## VIII

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# **Council Weighs Traffic Plan**

At the regular meeting of the Lowell City Council Monday night, council members were presented an updated proposal to facilitate the flow of traffic on M-21 within the City.

City Manager Blaine Bacon said the proposal had been submitted by Mike Jones, traffic engineer for the State Highway Department as the result of a Department study of traffic problems on all of M-21 in this district.

The plan calls for the elimination of parking on the south side of Main Street the entire length of multiple lanes and providing a center lane for turning movements only.

The Highway Department traffic study reveals that Lowell has the highest accident rate on the entire length of M-21 from Saranac to Holland. Manager Bacon stated he had also been told by Michigan State Police Traffic Engineers that Lowell had the second worst accident rate in the State.

A heavy flow for narrow intersecting streets and the narrow pavement on the west end along with perhaps not writing enough tickets for violations were cited as some probable causes for the high accident rate.

Bacon reported that Chief of Police Barry Emmons had suggested that perhaps traffic reporting procedures had helped Lowell attain its unenviable position, citing the fact that Lowell reports every traffic accident, while other communities may not.

Whatever the reasons, the fact remains that Lowell does have traffic problems and council members will now have to decide whether to accept or reject the proposed plan. Similar plans have been reported as successful in Cedar Springs, Big Rapids and St. Johns.

### **Bids Opened**

Bids were opened quoting cost for the purchase of a new pick-up truck. No action was taken to give the City manager and mechanic time to review bidding and report back at the next council meeting.

### **Complaints Received**

M-21 has a heavy traffic problem but with the opening of school, there will be another traffic problem at the corner of Suffolk and Amity at the East entrance to the High School. The combination of cars and kids in the roadway, at the same time, has proven a problem in past years. There have been many complaints about the loitering of the large groups of students who create traffic problems by their reluctance to move out of the way.

Reports have been received that traffic signs have been deliberately knocked down or removed—which is a misdemeanor. Police Chief Barry Emmons stated he would have the area patrolled at critical times and was sure that school authorities would cooperate in trying to alleviate the problem.

### **Rooms Redecorated**

The Council room and City offices are now sporting fresh coats of paint in bright and cheery colors which should have the psychological effect of raising everyone's morale at City Hall, where now all complaints should be received with a smile. Stop by someday and see the zany green and orange of the curtains against green and orange walls. It must be seen to be appreciated. It may make you feel so good, that if you had a complaint, you may forget it.

## Win A

## Subscription!

Last week's mystery picture of Lyle Covert was identified by Mrs. Wesley Ciemenz of 610 N. Jefferson.

Win a subscription by being the first person to call 897-9261, promptly at noon on Friday, and name the persons in this photo.

## Highway Funds Are Distributed

Second quarter Motor Vehicle Highway Fund collections are being distributed to Michigan counties and incorporated cities and villages, the State Highway Commission reported today.

State Highway Director John P. Woodford said net receipts of the Highway Fund during April, May and June of 1973 amounted to \$123,144,453, an increase of \$23,444,938, or 23.5 percent, over the same period of 1972. Most of the increase was attributed to a twocent-a-gallon increase in the gasoline tax, effective last February 1. The diesel fuel tax did not go up.

Kent County's share totaled \$1,714,626 for the second quarter of 1973, while area municipalities received:

	1973	1972
	2nd Quarter	2nd Quarter
Belding	\$24,793	\$20,433
aledonia	3,588	2,954
owell	15,290	12,542

Second quarter distribution amounts to cities and villages in Ionia County, which received \$320,369, were:

Clarksville	\$2,316	\$2,906
City of Ionia	24,423	20,103
Saranac	6,239	5,136

All state gasoline and diesel fuel taxes and license plate fees go to the Motor Vehicle Highway Fund.

Before distribution is made, collection costs are deducted along with 1.5 percent of the total for the Waterways Commission, and one-half cent of the gas tax for the new General Transportation Fund. During the second quarter only, \$1 million is set aside for a newly established "critical bridge" fund.

The Department of State Highways receives 44.5 percent of the remainder, the 83 counties receive 35.7 percent and the 531 incorporated cities and villages 19.8 percent.

Under this formula, the Highway Department will receive \$54,799,281 as its share of second quarter collections. The counties will receive \$43,962,569 and the cities and villages \$24,382,601.

Fashion Show

## New Director



Under the direction of Lowell's new band director, Robert Rice, band members begin to tune up early in preparation for the year ahead.



TRAFFIC DIVERTERS ....

The new traffic diverters on Lincoln Lake Avenue are a part of the City's master plan and are designed to relieve traffic on a residential street forcing traffic onto the wider Hudson Street-M-91.



## Students, Parents To Tour New Middle School

The Lowell Middle School invites all fifth, sixth. seventh and eighth grade students and their parents to a tour of the new building.

We are not quite finished and some furniture isn't here, but we are hoping you can come and see the building, find your room and the teachers to whom you will be assigned.

Please come one of the following two dates; Tuesday, August 28th, or Wednesday, August 29th, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

This meeting is for student's orientation. An open house dedication is being planned for October.

### **16TH ANNUAL BRIDGE WALK**

More than 25,000 persons are expected to participate in the 16th Annual Mackinac Bridge Walk on Labor Day morning, Monday, September 3, 1973.

## 57 Youth To Go Fishing Saturday

As of Monday a.m., Moose Fishing Derby chairman Jim Timmons counted 57 entries in this year's annual contest to be held Saturday, August 25, at Smit's Pond.

The derby, sponsored by the Moose Civic Affairs Committee, will begin at 9:30 a.m. Transportation to the fishing site is provided, leaving the Moose Lodge on East Main Street at nine o'clock.

First to sign up for this year's derby last Saturday were three members of the Hotchkiss family, LeRoy, Tim and Arthur.

Each angler will be given a time schedule in which they will have the fun of trying to catch the most fish, the biggest fish, and the smallest.

After the judging, with prizes going to the luckiest anglers, the fishermen will be treated by the Moose Chuck Wagon, before being returned to the Moose Lodge.

## manananananana Thelma Is Retiring mananananananana

After operating the Levee Restaurant on Main Street. Lowell, for the past eighteen years, Thelma (Cookie) Roth will be serving her last customers on Sunday, August 26th.

Thelma states she has enjoyed the years mainly because of the many friends she has made "not only the customers who have patronized the Levee, but also because of my association with the many wonderful fel-





low business people in our city. I know I'm going to miss them all-and I hope the feeling will be mutual."

There will be many who will miss the good home cooking, especially those delicious pies for which Thelma became famous through the years.

The Ledger takes this opportunity to wish her well for all her many friends.



Margi displays just one of the "must be seen to be appreciated" "lovelies," to be modeled at the Style Show at the Fox Head Inn next Monday.

## Area Students Receive BA Degrees At WMU

More than 2600 diplomas were awarded at the summer commencement ceremonies at Western Michigan University's Read Field House Friday, August 17.

The graduates included 1,700 bachelors degrees, 867 masters, 21 doctorates and 27 specialists (6th year). Both the doctoral and specialist degrees represent record numbers for WMU.

Area graduates included J. R. Scott Weaver, BA; Linda C. Parrish, BA; and James K. Schlosser, BBA, all of Ada.

Christine M. Porritt, BS, Alto; Diane L. Nordhof, BA, Lowell; and Velda Gardner, GS, and Ronnie Smith, BS, both of Saranac.

## Freshman Must Take Physicals

All Lowell Senior High School Freshmen are reminded they are required to have a physical examination before entering school in September.

## CANNED SLUDGE ....

Residents on the east side of the City were either without water or were finding something resembling mud coming through their faucets last Monday. It was reported the City's water reservoir had been allowed to get too low. It was also reported there was a broken fire hydrant. Councilman Jim Hall on Washington Street canned some and brought it to Council meeting Monday night. Looked like a large jar of peanut butter.

A QUESTION FOR KIDS ....

Wonder how many times kids are being asked these days, "well, are you anxious to go back to school?" BOUNDARY COMMISSION TO MEET...

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The State Boundary Commission will hold a public hearing regarding the transference of Lowell Township property to the City of Lowell on Tuesday, August 28 at the new Middle School on Foreman Road. FIRE CALLS ...

Recent fire calls to which Lowell firemen have responded included one that destroyed a brand new travel trailer belonging to Max Keech on Kissing Rock Road. The combustible combination of gasoline and a hot light bulb was reported as the cause. Fire in a gasoline can at the James Gober residence on Beckwith, two brush fires on Lincoln Lake Avenue, two calls to Attwood Brass, one a false alarm and an overheated car in the parking lot behind the Library YMCA building were other fire calls summoning Lowell's volunteer firemen.

SUMMER'S ENDING ...

Though the summer is drawing to a close, at least we know we've had summer this year. So many lovely summer evenings to remember come January.

## Terry Buck Cuts Record

Terry Buck, Lowell Showboat endman, who made such a hit with Showboat audiences this year with his rendition of "The Auctioneer" song has made a 45 lp recording with producer and arranger, Tom Hagen, of Saranac.

On the flip side Terry has recorded "Rock 'n Auction."

An ANR Production release, the recording will be available locally at Lippert's Pharmacy and at Rosie Drive Inn, beginning next week.

