Yeiter Elected To Top Legion Post



Vernon W. Yeiter of 11313 Sixtieth Street, Alto, has been elected commander of the American Legion's Fifth District, which includes 6,500 members in Kent and Ottawa Counties' 34 posts.

Yeiter, 44, a Legion member for 21 years, is a member of the Alto American Legion Post No. 528, which he has served five years as commander.

Prior to his election to the top district post on June 12 in Grand Haven, Yeiter served the district for two years as Junior Vice-Commander and one year as Senior Vice-Commander. He also held a one year term as commander of the Kent County Council.

Employed by the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad system for the past 20 years as a teletype communications operator, Yeiter is a member of the Bowne Township Volunteer Fire Department, and was past president

of the Alto Sportsman's Trap Shooting Club.

His wife, Nancy, is also active in the Alto American
Legion Post, having served the past four years as Post
Adjutant. Their daughter, Debra Baer and granddaughter, Melissa, are enrolled as members of the Carl John-

Also elected to a district post was Edward W. Rash of Clark-Ellis American Legion Post No. 152 of Lowell. Rash was seated as the district's Chaplain.



Summer will officially begin this year at 8:27 p.m. June 21, when the sun reaches its most northerly point in its apparent yearly journey around the earth, resulting in the longest day, 15 hours and 17 minutes, and naturally, the shortest night . . .

A petition from residents in Cascade Township requesting that Gove Lake be re-named to Quiggle Lake has been presented to the Board of Kent County Road Commissioners . . .

Sharleen Witter and Marie Ashley of Lowell were injured slightly, June 11, when their car was hit from the rear by a vehicle driven by Richard Westbrook of Ionia. The mishap occurred on West Main Street at the C & O Railroad crossing . . .

Involved in a minor injury accident on West Main St., Saturday, at the exit of the Eberhard Super Market was Judith Potter and Donald Onan of Lowell . . .

Cedric Doyle of 11862 Five Mile Road, Lowell, was the winner of the \$100 Father's Day Gift Certificate given away by the Kaptain's Korners Store on West Main

Early Sunday morning, William (Greg) Yurkinas of North Jackson Street, Lowell, lost control of his car on West Main Street, and careened into three parked vehicles in the car-lot at Wittenbach Sales and Service. Yurkinas escaped the melee without injury, but the vehicles involved all sustained some damage . .

A female shoplifter apprehended at Eberhard's Super Market on West Main last week has been turned over to her parents for punitive action . .

Progressive Rock will be played at the Cabaret in G. R. Calder Plaza this Thursday, beginning at 11:45 a.m. by the Great Lakes Band from Lowell. Members of the band are Chris Collins, Chuck Luscomb, Mitch McMahon, Rick Seese and Doug Stocum. This Friday and Saturday night, the band will begin a three week engagement at the Ionia Inn in Ionia . . .

A Story Hour for both boys and girls will be held at the Lowell Library on West Main Street Monday morning, June 23, starting at 10:30 a.m. Stories to enlighten all, will be read by Mr. Berfanger. . .

The Lowell Senior Center is sponsoring a trip to Agawa Canyon August 11, 12 & 13, which includes 2 nights at the Holiday Inn in the Canadian Soo, a side trip to Mackinac Island and a boat trip through the

Write or call Lowell Senior Center for reservations and cost, 897-5250.

John (Jack) Fahrni of 610 E. Main Street, will celebrate his 81st birthday this Friday, June 20. A retired realtor, Mr. Fahrni was active for many years in many civic organizations. A card shower in his honor is being given by his friends. Mr. Fahrni and his wife, Esther,

recently celebrated their 57th wedding anniversary . . . Flat River VFW Post 2303 of Lowell will sponsor four children to Camp Trotter, which opens July 6, '75. Camp Trotter is a VFW Camp for boys and girls between the ages 8-13. It is located on Bill's Lake, east of Newsgo. The cost per week is \$50 and Post 8303 will pay onehalf of the weekly rate per child. If anyone wants to send their child to a week of fun and excitement call 897-7750 after 5 p.m. or contact a VFW member. . .

City Pressed To Enforce Two Hour Parking Limit

The subject of Main Street parking, and the problems related thereto, is again producing some debatable issues, both for Main Street merchan; and the City.

Officials of the Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce present at Monday night's City Council meeting, pressed the City to take some action in the enforcement of the the two hour parking limit.

Apparently the concern of the Chamber is not the abuse by the general public, but the abuse by a relative-ly few individuals, including some Main Street business people, who park all day in a 2 hour parking spot and thus create a possible obstruction to the free access of a potential customer to a neighboring place of business.

The City has contended that it doesn't have the

manpower to put someone on the Street marking cars -that in order to do an adequate job, the City would have to hire added personnel and had suggested this would require more millage-a suggestion that drew less than enthusiastic response.

Chamber of Commerce member, Delores Dey, at one point, asked Council what they wanted from the Chamber-that the Chamber had made suggestions such as painting cross-walk markings and yellow crub markings and have asked repeatedly for enforcement of the

Main Street parking-but nothing happens.
Further discussion resulted in the City's agreement to see that the 2 hour parking limit on Main Street be enforced; the matter to be brought to the attention of Chief of Police Barry Emmons for immediate imple-

The Chamber also made its concern known regarding the eventual removal of Main Street parking and the need for plans to provide off street parking if this 'mandate' by the state is a real necessity. The removal of Main Street parking would be a great detriment to the central business district, that it has been several years that the state has been pushing for removal of parking and the time limit is now only two years away.

Sam Ciluffo, of Kaptains Korners, and a Chamber member, who stated he has had communication with state highway officials, and also Senator Robert Vander-Laan, relative to the elimination of Main Street parking, wondered about asking the Senator to help in the matter, since VanderLaan had said to let him know-if this (the removal) parking issue would be a "detriment" to the business district. However, Mayor Carlen Anderson said he would suggest waiting until after the meeting of City officials and Chamber of Commerce representatives with state Highway officials.

Terry Raab, Chamber president, presented the

Council with another challenge, which was accepted by Mayor Anderson on behalf of the City, to a slopitch softball game between the Chamber of Commerce and the City to be held at Recreation Park on Thursday, July 3, at 7:30 p.m.

Council deferred, for the second time, taking action on two requests of the State Highway Department having to do with the cutting back of the northeast corner of Main and Hudson Streets and for the City's participation in proposed signal improvements, including "Walk-don't Walk" signals at Main and Hudson Streets.

There was considerable opposition expressed to the cutting back of the northeast corner by the Library. Both Councilman Harold Jefferies and Herb Mueller raised their individual objections.

It was revealed that this was a City request and did not come from the State. The City (just where the idea originated was not made clear) seems to feel that trucks and buses have a hard time negotiating right

turns at the Main and Hudson intersection. Several persons in the audience also spoke in opposition to the proposal, stating that school buses prefer turning right on Riverside, thereby avoiding the traffic light. And that by forcing trucks and buses to use the Hudson and Main intersection would only cause added traffic congestion and create a greater safety problem. No action was taken and the matter tabled until the next regular meeting.

In other action, by resolution, Council moved to establish a Building and Site Fund and also moved to have \$19,275 transferred from the General Fund to the newly established Building & Site Fund. In another financial matter, Councilmembers moved to transfer \$20,230 of Revenue Sharing money, plus earned interest—to the Motor Equipment Fund. This amount was from the six month entitlement period number three, and a decision as to its use must have been made by June 30th to meet federal guidelines, Manager Blaine Bacon stated.

Mr. Gordon Hill was again present at Monday night's meeting and reiterated his objections to the manner in which federal revenue sharing monies are being usedand told Council he thought the citizens should have more say in the use of revenue sharing monies

The next regular meeting of the Lowell City Council will be Monday, July 7th at 8 p.m. at the City Hall. A Special Council meeting is scheduled for next Monday, June 23, at 8 p.m. for a Public Hearing to discuss the alternatives for improving the Wastewater

Rotarians Ask: 'What Can We Do

A panel discussion entitled "What Can We Do To Make Lowell A Better Town," will be conducted by the Lowell Rotary Club at their noon luncheon, July 9, at the Lowell Masonic Temple

Participants on the panel will be Bruce Walter, moderator, Terry Raab, Ival Paulsen, Carol Sebastian, Cary Stiff, Rosie Ball, David Miller, Ray Jones, Carlen Anderson and Chuck Lippert.

