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Over the past two weeks, four juveniles were caught shoplifting from Lippert's Pharmacy on East Main St., and Eberhards on West Main.

Pending court action will be taken against the offenders, who were all turned over to their parents.

A grass fire along the C & O Railroad tracks north of Lowell was responsible for a call to the Lowell City Fire Department on Friday, September 6. Sparks from a passing train were believed to be the cause.

Jeffrey Babcock, 28, of Lowell was arrested by Lowell Police for contributing to the delinquency of a minor (beer). The juvenile was also cited for minor in possession.

The incident took place September 6 at the Lowell 4-H Fairgrounds. Both were released to appear in court later this month.

A life-long resident of the Lowell area, born in Vergennes Township, Mrs. Laura Dawson will observe her 93rd birthday on Saturday, September 14. Mrs. Dawson resides at 736 High Street.

Early Friday morning, Jackson Motor Sales on East Main Street was broken into by way of the back door. The thieves made off with \$200 in cash from the register.

Un-numbered Residences Are Hard-To-Find

Is your number up? The Kent County Sheriff's Department and area township fire departments have the problem of locating un-numbered residences in emergencies.

Houses under construction and those with long driveways are especially difficult to locate unless they are clearly numbered.

Be sure your house number is visible on the roadway. Precious minutes can be lost by an emergency vehicle if he has difficulty in locating your residence.

Two juveniles from Lowell, driving a car stolen from Thomet Chevrolet and Buick on West Main Street, were caught, after a chase, by Kentwood Police.

The youths admitted stealing the car from the Lowell dealer. Kentwood officers made the arrest after witnessing the duo leaving the scene of a property damage accident.

Both were lodged in the Kent County Juvenile Home to await future court action.

A fire caused by a heat lamp left on a table summoned Lowell City volunteer firemen Monday noon to an apartment at 209 1/2 W. Main Street.

Vandals broke the windows out of the east side of the Root-Lowell Corporation on Foreman Road over the Labor Day weekend, and made entry into a box car parked adjacent to the building. An estimated \$100 in damages were made to the building.

During the gas shortage, everyone slowed down and remarked how great it was to loaf along at a sedate 55 miles per hour.

Now, highway patrols report drivers are speeding up again, and the kids have started 'gittin rubber' again on the streets.

It just goes to show that most of us live for the present, with little care about next year or even next week. In this respect we are like the dog whose only concern is the next meal.

Two fire extinguishers were taken from the bus garage at the Lowell Middle School over the Labor Day holiday.

Entry, by prying open a door, was also made at the Standard Oil Bulk Plant on West Main Street. Nothing was reported missing.

Senior Citizens... save October 10, 11 and 12, for a color tour to Agawa Canyon in Canada, plus a side trip to Mackinac Island, and a boat tour of the Soo Locks.

For more particulars, call 897-5250 or write the Lowell Senior Center at 214 East Main Street.

Randy Hunt, 24, of Grand Rapids was arrested by Lowell Police August 31, when he refused to leave the Lowell Cafe on West Main Street.

He was arrested for being drunk and disorderly after he was asked to leave the premises three times. He entered the cafe at 3 a.m. with an open can of beer in his hand.

Hunt was later released on \$100 bond to appear in court.

The Sunday edition of the London Times magazine section, September 1, carried a full color photo of the Lowell Showboat.

The special edition devoted to the lives of President Gerald Ford and ex-president Richard Nixon, told of Ford's annual attendance at the 'minstrel show under the stars.'

Lowell antique dealer, Norm Borgerson, in London when the publication was made has brought home a copy of the release... that is if he's ever able to catch up with his 'lost' luggage.

The Ledger's thanks to Wm. S. Doyle, jr., who forwarded us a keepsake copy. Doyle, a Lowell High School graduate, is with the Chase Manhattan Bank in London.

Development Act Spurs Action

Revitalization of the City's business area, in the talking stages for some time among City officials and members of the business community, has taken a step forward with the announcement made by Mayor Carlen Anderson at the regular meeting of the Lowell City Council, Tuesday, September 3.

At a Special Meeting August 22, Anderson said the City entered into an agreement with the Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce and the engineering firm, Williams and Works, to share one-half the cost of preliminary plans for a community development program.

The City's share for the first phase is not to exceed \$1,750.

"Time is of the essence," Dennis Elsen, Williams & Works engineer and consultant to the Lowell City Planning Commission, told the Commission, City Council, and members of the Lowell Chamber of Commerce, in

presenting a synopsis of the recently passed Community Development Act of 1974, Monday night.

The idea for revitalization of the downtown business area received new impetus with the possibility that Lowell might share in the \$11.1 billion dollars to become available through the Federal Community Development Revenue Sharing Program.

With a target date of December first, "there is much work to be done, Elsen said, but it is of the utmost importance to meet the deadline." Applications will begin being accepted on that date from the nation's communities but a substantial amount of the necessary data has been gathered over the past several years, Lowell could have a better chance of meeting the December 1 date than some other communities.

City Planning Commission chairman, William Doyle, reported that housing is a high priority item in the Act and the absence of any type of public housing in Lowell may help to increase the City's eligibility.

There is no guarantee the City's application would be approved but it has about a 50-50 chance, Elsen said.

Chamber of Commerce members scheduled meetings on a block basis, to begin this Wednesday evening with Main street businessmen, landlords and tenants to determine needs, solicit suggestions and general reaction to the developing plans.

The area being considered for redevelopment includes Main Street blocks from the railroad east to Horatio Street.

The activities for which federal money will be available through the Community Development Act include the acquisition and demolition of real property, rehabilitation of buildings, and the construction or installation of such things as sewer and water facilities, street lights, pedestrian malls, relocation payments, sale or donation of acquired property, low income housing for the aged, park and open space, etc.

The Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) will administer the program to be expended over a three to five year period.

Light And Power Negotiates Contract

The Lowell Light and Power Plant, owned by the people of Lowell, has reached agreement with UWUA and its Local, 481.

Representing the Light and Power employees on the negotiations were Jack Ryan, Urban Lipps and Mrs. Ilah Melle.

The Blue Cross plan was changed to MVF (Multiple Variable Fee) with a prescription rider, and a wrap-around with Medicare to provide retirees with the same benefits as active employees. Vacations went to three weeks for eight years service and four weeks for 15 years.

Other items included increases in wage increments (progressions) from 15 cents to 20 cents per hour each six months. New Year's Eve and Christmas Eve were added as additional half holidays.

The pension (which is the State of Michigan Plan for municipalities) was improved by 20 percent. Minimum call-out time was clarified so that an employee will receive the minimum call-out and appropriate overtime for time worked, rather than including the overtime as part of the call-out minimum.

The contract contained a cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) clause which provides a maximum (cap) of 25 cents each year for a two-year period, or a possibility of 50 cents. Wage increases received were 16 cents per hour in each of the two years.

This negotiation was serviced by Russ Rjorkman, Regional Director of Region IV, who estimates a total of better than nine (9) percent the first year and about nine (9) percent the second.

Father Files Suit On Behalf Of Son

Robert C. Spickler, 13254 Grand River Drive, Lowell, filed suit last week in the Kent County Circuit Court against the Lowell and Kent Intermediate School Districts, claiming they failed to give his emotionally disturbed son, Daniel, age 11, an education.

The youth has not been enrolled in school since he was expelled last October 29 from a special education class.

The Spickler family and the Kent County Association for Retarded Children have retained Attorney H. David Soet as their attorney.

"The association is particularly interested in making a very strong point to all school districts that the Mandatory Special Education Act of 1971 (Act 198) will be enforced and that no children will be left at home," Soet said.

Lowell officials contend they don't have an appropriate program in which to place Danny.

Emotionally disturbed children usually have trouble controlling their behavior and, in the extremes, may act violently toward other persons and things, school officials said. They do not function well in regular classroom situations.

In Danny's case, the expulsion followed a number of violent actions, school officials said. He was enrolled in a new class for emotionally impaired youngsters at the time. Soet said Danny is not retarded.

Spickler's complaint alleges that efforts to get his son reinstated have failed, as have KISD attempts to place him elsewhere. The boy will suffer irreparable harm if not enrolled immediately in an appropriate class, the suit contends.

Leonard Sinke, Lowell superintendent, said he is not opposed to going to court because some type of placement may result: "Our only contention is that we don't have a (appropriate) placement here."

Danny was enrolled a year ago in the new social adjustment program for emotionally impaired youngsters in Lowell on a trial basis. He had lived at St. John's home the year before and previously had been a special education student in Grand Rapids, according to Lowell school officials.

Opens Campaign Office In Thornapple Village

Paul G. Goebel, jr., Republican candidate for the Fifth District Congressional seat, has opened his South-east Kent Campaign Headquarters in Ada.

Open Friday evenings, Goebel's offices will be in the Thornapple Village at 460 Ada Drive, formerly the Ada Shopper's Square.

Goebel kicked-off his campaign for the November 5 general election by opening two offices in Grand Rapids September 6; one in Cedar Springs; one in Grandville; and the one in Ada.

Expected to be opened within the next week, is headquarters in Ionia County.

Voters interested in contacting Goebel at the Ada office should call 676-1171 or 676-9020.

ROSIE DRIVE INN—Special this week: Fishwiches, 45¢. Family Night every Tuesday, 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Bucket of Chicken to go. Sunday morning Breakfast Special? c23

City And School Meet To Discuss Building Plans

City residents will probably be hearing discussion in the months ahead about a building authority for the City. Announcement was made Tuesday night, September 3, at the City Council meeting, that Council members would be meeting with members of Lowell Area School Board of Education to work out plans for the establishment of a building authority for the purpose of constructing a joint City-School Administration building.

The building authority concept is basically one of financing.

Bonds are sold to finance construction of buildings. Retirement of those bonds might be likened to rent. The City-School would use the space and make payments to the building authority.

A growing number of cities find this kind of financing preferable to the selling of general obligation bonds requiring voter approval as well as a liability against all taxpayers of the city.

Authorized by law in 1948, many Michigan cities have gone to the building authority approach to resolve bogged down building needs.

What are a building authority's powers, duties, responsibilities and liabilities? These and other questions will be of interest to the concerned citizen if the City and School officials decide to join hands in a building venture.

Rescue Unit Arrives

Parked in front of City Hall during Tuesday night's meeting was the new Police-Reserve Rescue Unit.

When the Police and Reserves made known their need and desire for a rescue unit last June, it didn't take long for Lowell area residents to respond with their dimes and dollars. More than \$8,000 has been donated to date. (More about the rescue unit in a later article).

Protests Signs

The no parking-no stopping-no standing signs, recently placed on Jefferson Street between Main Street and Avery Street, brought a protest from businessman Harold Ball, owner of the Softee Creme on the corner of Main and Jefferson Street.