ROSIE DRIVE INN-This week's special: Clam & Fries, 90¢. c20

"CINDERELLA" & "CHARLIE AND THE ANGEL"-Coming to the Strand Theatre soon. c20-21

STYLE SHOW—Fox Head Jun, Ada, Monday, August 27, 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. The Deb Shop, Lowell. c20 2 Lowell Ledger-Suburban Life, Thursday, August 23, 1973

## Heart Attack Fatal **To John Miller**

Vernard Miller, 71, known as John, of 7421 Bluewater Highway, Saranac, was pronounced dead on ar-rival at Butterworth Hospital in Grand Rapids Saturday evening, August 18. He had suffered a fatal heart attack.

Born January 19, 1902, in Ionia county he was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Miller and was a resident of the Saranac area all his life. April 12, 1924, he was married in Orange township

to Lillian Pemberton and she died October 11, 1970. He was a plumber in Saranac many years and was employed by Saranac Manufacturing Company nine

Surviving are seven daughters, Mrs. Mazie Ingersoll of Lowell, Mrs. Dorothy Dean of Saranac, Mrs. Geraldine Goodenough of Mulliken, Mrs. Virginia Magee of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Marcella Wells and Mrs. Patricia Bailey of Sunfield and Mrs. Jeanne Detgen of Ionia; 28 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren; three brothers, George Miller of Belding, Ernest of Sturgis and Hullie of Saranac; and a sister, Mrs. Mazie Deer of Sturgis.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 2 p.m. at Morris-Roetman Funeral Home in Saranac. Interment was made in Saranac Cemetery.

## Saranac Library In Need of Funds

Because of the abolishment of the office of Justice of the Peace, small villages, such as Saranac, have found themselves in financial difficulty.

In the days of the JP, the majority of fines were used to meet local library expenses. Now, the fines are

processed through court, and only one-third of the monies are returned to the Library. Making up the deficit, Saranac officials reveal, has meant asking area Townships, who use the facility, to

land a helping hand. Giving their support to the Library recently was Boston Township, who agreed to contribute \$2,000 and \$1,400 will be realized from Revenue Sharing

Funds from the County. Supporting contributions will also be sought from the Townships of Campbell, Berlin, Keene and Easton.

All monies contributed will be used towards the library's operation. Additional funds will be solicited to cover the balance of expenses.



## Ford Plans Saranac Visit

From 2:30 to 5 p.m. Wednesday, August 29, Con-gressman Gerald R. Ford will have his 5th District Mobile office in Saranac. Ford, who will visit 19 locations in the fifth district during the August recess of Congress, will have his mobile unit parked in front of McCarthy Advertising on

Bridge Street "My visit to Saranac," Ford revealed "will give me an opportunity to meet first-hand with my constituents in this area, and learn of their problems and con-

cerns." "I cordially invite everyone to stop for a chat," Ford added.



guests of the Lyle Dennys. (George Washington tossed a dollar across the Potomac River. Will it be repeated? The distance of the riv-

er is the same, but today's light weight dollar might make it almost impossible).

News items may be phoned in any day until 10 a.m. Monday morning is the deadline for each week's edition. All articles (non-profit, church, school, engagements, weddings, etc.) are welcomed).

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur DeZwaan have purchased the home of Mrs. Frances Gladding. Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Curtiss have bought the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gardner

Saranac Schools begin August 29, with a half-day session.

Recent Saranac visitors were two Japanese teenagers, Hiromi Kusugame, 14 and Tetsuiji Wantanabe, 13. They are part of the Junior High Judo Mission, touring the

Elizabeth Jepson was admitted as a medical patient last week at the Ionia County Memorial Hospital. Re-cently discharged from the hospital was Kimberly Ja-

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wheaton were Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Prevost and son of Manchester. Two bus loads of Senior Citizens left Saranac Tuesday morning for a trip to Canada.

Mrs. Fern Garrison, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barcy, Doug, Lisa and David, spent from Thursday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Garrison. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Glaggett at Seneca, Illinois.

Mrs. Gertrude Talcott and Charles, Mr. and Mrs. David Talcott and family, Mrs. Ann Card and two sons, spent last week at the Talcott cabin at Cooper Lake in

Keep your heart free from hate, your mind free from worry, expect little, give much, sing often, pray

Mrs. Thelma Conright and Crystal Mansfield of Grand Rapids spent Sunday afternoon with Eliza John-

### KOSS RECALL ENTERED

A breaking and entering at the Koss Rexall drug store in Saranac was investigated by Ionia State Police last Wednesday morning.

Entry was made by breaking a window in the rear of the building. No drugs or merchandise were missing, however, some \$1,300 in cash was taken from a cabinet underneath the cash register, it was reported.

Karen Fryover Becomes

Roy Ralph DeRidder took Miss Karen Lynn Fryover as his bride August 11 in an afternoon ceremony held in the garden of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William

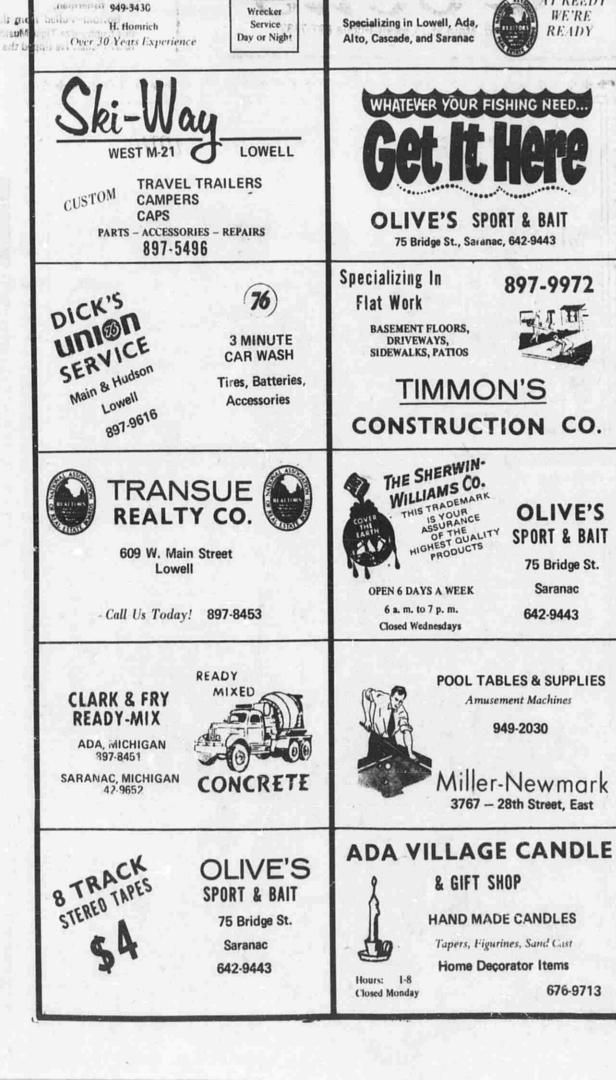
Parents of the bridegroom are Mrs. Betty Serne of Kentwood and Ralph DeRidder, Garland St., SE, Grand

The bride chose a gown of nylon organza, with empire waist, high ruffled neckline and bishop sleeves with ruffled cuffs. Venise lace motifs trimmed the dress bodice, flounced hemline and detachable train. A camelot headpiece held her chapel illusion veil, trimmed with matching venise lace.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Michael Bigelow, with Miss Denise McIntyre and Miss Jill Fase as bridesmaids. Best man was Michael McMahon of Lowell. Ushers were James W. Fryover and Steven K. Fryove., both

A reception was held in Gerribee Party Place. The couple honeymooned in Dutch Aruba.

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## Elmdale Nazarene Young People To Present Play

The Centurian, a play featuring Christ's crucifixion day, will be presented by the young people of the Elm-dale Nazarene Church on Friday, August 24 at 8:30 p.m. at the Alto Elementary School. The play is open to the public and appeals to all age

groups. There will be no charge for admission. We hope to see you there!

## To Present Bibles

Each year on Rally-Promotion Day, Cascade Christian Church gives new Bibles to all children entering the fourth grade. This year's presentation will be made September 9.

Students scheduled to receive Bibles are Dale Udell, Nancy Niemi, Ken Carpenter, Robin Jones, Kyle Patterson, Joyce Shepler, Austin VandenBerg, Anette Kingsland, Mike Cederquist, John Wood, Todd Molan-

Scott Porter, Louis Hansen, Paula Powell, Alyssa Burns, David Rash, Kim Helms, Billy Denson, Kim

Weaver, Paula Oitker, and Lori Wilson. It is very possible that there are other fourth graders in the church, not registered or interested in Sunday School-they are also to receive a Bible. Names not included on the above list should be submitted to the church office.

### LOCAL GIRLS "FOLLOW THE SON"

Robin Childs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Child of Lowell and Linda DeVries, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard DeVries of Ada, were among the 1100 young people from West Michigan attending the Young Calvinists' Convention in Claremont, California from Friday until Wednesday.

Both girls are members of the Young Calvinist group of the Christian Reformed Church of Lowell. UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

## TO HOLD ANNUAL LUNCHEON

The United Methodist Women of Lowell will hold their annual Salad-Dessert Luncheon Thursday, August 23, at 12:30 p.m.

Mrs. Arnold (Evelyn) Wittenbach will host the event in her home at 718 Riverside Drive. Mrs. Phyllis Bieri

is the program chairman. Co-hostesses include Mrs. Marge Potter, Mrs. Evelyn Barnes and Pauline Johnson.

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8:15 p.m.

7:30 p.m.

9:45 a.m.