Spend The Fourth At-Home In Lowell

Make plans to spend July 4th and 5th at home, in Lowell," urges Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce President Terry Raab. "We feel we have a pleasant weekend planned starting with the old-fashioned softball game Thursday evening, July 3rd, a parade, Arts and Crafts booths, and fireworks on July 4th, and the booths on the fifth."

"Bubbles" the funny clown will be in Richards' Park and at the Amphitheater from 3-5 p.m. and 6-9 p.m. His balloon animals are sure to delight the young-

Arts and Crafts booths will be set up in Richards' Park, along Lafayette Street by Riverside School, and on Main Street. There will be macrame, country paintings, oils, water colors, string art, tin can art, cold ceramics, and much, much more for one to see and buy.

Refreshments will be available from many stands, including the Lions Club chicken barbecue. Some of the clubs are going to have fun booths set up for you to try your skill. Fireworks will be shot off at dark on July 4th. Best view will be from the new Showboat Amphitheatre on Lafayette Street with seating available for over 4,000.

Float entries, music groups, bike riders, and all are invited to participate in the parade at 10 a.m., July 4. Marchers should assemble behind the First Methodist Church (Avery Street) at 9:30 a.m. Line of march will be west on Main Street from Jackson to Hudson, North on Hudson to Spring.

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Program chairman, Norm Borgerson, this week, issued a call for the citizens of the community to add in-put into the discussion. "Any suggestions that the citizens have, we'd like to hear," Borgerson revealed, "we're open to all suggestions."

In order for the citizens to let us know what they would like to see discussed, we're asking that they fill out the form below and mail it to the Lowell Ledger, Box 128, Lowell, Michigan 49331, and label it "Rotary Discussion," Borgerson explained.

ROTARY PANEL DISCUSSION "HOW TO MAKE LOWELL A BETTER TOWN" **Suggested Topics**

Check the topics you would like to see discussed, or add

() City Charter () Parking () Make-up of Council () Business & Banking Hours () Schools () Light & Power () YMCA () 4-H () Roller Skating, Bowling () Police () Assessments and Taxes () General appearance of Main Street () Showboat () Other

Please list specific questions to be discussed: Comments & Questions:

According to Borgerson, an accurate account of the panel discussion will be made July 16 in the Lowell

Plan Ahead . . . Early Deadline

The Lowell Ledger staff will take their annual vacation between June 28 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 this Friday, June 20 . . .

Lowell Showboat Opens With Boots Randolph

Boots Randolph opens the exciting Summer Cele-bration of the Lowell Showboat on Friday evening, June 20, at the Showboat's new amphitheatre on the Flat River in Lowell. It is the non-profit organization's

Sharing the all-star bill with the nationally renowned "Mr. Sax" are "Weepin' Willie" Harry King Cole of the Hee Haw television show and the Williams Family, a Grand Rapids group which has won national honors for its bluegrass music. In keeping with the Summer Celebration theme, there will be food booths, a picnic area and other divertissements offered prior to show



The popular Randolph has given concerts in the U.S. and Japan, appeared on such television shows as Perry Como, Mike Douglas and Ed Sullivan, and turned out a number of compositions such as "Yakety Sax" co-authrored with James Rich, and "Little Big Horn." Formerly dedicated to straight jazz, Randolph has moved into country-oriented jazz. The response to this "moving out" into more pop-rock soul-sophisticated sounds has brought phenomenal response from



Harry "King" Cole has spent his entire lifetime as an entertainer. He has worked vaudeville, stock companies, burlesque, tent shows, carnivals, night clubs, radio and more recently television. As "Weepin' Willie," Cole is the first new permanent member of the Hee Haw television show to be added since the program went on the air five years ago.

The five Williamses, headed by Dad Larry, have played together at home "forever" as they describe it, but hit the professional talent trail nine years ago. They have traveled the bluegrass festival circuit from coast to coast, collecting trophies as they go. Rounding out the group are Rick, Pat, Dave and Ron.

Tickets for the star-studded show are available at Grinnell's in Grand Rapids, Battle Creek and Kalamazoo, Herps in Grand Rapids and at the Lowell Showboat box office, 897-9237.

Chapter Honors Lorrie Ruble

Lorrie Ruble, a 1975 graduate of Lowell Senior High School, has been awarded a certificate and an "A" pin by the Grand Rapids Chapter of the American Society of Women Accountants.

Miss Ruble was among the select group of outstanding accounting students to accept the award June 10 at a pizza party at the Grand Valley State College's Campus Center.



Frank's Kent Bar 20-2 Tuesday night, June 10.

Marcia Hoover, sponsored by BB&B Co., started the team off with a home run the first time up to bat. Karen Gehringer, sponsored by Lowell Bakery, assisted Marcia Hoover in a beautiful double play in the fifth

inning. The game was just what the Pep-ers needed. Friday, June 13, the Pep-ers had to play the number one team in that league, the Thunderbirds. This game was a very tough one. The Pep-ers got a couple of runs every inning throughout the game. In the seventh inning the Thunderbirds came back within two runs. Karen Gehringer caught a line drive and then threw to Kelly Nugent, sponsored by the Legion Bowling Lanes, who made a great catch for a double play.

Pep-ers' left fielder, Debbie Canning, sponsored by Transue Realty, did an outstanding job catching some very tough fly balls. Everyone on the team did their jobs and the Pep-ers beat the Thunderbirds 9-8. The Pep-ers have worked very hard and are very

proud that they are now beginning to show what they can do. Pep-ers invite the merchants and area people to



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Playing for the Pep-ers this year are: front row, from left, Estelle Stark, Terry Smith, Kelly Nugent, Sarah Bowes, Bobbie Beckett; second row, Debbie Canning, Delores Peckham, Sheryl Murphy, Nancy Hobart; back row, Mar-cia Hoover, Linda Bailey, Karen Gehinger, Aileen McCarthy and Marie Straubel.

Chapter Has New Officers

appressive installation ceremonies for the new officers and committee chairmen of the Lowell Women of the Moose, Chapter 1388, were conducted Monday evening, June 16, with Richard Sisson acting as install

Assistance during the ceremonies, which saw Mrs. Nancy Nordhof installed as the new Senior Regent, was given by several members of the Lowell Loyal Or

Taking office, besides Mrs. Nordhof, were: Cora Stormzand, Junior Graduate Regent; Ruth Wester, Junior Regent; Theda Herblet, chaplain; Janet Bovee, treasurer; and Evelyn Roudabush, recorder. Appointee officers: Virginia Will, Guide; Sue Wester, Assistant guide; Mary Shores, Sentinel;

Elizabeth Strand, Argus; and Sharon Miles, pianist Appointed chairmanships will be held by Mae Dean Alexander, publicity; Elva Topp, Mooseheart; Eva Har ris, Library; Janice Noffke, Social Service; Carol Stormzand, Child Care; Gladys Alexander, Moosehaven Rose Marie Nead, Hospital; Marilyn Hendrick, member ship; Dot McCaul, Academy of Friendship; Winnie Snieder, College of Regents; and Muriel E. Abraham, Star Recorder. Delia Smit will serve as Ritual Director

Following the installation, a luncheon and social hour, with Winnie Snieder and Del Smit presiding as hostesses, was held The next meeting of the Women of the Moose will

be Monday evening, July 7, at the club rooms. A special program, "College of Regents Chapter Night," will

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Historical 'Freedom Train' To Stop In Ada

ant steam engine-a reminder of the struggle to conquer the vast American continent-is one of the major attractions of the American Freedom Train.

Thousands of those visiting the train and its un-precedented collection of Americana clamor to see the 425-ton T-1 locomotive at each stop. They sit in the engineer's seat, blow the steam whistle and dream of days gone by. Despite adverse weather-60-mile-an-hour winds,

heavy rain, and snow-the attendance at the American reedom Train is averaging more than 15,000 a day The Train's stop in the Grand Rapids area will be July 8th and 9th where public viewing will take place between 8 a.m. and 10 p.m., at the Amway Corporation

"The sight of a steam engine pulling this 25-car train excites the imaginations of young and old," said Jon A. Foust, president of the non-profit American Freedom Train Foundation, Inc. "We have found crowds of people lining the tracks along our route, and they are almost as excited as those who actually visit the train at its stops."

