

# Lowell Ledger Suburban Life

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## Miller, Kropf, Roberts Win Board Seats

Winning candidates in Monday's school election were Roger Roberts, elec-



Miller

ted to serve the remaining three years of a four-year term; incumbent David Miller and Roger Kropf will fill the two four-year seats that were open this year on the Lowell Area Schools' Board of Education.

A total of 1,128 voters went to the polls with 999 ballots cast in Precinct 1 (Lowell) and 129 ballots cast in Precinct 2 (Alto).

Other election results were as follows:

Biernacki	67
Blatt	43
Butterworth	196
Heintzleman	206
Kaye	295
Kropf	820
Lalley	220
Miller	528
Roberts	745
Zandstra	73



Roberts



Kropf



Saturday, June 14, Flag Day... let this be your day to salute our grand old flag. Through times of stress, we have stood united because we always hold onto one important common bond—freedom. Let's proudly raise Old Glory as the most treasured symbol of our free spirit; showing pride for our country, respect for one another...

With school fast coming to an end, all drivers are urged to watch out for children. "Drive carefully, school's out." This Thursday, June 12, will be the final day for the students in the Lowell Area School system...

A petition from citizens and land owners of Lowell Township has been filed with the Board of Kent County Road Commissioners for designation of Hilton Avenue, located in Lowell Township, as a natural beauty road...

Congratulations to Lori Bergy, an eighth grade student at Lowell Middle School, for receiving honorable mention for an English composition she entered in Festival '75's Creative Writing Competition. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bergy of Alto...

Parental disciplinary action was sought last week for the two juvenile shoplifters apprehended last Friday at Eberhard's super market on West Main Street...

Plan ahead! The Lowell Ledger staff will take their annual vacation between June 23 and July 7. All news and ad copy for the July 4th edition of the paper, which will go to press early, is Monday, June 23. All photos, etc., must be in by Friday, June 20...

Injured in an accident at West Main and Hudson Streets, Sunday afternoon, was motorcyclist Gary Bregg of Lowell. Bregg received multiple injuries when his bike struck a car stopped for the traffic light in the rear. The driver of the car, Carol Johnson of Grand Rapids was uninjured...

A \$35 donation has been received by the Lowell Police Reserve Unit from the Lowell Area Schools' Custodian's Association...

Three juveniles charged with larceny from the Lowell Senior High School, have been turned over to the Juvenile Court. Another juvenile was cited for disorderly conduct, when he was caught throwing firecrackers at Sunday's LHS commencement exercises at the Showboat Amphitheatre...

Last year, at this time, Frederick Althaus, jr., was opening his new law office on East Main Street; Killmaster Ford, West Main at the city limits was having their 'grand opening'; the Rev. Richard Greenwood was welcomed to the pulpit at the First Congregational Church; Dr. Ruth Herrick was killed in an out-of-state automobile crash; and Captain's Korner, an apparel shop for guys and gals had opened...

## Gravel Mining Gets Township Approval

At the regular meeting Monday night of the Vergennes Township Board, members voted to accept the recommendations of the Township's Board of Zoning Appeals that rules, conditions and regulations be drawn up governing the removal of gravel and a permit then be granted to Ron Heyboer, owner of the proposed gravel site on Burroughs Road.

## Summer Parks Program To Be More Exciting

Hey Parents—Give yourself a Break—Summer vacations are great! But, as we know, in a few weeks the kids will be bending our ears with "What Can I do?" Well, relax. We have the answer!

This summer the East Kent Community Center once again is sponsoring the Summer Parks program. This year the program is going to be a little different and much more exciting.

By doubling our staff over last year we are employing more of our area high school and college students to supervise and co-ordinate the activities.

The program will be held at Bushnell School and is to be held from July 7-24 in afternoon sessions, 12:30-3:30; July 27-Aug. 22, morning sessions, 9-12. We are running the activities an additional three weeks. It is important that you note the times as the first three weeks of the program are afternoon activities; the last three weeks, morning activities.

We welcome all children in the surrounding area from the ages of 4 to 12. Daily attendance is not required for a child to participate in the program. There is no fee, although throughout the season a child may be asked to bring a milk carton or some other easily attainable item for the next day's activities.

Some of the fun and games we have planned are volleyball, nature hikes, bicycling, decorating contest, poster making for Showboat and 4-H Fair, a fashion show for little girls and on the last day of the program a trip to one of the parks for a wiener roast, games and prizes!

Mr. Burdett, principal at Bushnell School, has been most gracious in letting us use the Multi-purpose room which will enable us to better accommodate the children on rainy days, not to mention allowing us to triple the indoor activity space we had last year.

Our program is going to be bigger and better than last year's. So, parents, give yourself and the kids a break and bring or send them to Bushnell School on July 7th.

If you have any questions please feel free to call Ellen Fessenden or Karen Charon, Director, at EKCC, 897-8485.

## Notes Must Be Erased

Last year should be recorded as a most significant year in the history of the Lowell Showboat. As tangible evidence to support this fact, the bank of the Flat River now hosts the beautiful new Showboat Amphitheatre. This was one of the largest fund raising projects that has ever been attempted in Lowell, and thanks to many of the citizens of Lowell and businesses in and around Lowell, we were successful in raising over \$40,000 last summer toward our goal of \$60,000.

At the beginning of our fund raising project last year we promised that it would be a two-year project. Now we must face the second year. It is always more difficult to generate the same amount of enthusiasm the second year as all of the glitter has worn off. But the need is still there. Several individuals in Lowell were gracious enough to personally sign notes in order that the Showboat Corporation might pay off its creditors which accumulated during the construction phase. Now we must erase these notes this year and once again strengthen our financial picture.

