

Footsteps For Burns Walk This Saturday

It's been a month long campaign, but the Lowell Area Jaycees are ready for the "Footsteps For Burns" Walkathon to be held this Saturday, May 10, providing the weather cooperates.

If there is rain, the walk will still take place. In case of high winds, hail or tornado warnings, the walk will be the following Saturday, May 17.

be the following Saturday, May 17. The project, which will raise funds to aid burn victims, will see walkers stride over a 25-mile pre-laid course which angles north of Lewell and back to the starting point at Recreation Park on South Hudson Street.

Ninety percent of the funds raised during Saturday's walk will be distributed to the burn unit in Grand Rapids, with the balance being forwarded to the National Institute For Burn Medicine.

"If the weather cooperates," project chairman Don Sheffer explained, "we should have over 1,500 walkers. The sponsor sheets are out, and the walkers have been working diligently to get their family and friends to pledge a monetary amount for every mile they walk."

Sheffer and his co-chairman, Scott Gietzen have been a busy duo this past month visiting area schools informing the students on the facts that more than two million Americans are burned every year; more than 750,000 are hospitalized with burns; and more than 12,000 persons (at least 3,000 are children) die each year from burns.

Their presentation to the students, civic organizations, clubs, and governmental units has been aided by a film "A Fighting Chance" about the burn problem, which is narrated by George C. Scott.

which is narrated by George C. Scott: "If there is anyone who has any last minute questions concerning the walk," Sheffer added "they can contact me by calling 897-8071."

"Starting time Saturday is around 8 a.m.," Sheffer concluded, "however all walkers must pre-register at 7 a.m.

Two young men, experienced in long distance running, will be 'running' the 'walkathon' this Saturday and hope to make the 25 mile trip in 3½ hours. Steve Start, a Lowell Eberhard's Store employee,

and Ray VanderMeer of Grandville, are being sponsored by the Lowell Eberhard employees and the Eberhard Food Stores, respectively. VanderMeer participated in the Boston Marathon race last year.

Postal Exams Being Offered In Lowell

The United States Postal Service announces an examination for clerk and carrier positions in the post office at Lowell. Applications are now being accepted, and examinations will be given to establish a register of eligibles.

No experience is required. All applicants will be required to take a written examination designed to test aptitude for learning and performing the duties of the position.

Clerks will work indoors, and must be able to handle sacks of mail weighing as much as 70 pounds. They sort mail and distribute it by using a complicated scheme which must be memorized. Some clerks work at a public counter or window doing such jobs as selling stamps and weighing parcels and are personally responsible for all money and stamps.

A postal clerk may be on his feet all day. He also has to stretch, reach and throw mail.

Carriers have to collect and deliver mail. Some carriers walk, others drive, and must be out in all kinds of weather. Almost all carriers have to carry mail bags on their shoulders: loads weigh as much as 35 pounds. Carriers sometimes have to load and unload sacks of mail weighing as much as 70 pounds.

The duties of newly appointed Clerks and Carriers are at times interchangeable. As representatives of the Postal Service, they must main an pleasant and effective public relations with patrons and others, requiring a general familiarity with postal laws, regulations and procedures commonly used.

procedures commonly used. The part-time flexible schedule for the postal positions has a starting salary of \$4.31 per hour with increases to \$5.26 per hour. The general age requirement is 18 to 16 years for high school graduates, except for those for whom age limits are waived. In general, there is no maximum age limit.

Lowell Postmaster Charles Doyle said persons interested in applying for the positions must submit applications to him before the closing date of May 20. Applicants will be notified of date, time and place of examination and will be sent sample questions.

Book Lending Mail Service Began May 1

The library will be as close as the mailbox for rural route boxholders in the northern one-third of Kent County and for any other county residents in some way unable to visit existing libraries starting on May 1. In order to serve areas which do not have established libraries or limited bookmobile service, the Kent County Library System announced today a book lend-

Variety Spices Council Agenda

Lowell City Council members disposed of Monday night's agenda with minimal discussion and giving unarimous approval to several proposals before turning their attention to listening to the concerns from some of the more than average number of citizens present at the meeting.

Council concurred with City Manager Blaine Bacon's recommendation to accept the bid of O. E. Bieri and Sons for the extension of 200 feet of sanitary sewer on Howard Street, west from Amity Street, at a cost of \$2,200. Bacon explained the price does not include resurfacing the street, but Mayor Carlen Anderson recommended having Bieri Bros. prepare the road with gravel in preparation for later black topping

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A figure of \$484.48 was approved to be used for reseeding, fertilizing and the purchase of some fencing at the airport. Manager Bacon said there had been funds budgeted for such maintenance.

Councilman Jim Hall received Council approval for a Showboat Corporation money-making project. Residents may have their house numbers painted on the



Door prize winners at Anderson Shoe Store's grand opening last week were: Janelle Marshall, ladies; Tom Goodyke, children's; and Bill Barber, men's. The three winners, all from Lowell, each won a pair of shoes...

The poppy, as the memorial flower for American war dead, is a tradition which began in the years following the first world war. "Poppy Days" in Lowell, conducted by the American Legion and V.F.W. Auxiliaries will be held May 15-17.

The Lowell Senior Center at 214 East Main Street is now a dispensing center for cancer pads, bandages, etc. . .

After the rush of an early Easter, florists, dress shops and greeting card stores in Lowell are preparing for another influx of customers. The occasion is Mother's Day which will be celebrated for the 67th time this Sunday, May 11...

The Lowell Area Jaycee's president, Dean E. Collins, has received a letter from Governor William G. Milliken acknowledging the Chapter's participating in Project Mainstream. The Governor writes: Please accept my personal support as you and your fellow Jaycees move forword in terms of helping your community to become an even better place in which to live ... Lowell Senior High School's Spring Band and Choral Concert will be given this Thursday night, May 8, 7 p.m. in the senior high gymnasium. The public is cordially invited to hear these young groups of fine musicians give an outstanding performance ... Street curbs which was felt might be a worthwhile service, but it will be strictly voluntary, Council was assured.

Dean Collins, from the Lowell Jaycees, present at the meeting, informed the Council that the paper drop at the Valley Vista Inn will no longer be available after May 17. The owners are expanding, Collins said, and will be needing the space. The Jaycees would like to find another site in order to accommodate residents in the disposal of newspapers-rather than having them become a greater burden on an already over-burdened solid waste disposal problem.

Even though there is no money in old newspapers at present, the Jaycees are interested in retaining the service for the benefit of the community. Anyone having a suggestion for a newspaper-drop location should contact Dean Collins, 897-9355.

Several residents on North Monroe Street who have recently experienced the unpleasant aftermath of having a sever back-up in their basements were present mainly to determine whether the City was taking steps to correct the situation. The City said it was.

David Harding, a salesman and Monroe Street resident, whose sewer backed up in January and again on April 16th, stated he said nothing about it the first time, but after the second time, having incurred some monetary loss in sample goods stored in his basement, said he felt he was due some restitution from the City.

It was explained the problem may be the result of the great amount of sewage emanating from Attwood Corporation and at times discharged in excessive quantity. Harding said whatever it was, "it ate the paint off the floor." Harding implied he probably would sue the City despite the receipt of a letter from the City's insurance carrier absolving the City of any neglect.

Several of 25-30 people present were there on behalf of the Kent County 4-H Youth Fair to reiterate their desire to keep the fair in Lowell and expressed the hope that any differences between the City and the Fair board would be worked out.

the Fair board would be worked out. Donald McPherson set a conciliatory tone in giving a brief history of the 4-H and spoke of the efforts of the many people through the years who were instrumental in making Lowell the site of the 4-H Fair for 40 years.

Art Warning presented Council petitions signed by members of the business community who wish to have the 4-H continue the traditional fair in this community.

The concensus of other remarks by Steve Wittenbach, Wayne Dowling and Gail Warning, contained the belief that with another effort to mediate, a solution mutually acceptable to all, could be found—"with a little give and take on both sides."

Ralph Townsend, of the House of Townsend, presented Council with signed petitions from the business men protesting the removal of Main Street parking and a request, by Art Warning, on behalf of Ball's Softee Creme, to tray a more lenient approach to the parking

'Beat The Teach' Night

The gymnasium at Lowell's Riverside School on North Monroe Street, will be bulging with activity (hilarious) this Thursday night, May 8, when an adventure that could set Volley Ball history will take place. The action that will begin at 7 p.m. will pit the Run-

The action that will begin at 7 p.m. will pit the Runciman-Riverside PTO parents against the teachers. This . is being planned as an annual endeavor, and is appropriately termed 'Beat The Teach' night.

A lack of uniforms by the PTO, has not cut into their enthusiasm, as they plan to appear in costumes of their own design. Word has it that one prominent businessman has his seamstress working on a ballerina gown, which should be an eye opener, or closer.

The volley ball game is destined to provide a night out for the entire family. Admission is adults 50 cents, childrer 25 cents, and those under five, free.

All of the students, whose parents will be trying to beat the teachers, are currently campaigning for the team of their choice.