11 a.m.

7 p.m.

11 a.m.

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7:30 p.m.

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9:30 a.m.

11:00 a.m. 6:00 p.m.

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

Sunday School

Evening Service

Sunday School

Morning Worship

Evening Worship

Primary Church

Morning Worship

Wednesday Service

Sunday School **Evening Service** 

Sunday School

7152 Bradfield

Morning Worship

**Evening Worship** 

Sunday School

Horship

Word of Life

Morning Worship

Wednesday Training Hour

# Community Calendar

## THURSDAY, AUGUST 23

A meeting of the Cherry Creek Guild will be held in the Therapy Room at 1:30 p.m. on Thursday, August

The Lowell VFW Auxiliary to Post 8303 will postpone the meeting of August 9th. The regular monthly meeting will be held Thursday, August 23, at 8 p.m. in

SATURDAY, AUGUST 25 The Past Matrons and Patrons of Vesta Chapter, Ada, will hold their annual potluck picnic on Saturday August 25, at the home of Maude Fase on Fase Street.

### The fun starts at 3 o'clock with supper following. **TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4**

ATTENTION WOMEN BOWLERS- League bowling starts Tuesday, September 4. Wednesday night league will meet at 8 p.m. on September 5.

### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

Lowell Congregational Church School will be having a Carnival in the Church basement on Friday, September 7 at 6 to 9 p.m. Games with prizes, refreshments and fun for all!

## 75 Youngsters Get

### **Reading Certificates**

Cascade Library's summer reading club came to a successful conclusion this week when 75 youngsters received certificates and a coupon for a free ice cream cone at Coneland, 28th Street, Cascade. Mrs. Gordon A. Teska, chairman, reported the chil-

dren, in grades two through six, read the required eight books in different categories this summer.

### It's All Full. . .

For several weeks now the Cascade Christian Church's Day Nursery has been full up for this fall, with 120 pre-schoolers enrolled.

A faculty of four teachers is employed to care for this large group. In all there will be the three different sessions each day, Monday through Friday. Mrs. George Herrity is the director of the nursery,

beginning her fourteenth year in this capacity. **Church School Carnival** 

## Set For September 7

The Lowell Congregational Church School is spon-soring a Carnival on Friday, September 7, from 6-9 p.m. The event, which will be held in the church basement rooms, will feature such fun games as Tip the Cat, Tic Tac Toe, Over and Under Fish Pond and oth-There will also be personalized I.D. bracelets and

refreshments. So come on everybody, have a fun evening at the Carnival!

The Workshop Way... In-Service Days

August 14, 15 and 16 were inservice days for the teachers of the new Lowell Middle School. Time was spent trying to get materials organized for the opening of this beautiful new structure this fall. Sisters Delores Wendling, Rose Callahan and Bernice

Garcia of Maywood Academy, Grand Rapids, spent one morning with the staff explaining the philosophy and structure of the "Workshop Way" which could be used in our open classrooms.

They explained that by creating an atmosphere which would give the students five "freedoms;" freedom of movement, freedom from fear, freedom of conversation, freedom of location and position of work and freedom of choice, learning would take place with

## Reyburn-Armstrong **Rites Performed**

Miss Barbara Joan Reyburn and Gerald Franklin Armstrong were united in marriage in an evening cercmony, August 11, at St. Robert of Newminster Church,

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Reyburn of Ada and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Armstrong of Rockford. For her wedding the bride wore a gown of eyelet

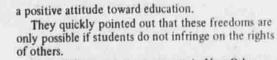
nylon with satin ribbon defining the empire waist. Venise lace appliques accented the bodice, neck and bishop sleeves. The floor-length veil was held with a picture hat.

Miss Kathleen Reyburn was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Florence Malone and carrying flowers was Monica Malóne. Best man was Jack Armstrong and ushering was

Ernest Bayink, Jack Anderson carried rings. A reception followed in Cannonsburg Ski Lodge. Following a vacation in Florida the couple will live in Grant

### Saturday Potluck

Any and all adults of the congregation of Cascade Christian Church (young and old) are being invited to a potluck at the church this Saturday, August 25 at Bring a dish to pass. The appetizer, dessert, coffee and tea will be furnished



Sister Delores spent one summer in New Orleans with Sister Grace Pelon, well-known author and director of the "Workshop Way" and spent last summer training many teachers in Michigan for this educational pro-

Much enthusiasm and encouragement was shared by the staff and their guest speakers. The inservice session was climaxed with a corn roast at the Don and Betty Yeiter farm.

**OPEN LETTER** from

### DAVID GERST

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Dear Friends, One hundred years ago, 80%

of all energy in the U.S. was produced by muscle-power. Today the amount of energy provided by our muscles is less than 1%. Machines are freeing us from manual labor, but they are also robbing our bodies of the exercise we need to survive and be healthy.

Perhaps it's time to use more muscle power, if just for better mental and physical well being.

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Services held at Lowell High School Auditorium (Use Suffolk Street Entrance) 9:30 a.n Sunday School & Worshin

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8:30 a.m. & 9:45 a.m.

## Check Eligibility. . .

## Lowell Schools' Reduced Priced Lunch Policy

Mrs. Marilyn Bovee, Hot lunch Supervisor, today an-nounced a free and reduced price meal policy for Low-ell Area School children unable to pay the full price. Local school officials have adopted the following family size and income scale to assist them in determining

"Bronney.		
Total amily Size	Free Scale	Reduced Price Scale
1	0-\$2740	\$2741-\$3280
2	0-\$3600	\$3601-\$4320
3	0-\$4460	\$4461-\$5360
4	0-\$5310	\$5311-\$6380
5	0-\$6100	\$6101-\$7320
6	0-\$6890	\$6891-\$8260
7	0-\$7600	\$7601-\$9120
8	0.\$8310	\$8311-\$9980
9	0-\$8960	\$8961-\$10,750
10	0-\$9600	\$9601-\$11,250
11	0-\$10,240	\$10,241-\$12,290
12	0-\$10,880	\$10,881-\$13,060

### Each additional family member \$640 \$770

Families falling within these scales of those suffering from unusual circumstances or hardships are urged to apply for free or reduced price meals for their children. They may do so by filling in the application forms sent home in a letter to parents. Additional copies are available at the principals office in each school. Applications may be submitted any time during the school year. The form itself is simple to complete and request in-

formation needed to determine economic need is bas-

ed on the income and number of persons in the family number of children attending school or preschool, and any unusual circumstances or hardships which affect the family's ability to pay for school meals. The infor-mation provided on the application will be used only for the purpose of determining eligibility.

In certain cases foster children are also eligible for these benefits. If a family has such children living with them and wishes to apply for such meals for them, they should contact the school

In order to safeguard their identity, children receiving free or reduced price meals will be treated in the same manner as full paying students. Further assurance is given that children eligible for a free or reduced price meal shall not be required to:

- (1) Work for their meal (2) Use a separate dining room
- Go through a separate serving line
- (4) Enter a dining room or serving line through a separate entrance.
- (5) Eat meals at a different time. (6) Eat a different meal than those sold to chil-

dren paying the full price of such a meal. Under the provisions of the policy, the Hot Lunch Supervisor will review an application and determine eligibility. If a parent is dissatisifed with the ruling of the local official he may request either orally or in

writing for a hearing to appeal the decision. Leonard Sinke, Superintendent, whose address is 700 Elizabeth St., Lowell, has been designated as the Hearing Official. Hearing procedures are outlined in the policy. A complete copy of the policy is on file in each school and in the office of the Superintendent where

### it may be reviewed by any interested patron. A copy of this policy and application for free or reduced price meals may be picked up at any of the school offices. and returned right away. Then the school Hot Lunch Supervisor can send you your letter of approval or denial before the first day of school.

We urge you to have your child or children participate in the program since it is to their benefit to eat well-balanced meals each day.

## **Bus Rules Insure** Safe, Happy Ride

The opening day of school will soon be upon us. Lots of planning and work have gone on this summer to help make your bus ride a happy experience as well as a safe one. Will YOU be ready Parents, please review the following rules with your children as these are the rules our bus drivers must abide

- 1. Be on time to keep bus on schedule. 2. No eating-no smoking-no pop on bus.
- 3. Remain seated while bus is in motion. 4. Keep head, arms and hands inside windows.
- 5. Be courteous, use no profane language.
- 6. Obey driver's orders cheerfully 7. Driver is authorized to assign seats.

Remember, your bus driver is a friend who is more than willing to cooperate, but you have to do your part also. Your bus can be a happy way to start and end the day if you will abide by these safety rules outlined for

Bus routes will be in next week's paper so watch for them. If you have any problems or would just like to come visit us in our new bus garage, please do.



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## Accepted For Admission At Marion College

Three graduates of Lowell Senior High School have been accepted for admission at the semester at Marion College in Marion, Indiana.

According to the office of Admissions were Barbara and Thomas Schmidt, and Michael E. Smith.

Mr. Smith, a 1973 graduate of Lowell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Smith. Miss Schmidt is also a 1973 graduate of Lowell, while her brother, Thomas, graduated in 1971. Their parents are Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Schmidt

Marion College is an accredited, four-year, Christian, co-educational, liberal arts college. It offers 18 major areas of concentrated studies.