When you are contacted this year to do your share no matter how large or small, please give this matter careful consideration. Support the Showboat Amphitheatre project in various ways such as the "Bike-a-thon," etc. Your help is needed. For those who helped last year, a great big thank you!

## Participation Needed For Ada's Fourth Celebration

In the village of Ada, where each year a spectacular schedule of events is held on the 4th of July, plans are being formulated for this year's happenings, which promise to be bigger and better in every way.

The arranging of an agenda for the day's activities is underway, and any group or organization wishing to participate in the parade, or have a booth, are urged to call 676-9705, 676-1163 or 676-1898. Bands are also needed to march in the traditional 4th of July parade, as are groups, organizations and individuals.

After an afternoon of fun-filled events for the whole family, the dusk hours of evening will bring a big display of fireworks, provided by the Ada firemen.

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### ABOVE THE BOARD

## Board Decision Accepts Carpeting And The Savings

History repeated itself Monday night when Lowell Area School Board members were informed that the carpeting for Bushnell and Alto's new additions didn't quite meet specifications.

Although the variation in stitching, found through two separate tests, was only slight, it still did not meet the specs and the board was faced with a decision to reject it entirely and wait for more to be manufactured or to accept a reduction in price of \$6,500 from the manufacturer, Marjohn Corp.

Business Manager Jerry Wabeke stated that he had consulted with several carpeting experts and was assured that the variance would not affect either the quality or wear factors and added that the Marjohn Corp would issue the same guarantee that covered the original specifications.

Don Beachum, local merchant from whom the carpet was actually purchased, appeared before the board and stated his position both as a supplier and a local taxpayer. "There is probably nobody more upset by

this than I am," Beachum began, "and my first thought is to send it back and make them right this wrong. However, as a taxpayer, the price reduction is really too good a deal to pass up since the carpet will stand up to what is required of it."

Board members carefully considered the financial savings plus the added problem of being able to open school on time if final construction were to be delayed while waiting for new carpeting. Those two items, together with the assurance of the same guarantee, brought about a unanimous decision to accept both the carpeting and the savings.

The question of whether or not the board would accede to a student request for an early January graduation date for some future seniors, was not resolved but was referred to the policy making committee for study and recommendation.

Supt. Leonard Sinke cautioned that since the State is at least considering the possibility of taking a student count for State Aid payments twice each year, he would like to see the Board agree to review individual cases but not make it a blanket policy when the district might some day lose part of its revenue.

The Board did, however, approve another student request for improvement of the High School courtyard with the installation of the old school bell and benches to make it a relaxing study area. Their approval was given with the stipulation that it meet with the approval of the State Fire Marshall.

The possibility of assigning elementary bus students to the three elementary schools by the area in which they live was discussed briefly. It is felt by bus personnel that a great deal of money is spent in having all buses stop at all three schools. Since those students living within the Lowell City limits are assigned to an elementary school in their area, depending upon which side of the river they live, it is felt that the same thing should apply to bus students in order to operate the bus fleet more effectively and economically.

It was suggested that perhaps parents should serve on a study committee with the board to resolve the question.

With the announcement of the election results near the end of the meeting, retiring board member Phil Kropf remarked that some money had been saved since school stationery will still have Miller and Kropf on the letterhead.

Kropf also took a few minutes to pass out tongue-in-cheek plaques to each of the seven he will be leaving after having served the school well and earnestly for the past four years. He will be missed.

## Letter Triggers Tales From Past



A recent day in the life of Mr. Leonard Morrison, a resident of Cherry Creek Nursing Home was brightened through the receipt of a letter containing ten dollars from someone who wished to remain anonymous. It was not as much the money as it was the sender's reason for writing the letter, that gladdened the heart of a man, who at the age of 91, enjoys recounting years from the past.

In the letter, the writer confessed to having taken "candy from your little store when nobody was around."

"Who I am is not important—why I am sending you this money is. Since I have been saved, the Lord has changed my life. This ten dollars may not be much, but it could stop me from going all the way with Jesus. I hope you know him as your friend and Savior, too."

Mr. Morrison easily recalls that candy was always being stolen when he and his wife owned a little store "on old 21 (M-16) across from the South Boston Grange Hall for a number of years after he had had to give up farming because of an injury to his back.

Born in 1883 on what is now the Lee Lampkin farm, Mr. Morrison was orphaned at 12 years of age and went to work in a lumber camp, cooking for "sometimes 75 or 80 lumberjacks—even making bread." This was in the "wild woods of Mason County" and he remembers playing with the young Indian children of the area and the name of their chief, Charlie Chickawaga.

Mr. Morrison also revealed that about 35 years ago, as a result of a search of the family tree, he learned he was related to Abraham Lincoln through the marriage of his mother's father to Lincoln's sister.

As a young man, he ran a steam-powered threshing machine—later going into business for himself with the purchase of his own threshing machine for harvesting grain for area farmers—a service he continued for some years before going into farming himself.

In 1954, when he was 70 years old, he built a new house on Peck Lake Road, near Saranac, where he had a bicycle repair shop and also did some furniture repairing.

Although he gave up his shop about 20 years ago, he fixed his last bike just two years ago, when he was 90 years old. Mr. Morrison will be 92 on November 1 this year.

## Class Of 1965 Schedules Reunion

Plans have been underway for months to organize a 10-year reunion for the Lowell High School Class of 1965. Hours of time were spent on the telephone locating 145 class members and sponsors. Everyone has been found with only 20 people outside of the State of Michigan. Letters have been mailed out inviting all to an evening of reminiscing and renewing past friendships.

The reunion will be held on August 16, 1975 at Shady Acres, on Bailey Drive in Lowell. There will be a buffet and dance with music provided by "Ripple." Class members are urged to send in their reservations by June 16, 1975, so that plans can be finalized.