Two steam locomotives will be used throughout the 21-month 17,000 mile journey. A Reading T-1 engine is being used in the East and a Southern Pacific GS-4 laylight class will be used in the West.

"The Daylight is too big for the eastern tunnels and bridges," Foust said. "We had to have a smaller engine and found the T-1 in a Baltimore scrap yard. A hundred railroad buffs from the area, including ac countants and executives, volunteered their time. These rail enthusiasts worked 17 hours a day for a month to put the T-1 in running condition."

Many of the volunteers were retired railroad work ers. They stripped the locomotive down and then cleaned out the fireboxes, boiler, tender, driving rods

Ada Softball Scores

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"The steam engines will be used as much as possi-ble in moving from city to city," stated Foust, "but where tight schedules, weather or extreme grades occur, diesel or electric engines might be used for additional power," he added.

The red, white and blue American Freedom Train will be stopping in some 80 cities over the next 21 months. Its 12 cars carry displays of historical docu-ments, artifacts and memorabilia tracing 200 years of American progress.
"The goal of the American Freedom Train, a national Bicentennial project," Foust explained, "is to serve

as a focal point for local Bicentennial programs in cities and communities across the nation. "The 700 items on display aboard the train have been selected from public and private collections in 36 states and Puerto Rico," Foust continued. "We want people to gain a better understanding of the various aspects which make up the unique heritage of our



The following are the standings through June 15th. SPORTSMAN'S FAST-PITCH

Saranac Brand Foods Killmaster Ford Pink Panthers State Savings Bank Lowell Moose Draft Dodgers Beachum's Furniture The Carpenters SPORTSMAN'S SLOW-PITCH

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MAJOR LITTLE LEAGUE

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Lowell Cardinals Clarksville Colts Lowell Red Arrows

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Cadet softball for boys 6, 7, 8 years old begins this week with games Tuesdays and Thursdays at Riverside Three girls softball leagues start competition this

The Lowell YMCA sponsors nine different baseball and softball leagues with approximately 1,000 parti-Baseball and softball schedules can be obtained at the Lowell YMCA office, 323 W. Main, Lowell.

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Little League Opens Baseball Season



On hand for a baseball game early Saturday Morning were two of the YMCA Little League teams, the Giants and the Tigers. Members of these enthusiastic teams include, front row: Victor Shepherd, David Yeiter, Scott Ranburger and David Lehigh. Back row, Coaches: Al Towne, Dan Smith, Ron Lehigh and Harold Kett-

Four Homeruns Give Lowell 13-5 Victory

The Lowell bats were booming, June 8, as they crashed four home runs in handing Sidney its first loss of the 1975 Tri-County Baseball season. With this kind of support, Lowell's pitcher Garbo

had no problem holding down Sidney, although yielding 13 safeties. In recording their 13-5 win, Lowell picked up 10 hits, while Sidney collected 13. The June 15 game between Lowell and Belding was

rained out, and has been rescheduled to be played on July 6 at Belding This Sunday, June 22, Lowell will play Portland on the field at Fallasburg Park. Game time is 2 p.m.

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Notice To GRATTAN TOWNSHIP

Citizens & Property Owners

The Grattan Township Zoning Ordinance is in the process of being revised. Changes trict boundaries are being considered. A public meeting will be held on

Tuesday, July 1, 1975

at 7:30 p.m. (e.d.t.) in the Grattan Township Hall for the purpose of explaining and discussing the proposed

All interested citizens and property owners are invited to attend.

Copies of the proposed revisions to the ordinance are available at the Grattan General Store. The proposed Zoning Map is on display at the old Grattan Township Hall. Grattan Township

Planning Commission

Area Deaths . . .

LESTER THOMPSON

Lester Thompson, aged 79, of 13650-92nd Street, Alto, passed away June 13 at the Springbrook Nursing

Surviving are one son, Donaid Thompson of Alto, three step-sons, Gilbert, Robert Burdette Timm, all of Hastings; one step-daughter, Mary Lou Wilcox of Zeeland; one brother, Floyd of Freeport; one sister, Minerva Stahley, Middlebury, Indiana; two grandchildren, 14 step-grandchildren, 23 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at the Calvary Brethren Church, Alto. Rev. Robert Moeller officiating Interment Bowne Mennonite Cemetery. **TONY PAQUIN**

Tony A. Paquin, aged 66, a veteran of World War II of 4111 Causeway NE, Lowell, passed away sudden ly late Saturday evening, May 31 at Blodgett Memori-The funeral mass was said Wednesday morning, June 4, in St. Ambrose Chapel of St. Andrews Cathedral. Interment Rosedale Memorial Park.

HOWARD CLINTON Howard Clinton, aged 76 of 14050-64th Street, Alto, passed away Thursday morning, June 12, at Butterworth Hospital

He is survived by his wife, Sara; two daughters, Miss Berthena Clinton of Wyoming, Mrs. Janet Van-Wyck of Alto; one brother, Raymond Clinton of Hast-

Funeral services were held Saturday at 2 o'clock at the Roth-Gerst Funeral Home, Lowell. Rev. George L. Coon of the First Baptist Church of Alto officiating. Interment Ada Cemetery Memorials may be made to Multiple Sclerosis As-

ANNIE MALONE

Annie Malone, aged 89 of Gavin Lake Road, Ada, passed away Wednesday evening, June 4. Mrs. Malone is survived by two brothers, Paul Dubshinski of Chippewa Lake, Michigan, Joseph Dubshin ski of St. Louis, Michigan; one sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Rohvetter of St. Charles, Michigan; three nephews. Funeral mass will be said Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Patrick's Church, Parnell, with Father Kenneth Schiechtel celebrant. Interment St. Patrick's

HULLIE MILLER

Hullie Miller, age 78, of 61 DeWitt Street, Saranac, passed away Friday afternoon at the Belding Hospital. He is survived by his wife, Hilda; five sons, Robert of Central Lake, Hullie Jr., of Orleans, James John, Carl and Rocky, of Saranac; seven daughters, Pauline Brooks of Belding, Betty Morris and Rosie Garvin of Coldwater, Mary Jane Duncan of Bay Shore, Darlene Kay Miller and Carol Ann Miller of Lowell, Evelyn Miller at home; two brothers, George of Belding and Ernest of Sturgis; one sister, Mazie Deur of Sturgis; 22 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at the Roetman Funeral Home in Saranac with Rev. John Merrett of Greenville officiating. Interment Saranac Cemetery.

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Letters to the Editor

Having lived in Lowell since 1929, I feel compelled to express my views in answer to some letters recently

Because I served the public a major portion of that time, first as a clerk in various types of businesses, and secondly as owner of my own business for several years, I am well aware of the problems facing the

I was the recipient of checks, written with insufficient funds, some of which were never made good, and lost several articles to thieves, none of whom were

I have known Charles Lippert and been a patron of Lippert Pharmacy ever since the doors were opened to his first location on the bridge. Never have I felt neglected or unwanted in his store. He has come down after hours when I was in need of immediate medication, cashed checks for me, sold me stamps when the post office was closed, and collected my Consumer's Power bill, even for the City of Alma.

is much more helpful than a column of fault finding. Sincerely, Mrs. Bernie Bedell

Dear Editor:

I wonder how many people in this and surrounding area have had to receive emergency treatment at a Hospital in Grand Rapids?? I wonder just how many of these people have been satisfied with treatment received? Personally, we are quite fed up-having to put up with an impersonal staff with an "I don't care atti-

Our tax dollars go towards support of this hospital for the care and treatment of the general public. Last Sunday night, June 8, after my husband's car accident on Alden Nash, he was taken to Butterworth emergency. His face was cut and bleeding. He had a huge bump on the back of his head plus back injury. Yes, we know he was full of wet mud that had dried on him-no fault of his-he was thrown out of the car. I always thought that in a case like this, the first thing done is to wash any dirt out of open wounds and to put medi cation on them. This was not done at all-there was nothing done about the bump on his head.

The people on duty were told he was in pain-he was not given a thing until about five minutes before they let him come home. I asked one man on staff to check the bump on his head. His answer? He threw his hands in the air and said, "oh, we'll check that later," and left and did not return.

