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Small Audiences Only Mar On Mike Curb Congregation



Patriotic motif provides background for the Mike Curb Congregation's medley of patriotic songs.

The Mike Curb Congregation, featured performers for the first week's 3 nights' run of the 41st annual Showboat, provided a fast paced program of song and dance numbers which seemed to span the ages in audience appeal. Attractive costuming combined with a free and easy style enhanced the quality of their performance.

Although the total group numbers 19, only 10 were on stage for the Showboat engagement. But what the group lacked in size, they made up in youthful exuberance behind some great individual voices, as well as in concert.

Each member of the group was featured sometime throughout the evening. Particularly enjoyable was the voice of blond, handsome and devilishly dimpled, Tyler Whitney, singing, "Single On My Mind."

A patriotic medley beginning with "Dixie" and concluding with "This Land Is My Land," "Burning Bridges," and "Put Your Hand In The Hand," were especially applauded by a responsive, though disappointingly small audience.

The endmen performed their stellar roles with their usual grace and aplomb . . . delivering the usual brand of jokes . . . none registering very high on an applause meter.

However, in the singing department, all six endmen came through with commendable performances, but special plaudits should go to Terry Buck singing the "Auctioneer's Song" and to Kevin Vezino for his "Hey, Look Me Over."

All in all, the whole production, from the orchestra, the chorus and featured performers, to the men responsible for maneuvering that old side-wheeler down Flat River, seemed to go smoothly, even on opening night.

Lighting and sound, an important ingredient in any stage production, were good and the backdrop for the whole thing, the beautifully decorated Showboat, helped set the mood for an enjoyable summer evening under the stars.

Boots Randolph and Jethro Burns will headline this week's performances, Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights.

Jethro, an instrumentalist-singer who delivers a homespun brand of humor, is a surprise and welcome addition to the upcoming show. Teamed with his former partner, Homer, for almost 40 years until 1971 when Homer died, Jethro has since performed alone because he said it would be impossible to replace his old side kick.

This week's shows will again include winning amateur acts and the Max Barnes Combo. Showtime is 9:30 p.m. beginning Thursday, July 26.



Endmen at Stage Center.



Chorus director, Tom Hagan, brings the chorus to full voice.



Audience Initiates New Seating.



Photographer catches a gesturing Gordie Gould, Showboat interlocutor.



With a Song In My Heart.

Re: Township, City State Boundary Commission Sets August Public Hearing

On August 28, 1973, the State Boundary Commission will conduct a public hearing on the proposed annexation (Docket No. 73-AP-11) of certain territory situated in Lowell Township, Kent County, to the City of Lowell.

A copy of the map and legal description of the area proposed to be annexed may be obtained from the Boundary Commission. The 7 p.m. hearing will be held in the Lowell Middle School, 12675 Foreman Road.

The public hearing is being held to comply with Section 8 of Public Act 191 of 1968, as amended, the Boundary Commission Act, and Section 9 (2) of Public Act 219 of 1970, the annexation act, which specify that the Commission must hold a public hearing on annexation petitions not less than 60 nor more than 220 days from the date of filing.

The public hearing will give the residents of the Lowell Township-Lowell area an opportunity to contribute information and testimony on the proposed annexation and the 18 criteria contained in section 9 of the Boundary Commission Act.

The Boundary Commission will not reach any conclusions or make any determinations until after the August 28, 1973, public hearing. The Commission has several options. They can deny the petition, approve it as submitted or approve it with boundary adjustments.

Criteria . . .

1. Population
2. Population density
3. Land area
4. Land uses

5. Assessed valuation
6. Topography
7. Natural boundaries and drainage basins
8. The past and probably future urban growth, including population increase and business, commercial and industrial development in the area
9. Comparative data for the annexing municipality, and the remaining portion of the unit from which the area will be detached shall be considered
10. Need for organized community services
11. The present cost and adequacy of governmental services in the area to be annexed
12. The probable future needs for services
13. The practicability of supplying such services in the area to be annexed
14. The probable effect of the proposed annexation and of alternative courses of action on the cost and adequacy of services in the area to be annexed and on the remaining portion of the unit from which the area will be detached.
15. The probable increase in taxes in the area to be annexed in relation to the benefits expected to accrue from annexation
16. The financial ability of the annexing municipality to maintain urban type services in the area
17. The general effect upon the entire community of the proposed action
18. The relationship of the proposed action to any established city, village, township, county or regional land use plan.



SINK OR SWIM . . .

Did the thought ever cross your mind that you'd like to dunk the City Manager and/or Mayor in the water?

You'll get your chance August 6 thru 11 at the Lowell 4-H Fair at the Dunking Machine sponsored by the Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce.

Be there to 'soak' the City officials.

SIDEWALK SALE . . .

Annual Sidewalk Sale Days in Lowell will be Friday and Saturday, August 3 and 4.

Sponsored by the Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce, participating merchants will offer you choice bargains at sale prices during the two-day event.

APARTMENT ENTERED . . .

A short absence from her apartment at 218 S. Hudson Street proved costly July 17 to Marsha Hahnenberg.

When she returned, she found the apartment had been broken into. Two necklaces and \$25 in cash were missing.

The complaint remains under investigation by the Lowell Police.

CYCLIST BREAKS LEG . . .

Lowell Police were dispatched to East Main Street at Grove, July 18 to investigate a personal injury accident.

A car driven by Clarence Andrew Bradshaw of Lowell collided with a motorcycle driven by Ross Kevin Starkweather of Newaygo. Taken to the hospital, the cyclist was treated for a broken leg.

Bradshaw was ticketed for failure to yield the right-of-way.

HITS SPEED SIGN . . .

Gerald Ray Glenn of Grand Rapids swerved to avoid collision with another car and struck a 'speed limit sign' on West Main Street, July 18.

No personal injuries were recorded, but Glenn's car was the victim of a dent here and there.

A LITTLE ODD! . . .

With the majority of the street in Lowell yet to feel the pressure of the heavy diggers to lay the new water-sewer lines . . . it seems a little odd that workers had to 'tie' up (in triple knots) Main Street during Showboat Week, especially when one traffic director seems to have a hard time telling his right hand from his left—in the presence of two women drivers. A tragedy was averted when the ladies realized his confusion and avoided collision.

Just one more episode in a project . . . that now takes you 20 minutes to get (two blocks) home, over rough terrain, 12 blocks that-a-way!

Patience, my friend . . .

FIVE FLAGS TAKEN . . .

American Flags, placed during special occasions along Main Street by the Lowell Lions Club were the victims of culprits Saturday night.

Five of the flags were removed from their poles, while others were cut.

Mystery Photo



Mrs. Charles Jones was last week's mystery photo winner when she correctly identified: Roland Ball, Gain Bangs, Lee Braisted, Lowell Smith, teacher Emily Severson, Lawrence Booth, Walter Roth, Stanley Lewis, Gratten Lennox, Elliot Martin, Leon Braisted, Ehrhart Bonk Frank Harr, Francis Collins, Bea Jones, Erma Howard, Marg Graham, Edith Ribble, Goldie Collins, Gladys Walker, Ila Oberley, Viola Anderson, Dora Bangs, Crystal Anderson, Hazel Geib, Letha Rogers and Rose Kropf.

Identify this week's photo at noon on Friday by calling 897-9261. The first correct caller will win a year's subscription.

Roy Charters Killed In Auto Accident

Roy Denison Charters, age 27, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Dale Charters, Denison Drive, Cascade, was killed in an automobile accident Sunday night near Wisconsin Rapids, Wisconsin.

Memorial services will be held in the Chapel at Cascade Christian Church at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, July 26.

Friends wishing to do so, may contribute memorials to Camp Gaylon in care of the Cascade Christian Church.

Mr. Charters was pollution abatement engineer of Nekoosa-Edwards Paper Company in Wisconsin in charge of a 7 million dollar project. He was chairman of the board of trustees of the First Congregational Church at Wisconsin Rapids. He was a 2nd Lieutenant in the Army Reserves and a graduate of Forest Hills High School and Western Michigan University.

Survivors are his wife, Chris, his parents; sisters, Mrs. Ted (Nancy) Milanowski, Mrs. James (Nina) Scripps and a brother, Robert.

ROSIE'S DRIVE INN—This week's special: Hot dogs, 25¢, mustard & catsup only. c-16

'SOUND OF MUSIC' — Coming to the Strand Theatre, Lowell, for one full week August 16 thru 22. c16

HOWLAND PROMOTED TO RANK OF CORPORAL

Robert E. Howland, stationed at Camp Pendleton, California, has been promoted to the rank of Marine Corporal.
The Corporal's wife, Patricia, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Tepper of 4360 Burton Street, S.E.