Be there this Thursday night to be an eye witness, and congratulate the winning team.

Mystery Picture...



This week's mystery picture is identified elsewhere in this edition . . . search all the ads and news stories to find the answer if you don't already know who they are. ing by mail service began May 1. Kent County Library has prepared a catalog of paperback books which are available for check-out by mail. This catalog is to be mailed to boxholders on rural routes in Solon, Nelson, Spencer, Algoma, Courtland, Oakfield, Cannon, Grattan and Vergennes townshing

ships. Householders are being alerted that this Mail-A-Book catalog which should arrive next week is for a free service and not just another mailer for some sort of purchase.

The service may be used by all persons residing in the households which receive catalogs. Requests for books from the catalog are mailed to the KC Mailbox Library and the books requested are shipped back and forth between the library and the patron by mail. All costs of mailing are paid by the library.

Joyce Pleune, Director of the Kent County Library System, explained that the mail service was made possible by a \$20,000 federal grant administered by the State Library of Michigan.

Experiments by libraries in book check-out by mail have been tried for years, but it wasn't until the low price paperback book was available in a good selection of popular titles that the plan became feasible. Paperback book mail-order libraries were successfully tried in the United States as early as 1968 and the idea has gained popularity ever since. Miss Pleune said that the nationwide surge of inter-

Miss Pleune said that the nationwide surge of interest in the mail-order library concept was caused by several factors. The increased cost of books, of operating libraries, and of buying and operating bookmobiles together with the growing demand for library service by all segments of the population—all this has caused libraries to seek new and innovative ways to serve their patrons. Mailbox service fills the demand and does so at cost levels that can be met by the libraries.

Edna Schooley, Program Director, explained, "Because of irregular boundaries of postal routes, it has been impossible to deliver the Mail-A-Book catalogs strictly along county lines. So, if you receive a catalog, you may use this service, or if you receive a catalog and you have no use for the service, return it to your nearest library and it may be used by someone else."

In addition to rural boxholders, persons in any part of Kent County who are homebound for some reasonsuch as physical disability, lack of transportation, child care of pre-school children, family illness, institutionalized-are eligible for the free KC Mailbox Library according to Janet Jahns, Assistant KCL Director. "Call 456-4450 for a catalog to be sent to your home for the Mail-A-Book service if you're homebound," she said.

HISTORICAL SOCIETIES TO HOLD JOINT MEETING

The Cascade Historical Society will meet jointly with the Ada Historical Society on Tuesday, May 13, at 7:30 p.m.

Featured speaker will be Frank C. Wilhelme, Director of the Michigan Historical Society.

All area residents are invited to attend the meeting to be held in the Centennial Hall of Cascade Christian Church, 2800 Thornapple River Drive, S.E., in Cascade. The lowering of the Ada dam impoundment by the Thornapple River Association will be held this weekend, May T0 and 11, providing the weather and river conditions are right . . .

The Lowell Area Jaycee's paper drop, located at the Valley Vista Inn on West Main Street, will officially be closed May 17. Hold onto your papers, however, as another drop will be established when a new site, accessible to the public, can be found ...

A warrant was issued and an arrest made of Dale Miller, formerly of Kentwood, in connection with the breaking and entering of a house trailer in Vallcy Vista Trailer Park, two weeks ago. He was arraigned in the 63rd District Court where he demanded examination. Bond was set at \$5,000...

Lowell officers took a report of a hit and run accident at the Zephry Station on West Main. The vehicle hit a plate glass window and broke it out while leaving the station. The incident is under investigation . . .

A rear end collision at West Main and Amity Streets Saturday afternoon resulted in no personal injuries. Vehicles damaged in the mishap were driven by Nancy Christensen of Grand Rapids and John Schneider of Lake Odessa...

Five boys were arrested early Sunday morning on North Monroe Street for minors in possession of alcohol. All were released pending future Court action . . .

During the month of April, the Lowell Police Department investigated two property and three personal injury accidents. The year's total through April is 41...

COUNTY REVENUES UP, SAYS CENSUS BUREAU

Revenues collected by the nation's county governments during fiscal 1972-73 totaled \$27.5 billion, an increase of \$3.3 billion, or 13.7 percent, over the previous year's total, the Census Bureau reports.

County government expenditures totaled \$26.7 billicn that year, up 9.3 percent from the 1971-72 total of \$244 billion.

Public welfare, education, highways and hospitals, in that order, were the leading county functions in terms of expenditure for general government purposes and accounted for about 61 percent of the total.

SOME GOOD NEWS

Compared to other goods and services, automobile tires have been a good buy for consumers over the last five years, government figures show.

The Bureau of Labor Statistics reports the Consumer Price Index for all goods and services rose 37.52 percent from November 1969 to November 1974. During the same period, the bureau's tire price index moved up only 9.96 percent or a little over a fourth as much.

PETTIT BOAT PAINT-And boating supplies at 1969 prices. Williams Radio and TV. 126 N. Hudson, Lowell, Phone TW-79340. c51tf situation on North Jefferson.

Highway Projects To Start Soon

by Dave Barnes

Dates for the start of two major highway projects in the Lowell area, costing a total of \$487,572, have been set by Rieth-Riley Construction Co., Inc., of Battle Creek.

I. W. Samuelson, manager of the Grand Rapids area office of the firm, says resurfacing of 5.6 miles of M-66 between M-21 and M-44 at a cost of \$257,572 will be started about May 15 if there are no delays and it will take the firm 60 working days to complete.

will take the firm 60 working days to complete. He also states the \$230,000 project of M-21 between Saranac and the Ionia-Clinton County line will be started August 18, with 45 days stipulated for completion.

Improvements along the 21-mile section of M-21 include blacktopping three feet of the shoulders, joint repairs, resurfacing, some shoulder reconstruction, and building traffic control islands.

Two other major highway projects in the Lowell area, cn which bids will be advertised for, and opened later in the season, are the building of a four-lane, divided highway (M-21) between the East Beltline and Ada, and the blacktopping of M-21 from Ada through Lowell.

A minor project along M-21 between Ada and Lowell was the replacement of old guardrail with modern guardrail, completed last month at a cost of about \$17,000.

Bids Sought For Alto Postal Unit

The U. S. Postal Service is seeking bids for a new postal facility in Alto.

Bidders may offer either new construction or an existing building modified to Postal Service specifications. The site must contain approximately 12,350. square feet and the building an interior of 1,856 square feet. The site should be located in or adjacent to the central business district.

Bid documents are available from J. A. Adkins, Real Estate Specialist, Room 203, Main Port Office, Grand Rapids. Bids Close May 30, 1975.

MOTORCYCLIST INJURED

Pat Myers, 26, of 512 E. Main Street, was taken to Blodgett Hospital after his motorcycle went out of control last Saturday afternoon. Northbound on Lincoln Lake Avenue, Myers missed a curve, went off the roadway and traveled 112 feet before hitting a tree. He is reported to have sustained multiple fractures and lacerations.

ROSIE DR'VE INN-800 W. Main St., Lowell. This Week's Special: Fish & Fries, \$1.09. Yuesday night is family night, Wednesday night is Broasted Chicken night and Saturday night is Steak night.

Lowell Ledger-Suburban Life, May 8, 1975 **Special Services To** Feature Rev. Palmer

The Rev. John S. Palmer, a native of New Castle, Pennsylvania, who has served as a minister for over thirty-one years with the Assemblies of God Church. will be the guest speaker at special services to be held at the Lowell Assembly of God Church from May 10-14, and on Sunday, May 18.

During his pastorship, Rev. Palmer has served church-es in Meadville, Pennsylvania, where he pioneered the church; Windsor, Pennsylvania; Bloomsburg, Pennsylvan-

ia; and Wadsworth, Ohio. This past summer, he taught a short-term Bible course at Mid-America Teen Challenge (Drug and Alcohol Rehabilitation) Training Center, Cape Girardeau,

Missouri. Rev. Palmer's present evangelistic ministry is both preaching the word, and door-to-door canvassing pros-

pecting the unchurched. He is a graduate of Central Bible College, Springfield, Missouri, and Allegheny College, Meadville, Pennsylvania. While in Lowell, Rev. Palmer will speak nightly at

7 p.m. at the Assembly of God's temporary meeting quarters, the Lowell Senior High School Cheir Room at 750 Foreman Road. On Sundays he will speak at

11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Rev. Palmer will be speaking on Salvation For the Soul; Divine Healing For The Body; Baptism In the Holy Spirit; and The Second Coming Of Christ. The Rev. Kenneth Swet, pastor of the Lowell Church, cordially invites you and your family to worship with them on May 10-14 and May 18.

.... HAVING A GARAGE SALE? ADVER-TISE IT WITH AN "ECONOMY" LED-GER WANT AD. CALL 897-9261.



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Evening Service	6:00 p. m
Wednesday Service	7:30 p. m

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Hikers Clean-Up Littered Roadways



Sixty girls and leaders from Lowell and Grand Rapids took part in the Hike-a-thon sponsored by the Camp Fire Girls on Saturday, April 26. As they hiked from Main Street to the corner of Grindle Drive and Montcalm Avenue and back, they cleaned up litter from both sides of the road, thus helping to "Keep America Beautiful."