Is this the kind of treatment people are to expect? They act at times as though they're there to do you a favor-not because they really have feeling for people in pain and need.

Maybe, if more people made legitimate complaints, something would be done to everyone's satisfaction. The police officer from Kent County Sheriff's Department that responded to my call even told me not to do anything for Jack-that the hospital would do it all. Well, as it turned out, I was the one who had to cleanse his cuts and put medication on them, thanks to Dr. Gerard for giving it to me.

Mrs. Jack W. Stevens 12215-36th St. Lowell, Mich.

Seven Bid On Road Project

Kaminga & Roodvoets last week was the low bidder of seven at \$298,535 for the rebuilding of Lincoln Lake Avenue between Four and Five Mile Roads NE. reports Homer Preston, secretary of the Kent County

The bid is more than \$100,000 lower than the estimate of \$400,000, Preston says.

This part of Lincoln Lake Avenue runs over a "sea" of muck, necessitating frequent repairs. Lincoln Lake Avenue is a primary north-south county road.

The present section will be removed as well as 100,-000 cubic yards of muck some of which is 35 feet deep. Kaminga & Roodvoets will start the project July 1 and will complete it by no later than Nov. 29.

David Groenleer, KCRC traffic engineer, says this part of Lincoln Lake Avenue will be closed to through

traffic during the construction period, and vehicles will be detoured by way of Ashley Avenue between Three and Six Mile Roads. Ashley Avenue is a mile east of Lincoln Lake Avenue.

From these experiences, I realize very well the need for continual vigilance on the part of the mer-

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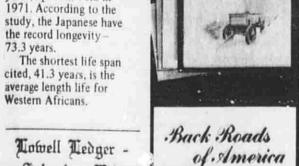
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D) Submit proposals for funding consideration by August 1, 1975

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Mr. and Mrs. Ed Krampe of Greenville were guests Father's day, of Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Tucker. Father's Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Weeks were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Beukema and Linda and

Mrs. Thelma Blough of Alto, Elinor Noon of Low

ell and Mr. and Mrs. William Youngs of Ionia were Sunday afternoon guests of Agnes Campbell: Mr. and Mrs. Curt Chadwick of Ionia and Mr. and Mrs. David Benjamin attended the Shakespearean play at Stratford, Canada, and visited Niagara Falls.

Roni, Tommy and Russell stayed with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Chadwick, last week. Father's Day afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Chadwick were Mr. and Mrs. Curt Chadwick and family of Ionia, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Chadwick and family, Mr. and Mrs. Colin Hill, Clara Chadwick and Beth Chadwick.

Father's Day afternoon and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Potter of Lowell were Mr. and Mrs. Hillis Tischer; Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Potter and two daughters, Donna Potter and Jim and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Geelhood, all from Lowell.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gene King of Lowell, were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hillis Tischer. Mrs. John Sterzick spent the last two weeks with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Geelhood of

The Saranac Senior Citizens will leave September 28 on a 10-day bus trip for a Cape Cod Color Tour of the six New England states. Call soon for reservation, as quota is nearly filled. Phone Muriel Peck, Saranac,

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Carrigan and family and Cathy Scott are spending the summer at Holland Lake, near Sheridan. Barbara Collins and family, Cindy Theisen, Elaine Rois and son were weekend guests. Jimmy Collins spent the weekend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Benjamin were Father's Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Benjamin and family of Lowell, and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mathew and family of Lowell. Pre-Father's Day guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Benjamin were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Boguslaski

and family of Allendale. Dr. and Mrs. Norman Gatzemeyer and son, Kenny, were Father's Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herman

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cahoon were Wednesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cahoon.

Bryce Baies' family met for Father's Day at their cabin at West Lakes.

Faul Benjamin phoned his father greetings from California Sunday forenoon. Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Benjamin enjoyed Sunday dinner in Grand Rapids, then spent the afternoon with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Cartwright.
At Michigan State University, Sharon L. Jackson

received a BA degree with honors. Tuesday afternoon and luncheon guests of Mr, and Mrs. Ralph Wheaton were Mr. and Mrs. Tip Maxfield and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Foster, both from Greenville. Hazel Bush had a pace-maker operation Tuesday at the Osteopathic Hospital in Grand Rapids, 1919 Boston, Grand Rapids, 49506.

Bea Welch and grandson, Scot Macy flew to Califor-George Eddy has been transferred to the Kent Community Hospital, 150 Fuller Ave., in Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barcy and family of Grand

Ledge entertained at a dinner and open house Sunday for their son, Douglas's graduation. Those present from here, were Fern Garrison and Hattie Stairs. Wm. Potter and two children of Ironwood visited his aunt, Edith Wheaton, Thursday afternoon.

Ionia Hospital: Surgery: George Casey, Jane Talcott, Steven Simpson. Discharge: Thomas Trier, Jane Talcott, George Casey, Steven Simpson, Jack Riley.

Belding Hospital; Medical: Carrie Friedly, Murl Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Adgate's son, Kim, is scheduled to report to personnelman, a school at Moridan,

Mr. and Mrs. Ronny Prevost and son, Roland of Manchester were Saturday guests of her parents, Mr and Mrs. Ralph Wheaton, for Father's Day. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph White and Mable Child spent Sunday afternoon with Murl Child, at Belding Hospital. Wednesday dinner guests of Mabel were Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Sutton, of Hastings, and all went to the nospital in the afternoon. Mrs. Dale Sprague spent Tuesday evening with Mabel Child.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Abshire and family spent the weekend in Three Rivers. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Henry spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gardner and son, Jimmy, at Prescott,

Katherine Olson and two friends took a trip, the last two weeks, seeing sights in Tennessee and Virginia. Saranac Community Church had an ice cream social for all the Vacation Bible children, classes were kindergarten through the 6th Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Veryl Morrow were Father's Day

guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Landle and family of Beld-Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Conkright of Grand Rapids and Crystal Mansfield enjoyed a birthday dinner for their mother, Eliza Johnson's 88th birthday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Tony Gagnon. Carl Hatch arrived home Saturday, after a one week

Jack Chipman's had a family picnic at the Saranac Park, Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Seiler were Sunday afternoon guests of his father, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Seiler. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Seiler had a Father's Day picnic Saturday for his father, Harold, with Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Seiler and family attending.

visit at Rochester, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Rolfe of Ionia were Father's Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Rolfe. LITE SIDE NEWS Teacher: Like milk? Little boy: Daddy gets it from he 4 weenies that hang down. I sure do! Poodles are not responsible for their hair-dos.

Nobody who can read is ever successful at cleaning Many people's minds are like cement; well mixed Man looking at pretty blond, said: That's some-

thing I'd like to set aside for old age. Loving and being loved are the two important Money doesn't grow on 'sprees'!

On TV they should have a series about a wealthy sheik and his wife-called 'oil' in the family! DAVIS RETURNS TO

PEARL HARBOR, HAWAII Navy Boiler Technician Fireman Michael D. Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Duane K. Davis of 262 David Highway, Saranac, has returned to Peal Harbor, Hawaii,

aboard the guided missile destroyer USS Benjamin Stoddert. He and his shipmates have completed a seven-month Western Pacific deployment. Davis participated in various training exercises and visited several Pacific islands during the cruise. His ship was also deployed in support of evacuation ef-

forts in South Vietnam. A 1973 graduate of Saranac High School, he joined the Navy in August 1973.



Break Ground For Suburban Y Facility

Ground-breaking ceremonies for Grand Rapids' first complete suburban family YMCA were held Tuesday at the corner of Forest Hills Ave, and Ada Dr. SE, site of a proposed \$2.5 million facility.

Gary Lewis, branch executive director, said a general fund-raising campaign will be held as soon as the plans and diagrams are approved by the Kent County United Way, which subsidizes part of the Y's operation

The complete family Y will include a large gymnasium, indoor and outdoor pools, indoor and outdoor running tracks, outdoor tennis courts, racquet and handball courts, a sauna and steambath and a full day-care

Consider Plans For Book Rental At Lowell Library

The Lowell Library Board is interested in setting up a rental section for 'best-selling' books in the library. The initial cost of purchasing these books from diversified fields would come from donations. Any individual or organization wishing to help can send or take their contribution to Evelyn Briggs at the library. A nominal rental fee of .50¢ has been suggested.