Any former faculty members or others desiring information or reservations, please call Sharon Jones Turnquist, 364-8819, or Candy Roth Speerstra, 897-8729.

## Estimate Given For Pedestrian Walk-Lights

by Dave Barnes

Michael L. Jones, district traffic engineer for the Grand Rapids office of the Michigan Department of Highways and Transportation, was to have sent Blaine Bacon, Lowell City Manager, an estimate of \$3,192 early this week for pedestrian walk-lights and other traffic-control improvements at Hudson and Main Streets.

Bacon had requested an estimate for pedestrian walk-lights. Jones did this and recommended the relocation of the traffic signal pole now too close to the street corner, a wider turning radius at each corner and the replacement of overhead cables from the pole to the traffic signal.

The MDHT and Lowell would share equally in the cost.

## Showboat Chorus Rehearsals To Start

The Showboat Chorus will begin practicing for the 1975 Show on Monday, June 16, at 7:30 p.m.

Rehearsals will be held in the Riverside Elementary School (the old junior high) on North Monroe Street.

All persons interested in signing in the chorus this year should be at the June 16 meeting.

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June 21 THROUGH 26	9:00 P.M.	Tickets at \$5.00   \$4.00   \$3.00	Total
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**To Be June Bride**

The engagement and forthcoming marriage of Miss Donna Asplund and Kim Palm has been announced. Parents of the bride-to-be are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Asplund of Lowell. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Carrie Fairfield of Caledonia. Miss Asplund and her fiancé will be married Saturday, June 28.

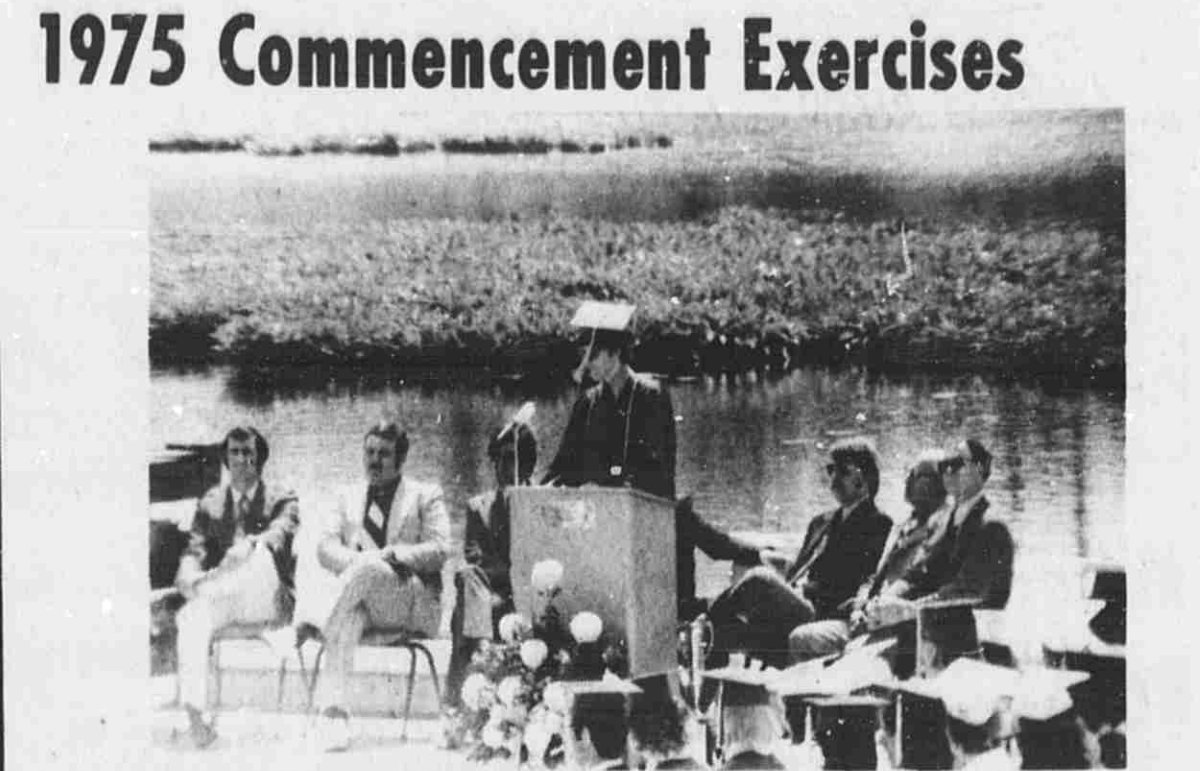
**Marine Grad**

Marine Private Matthew L. Hoover, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob V. Hoover of 3354 White Bridge Rd., Lowell, was graduated from recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, California. Physical conditioning, discipline and teamwork are emphasized during Marine recruit training. Hoover's classes included instruction in close order drill, Marine Corps history, first aid, uniform regulations and military customs and courtesies. He is a 1974 graduate of Lowell Senior High School.

**Happy Birthday**

**JUNE 13**  
Frances Gilmore  
**JUNE 14**  
Bud Harrington  
Linda Hamp  
**JUNE 15**  
Robert Leeman  
Nancy DeLoof  
Tisha Johnson  
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**JUNE 19**  
Don MacNaughton  
David Adama



Lowell High School salutatorian John Bergy gave his commencement address before a near capacity crowd Sunday afternoon at the Lowell Showboat Amphitheatre, along the banks of the Flat River.



Penny for the thoughts of these graduates as they look to the future—May each of their dreams and aspirations become the 'realities of the present.'

**FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK**

My compliments to the individuals who were responsible for the informative forum "Meet The Candidates" held at the Lowell Middle School last Thursday evening. The meeting, moderated by the Reverend Dean Bailey, saw each of the nine candidates present, give a short resume of their reasons for running for the board. This was followed by audience-directed questions, which gave the voters present a good insight on each candidate's stand. The candidates, each well versed on school issues did an excellent job and are to be complimented for this, and the fact that they "care" enough for the future of this school system to want to be a part of its governing board. The only bad part about the whole thing was the availability of only three seats up for election, and only as many candidates could win. I'm sure they all would have served the board very adequately. My congratulations to the winners, Roger Roberts, Roger Kroff and David Miller. ...

**Youth Camps**

This coming week, June 15th through June 21st, there will be two Youth Camps, one at Yankee Springs and one at Manitow, sponsored by the Grand Rapids, Northern Indiana, and Lansing Districts of The Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. The one at Yankee Springs will be for the Junior High age group, those going into the 7th, 8th and 9th grades of school this fall. The one at Manitow will be for the Senior Highs. Those going into the 10th, 11th and 12th grades of school. Many members of the Alaska Branch will be going as campers or staff. This Sunday, June 15th, the summer session of the church school will begin with new materials and staff. The church school begins at 9:45 through 10:45. The theme for the 11 a.m. worship service will be "Justified by Works." The speaker will be Lloyd DeVorner. The speaker for the Hastings Church will be Norman Held, a guest speaker from the Allegan Branch. The theme for the evening service at 7 p.m. will be "The Restoring Role of Our Discipleship." The speaker will be Edward Ford. The theme for the Wednesday evening Fellowship service June 18th will be "We Respond As Free Persons." The speaker will be Ray Smith.

**LOWELL SHOW BOAT**

**BIKE & TRIKE-A-THON**

**SATURDAY, JUNE 15**

**Bike-A-Thon 10 a. m.**  
Start at Lowell Methodist Church, and at Recreation Park—10 Speed Bike to person who raises the most money. (Money goes to pay debt on the Amphitheatre). Must have at least one sponsor, sponsor sheets at schools, Lipperts, Chamber of Commerce office. Police escort (children will be safe).

**Refreshments**  
Old fashioned prices at Recreation Park after the Bike-A-Thon. Hot Dogs, Ice Tea or Lemonade.

**Trike-A-Thon 1 p. m.**  
At Recreation Park. Sponsors to ride must have one to enter. Big Wheel to the child who raises most money in Trike-A-Thon.

**SPONSORS—Pledge money per mile—Sponsor sheets turned in at start of the ride, picked up when you finish. Money is to be turned in one week after the Bike-A-Thon to Mrs. Elzinga, 827 N. Washington, Lowell. Winners will be determined as to money in on last day, June 21. Prizes to be given away at Lowell Day Celebration.**

**Letters to the Editor**

Dear Editor:

I would really like to know what makes kids "tick" when they get behind the wheel of a car? Last night, Sunday, my husband could have been killed as a result of two smart alecs "dragging" on Alden Nash. To avoid hitting the one car head-on, he had to take to the ditch and as a result, we have a smashed up 1975 car, he has facial lacerations, possible head injuries, and, has re-injured his back—which of course has put him out of work for we don't know how long yet—so "Thanks" (??) kids for your foolishness!!

I realize all kids who drive aren't reckless—they respect and realize the value of life, limb and property—but, the others seem to think driving a car is like playing with a toy—if someone or something gets smashed up it makes no difference. If these people want to endanger their own lives, then let them go to a regular race track and "play" to their hearts content! Stay off public roads!!

I want to thank Jim Dart who came upon the accident and found my husband and brought him home. We also want to thank the Police Department, Sheriff's Department and the E-Unit in coming to our aid so quickly and for taking my husband to the hospital for examination and emergency treatment.

Mrs. Jack W. Stevens  
Lowell, Mich.

Dear Editor:

Thank you for the opportunity to respond to the letter written by "The Eight Neighbors" which appeared in the June 5th edition of the Ledger.

I can only conclude that the letter reflects the sentiments of one family in our area. On one, and only one occasion have I ever reprimanded or yelled, and I did yell, at a neighbor's child. When we found pony tracks over a substantial part of the area immediately surrounding our house, which had been newly seeded for a lawn, and about twenty of the eight-inch pine seedlings which we had planted crushed by ponies' hooves, my husband asked the children to avoid those areas and ride only on the driveway.

On one occasion last fall, we saw one of the children of the family in question riding through the pine seedlings. I wasn't fast enough to stop him. Fifteen minutes later, his older teenage brother was riding into the newly seeded area and I did stop him. As I was delivering a lecture on respecting other people's property, my husband interceded and told the boy to stay off the property with the pony. I did not tell the boy that he or his family were trash. That statement in the letter is a fabrication.

It is puzzling that the writers of the letter regard our property as being "overly marked with no-trespassing signs." We own ten acres and have two signs, one in front and one on the back boundary, both of which have been torn down three times. We did have three no-hunting signs posted, as well, all of which have been torn down. Of course, we have no idea who has been tearing the signs down. The father of the family in question, however, did express his irritation to us over our refusal to allow him to hunt on our property.

Sincerely,  
Mary Ellen Biernacki

Dear Editor,

Last week a letter appeared in these columns condemning our local merchants and "the local drug store" in particular. Since we are the local drug store, I must assume that we are the guilty party.

First of all, I take offense to the accusation that it is almost impossible to cash a personal or payroll check in this town. We practically have become the "Second National Bank," especially on Thursdays, and will gladly cash checks if we have the necessary funds or the check does not involve an out-of-town individual as a third party. I would welcome the virtually hundreds who regularly avail themselves of this service to step forward and support what I have said.