Pledges from sponsors will provide camperships for girls who need assistance in order to attend Camp Keewano or the area Day Camp programs offered by Camp

Blue Birds and Adventurers of Lowell may participate in the Day Camp to be held at Townsend Park June 16 through 20. Fees will be \$4 for the yourger girls and \$5 for the older.

Parents and friends are invited to attend the annual

First Baptist Church - Lowell

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Wednesday Training Hour

Word of Life

Woman's Club Spring Luncheon

The Woman's Club of Lowell will have their annual Spring Luncheon May-13, (note the change in date), at the First Congregational Church of Lowell at 10:45

The ladies will then board the "Y" bus and Rommie Moore will drive them to the Skill Center on the East Beltline, where they will enjoy a cafeteria lunch-eon, prepared and served by the students. A guided tour has been arranged to see what the students are

studying and learning. The officers for the ensuing year will be installed also at this time. Mrs. Moore has a few more Centennial Plates for any member who is interested. Five members attended the district meeting at Rock-

This sounds like a very interesting and fun trip and it is hoped all our members will attend. The Secretary, Mrs. Leonard Sinke, will accept reservations which should be in by May 9.

50th Open House To Honor Vere Howletts

Mr. and Mrs. Vere Howlett of Clarksville will observe their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, May 18, with an open house from 2-5 p.m. at Cunningham's Acre on M-50 west of Lake Odessa. Friends and relatives are cordially invited to attend.

The open house is being planned by the Howlett's daughters, Mrs. Bruce (Joyce) Alderink, Patricia How-lett, and Mrs. Robert (Rosemary) Kauffman.

VFW Auxiliary To

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Serving Ada, Alto, Cas-

The Lowell VFW auxiliaty will hold their regular meeting Thursday, May 2, at 8 p.m. The following newly elected officers will be install-ed. President, Frieda Hendrick; Senior Vice, Ollie Evans; Junior Vice, Mabel Scott; Treasurer, Violet Miller; Chaplain, Virginia Tichelaar; Conductress, Bon nie Howard; Guard, Grace Wright; Trustee, Barbara

-Retreat For Senior High

Several young people of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ Alaska Branch will be going to the Sen-ior High Retreat held for the District. This will be at Yankee Springs at Camp Long Lake May 9, 10, 11th. Saturday nigh*, May 10, at 7:30 p.m. the young - adults of the branch will be going to the Middleville

Lanes for a bowling and eat out party. There will be a guest speaker, Lloyd DeVormer Jr. from Ann Arbor, Michlgan, speaking at the 11 a.m. Sunday morning worship service May 11. The speaker for the Hastings Church for 11 a.m.

will be Ron Demute. There will be a conference for the District Sunday May 11, at 3:30 p.m. at the Northview Branch. Officers for the new year will be elected at this meeting.

Branch. The youth activities for Monday, May 12, will be Zion's League will meet at the Colburn's home to view slides on the Restoration at 7:30. The Zioneers will have a worship service at the church. The Sons of Zion will meet at the church for their meeting. The Skylarks will be meeting there, too. All these meetings will start

at 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 13, at 7:30 the women of the Alaska Branch will meet with the women of the Hastings

of Fellowship. The theme for the Fellowship service May 14th at 7:30 p.m. will be "God Trusts You." The speaker will

be Greg Clark.

Annual Spring Concert

Don't forget about the fantastic annual Spring Con-cert to be held on Thursday, May 8th. The Lowell High School Girls Glee Club and Concert Band will be per-forming at 7:00 in the High School Gymnasium. There will be a short intermission, then the Concert Choir ind Symphonic Band will perform at 8:00. The public is cordially invited to attend.

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May 10-14 & 18

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11:15 a.m. **REV. SIMON NAGEL** "THE CHURCH WHERE THERE ARE NO STRANGERS" WELCOMES YOU

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Church School	10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.
Evening Service Wednesday Mid-Week Service	7:00 p.m.
Jrs., Teens, Adults	7:00 p.m.

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Vergennes United Methodist CORNER OF PARNELL AVE. & BAILEY DR.

Worship Service Coffee Hour, Church School

THE REV. PHILIP CARPENTER



There will be no services for the evening at the Alaska

Church at the Hastings Church for a special evening

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"THE LITTLE WHITE CHURCH ON THE CORNER"

11:15 a.m.



Airman Robert E. Forberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmar A. Forberg of 1405 Pinecrest SE, Grand Rapids, has been selected for technical training in the U.S. Air Force aircraft maintenance field at Chanute Air Force Base, Illinois,

The airman recently completed basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, where he studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations. His wife, Patricia, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Engen of 7126 Thorncrest SE. ...

Dr. Harold Myers of Lowell and Dr. Conroy of Beldng last weekend attended an Osteopathic Convention in London, Ontario, Canada.

It's anniversary time for Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Bedell, May 13; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Comp, May 14; and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Rogers, May 15.



the Cherry Creek Nursing Home. Randall E. Reynolds and Anna M. Burrows were united in marriage April 26 at the First United Metho-dist Church of Lowell. Their parents are Mr. and Mrs.

Herbert Wallerstrom and Mr. and Mrs. George Burrows, all of the Alto-Bowne Center area.

Mrs. Godfrey (Rose) Roth has returned to her home,

934 North Hudson Street, following a brief stay at

Degree candidates attending Spring Commencement ceremonies May 3 at the University of Michigan from this area were:

Marlene Davenport, 7495 Leyton Drive, Ada, BA in Literature, Science and the Arts; Mark Rowley, 455 Greentree Lane, Ada, Juris Doctor, Law; Catherine Sheperd, 635 Doogwood, Ada, Bachelor of Business Ad-

Mark Alan Hosley, 607 N. Washington, Lowell, Bachelor of Science; Howard Huyser, 7777 Cascade Road, Bachelor of Science; Randall Ashley, 1191 Forest Hills, Master of Arts; Charla Kamm, 3415 Cascade Road, Bachelor of Science in Aerospace Engineering. ...

Mrs. Charlotte Siciliano of Lowell was recently ap-pointed Manpower Coordinator for Kent County's CETA program. Mrs. Siciliano, formerly with the State Savings Bank of Lowell, started with the County as a secretary, and was picked over 15 other applicants, ...

Martha Coons has this month received the degree of Bachelor of Arts in History, with honors, from the University of Michigan. She plans to begin graduate work at the University of Wisconsin in the fall.

June Lynne Hulsapple will graduate cum laude on Saturday, May 10 from the University of Wisconsin-Stout, with a Bachelor's degree in Vocational Rehabilitation. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Hulsapple of 2266 Dean Lake Ave., NE, Grand Rapids, and a 1971 graduate of Forest Hills Central. ...

Mrs. Rena Douma from Riverside, California, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Tena Woodhead in Lowell.

Nancy Coons is on tour for ten days with the University of Michigan Symphony Band. With George Cavender conducting, they will present concerts in Kentucky, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas, Arkansas, and Illinois.

A Lowell man has graduated at Lowry Air Force Base, Colorado, from the technical training course fo U.S. Air Force munitions maintenance specialists. Airman James J. Flier of 4037 Alden Nash, Lowell, was trained to inspect, assemble and dispose of explosive munitions. Completion of the course enable him to receive academic credits through the Community College of the Air Force. The airman now goes to Nellis Air Force Base, Nevada, for duty with a unit of

the Tactical Air Command. Airman Flier, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Flier, is a 1974 graduate of Lowell Area High School.

School Board Agenda

Lowell Area Schools Board of Education meeting, Monday, May 12 at 7:30 p.m. in Middle School Choir

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Lowell Ledger-Suburban Life, May 8, 1975



THURSDAY, MAY 8

Lowell Senior High will hold their Spring Band and Choral Concert on Thursday, May 8, at 7 p.m. in the Senior High gym. The public is cordially invited to hear these young groups of fine musicians give an outstanding performance.

The Vergennes Cooperative Club will meet Thurs-day, May 8 at the home of Mrs. Marion Yates.

American Legion Auxiliary will meet Thursday, May 8, at 12:30 with Anna Ellis at Schneider Manor.

FRIDAY, MAY 9 Cyclaman Chapter No. 94 OES will hold their reg-ular meeting Friday, May 9, at 8 p.m. at the Lowell

Masonic Temple.

MONDAY, MAY 12 Lowell Showboat Garden Club will meet at the home of Norine Cridler, 11849 Vergennes at 5:30 p.m. on Monday, May 12, for a tour of her grounds to see the wild flowers. A potluck dinner and meeting will follow at Fallasburg Park at the Shelter House.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 14

Snow UMW will serve a roast beef dinner Wednesday, May 14th, at the Snow Christian Center, 3211 Snow Avenue. Serving begins 5:30 p.m. Public Welcome.