Ball said he felt the tone of the signs was "rude"—and apparently didn't feel the area required such stringent restrictions.

Signs were erected after complaints about the traffic congestion at the intersection were brought to the Council's attention.

Child Care Program Set

The newly organized Lowell Child Care Council will be sponsoring bi-monthly educational programs as a community service while they are working this year to establish a pre-school or day care center. The Lowell Area Jayettes will be co-sponsoring this service.

The first program will be Monday, September 23, 8 p.m. at the Lowell First United Methodist Church's Educational Building. The topic to be presented is entitled "Make Good Things Happen Between You and Your Child." Ann Scott, Home Economics extension agent, will be the guest speaker.

She is well qualified in the field, having given a series of lessons with the Kent County 4-C Association for Day Care Home mothers.

Areas she will discuss are day-to-day living with a child, helping the child to have positive experiences and to succeed, and how a parent can save his or her sanity.

All are welcome—especially parents and anyone who babysits for working mothers or works with parents and/or children.

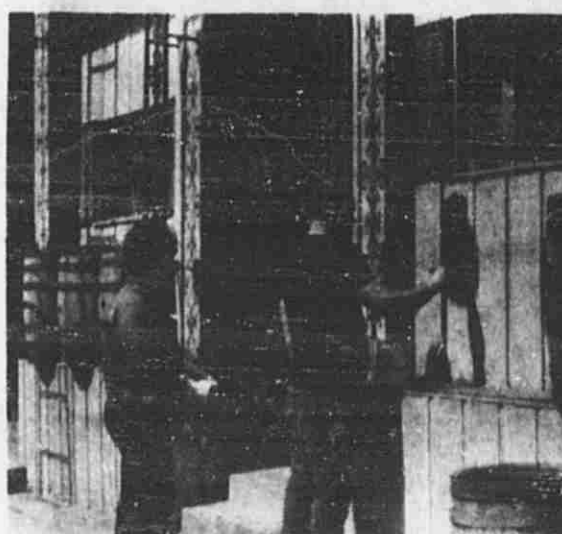
Senator Howard Baker To Be Main Speaker

U. S. Senator Howard Baker, Vice-Chairman of the U.S. Senate Watergate Committee, will be the main speaker at the Republican Fund-Raising Dinner, Tuesday, October 1, at the Civic Auditorium. The proceeds from the dinner will be used on the campaign of Paul Goebel, Jr., Republican candidate for Congress from the 5th District and the other Republican candidates in Kent County.

John J. Oostema will serve as dinner chairman. The tickets will be sold by members of both the Kent County Finance Committee and Goebel for Congress Special Fund Raising Committees.

The young Tennessee Senior Senator, who is the son-in-law of the former Senate Minority leader, Everett Dirksen, was first elected in 1964. He was re-elected in 1972 with over 62% of the vote. In February of 1973, the Republican Senate leadership unanimously chose Baker as ranking member of the Senate Select Committee to Investigate 1972 Presidential Campaign Activities. Baker was named vice-chairman of the committee.

New Paint, New Owners



A new exterior coat of paint was applied to the outside of the Village Inn on West Main Street, last week.

Soon to open under new ownership, the restaurant and bar has been closed for over a year.

Stillwater Wins Battle Of Bands

Competing against seven other bands, a Lowell group, the 'Stillwater,' were rated number one in a contest on Labor Day in Belding.

The annual holiday 'Battle of the Bands' sponsored by the Belding Area Jaycees, drew music enthusiasts to the Belding Mall where the seven bands played for 20 minutes each, vying to be proclaimed 'Number One.'

At the end, Lowell's band was rated 'tops,' with the 'Proper Strangers' coming in second, and a group who called themselves 'Farm' finishing third.

For their first placement, the Stillwater won a new Kustom Kasino Public address system worth \$1,050.

The Lowell group is composed of Dave Jones, Roger MacNaughton, Jerry Adams, Cindy Adams, Dale Kropf and Carl Andrews.

Now playing six nights a week at Stephanie's Lounge in Grand Rapids, the Stillwater will also appear October 11 on the Buck Matthew's morning show on WOTV.

DON'T FORGET—Monday night is \$1.00 night at the Strand Theatre, Main St., Lowell, Mi. c23

AROUND the AREA

Navy Aviation Antisubmarine Warfare Operator Third Class Daniel S. Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett S. Thompson of 1501 Briarcliff Drive, SE, was promoted to his present rank while serving at the Naval Air Station, Jacksonville.

A former student of Michigan State University, Lansing, he joined the Navy in June 1973.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest A. Norman of Rockford announce the engagement of their daughter, Phyllis, to Alan D. Arnett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Arnett of Lowell. An early spring wedding is planned.

Navy Construction man Robert L. Ignasiak, jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Ignasiak, of 12035 Gee Drive, Lowell, has begun Seabee training at the Basic Construction Mechanic School, Port Heuneme, California.

Ignasiak will be instructed in the maintenance and

repair of heavy duty motorized equipment used in Seabee construction projects. Seabees are trained to work under combat conditions. He is a 1973 graduate of Lowell Senior High School, Lowell.

Private Mark E. Valk, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Valk, 9082-68th St. SE, Alto, completed eight weeks of basic training at Ft. Leonard Wood, Missouri. Valk received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, combat tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and army history and traditions.

Greetings to their Lowell friends were sent to the Ledger this week from Mr. and Mrs. Asa R. Kelley, 26576 Francisco Court, Highland, California 92340. The Kelleys wrote "we are fine out here and enjoy the hot weather, 95-100 degrees, but smoggy. We miss you all."

Ed Lundbeck is a patient at Blodgett Memorial Hospital, where he underwent a cataract operation.

Mrs. Belle Auble and Mrs. Anne Dykhuizen have been hospitalized at the Grand Rapids Osteopathic Hospital.

Jeff Dykhuizen is a surgical patient at St. Mary's Hospital in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Martha T. Comrie, 94, passed away September 7 at the North Ottawa Community Hospital in Grand Rapids.

She is survived by a daughter, Mary Farmer of Grand Rapids; two sons, Daniel of Grand Haven and Frank of Alto; five grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

George Hall, 73, of Wyoming, brother of Mrs. Robert (Evelyn) Barnes of Lowell, passed away September 8 at St. Mary's Hospital in Grand Rapids.

It's anniversary time for Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ellis, September 12; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Budres, September 13; the Rev. and Mrs. Dean Bailey, September 16; and Mr. and Mrs. Randy Johnson, September 18.

In the hospital - Mrs. Lucille Ridgway, Grand Rapids Osteopathic; Mrs. Ardis Barber, Butterworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman P. Wenger of Ada announce the engagement of their daughter, Sandra Lee, to Karey Lee Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Hill, Grand River Drive, Ada.

Miss Wenger and her fiancé are planning a June wedding.

Former Lowell Ledger correspondent Mrs. Hope Sargeant is back in Clarksville, and will once again be submitting news items for the paper.

Mrs. Sargeant can be reached by calling 693-2242.

Attention former East Jordan and surrounding area residents now living in the Grand Rapids area. The annual East Jordan area picnic will be held Sunday, September 15, 1974 at Palmer Park - which is located on 52nd AT, S.E. between Clyde Park and Burlington Ave.

SCHOOL Lunch Menu

- LOWELL AREA SCHOOLS Week of September 16, 1974 MONDAY: Italian Spaghetti, Cole Slaw, Plain or Garlic Bread, Diced Peas, Milk. TUESDAY: Hot Dogs with Mustard or Catsup, Pickles, Carrots & Celery, Buttered Corn, Date Bars and Peaches, Milk. WEDNESDAY: Meat Loaf with Catsup, Buttered Whipped Potatoes, Hillbilly Bread, Mixed Vegetables, Cran-applesauce, Milk. THURSDAY: Pizza on a Bun, Tossed Salad, Green Beans, Chilled Fruit Cup, Milk. FRIDAY: Fish Patty with Tartar Sauce, Oven Fried Potatoes with Catsup, Buttered Peas, Rolls or Bread & Butter, Assorted Fruits, Milk.

What do Blue Birds do? They have fun playing games, taking hikes, and trips, have parties and make things. But, most important is the group experience learning to share. New groups are now forming for 2nd grade girls. If you would like to be a part of the Camp Fire Girl program, call Marilyn Keim, 897-8886.

Better Biking

Bicycle sales have tripled during the last decade. Deaths and accidents on bikes have doubled. Biking is a pollution-free way to travel. It can also be fun, healthy, and cheap. But our auto-oriented society has built very few bikeways so far. Cyclists have to straddle car traffic. Bike riders are required to observe most of the regulations and signals meant for cars. But too many don't. A recent study of accidents involving bicycles and cars in Santa Barbara, California, showed that bikers had violated the traffic laws in almost 70 percent of the cases. The most common violation was not obeying stop signs.

Another report by the Oregon State Highway Division also showed that bikers made far more errors than drivers did. Most accidents happened because bikers didn't yield the right-of-way, used the wrong arm signals or none at all when they turned, rode on the wrong side, and ignored stoplights. And last year a study of 600 bicycle accidents, which was conducted by the Consumer Product Safety Commission, showed that two-thirds of the accidents resulted from riding double on bikes designed for one, performing stunts, losing control of braking, and hitting bumps and ruts.

Safer cycling is possible. Observing regulations helps a lot. Seeing and being seen - by cars, pedestrians, other bikers - is absolutely essential. Bright bike banners on tall flagstaves are coming into style. And so is reflective tape that is fluorescent day and night. Keeping bikes in good condition is important too: 20 percent of accidents are caused by mechanical and structural failures. Better biking is one way to cut car exhaust and fight air pollution. Contact your lung association about other ways to help curb pollution. It's a matter of life and death.

Tenth Annual Braille Rally The Furrin Sports Car Club announces the Tenth Annual Braille Rally scheduled for September 14, starting at 12 p.m. from Kent Skills Center on East Beltline. Chairman, Nils Erickson, explains this rally is expressly for blind and partially sighted students throughout Kent County. The Furrin Group works in conjunction with the Blind and Sight Conservation Association, through Miss Pat Bussan to coordinate the activities of the day. The rally ends at Chief Hazy Cloud Park in Ada where refreshments will be served. Awards for the day's event will be presented at this time.

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Official Ballot Wording Approved The November 5 general election is still several weeks away but the Elections Division of the Secretary of State's office has approved wording of four important proposals that will be on the ballot for voters' consideration. Voters should look them over carefully before going to the polls because at least three of them, if approved, may mean increased taxes. One would bond the state for \$1.1 billion to provide transportation systems, principally in the metropolitan area in southern lower Michigan. Another would bond the state for up to \$205 million for Vietnam era veterans. The third would remove the sales tax on food and prescription drugs but, many state financial experts say, would lead to a rather substantial increase in the personal income tax to make up for the lost revenue. Here is the official wording of the four proposals as it will appear on the November ballot. PROPOSAL A "The proposed constitutional amendment would: (1) prohibit the use of motor fuel tax funds by law enforcement agencies for highway patrol purposes and (2) limit the use of motor fuel tax funds for public transportation to 1/18th of the amount received. Should this constitutional amendment be adopted?"