A Cut Above the Norm... Get It Here



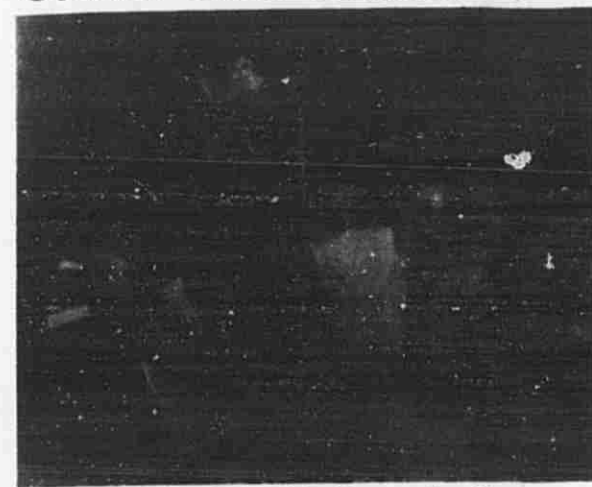
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Collect Used Glasses



Chairman of the Sight Conservation Committee of the Lowell Lions Club, Bill Gauger examines a collection of used eye glasses with Dr. Herbert Mueller.

The Lowell Lions Club, under the chairmanship of Bill Gauger, will open their annual drive this week to collect used eye glasses.

A project of the Sight Conservation Committee, the glasses will be collected locally for overseas shipment to Haiti, Africa and South America, where they will be distributed through hospitals and church sponsored medical centers.

Anyone in the Lowell and surrounding area, who have and would like to donate used eye glasses can deposit them in a collection box at the office of Dr. H. Mueller, 1125 West Main Street, Lowell.

Help others to see, through this Lion's sponsored event.

EASY ACCESS

Convention and trade show exhibitors will find it easier to get their displays into the Century Ballroom of the new Crown Center Hotel in Kansas City, Missouri than into most exhibition spots. There's a paved ramp running from Main Street right into the third floor ballroom.

AROUND the AREA

Mrs. Jennie Williams, a resident of Schneider Manor, suffered a fall last week and is a patient at Kent Community Hospital. She would be glad to hear from her friends.

Hospitalized—Karen Kellogg, Angeline Shippy, Butterworth; Rosella Yeiter, Grand Rapids Osteopathic; Ida Yeiter, Max Nigh, Kent Community.
Recently released—George Fonger, Vince McCambridge, Dale Phillips.

Colleen Kelly, Janie Rivette, and Susan Stevens spent last week at the Senior High Institute at Lake Camp Louise.

Dr. Douglas E. Wingier, Associate Professor of Christian Education at Evangelical Theological Seminary of Naperville, Illinois, spent the weekend in Lowell on an Evangelistic visit.

A new resident at the Springbrook Nursing Home in Grand Rapids is George Fonger of Lowell.

Let's say Happy Birthday to: Lorraine Stover, John Lasby, Elaine Stormzand, Julie Rowe, July 26; Toby Jones, Gail Acheson, Charlie Thuston, July 27; Beatrice Krum, Carol Wittenbach, Donald Johnson, Mark VanderBilt, July 29; John Lomas, Shelby Zandstra, Carol Scharaswak, July 30; Karen Anderson, Judy Kietzman, July 31; Fran Griffin, July 30.

Our August birthday and anniversary list will start next week. Surprise your family and friends by calling their names and dates to 897-9261, now!

Married in 1939, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas LaDue will celebrate their wedding anniversary on July 26.
Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Meredith will celebrate their anniversary on July 30, and Mr. and Mrs. Patrick McDonough will observe theirs on July 31.

Former Lowellite, Hulda Feinets, is spending the summer in Lowell as the house guest of Olive Collins, Avery Street.

John and Esther Minges were Sunday dinner guests of Don and Maggie MacNaughton.

Happy Birthday to Dot McCaul, July 25; Mrs. Ann Borgerson and Dr. Donald Gerard, July 26.

Kimberly Jourdan left Friday, July 20, on United Airlines to fly to O'Hare Airport in Chicago. She was met there by her Aunt Kay and Aunt Judy. They left on a car trip throughout the southern states.

Annual Sweet School Reunion August 5

The 42nd Annual Sweet School reunion will be held Sunday, August 5, at 1 p.m. at the Alto Community Park with a potluck lunch.
All former students, teachers, and friends are welcome to attend.
If it rains the reunion will be at the Alto United Methodist Church.

Mass Is Offered For Elizabeth Mankel, 54

Mrs. Elizabeth P. Mankel, 54, wife of Kenneth E. Mankel of 9501 Bennett Road, Lowell, passed away July 18 in Butterworth Hospital.
Besides her husband, she is survived by three daughters, Mrs. John (Kathleen) Sullivan, Mrs. Garth (Peggy) Snyder and Miss Donna Jean Mankel; five grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Martha Lang.

Funeral Mass was offered Saturday morning in St. Mary's Church, Lowell. Interment Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens.

Thirty-two Boys Head For Scout Reservation

On Sunday, July 29, thirty-two boys of scoutmaster Bill Nowak's Troop 102 will be heading to the Grand Valley Scout Reservation near Barryton.

The scouts will spend a week there finishing their merit badges and skill awards.
A reminder for the parents; please plan to arrive between 1 and 3 p.m. on July 29th, and to pick up your scout between 10 and 12 a.m. on August 4th.

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Citizenship Short Course



Jadyn Folkerstma of Alto will be among the 11 outstanding Kent County teens who will attend the 4-H Citizenship Short Course at the National 4-H Center in Washington, D.C.
The youth, who were nominated by their local 4-H club leaders and chosen by the county Awards Committee, for the trip will spend a week at the center, study the federal government, visit many national monuments and shrines. Meeting with delegates from other states will increase their understanding of the differences and similarities of regional attitudes.

new arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Blair Armstrong of Lowell happily announce the birth of a baby girl, Yvette Elaine, at Ionia Memorial Hospital on Friday, July 20. The new arrival tipped the scales at 6 lbs., 9 oz. and was 17½ inches long.
Proud grandparents are the George Bailyes and Lawrence Armstrongs, both of Lowell.
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Denny from Saranac, are the proud parents of a baby boy, Eric Francis, born July 17 at Blodgett Memorial Hospital. Eric weighed 8 lbs., 14 oz. and was 22 inches long.
Grand parents are Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Denny Sr., of Saranac and Mr. and Mrs. Budd LaBine of Lowell.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brown (nee Fondarac Powell) announce the birth of a son, Kevin Alexander, June 18. He weighed seven pounds, eight ounces.

Fairy Tale Skit Enthralls Children

For the last summer program at the Lowell Public Library, July 24, Cindy and her cast did a skit based on a familiar fairy tale for young children.
We want to thank all the children who came to our Tuesday programs and made them a great success.
On July 31, at 10:30 a.m. we will have a picnic at Richard's Park for all those boys and girls who have been participating in the reading program and also those who have attended the Tuesday morning programs.
Bozo the Clown will be present to greet the children. Each child should bring a sack lunch. Pop and ice cream will be furnished by the library board.
Bozo will also be at our booth at the flower show in the Runciman School on Saturday, July 28, from 1-3 p.m.

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RAINING OUT?
Read A Book
LOWELL
Mon. 12:00 - 5:30
Tue. 12:00 - 8:30
Wed. 1:00 - 6:00
Sat. 10:00 - 7:00

Between The Book Ends

On July 28, from 1 to 3 p.m. Friends of the Lowell Library present Patches the Clown!
Come to the Lowell Library Booth at the Showboat Garden Club Flower Show. Patches is the mascot of the Kent County Library Summer Program and will be on hand to greet you.
On display will be a variety of books on gardening, herb growing, house plants and will have circus stories for the children. These books are available for you to borrow and enjoy at the Lowell Library.

Immunization Reminder

The Kent County Health Department has an Immunization Clinic at the East Kent Community Center, 10763 Grand River Drive, Lowell.
A Public Health Nurse is at the Center the second and fourth Monday of each month from 9 to 11 a.m. She will give immunizations and tuberculin skin tests, and counsel parents regarding health needs.
Parents of children who will be entering Kindergarten this September are reminded to be sure their child's immunizations are up to date. Parents are encouraged to go to their private physician for this service, or to attend one of the Public Health Immunization Clinics.

YOUR OWN VAULT

A secure closet equipped with a heavy-duty dead-lock can serve as a home "vault" for jewelry, furs, sterling and other valuables, according to the Quikset Division of Emhart Corp., a leading lockmaker. Be sure that the hinge pins are inside the closet so they cannot be removed from the outside, it cautions.

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Saranac Sewers Overworked, Pose 'Big' Problems

Water from surrounding townships has been pouring into storm sewers in the Village of Saranac at a rate, in some areas, exceeding intake ability.

A surge in growth and development in recent years outside the village has disturbed the landscape and caused the water-flow to travel off this newly arranged terrain into a different egress: the Saranac storm sewer.

Several residents along Pleasant Street have been forced to move twice in the past year due to unusually high water levels. They have remained away from their homes for a day or more.

Village president Max Tullis said he would meet next week with township representatives, county officials and local school board members to discuss the need for correction.

WELCOME TO SARANAC

Saranac May Get Funds For Bridge Repairs

A new state and federal program is in the making for next year's legislative session, according to Max Tullis, Saranac village president. This program will be a matching fund bill for bridge repairs.