## School Board Agenda

Lowell Area Schools Board of Education meeting will be held in the Middle School Cafetorium on Tuesday, August 28 at 8 p.m. **Budget Hearing** 

- Curriculum report (open classroom)
  Approval of High School Handbook
- 4. Elementary Site
- 5. Acceptance agreement for High School Addi-

**Read The Want Ads** 

Lowell Area Schools, Lowell, Michigan, Board of Education Regular Meeting August 13, 1973.

Meeting called to order at 7:35 p.m. Roll Call-Members Present: Reagan, Metternick, Miller, Mullen. Members Kropf, Siegle, Wingeier arrived

at 7:45 p.m. Members Absent: None

Motion by Miller, seconded by Metternick, to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held on July 24, 1973, with following amendment added to minutes John Troy, visitor at the meeting, commented on the following concerning the middle school. He felt that the contractor had not placed fire plugs at the correct height, that trash was being buried, and that he had allowed some sewer cleanouts to fill with sand.

Ayes: 4. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

Motion by Mullen, seconded by Miller, to approve payment of general fund bills as listed.

Ayes: 4. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. Motion by Siegle, seconded by Kropf, to approve

payment of building and site bills as listed. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

## OLD BUSINESS

1. The following committees are appointed, with the first person to act as chairman: Transportation - Metternick, Wingeier, Kropf. Insurance - Mullen, Siegle, Reagan.

Building & Site Negotiations & Joint Council-Siegle, Kropf, Wingeier Kent County Vocational Council-Wingeier.

Showboat-Kropf. Public Relations & Board Policy- Mullen, Miller,

Metternick. Planning Commission, City Council, Townships-

Miller, Siegle, Metternick, YMCA- Kropf, Reagan, Metternick.

Curriculum Study-Mullen, Miller, \*Recommendation that the transportation committee should include a representative from the bus drivers

when meeting, and the curriculum committee should include a teacher representative 2. Motion by Mullen, seconded by Siegle, to authorize Superintendent Sinke to sign the Agreement with the C&O Railway Company for construction and maintenance of a private pedestrian crossing over the Railway's

tracks as described in said Agreement Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. 3. Blain Property Hearing, At the hearing held on Au-

gust 6, the Kent Intermediate Board of Education voted 3-2 to transfer the Blain property at 8485 Bailey Drive, Ada, valuation \$11,600.00, to the Forest Hills School District. The county board stated that the transfer was granted because the children had been attending Forest Hills schools for six years and that Lowell had been receiving taxes in the past for this property 4. The Community School funds at the year's end showed a balance of \$1,194.00. Motion by Siegle, seconded by Kropf, that this amount of \$1,194.00 be split with the YMCA as per Board-YMCA Agreement. Aves: &, Navs: 0, Motion Carried.

5. Motion by Metternick, seconded by Wingeier, that we accept the bid of the Windemuller Electric Com-

## LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRA-TION OF THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF LOWELL AREA SCHOOLS KENT AND IONIA COUNTIES, MICHIGAN

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF SAID SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the Board of Education of Lowell Area Schools, Kent and Ionia Counties, Michigan, pursuant to a directive from the Board of Education of the Kent Intermediate School District, Michigan, has called a special election to be held in said School District on Monday, October 1, 1973. The purpose of the special election is to vote on a bonding proposition for the purpose of erecting, furnishing and equipping building facilities to house special education programs for the handicapped; and acquiring, developing and improving sites therefor.

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER WITH THE APPROPRI-ATE CITY OR TOWNSHIP CLERKS, IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE SPECIAL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1973, IS FRIDAY, AUGUST 31, 1973. PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5:00 O'CLOCK, P.M., ON THE SAID FRIDAY, AUGUST 31, 1973, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT SAID SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

Persons planning to register with the respective city or township clerks must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerks' offices are open for registration.

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

> Harold Metternick, Secretary **Board of Education**

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pany for \$23,602.00 for lights and electrical work involved in relighting the football field. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

The board requested that the old lights that are beng taken down be checked to determine if they are

Motion by Kropf, seconded by Mullen, to authorize perintendent Sinke to sign an agreement with the St. Mary's School board for approximately 8 acres lying im-mediately south of the Bushnell School site. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

7. Motion by Kropf, seconded by Mullen, that Superintendent Sinke be authorized to sign an Agreement with Ruth G. and William R. Harris for approximately 10.73 acres immediately south of the Alto School. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

8. Resolution by Kropf, seconded by Wingeier, that the school use the property purchased from William R. and Ruth G. Harris for experimental agricultural purposes during the 1973-74 school year.

Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. 9. Motion by Kropf, seconded by Wingeier, to author-

ize the purchase of hot lunch equipment and step van as described in Addendum 2 to our application to the Non-Food Assistance Program. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion Carried,

10. Opening of Milk Bids and Bids on Cottage Cheese

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Meadow Gold	2.1	5		1.1
*ParrView Dairy * Sealtest Foods	2.0	0		
	Mill	k		
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	Price per	half pint	Gallon	1/2 Gallon
Meadow Gold *ParrView Dairy	White .0749 .0769	Choc. .0779 .0819	1.03	.52
*Sealtest Foods	.0759	.0729	1.01	.51
*These bids contai	ned escalat	ion clause	in case of	price

increases Motion by Metternick, seconded by Mullen, to allow the administration to investigate these bids with power

to act. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. of bids on motor oil fuel oil gasoline

	Gasoline	Motor Oil	Fuel Oil
Petroleum Suppliers	.21 Alto .195 Lowel	1.00	.19
Gulf Motion by Siegle, :	No bid	No bid	No bid

Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

### NEW BUSINESS

1. Motion by Miller, seconded by Mullen, to adopt the preamble and resolutions regarding the special election on October 1, 1973. Aves: 7. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

(This is a bonding proposition to allow the Kent Intermediate School District to borrow the sum of not to exceed \$7,000,000 and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds therefor, for the purpose of erecting, furnishing, and equipping building facilities to house special education programs for the handicapped; and acquiring, developing and improving sites therefor.) Motion by Siegle, seconded by Wingeier, to establish the following tax levies for the 1973-74 school year. The total millage will remain the same as for the 1972-73 school year.

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Total Opera Debt:	tion	22.5 Mills	
Death	1955	.23	
	1962	1.60	
	1966	1.17	
	1967	.20	
	1971	5.20	
Total Debt		8.4 Mills	

Total Operation & Debt

Aves: 7, Navs: 0. Motion Carried.

3. Dr. Reagan appointed Dr. Siegle to serve as board representative at the KISD special education committee 4. Motion by Kropf, seconded by Siegle, that we accept with regret the resignation of Craig Huizen, senior high school math teacher.

30.9 Mills

Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. Motion by Siegle, seconded by Miller, to adopt the revised hot lunch guidelines for the 1973-74 school year as outlined by the Department of Education. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

Motion by Miller, seconded by Metternick, that the board grant Marjorie Benedict a leave of absence for the 1973-74 school year, with the provision that she will be rehired for the 1974-75 school year provided a vacancy for which she is qualified exists and provided a certificate is received from her doctors stating her physical ability to return to work.

Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. 7. Motion by Metternick, seconded by Miller, that the board ratify the agreement with the secretaries.

Ayes: 7, Nays: 0. Motion Carried. 8. The budget hearing for the 1973-74 budget will be held at the regular meeting on August 28. The starting time will be at 8 p.m. because of the property transfer hearing scheduled for 7 p.m. 9. Progress report-senior high school. August 16 is

scheduled as the date for board acceptance of the high school addition. Inspection will begin at 1:30 at the high school office.

10. Progress report-bus garage. Scheduled occupancy is September 4. There is a possible delay in the hoist and gas tanks.

11. Motion by Miller, seconded by Siegle, that the board accept the middle school occupancy papers subject to completion of the punch list from McMillen.

Palmer, Fritz dated August 8, 1973. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

12. Bus drivers negotiations were discussed. Board member Metternick to work with the administration. 13. Custodian negotiations discussed. Board member Phil Kropf appointed to work with the administration. 14. The Association of School Boards Workshop will be held in Kalamazoo on September 11. Any board member who is interested in attending this workshop should contact the superintendent's office as soon as

15. Board members should contact the superintendent's office if they desire reservations for the Association of School Administrators workshop that will be held in Detroit on October 2, 3 4. 16. The annual community leader, teacher, school

board breakfast will be held on Wednesday, August 29, at 8 a.m. in the middle school cafeteria. 17. The LEA-Board of Education Master Agreement is presently waiting for association ratification. 18. Motion by Metternick, seconded by Mullen, to authorize the administration to request bids for a %

ton pickup truck. Bids are to include a letter requesting all four local dealers to bid on this vehicle; if all four do not bid, all bids will be rejected and bidding will be opened to outside dealers. 19. Approval of plaque for the middle school.

20. The city council has scheduled a meeting for August 23 regarding a sidewalk along Foreman Road and improvement of Foreman Road. Motion by Siegle, seconded by Mullen, to adjourn

Respectfully submitted

Harold Metternick, Secretary

## Plan Fall Wedding

at 10:20 p.m.



LORI JEAN HUNT

Miss Lori Jean Hunt and Dennis Michael Nowak are engaged and planning a Fall wedding. Their parents are Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Hunt of 12421 Foreman Road, and Mr. and Mrs. William No-

wak, 905 North Washington Street, all of Lowell. The bride-elect and her fiance are graduates of Lowell Senior High School.

## Services Wednesday For Mrs. Jennie Williams

Funeral services for Mrs. Jennie williams were held at the Roth-Gerst Funeral Home in Lowell Wednesday afternoon, with the Rev. Raymond Gaylord of the Cascade Christian Church officiating.