SATURDAY, MAY 17

Venus Chapter No. 107, O.E.S. Annual Smorgasbord, Saturday, May 17-serving 5 to 7 p.m. at the Grattan Masonic Temple.

Alto Methodist Church will sponsor an auction to be held Saturday, May 17, at G&J Auction House in Alto. Anyone having items to donate are urged to call, 868-5449 or 868-3721.

Dolores Laux To Serve B&PW As President

Election of officers was the important issue of the Lowell Business & Professional Women's Club, as they held their regular meeting at the Vanity Hair Fashion Shop. Elected into office were Dolores Laux as president, Helen Converse as Vice-President, Barbara Fluger as Secretary and Lylia Johnson as treasurer.

Installation of the elected officers will be done at the next meeting by Elizabeth Sage of Grand Rapids, June 2nd. The Lowell Club is now starting their new club year, so it was noted that "May Days are Pay Days," for club dues, so all members and prospective members are asked to get their dues paid as soon as

The Lowell Club will be hostess for District IV at a summer picnic to be held on Saturday, August 9, at the Lowell Gun Club.

Arnold Wittenbach, county commissioner was a guest speaker at the meeting. Mr. Wittenbach explained how the office of county com existence. He also explained to us about his duties and the different Boards he serves on. The club women enjoyed having Mr. Wittenbach as guest as they felt they learned things about dounty government that as business people we should all know.

spoke to us, and outlined different educational and leisure time activities we, as individuals or club members, can participate in

Going to the State convention at Traverse City on May 17 and 18, will be Ilah Melle, Dolores Laux, Evelyn Briggs, Helen Converse, Barbara Fluger, Doris Boyd, and Lylia Johnson. At the state convention the Lowell club will be working in connection with the Ionia club as members of District IV for the election of Mary Esther Daddazzio, to the office of First Vice-President of the Michigan Federation.

Doris Boyd, as captain of the carcer drive for the City of Lowell, would like to thank all volunteers for the time and effort they put into another successful cancer collection campaign.

FREE PAP TESTS TAKEN DURING HOSPITAL WEEK

The Kent County Unit of the American Cancer Society will be giving free Pap Tests May 15, 16 & 17 during National Hospital Week in Woodland Mall. A mobile home, donated by Orson Coe Pontiac, will be the site where volunteer nurses will be taking tests between 12 and 6 p.m. on the three consecutive days. The American Cancer Society is also providing the public with an educational display including a film on Breast Self Examination, free paraphlets and a self quiz on cancer and the safeguards against a disease



Mr. and Mrs. John Briggs, Sr. of Lowell proudly announce the birth of a granddaughter, Rebecca Anne, born April 25 to Mr. and Mrs. Keith Buck of Grand Rapids, formerly of Lowell. The new arrival weighed seven pounds, 14 ounces. Mrs. Buck is the former Wanda Briggs of this City.



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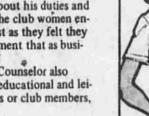


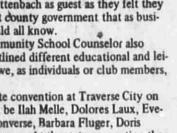


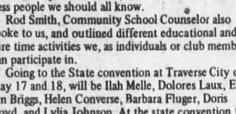
















Mr. and Mrs. Murl Childs were Mothers Day guests of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Sutton, of Hastings Friday supper, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Haterdis took Mr. and Mrs. Childs to the Scale House, Ionia. Mrs. Fern Garrison, Mrs Florence Barcy, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sattler were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs.

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SONY

MIXED

Fred Barcy of Grand Ledge, Sunday. Mrs. Virginia Smith and son, Bobbie, visited Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Roger McCord of Ionia, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Spangler, both of Ionia and were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Smith of Portland.

of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Lutz of Grand Ledge. Saranac Community Church will have their annua

Mother-Daughter Banquet Thursday evening at their oasement. The theme will be "Here Comes The Bride" modeling their wedding gowns, Thursday evening, May

Hazel Tower at Kent Community Hospital, 6th Floor,

750 Fuller Ave., NE, Grand Rapids, Mich, 95000. She would like to hear from her friends. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wheelock visited Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wheelock and Helen Wheelock of Grand Rapids and then to Lake Odessa to visit her

mother, Mrs. Ethel Birman. Richard Davis was in Petosky, Friday on business There will be Revivial Meetings at the Saranac Unit ed Holiness Chusch, May 12th till May 20th at the

ehurch on Church Street. A woman was such a poor driver in her car that the policemen gave her a season ticket.

Helen Sterzick is moving into the Saranac Housing Apartments Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hauter were Wednesday afternoon

guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Benjamin had Sunday dinner at the Ponderosa in Grand Rapids, Sunday. Sunday evening they were at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Ben-

jamin of Ionia for their son, Brian's, 6th birthday. They all enjoyed cake and ice cream. Sunday dinner and afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Morrison and Esther Blasen were Miss Cleo Stin-

son, Mrs. Elva Cummings from Stanton and Miss Hilda Andres of Freeport. Executive Director, Bob Dunton, of the Agriculture Stabilazation and Conservation Service for Ionia Coun-

ty, was at the Ribbon Cutting Ceremony, Thursday at Mt. Pleasant

Guests Saturday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wheaton were Mr. and Mrs. S. Benjamin. Michael (Michie) Cahoon is now the Branch Administrator for all five First Security Bank offices. A seven pound, seven ounce boy was born at Blod-

gett Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Brown.

Discharged from Ionia Hospital was Drew Pratt. Belding: Surgery: John Livingston. Medical: Erma DeMunch and George Eddy. Birth: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rudd, Boy, seven pounds, 13 ounces. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dausman was

partially burned Friday afternoon. Buy your Christmas books now, so you have time

to read them, before giving them, a must at today's

Sunday supper and evening guests of Clayton and Marion Houseman were their son, Larry and family, from Saugatuck.

Mrs. Bessie Baird and Mrs. Polly Whittenbach of Lowell were Wednesday afternoon guests of Mrs. Beatrice Benjamin

Warren Brown and son, Brian of Westland, Mich. were over night guests of his mother, Hazel Brown,

Saturday Sunday afternoon guest of Mrs. Edith Wheaton was Marion Houseman.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Tucker were dinner guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Krampe and family. Other guests were Mrs. Shirlene Durkee and family of Fremont; Ellewyn Brown and family of Greenville.

Saranac Community Church will have a Mother-Daughter Banquet Thursday night at 6:30 in the Fel-lowship Hall.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Swiger were their son, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Swinger of Grand Rap-

Mrs. Anna Everett of Lowell, spent Sunday afternoon with her mother, Jessie Cahoon. Paul Hatch went to Detroit, Saturday to visit for a

few days. The Lion's Club entertained their wives at the Le-

gion Post Home, Monday evening, May 5. My neighbor has my mower-he has my clippers too. I wish I could lend him the chores I have to do. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bowen of Richland, Mich.,

were guests Sunday of his mother, Sable Kent, Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cahoon were Mr. and Mrs. Les Fox and family of Ver-

montville Mr. and Mrs. Ward Courter were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Mahar, of Green's Cor-

Sunday afternoon guests of Eliza Johnson were Mr.

and Mrs. Ivan Bough of Clarksville, and Mr. and Mrs. What do a gardner and Santa Claus have in com-

mon? Hoe! Hoe! Hoe! Sign in a tavern: Please don't argue with your fists. Freeze: Dry Smiles. Blizzards: Winter-Rupting traffic.

The best way to improve postal service, is to send all postal employees their pay checks by mail! At today's prices, every cow is sacred. Did you know some burglars stole \$1,000 worth of groceries and escaped in a Volks Wagen?

What sunshine is to flowers; smiles are to humanity Getting old is merely feeling your corns much more

than feeling your oats. A sweater: A garment a child has to put on when their grandma feels chilly.

BOUND TO GET YOU! Tax his cow, tax his goat, ·Tax his pants, tax his coat. Tax his crop, tax his work, Tax his tie, tax his shirt. Tax his chew, tax his smoke, Teach him taxes are no joke, Tax his tractor, tax his male, Teach him taxes are a rule. Tax his oil, tax his gas, Tax his notes, tax his cash. Tax him good and let him know, That after taxes he has no dough. If he hollers, tax him more, Tax him 'till he's good and sore. Tax his coffin, tax his grave, Tax his sod in which he lays. Put these words upon his tomb, "Taxes drove me to my doom."

judged at Kent 4-H in action at the Mall at Eastbrook, May 10, at 10 a.m. Outstanding posters will be entered in the state contest; others will be exhibited locally. For more information on the 1975 4-H Dairy Poster Contest or other 4-H activities, please contact Miss Suzann E. VanDevelde, Kent 4-H Youth Agent, Cooperative Extension Service, 456-4475.

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Saranac Art Students In Youth Festival

Three Saranac High School art students are repre-senting the Greater Grand Rapids area in the Michigan Youth Arts Festival being held at Central Michigan

University May 17-18. The art exhibit is sponsored by the Michigan Art Education Association and is comprised of 155 outstanding works done by high school students from all over Michigan. The three honored students are Bruce MacDonald,

pottery bowl; Glenda Newenschwander, still-life collage; Kathy Sauber, photograph. The students' entries were made under the direction of Chris VanAntwerp. art instructor.