Secondly, Lippert's Pharmacy certainly cannot be accused of jumping on a customer and then "watching them like a hawk." Shoplifting has become a multi-billion dollar business in the U.S.A. today. Those merchants which aren't alert to this problem will not be merchants for long. Our employees are trained thoroughly in this area and one of the most important points of their training is discretion. I was not able to find out which one of my employees allegedly falsely accused the nine-year-old girl, but if this did indeed happen, it is an extreme rarity. On my behalf, I am

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confident that there are many parents in Lowell today that will step forward and defend my approach to our city's young people. We have a very positive approach to these young people, and in the event that they are apprehended for shoplifting, we usually are able to make a positive situation out of that too.

We, as the only pharmacy in town, realize our responsibility to this community and try to perform accordingly. Hidden are the many free services we provide our customers such as check cashing, postage stamps at no profit, Consumers Power collections, etc. This is done daily and with a smile.

Charles E. Lippert

Dear Editor:

Last Thursday I attended the Middle School's Choir Concert. I thoroughly enjoyed it. They put on a great program. It's too bad that there weren't a few more parents there.

These young people worked very hard for this particular evening. They have worked several months for this, practicing and practicing and repeating. Mrs. Davie is really works hard with the kids. She really deserves a lot of credit. Each and every one of them deserve all the praise they got for such a fine job. It was beautiful. Keep up the good work young people. You're Great!

An interested citizen

**Business Meeting To Decide Future**

The Flat River Snowmobile Club will hold its business meeting Sunday, June 15, at the Jaycee's clubhouse on Burroughs Road. There will be a potluck dinner at 12:30 with the meeting immediately following. Several important issues affecting the future of the club will be decided at this meeting. All members are urged to attend.

Are you an active member, the kind that would be missed?  
Or are you just contented that your name is on the list?  
Do you attend the meetings and mingle with the flock?  
Or do you stay at home to criticize and knock?  
Do you take an active part to help the work along?  
Or are you satisfied to only just belong?  
Do you bring in new members and help the old ones stick?  
Or leave the work to just a few and talk about the clique?  
Now think this over, members, for you know right from wrong.  
Are you an active member, or do you just belong? (Anon.)

**Data Growth Survey**

Will the implied wish for smaller families continue in 1975? Will the U.S. birth rate continue its downward trend?  
Robert G. McWilliam, Director of the Bureau's Regional Office in Detroit, announced today that the Bureau's monthly population survey in this area will help to answer such questions. Information on birth expectations will be collected here the week of June 16-22 from a sample of area households. The data collected will cover the expectations of women within the next five years. Responses will indicate the future growth and composition of the Nation's population, data vital to planners both in government and private business.

**Local Briefs**

A Farewell Open House will be held at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Dean Bailey, 613 E. Main, Lowell, Sunday, June 15 for Mr. and Mrs. Randy (Ruth) Johnson and family, who are moving to Toledo, Ohio. All of their friends are invited to drop by this informal occasion between 6 and 8 p.m.

It's anniversary time for Mr. and Mrs. James Howard, June 13; Mr. and Mrs. Kim Lathwell, June 14; Dr. and Mrs. William G. Yost, June 16; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Roth, June 17; Mr. and Mrs. Roger MacNaughton, June 18; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bryan and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Holmoka, June 19.

Mrs. Belle Auble is a patient at Osteopathic Hospital following a bad fall at her home that resulted in a broken hip and wrist.

Mrs. Bessie Dennett is now convalescing at the Ridgewood Manor Nursing Home, following hospitalization at Osteopathic for a bad fall that resulted in a back injury.

Clifford Barlow is now home following a week's stay at Blodgett Hospital for surgery.

Mrs. Elyn Bruins Slot is now home following three weeks at Osteopathic Hospital.

Mrs. Ida Vanderlagt is at her home following surgery on her hip at Butterworth.

Johannes Cornelisse, 86, of 2046 Dean Lake, N.E., passed away Sunday afternoon at the Grand Valley Nursing Center. He is survived by his wife, Cornelia; one brother, Adrian; one sister, Mrs. Johanna Vader of Ada; and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Minara Cornelisse. Services were held Wednesday.

Belated birthday wishes to Sheldon Cahoon of Saranac who was 87-years-old on June 7.

Four Lowell area students attending Grand Rapids Junior College were named to the Dean's List for maintaining a 3.5 grade average or better during the completed school semester.

Shawn L. Ayers, Mary S. Bowers, Laurie L. Briggs and Harm Perdok were lauded by JC Dean, Frank J. McCarthy, along with 517 other students.

Anita Hahn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gurney Hahn, 451 Alden Nash Avenue, received a B.S. in Library Science cum laude from Central Michigan University during Commencement exercises on May 17th.

Mrs. Sabie Baker of Lowell attended the open house last Sunday, hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Keith Baker of Portland, in honor of their son, John, who was among the 120 graduating seniors of Portland High School receiving diplomas at exercises last Monday night.

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### Area Ladies Attend Luncheon Get-Together

Mrs. Val Watts of Alto and Mrs. Harry Richmond of Lowell attended a luncheon at the home of Mrs. Wayne Kooi of Grand Haven, Saturday, May 31. Mrs. Kooi is the president of the West Central District of Michigan's Federated Women's Clubs.

About thirty ladies were in attendance from Grand Rapids, Rockford, Cedar Springs, Caledonia, Bancroft, Byron, Oshtemo, Corunna and Lowell.

Mrs. Olszewski, our state president, warned the members about the increasing amount of pornographic materials—openly displayed on newsstands, some of them disguised as coloring books for children, in a deliberate attempt to corrupt the morals of our young people.