PROPOSAL B "The proposal would: (1) Authorize the state to provide veterans of the Vietnam and other conflicts who served between Jan. 1, 1961 through Sept. 1, 1973 with a service bonus; (2) authorize the state to borrow \$205 million for this purpose; (3) authorize the state to issue general obligation bonds therefor; and (4) provide for repayment from the general fund. Should this proposal be approved?"

PROPOSAL C "The proposed constitutional amendment would: (1) Remove the sales tax on food and prescription drugs used for human consumption except food prepared for immediate consumption and alcoholic beverages; and (2) compensate units of government, other than the state, for the resulting loss of revenue by increasing each present allocation of sales tax revenue to such units by 1/5th. Should this constitutional amendment be adopted?"

PROPOSAL D "The proposal would: (1) Authorize the state to borrow \$1.1 billion to finance the planning, acquiring, constructing, and equipping of various land, air, and water transportation systems, other than operating and maintenance expenses; (2) authorize the state to issue general obligation bonds therefor; and (3) provide for repayment from the general fund. Should this proposal be approved?"

No one has projected how much new taxes will be needed to finance any, or all, of these proposals but voters should be reminded that, as with anything else, government services cannot be provided for nothing.

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Proclaims September 17-23 As Constitution Week

The fundamental law of the United States is the Constitution, oldest written document still in effect. Drafted by the Constitutional Convention meeting in Philadelphia from May to September, 1789, it contains a basic statement still deeply powerful. "We, the people, do ordain and establish..." Here we can see that it was the people themselves who took the concept of power and divided it, providing for a system of checks and balances both for use and to guard against abuse.

The Declaration of Independence, the Constitution and the Bill of Rights together express lasting truths, and while Americans sometimes take for granted their freedoms of speech and of worship (elsewhere often repressed or forbidden), two hundred years have not quenched the fire for a better world that these documents provide.

The patriots of 1789 were moved to greatness because they believed in liberty, justice and human dignity. On August 9, 1794, as he took the oath of office, President Gerald R. Ford was inspired to say: "Our Constitution works, our great republic is a government of laws, not men. Here the people rule. But there is a higher power, by whatever name we honor Him, who ordains not only righteousness but love, not only justice but mercy."

Let every American treasure these virtues and fight to keep them.

Constitution Week activities in this area are being coordinated by the Sophie DeMaras Chapter, D.A.R., with Mr. Minor P. Dutcher of 537 Ardmore, S.E., acting as chairman.

CONSTITUTION WEEK PROCLAMATION

The Constitution of the United States of America was adopted September 17, 1787, ratified June 21, 1788, in effect March 4, 1789. WHEREAS, The Constitution of the United States of America gives us the foundation for a free, prosperous, and independent life for every citizen, but each generation, in time, must work for and claim it; otherwise, through carelessness or indifference, the rights and liberties we have enjoyed may vanish; and

IT is of the greatest consequence that the citizens fully understand the provisions and principles contained in the Constitution of the United States of America in order to be able to support it properly; and "The greatest document for human liberty in two thousand years of recorded history;" and

WHEREAS, The people of the United States should be deeply grateful to their Founding Fathers for the wisdom and foresight they displayed in writing and adopting the Constitution; and

WHEREAS, The independence granted to the American people to enjoy such freedom and liberty, unknown to any other country, should be celebrated by appropriate ceremonies and activities during Constitution Week, September 17 through 23, as designated by proclamation of the President of the United States in accordance with Public Law No. 915;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Carlen E. Anderson, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Lowell, do hereby proclaim the week of September 17 through 23, 1974, as

CONSTITUTION WEEK in the City of Lowell, and urge all our citizens to pay special attention during that week to our Federal Constitution and the advantages of American Citizenship. In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Lowell to be affixed at Lowell, Michigan this day in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventy four and the independence of the United States of America, the one hundred and ninety-eighth.

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Many people once believed that Satan would walk the earth in the guise of a black cat!

SPECIALS OF THE WEEK For \$1.95 WEDNESDAY - Chicken Cacciatore with Rice Pilaf THURSDAY - Breaded Veal Cutlet w/Mushroom Sauce FRIDAY - Seafood Jamboree MONDAY - Spaghetti & Meatballs w/Garlic Bread TUESDAY - Old Fashioned Beef Stew w/Potato Dumplings Valley Vista Inn 1400 W. Main-Lowell-897-9620

YMCA BALL BITS Below is a list of team members selected by their coaches as All-Stars. PONY LEAGUE Caledonia Tigers-Phil Debrie, Tom Reed and Jon Bednarsky; Hastings Broncos- Jerry Holley, Jim Thomas, Dan King and Bill Jiles; Lowell Cards -Mike Stuckey, John Ellison and John Wilder; Lacey Dodgers - Doug Garrett, Wayne Rogers and Donald Russell. Caledonia Colts-Marshall Evans, Tim Kelly and Frank Bednarsky; Lowell Arrows-Tom Kemper, Dick Beach and Ken Wittenbach; Middleville Guekes Market - Eddie Saldivar, Ross Barber and Dennis Huss; Freeport Yoders Service - Charles Astinal, Dennis Tagg, and Jerry King; Hastings Rangers-Con Ahorn, Matt Neal and Brad Brimmer; Caledonia Cubs-Ken Giar, Mark Zoet and Pete Cavener. MAJOR LITTLE LEAGUE Lowell Astros-Dan Valentine, Russ Hernandez, Mike Smith and Mark Butterworth; Lowell Giants-Dan Phillips, Terry Abel and Gary Ellison; Lowell Cardinals-Kerry Kyser, Dale Stark, Kent Dickerson and Todd Bryan. Clarksville Mets-Brian Rayner, Don Jackson, Mike Kappia; Lowell Tigers-Mark Lessens, Ed Lowry and Mike Kay; Lowell Arrows-Rich Haines, Randy Giddens, Mike Brennan and Alex Souza; Alto Cubs-George Deible, Tony Peckham and Ray Benedict. MINOR LITTLE LEAGUE Lowell Giants-Kevin Connor, Jason Barber and Jeff Parsons; Lowell Cardinals-Philip Kline, Leon Schab, Jr., and James Merklinger; Lowell Tigers-Tony Crawford, Albert Melle and Bobby Wilkerson; Lowell Dodgers-Mark Friener, Steve Vroma, Greg Jensen and Craig Eley. Alto Cubs-Martin Canfield, Scott Barnhart and Sergio Osterberg; Clarksville Colts-Tim Hewitt, Duane Mushball and Bill Herrera; Lowell Mets-Todd Hendrick, Kevin Mattson and John Russell. BOYS CADET SOFTBALL Lowell Cardinals-Tim Carless, Tim Gochenour and Scott McMahon; Lowell Eagles-Patrick Lombardo, Jerry Adams Jr. and David LeHigh; Clarksville Thunderbirds-David Barker, David Hilley, Randy Eckman and Scott Herrera; Lowell Sparrows-Eric VanderWall, Dean Merklinger, Bill Briggs and Steve Alexander; Alto Blackbirds-Jay Hobbs, Steve Wernet, and Scott Fosburg; Lowell Orioles-Alan Southland, John Parley and Jerry Meredith; Lowell Crows-Roger Keiser, Rick Zimmerman and Chris Wissman; Lowell Robins-Vic Shepard, Don Reagan and Dale Fegel. GIRL'S SOFTBALL (7-9 Division) Lowell Rippers-Christine Raterink, Vivian Penning, Renee Butterworth and Christine Ellison; Lowell Go-Geters-Kathy Neel, Shawn Yeiter and Kammie Leverage; Clarksville Angels-Cindy Horton, Chris Seese and Suzie Huizenga; Parnell Tigers-Cathy Kazemier, Diane Malone and Sharon Heffron. GIRL'S SOFTBALL (10-12 Division) Lowell Sluggers-Deirdre Tate, DeAnn Eddy and Lisa Eddy; Alto Champs-Shirley Wilcox, Dalia Preece and Janet Merriman; Lowell Hitters-Debbie Schneider, Ann Smith and Jeanne Couser; Parnell Pros-Lori Ketchum, Angie Kehoe, Carol Gahan and Lori Vanderveen; Parnell Panthers-Kathy Thebo, Sue Sitzer, Brenda Bates and Jane Bailey. The Lowell YMCA would like to thank the following coaches for their countless hours of volunteer service: Robin Willette, Cathy Brooks, Annette Schneider, Sharon Nead, Ray Strouse, Charlie Nead, Barb Vezino, Judy Ellison, Linda Woodhead, Pat Sturgis, Louise Price, Kitty Dintaman, Helen Hobbs, Marilyn Keim, JoAnn Keim, Vic Osterberg, Kim Osterberg, Art Hotchkiss, Don Flaytor, Bob Jensen, Howard Vroma, Mr. Friener, Chris Crawford, Richard Merklinger, Les Kline, Harold Kettner, Al Towne, Bob Kammer, Bob Rittenger, Bobbi Towne, Dick Spencer, George Raterink, Gene Kaye, Dave Cole, Frank Reser, Pat Reser, Dick Bryan, Harvey Stark, Robert Ellison, John Ellison, Duane MacDonald, Orson Abel, Jack Butterworth, Jerry Smith, Dale Johnson, Kris Kroft, Tom Garbow, Gary Cavanaugh, Jim Bronson, Jack Woodmansee, James Wright, Bud Gauger, John Wilder Sr., Art Warning, Robert Holley, Randy Holley, Dick McCarty, Steve Kelley, Al Seedy, Ron Zimmerman, Chuck Mattson, Pat Swan, George Cloud, Phil Kropp, Jerry Meredith, Mr. Pursley, Mr. Southland, Don Sterzick, Howard Hobbs, Bruce Bergy, Howard Briggs, Orville Merklinger, Chris Briggs, Greg Briggs, Carroll Eckman Jr., Don LeHigh, Jack Harkness, Roger Moore, Phillip Johnson, Randy Stanard, John Carless, J. Gober, C. Gochenour, B. Rose, Steve Zoet, Chuck Huss Sr., Bob King, Larry Neil, Ted Dowman, Jerry Posthumus, Jack Lalley, Peter Herrera, El-dred Durkee, Mary Ann Bobko, Myra Aboon, Bonnie Guenther, Joan Lombardo, Monica Heblon, Barb Peterson, Bill Barker, Dick Brennan, Dick Gildea and Al Eckman.