The Bridge Street overflow bridge in Saranac, is listed number 42 in the state for need of repair. At this time, there is no money available for new bridges in Ionia County, except through taxation, he said.

The six bridges in the Village of Saranac are all in need of repair, but the overflow bridge, further north, is in immediate need of attention.

Saranac faces the same problem most communities are dealing with, although the bridges in Saranac, built around 1903, are older than other bridges in Ionia County which are also in need of replacing or repair.

Williams and Works Engineering Company has surveyed the Saranac bridges and are consultants for Saranac.

All city and village officials in Ionia County met with state representatives a few months ago requesting emergency aid for this problem, and the plan for a matching fund program was formulated.

New School Bus Training Funded

Central Michigan University and Western Michigan University jointly have received a \$124,900 federal grant for an innovative school bus driver training program. The program will employ the use of a computerized school bus simulator reproducing actual driving conditions. The simulator is a school bus stripped of its seats but with eight trainee seats.

Trainees will not only view television screens showing road situations but also TV visualizations of rear view mirror outlook, thus forcing the trainees to be conscious of both driving conditions. The project is being directed by its developers, Keith Allen of CMU and Dale Benjamin of WMU.

RANKS NUMBER ONE

Michigan ranks number one in the nation in the production of six crops: red tart cherries, sweet cherries, dry edible beans, cucumbers for pickling, fine Eastern white soft winter wheat, and thubarb.

St. Anthony's Church

David Highway
-Saranac-
Rev. Harold Feltman
642-2551

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

Saranac Community Church

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
125 Bridge St., Saranac
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Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.
Summer Church School 10:30 a.m.
Adult Discussion Group 11:00 a.m.
Christian Youth Fellowship Sunday Evenings

Parsonage 642-9565 Church Office 642-4821

Galilee Baptist Church of Saranac

Across from High School—Corner of Orchard and Pleasant Streets
James R. Frank, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.
Awana (Youth, 8-13 yrs) Thursday nights during School term 6:30 p.m.

Double Ring Ceremony Unites Saranac Couple

Galilee Baptist Church of Saranac, was the setting July 13 at 7:30 p.m. for the wedding of Elizabeth Ann Kauffman to Brian James Kelly, both of Saranac.

Miss Kauffman is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Vance Kauffman of 133 Jackson Street and Mr. and Mrs. Robert James Kelly of 240 Cloverlane are parents of the groom.

The bride chose for her wedding an embroidered eyelid silk organza gown over white satin, featuring an empire waistline, short puffed sleeves, stand-up collar with satin bow accents in the back. The bodice was adorned with embroidery. Her full length veil of illusion was secured by a Juliet cap.

The bride chose for her maid of honor, Terri Lynn Kauffman, Pamela Feuerstein, Sheri Carpenter, Patricia Andres, Susan Kauffman and Patty Leik were bridesmaids.

The groom's attendants were Colin Hill as best man, and groomsmen were Michael Swiger, Patrick Kelly, Rex Cahoon, Michael Kelly and Jerry Kauffman, brother of the bride.

Ushering the guests were Rex Cahoon, uncle of the groom, Patrick Kelly, Michael Kelly, the groom's brothers.

A reception in the church parlor was given by the bride's parents immediately after the wedding, after which the newly weds left on a honeymoon trip for a week to Niagara Falls and Canada and will be at home at 409 1/2 Jackson Road, Saranac, on their return.

Ford To Tour Fifth District During August

Congressman Gerald R. Ford will tour the Fifth Congressional District in his mobile office during the "August Recess" of Congress.

Ford will visit 19 locations in the district during the periods August 6-8 and August 23-September 1.

"I am looking forward to this opportunity to talk with my constituents," Ford said in announcing his itinerary. "It is always good to get together with the folks at home. This tour in my mobile office will give me a chance to learn more about their problems first hand."

Places and times when Ford will be available to constituents in his mobile office are as follows:

August 6-Belding, in front of City Hall, 2:30 to 5 p.m.; August 7-Portland, at City Parking lot side of Kent, two blocks from Grand River Avenue, 9 to 11:30 a.m. and Lake Odessa, Brader's Drug parking lot, 2:30 to 5; August 8-Lowell, City parking lot on Main Street, 9 to 11:30; and Ada, Union Bank parking lot, 2:30 to 5.

August 23-Kent City, in front of Township Hall, 9 to 11:30; August 24-Fowler, southwest corner of Second and Main in front of former Fowler Hotel, 9 to 11:30; August 25-Middleville, northeast corner of High and Main in Standard Service Station, 9 to 11:30; August 27-Byron Center, Byron Center Shoprite parking lot, 9 to 11:30; and Rockford, Main Street near Don's Pharmacy, 2:30 to 5; August 28-Caledonia, Main Street by Lake Avenue Eleanor House, 9 to 11:30; and Sparta, on Main Street, 2:30 to 5.

August 29-Ionia, in front of Ionia County Bank on Main Street, 9 to 11:30; and Saranac, in front of McCarty Advertising, 2:30 to 5; August 30-Cedar Springs, northwest corner of Ash and Main, by Lipperts, 9 to 11:30; and Standale, at the Plaza, 2:30 to 5; August 31-Cosmos Park, at Lamoreaux Drug parking lot, 9 to 11:30; and Rogers Plaza, by the Schenck Sign, 2:30 to 5; September 1-Grandville, City Hall Parking lot, 9 to 11:30.

DOROTHY WEEKS BECOMES MRS. JUSTIN WRIGHT

Dorothy Weeks and Justin Wright of Saranac were married July 14 at the latter's home on Lee Road.

The Rev. H. H. Callahan performed the ceremony. Sister of the bride, Effie Burdie, was maid of honor and best man was Mr. Wright's son, Gale.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright are honeymooning in South Dakota.

IONIA FREE FAIR STARTS JULY 27

The Ionia Free Fair will open Friday, July 27, with all the traditional attractions plus new and exciting entertainment. An IRA sanctioned professional rodeo will be presented for the first time in Ionia. Show personalities will include Doc Severinsen, Loretta Lynn, Jeanne C. Riley, and Dave Brubeck. The Michigan State Lottery Drawing will be at the Grandstand August 2 at 9:30 a.m.

The Midway and free exhibits will be ready Friday the 27th when the Grandstand entertainment will be the modernized sport of tractor pulling. The National Lightweight Horse Pulling Contest will take over the Grandstand Saturday. The Rodeo programs Sunday afternoon and evening is a new event for the Fair. Independent Rodeo professionals will be contesting for prize money and points toward the National Championships.

The final day of the Fair, Sunday, August 5, will include the Auto Thrill Show at 2:30 p.m., and the Demolition Derby at 6:30 p.m. There will also be harness horse races Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoons, and Stock Car races Friday and Saturday afternoons, August 3 and 4. The Annual Parade will be Monday, July 30, at 10:30 a.m. The Free Kiddie Show will be Tuesday, July 31, at 10 a.m. Degglers Magic Midway will be going strong for the full ten days.

IONIA FREE FAIR

Friday, July 27, 9:30 a.m. to 9:30 p.m.
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Revise Special Milk Program Regulations

The U. S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) today revised its regulations for the Special Milk Program for Children.

One change makes this Program available only to schools which provide no food service to attending children. Milk is served as a basic component in all meals which are served in schools which do have lunch and breakfast programs.

Another change sets a uniform rate of reimbursement for all participating schools. The maximum rate of reimbursement is 3 cents a half pint, and the minimum is 2 cents a half pint.

These changes are designed to adjust program expenditures to the level of \$25 million that is provided by P. L. 93-52—the Continuing Resolution under which the program is operating in the fiscal year 1974.

The changes take effect immediately, and complete details were published in the Federal Register Tuesday.

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Pictured is part of the group of boys and girls who attended the YMCA Day Camp, July 16-20. Day Camp, softball, baseball, swim lessons, competitive swim team, Judo and Karate make up the YMCA Summer Program.

Swim Fun Program For Handicapped



Greg Mueller, Jaycees; Kay Collins, Steve Sharpstone, YMCA Pool Staff.

The Lowell YMCA and the Lowell Area Jaycees have combined their efforts in sponsoring a swim fun program for handicapped children in the Lowell Area.

Swim fun will last five days: August 13-17. Although trained instructors will supervise, volunteers to give everyone individual attention will be welcome.

The fee is \$1. If you know of a handicapped child or if you would like to assist, please contact the YMCA office at 897-7375, contact Greg Mueller at 897-7930, or stop in at the YMCA office at 323 W. Main.

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Starts Clinical Work



Pam Henson, Four Mile Road, N.E., Ada, has started her undergraduate clinical work in the Grand Rapids Junior College Dental Hygiene Program. Miss Henson was a 1972 graduate of Forest Hills Central High School.

Her first patients at the JC clinic have been relatives and friends. This fall she will perform dental services for patients from the general community.

The dental hygiene program requires students to enroll in a summer session that includes clinical work as well as classes in radiology and periodontology.