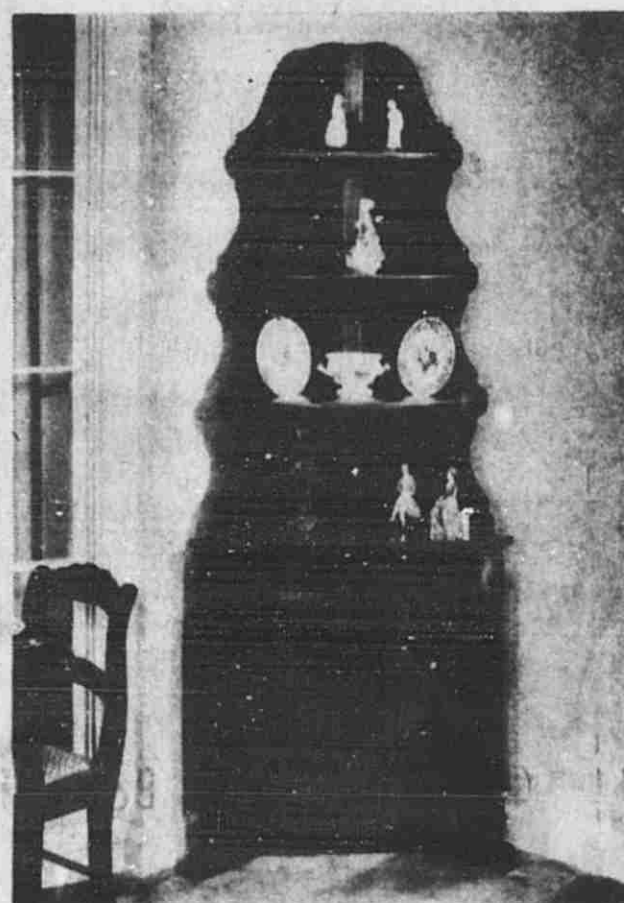
### OLD BIBLE RECEIVED

The family of Jason Jay Finley, one of the first ministers to serve Cascade Christian Church, has given the congregation the pulpit Bible that Mr. Finley used while preaching here in Cascade during the period of 1891-99. It will be placed in the parlor of the chapel.

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### Vergennes Church To Serve Annual Beef Ox-Roast

The twenty-third annual Ox-roast of Beef outing, sponsored by the Vergennes United Methodist Church, will be held this Saturday, June 14, from 4 to 8 p.m.

The dinner, open to the public, will be served at the church, located at the corner of Parnell Road and Bailey Drive, N.E., Lowell. Head chef again this year will be Mrs. Elura McPherson.

Started in 1952, this fellowship outing has grown in popularity. For many years, it was held at the McPherson orchards and later was transferred to the church grounds.

According to the committee-in-charge the price of this year's dinner has been decreased to \$2.00 for adults and \$1 for children under ten years of age. "The quantity and quality remains the same," the committee, revealed.

"Come early, stay late, enjoy the fellowship and fine food, the committee urged.

### Nancy Nordhof Moose Women Senior Regent

Past Governor Richard Sisson and officers of Lowell Lodge No. 809 will conduct the installation of Women of the Moose officers for the year 1975-1976 Monday, June 16, at an open meeting to be held at Moose Lodge Home at 8 p.m. Moose members and guests of Lowell Chapter members are invited to attend the meeting.

The newly elected officers are Nancy Nordhof, Senior Regent; Ruth Wester, Junior Regent; Theda Herblet, Chaplain; Janet Bovee, Treasurer; and Evelyn Roudabush, Recorder. A fine slate of appointed officers and chairmen will be installed.

At the June 2 meeting, a vote of appreciation was extended to retiring Recorder Muriel Abraham for her work over the past years and she was presented with a beautiful floral arrangement.

All co-workers are urged to attend this important meeting June 16.

### Flower Show Schedules Are Now Available

"Polly Put the Kettle On" while we Rock-A-Bye-Baby" and "Pick Up Sticks" for the Flower Show to be held at the Runciman School Auditorium July 25 and 26. All amateur gardeners and junior gardeners welcome.

Schedules may be obtained at the following places: Doris Myer's Beauty Shop, Public Library, Chamber of Commerce and Lippert's Pharmacy, flower department.

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### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**FRIDAY, JUNE 13**  
Cyclam Chapter No. 94, O.E.S. will hold their regular monthly meeting Friday, June 13, at 8 o'clock at the Lowell Masonic Temple. We will be honoring Past Matrons and Past Patrons at this meeting. Potluck at 6 o'clock. Bring a dish to pass and own table service.

**SATURDAY, JUNE 14**  
Barbecue Hog or Chicken at Lowell Masonic Temple Saturday, June 14. Serving from 4-7 p.m. Donations \$3 adults, \$1.50 children under 12. Sponsored by the Kent County Association, O.E.S. c9-10

**MONDAY, JUNE 16**  
Women of the Moose installation of officers Monday, June 16, at 8 p.m. at Moose Lodge Hall.

**THE LOWELL SENIOR CENTER**—Is sponsoring a two week trip to Ireland, July 21 thru Aug. 4. For further information and cost, write or call Lowell Senior Center, 214 E. Main St., Lowell, 897-5250. crf

### Open House To Honor Hulda Fineis

An open house honoring Mrs. Hulda Fineis will be held Tuesday, June 17, at the home of Mrs. William Collins, Avery Street from 2 until 4 p.m.

Mrs. Fineis arrived by plane Tuesday, June 10, from Florida, celebrating her 93rd birthday high in the sky as she winged her way northward.

### Office Duties Are Outlined

The office installation of the Lowell Business and Professional Women's Club was held June 2, at the home of Evelyn Briggs, with a very impressive ceremony.

Elizabeth Sage, past District IV Director, outlined the duties of each office and presented each officer with a bracelet designating the color of their office. Ms. Sage spoke about competent club leadership, and drew the comparison of a club to planting a garden, such as squash, "squash rumors," lettuce "let-up work together," and turnips, "turn-up for meetings."