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Involved In Work-Study Caravans

Twenty-two youth and adults from the Cascade Christian Church were involved in work/study caravans this summer which took them to historical spots of interest to the Disciples of Christ. Below are members of the senior high caravan, in front of Alexander Campbell's unusual study, Holly Brendems and Ben Herring were co-directors of this group. Members of the "Niners" Caravan are pictured above on the Bethany College, Bethany, West Virginia campus. Raymond Gaylord served as the director of this caravan. These caravans have been of extreme interest to many youth the last three years.

OPEN LETTER from

DAVID GERST



Dear Friends,

Children should not be denied the experience of a funeral in the family as a significant part of their life. If they are excluded, it might have future troublesome emotional implications because they could develop a sense of abandonment instead of belonging. However, no unwilling child should be made to participate.

Respectfully,

David Gerst

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PAY LINKED TO EDUCATION

More education still means more household income, says a Census Bureau survey. Reported in Finance Facts, a monthly report from the National Consumer Finance Association, the survey shows the average American household's income in 1973 was \$12,157. But for households headed by someone with four or more years of college, mean income was \$19,042. Heads of household with less than eight years of school averaged \$6,885.

U.S.-TO-EGYPT WHEAT DEAL: 100,000 TONS

The United States is shipping 100,000 tons of wheat to Egypt in the first three months of the 1975 financial year which began on July 1, State Department officials said recently.

The shipment is being made under a Food and Peace agreement in which Egypt will repay the \$16.5 million cost of the wheat over 20 years at an interest rate of 3 percent.

SIMPLIFIED OIL PAINTING FOR ADULT BEGINNERS

The East Grand Rapids Community Art Center will offer a series of Adult Hobby Instruction Classes in "Simplified Oil Painting for Adult Beginners" starting the 16th of September, with both afternoon classes at 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. and evening classes at 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. open for enrollment.



One drop of blood, no bigger than the letter "a," contains 5,000,000 red blood cells and about 5,000 white blood cells, according to World Book Encyclopedia.

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UNITED METHODIST WOMEN TO HEAR JUDGE JOHN LETTS

Judge John Letts will be the guest speaker at the United Methodist Women's meeting on Thursday, September 19, at 8 p.m., in the Education Building.



Calomel, another name for chloride of mercury, a white powder, means "beautiful black."

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

The Lowell VFW Auxiliary will hold their regular meeting Thursday, September 12, 8 p.m.

The members of the Western Chapter of The Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants will hold their first meeting of the 1974-75 fiscal year on Thursday, September 12, 1974 at the Lincoln County Club, Grand Rapids. The meeting will begin at 6 p.m., with a reception for the speakers Richard B. Ross and Mr. Roland A. Waterfield, Jr.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

Cyclamen Chapter No. 94, O.E.S. will hold their regular meeting at the Lowell Masonic Temple, Friday, September 13 at 8 p.m. c22-23

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

The Three M's of the First United Methodist Church of Lowell will meet Saturday, September 14, 8 p.m., in the Education Building with Mr. and Mrs. John Potter, hostesses.

Saturday, September 14 "Old America" comes alive as Charlton Park Village & Museum presents the fourth annual Folk Life Festival, Saturday and Sunday, September 14 & 15. Demonstrations will be held continuously from 10 a.m.-5 p.m. each day.

The festival will allow visitors to grasp, in three dimensions, the broad cultural, economic and social heritage of the agricultural community.

Charlton Park is located north of M-79 between Hastings and Nashville.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

Hymn Sing-Sunday, September 16 at 9 p.m., featuring the Highland Gospelaires. Lakeside Community Church, 8660 Kysler Road, on Campus Lake. Refreshments prior to Sing.

The South Boston Old Timers Reunion will be held at the Clarksville Fire Barn Sunday, September 15. One o'clock potluck dinner. Bring own service and a dish to pass. Everybody welcome, young and old.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

The Women of the Moose will hold their annual picnic Monday, September 16 at the Hi-Lo Gun Club Bldg. Bring a dish to pass, own refreshments and table service.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

Island City Zebeek Lodge No. 282 of Lowell will meet Tuesday, September 17, at the IOOF Hall at 7:30 p.m.

Lowell Area School's first PTA meeting will be at 7:30 p.m. in the high school Tuesday, September 17. Guest speakers.

Flat River Post 8303, V.F.W., will meet at their hall on Tuesday, September 17, at 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

The Alto Garden Club will meet at the Alto United Methodist Church Wednesday, September 18, at 10 a.m.

On Wednesday, September 18, Kent County Farm Bureau Women will meet for a noon luncheon at Schenck's Cafeteria, Eastbrook Mall, at 11:30 a.m. Following luncheon, there will be a trip to the James Robinson Orchard, 3142 Four Mile Road, to observe cider processing.

The regular meeting of the Garden Lore Club will be held at the home of Bonnie Chroux on Wednesday, September 18, at 2 p.m. Mrs. Gladys Schrouder is program chairman. Club members' birthdays will be honored at this meeting. Remember the pennies!

Past Matrons of Cyclamen Chapter No. 94, O.E.S. will meet Wednesday, September 18 at 8 p.m. at the home of Dorothy Hale, S. Hudson Street. c22-23

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

The next meeting of Lowell's senior citizens, the Golden Swingers, will be Thursday, September 19, at the American Legion Hall, Potluck dinner at noon followed by games. All welcome.

Women of the Nazarene Missionary Society of the Lowell Nazarene Church will hold a work meeting on Thursday, September 19, from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. with a potluck luncheon at noon.

'Fool' Photo Picked For National Exhibit



Patricia VanSlyke, of the Easy Riders 4-H Club, will represent Michigan with her photo of her Arabian foal in the First National Eastman Kodak 4-H Photo Exhibit in Chicago at the National 4-H congress in December.

Her photo was chosen at East Lansing in August as one of four photos, out of many, to go on to the Nationals from the State of Michigan. Patricia is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert VanSlyke of Ada.

Come to Church

Galilee Baptist Church

Of Saranac
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James R. Frank, Pastor

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

Saranac Community Church
United Church of Christ
125 Bridge Street - Saranac
Edwin G. Mendenhall, Pastor

Morning Worship	10:00 a.m.
Church School	11:15 a.m.
Adult Discussion Group	11:15 a.m.
Christian Youth Fellowship Sunday Evenings	7:30 p.m.

Parsonage: 642-9565 Church Office: 642-6322

St. Anthony's Church
David Highway - Saranac
Rev. Harold Felman - 642-2551

MASS SCHEDULE
Saturday . . . 5:15 p.m. . . Saturday . . . 7:30 p.m.
Sunday . . . 7:30 a.m.

Fall Schedule Of Church Classes Begin

The Fall schedule of Church School classes began at Saranac Community Church Sunday, September 8, with graded classes for all ages. Theme for the fall study is Responding to God's Love, according to Mrs. Larry Biggs, Superintendent. Classes meet from 11:15 to 12 noon.

Teachers are: Nursery, Sue Kidde; Kindergarten, Mrs. Virgil Biggs; Grades One and Two, Mrs. Ed Mendenhall; Grades Three and Four, Mrs. Ed Companion; Five and Six, David Benjamin; Seven and Eight, Bruce Chadwick.

Assistants are Jennifer Patrick, Mrs. David Benjamin, Mrs. Thom Chickering, Mrs. Bruce Chadwick, Mrs. Jim McCarthy and Larry Biggs. The Adult Study is taught by Dr. Eloy Kidde.

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3. When is the Hunter's Moon?
4. When does autumn begin?
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7. California became a state on what date?
8. What is President Ford's full name?
9. How old is the new President?
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Come to Church

<h3>Ada Christian Reformed Church</h3> <p>7152 Bradford St., S.E. - 676-1698 REV. ANGLUS M. McLEOD 676-1698</p> <table border="1"> <tr><td>Morning Worship</td><td>9:30 a.m.</td></tr> <tr><td>Sunday School</td><td>11:00 a.m.</td></tr> <tr><td>Evening Worship</td><td>6:00 p.m.</td></tr> </table>	Morning Worship	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School	11:00 a.m.	Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.	<h3>Calvary Chrain Reformed Church of Lowell</h3> <p>1151 W. MAIN STREET 897-8841 REV. BERNARD F. YNAAERT</p> <table border="1"> <tr><td>Worship Services</td><td>10:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.</td></tr> <tr><td>Sunday School</td><td>11:15 a.m.</td></tr> </table> <p>SUPERVISED NURSERY DURING ALL SERVICES WELCOME FRIEND!</p>	Worship Services	10:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.	Sunday School	11:15 a.m.	<h3>First Congregational Church of Lowell</h3> <p>(Member United Church of Christ) NORTH HUDSON AT SPRING STREET, LOWELL 897-9309</p> <table border="1"> <tr><td>Morning Worship</td><td>10 a.m.</td></tr> <tr><td>Church School</td><td>10 a.m.</td></tr> </table> <p>Rev. Richard Greenwood (CRIBBERY AND NURSERY PROVIDED)</p>	Morning Worship	10 a.m.	Church School	10 a.m.	<h3>Snow United Methodist Church</h3> <p>3189 SNOW AVENUE between 28th and 36th Streets, East REVEREND ED PASSENGER 897-9088</p> <table border="1"> <tr><td>Morning Worship</td><td>10:00 a.m.</td></tr> <tr><td>Sunday School (All Ages)</td><td>11:00 a.m.</td></tr> <tr><td>Youth Group</td><td>3:00 p.m.</td></tr> </table> <p>"THINK SNOW"</p>	Morning Worship	10:00 a.m.	Sunday School (All Ages)	11:00 a.m.	Youth Group	3:00 p.m.														
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<h3>Ada Community Reformed Church</h3> <p>7227 THORNAPPLE RIVER DRIVE - 676-1032 REV. WILFRED FIET</p> <table border="1"> <tr><td>Morning Worship</td><td>10:00 a.m.</td></tr> <tr><td>Sunday School</td><td>11:20 a.m.</td></tr> <tr><td>Evening Worship</td><td>6:00 p.m.</td></tr> </table> <p>Summer activities program every Thursday, starting June 20th, 6:30-9:00 p.m. Recreation & Crafts WE INVITE YOU TO MAKE THIS COMMUNITY CHURCH YOUR CHURCH HOME WELCOME TO ALL!</p>	Morning Worship	10:00 a.m.	Sunday School	11:20 a.m.	Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.	<h3>Eastmont Baptist Church</h3> <p>5038 CASCADE ROAD, S.E. REV. ROBERT MCCARTHY</p> <table border="1"> <tr><td>Sunday School</td><td>9:45 a.m.</td></tr> <tr><td>Morning Worship</td><td>11:00 a.m.</td></tr> <tr><td>Evening Worship</td><td>7:00 p.m.</td></tr> </table> <p>Wednesday Prayer Service 7:15 p.m.</p>	Sunday School	9:45 a.m.	Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.	Evening Worship	7:00 p.m.	<h3>Forest Hills Community Reformed Church</h3> <p>CORNER ADA DRIVE AND FOREST HILLS AVENUE Parsonage: 4637 Ada Drive - 949-1372</p> <table border="1"> <tr><td>Worship</td><td>10:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.</td></tr> <tr><td>Sunday School</td><td>11:15 a.m.</td></tr> </table> <p>REV. SIMON NAGEL "THE CHURCH WHERE THERE ARE NO STRANGERS" WELCOMES YOU</p>	Worship	10:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.	Sunday School	11:15 a.m.	<h3>St. Matthew Lutheran Church</h3> <p>5125 CASCADE ROAD, S.E. "Where Worship Is A Family Affair"</p> <table border="1"> <tr><td>Sunday School</td><td>9:45 a.m.</td></tr> <tr><td>Worship</td><td>11:00 a.m.</td></tr> </table> <p>NURSERY PROVIDED REV. JAMES E. HENNING Phone: 942-9091</p>	Sunday School	9:45 a.m.	Worship	11:00 a.m.														
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<h3>Alto - Bowne Center United Methodist Churches</h3> <p>11363 - 60TH STREET - ALTO - 868-3131 DR. JOHN EVERSOLE, MINISTER</p> <p>ALTO - Corner Kirby and Harrison Morning Worship 9:45 a.m. Church School 11:00 a.m.</p> <p>BOWNE CENTER - 84th Street & M-50 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Church School 9:45 a.m.</p>	<h3>First Baptist Church - Alto</h3> <p>CORNER OF 60TH STREET & BANCROFT AVENUE 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Jr. & Sr. High Young Peoples 6:30 p.m. Evening Worship 7:30 p.m. Wednesday Prayer & Bible Study 7:30 p.m.</p> <p>REV. GEORGE L. COON Telephone - 868-3011 or 868-6912</p>	<h3>First United Methodist Church of Lowell</h3> <p>621 EAST MAIN STREET 897-7514 "How To Spend The Hour"</p> <table border="1"> <tr><td>Worship</td><td>8:30-11:00 a.m.</td></tr> <tr><td>Church School</td><td>9:45 a.m.</td></tr> </table> <p>NURSERY DURING BOTH SERVICES & CHURCH SCHOOL Dean Bailey, Minister - Ken Hepner, Associate Minister</p>	Worship	8:30-11:00 a.m.	Church School	9:45 a.m.	<h3>Trinity Lutheran Church (LCA)</h3> <p>2700 EAST FULTON ROAD</p> <table border="1"> <tr><td>Worship Service</td><td>8:30-10:45 a.m.</td></tr> <tr><td>Sunday Church School</td><td>9:30 a.m.</td></tr> </table> <p>NURSERY PROVIDED PASTORS RAYMOND A. HEINE, JOHN D. BLAKEMORE</p>	Worship Service	8:30-10:45 a.m.	Sunday Church School	9:30 a.m.																										
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Outdoor Michigan