Mrs. Williams, a resident of Schneider Manor in Lowell, passed away Sunday, August 19, at the Kent Community Hospital in Grand Rapids. She was 88 years old. Interment was made in Whitneyville Cemetery.

Besides a daughter, Mrs. George (Evelyn) Lane of Lowell, Mrs. Williams leaves her grandchildren, Mrs. Gary (Barbara) Cavanaugh of Alto and Jerry Lane of Albany, Georgia; a niece, Mrs. Pauline Liskey of Grand Rapids, and four great-grandchildren.

## **Top JA Treasurer**

Kay Boeskool has been named Junior Achievem "Treasurer of the Year." Her selection was made at the National Junior Achievement Conference at Indiana University last Friday. Miss Boeskool won over 40 other contestants. She

will receive a trophy and a scholarship. A June graduate of Forest Hills Central High School, Miss Boeskool was treasurer of Fiasco, JA firm, spon-sored by the Old Kent Bank and Trust company.

## High Honors Recognition

Goes To Sharon Zimmerman

Sixty-three June graduates of Illinois State University have been recognized for high honors recognition, while 73 others were accorded honors at the univer-

sity's 114th annual commencement. Students who accumulate grade point averages ranging from 3.80 to 4.00 are graduated with High Honors; those with an average of 3.65 to 3.79 are graduated

with honors. (Four point is equivalent to A). Among the High honors students recognized was Sharon Zimmerman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Wingeier of 7336 Wingeier Avenue, Alto.

Mrs. Zimmerman was awarded a BSE degree in Speech Pathology-Audiology at Illinois State.

## Stauffer Reunion

The Stauffer Family reunion will be held August 26 at Fallasburg Park, starting at one o'clock. The get-together will be a potluck picnic, with each one bringing their own table service, beverage and dish to pass.

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

A Public Hearing on the proposed budget for the Lowell Area Schools for the 1973-74 fiscal year is scheduled for 8 p.m. on August 28 at the Middle School cafetorium, 12675 Foreman Road.

Interested persons may secure a copy of the tentative budget at the Superintendent's office, 700 Elizabeth Street, Lowell. c20

## Dairymen Are New **Holstein Members**

Lowell and Saranac area dairymen were represented in the list of new members approved by the Board of Directors of Holstein-Friesian Association of America at its last meeting. The state had 61 dairymen among the 1,715 persons joining the world's largest dairy breed organization.

New members include James Hardy, sr., and Robert and George Hardy of Saranac, and Terry Nugent of Lowell.

Pennsylvania, New York and Wisconsin led for fortyfive states represented on the list of new members. Michigan's new members join the ranks of over 27,717 people actively breeding Registered Holstein-Friesian cattle who enjoy a reduced rate when registering and transferring their animals. In addition, they gain a voice in developing policy for the breed by selecting delegates to their national convention as well as having representation on the Association's Board of Directors.

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

### BANK CUSTOMERS AIDED

To make it easier for its customers to add their deposit slips correctly, Bankers Trust Company has installed adding machines at the counters of two of its new midtown branches in New York City.

## LEGAL NOTICES

VanderVeen, Freihofer & Cook, P.C. 1125 W. Main St., Lowell, Mich. 49331 PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Kent ESTATE OF JOHAN FRITZ FORSSTROM,

DECEASED File No. 114,435 TAKE NOTICE: On September 6, 1973, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, Grand Rapids, Michigan, before the Hon. A. Dale Stoppels, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Nona Kyser, Administratrix, for allowance of her Final Account and for an Order Assigning Residue and discharge of Administratrix upon filing of final receipts. Dated: August 13, 1973.

VanderVeen, Freihofer & Cook, P. C. Attorney for Petitioner: Nona Kyser, Administratrix By: George R. Cook 13347 Vergennes 1125 W. Main Street Lowell, Michigan 49331 Lowell, Mich. 49331 Phone 897-9218 c20

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George R. Cook

Phone 897-9218

Lowell, Michigan 49331

IN RE.: THE MATTER OF

1973.

Circuit Judge.

above levels at all times,

Attorney for Petitioner,

21st day of September, 1973.

JACK BRONKEMA, CLERK

KENNETH L. WILEY,

**Deputy Clerk** 

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Court shall hear proofs and allegations of all parties in-

1125 W. Main

ty of Kent

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the Coun-

MARTHA A. MCDONALD

TAKE NOTICE: On September 6, 1973, at 10:00/ A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, Grand Rapids, Michigan, before the Hon, A. Dale Stoppels, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Edith McDonnell, for probate of a purported will of the deceased dated September 1, 1972; for granting of administration of said estate to George R. Cook, or some other suitable person; for a determination of heirs. Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented said George

W. Main Street, Lowell, Michigan 49331, proof thereof with copies of the claims, filed with the court on or before October 19, 1973. Notice is further given that the estate will be thereupon assigned to persons ap-Dated: August 10, 1973. Edith McDonnell, Petitioner Attorney for Petitioner: 920 N. Washington St. Lowell, Michigan 49331

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STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF KENT

ESTABLISHING THE NORMAL LEVEL OF THE CASCADE IMPOUNDMENT No. 9868

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE At a session of said Court held at the Hall of Justice in the City of Grand Rapids on the 21st day of June,

PRESENT: The Honorable JOHN H. VANDER WAL Frank Bouma, Kent County Drain Commissioner, having filed his Petition asking the Court to amend a certain Judgment heretofore entered in said cause fixing the normal level of Cascade Impoundment pursuant to Act 146, Public Acts of 1961 and it appearing to the Court that the said level was heretofore set at 663.5 feet above mean sea level, providing that prior to December 1, 1971, said level may be varied between

659 and 664 feet above mean sea level, and the Amendment seeks to have the normal level fixed between the NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of George R. Cook, IT IS ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that the 21st day of September, 1973, at 11:00 o'clock A.M., be and the same is hereby assigned as the date on which this

terested and shall consider the prayer that said levels heretofore established be changed as indicated above, IT IS FURTHER ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that a copy of this Order be served by certified mail on each person in the Cascade Impoundment assessment district whose name appears on the latest township tax

assessment roll at least three (3) weeks prior to the JOHN H. VANDER WAL Circuit Judge Examined, Countersigned & Entered

> ATTEST: A TRUE CO. Y JACK BRONKEMA, CLERK KENNETH L. WILEY, DEPUTY



Dr. and Mrs. Thomas N. Mullen of Redlands, Califor nia, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Mullen for ten days, prior to flying to Kothandu, Nepal where he will be on the staff with a Swiss surgeon at the Scheer Memorial Hospital for three years-located in Banepa, \* \* \*

Our belated Birthday wishes to Page Lombardo, August 20, whom we erroneously omitted from our birth-

day list last week. Our apologies, Page, we hope you had an extra special day \* \* \*

Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. (Thelma) Hahn of Lowell will mark their 50th wedding anniversary on Tuesday August 28.

It's anniversary time for Mr. and Mrs. Orison Abel (12th) and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Wittenbach (1st) August 25; Mr. and Mrs. Terry Abel and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Grim, August 26; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Thuston and Mr. and Mrs. Rommie Moore, August 28. \* \* \*

Mrs. Melvin Court of 703 N. Washington St., correspondent for the Lowell Ledger, will celebrate her 90th birthday August 23. Let's remember her with cards . . .

In the hospital-Mrs. Pearl Jones, Mrs. Clara Collins, Max Nigh, Ida Yeiter, Kent Community; Rosella Yeiter, Grand Rapids Osteopathic; Jane Blough, Henrietta Boerma, Angeline Shippy, Butterworth; Byron Cook, Blodgett Memorial. ...

Mrs. Alice (Wessell) Bennett is very ill and in the hospital. Her address is Mrs. Allen Bennett, University of Ontario Hospital, London, Ontario, Canada, She would appreciate hearing from her former Lowell \* \* \*

Lester Place has been released from Butterworth Hospital and is recuperating at his home. \* \* \*

A note from Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Hall of Burbank, California reads:

The last time we were in Lowell-just two years ago-we were happy to see those of our friends of past years who had stayed in town. We will be back again Saturday, August 25, and hope that some of those who were at their lake cottages on the occasion of our last visit will be where we can see them and bend a convivial elbow-or two. Best regards to all those not enmesh-

ed in the Watergate net. I can remember the days when Frank McMahon and I were the only Democrats in town. Those who want to know where to find us are invited to call Beulah

and Miney Henry. ...

Mrs. Gladys Doyle is a patient at Oakwood Hospital in Dearborn at present and would like to hear from her many friends in Lowell. Her address is: Room 833 A, 18101 Oakwood Blvd., Dearborn, Mich. 48124.

Read & Use The Want Ads!