The Michigan Art Education Association holds this exhibit each year in conjunction with Michigan Week. The exhibition will be held in the Creative Arts Gallery, University Center, Central Michigan University, May 5, through May 18.

Wedding Vows Spoken In Afternoon Ceremony

The First United Methodist Church of Lowell was the setting April 19 for the matriage of Miss Dawn Johnson and James Jones. The afternoon ceremony was performed by the Reverend Dean Bailey. Parents of the couple are Mrs. Betty Mitchell of Lowell and Mrs. Arlene Scofield and Donald Jones of

For her wedding, the bride chose a flowered appli-

qued gown of silk illusion, fashioned with a high neckline, full sleeves with French cuffs, and a princess-style bodice. An eyelet trimmed veil of illusion completed the ensemble

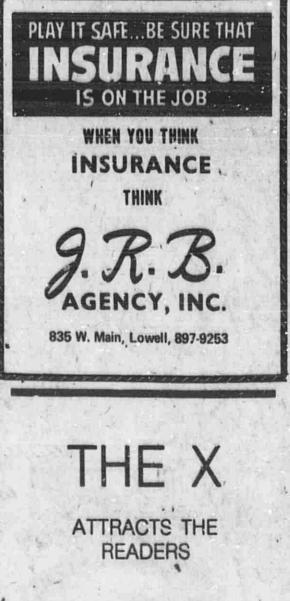
Attending her sister as matron of honor was Mrs. Terri Downes. The bridesmaids were Denise Mitchell, Laurie Trudgen and Diane Jones. The groom's best man was Earle Benedict. Seating

the guests were Michael Johnson, and Michael and Mitchell Jones.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Qua-Ke-Zik Sportsman's Club on Foreman Road, Lowell. The newlyweds are making their home at 9756 Riv-

erside Drive, Lowell."

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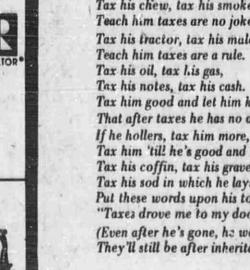
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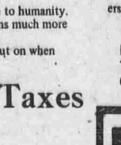
Dairy Poster Contest

"Milk is a Natural" is the theme chosen for the post-er contest being sponsored by the Dairy Division of Kent County and Michigan 4-H.

Any 4-Her may make a poster 22" x 28" to deliver the message that "Milk is a Natural." Posters will be

SUBSCRIPTION TODAY!









LEFT TO RIGHT-Van Franks, Dale Phillips, Dave Frazer and Scott Rollins proudly display the new warm-up jackets for the Lowell Red Arrows' football team. The entire team and Coach Al Rowe wish to express their appreciation to the following merchants whose monetary donations made the purchase of the jackets possible: King Milling Co., Industrial Tool, Beachums Furniture, Rickert Electric, Killmaster Ford, Lowell Cutrate Market, Lowell Beer Store, and JRB Insurance Agency-and a special thanks to Mrs. Joan Rickert for her help in soliciting the funds, and to all of those who supported the boy's soap sale last fall.

Belding Double-Header In a conference game against Fremont, Lowell lost

1-0 in a battle of the pitchers.

le in the first inning by Rick Lenartz.

allowed a man on first and a triple

walks, and struck out seven.

Lenartz

Martinez

Wilcox

Risner

Higgins

Thomson

Hendrick

the bank

Phillips

Reagan

Lowell only had one hit in the game, a lead off sing-

Fremont could only manage five hits and scored

Rick Lenartz pitched the entire game for Lowell

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To Sell Candy

The Lowell Baseball teams, both high school and

little league will be selling candy starting this week, to .

The machine will be used by both leagues, for bat-

ting and fielding practice. The high school will use the

machine this Spring and the little league will use it this

Coach Rivers and some of the high school players

held a meeting with the little league coaches last week

both leagues as well as many local stores, along with

lar. We urge you to support both of your teams by buying this candy.

Each box contains one pecan log and costs one dol-

DISTRICT BASEBALL

CLASS B TOURNAMENT

May 31 10:00

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Ken Minnie

Happy

Birthday

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Christine Ling Ronald Moore

Ruth Johnson

Donald Lasby

Daniel Nelson

Mac Fonger James Miller

Shawn Yeiter Michael Rowe

Ronald Ayers

Arlene Washburn

Doris Alexander

Dorothy Burton Dave Carter

Adam Gustinis

Ron Dayrson

Carolyn Sterzick

Robert Helmer

MAY 10

MAY 11 **Carol Briggs**

MAY 12

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MAY 15

May 31 3:00

to show them how to use the machine.

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their only one in the sixth inning on an error which

In baseball action this week Lowell played three games, a double-header with Belding and a single game

with Fremont In the first game of the double-header Lowell lost to Belding 3-1 in a conference game. Lowell scored its only run in the fifth inning on a home run by Rick Thomson. Belding scored three runs on five hits. Their first run came in the first inning on a solo home run. They scored their final two runs on a two run homer in the

fourth inning. Randy Wilcox started for Lowell and pitched three innings. He gave up three hits, three runs, didn't walk

anyone and struck out three. Rick Lenartz came in and pitched three innings; he gave up three hits, no runs, and no walks, and had seven strike outs.

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Risner	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Higgins	2	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0
Phillips	2	0	0	0	1	0	5	0	r
Eickhoff	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Thomson	3	1	3	1	0	1	10	2	0
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In the second game of the double header Lowell won 8-1 in a non-conference game. Lowell scored two of their runs in the fifth inning on a double by Terry Risner and a two run homer by

Lowell's final six runs came in the sixth inning on singles, from Jim Reagan, Al Rypma reached base on an error, Ramsey Martinez singled. Terry Risner sing-led, driving in Reagan. Karl Higgins followed with a single, driving in Rypma and Martinez. The final three runs scored on a three run homer by Rick Thomson. Belding scored their only run on a walk, and a single

and a throwing error. Rick Lenartz pitched for Lowell and went the dis-tance for the win. He pitched all seven innings, giving up three hits, one run, one walk and he had ten strike

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In the Fremont meet, Lowell took only two of 15 first places; Bill Heintzleman in the pole vault, 9'6, and Brian Doyle in the 880 yard run, 2:07. Bill Grummet took two second place finishes for the Arrows, shot putting 43'10", and high jumping 5'7. Dave Frazer placed third in the pole vault, Don

Vickers in the shot put, and Jim Doyle in the high Jim Perdaris placed third in the high hurdles with a time of 18.9. Mike Dey and Brian O'Dell took se-

cond and third respectively in the mile run for the Red Arrows. Heintzleman placed second in the 100 yard dash, with Mark Stinchcomb right behind him to take a third. Brian Doyle took a second in the 440 yard run,

and Tom Mendez a third in the low hurdles. Stinchcomb placed third in the 220 yard dash for the Arrows' final point of the meet, as Fremont took the final two relays.

Thursday when the Arrows traveled to Belding, they were determined they were going to go home with a victory. Their determination paid off, when they left Belding the score was Lowell 82, Belding 41 Great teamwork, combined with seven first places, nine second places, and 11 third places, gave Lowell the win.

Dave Frazer placed second in the pole vault, with a vault of 10', and Heintzleman a third with a vault of 9'6. Grummet, Jim Doyle, and Jeff DesJarden combined to sweep the high jump, with a winning height of 5'4.

Heintzleman placed third in the long jump, missing first by ½ inch. His jump was 18'1½". Gary Ayres