As soon as the new books have been paid for, subsequent ones will be bought. All the books will become part of the regular library.



To Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hoseth (Kim Davis) of Grand Rapids, a daughter, Sara Elice, on June 11, 1975, at Blodgett Hospital, weight 6 lb., 2 oz. Happy grandparents (for the first time) Ted and Pat Hoseth and Herb

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ignasiak proudly announce the birth of their baby daughter, Robin Lee. She was born Saturday, June 14, at the Grand Rapids Osteopathic Hospital. She weighed 5 lb., 12 oz. at birth.

4-H Club News

The Wolverines 4-H Club held its second meeting of the year at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reg Cridler with nineteen members present. Projects in the areas of dairy, swine, and flowervegetable gardening were discussed. Refreshments were served after the meeting.



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Historical Society Begins 11th Year CALENDAR OF EVENTS

In April we celebrated our tenth anniversary at the Runciman Auditorium. Several new directors were elected to the board, Mary Yost, Virginia Tichelaar, Ray Onan and Tom Stahr.

The officers and other members are, Leonora Tower, president; Don McPherson, first vice-president; Ferris Miller, second vice-president; Evelyn Briggs, treasurer; and Mary Yost, Norton Avery, Gordon Johnson, Irma Richmond, Dr. Robert Kyser, Delores Laux, Edwin Roth, Doris Myers, and Clynis Benson, directors and Ray Onan, honorary board member.

At our annual meeting April 27, we were privileged to have as our speaker, Mike Washo of the Michigan State Historical Commission at Lansing. The Forensic group of Lowell High School presented "The Devil & Daniel Webster" which we thoroughly enjoyed and Due to the efforts of Don McPherson we-were con-

gratulated and commended for our accomplishments over the years by President Gerald R. Ford, Governor Milliken and several other state and local dignitaries with letters and wires. We are proud of these acknow-

We were asked by Mayor Carlen Anderson to be the official Bi-Centennial Committee for the Lowell Area.



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School Grade Next Fall Attend Sunday School? Yes No Name of Church

Council, Jaycees and all organizations now participating on plans for the July Fourth weekend and Showboat week activities planned to commemorate the oc-

The festivities planned for the Fourth of July weekend should keep our local people busy and enjoying the parade, ballgames, Arts & Crafts r'air, Flea Market and the Fire Works which will follow a square dance at the Showboat Amphitheatre.

During the past year we have participated in meetings of the Kent County Council for Historic Preservation. Mr. Frankforter of the Grand Rapids Public Museum is president and that organization is able to be of assistance in many ways to area groups. We were hosts to the bi-monthly meeting on May 31 at the Showboat Restaurant following a tour of the Fallasburg Village and School Museum.

Other meetings attended were the regional conference at Charlton Park near Hastings with Frank Wilhelme, president of the Michigan State Historical Society in charge of a work shop on site and building restoration. Mr. Wilhelme was speaker at a previous meeting of the Cascade Historical Society to which we were invited. We will be attending a meeting of the Sierra Club in Grand Rapids at their invitation this We have a committee to work on a book with Fa-

This is to be one of our bi-centennial projects. Norton Avery and David Richmond and Leonora Tower have begun the research-we have appointed Ferris Miller as chairman of a committee to proceed with Fallasburg Village Restoration. An immediate goal is to have it placed on the National Register of Historic Sites. The Covered Bridge

ther John McGee, depicting the history of the area.

and the Lowell Library have been so designated by the society's efforts. As we enter the eleventh year of our existence we

have faith and enthusiasm for our goals, as a society which is dedicated to the themes expressed by the United States Bi-Centennial Commission, Heritage, Festivals and Horizons.

We have done a great deal toward the preservation of our local heritage, we will be celebrating throughout the year with Festivals, pageants, our Arts & Crafts Show in September and we will never lose sight of our goal on the horizon-The Restoration of Fallas burg Village. It is the single most important project this area can now promote. The possibilities for development of a lasting monument to our heritage and a contribution to the economy of the area are unlimited

Elect Officers

Recent organizational meetings of the Junior and Senior High Fellowships at the First United Methodist Church of Lowell resulted in the election of new officers and the beginning of a year of new goals and pro-

Elected to the presidency of the Junior High Fellow-ship was Mark Homolka. Lynn Homolka will serve as secretary-treasurer. Grade representatives will be Terri Meredith, seventh,

and Clifford Mulder, eighth. Officers for the Senior High Fellowship are: Susan Yost, president; Nancy Bieri, vice-president; Karen Anderson, secretary; and Melinda Blough, treasurer. Representatives on the Senior High board will be Lori Meredith, ninth grade; Glenn Bailey, tenth grade; Denise Rittenger, eleventh grade; and Cheryi Parsons, twelfth grade.

Suc Stevens and Chery! Parsons were elected as representatives to the Council on Youth Ministries, Grand Rapids District.

SATURDAY, JUNE 21

The South Boston Grange is having another of their good time Euchre Parties at the hall on Saturday evening, June 21, at 8 p.m. All are welcome.

THURSDAY, JUNE 26 South Boston Extension Group will have their annual picnic on Thursday, June 26, at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Paul Wittenbach

THURSDAY, JUNE 26 Hooker Chapter No. 73, RAM, will hold its regular June convocation in the Masonic Temple, 119 Lincoln Lake Ave., on Thursday, June 26, at 7:30 p.m. to select improvements to the by-laws. Every member should participate in this choice.

SATURDAY, JUNE 28

The 39'ers of the First Congregational Church of Lowell will have a polluck dinner Saturday, June 28, at 6 p.m. at Schneider Manor on Bowes Road.

THE LOWELL SENIOR CENTER-Is sponsoring a two week's 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, c8tf

Calvary Church Bible School June 23-27

Daily Vacation Bible School will be held at Calvary Christian Reformed Church, 1151 W. Main St. (near Eberhards), Monday, through Friday, June 23 through June 27, 9 to 11:30 a.m. All children of the community age 4 to those who have completed grade 5 may be enrolled. The program includes Bible stories, songs. snacks, crafts, and a family picnic Friday night at Fal-Children may be enrolled by phoning the church

istering on opening day, June 23 at 9 a.m. Congregational Picnic At Fallasburg Sunday

office, 897-8841 or Mrs. Webster, 897-9092 or by reg-

The First Congregational Church of Lowell will hold their All-Church picnic this Sunday, June 22, at Fallasburg Park.

The picnic will beign with an outdoor worship service at 10:15 a.m. in the park. There will be both organized and free-time recreation. Planned is an egg-toss, sack race, volleyball, badmitton, frizbee, and a great softball game. Lunch will be by family, but you are invited to bring enough to share with another family, to encourage fellowship and variety during the meal. Anyone needing a ride to the park should be at the

School Board Agenda

church before 10 a.m.

Lowell Area Schools Board of Education meeting, Monday, June 23, at 7:30 p.m. in the Middle School

Bus routes, 1975-76 Reading Report 3. Selection of Elementary Principal 4. Approval of Election results

Wedding Plans Made

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The engagement of Miss Patricia L. Noffke is proudy announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph D. Noffke and the late Bette Noffke of Middleville. Her fiance is Ted A. Mager, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mager of Clarksville.

Pat is a 1973 graduate of Thornapple Kellogg of Middleville and Ted is a 1969 graduate of Lowell. A September wedding is being planned. Elder Owen Ellis To Speak

The theme for the 11 a.m. worship service Sunday, June 22, at The Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Alaska, will be "The Liberty of the Gospel." Elder Owen Ellis will be the speaker. The speaker at the Hastings Church will be Priest Greg Clark speaking on the same theme.

"The Kingdom of God Present Reality and Future Hope," Priest Ken Colburn will be the speaker. The theme for the Wednesday evening fellowship service, June 25, at 7:30 will be "It Is Yek Day." The

Class Of 1970 Plans Fifth-Year Reunion

Time is running out to send in your reservations for the Class of 1970's five-year class reunion. Responses have been received from as far away as Alaska, California and Virginia. However, reservations from the Lowell area have been very slow coming in.

The reunion will be held July 19 at Shady Acres.

Music will be provided by "Melody Magic." Dinner is at 8 p.m. with a social hour at 7 p.m. Reservations are \$7.50 per person, (\$15 per couple). Send reservations and monies to Susan (Dey) Averill, 713 N. Jefferson, Lowell. Phone 897-5184.