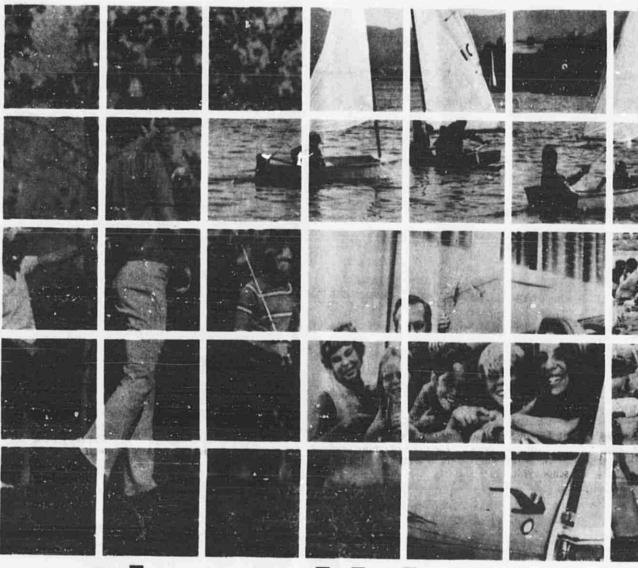


Arti Melle, manager of Lippert's Fashion Fabrics, has been busy preparing for Fall as 'back to school sewing' goes into full swing.

## ROSE SHOW AT MUSEUM

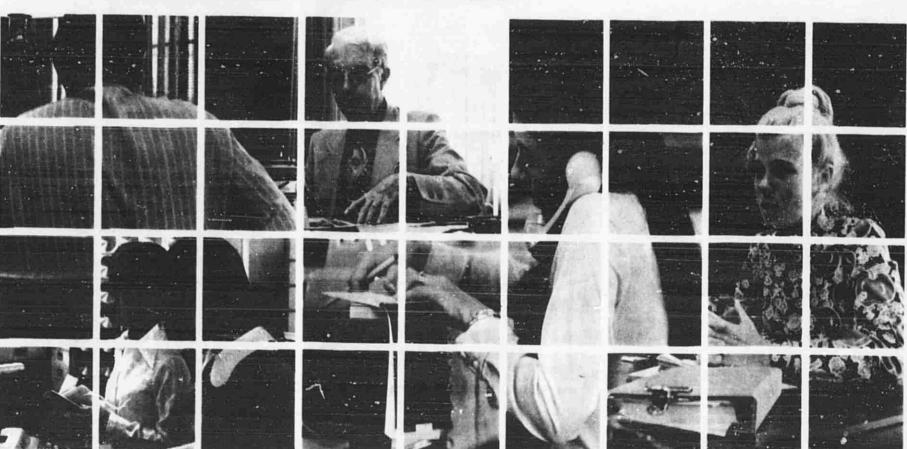
The West Michigan Rosarians will provide a special treat for people staying in town for the Labor Day weekend when they present their Twelfth Annual Judged Rose Show Saturday and Sunday, September 1-2, in the Grand Rapids' Public Museum, East Building Multipurpose Room and Garden Center, Saturday hours are from 2 to 5 p.m. and from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Sunday. It is open to the public without charge. Individual amateur rose growers are invited to exhibit their roses or rose arrangements in the show. En-

tries will be received at the Museum East Building from 7 to 10 a.m. on Saturday. Schedules are available at the



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If your bank doesn't offer Saturday banking, don't wait another weekend. See the Union Bank Branch Bunch in your neighborhood.

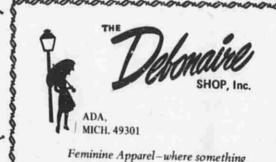


Sergeant Johnson

Blake A. Johnson has been promoted to the rank of Sergeant while serving with the 250th Infantry Division in Hawaii. In the service a little over a year, Johnson has stead-

ily moved up the promotional ladder. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Johnson of Riverside Drive, Low-

The former Lowell High School graduate's new ad-dress is: Sgt. Blake A. Johnson, 374-58-0808, Company C, 1st Bn., 21st Inf., 250th Inf. Division, San Francisco, California, APO 96225.



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Lowell Ledger-Suburban Life, Thursday, August 23, 1973 BITS O' BUSINESS

Phase Four will bear down more heavily on profit margins of companies with sales above \$100 million a year than it will on wage rises, according to recent nalysis of the new rules







## AMENDMENT TO CASCADE TOWNSHIP PLAT ORDINANCE NUMBER 5/73

No platted lot shall be divided except upon approval of the Cascade Township Zoning Board of Appeals, after Public Hearing, as provided in Chapter 15, Section 10 of the Cascade Township Zoning ordinance of 1962, as amended.

Adopted by Board Action on August 13, 1973.

Motion by Ellinger, supported by Popma. Unanimous decision. Published August 23, 1973 in Lowell

Ledger. Effective date: September 23, 1973.

Edward L. Meyer, Clerk, Cascade Township

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## CASCADE TOWNSHIP ZONING ORDINANCE PUBLIC HEARING

Take Notice that the Planning Commission of Cascade Township, Kent County, Michigan, will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, September 25, 1973 at 7:30 p.m., at the Cascade Administration Building, located at 2800 Orange Street, S.E. in said Township, to consider a proposed new Zoning Ordinance for the Township of Cascade, pursuant to Act 184 of 1943, as amended.

The tentative text of said Ordinance is on file with the Township Clerk at the Cascade Township office, at 2800 Orange St., S.E., in said Township, and may be examined by any interested party during regular Township office hours, up to the time of hearing.

Any interested party may appear at said hearing and be heard for or against said proposed Zoning Ordinance.

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CASCADE TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION, by: Michael E. Veksi, Chairman

# 4-H Horse Project Winners

A record number of 4-H Horse Project members participated in the week-long 4-H Fair held at the Lowell Fairgrounds August 11-14. Kent County's horse enrollment of 400 members and 32 clubs is one of the largest in the state-second only to Oakland County.

According to Kenneth Fitzsimmons, president of the Kent County 4-H Horse Leaders' Association, the results of the week's activities are as follows: Individual Achievement Awards: Bob Wittenbach Memorial Trophy, Lee Ann Thome, Comstock Park; Sheriff Posse Horsemanship Trophy, Jane Johnson. Grand Rapids; Sheriff Posse Showmanship Trophy, Steve Wittenbach, Ada.

High Point Boy (11 and under), Mike Werkema, Caledonia; High Point Girl (11 and under), Diane Clemenshaw, Belding; High Point Member (19 and over), Lee Ann Thome, Comstock Park; All Around English Rider, Elizabeth Edison, East Grand Rapids; Grand Champion Trail, Carol Hart, Belmont; Leaders' Trophy, Bill Ferguson, Lowell.

Club Achievement Awards: High Point Club Trophy, Green Meadow Caballeras Club, Barb LaBelle, Leader: Runner-up High Point Club Trophy, Lowell Saddlelites, Ernest Blasher, Leader; Best Barn Awards, Lowell Saddlelites, Ernest Blasher, Leader, Lowell.

Fitzsimmons also announced the names of the young horsemen who will represent Kent County at the tatewide competition to be held on the Michigan State University grounds on August 21. In releasing the names, he said, "We have always done well at the State Show, but from my observation this will be one of the strongest teams that has ever represented Kent County. We can be very proud of this group of horsemen."

In the Quarter Horse Division, Jane Johnsen, Kim Thome, Alice Wayboer, and Steve Wittenbach will represent Kent County, Debbie Groendal, Dee Ann Griffeth, and Pam Stovall are 1st, 2nd and 3rd alternates

The Grade Horse Division will be represented by Bar rie Blasher, Liz Dorgan, Cindy Smith, Leslie Tanglsen, Janie Thomasma and Kim VanHaffen. Carol Mohr. Denise Talsma and Karry Griffeth will be 1st, 2nd and 3rd alternates respectively

be represented by Dawn Jackson, Bobby Johnsen and Christie Johnson. The 1st and 2nd alternates will be Pat VanSlyke and Jim Mancewitz respectively.

nett, Chris Birch, Becky Dufford and Beth Peasley. The 1st, 2nd and 3rd alternates will be Sally Marshall, Nancy Kyser, and Chris Carr repsectively.

ed by Denise Catalano, Elizabeth Edison and Cathy Smith, with Kim Dozema, Sandy Bos and Sue Catalano : as the 1st, 2nd and 3rd alternates respectively.