The award certificates which was received at the Traverse City convention was on display, they included the State and National stabilization award, the State and National equalization award, The National Foundation award, and the State Presidential award signed by the Michigan Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, president Phyllis Harrison, which was for the many explicit accomplishments of the Lowell Business & Professional Women's Club.

Out-going president Ilah Melle presented to the officers that had worked with her the pin guards which signified the office they had held.

The Lowell B&PW Club wishes to thank our many visitors who attended the open house, and invite them to come again next September when our regular meetings resume.

### Engagement Told



Mr. and Mrs. John Briggs Sr. of Lowell, are pleased to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Caralyn, to Barry Onan.

The future bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Winnie Onan of Lowell and the late Hugh Onan. The couple plans a September 13th wedding.

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### OPEN LETTER from DAVID GERST

Dear Friends,

The funeral is of the person who died, and for those who live on. It is important that the bereaved family not discourage relatives, friends and associates from showing their sympathy and offering comfort at this time. Freely given and freely received, such shared consolation is beneficial both to the bereaved and the visitor.

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### In and Around SARANAC

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rudd of Saranac were the honor guests at a 40th anniversary open house June 8. Hosting the event were their daughter, Lyle and Denise Denny and grandchildren.

Vivian Tischer and Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Tucker were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Durke of Fremont to attend the celebration of their son, Brian, from high school. He will enter Central Michigan College in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Corder called on Eliza Johnson Monday.

Mrs. Grodon Hunter entered Blodgett Hospital, Tuesday for back surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Hills Tischer attended the funeral of Dortha Mast Sunday afternoon at Marcellus, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Ono Lester of Alto were Monday forenoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bowen. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Eddy of Grass Lake spent Sunday afternoon. Monday afternoon, Mrs. Dorothy White of Dallas, Texas and Harry White of Wyoming were guests.

Sunday afternoon guests of Mrs. Sydney Campbell were Mr. and Mrs. William Youngs of Ionia and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Seiler.

Marion Houseman spent Sunday afternoon with Vera Best.

Mary Lou and Helen Dodge and Barbara Walkington were at Hallette, Mich. at Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Benson's for the graduation of their son, Christopher.

Elaine (Dodge) Kutchins of Hallette was a Monday guest of Helen and Mary Lou Dodge.

Mrs. Shirley Swiger and Debby Wyman were at the Osteopathic Hospital, Grand Rapids, Sunday afternoon to see Mrs. Michael Swiger.

Ionia Hospital, Medical: Thomas Trierweiler, Discharge: Mr. Matthew Hopkins and baby, Mrs. Donald Vroman, Laronon Pitsch.

Hattie Rhodes of Fenwick and Fern Garrison were Friday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wheaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Talcott's son, Robert, Army Specialist, Four, completed the noncommissioned officer evaluation system course at Ft. Benning, Georgia.

The Saranac Seniors graduated Thursday evening with commencement exercises held at the high school football field. Rev. James Frank gave the invocation and benediction.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Campbell attended Mrs. Campbell's 41st anniversary of the class of 1934 at Thornapple-Kellogg High School, Middleville. Nineteen members of the 25 were present.

Shanda and Bobby Vreeland spent the weekend with their grandmothers, Mrs. Katherine Fessal.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cahoon of Lowell were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cahoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Kneale and children, Kathy and Ken, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Karl Houseman.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sykes spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pierce of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Muri Childs were in Hastings Sunday afternoon for the high school graduation of their grandson, Mike Sutton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Sutton, then open house. Sunday was Child's 18th wedding anniversary and Harold's birthday.

Helen Huhn and Sheldon Cahoon were in Vermontville Sunday afternoon for the graduation of Mr. and Mrs. Celester Fox's children, Vickie and Mike.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Chadwick and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Chadwick and family spent Sunday at West Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Benjamin, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Benjamin were in Lowell for the graduation of Vickie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Timinskas. Open house after Peter's son, Bill is home on a 17 day furlough from Edward's Air Force Base.

Jessie Cahoon was a Sunday guest of Anna Everett of Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Abshire and family attended the Festival in Grand Rapids, Sunday afternoon.

Eliza Johnson and Crystal Mansfield attended open house for Eliza's granddaughter, Denise Johnson, who graduated from Lee High School in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Veryl Morrow were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Landis and family of Belding.

Dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cahoon were: Celebrating Sheldon Cahoon's birthday, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cahoon and family, Helen Huhn, then all went to Vermontville for Vickie Fox's high school graduation and open house.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Seiler were at graduation and open house for Ruby Frase, Tipewa High, Stanwood, Mich., Sunday afternoon.

Jimmy Williams of Holt, Mich. is spending this week at the Kerwin Knop home.

Thursday afternoon, supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Steink were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hawley of Ionia. Saturday afternoon guests were Margaret Reiger of Ionia, Mrs. Mary Measer of Chipewa Lake. Sunday afternoon, lunch and evening guests were Mr. and Mrs. George Eastway of Smyrna.

Children, 3rd grade through 6th grade, June 9th through 13th will meet at the Community Church.

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Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
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Capped with high honors were Betty Mollo, 2101 Grand River Drive, Ada, Kathleen A. Hillen, 8263 Ninety-second Street, Alto, and Sharon Jackson, 34 Morrison Lake Gardens, Saranac.

A BA degree in the Elementary Intern program was given to Ms. Mollo. Ms. Hillen earned a BS degree in Park and Recreation Resources and Ms. Jackson's BA degree was in the Elementary Intern program.

Graduating with honors were Linda J. Roth, 821 Lincoln Lake Avenue, Lowell, BS Criminal Justice, and

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Hollis W. Witkowski, 9914 Vergennes, Lowell, BA Social Work.

