8 of Act 106, P.A. 1909, as amended (M.C.L.A. 460.551, 460.552, 460.556-8); Act 300, P.A. 1909, as amended (M.C.L.A § 462.2 et seq); Sections 3 and 4 of Act 419, P.A. 1919 as amended (M.C.L.A. 460.53, 460.54); and Sections 4 and 6 of Act 3, P.A. 1939, as amended (M.C.L.A 460.4, 460.6); and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 1954 Administrative Code, as amended, No. 54, R 460.11 et seq.

A summary of the proposed rate changes showing the requested increases by classes of service in terms of dollars and percentage is set forth below:



Any interested persons may examine Consumers Power Company's rate application, proposed rate schedule and supporting testimony and exhibits in the offices of the Commission, Law Building, Lansing, Michigan 48913, or at the General Offices of Consumers Power Company, 212 West Michigan Avenue, Jackson, Michigan 49201. The proposed new schedule of rates is also available for inspection at any business office of Consumers Power

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Top LHS Students Named

Leading the graduation ceremonies for 173 seniors at Lowell Senior High School on June 10 will be the classes' valedictorian Jordan Layer. In announcing the top 10 students in this year's graduating class, the names of Marie and Mary Anderson were also released as co-salutatorians. Graduation exercises will be at 3 p.m. on Sunday, June 10, at Lowell's Recreation Park.

The Top Ter A resident of Lowell all of his life, Jordan Layer attended Lowell's St. Mary's School through the third grade and then transferred to the Lowell Public School

System. There he enjoyed participating in football, bas-ketball, and baseball. After school Jordan likes to fish, something he never tires of.



Jordan Layer

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Layer of East Main Street. His father is a lineman in Grand Rapids, and his mother a homemaker. His sister, Cara, is working her way through college in Mt. Pieasant. Another sister, Chris is with the Air Force, and Teresa is a junior at Lowell High School. Jordan's only brother is in

Jordan plans to attend Michigan Technological Institute at Houghton. He plans on chemical engineering as a career. Jordan has received a four year Army R.O.T.C. scholarship and he looks forward to being a commissioned officer in the Army.

Co-Salutatorians

Co-salutatorians Mary and Marie Anderson are the twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson of 7181 Knapp Road, Ada.

Mary and Marie have had quite an identical record of past school experiences. Before the start of their reshmen year, both were awarded full-tuition scholar





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ships to attend Mount Mercy Academy in Grand Rapids. During their two-year attendance at the Academy they became involved with the Liturgical Committee, Mercy Corps for the Aged, and French Club.

Marie held the position of homeroom represent > tive and Student Congress secretary for one year. They became recognized on the honor roll and were presented certificates of achievement, service, and honor at the end of their sophomore year.

Upon transferring to Lowell for their junior and senior years, their school performance continued to remain the same. Each became a member of the Annual Staff, French Club, and National Honor Society.

Aquinas College has admitted the two girls into its coming fall session and both were awarded identical scholarships. Mary plans to complete four years at equinas in preparation for a career in social work. Marie has signed up in the college's liberal arts program nd remains open about her career choice.

MARCIA ANN ALDERINK Marcia Ann Alderink is the daughter of Mrs. Helen Alderink and the late Clare D. Alderink of 7149 Hastings Rd., Lowell.

She is a member of the National Honor Society, and was this year's recipient of the D.A.R. Good Citizen Award. She works on-the-job for I. & S. Associates in Cascade, and also helps out in the office at school. In her spare time, Marcia enjoys playing the piano. Her hobbies include walking, cooking and sewing. She looks forward to traveling to various parts of the United States and the world in the future.

Marcia is presently taking business oriented classes which relate to her chosen field of work. After graduation she will begin working full time for I. & S.

JANET LEE BIERI

Janet Lee Bieri is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Bieri of 840 Lincoln Lake Avenue, Lowell. She is a member of the First United Methodist Church of Lowell where she participates in the Youth

Fellowship and choirs. In school, Janet has been active in band and has won honors in solo contests for her flute playing. She is a member of National Honor Society, French Club, An-

nual Staff, and the Concert and chamber choirs. In her spare time, Janet enjoys many forms of music and likes to sew, making her own clothes. She plans to attend Ferris State College this fall, to pursue a career in pharmacy.