Conditions for fishing are improving on the rivers and streams and are starting to warm on the lakes, reveals the Michigan Department of Natural Resources.

Panfish are doing good on most lakes with the fish moving into shallower water and the best baits being crickets, grasshoppers and red worms. Some good spots are the baysous of Grand Haven; Muskegon Lake; Lincoln, Wabuss and Camp Lakes in Kent County; and Crystal Lake in Montcalm County.

Some jumbo perch are still being taken from the piers at Holland, Grand Haven and Muskegon, fishing early in the morning with wigglers or pieces of crab meat.

Most inland lakes are still producing good catches of bass on nightcrawler harnesses or artificial crawlers. Pike fishing is also good, especially on the rivers—Grand, Thornapple and Flat primarily—still fishing with live chubs.

Lake trout and salmon are still doing good in Lake Michigan in water approximately 100 feet deep. Fish are down from 10 to 30 feet and bite best on little cleos, tadpoles and flatfish. Salmon are now bunching up around the river mouth at Grand Haven and Muskegon and starting their swing upstream. Some snagging activity has been reported at Croton Dam on the Muskegon and 6th Street Dam on the Grand. However, success is somewhat limited yet as the big run of salmon has yet to hit.

Keep a close watch of your favorite cow pie as fall mushrooms are about to come soon. Fall nut gatherers are also about to have their heyday as cold weather and high winds bring down butternuts, walnuts, hickories, etc.

Season Underway

Runners Begin Conference Action Thursday

This is bound to be a busy week for Lowell's Cross Country team as the 1974 season gets underway.

The Red Arrows traveled to Forest Hills Northern Tuesday for a double dual meet with the Huskies and Comstock Park. Thursday they travel to Belding for the Tri-River conference opener, and then on Saturday, it's on to Lakewood and the Lakewood Invitation.

Participating Saturday besides Lowell and Lakewood will be Belding, Ionia, Saranac, Portland, and Pewamo-Westphalia.

The nineteen-member Red Arrow squad this year is led by four returning lettermen. Senior, and two-time letter winner Ron Krebs is this year's captain. He is joined by fellow seniors Craig Mulder and Jerry Gauger. Both Mulder and Gauger have won two varsity letters.

The fourth letter-winner from last year's team is sophomore Mike Dey. Dey was on the Tri-River all-conference team last year as a freshman and was voted by his teammates as 1973's Most Valuable Player. Doug Burton, a sophomore, is the other returnee from last year's team.

The remaining fourteen members of the team are new to the sport, but they could be the ones who make the difference between a mediocre season and a good season. They include: Seniors: Craig Anderson, George Lessens, Gary Roth, Scott McNeal, and Tom Stuart. Sophomores: Dave DeNolf, Jim Doyle, and Kevin Mulder. Freshmen: Ray Alexander, John Ellison, Brian Raymor, and Mark Smith. Two other members of

the team—Senior Chris Briggs and Sophomore Kent Greenboom—have been sidelined indefinitely due to illness.

The first home meet for the Red Arrows will be next Monday, September 16, against the Coopersville Broncos. All home meets are held at Fallsburg Park and begin at 4 p.m.

Forest Hills Rangers To Face Jenison

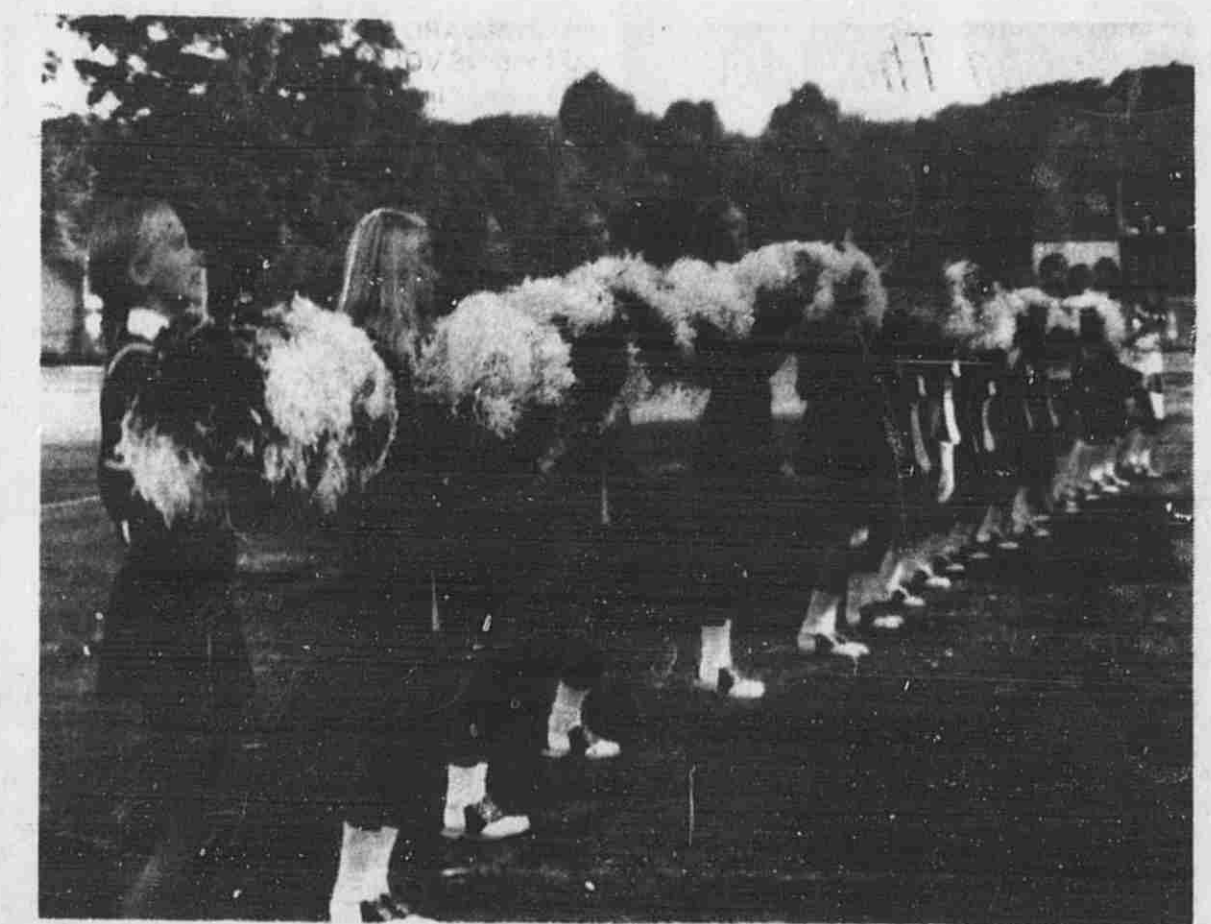
DATE	OPPONENT	SITE
Sept. 14	Jenison	Home
Sept. 19	Newhall	Away
Sept. 26	Kelloggville	Home
Oct. 3	Forest Hills Northern	Away
Oct. 10	Godwin	Home
Oct. 17	Wyoming Park	Away
Oct. 24	Zeeland	Home
Oct. 31	Kenowa Hills	Home

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE
Sept. 6	G. R. Christian	Johnson Park
Sept. 10	East Kentwood	Johnson Park
Sept. 12	Kenowa Hills-S. Christian	Johnson Park
Sept. 16	South Christian	Johnson Park
Sept. 19	Kelloggville	Johnson Park
Sept. 26	Forest Hills Northern	Johnson Park
Sept. 30	Godwin	Johnson Park
Oct. 3	Wyoming Park	Johnson Park
Oct. 10	Zeeland	Johnson Park
Oct. 14	Kenowa Hills	Johnson Park
Oct. 17	OK Make-up Jenison	Johnson Park
Oct. 23	OK Conference Meet	Johnson Park
Oct. 24	OK Make-up	Johnson Park
Oct. 26	Regionals	
Nov. 2	State	

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE
Sept. 9	Forest Hills North-Godwin	At Godwin
Sept. 10	Rogers	Away
Sept. 11	Kenowa Hills-S. Christian	At S. Christian
Sept. 13	East Kentwood	Away
Sept. 16	Zeeland	Home
Sept. 18	Wyoming Pk-Kelloggville	At Kelloggville
Sept. 19	OK Make-up	Away
Sept. 20	Jenison	Away
Sept. 23	Godwin-F.H. Northern	At Northern
Sept. 24	Comstock Park	Home
Sept. 25	Kenowa Hills-S. Christian	Home
Sept. 26	Make-up	Away
Sept. 30	Zeeland	Away
Oct. 1	G. R. Christian	Away
Oct. 2	Wyoming Pk-Kelloggville	Home
Oct. 3	OK Make-up	Away
Oct. 4	OK Conference Meet	Away
Oct. 8	Grandville Tournament	Away
Oct. 12	Regional	
Oct. 19	State	

SWITCHBOARD SEARCHES FOR PHONE VOLUNTEERS

Switchboard Inc., Grand Rapids' 24-hour telephone help line is in desperate need of new volunteers to help answer our phones. So once again they are offering a free training course September 27 to October 5, for persons in the community willing to make a three month commitment of one three hour shift per week to answer the phones.