Other degree candidates included Katherine Atchison, 188 Pettis, Ada, MA Elementary Education; Thomas Manus, 7982 Thirtieth Street, Ada, BA Communication; Douglas Kooms, 7466 Kettle Lake Drive, Alto, BS Park and Recreation Resources; Dale Posthumus, 11960 One Hundredth Street, Alto, BS Public Affairs Management; and Barry Nicola, 5335 Ada Drive, BA Journalism.

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**LOST & FOUND**

LOST—Set of Dodge car keys, four keys on a chain, lost them on June 11 in the vicinity of the shopping mall in Ada. If found, please call 897-9261. Ask for Pat. c10-11

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## Strong Pitching, Hitting

The strong pitching of Cug Hawley and the power hitting of Lowell, gave them an 8-0 win over Lakeview in Tri-County baseball league action June 1.

C. Wurm and C. Ham each had three hits in leading Lowell to an easy victory against the Lakeview nine who have been having scoring problems this season.

Smith also contributed two of Lowell's twelve hits; Lakeview collected four.

## LEGAL NOTICES

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**PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING**  
State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Kent

**ESTATE OF ANNA C. BECKETT, DECEASED**  
File No. 127-073

**TAKE NOTICE:** On July 7, 1975, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, Grand Rapids, Michigan, before the Hon. Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Edna Simmons for the allowance of her Final Account; That payment of Attorney Fees and Expenses be made; That upon the filing of the proper receipts, the residue be assigned, her bond and letters be canceled and that she be discharged as Executor and the estate be ordered closed.

Dated: June 3, 1975  
Attorney for Petitioner:  
John P. O'Keefe, Edna Simmons, Petitioner  
John P. O'Keefe, Edna Simmons, Petitioner  
Ionia, Mich. 48846  
Ph. 616-927-3410  
Mulliken, MI. c10

**Timothy J. Conroy**  
430 Union Bank Building  
Grand Rapids, Mich.

**PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING**  
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**ESTATE OF JOHN GRUCINSKI, DECEASED**  
File No. 127-854

**TAKE NOTICE:** On June 24th, 1975, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, Grand Rapids, Michigan, before the Hon. A. Dale Steppala, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of John L. Grucinski for granting of administration to Robert G. Grucinski or some other suitable person and for a determination of heirs.

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented said Robert G. Grucinski at 1808 150th Avenue, Dorh, Michigan, prior thereto, with copies of the claims, filed with the Court on or before August 19, 1975. Notice is further given that the estate will be thereupon assigned to persons appearing of record entitled thereto.

Dated: June 9, 1975  
Attorney for Petitioner:  
Timothy J. Conroy  
430 Union Bank Bldg. John L. Grucinski, Petitioner  
Grand Rapids, Mich. 49503  
Ph. 454-4119  
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3 PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION	\$	\$
4 HEALTH	\$	\$ 30,000
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6 LIBRARIES	\$	\$
7 SOCIAL SERVICES FOR AGED OR POOR	\$	\$
8 FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION	\$	\$
9 MULTIPURPOSE AND GENERAL GOVT	\$ 27,037	\$
10 EDUCATION	\$	\$
11 SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT	\$	\$
12 HOUSING & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT	\$	\$
13 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	\$	\$
14 OTHER (Specify)	\$	\$
15 TOTALS	\$ 27,037	\$ 30,000

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12 HOUSING & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT	\$	\$
13 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	\$	\$
14 OTHER (Specify)	\$	\$
15 TOTALS	\$	\$ 5645.00

## Track, Tennis Awards Given

At the track and tennis awards program last Tuesday Jim Ferraris was named the "most improved" honor, while Brian Doyle, a junior, was voted by his teammates as most valuable. George Dey, representing the Lions Club, made the presentation of the most valuable award.

The two seniors on the team were awarded their letters, Christopher Briggs and John Pollock. John was awarded a plaque on Senior Class Night stating they earned a letter in track.

Six Juniors received their letters. Brian Doyle, who was awarded his captain's star, David Frazier, William Grummet, David Hendrix, Brian O'Dell, and Don Vickers.

Other Sophomores who received their letters were David Perdas were



### Freeport Homecoming

The annual Freeport Homecoming celebration will be held next week, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, June 19, 20, and 21. The event is packed with free entertainment including the popular "Harmony Hounds" who will be appearing Friday night and a 26 act talent show slated Friday night.

Other events include a church dinner Saturday evening, a chicken Barbeque Friday night, numerous street events, including children's races, contests, two tractor pulling events, balloon ascension, and fireworks display. A benefit dance will close the events Saturday



"Come on in, the water's fine!" Mayor Carlen Anderson was on hand for the opening of the YMCA Swim Pool on South Broadway St., Saturday, June 7. Anderson's daughter, Karen, was among the first into the water. The YMCA Pool will be open this weekend, 2-4 p.m., and from 8:45 a.m. to 9 p.m. beginning Monday, June 16.

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### Vickie Sterzick Elected To Phi Beta Kappa

Victoria Elizabeth Sterzick of Lowell has been elected to the Epsilon chapter of Phi Beta Kappa at Michigan State University.

Miss Sterzick, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Sterzick of 5889 Alden Nash, is an MSU senior majoring in German and a 1972 graduate of Lowell Senior High School. She plans to become a secondary education teacher.

Admission to the nation's oldest academic honorary society is open to graduating seniors and outstanding juniors. Invitations for membership are extended on the basis of academic excellence and personal recommendation by professors in each student's field of study.

Phi Beta Kappa was the first society to use Greek letters as its name. It was established at the College of William and Mary in 1776.

### X-Ray Mobile Unit To Be In Lowell

The Tuberculosis, Health and Emphysema's X-Ray Mobile Unit will be in Lowell Monday, June 16, at Lippert's Pharmacy on East Main Street.

Persons wishing to have an x-ray may do so between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. The staff closes the bus for lunch from 1 to 1:45 p.m.

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