JOYLEEN ROSE BLOUGH

Joyleen Rose Blough is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Blough of 12706 Cascade Rd., Lowell.

In her freshman year, Joy was active in concert, marching and pep band and also French Club. During her sophomore year, she added solo and ensemble for band and Future Teachers of America. As a junior she was elected president of FTA and became a member of the National Honor Society.

She is a teacher's aide in the Bushnell first grade. Her interests also include crocheting, knitting, cooking, and traveling. She plans to attend Grand Rapids Junior College this fall and further her studies in business. NANCY COONS

Nancy Coons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Coons, 404 N. Division, Lowell, has been active in music and drama during high school. She has played French horn in several groups, including honors bands and the Grand Rapids Youth Symphony; and plans to study it at the University of Michigan.

Nancy has been in drama and forensics for four years, going to State with her serious interpretive readings, and having several roles in plays. She sang in Chamber Choir and her church choir, and enjoys working with a Camp Fire group each week.

She helped in a general English class and will be working in a day care center this summer. During her junior year, Nancy received a writing award from the National Council of Teachers of English.

TERRY FAIRMAN

Being a Senior and graduating in a few weeks, makes Terry Fairman feel good. He is looking forward to the change and having more control of his own destiny. Terry plans to attend Michigan Technological University next fall.

He plans to get into either chemical or electrical engineering. Terry says that this is only a tentative plan and may work for a year before going on to college. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fairman of Five Mile Road, Ada, Terry was named an Honorary Michigan Competitive Scholarship winner.

DANIEL JAMES LOMAS

Daniel James Lomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Lomas of Lowell, was born in Detroit, where he resided until fourth grade. The next year the family moved to the Lowell area.

In senior high he plays the French Horn in solo and ensemble contests, and the Grand Rapids Youth Symphony. He plays guitar in the high school jazz band, and also in a rock 'n roll band. Next year he will be attending Western Michigan

University, where he will major in music. BARBARA JEAN SPITSBERGEN

Barbara Jean Spitsbergen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Spitsbergen of Lowell, started her freshman year as a member of the band and French Club. Adding to this, her sophomore year she was elected class President and joined the Future Teachers of Amer-



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dent and was chosen to be a member of the National Honor Society.