Getting in practice for the fall sports season are members of the cheerleading squads at Lowell Area Schools. The girls, adorned in their colorful red and white uniforms, were on hand to meet the teams last Thursday night.

Arrows To Face Ionia In Trophy Game Friday

Al Rowe's Red Arrow gridders will take to the field this Friday night, September 13, in their 1974 season opener against non-conference foes, Ionia.

At stake in the game will be the coveted V.F.W. traveling trophy. Lowell will try to retain permanent possession of the trophy which they have won for the past two years. A team must win the trophy three years in a row before permanent possession can be taken.

The trophy game will be played this year at Ionia, with the first kick-off to be made at 7:30 p.m.

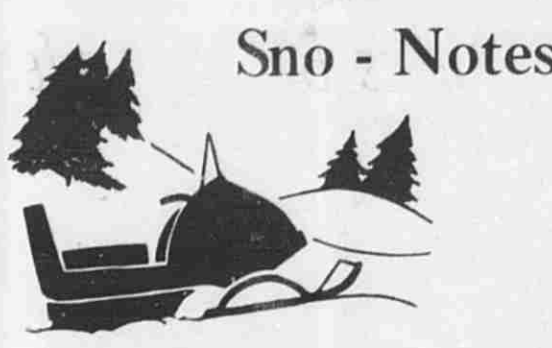
When Tri-River action gets underway for the Arrows on September 20, the 1973 conference champions will be playing for a repeat performance. Last year, they were undefeated, nearly shutting out all of their conference and non-conference challengers.

Five home games and four away are on schedule for the Arrows this year; only two games will be played against non-conference teams—Ionia and Forest Hills Northern.

"We're still not the biggest team in the Tri-River League," Rowe commented, "but we have the power, ability, and enthusiasm that it takes to make a winning team."

Working with several returning lettermen, and trying to fill the vacancies left by graduating seniors, Rowe has been depending heavily on several upcoming sophomores and juniors who will provide the backbone of stability for this year's squad.

"After Friday night's encounter against Ionia, we'll be able to get a better picture of where improvements will have to be made," Rowe emphasized. "From there, we'll put together the team we hope can win us another championship for Lowell."



The Forest Hills Sno-mobile Association will hold their first general membership meeting for the 1974-75 season on September 19, at 8 p.m. in their clubhouse on Ada Drive.

After the business meeting, the Sno-members will kick off the new year with a "Wine Tasting Party". There will be a short film and lecture by Henry A. Fox Sales Inc., of Grand Rapids.

The West Michigan Snowmobile Council will present their annual Sno-Expo for 1974 on September 26, 27 and 28, at the Grand Valley Armory on 44th Street in Grand Rapids.

On display will be the new machines, a show of snow fashions, and fun for the entire family.

Snowmobile Club members and guests, come one, come all. To the biggest pancake breakfast this fall. A buck and a quarter will get you a seat. It's up to you how much you eat. Pancakes and syrup, oh, so sweet. Topped off with fresh eggs and tasty meat. So be there Sunday, so we can go! Attend the meeting and be sure to vote.

Youth Bowling Program Starts

The Lowell YMCA sponsored youth bowling program is scheduled to start this Saturday, September 14, at the Lowell American Legion Lanes. The following schedule will be in effect:

GRADE SCHOOL LEAGUE—5th grade and below, boys and girls—Meet every Saturday morning at 10 a.m. Two games are rolled—Cost: Y-members 90¢, Non-members \$1.00.

MIDDLE SCHOOL LEAGUE—6th, 7th and 8th grade boys and girls—Meets every Saturday at 12 noon. Three games are rolled—Cost: Y-members \$1.30, Non-members \$1.40.

SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE—9th thru 12th grade, boys and girls—Meets every Saturday at 2 p.m. Three games are rolled. Cost: Y-members, \$1.30, Non-members, \$1.40.

All costs include shoe rental.

The above leagues are for boys and girls that have had prior bowling experience. Beginners or inexperienced bowlers should contact the "Y" office (897-7375) for information on the beginners classes being offered.

BITS O' BUSINESS

Catalytic converters to be installed on all 1975 model cars to reduce pollution will increase the cost of the vehicles by from \$100 to \$150. However, the converters are expected to save motorists money by improving gas mileage about 15 percent. A bright spot in the nation's economic picture is the manufacturing industry. Both the flow of new orders and the backlog of unfilled orders have been rising.

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Sports

Lowell Downs Portland Wins Tri-County Title

It was all Lowell in the play-offs Sunday, September 8, as they beat Portland 7 to 1 to wrap up the Tri-County League Championship at Lowell.

Lincoln and Hawley held Portland to six hits and the lone run, while striking out 6, with Hawley picking up the win in relief as Lincoln left with a sore arm in the third while they were leading 3 to 0.

Lowell scored first in the second, taking a 3 to 0 lead, on a lead-off triple by Bosworth, an error, a walk and a 2-out double by Mgr. Al Baird that knocked in the eventual winning runs. Portland scored their only run in the 4th on a walk, a hit and a wild pitch.

Lowell got that back in the bottom of the 4th on a single by Shirey, a walk and an error. They wrapped it up in the 6th on base hits by Kim Wurm, Shirey and a 2-out home run by Craig Wurm that barely eluded the diving Portland infielder. That was the ball game as Hawley held Portland hitless the final 3 innings.

Pete Schneider had 2 hits for Portland and Shirey had 2 for Lowell.

Line score: Lowell—7 runs, 7 hits, 3 errors. Portland—1 run, 6 hits, 3 errors. Winning pitcher—Hawley, Losing pitcher—Hoopman.

PP & K Participants Urged To Sign-Up

Local youngsters awaiting the annual Punt, Pass & Kick season will soon be sharpening their punting, passing and kicking skills. PP&K registration has begun in the Lowell area.

The program, which is co-sponsored by the National Football League and the Ford Dealers of America, has registered more than 10 million youngsters over the past 13 years, making it the largest youth activity of its kind in America.

This season, the Punt, Pass and Kick contest expects to attract more than 1,200,000 registrants.

Any local youngster 8 through 13 years of age, accompanied by a parent or guardian, may register at Killmaster Ford, 11979 East Fulton Road, Lowell. There is no entrance fee.

Participants compete only against others in their own age group. No special equipment is required and there is no body contact. Also, participation does not impair a youngster's amateur standing.

When a youngster registers, he or she is given a free PP&K Tips Book by the sponsoring Ford Dealer.

This booklet includes a complete set of rules, helpful conditioning exercises and important punting, passing and place-kicking tips by outstanding professionals.

For additional information and registration, all Lowell area youth are urged to see George Killmaster at Killmaster Ford.

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Arrive Ada:	9:55 a.m.	1:55 p.m.	8:30 p.m.	1:55 a.m.	
Kentwood:	10:10 a.m.				
Wyoming:	10:15 a.m.				
Grand Rapids:	10:30 a.m.	2:10 p.m.	8:50 a.m.	2:20 a.m.	
RETURNING					
Leave G. R.:	8:00 a.m.	9:40 a.m.	2:40 a.m.	7:30 p.m.	
Wyoming:	8:15 a.m.	9:55 a.m.	2:48 p.m.	7:38 p.m.	
Kentwood:	8:30 a.m.	10:10 a.m.	3:00 p.m.	7:50 p.m.	
Ada:	8:45 a.m.	10:25 a.m.	3:15 p.m.	8:05 p.m.	
Arrive Lowell:	9:25 a.m.	10:10 a.m.	3:30 p.m.	8:20 p.m.	
TO TOLEDO					
Leave Lowell:	10:10 a.m.	3:30 p.m.	8:20 p.m.		
Arrive Ionia:	10:25 a.m.	3:45 p.m.	8:45 a.m.		
Lansing:	11:30 a.m.	4:45 p.m.	9:35 p.m.		
East Lansing:	11:50 a.m.	5:10 p.m.	9:55 p.m.		
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Lansing:	8:15 a.m.	1:15 p.m.	7:55 a.m.	1:25 a.m.	
Ionia:	9:40 a.m.	1:40 p.m.	8:15 p.m.	1:45 a.m.	
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Navy Seaman Recruit Rick D. Sorensen, son of Mrs. S. Sorensen of 1302 Laurie Gail, Lowell, graduated from recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Illinois. He is scheduled to report to Gunner's Mate A School, Sorensen's training included instruction in seamanship, military regulations, fire fighting, close order drill, first aid and Navy history.

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Sixth Annual Arts And Crafts Festival

The West Central Michigan Historical Society announces its Sixth Annual Arts and Crafts Festival which will be held at Fallsburg Park Pavilion on Saturday and Sunday, October 12th and 13th from 9:30 a.m. till dusk each day.

This should be the peak time for Autumn coloration in this quaint, historic area on Flat River about four miles north of Lowell.

The works of several of Michigan's outstanding artists and craftsmen will be on display, some will be demonstrating and explaining the artistry of their creations.

The rapidly growing interest in purchasing original art as an investment will make this event a must for potential buyers. A portion of all sales will benefit the Historical Society treasury. (A non-profit organization).

There will also be a display of historic artifacts at the Old Fallsburg Country School about one half mile east of the Historic Fallsburg Covered Bridge, which is now over 100 years old.

There will be no admission charges—bring the family and enjoy a day of cultural relaxation in this enchanting atmosphere of Early America. Lunches will be available on the grounds.

Entry forms for those desiring exhibit space are available from Doris Myers Beauty Salon, 512 E. Main Street, Lowell; Mrs. Lenora Tower, 1043 Lincoln Lake Avenue, Lowell and Mrs. Erna Richmond, 4764 Briggs Road, Lowell, Mich. 49331.