Miss Henson will graduate in May 1974 with an Associate Degree in Applied Arts and Sciences and become a Registered Dental Hygienist after completing the national and state board examinations.

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Woodpeckers To Play Chamber In Benefit Game

The "Woodpeckers" of Channel 8 (WOTV) will play a benefit softball game with a team fielded by the Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce on August 9.

The Thursday night game, starts at 8 p.m., and will be played at Recreation Park. Come on out for an evening of fun and laughter.

YMCA Establishes Piccolo Award

Did you know that the late Chicago football great, Brian Piccolo was a YMCA supporter? Recognizing Mr. Piccolo's unselfish service to the YMCA and his community, the YMCA has established an annual Brian Piccolo Award.

The award in 1972, went to Los Angeles Dodgers players Jim Lefebvre and Wes Parker. On their own time and at their own expense, the two ballplayers conducted anti-drug efforts among school children.

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Forest Hills Kingfish Narrowly Defeated

In one of the most exciting and heart-breaking meets of the year, Forest Hills Kingfish were narrowly defeated by Rockford Community 316-314. Spectators were screaming as teammates followed swimmers down the side of the pool urging them on.

Many records were broken in this highly competitive meet—one as far back as 1968. Triple winners for Forest Hills were Julie Fudge (14 and under) and Arlene Rome (8 and under).

Sage Has Five RBI's

A full slate of games was played in the Tri-County Baseball League over the weekend. Lowell pounded out a 20 to 2 win over Middleton led by Jeff Sage who had five RBI's and two hits.

Pete Ludwick singled in the winning run in the tenth inning as Pewamo downed Lakeview 5 to 4. Bill Werner was the winning pitcher in a relief chow with Dave Petersen taking the loss.

Ionia hand-d Grand Rapids Ace Plating their second loss of the season with an 8 to 2 win on the losers diamond. Paul Mathews was the winning hurler.

Portland clung to their half game lead in the Southern Division with an 11 to 4 win over Vermontville.

CENTRAL DIVISION

LOWELL	6	1
Ionia	7	2
Belding	4	5
Vermontville	4	5

Karate Club In Interschool Tournament

Local members of the Lowell YMCA Karate Club participated in an interschool tournament Tuesday, July 17, at Muskegon Community College, sponsored by Ernie Lieb, 6th degree black belt.

In brown belt kata competition first place was taken by Pam Weeks and second place by Vic Weeks, the two instructors for the local "Y" classes.

On June 24, Pam and Vic traveled to South Bend, Indiana for the Mid West Grand Nationals, sponsored by Jim Ninios. There they had the rare privilege of meeting Sugoro Nakazato, 9th degree black belt master in Shorin Ryu Karate, visiting the United States from Okinawa.

Competing in Women's Kata Competition, which includes all ranks from white to black, Mrs. Weeks captured the second place trophy.

Two jobs well done by the local YMCA Karate Club. Pam and Vic will be performing with the Shorin Ryu Karate School for preschool entertainment on the Lowell Showboat, July 27 & 28 nightly at approximately 8:45 for 25 to 30 minutes.

Notice: Karate Classes - The local classes have been moved down to the fairgrounds by the tennis courts due to the refinishing of the gym floors for fall.

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Picky Pier Perch Antagonizers

Many conflicting reports have been noted regarding perch fishing from the piers from Holland to Whitehall. Some anglers report excellent success while others report without a scale.

If you decide to try your hand for pier perch, be sure to check the latest fishing reports and carry a variety of baits. The most popular baits include minnows, wigglers, nightcrawlers, soft-shelled crabs, and grubs.

Ada Softball League Grand Rapids Sewer, Old Kent, Putt Putts League Leaders

SLOW FITCH

Grand Rapids Sewer	6	1
Rink Builders	6	1
Ada Beef	4	3
Wyoming Wizards	4	3
Vincent Sunoco	1	6
First Church	0	7

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Old Kent Bank	6	1
A.J. Sparks	7	2
Amway	4	4
Sweet Nine	4	4
Kent Foundry	3	6
Saranac Brand	3	6

Lake trout and salmon have moved into deeper water in Lake Michigan but success has generally been good whenever the weather permitted fishing.

Most inland lakes in Kent and Ionia counties have been producing fine catches of bluegills, northern pike, bass, crappies, perch and other panfish.

YMCA BALL BITS

The Minor Little League finished their single elimination tournament last Monday. The Lowell Tigers and the Alto Cubs were scheduled to play in the tournament finals.

STANDINGS THRU JULY 22ND

SPORTSMAN'S LEAGUE (1st Round Final Standings)				SPORTSMAN'S LEAGUE (Second Round)			
Beachams	6	2	Beachams	4	0		
Lowell Merchants	5	3	Lowell Methodist	3	0		
Lowell Methodist	5	3	Draft Dodgers	3	1		
Draft Dodgers	5	3	Lowell Engineering	2	1		
Lowell Engineering	5	3	Lowell Merchants	2	1		
Lowell Moose	4	3	Lowell Moose	1	2		
Lowell Calvary	4	4	Lowell Calvary	1	3		
State Savings Bk.	1	7	State Savings Bk.	0	4		
Lowell Area Jaycees	0	7	Lowell Area Jaycees	0	4		

MAJOR LITTLE LEAGUE

Caledonia Colts	8	1	Lowell Dodgers	7	2
Lowell Raiders	7	3	Alto Cubs	6	3
Caledonia Tigers	7	3	Lowell Cardinals	6	3
Middleville Grues	4	6	Clarksville Mets	5	4
Lowell Cards	4	6	Lowell Astros	3	6
Caledonia Cubs	2	6	Lowell Tigers	0	9
Middleville Norm's	1	8			
Bike	1	8			

MINOR LITTLE LEAGUE (Final Standings)

Lowell Tigers	6	2	Lowell Eagles	6	0
Lowell Dodgers	5	3	Lowell Cardinals	4	2
Alto Cubs	5	3	Lowell Cubs	4	2
Lowell Astros	2	6	Lowell Robins	3	3
Clarksville Mets	2	6	Clarksville Canaries	3	3
			Lowell Orioles	1	5
			Alto Blackbirds	0	6

GIRL'S SOFTBALL (8 to 10 Division)

Lowell Alley Cats	5	1	Parnell Team "B"	5	1
Parnell Tigers "A"	4	2	Parnell Team "A"	5	1
Clarkville Angels	3	3	Clarkville Lions	1	3
Parnell Tigers "B"	3	3	Lowell Go Getters	1	4
Lowell Big Champs	0	6	Lowell Mighty Sloggers	1	4

CADET SOFTBALL

Lowell Eagles	6	0
Lowell Cardinals	4	2
Lowell Cubs	4	2
Lowell Robins	3	3
Clarkville Canaries	3	3
Lowell Orioles	1	5
Alto Blackbirds	0	6

MAKE A LIST
It's a good idea to keep a list of the serial numbers of easily stolen items like TV, stereo and radio sets, typewriters and guns, it is suggested by the Kwikset Division of Emhart Corporation, a leading lock maker.

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Putt Putts	7	1
Steelcase	7	2
Lowell Moose	4	4
Ada Merchants	3	5
Mer's Towing	3	6
Caledonia Family Tavern	1	7

Ada Merchants 18, Caledonia Family Tavern 5; Lowell Moose 5, Mer's Towing 1; Putt Putts 2, Steelcase 0. (11 innings).

START 'EM YOUNG

One book publisher retains a psychologist as a consultant for its children's book department. The doctor has told the publisher, Hallmark Cards, that babies less than a year in age enjoy looking at books and can acquire a lifetime love of literature in the cradle.

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YMCA WATER CLASSES

Next Classes Begin July 30 and run through August 10

LESSON FEES: \$4.50 Y-MEMBER; \$8 NON-MEMBER

OPEN SWIMS—Elementary-Jr. Hi 10¢ Y-Mem. 25¢ Non-mem. Hi School thru Adults 25¢ Y-mem. 50¢ non-mem.

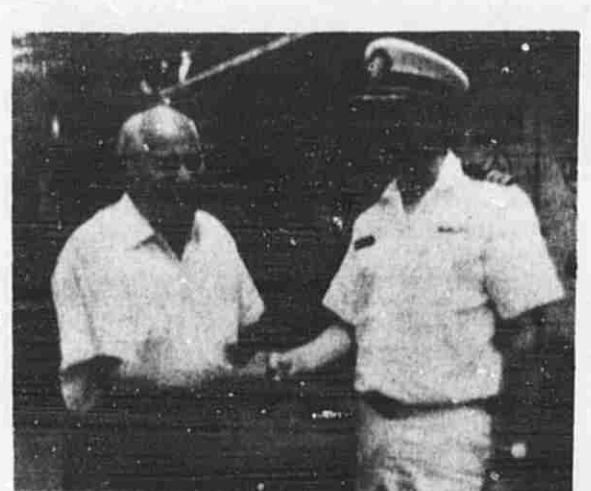
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Antique Cutter Inspiration; Rotarians Hear Speaker



Dr. James Chandler, Psychologist, speaker at last Wednesday's Rotary Club meeting, greets long time Rotarian, John Roth.