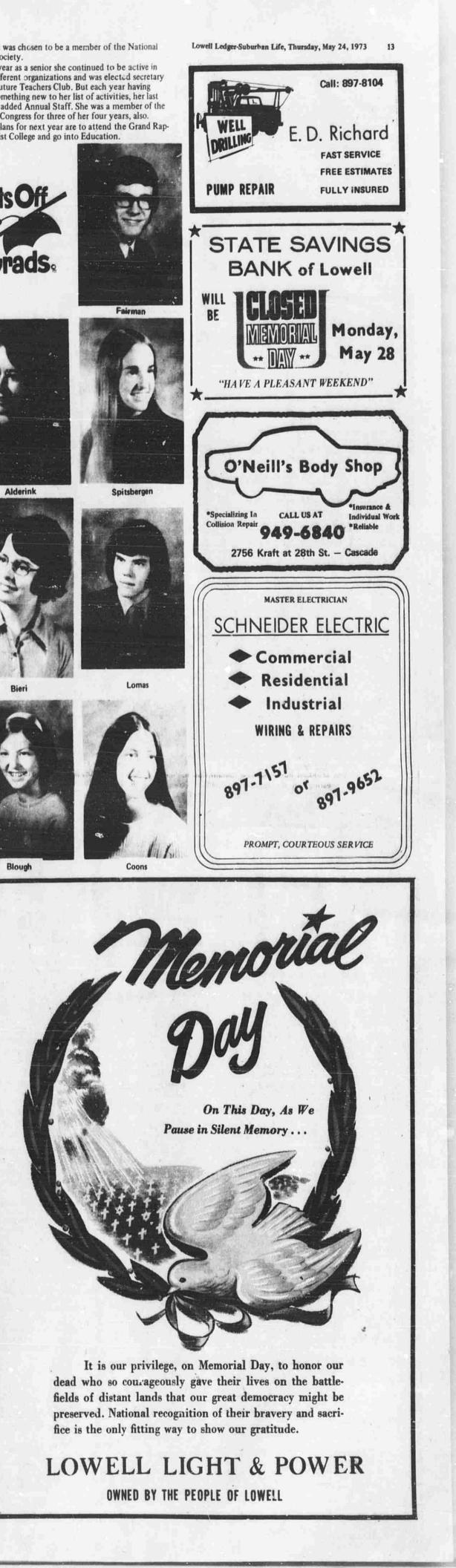


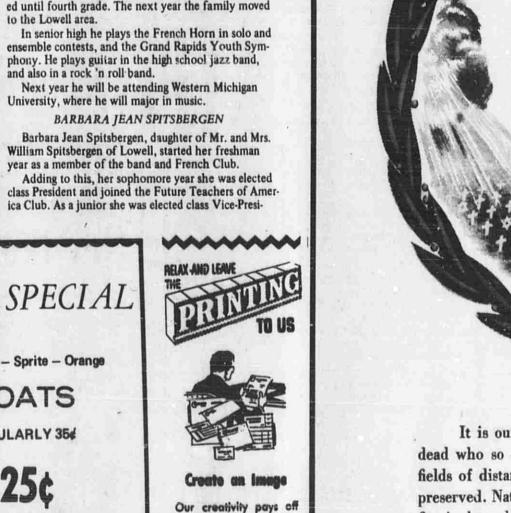






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Meet The Candidates

The Martin-Collins P.T.O. will be sponsoring an open meeting in the Collins School June 4 at 8 p.m. to discuss the issues of the up-coming school board elections.

Roy Lumsden will conduct the meeting and all the Forest Hills School board candidates are planning to be present to answer questions.

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At The Council

At the Lowell City Council meeting Monday night, the continuation Hearing of the Necessity for running 150 feet of 8 inch sewer on James Street revealed the cost would be \$3,816 or \$1,272 to each of the three beneficiaries. However, Gerald Henry, attorney, repre-senting Mrs. Ann Battistella, one of the three property owners the sewer was proposed to benefit, protested that in actuality, the Battistella property would derive no benefit from the extension.

After some discussion, Council agreed and moved to set a new hearing of necessity for the other property owners, Lorna Franks and James Briggs, to be held at the next council meeting.

Council also moved to issue a change order with the Department of Public Works requesting a federal grant to cover 50% of the cost of the 150 foot sewer extension.

Many citizens were present for the Public Hearing of Necessity for an 800 foot extension of a 6 inch water main for James Street and were told the cost would be \$5.23 a front foot with the City paying the cost of the fire hydrants for fire protection. The property owners present agreed to have the roll spread and presented at the next meeting.

The City budget for 1973-74 as well as the Lowell Water, Light and Power Co. budget were approved by council members, as presented. The millage rate of \$15 per thousand of assessed valuation was set for the 1973 City (Summer) Taxes, down \$1 from '72.

One bid of \$1,400 was submitted by two high school boys for the painting of the city office, council room, police office, lobby and stairway (not including paint). No action was taken at this time.

In other business, council granted an easement across city property to the city well house site for water service to the Lowell Area Schools' new bus garage.

A letter from the State Boundary Commission in reference to the annexation of school property to the city of Lowell was read by City Manager Baline Bacon. In answer to an appeal by the Lowell Area Schools, a hearing has been set for Wednesday, June 15 at the Treasury Bldg, in Lansing at 9:15 a.m.

The new Middle School is located in Lowell Township. School officials feel it would be financially advantageous if the school property was annexed to the city, but the township has been reluctant to let go.

Chuckle of the evening was provided by Gerald Hen-ry, who upon hearing that the Showboat was to receive financial aid from the Dr. S.S. Lee fund (previously earmarked for park improvement, tennis courts, etc.) suggested the Showboat committee should maybe change the name of the Showboat from the Robert E. Lee to the S.S. Lee. Council had agreed to lend the Showboat Corporation \$23,000 to purchase portable bleachers at a special meeting held last week.



'Special Ed' Issue

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Janet Bailey Is 'Woman of Year'

Mrs. Sharon Jones, past president, Lowell Area Jaycettes, presents Janet Bailey with an engraved silver pitcher for being named Lowell's "Woman of the Year." The honors took place Thursday, May 17, at St. Mary's all-purpose room at a Tea given by the Jaycettes to honor all six nominees.