Services Conducted For Helen Lucille Tidd, 63

Helen Lucille Tidd, aged 63, of 924 North Hudson Street, Lowell, passed away September 7 at her home. She is survived by her brother, Thurston, of Lowell; and two nephews, Gary of Grand Rapids and Victor of Lowell.

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at the Ruth-Genst Chapel with the Rev. Dean Bailey officiating. Interment Oakwood Cemetery.

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NOTICE OF FILING OF PETITION FOR REFERENDUM ON SALE OF SPIRITS FOR CONSUMPTION ON PREMISES IN ADDITION TO BEER AND WINE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that petitions have been filed with the Bowne Township Clerk requesting the submission of the question of sale of spirits on the premises in Bowne Township, Kent County, Michigan, in addition to beer and wine.

FURTHER, that said petitions bear the signatures by registered and qualified electors of Bowne Township of upwards of 35% of the total number of votes cast for all candidates for the office of Secretary of State in Bowne Township at the last general election held for such purpose.

FURTHER, that pursuant to Section 56 of the Michigan Liquor Control Act (Act 8, 1933 as amended), such question shall be submitted by ballot at the general state election to be held in Bowne Township, Kent County, Michigan, on November 5, 1974, in the following form:

"Shall the sale of spirits in addition to beer and wine for consumption on the premises within the Township of Bowne, Kent County, Michigan, under the provisions of the law governing same?

YES ()
NO ()

Evelyn Smith, Bowne Township Clerk

Letters to the Editor

Dear Lowellites:

Now that I'm back in Lowell, I'd like to thank everyone who supported Youth For Understanding throughout the year, and tell you about what a great time I had living in France this summer.

My home was an apartment in an eastern suburb of Paris named Gagny. My family consisted of my mother, Francoise, 35, Eric, 14, and Nathalie, 10. My mother worked nearby as an engineer in a ceramic tile factory, but most of the people in the neighborhood committed to Paris by train and worked as sewers or cutters in clothing factories.

I met a lot of really nice kids my age around our area and I would spend time with them going to parks, doing the shopping or they would take me to Paris on the train. Everyone I met was really nice to me and they're so generous, thinking of the other person, not themselves.

Almost every day in July it rained for a short while and a person always needed a sweater or jacket; it was almost like our fall.

The last three weeks were spent vacationing in Corsica, an island in the Mediterranean, about 100 miles south of the French Riviera. The geography of Corsica is of very rocky terrain, a dry, hot climate like that of Africa—and many cork pine and chestnut trees. Also, many species grow wild all over the island, such as thyme and rosemary and Orange. The Corsican harvest lemons, oranges, olives, pistachios and pineapples; although most of the Corsicans I knew were fishermen or shopkeepers.

We camped in an olive orchard about five miles away from Ile-Rousse, a port town about half the size of Lowell and every day we would go to the beach there. Eric, my brother, would catch fish, sea urchins, octopus, little crabs and snails.

Let me just say again that I want to thank everyone who made this trip possible and I think it's a great experience everyone should have the chance to do.

Mes regards
Carol Doyle

Order Fertilizer Now For Fall, Spring Needs

Get your fertilizer order in now for fall and spring needs. That's the advice a farmer from B. Dale Ball, director of the Michigan Department of Agriculture.

Fertilizer shortages cropped up throughout the state in the current season, Ball reminded, and he said it appears that supplies may even be tighter for the 1975 season.

Michigan's fertilizer woes are even more serious than the national picture would indicate, said Ball, as Michigan is far from the production source of most farm fertilizer. "In addition to national shortages that will affect all of agriculture, Michigan has the added disadvantage of being at the end of the line for bulk shipment of fertilizers, produced mainly in the South," Ball added. "And our rail transportation woes are well known."

Many factors, including agriculture's efforts to increase food production, have contributed to the tight fertilizer supply, Ball said. But of critical effect is the fact that natural gas is the primary feedstock for nitrogen fertilizer, and the energy crunch has been acute in the fertilizer industry.

All this adds up to another tight situation for Michigan food production. Farmers should order their needs for 1975 now, place fertilizer orders as soon as possible, and accept delivery if storage is available.

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On Saturday and Sunday, September 21 and 22 the Scouts will go on an overnight camping trip to Camp Gay-lon. They will leave the Cascade Church at 8:30 Saturday morning.

Nancy Kehoe



Leaving Lowell

After being in business on Lowell's West Main Street for the past two years, Annie Varn and Needlecraft Shop will move to a new location September 15. Annie Varn, owner of the Shop, will move her business to 6400-28th St. S.E., across from the D & W Shopping Center, a little closer to home.

At the new location, Annie will still specialize in yarn and needlecraft supplies and invites her Lowell patrons and friends to stop and visit her often.

SCOUTING NEWS

Boy Scout Troop 102, sponsored by the First United Methodist Church of Lowell has begun its weekly fall meetings.

Meeting on Mondays from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m., the Scouts assemble at the Boy Scout cabin at the North end of North Washington Street.

All boys, ages 11-18, are invited to join the troop for scouting activities.

The Cub Scout Pack of Cascade Christian Church is open to all boys ages eight through 10.

Cubmaster David Pickard, 942-3340, would like to hear from all interested boys.

The first meeting of the year will be Tuesday, September 24, with registration at 7 p.m. in the Centennial Hall of the Church.

Scout Master Lance Molander of the Cascade area, has issued a call for Boy Scouts to join the group sponsored by the Cascade Christian Church.

Those wishing to know about the Scouting program should call Mr. Molander at 949-8189.

A registration of new scouts will be made between 7 o'clock and 8:30 p.m., in Centennial Hall on September 16.

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Former South Boston Resident Passes At 88

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gardner, Mrs. June Fahmi and Mrs. Jack Pasanen attended the funeral for Arthur Fletcher, 88, at Royal Oak Friday, September 6.

Mr. Fletcher spent his early years in the South Boston community and was the son of the late Levi and Katharine Fletcher.

The pastor of the First Presbyterian Church officiated at the funeral service, with interment in Oakview Cemetery.

Mr. Fletcher is survived by his wife, Delia, and one son, William, and one daughter, Barbara, both of Oklahama.

VERGENNES TOWNSHIP ORDINANCE

An Ordinance to designate an enforcing agency to discharge the responsibilities of the Township of Vergennes under the provisions of the State Construction Code Act.

The Township of Vergennes ordains:

Sec. 1. Agency Designated. Pursuant to the provisions of Sec. 9 of Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1972, the building official of the Township of Vergennes is hereby designated as the enforcing agency to discharge the responsibilities of the Township of Vergennes under Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1972, State of Michigan. The Township of Vergennes hereby assumes responsibility for the administration and enforcement of said Act throughout its corporate limits.

Sec. 2. All Ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This Ordinance shall be effective after legal publication and in accordance with provisions of the Act governing same.

Adopted September 9, 1974.

This Ordinance duly adopted on September 9, 1974, at a regular meeting of the Vergennes Township Board and will become effective on October 9, 1974.

Date: September 10, 1974. Irene Osborne, Clerk Vergennes Township

BIRTHS

Capt. and Mrs. Duane Mayou of Killeen, Texas, announce the birth of a baby daughter, Billie Jo, born August 31, at 7:48 a.m., weighing 7 lbs., 6 oz. and 19 inches long.

Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gross and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hemmings. Mrs. Mayou is the former Marian Watrous of Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnson of Lowell announce the birth of a son, Adam Andrew, weighing 8 lbs., 7 oz., on Sunday, September 8, at Butterworth Hospital.

Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Glen Miller, Sr. of Lowell and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnson, Sr. of Grand Rapids.

Mr. Fletcher is survived by his wife, Delia, and one son, William, and one daughter, Barbara, both of Oklahama.

LEGAL NOTICES

NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION ACTION (Under Authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended) RUFFED GROUSE HUNTING REGULATIONS FOR 1974

The Natural Resources Commission, at its meeting on June 7, 1974, under authority of Secs. 1, 2, 3, and 4, Act 230, P.A. 1925 (pp. 78-80) of Laws Relating to Natural Resources, revision of 1972) took the following action regarding hunting areas, season dates and bag limits for the hunting of ruffed grouse, statewide, for 1974:

- Rescinded the December closure on ruffed grouse in those portions of Gratiot and Saginaw counties bounded on the north by Highway M-46, on the east by M-52, on the south by M-87, and on the west by U.S. 27.
- Closed the reduced area in the Gratiot-Saginaw State Game Area as follows: For a period of two years beginning September 1, 1974, no person shall hunt, take, or attempt to take ruffed grouse in December in that part of Gratiot County bounded on the north by Washington Road, on the east by the Division-DuSable County line, on the south by Highway M-91, and on the west by Ransom Road.

OPEN SEASONS:

Zone 1: September 15 through November 14, December 1-31.

Zone 2: September 15 through November 16; December 1-31.

Zone 3: October 21 through November 14; December 1-31, except in that portion of Gratiot County bounded on the north by Washington Road, on the east by Highway M-87, and on the west by Ransom Road, where the season will be open from October 21 through November 14 only.

BAG LIMITS, STATEWIDE: 5 a day, 10 in possession, 28 in season, c22-24



FOR SALE MISCELL

CHOPPERS—John Deere model 38 forage blower with pipe. Self unloading wagon. Fox chopper with corn head. All will be sold at bargain prices. Marler Implement, Caledonia, Mich. Ph. 891-8188. c23

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FOR SALE—1961 Chevrolet Wagon, was running, make offer. 1962 Volkswagen for parts, \$180. 1963 Volkswagen, slight repair needed, \$175. Sears Space-Saver Oil furnace, about 140,000 BTU, just cleaned, some fittings, tubing and thermostat. Also tank full of fuel, \$50. Hollow body guitar with pickup, nice \$65. Kova 35 mm. camera with automatic flash and light meter, nice, \$75. Cash or trade for what have you, deal 897-4151. c23-24

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IN MEMORIAM

HUCKLEBEURY—In loving memory of our dear Mother and Grandmother, Nina J. Hucklebury, who went to be with her Lord, 5 years ago today, September 10, 1969.

She parted from this world of pain, But only died to live again. We loved her, oh, no tongue can tell, How much we loved her, and how well. God loved her too, And thought it best, To take her home, With him to rest.

Sadly missed by her Children and Grandchildren

p23

In loving memory of Marion Stauffer who passed away three years ago, September 13.

Emerson & Mildred Stauffer

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

JACKPOT BINGO—Starting Sunday, September 15, 5 p.m. until 9 p.m.—second floor of the Moose Club. c23-24

THE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rummage Bin, below Dr. Reagan's Office, West Main, Lowell, will collect used articles—something new added each week. c45f

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The Lansing Square Dance Federation has grown from 32 clubs in 1969 to 50 at the present, of which Lowell is a member.