TO PRICE A COW

'Tis said a farmer was approached by his car dealer to price a cow. According to the story, the farmer seized pad and pencil in the manner so dear to the hearts of car salesman and wrote out the price breakdown:

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AREA FARMERS FINED

Two Alto area farmers have been cited by the Michigan Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Consumer Protection, for selling adulterated milk.

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SATURDAY, JULY 28 1:00 p.m. National Lightweight Horse Pulling Eliminations 7:30 p.m. National Lightweight Horse Pulling Finals

SUNDAY, JULY 29 10:00 a.m. 25th Annual Ionia Free Fair (Inaugural Parade) (free) 2:30 p.m. Loretta Lynn Show 9:00 p.m. Loretta Lynn Show

TUESDAY, JULY 31 10:30 a.m. Kiddie Show (free) 1:30 p.m. Harness Horse Racing 9:00 p.m. Jeannie C. Riley Show

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1 10:00 a.m. Draft Horse Team Hitch Competition (free) 1:30 p.m. Introduction of Governor Milliken & Guests 1:30 p.m. Harness Horse Racing 9:00 p.m. Dave Brubeck Show

THURSDAY, AUGUST 2 9:30 a.m. Michigan Lottery Drawing (free) 1:30 p.m. Harness Horse Racing 9:00 p.m. Doc Severinsen Show

FRIDAY, AUGUST 3 9:00 a.m. Heavyweight Horse Pulling Contest 2:30 p.m. Stock Car Races 9:00 p.m. Doc Severinsen Show

SATURDAY, AUGUST 4 9:00 a.m. Garden Tractor Pulling Contest (free) 2:30 p.m. Stock Car Races 9:00 p.m. Doc Severinsen Show

SUNDAY, AUGUST 5 2:30 p.m. Auto Thrill Show 6:30 p.m. Demolition Derby JULY 30 - AUGUST 4 10:30 p.m. Fireworks (free)

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New WMU Freshman Sample College Life

Students who are enrolled as freshmen for the fall semester at Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo have sampled college life during the summer orientation program recently completed.

The new students, in groups of approximately 150, spent three days on campus for class registration, counseling, testing and brief tours of university buildings.

The program began June 17 and ended last week. The first day of classes for the fall semester is September 4.

Four Lowell area students have enrolled at Western—Denise Brenk, Dan Lomas, David Saganek and Marcia Mueller.

Other area students include Marc Sheehan of Alto; Linda DeVol and Robert Blanchard of Ada; and Doran Hunt of Saranac.

Appearing before 63rd District Court Judge Joseph B. White were David Winger and Joseph Oesch. Both pleaded guilty and were fined \$50 plus \$10 court costs.

SHOWBOAT WHISTLE TOOTS

Who's the gal that decided to take up finger painting—starting with 2 gallons of black and blue paint and doing an original—not on canvas, but in the trunk of her car? Really, Bev, it's nice to throw yourself into your work—and get into it up to your elbows—while playing with paint in the trunk of a car...

Bev Holst, responsible for the painting and decorating of the Lowell Showboat, carried among numerous other items in the back of her car, paint. In some fluky way, as paint cans are prone to do, the paint can over her contents all over Bev's trunk—or rather her car's trunk, which now boasts a nice blue-black coat of paint and that nice freshly painted smell to remind her of Showboat '73!

The Sweet Adelines of Grand Rapids will give a pre-show performance on the Showboat stage July 26.

The Sherrylett's Dance ensemble of Detroit form the colorful chorus line for the 1973 show.

They were talent winners in 1972. A Murray Lake family, Mr. and Mrs. Hanford Monroe and their four

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Besides being more than congenial, the group was co-operative and intermingled with everyone. They rehearsed with the entire Showboat cast last Wednesday night until the clock struck midnight!

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Persons interested in becoming active, associate, student or sustaining members of the association should contact Mr. Kaye, supervisor of driver education, Grand Rapids Public Schools, for more information.

RED CROSS SUPPORTS NATIONAL BLOOD POLICY

The American National Red Cross will give its full support to the federal government's new National Blood Policy, George M. Eisey, the organization's president, announced on July 13.

The new policy, aimed at securing blood for transfusions from volunteer donors instead of those who sell their blood, was announced by Caspar W. Weinberger, Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare, at a July 10 White House symposium for science writers.

Secretary Weinberger told reporters the new system will help to reduce the threat of the liver disease hepatitis, which is more apt to be transmitted by donors "at the bottom rung of our economic ladder" who sell their blood. The new policy also will provide a more uniform system for blood collection, the HEW Secretary said, and will require more complete federal regulation of blood banks and processing centers.

Seidman Elected Chairman Of YFU

L. William Seidman of Ada has been elected chairman of the Youth For Understanding Student Exchange Program.

Chairman of the Board of Control of Grand Valley State College, Seidman also heads Governor Milliken's Commission on Higher Education.

This fall, the Seidman will be hosts to a Swedish Exchange Student, Kuno Trueb, through the YFU program. They have been active participants on Forest Hills YFU Community Committee for several years.

The YFU, largest international student exchange program, is active in 50 states and 42 countries. Seidman will chairmanship the newly formed 15-member YFU board's executive committee.

Area Artists Exhibit

Sixty artists from 40 Michigan communities are represented in the 21st annual Michigan Invitational Exhibition which opened July 19 at The University of Michigan.

The invitational art show at Rackham Galleries, which will run through August 3, includes many works which have won awards in local and regional shows. Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Mondays through Fridays, and 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturdays.

Carl Forslund, Jr., 2141 Elmwood, S.E., "Ambivalent Ellipses," Keith Avery, 3699 Alden Nash, Lowell, "Cooling It."

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LOOKING BACK

25 YEARS AGO
There was dancing every Saturday night at the Rose Ballroom in Belding. Admission was 75¢.

Ada Township residents voted to have a Town Hall as a center for Ada Township activities.

The front page of the Ledger noted these items: The 1948 Showboat was headlined as surpassing all others in beauty and color and noted "the endmen" could hardly keep their seats when the dancing Nelson Sisters appeared on the scene. Many believed this was the highlight of the Show ("The Sisters or the endmen?")

Kent County was second only to Wayne County in the sale of fishing licenses.

The "Loyal Lowellites" enjoyed a picnic at Fallsburg Park with entertainment furnished by the "Flat-river Four" of Lowell Showboat and readings by Zella Yeiter.

A new draft law was signed by President Truman.

The first load of new wheat, which met the 14% or less moisture requirements arrived at King Milling Company July 20, delivered by Francis Seese of Alto. The 239 bushel load brought \$2.04 a bushel and the harvest averaged 53 bushel per acre.

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The American National Red Cross will give its full support to the federal government's new National Blood Policy, George M. Eisey, the organization's president, announced on July 13.

The new policy, aimed at securing blood for transfusions from volunteer donors instead of those who sell their blood, was announced by Cas

All Church Picnic Reservations Taken

Reservations are being accepted for the Cascade Christian Church's annual "all-church picnic," to be held Saturday, August 11.

Gathering at Warren Townsend Park, the activities will start at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. First on the agenda will be a baseball game.

A buffet supper, featuring chicken, baked beans, cole slaw, potato salad, rolls, beverage and ice cream, will be served at six o'clock. This will be followed by games for all ages.

Everyone is encouraged to make early reservations, which are necessary for advanced planning of the buffet-style meal.

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Summer vacation travel brings again the greater risk of highway injury and death. We funeral directors, along with highway patrolmen, doctors, and nurses, see too much of the deep tragedy to families from highway accidents. We urge all who read this message to be alert and careful to avoid dangers in your vacation travel.

Respectfully,

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Ada Calvinette Counselors Attend Yearly Convention

Calvinette counselors from the Ada Christian Reformed Church attended an international convention in LaMirada, California, from July 16-20. This is a yearly event planned for inspiration, training, and fellowship of women who work with girls in Calvinette clubs. It is held in different parts of the United States and Canada each year.

Calvinettes is a church-related organization of girls aged 7-15 which welcomes all the girls of the community. It is activity-oriented and includes spiritual development, skill training, and service projects for the girls. Its goal is to help girls find themselves and God. The work is carried on by volunteer women who lead the girls in all of their activities. Women are trained in local workshops and the annual convention. There are about 2,700 women working all over the United States and Canada with 13,000 girls.

This year the training sessions included classes in crafts, skills which the women teach the girls, spiritual development, relational skills with girls, and a presentation of new program materials. There were also periods for fellowship, sight-seeing, and spiritual renewal.

Next year the convention will be held in Kingston, Ontario at Queen's University on Lake Ontario.

Church School Begins July 30

Vacation Church School for all children three years of age through the sixth grade will be held at the First United Methodist Church of Lowell, July 30 through August 3.

Besides bringing a friend, each child is to bring a sack lunch; dessert and drink furnished. The daily sessions will start at 10 a.m., dismissing at 1:30 p.m.