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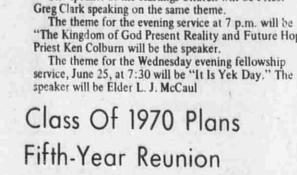
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ADA CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Coming to the Cascade Christian Church and sponsored by the Cascade Library on Tuesday, June 24, at 2 p.m. is the Story Trunk, a story theater, one of three programs for elementary school age children in the "KC at the Bat-a good time with rhyme" series presented by the Kent County Library System.

Story poems to be dramatized will be "Casey at the Bat" by Ernest Lawrence Thayer, The Duchess Bakes a Cake" by Virginia Kahl and "Custard and the Dragon" by Ogden Nash. Featured performers will be Betty Garver, Cindy Kitzrow, Christine Cairo and Pat Holwerda, all KCL staff members.

Librarian, Margaret Pengelly, invites children from kindergarten through third grade to attend these summer programs. Phone 949-3130 for further informa-



Pat Holwerda (left, bottom), Cindy Kitzrow (center, top) and Betty Garver act out "The Dutchess Bakes a Cake" by Virginia Kahl. They are members of the Story Theater coming to the Cascade Christian Church on Tuesday, June 24, at 2 p.m. The summer program of dramatized story poems for children in kindergarten through the third grade is sponsored by the Cascade Library and presented by the Kent County Library System.

EDITOR'S DESK

This year, there are an estimated 60,000 Americans who are planting vegetable gardens. Have you any idea what it means to have this many tillers of the soil run

ning lose? It means there will have to be at least 210,000,000 persons to eat the goodies at harvest time. One would wonder whether we have the population to handle it. At last count, there were 80,000,000 adult nongardeners in this country. Of this total, 32,000,000 are allergic to tomatoes and have an acne problem

after consuming the first bushel. Twenty-eight million it is estimated are etill eating bread and butter pickles canned in 1958, and of the remaining 20,000,000, 18,000,000 have green teeth

during July and August. To start with, the harvest of a home garden very seldom occurs when the gardener is at home . . . he is always on vacation. No one seems to know why this phenomenon occurs, but one can leave a few hours for a dental appointment only to return and realize they've

missed the harvest. Another phenomenon is that you can share your harvest with your friends. After the first 500 pounds of beans or bib lettuce, a gardener has no friends. I know the work involved in planting a garden, weeding and watering it, and it is very gratifying that the American people are intent on solving the food problem and trying to fight the high prices in the

super markets. But, the real heroes of the war against inflation have to be the non-gardners who smile and burp, "everyone can use another bushel of radishes. Hats off to the Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce who have been busy for the past several months laying

plans for an at-home Fourth of July celebration in From Richards' Park on the city's West side, to the Showboat Amphitheatre on the east side, activities destined to please and delight every member of the

family will be held. Topping off the day's festivities will be a gigantic fireworks display . . . something Lowell has needed

for a long time Plan now, to spend the Fourth at home. My congratulations also to Kurt Yost, son of Dr.

and Mrs. William Yest, who received two major leadership awards during graduation services for the seniors at Lowell Senior High School, and to those students whose academic efforts earned them college scholar-

Earns BS Degree At Ithaca

Chrys Childress of Ada, was awarded the degree of

Bachelor of Science in Speech Pathology and Audiology Magna Cum Laude by Ithaca College, Ithaca, New York, at the graduation exercises at the College May 17th. She was among 760 students awarded degrees at the ceremony at which retiring president of Ithaca College, Ellis L. Phillips, Jr. delivered the Commencement Miss Childress, a Dean's List student for scholarship,

was named to Oracle, Ithaca's senior honorary society. ask Countil approval. She was three times elected a representative to the Stu dent Congress, and was chosen a chairman by the Congress. Chrys was a member of the Ski Club and the Activities Committee of the Student Union. She is an affiliate of the National Speech and Hearing Association Miss Childress is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Childress of 960 Cramton N.E., Ada.

City Of Lowell Council Proceedings

Official Proceedings of the City Council of the City of Lowell, Michigan. Regular Meeting of Monday, June 2, 1975. The Pledge of Allegiance and an Invocation was giv-

en by the Mayor. Mayor Anderson called the meeting to order at 8 p.m. and the Roll was called. Present: Councilmembers Hall, Jefferies, Mueller and Anderson.

Absent: Councilwoman Rogers. IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Mueller, supported by Councilman Hall that the absence of Councilwoman Rogers be excused, due to illness.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Jefferies that the minutes of the May 19 meeting be approved as written and the reading waived, supported by Councilman Hall.

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

Anderson. No: None. Absent: Councilwoman Rogers.

BILLS & ACCOUNTS PAYABLE TOTALS Lee Fund \$ 12,655.00 General Fund 114,356.63 Major Street Fund 9,622.81 Local Street Fund 47.82 11,118.33 Water Fund 29,726.20 Equipment Fund 23,139,13 Revenue Sharing Fund 101,142.00 Storm Sewer Fund 4,200.00 Cemetery Fund 40,000.00 mprovement Fund 17,975.00 Manager Bacon then introduced Mr. Herman De-Lano of Williams and Works, who reported on the progress of the test wells on the Pickett and Schreur

Mr. DeLano stated that the area is very encouraging, the quality and quantity being much better than expected, and that a total of three wells, pumping 700 gallons per minute were needed to serve the City. He then stated that specifications for bids had been published, and bids had been opened at 2 p.m. that afternoon, (June 2). Three bids were submitted, however, one bid was unsigned and could not be considered.

The two valid bids were as follows: Riegler Water Well Drilling, Inc. bid of \$11,210.50 was submitted with a 5% bid deposit instead of the required certified check or bank draft, and Singer-Lavne Northern submitted a bid of \$13,998.00 with a certified check for 5% of the bid amount.

DeLano suggested that the irregularity of the 5% bid deposit be waived, and the bid of Reigler Water Well Drilling, Inc. be accepted. A discussion by Council followed, the Manager stat-

ing that the engineers had estimated a cost of drilling at \$14,500. IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Mueller that the irregularity of the bank bond of 5% instead of the certified check be waived, and the low bid of \$11,210.50 of Riegler Water Well Drilling, Inc. be accepted, sup-

ported by Councilman Hall. Yes: Councilmembers Hall, Jefferies, Mueller and

No: None. Absent: Councilwoman Rogers. The Manager then read a letter from the Lowell Liting Mrs. Beverly Hagen and Mrs Beverly Hall to Board terms beginning July 1, 1975. IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Jefferies that the appointments be confirmed, supported by Councilman Mueller.

Carried.
Council discussed the use of Federal Revenue Sharing Funds for Entitlement Period No. 6. The manager related that \$30,000 for Public Health, operation and maintenance of garbage and rubbish removal, and \$27, 037 for capital expenditures for motor vehicles, total-

ing \$57,037 were listed as priorities of the Council. IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Jefferies that Council approve the Manager's report of Federal Revenue Sharing Funds, supported by Councilman Mueller. Yes: Councilmembers Hall, Jefferies, Mueller and Anderson.

Absent: Councilwoman Rogers. Council then discussed the request of Michigan Department of State Highways and Tranportation for an easement to make a radius improvement at the northeast corner of Hudson and Main Streets. It would allow movement of the traffic signal pole, fire hydrant and sidewalk relocation. Councilman Jefferies asked about the possibility of doing the improvement on the northwest corner, in front of Arnie's Standard Station instead of cutting so much room off the corner by the Library, possibly jeopardizing the large Pine trees by installing sidewalk so close to the trunk. It

was explained that large trucks and school buses have a hard time negotiating the right hand turn from Main Street onto Hudson. Councilmen Hall and Mueller also expressed concern for added traffic and pedestrian crossing, making the corner so close to the building Mayor Anderson then directed the City Manager to check back with the Highway Department for an al-

Then followed a discussion on the proposed purchase of Tele-processing equipment for use in the wa-ter billing. Manager Bacon stated that the purchase price would be \$4,310, which would include charges for the line, computor, and maintenance. He also stated that the equipment can be leased at \$282 per month, plus the cost of billing cards.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Jefferies that the Tele-processing equipment for water billing be leased from the Kent County Board of Education with an "open end" contract on a monthly basis, and to suggest to the Lowell Light and Power Board to use the same approach for electrical billing, supported by Councilnan Mueller.