Forty guests were entertained by a vocal solo by Miss Cherie McKeage, a flute solo by Miss Janet Bieri, and a dramatic reading by Cheryl Lynn Hoyle, Miss Lowell Showboat 1972.

The highlight of the evening was a fashion show of The Deb Shop's fine line of clothing. Margi Sveadas presented Janet Bailey with a surprise gift from The Deb Shop.

Center Cited Among State Attractions

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Ada and its new Amway Center of Free Enterprise are cited among state vacation attractions in Automobile Club of Michigan's May Motor News magazine.

In an article titled "What to See and Do in Michigan," Auto Club's 1,100,000 reader-members are told that "the new Amway center is scheduled for dedication May 25, with Gov. Milliken as the chief speaker.

Amway is a home care and personal product manufacturing firm headquartered at Ada, Auto Club points out.

Motor News adds that the new, 60,000-square-foot Amway Building will house corporate headquarters as well as the Free Enterprise Institute.

"The Institute," says Motor News, "is comprised of exhibits, educational programs and literature distribu-ted to visitors designed to further the understanding of business, economics and the free enterprise system.

Fran Hoag Selected As **Outstanding Teacher**

Frances Hoag, pre-school teacher in Lowell Area Schools, has been selected as one of the Outstanding Elementary Teachers of America for 1973.

Several teachers throughout the country were nominated by their principals earlier this year and from the nominations the teachers were selected on the basis of exceptional services, achievements and leadership in the field of elementary education.

In announcing the award winners to the administrators, Dr. Gilbert Beers, Director of the Outstanding Elementary Teachers of America program, stated, "The men and women chosen for this high honor have explored new paths, developed new insights and effectively communicated their knowledge to their students and colleagues. They are exceptional teachers."

From this group will be chosen the one teacher to receive the actual Elementary Teacher of the Year tro-phy. In addition, five \$500.00 unrestricted grants will be awarded to the school represented by those five ad-judged tops in the nation. This is to commend both the teacher and the school for their contributions to the continuing excellence of American education.

Mrs. Hoag has been with the local school system for the past 10 years.





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Friday, June 1 7 p.m. ADA TOWNSHIP HALL **Be Here For The** MAYORS EXCHANGE - Vassar's visiting Mayor Gleeson accepts a key to the City from Councilman James Hall. **Best Buys in Town!** All Proceeds for July 4th Fireworks **************** Members of the Lowell Board of Education today urged all voters to pay particular attention to a propos-al which will appear on the ballot for the coming June **Home Center &** To begin with, the county is only asking for one-quarter mill which would amount to \$2.50 per year on a \$20,000 home, so the taxation would be low. This is **Veterans' Dry Cleaning** because the entire county is involved and the money The money is necessary because of a new State law now in effect which makes it mandatory for every school district in the State of Michigan to "develop, es-tablish and continually evaluate and modify a plan for will be closed Saturday special education programs and services designed to develop the maximum potential of every handicapped person of which the board is required to maintain a refor the MEMORIAL Weekend. at noon The state also requires that the district lease, pur-chase or otherwise acquire buildings, vehicles and equip-ment with which to do this but it has not provided ad-The state's ruling means that the local school dis-The state's ruling means that the local school dis-tricts are now 100 percent responsible for all persons up to 25 years old who need help because they are, mentally handicapped, emotionally disturbed, suffer from hearing loss or are deaf, suffer from visual prob-lems or are blind, crippled, suffer speech and language difficulties, need homebound instruction or are per-centually handicapped.

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Along with the new ruling, the state also adopted a policy whereby all of the educable and trainable retarded from such state institutions as Coldwater and Mount Pleasant State Homes are being returned to their home communities so that there will be significantly more mentally retarded children for the Kent Intermediate School Distric! to educate than in previous years.

The local school board's stand is that the state is demanding that it be done, the cost is very minimal and that these handicapped children need all the help they can get so voters are urged to vote "yes" on the proposal June 11.

School Board Agenda

Lowell Area School Board Meeting Tuesday, May 29 in the Senior High School Library, 7:30 p.m.

- Review of bids Curriculum Report
- 3. Senior high report cards.