The teaching staff of the educational event, sponsored in cooperation with the First Congregational Church of Lowell, has been announced by Janet Bailley, director, and Ann Mulder, assistant director. They are:

Nursery, Jeanne Schneider, Emmie Alley and Betty Story. Kindergarten II, Lila Thaler, Florence Bacon, Betsy Stevens, Eva Johnson, Thelma Rittenger.

Kindergarten I, Ruth Johnson, Joanne Ridgway. First grade, Sandra Meredith, Treva Johnson, Second grade, Emmy VanderBilt, Yvonne Free.

Third grade, Jan Silvis, Lori Bartlett. Fourth grade, Ruby Lesman, Dorothy Roth. Fifth and sixth grades, Don Silvas and Dan Gangler.

An auxiliary staff of youth will assist the teachers and administrators.

Annual 'Home' Party Thursday

The annual party at the M. J. Clark Memorial Home in Grand Rapids for all women of the First United Methodist Church of Lowell will be Thursday, July 26, at 10 a.m.

Special guests at the party will be those residents of the home connected with Lowell and Lowell people.

A tour of the home will be followed by a picnic lunch. Those wishing to view the home are welcome to come along.

Under the chairmanship of Gladys Thorne, the hostesses for the day are Bea Krum, Lila Thaler, Pat Miller and Stella Bradshaw.

For those who will need transportation, cars will be leaving the church parking lot at 9 a.m.

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Showboat Garden Club Show 'Circus of Flowers' This Friday and Saturday

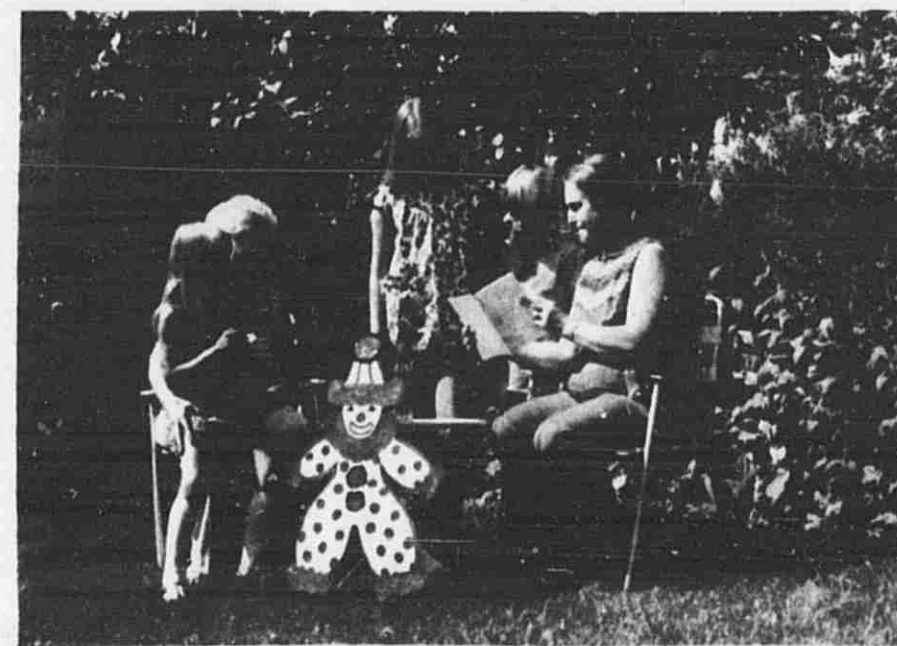
Come to the "Circus of Flowers," the annual flower show sponsored by the Showboat Garden Club of Lowell, which will be open for public viewing this week from 4 to 9 p.m. Friday, and from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Saturday.

It is hoped that all who love flowers and are interested in horticulture, artistic arrangements, children's arrangements and house plants will take the time to come and see the many entries on display at Runciman School Auditorium. There is no admission charge.

Entries will be accepted Thursday evening from 7 to 9 p.m. and Friday morning from 9 to 11:30 a.m. There is still time for you to get your exhibits in.

Michigan Federated Garden Clubs' judges for this year's show are: Accredited: Mrs. Donald Arnott of Rockford, Mrs. Carl Christensen and Mrs. Carl Lemon of Kalamazoo, Mrs. L. B. Haight of Muskegon; Student: Mrs. Clarence Blakelee of Rockford and Mrs. Paul Man-kin of Muskegon.

For your viewing pleasure, plan to attend the "Circus of Flowers" Show.



Helpful hints on flower arranging are being offered to junior exhibitors. Working on their "Circus of Flowers" entries are Kimberly Schneider, Mrs. Harold Lind, Nellie Brenk, Alvin Brenk and Mrs. William Cook.

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Evening Service 7:00 p.m.
Ward of Life 8:15 p.m.
Wednesday Training Hour 7:30 p.m.
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Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.
Sunday School (all ages) 11:00 a.m.
Youth Group 3:00 p. m.
"Think Snow"

EASTMONT BAPTIST CHURCH
5038 Cascade Road
Rev. Robert McCarthy
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Primary Church 11 a.m.
David Farmer Youth Pastor

CASCADE CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH
6631 Cascade Rd. Rev. W. Timmer
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Service 10:30 a.m.
Evening Services 6:00 p.m.
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Jrs. Teens, Adults 6:45 p.m.
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Church School 11:00 a.m.
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Church School 9:45 a.m.

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The all-A student has been commended by letter for his fine academic achievement by Dr. Glenn A. Niemeyer, vice-president of the Colleges at Grand Valley State.

25th Open House

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth B. Anderson of 1879 Honey Creek Road, Ada, will be honored at an open house August 5, commemorating their 25th wedding anniversary.

To be given by their children, the open house will be held in the Egypt Grange Hall on Knapp Road from 2 to 5 p.m.

Receives 'Wings Of Gold'

Navy Ensign Kenneth L. Sanders, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen A. Sanders of 1617 Woodlawn SE, was designated a Naval Aviator and received his "Wings of Gold" during ceremonies at Corpus Christi, Texas.

He completed more than a year of intensive ground and in-flight training and will now be assigned to specialized advanced training.

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Program Vacation School Sessions

Worship, Bible study, games, snacks, handicrafts, songs, and recreational activities are being programmed for the two sessions of Vacation Church School at Cascade Christian Church.

Mrs. Mary Grier will direct the first session August 6-10, with Mrs. Holly Brandma heading the activities August 13-17. Over 275 attended last year; more are expected to join in this year.

Both schools will have the same curriculum, but entirely different teaching staffs will be used.

Children living on the southside of Cascade Road (old US-16) including such places as Kentwood, Caledonia, Alaska, Caravelle Village, Whitneyville area, etc., will attend August 6-10.

The August 13-17 sessions will accommodate students residing on the northside of Cascade Road.

No re-registrations are needed. Children from four years of age through sixth grade level (as of last year) are invited.

SATURDAY, JULY 28
The Lowell VFW Post 8303 will hold a Ham dinner, July 28 from 5-9 p.m. at the VFW Hall in Lowell. Donations.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 2
The Vergennes Cooperative Club will meet Thursday, August 2, at the home of Edna Overway, Program chairman, Bonnie Chroux and Marian DeVries.
Each member is asked to bring a 50¢ gift prize.

MONDAY, AUGUST 6
GOLDEN SWINGERS - The next meeting of Lowell's Senior Citizens will be August 6 at Bushnell School, from 11:30 to 2:30. Potluck dinner followed by election of officers, program and games. All welcome.

Double Anniversary Celebration Planned

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence A. Grim, Johnston Street, S.E., Grand Rapids, will celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary Wednesday, August 1, with an open house from 3:30-7:30 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. French, Paradise Lake Drive, S.E.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence R. Grim of Sarasota, Florida, will be honored at the same time upon the occasion of their ninth anniversary.

DEATH TAKES BERTON OLMSTEAD
Berton J. Olmstead, age 69 of 13369 Oberly Drive, Lowell, passed away July 9 at the Ann Arbor Veteran's Hospital, and was taken to the Roth-Gerst Chapel.

Mr. Olmstead is survived by his wife, Ethelene and a sister, Mrs. Edna Jerome of Manistee.

Funeral services were held Thursday, July 12, at the Chapel with Rev. Dean Bailey of the First United Methodist Church officiating. Interment was made in Easton Cemetery.

ALTON CEMETERY ASSOCIATION SETS ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Alton Cemetery Association will be held Tuesday evening, August 7, eight o'clock, at the Alton Church.

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Council Proceedings

Adjourned Regular Meeting of July 2, 1973, held Monday, July 9, 1973.

The Pledge of Allegiance was given, and an Invocation by Mayor Carlen Anderson.

The Mayor then called the meeting to order at 8:02 P.M. and the Roll was called.

Present: Councilman, Jefferies, Mueller and Anderson.