Brian and Kevin Doyle combined their abilities

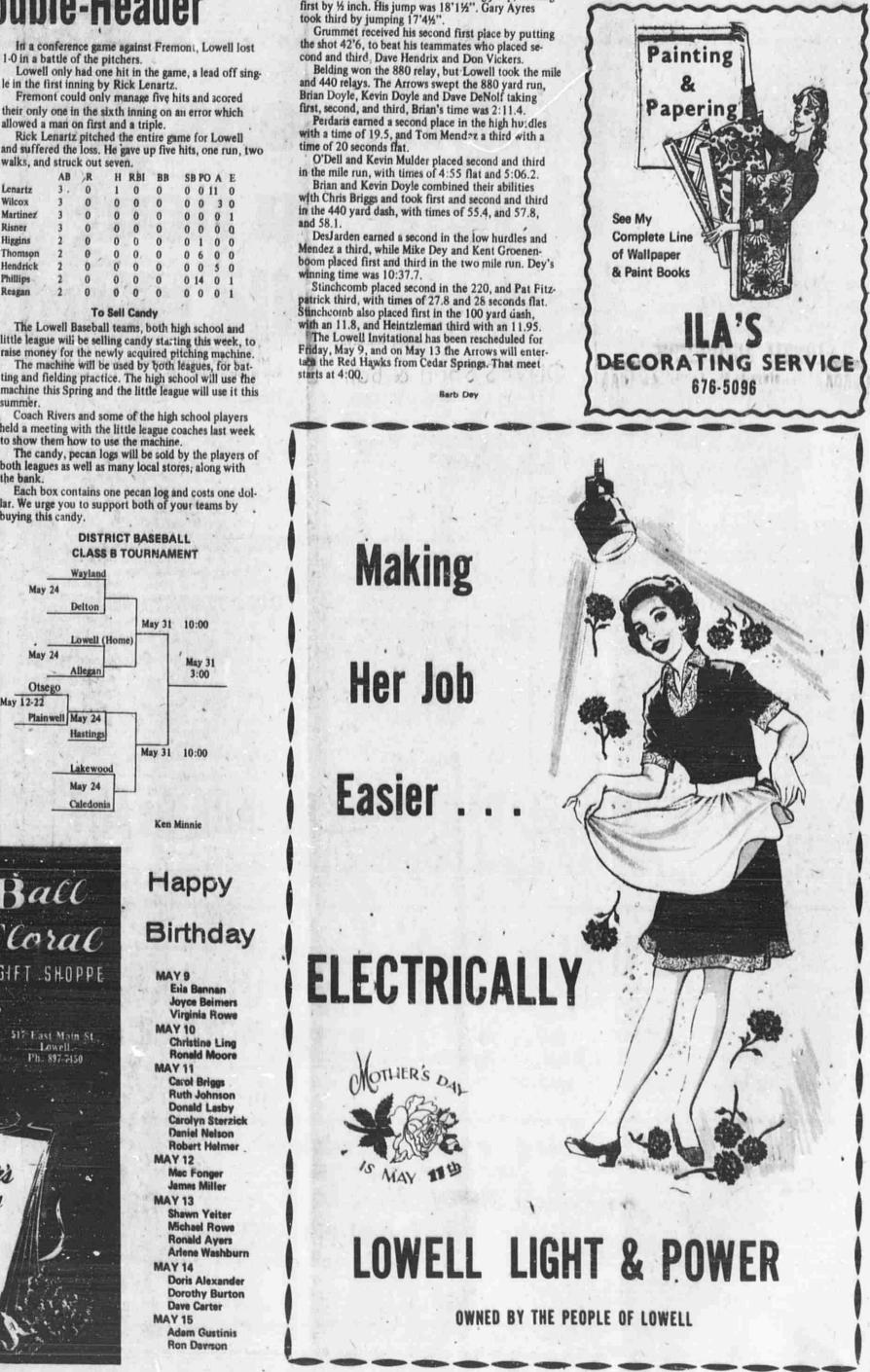
DesJarden earned a second in the low hurdles and



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Newcomers Beat

Lowell Red Arrow track team won one league meet last week, and lost one. Lowell was defeated by the newcomers to the Tri-River League, Fremont, by a score of 90-33, and defeated the Belding Redskins 82

Lowell 90-33



Shaler, found the opening of the 1975 Trout Season providing some good action on streams south of Lowell. It took a lot of patience to catch these three browns and seven brooks. ranging from 13 inches to 18 inches long, the day after the season began. They were taken on night crawlers and leaf worms. ...



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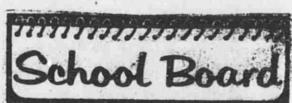
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Lowell Area Schools Board of Education, Regular Meeting, April 15, 1975. Meeting called to order at 7:35 p.m. by President

Roll Call-Members Present: Siegle, Miller, Metternick, Kropf, Mullen, Roberts.

Members Absent: Thaler. Motion by Kropf, seconded by Roberts, to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held on March 24,

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. Motion by Metternick, seconded by Kropf, to ap-prove payment of general fund bills as listed.

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. Motion by Roberts, seconded by Miller, to approve payment of building and site bills as listed.

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. Motion by Mullen, seconded by Metternick, to approve the agenda as amended. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

OLD BUSINESS

1. Motion by Mullen, seconded by Miller, to recognize the Lowell Office Employees as the official bargaining unit for the school secretaries, excluding the uperintendent's secretary, Mrs. Townsend. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

2. Motion by Kropf, seconded by Roberts, to grant a leave of absence from teaching for the 1975-76 school year to Mrs. Glad Bergin, high school French eacher Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. 3. Motion by Kropf, seconded by Roberts, to ap-

point an assistant girls' track coach for the remainder of the 1974-75 school year. The rate of pay is to be negotiated in joint council.

Ayes: 5. Nays: 1. Motion Carried. 4. Arbitration hearings relative to grievances filed by Mr. Gilbert Woolworth will be held April 23 and 24

beginning at 10 a.m. in the middle school conference 5. A presentation on the Agriculture Program for the 1975-76 school year was given by Peter Siler, agri-

NOTICE OF

LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE LOWELL AREA SCHOOLS COUNTIES OF KENT AND IONIA, MICHIGAN FOR THE REGULAR **ELECTION TO BE HELD ON**

Monday June 9, 1975

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF SAID SCHOOL DISTRICT:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a Regular Election will be held in said school district on Monday, June 9, 1975.

Act 269, Public Acts of Michigan, 1955, as amended, provides as follows:

"The inspectors of Election at any annual or special election shall not receive the vote of any person residing in a registration school district whose name is not registered as an elector in the city or township in

which he resides . . . " last day for receiving registrations for said regular election will be

culture teacher. The board requested an evaluation of the current program prior to a decision on adopting the requests for next year. NEW BUSINESS

1. Motion by Mullen, seconded by Metternick, to grant Mrs. Kay Lake a Sabbatical Leave for the 1975-76 chool year to attend Michigan State University on a full-time basis.

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. 2. Motion by Roberts, seconded by Mullen, to ac-cept with regret the resignation of Mrs. Helen Noah, school nurse. The board commended Mrs. Noah for a job well done in her many years with the Lowell system and directed that a letter of thanks be written to

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. 3. Mr. Paul Smith has been on a leave of absence since October 25, 1974, due to health reasons. Doctors have advised him not to return yet, and he is

therefore requesting that his leave be continued through the 1975-76 school year. Motion by Mullen, seconded by Kropf, to grant Paul Smith a leave of absence for the 1975-76 school year due to health reasons.

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

4. Motion by Kropf, seconded by Roberts, to ap-prove sending 15 children to Special Education Camp at a cost of \$273.50.

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. (Roll Call Vote-Ayes: Siegle, Miller, Metternick, Kropf, Mullen, Roberts).

5. Motion by Roberts, seconded by Metternick, to conduct a School Census this year. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

6. Motion by Miller, seconded by Kropf, to renew the lease to the Western Michigan Snowmobile Council for the 1975-76 snowmobile season. The board reiterated that all regulations listed in the agreement must be met.

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. 7. April 17, 1975, is the proposed day for a workshop for board members sponsored by the Kent Ne-gotiators Association at Godwin Heights High School at 7 p.m.

8. Motion by Mullen, seconded by Roberts, to approve the addition of the following special education rooms-one elementary, Type A; one secondary, Type A; two learning disability/emotionally impaired, ele-mentary; two learning disability/emotionally impaired, secondary.

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. Mr. Sinke informed the board that we would be advertising these openings, along with other teacher openings and the elementary principalsh

9. Motion by Roberts, seconded by Mullen, to approve the tentative 1975-76 budget to be submitted to the County Alocation Board.

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried. 10. The Joint Council will meet on Thursday, April 17, at 3:30 p.m. in the high school conference room. 11. The bid opening on furniture and equipment for Alto and Bushnell will be held on April 21 at 4

p.m. in the superintendent's office. 12. Board policy 5230 on Graduate Fund Monies was presented to the board.

13. Board member, Dave Miller, requested a building and site fund review at the next meeting. 14. The board met in executive session to consider

the reinstatement of an expelled student Motion by Kropf, seconded by Mullen, to adjourn

at 10:25 p.m. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

Respectfully submitted, Harold Metternick, Secretary

Athletic Boosters To Hold Auction

The Lowell Athletic Booster's Club will hold an or a fund raising project May 31, in the High

School Gym. We are asking anyone doing their Spring Cleaning who might have something of value, that they donate it to the auction. Bring it to the high school gym or call 897-7158 and we will get someone out to pick it up from you. The Varsity Athletes will also be out the weekend of May 24 asking for donations for the Auction. No clothing articles please.

All money raised by the auction will be given back to the school athletic department to help advance Varsity sports. Your help is needed.

You are also invited to attend the auction on May 31. The sale will start at 10 a.m. at the High School

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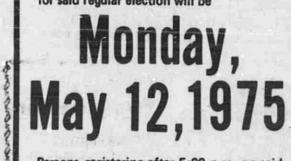
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This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education of the Lowell Area Schools, Counties of Kent and Ionia, Mich-

> HAROLD METTERNICK Secretary, Board of Education

The annual Kindergarten Round-up for the Lowell Area Schools, will be held May 12, 13, 14 in the Runciman Elementary All-purpose room for the Lowell children, and on May 15 in the Alto Elementary Allpurpose room for the Alto children.