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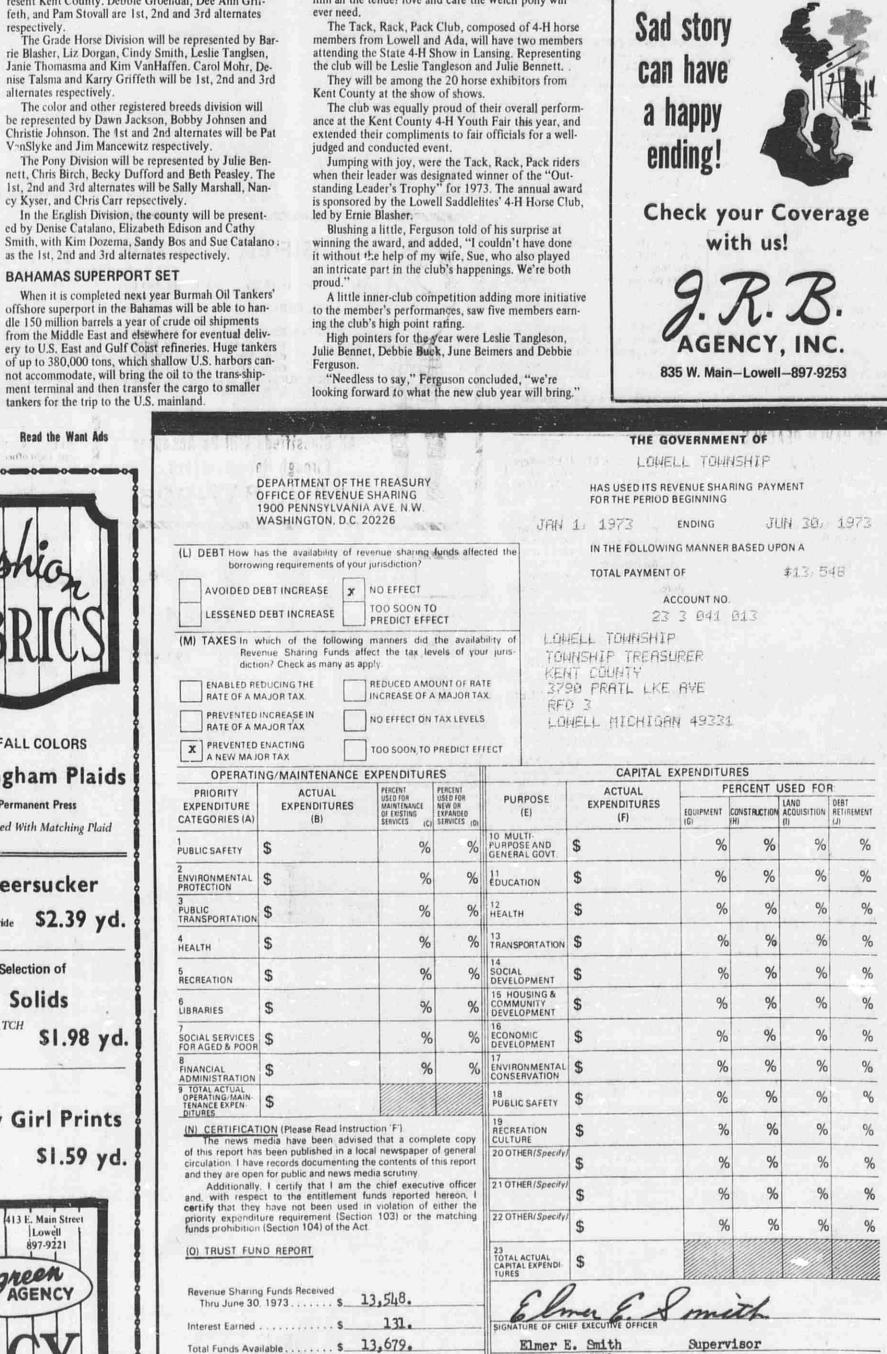
"The first year we decided to give a pony away," Ferguson, leader of the club revealed, "Our salesmen weren't quite as eager, but we realized a good profit." "This year things went a little different, Ferguson

stated, "Ticket sales sky-rocketed, but earlier expenses incurred for the pony's upkeep ate away a little of the profit, but we're proud of our accomplishment.' The day of the big drawing, August 15, saw the

name of nine-year-old Brenda Lucchesi of Ada, picked from the barrel of tickets. Mighty proud of her new mount, Brenda will give

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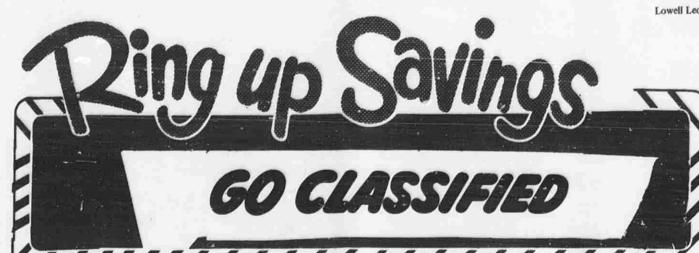
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## Thompson In **Crystal Action**

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tion-packed feature. It was nip and tuck all the way as Bill Lebaron outdrove a top field of contenders for the checkered flag. Bill Massuch was second; Jack Caswell, third; Bob Nieman, fourth, and Jim Thompson, fifth

There will be a special benefit race Saturday night, September 1, to benefit the family of race car driver Erwin Williams. Races this Saturday night will start at eight o'clock;

## time trials at 6:30. Girls Enroll In

**Twirling Classes** Two Lowell High School girls were among the par-ticipants in the Second Annual Twirling and Cheerlead-ing Clinic at Siena Heights College campus in Adrian,

Michigan. Taking baton twirling and majorette classes were

Lori Canfield, Lincoln Lake Avenue, Route 1, and Kathye Irwin, 10696 East Fulton Road, The clinic, conducted by Mary Evelyn Thurman,

was held August 20 through 23. The event is sanctioned by the National Baton Twirling Association, Interna-tional Cheerleader's Association and the National Junior Cheerleader's Association.

The girls enrolled in a course which cover all phases of baton twirling and majorette work.

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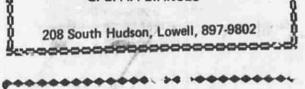
## From Junior College

Grand Rapids Junior College will award degrees to local students who completed requirements for Associate Degree programs this summer. Over 100 students are graduating this summer. This

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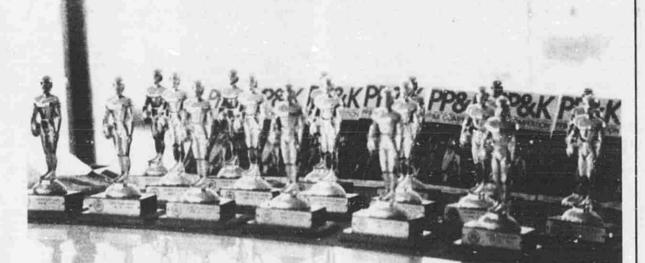
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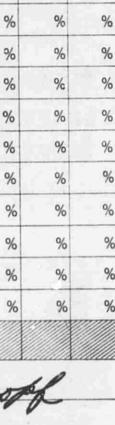
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## **Council Proceedings**

Official Proceedings of the City Council of the City of Lowell, Michigan. Regular Meeting of August 6, 1973.

The Pledge of Allegiance was given and an Invocation by Mayor Anderson The Meeting was then called to order by the Mayor

at 8:00 P.M. and the Roll was called Present: Councilmen, Hali, Jefferies, Mueller and Anderson

Absent: Councilman McCambridge. IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Hall that the min-utes of the July 23 meeting be approved by adding "west of Amity Street" on page 3 paragraph 4 to read, "Manager Bacon recommended that Elm Street, west of Amity Street be paved and curb and gutter installed with the Storm Sewer Project.", supported by Councilman Jefferies.

Carried by members present voting yes. IT WAS THEN MOVED by Councilman Mueller that the Bills and Accounts Payable be allowed and warrants issued, supported by Councilman Hall. Yes: Hall, Jefferies, Mueller and Anderson.

No: None. Absent: McCambridge

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100,000.00 Storm Sewer Fund Mayor Anderson then opened the Public Hearing on the James Street Sanitary Sewer Extension Special Assessment Roll.

Manager Bacon explained that two property owners only had requested the extension. The extension will run 150 feet up James from Main Street. The two parcels, owned by James Briggs and Lorna Franks, will be assessed \$1,908.00 each over a 10 year period at a rate of 6% interest per year, as District No. 17. IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Hall that the City

proceed with construction, supported by Councilman Mueller Yes: Hall, Jefferies, Mueller and Anderson. No: None.

Absent: McCambridge

Manager Bacon then stated that the proposed sidewalk on Foreman Street would be of more benefit to the City at large residents than the individual property owners and recommended that the City at large pay the cost of installing said sidewalk, from Lincoln Lake Avenue west to the new Middle School. A discussion followed.

IT WAS THEN MOVED by Councilman Jefferies that the Manager's recommendation that the City at large pay for construction of sidewalk on Foreman Street from Lincoln Lake Avenue west to the High



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School, supported by Councilman Mueller. Yes: Hall, Jefferies, Mueller and Anderson.

No: None. Absent: McCambridge.

Bids were then opened on roof repair to the Foreman Building at Recreation Park.

Manager Bacon reported that only one bid had been received, that from Simmons Roofing Company. He then read a letter accompanying the bid which stated that the entire roof be replaced rather than just patching it. He recommended that the bid of Simmons be accepted.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Mueller that the bid of \$4,710.00 by the Simmons Roofing Company to resurface the entire roof of the Foreman Building be accepted, supported by Councilman Hall. Yes: Hall, Jefferies, Mueller and Anderson.

No: None. Absent: McCambridge.

A request from Charles Doyle for reimbursement for reconstruction of sidewalk at his residence at 523 N. Lincoln Lake Avenue was presented. The total cost was \$176.00, of which the City's share would be \$35 at present rates of 121/2¢ or 20% per square foot.

A discussion followed on increasing the percentage paid to property owners for new sidewalk installation to meet today's costs. Mr. Doyle had previously stated that he would submit his bill for the 121/2¢ or 20% per square foot.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Mueller that the reimbursement figure be raised to 25% or 16¼¢ per square foot of new sidewalk construction, and that the City be notified before construction for approval, be mandatory, supported by Councilman Jefferies.

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

Absent: McCambridge. Manager Bacon then stated the Michigan Municipal League will hold their annual meeting September 4 through 7 at the Pantlind Hotel and Civic Auditorium in Grand Rapids, a delegate and alternate delegate would have to be named.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Mueller that the Mayor be appointed as delegate, and the City Manager as alternate delegate to the annual Michigan Municipal League meeting

Carried by a yes vote of members present. Under communications, a bill was presented from Standard Steel Industries, Inc. which included \$898.44 for sales tax for the new Showboat bleachers.