Absent: Councilmen, Hall and McCambridge.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Mueller that the Minutes of the June 18 meeting be approved with the addition of the words, "Foreman Street" to paragraph 3, page 3 to read, "He then presented a proposal for construction of curb, gutter, paving and storm drainage on Foreman Street, from Gee Dr. to Beech Street." Motion supported by Jefferies.

Carried by members present voting yes.

IT WAS THEN MOVED by Councilman Jefferies that the Bills and Accounts Payable be allowed and warrants issued, supported by Mueller.

Yes: Jefferies, Mueller and Anderson. No: None. Absent: Hall and McCambridge.

BILLS AND ACCOUNTS PAYABLE TOTALS

General Fund \$8,038.79

Equipment Fund 462.90

Local Street Fund 82.75

Major Street Fund 101.47

Sewer Fund 1,505.38

Water Fund 1,457.99

Agency Fund 1,794.41

The Public Hearing on Special Assessment for Construction of Water Main on James Street was dropped.

Also, the Public Hearing of Necessity for Construction of a Sanitary Sewer to serve all parcels of property on James Street to the top of the hill was dropped.

The Only two property owners with the sewer installed. The project will be cut back to serve only those two property owners. A hearing will be held on the Roll at the August 6 Regular Meeting.

The Public Hearing on Necessity for Construction of Sidewalk on the South side of Foreman Street, from Lincoln Lake Avenue to the High School Property line was postponed till later in the meeting, upon arrival of a member of the Lowell School Board.

Insurance Bids were then opened and read in the order in which they were received. They were: Michigan Mutual Liability Insurance Co. The J. B. Insurance Agency The Peter Speertra Insurance Agency Farm Bureau Insurance Co. Underwriting Systems, Inc.

A copy of Bid Tabulations is attached.

A discussion followed in which Manager Bacon noted that bids must be awarded at this meeting to insure continuous coverage, as the present policies will expire before the next Regular Meeting.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Jefferies that bids be awarded to the low bidder if bids meet all specifications and that the City Manager be authorized to so inform bidders of the awards, supported by Mueller.

Yes: Jefferies, Mueller and Anderson. No: None. Absent: Hall and McCambridge.

Mayor Anderson explained that because of vacation schedules, and Councilman McCambridge's hospitalization, a quorum would not be available for the next Regular Meeting of July 16, and suggested that the meeting date be changed to Monday, July 23.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Mueller that the date of the next Regular Council Meeting be changed from Monday, July 16, 1973, to Monday, July 23, 1973, supported by Jefferies.

Carried by members present voting yes.

Manager Bacon then read a communication from the Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce asking the City for a \$100.00 increase in the City's pledge for the Main Street Decorations, from the budgeted \$400.00 to \$500.00 for the last payment.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Jefferies that the pledge for the Main Street Decorations be increased \$100.00 from the budgeted \$400.00 to \$500.00, supported by Mueller.

Yes: Jefferies, Mueller and Anderson. No: None. Absent: Hall and McCambridge.

Manager Bacon also read a communication from the Michigan Municipal League in reference to the Annual Meeting to be held September 5-6-7 in Grand Rapids as an information item.

The Police Department Report, Police Reserve Report, the Dog Warden's Report, the Fire Department Report for the month of June, and the Manager's Report were read.

Manager Bacon then read the descriptions of two parcels of property within the City to be sold at public auction for back taxes. One parcel is located on Bowes Road, the other on Grindle Drive.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Jefferies that the City Manager be authorized to place a minimum bid of \$200.00 on the parcel on Bowes Road for tax sale, supported by Mueller.

Yes: Jefferies, Mueller and Anderson. No: None. Absent: Hall and McCambridge.

Mayor Anderson then referred back to the Public Hearing of Necessity for Construction of Sidewalk on the South Side of Foreman Street from Lincoln Lake Avenue to the High School Property Line.

Several Foreman Street property owners were present to protest the proposed sidewalk installation, and asked that it be changed from the South side of Foreman Street to the North side, or the possibility of installing sidewalk on Suffolk Street instead.

A discussion followed.

Mayor Anderson then asked Mr. David Miller of the Lowell School Board to explain why the sidewalk would be installed on the South side of Foreman Street.

Mr. Miller presented the proposed route for the sidewalk on a map and stated that the idea was to move all students to the High School property, with a crossing near the Railroad tracks to the North side of Foreman Street for children going to the new Middle School.

A discussion followed as to whether the City at

large and the School Board should share the cost, or the four property owners whose property will be involved, or whether a sidewalk would be of better service on Suffolk Street to the High School, then crossing to the North side of Foreman Street continuing to the Middle School.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Mueller that the Public Hearing be closed, supported by Jefferies.

Carried by a yes vote of members present.

Councilman Mueller asked that a study be made of other necessary routes for sidewalk to the Schools, and that Council receive assurance from the Lowell School Board to tie in all routes to their property to provide safe passage for children.

Councilman Mueller then offered the following resolution for adoption, supported by Jefferies.

WHEREAS, the Council does deem it necessary, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Manager be instructed to present a new plan of financing of said sidewalk.

Yes: Jefferies, Mueller and Anderson. No: None. Absent: Hall and McCambridge.

Under Remarks from the Audience, Mr. James Briggs asked if the sanitary sewer to be installed on James Street would also extend down High Street.

Mayor Anderson answered that it would not, it would be only about 150 feet up James Street from existing sewer.

Under Council Remarks and Reports, Councilman Jefferies asked about new curbs being installed with the Storm Sewer project having chips and cracks being replaced by the construction company before the project is finished.

A discussion followed.

IT WAS THEN MOVED to adjourn by Councilman Mueller at 9:40 p.m.

Approved: July 23, 1973.

CARLEN E. ANDERSON, Mayor

BLAINE E. BACON, Clerk

NOTICE OF HEARING ON THE ALTO SANITARY SEWER

NOTICE TO ALL CONCERNED PARTIES - A Public hearing will be conducted on Monday, August 27, 1973 at 8:00 P.M., E.D.T. in the Elementary School at Alto, Michigan, for the purpose of allowing interested persons to express their view on the Environmental aspects of the Alto Sanitary Sewer, a system of Sanitary sewers and sewage treatment to serve the unincorporated Community of Alto in Bowne Township.

Dated: July 20, 1973

Frank W. Bouma /s/ Frank W. Bouma, Drain Commissioner

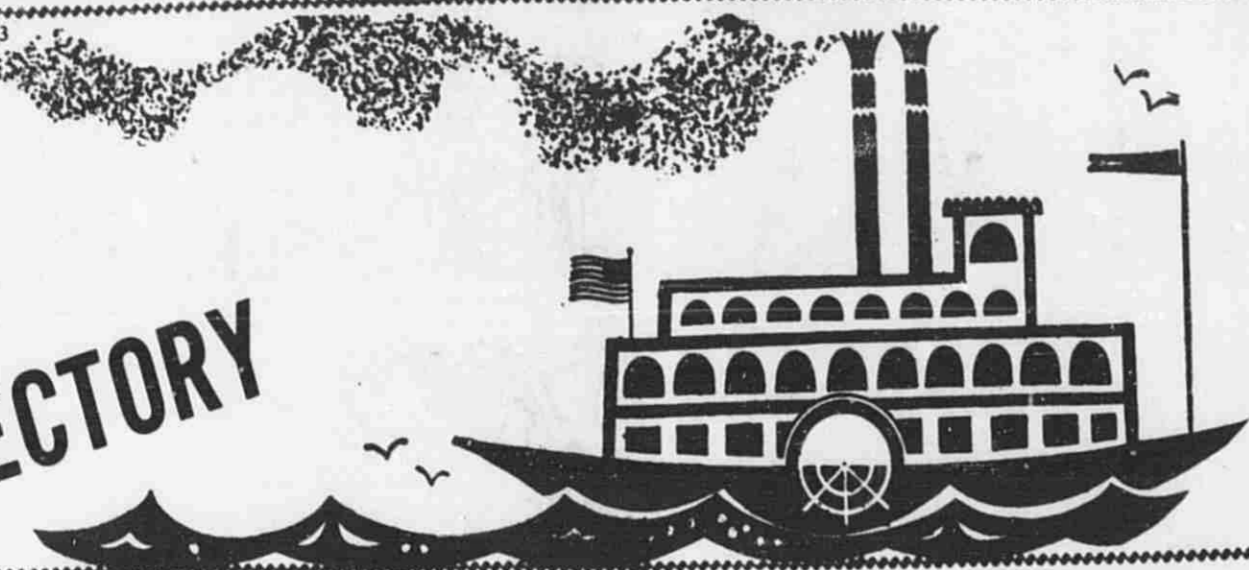
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ATTAINS 4.0 AVERAGE

Roland R. Bergdahl of 2045 Wildfire Dr., S.E., has achieved a 4.0 (straight 'A') average during the spring term at Michigan State University.

A senior at MSU, Bergdahl is studying Romance Languages.