Kindergarten

Round-Up

This necessary program of registration, evaluation, distribution of health forms, and other informative materials is one way of trying to prepare for the kin-dergarten school year, 1975-76.

Please bring your child and his or her birth certificate for the registration for the hour scheduled below, as each program will start promptly on the hour. It is hoped that a 100 percent participation in this activity will be given to make the best possible plans for the next school year. The information that is gathered from this kindergarten round-up experience can be helpful to both the parents and to the school.

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Head Start's Tenth Anniversary

On May 12, 13, and 14 the Kent County Head Start Program and the Grand Rapids Public Schools, Kent City Public Schools, Lowell Area Public Schools will join thousands of Head Start Programs across the country in celebrating the Head Start Program's tenth anniversary

The celebration will begin on May 12 at each of the eleven Head Start centers with an open house for all the parents of Head Start enrollees. Over 235 children are enrolled in the Full Year Program at these centers. On May 14 which has been proclaimed as National Head Start Day, the celebration will culminate with a Head Start Activity Display at Woodland Mall on 28th Street. As a part of the display the children en-

rolled in Head Start will be participating in their daily curricular activities of arts, science, games, story time, and music.

The Head Start Program in its ten years has provided pre-school children of low-income families an oppor tunity to achieve their full potential in life. During . these ten years 4,875 children from Kent County have graduated from the Head Start Program. The community is invited to join with the children in celebration of their anniversary

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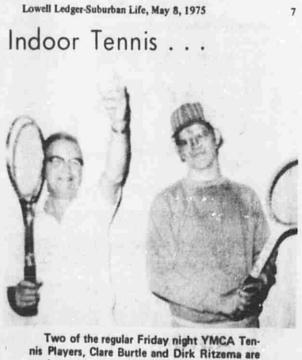
Saturday, May 3, was clean-up day at the Lowell Boy Scout Cabin.

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Jill Borton



getting ready for a game. YMCA Indoor Tennis has been held in the Middle School Gym, second and fourth Friday nights during this past

A Dance Routine



As a climax to their class, members of the YMCA Tap Dancing Class gave a demonstration to their parents and friends on April 26, at the First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall. From left, Lynn Homolka, accompanist-Kelli Nelson, Paula Doyle, Mary Moore, and

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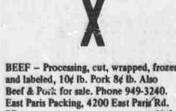
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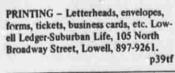
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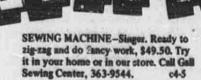
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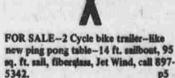
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City Of Lowell Council Proceedings

Official Proceedings of the City Council of the City of Lowell, Michigan. Regular Meeting of Monday, April 21, 1975. The Pledge of Allegiance was given, and the Meeting was called to order at 8:00 p.m. by Mayor pro tem

Mueller, Roll was called. Present: Councilmembers, Hall, Mueller and Rogers. Absent: Councilmembers Jefferies and Anderson.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Hall that the absence of Mayor Anderson be excused, due to his being in Washington on City business, supported by Council> woman Rogers. Carried.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Hall that the Min utes of the Meeting of April 7 be approved by deleting "Mr. Edema will have to find another site to haul Lowell's refuse, which in turn will cost the City more money." from page 2, paragraph 2, supported by Councilwoman Rogers.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Hall that the Bills and Accounts Payable be allowed and warrants issued,

supported by Councilwoman Rogers. Yes: Councilmembers Hall, Mueller and Rogers. No: None.

Absent: Councilmen Jefferies and Anderson. . . Yalla

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BILLS AND ACCOUNTS PAY	ABLE TOTALS
General Fund	\$209,470.85
Major Street Fund	14,561.31
Local Street Fund	16,000.00
Sewer Fund	6,447.54
Water Fund	11,621.82
Equipment Fund	34,948.21
Current Tax Collections	4,636.12
Trust and Agency Fund	774.56
Lee Fund	6,025.00
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Storm Sewer Fund	335,044.00
Airport Development Fund	25,795.00
Water Debt Retirement Fund	7,810.00
Sewer Debt Retirement Fund	10,875.00
Revenue Sharing Fund	36,500.00
Mayor pro tem Mueller postpone	d the consideratio

of a resolution of rebate of funds remaining in the Storm Sewer Construction Fund until later in the meeting pending the arrival of Councilman Jefferies.

The City Manager then read a letter of transmittal from the Michigan Department of State Highways and Transportation concerning the contract for sidewalk construction along Main Street, to be included as part of the M-21 Improvement program. He stated that the Highway Department had inadvertantly named part of Main Street from Jackson Street to a point approximately 100 feet west of Jackson for sidewalk improvement, rather than from Washington Street, approximately 100 feet west, on the south side of the street, and asked Council to concur in correcting the mistaken area in the contract. He stated that the Highway Department had already been made aware of the mistake and they had concurred in the correction.

Councilwoman Rogers offered the following resolu-BE IT RESOLVED, that contract No. 75-0423 between the Michigan Department of State Highways and Transportation be approved with a correction in the description of the "Project" by changing the name of Jackson to Washington Street in said description, and

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and City Clerk be authorized to sign the contract on behalf of the City of Lowell. esolution supported by Councilman Hall.

Yes: Councilmembers Hall, Rogers and Mueller. No: None.

Absent: Councilmen Jefferies and Anderson. Manager Bacon then read another letter of transmittal. and an amendment to the Contract for Turnback of M-91, dated April 3, 1973, stating that because of the turn-back, the section of North Hudson Street from Main to Spring Streets had not been resurfaced during the Storm -Sewer Project. The amendment to the contract would allow this section to be done along with the M-21 Improvement project

Councilman Hall offered the followign resolution and moved its adoption. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Amendatory Contract No. 75-0428 between Michigan Department

of State Highways and Transportation and the City of Lowell be approved, and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor and City Clerk be authorized to sign the contract on behalf

of the City of Lowell. Resolution supported by Councilwoman Rogers. Yes: Councilmembers Hall, Rogers and Mueller. No: None.

Absent: Councilmen Jefferies and Anderson. You

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Community Schools on the "Community Garden" to be started on the City property just east of the Lowell Middle School parking lot. He stated that the project would be covered for liability, with no increase of insurance cost. Council also discussed the problem of no water available in the immediate vicinity that could be used for tapping for watering of the garden. Water would have to be hauled by hand from Cherry Creek.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilwoman Rogers that the Agreement with the Lowell Community Schools for a Community Garden be approved, contingent upon the fact of no available City water source, supported by Councilman Hali. W. Ti Yes: Councilmembers Hall, Rogers and Mueller.

No: None Absent: Councilmen Jefferies and Anderson.

Councilman Hall headed a discussion on the Boat Launching Ramp, proposed for location on the Grand River, near the Hudson Street bridge. He asked that the City "push" now for the launch site. He suggested that the Manager check out the amount of funding, and ask for the original facility, and because of the rise in costs, to apply for an additional appropriation to meet these costs. Council concurred.

A discussion then followed on setting a date for the Public Hearing on the proposed 1975-76 budget, and suggested that it be scheduled for May 19, a regular meeting night. Also discussed was Mayor's Exchange Day, which also falls on May 19. Manager Bacon stated that Lowell had been matched with the City of Keego Harbor, who does not participate in the exchange pro-gram, and credited Councilwoman Rogers with an idea to make that date, "City of Lowell Day." He stated that the 19th will be "Government Day" of Michigan Week, and that Councilwoman Rogers had suggested that Lowell citizens be invited to tour local government facilities, to see how the City operates, and how their tax dollars are spent

'IT WAS THEN MOVED by Councilman Hall, that a Public Hearing on the proposed 1975-76 City Budget, be scheduled for the Regular Meeting of Monday, May 19, supported by Councilwoman Rogers.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilwoman Rogers that Monday, May 19 be set for an open house for all City facilities, supported by Councilman Hall. Carried.

City Engineer, Kenneth Anderson reported on the test wells that have been drilled on the Grand Rapids Gravel property, stating that quality was excellent, but quantity left much to be desired. He then asked for Council permission to begin test wells on the Pickett and Schreur property, explaining that the geologists felt there would be a better quantity supply as well as the better quality on that site. He then stated that if the new test well did as well as expected, it would then be tested over a period of time for "full size produc-tion," and, that being satisfactory, the well would be incorporated as one of the three regular wells to be in-

...Councilman Jefferies entered at 8:52 p.m. IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Hall that the next test well be approved, supported by Councilwoman Rogers

Carried Mayor pro tem Mueller then referred back to the proposed rebate on excess funds from the Storm Sewer roject, with the arrival of Councilman Jefferies. Manager Bacon read the proposed figures to be re-

bated and explained how the rebates would be figured on each parcel of property assessed The following resolution was offered by Council-

man Hall, who moved its adoption, supported by Councilwoman Rogers. WHEREAS, it has been determined that the cost of

construction of the Lowell Sanitary and Storm Sewage Disposal System after completion is less than originally anticipated, and WHEREAS, The Lowell City Council determined

by formal resolution adopted Monday, the second day of October, 1972, to return to each owner of property charged the \$1,000.00 for parcels on which sewage originates, a pro-rata share from funds remaining in the construction fund after completion of said project,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That a credit in the amount of \$224.00 be credited to all accounts to lwhich the \$1,000.00 connection charge has been levied and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a payment, by City voucher, be made to all property owners who have paid these charges in full by May 1, 1975. Yes: Councilmembers Hall, Jefferies, Rogers and Mueller

No: None

Absent: Mayor Anderson. There were no communications, and no departmen-

tal reports. Under Remarks from the Audience, Mrs. Rose Ball appeared to again object about the "No Parking, No Stopping and No Standing" signs placed on the corner of North Jefferson Street across from her Softee-Creme business. She stated that customers were stopping to purchase a 15¢ ice cream cone, and were being given a \$2.00 parking ticket. She stated that the corner of Washington and Main Street was a much more danger ous corner due to traffic from the State Savings Bank and Lippert Pharmacy customers making turns, and that with the removal of parking from one side of Main Street in the near future, her customers would not have any place at all to park.