A discussion followed. IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Jefferies that the Manager be instructed to use funds from the General Fund, or negotiate a percentage loan from State Savings Bank, whichever best suits the needs of the City, and that the bill be sent back for reinvoicing without the sales tax.

Another discussion followed in which it was decided that the City purchase the bleachers outright, with the Lowell Showboat, Inc. board to pay the City back on a time payment basis.

Councilman Jefferies withdrew the motion.

IT WAS THEN MOVED by Councilman Mueller that the City purchase the bleachers, and that a lease agreement be set up with Lowell Showboat, Inc. of \$4,000.00 to be paid annually, with title transferred at final payment, and that the bill be sent back to Standard Steel Industries for reinvoicing without sales tax, supported by Councilman Jefferies. Yes: Hall, Jefferies, Mueller and Anderson.

Absent: McCambridge.

The Manager's Report, the Fire Department Report and the Police Department Report for the month of July were read.

A recommendation from the Planning Commission-Citizens Advisory Committee to the City Council, to rezone portions of Lot 53 and 54, Sweet and Smith's Addition, owned by Jackson Motor Sales, from A-2 Residential, to C-3 Highway Commercial, on a request of Mr. Leonard Jackson was presented.

A discussion followed. IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Jefferies that the

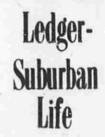
Regular Meeting of September 4 be set as a Public Hear ing for consideration of the request of Leonard Jackson for rezoning of portions of Lots 53 and 54, Sweet and Smith's Addition, supported by Councilman Hall. Yes: Hall, Jefferies, Mueller and Anderson.

No: None. Absent: McCambridge.

Under remarks from Council, there was a discussion about buildings used by the 4-H Association, licensing of cats, and fires being set by trains being billed to the railroad companies, and also setting up another meeting with Williams and Works on the water and sewer

rate study findings. IT WAS THEN MOVED by Councilman Jefferies to adjourn at 9:22 p.m.

Approved: August 20, 1973. CARLEN E. ANDERSON, BLAINE E. BACON,



City Clerk

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## Veen Observatory Sets Open House

The James C. Veen Observatory will hold its annual Open House from 8:30 to 11 p.m. Tuesday, September 4 through Saturday, September 8. An additional visitors night will be held Friday, September 28. Visitors are welcome without charge.

Telescopic observations of the moon, Jupiter, Venus, and other sky objects will be conducted when the sky is clear. An audio-visual presentation entitled "A Night on Kissing Rock Hill" will also be shown periodically throughout each evening, with inspection of equipment if clouds interfere with actual observations.

The observatory is located off Kissing Rock Avenue, southeast of Lowell, off 36th Street.



### Dear Editor,

I am writing to you in regards to the Lowell Showboat

There are two questions I would like to have answered The first question deals with safety. If I am correct

there is a Michigan law which requires a boat to have one life preserver per person. The question I would like to have answered is, "If this is true, does the Showboat meet the requirement, and if not how does it get around a very important life saving law?"

The second question is, "Since the Showboat organization spent so much money to rebuild the Showboat a few years back, how come they don't spend

some money to moor the boat during the winter instead of it setting in the water and ice of the Flat River all winter long where it rots and usually breaks away

A \$25-million convention center slated for con-

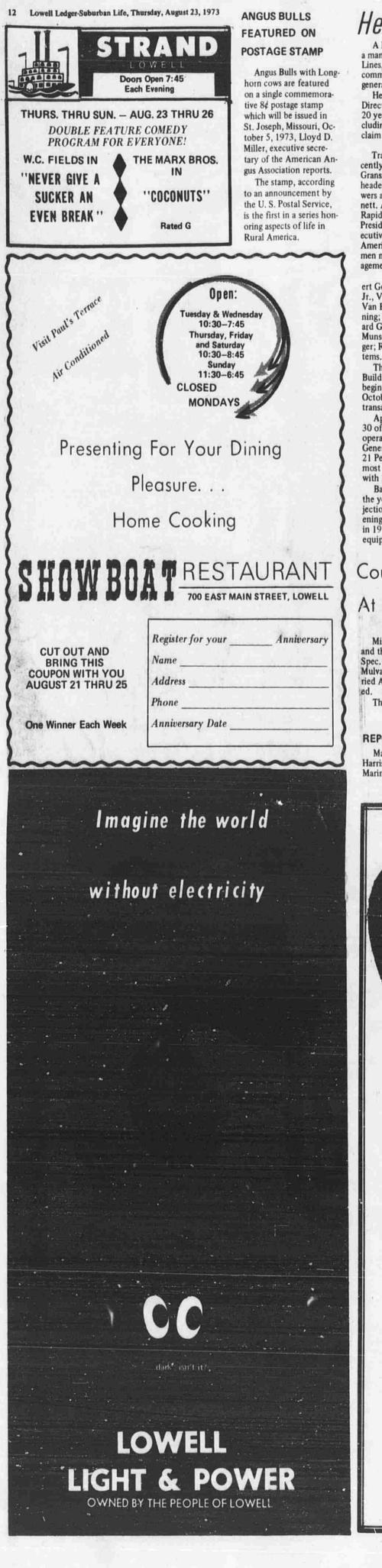


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MARY MARGARET STEVENS Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stevens of Lowell wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Mar-garet, to Kevin L. Vezino. The bridegroom-to-be, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Vezino of Lowell, is a 1973 graduate of Lowell Senior High School and will enter the U.S. Navy in Septem-

Miss Stevens will graduate in June of 1974 from Lowell. The couple are tentatively planning to be married in August, 1974.



## Heckman Moved Into Management Position

A Lowell man, Charles J. Heckman, has moved into a management position with the TransAmerican Freight Lines, Inc. TransAmerican, a multi-million dollar motor common carrier based in Detroit, will move its entire general office to Grand Rapids this fall.

Heckman, who lives at 10921 Woodbush Drive, is Director of Claims. Prior to joining TransAm he had 20 years experience in the transportation industry including billing, rating, dispatch, warehouse and OS&D claim adjustment.

TransAmerican was recently purchased by the GransAm Investment Co. headed by Stanley J. Auwers and Richard E. Bennett. Auwers, a Grand Rapids man, is the new President and Chief Executive Officer of Trans-American. Other area men named to the management team are Rob-



ert Goodheart, Executive Vice-President; Claude J. Travis, Jr., Vice President Equipment & Maintenance; Tony Van Bokkem, Senior Vice President Operational Planning; Gordon J. Wolters, Director of Marketing; Richard Goward, Director of Revenue Accounting; Kenneth Munson, Director of Insurance & General Office Mana-ger; Ronald M. Garstka, Director of Information Sys-

The new headquarters will be the Kraft View Office Building, 5650 Foremost Dr., S.E. The company will begin occupancy of the 24,000 sq. ft. building as of October 1. Mort Binder of R. J. Ide Co. handled the transaction.

Approximately 100 people will be employed there; 30 of them moving from Detroit. The TransAmerican operating authority presently serves 37 states with 33 General Commodity terminals, 26 Steel Division and 21 Perishable Division facilities. This authority covers most cities between Omaha, Boston, Dallas and Atlanta with 2,000 employees.

Based on current sales the projection at the end of the year is 60 million with a five-year revenue projection of \$140 million. Growth plans include the opening of 30 additional General Commodity terminals in 1974 and a multimillion dollar investmant in an equipment modernization program.

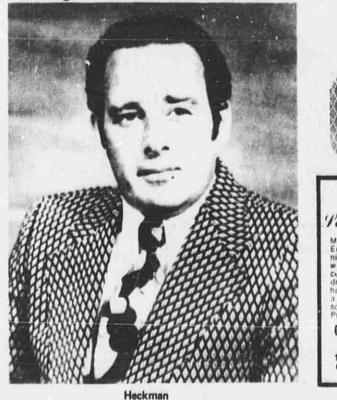
Couple Will Reside At Fort Hood, Texas

Miss Mary Beth Morse, daughter of Mrs. Vern Morse and the late Mr. Morse of Cascade Road, S.E. and Spec. 4 James Mulvaney, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Mulvaney of Hamilton, N.W., Grand Rapids, were married August 3rd at Ft. Hood, Texas where he is station-

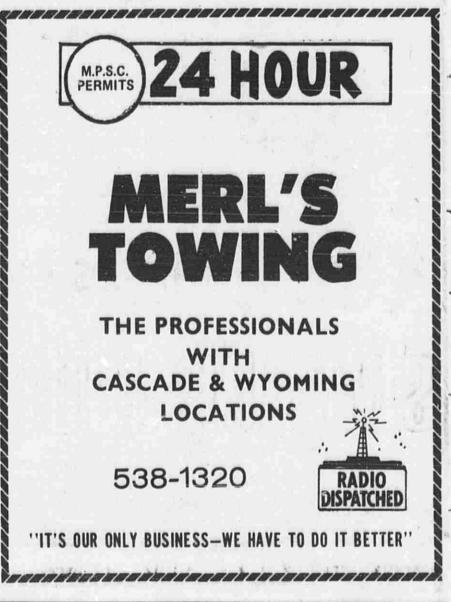
They will be living at Ft. Hood.

### **REPORTS FOR DUTY**

Marine Pvt. Larry E. Maddox, son of Mrs. Gladys O. Harris of 1211 Sigsbee SE, has reported for duty at the Marine Corps Base at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina.

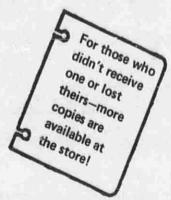


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