Yes: Councilmembers Hall, Jefferies, Mueller and Anderson.

No: None. Absent: Councilwoman Rogers. The City Manager read a request from the Michigan Liquor Control Commission for transfer of the tavern license from Winthrop Setchfield to Mr. William G. Gardner, stating that Chief Emmons had made the necessary investigation, and has recommended approval. Both Mr. Setchfield and Mr. Gardner were present to

The following resolution was offered by Councilman Hall and supported by Councilman Mueller for

THAT THE REQUEST FROM William G. Gardner for transfer ownership of 1974 Tavern license located at 211 West Main Street, Lowell, Michigan 49331,

Kent County, from Winthrop C. Setchfield, Sr. and Marion J. Setchtield be considered for approval.

Yes: Councilmembers Hall, Jefferies, Mueller and

No: Mone Absent: Councilwoman Rogers. Mayor Anderson announced that the Lowell Area Schools have approached the City on installing new "quartz" lighting fixtures at the Recreation Park Baseball Field. He presented a drawing, explaining that lights would be placed on 4, 40 foot poles with a total cost of approximately \$4,500. There are about 700 people now involved with softball and baseball through the YMCA. Council concurred to pursue the

Mayor Anderson then introduced Mr. Sam Ciluffo of the Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce, who stated that the Main Street Businessmen are concerned with the impending removal of parking from one side of Main Street. He suggested that the City and the Chamber set up some kind of block plan if necessary to plan for off street parking before the two-year deadline is up. He read a letter from Sen. Robert Vander-Laan to Mr. Ralph Townsend citing the City's high accident rate, and explaining the traffic flow and safety would be much better. The letter also stated that if there was a possibility of the parking removal creating a detriment to the Lowell Businessmen, that he be con-

Several merchants stated that the "high accident rate" cited was on the corners of Hudson Street and Main, where no parking is allowed on either side of the street at the present time, and Main and Valley Vista Drive, again with no parking, and they felt these areas had nothing to do with the Central Business District on the bridge. Many suggestions were offered on controling the parking situation for increased safety, and where to locate future off street parking. Mr. Mike Jones of the State Highway Department has offered to meet with Councilmembers and Chamber members to discuss the problem. Mayor Anderson then announced that he had ap-

pointed Mrs. Patricia Smith as City Treasurer, to begin IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Mueller that the appointment be confirmed, supported by Councilman

Manager Bacon stated that because of vandalism to the house located at 725 East Main Street, the owner had been notified to fix the house, or tear it down. There being no reply from the owner, Manager Bacon asked Council for permission to notify the owner by section of Charter, that he would have ten days to board up, or tear down the structure, or the City will board it up, charging the cost of materials and

labor to the owner, then possible legal action to have it IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Mueller that the ten day notice be sent to board up or remove the structure, supported by Councilman Hall.

Carried. Under Communications, letters were read from Kent' County Treasurer John L. Damstra on a request from Mrs. Jean Stiles for a Kennel License, and from the Belding E.M.T. Unit thanking Chief Barry Emmons and praising Lowell's Rescue Unit for assisting at the

A discussion followed on the approval of the Kennel license, Chief Emmons report being favorable, it was recommended that the license be granted. IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Hall that the re ommendation to the Kent County Treasurer be approved to grant the Kennel License to Mrs. Jean Stiles of

12142 Bowes Road, supported by Councilman Jefferies. The Manager's Report was given including the Po-lice Department Report and the Fire Department Report for the month of May. Also included in the Manager's Report was a request from Airport Manager John Cornell for permission to raise and grade the West end of the runway, for a cost of \$150.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Mueller that the

City of Lowell

Planning Commission-Citizens Advisory Committee, Zoning Board of Appeals,

Monday, June 23, 1975, 7:30 p.m.

in the Council Room of City Hall, 301

The purpose of the hearing will be to listen to all interested persons to:

1. Consider the request of Mr. Dave Clark, Jr. on behalf of Mrs. Nell Swierenga for a variance on Zoning for a non-conforming use, of side line and set back requirements, to construct an addition of a sun porch to the residence at 150 South Hudson St.

2. Consider the request of Mrs. Charlotte Siciliano for a variance from set-back and side line requirements to construct a garage on her premises at 815 North Hudson

3. Consider the request of Mr. Phillip Johnson for a variance from set back and side line requirements to construct a garage on his premises at 810 Riverside Drive.

Blaine E. Bacon, City Clerk

\$150 cost for raising and grading the West end of the Lowell Airport runway be approved, supported by

Yes: Councilmembers Hall, Jefferies, Mueller and Anderson.

Absent: Councilwoman Rogers. Under remarks from the Audience, Mr. Gordon Hill was present and gave his opinion on the spending of the Federal Revenue Sharing monies, Mr. Harold Ball asked about the temporary closing of the landfill, and there was a discussion by others in the audience on trash pickup and several trees that need to be removed at Richards Park.

There were no remarks or reports from Council. IT WAS MOVED to adjourn at 10:20 p.m. by Coun-Approved June 16, 1975.

CARLEN E. ANDERSON, BLAINE E. BACON,

Local Briefs

Monday, June 16, at the Sheraton Inn in Anderson, Indiana, the popular band "Stillwater" from Lowell, began a two-week engagement. The busy summer schedule will also take them to the Daniel Boone Inn in Charleston, West Virginia. The band is composed of Cindy and Jerry Adams, Dale Kropf, Roger MacNaughton, Carl Andrews and Dave Jones.

Nelson B. Good, 85, former owner and operator of the Nelson B. Good Chevrolet dealership in Caledonia passed away June 14. Among his survivors is a brother, Vern of Lowell, and a sister, Mrs. James Patrick of

Richard M. DeVos, president of Amway Corporation, Ada, has been elected chairman of the board of directors of the Direct Selling Association (DSA). Headquartered in Washington, DC, the association is comprised of some 100 of the nation's leading manufacturing and distributors of products sold directly to the consumer in the home. Prior to his 1973 election as an officer of the association, Mr. DeVos served DSA as a member of its board of directors.

It's anniversary time for Mr. and Mrs. James Cook, sr., Mr. and Mrs. William McClure, Mr. and Mrs. George Staal, Mr. and Mrs. James Ryder, June 20; Mr. and Mrs. Dave Carter, June 21; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Sawdy, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Johnson, June 22; Mr. and Mrs. James Speerstra, June 24.

Marine Private Gary C. Groeneweg, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Groeneweg of 1021 Lincoln Lake, Lowell, was graduated from recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, California.

Ruth A. Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Lee, 13675-52nd St., Lowell, was among the 113 Grace College students of Winona Lake, Indiana, receiving degrees from college president Dr. Herman A. Hoyt during the 1975 commencement exercises. She received the Bachelor of Arts degree, cum laude, with a major in psychology and a minor in sociology. Ruth is a 1971 graduate of Lowell High School.

Mary E. Fitzpatrick of 10800 Deerwood Drive, Lowell, was among a total of 1,454 candidates for bachelor's degrees at Western Michigan University's recent commencement which ended the second semester of the 1974-75 academic year.

OLDEST BOTANIC GARDEN

Michigan State University's W. J. Beal Botanic Garden is the oldest continuously operated garden of its kind in the U.S. Established in 1873, the five-acre garden was recently designated a state historic site.

LEGAL NOTICES

West Michigan Centennial Bull Test Station

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Wyoming, Michigan, 49509

Act 284 (1972 and Act 327 (1931) Date Organized 1/15/75 For Fiscal Year Oct. 20, 1974 Through May 28, 1975 CASH RECEIPTS 900.00 Consignment fees 8,207.69 \$9,107.69 CASH DISBURSEMENTS \$1,065.00 Office Supplies & Printing Judges, Vets, Farriers, Etc. 307.30 892.00 Total Premiums Paid 29.68 Total Ribbons & Trophies Utilities (Phone, Electric, etc. 152.05 Corporation Filing Fee 20.00 5,574.55 178.00 Weighing Service (MSU) Consignment Refund 50.00 731.20 Hay, Straw

\$9,059,41 Beginning Fiscal Year Cash Balance (in al Plus Total Receipts (from above) \$9.107.69 Less Total Disbursements (from above) 9.059.41 Total Ending Fiscal Year Cash Balance ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE \$ 425.00 \$ 425.00 Total

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE \$ 100.80 18.70 Electric bill Show Associations (Grants) Cash Receipts & Disbursement Statemen

April 1, 1975 Date of Show \$ 892.00 Cash Premiums Paid Ribbons & Trophies Paid 29.68 Total Awards Paid 921.68 We, V. C. Fairbrother, President and R. K. Crissman, Secretary, being duly sworn depose and say that we are respectively the president and secretary of the West Michigan Centennial Bull Test Station and that the foregoing statements contained herein above, are actual cash transactions of the fiscal year period so stated, as required by law. It is understood that any falsification of such statements herein will be subject o the penalty so designated in Act No. 188, Public

V. C. Fairbrother, President, R. K. Crissman, Secretary Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public in and for said county of Kent this 28 day of May A.D., 1975.