Chief Emmons reported that he had found no "Livable" proposal to solve the parking problem, but for safety's sake will continue to enforce the No Parking, No Stopping, and No Standing policy. A lengthy discussion on the subject followed

Mrs. Ball also asked about the City cleaning up the streets on Riverside Drive and North Broadway, stating that debris of all kinds was always found there. Manager Bacon agreed that this z:ea of town was indeed a problem, and that immediate attention would be given to relieve the situation. He announced "Clean-Up Week" would be held from May 5 to May 9 for a general clean up of the entire City. Another lengthy discussion followed.

There were no remarks or reports from Council. IT WAS MOVED TO adjourn at 9:32 p.m. by Councilman Hall Approved: May 5, 1975. CARLEN E. ANDERSON, BLAINE E. BACON,

City Clerk

10.00

.... MAY 17-24 **MICHIGAN WEEK**

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were the stars of the recent YMCA Sewing and Designing Class. With the help of their mother, Mrs. Norene Martin (left, back row), Toni and Stacey altered standard patterns to make professional looking garments that were perfect

Pictured (back row) from left, are Mrs. Martin, Gertrude Beiber, Ellen Moore, Mabel Scott, and Rose Roberts, Class Instructor. Class members Berneta Brower, Marian Krebs, and Evelyn Shaffer were not pictured.

4-H In Action

Kent County 4-H Action Day at the Mall, a presentation of members, leaders, projects and programs, is planned for Saturday, May 10 at Eastbrook. The 4-H Road Show, a collection of displays, games and project ideas assembled by the Michigan 4-H Staft.

will aid the local 4-H members and leaders in telling the 4-H story. Local members will be conducting consumer panels

on new project work, modeling their 4-H'garments and presenting a stage show of Share the Fun. The public is cordially invited to visit 4-H in Action on Saturday. **4-H SADDLE CLUB TO**

HOLD OPEN HORSE SHOW

An Open Horse Show will be held Sunday, May 18, beginning at 9 a.m. at the Ionia Fair Grounds Arena, sponsored by the Wranglers 4-H Saddle Club. Five placing trophies will be awarded in each class

and a high point trophy will be awarded in each age division for performance classes. W. Bryce McGinnis, Sr., will be the judge.



Freihofer, Cook, Hecht, Oosterhouse & DeBoer, 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

IN THE MATTER OF: CHERYL K. ANCHORS

CHANGE OF NAME TAKE NOTICE: On May 22nd, 1975, at 9100 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 Cheryl K. Anchors, an adult married person, desiring to change he name to Cheryl K. Parker, as prayed for in said peti-Dated: April 14, 1975

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DeBoer, P.C. Attorney for Petitioner By: George R. Cook 1125 W. Main St. Loviell, Mich, 49331

Phone 897-9218

Cheryl K. Anchors, Petitioner 1273 Laurie Gall Lowell, MI 49331 C-3

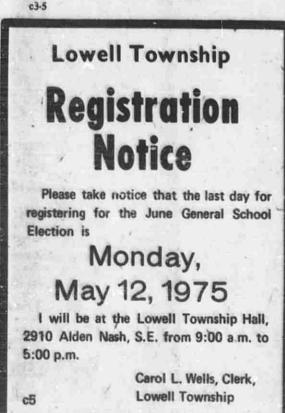
NOTICE OF SALE OF FARM

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Walter F. Wingei r and George R. Cook, Co-Executors of the ESTATE OF EDWINA WINGEIER, Deceased, will sell the Edwina Wingeier farm located on Wingeier Avenue in Bowne Township, Kent County, Michigan. The farm consists of 60 acres and is described as follows:

The South Half (S%) of the Southwest Quarter (SW%) EXCEPT the East 20 acres, Section 2, Town 5 North, Range 9 West.

Sealed bids will be taken and sale will be made to the highest bidder. Terms: Cash. Bids must be received in the office of George R. Cook, 1125 W. Main St., Low ell, Michigan 49331, not later than 5:00 P.M. of Monday, May 12, 1975. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check equal to 10% of the bid. Checks of unsuccessful bidders will be promptly returned. Anyone wishing to inspect the premises should get in touch with Walter F. Wingeier at 7735 Wingeier Ave., Alto, Michigan, phone 868-6481.

> WALTER F. WINGEIER, GEORGE R. COOK, Co-Executors.



at 8 p.m. at the Bowne Township Hall, 6057 Linfield Ave. for the purpose of rezoning the following piece of property: That part of the N½ of the NW¼ and part of the Plat of the Village of Alto, Section 4, Town 5 North, Range 9 West, Bowne Township, Kent County, Michigan, described as: commencing at the intersection of southerly right-of-way line of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad and the North and South 1/4 line of said Section which is 851.96 feet South 0 degrees 09'50" West from the North ¼ corner of said Section, thence South 0 degrees 09'50" West 156.51 feet to a point which is 484.0 feet North 0 degrees 09'50" East from the southeast corner of the N½ NW¼ of said Section, then North 87 degrees 56'45" West 290.0 feet parallel with the south line of the N% NW%. thence South 0 degrees 09'50" West 113.0 feet, thence South 87 degrees 56'45" East 125.0 feet, thence South 0 degrees 09'50" West 371.0 feet to the south line of the N1/2 NW%, thence North 87 degrees 56'45" West 551.72 feet along the south line of said N% NW% to the westerly line of Linfield (Lincoln) Ave. in the Plat of the Village of Alto, extended South, thence North 0 degrees 11'15" West 551.58 feet along the easterly line of said Street and its extension thereof to the northeast corner of Lot 79 of said Plat, thence South 88 degrees 22' East 247.54 feet along the south line of Lot 72 and the westerly extension there of to the southeast corner of said Lot 72, thence North 0 degrees 11'10" west 156.74 feet along the east line of Lots 72 and 71 to the south right-of-way line of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad, thence South 79 degrees 38'30" East 480.79 feet along said Railright-of-way to the point of beginning. Subject to a right-of-way for Road purposes lying easterly of a line which is 33.0 feet (perpendicular measurement) westerly of and parallel with the centerline of Bancroft Ave-

This property has been requested changed from an agricultural-residential zoning to a light industrial for the purpose of manufacturing.

Lowell Ledger-Suburban Life, May 8, 1975 Michigan Bell Asks For A Rate Increase

Michigan Bell has asked for an \$88 million rate increase the company said is urgently needed to save jobs and to continue to provide quality telephone ser-

"All we're asking for in this rate case is the right to earn what is needed to keep people on the payroll and to do our service job," said David K. Easlick, president of Michigan Bell. Michigan Bell stressed in its petition filed with the

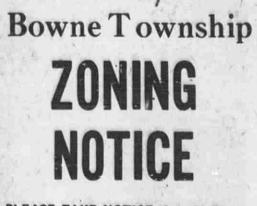
Michigan Public Service Commission (MPSC) in Lansing that the new rates are not intended to incre se its authorized profit level. The company pointed out it has not earned the authorized profit level in se ral years and that the proposed increase would only raise its earnings closer to what the Commission already has set as fair and reasonable.

Even with the increase, Michigan Bell rates would remain among the lowest in the country, Easlick said. The company is proposing modest increases in oneparty residence service ranging from 25 cents a month in Detroit to 80 cents in the smallest outstate exchanges. This would boost the Price in Detroit to only \$7.70 a month compared with the existing rate of \$9.25 in Cleveland and \$9.75 in Atlanta.

Under the company's proposal, calls from coin telephones would go from 10 to 20 cents. In the Grand Rapids district, which includes Lowell, one-party residence would be increased from \$6.15

to \$6.95 a month. Two party monthly residence service would go from \$4.65 to \$5.15. The monthly charge for one-party measured busi-

ness service would remain at \$5.80 but the charge for each local message would be seven cents, up from the present six cents each.



PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Bowne Township Zoning Board will hold a PUBLIC **HEARING** on

Friday, May 16, 1975

Evelyn Smith, Clerk Bowne Township