For ten weeks, starting Monday, September 16, 7 until 9:30 p.m., the Adult Education program in Lowell will give anyone interested a chance to join this activity.

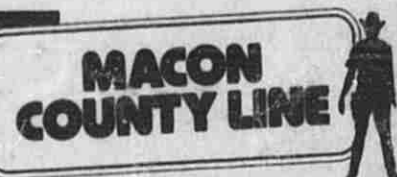
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Lowell Club Prepares For National Business Women's Week

In preparation for National Business Women's Week, which is October 20 thru 26, the Lowell Business and Professional Women's Club held their first progress meeting. This meeting covered preliminary details, and selected committees for a luncheon to be held during National Business Women's Week.

The general chairwomen for this luncheon which will honor all working women, are Ilah Melle, president, and Dolores Laux, vice-president of the Lowell Business Professional Women's Club.

All employed women of the Lowell area will be invited to join in this celebration to be held Wednesday, October 23, at the Lowell American Legion Hall.

The Lowell Business & Professional Women's Club has a very active year planned. The first regular meeting will be held at the home of Dolores Laux, 1170 Grindle Drive, September 23, at 8 o'clock. Guests are invited to hear our speaker, a representative of Old Kent Bank, who will speak on wills and trusts.

We will also welcome Mary Pennock of Hastings who is District Director of the 13 clubs that make up District IV. Mary will be there to fill us in on the latest B & P W happenings of the State Federation.

We are especially interested in the plans of the motorcade which will be traveling from Mackinaw City during National Business Women's Week, and will culminate with a banquet on Saturday night in Lansing.

Reservations are also being taken to attend the Fall District Meeting October 12, in Rockford. If interested, please call the Program Chairman, Dolores Laux.

SOUTH BOSTON OLD-TIMERS GET-TOGETHER SEPTEMBER 15

The Old Timers of South Boston will meet Sunday, September 15, at the Clarksville Fire Barn. Potluck dinner will be at 1 p.m. Drinks will be furnished. Bring a dish to pass and own service.

All former old timers, as well as present old timers, are cordially invited. Let's have a good crowd and renew old acquaintances.

ABOVE THE BOARD Board Promises Decision On Use Of Football Field

Area athletic teams that are not strictly school programs came in for a share of the Lowell Board of Education's time Monday night.

Leery board members listened to a request from Jack Butterworth, head of Thornapple Valley Little League Football, for use of the High School Stadium to give the eight through 12-year-olds a chance to play under the local lights this season.

On the surface the request appeared reasonable as Butterworth stated that the field is only used 13 times every year by school teams and should be made available to serve as added incentive to the young boys coming up.

The board's present policy of making school facilities available to the community whenever possible gives added impetus to the field's use by the Little Leaguers.

Past Problem

However, Head High School Football Coach, Al Rowe, and Athletic Director Bob Perry are still smarting over the field's mis-use a few years back when unusually rainy weather was playing havoc with normal usage and yet Thornapple brought teams from Forest Hills, Caledonia and Middleville, when they were refused admission on their fields, to play nine mud-spattered games in one day on the local gridiron.

Butterworth was not involved with the program at that time and he assured members of the board that it would never happen under the present set-up.

The board's main hang-up seemed to be that even though the team plays in tennis shoes and the heaviest man is limited to 123 pounds, if they play in wet weather it could still expensively damage the turf. If given permission to use the field, the on-the-spot decision to play or not to play in case of poor weather could result in hard feelings on the part of the many parents who follow the team and would possibly do more harm to school-community relations than outright refusal in the first place.

Promise Decision

Although the board likes the idea of its facilities being used as much as possible to benefit all residents of the school district, it did not decide one way or another but the decision was promised this week so that Thornapple can complete its game scheduling.

Alto's Jack Harkness lost no time this year in making what he thought was an early plea for some financial support for Lowell's young hockey team. Since Monday was the night for public hearing on the proposed school budget, the budget has been at least temporarily allocated and President Richard Siegle was not overly enthusiastic about changing it so soon.

Excellent Program

Dr. Siegle did say, however, that he recognized the merits of the program and at his suggestion the request for \$1,800 was turned over to Athletic Director Perry to see if he could come up with at least part of the funds.

Harkness, who coaches the team simply for the pure love of hockey, reminded the board of the young squad's successful season last year and added that local attendance viewing the contests grew from 25 for the first match to over 600 per game near the end of the season.

This year's balanced budget was announced at \$3,410,055 and the current enrollment, although projected to be up 45, is actually up between 60 to 80. If the increase in students remains through the fourth Friday State Enrollment report, then the board will receive approximately \$31,000 more than the budget expected.

The board went on record approving a proposal to establish a Special Education Regional District, whereby, if approved by other schools in the Kent Intermediate School district, then regional directors will be hired by the County to work more closely with fewer schools. The advantages are obvious, the board felt, in that there will be better follow-up at the county level, more stability of county personnel, and more time devoted to the individual district.

The up-coming football field dedication in honor of former coach Chris Burch, is set for the first Varsity home game, September 27. The response to the program planning has exceeded the original committee's expectations and it should be a community event long remembered, board members were told by Assistant Superintendent Don Kelly.

FORD ASKS \$850,000 FOR NIXON EXPENSES

President Ford has asked Congress to provide \$850,000 in special expenses and pension for former President Richard M. Nixon until the end of next June. After June, which is the end of the current financial year, Mr. Nixon will receive his full \$60,000 pension and \$96,000 expenses every year.

Alto Garden Club To Tour Gardens September 18

Members of the Alto Garden Club will meet at the Alto United Methodist Church, Wednesday, September 18 at 10 a.m.

The day's program will start off with a tour of several flower gardens. The ladies will then return to the church where lunch will be served.

During the afternoon's business meeting, Mrs. Mildred Stauffer will conduct a notebook workshop; all members are to bring all the materials for their notebooks.

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PROJECT REHAB—Every Tuesday, 1 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

PROFESSIONAL COUNSELING—Every Thursday 1 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

KENT COUNTY HEALTH DEPT.—IMMUNIZATIONS—2nd & 4th Monday of the Month, 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

DEPT. OF SOCIAL SERVICE—Caseworker, In Service Workers Wednesday 9 a.m. to 12 Noon.

FOOD STAMP CERTIFIER—1st & 3rd Tuesday of the Month 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

CONCENTRATED EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM—Job Counseling, Training and Placement. Call Center for appointment 897-8485 or stop in anytime, 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

GVSC COUNSELOR—Every Tuesday, 1 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Viking Executives Discuss Current Food Situation

John Jones, acting in the absence of the Club President Arnold Wittenbach, conducted the September 4 meeting of the Lowell Rotary Club.

Ringling the Rotary Bell, with the authority of a confident leader, Mr. Jones called on various club members to assist with the meeting. Dean Bailey was asked to lead in prayer, Bob Kyser and David Coons to lead in singing, and Rommie Moore to read the club minutes.

Rotarians bringing guests were King Doyle, bringing Dennis Hulme, and Phil Johnson had his brother, Lyle Johnson.

Highlighting the singing was an old favorite "Grandfathers' Clock" with Lee Lampkin supplying the "tick tocks" in the chorus.

Program Chairman, Phil Johnson, introduced Edwin Sagan, Buyer and Merchandise Director of Viking Food Stores. Also on the program was George Lindrup, President of the Viking Co.

Mr. Sagan discussed the current food situation in America. He said that one reason for the high costs of food is that production has either decreased or not increased enough to meet the demand. For example, the oil producing countries of the middle east, with their billions, are competing for food staples such as sugar. Thus with many countries, throughout the world, now financially able to compete for the available goods and products, the price has been forced up.

The speaker complimented Phil Johnson, of Johnson's Market, and said that small town businessmen are well known for their courteous service.

College Roster

Albion College—Kristine Bishop, Ted Banta, Karl Yost.

Bethany College (Bethany, W. Va.)—Julie Shearer.

Calvin College—John Thorington, Dan Ellinger.

Central Michigan University—Steven Banta, Randy Bell, Janel Belding, Charles Kimmel, Tom Clark, Pat Comrie, Craig Chandler, Christian Theological Seminary (Indianapolis, Indiana)—David Van Heyningen.

Ferris State University—Tom Gaskell, Sharon Davenport, Grand Rapids Junior College—Karen Fulscher, Shirley Kingsland, Marcia Stiles, Terri DeBoer, Pat DeBoer, Bonnie Leach, Diane Avra, Jill Chandler, Nancy Redd, Douglas Semon.

Grand Valley State College—Cindia Andrews, Juanita Gingrich, Rusty Steffens. Hillsdale College—Terry Walker.

Hope College—Mari Jo VanKeulen, Kerry VanKeulen, Sara Gaylord, David Banta, Mark Anderson. Marion College (Marion, Indiana)—Howard Webster.

Michigan State University—Tom Cribley, Jacie Folkertsma, Jan Folkertsma, Connie Masten, Woody Palmer, Paula Gessner, Laura Adler, Linda Adler, Deanna Johnson, Tim Op't Holt, Elizabeth Hayes (Medical School), Lee Scott.

Michigan Technology University—George Teachman, Lisa Dole, Charles Rogers. Northern Michigan College (Petoskey, Mi.)—Jacquelyn Kimmel. Northwestern College (Traverse City, Mi.)—Brian Bishop, Vicki Vanderploeg.

Northwestern University Medical School (Evanston, Illinois)—Thomas W. Luck. Randolph-Macon Woman's College (Lynchburg, Virginia)—Molly Blanton.

University of Idaho—John Price. University of Iowa—Pam Burns. University of Illinois School of Law—Richard Palmer.

University of Michigan—Marlene Davenport, Brian Comrie (Dental School), Western Michigan University—Barbara Masten, Kimberly Preston, Joyce Anderson.

Gunshot Wound Fatal To Lowell Woman

Funeral services were conducted at the Roth-Gerst Funeral Home of Lowell Monday afternoon for Mrs. Patricia E. Kincaid of 14209 Grand River Drive, Lowell.

Mrs. Kincaid, 37, died of an apparently self-inflicted gunshot wound about 11 p.m., September 6, according to deputies from the Kent County Sheriff's Department.

She was pronounced dead at the scene by Kent County Medical Examiner, Dr. Ramon B. Lang.

Besides her husband, William, she leaves a daughter, Sandra; a son, William, jr.; five brothers, James, Robert, John, Gerald and Paul Gendron, all of Detroit; and two sisters, Mrs. Hazel Lawler of Detroit and Mrs. Margaret Buckler of Texas.

Girl's Clubs Motto Is 'Give Service'

Adventurers, Discovery Club and Horizon Club are all part of the Camp Fire Girl program. Our motto is "Give Service." We also have fun cooking out, taking bike hikes, camping, bowling, restaurant parties, etc.

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