Acts of 1921, as amended.

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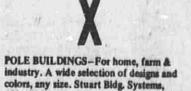
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Welfare Reform Topic Of Special Rotary Gathering

Lowell Rotarians invited their wives and a number of guests to their June 11 meeting held in the new State Savings Branch Bank on M-44. A total of 102 enjoyed a delicious meal highlighted by red, rosy strawberries and roast beef, catered by Central YMCA Food Services. Stan Gardner led in prayer before the meal. Featured speaker of the evening was L. Brooks Pat-

Featured speaker of the evening was L. Brooks Patterson, Oakland County Prosecutor, introduced by Don Rocheleau, who spoke as a representative of the State Chamber of Commerce. Speaking on the theme, "The Need for Reform in the Welfare System," Patterson said there is a need to develop a welfare system that eliminates those not eligible, while protecting those in genuine need of assistance.

State Senator Robert Vanderlaan, sponsor of a state welfare reform bili, was on hand to hear Patterson's address as was Representative and Mrs. Martin Buth.

Rocheleau, King Doyle and Leonard Jackson served as the program committee. Phil Johnson, of Johnson's Trif-T-Mart, donated a nice door prize which was won by Mary Lou Doyle. Rose Roberts won the Wife's Fun Fund drawing.

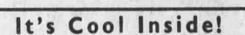
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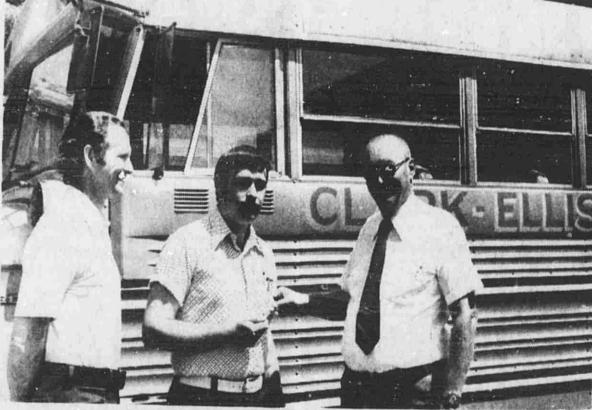
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MONDAY IS DOLLAR NIGHT

Clark-Ellis Post Makes Presentation



In keeping with their policy of community service, the Clark-Eilis American Legion Post, No. 152, of Lowell recently gave their bus to the Lowell YMCA. Legion Commander Avery Block, right, presented the keys to the 'Y' on behalf of the Legion and its board—Roger Bieri, Clare Krebs, Eddie Rash and Richard Bieri.

Receiving the keys, were Dean Collins, Y-Board chairman, center, and Rommie Moore, YMCA director, left, who explained the unit will make it possible for the addition of another bus class to the Y's summer swim program.

Alto Library Presents Creative Drama

Children will have a chance to participate in the action when the creative drama program comes to the Alto Library, on Tuesday, June 24, at 2 p.m.

Creative dramatics is one of three summer programs presented by the Kent County Library System at its



Charles Roberson (left) and Pat Feehan demonstrate opposites—open and shut—in the creative dramatics program being featured at the Alto Library on Tuesday, June 24th at 2 p.m. Children in kindergarten through the third grade will participate in acting out stories presented by the Kent County Library System.

member libraries with the theme "KC at the Bat—a good time with rhyme." The shows are for kindergarteners through third graders.

Charles Roberson and Pat Feehan of the KCL staff

Charles Roberson and Pat Feehan of the KCL staff will lead the program where children help act out the stories from books. The stories will be "The Gorilla Did It" by Barbara Shook Hazen, "How Far Will a Rubber Band Stretch" by Mike Thaler and "The Elephant's Child" by Rudyard Kipling.

The Alto Library, a member of the Kent County Library System, is at 6049 Linfield, telephone 868-4031.

Books & Things

Alto Library has begun its summer programs and Reading Club with a puppet show June 17th, reports Linda Tilma, librarian. There will be a different program every Tuesday at 2 p.m. thru July 29th. The Reading Club will be topped off with a party August 12th for children who've read 10 books this summer, prior to the party.

Some new books at the library:
"Romance of Atlantis" by Taylor Caldwell and
Jess Stearn. The story, written by Caldwell at age 12,
is about Empress Salustra of Atlantis. Some believe this
is the story of Caldwell's previous reincarnation as the
Empress.

"Tears of Autumn" by Charles McCarry. A novel of an independent agent who sets out to prove JFK's assassination was in retaliation for the previous killings of Diem and Nhu.

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"Shardik" by Richard Adams. Far different from the story of the peaceable rabbits of "Watership down," this is even better, really something special.

"Fiberglass rod making" by Dale B. Clemens. A

beautiful book covering all aspects of glass fishing rod construction.

"How to be a winner at the weight loss game; the

"How to be a winner at the weight loss game; the behavior modification way to lose weight and keep it off forever," by Walter H. Fanburg.
"Working": People talk about what they do all day and how they feel about what they do," by Studs Ter-

kel.
The Alto library, is open Tuesday 1-8, Friday 1-5, and Saturday 9-12. Phone 868-4031.

Leaves Friday For Uruguay

This Friday, June 20, Miss Diana Keim will leave for Colonia, Uruguay, South America, where she will participate in a Youth For Understanding international exchange program this summer.

Diana, a junior at Lowell Senior High School, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Keim, 13597 Thirty-Sixth St., Lowell.

Miss Keim sought out the opportunity to become an exchange student because she likes to travel, and the YFU program offers a unique opportunity to learn about the people in a way no tourist can, and she hopes to gain a better knowledge of the language.

Diana Keim

During her high school
years, thus far, she has been a member of the Future
Teacher's and International clubs, and is a member of
the National Honor Society. Her outside curriculum includes a ten-year membership in the Camp Fire Girl
program. Her sporting activities, stem from the spectator side, focusing mainly on hockey and gymnastics

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Upon her return this summer from South America,
Miss Keim will begin preparing for her senior year at
Lowell. After graduation, she hopes to attend Grand
Rapids Junior College and Central Michigan University,
with her educational goals aimed at someday teaching
the Spanish-speaking bilingual child.

Four other students at Lowell will also be going to

Four other students at Lowell will also be going to foreign countries this summer. They are Gordy Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hill, Sweden; Perri Eickhoff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Eickhoff, Japan; Steve Noffke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Noffke, Philippines; and Carol Alexander, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Alexander.

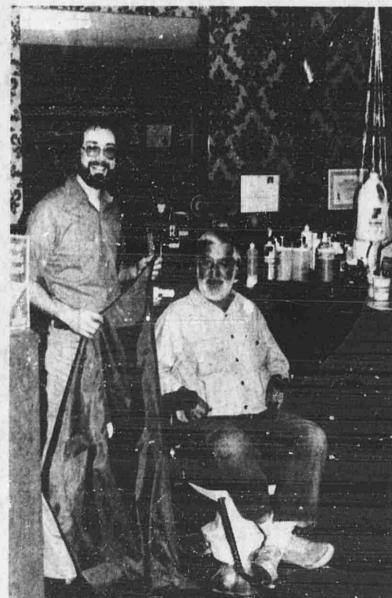
Summer Gymnastic Classes



Gymnastics and Tumbling Instructors, Jean Peasley, left, and Bobbie White, right, are looking forward to their YMCA Summer Classes for boys and girls, age 6 thru 11.

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