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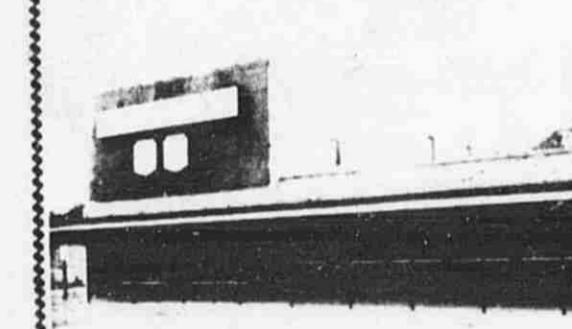


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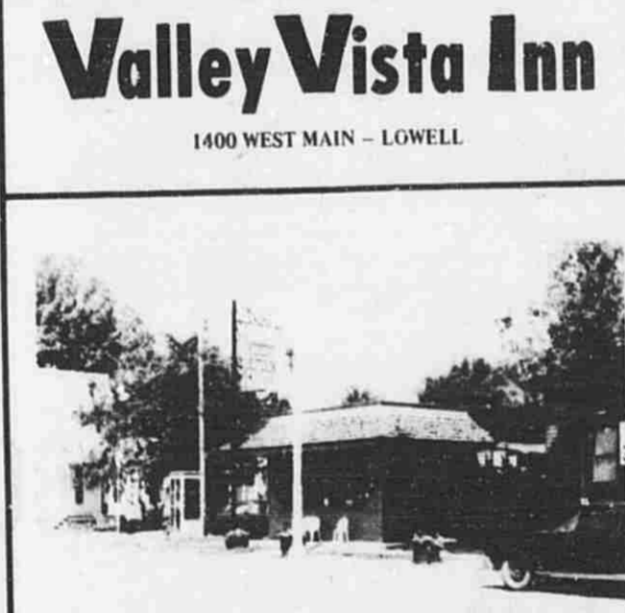
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Activities for the visitors will center around tours of Amway manufacturing and sales headquarters at Ada, and a 5 1/2 hour stage presentation on the stage of the Civic Auditorium. In order that all may attend, the latter program will be held twice in its entirety, one presentation being held on a split schedule of Friday night and Saturday morning, followed by a second complete performance later Saturday.

The conventioners will have buses available to take them to visit Amway and the new Center of Free Enterprise, which was dedicated May 25.

The Sanborn Singers will provide music and vocal arrangements for the convention. The Singers perform special numbers under the direction of Fred Sanborn and his wife, Jan, who accompanies the group on the piano as well as composing and arranging for them.

WE NEED RAIN . . .

The dry spell has caused a rash of grass fires recently keeping Lowell firemen busy.

Monday, firemen were called twice to grass fires near the C & O Railroad and also to the Donald McPherson farm.

Last Friday Lowell firemen were summoned to the Edward Laux property on Grindie Drive where fire destroyed a house trailer. Cause of fire was not known.



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Council Doin's

Launching Ramp Still In Hopper

At Monday night's Lowell City Council meeting, Council members moved to pave the alley between Hudson and Broadway back of the Library, YMCA and Strand theatre and to improve driveway approach into parking lot back of Library-YMCA building. Paving of the parking lot was discussed but a decision was put off until a later date.

City Manager Blaine Bacon informed council the roof on the Foreman building on the 4-H grounds is in need of repair and received council approval to obtain bids for its repair.

Council moved to approve the budgeted item of carpeting for the Lowell Library at a cost of \$789, the low bid submitted by Beachum Furniture.

There was again discussion on the proposed boat launching ramp on Grand River. Manager Bacon stated the Waterway Commission was requesting a status report regarding the City's intentions. A long time in the hopper, the project has been held up for one reason or another but the main one seems to be an inability to arrive at an agreement between the City and the 4-H officials.

The site for the boat launching ramp is a part of the City-owned land, but leased by the 4-H Clubs. Council requested the City Manager to continue to negotiate with the 4-H for if some action is not taken soon, the City could lose the promised financing for the project from the State.

Gov Ramjeet, present at Monday night's meeting, protested being charged interest on the imposed charges on a separate parcel of Cherry Creek property. Stating that he had never received notification that he owed any more than the original imposed charges, which he had paid in full, he didn't feel he should have to pay interest on the parcel for which he had received not notification. After some discussion, and taking into account Mr. Ramjeet's good faith and past record and acknowledging the possibility of human error on the part of the City, Councilman Harold Jefferies moved the interest on the last statement of imposed charges be waived. Ramjeet stated he would now pay the full amount of imposed charges.

Former Lowell Librarian, Audie Post, Passes

Miss Audie Post, aged 94, of Clark Memorial Home passed away Saturday and was taken to the Roth-Gerst Funeral Chapel.

She is survived by her nephew, Dr. John Post of Elko, Nevada.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at the Chapel with Rev. F. Ervin Hyde of the Lowell Congregational Church officiating. Interment Oakwood Cemetery.

Miss Post was the librarian for many years at the Lowell Library and will be remembered for her friendly helpfulness to many library patrons and friends.

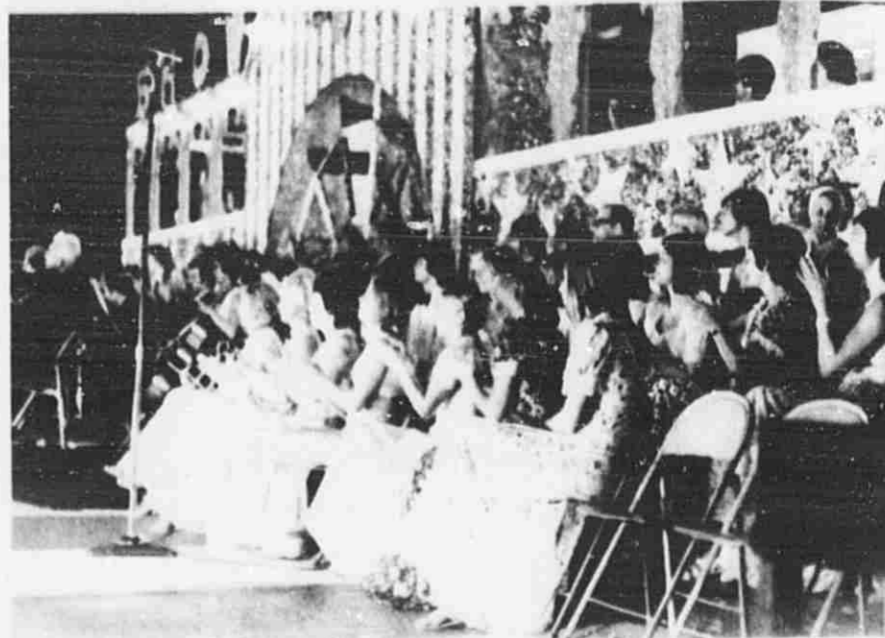
JOHNSON IN HAWAII, HAS NEW ADDRESS

Recently promoted to the rank of Specialist Four, Blake A. Johnson is stationed in Hawaii, when his limited time-off is spent learning to surf.

Since in Hawaii, Johnson has met several of his friends from Lowell who have been transferred to military bases in the area.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Johnson of Riverside Drive, Lowell, Johnson has a new address, and would like to hear from the hometown folks.

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Through the majestic efforts of the Women of the Moose, during the club year, by fund raising projects, Mooseheart and the children there were presented with a new Health Center, which is now under construction.

The new center will provide the answer for today's needs to more perfectly assure the health and welfare of the young men and women at Mooseheart throughout all of the years of their residence on the campus.

As Mrs. Janet Bovee steps to the head of Chapter 1388, Lowell Women of the Moose, she will endeavor to keep past, present and future supporting projects rolling.

Tuesday night, the Senior Regent and her committee chairman meet to select their co-committee workers and lay formative plans for forthcoming activities.

The Chapter meets twice monthly; the first and third Mondays. Chapter night activities fall on the first, with business transactions on the third.

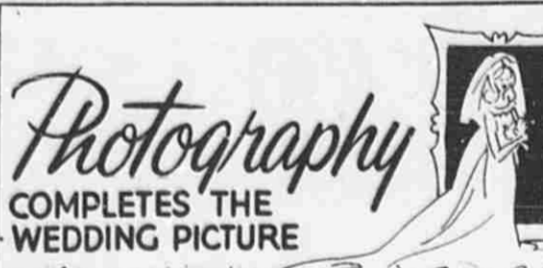
Lowell Woman Assists X-Ray Technologists

Miss Betti Talbot, 712 Lincoln Lake Road, N.E., is assisting x-ray technologists at Blodgett Memorial Hospital this summer. She is fulfilling her affiliate clinical work requirement for the Grand Rapids Junior College radiologic technology (R.T.) program.

She is a member of JC's first R.T. class which replaced a training program that was phased out at Blodgett last year. During the regular school year, she learned x-ray techniques on a rubber-coated "phantom patient" that contains an actual human skeleton and provides human-like x-ray results.

On her ten week summer training schedule, she works 40 hours each week for which she will earn eight hours credit towards JC's Associate Degree in Applied Arts and Sciences.

She will graduate from JC next May and begin a 21 week hospital externship qualifying her to take the state registered R.T. examination.



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